

will be a day or two late in reaching New York. Goldfield mineowners have asked the government to dissolve the Western Foderation of Miners and prosecute it as treascouble.

not guilty.

Liquor men propose to fight river and

DAINYMEN MEET.

Furiland-The most important meet-Bristol, if the tangle in Wa-blogton is in a condition to be unraveled by Hen-iey. The day set by Judge Wolverton yesterday for beginning the trials is January 13. This will give Heney about three weeks in Portland, pos-sibly longer. After the trials of Hall and Hermann, he will return to San

The convention was called to order Stockmen rejoice at the change

did not deny that he would look into it ardson, of the Commercial club, welsimilar tangle early in 1906, when ing to the adaress of welcome President Senator Fulton was fighting confirma- Judd thanked the Commercial club for

Papers were read by prominent dairymen and others from all parts of

the state. WANT BRAND ON ALL SHODDY

Woolgrowers Working for Protection

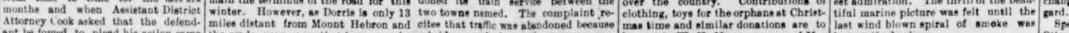
was to prosecute Hermann in the letter association, the secretary has sent to

earthquake caused him to hurry to his request for an act compelling the brand- warehouses of the Albany Farmers' family in that city. The Hermann ing of manufactured goods and clothing, company, situated at Albany. Tallman (f \$14,077,989. The surplus of the the people who watched it a spectacle trial in Washington went over, on con- the object being to protect the public and Tangent, and in addition to carry-

on, says Heney, by "influences," but from frauds, counterfeits and adulterations of all kinds.

the California Northeastern railway tric railroads. San Francisco, Dec. 18. - Ate Ruef, and states that the 950 men now at yesterday before Judge Dunne, pleaded work for Ericson & Peterson, the con-not guilty to the indictment jointly tractors, are doing more work than the charging him with Jerry Dinan, ex-

charge against Ruef has been continued completed, and Mount Hebron may re- because the Southern Pacific has aban- merce and kindred organizations all turn from the cape called out the warm- a very short space of time marvelously from time to time for the last six main the terminus of the road for this doned its train service between the over the country. Contributions of est admiration. The thrill of the beau- changed public sentiment in that re-



**OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST** 

GRA GES FURESI BOUNDANIES

Successful Two-Day Convention Held Department Heeds Demands of John Dap Stockmen. in Portland

John Day-Cy J. Bingnam

New Road Is Under Way Grants Pars-The government making good progress under the direct

picture of the 'holy saint.' " prolific of the best marketable pine. When this work has been completed, verted to the school fund, thus increas-What It Costs to Conduct Affairs of priated to be used in developing the highway, and it is expected that congress will set aside \$5,000 more to be used on this project.

Another Mill for Albany.

# Albany-Albany is to have another total \$103.385.000, while the expendi-

fourmill. In the next few weeks a tures will reach \$103,203.842, leaving plant with a capacity of 50 barrels a an estimated surplus of \$181,158. The day will be established by E. A. John- total increase of this year's budget is Farmers' company. The two men have

Indorses Uniform Accounting.

Salem-Upon telegraphic inquiry the the coming year in Mexico, in that inacquitted in Portland. The trial, he Another resolution passed at the same Oregon Railroad commission has wired vestments would be curtailed. Inter- old enough to have smelled powder or time calls for the retention of the import its indorsement of the action of the re-The evidence and the witnesses will be meat animals, with the ob- missioners and representatives of some ed that in the end it would work for years ago in the history of nations. All ject of continuing the present prosper- of the most important electric railway good rather than evil.

