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We will be glad to have you call and inspect them, whether you intend purchasing or not.

## FIGURES ON RAPID TRANSIT

Cleveland, O., March 16.—Mayor Tom L. Johnson last night told of rapid transit future to the members of the Cleveland Civil Engineer Club, at their annual banquet. He predicted that the trip from Chicago to New York will be made over a sort of toboggan slide electric road in two hours.

It has long been an open secret that Johnson was ambitious to perfect a device for annihilating time in rapid transit. For several years he has been working on his hobby along strictly original lines, until at last he has reached a point where he ventures to hint at the method of invention.

"The engineer's work," the mayor said, "is one of the essentials of modern life. For instance, do you think we ought to be satisfied with a 20-hour schedule between New York and Chicago? By no means. Although the wheels and track will not allow a speed of more than 200 miles an hour, I believe many of you will see the time when two hours or better between the cities will be commonplace.

"If we can control electricity, and work it along a straight line as we do now in a circle, when used, we will have the problem solved. And it is far easier than heretofore thought. Then people will be shot across the continent on a sort of shuffle slide railways, something like a toboggan slide, drawn by magnets. It is an early event of the future."

## BULLET PROVED FATAL

Santa Rosa, March 16.—Herbert Fowler, aged 19 years, shot and killed himself last night in a residence at Sonoma, where a dancing party was being held. He was jealous of a girl, and blew out his brains in front of the entire company.

### Army Officer Shot.

Lieutenant F. M. Boone, of Vancouver, was shot by three guards while attempting to escape yesterday. He was under a sentence of one year for desertion, and obtaining money under false pretenses, and his efforts were to escape the punishment. He left the army post with a woman of questionable reputation, his wife and child being in destitute circumstances. After an absence of three months he returned, and his trial and conviction followed.

## MONEY SECURED AT LAST

London, March 16.—A News Agency dispatch states that the details of the Russian loan have been settled. It will be issued at under 90 per cent, bearing 5 per cent interest, redeemable in eight years. The financiers who engineered the loan received a large commission.

## COUNCIL SUPPORTS GENERAL

St. Petersburg, March 16.—The council has decided that General Gripenberg's action during the fighting on the Shakke river was perfectly justifiable. He was accused of exceeding his orders in pushing beyond Sandepu, and becoming involved in an engagement, in which he lost heavily. Gripenberg claims his loss was due to the failure of Kuropatkin to support him.

### After Baltic Squadron.

The Japanese fleet is after the Baltic squadron, and a sea battle may be the result. The former are determined that the new squadron shall not reach its destination.

## REFUSED RIGHT OF WAY

Peoria, Ill., March 16.—The board of supervisors of Peoria county refused permission to the Prairie Oil Gas Company, the Kansas branch of the Standard Company, to lay a pipe line from Kansas to Indiana, across certain highways in the northern part of the county. Unless they reconsider their action, the work on the line will have to stop.

## ADMIT RATES UNJUST

Chanute, March 16.—In the Santa Fe oil case today Forrester Allen, manager of I. N. Knapp, an independent oil producer, continued his testimony. Allen produced letters from the railway officials regarding the increasing of freight rates, which threatened to wipe him out. The officials admitted that the rates were unjust and arbitrary, but they had no option but to execute the orders of their superiors.

## ANOTHER ITALIAN MINISTRY

Rome, March 16.—The king today issued a decree reconstituting the former ministry, with Signor Tittoni as premier. A vote of parliament, endorsing the ministry, will be sought March 21st.

### Guggenheim Is Dead.

New York, March 16.—Meyer Guggenheim, the copper magnate, and head of the well-known family of that name, is dead at Palm Beach of pleuro pneumonia, aged 75 years. He built the smelting works at Pueblo. He leaves seven sons.

### Primary Laws Compiled.

In compliance with the directions of the last legislature, Secretary of State Dunbar has caused to be published a pamphlet containing the full text of the primary law which will govern primary elections in Portland this spring. A copy of this pamphlet will be mailed to any citizen of Oregon on application.

