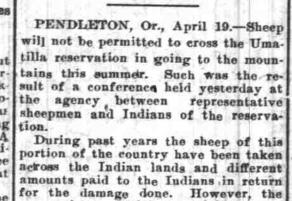
SHALL WERE Statesman. Issued semi-w Oregon FIFTY-FOURTH YEAR-NO. 8. SECOND SECTION-SIX PAGE SALEM. OREGON, FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 21, 1905. joying a royal sport in his hunt for Rocky mountain grizzlies is attested by Secretary Loeb, who returned from the camp today, having spent a nigh with the party. While the only game pulled down thus far is the bear shot BEEF COMBINE APS' FORMAL PROTEST MADE agents' convention, which has been in session in this city for three days, ad-journed without delay. Hyde said, however, he would prepare a statement and transmit it to the committee, cev-**JAPS' FORMAL ACCUSED MEN** future payment of the indemnity in FLEET PASSES MUST ANSWER The agreement comprises three para-FORMOSA ISLE ANSWER TOD graphs, and briefly stated sets forth that China is to pay fifteen days after the signature of the document the sum by the president and a bobent shot by the president and a bobent shot by Lambert, there has been plenty of ree-reation. Every day the dogs have fol-lowed trails that looked promising, showing that more bears will be found in the vicinity now being hunted. The camp will not be moved until Satur-day. Then the party whi locate on the west divide of the creek within twenty miles of its present location and four miles nearer Newcastle. The point toward which the party is work-ing is Bed Stone, where the camp will be broken on May 14. The private ear "Rocket" will pick up the presi-dent there and he will spend the night at Glenwood Springs. The start home will be made May 15, with stops of one day each at Denver and Chicago. Secretary Loeb left Glenwood Springs for the president the store and yesterday morning with the store and yesterday ering the situation as he conceived it. by the president and a bobcat shot by The invitation to address the agents of \$6,000,000 and interest at 4 per cent MONTANA JOINS STATES PROSE-JAPANESE AMBASSADOE CALLS ON MINISTER DELCASSE. was followed by a call of the commit-tee on Hyde with the request that he resign as an officer of the company. on this amount from January 1, 1905, which sum is to be accepted in full pay-ment of all deficits due to the change ST. PETERSBURG HEARS FROM MONTE AND WEIGHT MUST RE-CUTING THE BIG PACKERS. ITS CONFIDENTIAL AGENT. PLY TO MURDER CHARGE. This Hyde declined to do in an from silver to gold. dress in which he said he would con-In the second paragraph China agrees to sign immediately fractional gold HAS FIXED PRICES UNLAWFULLY DEMANDS STRICT NEUTRALITY ELUDES WATCHFUL JAP ADMIRAL WRIGHT PROTESTS INNOCENCE. sider such action "unworthy and disgraceful to the memory of my father." Hyde's speech had followed one by Joseph Bowes of Baltimore, chairman of the agents' committee, in which bonds, expressing the amounts due to each country in the coinage of that Attorney General Galen Files Com-France Said to Have Given Assur-Officials Will Maintain Strong Guard country. Must Have Escaped Watches at Peceplaint in the Name of the ances Sought to Allay By the third paragraph, China underdor Island, Bases of Jap to Prevent Possibility of Bowes recited that the request for his resignation was practically unanimous. These were the developments of the session which began at Hotel Savoy State at Helena. takes in the future to pay the amount Apprehensions, **Operations**. Escape. due each year in twelve equal monthly installments, credited every six months. China will be allowed interest at 4 per Five Members of So-Called Trust to Be this morning. A permanent organiza-tion was effected and officers chosen. Prison Anthorities Refuse to Give Up Land Forces in Manchuria Are Moving London Agog With Excitement Anent cent on the monthly payments made in Summoned to Answer to an Informa-Threatened Complications - Foreign Monte to Sheriff, Both Desiring to advance of these biennial periods. China -Russian Government Learns That The executive committee of the Equittion Charging Them With Illegal may pay also in gold bullion, gold drafts or telegraphic transfer of silver Brown Men Have Begun Northward Office Seems Not Alarmed, But Keep Jurisdiction Over Him-Wright for the pressuent's camp yesterday morning with Elmer Chapman, the courier who brought out the first word able also met today in President Alex-Combination-Must Appear April 25. Advance-Army Preceded by Cavalry May Attempt Alibi Game at Trial. Watches Situation With Anxiety. ander's office, but other than the anat the average monthly London rates nouncement that the demand for each foreign government selecting the method it prefers. Hyde's resignation was discussed nothfrom the camp. ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.-The ministry of finance received a telegram from its confidential agent at Shanghan giving the rumor that Rojestvensky had already passed the Straits of Formona without passed the Straits of Formona BUTTE, April 18.-A Miner special from Helena states that Attorney Gen-eral Galen today filed a complaint in the name of the state of Montana MUST GO 'ROUND ing was given out. Today being the time set by Judge PARIS, May 20.-Acting on Burnett for the arraignment of Harry Wright and Charles Monte, the accused structions from his government, Dr. LOSE THEIR Motono, the Japanese minister to France, called on Foreign Minister Del-**MARKET BREAKS** JOB against the Cudahy Packing Company, men will be taken before the court at 2 o'clock this afternoon to hear the casse this evening and submitted rep-resentations on behalf of Japan con-Swift & Co., the Hammond Packing Company of Chicago, the Hammond Packing Company of Pueblo, Colo., and without encountering Togo. grand jury indictment read, by which they are charged with the crime of SHEEPMEN ARE NOT ALLOWED TO cerning the presence of the Russian NINE PENSION EXAMINERS OF MARGINS IN NEARLY ALL CLASSES WERE WIPED OUT BY UNUSUAL DECLINE. The special that they are charged with the crime of murder in the first degree. The special charge against Wright and Monte is that they assisted and abetted Harry Tracy and Dave Merrill in killing St. Petersburg, April 21.-A telegram from the seat of war in Manchuris. the Armour Packing Company. The attorney general will summon them to appear before the district court on Pacific squadron in Kamranh bay. The CEOSS UMATILLA INDIAN BOARD OF REVIEW HAND IN official communication issued after the states that the Japanese Armies are advancing northward, preceded by cav-RESERVATION. RESIGNATIONS. meeting states that Minister Motono's April 25 to answer to an information action was not, in the character of a Guard Frank Ferrell on June 9, 1902 alry. charging the packing house companies formal protest against the alleged vioat the time of the sensational prison with unlawfully combining for the pur-Government's Wards Refuse all Overlation of neutrality, but was to ob-tain assurances that France would obbreak, by smuggling the guns into the penitentiary foundry with which the bloody deed was committed. If the Claim They Were Induced to This Ac Very General Call for Collateral Goe Saigon, April 20.-A squadron of tor-pedo boats which, with the torpedo boat destroyer Taku, accompanied au-miral Jonquieres to Kamranh bay, repose of fixing the price of certain tutes Made by Breeders-One Hun-Out-Northern Securities Situation tion by Commissioner of Pensions articles of commerce. serve strict neutrality. dred Thousand Head Will Have and Attending Skepticism Aroused Warner on Representation That They state succeeds in establishing this fact Notwithstanding the official version Seventy-Five Miles Longer Boad. by Rumors of Its Dissolution. by its testimony, Wright and Monte, in the eyes of the law, will be equally as guilty as Tracy and Merrill and will Would be Reinstated Shortly. UNITE TO HANDLE BANKBUPT. the evident intention of Motono's misturned to this port this evening sion is in the nature of a protest. For-Credit Men Say Administration Charges London, April 21.-Although the in-formation cabled from Saigon that Adeign Minister Delcasse responded to NEW YORK, April 20.-The cloud of suspicion and distrust, which has be made to suffer the death penalty. Swallow Assets Under Present PENDLETON, Or., April 19.-Sheep the representations of the Japanese WASHINGTON, April 13 .- Nine of Plan. Want Them Punished: minister by pointing out that precau-tions had been taken to preserve neuthe ten pension examiners, constituting miral Jonquieres, who went to Kam-

