# THE MORNING OREGONIAN, FRIDAY, 'FEBRUARY 22, 1901.

# NOW UP TO ROGERS Jones' Reapportionment Bill Passed Both Houses.

# WAS A REPUBLICAN VICTORY

Democrats Solid in Opposition, and Leader in Senate Said Not Only It, but Others, Would be "Butchered" by Governor.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 21 .- The Jones reapportionment bill passed both houses of the Legislature today, after a stormy and desperate filibustering effort of the solid Democratic minority in each house to delay action. All sorts of amendments were offered, dilatory motions made and delay tactics resorted to, Finally, however, the bulky Republican majority tri-umphed and passed the bill. This result was not accomplished, however, until Merritt, the Democratic leader in the House threatened that Governor Rogers would not only veto the bill, but would "butcher your close corporation Republi-can bills as well." Seeing that his re-marks were excluting considerable atten. documents. marks were exciting considerable atten-tion, Mr. Merritt proceeded to disclaim that he was speaking authoritatively for the Governor. He declared, however, that the bill was a gratuitous insult to the chief executive.

In the Senate, Tolman, on behalf of Mantz, who was absent, offered a minority report on the Jones bill, making the representation 80 in the House and 34 in representation so in the mouse and so in the Senate, as at present, but changing the apportionment in several particulars. This report was voted down by a strict party vote and then a recess was taken until after lumb

party vote and then a recess was that until after lunch. When the session was resumed the Dem-ocrats offered 32 amendments to the bill, insisting in a majority of instances upon a roll-cull. Finally all their amendments were voted down, and the bill was placed on its final passage. Several speeches were voted down, and the bill was placed on its final passage. Several speeches were made by the Democrats in opposi-tion to it, but finally a vote was had and the bill passed. A motion was made to transmit it to the House immediately, but the Democrats protested that the mo-tion was out of order. President Mc-Bride ruled against them, and an appeal was taken from his decision, which, of course, was not sustained.

Crow of Whitman made an excited speech, in which he accused McBride of unfairness. The latter put the motion while Crow was wildly brandishing his Crow's glasses fell off during his declamation, and altogether the scene was ludicrous in the extreme. The motion is

transmit was carried. When the bill came up in the House under special order at 2:15 the Democrats showed by their action at the outset that they proposed to delay matters as long as it was possible. Jones introduced a substitute bill for the one before the House. It was in reality the Senate bill, but could not be termed such as the but could not be termed such, as the upper house had not yet passed its bill. Merritt sought to question the right to introduce the substitute, but was ruled against by the chair. Then the reading the bill was taken up and the fun be-

Before the close of the afternoon the realizing that the Republicans were tired of the minority tactics and were prepar-

for the incidental expenses of the Attor-WISE ney General's office House bill No. 181, appropriating \$3500 from the fish hatchery fund for the maintenance of salmon hatcheries Substitute Senate bill No. 76, by Sharp, reducing the open season in which prairie SILVERTON MAN WHO chickens may be killed. It makes the open season from August 15 to September 15. Senate bill No. 125, by Smith, relating to the collection of delinquent taxes, ex-Clyde Vaughn, Who Struck Girl With Az, Pleaded Guilty to Astending the term for the collection thereof, etc Senate bill No. 188, appropriating \$841 for the relief of H. N. Price. Senate bill No. 25, appropriating \$2000 for a fish hatchery on the Grand Ronde SALEM, Or., Feb. 21.-After being out four hours this afternoon the jury in the Benjamin Wise, of Silverton, arson

River in Asotin County. The Senate then took up the reapporonment bill.

### IN THE HOUSE.

Resolution Adopted to Investigate the State Printer's Office.

the preliminary examination. Clyde Vaughn, who struck Lulu Jones, a young girl, over the head with an ax OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 21.-As the re-sult of a resolution adopted by the House at Jefferson last Fall, today pleaded guilty to assault with a dangerous weapon and will be sentenced Monday. The origthis morning, the office of State Printer Hicks will probably be investigated by a committee, to consist of two House members and one Senate member. Shortly after the House convened Gorham of Snohomish introduced a resolution in-structing the State Auditor not to draw any more warrants for the State Printer inal charge was assault with intent to UNUSUAL CASE OF DEBT-PAYING. Chicago Man Settles Corvallis Debts until notified so to do. This resolution was followed with another to the effect Which He Contracted in 1876. that the State Printer's office be investi-

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sault With Dangerous Weapon.

