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stract Company.

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over with pleasant thoughts,
Such quality in the liquors
we have to offer are enough to
PLEASE ANY MAN.

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Is there a man with heart so cold,
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gans. We buy and sell more of
these goods than any other house
in Portland. The Chickering, the
Hardman and the Fischer Pianos,
as well as the Estey Organs, are
always on our floors open for
inspection.

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There are twines sold to fishermen
on the Columbia river that stand in
the same relationship to Marshall's
Twine as a wooden image does to the
human being—they lack strength—life
—evenness—and lasting qualities. Don't
fool yourself into the belief that other
twines besides Marshall's will do "just
as well." They won't. They cannot.

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For any kind of coal, hard or soft,
or coke, the best place to get it is of
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one hand is insisting that the
debtor pay in gold, and the
tariff on woolen cloths has
made imported goods so low
in price that we are compelled
to reduce our clothing from
25 to 33 1/3 per cent on Men's
and Boys' Clothing, Fur-
nishing Goods, Hats
Caps, Boots, Shoes,
Trunks, Valises, ect.,
as we intend to sell from 16 2/3
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Are you a man that works for a
living—a man that gets up at 5 a.
m. and builds the fire and then
goes out and builds a house? Are
you a man that digs in the earth for
a living? Are you a mason [not
exactly a Free Mason, though
all masons are free in this country]?
Are you a moulder, a machinist,
a forger, a blacksmith, or a "white"
Smith? Are you a fisherman, a
butcher, a baker or a candlestick
maker? Are you a logger, a paint-
er, a conductor, a barber, a bar-
tender, a waiter or a cook? Are
you a canneryman, groceryman or
shipmaster? Are you in any sort
of business that needs any particu-
lar sort of blank books? We carry
a large stock for your particular
sort of work. Good ones, too;
made for us under our own direc-
tions—made to last. We carry all
sorts of blank books for all sorts
of men to do all sorts of figuring on,
and we sell a better
made class of these goods than most stores do. Try 'em.

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Columbia River Salmon

Their Brands and Locations.

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Elmore Samuel	Astoria	Magnolia White Star	Elmore, Sanborn & Co.	Astoria
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HE FIRED RIGHT BACK

Carlisle Answers Banker St.
John's Letter Promptly.

THE DAY AT SALEM.

Two Ballots Taken But No Senator
As Yet—Other Salem
Notes.

Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 22.—William St.
John, president of the Mercantile Na-
tional Bank of New York, has written
a letter to Springer, chairman of the
committee on banking and currency of
the house, in which he says:

"I write to beg you to ask the secre-
tary of the treasury to exercise the op-
tion conferred upon him by law to re-
deem the United States notes in silver
dollars. The treasury reserve is now
composed of about \$105,000,000 of gold
and only about \$15,000,000 of free silver.
If the secretary will instruct the treas-
urer and every assistant treasurer of
the United States to meet the demands
for redemption of the United States
currency and treasury notes in stand-
ard silver only, and continue this for
a reasonable time, the achievement will
be in all details and in every respect
a happy one, and no more interest bear-
ing debt need be created. On the other
hand, if the secretary of the treasury
will neglect this opportunity the neg-
lect may prove one more just ground
for faultfinding with his administration
of public finances."

To this letter Springer replied: "The
present condition of the treasury re-
serve and the liberal accumulations of
idle money in New York afford alto-
gether a new opportunity for you to
exercise the discretion conferred on
you by law to pay all checks at the
bank of which you are president in
standard silver dollars. If you should
pursue this course for a reasonable
time the achievement would be in all
details and in every respect a happy
one. On the other hand, if you should
neglect this opportunity, the neglect
may prove one more ground for fault-
finding with those financiers who
preach one doctrine and practice an-
other."

THEY WILL STRIKE HARD.

Pooling Bill Advocates Would Hold a
Sunday Session.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The Democrat-
ic steering committee of the senate af-
ter many postponements, held a meet-
ing today and decided to recommend
to the senate that Senator Butler be
permitted to move at 3 o'clock tomor-
row for a consideration of the pooling
bill, and that this bill should be con-
tinued as unfinished business until 12
o'clock Monday, and if it should not be
disposed of by that time, it should
give place to other business. The pro-
gram was immediately construed into
a decision to hold a Sunday session and
this act was made the most of by those
senators who oppose the bill.
The advocates of the bill did not ad-
mit in so many words that their pur-
pose included a Sunday session, but
they confessed that if they succeeded
in getting the bill up, they would use
their utmost endeavors to have it voted
upon before the expiration of the time
set for its consideration, and as this
would include only about three hours
Saturday and one hour Monday, they
would necessarily have a very limited
time for the bill without either a night
or a Sunday session.

