TO A BETTER LAND

ROBERT B. CRAYTON PASSED AWAY LAST NIGHT.

Participated in the Rush to the Gold Fields of California in 1848-Work ed in the San Francisco Mint for Many Years.

(From Sunday's Statesman.) Robert Bruce Crayton, an aged resident of North Salem, and well known to the greater portion of the citizens of Salem, died at his home, corner of Market and Sixth streets, at 4:45 p. m. yesterday, after a brief filness, aged 72

Deceased was born in County Tyrone, Ireland, and when a boy came to the United States with his parents, locating at Auburn, N. Y. When the gold They are: discovery in California set the east wild, and adventuresome young men started for the Pacific coast to secure some of the yellow wealth provided by nature in the fastnesses of the Sierras, and in the placers of the Sacramento, Mr. Crayton and his brother John joined the throng. They went into the mines, worked there for a time, then went to San Francisco, where they secured employment in the United States mint. Here they remained eight years. Later they settled in California. Here Mr.Crayton was married, and of the isfornia. Twenty years ago he came to Oregon, locating at first in Portland. and later coming to Salem. In 1888 he married Mrs Mary Jane Scott, the widow who survives him to mourn his demise.

Mr. Crayton was a good citizen and neighbor, and had a large circle of warm and devoted friends in this city and elsewhere.

The funeral will be held from the home at 2 p. m. tomorrow (Monday), and the services at the home will be reader of the Second Church of Christ, Scientist. Interment will be had in City Whole number days taught 20 View Cemetery.

Mrs. Lena Haas.

Mrs. Lenn Haas, aged about 64 years, died at her home on the corner of Ferry and Church streets, about 12 o'clock, midnight, last night, after three weeks' suffering from an internal Tumorous growth. Deceased has been a resident of this city since the early '60s and was well known and very highly esteemed. She was a life-long and devoted member of the Catholic church. Five children survive her, Nicholas and Frank and Misses Marguerite and Anna, and Mrs. Hartman, all of whom reside in this city except the two last named, who reside in Portland. The daughter, Miss Anna, came up from Portland on the overland last night, arriving none too soon at the bedside of her mother before life was extinct. The oldest son is one of the clerks in the office of the Secretary of State.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Ten deeds to Marion county real es tate were filed for record with the county recorder yesterday, the considerations aggregating the sum of \$8375, and one satisfaction of mortgage for \$190. The deeds were:

Mm. Aschenbrenner and wife to E. E. Matten, 80 acres of land in the d. l. c. of James Richey and wife, t 7 s, r 2 w | w, d Elsie L. Lamoureux and Hugh Lamoureux, go Cecil McCulloch, lot No. 2, block 11, University ad-

lot No. 11, block 22, Capital Park addition to Salem, b. for d..... 1000 Adolph Girod to Adolph Banick and wife, 2014 acres of land in section 25, t 6 s, r 3 w., w. d.... Louisa Forstner to Imogene Keyes, lot No. 9 in the Dorrance

Fruit Farm, w. d. 575 Geo. W. Watt and wife so Charles L. Parmenter ,lot No. 8 of block 1, of Watt's addition to Salem, w. d..... Thomas Howe and wife to George Rublofs, three acres in section 10, t 6 s, r 1 w., w. d. Conrad Meyer and wife to W. H.

Rambo, block No. 9 of Mills City,

Roman Catholic Archbshop of the Diocese of Oregon, to George Ruhlofs, one acre of land in the town of Mt. Angel, w. d...... W. F. Ramsden and wife to E. E. Taylor, one-quarter acre of land in 1 6 s, r 1 w., w. d...... 95

ELOQUENT FIGURES

There are times when it may fairly be said that figures are eloquent-for instance, the figures set forth in a tabular statement just given out by the Treasury Bureau of statistics in Wash-ington, which shows in compact form the material progress of the United States in the century from 1800 to 1900. The area of the republic, excluding

Alaska and the island possessions, increased from \$27,844 to 3,025,600 square miles, the population from 5,208,483 to 76,303,387 and the population per square the United States, issued today, shows mile from 6.41 to 25.22.

