Less and no more." SUBSCRIPTION RATES: tiue year. Hax months Three months "Invariably in mivance.) WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9, 1908.

The New Irrigation Code.

State Engineer Lewis, the expresirrigation code.

A few of the main features of Mr. Bryant's bill are contained in the statement-

That the waters of the state belong to the people of the state and can be used inder certain restrictions for beneficial one purposes become appuritenent to the land; that waters appropriated for irriga-tion purposes become appuritenent to the land; that waterpower permits given by the staty to individuals or corporations should be limited to periods of 25 years, and that annual fees to be fixed by the emblature should be charged for the me I power by corporations developing it: that all waterpower corporations should te specially incorporated, and that ne corporation shall be allowed to make ap-Heation for a second powar site until it has developed the site already held by it is a grant from the state, that full state ments of the construction and labor of ill power plants shall be filed with the state engineer upon the completion of iny project, and that the state shall recrve the right to buy, lease or condemn any works at the expiration of the term any works at the expiration of the term of the franchise or before that time, and that the state shall have the right and power to regulate the cost of heat, light or power used by the state or by any inreported city or town."

The feature of the bill that provides for a limit of 25 years to waterpower franchises is most important, as is also the provision resquiring that annual fees be paid to the use of the state's water power. Competent engineers estimate that would, in a few years, pay by far the larger part of state expenses. and would thus lessen the burden of takation, practically doing away should they not receive compensafloh for its use ?

There are a number of other very fruit were disposed of. important features that the new code should contain, such as a proper administrative system, and

"For every man a square deal, no Chamberlain called on the president him and his helpers last week at the White House last Saturday, at that time would not have im-

tor. That's the manner in which the

Mr. J. C. Bryant, representative- looks upon the situation in Oregon. birthdays and that each year be elect from Multhomah county, is He says the "people of Oregon" working on a draft of a bill for a have expressed their choice for sennew irrigation code for Oregon. He ator. And the president is correct. s working in line with the ideas of There never was a greater bunco game than the attempt now being sion of the Oregon state grange, made in Oregon to have it appear and the plans of the Oregon com- that Chamberlain is not the choice mission for the conservation of the of a majority of the people of the natural resources of the state. If state for senator; and thus by mak the ideas of these men and organ- ing it so appear, to defeat him be rations are incorporated in a bill, fore the legislature. This dishonit ought to give Oregon a very good orable game is being played by a few old-time politicians who havebeen put out of business by Orc-

gon's primary law and other advanced statutes, and by a few 'party" newspapers who can not or will not see the trend in Oregon away from machine politics and toward cleaner and better government.

If ever there was a bunco game, the anti-Statement No. 1 politicians are playing it.

A GREAT SUCCESS.

A. M. Lara's First Anniversary Opening Takes Well with the Public.

That the people of Bend appreriate aggressiveness and enterprise in their merchants was shown to a marked degree by the crowds that attended the First Anniversary and Opening of A. M. Lara's Big Store on the Corner. All Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons of last week the store was crowded with people. Everybody had a good time and no social or entertainment has ever been given in the county

which afforded more pleasure. The "clean store," as Mr. Lara the state by power companies for calls it, surely lived up to its name. Everything was spotless. To add to this, hundreds of red Christmabells were hung from the ceiling in a settail yearly rental paid to the different designs, and red crepe state for each horsepower developed paper streamers draped along the shelf ledges and standards made the store beautitul. Dainty refreshments were served in a prettily decorated booth of white and red. of taxation, practically doing away Coffee, sandwiches, cake and frum with it. The waterpower of the were given to all. That these were state belongs to the people and why enjoyed by the people who attended is shown by the fact that nearly a thousand sandwiches and a dozer cakes to say nothing of cookies and

The store was well stocked with Christmas goods. The display was very tasteful and embraced presentthe right of individuals to condemn cept the children. Mr. Lara was or every member of the family ex-

THE BEND BULLETIN temp's to thwart what the people of veryes all the praise and congratuthe state want? When Governor lations that were showered upon

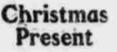
> President Roosevelt extended his agined himself in a place oo miles hand and said: "I am glad to see from a railroad and in a conners you, Governor Chamberlain, and where things are supposed to be senator-to be. The people of Ore rough and behind the times. Bend may be a long way from the railgon have expressed their choice for road but the people are far from besenator. I stand by the will of the hind the times. They know what people, and I am for you for sena- good things are and appreciate them. Openings may be new in the country but not to the people They all expressed the desire that great mind of President Roosevelt the store celebrate many more more prosperous than the one before. The Bulletin does likewise

that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of 40 years of cures.—C. W. MERUH.L. Druggist.

office, two sizes, 312 and 6 inches



mas gifts, why not make one or two that will be of lasting orth and benefit? It only costs a ittle now and then to buy a few ieces of neat, handsome and useful furniture, and how much better and how much more comfortable the home will be. And this is just he time of the year to do it. Make



of some useful piece of furnituresay, one of our handsome new dinAsk your grocer for the 3 or 5 lb. cans. They have the screw tops with metal handles Are useful when empty.



ounded by proper restrictions. However, these provisions will unnoubtedly be given proper attension by those having the bill in hand.

There will be no measure of more importance before the coming legislature than this one of a modern itrigation code for Oregon. Such a law is of vital importance to the entire state, and especially to Eastern and Central Oregon where irrigation is destined to play so important a part. Every citizen should keep in close touch with the progress of this movement, and should bring all the pressure possible to bear on his senator and representatives in the demand for a modern irrigation rode. There will be strenuous opposition from waterpower interests. They succeeded in defeating a like bill at the preceding session of the legislature. They must not be allowed to do so again.

Who Plays the Bunco Game?

Now that President Roosevelt has come out openly in favor of Governor Chamberlain as senator, la it not about time for those misguided and mistaken anti-Statement No. 1 individuals to cease their at-

til this week.

When it is considered that Mr. Lara has only managed the store for one year and has built it up from a run-down store, in the hands of a receiver, to one of the best stocked and cleanest stores in Crook

county, it is certain that he de-

TCHING SCALD DANDRUFF AND TALUNG HAIR O are but outward signs of the evil are but outward signs of the evil done in secret by myrinds of dan-druff germs sapping the life blood of the hair. Micro kills the para-site, soothes the litching scalp, gives lastre to the hair and stops it falling out. A single application gives relief and proves its worth. Save your hair before too late. Micro prevents baldness. It is a delightful dressing for the hair, free from grease and sticky oils. Ask your druggist for tree booklet. Ask your druggist for free booklet. HOYT CHEMICAL CO.