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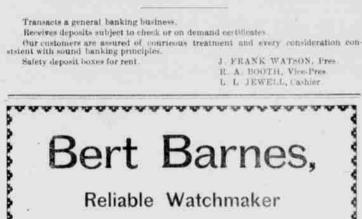
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Canton, China, June 2, 1905. his people. He is decapitating I will give a brief sketch in the ing carried through the streets to the many cities and towns. Courier, of life and conditions here, execution ground where their heads Portland last week passed an orditerest my friends in Grants Pass. nightmare and as I re-enter its nar-row streets, a chill creeps over me when I think what would bappen were I to lose my way. It is hard

in a prison, like subterranean trenches, like tunnels in a mine. The high walls on either side seem to be creeping in upon you and your fear is that you will be crushed between their greasy surfaces The stench in the air is as unbearable as gas. The alleys are full of a is richer in pocket. sallow crowd, some in dingy clothes,

others in gorgeous silk, some with BLACK SAND bare yellow skins. Their shaven beads and grinning teeth strike fear

a hunted thing, from lane to lane. They all stare with curious faces, risings, and of their fiendish cruelty. You are filled with alarm and you

imagine you are imprisoned, as your nerves run up to their highest ten- black sand for values in platinum, sion. You are seized with a great de- gold and other metals, is being insich, tou are before the walls, be- stalled at the Lewis and Clark fair by slightly injured. decked with joss paper, crush you and the United States geological survey the stench stiffes you, or the growing bureau. The tests will be made free streets. There is no sound about the send samples, which should be adpiace like our cities, only a muttering dressed to the Director, U. S. Geomuffled tramp of thousands of padded Lewis and Clark Fair. feet. Nearly every placer mine in South-

during that time I have traveled two- ing whether it contains platinum or thirds of the way around the world other valuable metals many miners and have seen modern civilization have allowed the sand to run off in all its perfection.

able for the past six weeks, smoky, separate the platinum from the black rey Shun, of Canton, thought he profitable results. would bring a change in the condi-There is every indication that

tions of the elements, so he ordered Southern Oregon is quite rich in all forts, in and about the city, to platinum and when once all the constantly fire their guns night and miners learn how to save it this dis- during the Spanish war know what the Buckeye Mining Company, came there was a continual cannonading demand for platinum in electrical and so much water. Cuban diarrhoea is

still death in all instances is better PORTLAND TO HAVE SANE CELEBRATION Passes Ordinance Restricting

> the Use of Dangerous Explosives.

The campaign that has been carried After spending several months in a thousands of people every month for on of late in all sections of the highly civilized country, it made the slightest offense. The day I was country for a same Fourth of July this such a deep impression upon me that in that city I saw 10 poor devils be- year is bringing the desired result in

presuming that the article will in. would be cut off without any cere- nance that will make that city a mony. The people are in terror; comparatively safe place to be in on How wonderful! It seems as a lobbery, piracy and crime have in- the Fourth, and will no doubt greatly

are reached. The streets are corridors profitable asylam. The Imperial phur and saltpeter or any mud cans, troops never molest these bandits, toy cannons, loaded anvils, loaded for they are always well armed and canes, or any giant crackers, Dewey desperate characters, who will fight chasers or fireworks of a similar like demons when attacked. Once nature, or any firecrackers exceeding

in a great while one of the leaders is four inches in length." captured, and it amounts to nothing It further provides "that it shall for he is soon released and the official be unlawful for any person or dealer in the city to sell, expose, or offer for CHARLTON B. PERKINS, sale, or in any manner furnish or dispose of to any resident of the city of Portland, or to any other person for use in the city or to any minor at any SAMPLES WANTED time, any blank cartridge pistol or By U. S. Geological Survey Exed in the former section."

An experimental plant, for testing ingly reckless in firing explosives. state union.

It would be a good move if the at 2 o'clock p. m. in the Opera Vawter were elected the auditing crowds trample you in the muddy of charge and miners are asked to the ordinance governing the sale and dressed by Conrad Krebs of Salem. Grants Pass council would amend House. The meeting will be ad- committee. Most of the time was taken use of toy pistols, giant crackers and Mr. Krebs is at the head of the move- up in the matter of the manageother like dangerous noise producers. ment to organize an Oregon hop- ment of the school as a result of the in an unknown tongue, and the logical Survey Experiment Station. The fear of these deadly missiles growers union and he is holding meet- holding up of the general appropriaand their attendant deafening noises ings in all the hopgrowing districts tion bill which also carries the noris one reason why so many residents of the state, for this purpose. Though mal school appropriations. The It seems like a dream that I have ern Oregon black sand is found in of this city have been opposed to the the notice for the meeting has been funds carried in the bill not being been away from here six months, and more or less quantities and not know- holding of Fourth of July celebrations short yet it is expected that every available, the exact manner of getting

in Gratus Pass. With the day made grower in the Valley will be present at the matter of their management more safe and more enjoyable there and that a union will be organized. took some time to work out. will be greater interest taken here. Hopbuyers have their unions and the ! The board recommended the rewith the tailings. At a few mines a after in getting up celebrations in growers will have to organize too, or election of the present faculty and The weather here has been intoler- systematic effort has been made to this city and instead of the citizens take the consequences of low prices, delegated to the executive committee spending the day out of town, the which the dealers try to force on the authority to continue the school overcast and generally dreary. Vice-roy Shun, of Canton, thought he profitable results. There is another instances with profitable results. There is another instances in the country is the price up on hops to the brewers. There is another instances in the country is the price up on hops to the brewers. pending the release of the general ap-

