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 Outing flannel gowns, white and colors, all sizes. After supper 95¢

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### Bills Introduced in Oregon Senate

The Measures Below Were Introduced in the Senate at Yesterday's Session.

- SALEM, Ore., Feb. 12.—The following bills were introduced in the senate:
- S. B. 249, by committee on consolidations—Consolidating corporation and insurance commissions.
- S. B. 250, by committee on consolidations—Abolishing office of dairy and food commissioner and conferring duties on board of health.
- S. B. 251, by committee on consolidations—Consolidating office of state highway engineer with office of state engineer.
- S. B. 251, by committee on consolidations—Abolishing the office of superintendent of banks and transferring the duties to the state treasurer.
- S. B. 253, by committee on consolidations—Providing that state board of education shall succeed state textbook commission.
- S. B. 254, committee on consolidations—Creating a department of animal industry.
- S. B. 255, by committee on consolidations—Providing for the appointment of a state engineer.
- S. B. 256, by committee on consolidations—Consolidating desert land board with the state land board.
- S. B. 257, by committee on consolidations—Creating a department of game.
- S. B. 258, by committee on printing—Repealing sections 4363 and 5021 of Lord's Oregon laws. Abolishing biennial reports.
- S. B. 259, by Butler—To make Crook and Jefferson counties a separate judicial district.
- S. B. 260, by committee on banking—Regulating trust companies.
- S. B. 261, by committee on consolidations—Repeating section 18,

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### INSURANCE LOBBY HIT BLOW BY THE CARDWELL BILL

MEASURE WOULD REQUIRE COMPANIES TO PAY FULL FACE OF POLICIES.

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 12.—Insurance company lobbyists stood aghast Thursday when the house passed bill 232, introduced by W. W. Cardwell of Douglas county, which in 54 words wipes out the entire existing insurance code and substitutes simply the absolute requirement that insurance companies be compelled to pay the entire face value of policies in case of loss.

Thomas Brown of Marion declared the bill revolutionary and drastic, and said if it should pass, every reputable insurance company would leave the state and make room for countless "straw crow" companies that would destroy the high standard of the business and nullify millions of dollars' worth of policies.

Cardwell Tells Bills Object. Mr. Cardwell declared the only object of the bill is to compel insurance companies to bear their losses. Every policy now in force in Oregon, he declared, is absolutely worthless in case the companies wish to contest payment. Citing specific instances of "fraud, perpetrated by companies and sustained by the supreme court, he argued it is high time the sacred "standard policy" is thrown into the discard and supplanted by simple contracts that need be no more pretensions than a promissory note and just as binding.

W. I. Vawter spoke in support of the bill, although he said he thought it rather too drastic to be workable. Mr. Schubei declared that the bill strikes at the very root of what he said to be one of the grossest systems of fraud extant.

L. J. Wentworth of Multnomah feared the bill would increase the insurance rates because of the repeal of requirements for reduction of hazards.

Joint Court Improbable. LONDON, Feb. 12.—Without definitely refusing the suggestion, the foreign office has, nevertheless, so expressed its disapproval of the proposal for a joint prize court to which one or more judges might be appointed by the neutral and the allied powers, that there seems little likelihood of the adoption of the idea.

The issue was raised in the house of commons today, the suggestion being made that such a court might be instituted in connection with the issues arising between Great Britain and the United States. Neil Primrose, under secretary, speaking on behalf of the foreign office, said the proposal involved such far-reaching changes in the British constitutional and judicial systems and would be so difficult of application that it would not be easy to arrange under the circumstances.

**Molalla to Get Lights.**  
 OREGON CITY, Ore., Feb. 12.—Molalla, with other towns along the route of the recently completed Willamette Valley Southern, will be supplied with electricity by the Portland railway, Light & Power company.

Power will be taken from a high tension line along the railway and reduced through a special transformer. H. L. Young, the Oregon City agent of the company, has been soliciting business there and has signed a number of light and power contracts. A proposed franchise will be introduced at a meeting of the Molalla Council Tuesday night.

### PORTLAND SUBSTATION ROBBED OF \$500 OR MORE BY HIGHWAYMEN

POLICE BELIEVE THAT ROBBERS MADE THEIR ESCAPE IN AN AUTOMOBILE.

Superintendent Is Handcuffed—Is Made to Open Door of Postoffice When Guns Are Thrust into Body and He Is Threatened—Two Men Take Part in Robbery.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 12.—Handcuffing A. G. Ott, superintendent of postoffice substation "A," at Union avenue and East Alder street, to a heavy mallrack after he had unlocked the safe at the point of a revolver, two armed highwaymen looted the office at 6:20 o'clock last night, and escaped with between \$500 and \$600 in money and stamps.

Mr. Ott dragged the mallrack across to a telephone and notified the police as soon as the men left.

The other employe of the substation, J. B. Fairchild, had gone home, and Mr. Ott had just locked up for the night when the men closed in on him in the street. At first he believed that the affair was a joke and paid no attention to their demands. It was only after they thrust their guns in his body and threatened to shoot that he unlocked the outside door and admitted them to the office.

