complains because the Republican ticket has on it the name of only one old soldier. Two Spanish War veterans were honored with leading places. He says that the Populist ticket will be made up in no small degree of veterans of the Civil War. By what can be gathered from general conversation, it is judged that the fusion question will receive more attention in the Populist convention than the reward of old soldiers. It is quite generally thought, A BIGGER HOP COMBINE in the Recorder's office today, the aggre SERIOUS CHARGES MADE dge on a charge of insanity, but was LANE IS FOR TONGUE Judge on a charge of insanity, but was discharged from custody. Witnesses tes-tified that she had visited Ciackamas, and, desiring to go into a house belonging to her mother, Mrs. Crookshank, broke 10 of the 11 windows in the dwelling, upon finding the door locked. She said that she broke one window in order to effect an entrance into the building, and demol-ished the others because she was angry. FISH-EATING BIRDS. DEFENDANT COMES BACK AT PLANS FOR IT ARE BEING MADE BY oner Reed Thinks a Bounty Its Delegates Requested to Fa-PROSECUTING JUDGEL THE GROWERS. vor the Congressman. TILLAMOOK BAY, Or., March 20.-(To Judge McDonald Holds Nessly to Su

MOORHEAD FOR JOINT SENATOR

Ellensburg Convention Likely Send One Wilson Man to Philadelphia for Harmony's Sake.

EUGENE, April 4.-The Lane County Republican Convention today chose 14 delegates to the state convention, 14 dele gates to the Congressional district con-vention, and nominated a full legislative and county ticket. It passed resolutions commending the National Administration indorsing Congressman Tongue, and requesting its delegates to do all they could honorably to bring about his renomina-tion, and instructed delegates to the state convention in favor of S. L. Moorhead, of Junction City, for Joint Senator from Lane, Douglas and Josephine. G. R. Chrisman was chosen chairman of the nittee, and L. H. Johnso retary.

The following delegates to the state w. G. Glistrap, O. P. Hoff, George H.

W. G. Gustrap, C. F. Hon, George R. Kelley, A. L. Boney, W. Kuykendall, S. L. Moorhead, William Preston, Darwin Bristow, S. H. Friendiy, E. A. Bond, S. B. Eakin, J. M. Shelley, A. C. Woodcock and F.O. Brutze. nd E. O. Potter. The delegates to the Congressional con

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 C. F. Hurlburt, H. B. Miller, L. E. Park,
O. A. Campbell, John F. Kelley, C. J.
Howard, George L. Hall, T. W. Harris,
C. P. Burkholder, J. C. Brattain, A. D.
Hyland, E. F. Chapman, R. F. Scott and I. E. Bean.

The county ticket nominated is as follows:

For Representatives-James Hemenway of Cottage Grove; L. T. Harris, of Eu-gene; Ivan McQueen, of Siuslaw, County Judge-O. F. Knox, of Cottage

Grove. County Clerk-E. U. Lee, of Junction. Sheriff-R. D. Hawley, of Pleasant Hill. Commissioner-J. L. Taylor, of Her-

mann. Treasurer-L. Gilstrap, of Eugene Assessor-D. P. Burton, of Cottage

Grove School Superintendent-Eugene Bond, of

Irving. Surveyor-C. M. Collier, of Eugene.

Coroner-G. W. Griffin, of Eugene

THE WORK AT ELLENSBURG. Hopkins May Be Chosen in Order to

Avoid a Fight.

ELLENSBURG, Wash., April 4.-The Republican convention will be called to order tomorrow morning by J. H. Schively, chairman of the state committee. As now arranged, E. H. Guie, of Seattle, will be temporary chairman, and the temporary organization will be made permanent, as the intention is to have a short convention, and no time is to be lost. A special train is bulletined to arrive from the west at 4 o'clock tomorrow in the afternoon, and the convention will doubtless urn before that. Slates have been made and broken all

day, and all kinds of rumors have been afloat, but the fact is tangible resilts can be attained only after the two late trains tonight. At this time it is con-that the west side will be awarded in tonight. five National delegates, and the east side Cooler heads predict that C. B. is will be one of these, for, although a bitter fight has been made all day in the caucuses against John L. Wilson, whose close representative Hopkins is, a

strong faction is opposing a fight in this convention, and they hope later arrivals will stand by them. Owing to this uncertain condition, resolutions have not yet been drafted.

