Brisk Work Is in Progress in Marion County.

BUT ONE MORE DAY FOR CANVASS

McBride People May Try to Inaugo rate a "Citizens" Movement If Things Don't Go to Suit.

SALEM, March 27.-With but one day left in which to canvass for votes, the candidates who will appear before the Republican County Convention next Thurs day are getting in their best work. The delegates were nearly all elected upon unpledged slates, and few promises have been made, so that there is great doubt and uncertainty as to the results of the Within the last few days talk has drifted principally to the legislative ticket, and it is expected that tonight and tomorrow small caucuses will be held that will result in well-defined lines being drawn. That the anti-McBride forces are in the large majority is very readily apparent. But that no McBride men will be nominated is not so certain. The most that the anti-McBride workers have naked is that the legislative slate shall be unpledged. This has really meant that the men who stand as Republican candidates for the Legislature shall be pledged against McBride, but not in favor of any other person. The general cry has been taken advantage of, however, and men who are known to be strong friends of McBride are urging their claims to a place on the slate as 'unpledged' men. Since they can, perhaps, honestly claim to be "unpledged," there is some chance of be "unpledged," there is some chance of a man or two getting on the ticket with-out his alliance to McBride being known.

There has been considerable quiet talk in the last day or two over the question of a chairman of the county central com-mittee. It devolves upon this official to conduct the county campaign. R. J. Hendricks, editor of the Salem States-man, was elected chairman of the committee by the last convention, and is the resent incumbent. General disratisfac-ion was expressed two years ago conserning his manner of conducting the cerning in manner of conducting the campaign, and his refusal to consult with members of the committee. It is said that he collected ample funds to pay all the expenses of the campaign, and that he has not yet rendered an account to the committee, nor paid all the expenses in-curred. There is much talk of selecting a new chairman. Besides Mr. Hendricks there are mentioned for the pince M. L. Chamberlein and Alonzo Gesner.

It is reported that many of the McBride men, who were defeated in the Republi-can primaries, are now talking of inaug-urating a "citizens" movement." As the McBride men are almost identical with owd usually denominated the and are men who have always decried a "citizens' ticket," this talk is the source of much hmusement. Many the source of much hmusement. Many anti-McBride men are talking of a "citizens' movement" inside the and if they should prevail, the spectacl of the "reformers" having control of the party machinery and the "push" putting up an independent ticket might be pre-

Inharmony Among Democrats.

All is not harmony in the Democratic ranks in this city. The primary election, held last Saturday, was contested only upon personal differences, and the question to be determined was which faction should control the County Convention. The two factions have been designated locally the "D'Arcy" and "anti-D'Arcy" people. In only two precincts were oppos-ing slates presented—Salem No. 1 and Salem No. 2. In the other Salem precincts the slates were understood to be anti-D'Arcy, and had no opposition. In Salem No. 1 the anti people won by a vote of 23

But it is over the election held in Salem No. 3 that the trouble is brewing, it being claimed that unfair means were employed to carry the election. The election rides that "the polling-places at primary elections shall be kept for the reception of votes not less than five nor more than seven consecutive hours, and between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 7 o'clock P. M." In Salem No. I the poils were not opened until 2 o'clock, and were closed about 5 o'clock. In this time only 15 votes were cast. The prethree men on what was known as the "D'Arcy" slate received eight votes, the other man on the slate receiving seven votes and tieling with the four men on the other slate. It is now charged that eight men were on their way to the polls in that precinct at the time the polls were closed, and that if they had been allowed to vote the result would have been changed. It is charged that the election judges took the ballot-box away for the express purpose of preventing more votes from being

Umntilla County Prohibitionists.

PENDLETON, March 21 .- After taking 10 years' nap, the Prohibitionists of Umatilla County are again in the field. About 60 party voters were in attendance at their convention at Athena Saturday, and nominated the following ticket: Joint Representative - A. M. Elam, of

Representatives-Ira W. Berry, of Milton; E. H. Stone, of Athena, County Judge-Henry Frazier, of Mil-

Commissioner-A. K. Finley, of Helix. Sheriff-J. H. Leeter, of Echo, Clerk-W. H. Pruett, of Weston Assessor-R. E. Stewart, of Athena.

Treasurer-William Talbert, of Milton. Coronor-Dr. D. K. Charles, of Athena. The usual single-issue platform was

Oliver W. Stewart, of Illinois, the National chairman of the party, will speak at Milion, on Tuesday afternoon, April 3, at 1:30, and in the Courthouse in Pendle-ton, on the same date, at 7:30 in the even-

Eugene Republican Delegates.

