NEWS OF THE WEEK JAPAN WOULD WAR WITH CHINA Government Formulating Terms to London .- A Tokio dispatch to the

Throughout the World.

of the Underwood tariff bill.

to join the anti-smoking crusade

Pesident Huerta fulfills his promise to aid Americans out of Mexico, by giving first-class passage.

Mrs. Russell Sage has distributed 564,000 among institutions in Syra-cuse, N. Y., her girlbood home. Nanking, or falling this, the resigna-tion of the Minister of Foreign Affairs a gain in motor vehicle registrations ity is picking. Pickers are more than

Loss of American life and property in Puerta Plata, caused the U. S. to send a cruiser to Santo Domingo.

or stock food.

w, who was arrested in Coaticoah, for gambling, was promptly ac-Thaw, who was arrested in Coaticoah, Que., for quitted.

Mrs. Sadie Burton of Portland, Ore., was drowned when she plunged into the river to save her 5-year-old daugh-The child was saved by a workman.

A spelling-bee was broken up in Racine, Wis., when a swarm of honey bees, which had made its home in the school house during the summer vacation, began buzzing among the pu-

Convicts in the Joliet, Ill., peniten roled convicts to their parole promises.

Republicans won back lost ground In Maine when they elected John A. Peters to fill a vacancy in the Third congressional district by a plurality Wilson carried the same disof 553. trict last year by over 1,000.

Later estimates of the European hop crop are considerably reduced.

A small gasoline schooner was was recovered at Constantia, 12 miles wrecked in Alaskan waters and five away.

The power boat Oregon Kid was swamped and sunk in 25 feet of water to discover the cause, and thereby while far in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the lead in a race at Buf- saved his man the read was a saved his life. A few minutes later high price of logs, wages are to be re- yamhill and probably Tillamook coun- had left in the read was a saved his later high price of logs. falo, N. Y.

knoll.

A plot has been discovered to over- thing in its path to destruction. ow the Nicaraguan government, marooned man was compelled to and arms are being distributed to op- to his precarious refuge until three o'clock, in the morning pose the rebels.

Roosevelt advises ex-Governor Sulzer, of New York, to "explain fully."

Reports from the 259 state banks of Washintgon show an immense improvement over the corresponding

maringen, Germany.

Governor West, of Oregon, has commuted to life imprisonment the death

Ceneral Resume of Important Events Industrial and Educational Items of Interest To Oregonians fered to two Japanese military offi-AUTOS SHOW IMMENSE GAIN DALLAS HOP CROP IS UNHURT. Vehicle Registrations for Picking Resumed After Few Days' Motor Tokio .- The assassination of Mor-August Are 508.

Salem

tiario Abe, director of the political Cognress is ready to take final vote f the Underwood tariff bill. Missouri Methodist ministers refuse tions made with Secretary of State

cers.

Missouri Methodist ministers refuse o join the anti-smoking crusade. Eight negro convicts were smother-ing for military action against China ed to death in an airless cell in Rich-mond, Texas. In grow in the second seco feur registrations from January 1 to date aggregate \$54,190, as against

st1,190,50 for the corresponding per-iod last year. The total number of benefit to the crop, and the delay in licenses issued to August 31, 1912, picking has done no damage. No fear ures as were necessary to obtain sat-isfaction for the killing of Japanese at was 9706, while thus far during the is entertained of mold, and the lice

tion of the Minister of Foreign Affairs Baron Nobuaki Makino. during 1913 of approximately 371 per plentiful, and many are unable to se-The speakers debounced the empti-ness of Japanese diplomacy in connec-tion with California and China and in-

Anti-Chinese demonstrations in To-lo are assuming serious proportions flag at Nanking should be wiped out. Anti-Chinese demonstrations in a flag at Nanking should be which the second states and the populace is calling loud for the manifestation clearly was an explosion of popular resentment against the ministry and its treatment of the the ministry and chinese questions.

