ATTACHMENT SUIT AGAINST THE FLAX ASSOCIATION.

Suit to Collect Commission on Real Estate Deal-Orders Made in Probate.

In the city recorder's court yesterday, Gertrude Savage Instituted an attachment suit against the Oregon Woman's Flax Fibre association for \$103.80 alleged to be due on a promissory note issued by the Association in favor of the plaintiff. Kaiser, Slater

and England represent the plaintiff. Papers were served yesterday afternoon on Mrs. W. P. Lord, as president of the association and Chief of Police D. W. Gibson, serving as constable, attached certain property belonging to the association.

The case has been set for trial on Monday, April 3rd.

J. R. White claims that, between February 15th and 20th, he was instrumental in negotiating the sale of a 160 acre farm near Stayton, the property of B. P. Taylor, for \$4,000, and declares that his services in that connection were reasonably worth \$200. He has been unable to effect a settlement with Mr. Taylor, and now brings suit in the Marion county circuit court against that gentleman for \$200, as commissioner. Sherman, Condit & Park are attorneys for the plaintiff.

John Moir, guardian of the person and estate of Mary Helen Mize, a minor, yesterday filed in probate court a final report. The guardian prays for an order of the court allowing the report and audit and allow the claim for services for himself and attorney, and for an order permitting him to resign from his trust and to appoint a suitable and proper person in his place, and for an order directing him to deliver towald guardian so to be appointed in his place, all property in his custody and possession belonging to said minor upon payment to him of a balance of \$61.50 due him for services rendered by himself and attorney.

Charles Walker, T. J. Arthurs and Adam Snyder, appraisers, yesterday filed an inventory of the estate of James Wheelan, deceased, claiming the same to be of the value of \$2877.20. The petition to set apart for the widow certain property by law except from execution, was allowed. The court also granted the petition of D. D. Gorsline, administrator of the estate, to sell the personal property of the estate to pay the funeral expenses and other claims against the estate.

TO INCREASE THE LICENSE.

City Council Proposes to Fix the Auctioneer's License at \$1200 Per Annum,

A special meeting of the city council was held yesterday when the matter of auctioneer's and hawker's licenses was given serious consideration. The meeting convened at the city

hall at 9. o'clock, Mayor C. P. Bishop and Aldermen Buren, Walker, Legg. McGrew and Gesner being in attend-

Alderman Legg introduced an ordinance which provides for regulating the licenses of auctioneers and hawkers doing business in this city. The proposed ordinance defines what constitutes an auctioneer and a hawker in the application of the provisions of the ordinance and places the license of auctioneers at \$1200 per annum, or \$800 for six months. Hawkers will be obliged to pay \$25 per day for a license, no such license to be issued for a less period than ten days. The minimum penalty provided is \$50 and the maximum fine is \$100. The ordinance has an emergency clause.

The bill was read twice and referred to the committee on ordinances with instructions to report the same back to the council at its regular meeting Tuesday evening.

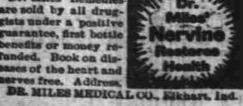
The ordinance was presented to Salem's business men, prior to its intro-

At Four Score.



CLE WEEKIZL CREAR, assessor and tax collector, Beverly, Mass., who has princed the Such life taile stone, says: "Dr. Rilles' Restorative Norvine has done a great deal of good. IsuSered for years from slooplessne and nervous heart trouble. W old fe .. way and used up in the morning, had no ambition and my work seemed a burden. A friend recommended Dr. Miles' Kerving, and I purchased a bottle under project as I had tried so many remedies unsuccessfully, I thought it no use. But it gave me restful sleep, a good appetite and restored me to energetic health. It is a grand good medicine, and I will gladly write anyone inquiring, full particulars of my sat-

isfactory experience." Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money re-funded. Book on dis-cases of the heart and



TWO ACTIONS BEGUN. duction in the city council, and has the endorsement of about thirty of the principal merchants of this city.

THE ORDER REVOKED.

Wm. Wann, of the Second Oregon Volunteers, Will Not Be Mustered Out of the Service.

About ten days ago Gov. T. T. Geer received a copy of general orders No. 47, issued by Adjutant General H. C. Corbin, of the war department, authorizing the commanding officer at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, to muster out of the service of the government Private William Wann, company B, Second Oregon United States volunteers, who was sick at Manila, and was ordered home on sick leave last fall.

Yesterday the governor received general orders No. 57, from the war department, countermanding the order to muster out this soldier. The reason for this action is not given, but it is believed that it was caused by the entire recovery of Mr. Wann, and his desire to again join his company and participate in the work of the volunteers in their fight for "Old Glory."