> ington, D. C., Novembe 22 in deciding to present to congress the necessity of cooperation of the Interstate Commerce Committe Taking Contributions to Be

Klamath Falls,-J. D. Church, as. commission with the state railway comsistant engineer of the Southern Pa. missions looking to the adoption of a



mountain district, who had never their immaculate dressings of peace, beard of Roosevelt, what picture he started away yesterday under the day had in his tent. He at once told me zling sun of a cloudless winter sky, on that it was one of St. Peter-without their famous twin sea expedition of the beard and with specs on. Curlous 14,000 miles along foreign abores and proposed measure. superpvision of the local forestry serve to see such a picture, I went to the hut in changing climes to the west coast of ice, in extending a read down Rogue and found that it was a chromo of the in changing climes to the west coast of river into Carry county. This particular stretch of the United States. The president of the United States. The solution of the united States of the United States of the United States. man assured me that he had the best of velt, on the bridge of his cruiser-yacht, the members of the banking committee

> uificent four-mile line of fighting vessels during first stage of the voyage From the anchorage grounds in Hampton Roads to the Horeshoe bend of Chesapeake bay his eagle-crested flag of blue pointed the way to the fleet's new

home at the Golden Gate. Then, when Mexico City, Dec. 17 .- In congress the wide reaches of the sea were visible gesterday the report of the minister of through the wide-swung capes of Virfinance was read and the budget for the ginia, he turned aside and, coming to coming year was made public. The esanchor again, reviewed the passing timated receipts for the coming year pageant.

The blue of the sky, the stretch of green sea miles, the glistening of spotless hulls, the curl of foam-crested bow waves, the cheering of salors afloat and friends ashore, the breeze-blown strains

The revenues for the fiscal year just consummated the purchase of the three ended total \$114.062,000, the expendi- the boom of saluting cannon marked ruffle of drums, the flash of signals and tures \$100 208,132, leaving a surplus the departure of the fleet, presenting to previous year, \$29.049,081, and the they will never forget and to the world falling off of the past year, was due to at large the reality of the trimmest, large sums spent in public works-\$17. most homogeneous, most thoroughly 208,608. Minister Limanteur main- equipped, most mobile and selfreliant tained that the recent crists in the assemblage of first class battleships ever

United States would make itself felt in gathered in one command. There will not be a ship in the line were modern of design, examples of the aggressive seagoing navy which the president has declared to be so essen-

tial to the peace of the country. Attaches of foreign legations and em-

bassies at Washington and many correspondents who have seen war service on foreign journals freely declared that

permanent relief committee, headed by yesterday's naval display was the most chief of police, with conspiracy. The mer. The grade between Bray and the and Shelourn, in Linn county, have gan, today prepared an appear to that is being sent to chambers of com which was maintained to the southward large on the public mind, and it has in

Speaking before the Canadian club at a bridge washed out about a year ago. be sent to W. H. Moore, mayor of Mo- lost on the horizon. Ottawa, J. S. Ewart, K. C., of Toronto. The first part of the fleet's journey predicted that Canada would yet fill an order the railroad company to renew tee, looking after the temporary wants will bring it to Trinidad on Christmas independent position in the world. eve, and there, amid the heat of the Then she would pursue either one of The appeal says that fully 250 wid- tropics, the Christmas celebrations will three courses-a union with the United ows and 1,000 children are left without be held. Hundreds of good-bye tele- States as an independent republic, a any means of support. As near as can grams were flashed to the ships by union with Great Britain as an indebe determined. \$50,000 from all sources wireless telegraph as they left the road- pendent monarchy with her own sovhas been subscribed. The committee stead and had turned down the southereign, or an independent monarchy with allegiance to the British sovereign. feels that a total of \$200,000 will be re- ern coast. These vessels made up the fleet which Canadian opposition against the imquired to carry on the relief work. All checks should be made payable to the sailed yesterday under command of Monongah Mines Relief committee, J. Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans: perial government was directed not against the king, but against the colo-Connecticut, 16,000 tons; Louislana, nial secretary, who is generally ignor-E. Sands, treasurer, Fairmont, W. Va. 16,000 tons; Kansas, 16,000 tons; Ver- ant of colonial matters. mont, 16,000 tons; Georgia, 14,948 tons; Virginia, 14,948 tons; New Jer-Long List Yet to Harg. ephone message from Santa Maria, 50 sey, 14,948 tons; Rhode Island, 14,948 St. Petersburg, Dec. 16 - The authomiles north of here, brought the infor-mation this afternoon that the Union tons; Minnesota, 16,000 tons; Ohio, 12,500 tons; Maine, 12,500 tons; Misrities have just completed their investi-Albany-Linn county school children slon has turned down the proposition re taking great interest in the new to give to give the new to give th been inclined to do so, as he had pleaded guilty to the extortion charge and Judge Dunne had declared that he would never allow the ex-boss to escape without a sentence. which was begun this fall. No experi- has fallen off in the past five years, without a sentence. ned to flow at the rate of 7,000 harrels county, but in the seventh and eighth from there, have in a petition for a real of the diversion of the custom house who was cashier of the custom house who was