U. S. Chemist, C. C. Moore, finds hat Oregon's surplus potatoes could Profiting by the lessons of the riots that Oregon's surplus potatoes could be manufactured into glucose starch which followed the conclusion of be distributed throughout the various william T. Jerome, prosecutor of government reduced the risk of vio-

CHICAGO STILL WELTERS

Hottest Summer in 17 Years Clings

Congress Is Ready.

living" fad among other students this

Vives y Tuto Succumbs

Vatican after the election of Pope

to Middle West.

a national organization of paroled con-burst washed away a fortune for Niel has closed indefinitely, and extensive viets, who would strive to hold pa- West, one of the biggest ranchers in improvements will be made. Much of Superintendent Churchill Expects Lassen county, in a few hours Monthe plant as originally built will be day ...

valued at \$40,000, destroying the or-chard and carrying away three large haystacks and all buildings except the iwelling, which was situated on a pany erecting another large mill ad-

and farm implements were carried away and the wreck of one building The Clatsop Mill company's pla The Clatsop Mill company's plant

wrecked in Alaskan waters and his persons on board are believed to be lost. West was the only man on the ranch's at the time. While working around the house, he heard the roar two weeks to make repairs. All the other local mills are to con tinue in operation, but in order to Carleton has been notified that Ben-

a wall of water 26 feet high swept over the lower ground, carrying every- will make the mills self-supporting.

A rifle club in the military department of the Oregon Agricultural cola means of practical training for the Chicago.-Not satisfied with having cadet corps and place them on a plane inflicted on Chicago the hottest sum- of proficiency in actual military serperiod for 1912. Ex-King Manuel, of Portugal, and Princess Augustine Victoria, of Ger-many, were married quietly at Sig-many. Were married quietly at Sigthe suburbs it was 100, accompanied velop in a rifle team of this regiment by hot winds. Fortunately few were

compelled to exert themselves. Record tive out-door and in door shoots with crowds were at all the lake beaches. like teams from similar institutions. sentence of Robert Morgan, who mur- Late in the day the wind shifted, sentence of Robert Morgan, who mur-dered his sweetheart. Property loss of several millions was caused by a hurricane on the coast build in supervised as the few blocks from the lake. Undications are for rain. The city and nation as well have always looked the engineers indicates that it will and I will say them plainly." occurred on one of is parched and withering. All vegetation is as dry as it ordinarily would with favor upon those forms of mili-be in October. The streets have not tary training that are absolutely nec-reservoir yet projected in Malheur Attorney General Crawford, of Ore-been sprinkled since August 29 and essary to efficient service in time of county. Estimates are for water run-can is proved beyond a doubt. What ing down her beautiful eyes, she has decided that the Industrial a heavy pall of fine dust weighs on need. When the regiment is reorganized

in charge

The SOLATED A ROMANCE OF THE FUTURE Dallas-For the hopgrower in this section things do not look so gloomy GUIDO VON HORVATH weather throughout the rest of the and DEAN HOARD COPYRIGHT. 1913 BY W.C.GHAPMAN IN THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BETTAIN .

and will start for Helgoland tomorrow

placed them in her handbag.

not the least sign that he had

him, without the captain.

chevaller!"

he said.

ment.

saint."

"When your mission is at an end."

SYNOPSIS.

For fifty years the continent of North imerica had been isolated from the rest if the world by the use of Z-rays, a won-erful invention of Hannibal Prudent. The invention had saved the country rom foreign invasion, and the continent ad been united under one government with Prudent as president. For half a blanche-you may do as you please. banks." "I see; but what is it that you want

to know?" "Everything, my dear countess; but especially the situation across the Atlantic." "I think I know what my duties are

