LANE COUNTY,

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In Proportion to the outlay nothing will do more to help build up a town, than to support a good school. When a man who has children to educate is considering the question of locating in a place, among the first questions he asks usually is about the school. If he finds that the town supports a good school and that the people take great interest gives him a favorable opinion of the election, and who has property in the in matters pertaining to education, it place. On the other hand, if he finds district of the value of at least \$100, as that the people are working at cross purposes in school affairs he is apt to gessment, upon which he or she is reform an unfavorable opinion of the quired to pay a tax; provided, that in town and is more likely to look around him for some other place more to his liking in which to invest his money.

foreign countries that Chamberlain's Dough Remedy is a certain preventive and sure for ercup. It has become the aniversal remedy for that disease. M V Fisher of Liberty, W. Va., only repeats when he writes; "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for several years and always with peris a sure cure tor croup. It has saved the lives of our children a number of times." This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

market for logs was limited. But with her ballot in that ward in which he or by a somewhat smaller majority. two mills running the greater part of she resides. machinery placed in another one in times indicate a continued advance proval by the governor. along this line. The improved prospect hen led many owners of timber to comfrom this time forward.

SCHOOL TAX LEVY.

Will Be Considerably Less Than Last

The Eugene Guard of January 10th publishes the following from Superintendent Miller.

(Section 22 General Laws of Oregon): The county courts of the several counties of this state are hereby required to levy, at the same time they levy other taxes, a tax upon all taxable property in their county, for school purposes, of five mills on the dollar, which shall be collected at the same time, in the same manner and by the same officer, that other taxes are collected.

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It will be seen that this law fixes the levy for school purposes absolutely. This rate on the total taxable property gives a fund of \$26,794.70, which is \$6,030.07 less than last year, being a shortage per scholar of about \$1. All districts desiring or requiring as much money next year as received during the past year should immediately call a meeting and levy a special district tax, notifying the county clerk on or before February 1, 1900.

W M MILLER, Quanty Sup't Schools.

RAILROADING PATENTS.

A single firm of Patent Lawyers, C A Snow & Co, of Washington, D C, have in the last year procured 1,630 patents organizing against married women who ment to the marriage at his American for their clients, many of them for re- work in restaurants and big stores for home; if previously married, proof of jected inventions. O A Snow & Go pin money. The girls think that women wife's death or records of divorce, to be have been accused of railroading patents who have husbands to support them officially verified by a German consular shrough the Patent Office, but they ip- ought to stay at home and not interfere officer in America. It would seem that pist that this locomotion is better than with others who are compelled to work Americans, seeking German brides px-certing them for by the latter pro- for their living. cess the inventor often dies before he

WHO ARE VOTERS AT SCHOOL ELEC-TIONS.

The following is a copy of Senste Bill 68 which was enacted by the legislature at its special session in October, 1898.

An Act .- To define the qualifications of voters at all school meetings and school elections, and to provide for the establishment and regulation of polling places and elections in districts having a school population of more than two

Be it enacted by the legislative assem-

bly of the state of Oregon. Section 1. In all school districts in this state now created or that shall hereafter be created, any citizen of this state, male or female, married or unmarried, shall be entitled to vote at any school election or school meeting, who is twenty-one years of age, and has resided in the district thirty (30) days immediately preceding the meeting or shown by the last preceding county asdistricts of less than one thousand inhabitants women who are widows and male citizens over twenty-one (21) years of age who have children in the It has been demonstrated repeatedly district of school age, and who shall in every state in the Union and in many have resided in the district thirty (30) vote at any school meeting for the elec-

Approved October 15, 1898.

mence logging, while others are buying act, it will be seen that any person, to mittee on elections took up the charge stumpage to engage in the same busi- be entitled to vote on the question of of bribery against Senator Clark, of ness. Every few days we hear of new levying a tax, iquet be 21 years of age, Mentana, and listened to able argus being started. This means steady have resided in the district for 30 days gents of counsel on both sides, headed applications for registry and filled out employment for our laboring men near next preceding the election, and own by Ex-Senator Edmunds, against Sena- the first one Tuesday home at good wages. The mills will property in the district of the value of tor Clark, and Ex-Senator Faulkner, for plicant being Hon E G D Holden. furnish work for many others. Vessels at least \$100 as shown by the last pre- Senator Clark. This case is being will be comming in frequently after ceding county assessment, upon which savagely fought on both sides, making Jumber thus giving greatly increased he or she is required to pay a tax. Thus it easy to see that there is more personfacilities for shipping. Taking all to- if a person owns real estate assessed at ality than politics in it. The report of gether the development of the lumber- \$100 or more he is entitled to vote, but the committee does not change the ing industry will scatter many thousand a person having no real estate, must, if status of the Quay case, as it has been dollars through this valley every year he is a householder, be assessed for not practically certain from the first that the wife may be entitled to vote and The senate committee on privileges to who owns the property.

school election in his or her district.

in districts having less than 1000 in- commissions.

citizens over 21 years of age, who have sary papers from home, to comply with children in the district of school age, the German marriage laws. As a warnand who shall have resided in the dis- ing to prevent others getting caught in

trict for 30 days as aforesaid.