There were 903 postoffices in the country at the beginning of the century and 76,688 at the end. Receipts from the service grew from \$280,804 to \$102,-354,579. In 1810 there were 359 newspapers in the country, and in 1900 there were 20,806. Railroads first show up in 1830, with twenty-three miles. When the century ended the mileage was 194,321. We have statistics of cotton production from the beginning, when it was 155,556 bales, growing to 9,436,-416. But statistics of pig iron start with 1820, when the production was 20,000 tons; in 1900 it was 13,789,242. The first record of gold is \$2,463 in 1810. It of poultry on farms, June 1, 1900, \$582. reached \$79,000,000 in 1900.

come until 1870, when they were 235,- 1899, 7,709,970; value of eggs, \$1,162,071. 884,700 bushels for the former and 1.- The two dispatches above give sta-094,255,000 for the latter. In the last tistics of important industries for this year of the century they stood at 522 - state. With the dairy and swine 225,505 for wheat and 2,105,102,516 for breeding industries they are among the corn. American vessels engaged in most important, and the next census foreign trade only increased from 669,- will show enormous growth in all these 921 tons to \$26,694, while those engaged |-- and consequently in other directions, in domestic trade grew from 301,919 to for they are among the foundation in-4,338,145. Commerce on the great lakes dustries,

starts in 1820 with 3,500 tons, and

hows 1,565,587 in 1909. These are only sample figures, but they are sufficient to indicate how marvelous has ben our national growth and development in a century, which as nations count their ages, is not a long

A NEW CITIZEN.-Upon the affidavits of J. P. Robertson and E. E Wright, County Judge John H. Scott yesterday admitted Duncan Meikle, a native of Great Britain, to citizenship and his final papers were issued to him by the county clerk.

STATE TAXES PAID

Them in Full, Including Some Delinquencies of Former Years.

State Treasurer Chag. S. Moore yesterday received tax payments frm two counties-Gilliam and Jackson-both for the year 1901, and for former years.

Gilliam Causty

9	Gilliam County.	
d	Balance '94 tax \$ 124.29	
J	Balance '98 tax	
j	Interest '94 tax	
d	Interest '98 tax 1.72	
1	State tax 1901 (in full) 7786.50	
	Agric. College tax (in full) 217.50	
Jackson County,		
	State tax 1901 (in full) \$19,667.44	
1	Agric. College tax (in full) 785.00	
	He also received tax payments from three insurance companies doing busi-	
1		
ness in Oregon as follows:		
ì	British & Foreign Marine \$224.99	
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REPORT FOR THE MONTH IN MCALPINE DISTRICT

A Good Showing Made by the Pupils in Miss Evelyn A. Nash's School-The Roll of Honor.

The following is a report of the school in district No. 58, McAlpine, for conducted by Mrs. J. Q. Wilson, first the month ending March 21, 902, Miss Evelyn A. Nash, teacher: Whole number pupils enrolled 25 Average per cent of attendance ... 96.1

Number cases of tardiness...... 5 Time lost by tardiness (in min.) ... 30 The names of those who were neither tardy nor absent are: Edwin and Roy Given, Jacob, John and Frank Doerfler, George Caspell, Harold, Dolphie, and Herbert Humphreys, Sylvester

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Doerfler, Harry Humphreys, Alex Doer-

fler, Bessie Given, Mary and Maggie

Doerfler, and Lydia Caspell.

The way some of the candidates for county officers are using the Geer landslide to further their own ends is enough to vomit a snipe. Some of these candidates would have you believe they have so loved the Governor that they were ready to lay down their lives for him-and therefore they must be given office, and all others must be frowned upon. This thing has been run into the ground and broken off. Let the ticket be named for fitness and deserving qualities. The Governorship has nothing to do with the case.

000 Nod Looney and Squire Farrar would make a strong team for Senatops. J. H. Settlemier, of Woodburn, would be a very good man to put on the _egislative "ticket."