 disted that the insult to the Japanese is find that the insult of the Japanese is the present basis will reach fulls on the present basis will reach fulls and thinese questions. The including and this treatment of the present basis will be not less than \$56,000. This money, after deducting the exs is noney, after deducting from the continues. Multicle with exarion continues is noney and declared that it never had contributed to the upbuilding of the proceedings. A score of agitators, including a girl, declared japanese diplomacy and declared that it never unbearable.
RAINS WIPE OUT RANCH
Wall of Water 26 Feet High Carles Multicle Conte and the away a fortune for Niel Multicle Conte mills in the Lower Columbar vers of the real dam is ready district. The location of the place, Astra is not been explained in the tas is a leady phaving its is altered, and some of the biggest ranchese direct is a location of the place. Astra is not been explained in the tas is the explained and this section of the place. Astra is not the section of th When shall I report progress?"

CHAPTER VII.-Continued.

The chevalier suggested a walk in The countess' beautiful face was the open air, but the captain shook set and determined; she had not spokhis head. "I am sorry to disappoint en, but storm was raging in her heart. struction Churchill is confident that you, my dear chevaller, but your ter-Three days later the captain told ritory ends here." He said this with his prisoner that a new guest was exthe displays of the school children at such kindness that it was plain to the pected; that she was a lady of the the state fair this year will surpass chevaller that he was sorry for the court, charged with conspiracy against the government.

The chevalier laughed. "I should For two long months the Captain Hans Euler kept faithful company to not be surprised to find an old ac-the chevalier. not be surprised to find an old ac-quaintance in the fair conspirator." the chevalier.

There - s no chance to escape from The captain's eyes grew round and ounty or district classes is eligible this prison; not even a chance to look his honest face expressed surprise, but for industrial fair prizes. Assistant he made no comment. out at the ocean. The Chevaller di Superintendent of Public Instruction Leon soon realized that he could not The following morning Countess Roescape and knew that all he could do siny arrived. The apartment adjoining that of the chevaller was given her and the prisoners met in the presence

The personal belongings that he had left in the room at the Hotel of Captain Euler at the breakfast Metropole were brought to him, and table. ties will have county exhibits. He also has been notified that many other great was his satisfaction when he The greeting that Chevaller di Leon saw that nothing had been forgotten.

Even his money was intact, and a receipt from the hotel was given him showing that his bill had been paid. Papers from Berlin and England were in the reading-room and he was informed of the doings of the world.

On the 5th of February the chancel lor strode into the reading-room where

the chevaller was comfortably reading a novel by the English writer, Sir Rider Haggard, that had been pub-Financial Backing for Big Irrigation lished about 1920.

"What a pleasant surprise, your excellency!" bowed the chevaller with a all my heart." Vale-Ten' thousand acres more of broad smile. fine bench land near Vale will be

The chancellor was somewhat taken completion of the Star Mountain proj- ception.

are the pleasantest comrade that ever had, but I am troubled. The con tinuous indoor life is beginning to tell on me. I am used to much exercise in the open air, and I have many things that I am worried about."

A few days later Captain Euler told the prisoners that they would be al-lowed to spind the evenings on the roof of the building.

The countess watched Chevaller di Leon's face very closely when the cap tain told them this and saw the gleam of real pleasure in his eyes.

That evening they were taken to the roof of the building; to be accu rate, to a section of the roof which was surrounded by a high wall, so high that it prevented them from see ing the courtvard beneath, or anything but the stars and the pale face of the full moon

It was springtime.

"Don't you think this would be an only one in the service who will be ideal place to send up fire rockets?" He looked toward the stars; his eyes able to obtain this information for me. To show you how much I trust you wandered over the dark blue firma and your ability, I give you carte ment restlessly.

"You are playing with fire all the If you should find it necessary, you time," remarked the countess, as she may even elope with him. Here is a moved nearer to the chevaller.

special order and passport, also an ex-"Have you ever heard of a case tended account upon all the state where people were married in a pris-

on?" she continued. "No, I never have."

"Chevaller, will you tell me one thing-frankly, honestly?" Her voice was tender and soft.

"Anything you ask, countess."

