morrow he has only a few callers

on his list but plans to spend most

of the day at work in his office.

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dell of Wyoming, republican lead-; lack of prudence or foresight may Anthony of Kansas, chairman of but by maintaining its reserve MONEY READ! the house sub-committee which strength, it is amply better to frames army appropriation meas- maintain general conditions of

Recently he had a similar conerence with Representative Kelly the president-elect at home, where of Michigan, chairman of the and Mrs. Harding niertained State Treasurer Adds Large propriations sub-committee on na- a number of personal friends. Toval expenditures.

W. H. G. Harding, governor of the reserve board, Edmund Platt, the vice-governor, and several officials of the Cleveland reserve Lucile Saunders Off for bank talked about general financial conditions with the presidentelect and gave him their advice on a governmental policy during

lion dollars. He recommended the University of Oregon. against any reduction in armament, but said millions could be been devoting her energies for farmers. saved in military and naval ex- several years, acquiring an intipenditures without seriously crip. mate knowledge of Spanish and in the common school fund availpling their efficiency

Legislation fixing the enlisted acter of the country. During her strength of the army at 150,000 trip she will write numerous aror 175,000 in place of the present ticles for newspapers, magazines authorized strength of 280,000 and trade publications. was suggested by Representative Anthony. He detailed various Saunders will sail for Bolivia. She of Salem, is reported to be very other economies in use of army has made a complete itinerary of seriously ill at his home on South funds

"Sepator Harding very earnest- tically every state. ly urged the impostance of keeping appropriations down to the lowest posisble tigure." said Mr.

Anthony after the conference. "He indicated the wish that ap- St., Norfolk, Va., writes: "I'll tell propriations for the army be kept anybody that Foley's Honey and down in every possible way, al- Tar is all right. It did me all the ways keeping in mind, however, good, I said it first and I'll say it that it would not do to impair the last." Thousands of bottles of this strength of the organization."

by Governor Harding with the and croup at the beginning. It president-elect. to whom he re- acts almost instantly, cuts phlegm, ported that the situation had soothes raw, irritated membranes, passed its most trying stage. stops tickling in throat. Sold

"The conservative influences everywhere. which have been in operation during the year," said the governor in a statement, "have prevented a Insurance Company Quits, larger measure of distress than has actually occurred. Business generally is beginning to adjust itself to new levels and is getting ready to proceed on a sounder and saner basis.

"So far as the federal reserve system is concerned it must necessarily deal, with the situation as a whole. It cannot be expected to protect individuals, who from

Fails to Meet Statutes

After a stop at Guatemala, Miss

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LAST

Carrie G. Harrey, 319 Nicholson

The Wichita Great Western Underwriters, of Wichita Falls, Tex., which early in the year was authorized to transact business in Oregon has been found not quaiffied under the Oregon law, and it is said the concern also will probably he debarred from some cial affairs of the concern, however, are said to be in such condition that the state insurance department believes policy holders will be fully protected.

Soon after the company's repesentatives began to operate in regon according to A. C. Barber, state insurance commissionr, so many inquiries reached the department that it decided to make an examination of the conern as soon as possible.

In an examination completed December 18. Actuary Paul L Woolston of Denver represented he insurance departments of Oregon, Washington, Colorado and Texas. Since the report was completed attorneys of the company have notified the insurance commissioners of Oregon and Washington that it will withdraw from these states and cease the transaction of business with the end of the year.

Portland's Coroner Has a Busy Month

PORTLAND, Dec. 31 .- Twelve ases of death were investigated by the county coroner's office during December, according to announcement today. Six of the deaths proved to be from natural causes. The six cases in which a verdict was rendered were one drowning, two automobile accidents, one murder, two suicides.



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solvency throughout the country." New Year's eve was spent by

