of this meritorious institution. The assembly hall has been used for this purpose for several years, but in the winter months it has been a hard matter to heat the room and furthermore the room is oftentimes in demand on Saturdays for court purposes.

The new room will be appropriately furnished and will prove to be a most desirable location for this popular institution,-Ashland Tribune,

Drain Normal Opens. The Central Oregon State Normal school, located at Drain, opened Tuesday, September 2, and the public school which serves as a training department for the normal opened today. The enrollment at the opening of the normal was 53 per cent in advance of that of last year, and it is expected that the entire enrollment will exceed 300 for the year. The senior class makes a gain of sixteen.

Many teachers are taking work. Necessary funds have been pledged by local people to carry on the school for the ensuing year .- Ashland Tribune.

Two Dogs Caught Killing Sheep.

Two sheep-killing dogs have finally been sent to dog heaven. The greater part of Saturday night was put in by out wealth. What is it that makes that the young woman or middle-aged these two bloodthirsty canines chasing James Griggsby's sheep. Sunday morning two men of the Greenwood district, attracted by the noise of the dogs, shoulderd their guns and set out in pursuit. The dogs were found, both hold of one sheep. They were fired upon, one being killed outright and the other severely crippled. The crippled dog ran and was shot down by two hunters who chanced along.

The extent of damage to Mr. Griggsby's flock during the raid is not yet known. The dogs were not content to kill a sheep and satisfy their ap-petites from its carcass, but chew and tear the fish of numbers of them in a frightful manner.

It is probable that the dogs killed re the ones that have been harrassing Gregory and the surrounding neighborhood the past summer. West Side Enterprise.

Cattle montracted.

A band of 2,000 tead of Grant county cattle for feeder have been contracted for delivery at Sutario on October 1. These will be Rethered from the ranges of the South Frek country and are the property of Brown & Summerville, H. H. Trowbridge, John stockmen of the Izec country, says the Prairie City Miner. The price for which tion. Plenty of sleep is most important; they cleanse and regulate the stomach, the cattle was contracted was \$2.75 a rest in the middle of the day, even if liver and bowels and produce permaper hundredweight, the cattle to be only for a few minutes, on the flat of nent benefit and do not re-act on the increase over the prices offered for beef or feeders a few weeks since, and is an indication that the cattle market has an upward tendency.

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were fed ou Butter creek. This year a large number will be fed in Malheur county, where alfalfa hay can be bought in large quantities for from \$3 to \$1 per ton. Baker City Democrat.

Cornucopia Ore Is the Richest. Considerable excitement was caused throughout the city yesterday when a number of leading citizens witnessed The room is on the first floor and the loading of some 4000 sacks of rich ore from the Union-Companion mines in the Cornucopia district now under the management of Pierre Humbert. This ore was hauled to Baker City at an expense of about \$22 a ton, stored here and re-shipped to the Sumpter smelter at a large expense. Add to this the cost of reduction of the ore at the smelter and it can readily be seen that it must easily values in egeess of \$50 a ton. Those who are posted say that it runs very high and that there is more of it coming before snow flies. The mine is working about sixty men and the management is using every endeavor to take out dividends and develop

the property at the same time. These are the kind of mines that make a camp hum and Baker City is been settled by scientists who have fortunate in having the Cornneopia made a business of measuring moun-camp tributary to it. Besides the Un-tains during the summer. Mount Whition-Companion, there are other mines ney, situated in central California, has

Will Sell the State Cattle.

According to Senator Pierce, who Portland and sold at the coming livestock show to be held there. This will be done under the recent order of the regents of the agricultural college, and the money derived from the sale of the stock will be turned jato the state treasury. With the stock disposed of the station will then be conducted simply as a plant and soil experiment farm, and will be in charge of two

men during the coming year. Although the appropriation given the school by the legislature was held up and was of the opinion that before the by the referendum petition, there is still sufficient money on hand with which to conduct the farm until relied can be secured from the next legislature.- East Oregonian.