"Are you engaged to be married?" "I am not." The firmness of his volce was enough to assure the countess that he told the truth.

The Countess Rosiny picked up the "Are you in love?" documents, looked them over and

"In love?" he repeated thoughtfully. "I don't know; all I know is that I The punctilious chancellor escorted have an image, a saint enshrined in her to his office door and bade her my heart of whom I think, for whose goodby, wishing her good fortune. welfare I am fighting and suffering. If When the door closed behind the dethat is love, then I am in love." parting countess the chancellor rubbed The countess sighed, a sob broke

his hands with satisfaction. "I am from her heaving bosom and she let glad she took the commission so calmher shoulder lean heavily against him; she buried her face in his shoulder ly. Now, my dear chevaller, if you can withstand those violet eyes you and the tears trickled down her soft are not an ordinary mortal but a cheeks as she sighed:

"I am so very, very unhappy." The chevalier bent his head over her and his eyes became dark for a second; then he folded her in his arms and their lips met in a kiss.

The spell was short; the next mo-ment the countess stood up and the chevaller picked her up and placed her on the bench again, as if she were a little child; then he turned and ran

down the stairs to his prison. CHAPTER VIII.

The Fireworks.

Every evening after that, except when it stormed, the prisoners went up on the roof. These evenings were the pleasantest part of the days.

During the day the chevaller read the daily papers and magazines with great interest. He found plenty of gave was quite a surprise to the count-ess; he acted courteously, but gave engrossing news there, especially the preparations of the confederated navy and army. One article, very well met her before. When the breakfast was over he retired to the readingwritten by one of the chief engineers. particularly attracted his attention. room, where the countess followed That article described the Z ray and

its destroyer. The supply station of "You don't seem to recognize me, destruction was Madeira, from which place heavy cables were laid to reach He glanced around cautiously, and the 30th longitudinal meridian, along when he saw they were alone he whis- which the Z ray ran. The heaviest pered: "I thought it might be disa- current of electricity was conducted, greeable for you, countess, but now by this tremendous cable to three spethat we are alone, I greet you with cially built boats. The Sampsonian vibrating rays were generated on these

"What brought you here, chevalier?" boats. Each ray made 3,000,000 vibra-Chevalier di Leon laughed and tions a second and all were directed shrugged his shoulders. "I think it in a harmonious line toward the Z ray is a caprice of the Count von Werden- belt. In time the wall of isolation stein; he wants to extend all the hos- would fall down under the immense tality he possibly can force playing against it, and the in masterfully constructed windows that vasion of America would follow. give you air and light, without per-After a long study the chevaller mitting you to see even the sky. Is that not the limit of forethought?" placed the magazine on the table and muttered: "The time for action is The countess recognized bitter feelnearing." One evening at the dinner table the chevalier asked Captain Euler if he could have some material for pyroa companion in captivity. I do not technical displays in order to lessen The answer came as a flash, but want to compliment you, but it was the monotony of their existence. quite a pleasant surprise to find you The kind captain furnished everyhere, chevaller." thing he asked for. The countess of-"You are more than kind," was all fered her services and they worked almost all afternoon the next day get-The days passed more quickly, Many ting the fireworks ready. Di Leon a man would have envied the prison seemed to be an expert; he soon had the in which the chevalier was killing a large Japanese wheel, several turnyoung man dared to play with him, time seemingly in perfect contenting stars and also a number of long sky rockets ready. When the month of February was When evening came they excitedly prepared for the grand fireworks. The ask my question again. Will you and his thoughts began to concentrate sky was clear and the moon had not vet risen. Chevaller di Leon arranged the different pleces, and when the captain came up he fired the first air runner. The long rocket went high up in the air, whirring and whistling, and then, with a puff, broke into thousands of red sparks. Another puff brought white and the third brought blue. The next was the Japanese sun: this was fastened to the center of the It circled and sparkled for a roof. long time. The chevalior was deeply interested in his projectiles and, as the countess assisted him, Captain Euler had to play the part of audience. There was a larger audience outside their inclosure, but that was another world. When all the set pieces were used the chevaller looked up in the sky, seemingly searching for something; at last his hand went into his pocket and, bringing out an object not unlike a Browning pistol, he said: "And now, ladies and gentlemen, I will show you something new in the pyrotechnical art.'

