R. Koehler, who at one time practic-
ally run the Southern Pacifc in Oregon,
is now purchasing agent for the road
He is a valuable man for the rond in He is a valuable man for the
any capacity. A mention of Polk county without
referring to its Angora gats and hei
mohair does an injustice to the ontir civilized world, and the paper or pe Polk county jump upon them But for theso peace negotiation
most people would have forgotten th there was a Portsmouth, N. H. They
probably wanted some place to meet, be no danger of disturbance from th outeide world. Everybody is taking it for granted
that the peace negotiations between
Russia and Japan will fail. The DEmocras made that sta:ement at the very
first mention of it. At the same time first mention of it. At the same time
the commissoion might fool the people gested that in case there is failure the
President may head a movement to provide for peace. A great idea, but
it is doubtful if it would have much Mr. Harriman promised that the Columbia sou proper thing for a big syn-
This is the proped road ia needed badly
dicate to do. A along the eastern side of the Cascade
mountains. One is certainly needed mountains. One er degree one is needed from this side conuty and forming a junction with the road from the north, going thence east
to the state's boundry line, forming part of a trasscontinental line. It will be ple if it at least reaches Crook county connection with buiness of that part of the state. It is in order for the
rairoad men to make us a definite
promise in connection with the projet We are in receipt of a copy of The
Western Lady, which is a souvenir Western Lady, which is a souvenir
edition of the Lewis and Clark Fair, 2000 inches of illustrations regarding finest thing we have seen of the Exposition. The Western Lndy is an il
lustrated magazine published at Port land, Ore, at 50 cents per year, and is
everything the name implies, having neer experiences, fashions, household recipes, and nunerous other depart-
ments all ably edited aud all pertaining to mengents by which we will sive all our subscribers, who pay a year in ad-
vance, a yoar's subscription free to this