CHICAGO, April 20.-Growing out of the opposition of the wholesale mer-chants of Chicago to the present bankruptcy law, the organization of a "vooperative adjustment association," has received its first impetus at a meeting tion. of the Credit Men's Association. A resolution was adopted directing President McAdow to appoint a committee to investigate the matter and report at a later meeting.

This adjustment association is to be formed principally for the purpose of settling insolvent estates. In the language of those who urged the plan the formation of such an organization will go far toward doing away with the evils of bankruptcy proceedings, wherein nearly all the assets are swallowed up in the fees of attorneys, ref- at the council were J. E. Smith, William erees and trustees."

The plan advocated provides for the Bert Smith and J. H. Gwinn, secretary organization of a central burcau man- of the National Livestock association. aged by salaried men, with two or three It is said that liberal offers were made attorneys and office assistants. Al- by



sult of a conference held yesterday at which he maintained had not been justhe agency between representative tified by any specific facts. The exact sheepmen and Indians of the reserva- terms of Japan's representations were During past years the sheep of this portion of the country have been taken

AGENTS ASK STATE TO ACT.

Life Insurance Company's

Charter.

ADMITTED TO QUOTATIONS.

exchange committee on, unlisted secur-

ities decided today that the shares of the Northern Pacific railroad, about to

be released by the Northern Securities

NEW YORK, April 20 .- The stock

of diplomacy, they set forth that serious apprehensions had been aroused by the stay of the Russian warships in Kamranh bay and an earnest desire agency is now under more rigid govern- that French neutrality be placed bement, and this year it was understood yond all doubt. The terms of the that throuble would be met with by French response, although not given sheepmen in getting across. out, tend to give ample assurances on all the questions raised.

It was for the purpose of definitely settlin~ the matter that the meeting Reply May Avert Complications. was held yesterday. Sheepmen present It remains for Tokio, to which the Slusher, Kenneth Warner, Joe Connely, whether the assurances are considered to avert serious complications. Howthe sheepmen in return

been gathering over the stock market Harry Wright occupies a strong cell n the Marion county jail and has mainduring the whole week, broke today with some violence. The decline was tained a strict silence since he was contested in the early stages, but it brought here from the Walla Walla gathered force as it was extended. The penitentiary by Sheriff Culver. He is quick exhaustion of the buying demand not allowed the freedom of the corri- tary Hitchcock with the recomendation on the occasional rallies was sufficient evidence to the professional trader that every possible precaution to prevent the prisoner's escape.' Wright, howthe speculative position was still vulnerable. They returned to the attack ever, is used to close confinement, as accordingly again and again and on he had been kept locked in a cell in each successive slump, the weight of the Walla Walla penitentiary for near-the offerings dislodged was greater. Is a year, or ever since he was identi-The market proved to be honeycombed fied by the Washington prison officials with stop-loss orders, which had been as the man wanted in Oregon for fur greatly increased as confidence in the nishing the guns to Tracy and Merrill. The Washington officers are equally stability of the market was impaired.

The amount of the decline was suffi-cient to wipe out some of the margins of the more substantial classes and, in all of the classes of speculative hold-French reply was sent tonight, to say ings, to impair the margin to such an uty Sheriff Charles Raymond of Sno extent as to lead to a very general call homish county also fell victims to sufficient. The opinion prevails here for additional collateral. The principal Tracy's true aim with his 30-30 Winthat Delcasse's answer is of a nature influence in the trading probably was chester during his desperate flight services of whom were never availed the Northern Securities situation and through the two states. For this reathe great skepticism, which was arouse son Wright was kept closely confine and his possible escape guarded on by a swarm of romors centering about the dissolution of the company and the every side. Will Not Relinquish Custody. plants expected to grow out of it. Charles Monte, who is serving a six-

ranh bay in order to assure observance the board of review, were separated of French neutrality by the Russian Pacific squadron, had returned to the flagship, the dispatch does not state whether Rojestvensky's ships are still in Kamranh bay. Neither is there any from the government . service today. Commissioner of Pensions Warner transmitted the nine resignations to Secredors, as the sheriff proposes to use that they be accepted and Hitchcock definite news regarding the progress eastward of Nebogatoff's division. It is considered within the bounds of pos-sibility that Rojestvensky's lingering in Kamranh bay may be due to the conviction that Nebogatoff will soon took the desired action without delay. The resigned examiners assert that representations were made to them, purporting to come from the commissioner,

that should they hand in their resignations matters would be relieved and join him. that their restorations would be made The Post's correspondent at Shang-hai declares that Shanghai is the headin the near future. Commissioner Warner, however made no such representaquarters of the Russian intelligence service diffecting the movements of Rotion to the secretary of the interior. The difficulty involving the board of review was its approval of several penjestvensky. The correspondent reports that indications point to the likelihood sions to applicants whose only claim was enlistment in the Pennsylvania and New Jesrey regiments of volunteers for service in the Civil war, but the

PORTLAND GETS THE CONGRESS

liance with other associations also contemplated, making it national in scope.

MEETING OF RAILBOAD MOGULS.

Discuss Matters of Joint Interest.

tains. SEATTLE, April 20 .- The meeting of the high officials of the Great Northern and the Oregon Railway & Navigation Companies was held in the office of J. D. Farrell, assistant to President Hill, today, for the purpose of discussing matter of joint interest in Eastern Washington. President Hill was expected to be present, but he was called hurriedly to New York after making part of the journey to the coast. Trafic arrangements and invasion of new territory in Idaho by the Northern Pat cific are said to have constituted the topics for discussion. The officials will meet again.

