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reflected a moment. Yes-they had been seeking her-the people from the chateau

seeking for Rose, their lost darling.

And this torch was evidently one which

they had carried in their search by night.

"And now, Gasparde," he said, invol-

your anticipated victims are safe from

your toils, look to your own safety! for

ceived. No! faintly still, but sufficiently

perceptible not to be mistaken, the echo

But at that very moment, as he was

from the opposite direction-a confused

mingling of men's voices, with harsh, dis-

cordant shouts, and the crashing and

tearing of forest branches. Could it be

torpid slumber, discovered his escape and

were pursuing him? He paused to look

Even as his glance pierced the inter

the figures of men whom he could not

search of him.

CHAPTER XII.-(Continued.)

The brigands were having a merry ca-rousal after their return; and Gasparde, maddened by the cool, courageous defiance of his prisoner, and with reflecting on the loss of the prize he had thought so safe, joined recklessly in the insane He was encouraged to think that they The leaping, dancing fire of fagots | had found her. glowed redly in the center of the cavern,

asting a ruddy light upon each of those dark, swarthy, unshorn countenances, im and fierce, that clustered about it, Higher and higher leaped the flames, and that den of yours shall be opened to the in the wild tempest of mirth. One by and rout you from your fancied security!" one grew less clamorous, slowly drowsiness overcame them, and shortly every skins that covered the cavern floor, in paused to find whether he were not dea torpor, even to Gasparde himself.

With cat-like caution, a light tread descended the rough-hewn steps; a dark form was visible by the red glow of the still, clear air of the morning, and the smoldering embers; slowly and carefully down from the mouth it came, pausing he was going. He could scarcely doubt at each step, and Raimonde's eyes glanc- that they proceeded from parties in ed from face to face of those sleepers. He had been watching ever since this noisy ravel commenced, and now was the time come when, without guard or watcher, the way was left clear for him.

Stealing noiselessly in, he scattered upon the dying embers, from a small parcel in his hand, a fine powder that caus- that his captors had aroused from their ed a light crackling sound as it fell among them, and almost immediately a cloud of thin white vapor arose, spreading back. and circling till it filled the entire cavern, and a curious odor, faint, yet overprevering, was perceptibly proceeding from it. Raimonde, holding a handkerchief to his face, waited some five or ten minutes, then, approaching the senseless form of Gasparde, dexterously removed from the leathern belt about his waist the ponderous keys that belonged to the

Safe enough now, monsieur le capi taine, I'll warrant." he muttered, with a low chuckle, "You should be a little less careless. All people are not as honest as yourself!

Swiftly and quietly he traversed the gallery leading to the cells and opened he first door. It chanced to be the one n which the count was confined. Louis heard the heavy key turning in the wards; he looked to see Gasparde. But was a careful hand that unclosed the oor, and silently into the cell stepped Raimonde

'Hist! be quiet, monsieur le compte!'

It was indeed the beautiful Rose, pale ent smilling, who, advancing lightly in her white robes, over the forest turf, met Louis with a low cry of joy, and with fervent gladness returned his silent but eloquent embrace. Then she stood apart as the Count de Clairville, with unspeakable emotion, greeted the escaped cap-

The bands of people who had gathered to assist in the search for the young count were gay with rejoicing as they wended their triumphant way back to their homes; and at the gates of the chateau, the good marquis extended to them, on Egerton's own. What could it mean? He

and all, a cordial invitation to a merry-The Maryland democratic plurality making, during the following week, to 12,875 celebrate the happy return of his lost children. And then, among that joyful ng for a place on the river and harfamily, there were fervent thanksgivings

bor committee. and explanations followed and recitals of past plot and peril; and not the least blessed of all was Helen Montauban. who rejoiced none might know how deepin favor of his son. untarily speaking aloud-"now, if all ly, for it was as if life itself were re

stored to her with the restoration of her Jacques, making his appearance next sy grew the merriment of the light, and its iniquitous secrets revealed. day at the chateau, was made a hero of brigands, till, finally, there came a lull An hundred men shall gather this day and fain would all have heaped favors and rewards upon him, but he would States keeps her hands off.