ountles will have individual exhibits. The state fair board has provided a uilding, 50 by 134 feet, for agricul tural, manual training and domestic science displays, and a tent, 50 by 80

Greater Interest in Fairs. Salem-Superintendent of Public Inthose of previous years. There will imprisonment, logs, the timbers to be shipped via the be county and district exhibits and many individual displays.

Any child exhibiting in either the

in this city will be closed for about

hold

Cadets Form New Rifle Club.

lege will be organized this fall by science displays, and a tent, or by feet, for the poultry exhibits. Mc-Commandant P. J. Hennessey. The Minnville and Salem will have district exhibits. VALE PROJECT IS NOW ASSURED

Mr. Olcott stated that the total mo-It is not believed that the rain damtor vehicle registrations for 1913 on the present basis will reach fully aged the grain any. Most of the grain

-The motor vehicle registra-

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cure jobs.

Layoff On Account of Rain.

It practically rulned a ranch torn out and rearranged and There is also some talk of the con

Of a band of 75 horses, all were killed but two. Cattle, hogs and chickens were also drowned. All tools joining the present plant to slab the

heavy loss of life the storm-swept islands.

Welfare commission of the state has everything.

power to limit and to fix the hours of labor for women in stores.

Revenue officers have unearthed a gigantic opium smuggling ring at San Francisco, in which officers of trans-Francisco, in which officers of trans-Pacific steamers and many revenue office employes are said to be involved.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Wheat-Track prices: Club, 79@ 80c; stem, 85@86c; forty-fold, 80@ 81c; red Russian, 77@78c; valley, 80c. and the end of the next regular ses-80c; stem, 85@86c; forty-fold, Corn-Whole, \$37; cracked, \$38 per on. on.

Millstuffs-Bran, \$23.50 per ton; house and senate before the end of Smith. per ton.

er ton. Barley—Feed, \$24.50 per ton; brew-ser to dominate congressional activi-ty within a few days. Anti-trust legis-Barley—Feed, \$24.50 per ton. ing, \$26.50; rolled, \$27@28 per ton. Hay—Fancy Idaho timothy, \$16@ of republicans as well as democrats, 17: fancy Eastern Oregon timothy, who long have been active in the fight for more adequate regulation of the trusts, will be felt in the making of timothy and alfalfa, \$13@14; alfalfa, \$13; clover, \$8.50@10; oat and vetch, \$10@11; cheat, \$10@11, Valley grain hay, \$10@11.

nay, \$10@11. Onions—Walla Walla, \$1.50 per sk. Vegetables—Beans, 3@4c per pound cabbage, 2@2½c per pound; cauli-flower, \$2 per crate; corn, 10@15c dozen; cucumbers, 20@40c per box; eggplant, 5@7c per pound; head lettuce, 35@40c per dozen; peas, 5@7c per pound; peppers, 6@Sc per pound; radishes, 10@12c per dozen; tomatoes 20@35c per box; garlic, 10c per pound -Oregon, \$1@1. 25 per hun-

Green Fruit—Apples, 75c@\$2.25 per ox; cantaloupes, \$1.25@1.75 per men are praying that Miss Loewis crate; peaches, 40@65c per box; wa-termelons, \$1.25@1.50 per cwt.; plums living" fad among other students this 75c@\$1 per box; pers, 50e@\$1 per box; grapes, 75c@\$1.35 per crate, 40c per basket; casabas, \$1.75 per dozen;

nectarines, 75c@\$1 per box. Poultry—Hens, 16c; Springs, 18c; turkeys, live, 20@22c; dressed, choice, tius Vives y Tuto, prefect of the con-

