Pacific States Telephone Company's Plans.

FORMAL NOTICE IS GIVEN

Headquarters Will Probably Be Removed From Portland to San Francisco if Plans Are Carried Out.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—In an official letter from the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company, an anouncement is made to stockholders—a large portion of the stock is held in New York—to the effect that a new company is to be formed to take ever the stock of to be formed to take over the stock of the old corporation. The new company the old corneration. The new company will have a capital of \$50,000,000 and will besue bonds to extend the lines now exist-

ing and equip new ones.

The territory covered by the company's wires embraces California, Oregon, Washington, Nevada and parts of Idaho and

Following the reorganization of the Pacitic States Telephone & Telegraph Com-pany, the headquarters of the corporation will probably by removed from Portiand to San Francisco, where a large building will be erected. That a change was pro-posed has been known for some time by the local officials, but pending the completion of plans, the news had not been made public.

In order to escape the tax imposed be the State of California on bonds issued in that state by a foreign corporation, was thought best to dissolve the Oreg corporation and reorganize in California. The issuing of bonds to carry on improvements planned by the company is said to layer been planned for some time.

SALEM PASTOR UPHOLDS LAW

Says Portland Ministers Unjustly Criticise District Attorney McNary.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—That Dr. Clarence True Wilson and Dr. T. B. Ford of Portland erred both in state-ments of fact and in judgment in the Ford of Portland erred both in statements of fact and in judgment in the
opinions may recently expressed regarding the administration of the district attorney's office in the Third Judicial distirlet, is asserted by Rev. W. H. Selleck
of the First Methodist Church in this
city. Mr. Selleck gave expression to his
own opinions and knowledge on that sublect at the evening service in his church
last Sunday, and said that he did so
after making a cureful investigation of
the facts.

Goose hunting is still the order of the day,
the town being full of hunters going to or
coming from the Horse Heaven hunting
grounds. Farmers in the wheat-growing
region tell of some strange tactics followed by inexperienced sportsmen, Two
Prosser hunters drove out to M. I. Dimmick's 2500-acre wheat ranch last week.
They were dressed in black and drove a
light wagon. They undertook to stalk their
game without getting out of the wagon,
driving about the fields after the geese,
which unaccountably kept out of gunshot
range.

H. McNary grew out of the shooting of young Widthey by O. S. Murray, whose sister Whitney is alleged to have led astray. Commenting upon the killing of Whitney. Wilson commended Murray Whitney, Wilson commended Murray for his act and taid the responsibility for his act and laid the responsibility for the killing upon the prosecuting attorney of this district. He took occasion at the same time to say that McNary has been notoriously lax in the performance of his daties as a prosecuting attorney. His view was that McNary should have used the power of his office to compel Whitney to marry Murray's sister, whereas McNary, through his denuty, refused to do this, but offered to prosecute Whitney according to law or to advise him to marry the girl if he was the person responsible for her condition.

In his sermon Sunday evening Mr. Sellick took exception to the views ex-pressed by the Portland ministers regard-ing the right and duty of one man to kill another who is accused of crime, and said that such principles are subregretted that any man speaking from a Methodist pulpit should advocate such unlawful methods of avenging alleged

Selleck said that after reading the reports of the remarks of Dr. Wilson he took pains to investigate the facts fully, and was firmly convinced that Deputy District Attorney C. L. McNary took the only proper course, and that if his advice had been taken there would have been much greater prospect of desired end being accomplished and the killing would have been avoided. He felt certain that Dr. Wilson was not in possession of all the facts or he would not have made the sweeping statements he Mr. Selleck left his audience with the

all the evidence has yet been made public. Speaking of the general assertion that McNary has not been diligent in the prosecution of criminals, Mr. Selleck said that his investigation satisfied him that there was absolutely no basis for found that McNary has been zealous in the prosecution of men who have vio-lated the laws. Knowing that an inhas been done Mr. McNary, he it proper for him to make these ements, based upon the results of an immiry into the facts.

FLOOD PIRATES SENTENCED

Thieves Who Robbed Cowlitz Sufferers Get Terms in Jail.