Even as he spoke he suddenly seemed none of it. "He was going to Lyons, to o hear voices shouting, one to another, seek master Hugh," he said, "and follow to hear voices shouting, one to another, hess overcame them, and the heaps of at a distance, though so faintly that he his fortunes." And that very day he de-Cuban reciprocity treaty into effect. parted. Rose was deeply affected when she heard of this resolution. She longed to see her father, and confide to him all of those voices came to his ear on the the trouble she had so lately enduredall that had been on her mind concerning sound came from the direction in which Robin; but, with further thought, she decided that it was better to retain her

> death of the villain Gasparde. Nothing patent by New York capitalists. of all her sorrow did she desire her father as happy and content.

Two more Americans have been assassinated on the streets of London. Semate and house leaders are bound forest was searched, and the robbers' to crash over Cuban reciprocity procave discovered-a place never known till gramme.

the brigands had fled-their chief no long- Venezuelan arbiration case has been resumed.

lided in a fog. One person was killed for at least two weeks that a crisis and 51 injured.

The senate committee will stand by again. Raimonde went to Italy, and Smoot, the Utah senator, despite numerous protests.

in Their Play.

ceived your form and that of your as aliant. But see-yonder comes Rose on EVENTS OF THE DAY the arm of the Count de Clairville!" Alaska Commissioners Let One Stretch Go-No Data to Work On. GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE Washington, Nov. 7.-Contrary to

> the general understanding, it developed in Washington today that the Alaskan boundary commission, recently in session in London did not finally lo

DID NOT FIX LINE.

REPUBLICAN

ant Happenings of the Past Weck, cate the entire boundary line between Presented in Condensed Form, Most British and American territory, but a Likely to Prove Interesting to Our stretch of over 139 miles between Kate's Needle and the Devil's Paw, two prominent mountain peaks lying southeast of Skagway, is yet to be de-

finitely located. Because of the fail-Representative Hermaan is workure of the commission to determine

the location of this line the joint surveying commission that will be charg-It is said King Peter, of Servia, has ed with marking off the boundary as majority of the prune crop this year announced his intention of abdicating recently determined will be unable to

All European powers have indorsed which is about one-fourth of the entire Since the cost of labor and fuel has has ample space for switches and side the attitude of the United States in length of the boundary that has long advanced, 3 cents a pound is about the tracks. Options have been secured on been in dispute.

Colombia says she will be able to It so happens that the country lying sell at such figures.

between Kate's Needle and Devil's less mountains of snow and ice. The determination of the actual location The dispatches from New York tell us mediate importance, but should mines have had difficulty in filling the orders be developed, or should other resources be discovered, there would be a rep-

discovery of gold in the territory.

The boundary commission did not

invented a steel hardening process it to fix this portion of the boundary that will make armor plate bullet with any degree of satisfaction.

Possengers From Panama Also Say Ame

San Francisco, Nov. 7 .- When the steamer San Juan, which arrived here today, left Panama, October 29, the

well under way, and secession was talked everywhere upon the streets.

was approaching.

the United States and maintained un-

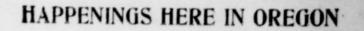
der the military protection of the Unit-

RUSSIA THREATENS CHINA.

Demands Are Met.

Grief May Kill Booth.

nese empire.



HOLD ON TO YOUR PRUNES.

sioner Reynolds. Salem-"Prunegrowers who have not already sold their fruit should hold that the Western Cooperage Company. it for a price that will give them a fair composed of Kentucky capitalists, will profit," says Lloyd T. Reynolds, for build a large stave factory at merly horticultural commissioner for Houlton, on the Northern Pacific rail-

the second district. "Dealers are around offering to pay porate limits of St. Helens, A dozen will average in the 50-60 to-the-pound and split into the usual size. recently determined will be unable to operate over this stretch of territory, get only 3 cents a pound for their fruit. from W. H. Dolman, at Houlton, which

"The condition of the fruit market Paw is desolate, and apparently worth- does not warrant such low prices. nually. Construction work will begin France had a very short crop and is of the boundary is therefore of no im- that the packing houses in this country fimber.

as fast as they are received. The apple crop of the United States is 1,000.-000 barrels short and prices for that

view of the situation I can see no rea on why prunegrowers should not re-

ceive a fair price, if they will ask for

"It seems to me to be certain that all the prunes will be wanted and the proper course for the growers is to wait until a living price is offered. I do not advise holding for speculative

LIEU LAND REJECTIONS LARGE

and Gathers Figures.