CORVALLIS, Or., Feb. 21-An unusual ase of debt-paying is transpiring in this ocality. It is an instance of the man, gated, so far as it relates to the charges against the state for printing Legislative Gorham made a short speech in explanation of his resolutions. He stated that several weeks ago the State Printer had

locality. It is an instance of the man, who in younger days fell into debt, and after 25 years of unexplained absence, turns up to cancel outlawed obligations. The man is Ed V. Price. He came to Benton County from Missouri in 1870. He taught school for a time on Soap Creek, and was later assisted by John Wiles in the purchase of a band of cattle that was taken to Crook County, an enterprise in which Price returned to Benton County and engaged in farming. In this undercome to the committee on printing with tears in his eyes, begged that a deficiency appropriation bill be passed, in order that he could continue to run his office. He stated to the members that he had no money with which to pay his employes, and that unless money was forthcoming he would be compelled to close down. and engaged in farming. In this undertaking he also failed, retiring after a brief period, practically penniless, and After considerable wrangling among mem-bers of the House and Senate, a bill was brief period, practically penniless, and indebted to a number of persons. A friend finally passed appropriating \$15,000 for the office of the State Printer. That was bought up some of the outstanding claims against him at 50 cents on the dollar, and Price disappeared, going, it was believed to Torses two weeks ago. The Governor signed the bill, and the money has since been was believed, to Texas. Nothing was heard of him until a few weeks ago when a letter from him was

received by Walter Wiles, of the First National Bank. The letter enclosed a draft to cover the debt owed to John draft to cover the debt owed to John Wiles, and made inquiry concerning other of Price's creditors. It stated that the writer was in position to take up all ob-ligations, and desired to pay every farth-ing that he owed. Debts due Sol King, Sam Young, of Albany, and Mrs. E. Chen-oweth, have been since paid off, and ar-rangements are pending for payment of similar balances to the late firm of Jacobs & Neurass, and to the heirs of the late & Neugase, and to the heirs of the late Max Friendly. Price is the senior mem-ber of a wealthy firm of Chicago wholecalendars. They also fear that he is charging the state for matter for which he salers and importers.

is not entiled to pay. Both of Gorham's resolutions were adopted, and if the Senate sees fit to

Pendleton is the Base of Supply, and transmit was carried. When the bill came up in the the transmit was carried. PENDLETON, Feb. 21-Heavy draft ficials to remunerate, if in their judg-ment the same should be done, deputy horses are being bought here by W. F. Matlock, for shipment to Dawson, Alaska, Only well-bred animals are taken, prices paid being floo to filo. Phil Brian, an experienced Alaskan stampeder, will have charge of the shipment. Mr. Matiock, who owns business property at Juneau county officials who held office during the Populist reign of three or four years ago. In those days the Populist officials saw fit to reduce the salaries of some deputies to as low as \$5 per month. The deputies performed the duties of their office, hop-ing that the officials would see the error of their way, and allow them just com-pensation. But the officials did nothing of the kind, and the deputies now seek and Skagway, will spend the Summer in Alaska. Want Accrued Interest in Cash.

Another effort will be made by the Indians on the Umatilla Reservation to convince the Department of the Interior relief through the Legislature. At the request of the Prosecuting Attor-Before the close of the afternoon the House was a dozen times in an uproar and it was impossible at times to find a dozen members in their seats. Merritt introduced amendment after amendment. He had a stock of them on his desk and when he got tired of offering them him-self, he turned one over to a fellow Dem-ocrat. Each time a roli call was demanded and the result was the same, the minor-ity voted for the amendment and the Republicans against it. Finally Merritt, realizing that the Republicans were tired that they should receive in cash the in-terest accruing from funds held by the Government as a result of sales of reservation lands. The department's policy has been to expend the money by making improvement at the agency. Chief Paul Showaway, of the Cayuse tribe, is ar-ranging for a deputation of Indians to go to Washington this Summer and hay their care before the Secretary of the Interior case before the Secretary of the Interior In the House this morning Jones of King introduced a bill authorizing city and county officials to submit to the people at the next general election the question of buying voting machines to be used at election time. dangerous.

sistant janitor about the Capitol build ACOUITTED ing made the affair a subject for an un-usual amount of lobby gossip, and efforts were made to connect it with the Senatorial fight. Representative Poorman re-fuses to make any statement about it and the prisoner will not talk. Mr. Poorman, WAS appears, however, to have been acting simply for the bank in the matter. ASTORIANS VICTIMIZED.