THE 1899 ASSESSMENT.

Assessor J. W. Hobart and Deputies Will Inaugurate the Work on Monday.

The work of taking the 1899 assess ment for Marion county, will be begun tomorrow in earnest by County Assessor J. W. Hobart and his deputies. The work, in reality: began yesterday, Deputy Assessor Ed. N. Edes, who has been asigned to that portion of the city within the corporate limits west of the Southern Pacific callroid, having assessed a number of Salemites yesterday.

Tomorrow morning two more deputies will begin work, viz., Charles Calwill cover that part of the township north of the city limits, while Mr. Connor will take the remaining portion of the township lying south of the city limits.

G. G. Gans Sr., who will assess the property within the city limits and east of the railroad, will probably begir work Weinesday. Other deputies will be added as the work progresses. and the task prosecuted until completed.

ANOTHER EXPOSITION.

To Be Held at Omaha This Year-Mrs. Wands Has Received a Silver Medal and Diploma.

In the executive office yesterday, an invitation was received from the executive committee of the Greater American Exposition, to be held at Omaha, Nebraska, during the summer of 1899, urging the people of the state of Oregon to participate in the big fair. by exhibiting the choice products and showing the resources of the state.

Mrs. E. Wands yesterday received, by mail, a fine silver medal, being the prize awarded her for canned fruit and vegetables, in glass, exhibited at the Trans-Mississippi Industrial exposition, at Omaha last year. Mrs. Wands was also awarded a diploma for exhibits, which was received by her some time ago.

Mrs. Wands is the only lady in the state of Oregon receiving such recognition at the Omaha exposition, and tunities now than were afforded at she is, in consequence, highly elated over the matter, and proud of her

TIME TO CORRECT.-After all the papers published in the city-papers which constantly abuse the Statesman and yet continually use its plethoric relumns to gather their only readable are the men who profit by it. Some news from-have copied without cormen stay in the background and then rection the Statesman's figures on the school election of last Monday, it might he well at this time to call attention lines is what brings success. These to a typographical error which crept live, active, energetic, pushing busi-

21 should be 21, Dr. Byrd's vote being the backing of the Oregon state board 1.77 instead of 2.27, as printed. The of agriculture to make the fair a suc-"scissors" editors of the city do not cess—if is the best medium for show-have even sufficient industry to verify ing everything of merit. figures

of Dallas, spent yesterday in Salem, returning in the evening. Dr. Steiner says, for its size, Dallas is the best town in Oregon. He thinks the building the the Luckiamute and Willamette valley motor line an assured success, as a paper has been circulated and numerously signed, guaranteeing the amount of the required subsidy. He also says that H. C. Campbell, of the City Suburban and Railroad Co., of Portland, has been on the ground and examined it thoroughly with a view of taking up the project in case the other company let it fall through, It will be extended to Salem.

HE WAS FINED -Geo. E. Sly was to have been given a trial in Justice H. A. Johnson's court at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, but at the appointed hour he plead guilty to the charge and was fined \$10 and costs. Upon reaching the court house Mr. Sly liquidated the amount of his fine and was released. The arrest of Mr. Sly was a sequel to a dog-killing that occurred in South Salem Thursday. A dog belonging to Attorney John Rayne had on the preceding day attacked Mr. Sly's youthful son and on Thursday the enraged father deliberately killed the dog. in his master's yard. Mr. Bayne threatens to the compensation therefor, thus getstill further prosecute Mr. Sly.

WILL REFUSE IT.

The Eugene Guard of Friday evening says: "A Salem paper the other day done and have an interest in their secstated that Hon. H. B. Miller of this city was a candidate for clerk of the sented. The reesen why, heretofore, board of school land commissioners. Mr. Miller informs us that he is not a candidate for the position, and will refuse it if tendered him."

Don Carlos has taken a curious and striking advantage of the foreign 'postcard craze" to further his cause. having had some printed with portraits of himself and his wife, with of that section, and in addition therefacsimile , signatures below, under to offer a general premium of \$250 for which communications are written.

THE STATE FAIR.

IEW BOARD TO MEET ON TUES-DAY NEXT AT THE CAPITOL.

Some Suggestions by Former Secretary Gabrielson as to the Next Exhibition.

(From Daily March 19th.)