#### Cuhan Diarrhoea,

### Developing Cobalt Mine.

Dr. W. E. Williams, manager for legislature. day, so during the three nights that I was there, sleep was impossible. I was there, sleep was impossible. I was there, sleep was impossible. I was there added a state of this valuable metal. The I was there added a state of this valuable metal. The I was there added a state of this valuable metal. The I was there added a state of this valuable metal. The I was there added a state of this valuable metal. The I was there added a state of the big pro-the bi resembling the noise to be heard on a other uses is increasing rapidly in battlefield. The air became impreg-recent years, and as a consequence mild attack of cholera. There is one play a danger out of the same mild attack of cholera. There is one play a danger out of the same mild attack of cholera. There is one play a danger out of the same mild attack of cholera. There is one play a danger out of the same mild attack of cholera. There is one play a danger out of the same mild attack of cholera. There is one play a danger out of the same mild attack of cholera. There is one play a danger out of the same mild attack of cholera. natd with a dense smoke and the for the metal is advancing remedy, however, that can always be at first there was only a trace of secretary of State Dunbar says the stifle you. fines from the powder would almost stifle you.
Owing to the present conditions in the "Eist," you hear a great deal about \$21 an once. The government reports show that for the year 1904, there were mined in all the United States 110 onces of platinum. It is quite certain that the possibility of its development, which can only be realized by those which for 1905 will be more than 20 onnees, for 1905 will be more onteres this gainst the whites. Even now in Ganton there are over or the ground and note the gainst the whites. Even now in Canton there are over to the gainst the whites. Even now in Canton there are over of Southern Oregor Towns.
Last year the U. 8. Geological Sur-Towns.

# THE PACE BECOMES HOTTER

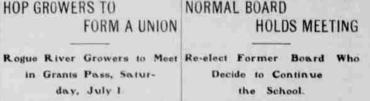
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HOP GROWERS TO



The hopgrowers of Oregon, having At the annual meeting of the board of regents of the Southern Oregon revolver; or any explosives or fire clins of hops to 20 cents from 30 cents State Normal School held in Ashcrackers, the use of which is prohibit- of last winter is due to a condition land last week, election of officers for among the dealers, now propose to the ensuing year was had. The The ordinance was passed to prevent meet this combine with a union of board re-elected the following officers : a repetition of the disturbances made their own, and a general movement is H. C. Kinney, Grants Pass, presi on the streets of that city last Fourth on in all the hop districts to form dent; W. I. Vawter, Medford, viceby men and boys who became exceed- local unions, each to be a post of a president; C. H. Thomas, Ashland, socretary; E. V. Carter, Ashland.

Considerable damage to property re- With this end in view the Rogue treasurer, and F. H. Carter, R. P. snited and several persons were River Valley hopgrowers will hold a Neil and H. C. Kinney, executive meeting in Grants Pass this Saturday committee. John O. Booth and W. L

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whelming pride, and such a very The following are the elevations of false impression of their powers, as a the Rogae River Valley towns and of The United States Geological Surnation, that they now aspire to noth- Steinman, on the summit of the vey bareau is having geologic, topo ing short of becoming the dominant Siskiyou mountains:

power in China. To this end they power in China. To this end they steinman . are secretly working among the Ashland ... Chinese stirring up natred for the Talent white race, using as an argument the Phoenix success of Japan to illustrate the Medford possibilities of China if guided and Central P directed by Jaranese Point directed by Japanese. Woodville

While in Nagasaki, Japan, the other Grants Pass day, I saw many hundred Russian Jacksonville is 1966 feet above the make a special investigation of the soldiers and officers, who were taken level of the sea.

prisoners at Port Arthur and who were awaiting transportation to their came upon me a full realization of F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. will be collected by C. G. Yale

of conflict is quite necessary, which in all business transactions and finan- work will be done in co-operation must come at given periods to bring cially able to carry out any obliga- with the State of Oregon. about certain necessary changes, tions made by his firm, which conditions demand for the betterment of the world; yet one can but deplore the terrible waste of life Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken interdeplore the terrible waste of life and the suffering of the brave during the present terrific comb t in which their respective governments have engaged them. The continuance of this conflict seems to be necessary for the cleansing of much corruption in

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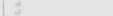
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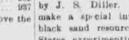
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I believe the evils of war and stress and believe him perfectly honorable the vicinity of Baker City. This

Wholesaie Druggists, Toledo, O. E. N. Smith and others.

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