Evidently, the government has known West has just completed the classification and filing of the correspond-

Passengers on the San Juan who land selections in Oregon. Heretocame from Panama and various points fore the records have been in confusin Central American republics are ion and one seeking information re agreed that the revolution, which the garding any particular selection, would have difficulty in finding it. cable reports as in progress, was most Now the records are arranged so that carefully planned, and they predict any desired information may be had its success. They also state, according at a moment's notice. The list shows to the Evening Post that the diplo- that the lieu land selections upon min-Authorities in Wyoming may clash matic representatives of the United upon by the Federal Land Depart-irrigation purposes. They go to Pel-ment within the past year or two ag-ican Bay, Fort Klamath, The Agency. over the Indian trouble. The Indian States are favorable to the revolution- ment within the past year or two ag-

Advice Given to Growers by ex-Commis- Houlton Will Have a Plant That Will Employ 100 Men.

WILL MANUFACTURE STAVES.

St. Helens-It is now a settled fact road, just on the outer edge of the cor-

a basis price of 1% cents. Probably a men are already at work getting camps ready in the woods, where the at work getting bolts for the staves will be cut up

actual cost of production. Growers are several tracts of timber land, and a cutting their own throats when they contract has been entered into with the Oregon Wood Company to float down 800,000 cords of stave bolts anon the factory at once, and the man-agement state that fully one hundred men will be employed in the mill and

> This company owns factories in Kentucky, Arkansas, Georgia and at Seattle and Aberdeen, Wash.

MILL IN SOTTHERN OREGON.

Pennsylvania Capitalists Preparing for a Heavy Cut of Vimber.

Lumber Company has just been in-corporated here, by W. J. Kelleher, John K. Skelley and W. H. Sykes with a paid up capital of \$50,000. The com-pany has already acquired about 5000 acres of fine timber land on Billy Creek, a few miles west of Yoncalla,

faily capacity of 50,000 feet of lumthe product direct to the Southern Pacific railroad track at Drain, where a lumber yard will also be established.

Looking for Reservoir Rites.

Ashland-H. E. Green and J. E Reese, of the hydrographic branch of the United States Geological Survey, arrived in Ashland last night from San Francisco. They are in the reclamation service and will cross the mountains eastward from here on an extended exploration and investigating trip to locate possible sites for res-

-deserted. The robbers never returned up, and the men went in various direc ons to gain an unlawful living elsewhere; but they never were heard of thenceforth was unheard from. (To be continued.)

YOUNG INVENTORS. Useful Discoveries Made by Children

The next day there was a gathering of stices of those leafy shadows behind he stout and sturdy men from far and near, distinguished, at a considerable distance, armed with serviceable weapons; and the then by the dwellers in that region. But

to it. It is probable that the horde broke

Many cases are reported where mere hildren have made discoveries in their youthful diversions which have exerted a wonderful influence on im-

endeavored to devise some means by

which the current supplied to the outer

circumference of the flame could be

strengthened and regulated, and his

efforts might have been longer de

layed had it not been for the thought-

less juvenile experiments of his little

rene escape him. Thus the idea of the

time perfected and patented.-Weekly

Greatest Book Thief of All.

Probably the most audacious and

Bouquet.

vexation and trouble within her own an extra session of the legislature to breast until she had confessed all to the remedy the defects in the Oregon tax marquis; for now she resolved to delay law. hastening forward, he also heard sounds that confession no longer. Z. F. Clark, a Portland man who has And so Jacques went, and Rose only gave him a thousand loving messages for her father, and bade him tell of her adventure, and her final safety, and of the proof, has been offered \$100,000 for his

The Dreyfus case is to be again reto know yet. He must think of her only vived.

Cable cars at Kansas City, Kan., col-

The San Francisco street railway ar bitrators have rendered a decision granting an increase in wages.

Six men were killed and ten injured by an explosion at the United States naval arsenal at Iona Island, N. Y. agents want those under arrest re-

out down the revolution if the United Senate and house leaders can't agree as to the method of putting the There are 2,000,000 sheep on the Oregon ranges. The worth of this year's wool output is placed at \$2,550,-

KLAMATH FALLS, KLAMATH COUNTY, OREGON, NOVEMBER 12, 1903.

TWO HEMISPHERES.

Comprehensive Review of the Import-

Many Readers.

Governor Chamberlain has not yet etition of the dispute that has existed fruit will be high. Canned goods have decided whether or not he will call all over Southeastern Alaska since the advanced very materially. In every

have before it sufficient data to enable it.