WILL DO NO HING

#### mall Chance Congress Will Reform Currency

Washington, Dec. 16 .- It can be stated on the highest authority that if the subcommittee of the house committee on banking and currency now dealing with the subject can have its way no effort will be made by the present congress to adopt legislation remedial of the present financial condition. All the energies of that committee will be directed to ar I the framing and passage of laws more general in character and which will be intended to preclude shrinkage of the circulation, entailing widespread financial distress.

The subcommittee held a four hours onference t day with its chairman, Representative Fowler, of New Jeresy, a which the bill which the subcommittee has undertaken to draft was earnestly discussed. I u no decision as to its precise character and scope was reached. It is not likely the subcommittee will be ready to report on the bill until after the holidays. Men high in the world of finance will be given an opportunity to appear before the committee to present their views on the

Much time will be spent in both the house and senate in considering the bill when reported, and it is the hope of good fortune since he had obtained the the Mayflower, personally led the mag- that the finances of the country will have so adjusted themselves by that time that there will be no nec-saity for legislation looking to the correction of present conditions.

WOMEN IN TERROR.

Afraid for Their Lives Until Troops Arrived in Golafield.

Goldfield, Nev., Dec. 16 .- Delegations from the Woman's club, of Goldfield, and from the chamber of commerce, Merchants' association and Mining exchange called on General Funston this afternoon to acquaint him further with the conditions which have prevailof "Auid Lang Syne," floating across the waters, the blare of trumpets, the of the United States troops and the siternor Sparks' dispatch to Washin, ton asking that troops be sent here. The visit of these delegations doubtless was because of the efforts that are constantly being made to have the troops recalled.

General Funsion said, after the conferences were over, that the statements were a revelation, especially those made by the women, who are wives of prominent citizens of Goldfield. The statements, he said, showed that for days the women of Goldfield had lived in a sta e of constant terror, until the coming of the troops though no instances of anything more than trivial annovances were cited.

MAKE CANADA INDEPENDENT

Destiny is Union With United States or Monarchial Independence

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 16 .- The inde-

tific, has just returned from the end of uniform system of accounting for elec-Fairmont, W. Va., Dec. 17 .- The and states that the 350 men now at work for Ericeson & Peterson, the con-tractors, are doing more work than the 1,100 men they were working last sum- and shippers resizing teiween Tallman mer. The grade between Bray and the and Shelburn, in Ilnn county, have gah, today prepared an appeal for funds formation, and the perfect alignment idea of Canada as a nation is looming

cited as an example that it is right for ings of the old company.

Men Do More Work.

harbor appropriations by congress for They say two-thirds of the dry states. national revenue is derived from the ever, made no effort to block the proseliquor basiness.

England has just been visited by a severs storm.

The Colorado State bank, of Durango, has suspended.

The revolutionary agitation is growing in Portugal.

The Yaqui Indians are again on the warpath in Mexico.

The National Bank of Commerce, of Kansas City, will reopen.

Japan and Russia have combined to freeze China ont of Manchuria.

The bridal gifts of Marshall Field's daughter were stolen in England.

The peace conference of the Central

a lopting the kilt as a regular wearing without a sentence. aprmral.

The East has just exeptienced a great storm. Heavy snow fell and many wires are down.