THE COUNTRY'S HONOR.

Must Be Sustained in the Bering Sea
Matter.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Secretary of
State Gresham has decided that he will
make no further effort to induce con-
gress to pass a bill appropriating \$450,-
000 to pay the damages sustained by
the British sealing vessels seized by
our naval ships and revenue cutters in
Bering Sea before making the modus
vivendi. If the bill fails now, then he
will proceed immediately to draw up
a treaty for submission to the senate
creating an arbitration committee to
adjust the claims. The United States
will have no other course open than
this, for we should be dishonored
among nations if we failed to carry out
the obligations imposed upon us by our
voluntary act in submitting the sealing
question to the Paris arbitration.

PETTIGREW'S SENSATION.

He Will Defeat the Pooling Bill by Ob-
jecting to the Disposal of the In-
dian Bill.

Washington, Feb. 22.—As the session
of the senate was about to close tonight
Pettigrew gave a decidedly interesting
turn to an otherwise tedious debate on
the Indian appropriation bill. It was
in the nature of a disclosure that a
private agreement had been reached
among the senators whereby the pool-
ing bill would be taken up at 3 o'clock
tomorrow and laid before the senate
day and night and over Sunday until

passed. The statement created some-
thing of a sensation. Pettigrew added
to his announcement that he would
take effective steps to defeat the pas-
sage of the pooling bill by objecting
to the disposal of the Indian appropria-
tion bill, or other measures having pre-
cedence. The contract school item of
the Indian bill was completed in such
a form as to provide 30 per cent reduc-
tion from the expenditures of last year.

BIMSTALLIC LEAGUE.

Washington, Feb. 22.—A number of
representatives of the American Bi-
metallite League met here today for a
conference. The greatest secrecy was
maintained as to the conference. Gen-
eral Warner, president of the league,
however, said they had come together
to talk over the situation and nothing
else. For the last several days, how-
ever, the rumor had been in circulation
here to the effect that certain silver
men were formulating a plan, which, if
carried out, would result in placing a
national silver ticket in the field for
the next national campaign.

THAT SUGAR BOUNTY.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Senator Black-
burn, on behalf of the committee on
appropriations, today introduced an
amendment to the sundry civil bill
provide for the payment of the full
bounty on sugar produced in 1894, and
for the payment of eight-tenths of a
cent per pound on the production in
1894. The amendment provides for an
appropriation of \$5,000,000.

EPES WINS.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The house elec-
tion committee today by a vote of 7 to
4, decided the contest for the seat of
the fourth district of Virginia in favor
of Epes, Democrat, who holds the seat,
rejecting the claims of Goode, who ran
on the fusion ticket.

KEEPING LATE HOURS.

Salem Was Awake All Night—More
Caucussing Going On.

From special to the Astorian last
night from Salem it would indicate that
the senatorial fight is growing intense-
ly tropical. Betting was at a fever
heat and Lord for second choice had
great odds in his favor. Betting was
even on Dolph. It was said the Demo-
crats, Populists, and Republicans were
in caucus, the Republicans being the
Dolph faction.

At 2:23 this morning a dispatch to
the Astorian states that the Dolph cau-
cus has just adjourned with 20 members
present. No definite agreement was
reached. The ballot for second choice
resulted—Simon P. Williams; 6; Fulton
3; Tongue 2. Both factions will caucus
at 8:30 this morning.

THE SALEM VOTE.

Salem, Feb. 22.—Dolph lost two more
votes today, Patterson, of Marion, and
Mintie, of Clatskanie. The vote was as
follows: Dolph 37; Williams 23; Har-
10; Raley 6; Waido 1; Fulton 1; Lord
1; Smith 1; absent 3. Mintie voted for
Fulton, Patterson for Lord and Hobson
again voted for Waido. Raley voted
for Smith, of Clatsop, McGlim and
Rierson paired, and Beckley was ab-
sent.