PREDICT ITS SUCCESS.

icans Favor Revelt.

preparations for the revolution were Land Agent West Puts Records in Order

Salem-State Land Agent Oswald ence and papers relating to state lieu

prices, but for a living price. Oregon prunes this year are of first-class qualfty and they give satisfaction wherever

Roseburg - The Kelleher-Skelley

in this county. A sawmill building has already been erected and part of the machinery is now in place. The plant will have a ber to begin with, and will be ready for operation within 30 days. A flume will be put in from the mill to carry

as Louis, recognizing him sprang to his feet, with a half-suppress ed excinuation of surprise; "do not I have come to give you your speak. liberty !"

"My liberty, Raimonde! Where are the brigands? Where is Gasparde?" "Sound asleep, monsieur; and I have in a hurry. I have given them something o help. Here-I will take off these jewels of yours; I dare say you won't be sorry to be rid of them." And stooping down, he unlocked and knocked off the fetters of the count.

"Ten thousand thanks, Raimonde!" exclaimed Louis, warmly, "But how did you know we had been retaken?"

"I had returned to the cavern to get something which I had left here, monsieur, and was going away again, when we saw the men coming back with you and Jacques. You were in a swoon, I suppose, for it took two or three to carry We had some ado to get out of their way-Michel and I-without being seen. I watched, afterwards, while they rere carousing around the fire, and stole They are quiet enough now. Come. monslear; but stop a moment. I see you will need something more than what you ed a pistol from his belt; "I will knowwear now. I will come back in a mo ment.

He left the cell, and directly returned, arrying a bundle of garments very much like those Louis was accustomed to wear in his excursions about the country. The young man lost no time in assuming them, and then left the cell with his companion. How his heart leaped! What thrill ran through him as he felt that was once more at liberty!

Raimonde's next step was to liberate Jacques. The poor fellow was almost side himself with joy, and only the absolute need of silence kept him from giving unbounded expression to his delight. Stepping cautiously among the extended forms of the drugged slumberers, the three rapidly ascended to the entrance, sprang out upon the forest soil and sped rapidly and silently away in the early dawn. Cool and fresh the morning wind came to the brows of these men, so lately Raimonde paused.

Now, monsieur le compte, I will leave kied with tears. you, as I wish to strike off to the right here. I should like to have Jacques go

"Well-well; then I bid you adieu!" returned the count, warmly, grasping his hand; "and I trust we shall meet again, when I may offer you a more adequate reward for your services than you received last night. I thank you a thousand times, my friend!"

And they separated, Raimonde and Jacques taking a right-hand direction, and Louis keeping the path to the cha-

Suddenly, as he advanced, some object on the ground attracted his attention. Picking it up, he found it to be a little iny slipper. It was one of hers! He had seen her wear it often. He gazed upon it for a moment with feelings of un- shudder. "Come, dear Louis, to where stiterable a moment with feelings of unutterable emotion, and then placed it in his breast

"Poor little Rose!" he murmured ten-"where are you now ?" With the little relic safe in his brenst,

pressed on. Soon he observed that the turf all about him appeared to have seen trampled and crushed with many ing longer than to meet Helen, and assure whose impress it still bore. Everywhi re as he went this appearance con-Further on, he came upon a torch lying extinguished upon the ground. fined. We were proceeding thither, with

Charles and the LOUIS PURSUED BY GASPARDE.

mistake-those wild-looking forms which he had so lately beheld lying about the smoldering embers of the cavern fire. Three or four were in sight, but one was some reason to believe they won't wake far before the others, and dashing forward with mad speed. It was Gasparde with his unshorn hair streaming wildly about his face, and a long and glittering knife brandished in his hand. With sudden and firm resolution, Louis

urned, unarmed as he was, save with the stick which had served thus far to lear his path, and prepared to meet him. With a louder yell of triumph at beholding his anticipated victim so near, the brigand rushed on. "I have you, monsieur!" he cried, with

a fiend's laugh-"I have you! Who will win Rose now?". "Not you, villain!" answered Louis.

