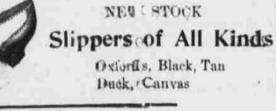


City Book Sitore.

With F participating in the so were R R Cole, W H, Smith and D J. Ingalls, from Lewis and Clarks pre-chief: T. J. Brown and Wm, H. Miller, Vesiwr, D. Tweedle, and T. O'Conner, Mishawaka, H. S. Weoden and proxy W. H. Lewis, Jewell: Peter O. Wage and B. Sloon, Barr Creek, and F. Hondres, B. Sloop, Bear Creek; and E. Houghton, Clatsop. Others dropped in and out-dur-ing the evening, but as all newspaper folk were barred from participation in the proceedings, their names could not be learned The principal object of the caucus aside from the avowed one of "getting ac-quainted," was to formulate some plan regarding representation to the congres-sional convention. All they ask al or vioual convention. All they asked or wanted was a reasonable reprozentation from the country precinets and they did some talking to discover how best to ac-complish this, without doing anything to disturb the pleasant relations now exist-ing between country and city delegates. The question of nominations at the con-vention today also came in for its share of invositation. No definite results many vention today also came in for its shore of investigation. No definite results came from the cancus and the members ad-journed in good humor. The silver and gold question was allowed to sleep in peace. It was decided to let the prop-osition of nominating county officers in today's convention rest largely with the opinion of the city delegates as ex-pressed in the convention.

members, they have read, as heary members, they have be provided with rely wanted to talk as delegates some es do and become better acquarated fith E. Houghton, of Claisop, in the wy explained, in rather a sarcastic man-The council has received a better, ask-ing that it use its efforts to aid in the holding of a trans-Mississippi exposition at Omaha, in 1898, to be purticipated in by the twenty-four states wrat of the father of waters. A resolution was passed but events which ensembled of the last evening which approved of the idea and instructed the proper committee to use its influence with Oregon's representatives in congress to receive the sameon of that budy for such an exposi-A long fist of claims was then read, after which it was decided to hold an informal meeting on Friday afternoon, at which several important matters will be discussed. Then, at 9:30, coun-il ad-







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pressed in the convention. COMMON COUNCIL IN SESSION.

A to EE. Birlef, but Busy, Meeting of That Body Highd Last Evening.

The common council met in regular session last evening, all members being present. Applications for liquor licenses were

referred to the proper committee, A pe-tition from the Uniontown Hose Com-Hilon from the Uniontown Hose Com-pany asking that the body be admitted to the Astaria file department, was read, as was also a report from the committee on fire and awater, recommending that the prayer be granted. A communication from J. J. Rhodie, asking that be be granted a tax deed to Lot 2. Block 5. Berry's Addition, and inclosing the amount of the delinquent taxes, was road and referred to the ways and means committee. Communications

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menas committee. A communication from A .J. Cullings,

dealers

ship.

journed.

POLITICS IN PORTLANE

Anticipations of the Liveliest Primaries

in the History of the Metropolis.

Portland, April 1.-The Bepublican pri-

PORTLAND FIRM FAILS asking that a tax deed be issued for Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 10, Columbia Addition, and inclosing the amount or delinquent taxes, was read and referred Receiver Appointed for a Large Wholesale Drug Company.

to the ways and means committee. The ways and means committee. The ways and means committee report-ed favorably on a resolution concerning the trans-Missiasippi exposition, which measure is given below. The claim of H. W. Sherman, SJ: and the clty experts, Messrs. Sherman and Stillor, 52%, were ordered paid. The claim of the Evening News for \$12 was ordered paid in the district court today, Judge Bellinger ap-pointed F. K. Arnold receiver for Snell, Heltau & Woodard, wholesale drug

News for \$1.12 was ordered paid in the sum of \$6 cents; claim of \$1.06 reduced to 75 cents; \$1.82 to 50c; \$2.25 to \$1.92; \$12.95 to \$5.27; \$1.82 to \$1.65; \$1.56 fo \$1.63; the claim of \$6 cents was allowed in the sum of \$1.20

The same committee, reporting on the expect's report on the city's books for the years 184 and 1855, recommended the report, which consists of seventy-six type-written pages, and several books, be read at the informal meeting of the council on Friday afternoon. The report, which was adopted, further recommended that the auditor be instructed to open a set of books. The committee on health and police, to which was referred several applications for liquor licenses, reported favorably on the same, and further recommended payment of the claim of Ross, Higgins & Co., for \$2.70.