COULD NOT DISPOSE OF COAL.

Urympia Gives Up Attempt to Sel Cargo and Returns With Load of Japs.

HONOLULU, April 20 .- This afternoon the steamer Olympia sailed for an amendment to the society's char Seattle, carrying 593 Japanese, who ter," this amendment to give the pol are reported under contract to work for the Great Northern railroad in Mon" of the society. tana. The Olympia is also carrying back to Seattle a cargo of coal the local merchants refused to purchase.

PRESIDENT ENJOYS BOYAL SPORT

Kills Only One Bear, but Is Having Plenty of Good Recreation.

Company, would be admitted to quota-GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., April tion in the unlisted department 20.-That President Boosevelt is en- April 24.

WE ARE SHOWING A FINE ASSORTMENT OF **Novelty Panama Suitings** See the display in our DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT The prices are extremely low. There is true economy in buying the best. If the quality isn't right, an article is expensive at any price. We pay especial attention to quality, and our meth- WILL NOT OUI? ods of business enable us to sell the best at prices usually asked for interior goods. In our SHOE DEPARTMENT we are making a general cleanup of ODD LOTS which we have put in BARGAIN BOXES at greatly reduced prices. BARNES' CASH STORE

Is Growing Because We Undersell "Regular Stores."

rer, the attitude of the Socialist dep allowed to cross, and it even was prouties promises to bring up the entire posed to employ an escort of Indiana question before the chamber of deputo accompany sheep across. However, ties.

all overtures were refused, and in view of the fact that there is no legal high-The appearance of the question as political issue leads to the feeling in way across the reserve, it appears that Great Northern and O. R. & N. Officials the sheep will have to be taken around. This will mean that about 100,000 head stitutes a considerable menace will have to be trailed seventy-five France, and may operate to weaken the mies further in order to reach the mounrelation between Russia and France.

> As a result of their failure the sheep London Deeply Interested. men are very indignant, and state that they will seek to have a law passed by London, April 20 .- Notwithstanding congress making a public road over the the emphatic protests and shricks of land. However, such action would not indignation from the jingo press, the British government officials decline to relieve the situation until next year.

> admit anything in the far eastern situation as cause for excitement or that show it approaches an acute stage. In Want Amendment Made to Equitable other words, the foreign office assumes the attitude of a much interested spectator of an intensely dramatic situation, approaching a climax in which, by some misedance, Great Brit-NEW YORK, April 18 .- After a ses- ain might be called on to play a part. The announcement in the Paris sion lasting nearly six hours today,

trality. Delcasse's assurances sought

to allay the apprehensions of Japan,

not disclosed, but it is understood that,

while having the usual courteous form

patches to the Associated Press that aside from a short recess, the 200 and D. Motono, the Japanese minister, had odd managing agents of the Equitable called on Foreign Minister Delcasso Life Assurance Society from all over with regard to the question of neutralthe United States, adopted resolutions ity has not changed the views of the asking the New York legislature "to officials at the foreign office, where it ty to the change of passing a steel saw exercise its plenary power by enacting was pointed out today that Japan prob- into the county jail for the purpose of ably had not made a formal protest, icy holders admission to the directorate but simply desired assurances that France would continue to maintain its neutralify and not afford the Russians

any advantage inconsistent with France's responsibilities as a neutral party. The foreign office assumes that France most certainly will give some such assurance to Japan.



Western Nebraska Buried Beneath Deepening Drifts of Snow.

OMAHA, April 20.-A snowstorm Nebraska. Several points report the heaviest snowfall of the year, with a strong wind which drove the snow in blinding sheets over the prairie. The

temperature, however, was not severe. FIGHT TEN BUUNDS TO DRAW. MOUNT PLEASANT, Mich., April

20 .- Gus Gardner of Saginaw and Charley Coffey of Brooklyn fought ten rounds to a draw here tonight.

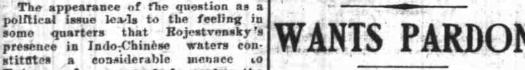
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VICE PRESIDENT HYDE DECLINES

TO BESIGN FROM HIS OF. FICIAL POSITION.

In Reply to Committee Says He Re grets Present Situation and Consid. ers He Would Be Disgracing Memory of His Father if He Got Out.