Pork—Fancy, 12@12½c per pound. Veal—Fancy, 15½@16c per pound. Cattle—Prime steers, \$7.75@8.25; Plus X. 7.50; Prime cows, \$6.75@7.00; choice, \$6.50; #early calves, \$8.00@ 9.00; heavy calves, \$6.75@7.75; light calves, \$8.00@ 9.00; heavy calves, \$6.75@7.75; light calves, \$8.00@ 9.00; heavy calves, \$6.75@7.75; bills, \$4.00@5.50; stags, \$5.75@6.25. Hogs—Light, \$8.75@9.00; heavy, \$7.50@8.35. Sheep—Wethers, \$3.30@4.35; eves, \$3.50@4.00; lambs, \$4.00@5252.

Colonel Henry Odeen, of Portland, and Lieutenant Colonel R. M. Howard, of Corvallis, will be the student officers cover an additional 30,000 acres.

Hood River Fruit Shipped.

months has become fairly well out lined in the last week. President Wi Hood River-Although he was unson and the democrat leaders in the two houses of congress apparently able to secure but 2 cents a pound for have agreed on an ambitious plan of the fruit in the local market, D. P. able to secure but 2 cents a pound for prise. During the past few days, howlegislative work, which will bring all Smith, who is a grower of small fruit of Maney Brothers & company, con-of the most important reforms con-on the West Side, has been shipping tractors on the Bully creek and Jorlegislative work, which will bring all templated by the Wilson administrahis plum crop to points in Wyoming, where he has received 10 cents a the Star

"The plums find a ready demand in of a conference committee of the the inter mountain district," says Mr. "My only trouble is in the shorts, \$25.50 per ton; middlings, \$31 the week. Currency legislation prom- depredations of employes of the express companies. According to the reports that I have received from the merchants to' whom I have shipped. not a single box of fruit has arrived

molested.'

Boy Kills Deer With "22." Albany-Killing a deer with a 22-

of Towanda, Pa., who lived 20 weeks year-old Cecil Froman, son of Grant Froman, county recorder of Linn county. The boy was on an outing on on \$10 last spring while a student in the Ithaca Conservatory of Music, has county. The boy was on an outing on sent word to the faculty that she the South Santiam river. He was gowould be back here this fall and pro-posed to continue her way of living. the little rifle along. As he approach-In fact the young woman is hankering ed the stream at the point he expected dred; sweet potatoes, \$2.25 per crate. endeavor to cut the 50 cents a week river and began to shoot, with the re-

four shots and three hit the animal.

Government May Build. Klamath Falls-A Federal building

25c: ducks, 12@14c; geese, young 12 @13c. @13c. Egge_Oregon ranch 276°28° per dozer; fresh ranch, case Cheese—Oregon triplets, 16%;c; celona, in 1854. Early in the summer Cheese—Oregon triplets, 161/2c; Daisies, 17c; Young Americas, 18c. Butter—Oregon creamery butter cubes, 34c per pound; butter fat, de livered, 34c per pound. Basic particular and forest service, it is likely that celona, in 1854. Early in the summer is was reported that he had become in-his case as neurasthenia and he re-tired to a monastery. The Cordinal Basic particular and the weather bu-reau will have offices in the new build-ing. acquired a prominent position at the ing.

City Ownership Wanted.

"The plainer the better, your hon-

ning from \$10 to \$25 an acre for a are you doing here and how did you sighed: "From now on you will have height of dam to cover 10,000 acres, come here?"

and \$40 to \$60 an acre for a height to calm and sarcastic: "I am listening to you, your excel-

Wes Caviness has had the work in lency, and as to my coming, I did not hand for the past two years, but has come of my own accord; I was car-been unable so far to get the neces-ried." A devilish little smile twinkled hand for the past two years, but has sary capital interested in the enter- in the gray eyes of the chevaller. The chancellor was offended; ever, the Wells brothers, of the firm

the iron handed master. "Your jokes are out of place; you dan valley projects, have taken over the Star Mountain reservoir site and are a clever man, but I will have to gone he felt a longing for the free air

will push the work through to an answer it?" early completion. This assurance of the completion of "I refuse!"