CASTLE ROCK, Wash., Nov. 28. Charles Colby and Charles Kemnitz, who were arrested at Lexington, this county, last Friday, for stealing valuables from houses that had floated down the river, have been convicted and sentenced to 25 days in the county jail. The fact that the stolen goods found in their possession had been re-covered from a bouse and placed on the bank of the river to be returned to When the owner went after

A little detective work on the part

The peeds of the flood sufferers here have not been exaggrerated. I the worst has not been told. has been suffering from cold, but thanks to the kind-hearted people of Portland and other cities, as well as of the more fortunate here, the homeless

Work in the logging camps has been offered all who are able to do it, but there are many in financial straits who are not physically fitted to take such jobs and who will need aid for some

OREGON CITY'S CAMPAIGN.

Interest Centered in Vote on Special

Tax Levies.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 28.-(Special.) -In the annual municipal election next Monday, Mayor E. G. Caufeld and City Treasurer M. D. Latourette will have no opposition for second terms. The time within which nominating petitions and acceptances can be filed under the at the custom-House today for San Diego city charter expired at noon today.

There will be two contests in the case amounting to 1.373,580 feet board measure. Councilmen. In the First Ward loaded at Stella.

Charles W. Pope and George Randall the capdidates, while in the Second and S. F. Scripture at the last minute qualified and will oppose Alderman A. Knapp, who is a candidate to succeed himself. Ex-City Treasurer F. J. Meyer has a clear field for Councilman in the

has a clear field for Councilman in the Third Ward, having no opposition.

Of even greater interest than the election of numerical officers is the question of determining two special tax levies that are to be voted on at the same time. One of these proposed levies is a one-mill tax annually to create a fund with which to purchase the old McLoughlin liome and preserve the structure as a memorial to the founder of Oregon City. The other proposes a one-half-mill levy memorial to the founder of Gregon Cay.

The other proposes a one-half-mill levy for the support of a free public library proposed to be established in this city and for which a popular cash subscription of more than 300 has been pledged.

Public Interest is aroused on both of these subjects and a big vote is expected.

CONVICT'S CHILD A PROBLEM

Mother Wishes to Take Babe in Arms

to Penitentiary.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 28 - (Special.) OlYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—
Shall a baby I year old be sent to the
state peniteritary at Walla Walla is a
question before the Attorney-General for
determination. The mother wants the
child to accompany her there, and the
question over her rights in the matter
has arisen. The mother is Alice Dilley,
who with the husband and an associate
were convicted of conspiring to rob the
night Marshal at Centralla. The Supreme
Court recently sustained the conviction

Court recently sustained the conviction of the defendants. Mrs. Dilley has two children, a boy of about four, now with his grandmother, and a haby of less than one year. This beavier than when he went behind the babe is yet unweaned and the mother and grandmother have both written to the State Board of Control asking that the child be allowed to accompany its mother to the penitentiary. Attorney-General Atkinson has received

the letters from the board with request for an opinion in the matter.

SPORTSMEN POUR INTO HORSE HEAVEN COUNTRY.

Antics of City Nimrods Pill Honest Farmers. Who Know the Game, With Glee.

KIONA, Wash., Nov. 28.—(Special.)— Goose hunting is still the order of the day.

Tange.
Mr. Dimmick, who does not claim to be a hunter, went out into his field and killed nine geese in a few hours.
The approved method is to dig a pit-

large enough to turn around in, and deep enough to conceal the hunter, and lie in wait there. The geess in feeding fly about from place to place, and are nearly certain to come within shooting distance if the hunter's hiding place is well se-lected. Sometimes, however, this method

fails.

A distinguished jurist came from the Sound last Winter, accompanied by several friends, and journeyed to the goose pastures. They dug pits in which they sat concealed for two days, waiting the coming of the geese. The geese all passed by on the other side, and finally the Judge in despair appealed to a farmer to tell him the secret of goose hunting.

"I'll tell you how I do it," said the farmer. "When I want a goose I just go out some foggy morning when I hear them flying over and fire up into the fog. You don't need to see anything, just fire at the place where you hear them honk. It works like a charm with me."