Much Currency Is Taken. The loot consisted of between \$200 and \$300 in currency, besides a number of blank money order blanks, and about \$250 worth of stamps. As no postoffice seal was taken, federal authorities believe that the money order blanks will be of no use to the robbers.

Mr. Ott says that one of the men has transacted business in the substation frequently, although he has no recollection of his name. The police believe that the robbery was the work of experienced highwaymen, and that the robbers escaped in an automobile after the crime.

The station closes at 6:15 p. m. Mr. Ott had locked the station when he saw one of the men coming across the street.

### Huge Terminals Are Planned.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—A great market terminal, costing \$1,000,000, the first of a dozen or more planned for receiving and distributing food-stuffs in New York city and thereby reducing the cost of living, will be erected here by the New York Central Railroad company. John J. Dillon, commissioner of the new state department of foods and markets, recently made the announcement.

According to Dillon's plan this and other similar market terminals will be leased by cooperative companies organized and conducted under rules laid down by his department. The profits of this company will be limited to 6 per cent a year.

### French Revenues Improving.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—The tax and customs returns for January, 1915, published, show a decrease of 27 per cent, compared with an average deficiency of 44 per cent in the last five months of 1914.

### JAPAN WANTS TO GET UPPER HAND IN ALL AFFAIRS IN CHINA

OTHER NATIONS WILL BE BARRED, ACCORDING TO NEW DEVELOPMENTS.

Mikado's Subject Ask First Right of Employment—British Sphere Is Limited—Precautions Taken Against Admission of Competition—Full Control Demanded.

PEKIN, Feb. 12.—The magnitude and international importance of Japanese demands are borne out by the following details which have been secured from a reliable source, in spite of the effort to keep them secret.

Japan demands that no other country shall receive any part of the coast or the islands of China by lease or concession and that China shall buy at least half of its arms and ammunition requirements from Japan or that arsenals under Chinese-Japanese ownership shall be erected in China.

Japan Alone Shall Help. In case of necessity China must call on Japan alone to preserve its integrity. Privileges such as enjoyment by other nations, regarding the establishment of missions, churches, schools and hospitals and the purchase of land in connection therewith shall be granted to Japan. If it be found necessary to appoint foreigners to work in arsenals, only Japanese shall be appointed. China shall appoint high Japanese officials to military, financial and police service.

Japan, it is demanded, shall have joint administration with China in the Yangtze Valley which has hitherto been recognized as a British sphere.

Exclusive Concessions Demanded. Japan demands joint control with China of the Han-yang Iron Works, T'ayun iron mines and Ping siang collieries, stipulating further that China shall grant to no other countries mining rights likely to compete with the mines and works mentioned.

Japan shall have the right to build and construct railroads from Nanchang to Han-chow, from Nanchang to Wu-ching, in the Fu-keen province. Japan demands that China shall not grant any mining, railroad or dockyard rights to other nations without Japan's consent.

Sphere of Influence Extended. In eastern Mongolia, Japan demands the exclusive mining rights and that no railroads shall be constructed without its consent. Japanese shall be allowed to settle, farm and trade, and to purchase land in South Manchuria. Japan demands that the lease of Port Arthur and Liao-tung peninsula shall be extended to 99 years and that Japanese shall have the right to settle, farm, trade and buy land there.

The Antung-Mukden and Kirin-Chang-chun railways, agreements shall also be extended to 99 years.

In Shan-tung China shall transfer to Japan all of Germany's railway and mining rights, allow Japan to construct a railway from Che-fu to Luuk-kow to Wei-shien and give Japan coastal concessions in the province in addition to other special privileges.

### SOCIETY

One of the very pleasantest of the club annuals in the history of the Current Literature Club was that of yesterday afternoon. With the exception of Mrs. Roy Huley and Mrs. Nesmith Ankeny, who are out of the city, ever member was present for the yearly affair which began at the Hotel Pendleton and ended at the home of Mrs. John F. Robinson on Jackson street.

At one o'clock the members assembled at the apartment of Mrs. R. Alex. Miller in the Hotel Pendleton and a half hour later took their places around a long table in the hotel dining room. The table was centered with a huge pink azalea and little violet flowered baskets marked the places. The luncheon was a delightful one. About the table were the following members: Mesdames James Johns, Sr., Charles F. Collesworthy, G. M. Rice, Norborne Berkeley, George Clark, Mary Disoway, Edwin R. Aldrich, Arle C. Hampton, Harry E. Bickers, James A. Fee, C. S. Jerald, James Johns, Jr., Mary La Dow, Carl Power, Charles Rooney, R. Alexander, A. J. McAllister, R. E. Ringo, John F. Robinson, E. J. Somerville, I. U. Temple, E. T. Wade and Mrs. Chas. Bond.

After the luncheon adjournment was taken to the Robinson home, where bridge was enjoyed during the remainder of the afternoon. Mrs. Henry Dixon Jones and Mrs. Frank Frazier joined the club ladies in the play. Honors were won by Mrs. E. T. Wade and Mrs. C. S. Jerald and the guest prize was won by Mrs. Frazier.