The Highest Mountain. The question as to which is the highest mountain on the Pacific coast has

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Hereinfore the large, bands of cat-tle from southwestern Grant county be on the producing list.—Baker City have been driven to Pendleton and Democrat.

The distinction of overtopping the rest, Driver, who came in from Wamic Tues-reaching 14,502 feet above sea level. Mt. Ranier comes next, 14,394 feet. By the way, the long controverted question They were raised on the Norvall place, concerning the name of Washington's where it is likely a large acreage will mountain, has been settled; Vancouver, be planted-The Dalles Chronicle, returned yestreday from Union county, who visited the coast in 1792, fefering the herd of fine cattle at the Union to it as "Ranier." Shista is third, experiment station will be taken to being about 14,200 feet high. Oregonheigst of coast mountains as in their beauty, and we know one thing. Oregon has the grandest mountain of them all. The Daffes Chronicle, . -

> Pendicton Schools. The Pendleton public schools opened esterday morning for the year. Superintendent Traver last evening stated

that he was more than pleased with end of the month there would be at least 150 more pupils added to the enrollment.

The enrollment for the first day the largest in the history of the city schools, being over fifty above the enrollment of the first day last year. Yesterday's attendance was 847, which segregated among the different schools is East End school, 257; Field school, 102; High schoot, 104; North End school, 58;

eighth grade in high school, 37. In addition to the corps of twentyseven teachers, Superintendent Traver will hean classes regularly in the high school. It is believed, however, that with the largest number of teachers the school board has ever employed, it will be necessary to add at least two more teachers in the lower grades before the gle or any warning. This is a prussi first of the year. It is estimated that acid symptom.-Prineville Review. within six weeks the attendance shall have reached 1000 and in that case some of the grades will be crowded .- Pendleton Tribune.

Free Reading Room for Corvallis.

The reception last week at the open ng of the new free reading room was a very pleasant affair. A goodly number of citizens manifested their interest in the undertaking by visiting the rooms and inspecting the improvements. All was entirely informal, friends dropping in for a time to look about and admire the light, airy rooms, so well fitted for their purpose, chatting a while and leaving to give place to others. Many stopped and partook of refreshments with the ladies. Nearly all expressed themselves as being much pleased with the transformation of this formerly unsightly place, and their belief that in the new location the reading room is likely to be well patronized and to be a great benefit to the community. Several gave in their names and became members of the organization.-Corvallis Times.

To Rival Willamette Valley. Eastern Oregon has decided not to allow the Willamette valley to monopolize all the hop raising industry, and we would not be surprised if within a few years we would do a little hopping up this way that would be heard about. Ont in Tygh valley they are sitting up and taking notice along that life, and travelers out that way say that many acres of the Houser place are devoted neighbors up in the Wamie section are not gong to be behind and are experi-

An Idea Suggested.

The new owners of the Eugene elec-

Dredging at Coos Bay. The United States survey boat Arago smount to \$5000, and the work will require about six weeks or two months time. The Arago, however, will probably remain in this vicinity all winter, there being work on the Coquille, also, to be done. Captain Polhemus was ill at Portland when the Arago left there, but Capt. Tyler, master of the Arago, expects him to arrive here near the middle of the week to take charge of the dredging-Marshfield Const Mail, to John Sloan died under suspicious circumstances Friday. Mr. Sloan is

Helping the Dog Catcher. Many dogs were poisoned last week porter. some party or parties unknown. Whoever did this work went about it in some cases like scientists. Strych nine was freely used, and occasionally a dog would drop dead without a strug-

Astoria Is Improving.

A prominent Portland capitalist, who was in the city yesterday, and who visits Astoria frequently, was surprised at the amount of improvements going less than \$10,000 these could be supon. He stated that Astoria was the most prosperous city on the coast and that if a few of the property owners who own the bulk of the business proptheir property the city would be still Register a short time agd. Eugene more prosperous. When he lived here will have a very creditable library and twenty years ago all the business was done on Bond street and on Ninth street. Today the business is done on Commercial street, the merchants being compelled to move out of the tumbled district fair, which closes this evening,

down shacks which are a disgrace to las p the city.-Astorian.