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Beauty Is Blood Deep.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

Washington, D. C., Jan 8, 1900. Senator Hoar's speech in favor of his Philippine resolutions, while an able argument from his point of view, is more likely to do harm than good. Only last week Mr Hoar said; "This terrible war in the Philippines weighs upon me so heavily that I cannot sleep at night." Yet, today he made a speech the only possible effect of which will be to encourage the Filipinos to attempt to keep up the revolt which is apparently tottering upon its last legs, in the belief that they have the sympathy and support of a considerable number of influential Americans. Regardless of one's its efforts to bring about peace, reright or wrong, my country."

The president has intimated rather sale by all druggists. strongly to senators of his party that he would like to see them push the financial bill to a vote as early as possible; days, as aforesaid, shall be entitled to consequently the opponents of that tenth birthday last Monday and his ery recently purchased by them. They measure are to be allowed to do most of mother planned a suprise for him in are making the necessary arrangements tion of school directors or school clerk. the talking. It is no easy job, however, honor of the event. About 30 boys and here to have it put in place as soon as it Section 2. All school districts in this to hurry the senate, and there is no at Mr Rath's home and proceeded in We are what has been said around the globe state having a school population of two probability that any senator who wishes a body to the residence of Mr Butterthousand or over, as shown by the last to make a speech on the bill, will be field. The program was successfully preceding school census, shall be sub- denied an opportunity to do so. When carried out Master Luman being comfect success. We believe that it is not divided into voting wards by the direct success. We believe that it is not divided into voting wards by the direct success. only the best cough remedy, but that it tors of such district, such wards to conform as near as possible to the city they have no desire to delay a vote quickly till it was time to go home. wards comprised in its boundaries, further than may be necessary to put The board of directors of all such dist their objections to the measure on tricts shall establish at least one poll- record. For that reason, it is thought THE DEMAND for timber and timber ing place in each ward, the judge and that the debate will not continue more land in the Sjuslay valley conveniently clerks of which shall be qualified electhan four or five weeks. It is conceded located for logging is steadily increas- tors within the provisions of this act, by all that the bill will pass by a large ing. Till the past year there has been and residents of such ward; and each majority, and that Senator Chandler's but little logging, done here as the elector shall be required to cast his or bimetallic amendment will be defeated Florence last Saturday and Sunday.

The president has a habit of getting the time, and the prospects that a large Section 3. All acts or parts of acts in information from those who have been mill will be built in Florence and conflict herewith are hereby repealed. best situated to acquire it. That is the Section 4. Inasmuch as uncertainty principal reason for the presence of Gen Acme within the next few months, there now exists as to the qualifications of Geo W Dayis, military governor of has been an increased demand for logs voters in such school districts, this act Porto Rico, in Washington. This inat better prices, and the signs of the shall take effect from and after its ap- formation is to be utilized in connection Mrs Mary Fox. with legislation for Porto Rico.

After voting by a majority of 1 against By reference to section 1 of the above the seating of Mr Quay, the senate comless than \$400 worth of personal proper- the majority report would be adverse. ty (or \$100 worth besides his exemption, The report, which will not be ready unof \$300) to have the right to vote for or til the Clark case is disposed of, is likeagainst a school tax. A man and his ly to influence some of the senators who wife may both be entitled to vote on are now in doubt as to how they will this question if each owns a sufficient vote, as there will be able arguments for amount of property in his own name; and against Mr Quay's right to a seat.

the husband not, or the husband have a and elections has decided to report yote while his wife has not, according favorably on the resolution prohibiting company's camp. senators, representatives and U S Any person, male or female, having judges acting in any diplomatic or conall the above qualifications is entitled to sular capacity, or in any way as the vote on any and all questions at any representative of an executive officer of the government. The special object The latter part of section 1 of this act of this resolution is to prevent congress- committee that he received \$10,000, to also gives certain other persons residing men, acting as members of government vote for Senator W A Clark for U S

habitants the right to yote at the elec- One American who went to Germany tion of school directors and clerk, viz: to get married had to stay there four Women who are widows and male months before he could get the necesthe same box, the U S commercial agent By this latter provision, a man having at Bamberg, sent the following list of children of school age is entitled to vote the papers an American citizen must for school officers, in such districts, have to get married in Germany: though he does not own any property. Certificate showing American citizen-He may be a voter in that way and his ship; certificate from the authorities of wife a voter by virtue of being a tax- the state in which he resided, which payer, but a woman not a widow is not must be verified by the German Ambasentitled to a vote unless she is a tax- sador or a German consul, that they know of no legal reason why the marriage should not take place; official certificate of birth, certified by German officials; if the bride is a relative, proof The single working girls of Boston are that such consanguinity is no impedithem come over here to get married.

will be made in a few days. Roberts argued his own case, intimating that he did so because of his inability to hire lawyers. His entire argument, which probably did him more harm than good, elected me to it, represent the only

The report of the Roberts committee

may be briefly stated thus: I demand that seat, because the people who shall keep a good authority I recognize as having a right to pass upon my qualifications; the house which ordered the appointment of this committee is composed of a lot of chumps who got stampeded by the shouting of women out of whatever knowledge of constitutional law they may have had.