The prominent men of the party are here from all over the state, and it is believed the convention will be one of the strongest intellectually that ever assumbled in the state, but extensive speech-making prob-

ropulat convention that the reward of old soldiers. It is quite generally thought, too, that placing a veteran on a Populist ticket in Marion County this year would not be much of a favor. Preparing for the Camp

BAKER CITY, Or., April 4-A meeting of the Republican candidates nominated by the county convention a few days ago is called for April 7. There will also be meeting of the county central committee on the same date.

Sumptor is making elaborate prepara-tions for the entertainment of the dela gates to the Democratic and People party conventions, which will be hel-there Saturday next.

Quotations of Mining Stocks.

SPOKANE, April 4 .-- The closing mining stocks today were:

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SAN FRANCISCO, April 4 .- The official clo

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that the pardoned man should make a charge against Nessly. The whole tenor of the defense's affidavit is that the Judge

has for two years been trying to have the defendant prosecuted on a criminal charge, the inference being that the pres-ent action is the outgrowth of personal

antipathy. It is understood that Judge McDonald will be arrested and prosecuted on the sensational charges made in the affida-vits, direct charges of felony against the

court. On account of the conduct of E. K. Hanna, who appeared for Nessly, Judge McDonald has directed a committee to

nstitute disbarment proceedings against

TO DEDICATE NEW QUARTERS.

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Chollar	17. Sierra Nevada 58 1 30 Silver Hill 11
Con. Cal. & Va	
Crown Point	19 Standard 8 05
Exchequer	2 Union Con 18 16 Utah Con 11
Gould & Curry	16 Utah Con 11
Hale & Norcross	
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NEW YORK, April 4 .- Mining stocks today

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8	Gould & Curry	18 do pref	8	60
8	Hale & Norcross	22 Slerra Nevada		50
	Homestake	00 Standard	3	15
1	Iron Silver	65 Union Con		16
	Mexican	22 Yellow Jacket	1	15

BOSTON, April 4. Closing quotations: Adventure 50 00% Humboldt 50 01 Allouez Mining 25 Oscola 724 Amal Copper 564 Parrott 515 Atlantic 294 Quincy 1 37 Boston & Mont 3 20 Santa Fe Copper 56 Butte & Boston 83 Tamarack 189 Cal & Heela 7 53 Utah Mining 324 Centennial 24 Winona 524 Franklin 11 Wolverines 424

Rounding Up the Stock.

LAKEVIEW, Or., April 1.—At this time every year the various stockmen start their riders out with instructions to pen every animal of the horse kind that they ind. These are crowded up and penned at various points on the "desert" and in the valleys, in places prepared for the purpose, irrespective of ownership and purpose, irrespective of ownership, and the stockmen go to these places and select out their own and brand them and drive them to the Summer range. The Lake County "desert" is of lower altitude than the rest of the country, and horses thrive on the short gram there all the Winter on the short grass there all the Winter, eating snow for water. At this time of the year, the snow having thawed from the mountains, the horses are gathered from the desert and driven to the moun-tains.

Later in the Summer the cattle an gathered in the same way and change to different ranges or driven to the marcet.

Sheep are now arriving from the "desert" by the thousands, and the an-nual shearing of this county will begin about the 10th of this month. From now on business will be lively here.

Stabbed in a Saloon Row.