EUGENE. Or., March T.—The Republican primaries in Eugene yesterday resulted in the election of the following: S. W. Taylor, C. S. Frank, S. B. Eakin, E. K. Henderson, L. O. Beckwith, V. Hemenway, C. A. Hardy, J. B. Hopkins, M. Svarvernd, J. Shuckey, R. S. Huston, M. B. Barker, J. W. White, W. G. Gibirap, L. H. Lehrson, Bert Lennings, J. M. Day E. H. Johnson, Bert Jennings, J. M. Day, S. F. Kerns, G. W. Griffin, H. F. McCor-mack, L. T. Harris, S. H. Friendly, M. L. Applegate J. A. Haines, G. W. Nor-ris, E. J. McClanahan, J. H. Lamson, C. A. Wintermeier, G. R. Chrisman, E. F. Chapman, J. M. Sloan, A. C. Woodcock, N. M. Green, W. Kuykendall, J. M. Shel-

Confidence in Rewitt's Nomination. ALBANY, Or., March 27 .- Albany today was full of Republican delegates in anticipation of the county convention to be held tomorrow. While there is a strong contest for nominations on the county ticket, it is possible substantially to name the ticket that will be selected. The clos-est fight will be on delegates to the state convention oven securing the nomination for District Attorney for this district, Albany having two candidates, Judge J. M. Duncan and A. M. Cannon. Both are claiming the delegation. Judge Hewitt will secure the Congressional delegation, with strong confidence in his nomination at

Harmonized on Brownell. OREGON CITY, March 27.—There is a pretty full attendance of delegates from every section of the county, elected at the Republican primaries last Saturday. The county convention will convene at 3 A. M. amorrow, and present indications are that

the gathering will be a harmonious one. What few delegates were opposed to Brownell for Congressman now express themselves as having no objection to his

Republicans Helped Raise the Wind. Republicans Helped Raise the Wind.

ALBANY, Or., March 27.—The local committee arranged for Mr. Bryan to speak on the Courthouse square, but the weather being unfavorable, it is now attempting to become some other place. The Republican convention has the only available building for the day. The local committee has raised \$150, of which it will pay \$30 for the band, and \$50 of it for a train to convey Mr. Bryan from Albany to Salem. The committee has had conto Salem. The committee has had con-siderable difficulty in raising the funds, being obliged to ask Republicans generally for subscriptions.

Ankeny Forces Won. WALLA WALLA. Wash., March 27.— The Ankeny men won in this city at the Republican caucus held today. There was much interest in the voting, and a large

Registration in Linn.

ALBANI, Or., March 27.—The registration in this county is only 2500, only about half the vote of the county, and it is thought May 15 will see the total considerably short of the usual vote.

PROGRESS OF SEALING.

British Columbia Scalers Are Boing Well Following the Herd.

ASTORIA, March 21.-The sealing choener Hatzle, of Victoria, B. C., arrived in port last evening for water and supplies, and will go outside again in about two days. Her master, Captain Daley, reports a catch of 375 skins. He says that the weather was no severe between March 2 and March 14 that none of the sealing schooners could do any hunting. On March 18 he spoke the Viva, with 402 skins, and she reported the Favorite with skins. On February 28 the Hatzle spoke the City of San Diego, with 600 skins, and she reported the Dora Seward with 200 skins. All of these schooners are from

No action has yet been taken either by the canners or the fishermen relative to the price of salmon, but the indications are that the season will open with chinecks bringing at least 5 cents at the cold-storage plants. A meeting of the fisher-men will be held in a few days, when the matter will be discussed, but whether any figure for the season will be agreed upon is not known.

There have been 1466 voters registered in this county so far. This is slightly over half the total vote cast at the election two years ago.

MANN COUNTY REPUBLICANS.

Democratic Paper Forcensts Outcom of Today's Convention.