The Judge and his friends tried it, and that night when they came to Kiona to add to the came of the californian, a weekly per deadly weapon last night. Vaugha that night when they came to Kiona to a distinguish the control of the Californian, a weekly of the californian, a weekly of the californian as weekly of the californian, a weekly of the californian is a weekly of the californian as weekly o

hat night when they came to Kiona to take the train for home they proudly ex-hibited ten fine fat birds as the result of their morning's shooting.

BLOOD MONEY IS USED.

Sloane's Life Insurance Pays for Spokane Parrielde's Defense,

SPOKANE, Wash. Nov. 28.—(Special.)—A demand by the chief counsel for the lefense that the court make an order that the state bear the expense incurred by the defense in bringing expert testimony to prove that Sidney Sloane was insan-at the time he killed his father, a reques by the chief counsel that he be pe to take Dr. Semple and visit Sloane in the county jail with no other persons present, to make an examinatio of the defendant with a view to ascer taining his mental condition and deciding whether or not it would be proper to cal him as a witness in his own behalf, and the further request that the prosecution be ordered to file with the court each day a copy of the transcript of the evidence now being made for the state, were the features of the Sloane murder trial to-

All the demands were refused, the court holding that it had no authority to grant the requests. The demands were e on the ground that the defendant i without means, and that all the money that is available to defray the expenses of his trial is being advanced by his mother, who received a small amount on James F. Sloane's life insurance policy. Many witnesses were called to relate incidents in the boy's life from early childhood to the present time. He told weird stories of grand buildings he would erect and how he would purchase automo-biles and seemed to absolutely lack power of concentration. When playing cards he

South Bend Progressives Nominate.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., Nov. 28.-(Special.)—At a convention called by the South Bend progressive committee held last light in the Council chambers the following were nominated for city offices:
W. H. Boner, Mayor: F. R. Wright, A.
E. Robinson, T. E. Pearson and Samuel
Rose, Councilmen: Val Heath, Clerk:
George Devers, Treasurer: Dr. Tripp,
Health Officer. Their platform stogan is
for bridge crossing the river opening. for a bridge crossing the river, organiza-tion of a Chamber of Commerce and an active campaign to obtain industries for

Hot Fight On in Hoquiam.

HOQLAM, Wash., Nov. 28.—(Special.) At a caucus held in the Sixth ward tonight George A. Gillett was nominated councilman from the ward on Citizens cicket. The fight will be close, Laboring inpopular men. Citizens are not worried as to the outcome and look for a big

Star of Bengal Clears.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The American bark Star of Bengal cleared at the Custom-House today for San Diego

Harry Orchard's Trial Goes BUSINESS TO BE SUSPENDED Over to Next Term.

AGREEMENT IS MUTUAL

Alleged Slayer of ex-Governor Steunenberg Taken to Caldwell Under Heavy Guard-Looks

Picture of Health.

BOISE, Ida., Nov. 28 (Special.)-Harry Orehard, who killed former Governor evidence, was taken to Caldwell today to appear in court. By consent of both sides the trial was postponed until the next term of court. The prisoner was taken down by Warden Whitney and two guards, accompanied by two detectives, all being heavily armed as a precaution against violence to the pris-

Orchard looked well. He is a little

IDAHO TRIALS ARE BUNGLED

Instructions of Attorney-General Fail to Reach Court in Time.

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 28.—(Special.)— message was received here Tues-ity at moon from the First Assistant Attorney General of the United States, addressed to District Attorney Ruick, telling him that if the witnesses in the timber land fraud cases at Moscov the timber ising frand cases at account and not been dismissed, and if Judge Beatty was still too lil to proceed with the cases, another Judge would be sent to finish the trial of the case. Court had then adjourned and the officers of the court did not know of the message until they went home this morning. Judge Beatty had not heard of it when be arrived tonight. Mr. Ruick has not yet returned.

The Judge states that it was practically impossible to proceed with the trials; he was ill and besides the roads were in an impassable condition and it was next to imposible to get jurors

SIXTH AMENDMENT CARRIES

Official Count in Idaho Changes Result as to Taxation Law.