The "Dip of Denth" has been de "Dashing down an inclino at $\$ 100$ a
second L'Auto-Bolide plunged into the dip of death with the same abandon
and indifference the girl would exhibil in munching a fromage de bri sandwich
Her act, described as the incarration ity, audaciously appealing, pecricss and
perilous in ita headlong, topsy-tury peringe, 'perfectly and prottily per
formed.' was a thriller through an announcect, 'as an emotional exploit in
defiance of all natural law.' From the serious viewpoint the "Dipof Death"
ono of the most nulacious aots ove The operator takes her life in he hands or in her nutt car, when sh
mounts to the top and on an inclin which must be 6 degrees of the are of
a circle, planges down and trusts
the arrangement of powerful clutche the arrangement of powerful clutch
to hold the car in place until it ha
turned, reversed and is freed from governing guides. The momentum
so tremendous that tho strain on clatehes on the car in place bofore
turns upside down, must represent holding power of tens of thousands of
pounds. The alipping of one tooth in cog would mean nothing but the flying
off of the heavy automotile at a tan gent and-." But the Barnum
Bailey Showa presenta only the Bailcy Showa presenta only the possi
bilities, rarely the realization of dis aster. Leaving the flight of LAMuto
Bolide aside, there is an net dessribed as the quadruplo paradox, in which
Les Freses Ancillotti have a fearful frolic and frightful fight with fate,
without losing a singlo letter of the alphabet. These Frenchmen descended
from the oldest and most fammas famm ily of arobats, who recived a regular
stipend from Louis XIV., dash down an stipend ine on bicycles, turn upaide down,
incth
leap a chasm flled with nothing bucap a chasm flled with nothing bur
uperheated nir, and smash into a narrow path of wood, and thence to th
tan bark. Both these massive act can only be seen with tho Barnum
Bailoy Greateas Shows on Earth, as th Bailoy Greatest Shows on Earth, as th
patent rightararoowned by that fir
The ahow will be here on Aug. 24. Henry Blakely and Mr. Wolle doo:
ow, from Brownsvills thit morminz o
businees trip.
 n adventure as to go West.
now it is with a feeling of pleasure inar away countries come to our land.
Ind the visitors to the great Centen nial the vish is is in progress and which is a
elebration of this wonderful discovery, wonder and ask why so many aeras of
ertile soil are uncultivated, wiy so soing to waste, why so many millio
ceet of valanble timber aro untouched Why the great mineral belts are unde-
veloped. The answer to these queries all the wants of man in suich a way hat he has been required to put forth
ut little effort to supply all his needs Until now theseme weoderftul. resources
not been needed but happily the have not been needed but happily the
world has just begun to realize their Theatness. is. is being improved, the tim-
ber manufactured into lumber, the water power sought nfter, and rich
bodies of minerals are being uncovered.
And ere long this valley will be second to none.
Among the new industries developed in the upper Willamette are the Lon-
don Mineral Springs nt London, Oreto contain medical virtue for many
yeurs, but it was not till many had sought and found relief in the usse of therr waters that an idea was advanced
that their development would be of benefit to mankind and also be remun-
erative to those interested in them. erative to those interested in them.
In pursuance of this idea a grove was
cleared and a commodious hotel was cleared and a commodious hotel wa
erected, no pains or money being spared to make it healthful and con-
venient. A bath house was built and
the grounds provided with perfeet the grounds provided with perfect
drainage. A daily mail and hack line, drainage. A daily mail and hack line
a 8tore, postofice and meat marke were established. These were opened
to the public but a short time ago and the success of the undertaking has bee a happy surprise to all concerned,
the afficted are flocking there for and chronic and almost universally han bsen relieved.
Ponco De Leon following his diseovery of Florida sought vainly for th
"Fountain of Perpetual Youth," whice the traditions of the natives said ex
isted somewhere in the interior. Ha his search extonded so far as the bean
tiful spot by the side of the Coast For of the Willamette river where from
the western bank flows the waters of the London Mincral Springs, he woul
not have discovered such a fountain
He would, howover, have discovered
water that, while it cannot arrest the water that, while it cannot arrest th
flightof time, , can and does wh
properly used, so assist nature th healti and atrength may ba retained
arip. old aze Here day and night on of nature's laboratories is constantly
wo conpounding a remedy for many
of the ills of life that thus far hav baflis t tis science and skill of the most
eminent physicians. The fact that these waters contain
all the prinipal tissue builjers com to a norand con lition, mikes them su as an an: 1 sis will show.
Watssis containing minerals in differ-
ent proportims han that recuired by
the human body will not produce the the human boly will not produce the
resuts as thass containing the prope
proportions, for the reason that whee
an wecess of mineral (as well as othe an xecss of miacral (as well as othe
matter) is taken into the syatem it be
onees statatal with it, ant the va
ous organs of the body soon become proditic
just
For
while other diseases and complications
are sure to follow. are sure to follow.
The wator seems to possess a remarls-
able effect on rheumatism, which able effect on rheurnatism, which it
seems to drive entirely from the sysseems to
tem.
One ma One man who had been on crutcenes
for over twenty ycars abandoned thes for over twenty years abandoned them
after he had taken the fifth bath and has not used them since. Many othe
phenominal cures for rheumatism are among the wonders wrought by these waters. Stomach and kidney troubles
seem to yield rapidy to their power,
as relief in nearly every case is experiseem to yield rapidy to their power,
as relief in nearly every case ii experi-
enced almost from the beginning. enced almost from the beginning.
The tonic effect of the water is gr containing rich quantities of fro, and
those suffering from blood disorders, general debility, skin diseases and catarrh have almost without exceptio
been benefited and cured by tts use. Many have gone there suffering from 13ss of vitaily and nervous prostration
and after staying a short time, claim
to be strong and happy. The management finding they owe
a sacred duty to humanity, and desi: ing to do the most good to the greatest
wimber, decided to organize a com-
pany, with which are iden pany, with which are identified som
of the leading men of Lane county charge, to put the water through thorough course of experiments an
place the product on the market at reasonable a price ast athe purity of th
product and] careful preparation will has been prosecuting these experiments
to find the best method of putting the it could be kept in its purity so that
none of its medical virtues be destroyed. one of its medical virtues be destroyed
Although repeated demands were
ade for the water, yet the company were determined to give the public a
product which was the result of thor ough investigation of the bast medical
talent, and if the water failed to stand the test they would abandon the enter-
prise. But they were not to be disappointed.
Late this season a large and mod-
ern bottling plant was adjed. ant as soon as the water was placed on the
narket the result was magical, al though their bottling plant is larg mand, yet their orders for bottling
supplies were far too small and the ever increasing demant taxes their
nergies to fill the orders. nergies to fill the orders.
One thing that makes way in which it is reached. It twelve miles south of Cottage Grove
over one of the best and most pleasan er ons in Lnne county, traversing one the most picturesque and prosperous
valleys of the Coast Fork all tho way.
But this condition But this condition is not to remain
ong, for already the primary steps ave been taken and ere long tw ley and either steam or electricity will
transport the people to, and the comhealth resort.
The facilties for hunting and fishing there are unsurpassed. The Const
Fork and its tributaries afford a mple room for the sport of the angler. and
the forests abound in large and small game.
The London Mineral Springs are losouth of Cottage Grove, on the Coast
Fork of the Willamette. Daily stage line between the two points.
As Sartoga is to the East, as Hot Springs sare to
Springs will be to the West. If its short past is any criterion of its future,
for each one of its patrons are a living
advertisement of its advertisement of its virtues and its
circle of friends grows broader as time