Albany Democrat. The Republican primaries ended Saturday evening in a victory for Hardman in this city, and there is enough to indicate that he will probably control the county convention on Wednesday. The tickets in West Albany and Albany were compromise ones. In East Albany there was the liveliest primary contest in the history of Albany, for the first time in a pri-mary election cabs being used. The reg-ular Hardman slate ticket won by a small margin, establishing Hardman's position as party leader. Otherwise the principal contest was on District Attorney, A. M. Cannon being Mardman's candidate. Cangation. On the surface Cannon is in the lead, though this is denied by the opposition. Hardmap's county ticket will probably be nominated, to-wit: W. M. Brown for Judge, J. P. Carter for County Clerk; M. D. Phillips for Sheriff; Charles Warner for Recorder, and Ned Cariton for Super-

Brief Term of Court in Yamhill. M'MINNVILLE, Or., March 27. - Judge

Burnett today adjourned Circuit Court. Festerday all jurors were excused from further attendance on the court, and when court was called this morning there was no business to transact. This is said to be the shortest term of court ever held in Yamhill County, the court being in session but three hours. No jury was impaneled and no case was tried, although several were continued. Jesse Wheeler, an Indian, indicted for assault with a danger-ous weapon, pleaded guilty to simple assault, and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the county jail.

The case of the Slaters of Mercy of Ce dar Mfils, Washington County, vs. the Oregon Fire Relief Association, of this was dismissed, on motion of the

The two cases of "holdouts" in the City Council against the two members holding seats on three votes, were transferred to Department No. 2, which will meet April 16. Demurrers have been filed by the de-

Eighteenth Cabin Native Daughters, CORVALLIS, Or., March 27.-Martha Avery's Cabin, No. 18, Native Daughters of Oregon, was instituted in this city last night. The new cabin starts off with flattering prospects, having a fine mem-bership, with promise of many excellent accessions. It is named in honor of Mrs. Martha Avery, widow of the late J. C. Avery. Mr. Avery was the founder of Corvallie, and one of the earliest arrivals in Benton County, having pitched his tent on the present site of Corvallis in 1865, He was a prominent figure in early Oregon politics, serving as a member at the first and second sessions of the territorial Legislature. Mrs. Avery arrived in 1847, and on the identical spot where she then took up her residence, she still resides, surrounded with life's comforts, and hale after 76 years of life.

Oregon Notes.

The voter who does not register will buy his own cigars, says the Carson Tocsin. At Promise, in Wallowa County, last reek, a barn-raising brought out a crowd

The Shaniko Illahee will be the name of the first paper at the new town at the terminus of the Columbia Southern Rail-

The Columbia Southern now has 500 men at work laying track. They are progressing at the rate of 4500 to 5000 feet per day. The line will be completed through to

Shaniko by April 15. While spading in his garden last Thursday, says the Bandon Recorder, Robert Lowe dug up enough new potatoes to make a mess. The tubers had grown this winter, and the largest were larger than hens' eggs. The vines were a foot high and

showed no signs of frost. In a runaway at Enterprise, three per-sons were badly hurt. Alva Chenoworth suffered the fracture of a stump of an amputated leg: his wife's left leg was proken and her knee fractured; and his nother's left cheek bone and left collar cone were broken. They were pitched wer the dashboard. Two bables were not

M. Fitzgerald, of Mitchell, sold on the 20th inst. to a Montana buyer, 1999 head of yearling owes and wethers at \$2.55 for wethers and \$2.75 for ewes, to be delivered after shearing. As the sheep will shear 10 pounds, and Fitzgerald expects to get 18 cents a pound for it, it will be seen that he figures on his yearlings bringing him an average of \$4 42 per head. A Lebanon man tells the following for a fact: One day a Linn County farmer bought a banana at his store, the first one he had ever eaten. After finishing it he threw the peel on the floor. After gazing at it a moment he picked it up

MADE HIS FIRST SPEECH AT THE DEPOT IN ASBLAND.

Revamps One of Solomon's Proverbs Into Slang-Greeted With Little Enthusinsm-At Other Places.

ASHLAND, Or., March M .- There was a gathering of about 400 citizens here today to meet Colonel William J. Bryan, who ar-rived in Oregon on the 4:40 Southern Pacige train. A number of prominent Demo-cratic and Populist politicians met Bryan on the train at Coles Station, Cal., to escort him to the city and hold a conference with him and agree on things which should be prominent in speeches delivered in the state. On his arrival Bryan talked 20 minutes, briefly spoke on the income A. M. tomorrow. At 1:20 P. M. the same tax, money question, trusts, imperialism day he will speak at Walla Walla, and

W. J. BRYAN IS IN OREGON Albany and Salem temorrow, and will re-

Not So Much Interest Now WALLA WALLA, Wash, March 27.— When Bryan was here in 1897 a fund of \$350 was raised among the people, without regard to politics, to pay for necessary arrangements in this city. Not so much will be raised this time, as interest in Bryan seems to have died out to a large extent. Men who took interest three years ago are watching the show this year.