### By a Man Claiming to Be J. P. Morgan's Son.

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ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 21.-A clever confi-dence man has been operating in this vi-cinity for the past two weeks, posing as the son of J. Plerpont Morgan, the multimillionaire and banker of New York. The name he gave J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., carried sufficient weight, and he intimated case brought in a verdict of acquittal. This verdict was a complete surprise to all, for it was the almost unanimous beto capitalists and business men that he was here to buy the coal fields in the Lower Nehalem country for the syndi-cate which he represented. He spoke falef that the jury would return a verdict of guilty within a few moments. The state made a better case than it did on miliarly of the great financier, and of the members of his family, but grew most entertaining when describing his experience in experiing properties all over the world, whereby he made \$60,000,000 annu-ally for his pseudo-father's banking-houses. He organized an exploration party, and in consideration of \$6 being paild down, made over to each man an illeged mineral claim is Northern Weiner. alleged mineral claim in Northern Wash-ington, which he promised to buy back at prices ranging from \$10,000 to \$30,000; also they were to accompany him on a pros-pecting trip to China. This morning he decamped, neglecting to pay his board bill or leave his forwarding address. He succeeded in borrowing several sums about town aggregating \$200 or \$300.

### IDAHO LEGISLATURE.

### Memorial to Congress on Chinese Exclusion.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 21 .- The following emorial to Congress was introduced in the lower house of the Legislature today, and will undoubtedly be passed:

"To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States-Your memorialists, the Governor and Legislature of the State of Idaho, would most respectfully but urgently ask for the passage of a law extending all laws now in force prohibiting and regulating now in force prohibiting and regulating the coming to this country of Chinese persons and persons of Chinese descent, and more espelally the act of Congress of May 5, 1892, for a further period of 10 years from the expiration of the same, on May 5, 1902, and your memorialists would further ask that such laws be ex-tended to include Japanese and those of Japanese descent."

The Legislative reapportionment was introduced in the Senate yesterday by McBeth. It provides for 46 instead of 45 members of the House, cutting two from Latab, one from Ada, one from Bannock and one from Canyon, and add-ing one to Nez Perces and one to Idaho. It is a production of the Fusion caucus, and it is expected it will go through as presented, with the possible exception of adding one to Latah, making the total 47.

# SEVEN MORE BODIES.

### Taken From the Cumberland Mine on Vancouver Island.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 21 .- Seven additional bodies have been recovered from the Cumberland mine. Like the others found, they had evidently been going to-ward No. 6 shaft when cut off by the afterdamp. All were lying on or under the fallen timber and debris. Several had arms or legs broken. They seemed to have been choked to death by the afterdamp while trying to crawl over the cave-in, which had failen before they reached it. They were not burned, but were almost unrecognizable from the ef-fects of the great heat which followed the sealing of the pit's mouth and the stopping of the fans. There were six funerals today.

A petition to the British Columbia Gov-rnment is being largely signed, asking that an inspector be charged with the duty of inspecting not only every mine, but every miner employed in this province, so that inexperienced or incompe-

Simpson of Polk excessive mileage. He had been given 254 miles and Simpson 274 miles for traveling to and from Portland, As a matter of fact, both had traveled by boat, and he was only entitled to a mileage of 30 and Mr. Simpson of 50 miles, and asked that the changes be made accordingly. The changes were ordered to be made

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### May Buy the Ping Suey.

SEATTLE, Feb. 2L-The Quartermas-ter's Department is negotiating for the of a performent is negotiating for the purchase of the hig freighter Ping Saey, of the China Mutual Line, which arrived here Tuesday to load for her first voy-age from Sentile to London. The price offered for her outright is in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000

The department will in the future follow the policy of buying steamers instead of

chartering them by the day. The Government will in a short time start a line of versels between here and the Philippines. Two more ships will also be purchased by the department.