Premiums are being offered for the clubs, industrial bureaus, merchants' new gold pieces without the motto "In leagues and boards of trade of Minne- than in any other branch. God We Trust." convention on January 16 in St. Paul,

A petition to allow women to vote nunicipal affairs in Paris was greet. at which there organizations will feded with laughter by the council.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs and river improvement. It has become Lempp says Indians are losing millions yearly in timber lands.

A house-to-house canvass at Monongah, W. Va., shows 18 still missing as a result of the mine disaster.

Plans are complete for re-organizing the Merchants' National bank at Portby the United States against the soland and it is expected to open soon.

District Attorney Langdon, of San terday before Judge Archbold in the Francisco, also admits that the evidence United States Circuit court. In its houn.

General Funston finds the Goldfield situation serious.

The American Can company has control of the Pacific coast, having absorbed the United Can company, of San porations. Francisco.

D. L. Anderson, president of the Fooehow university, who has just returned to this country, says China is National Cooperative congress, which on the eve of a bloody revolution that was organized about a year ago at a made at the state normal school here

Goldfield mineowners have with-drawn their new scale and opened nego. ship. The reports show that the op- which maintain Abstract company, tiations with the American Federation operative movement among the farmers Mediord and will open one at Jacksonthe Western Federation of Miners.

The campaign against rate is being kept up vigorously in San Francisco.

The Michigan state treasurer is to be removed for putting funds in a rotten bank.

plead his action came the grade very easy, that town may at a surprise. Ruef's attorneys, how- the terminus. cution, and when the clerk of the court Boys Construct Wireless.

demanded his plea, Ruef in a low voice Astoria-Astoria has a new wireless replied, in conjunction with Dinan, telegraph station that was built by school boys, and while it is crude in Dioan also pleaded not guilty to the its construction, it works successfully. Important meeting of the Lane County indictment charging him with perjury. The lads knew nothing of the system Horticultural society with the officers

Both cases were then continued until except what they gleaned from reading of the State Hortleultural society, in next Monday to be set for trial. descriptions of various plants in maga- Eugene, the first week in January. That Ruef is to feel the weight of the iznes. In constructing their plant, President W. K. Newel and Secretar hig stick for his refusal to testify in the they trimmed all the limbs from a tree H. M. Williamson, of the state board, United Railroads cases, is now prac- on the hill and strung wires from its will be here to address the meeting. tically certain. When his testimony top to an old house in the vicinity. As and there will be some members of the was wanted most, during the two trials yet they have no sending instrument, faculty from the Agricultural college m

of Tirey L. Ford, he refused to go on but they are able to intercept messages attendance. the stand to tell what he knew, unless from North Head. the prosecution granted immunity. This demand it was impossible for the

prosecution to grant, even had they American republies has been concluded. and Judge Dunne had declared that he which was begun this fail. No experi- has fallen off in the past five years, ned to flow at the rate of 7,000 harrels and to flow at the rate of 7,000 harrels and be the second part of the second part of

erate for an active campaign for the

needed deepening of the upper river.

Hearing in Powder Trust Case.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 14 .- The first

searing in the suit recently instituted

Strikebreakers at Goldfield.

grades in all the schools of the county station. Work for Deep River. one recitation each day is required in St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 18 .- "Six feet an agricultural text book. Reports reof water from St. Paul to St. Louis,"

ceived by County School Superintendwill be the slogan of 350 commercial ent Jackson state that probably greater interest is manifested in this study @83c; valley, 80@81c; red, 78@79c. sota, which will send delegates to a

## Water Reaches Hermiston.

rolled, \$30. Hermiston-Water in the distribut-Corn-Whole, \$32; eracked, \$33. ing system of the government project and river improvement. It has become the A line heralded the coming of ver, \$15; cheat, \$15; grain hay, \$15@ obvious that nothing but concerted ac- water for irrigation next season and \$16; alfalfa, \$15; vetch, \$14. tion can bring about the imperatively activities under the Umatilla govern- Butter-Fancy creamery, 35@37%c ment reelamation project are under full per pound. headway. The water traversed the big Veal-75 to 125 pounds, 816@9c

feed canal a distance of 26 miles to the 125 to 150 pounda, 7e; 150 to 200 reservoir gate, where it was turned pounds, 5(66 %c. through what is known as the by-pass into the distributing system of ditches. 6140; packers, 6@6340.

called powder trust came up here yes-November Ideal Month.