Co., for \$2.70. A majority report from the committee on streets and public ways on the re-monstrance against the improvement of Astor street, from Forty-fifth to Forty-sixth, recommending the street be not improved, was read. A minority report

SYMPATHY WITH ITALY.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, via Galves-ton, Tex., April 1.-The Italian minister has received a striking manifestation of the popular sympathy in the Argentine Republic with the Italians in their pre-ent disastrous campaign in Aby-zabia. A procession was formed, composed of The prominent persons here, as well as sub-jects of King Humbert, and all marched to the legation. Several leading men made speeches full of assurances of good will toward Italy and of condelence in her afflictions.

Irving avenue, from Fifteenth to Eigh-teenth; Fourteenth, from Bond to Grand Bold. Bad Highwaymen Hold Up an East-bound Express. evenue; Fourteenth street.

The following ordinances were read third time and passed: Providing for the issuance of \$1584 bends for the inn-Special to the Astorian. Lebanon, Mo., April 1.-The East Cannes-ball Train No. 6, on the St. Louis and San Francisco Ruilroad, was held up three miles east of this city at 105 m. m. today by three masked men, provement of Tenth street; appropriating 5.20 for the payment of the jurges in the case of the city vs. L. E. Sellg, who was arrested at the matigation of Rev. and the sufe was blown open and tabbed. Engineer William Pierce, who lives in Springfield, Mo., said: "The first intimation I had that any-Robert Lidded, for allowing minors to frequent the Casino theatre, and who was found not guilty, so the city atter-

"The first milmatoin I had that any-thing was wrong was an exchamation of surprise from my fireman, Frank Har-ris, I turned to see what caused it. Three men were on the coal and within six er eight feet of us. They all had their guns leveled at us, and one of them said: "Stop this train."

HAD THEIR NERVE ALONG.

"I looked down the barrel of a gun and did not see what else there was for me to ds. The men were all masked. At no time during the whole proceeding did I get a chance to see the features of any of them. "When the train stopped, the two lars-er men climbed into the cab, teaving a

little fellew lying on his stomach on the coal, with a gun in each hand, one point-at me and the other at Harris.

"The two men climbed down and, after firing five shots from the cab. I heard an explorion in the express car. The men came back, detached the engine and ran it away. One of the men evidently

had some knowledge of engineering, for he worked like an old hand. Express people say the robbers secured about \$1200. maries tomorrow for the election of del-estates to the county convention, which meets on Saturday next, are expected to be the livellest in the history of this

## CLEVER SWINDLERS.

Bring Ingenuity into Play to the Tun-of About \$1500.

city. Joseph Simon is the head of one faction, while Mayor Frank, District At-torney Hume and Chief of Police Minto are directing the opposition. Both aides Los Angeles, April 1-F. D. Black, who operates the Turf Exchange, is out \$150 by a trick which was today played on are confident of victory tonight, though there is a large floating vote which can-not be reckoned on until the votes are him by a couple of racing sharps. Under the law no telegraphic returns of races can be received in Los Angeles by the ounted. Simon has control of the judge pool-room which places money on the

races for its patrons. This haw is evaded by having the re-turns received at Agricultural Park, be-yond the city limits, and from the perk suffering Armenians shall work only in the citics. the returns are telephoned to the Expare lists and send the destitute inhabiwho has been telephoning the period to the exchange held back the result of tants to the cities for relief. This de-cision probably excludes Zeltoan as a center of relief. The council has also decided that the Red Cross agents must use, with power to make changes, the lists furnished by the Turkish relief comone race in San Francisco until his con-federates could reach the pool-room and there place enough money to win 51/60 on the horse Road Warmer. It is stated that within seventeen minutes of the time the returns came in at Agricultural Park, money was placed on Road Warm-or that neited the better \$1500. must be done conjointly with the com-ralasion. It is hoped here that in practice the agents will be allowed much more freedom than these regulations indicate. Talegrams received here from Mirrash say that typhold fever is raging there. Six Bayroot physicians and two druggless Special to the Astorian, Portland, April 1.-In the United States

## ARIZONA'S BALKY GOVERNOR.

Finally Resigns After Being Discharged

the Interior Department.

No statement of the assets and liabili-ties was filed, but it is understood the assets largely exceed the liabilities. The this afternoon turned over to Secretary Bruce the executive offices of the terri-tory, reserving, however, any rights he may have in the premises. Secretary Bruce brought decided pressure to bear. firm has done an extensive business throughout the Northwest, but, owing to hard times, collections have been slow. hard times, collections have been slow, which fact brought about the receivereven threatening to send for the United States marshal to eject the ex-governor from office. Telegrams were received States indice. Telegrams were received during the day from President Cleveland directing Bruce to take immediate pos-session, but Hughes held on till late in the afternoon, when he received a telegram from the interior department demanding that he turn over the office.

HARD ON FREE SILVER.

New Mexico's Governor Thinks No State-hood Bills Will Be Passed.

