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an overcoat, with the sleeves chewed or \$300. off as if by wild animals, all of which before his disappearance.

Justice of the Peace Stewart, dep-

he was leaving Pendleton after hav- death.

A head, a portion of a human body, ing cashed checks amounting to \$200

At the time of Dye's disappearance is unquestionably all that is left of William Dye, who disappeared mysteriously from Kamela several absconded as his debts greatly exmonths ago, were found yesterday ceeded his ability to pay. A few days about a quarter mile from the cabin ago a lot of wood that had belonged near Kamela, where the man lived to the missing man was sold under attachment.

It is possibe that the man became uty coroner, and Constable Faulk left despondent and committed suicide, but for Kamela this morning and held an so far as is known he had given no inquest immediatey upon their ar- indication of despondency. Owing to the extreme state of decomposition The cause of Dye's death is not in which the body was found it is known, but that he was murdered probable that the coroner's jury will seems probable, for when last seen be unable to assign the cause of the

Rewards Are Being Offered

OMAHA, Neb., May 24.-Rewards of Union Pacific of seven bags of regi-\$24,000 are offered today for the stered mail Saturday night, near here. capture of the four bandits, who rob- Estimates of the value of the loof

INSTALLATION TOMORROW.

New Musical Officials will Be Given known the program for the coming Duties Tomorrow Afternoon.

Officers of the Lyle Tuseday musical are to be installed tomorrow af- LONDON. May 24.-Flags are flyternoon at 2:30 o'clock and retiring ing throughout England today in H. Rogers, it was learned today that president, Mrs. Moore, requests all celebration of the anniversary of the his estate is valued at nearly \$100.members to be present. The program birth of Queen Victoria.

bed the overland limited mail on the vary from \$100,000 to \$150,000. committee will report and make known t eagrpehrmshrdl hrd II II II

Empire Day in England.

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With the tapering sleeve effect. An elegant assortment of materials to choose from

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Japs Ships in Tacoma.

will remain in Tacoma all week,

LOWER RATES TO

MERCE TAKES ACTION.

Makes Formal Complaint Against Not in Former Commission Rule.

SALEM, May 24.-Endeavoring to secure lower rates to the interior. Spokane rate decision, the Portland Chamber of Commerce today filed a commission asking an order relating to the distributive rates on the O. R. & N., made by the railroad commission last spring against which a restraining order was obtained in federal courts, be modified so that lower rates can be secured.

TRIAL OF HANLEY BEGUN

PORTLAND, May 24 .- The governbegan in the federal court today. It letics. is alleged that Hanley holds between 82,000 and 83,000 acres of land, which inaddition to that legally owned by involved more than 147,000 acres in Harney county.

Was Hundred Times Millionaire.

NEW YORK, May 24 .- From sources close to the family of the late H. 000,000.

Waist.

NEW NETS.

WITH SILK EMBROIDERED PAT-

TERNS IN WHITE LAWN, CHAM-

PAGNE AND FANCY EFFECTS. ALL

GRADES FROM \$3.00 to \$7.50.

The Scenic Program,

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., May 24. The Scotish Macks and Miss Grobe. The training ship cruisers Aso and the talented company are in the Soya of the Japanese navy, weighed city to open a week's engagement at anchor here at 8:30 this morning and the Scenie tenight. The feature for started for Tacoma, where they are the opening performance is "For Her due at 3 o'clock this afternoon. They | Country's Sake." Another excellent picture is "Chinatown's Slavery,"

PORTLAND CHAMBER OF COM- LOCAL TEAM WILL LEAVE FOR PENDLETON TOMORROW.

Twelve stalwarts, the best the local high school possesses from a point of made necessary as a result of the skill and ability in things athletic, will leave for Pendleton at 5:15 a. m. tomorrow to compete in the annual by an enactment, known as chapter sheriffs in different counties does not formal compaint with the railroad interscholastic, which takes place tomorow afternoon. Will La Grande be the team to which the famous the hands of local attorneys and af- for the treasurers goes into effect to-Houston of the University of Oregon will present the cup? That is the question bothering those who have closely followed the conditions of affairs, the condition of the local team and the strength of the other teams competing. It will be a race to the bitter finish, and when La Grande comes home it will either be with ment "fencing" case agains. William the scalps of others dangling at their Hanley, rancher and manager of the belts, or the reputation of having put Harney County Development company up the gamest fight known to ath-

It will be last and greatest meet of the season. Many from here are planning to be on hand to do their the company, makes the total amount little mite toward winning. Candidly speaking. La Grande is not in as fine fettle as it was at the Union meet or Walla Walla triangular, but for all that staunch hopes are entertained for victory of the first order. Those

> Dashes-Carpy, Williamson and Cecil Bolton.

> Weights-Geddes, Heidenrich, and

Hurdles Peare, Heidenrich, Ingle, Williamson and Reynolds.