BRYAN'S ITINERARY. 0. R. & N. Arrangements for the

Nebraska Orator. Tonight the O. R. & N.'s regular train, No. 2, at 8 P. M., will carry out Colonel W. J. Bryan and party. The itinerary as arranged by the O. R. & N. people, is as follows: Portland to Pendieton, where Colonel Bryan will speak tomorrow morn-ing. From Pendleton Colonel Bryan and party will proceed to Spokane on a special. He will make an address there at 11:45

COLONEL W. J. BRYAN.

as talks recently made by him in other non claims a majority of the Albany dele-gation. On the surface Cannon is in the somewhat slightly. He took strong ground against trusts, saying Congress should require a license from each corporation in every state before it should do business outside its state, and that corporations should have no water in their stocks. In denouncing trusts, Mr. Bryan said:

"Solomon has a proverb, 'A prudent man oreseth the evil and hideth himself, but he simple-minded pass on and are punished.' That is too long. I have redrawn

United States could not afford to have "subjects," and cannot afford to bring in hose who are not to share in the full lestiny of the American people.

There was little enthusiasm at the

meeting, and Mr. Bryan's remarks met ALBANY, March 27.-Preparations are

being made for a big crowd here tomorrow, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when W. J. Bryan will deliver an address on his tour through the Northwest. The two hours of his speaking will be entirely given up to that event by the people of the city.

Governor Rogers Snubbed. OLYMPIA, Wash., March M.-Citizens of the capital city, irrespective of party, are delighted at the appointment of an Olympian to preside at the Bryan speaking Wednesday, April 4, for it is considered a rebuff to Governor Rogers not to be invited to preside on such an occasion n the capital city, and the Governor's come for the past three years and a half. It has been evident since the announcement was made that Bryan would tour the state the Governor was exerting his influence to keep the man of words away from Olympia. For this several reasons have been assigned. Members of the Bryan Democratic Club state that the Governor would not invite the humilia-tion of having Bryan speak here and he not be the one to introduce him to an Olympia audience. The Republican poli-ticians hold that Governor Rogers is not anxious for William J. Bryan to air his anti-expansion views in the state, and bas used his influence to prevent his speaking in Whatcom. Olympia and other places, and would have been glad if he had omitted Washington altogether in his Western tour, as Governor Regers has repeatedly announced himself a decided expunsionist,

Arrangements at Pendleton

PENDLETON, Or., March M.-Arrange-ments for the visit of William Jennings Bryan in this town Thursday have been completed by the various committees. He will reach Pendleton carly in the morning, and at 10 o'clock begin his speech. At the conclusion of the address Mr. Bryan will be taken to Walla Walla, to speak at 2:50, and he will proceed thence to Dayton, for an evening meeting. So far as the local committees can estimate, the expenses of the rally will be between \$100 and \$150, the money being used in paying printing bills, cost of preparing the warehouse for the meeting, hiring a brass band, and in sending a man through-out the county to carry advertising mat-ter and announce the event in person in the various towns.

Mixed With Shouts for Cleveland. GRANT'S PASS, Or., March Z.-W. J. Bryan arrived on the evening train and

spoke for about 10 minutes. A large crowd listened attentively, aithough shouts for Cleveland were heard. The speech was very tame, and was not re-ceived with any enthusiasm. He confined himself chiefly to imperialism and trusts, which were both shouldered on the Reublican party. Mr. Bryan thought Josephine County was agricultural, and spoke as if addressing farmers. The general opinion of his speech was one of disappointment.

and militarism, in about the same line at 7 P. M. at Dayton. He will speak at Colfax March 30, at 9 A. M., and at Spo kane at 1:50 P. M. While en route from Colfax to Spokane, Colonel Bryan will deliver 20-minute speeches at Garfield and

> NORTH PALCUSE LOG DRIVE. Nearly Fluished for the Season-News

of Whitman County. COLFAX, March 27 .- Log driving on the North Palouse River is nearly finished for the Colfax Mill is all below Elberton, and the head of the drive will reach Colfax tomorrow. This year Mr. Codd had prepared for an unusually large drive, and had over 6,000,000 feet of logs cut in the Idaho Mountains, east of Palouse. Lack of snow prevented getting the timber to the river, and the Codd drive this year does not exceed 2,500,000 feet.