Their eyes clashed like the cold

"Chevalier di Leon, you are no

"It is very valuable, your excellency; however, it has no price, as I know that everything comes to him who waits."

"Then you are not willing to con

"Your honor, as a prisoner, I am not in a position to listen to any offer the time will come when we will stand face to face again, both free and un-The fair will start on the morning of face to face again, both free and un-October 3 with a parade by the Sandy influenced by circumstances; then I band, which will be followed by a will consider things seriously. By this baseball game, baby show and dance in Shelley's hall. Saturday at 10:30 onment influences me in any way." The Count von Werdenstein paced

turned to the quietly sitting man. "Chevalier, I certainly admire your

courage. I must admit my defeat." He offered his hand to the chevalier and turned to leave the room saying: "Until we meet again, chevaller!"

When the chancellor returned to Chevaller di Leon Arranged the Dif-Berlin he called for the Countess Roferent Pieces. siny and asked her to attend a private

audience as soon as possible. She hurupon an attempt to make a strike for

presence urgently, as I desire to make from the prison. you a gift that I am sure you will be glad to accept."

The countess looked questioningly "You have asked me several times

what happened to the Chevaller di listened to the sweet voice of the wom- eons, and parrots, who could hardly Leon, your gallant knight and dancer, an who sat opposite to him quietly. and I have found him for you; more than that, I will turn him over to whatever?"

am well endowed in that respect."

Ho looked at her with those bold, penetrating gray eyes for a long time. "Countess, I admire you, and you came to share your solitude?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Tactful Dancer. Mme. Pavlowa had to pass through

something of an ordeal during her recent visit to Russia. After a liberty. He examined all the devices formance at St. Petersburg she was that were arranged to prevent escape called to the imperial box and the czar asked her why she had ceased to The Countess Rosiny noticed the live in Russia. But the dancer was change that had come over the cheva- equal to the occasion. She intered lier and one evening she began to talk into an animated description of the about the moon and stars, saying that beauties of her new London home. spring was at the door. The chevalier and especially of her pet swans, pisbe expected to enjoy the delights of "Tell me, chevaller, are you of travel and who even at that moment stone? Have you no human feelings were pining for the return of their mistress. The czar listened with "I certainly have, countess; indeed, amusement and made a virtue of necessity when he gave his permission "Haven't you felt happier since I to the great dancer to live where and how she pleased so long as she



there will be a literary programme. The Count von Werdenstein paced Later there will be horse races for the room impatiently. Suddenly he

juveniles.

for Klamath Falls seems assured, as a fected but little damage. Thousands Washington dispatch says that the supervising architect of the treasury and stack when the big storm broke,

the nops to a considerable extent. If The countess is conceded that picking was started a week early in this section, and the product is now in much better condi-tion than before the rains.

Fruit Cooled Before Shipment.

Threshing is Resumed. Hillsboro.-Threshing was resumed

after a new record and says she will endeavor to cut the 50 cents a week margin by a few cents. Local trades-men are praying that Miss Loewis

the Star Mountain project will stimu-late filings upon much of the lands recently opened for entry in the form- "Chevalier di Lee er petroleum reserve and the Harper reservoir reserve, since a large area of this land will be under the Star "It is very valuable, your excellen-Mountain reservoir.

Scheme is Promised.

Sandy-Arrangements have been sider any offer I may make?"

Sandy Fair is Arranged. Girl Cuts Living Cost. Ithaca, N. Y.-Miss Clara Loewis, the feat accomplished last week by 15-vear-old Cecil Froman, son of Grant its will be placed in Meining's hall. completed for a district fair in this