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Federal Department of Education Program Supported by Delegates

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.-(By Associated Press).-Election of a president and the recommendation of its legislation committee in favor of legislation now before congress to create a federal department of education, assumed major importance today in the annual convention of the department of superintendence of the national education association while group meetings continued to discuss a multitude of educational problems.

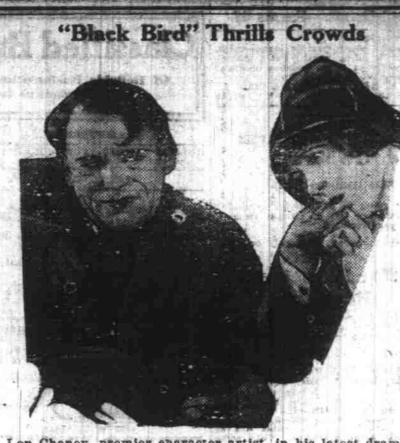
Four candidates are in the field for the presidency with the balloting continuing through tomorrow. They are E. C. Broome, superintendent of schools, Philadelphia; Charles B. Gienn, superintendent of schools, Birmingham; E. E. Oberholtzer, superintendent of schools, Houston, and Randall J. Condon, superintendent of schools, Cincinnati.

The legislative committee, describing the American public school as "The bulwark of our in its report that the pending bill for department of education "does not permit of any interference with the complete autonomy of the states in the administration and control of their schools, but does provide for some efficient which the importance of public education merits and the advancement of education requires."

Mr. Broome, as chairman of the a declaration that an intelligent preme court yesterday. adjustment of the curriculum will solve more educational problems than any other attempt at educational reform. He pointed out. however, that a uniform, allnot be feasible.

Secretary Wilbur asked the coning contributions from school chilan altercation between the two vention for cooperation in obtaindren to furnish funds for reconditioning the old frigate Constitation, now at the navy yard, Bos- jury at the first trial disagreed ton. Mass.

Children have far larger vocabalaries than they are credited with, Dr. Ernest Horn of the University of Iowa told the research group, placing the vocabulary of the average three year old child at



Lon Chaney, premier character artist, in his latest drama, "The Black Bird," story of London's underworld, has lived up to his record. The drama now playing at the Hellig theatre has been showing to large crowds.



tion Was Settled by Vertary at Meeting of **Court Officers** dict of Jury

Joseph I. Cavender, under 10 years peritentiary sentence for the codure and possibly working out a his bill posting: Mrs. Cronise, of federal participation and affords crime of assault with intent to plan to substitute district courts the "old swimmin' hole;" Thomas a big meeting at the armory, prob-"that recognition and service kill in connection with the shoot- for the present justice courts, is Holman of installing the first ably in April, when a host of old ing of R. L. Haines in Harney the purpose of an organization of electric lights; A. J. Basey of the favorite songs will be revived and county on July 5, 1923, must justices of the peace from many of old spinning wheel and loom; Mr. | sung. serve the term imposed upon him the larger cities and towns out-

by the court, according to an opin- side of Portland perfected at a curriculum commission, presented ion handed down by the state su- meeting held yesterday. E. J. Noble of Oregon City was The opinion was written by; elected president of the organiza-Chief Justice McBride and af- tion. Brazier Small, justice of the firmed Judge Louis P. Hewitt of peace for the Salem district, was the Harney county circuit court. | elected secretary and treasurer. A

Justices Rand, Brown and Belt committee was appointed to con-American course of study would concurred in the predominating fer with the state bar association with a view of submitting some remedial legislation at the next Drama, "The Goose Wom-The record in the case showed

that the shooting resulted from session of the legislature. men. Cavender was arrested and VALLEY BUSINESS twice tried for the offense. The with the result that a retrial was ordered. At the latter trial Cav-

opinion.

ender was convicted and later sentenced to a term in the penitentiary. Cavender, in defense of the

charge preferred against him, al- U. S. Crowder Tells North dewel production now showing at leged self defense. Chief Justic

LARGE GROWD SEES **Old Timers Tell Stories** of Early Days in Salem

Judge L, H, McMahan Named President, Hal D, Patton Secretary, as Early Residents Adopt Constitution; Quarterly Meetings Set