Millitary Orders. VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Feb. 21 .-Corporal Denard L. Parsons, of Company C. Seventh Infantry, and Walter J. Me-Donald, of Company K. Third Infantry, have been transferred to the general reince, so that inexperienced or incompe-tent workmen may not endanger the lives of other miners. cruiting service and assigned to duty in Portland. Jacob O. Berven, Hospital Corps, of this post, has been sent to Fort British Columbia, but that owing to the failure of the members of that commis-

will return to Fort Flagler for duty.

nilcage had allowed both himself and a large number of the miners and mine owners who have properties in the Cas-cade region, particularly in the State of Washington, that great trouble and prob-able bloodshed will result at the opening of the season, in the month of March, if no arrangement is made whereby the disputed question of the boundary may

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be settled, temporarily, at least. The original Northwest boundary sur-vey cost the Government approximately \$500,000, and at that time it was decided by the joint commission representing the United States and Great Britain, it would be inadvisable to attempt to mark the boundary through the dense forest in the Cascade region. It was believed at that time that it would be generations before the country along the 49th parallel between the Rocky Mountains and the Puget Sound district would be set-tled, but it is admitted by both the United States and Canadian authorities at this time that the discovery of rich mineral deposits along nearly the entire section of country through which the parallel passes, has resulted in precipitating a necessity for an immediate definite re-

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location of the boundary, and supplying of additional monuments. Officials of the Canadian Government intimate that it was intended that part of the work of the International Com-

mission, appointed in 1898, would be to settle the disputed boundary question betwen the State of Washington and

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ing to put an end to further proposed amendments, caused a map to be hung on the wall back of the Speaker's desk and attempted to point out how the Re-publicans had gerrymandered Spokane County. When he finished his picturespeech, he returned to his desk and made his real argument against the proposed Jones bill. He claimed that the Republicans were attempting to force down the throats of the Democrats "an unjust, un-fair and unconstitutional bill." The Dem. ocrats from his county had not been consulted by the committee having the blil in charge; they were not even allowed to w how the city and county were being He predicted that retriburedistricted. tion would fall upon the Republicans for action. Then he continued:

You have gratuitously insulted the Governor of this state by forcing this down our throats and I want to warn you that you need not go to him with any of your pet measures and ex-pect any consideration at his hands. He He will have his ax ready and he will use it on every one of you." When he had proceeded this far it evi-

When he had proceeded this far it evi-dently occurred to him that he was not talking good politics and retraced his steps and proceeded to apologize for his words. "I want you to understand," he said "that I am not here speaking with any authority. I am not speaking for the Governor nor my party, but I am telling you what you would do, what I would do if we were the Governor. As he was talking against time, Morritt would probably here control was talking against time, Merritt uld probably have continued until ck, but the Republican members, tired would probably of their indulgence towards the minority, told Mr. Merritt that he had exceeded his limit of 15 minutes and would have to sit down. This he did under protest. appealed to the members to delay final action on the bill, but his tactics were understood, and after permitting him to have his book of amendments made part of the record, together with a resolution appealing for "a just apportionment," the bill was placed on third reading and final sage. The Republicans voted solidly the bill with the exception of Jerard, of Columbia, who feels that his county

of Common, has not received justice. The bill, as finally passed, makes the Legislature consist of 42 Senators and 53 Representatives. Under the final caucus agreement the bill as passed provides that no county shall lose in its representation from what it now has. Many features of the bill are unfair, one of the most glaring of these features having caused Representative Jerard to vote against it, even though in doing so he bolted the Republican caucus.

Both branches of the Legislature ad-journed today until Monday. Tomorrow, Washington's Birthday, is a legal holiday and will be utilized by the Legislature in an excursion to Everett to inspect what the city has to offer in the way of capi tol inducements.

### IN THE SENATE.

### \$5500 Appropriated for Fishing Industry-Number of Bills Passed.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 21.-In the Sen. ite this morning a petition from numerous fruit dealers in Everett and Snohomisi was read, urging that the horticultural law of 1899 be not repealed.

The Senate receded from its amend-ments to House bill No. 60, amending the pliotage law. The Senate amendment was to strike out the emergency clause. The emergency clause was passed.

House bill No. 76, by Comstock, providing for free kindgertartens in any school district that might wish to establish one, failed of passage. The vote was 16 to 5, 15 votes being necessary for passage. Ten enators were absent. The following bills were passed:

House bill No. 182, by Ingraham, making the adulteration of paris green, london purple, etc., a misdemeanor House bill No. 169, appropriating \$230 was in the Orient.