TILLAMOOK, April 3-A stabbing affair occurred early Sunday morning in a saloon in this city, when Harry Mitchell, who had bought a pocket-knife for the

purpose, thrust it in the side of Fred Newtown, turning the knife around when he drew it out, making a gash several inches long. He is not dangerously wound-

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perior Court and the Latter Files A Fine Ranch Sold, La Grande Chronicle Sensational Affidavits.

On Saturday the bargain was completed for the purchase of Jasper N. Rinehart's farm, near Imbiar, the purchasers being six parties from Idaho. The sale of this COLFAX, Wash., April 4.-Judge Mc-Donald, at whose instance J. E. Nessly, ex-Deputy Sheriff, was arrested on the charge of having forced a feeble-minded farm has been reported several times dur-ing the past few months, but nothing was lefinitely done until last Saturday, when he sum of \$1000 was paid down to "hold he bargain." Mr. Rinehart's place con-sists of 229 acres, and the price paid was woman to occupy a cell with a convicted murderer, in the Whitman County jail, today held Nessiy in the sum of \$1500 to appear at the coming term of the Superior Court for trial. The Judge sat as the mag-istrate examined the witnesses and ran the whole examination in an unusual man-

Sists of 223 acres, and the price paid was St4 an acre, or a total of \$17,766. It is understood that the place will be sub-divided among the six people. Mr. Rins-hart is to give possession in 30 days, and it is his present intention to remove to some other locality, which he has not yet The defense filed a protest against Judge The defense filed a protest against Judge McDonaid sitting on the case, on the ground of prejudice, and supported the protest with affidavits charging the Judge with subornation of perjury and other criminal acts, alleging that he used his authority to persecute Nessly. Among these allegations is one that Judge Mc-Donaid assisted in getting a pardon for a convicted cattlethief and then insisted that the pardoned man should make a fully decided up

President Hill on Way to the Coast SPOKANE, April 4.-A special train bearing President Hill, his two sons, Sec. and Vice-President Miller, Chief Engineer Stevens and Assistant General Superin tendent Downs passed through Spokan this morning en route to the Coast. Mr. Hill's visit there is chiefly in connection with the Seattle depot and the Everett tunnel. It was expected that he confer here with a number of leading mine-owners relative to the construction of the proposed branch line to Republic, but the expectation was not realized.

Clark County Man Insane. VANCOUVER, Wash., April 4.-Gottlelb Vollenweider, of Ploneer, was today ad-judged insame and committed to the asyum at Steflacoom,

Bank at Hood River.

HOOD RIVER, April 4.—The first bank-ing house in Hood River will be opened for business here tomorrow.

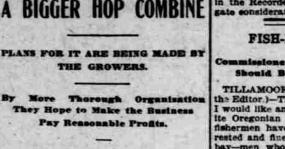


Sensible Suggestion to Fishermen the Northwest.

BAKER CITY, Or., April 4.-The date for the formal opening of the new rooms of the Chamber of Commerce has been set for Friday night next. The rooms have just been arranged and handsomely fitted up, and the members will hold a public reception on the occasion, to which CASCADE LOCKS, Or., April 2.-(To the Editor.)-In reading the very interesting article on fishing in last Sunday's issue The Oregonian, I was disappointed board of directors has appointed a find that nothing whatever was said in committee to take up the work of makcondemnation of the practice of putting ish alive into baskets and leaving them the miners' convention to be held here to die, evidently with much suffering. Though one of the most enthusiastic fishnext June. Industrial Agent Judson, of the O. R. & N., is making special efforts for the success of the undertaking, and is ermen that ever broke the Sabbath, I am ot such a barbarian but that the sport yould lose its charm for me if it necessiin correspondence with President Hen-derson on the matter. It is proposed to banquet the visitors at a cost estimated tated suffering on the part of the vicims. It must surely be disagreeable to at \$1000, and also to give excursions from this city to Sumpter, Granite and Law any one, not utterly heartless or thoughtces, to know that living creatures ar suffering "to make a holiday" for him. ton, the new mining towns. As the con-vention is expected to be the largest gath-The fact that such suffering is unnecess ary makes the cruel thoughtlessness of ering of mining men ever held in the forthwest, the entertainment of the visit one will be no small task, and the com-mittee appointed for the purpose will en-ter upon the work without delay. some fishermen doubly inexcusable. It akes a very few seconds to kill a fish, and one can certainly admire its beautiful markings as well after it is dead as when it lies "quivering on the bank." I