Great crowds have been attending the Hinges jewelry auction sales every afternoon and evening, and so far very few articles have brought the original cost.

# CHICAGO STORE

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## Wednesday and Thursday Underpricing Sale

The new foundation on which the Chicago Store stands is this: First of all the newness of its goods; second, the quality and durability of its goods; third, a big volume of business; fourth, we sell our goods cheaper than any store in Salem. That's why we are growing so fast. We have on sale for these two days several lines of new goods, priced away down to induce quick selling. Read on:

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\$20.00 silk suits; they are beauties; special price . . . . . 12.50  
\$27.50 silk suits; swell garments; price . . . . . 18.50

### WOOLEN SUITS.

This line of suits is New York's latest creation; beautifully trimmed and made of the latest materials.  
\$18.00 Panama suits . . . . . \$12.50  
\$25.00 swell suits . . . . . \$17.90  
\$35.00 novelty suits . . . . . \$23.50

### SHIRT WAISTS.

We are showing a beautiful assortment of new spring shirt waists; small prices.

### DRESS SKIRTS.

We are doing the business in this line of goods. We have here ready for you the newest goods, Mohair, Sicilian, Panama, Etamine and Voile, in all colors, black, navy, brown; mode and fancy shades; all prices from \$2.90 up to \$8.50.

### MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

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## BRANTON AWAITS TRIAL

Eugene, Or., March 16.—Instead of giving John Branton a hearing before the justice of the peace, as is customary, District Attorney Brown yesterday filed an information against him in the circuit court, and he was bound over in the \$5000 bonds to appear at the adjourned term of the circuit court on April 14th. It is not believed that he will furnish the bonds, but he will probably remain in jail pending the trial for assault with intent to kill.

The county court is not decided on the question of having the body of Branton's first wife exhumed for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not she was poisoned. The matter is being considered by Judge Chrisman, and if sufficient evidence is presented to show a probability of making a case, it is probable the body will be exhumed. There is a strong sentiment in favor of having the matter investigated to ascertain the cause of the death of Branton's wives.

Attorneys who were interested in the divorce case of Hester Grace Price against her husband are inclined to doubt the rumor that it was for the purpose of marrying Branton that the divorce was secured. While there might be such a possibility, yet there were circumstances which would seem to argue against such an alliance.

### Opened at His Risk.

Forest Grove, March 16.—The city council last night instructed the ordinance committee to grant a saloon license to A. G. Watson, the only applicant so far. Watson has a saloon building nearly completed, and intends to open up for business, in spite of the application for a permanent injunction against him made by the Pacific University, and now pending before the courts. In taking out a license, Watson will run the risk of losing part, at least, of his license money, if the injunction holds.

## NEW TODAY

For Rent.—Two nicely furnished rooms 486 Liberty street, phone 506 White. 3-14-1wk\*

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Agents Wanted.—Responsible agents to sell retail stores Patent Cash Pipe. Quick seller; large profits; permanent business; exclusive territory. Van Wynen Novelty Co., 725 Broadway, New York. 4-16-1t

Lost.—A Martin Fur, between the penitentiary and L. C. Griffith's place. Finder please return same to Journal office. 3-16-3t\*

Wanted.—To purchase a team, weighing from 1200 to 1400 pounds, from 4 to 7 years old. Call at the Oregon Nursery Company, 12th street. 3-16-1wk

### Trolley Line to North Bend.

Marshfield, Or., March 16.—The announcement is made that an electric car line will be built between Marshfield and North Bend. This is a result of the purchase of the 600 acres of the Flanagan estate for \$50,000 last week by Frank B. Waite and John Shahan. Mr. Waite was called to Roseburg today by the death of his father. John Shahan will arrive from Los Angeles in the morning, and take charge of the property.

### Nicaragua Treaty Ratified.

Washington, March 16.—The senate this afternoon ratified the extradition treaty with Nicaragua. Senator Morgan took the floor for the afternoon in opposition to the Santo Domingo treaty.

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