Mrs. Earl Gillanders entertained informally at cards on Thursday evening.

Dr. F. W. Vincent was the innocent but very pleased victim of a surprise smoker at his home on Water street last evening, his birthday being the occasion and his wife and daughter, Miss Eleanor Vincent, being the successful planners of the affair. A dozen of his gentlemen friends came in upon him at 8 o'clock unannounced and spent a very enjoyable evening which was concluded by a supper. The guests were Messrs. Sam R. Thomson, E. J. Murphy, Tom Thompson, W. J. Clarke, W. L. Thompson, A. J. McAllister, P. E. Judd, E. W. McComas, Charles H. Carter, J. F. Robinson, Dr. F. E. Boyden and Dr. W. D. McNary.

Waldon Byers entertained about twenty of his young friends last evening at his home, 1301 East Court street, with a very enjoyable Valentine party. The young people were entertained by Mrs. Gus Byers, Miss Minnie Crow and Miss But.

Local school men and their wives were last evening given the most satisfactory evidence of the efficiency of the domestic science course in the high school, the young ladies in the course, under the supervision of their instructor, Miss Alice Butler, preparing and serving to them a five course dinner that was a very delightful one. Those at the table included W. E. Brock, Judge G. W. Phelps, J. V. Tallman and E. L. Smith, members of the school board, Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Phelps and Mrs. Tallman, Superintendent and Mrs. J. S. Landers and Principal and Mrs. A. C. Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stelwer and little daughter are visiting with friends and relatives in Portland and Salem. Mrs. William Roesch accompanied them on their trip to Portland.

Mrs. A. J. McAllister left today for La Grande to be the guest of Mrs. F. E. Livengood.

Mrs. Eimer Brewer has returned from a visit with relatives at North Takima.

A delightful Valentine party was given Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wm. Burkhart on Marie street, Mrs. Burkhart being assisted by her niece, Miss Herboth. Games were played in keeping with St. Valentine and Lincoln's birthdays. Mrs. Hatch gave a few delightful songs in her charming voice and Miss Herboth played some instrumental pieces. Delicious refreshments were served later.

### Mother's Friend Before Baby Arrives

During several weeks of expectancy there is a splendid external embrocation in our "Mother's Friend" in which thousands of women have the most unbounded confidence. They have used it and know. They tell of its wonderful influence to ease the abdominal muscles and how they avoided those dreaded stretching pains that are so much talked about. This safe external application is gently used over the skin to render it amenable to the natural stretching which it undergoes. The myriad of nerve fibers just beneath the skin is thus relieved of unnecessary pain-producing causes and great physical relief is the result as expressed by a host of happy mothers who write from experience. It is a subject that all women should be familiar with as "Mother's Friend" has been in use many years, and is recommended by grandmothers who in their earlier days learned to rely upon this splendid aid to women.

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### Babies Indict Parents.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Four-year-old Richard Haeffner touched the hearts of the grand jury. The little fellow said not a word, but his own face and the "society clothes" which branded him as a ward of the state were evidence enough against the parents who had deserted him.

He was alone. The court attendant lifted him up on the table in the center of the big room, and the 23 jurors gazed at him. Immediately afterwards they returned indictments against Frederick George Haeffner and Jeanette Haeffner, his father and mother.

It is not often that a child is ordered to testify before the grand jury. Last soon after the proceedings began yesterday morning some of the jurors asked to see the children, Richard and James, who were left by their parents in Gimbel's doorway on January 15.

Their presence in the ante-room of the grand jury stirred up quite a sensation. There were tears in many eyes.

### Roseburg Yards to Be Improved.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Feb. 11.—That the Southern Pacific railroad company will spend \$10,000 this year in improving the yards in Roseburg was the statement made by Assistant Superintendent J. L. May. Among the improvements contemplated is the rearrangement and building of several side tracks and the surfacing of the entire yards with crushed rock. The yards at the present time are a mile in length with as many as six parallel tracks in places.

### WEEPING ECZEMA ON CHILD'S HEAD

Became Inflamed. Hair Came Out. Used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. In Less Than Month Eruptions Disappeared and Hair Grew Back.

Cimarron, Colo.—"My little girl had weeping eczema several years ago. Pus oozed out of the pores of the scalp in a spot as large as a dollar. Then it puffed up and became inflamed. In the same place the hair came out. The child exclaimed when I combed her hair near the affected part or washed it.

"I used medicines for about six months and it dried up for a while and then started again. When I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment the eruptions disappeared in less than a month and her hair grew back." (Signed) Mrs. Chas. Carmey, Sept. 30, 1914.

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### LATEST BRIDE PICKED OUT FOR JUSTICE McREYNOLDS



Associate Justice McReynolds of the United States supreme court has had another bride picked out for him by the Washington matchmakers. Since he is a bachelor, and one of the most eligible in the country, being the youngest member of the highest tribunal in the world, Capital society has been busy marrying him for the two years he has been in Washington. This time the bride-to-be is Miss Lucy Burleson, daughter of the postmaster-general.

The gleam of what appears to be an engagement ring was seen on the

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