Jumps-Jay and Frank Millering,

Geddes. Young and the two Millerings will meet the others at Pendle-

Telephone girls and all females empoyed in manufacturing and mechanior restaurants in the city of Lo Grande or any other city in the county, must not under the law, which becomes effective today, work more than eight hours a day or more than 60 hours per veek. Any employer who shall fail to comply with this provision, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shal be fined for each not less than \$25 nor more than \$100.

All the laws enacted by the regullar session of the past legislature, went into effect today and as several copies of the general laws are in the city, careful study should be made of them. The 8-hour law for female

employes, is especially interesting. Licenses for male fishermen are are also required after today.

and explanation in our window. New-

lin Drug Co.

This regulation will effect many of the working girls who are now working nine hours. Stop and look at the \$35.00 camera.

other countles of the state of Oresingle enactnicit. fixed the salaries thority of law for the navment Condition Which Prevalled 2934 of the present code. Since that January 1, 1911. time, by special enactment, the County treasurers in Baker, Clackcollector an annual salary of \$2600 salaries of these officials is 29-30. ner as the salary of other county of amendment will be found in chapter ficials." Section two of the act pro- 214.

After January', 1911 there will be vides that it shall not take effect nutil no sheriff's salary to Union and some | January 1, 1911. The effect of the foregoing provisions, is to change the section of the code so as to omit and gon. The legislature of 1911 by a exclude from its provisions any auof the sheriffs of the various coun- salaries of the sheriffs in the countles ties of the state, the act being section above named other than Coos. after

salaries of the sheriffs in 18 counties amas, Clatsop, Columbia, Douglass, have been changed, leaving Clacks- Gilliam, Harney, Lake, Lincoln, Mormas, Coos, Curry, Douglass, Gilliam, row, Polk, Tilamook, Umatilla, Wash-Harney, Jackson, Lake, Lane, Ling, ington and Wallowa counties will Marian, Morrow, Tillamook, Union, not draw any salary from now on if Wallowa, Wasco, and Yamhill coun- the law is followed. While the secties unchanged. The late legislature tion relating to the salary of the 132, of the general laws of Oregon go into effect until January 1, 1911, for 1909, copies of which are now in the chapter that makes it unpleasant ficers, amended section 2934 of Bel- day, and they can bereafter get no linger and Cottons anotated codes and salary by authority of law in the statutes of Oregon, so as to read as counties named. A special session follows: "The sheriff of Coos coun- of the legislature seems to be the only ty Oregon, shal receive as compensa- | remedy. The section of Bellinger and tion for his services as sheriff and tax | Cotton's code, which relates to the per annum to be paid in like man- In the general laws of Oregon the

HORSE SHOW JUNE 12

A horse show for La Grande on though it is doubtful if he has deinsure a successful show, was the ap- the work.

June 12 is the announcement coming clocd on any set scheme yet, for the from the Commercial club today, and news was only conveyed to him this porning. His knowledge of h and what the county contains in thus assured. The first taken to horseflesh, will give him great aid in

pointment of N. K. West as chairman; The nature and details of the show Distances-Peare, Reynolds and of the executive committee. Mr. cannot be announced until Mr. West West is out of town today and can- has outlined his plan of procedure not be interviewed as to his plans, and appointed assistants in the work.

for Sandridge land is reported in a equalled in that section but once or deal wherein E. W. Oliver has twice. It is a Hood River story of disposed of his property in this coun- arid land. The land in question was, ty and will become the proprietor of until a few years ago, considered ena rooming house in Portland. Mr. tirely unfit for orchard purposes. Oliver disposed of his 40 acres of In addition to the fruit lands, Mr. four-year-old orchard land, adjoining Oliver disposed of 2000 acres of land cal establishmnts, laundries, hotels the F. E. Moore and G. L. Cleaver near Ladd Canyon at \$16,000. He will

One of the highest known prices \$400 per acre, a price known to be marvelous rise in the price of semi-

tracts, near Imbler, at \$16,000, or move to Portland at once.

houn bribery case now on trial in cisco graft cases. Wickersham, perhaps on the grounds case is over.

WASHINGTON, May 24.-Oppon that for three years he devoted alents of Prosecutor Heney, in the Cal- most his exclusive time to San Fran-

San Francisco it is expected today, Wickersham has ordered Heney to will demand a withdrawal of his ap- Portland to prosecute land grab pointment as special assistant under cases there, as soon as the Calhoun

SALEM. May 24 .- J. A. Eakin, an ship of the fifth judicial district. attorney of Asturia, and a brother of Justice Eakin of the Oregon Supreme bench, was today appointed a judge from the counties in the fifth by Governor Benson to the new judg- district.

The last legislature created a new judgeship in that district, making it obligatory on the governor to name

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