The house occupied most of the time
during the morning session in reading
senate bills. The Portland charter bill
was made the special order for tomor-
row. Butler's bill, creating the state
board of assessors, was indefinitely
postponed.

JUTE MILL ACT REPEALED.

Salem, Feb. 22.—The senate bill re-
pealing the jute mill act passed the
house this afternoon, and also Senator
Alley's bill raising the age of consent
to 15 years.
This evening the house adopted a
resolution setting 7:30 p. m. tomorrow
night as the time for the joint session
of the two houses for the election of
railroad commissioners and other offi-
cers.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL.

Salem, Feb. 22.—The house resolved
itself into a committee of the whole to-
night for the consideration of the gen-
eral appropriation bill. The item of
\$20,000 for the railroad commission was
stricken out with a wild hurrah. The
committee rose and asked leave to sit
again.

NEW TORPEDO BOAT.

Glasgow, Feb. 22.—The new torpedo
destroyer Banshee was given an offi-
cial trial on the Clyde today. The boat
attained an average speed of 28 knots
an hour. The Banshee is one of 42
vessels of this class authorized by the
government.

PORTLAND BOY WINS.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—At the Olym-
pic Club's Charity Field Day, Charles
Frazier, the Portland bicyclist won the
three mile handicap from the scratch.
Time, 9:08.

A YOUTHFUL MURDERER

A 13-year-old Boy Shoots His
Companion.

HE WANTS TO COME BACK

The Absconding President of the
Northwestern Guaranty Loan Co.
Negotiates to Return

Associated Press.

Walla Walla, Feb. 22.—Today Charles,
the six-year-old son of T. J. Rose, a
merchant in this city, was shot in the
head and killed by Arthur Isitt, a 13-
year-old boy. Isitt used a 22-rifle. Va-
rious versions are given as to the inten-
tion of Isitt. He says he shot acciden-
tally, but his companions say that
Isitt had threatened the Rose child
several times during the morning. He
is in the county jail and will have a
hearing tomorrow. The father and
mother of the Rose boy are in the East.

AN ABSCONDING PRESIDENT.

The Fugitive President of Northwestern
Guaranty Loan Co. Heard From.

Minneapolis, Feb. 22.—The Journal
prints today a letter from Louis F.
Menage, the fugitive president of the
Northwestern Guaranty Loan Company
explaining his series of large transac-
tions which ultimately led to the com-
pany's failure. The letter is not dated
and it is explained that the letter was
written to a personal friend in Minne-
apolis. Menage goes into the history
of the company's real estate transac-
tions in Minneapolis, Seattle, Ellens-
burg, Wash., North Galveston, Texas,
Great Falls, Helena, Montana, and Chi-
cago, at great length, and explains how
most of them would have been profit-
able if times had continued prosperous.
His content is that no one suffered by
the failure more than he himself. Ex-
plaining his flight he declares to stay
meaning either death of the insane asyl-
lum, according to the advice of his phy-
sicians. He was a physical and mental
wreck and unequal to the task of
straightening out the affairs of the
company. The purpose of the letter is
becomes evident when Menage declares
his belief that if allowed to assist in
settling up the affairs of the company
he could save very much more for the
creditors than any one else, and could
at the end pay all claims. He is an-
xious to undertake the work on a sal-
ary, simply sufficient to support his
family. To accomplish this, he says
that the criminal suits against him
should be continued until the work is
done. He is confident of his ability to
prove his entire innocence.

REFORM PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Kansas City, Feb. 22.—One hundred
and fifty members of the National Re-
form Press Association met here today
for the purpose of considering questions
looking to the advancement of the prin-
ciples advocated by the Populist party.
There is a very turbulent and aggres-
sive spirit manifested among several
of the delegates. The day was spent in
considering the advisability of estab-
lishing a National News Bureau in
Kansas City.

Dr. S. C. McClallin, editor of the Ad-
vocate, of Topeka, Kansas, has put
on the war paint and has made threats
that unless the People's Party man-
agers come around to his way of think-
ing he proposes to create a disturbance
within the ranks which may have the
effect of disrupting the present party
organization. McClallin charges that
there is an effort on to betray the party
into the hands of its enemies.