### IDAHO LEGISLATURE.

House Will Receive No Bills After Monday-Talk of Extra Session. BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 21.-The Senate ad-journed today till Monday: the House till Saturday. The principal business in the Senate today was the action of the com-mittee of the whole on the proposed academy at Pocatello. The appropriation was reduced from \$25,000 to \$15,000, and then recommended for passage. The bill appropriating \$2000 for repairs to the

wagon road between Yankee Fork and the Custer County line passed. In the House a resolution by Davis passed unanimously prohibiting the pre-sentation of new bills after Monday. There are now 135 bills to consider and less than two weeks of the session. All these bills

must be gone over in both houses, while from the Senate will come forty odd. Senate bill authorizing a tax in counties for the establishment of local free libraries passed.

Two joint memorials by Mounce passed under suspension. This is the memorial asking the abrogation of the Bitter Root and Priest River forest reserves. During the past few days there has been

talk of an extra session for considera-tion of the codes. This will be necessary unless a commission is appointed. No ab-solute decision has been reached but it is recognized impossible to go through the codes this session.

### MAY MEAN BIG POWER PLANT.

Boston Syndicate Has Filed Water Right on the Grand Ronde River. LEWISTON, Idaho, Feb. 2.-By the fil-ing of a water right on the Grand Ronde River, the fact is disclosed that E. H. Libby, at the head of a syndicate of Boston capitalists, has formed a com-pany to utilize the water power in the Grand Ronde River of Oregon. The filing

object is to furnish electric power to the Snake River Valley, including Lewiston Sanke and Clarkston. It is about 25 miles from where the plant is to be installed to this point. The newly discovered coal mines on the line between Oregon and Wash-

ington are only one mile from the pro posed power plant.

### SITE FOR FACTORY SECURED.

Vancouver Also About Baises Bonus to Get Condensed Milk Plant. VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 2L-The citizens' committee appointed some time ago to secure location for a condensed milk factory, a proposition for which was made by a company of Swiss cheese and condensed milk manufacturers, of which Mr. Beutikoffer, of Portland, is agent, report that the site formerly occupied by the pork factory establishment has been secured; also that the requisite amount of money for securing the plant has been about raised.

Will Observe Washington's Birthday Washington's birthday will be generally observed as a holiday here tomorrow,

Soldiers Held for Larceny. SEATTLE Wash., Feb. 21.-J. Grace and H. Barrett, formerly United States soldiers, were held to the grand jury today by Commissioner Klefer on the charge of setaling \$500 in cash and checks from Frank Sprang, another soldier, on the transport Athenian, while the vessel

Friends of Merwin Ebit, of Echo, fear that he was drowned, while attempting to cross the Umatilia River, last Thursday, On that day he left Echo to go to War-ren station, and has not been heard from since. The Umatilia has been running bankfull for a week past, making fording

May Have Been Drowned.

HORSES FOR ALASKA.

Prices Are \$100 to \$150.

PLEASED WITH DELEGATION.

Vancouver Appreciates Appropriation to Improve Columbia.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 21.-The people of this city and Clark County are highly pleased at the action of the Washington delegation in Congress in securing an appropriation of \$12,500 for the im-provement of the Columbia River between SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.-The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were: Vancouver and the mouth of the Wil lamette and an appropriation for the improvement of Lewis Biver. Senator

 
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Foster is given credit for securing the increase of the appropriation for the Columbla from \$8000, as originally reported by the committee. A portion of the appropriation, it is 
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 expected, will be used to repair and ex-tend the dike and breakwater at the head

of Shaw's Island, and the remainder, it is earnestly hoped, will be applied to dredging the channel along the water front of this place and deepening it be-NEW YORK, Feb. 21.-Mining stocks today tween here and the mouth of the Wil-closed as follows: lamette. It is generally believed by persons competent to judge that if the channel is once dredged out properly, the work done on the dike will be sufficient, with

slight improvement, to keep it open. While the revetment head at Shaw's Island is doing good work deflecting the current from passing behind the island to the Washington shore, it is generally be-lieved that this alone will never be suffi-BOSTON, Feb. 21 .- Closing quotations: cient to wash out the channel to sufficient depth to admit ocean-going vessels

at a low stage of the water.

### SALEM TO GET RURAL DELIVERY. Service Will Be Inaugurated in Sub-

urbs Next Month. WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.-Through the efforts of Senator Simon, rural free delivery is to be inaugurated in the suburbs of Salem between the 1st and 15th of March. The establishment of this serv-

ice has been delayed for some time, be cause of misunderstandings, which the Senator has finally adjusted. The new route is to circle the city, taking in practically all of the thickly populated outly. ing districts. For Reduction of Forest Reserves.