Heavy rains have fallen throughout the Palouse country during the past three days, and fears are entertained that killing frosts may follow, injuring the prospective fruit crop,

Yesterday Ed. Ellis, a powerfully built young man, a saloon roustabout and hanger-on, made an unprovoked assault upon Robert Crabtree, a Colfax farmer. Ellis his bed by his injuries,

Democrats and Populists are making extensive preparations for W. J. Bryan's reception here March 20. An excursion from Moscow and Lewiston is planned, and strong efforts are being made to induce farmers from all over the county to

BLOWN UP WITH DYNAMITE.

Result of Townsite Trouble at Che-

saw, British Columbia. GREENWOOD, B. C., March 21.-Information comes from Myers Creek by telephone of the blowing up by dynamite of L. L. Patrick's residence at Chesaw. Full particulars are difficult to get. There have been troublesome times at Chesaw over townsite matters. Recently, Patrick, who is mine manager for George D. Mechem, representing Montreal capital, staked a claim on land said to belong to M. P. Evans. He proceeded to erect a residence and yesterday unknown parties blew it to pieces with dynamite. Warrants are now being procured for the arrest of parties implicated.

Ordinance Was Not Passed. VANCOUVER, Wash., March 27 .- No siness of any character was transacted at last night's adjourned meeting of the City Council. The meeting was held for the purpose of taking final action upon the ordinance providing for the Main-street pavement, but upon the assembling of the Council it was advised by the City Attorney that an ordinance of that char-acter could not be finally passed legally at any other than a regular meeting. Upon receiving this opinion an adjournment was taken at once. The next regular meeting will occur Monday

Mrs. Lilly, of Benton County. CORVALLIS, March 27.-Mrs. Mary Hardy Lilly, Oregon pioneer of 1851, was buried today in Odd Fellows' cemetery, this city. She died at her home near Wren, Benton County, resterday morning. aged 61 years. She was a native of Illinois, and had been a resident of Benton County since her arrival in the state. Her husband was Jerry Lilly, who died 18 years ago. The surviving children are: Mrs. W. E. Elliott, of Corvallis; Mrs. O. W. Robbins, of Moialia; George E. Lilly, of Corvallis, and Jennie, Edith, Homer and Horace Lilly, of Wren.

Two Brakebeam Tourists Killed. ROSEBURG, March 27.—State Chairman R. S. Sheridan, Frank Williams and Seneca Smith and delegation of state committeemen, Democrats, Populists and Sjiver Republicans, went to Ashland this morning to meet Colonel William J. Bryan and welcome him to Oregon. The party passed through Roseburg tonight on the midnight train. Mr. Bryan will speak at SEATTLE, March 27.-Two tramps, one

THEREFORE A FRESNO MAN IS IN JAIL AT HILLSBORG.

Has Another Name in Oregon, but Officers Believe Him to Be the Man Wanted.

FOREST GROVE, Or., March M.-Deprorest Grove, Or., March 2.—195-uty Sheriff John McNamer today arrested near here John W. Coleman, who is sup-posed to be J. W. Shanklin, wanted in Fresno, Cal., for embezzlement. A few days ago McNamer noticed in the Sheriff's rogues' gallery the face of a man whom he had seen around Forest Grove and Greenville. For his arrest the city of Fresno was willing to pay \$300. McNamer at once telegraphed the Constable there, receiv-ing a reply that a warrant would be telegraphed. This morning Coleman was ar-rested while riding along the Greenville road, and taken to the county jail. The read, and taken to the county jail. The picture was a good likeness of him, and he admitted having been in Fresno, but stoutly denied having any other name than Coleman. When first arrested he said he was unarmed, but the Deputy Sheriff, on searching, found a loaded revolver, which he said was a keepsake. Upon McNamer's pressing him, he admitted acquaintance with a woman name. ted acquaintance with a woman named Belle Wolf, with whom he was said to have left Fresno. The California officers are expected to arrive here Thursday Coleman is a man of about 35, of gentle manly appearance, and evidently well educated, and claims to be a bookkeeper

JURY COULD NOT AGREE.