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 28 - (Special.) - The nvassing board completed its canvass the vote at the recent election today. Some errors were found in county footings, but they do not materially change the figures heretofore reported. A transposition occurred in transmitting the vote on the sixth amendment in one county and made that county give a majority of about 150 against the amend ment, whereas it should have been that much in its favor. This with some er-rors discovered in county additions, carries the amendment by a majority of 157. This is the amendment which wipes out the sliding taxation scale provided for in the constitution, and makes a flat

EDITOR VAUGHAN CONVICTED

Found Guilty of Shooting Newspa-

official plurality for Governor Gooding is 8890.

FUREKA, Cal., Nov., 28-M. M. Yaughan was convicted of assault with a Vanghan ditor of the Californian, a weekly paper and last March got into a controversy with the Evening Herald. He is paralyzed, and the Herald referred to his infirmity in one of its articles. Vaughan sent word that a retraction must be made or the editor of the Herald must fight. A retraction not being made, he went in a buggy to the Herald office and asked to see the editor.

Niles G. Hyatt, business manager of the Herald, came out and Vaughan fired three shots at him, none of which took effect. Vaughan was arrested and charged with an assault with a deadly weapon, with intent to commit murder. He was recommended to mercy.

AURELIA IS AT ASTORIA.

Waterlogged Schooner Pulled Off of Desdemona Sands.

ASTORIA, Nov. 28.-(Special.)-The vaterlogged which was beached on Desdemona sand yesterday, was towed to this city today and docked at the Elmore wharf, the plan of discharging her deckload onto barges in the lower harbor being abau-doned on account of the rough water. The work of discharging the deckload will be commenced at once, and it is expected when that is completed the vessel's deck will rise above the surface vessel's deck will rise above the surface of the water, so that the pumps can clear

Everett Police Suspect Murder.

EVERETT, Wash., Nov. 28 .- Loca police are working on a case whiel they believe will end in murder. Mon-day night Charles Red, a negro, sole stained clothes of a boy. The merchan would leave the table in the midst of the game and seem surprised when spoken to about its action. As a child he are buttons and dirt and appeared mentally defit buttons, a 17-year-old boy, who has been clent. work in the mill. Red told the police many conflicting stories as to how the bloody clothes came into his posses He at last admitted h information about them.

Two Tickets at Hillsboro.

HILLSBORO, Or., Nov. 28.-(Special.) hall last night the following candidate: city election Monday, December 3; Cornellus, for Mayor: F. C. Hallard, A. M. Carille and Ed. Schulmerich, Council men; H. T. Bagley, Recorder, and A. C. Shute Treasurer. The convention was harmonious. This afternoon a small convention met in the city hall and named second ticket. A resolution was adopted declaring that it was not a prohibition ticket, but a platform indorsing Sunday closing of all business houses was adopted ed. The following were nominated: Dr. J. P. Tamlesie, for Mayor; Claude Greear, O. F. Sheldon and John M. Brown, en; Benton Bowmen, Recorder

Magnates Visit South Bend.

A. C. Shute, Treasurer.

SOUTH BEND, Wash, Nov. 28,—(Spedal.)-A special having aboard C. Levey and J. N. Hill, vice-preside W. H. Darling, chief engineer, and F. E. lie.

ern Pacific, arrived here last evening and after viewing the terminal grounds and the proposed location for a new wharf to accommodate the up-country sawmills departed. They were presented with 'a fine salmon and a large supply of Eastern

Governor Gooding Makes Proclamation for Hunt Funeral.

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Governor Gooding issued the following proclamation today;

In view of the valuable public services ren-dered by the late Frank W. Hunt-during alls term as Governor of this state and his exhibi-tion of high-minded patriotism as a volun-teer, during the Spanish-American war. I. Frank Gooding, Governor of the state of Idaho, do hereby recommend that all busi-ness be suspended in the state house on Friday. November 30, and that all state officers and employes show their respect for our noutred dead by attending the funeral officers and employes show their respect for our noticed dead by attending the funeral services at St. Michael's Episcopal Church, at Bobse, Idaho, at the nour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

It is hereby requested that flags on all state buildings be pinced at half-must throughout Friday. November 30, as a mark of respect to the dend, and that memorial services he held in all state educational institutions at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, November 30.