Burns-November was a month of spring chickens, 120; roosters, Sc. complaint the government alleges the ideal fall weather in Harney. There existence of an agreement or combinawere two flurries of snow, on November tion to monopolize interstate and for- 16 and 23, but they were followed by eign commerce in the shipment and pleasant sunshine and the snow disap- pigeons, \$1@1.50; squabs, \$2%3sale of gunpowder and other high er- peared in a few days. There has been The defendants include a a great deal of fail plowing done and 37 140 per dozen. large number of individuals and cor- the amount of winter wheat sown this

year is double that of any year in the peaches, 750001 per crate; pears, \$1.25 history of the country. Farmers' Co-operative Congress. Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 18 .- The B. F. Mulkey Has Resigned.

will mark her entrance into the parilis- meeting held in Topeka, beagn its an- that President B. F Mulkey would rement of the world as a power to be reakoned with. is made up principally of farmers' or- and will engage in the law and abstract number of the world as a power to be is made up principally of farmers' or- and will engage in the law and abstract number of the law and abstract num ganizations, though other co-operative business at Jacksonville as a partner in pers, 8(217c per pound; pamkpins, the Jackson County Abstract company, business, 8(217c per pound; pamkpins, 20c per c

ship. The reports show that the co-operative movement among the farmers Medford and will open one at Jackson. <sup>11</sup>dc per pound; radishes, 200 per solute, 80 en; spinach, 8c per pound; sprouts, 8c

Timber Made to Pay Tax.

Goldfield, Dec. 18.—The first con-signment of the strikebreakers, consist-close to \$13,000,000. The figures were Hops-1907 ing of 45 men, arrived here today with- made public by County Assessor Nelout the least bit of demonstration. The son, who has made an increase of shout

per barrel.

The farmers want the commission to nongsh, and chairman of the committhe service. of the victims.

Fruit Meeting in Eugene.

No Depot for Suver.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Oats-No. 1 white, \$28: gray, \$28.

Barley-Feed, \$27.50; brewing, \$31;

Pork-Block, 75 to 150 pounde, 6@

Poultry-Average old hens, 11@12

per pound; mixed chickens, 11c;

dressed chickens, 12(213c; turkeys,

live, 15c; dressed, choice, 176619c

Eags-Fresh ranch, candled, 35@

Fruits-Apples, 75c@\$2 per box;

Vegetables-Turnips, 75c per sack;

carrots, 65c per sack; beets, \$1 per

geese, live, Scale; ducks, 1256@13 %c;

Wheat-Club, socaste; bluestem, 82

Eugene-Plans are under way for an

Rich OI Strike.

MEXICO'S ANNUAL EXPENSE

Southern Republic.

RELIEF FOR VICTIMS.

Sent to Monongs.

This is the second largest gusher ever struck in California. The largest was a 10,000-barrel well, but it has since declined considerably.

### New Use of Epsom Salts.

New York, Dec. 17 .- Announcement received by the newspapers of Tokio or of the discovery of the new anaesthetic, by the government officials. All public according to the American today, will men who have been interviewed by the the defunct Milwaukee Avenue State soon be made by the Rockefeller Insti- Associated Press representative accept bank were freed today when Judge tute for Medical Research. The new the sailing of the fleet as a foregone Windes held that the statute under anaesthetic is nothing else than plain, conculsion and it is not likely that the which they had been indicted is unconcommon salts, or, to give it its scientific actual start will cause the slightest rip- stitutional. Michael A. Labuy, Josh name, sulphate of magnesia. It was ple of excitement. Everyone accepts Lister, Marcus Kirkeby, Frank R. discovered by Dr. Samuel J. Meltzzer, the assurances of friendship offered by Crane and E. L. Johnson are the men America concedes the right of that na- who profit by the decision. Paul O. Its greatest value is that it permits any tion to send its warships to the Pacific. Stensland, president of the bank, and

anything that will take me out of the fifth or the sixth right entrance. @1.75 per box; cranberries, \$9.50@12

race for senator."