Denver, April 1.-A News special from Santa Fe says: Governor Thornton returned home from

INTERSTATE COMMERCE LAW. Successfully Western Roads Taking Action so as Not

Chicago, April 1 .-- Western roads are

ee the supreme court's decision, tak

of the leading Western lines sent out a

agents who did it would be dismissed from the service. Today two more roads sent out circulars to their agents, saying the second decision of Judge Brown made it advisable for roads to be very

careful in what they did in the way of granting special rates to any shipper.

HAYTT'S NEW PRESIDENT.

Ne indications of Dissatisfaction Over the Choice for Executive.

SNAP FOR IVES.

Schaeffer, 24. The highest run was 116.

RED CROSS IN TURKEY.

The overseers of the villages will pre-

ion, and that distribution of relief

made by Ives.

beset myself and Mrs. Tucker, and in order that it might be overcome, I am-going to be naturalized as soon as ponto Interfere With It.

## HANNA ATTACKS PLATT.

Cleveland, O., April 1.--'All is fair in love, war and politics is my matto in this campaign," said M. A. Hanna, the manager of McKinley's campaign. "It does not mean, however, that I have ing action to prevent themselves form coming into forcible contact with the in-tentate commerce law. Yesterday one circular to all its agents, warning them that there must be no more favoritism shown in granting freight rates, and that used or will use dishonorable means to

used or will use dishonorable means 10 gain my ends. "This little trade is for my estermod friend "Tom' Platt. He needs 11. I have to smile when I think of his nervo in asserting that I had been playing Morton 'dirt' in New York, and how, under cover of the storm prepared for me, he sailed his right hower. General Kerwin, into the heart of the McKinley strenghold, under my very nose. He made that move pursuant to the confer-ence of Morton leaders in New York, where it was decided to invade McKin-ley's own state and try to capture some of the delegates not yet elected.

(Copyrighted, 1996, by Associated Press.) Kingston, Jamaica, April 1.-T. Simon Sam, formerly minister of war for Hayti, of the delegates not yet elected. "He can send whole rafts of 'heelers' into Ohlo. They can have the delegates they can find outside the McKinley has been elected president, to subcosed General Hippslyte, deceased, by the sen-ate and house of representatives. Perfect camp

camp." "Did you, in an interview, state that if McKinley was nominated and elected the Republican policy of protection would be the same as it was in 1522" he sranquility psevalls and there are no indications of any dissatisfaction with the chaine for executive.

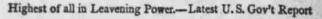
 The reprint point of protocology would be the same as it was in 1952" be was asked.
"Never made such a statement. I brand it as a lie. I am running this campaign, not making platforms."
"Has any of the money been sent by big manufacturers to the Amoriean Protective Tariff League and used by Secretary W. F. Wakeman, Mr. Biles of New York or yourself, as a McKinley fund?"
"That story is a base, malicious lie. As president of the Ohlo League. I know that none of the money subscribed was ever used to further McKinley's cause.
"These lies are sent out to hurt McKinley. I don't care what they claim about me, but it makes me 'nore' to have them laid at McKinley's dupon." New Tork, April 1.-Madison Suppre-Garden Concert Hall was crowded to-might by billiard lovers to see Frank Ives won, the score standing-lves, 600; the first time at 18-inch balk line. Ives won, the score standing-lves, 600; Schaeffer 284. The bickset run was 115. Constantingple, April 1.—The council or ministers has decided that the agents of the American Red Cross Society sent to Asia Minor to distribute relief to the

A STRANGE CUSTOM.

Boston Courier It is obligatory in Seoul, the capitr" Korea, for every man to so he sunset, when the ringing of theriese Ves-bronze bell of the city is the size Car every man to retire to his home. man found in the streets after sun, when the city gates are closed, is light to be flogged for a breach of the isa The women are, however, allowed to gevita-out to take the air and gossip with their fed friends. Another curious distinction be tween men and women is that the lat-ter have no name before marriage, and that after marriage the husband becomes answerable for his wife's misdemeaners, and, in his own person, suffers the pen-It is obligatory in Seoul, the capits' and, in his own person, suffers the pe alty inflicted.

We might tell you more about One Minute Cough Cure, but you probably know that it cures a cough. Every one does who has used it. It is a perfect remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness, it is an especial favorite for children, being pleasant to take and quick in ouring. Chas. Rogers.

The Empire belt is seen on some of the imported gowns.





Madrid, April 1.—The medical schools of the Universities of Madrid, Barcelona, Granada, Valencia, and Cadiz, which were closed on account of the anti-Amer-ican manifestations of the students, have been ordered to re-open.

MEDICAL SCHOOLS RE-OPENED.

will grobably be sent to work among the sick at that place. It is likely that the physicians and druggists will be sent by Miss Clara Barton, president of the American Red Cross Society. Phoenix, Ariz., April 1 .-- T. C. Hughes