Judge L. H. McMahan was elect-|Sposg of his memories of the ed president of the group when steamboats on the Willamette: approximately 50 old timers, who Alma Gesler Davidson of life in have made Salem their home for the pioneer home when provender to years or more, met at the court had to be brought from Oregon house last sight to further their City by pack animal, and of her organization, a social and pioneer father, "one of the finest farmcircle, which in the opinion of Hal ers Oregon has ever known" who D. Patton, who was elected secre- raised some of the first flax; is at it again! tary, will prove "one of the most Judge P. H. D'Arcy of the "pass" vital organization in this comhe obtained to make the trip to Portland on the Steamboat "Fanmunity." sie Patton", the journey taking Hunchback of Notre Dame:" with

Other officers named were: first vice president, Dr. W. C. Rantner; second vice president. Judge P. H. D'Arcy; third vice president, Hallie Parrish Hughes; and treasurer, John Farrar.

According to the constitution which was formally adopted, the avowed purpose of the club is to bring about "a renewal and strengthening of ties, which will bind together enduring friendships, and give material aid to those who know, and believe is the traditional ideals of the pioneers, and want those traditions of social, civic and economical value preserved, maintained, and handed down to the youth of our

state." The business of the evening was transacted with a great deal of jocularity with many informal reminiscences following.

Mrs. Babcock was called upon



According to the constitution the organization will meet regularly on the first Wednesday of Browning who was also its direc-January, April, October and De- tor, and who directed Chaney in

had.

The personnel of the executive committee, the five members of which are to be chosen by the to tell of her "old beaux of 60 president, will be named at some

46 hours against the one hour and

made today by automobile; while

many others contributed incidents

of interest harking back to the

days when Hal and Cooke Patton

were riding around in their baby

carriages, when Governor Lord

made his first trip into Salem, and

when school houses stood where

the John J. Roberts and Louis

Eachmund houses now stand, with

a number recalling teachers they

three-quarters in which it can be "The Phantom of the Opera," and

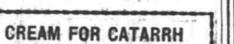
of mystery.

by an actor.

Plans are already underway for

turning a monment to the pedestal of the shining past, until one has seen such a character in real life, or depicted on the screen in the remarkably true presentation given by Miss Dresser in "The Goose Woman."

St. Johns-Purdy Brush company makes rubber-set brushes for whole Pacific coast.



WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 24, 1926

LON CHANEY FILM

"The Black Bird," Lates

Vehicle, Playing to Capac-

ity at the Heilig

"Lon Chaney is packing the

Heilig theater this week with his

latest thriller, "The Black Bird."

Lon Chaney, creator of thrills,

He thrilled us with criminal

horror in "The Penalty;" with the

horror of deformity in "The

the horror of the supernatural in

now, in "The Black Bird," he

Throughout the remarkable

new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer play

he is a thing of mystery; not a

ghost, but a human being, whose

mystery lies in an overwhelming

suspicion that, in the denouement.

crystallizes into one of the most

daring surprises ever attempted

type of furniture!

thrills with the ultimate borror-

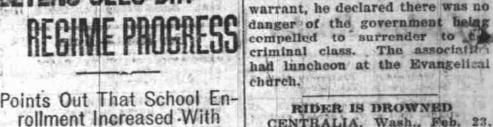
commissioner, during the weekly two roles-the one as an underworld czar, overbearing, vicious, gathering. He declared himself pleased murderous; the other a crippled with progress made in the en-

by liquor habits.

worker in a Limehouse mission, whose soul at times achieves al- forcement of the dry law, pointing most angelic heights. Chaney's out that many more students were ransitions from one role to the attending high school than in the carlier days when fathers squanother are a piece of acting undered their money on liquor, or paralleled on screen or stage. when the children were forced to help support families handicapped



Prohibition



RIDER IS DROWNED CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 23. -A. W. Thompson, 73, of Grand Mound, met death by drowning today in a slough of the Chehalis Salem Ministerial association river at Grand Mound when a was addressed yesterday by Wil- horse that he was riding across

Pointing out that no dry officer

was allowed to search without a

liam S. Levens, state prohibition a bridge fell into the water. Says Dangerous Varicose Veins

Rub Gently and Upward Toward Moone's Emerald Oil (full the Heart as Blood in Veins Flows That Way.

is worried because of varicose til the veins are of normal size. that anyone in this world can give Emerald Oil that even Piles are

strength) and apply night and morning to the swollen, enlarged veins. Soon you will notice that they are growing smaller and the If you or any relative or friend treatment should be continued un-