Amount to That Available to Borrowers

State Treasurer O. P. Hoff yeserday made available \$75,000 for fidavits that might, be filed. loans to farmers of Oregon at 6 South American Travels per cent by substituting for common school fund money invested German National For a two years' cruise of South in school district boads other the next few months. Farmers America, on which she expects to money from the accident fund. relief is understood to have been visit practically every country in Up to a short time ago the fedone of the specific problems dis the southern continent. Miss eral farm bureau was loaning to cussed, with the board officials Lucile Saunders, Portland news- farmers at 5 per cent. At the advising against special govern- paper woman, will leave Portland same time the state common ment protection for any particular Monday for San Francisco, whence school fund was available to the Mr. Mondell told the presidentelect that the government's greatelect that the government's great
Miss Saunders will retain her cent money when they could get co she will sail on an Admiral liner farmers at 6 per cent, but the elect that the government's great- Miss Saunders will retain her cent money when they could get pay her own subjects in private made public until the allies have ton defeated Norman E. Brookes est saving during the present ses- connection with the Oregonian, it at 5 per cent with the result pay her own subjects in private made public until the allies have ton defeated Norman E. Brookes est saving during the present ses- connection with the Oregonian, it at 5 per cent with the result pay her own subjects in private made public until the allies have ton defeated Norman E. Brookes est saving during the present ses- connection with the Oregonian, it at 5 per cent with the result pay her own subjects in private made public until the allies have ton defeated Norman E. Brookes est saving during the present ses- connection with the Oregonian, it at 5 per cent with the result pay her own subjects in private made public until the allies have ton defeated Norman E. Brookes est saving during the present ses- connection with the Oregonian. sion could be accomplished by on whose staff she has been em. that many applications began to claims. They will add another had time to consider it. holding down the army and navy ployed for a year and a half, come in for 6 per cent common budgets and predicted that by a Previously she was employed on school fund money. To take care tal. The government admits a for a meeting of the allied precareful economy annual appropri- the Statesman, the Bend Bullet- of these applications the treasurations for all departments could in and on Coos Bay and Eugene er yesterday announced that he ficit of 20,000,000,000 marks. It what action should be taken to match by serving, and each server be held to approximately two bil- papers. She spent one year at has transferred to the common school fund \$75,000 that has ac-The visit to South America has crued to the credit of the indusment until there had been an in- been a lifelong ambition of Miss trial accident fund, thereby reternational disarmament agree- Saunders, and to this end she has leasing that amount for loans to

This makes a total of \$250,000 learning the geography and char- able for loans.

HENRY SHOEMAKER ILL

Henry Shoemaker, one of the best known of the older residents her trip, designed to include prac- Commercial street.

Engineering Examiners

Receipts of the state board of ngineering examiners from July 1919, when the board began to function, to December 1, 1920, policies thus far have been amounted to \$18.661, according reliable remedy were bought last to the report filed with Governor A note of optimism in regard to week by careful mothers so as to Olcott. Expenditures for the pefinancial conditions was sounded be prepared to check coughs, colds riod were \$5134.82. No licenses Its policy has been one of education, which, it is claimed, has resulted in much benefit to members of the engineering profes-

> Banks Reorganize and Charters Are Issued

A charter has been issued by the state superintendent of banks to the Grants Pass & Josephine bank, of Grants Pass, which is a president, G. P. Jester, vice president; Sam H. Baker, cashier, and A. K. Cass assistant cashier. E. G. Young & Co., bankers,

of Oakland, have made their depository a state bank-and changed to the name E. C. Young company bank. Formerly it was a private institution. A charter was issued yesterday by the state superintendent. The capitalization is \$50,000. George J. Stearns is president, T. B. Garrison is cashier, and E. G. Young Jr., is assistant cashier. '

Endorse Four Legislative Measures Pertaining to **Educational Matters**

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 31. ciation at its closing session today four measures of legislation. The plan calling for a division of schools into three classes: increase of salary of the state school superintendent to that received

by the state treasurer; increase of the salaries of county superintendents, basing the pay on the importance of the position filled and the placing of teaching on a higher professional lane. The measure for increase

the requirements for teachers' certificates calls for one year of professional training in addition o the regular four years of high school, for all those applying for dertificates after September 1.

The bill also carries provisions making it necessary for the applicant to have two years' professional training after 1925

Major General Given 10 Days For Contempt Portland Exports

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31,-A contempt sentence of 10 days in jail was imposed on Major General Peter C. Harris, adjutant of the army, by Justice Siddons of the district supreme court for his refusal to produce certain records in connection with the selective service act. which were sought in Ohio divorce proceedings.