Gov. Geer having called a meeting of the state fair board, to be held on Tuesday next, there is now some little discussion regarding the prospects for a successful annual exposition under the auspices of the new managers. The Statesman is as much interested in the future fairs as are the people of the state and is always ready and willing to publish anything that may be considered in the line of a suggestion towards the upbuilding of the-institution. One of its representatives called on C. D. Gabrielson yesterday; Mr. Gabrielson is known as the energetic secretary of the former board, holding that office through the last two fairs, and he is pretty thoroughly acquainted with what it takes to make up a good fair. In a conversation with him, he "The importance of the Oregon state

fair, and the benefits to be derived by the people and the state at large, have not been fully appreciated in the past. Large manufacturers in the East who are always wide-awake to their interests understand and know, in fact study, the best way to get the best prices and bring their business before the public, hence they always take advantage of the state fairs all over the United States, considering that medium the best way to reach the class of customers they seek. This will also apply to the business men and producers in Oregon, some of whom are found represented each year at the fair, but not so generally as it should be, nor as it is in many other states. A state fair is in a cervert and M. J. Connor. The former tain way the kindergarten for the introduction of new lines of trade and inventions, in fact, the place to introduce any kind of progress that is made. The Americans as a rule are progressive, and the citizens of Oregon are no exception to that rule. Then why should we not keep up with the procession and show the same interest in this institution that others do in theirs. At the present time thousands of people are looking to Oregon as a future home; they have heard of the wonderful results in what we produce in agriculture, horticulture, stockraising, and even mining, and are at the present time commanding the attention of the Middle and Eastern states; we should, therefore, as fast as opportunities are presented, make the best of them. The state fair is an advertising medium; the public attend to learn what progress has been made in agriculture, manufacturing and commercial affairs, and we should all lend a helping hand to bring about the results in view by the act creating this branch of the state department. "Those who have watched the pro-

cress of the state will admit that the state fair is entitled to the credit of being the educational factor in the breeding of all kinds of live stock, and that Oregon can boast today of raising as fine stock as any state in the union-and yet we have only attained a small start in that direction.

"The fairs in early days in Oregon were, it is claimed, more successful financially than in the past fifteen years, and yet we have better opporthat time. Then why should we not use these opportunities? The fact is we must wake up. The expense of running the state fair is not created simply for amusement; experienced business men do not think so; they are on hand year after year with new trade and new ideas, and surely they men stay in the background and then wonder why they do not get the trade. Active pushing and advertising in all in Mr. Davidson's majority, given at ness men should consider themselves

"The last session of the legislature made a change in the management of AT DALLAS .- Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, this institution and in doing so appropriated a sufficient amount in addition to the regular premium fund, to pay all indebtedness, thus placing the new board in the best of condition to carry on the business. This board will meet Tuesday, March 21st, at the state capitol, and no doubt they would appreciate an active interest taken by the business men of Salem. The business men of Salem can afford to continue giving one day to the state fair. They should also furnish free to the board all attractions for that day, and the Salem chamber of commerce should rightly take this matter in hand so that 'Salem Day' will be practically all profit to the association, to help out other days that prove an expense. Heretofore, by act of courtesy from the state board, the old agricultural society (that has been inactive for fifteen years) has been taking in life members at \$10 each, and the presest state board giving them admission and free use of the grounds without receiving any compensation whatever: this is wrong, and, as the old society undoubtedly never expects to hold another fair, they should make some satisfactory arrangements to place their life membership on the books of the state board, and the present active board tale in life members and receive ting a large life membership all over the state to assist in furthering the best interests of the association, such members would willingly let the people of their sections know what is being tion of the state being properly repreit has been charged to be to a great extent a local fair, is because steps have not been taken to have all parts of the state represented. A good plan would be to divide the state into five sections and set aside out of the premlum fund \$150 for each section to be

paid to them for making a good cred-

Itable display of the various resources

into three premiums, for the best county exhibit, always fails to bring that no one will take upon himself the responsibility of getting up a display at his own expense, and take chances of winning a premium to cover such expenses. If a general exhibit of our resources from all parts of the state can be secured, the Oregon state fair

"Salem is the place for holding the fair, and our business men and citizens should take an active, unselfish, interest in it. Do as other cities do for their institutions-talk for it, shout for it if you please, and get up a big hurrah for its success. Let us show the outside portions of the state that we appreciate the fact that the Oregon state fair is located in Salem."

REELS OF BARBED WIRE.

One Thing That Is Never Handled Without Gloves When It Is Shipped.