NEW YORK, April 20.-After Vice President James H. Hyde of the Eqitable Life Assurance Society had informed the committee of the manag-ing agents this afternoon that it would be impossible because of previous engagements to address them today, the



GEORGE H. BARKER ASKS GOVER NOR CHAMBERLAIN TO RE-LEASE HIM JUNE 1.

Serving Five-Year Sentence in Peniten tiary for Passing Saws Into Marion County Jail to Enable John Daly and Others to Escape.

prove him guilty he will be kept George H. Barker, who is serving a five-year sentence in the penitentiary from this county, asks Governor Chamberlam to pardon him in order that he served. may be able to secure work during the coming harvest and earn sufficent money with which to return to his home in Detroit, Michigan. Barker was committed to the penitentiary from this county in June, 1902, upon the plea of guin

aiding John Daly and others in making their escape. Governor Chamberlain is just in receipt of the petition from Barker and has had no opportunity to take official action upon it.

Barker had just completed a three months term in the Marion county jail and upon being released, proceeded to get "under the influence" forthwith, which he succeeded in doing. He had

been out of jail but two days when he passed a steel saw into the jail which was used by John Daly, who was waiting trial upon the charge of the larceny

of an overcoat, and two other county prisoners in an attempt to effect an escape. The attempt was frustrated and

the initiatory act was traced to Barker and blizzard raged today over Western, who made no effort to leave town and was arrested. While the govenor was visiting the pententiary recently Barker asked permssion to speak to him and asked the governor to pardon him, making a full statement of his case. that Wright kept in close touch with Tracy during the latter's flight from justice and will undoubtedly prove damaging to his defense.

At that time Governor Chamberlain told him to address a letter to him setting forth his case fully, when he would give it due cosnideration. This letter

the governor received yesterday. In it Barker says that he was drunk and was not responsible for his action in passing

the saw to Daly. He says that he has been made a trusty by reason of good behavior and close attention to duty. and that he will receive his discharge next September. He sets forth to the

governor that if he were to be pardon ed in June, which will be the opening of the harvest season, he will be able to procure steady employment and earn enough money to buy a ticket to his home in Detroit, Michigan, where he hopes to be with his relatives and lead

a petter life. He also states that his aged mother has died since his incarceration, and that he is suffering impaired hearing and other physical imperfections which cannot be cured while he is imprisoned.

WIFE DIES IN LOS ANGELES. SALT LAKE April 20.- News vas received here today of the death at



ST. PETERSBURG, April 20 .- 4 private circular has been addressed to year term in the Oregon penitentiary the governors of the several provinces for burglary, will not be turned over informing them that the congress of or Pardee, president of the National

to Sheriff Culver, as the prison officials Zemstvoists called for May 7 is proand the Marion county officers propose hibited and instructing them to preto hold concurrent jurisdiction over the vent a departure of delegates to the convict. The Sheriff will go to the pen convention. itentiary this afternoon and, accom-

Sternberg's 322.

by the government.

MINE EXPLOSION KILLS FIVE.

can Revolution.

prisoner has been arraigned upon the CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 20. indictment he will be returned to the A mine explosion in the Cabin creek penitentiary, where he will remain unmines near Kayford, thirty miles above til the case is called for trial, probably here, today, is believed to have resultduring the latter part of May. At no time will the accused man be given ed in the death of five miners and fatal injury to three others. The disaster is thought to have been caused by a powentirely into the custory of the sheriff,

until he is convicted upon the charge brought against him by the Marion carclessness. county officers. If the state fails NEW YORK WOMAN IS ELECTED. confinement at the penitentiary until

the unexpired three years of his six-Mrs. Donald McLean Now Supreme Of year term for burglary have been fificer of Daughters of Ameri-

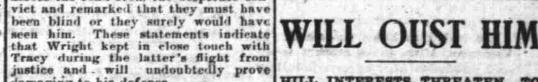
As a matter of precaution extra guards will be stationed in and around the court house while Monte is being arraigned in court this afternoon, an neither Sheriff Culver nor the penitentiary authorities propose to take any chances with the convict.

panied by a prison guard, will bring

Monte to the court house. After the

Protests His Innocence.