Anent the entering of the Statesman upon the fifty-second year of its publication, J. T. Cox, now of Salem, says he remembers very well the starting of the paper. He came to Oregon in 1846, when he was 16 years old, with his father, Gideon S. Cox. In order to be able to decide in advance whether the newspaper proposed to be established. would pay, a preliminary canvass was made. Wesley Shannon had charge of this part of the work in the Central Cox was about two and a half miles this side of Silverton; at the Pudding river bridge, just beyond the edge of Howell prairie. This place is now owned by Wright Foshay. When Mr. Shannon arrived at this farm Mr. Cox and his neighbors were out in the harvest field. It was the fall of 1850. The solicitor made known his business, as egon, or if you reside in Marion county, he sat on a bundle of wheat, and with- call on or address H. A. Johnson, in five minutes, and while he rested, he (agent), Salem, Oregon. secured five subscribers for the proposed new paper, and all of the name of Cox. Mr. Shannon remarked then that there could be no longer any doubt of the success of the journalistic venture, when he could get five subscribers one The Statesman and its allied publications now have five regular solicitors working in the Northwest, any one of whom would like to strike such a snap. They have to do some work. and generally some traveling, before they get \$25 in subscriptons-though some of them often average \$100 a week or more, in good territory.

Washington, March 21 .- A special census bulletin on the wool product of that 6444 farms in Oregon reported this product. The clip in the census year amounted to 2,139,504 fleeces, weighing 18,349,660 pounds and valued at \$2,396.

A report on bees and honey and wax produced shows: Number of farms, 8895; number of swarms, 55,585; value, \$160.382; honey produced in the census year, 979,140 pounds; wax, 16,740 rounds value of honey and wax, \$109,247.

Washington, March 22-A census bul-

letin on the poultry and egg industry issued today contains the following figures in the industry in Oregon: Value 524; value of poultry raised in 1899, Figures for wheat and corn do not \$826.697; dozens of eggs produced in

PREPARATIONS FOR THE ESTAB-LISHMENT OF THE INDUSTRY

Are Well Under Way-The Committee of the Greater Salem Club Will Begin Its Canvass for Funds Tomorrow.

(From Sunday's Statesman.)

Mr. Eugene Bosse, the representative TO TREASURER MOORE of a Green Bay, Wis., firm who is engineering the arrangements and carry-Two Counties Made Settlement One of ing on the preliminary work of establishing a flax fibre mill in this city, is very busily engaged in attending to the multitude of details embodied in the preparations initiatory to the planting season.

the Oregon Woman's Flax Fibre Association has arrived and for the past few interest per capita from \$4.29 to 83 days he has had a small crew of hands; cents. at work drying it out and threshing it for the purpose of procuring the seed. Much more land than is required has been offered Mr. Bosse on which to raise what flax is necessary for this year and he is very much pleased with the prospects. He has engaged a house on Front street opposite the old flouring mills, which latter has been leased for the company's needs until a permanent plant can be established, and has moved into it, which is very con-retary N. J. Judah of the Greater Salem Commercial Club yesterday afternoon, in relation to the progress being made in all matters pertaining to the new industry, Mr. Judah said:

"Tomorrow morning, the weather permitting, Chairman Geo. W. Johnson and his colleagues, Paul Sroat, Geo: F. Rodgers, M. L. Meyers and F. J. Wilson, comprising the special committee of the Greater Salem Commercial Club to secure subscriptions for the dise. purpose of installing a flax fibre plant, heretofore arranged for by the club, will start out upon the work, and it is enterprise to the city of Salem and the splendid possibilities of its ultimate growth have so impressed the citizens of Salem that their responses to the requests of the committee in this behalf will be as prompt and as generous as which the plant is to be installed here mantle of charity. as nearly as can be approximated call for a gross subscription of \$600, this sum covering all the expense of repair and application of water power and meeting the further demands of the Willamette Valley Milling Co., in the premises.

"Mr. Bosse, the agent of the Eastern work threshing out the stock of flax purchased from the Oregon Woman's plans for the subsequent development of his work well in hand and there is no reason to doubt an assured and expeditious success.

'It is not the policy of the Greater taking to expedite a business from age of 28 years. which so much of general advantage is sure to emanate and it is not probable that the club will ever ask for public aid for any venture less prom-

NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS."

The Oregon Fire Relief Association has been a success ever since it began business in January, 1895, and is now growing faster than ever before.