The hody of the former governor arrive.

The body of the former governor arriv-ed from Goldfield this afternoon. It was met at Nampa by the Governor and his staff and a delegation from the Knights Templars, accompanied by many friends of the deceased. The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Friday. From 10 until 2 the body will lie in state at Cupital, building

FAVOR PHONETIC READERS

Capitol building.

Eastern Oregon School Teachers Adopt Resolutions Asking Change.

PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 28.—The sixth annual convention of the eastern division of the State Teachers' Association, which has been in session here since Monday morning, adjourned this evening after voting to meet at La Grande next year. A resolution was adopted requesting the State Textboo? Commission to adopt some series of readers based on a system of phonetics. The principal addresses of the day

were delivered by President Campbell, of the State University; State Superin-tendent of Schools Ackerman and Pro-fessor W. G. Hartranft, of Berkeley, Cal. The convention is said to have been the best ever held by the eastern division of the association.

Electric Line for Bellingham.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Nov. 28.-J. J. BELLINGHAM, Wash, Nov. 28.—J. J. Donovan, one of the best-known railroad men of the Northwest, informally announced at the Chamber of Commerce that night that the Stone and Webster interests were going to build a \$2,000,000 interurban railroad from Bellingham to Sedro-Woolley, there branching to the east, south and west and tapping the rich helds and farming country of Skagli fields and farming country of Skagit County. The road is to run through the Sammish Lake road district, avoiding Chuckandt Mountain, which has hereto-fore cut Beilingham off from the South, and will make Beilingham the terminat point of the entire Skagit Valley, instead

Dix Disaster Inexcusable.

SEATTLE, Wash, Nov. 28.—In a re-port submitted to the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon, the Chamber of Commerce's committee returned a verdict that the fatal Dix disaster was avoidable and inexcusable and due to gross carelessness. The report further outlines the teachings of the catastrophe, refers to more frequent recurrence of tragedies of the sea and along the upper coast, and points out the imperative necessity of giving adequate protection to commercial interests.

Can Factory for Astoria.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 28,—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation of the Kendail Can Company were filed in the County Clerk's office this afternoon. The incorporations are George W. Sanborn, F. P. Kendall and G. C. Fulton and the capital stock is \$100,000, divided into 1000 hares of \$100 each. making arrangements for the erection of a plant that will be equipped with the most modern machinery for the manufa-

Will Probe Paving Scandal.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 28 .- (Special.) -- A the City Council meeting tonight, Al-derman Steusioff introduced a resolution calling for an investigation of charges alleged to have been made by Alderman Gesner that certain members of the council are agents of the Warre Construction Company. The resolution was referred to a committee to ascer-tain whether the Gesner charges had been correctly recited.

GHOUL CONFESSES CRIME

Oliver Lind Admits Robbing Bodies of Dead After Earthquake.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28 .- Charged with robbing the bodies of the dead of ewelry and money during the progress of the fire last April, Oliver Lind has been lodged in the city prison. The police say he has confessed to the theft of \$500 worth of valuables from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Swehlla, who were killed during the fire.

Days of '49 Make Gorgeous Show. NEW YORK, Nov. 28. - Hubbard &

Anderson, the new managers of the New York Hippodrome, gave their first production in that playhouse to The spectacle was in two parts, entitled respectively, "Pioneer Days, and "Neptune's Daughter." The former which was written by Carroll Fleming, is a picture of life on the Western border during the early days of gold mining in California. In this piece there are 600 persons on the stage at one time, including 100 Sloux Indians from the Pine Ridge Agency in South Dakota, 100 cowboys and a squad of United States cavalry. The piece of the evening, "Neptune's Daughter," is a

MaeWatters Confirms Story. COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Nov. 28.-

D. C. MacWatters, who has been head of the passenger department of Colorado Springs and Cripple C Short Line since its building, today con his resignation, to take effect y 1. It is authoritatively said that Mr. MacWatters has been offered the General Passenger Agency of one of the

Confer on Work of Congress,

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.-Speaker Cannon saw the President today to as-certain some of the latter's views as to the relative importance of the various subjects in which the President is interested and which will come to the front at the approaching session

Gives \$50,000 to College.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—President A. W. Harris, of Northwestern University, yesterday announced that a gift of \$50,000 had been made to the school, to be used in the general endowment of the institution. The rame of the donor was not made pubKnabe-Angelus Piano



The Knabe Piano, first built sixty-seven years ago, is today recognized as the highest type of piano made and richly merits the position in the musical world

The ANGELUS Player developed during the past ten years to its present point of superiority is conceded to be the highest attainment in the invention and manufacture of piano playing devices.