s a Result the Forest Grove Liquor-Selling Case Will Be Dismissed. HILLSBORO, March 27.-The jury in the filler trial, which was beard in the Circuit Court yesterday, after being out since 4 o'clock in the afternoon, report-ed this morning to Judga McBride that they were unable to agree, and were discharged. The first ballot stood eight for acquittal, and after midnight changed to an even division. It was the appeal of C. P. Miller, a Forest Grove druggist, who had been convicted before the Recorder of selling blackberry brandy and alcohol mixed, in violation of the city's prohibi-tory ordinance. Features of the trial were the confession by the principal wit-ness for the prosecution that he had given liquor to a minor, his statement that he had been threatened for that reason into prosecuting, and his ridiculous assertion that the president of Pacific University had promised him free tuition in the school for appearing. The testimony difered materially from that given upon the

The Forest Grove city authorities, it is inderstood, refuse to be at any further cost in the matter, and are urging the law and order committee, which prose-cuted, to dismiss the case. The expenses of the former prosecution have been repudiated by both committee and city, and this failure to convict has widened the disagreement, as the City Council claims these costs should be paid out of the law and order subscription fund. The report comes from Forest Grove that the attor ney for the prosecution will move in the morning for a dismissal, and that the city will pay the costs, the result of a compromise effected this afternoon.

TANNAHILL'S TRIAL FOR FORGERY. Testimony for the Defense Has Begun-No Mercy for Expert.

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 27.-In the Tannahill trial today the state rested, and the defense began the introduction of tes-timeny. Allen A. Cunningham, the ex-pert accountant, from Salem, Or., who has been examining the county books, was handled rather roughly by the attorneys for the defense. The foundation is evidently being land to tear down his expert testimony as to handwriting.
S. O. Tannahill, ex-Auditor of Ner

idea into his head and the foolish man gets at like season. The McCornack drive for the Perces County, is charged with forgery of county warrants during his term of office, which extended from 1886 to 189. The mill at Elberton has reached that the United States Government should set brother to it. He confiended that the United States could not an an "elder brother" to it. He confiended that the United States could not a superior the Colfax Mill is all below Elberton. savors somewhat of politics. Judge Steele is kept busy suppressing political suggestions that might prejudice the jury one way or the other. The cost to Nez Perces. County at the end of the first day of the trial was \$1130. This includes the expenses of the court. It is hard to tell what the outcome will be, but it is predicted that when the state rests counsel for the defense will make a strong effort to dismiss the case on the ground that the offense charged has not been proved.

The water-works deaf seems to have been definitely closed. The city made an offer of \$69,500 for the plant, which offer was declined by the owners. leaves only the burden of street-paving on the City Council. Since the purchase of the Boston mill ditch for \$6000, half of which was paid by the property-owners has been bound over to the Superior Court along Main street, and half by the city, for trial, while Crabtree is still confined to been disposed of

Stubbed in the Neck.

ROSEBURG, Or., March T.-A serious difficulty between three men named Suth-erlin and W. Freyer occurred in Oakland last night, resulting in Sutherlin receiv-ing two severe knife wounds, one in the neek and the other in the thigh. No arrests have yet been made.

To Bring Collins Back.

SEATTLE, Wash, March 27.—Deputy Sheriff J. W. McLeod, accompanied by a Pinkerton detective, left today for San Francisco for the purpose of I back John Collins, who has confess he was implicated in the First National Bank robbery. The police do not antici-pate that anything will result from the habeas corpus proceedings which Cellins has instituted.

Captain Handy Surrendered.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 27.-Captain F. N. Handy, of San Francisco, who, with Dr. E. F. Adams, of Chicago, is accused of swindling Dr. J. Eugene Jordan, of this city, out of \$10,000 by means of the alleged fraudulent sale of the steamer Professor Morris, arrived in the city today and surrendered himself. He was released on \$1009 bail.

FROST AT DALLAS. Dense Fog Is Supposed to Have Saved

Fruit From Injury. DALLAS, March 27.-Last night a very heavy frost visited this locality, but the sun rose this morning in a dense fog, which, it is hoped, may save the fruit. Ice

was frozen on the sidewalks, and clothes on the line were stiff as boards. J. B. Nesmith, son of the late Senator J. W. Nesmith, who has been lying very sick at his home in Dixie, this county, is recovering slowly.

Farmers Welcomed Rain.