sternly. And meeting the assassin, in his mad career he struck down, with his it would be to the study of the heavens stick the unlifted knife that was ready This was the first inception of his tele to drink his heart's blood. "Ah!" shouted Gasparde, raging and

gnashing like a wild beast, as he snatch-I will know who is to win! Come on, my men! Strike-stab-slay!" And, blind with rage, he dashed at his adversary, What was to be the fate of Louis? There were four to one! But the other three, tearing forward to the assistance of their master, suddenly paused, and then hastily turned and fled. Neither Louis nor Gasparde, however, saw anything beyond each other; while the young

ount, with firm courage, grappled with brother. One day, while Argand was the brigand chief, and wrenching the disbusy in his workroom and sitting becharged weapon from his grasp, cast him at full length upon the turf. fore the burning lamp, the boy was And now aid was at hand; for the Marquis of Montauban and Francis Eg-

erton, followed by two or three of the villagers, dashed into the little glade, to the scene of combat. With exclamations of joy, Louis and his uncle threw themselves into each other's arms; while Francis Egerton waved his cap gaily in the air, and stepped lightly forward to greet prisoners, and it was like the benediction Louis, calling, "Found-found! my dearlamp chimney was born, and in a short of an angel. For some distance they dear fellow!" and he clasped the young pursued their way together, and then man in a cordial and laughing embrace; but his handsome, deep-blue eyes spar-

But their attention was attracted in another direction; for Gasparde had risen

to his feet, and his cry of rage and de was Count Libri of Florence, who, spair rang through the forest. Deserted emigrating to France, became in 1842, by his companions, who had fled on witsecretary of a government commission nessing the numbers of the approaching to examine and catalogue the books and party, and destitute of weapons, he turnmanuscripts in the many communal ed and was bounding away, when a shot libraries of the country. Availing himfrom one of the villagers struck him. With one horrible cry he sprang into the self of his opportunities, of the careair and then fell heavily to the earth. lessness and ignorance of the custodi-There was a convulsive movement of the limbs, a contraction, a sudden spasm, the treasures unvelled to him, he quietand the form was stretched out in m ly and leisurely despoiled the libraries tionless sllence. Gasparde was dead! of hundreds of their choicest manu-There was a time of silence, and then scripts and most precious heirlooms, Francis clasped the hand of Louis and

drew him gently away from the scene. carefully obliterating afterward all "It is too horrible!" he uttered, with a signs that might lead to their identification a fairer sight awaits you; let us go and meet Rose, our sweet little blossom, who owes to you her safety!"

"She is safe, then!" said Louis, with animation; "ah, that repays me for all?" "Ay-safe! We found her in the wood an hour or two since; and without waither of her safety, the dear girl insisted on guiding us instantly in the direction picked up a handkerchief, em- the domestics and villagers, armed with browdered with a delicate cipher-Francis any weapons at command, when we per- history.

portant industries in their delevop- leased, but the governor refuses to do ment. The children of a Dutch spec- so. tacle maker happened to be playing

Haynie, of spotted horse fame, has with some of their father's glasses in been convicted of highway robbery in front of the shop door. Placing two Seattle. He always drove to and from of the glasses together they peeped the scene of operations behind a spot-through them and were exceedingly ted horse. His wife held the lines ed States. astonished to see the weathercock of while he did the holding up.

The epidemic of yellow fever in a neighboring steeple brought, seemingly, within a short distance of their Texas continues to spread.

eyes. They were very naturally puz-Alexander J. Dowie, the Zionist zled, and called their father to see the leader, indorses Roosevelt.

strange sight. He was no less sur-During October there was coined at prised than the children had been. He the various mints of the United States conceived the idea that he might utilize \$3,672,120. longer existence.

this strange feature in the construction The case of W. H. Machen, charged of a curious toy which would be prowith postal fraud, has been set for Noductive of both wonder and amuse vember 23. ment among his friends. He did so

T. A. Wood, of Portland, has been and Galileo, hearing of this toy that discharged from practice before the Will Assume Charge of Manchuria Unless was said to make distant things appear pension bureau. close at hand, saw at once what a help

Congressman Jones, of Washington, will introduce a bill giving Alaska a temporary government

The sea dredge Chinook has arrived When the poor Geneva mechanic Ar at the mouth of the Columbia river gand invented his burner, after secur and will commence work at once. ing an adequate and controllable flow The German mail steamer Duisberg of air to the interior, making what he has been wrecked near Lisbon, Spain. termed a "double current" burner, long

bandits in Rusian employ. Most of the passengers were saved. A reward of \$5,000 is offered for the arrest and conviction of the persons who wrecked the Santa Fe train at Asfishapa creek last week.

cific attitude of Rusia is not borne out A petition signed by a large numby her actions. A number of the high ber of Filipinos has been received at the navy department asking for the establishment of a gun factory near Cavite, P. I.