#### Fiat Money Saves Life.

San Rafael, Cal., Dec. 17 .- Stewart Fairbanks, Alaska, says: Dunbar, a prominent insurance broker Washington-Alaska and First National per dozen; pers, lle per pound; pepand used it for a danger signal

Forty Lives Lost. London, Dec. 17 .- The gale along

All Oulet in Japan. Tokio, Dec. 17 .- The announcement

of the sailing of the Atlantic fleet of with \$193,000. the United States navy has not been

> Chicago, Dec. 16 .- Five directors of Henry Herring, cashler, who were found guilty of embezzlement and are

Another Mine Explosion. Yolande, Ala., Dec. 17 .- A disas- now serving terms in the sate prison, trons explosion took place in mine No. will not be affected by the decision

1 of the Yolande Coal & Coke company

Today the

Agree on Incorporation. Santa Rosa, Cal., Dec. 16 .- Articles hopgrowers of California, Oregon and other states. I do not intend to do known to have occurred in either the growers of those states, and, when such organization is effected, 10 of the 15. directors are to resign and give place to

proceeding in a carriage from the sub-

treasury. They wrecked the vehicle with a bomb and made their escape

Bankers Go Scot Free.

five from each of the states mentioned.

### Buy Ties in Hawaii

Los Angeles, Dec. 16 .- The Santa Fe of Honolulu, while on his way to meet bank of Fairbanks will go on a clearing Railroad company has just contracted a party of friends last night, fell house basis. Only \$50 a day with- for 5,000,000 road ties in Hawaii, the a party through a cattle guard on the narrow drawal will be allowed each depositor. biggest contract ever let for such mategauge tracks of the Northwestern Paci- A committee of depositors representing rial to be shipped by water. The shipgauge tracks of the Northwestern that the Fairbanks Banking company, which ments may result in the establishment he would have been crushed to death recently closed its dcors, reported today of a freight steamship line between San beneath an approaching handcar had he that the assets exceeded the liabilities Pedro and Honolula. The Southern not ignited a clearing house certifiate by \$354,815 and the bank will probably Pacific may also place similar orders in open on a clearing house basis soon. Hawall.

Gold Movement \$105,350,000.

Short of Cash in Alaska.

Seattle, Dec. 17 .- A special from

New York, Dec. 17 .- The Guarantee ank. The great fleet of warships is all eady to start on its voyage to the Pa-ine. The great fleet of warships is all eady to start on its voyage to the Pa-ine. The great fleet of the fleet of to the monstration. The son, who has made an increase of sbont year. This increase is all on the prop-time. This increase is all on the prop-time. The standa. The standa on tim-time. The standa. the British coast on Friday and Satur- Trust company today announced the a jury in the Probate court today on an

Old Suit Cleared Up. St. Louis, Dec. 16 .- The decision of

per pound; squash, 16114c per pound;

omatoes, \$1.50 per box. Onions-\$1.75@2 per hundred. Potatoes\_506665c per hundred, de

livered Portland; sweet potstoes, \$2.50

Hops-1907, 5@7e per pound; olds

sort of operation without any danger to

Still in Race for Senate.

the heart of the patient, as is the case with other anaesthetics. St. Paul, Dec. 17 .- A special from at 10:25 o'clock this morning. It is

Des Doines, Iows, says that Governor impossible to tell at this hour how Cummins, of Iowa, referring to his sug- many are dead as a result of the explo- of incorporation and by-laws of the Pagested candidacy for the Republican sion, the estimates varying all the way cific Coast Hopgrowers' union, the purpresidential nomination, said: "I have from 40 to 60. The work of rescue has pose of which is the combination of no thought of surrendering my candi- been extremely slow because of the dedacy for United States senator. The bris in the mines and the large crowd Washington, were adopted here today. suggestion about the presidency is new of women, children and sightseers at A committee was also named to visit here, although I have heard about it in the opening. The explosion is now Oregon and Washington to organize

Hay-Valley timothy, No. 1, \$16;