 This week the "President has been spaking to different kinds of people.
Taetalks considered of national inportance, and
full reports are given of them. So
ong as they are of a non-political ong as they are of a non-political
character they are entitled to non-po-
liticaly consideration and viewed the same as the remarks of;any one in private life. 2TASAPresident should never
 ther things, the said to the miners ment is ajpotent auxiliary to the inst etterlmanhood and aitruer Christianity among ourzcitizens. A steady hand
and sober mind are necessary for the best work. All $\begin{aligned} & \text { we which deserves to } \\ & \text { be consideredjthoughtfully by the peo- } \\ & \text { pla of the country generally. Coming }\end{aligned}$ from theefPresident of the country
shouldparticularly have weight.

It speaks for a city when the busi-
ness men of it are working in harmony,
without ithe schemes sometimes oberved fof throat-cutting. Every busi basiness on its merits and not by tear-
ig down ${ }^{\text {some }}$ competitor's business. ing downysome competitor's business.
Besides it is the better way to do. The
plan of leaving outside schemes out of the methods of fithe business men of the most universally be noticed that they schemers, and that those who entage A maniwith a sleek tongue can figure
almost anything out for you before hand, but the realization is apt to be ness men of the country have succeedmethods, without. claptraps, and this
factis being more and more apprecihe Albany business men, and the univarsal exp
The harvest season is now in full
progress. The verdict seems to be that we are short on wheat and long on hay,
with various reports on other things, making altogether probably an average the business of the farmer. This indicates an average business season the all life is, an average proposition, ups
and downs, shorts and longs, wides and narrows, little and big, this and that.
Anyway we have to take what comes, and it is a mighty good idea to do it
with a smile and a hurrah. Half the troubles of the world are from worry.
A man can worry with his pockets fall

## COURT HOUSE NEWS.

## Alexander V Ostrom to John A Willd, an undivided 1-8 inter-

Willd, an undivided $1-8$ inter-
est in severaliarge tracts in tp
13 and 141 and 2 East 13 and 141 and 2 East . $10 \%$
Title of Cordelia George eo
b 46 Albany, filed and regiss tered
Will Co to Orah Militer, $1 \because-2$
block, Halsey ............. Mortgage 81935.
Cancellation $\$ 2500$.
2nd fecount filed in estate of Alez-
ander Marry.
In estate of G H Bland, H Y Kirkpatrick, A. Bossler and' $\mathrm{S} P$ Bacirap-
pointed appaisers.
Personal property ordered sold in cs. Personal property
tate of Ruth King.

## Warehouse license grantad m V

The Lebanon Fires.
E. A.: A forest fire got a atart yes

 hons: of John Smith, J F. Chastain
and Henry Bills had narrow essapes
from the flames.