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three capacious drawers and

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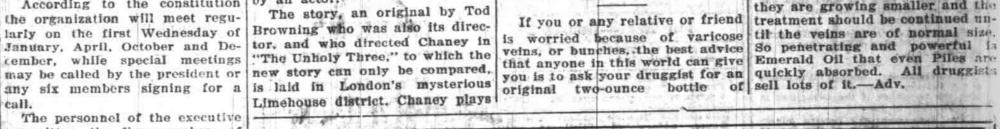
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QUALITY~~ The important Factor $\mathbf{D}_{\mathrm{derful}}^{\mathrm{EMAND}}$ the quality in furniture that makes it such a wonderful investment — one that will return liberal dividends to you and yours in happiness and satisfaction. True beauty of design and use of the finest materials characterize every suite and individual piece in this admirable display. You'll find the cost at this store even less than that of the inferior



an," Displays Innermost

Goose Woman," the Universal

Oregon theater, in which

Secrets of the Soul

Jack Pickford is featured with

Constance Bennett. The supporting cast includes Spottiswood Aitken, George Looper, Gustav Von Seyffertitz, George Nichols and Marc MacDermott. Clarence Brown directed the picture.

An interesting phase of life seldom brought to the notice of the average man and woman is brought out strikingly in "The

900 words and that of the child just entering elementary school at 2500 words, instead of 400, as formerly estimated.

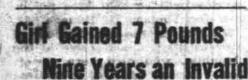
Percival Symonds of the teachers college of Columbia university, asserted that ten minutes daily training for one semester in vocabulary equalled two years of Latin in the knowledge of English forms one would acquire. He said a pupil entering high school could understand about 15,000 words but could use one third that num-

A resolution endorsing the proosed federal department of education was adopted at a dinner attended by members of the educational press associations composed of editors and writers for educational journals.

Ratification of a child labor amendment to the constitution also was advocated.

DRAW MURDER JURY

WALLACE, Idaho, Feb. 23.-Eleven jurors had been selected when the opening day session of the Lee Foyte murder trial closed here late thi safternoon. The panel of 30 jurors was exhausted and turns on or before March 15: Judge A. H. Featherstone instructed court officials to draw a venire of 25 additional purors to report covering the year 1925, except as tomorrow morning.



That's just what McCoy's Cod Liver' Oil Compound Tablets did for the Babcock Girl-and is doing as much for tens of thousands and his or her net income was of thin, underweight, weak and discouraged people all over Where an ind

America. These sugar coated, pleasant to take tablets should be given to children instead of the vile stom-Gross income, in the case of the ach upsetting oil itself-they sure-ly do help the frail, delicate little ones and 60 tablets cost but 60 cents at J. C. Perry, Central Phar-

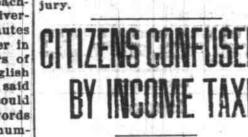
macy, D. J. Fry, or any druggists. Read this letter if you have a

"My little girl was stricken with infantile paralysis when she was are to be apportioned according to 5 months old and was an invalid the changed status during the or 9 years-when 1 saw an ad in year, fractions of months being

the paper that McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets would build up wasted tissues. I bought a box and she gained very slowly at first for the year 1924 on the basis of and after taking eight boxes, she gained seven pounds. Thanks to McCoy's Cod Liver OII Compound the net income for the year 1925 Tablets, after trying almost every-thing else on the market. She is does not exceed the amounts above on the road to recovery and goes stated, \$1,500 and \$3,500 respec-to school every day." Mrs. L. bcock, Appleton, Wis. Initations of McCoy's may be year 1925.

offered but be sure and ask for MeCor's, the original and genuine

McBride held in his opinion that. the question of whether self defense entered into the case was a matter to be determined by the



follows:

more:

\$3,500 or more;

Instructions Are Issued Governing Persons Compelled to File -

PORTLAND, Feb. 23. - Many tion, three banks failed two years taxpayers apparently are confused Receivers held \$2,025,000 ago. as to the provisions of the new against the farmers and business federal income tax law as to their men of the county. He pointed liability for filing returns of in-

out the impossible burden faced come for the year 1925. In view by those 3,000 persons. of this fact, Clyde G. Huntley, col-Nebraska, however, he declared lector of internal revenue, today

to be in fine condition. First sign issued the following instructions of true business prosperity came, for the guidance of taxpayers in however, at Spokane, and possidetermining whether or not it will bilities of development, together be necessary for them to file rewith business prospects were better in the Willamette valley than No income tax returns are rein any other of the 15 states he quired to be filed by individuals has visited in the past 15 months.



during the summer.