In the state elections just held the amusing himself by placing a bottomdemocrats elected the mayor of Greatless glass flask over different articles. er New York, and governors in Ken-Suddenly he placed it over the flame tucky, Rhode Island and Maryland. of the lamp, which instantly shot up The republicans carried Ohio, Massathe long, circular neck of the flask with chusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Colorado, Iowa and Nebraska. increased brilliancy. Argand was not the man to let such a suggestive occur-

A blaze at the vatican, Rome, de stroyed \$50,000 worth of property.

China is trying to interest the army. It was said the commander United States in her behalf in the Manchurian trouble.

Nearly 3,000 men are idle at Lorain, successful book thief that ever lived Ohio, because of the shut-down of the large steel plant there.

> Postmaster General Payne will ask serious. for about \$15,000,000 more than the last congressional appropriation.

A conflict with Russia is regarded by Japan as sure, sooner or later, and she will not yield one point in the ans, and a consummate knowledge of present controversy.

Rear Admiral Endicott, chief of the bureau of yards and docks, recommends an appropriation of \$140,000 for the Puget Sound navy yard. Senator Mitchell will oppose the policy of leaders in congress for econony with a vengeance, and will work

for a liberal river and harbor bill. How the collection thus acquired came into possession of the late Lord The Cuban congress has convened, Ashburnham; by what means Libri's and President Palma in his message robberies were afterward discovered praised Roosevelt and stated that the prospects of reciprocity with America and traced back to him; together with

the recent sale of the library at a stu- are bright. pendous increase of price, and the meth- The Oregon supreme court holds that ods by which the French government no tax levy can be made next January. John Mitchell, president of the finally recovered a portion of their longlost treasures, form a most remark- United Mineworkers, is quite ill at able and romantic chapter in literary Scranton, Pa,

,000 acres have been clear listed and za, and their itinerary will take in all The men at the head of the secesabout 70,000 has either been rejected sion movement are friends of the Pana-or is still pending with the outlook Lake district. ma canal and want the canal built by poor for its approval.

Pendleton Owns Its First Park.

Pendleton-Pendleton is now the Among the San Juan's passengers owner of a city park. For years such was John Jenkins, United States con- a move has been agitated, but nothing was done until a week or so ago, when ul-general at San Salvador, who said: the council bargained for the property "The independent government now in the east part of the city, where the being formed in Panama will always water supply is secured. The money has been paid over and the deeds remain there. The Bogota government

filed. The land was purchased from is out of place and has no reason for Jessie S. Vert, consisting of one entire block, and for which she received \$1500, and four lots from V. Stroble

The city purchased this property to prevent buildings from being erected there.

Release of 171 Mortgages.

Tokio, Nov. 7.-Reports from Pekin Pendleton-The Pendleton savings say Russia now thretens to assume bank has filed with the county recorder releases of 171 mortgages. This is sole charge of the government of Manthe biggest bunch of mortgages that churia unless China promptly dismishas ever been paid off at one time for ses Yuen, the taotai of Mukden, and a number of years. The banking comdecapitates another mandarin who repany held these mortgages, principal iy against farmers, sheep and cattle cently punished disorderly Chinese men. The amount of some of the

mortgages was as high as \$16,000 The action of Russia has caused con-siderable resentment against the Czar \$50. They averaged \$1500, making the The action of Russia has caused con in Chinese officials circles. It is look. total amount paid \$256,500. ed upon a showing that the alleged pa-

Put Up Much Fruit.

Ashland-The Ashland Preserving officials continue to advocate the ad-Company, which has been operating E. Corburn, of Carroll, lressing of a forcible appeal of protest an extensive cannery in this city the principal owner of the diggings. against Russia's attitude to the powers, with a request that they interfere present season, will close operations to preserve the integrity of the Chi- for the year this week. The season has been longer than usual and there

have been more people employd than ever before, the average number of operatives being between 40 and 50.

New York, Nov. 7.-Commander Manager Charles Pierce reports that Booth-Tucker, of the Salvation army, during the four months' run the plant sailed for England today on the Cedric has canned 15 tons of Bartlett pears. in response to a cablegram from Gen-21 tons of peaches, 10 tons of string beans and seven tons of blackberries. eral Willilam Booth, the head of the

Wood \$7 a Cord.

had become so overcome by the sudden Pendleton-There is a scarcity of death of his wife that General Booth wished him to take a few days of rest. wood in Pendleton. This is due to the lack of cars to bring it from the Blue dlings, \$24; shorts, \$20; chep, \$18; It is said General Booth is suffering greatly from the shock of his daugh-Mountains, from where Pendleton gets linseed dairy food, \$19. er's violent death, and on account of her supply. There seems to be plenty of wood at the belt. Prices are excep- \$13; grain, \$11; cheat, \$11.

tionally high. Fir is selling at \$7 per cord and pine at \$6.50. This price nearly \$1 higher than last year. Coal per pound; dairy, 16%@20c; store, is selling at \$8 per ton is selling at \$8 per ton.