MISFITS
Gool evenirg, have you had a fight.
Peace negotiations have now begun The Oaks is crowding Lewis and Clark se as an attraction.
Governor Geer
want on his farm.
Rockefeller is sick and all his money ean do is to buy drugs.
Several times a day th
busiest place in Albany.
usiest place in Albany.
Yaroschenko has been exiled by
Yakozf to Olonetz. Awfulesky.
The President wants to take a trip in
submarine boat. Better be careful.
The Portlands have struck a winning
gate. Often these gates are rickty af-
firirs.
Mayor Lane is about to clean out the
Portland police force. It will take
The Albany Business Men's League
an organization that deserves to be
It is always interesting to hear peo-
ple tell what they would do if running
a newspaper. Try it.
Foot ball rules will remain practically
the same, roughness and all. But what's
in a game without the fight.
Petific what thing bath in an ice cream freezer.
Shaniko, so frequently mentioned, has
Shaniko, so frequently mentioned,
population of 215. Its great prospect
not seem to materialize fast.
Without knowing a single item the
apers began at once to tell about what
apanese indemnity document con
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ained.
When it comes to fish stories in com-
g years what show will the rest of a
amily have with a boy in in who caught
Harriman will hardly have left Port and before J . J. Hill will be there.
Great is Portan with its 110,000 or
more people.

By the time it reached Portland it ead like this: "An Albany young' wo-
nal ncreamed
awne loud that she scared The spirit of graft is so intense that here are women in the big cities who
make it a business of getting their
a An extra session of the state legislature should be called for the passage
of a law prohibiting the uxe of the word
Webfeet. 85 inches of rain in a year Webfeet. 35 inches of rain in a yea
nakea the word look silly.

If a supreme court judge is appointed
U. S . judge this will leave a vacancy
e fijled by the Governor, who of courrse
There ough
would name a democrat. There ought
way.
newspaper to decide what shall go in
is paper as much as it is the business
his paper as much ase it is the business
his parchant to decide whats
ofall goo into hit store tor sale.
He is is
Seattle claims a population under
census just taken under tho direction o
the esecretary of state, of 5 Thicto Thi
is sprending it on pretty thick, and it $i$


The
Orege
at the
Oregon this year will be the congress
at the Levisis and Clark fair the last of
this month It Iakes the place of in. stitutes, generally. and overy teacher
should then make it a point to attend.
The Oregonian is now busy showing
Tharriman. Mr. Harriman comes out here once a year or so, makes big
poromises, goos back east nat nothing
pron is done, For nearly twenty years the
railinods hyve practically one nothing
in Oregon but take out millions for
trangportation.

The Democran to-day turned down
circulatlon increasing scheme, of th cemilottery character, a voting conte
semita
affaif, becauss it has come to the oo
clusion that such affairs are contrary
 peter Bi
Jue city th
Judge
portland

THE KING
Makes a Short Speech,
Lowov, Rus, Avy, 11, 1055.-The My earnest hope is that Rustiand and
 satisfactory settiement willbe reached.
Porrrmouth, Aug. 11 . - The Japan ese demands are not to be officially
made known, Russia desires that they
be made public, and hopeste tofect
pubico opinon and compell Japan to de-
orease her demands. The Japanese are
her crease her demands. The Japanese are
disposed to surround negotiations with
mystery. CHutuvuQu, Aug. 11.-Rresident
Rosevelt breakfastedat Higgins Hall,
The Govenor was absent on account of

Porrsmourt, Aug. 10.-The Japanese terms were submitted in writing to the
Russians and taken under advisement.
An answer will probably be made in n answer will probably be made in
writing after due consideration. Whkesbarre, Pa, Aug, 10.-Fully
0,000 visitors are in the town to hear President Roosevelt speak to-day, wit-
ness the big parade of the Catholic To-
tal Abstinence Union Abstinence Union. All mines, facST. PaUL, Aug. 10. J. J. Hill wired
refusal to Governor Johnsons to offer


The business men of t'e city met at
an Alco Club parlors last night and
 The constitution and by-laws were a-
opted provining for the running of
the club and the following officers wore J. L. Tomlinson president.
P. A. Young vice prasident.
O. wen Beanm secretary.
 Questions of interest to the business
of the city were discuseced. insloding
itching racks around the court house The whech were favored.
The mers of the League have be-
un work in splendid harmony piving promise of good results in the future,
onth for the mutual protection against
anl manner of ojectionable shemes,
and as well for the promotion of a and as well for the promotion of a
healthy business generally in the city. H. F. Merrill went to the Bay today
o join his family on a Sunday visit.
Dr. Lo Lown in
seriously ill at Sowndiluerton. Ex-Goverthor Geer was bu
tor to Albany this afternoo

Don't lift that heavy rack!

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