Barbed wire for shipment is wound on reels containing about 100 pounds each. In its dimensions a reel of wire is of about the size of a half-bushel measure; innumerable barbs project from it all over except for narrow strips of board that extend across the ends and from the end pieces of the reel. Large quantities of barbed wire are exported, and it is a common sight to see the reels going aboard ships lying at South street wharves. The wire is brought alongside the ship on the deck of a lighter, such a load consisting perhaps of 2,000 or 3,000 reels: sometimes two or three lighter loads are taken aboard a single ship. If it can be done the lighter is brought alongside the vessel, in the slip, in order, as far as possible, to avoid handling; with the lighter alongside the wire can be hoisted directly from the lighter into the ship. Sometimes it is necessary to tle the lighter to the opposite side of the wharf from that at which the vessel is made fast, and move the wire across the wharf. In that case more handling is required.

There would be a man on the lighter to tumble the reels down from the load and roll them along to the rail, the rolling being done with the foot. On the deck of the lighter, at the rail, stand two men, each with a cotton hook. When the reel of wire has been rolled along to them and tipped over on its side, between them, they each set a hook through strands enough of the wire to hold, and lift the reel and set it upon the stringplece of the wharf. Thence it is tipped over onto the wharf by a man standing there to receive it and he starts it rolling across wharf by a push with the foot. He wears hand coverings of home sort, as as every longshoreman does in handling barbed wire; these protective coverings include gloves and mittens of leather, and sand leathers. The hand leathers worn are seven or eight inches in length and five or six inches in breadth and are often cut from old boot legs. Hand leathers have a slit in them across one end through which the hand is passed the strip of leather above the slit resting on the back of the wrist. When the palm and insides of the fingers of gloves have been wo;n out the gloves are put on with the back of the glove on the palm side of the hand and used in that manner until that side is worn out also. The reels of wire are gathered in bunches of six at the foot of the board that rises from the wharf, resting against the ship to protect the side of the ship from being scared in hoisting cargo aboard; they are hoisted aboard with a bit of stevedores' gear made expressly for the purpose, comprising half a dozen dangling lengths of ropes, each with a hook at the end of it, which can be spread out to reach the reels. A hook is put into each reel, under wire enough to give it a secure hold, and when they have all been hooked, the bunch is hoisted up the side of the ship .- New York Sun.

THE GREAT FOE TO LIFE.

Of all the foes to human life, consumption has the most terrible record. It is claimed that one death among adults out of every seven is due to this disease, and that one person in every three is afflicted with it at some period of life. But though the cure of consumption in its advanced stage is still doubtful, if not impossible, its ravages can be checked, and perhaps ultimately controlled, by wisely directed efforts on the part of individuals and society

as a whole. In this connection, Miles Menander Dawson, a consulting actuary and auther of standard works on life insurance, says in an interview: "From one-fifth to one-half of the deaths that occur in youth and middle age could be prevented by a decent regard for sanitary conditions and by common action of society for the benefit of all. It is not enough that a man should take care of himself; disease is communicable, and protecting man against it is a social function. Fully one-fifth of the total number of deaths are caused by zymotic diseases which are as purely accidental as falling and breaking a leg. And one-fourth of the deaths, in addition, are from digestive and respiratory diseases, almost all of which are preventable. About 17 per cent, of the deaths among insured lives is form consumption, and 5 per cent. from nervous diseases, all of which are now believed to be preventable. This means that fully one-half of the deaths among young and middleaged persons could be prevented, and the proportion could no doubt be greatly increased if parents paid a proper respect to the laws of heredity. It would certainly be a most important achievement for the human race if united action could be taken to secure that a larger proportion of persons would attain old age, than at present." -Ainslee's Magazine.

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This plan would surely make all parts of the state represented, while the old plan of offering \$400 or \$500, divided plan of offering \$400 or \$600, divided plan of offering \$400 or \$600 or Sores and Ulcers

It Matters Not How Obstinate, or What Other Remedies Have Failed.

Obstinate sores and ulcers, which refuse to heal under ordinary treatment, soon become chronic and deep-

ment, soon become chronic and deepseated, and lead to conditions most serious. They are caused in different ways, but in every case the blood is involved, and no amount of local treatment can have any effect. The poison must be eliminated from the blood before a cure can be had.

THROWN FROM A HORSE.