MONROE, Or., March 27 .- The rain yes erday has been the means of relieving the minds of many farmers in this section. The continuous dry weather of the past The continuous dry weather two weeks caused all bottom land to dry two weeks caused al very fast on top and rather slowly be-neath, so that the result was "caked," or baked plowland. As this is a condition detrimental to the growth of the grain, the weather of the past 25 hours has been med most heartlly.

the drawbridge at Bundy's Crossing by

Fair Weather in the Mountains. OREGON CITY, March II.—Seth Austir is down from the hot springs, above the Upper Clackamas hatchery, where he spent the winter. The Clackamas is a wild stream in the mountains in winter

LOOKS LIKE EMBEZZLER time, and the washing away of a bridge by a freshet kept him a prisoner for about three months. He reports the winter a mild one in the mountains. Mr. Austin brought out 12 coyote scalps, for which he received the usual certificate from the County Clerk.

> LOVELACE IS ALL RIGHT. Simpson's Identification of Astoria

Corpse Was Unreliable. Saturday morning The Oregonian print ed a dispatch from Astoria, giving an ac-count of the Coroner's inquest on a body that had been found in the river the pre-vious day. In the dispatch it appeared that one J. S. Simpson had identified the corpse as that of R. W. Lovelace, and the Coroner evidently took that statement for truth. Periode visitate is discribed. for truth. Besides claiming to identify the corpse, Simpson gave quite a sketch of the course of Lovelace. It turns out, however, that Lovelace is alive and co-ing well at Viento, as the following from a letter received by The Oregonian yester-

day indicates:
"If R. W. Lovelnce, late locomotive engincer of the Southern Pacific Railway, is a corpse, I confess he is the most lively corpse I ever ran across, Since cominamong us and beginning work here with the railroad contractor, he has performed his duties faithfully, conducted himself a a gentleman, and is esteemed by all with whom he has come in contact. Credentials that he possesses from the Southern Pacific officials preclude the idea that he is in any danger of filling an early grave from strong drink."

ASTORIANS AT THE DALLES. Received Hearty Greeting and

Looked at the Portage Railroad. THE DALLES, Or., March 27 .- The steamer Lurline, carrying about 100 of the leading citizens of Astoria, arrived here today, noon. The dock was crowded with people, aside from the town band, which was there to receive them. The visitors were escorted to the Umatilla Hotel, where dinner was served, after which they left for the Big Eddy to view the work being done on the Paul Mohr portage road, A basquet was given them this evening, and they will return tomorrow afternoon,
Miss Ellinor H. More, sister of the
late Alexander P. More, of Santa Rosa Island, Cal., and aunt of Mrs. Fred H. Rowe, of The Dalles, died at Monroe, Ia., March 18. Mr. Rows will attend the funeral services at Oakland, Cal., this

MORE CANNERIES GOBBLED. All Oregon Coast Salmon Packing in

Hands of the Combine. ASTORIA, March 27.-It is reliably reported that the Columbia River Packers' Association has completed arrangements for the consolidation of all the Oregon Coast salmon canneries, extending as far as Rogue River on the south, and Gray's Harbor on the Washington Coast north. With the acquisition of these Coast can-nerics, the Columbia River Packers' Association has an estimated capital of \$7,-600,000 involved in its combined interests on the Columbia River, Puget Sound and the coast of Oregon and Washington.

Creamery for Applegate Country. GRANT'S PASS, Or., March 3.-H. E. Lounsbury, of the traffic department of the Southern Pacific Company, was in this city today, negotiating for the establish-ment of a creamery in the Applegate country, 10 miles west of here. A trip among the farmers of that section today revealed the fact that a splendid opening exists there for the establishment of such an enterprise, and undoubtedly further steps will be taken in the matter. The country has fine alfalfa, good irrigation facilities, and an energetic class of citi-

Freight Cars Ditched.

ROSEBURG, Or., March 27.-The two rear cars and caboose of the northbound rear cars and caboose of the northbound through freight train were ditched this afternoon near Green Station. No one was injured. The southbound local pas-senger will be delayed 19 to 12 hours. Settled Out of Court,

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the cause. The amount involved was over \$300. Cadwell's pleadings admitted that he was president of the company, but he con-tended that he made the purchases individually, of the stock and feed, for which ift was entered. The costs will follow the plaintiff.

Quotations of Mining Stocks.

SPOKANE, March 27 .- The closing bids for pining stocks today were: mining stocks today were:

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closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

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BOSTON, March 27.-Closing quotations HILLSBORO, Or., March 27. — The case of J. W. Brown, of Polk County, vs. the Oregon Land & Investment Company, of which E. P. Cadwell, of Forest Grove, is president, was settled out of court, today, after a jury had been selected to try

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