The KNABE-ANGELUS is the union of a Knabe Piano with the ANGELUS into one superb player-piano which has all the superb qualities of both the Knabe and the ANGELUS, thus making an instrument which is beyond question the finest

combination of player and piano which is offered to the public. The mechanism of the ANGELUS is built entirely within the piano case, so that the instrument has practically the same appearance as an ordinary piano. As the tone and touch are not impaired, this player-piano is' perfectly satisfactory to the accomplished planist who plays it by the keyboard as well as to every one who plays it by means of the perforated roll. It is always ready to be played by either method.

Never before has the public had the opportunity of securing in one purchase such a piano as the Knabe and also the means for anyone to play it. We invite you to call, to see, to hear and operate it, in order that you may real-

A TEST WILL CONVINCE YOU OF ITS UNQUESTIONED SUPREMACY. Don't make the mistake of paying a big price for an ordinary instrument when the same money will buy the very best-The Knabe-Angelus.

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SEATTLE, TACOMA, EVERETT, BELLINGHAM, SPOKANE, PORTLAND, SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES, OAKLAND

REPORT FEW LEASES

Not Many Cars Hired by Pacific Northwest Lines.

ONE CAUSE OF SHORTAGE

Figures Submitted to Washington State Railroad Commission by Transportation Companies Analyzed-Showing Incomplete.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 28.-Not only have the Northwestern railroads failed to provide new equipment to keep pace with nereased traffic, but they also seem to save failed to rent or lease many more srivate cars than in the past, according to the annual reports filed with the

Washington Kallroad Commission.

As has been pointed out in the press heretofore, the roads operating in Washington in reports for the year ending June 30, 1906, showed they had not bought new equipment in proportion to the in-creased traffic. Since that publication he Northern Pacific officials have stated that large amounts of equipment were bought and O. R. & N. officials have stated that their report should have shown cars bought for their road but temporarily paid for by the Union Pa-The announcement was made by the O. R. & N. in Portland some weeks ago that a supplemental report showing this increased equipment would be filed

here, but it has falled to arrive.

The O. R. & N. did not report private car mileage on its line for the year ending June 30, 1966, but as the Great North-ern and Northern Pacific did do so, com-parison is available. The reports show that for private car county

mileage in the year ending last June the Great Northern paid \$93,390,95 at the rate of from six-tenths of a cent to 1 center mile, the Northern Pacific paid 3113. per time, the Northern Facine paid \$13,-\$46,42 and the O. R. & N. paid \$12,238,92. The figures for the previous 12 months were \$81,687,99 for the Great Northern, and \$116,273,44 for the Northern Pacific. cate car lines the Streets Western Stable

Car Company stockcars did the big business. That company received \$5.249.60 from the Great Northern at six-tenths I cent per mile; received \$5,60,03 from the Northern Pacific at six-tenths of 1 cent per mile and received \$58,25 from the O. R. & N. at six-tenths of 1 cent per mile. The Armour line was the leader on the O. R. & N., receiving \$455.31 on a basis cent per mile. It got \$22,637.02 from the Northern Pacific at rates of from sixtenths to 1 cent per mile and \$9450.75 from the Great Northern.

Great Northern paid the Armour Car Line \$637.38 and the Streets line \$38,261.15 and the Northern Pucific paid the Armour line \$23,949.02 in the year 1904-5 and the Streets \$44,957.32.

Says It Is Spite Work.