Senator Foster, with Representatives at large-Robert McAlpin, the highway-Cushman and Jones, today filed with the man; Joe Harrison, the counterfeiter, Secretary of the Interior petitions and and Ed McGuire, sentenced to 10 years for memorials of considerable length, praying for the reduction of the Washington

and Olympic forest reserves by exclud-ing large areas of lands valuable for agriculture. The greatest reduction is desired in the Washington reserve, along the line of the Monte Cristo Reilrond, while smaller tracts in Chehalis County. in Methow Valley and near Wenatchee, aggregating between 300,000 and 400,000

acres, are also involved. No assurance is given that this exclusion will be made, CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT.

Woodburn Man Said to Have Stolen \$1300 From Bank Cashler. SALEM, Or., Feb. 21.-John Gates,

Woodburn, was brought to Salem today by City Marshal Gibson, charged with embenziement of \$1500 from J. M. Poorman, cashier of the Bank of Woodburn. He was arrested at Albany yesterday, being taken from the southbound overland. About \$1300 of the money was found in his possession. Gates' examination was set for Saturday, and he was released

on bail, The fact that Mr. Poorman is a Representative from Marion County and Gates

Quotations of Mining Stocks.

SPOKANE, Feb. 21.-The closing quotations for mining stocks today were:

Escaped Prisoners Caught.

Mac McLeary and Philip Anderson, both counterfeiters. The three fugitives were

sneaking back to the city, having planned

Astoria Marine News.

the high tides of the present week.

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TACOMA, Feb. 21.-The Right Rev. William Morris Barker, Bishop of the jurisdiction of Olympia, died suddenly at his home here at 6:30 o'clock this my ing of angina pectoris, aged 46. Death came before physicians could reach his 145 8%

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bedside. He left a widow, who is daughter of the late General Adair, of Astoria, and little girl of 6 years. His mother, Mrs. George Barker, sister to Bishop Morris, of Oregon, made her home with him.

Bishop William M. Barker.

### Run Down by a Train.

TACOMA, Feb. 21 .- Charles Jaynes, who carries the Tacoma Ledger from Tacoma to Olympia on a railroad speeder, was killed in collision with a train running plledriver, one mile west of Sherlock early this morning. Jaynes was going down a long hill and was unable to stop the machine.

### Crushed Under a Log.

RATHDRUM, Idaho, Feb. 21.-Fred Baldwin, aged 40, employed in a logging camp at Granite, was working at one of the log plies when a log fell on him, pinning him to the ground and mashing him from the breastbone to the feet. He died two hours later.

### 0. R. & N. Damaged by Freshet.

PENDLETON, Or., Feb. 21.-The freshet in the Umatilla River has invaded the camp of Contractor Shaw near Echo who is constructing the O. R. & N. cut-off. The water flooded the tents, and damaged the new grade in many places.

### Severely Bruised by Fail.

SALEM, Feb. 21 .- Jeff Miller, a Portland blacksmith, today fell over the bal-ustrade of the first floor stairway at the SPOKANE, Feb. 21 .-- Three more prisoners who escaped from the County Jall Sunday morning are again behind the Capitol, a distance of 12 feet, suffering a severe bruise on the head. bars. They are: Arthur Spencer, the bo-gus Chinese inspector, whose record reaches from San Francisco to Victoria;

## WANTS BOUNDARY FIXED.

### British Columbia Desires Dispute With Washington Settled.

Mexico, July 22, 1882, for restoring de-fective or displaced monuments or erect-ing new ones, the Secretary of State on the rampage. Victor Poquette, who resides rived in yesterday, brought 3037 cases of salmon from Siuslaw. She was barand at that port for 19 days waiting for holds that it will be necessary to provide for an express convention for the pur-pose of re-establishing the boundary in both the pur-box of re-establishing the boundary in box of the pur-box of the pur-ter two the pur-box of the pur-ter two the pur-box of the pur-ter two the purter the pur-ter two the purter the question. In order to meet the pressing MARSHFIELD, Or., Feb. 21.-Elmer, the 8-year-old son of A. Sandquist, night demands for the re-establishment of the boundary in the mining districts of the dition near his home. watch at the Bay City mill, was crushed to death this morning under a pile of iumber. The lad was playing near a pile State of Washington and British Colum-bia, it is proposed that the Coast and Geodetic Survey and the Geological Sur-vey unite in making immediate topo-graphical and minerological reconnaisof lumber and it toppled over on him. He was soon rescued, but died in a short

has been temporarily employed as as- ing that the committee on salary and in the disputed territory. It is feared by bish.