An appeal from the rule of the court that such records should be produced was noted by counsel for General Harris and the contempt sentence automatically was suspended pending disposition of the appeal. 'General Harris said he had his "field euipmengt" ready and was prepared to serve added that he did not expect to have to go to jail

Justice Siddons in entering the order adjudging the general in decide to produce the records per cent over 1916. sought before the expiration of ho 10 days he was to be released. The war department, however, is o make a test of the status of

draft records. dons ordered the general to pro- December 22 and December 29. Mrs. Harry H. Walsh in behalf of the husband. Henry W. Walsh. Ilians, among them two women, before Walsh's local board. Walsh five policemen and one soldier.

is now suing his wife for divorce and his counsel obtained an order for the production of the alfidavit in connection with these

proceedings. General Harris contended that President Wilson in the order promulgating the selective service act promised that certain information in connection with the questionnaires would never be made public and that among this information was the physical condition of the men examined, mat ters relating to dependents or af-

BERLIN, Dec. 31.-Germany tional debt which will far exceed 200,000,000,000 marks by April hundred billion to the above tois threatened with a huge in- enforce the disarmament of Ger- won his game up to "three all." crease in the public payroll. Its many. It is said in official cir- Australia then won the following vacillated so freely in the course initely before the powers. of presentation to the reichstag hat they no longer offer a tanomputations.

the last harvest. Wheat thus out drawing any conclusions. bought is paid for in foreign ex-

The labyrinth of indebtedness Have Big Sum in Receipts and billion-mark expenditures is in a chaotic state with revenues which are to a large extent on the confusion prevailing in the and the fate of the emergency, sacrifice levy, which is tantamount to confiscation of capital in financing his program. and private fortunes, also is in abeyance. The government's delegates to the recent Brussels conference returned in a happy the several city officers. These frame of mind.

Search for Owners

CHICAGO, Dec. 31 .- Efforts of monds came into the possession of zlewood, now employed by the police last night when John state, and J. T. Welsh, retiring W. Worthington was arrested, after displaying \$15,000 worth of tioned as candidates. Dr. R. E. fine cut stones to a prospective Pomeroy, present city health ofbuyer who became suspicious and ficer, and J. N. Skaife, health ofcalled the police.

Worthington refuses to inform the police where he got the diaton is acting as a "fence" for a Cardinal Gibbons 'ring" of Canadian jewel thieves. A nation wide search was made for Worthington two years ago and ended with his arrest in Vancouver, B. C., according to the police, when Canadian police reharges of stealing liberty bonds. Until his arrest. Worthington; had been at liberty under a \$15. 900 government bond and an \$8000 state bond, pending cases in those courts.

Scientists Working on New Sex Problem

of affiliated societies of the Am-The Oregon State Teachers' asso- erican association for the Ad- All pastors will please have the vance of Science will be held next litany of the blessed virgin Mary adopted resolutions endersing year at Toronto and the following recited after each mass until furyear at Boston, it was announced measures were: The county unit at the concluding meetings today. All the priests of the diocese will Experimental evolution and the add in every mass, when the rubdetermination of sex in advance of birth were topics before the naturalists' section and development of foreign resources was through an American urged board of trained geographers before the geographers' section.

Oscar Riddle of Carregie institute, Pittsburgh, Pa., told of his experiments with pigeons in developing the physiological process of the birds. He found, he said, that the males responded at much greater speed than the females and by subjecting birds to oxygen pressure, male monsters were developed which, although they eventually died, outlived the female birds. If this process can be developed, he declared, it may be possible to induce artificial development by which sex can be determined in advance.

Gain 20 Per Cent

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 3 .- Foreign commerce of Portland for the year 1920 has far surpassed that of any previous year in history, according to a compilation totaled today from custom house records. The total valuation of exports from Portland for the year is \$61.413 272 as compared with \$44,458.227, or a gain of 20 per cent. Imports received at Portland for the 11 months of 1920 for which official figures are available amounted 873,482 as against \$3,151,904 for the full calendar year 1919. The out the sentence if necessary, but gain in imports for 1920 is approximately 150 per cent. ports from Portland for the year just ended show an increase of 300 per cent over 1918, of 779 contempt directed that should be per cent over 1917 and of 1,657

CHRISTMAS CASUALTIES

BELFAST, Dec. 31 Twentyfive persons were killed or died The record which Justice Sid- from wounds in Ireland between was an affidavit made by covering the Christmas holidays.

MAKING PLANE

uation Considered Very

PARIS, Dec. 31. — The inter-allied military commission of which dinal's physician, announced that Marshal Foch is chairman, has detailed reports on the secret this morning. manufacture of aerial materials Debt on Increase most, if not all of which is still hidden in Germany. This mant facture, it is said, has assumed such proportions that the situat tion is considered grave.