HEPPNER, Or., Nov. 28 .- (Special.)-County School Superintendent S. I. Stratpany, has furnished bonds in the sum of pany, has furnished bonos in the sum of \$1000. Friends of Mr. Stratton gave the bond. Mr. Stratton says that the whole proceeding is a case of spite work from start to finish and he will so prove when the case comes to trial. He says he was not trying to get away, but on the con

Confesses Murder in Orient.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 28.-Earl I. Marshill, self-confessed murderer and deserter from the Navy, was arrested a Hillyard, a suburb of Spokane, tast night by a watchman, and confessed be was wanted at Shanghal, China, for murdering a Chinaman. He deserted from the bat-tieship Wisconsin. The record abows Marshall served a term in the Salem Peni-

Holds Inquest Over One Boot. HOVER, Wash., Nov. 28-(Special)-bunty Coroner Hedger held an inquest oday over an old boot-all that remained of Alf Wilson, who with Walter Light foot was blown to pieces by a dynamic explosion in a rock cut on the north bank road through this place. The body of Lightfoot was recovered, but it was crushed to a pulp. The boot was all that searchers found after looking all day for some trace of Wilson. It is believed the body was blown to fragments and fell

into the Columbia River Incorporate Steamship Company.

MONTESANO, Wash., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The Western Steamship Company filed articles of incorporation here yester-The trustees of this new enterprise are W. R. MacFarlane, B. G. Weather-wax and Charles R, Green, three of the most prominent business men of Aber-deen, and the capital of the company is named as \$80,000. It is the intention of the corporation to operate a line of steam freight from Gray's Harbor to California

Holiday for Rural Mailcarriers. GRESHAM, Or., Nov. 28.-(Special.)surrounding towns; also there will be basket dinner and dance at Rockwood pasket dinner and dance at Rockwood given by the Lady Maccabees. The res

tivities at this place will close with a masquerade ball. All business will be

suspended and there will be no mail de-livery on any of the rural routes of the Hoquiam Will Observe Day. HOQUAIM, Wash., Nov. 28.-Thankshis town tomorrow. All the mills will-lose and other business will be suspend-

their employees, or will give them a din Corvallis Youth Sentenced.

have either distributed turkeys

CORVALLIS, Oc., Nov. 28.-(Special.)-The Circuit Court adjourned here this morning after a session of two days. The only state case was that of Ambrose Cain, a boy of 16, who entered the home taining \$25. He was sent to the Reform | review that right nor interfere with its

Youthful Skaters Meet Death in an Idaho Lake.

held in the County Jail, awaiting action | HELP COMES TOO LATE

Only One of Party of Five Clings to Ice Till Rescuers Arrive-All Bodies of Those Drowned Are Recovered.

HARRISON, Idaho, Nov. 28 .- (Special.) -Four young people were drowned while skating at Medimont, two miles east of Harrison, at about 8 olclock this morning. Philip, aged 16; Bessie, aged 13, and John, aged 16; children of Titus Bless-ing, a prominent citizen of that place, and Leigh Kellom, aged 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Kellom, in company with Sian-ley Slater, the 15-year-old son of J. W. Slater postmaster at Medimont, were a play on the frozen lake in front of Medi mont Station, when all were seen to go down. Citizens of the little village rush-ed to their aid, but succeeded in rescuing

only the Slater boy, who was clinging to The bodies of the other victims of the coldent were afterwards recovered. funerals will probably be held tomorrow

Plead Guilty at Hillsboro.

HILLSBORO, Or., Nov. 28,-(Special.)-Circuit Court adjourned today until next Monday. But two criminal cases have been heard. Charles Biggs, of Sher-wood, pleaded gultry to stabbing John Roberts, and Judge McBride sentenced him to four years, allowing him to go on parole, one of the conditions being that ie must abstain from intoxicating liquors and must not enter saloons. Joseph Hol-der, of East Portland, charged with selling liquor at Gaston without license pleaded guilty. Sentence was suspended during good behavior.

Has Power to Revoke License.

OLYMPIA, Wash, Nov. 38 - (Special.) -the Supreme Court has granted an in-unction restraining the Superior Court of Chehalis County from interfering in any way with the revocation by the Mayor and Council of Aberdeen of the saloon license granted Jacobsson & Burk. The Supreme Court holds that under the law the Mayor and Council have the right to revoke licenses and that court

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