Casey to relieve Frederick W. Mcintyre, sion to agree on the Alaska boundary question, an indefinite postponement re-sulted and attention is called to the fact Walter W. Woodruff, Company C. Sev-erth Infantry, has been transferred to the that no future date of meeting has been general recruiting service and assigned to duty at Seattle. fixed. The Canadian Government, there-fore, is favorable to taking up the matter independent of other international questions at issue, and believes that steps should be taken without delay, to clearly mark the 45th parallel from the crest of the Rocky Mountains to Puget Sound. This view is concurred in by the Department of State.

### Domestic and Foreign Ports.

Queenstown, Feb 21-Arrived-German, ic, from New York for Liverpool, and proceeded.

Rotterdam, Feb. 21.-Sailed-Amsterdam, for Boulogne and New York. Philadelphia, Feb. 21.-Arrived-Pennand, from Liverpool; Nederland, from Antwerp. Newcastle, N. S. W., Feb. 21.-Arrived-

'armenshire, from Port Gamble and Port Biakeley. Liverpool, Feb. 21.-Sailed-Vancouver,

for Portland, Me. Queenstown, Feb. 21.-Arrived-Common-wealth, from Boston for Liverpool. Rotterdam, Feb. 21.-Arrived-Staten-

dam, from New York via Boulogne,

### Notes of Oregon Mines. The Sanger mine is now free of water, after 50 days of continuous pumping. Gold Hill reports that a body of \$1000 rock was struck in the Lucky Hart, near that place, last week. Reports of a new and rich strike in the

Bill Nye property, in the Gold Hill dis-trict, have been received. H. T. Coffin, who recentlyl bought the Dandy quartz claim, on Galls Creek, has

completed 400 feet of tunnels. Three carloads of ore from the Messenger and Reader discovery in Ashland Creek Canyon will be shipped to the smelter.

# Oregon Notes.

### A baseball league of Coos County towns is being talked of. Clayton's broom-handle mill below Bandon will soon be running. It is proposed to divide the Marshfield Fire Department into four companies.

The Japanese employed in the match factory Marshfield have left for San Francisco. The North Fork saw mill, owned by Phil

Isaacs, is to be taken to Susanville before the roads break up. The City Marshal of Oakland has two tramps in the city jail who are to work out their board bill on streets. Deeds conveying to the Oshkosh Land & Timber Company, of Wisconsin, three tracts of

Smith, who resides on the McKay 10 miles southwest of Pendleton, reports the same con-

Walter Hoover met with an accident Satur-

day that came near costing him a valuable horse, mays the Roseburg Plaindealer. On at tempting to cross Oak Creek at the Pley-Place, which was swollen by the recent rains he rode on a floating bridge. The sills had been washed from under it, and he and his horse were precipitated into the cold water among the debris. Mr. Hoover regained the

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Tacoma Hotel, Tacoma. American plan. Eates, \$3 and up,

Donnelly Hotel, Tacoma. European plan. Rates, 50c and up.

to secure money from Spencer's Chinese friends and flee to Oregon. WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .-- A conference Three of the nine who escaped are still between Senator Foster, of Washington, and Secretary of State Hay with refer-ence to the Northwestern boundary, between the State of Washington and Brit-ish Columbia, has resulted in the exish Columbia, has resulted in the ex-pression of a desire on the part of the United States and the Dominion of Can-Kiendike with 4000 chickens and 500 turkeys. ASTORIA, Or. Feb. 21.-The American ada for the appointment of a commission to take up the boundary question and re-establish the demarkations already cre-ated and add new ones where deemed

Following the precedents heretofore set in similar cases, particularly in the boundary convention concluded with Mexico, July 22, 1882, for restoring de-

Mileage of Two Members Reduced. SALEM, Feb. 21.—Hawkins of Polk to-ing that the commiltee, stat.

ASTORIA, OF. FCO, EL-The American bark Ferris S. Thompson cleared at the Custon-House today for San Francisco with 250 tons of coal, 300 piles, 40,000 box shooks and 180 bundles of shooks. The cargo is for Hume Bros. & Hume's Alaska The steamer Sue H. Elmore, which ar-