It is known that the report pre-

domestic budgets generally have cles that this question now is def- two games, but lost the ninth

Premier Leygues today his report however, Brookes and Patterson sible basis, but merely analytical on Germany's progress toward won on Tilden's service, thus windisarmament, in which he gave ning the first set. Her "paper deluge" at the be- information on Germany's failure ginning of the year is generally to disarm and dissolve the various suspected of being well in excess civic guard organizations. Mar- Wife Has Presentiment of eighty billions. Germany is shal Foch reported that Germany paying out billions monthly for had been making aeronautical maood purchases abroad and these terial and exporting it contrary to will continue well into the new the treaty's prohibition. The re-

NEW POLICE CHIEF

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Of much importance is the recwholly inadequate to cope with ommendation that a police rotating fund be created. This would ald, who examined the bodies said nation's exchequer. Only one of accrue from fines, which would that Nevins had killed the child riod were \$5134.82. No licenses the measures in its expensive go into this fund instead of into with an axe and then himself this is adopted the chief believes with a razor. the council will have no difficulty had frequently threatened to end

City Officers to be Elected Other important business to take the little girl with him. ome before the city council Monday night will be the election of Speedy Trials for are city attorney, street commissioner, sanitary inspector and health officer. The advice of chief of police, have been menficer, are apparently without opposition.

is Seriously Ill

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 31. An unofficial bulletin given out tonight by Bishop O. E. Corrigan. turned him to Chicago to answer revealed that the last sacraments of the church had been administered to Cardinal Gibbons, who is seriously ill at the home of Robert T. Shriver, Union Mills, Md. The bulletin of Bishop Corrigan

"The condition of his eminence today has been less favorable than at any time during his illness. He has received the last sacraments and the reverend pastors are requested to urge their people CHICAGO, Dec. 31 .- Sessions to offer prayer for his eminences speedy recovery or happy death. ther orders for that intention

rics permit, the prayers from the newed mass 'pro infirm's' reciting the land same in the similar number 'pro a stat famulo nostro infirmo.' These misio prayers are to be recited until sages further orders. The religious no con communities are also asked to re- diplom double their prayers that almighty | reard Frenc's cturbed and Sit God will restore his eminence tions. speedily, if so be His hely will, to strength and good health.

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(Signed) "O. B. Corrigan. Bishop of Mocra, Vicar General."

the prelate had two fainting spells

AMERICANS WIN AT TENNIS

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Dec. 30. -American tennis players today won the Davis cup, the classic sented by Marshal Foch goes into championship trophy of the lawn France probably will soon ask Australian team 4-6, 6-4, 6-0 and

game on Brookes' service without Marshal Foch discussed with storing a point. In the next game

of Tragedy at Home

BEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 31 .year, owing to the inadequacy of port gives the information with- Presentiment that something was wrong at home led Mrs. Josephine evins to return early from a hopping trip today to find the dead bodies of her husband, Fred TAKES HIS OFFICE Nevins, 41, a barber, and her 9year-old daughter, Dorothy, lying side by side in the basement. which are to a large extent on paper or are arbitrarily estimation places at taxical stands. Mrs. Nevins found a note on the kitchen table "Don't go into the basement. Call the police .-

Fred."

his life and had said the would

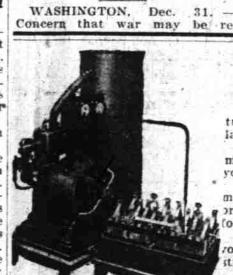
Frisco Gangsters

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.business men in most cases is Edward (Knockout) Kruvosky, of Diamonds Futile that present officers be retained. second of the three gangsters to It is said that B. W. Macy, city be convicted of criminal assault attorney, has a good chance for on testimony of Miss Jessie Montre-election though some strong gomery and Miss Jean Stanley. consolidation of the Grants Pass the police department to find an Banking company and the Josephine County bank. The capitalization is \$75,000. L. A. Robie is mords came into the police department to find an opposition has been mentioned. Walter S. Low. incumbent, appears to have the inside track for street commissioner. A Mr. Haber recommended, the court stated

James Carey, third man to be convicted, will be up for sentence Monday. Speedy trials are scheduled for Thomas Brady and Allen McDonnell, other members of the group of five gangster suspects.

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