Its annual report of December 31, 1901, shows a net gain in amount of igsurance in force of \$2,628,787, which is Willamette valley. The farm of Mr. 50 per cent more than the net gain of any previous year. It paid 135 losses during the year, amounting to \$23,600. It is strictly a mutual institution

which furnishes the best of Fire Insurance at Cost. For further particulars, address A. C. Chandler, secretary, McMinnville, Or-

A Hurry-up Medicine.

Every housekeeper recognizes the need of effective remedies to be used in emergencies; when something must be done right away. Such a remedy is in five minutes, and all having the Perry Davis' Painkiller, for sprains and same name. The subscription price bruises, for strained muscles and for was \$5 a year. There are plenty of the aches and pains resulting from newspaper solicitors now-a-days who blows and falls. Its mission of mercy would like to strike a snap like this began sixty years ago. It is used in all countries. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

THE MITCHELL BICYCLE-Is the seller this season. Call and see them at Mitchell, Lewis & Staver.

MARCH OF PROGRESS.

Students of statistics will undoubtedly find food for thought in the following observations gleaned from the Statistical Abstract that has just been issued by the Treasury Department, which draws some significant comparisons, between the state of our nation today and the prevailing conditions a century ago. We will for convenience reduce the observations to paragraphs: The areas of the states proper have increased from 828,000 square miles in 1880 to 3,026,000 in 1900. Population in same period, 5,300,000 to 75,700,000.

In 1880 Virginia ranked first in population; in 1900 its rank is the seventeenth. Pennsylvania then was second in population and is second now. New York in 1800 ranked third and now ranks first. Delaware from seventeenth in 1800 to forty-sixth in 1900. Among other states we find that since the year 1800 Indiana has moved from the twenty-first to the twenty-eighth: Ohio from eighteenth to fourth. The two latter states were territories in 1800. The flax which he purchased from

In 1865 the public debt per capita was \$78.25; 1901, \$13.45, decreasing the

Eighty years ago the savings banks carried a total deposit of \$1,400,000, with 8,600 depositors; in 1900 over six million depositors have to their credit nearly two and half billion dollars.

WHAT IS HOME?

Recently a London magazine sent cut 1,000 inquiries on the question, What is Home?" In selecting the classes to respond to the question it was particular to see that every one was represented. The poorest and the richest were given an equal opportunity to express their sentiments. Out of 800 replies received seven gems were selected, as follows:

1. Home-A world of strife shut out, a world of love in.

2. Home-The place where the small are great and the great are small. 3. Home-The father's kingdom, the mother's world and the child's para-4. Home-The place where we grum

ble most and are treated the best. 5. Home-The center of our affecfelt that the exceptional value of this tions round which our heart's best

wishes twine. 6. Home-The place where the stomachs get three square meals daily and

our hearts a thousand. 7. Home-The only place on earth where the faults and failings of huthe situation demands. The terms upon manity are hidden under the sweet

A SMELTER.-The Portland Smelting & Refining Corporation, Ltd., filed articles at the State House Yesterday. The company will engage in mining operations, acquire and operate smelting works, and electric power plants, firm behind this venture, is already at with headquarters at Portland. The company has a capital of \$2,000,000. O. M. Rosedale, Dr. F. F. Sedgart, A. C. Flax Fibre Association, and he has all Sandford and E. Barton are the incor-

TO THE ASYLUM.-Sarah Herring. Salem Commercial Club to lend itself Shipley, was examined yesterday by indiscriminately to the raising of bon- Dr. J. N. Smith, pronounced insanc, uses for the establishment of business and committed to the Insane Asylum ventures in this city based upon out- by County Judge J. H. Scott. This is side capital, but in this instance the the second commitment, the lady havclub has felt itself justified in under- ing been previously committed at the

POOR FOOD AND WORRY .- Mrs. Fanny Rowan, aged 43 years, a resident of Astoria, was brought to the ising than the one represented by Mr. Insane Asylum from Clatsop county yesterday, by Sheriff Thos. Linville and an assistant. Poor food and worry are giyen as the cause.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Eight real estate transfers were filed for record with the county recorder yes terday, the considerations aggregating \$1721, as follows: Walter Morley to Wm. J. New-

house, 15 acres of land in the d. c. of Sandford Stephens No. 37. t 6s, r 2 w., w. d...... \$ 817 E. G. Davidson and husband to E. M. Cooper, lot No. 2, block 10, in

Southwest addition to Salem, to G. W. Sturgis, 80 acres of land in section 18, t 8 s, r 2 e., w. d., Martin Cook and wife to L. F.

