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Charge of Recelving Rebates Not Proven by Giovernment．

ATTORNEYS ARE DISHEARTENED

Jury Aequits by Order of Judge－D Conviction Impossible．

Chicage，March 10．－＂Not guitty．＂ in the government＇s famous suit against the Standard Oil company of Indiana． The suit wheroin the defendant com－ pany at one time faced a fine of $\$ 29$, －
240,000 at the hands of Judge Landis 240,000 at the hands of Judge Landis
on a charge of having aceepted rebates
from the Chicago \＆Alton railroad， on a charge of having aceepted rebates
from the Chicago A Aton railroad，
came to an end abruptly．Judge An－
derson，before whom the case was brought after reversal by the Unit
States Court of Appeals，instrueted the
jury to find avericet of not guilty．
Jodge Anderson＇s decition was Jury
Jodge Anderson＇s decision was n
altogether unlooked for，be having prom lied upon at the first trial was incom petent and it was with something of
an air of hopelessess that District Attorney Simas and his assiatants
cempted to show the admissibility the Illinois clasesification to prove th This was a vital point in the government ney Wikerson admitted that the proe－ ecution could ao and uggrested dis
demmed necenary
mimal．John S．Miller then moved for an instruction Thin was ordered． As to whether prosecution on seven
other indietments atill pending againut the company will be inatituted，Mr stating that this rexted entirely with
the attorney general．

## ＊WOol storage house．

## Growers Form Company an Building at Chicago． Chieago，March 11．－The election of offieers of the Warehoune \＆Storage cotupany，and the laying of the corner cotupany，and the laying of the corner stone of an immense warshoufe，White． When completed，will accommodate 25 ， taken today in a movement to mak this eity the wool center of the worl J．E．Cosgriff，of Rawlins，Wyo whicagosen pree president；R．R．Thomp soon，Chicago，secretary and treaurer． The boilding will  <br> 

## SMALL HOPE IN TENNESSEE． Remaining Standard Cases Despera

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## WIRELESS TELLSOF WOE，

of Appenal for Help From Sea．
Boston，March 12 ．Another tragedy has been revealed to naval
operators at the government wireleas
stationsat Charleston navy yard and stations at Charreston navy yard an
Newport by fragmentary messages re－
ceived through the efber．Whether

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## London，March 12．－Fitteen thoo－ sand square miles of territory has been sand square miles of territory has been added to the British empire by the treaty signed yenterday at Bangkok， Siam，under the terma of which Siam Siam，under the terma of which Siam cedes to Great Britain the nstates of Kalantan，Tringan and Kedah，which hereaterr will be anduinistered with the Malay Federated atates． <br> the <br>   also a gradual aholition of tra territorial rights in Siam．

 Siteris and European Rus the highest latitudes of EuropeanHe intenda to combine the beat and of all climates in a plant which
will withatand the eolideat weather and
which will，it is claimed，make this country the greateat producer of boef
and mutton in the world．

Waracas，Venezuela，March 8，vis government has sent a cable message
to Senor Lorena，the Brazilian minis．
ter here，who is caring for French in tereato，annuoncing the appronching
departure from Frunce for Venemuels， of ex－Preaident Castro，and akking
what action Venezuela，would take in
case he attempted to land．Senor Lorena replied that inamuch as Cenarro
had been criminally indieted in Vene zuele on a charge of conspiring againe
the life of Preaident Gomes，he would
be arrested．


## Life Saves by Wireless． Eureka，Cal，March 12．－The oil oteamer Asuncion，Captain George E． Bridgeth，en route from San Francisco Bridgett，en route from San Francisco th Portand，hove to 100 milies north of here this afternoon and notified the Fort

$\qquad$ hemorroshages，and medical advice was
Again on Visiting Terma．
Vietoria，B．C．，March 12．－News．

Vietoria，B，C，March 12 ．－News
was brought by the steamer Suverie，
which reached pport today，that Japan
was preparing to receive the firat Rus． Was preparing to receive the îrst
sian warhing to resch Japan since the
War．They aro the Korieta and Glyak，
new veseels named after two of the had come from Ruasia，to be followed

## OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST

|  | vernment Will Stock Klamath Res－ ervation With Fine Herd． <br> Klamath Falle－Under what is offici－ known as the McLoughlin agree－ with the Klamath and Modoe In－ which was approved by congrons three years ago，the authorities fers of Durham stock， 2 ahd 3 years <br> If these can be had for division g the Indians to be placed on fine allotmenta it will put them position to realise handsomely this productive addition to their alth．The Klamath reservation its area of over 1,800 maqare is not excelled elsewhere on the at either for meadow lands or up－ d paature． <br> The Mcl．aughlin agreement under ich this purchase is to be made ag； gated $\$ 587,007.20$ ，more than half indemnification for over 600,000 of lands excluded from the reser－ <br> They were to receive a cash ment of $\$ 25,000$ ，which was paid m two years ago，and $\$ 350,000$ was ced in the United States treasury to <br> w 5 per cent interest，this interest <br> y paid annually，Of this deposit y properly signed and ap－ <br> ved petition，draw annually，if they <br> h， 10 per cent of the principal． <br> m the deposit they have drawn in－ $r$ ending June 30,1908 ，drew $\$ 35$ ，－ ，or 10 per cent of the principal． <br> rom the difference between the full <br> of $\$ 537,007.20$ and $\$ 350,000$ de－ <br> It this purchase of esttle will be <br> de，also agrieultural machinery，etc．， hout drawing upon the deposit in <br> treasury which draws interest． |
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## State Treasureer Christlansen Re－

 turns $\$ 70,628$ State Money．CONFESSES，THEN GOES TO JAIL


Paris，March 13 ．－France，like the
United states，is confronted with a big
 M6， 600,000 ．sitution complicates the pro－
Thesal to revise the Frinch tarif ， it already has precipitated in if，anarrel
ietween M ．Calltaux，mind finance，and M．Picard，miniater of
marine，over the innintence of the lat－
tor on large credits to reatore the eff－ ciency of naval material．
Scandaloun corruption in the matter
of contracts revealed lately by $M$ ． of contracts revealed litely by ar．
Pteard hass started the country and
the miniteter of marine has prectically refused to continue in offlie unlesan he
is granted suffleient funds to put the navy in first elass order．
It has been learned that a regular
monopoly existed among the navy con－ tractora，who charged exorbitant price
ind made enormous profta．M． Brouase，a member of the chamber of
depputis，who inveatigated the nay accouna in behalf of the finance comi－
mittee，reports that mailiona have ben
awailowed up without any beneft to the navy．In one case boilera conting
$\$ 150,000$ were purchased for ahipa that
were put out of comminsion before the woilers were furniahed．

Powers Uneasy on Sorvica Berlin，March 18 ．The latest Ser－
vian note，in which that country sete
forth that nhe does not voke war with Austria－Hungary，but
maintaina that the queation of annexe maintaing that the question of annexa－
tion of Bomia and llerzegovina nhould be regulated by the powere，wan de－
livered at the foreign oficee here todyy．
Servia＇s renuneiation of territorial compenantion is regarded offritilly as however，that Servia＇s military pre－
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