The range war is in it no longer. proven an eye opener to our own p and the Portland Journal, and the hon- many who expected only meager of ors seem to be equally divided. Crook plays and these of mediocre merit, county is the issue, and it appears to contrast thereto the pavilion was fill be worth fighting over .- Princyille Re to far more than its real capacity for

Of course, all of them do not indulge, exhibit space of the present building but some have acquired the beer habit, can be filled next year with high class, and these like their booze as regularly exhibits there is now no doubt. - Rose as the old-time case-hardened toper. arrived yesterday from the Columbia, William Draper has a dog that has out the bay. The funds on hand for the dog, Teddy, tries to get drunk every prosecuting of the dredging operations night, and generally succeeds Al Hill's dog is now taking the first downward

Valuable Horse Dead. A \$2000 Norman stallion belonging

Carnegie Library Building. At the meeting of the Eugene library board last evening bids for the new The board would make no announcewas that of \$8540 submitted by W. O. Adams Advance. Heckert, and that the contract will undoubtedlf be given to him. The board had omitted from the plans a number of conveniences, thinking that if the necessary part could be erected for plied extra. The figure bid also allows tude of pickers. the use of a better quality of materials that very soon .- Eugene Reporter,

The twelfth annual exhibition of the

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and insures safety to life of mother and child, and leaves her in

had many meritorious features. If no ing more had been accomplished it is display in several departments, and the ownership of water and light plants recently voted. Say, this suggests an idea for other cities,—Albany Democrat.

Follow the Example of Their Masters another fair is held the coming year the dogs of Princeville are in general departments, and the opinion was freely expressed that error another fair is held the coming year the exhibit space must be fully doubled. That a structure of twice the floor and crat.

and will begin the work of dredging been a soak for years. The Review Thomas Bayne Meets a Fearful Death, half miles from Helix, by being dragged

he visited his brother, Henry Bayne, on Monday night, and was returning home, He had stopped the team to repair the rural telephone line in which his uncle, D. B. Richardson of Helix, is interestwith malicious intent.—Eugene Reporter.

ed. He had scarcely alighted from the
rig when the horses, becoming frightened at a peal of thunder, started to run away. In some way Mr. Bayne's duster had caught on the fender of the vehicle and as the team started he was drawn between the brake and wheel, Carnegie library building were opened. His clothing became bround up and Mr. The board would make no announce- Bayne was securely fastened, being un-ment further than that the lowest bid able in any way to free himself.—

> In the Vicinity of Gresham. The hop picking season in Oregon is now at its height and a pleasant and profitable business it seems to be both to the owners of yards and the multi-

Oregon is the banner hop state and in a number of places. A full description of the plans was published in the tity. Oregon hops are world-famous, bringing the highest prices

The only hop yard in this vicinity is that on the Mountain View farm; owned by W. W. Cotton, now leased by H. E. Davis. This is the only hop yard in this part of Multnomah county, there being but one other in the country located west of Portland.

Mr. Cotton's yard covers forty acres, One half the yard is about eleven years old, and the remainder is now two years old. Nearly seventy pickers are now engaged in harvesting the fine crop. Nearly all of these are from Gresham and vicinity. Several are camping on the ground. Pickers are receiving one cent a pound, and this means about \$1,-200 will be earned in this way in this

Mr. Davis says the dryer has a capacity of 180 sacks a day. Next year a new and more modern dryer will be

in the world, in fact, for hops," says Mr. Davis, "than right here in eastern Multnomah county. "- East Multnomah

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gardless of district limitations. The lady securing the greastest number of votes in the five districts will be entitled to first choice of prizes offered; the lady in the remaining four districts securing the greatest number of votes will be entitled to second choice of prizes; the lady securing the greatest number of votes in the remaining three districts will be entitled to third choice of prizes; the lady securing the greatest number of votes in the two districts will be entitled to fourth choice of prizes; the lady securing the greatest number of votes in the last district will be entitled to fifth choice of prizes. The scholarships are to be given to the ladies securing second

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