Marrs, lots No. 3 and 4 of block

2. Highland addition to Salem, w. d Walter Price and wife to Edward Price, lot No. 1, block 13 and lots 4, 5 and 6, block 14, of Pleasant Home addition to Salem, w. d....

Fred Bower and wife to Anton Gillis, one-third acre of land in ts s, r 1 w., w. d..... C. A. Runels to Walter Price, lot No. 1 of block 13 and lots No. 4, 5 and 6, block 14, Pleasant Home

Runeis, lot No. 1 of block 13, and lots 4, 5 and 6, block 14, of Pleasant Home addition to Salem, w.d

The liniment bottle and flannel strip are familiar objects in nearly every household. They are the weapons that have been used for generations to fight old Rheumatism, and are about as effective in the battle with this giant disease as the blunderbuss of our forefathers would be in modern warfare.

Rheumatism is caused by an acid, sour condition of the blood. It is filled with acrid, irritating matter that settles in the joints, muscles and nerves, and liniments and oils nor nothing else applied externally can dislodge these gritty corroding particles. They were deposited there by the blood and can be reached only through the blood. Rubbing with liniments sometimes relieve temporarily the aches and pains, but these are only symptoms which are liable to return with every change of the weather; the real disease lies deeper, the blood and system are infected. Rheumatism cannot be radically and permanently cured until the blood has been purified, and no remedy does this so thoroughly and promptly as S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and sends a stream of rich, strong blood to the affected parts, which

of rich, strong blood to the affected parts, which dissolves and washes out all foreign materials, and the sufferer obtains happy relief from the torturing pains.

S. S. S. contains no potash or other mineral, but is a perfect vegetable blood purifier; and most exhilarating tonic. Our physicians will advise, without charge, all who write about their case, and we will send free our special book on Rheumatism and its treatment.

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TO ROAST MEAT.

There are a few cooks who would not be indignant if told that they did not know how to roast mest, yet there isn't one housekeeper in ten who can do it properly. To begin with, they do not have the requirements, for roasted meat is always cooked before an open fire. What we call roasted meat is really baked meat, and when it is properly prepared it is a very satisfactory substitute.

Meat that is to be cooked in this

way should never be washed but wiped instead, with a damp cloth. If it cannot be cleaned in that way, do not purchase it at all. Do not rub salt and pepper over it, as instructed in the majority of recipes for this extracts the juices, and that is a mistake. Have the oven as nearly red hot as is possible, scatter a little of the fat over the bottom of the dripping pan, lay the meat on it, and put it into the hot oven. Do not put a drop of water into the pan, for if you do the meat will have a taste as if hoiled. Let it remain in the oven, without opening the door, for at least five minutes-longer, if the oven is not very hot. Never mind if does appear to be burning. You want it to sear over quickly so that the juices cannot escape. When that is done, let the oven gradually become cooler, allowing the meat to cook more slowly. When it is nearly half done add salt and pepper. Mix what you think you will need, and apply it a little at a time as you Frank turn the meat from side to side,

If the roast is to be rare, let it cook fifteen minutes for every pound-that is, allow sixty minutes for a fourpound roast. If it must be cooked until white clear through, give thirty minutes to the pound. My friends like it best when cooked twenty minutes .- [Aunt Rhoda, in American Bul-

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the

HURT IN A RUNAWAY-

L. J. Carter, at one time the superintendent of the school for deaf and dumb at Salem, was quite badly injured in a runaway last week, says the Portland Telegram. The Carters are now living at Hood River. Mr. Carter was driving a team near his ranch when the horses became frightened and ran away. The driver was thrown from his seat and the wheels passed over his body. While no bones were broken, Mr. Carter was painfully bruised.

A CARLOAD-Of farming implements is being unloaded for Mitchell, Lewis & Staver, and another is on the lawn fencing. Poultry fencing a speway.

Cloth trespass notices at the Statesman office.

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