Hon. E. T. Taubeneck, chairman of the
People's Party national organization,
has sent an ultimatum setting forth
his views as to how the party should
be managed, and threatening that un-
less these are carried out he will re-
sign. Carl Browne is on the ground
strongly advocating Jacob Coxey for
the presidential nomination by the Peo-
ple's party in 1896.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Arrived—San
Benito, from Tacoma; schooner Marion,
from Gray's Harbor.
Departed—Bark J. D. Peters, for Co-
nox; schooner Amethyst, for Coquille
River.

THE SONS OF REVOLUTION.

Portland, Feb. 22.—The Society of the
Sons of the Revolution held their an-
nual meeting today and this evening
gave a banquet at the Portland Hotel.
The principal speaker of the evening

The ASTORIAN has the
best LOCAL circulation, the
best GENERAL circulation,
largest TOTAL circulation,
papers published in Astoria.

A CLEAN TRICK.
Train Held up and the Express Mes-
senger Locks the Safe and Escapes.

Aurora, Mo., Feb. 22.—The Frisco
west-bound train was held up two and
one-half miles east of this city tonight.
Three men boarded the train and crawl-
ed over the tender and covered the en-
gineer and fireman with revolvers, and
commanded them to stop the train.
Then they were marched back to the
express car. The door was opened and
the robbers made a search for the ex-
press messenger, but did not find him,
as he had made his escape through a
door in the rear of the car, locking it
after him. After a thorough search of
the car and not finding anything, the
bandits escorted the engineer and fire-
man back to the engine and disappear-
ed in the darkness.

SAN FRANCISCO RACES.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Six furlongs,
selling—Mahogany, 1:18 1-4.
Six furlongs, handicap—Robin Hood
II, 1:18 1-4.

Five furlongs—Chartreuse, 1:05 3-4.
Four miles—Thornton stakes, value,
\$3,000—Gilead, 7:32.
Steeplechase, short course—April, 3:27.
Darktown derby, one mile—Zobac, 1:46.

FIRST TRAIN SINCE MONDAY.

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 22.—This morn-
ing the first train over the Canadian
Pacific from the east since Tuesday
arrived, the line having been blocked
by snowdrifts in the Selkirk.

WHAT DUN SAYS.

New York, Feb. 22.—E. G. Dun & Co.'s
Weekly Review of Trade will say to-
morrow: The failure for the week have
been 202 in the United States against
238 last year, and in Canada, 35 against
51 last year.

DECLARED A DRAW.

Boston, Feb. 22.—The Hall-Maher
fight was declared a draw in the sixth
round.

CONDENSED TELEGRAPH.

A fire at Hot Springs, Arkansas this
morning destroyed three blocks of
buildings. Three persons were burned
to death.

Washington's birthday was fittingly
celebrated at the national capital by
various organizations. The government
departments were closed.

At New Orleans among the casual-
ties of the snowstorm was the death
of a hunting party in the woods of the
Alliance plantation, nineteen miles be-
low New Orleans. They have been
found frozen to death in the kneeling
attitude.

A Paris dispatch says Quotiens re-
ports that the French expedition which
left Marseilles some months ago under
command of Commandant Montiel for
service in the interior of Africa, was
surprised and a sanguinary conflict en-
sued. Three hundred men, comprising
half the force, are said to have been
killed, while the remainder have been
driven from the line of march and
their retreat cut off.

At Thomaston, Conn., three men blew
off the doors of the Thomaston Savings
Bank vault with dynamite today, and
secured all the cash in the vault. The
citizens were aroused by the explosion
but were driven back at the muzzle of
revolvers by the robbers. The bank offi-
cials say the amount secured was small.

PROGRAM.

Camera Club Entertainment, at Odd
Fellows' Hall, Feb. 23, 1895.

Instrumental duet, Miss Alice Woods
and Mrs. O. F. Heilborn.
Views by the Camera Club.
Vocal solo, Miss Pearl Holden.
Living Picture, Blonde and Brunette.
Views, Camera Club.
Living Picture, Beauty and Beast.
Parasol Promenade, Miss Tallant,
Miss Reed, Miss Smith, Miss Woodfield.
Illustrated Song, views by Camera
Club, song by Mrs. F. J. Taylor.
Views, Camera Club.

IN YOUR MIND.

Kansas City Journal.
We hear the blue birds twitter
In the leafy branching trees;
We hear the gentle sighing
Of the balmy southern breeze;
We hear the brooklet's gurgle
As down the dell it winds;
We hear the bees humming—yes,
We hear 'em in our minds.

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