Sale of Great Timber Tract.

Astoria-A deed has been filed for record whereby the Oregon & Montana Lumber Company, of Helena, Mont. sells to Samuel McClure, of 14@15c per pound; dressed, 16@18c; Stillwater, Wash., 1566.29 acres timber land in the Lewis and Clark would, it is estimated, affect 1500 men district. The consideration named is \$1000, but it is supposed a much high-

Vacancies in Legislature.

Salem-Not only will a special session of the legislature be necessary to cure the defect in the taxation law rejected every one of the proposals but a special election will be necescontained in the joint note of Austria sary to fill several vacancies in the nd Rusia, demanding that the Mace- legislature. The vacancies must be donian reform be caried out under the filled before the session is held, ac-direction and supervision of officials cording to the language of the constifilled before the session is held, ac-

River Valley, Bly and Bonar the Modoc lava beds and the Honey

In the Sugar Beet Fields.

La Grande-The sugar beet factory here has already this season received 10,000 tons of beets, and has worked over 7000 tons, which means 16,000 sacks of sugar. It is expected that about 1000 tons more of beets will be received by the factory this season. and that the run will continue until about November 10. So far the beet harvest has proved a success. Although there was a shortage in the crop, the sugar material in the beet was heavier than last year.

October Asylum Report.

Salem-The report of Superintendant J. F. Calbreath, of the State Insane Asylum, for the month of October shows that the general health of the patients is good. The total cost of articles consumed was \$7163.99, and the expenditures for salaries \$5999.10, or a total of \$13,163.09. average daily enrollment was 1330. making the cost per capita per month \$9.89, and per capita per day 32 cents.

Malheur County Clean-Up.

Baker City-General Manager O. C. Johnson brought in the clean-up of a 68-day run from the Rich Creek placer mine of the Eldorado Mine & Ditch Company, of Malheur county, today. The clean-up amounted to about 800 ounces valued at about \$16,000. R Ia., is the

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Wheat-Walla Walla, 75c; bluestem, 79c; valley, 78c. Barley-Feed, \$20 per ton; brewing,

\$22; rolled, \$21.

Flour-Valley, \$3.75@3.85 per bar-rel; hard wheat straights, \$8.75@4.10; hard wheat patents, \$4.20@4.50; gr ham, \$3.35@3.75; whole wheat, \$3.55 @4; rye wheat, \$4.50.

Oats-No. 1 white, \$1.07%; gray, \$1.05 per cental.

Millstuffs-Bran, \$20 per ton; mid-

Hay-Timothy, \$16 per ton; clover.

Butter-Fancy creamery, 27%@30c

Cheese - Full cream, twins, 15c; Young America, 15@16c; factory prices, 1@1%c less.

Poultry-Chickens, mixed, 10@10%c per pound; spring, 11%c; hens, 11@12c; broilers, \$2.50 per dozen; turkeys, live, ducks, \$6@7 per dozen; geese, \$7@10. Eggs-Oregon ranch, 30c; Eastern; fresh, 24@26 %c.

Potatoes-Oregon, 50@65c per sack; sweet potatoes, 2@2%c.

Hops-1903 crop, 12@22c per pound. according to quality. Wool-Valley, 17@18c; Eastern Ore-

gon, 12@15c; mohair, 35@37 %c.

Beef-Dressed, 6@6% c per pound. Veal-Small, 7% @8c; large, 5% @6c der pound.

Mutton - Dressed, 4@5c; lambe dressed, 6c.

Pork-Dressed, 6@6%c.

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his age it is feared the result may be Told to Prepare for Strike. Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 7.-In all robability a general strike of the unon employes of the local packing houss will be ordered within the next 24

hours as an outcome of the sausage makers' strike at Chicago. Officers in this city of the Amalgamated Meatcutters' and Butchers' Union received word to prepare for a strike order. Should such an order be issued, it

er price was paid.