HAVING A GREAT RUN ON CHAM BERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

Manager Martin, of the Pierson drug opinion on the Philippine question in store, informs us that he is having a the abstract, it would seem that the great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sell five bottles of that proper attitude of patriotic Americans medicine to one of any other kind, and so long as the American flag is being it gives great satisfaction. In these days fired upon and brave American soldiers of la grippe there is nothing like Chamkilled is to support the government in berlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a very short time. membering the historic saying, "My The sales are growing, and all who try it driving piling for the mill company's country; May it always be right, but are pleased with its prompt action .- wharf. South Chicago Daily Calumet. For

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Master Luman Butterfield passed his

CLENADA NEWS.

By ODSERVER.

Miss Beatrice McLeod visited in Miss Gertrude Harwood expects to

start for Monmouth soon to attend Mrs Geo Colter has been on the sick list the past few days but is much im-

Mr Wm Fox who has lately returned from Cape Nome is visiting his mother

Rev H H Buckner of Gardiner was in town yesterday. He expects to hold a series of meetings here soon.

REGISTERING VOTERS.

C H Holden has received blanks for papers a few minutes later.

GENERAL NEWS.

The British government das decided that foodstuffs are not to be considered contraband of war unless intended for Senator Allen has introduced into

per month to every soldier and sailor officers had been unable to find him. who served in the civil war for three The Mason County Logging Co of

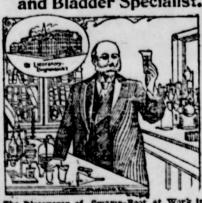
Olympia, Wash, will send an agent east for the purpose of getting 500 loggers from Wisconsin to work in the

The naval board has finally agreed that Admiral Dewey shall be assigned to Secretary Long.

State Senator Clark, of Montana, testified before the senate investigation

A cablegram from Admiral Schley at Montevideo reports the suicide of Lieut Commander Greene.

The Eminent Kidney and Bladder Specialist.



There is a disease prevailing in this untry most dangerous because so decepit—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to ad-vance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble.

Disease, the worst form of Rianey froutie.

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ACME ITEMS. BY X Y Z.

Jan 17, 1900.

John Shultz was visiting friends in friends. Harry Boyle finished his contract for

much success.

superintend the removal of the machin-

We are glad to know the Revs Buckner and German of Gardiner will hold meetings here this week. May their efforts be crowned with success. Services are to be held at half past seven every evening. Hope to see every one come who can.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school here last Sabbath. Subject of next lesson "The Herald of Christ." There will a Sunday school entertainment at the school house the last Sabbath evening of this month. The time of meeting for Sunday school was changed to half past ten A M.

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THE COTTAGE GROVE CASE.

Minnie Thorne the 15 year old girl who disappeared from Cottage Grove last week turned up in Roseburg next day where she went to the house of an uncle. He gave her a ticket to Cottage Grove and she returned home.

She stated that while passing a freight train that was taking wood near Latham, two men seized and put her on a flat car just before the train started. She knew nothing of what transpired car and shamefully treated. Arriving at Roseburg late at night she was taken to a caboose and locked in till next day when she was found by two employees of the railroad.

Sheriff Withers, Prosecuting Attorney Brown and his deputy L T Harris investigated the case and B H Harvey a brakeman was arrested and after an examination was held in bonds of \$1000 on a charge of abduction.

A wairant was also issued for brakecongress a bill granting a pension of \$10 man U Patterson but at last reports the

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TAX LEVY

County Judge E O Potter and Commissioners W T Bailey and H D Edsome sphere of duty to be selected by wards, at a special session held last night fixed the levy for the collection of 1899 taxes at 23.5 mills, apportioned as

> Court house..... Roads and rock crushers.....

> > COMMISSIONERS COURT.

J A McLeod, lumber......\$35 00 J A McLeod, supervisor road dis-trict No 74...... 12 00 Lafe Boring, supervisor road district No 30...... 32 00 J Atkinson, supervisor road district No 72...... 26 00 W L Phelps, supervisor road district No 88..... 24 75

SUPERVISORS APPOINTED.

No 28, J A McLeod. No 31, Geo B Camp.

No 32, Julius Koepps.

New supervisors are to be elected in all the districts at the June election and the appointments being made are to apply in districts until their successors are elected and have qualified.

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