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"About three years ago my granddaughter, Bertha Whitwood, was thrown from a horse, receiving a wound of the scalp. Though under the treatment of physicians for several months, the wound remained about the same, until it finally became very angry-looking, and broke out into a running sore. This soon spread to other parts of the scalp and ran down the side of the neck increasing in severity and featury disfiguring her. She was then placed under the care of the faculty of a well-known hospital, but even the treatment she received there failed to arrest it.



hospital, but even the treatment she received there failed to arrest it e terrible sore. Ecading of 'be many cures of blood troubles effected by S. S. S., we decided to try it, and it relieved her promptly. In a few months she was entirely cured, and scarcely a mark now remains where the disease held full sway." A GUNSHOT WOUND.

Capt. J. H. McBrayer, the well-known di iller, of Lawrenceburg, Ky., says:

progress of the sore. I had heard Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) highly recommended for the blood, and concluded to

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NO SENATOR NAMED

THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE AND ITS LAST DAY.

Wild Scenes and Great Confusion Marked Its Last Hours-The Democrats Elated.

SACRAMENTO, March 18 .- The 104th ballot for United States senator has been taken without a choice, and the joint convention adjourned after being in session six consecutive hours, during which time nineteen ballots were taken. The proceedings were marked with much confusion, the lobby invading the floor of the assembly chamber. The sergeant-at-arms was apparently unable to control the crowd. Seven ballots were taken without result. Cutter, a Grant republican, then offered a resolution providing that when twelve more ballots had been taken adjournment be taken sine die. Cutter's resolution was adopted by a vote of 61 to 58. The balloting continued for twelve ballots with few changer. The twelfth ballot under Cutter's resolution, the nineteenth of the day, and the 104th for the session, gave the following result:

Total number of votes cast, 120 necessary to choice, 61; Barnes, republican, 18; Estee, republican, 1; Burns, republican, 39; Grant, republican, 30 Scott, republican, 4: Patterson, republican, 4; DeVries, democrat, 1; Phelan, democrat, 6; White, democrat, 24; Rosenfeldt, democrat, 2.

a motion was made to reconsider the vote by which the Cutter resolution had been adopted. Dibble raised the point that the joint assembly met under, provisions of the United States statutes, and adjournment sine die could not be taken by resolution, nor while the legislature was in session. Speaker pro. tem. Flint ,who was presiding, ruled that, were the legislature in session on Monday, a ballot must be taken. The motion to reconsider was put to a vote, and lost by a vote of 54 to 63. Speaker Flint declared the joint assembly adjourned.

A scene of wild confusion followed. The democrats who had combined with the Grant republicans to bring about the result, raised a yell of triumph, which was not joined in by the republicans. The legislature, by concurrent resolution already adopted, adjourned BUMBLE BEE reconsidered no other ballot for senator can be taken, as the same vote which supported the Cutter resolution would be cast against an attempt to reconsider the resolution.

NOT NEGLECTING THE PABY.

It Was Their First, and They Couldn't Have the Doctor's Advice Too Often.

The doctor had come in late from a hard day's work, driving from place, feeling pulses, giving encouragement and writing prescriptions. He had eater his supper at 11 o'clock, made a last call on a man with the grip, and had turned into bed, dog tired.

it was long after midnight when the telephone bell rang. The doctor was sunk in a deep sleep. Again the bell rang out sharply and impatiently and continued to ring, but the doctor did not hear it. At the other end of the hall a pale student pored over his book. He was studying law. The bell disturbed him, and he at length decided to answer it and stop the ringing. He took down the receiver and shouted "Hello!"

"Is that you, doctor?" asked an anxious voice.

"Yes , what do you want?" replied the student, who knew the doctor was tired and did not wish to wake him unless the case was serious.

"This is Potts, doctor, H.J. Potts. My wife wanted me to call you up and tell you that the baby woudn't play with his blocks to-night and seemed kind of heavy and dull. What do you suppos? is the matter, doctor? My wife is very uneasy."

"Hum, "said the student, trying to think of something to say. "Is the baby

"No I don't think he is," rep'led the voice. "But he snezed once to night." Ah" said the begus doctor, 'that's

a good sign If he sneezed and is not feverish he is all right. You might give him a little water if he wakes up and cries; if he gets too warm - take some of the covers off. "All right doctor. Much oblige. Sorry

wouldn't go to sleep until I called you up. Good night," "Ah," thought the pale student, "that is \$2 for the doctor. Wish I could earn

to have had to disturb you, but my wife

it as easily," When he told the doctor about his deception the next day he was thanked, and Mr. Pott's bill was swelled by \$2 one-half of which went to the pale

"It's their first baby," explained the doctor, "and they're tickled to death to pay any price for it. I couldn't have given Pott's any better advice myself."

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