Details to Be Worked Out Before Authoritative Statement is Made

OLD TIME FIDDLERS

CONTEST and Old Fashioned Duncin Be Sure to Come FRIDAY, FEBRUARY S SALEM ARMORY

Where an individual, married or single, had a gross income of

purchase and sale of merchandise. means gross sales less the cost of goods sold.

Where an individual claims ex-

emption as "head of a family."

Read this letter if you have a ried at the beginning of the year understood, have already been and was unmarried during any made, though no authoritative Where an individual was marportion of the year, or vice versa, the exemptions above mentioned

> was conducted. It is understood that the new building will be perhaps a story higher than originally announced. Fritz Slade, who returned some time ago., was with Mr. Fry and the architect during much of the investigation trip.

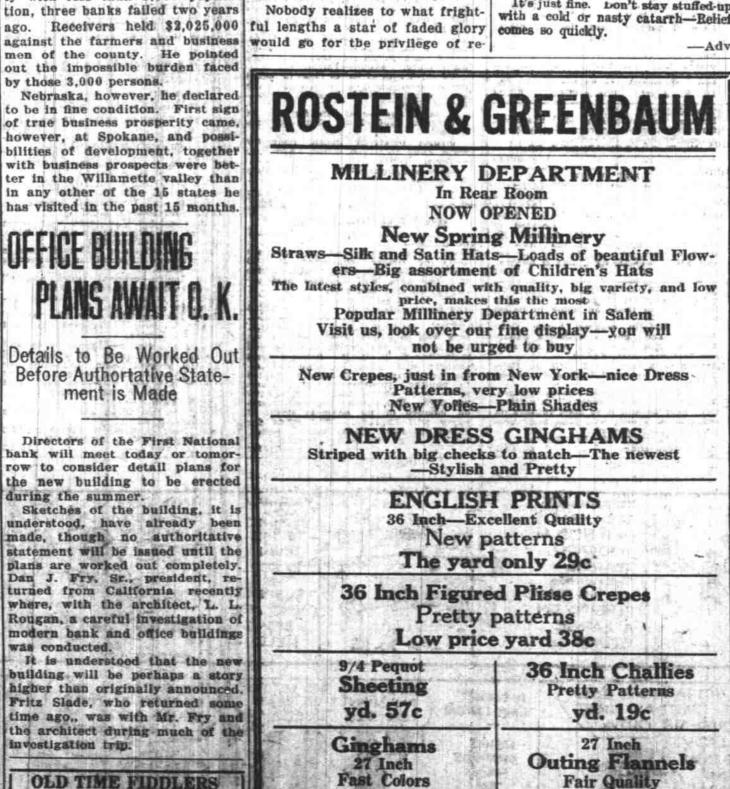
complete or file returns for the

Salem Business Men of Northwest Survey

plays such a inordinate craving Declaring that conditions in for the front page prominence Oregon are far better than any- she enjoyed in her palmy days where else in the northwest, U. S. that she causes an unspeakable Crowder addressed the North Sa-lem Progressive Business Men's back once more into the limitight association at their last meeting." of attention. Speaking on the economic con-Every day the newspapers all

ditions of Wyoming, Mr. Crowder over the country carry stories of also enlarged on conditions as he beautiful and talented women who found them in Colorado, South happen to be enjoying the public Dakota, Idaho, Montana and other favor for the moment. Presently northwest states. He said busithey are forgotten, a new national ness conditions in Montana were darling slips into the niche of bad, and worse in Wyoming. By way of illustration he pointfame and glamor, and nobody cares what has become of the ed out that in one Wyoming coun-ty with less than 3,000 popula-

withered buds of yesterday. Nobody realizes to what fright-



Louise Dresser, in the character, **OPENS UP NOSTRILS** of a once renowned opera singer who has sunk into oblivion, dis-Tells How To Get Quick Re-lief from Head-Colds! It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No strug-gling for breath at night; your cold

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