It is presumed both men will enter pleas of not guilty, although it is said that Monte confessed to the part he took in the crime some time ago. Wright, however, protests his innocence and says he will be able to prove that he was in Scattle at the time Tracy Neb., has been let to Peter Sims, a St and Merrill escaped from prison and had been there for some time prior to received here today. It is said that that date. Before he was brought to this city he denied seeing Tracy after within ten days. the sensational break, but admitted, calling at a house near Seattle one day just a few moments after Tracy had visited the place. He also said the ton. officers at different times were just across the road from the desperate con-



RECORD CLIP AND PRICE. LEWISTON, Mont., April 20 .- Wool

clips aggregating 300,000 pounds were sold to a Boston firm today at 23 cents per pound, the record for several years.

WILL SETTLE CHINA AGREES TO PAY DEFICIT OWED POWERS DUE TO FALL

After Two Years Mongolian Govern ment Signs Agreement to Make up Shortage-Will Pay \$6,000,000 With Interest.

IN PRICE OF SILVER.

NEW YORK, April 19 .- After two years' discussion, the powers and China of interest'' plan, in which practically will sign an agreement today, according the same board of directors controlled

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20. Mrs. Donald McLean, regent of the New York chapter of the Daughters of the Revolution, was elected president of the national society of the D. A. R., SAYS YOUNG SHOT HIMSELF.

Chicago Man States He Believes He Witnessed Orime of Which Nan Northern from Sioux City to Ashland Patterson Is Charged.

Paul contractor, according to advicer NEWARK, N. J., April 20.-The Vorwaerth, a Jewish newspaper, has received a card from a Chicago man, big force of men will be put to work who says he thinks he was a witness to The extension of the Great Norther from Sioux City to Ashand will unite the killing of Caesar Young, for waich the Great Northern and the Burling-Nan Patterson is on trial in New York City. He says young shot himself.

> of such boards of directors much more difficult.

One of the first changes scheduled to take place will be in the board of the HILL INTERESTS THREATEN TO BEPLACE HARRIMAN ON NORTHEBN PACIFIC. NORTHEBN PACIFIC. NORTHEBN PACIFIC. NORTHEBN PACIFIC. Northern Facine Railroad at the an aual meeting May 18 next. This will be the first meeting held by the stock-aolders of that road in two years and a half because of the stock held by the Northern Becurities Company, Northern Pacific Railroad at the an-

without which there was never a quo-rum. James J. Hill resigned from the Readjustment of Personnel is Planned by Northwestern Railroads-Suboard some time ago because he bepreme Court Has Forbidden Compelieved it illegal for one man to sit as ting Lines to Have Same Directors. a director of competing lines. The Hill interests are said to make

no secret of their intention not to reelect E. H. Harriman, and the latter NEW YORK, April 18.-General reinterests admit that they expect that uljustment in the personnel of the Mr. Harriman will fail of re-election. It is said that the views held by Mr. northwestern railroad directorates concerned in the Northern Securities dis-

solution is soon to take place, accord- Hill are also now maintained by the ing to The Times. This is understood Bockefeller interests, and that for this reason there will in the near future be to have been found necessary in ormany changes in board memberships. If the decision of the western inter der to comply with the decision of the supreme court, under which it is beests is carried farther there may be a lieved that one man cannot be a di rector in two parallel and competing rearrangement of the directors of many of the eastern railroads which are railroad companies.

The discovery upsets one of the working methods of the "community petitors, and whose boards are posed of practically the same man. All this, of course, will not necess ily mean the end of the com was received here today of the death at Los Angeles of Mrs. Schumacher, wife to a Herald dispatch from Pekin, re-of T. M. Schumacher, general traffic garding the payment of the deficit in it is not believed that the decision will manager of the Oregon Short Line. The indemnity due to the fall in the indemnity due to the fall in the indemnity due to the fall in the indemnity for the financiers say it will make the control abandoned,

National Irrigation Convention to Ne Held at Exposition in August. SACRAMENTO, April 20.-Govers-

Irrigation Congress, has issued the an-

nouncement that the next session of

the congress will be held at Portland

from August 21 to the 24th. The gov-

ernor states that he expects the meet-

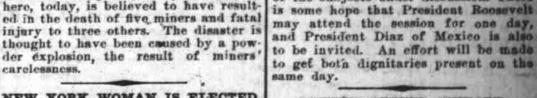
ing will be one of the most interest-

ing as well as the most important over

held by the congress. The United

States reelamation service will be one

of the subjects under discussion. There



COUNTY OFFERS REWARD.

Price Is Placed on Head of Murderer of Frederick L. Dames.

BELLINGHAM, April 20.- The coun" ly commissioners today offered a reward of \$250 for the arrest of the murderer of Frederick L. Dames, the aged butcher, killed here April 11. An ef-fort is being made to have a similar offer made by the city of Beilingham.