There is general complaint about the difficulty of renting suitable dwelling-houses in Baker City. New arrivals are compelled to put up at the hotels or lodgselieve that most sportsmen kill their fish, out I know that some, through thought-essness or indifference, do not. A small Ing-houses until they look over the city in a fruitless effort to get what they want. Unfurnished rooms for housekeeping are also scarce, but they are about the only accommodations offered, and the newfish is easily killed by placing the finger in its mouth and the thumb nall where the back of its neck ought to be, and bending the head quickly backward. This can be done while taking the fish off the comer is often compelled to take them and watch for more suitable quarters. During nook, and death results instantly. Larger ish may be killed by striking the head er months houses are often va across the foe of one's boot, or, if too cated by the farmers who live in town the remainder of the year. In another month this will relieve the scarcity somefor that, a sharp blow on the head long for that, a sharp blow on the head with a stick or a stone will cause death very quickly. The pain caused by hook-ing is evidently of little consequence, for in unfrequented streams where the fish what Although a number of cottages are being erected in different parts of the crty, they will be occupied before they are out of the peinters' hands. Building material is scored and work on several buildings In untrequented streams where the han have not become too wary. I have noticed that a trout will often come back to the fly, even though its mouth be torn by the first encounter with the hook. One of the worst examples of cruelty is scarce, and work on several buildings is progressing slowly.

At a meeting of the City Council last night the plans and specifications submitto fish may be seen on the fishwheels along the Columbia, where the salmon are ted by Surveyor Foster for the new city thrown by the wheel onto the deck of the scow, and left to beat themselves about



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SALEM, April 4-A thorough organiza-ion of the hopprowers of all the hop-roducing sections of the United States is the object of correspondence now passing between officials of the Oregon Hopgrow-ers' Association, and representatives of similar combines in New York and Caliers' Association, and representatives of in sait. But the remark I wish to make similar combines in New York and Cali-is that the shags, the different kinds of fish ducks and the kingfishers abounding Washington are practically the only hop-producing states in America, and if the bulk of the crop in these states can be pooled or the acreage limited, the growers will be able to maintain prices, which will

reasonable and remunerative. The New York growers have done little n the way of organization, but a letter received today by the Oregon association states that the formation of a combine has been started, and it is hoped to get matters in shape to handle the crop in a atisfactory manner, by August 1. The etter says, among other things: "The main points to be guarded against

are. First, not to allow the growers to contract or sell any hops until after the hops of the world are all harvested. Then we can tell better what prices to put on the goods. Second, to devise some means so as to furnish the growers with money so that it will not be necessary for them to crowd the hops on the market in order

to pay harvesting expenses, taxes, etc. "My plan is to have the growers sign a contract giving proper parties power of attorney to dispose of their hops, and to have simply samples of each lot at some central points on the line of the New York Central, where brewers may come and make selections at the prices made by the parties having the power of attorney, compensation for this work being ½ cent per pound, or \$1 per bale. It will also be duty of these parties to insure the hops as they are stored in each man's

klin, and assume the liabilities due the bank for money advanced to the farmers for the expenses of harvesting, and when the hops are sold the banks must be settled with first, and the surplus paid to

the grower." The idea of limiting the acreage of hops mong hopgrowers. This plan is embodied in the by-laws of the Southwestern Washington Hopgrowers' Association. Section 15 of the by-laws is in part as follows:

"Whenever a condition of low prices shall prevail by reason, and in consequence of overproduction, the stockholders of this association shall reduce the acre-age of hops harvested by them the following season, pro rata, upon receiving no-tice from the board of trustees so to do, said notice setting forth the percentage of their hopyards, which is to remain un

as either one of these annuals will eat more salmon in one day than all the birds in Tillamook Bay would in a whole season. The shags at the mouth of the Columbia River are not so pleniful as in the salt-water bays along the coast; harvested." Under this plan, there would not neces nevertheless, we have some there, as also some kingfishers and fish ducks, "In regard to the Fish Commissioner sarily be a reduction in the acreage of hops grown, but if it should be found just before picking time that there is an over production, only the quantity necessary to supply the market would be picked. If there should not be an overproduction to cause a cut in prices, the whole crop could and his deputies, and the high salaries of gard to them, must be laid upon the body creating them, as they were create-and their salaries fixed by the Legisla e harvested.

ture of the State of Oregon. "So far as the patrol-boats are con-Officers of the Oregon association are receiving much encouragement from prom-inent dealers who urge the growers to stand together, and that they will event-ually get their price.

Contract for Capitol Improvement.

The State Board of Capitol Commission ers today opened blds for the changes to be made in the House of Representatives and awarded a contract to Erb & Van Pation, of Salem, at 18844. The contract calls for the furnishing of all labor and materials for the completion of the work. The bids were in two classes, one for floors of yellow fir, and the other for floors of cak. They were as follows: L. N. Roney-Fir, \$11,900; cak, \$13,100.

Erb & Van Patton-Fir, \$244; oak, \$8844 Erixon Van Palber-Fir, \$9202; oak, \$10,-

N. Ely-Fir. \$5600; oak, \$11,000.

AMUSEMENTS.

ORDRAY'S THEATER-

ONE WEEK. COMMENCING SUNDAT. APRIL 8. THE FRANTICALLY FUNNY FARCE. "HAVE YOU SEEN SMITHT" "HAVE YOU SEEN SMITHT" "HAVE YOU SEEN SMITHT" "HAVE YOU SEEN SMITHT" THE FAVORITE OF FUN AND FROLIC. Besular ordered and dres circle

t; gallery, 25c; loges, 50c and 75c.

AUCTION SALES TODAT.

At Central Auction Rooms, cor. Alder an Park ets. Sale at 10 A. M. Geo. Baker & Co.

At residence, 554 Morrison st., cor. 17th, a 19 o'clock A. M. S. L. N. Gliman, auctioneer. At salesrooms, 202 First st., at 2 P. M., by J. C. Currie, auctioneer.

MEETING NOTICES.

PORTLAND LODGE, NO. 27, A. O. U. W .-

meeting tomorrow (Friday) night, as a good time is in store for all. Visiting brothers in rited to be present.

F. W. ANDERSON, M. W. T. H. FEAREY, Rec.

WASHINGTON COUNCIL, NO. 2, R & S. M.-Special assembly this (Thursday) day) at 7:30 P. M. Work in Super Ex-

DIED.

NYHAN-At St. Vincent's Hospital, April 3 Miss Minute C. Nyhan. Funeral from he home, 447 Kearney st., Friday, April 8, a 9 o'clock.

EDWARD HOLMAN, Undertaker, 4th

and Yamhill sts. Rens Stinson, assistant. Both phones No. 507.

OREGON COMMANDERT, NO. 1 K. T. - Special conclave Thursday evening: April 5, at 7:30 o'clock. Worf in Order of the Temple. The Righ Eminent Grand Commander will make

dial visit on this occasion. Visitin died. A. M. KNAPP, Com.

C. E. MILLER, Rec.

CORDRAT'S THEATER-Last week, Malinee Saturday. Overwhelmin mucasa. Boston Lyric Opera Co., and the grea-tenor, Signor Domenico Russo. Repertoir-Thuraday and Friday. double bill. "Pretty Pa-sian." 3d act Lacia di Lammermoor," Russoy fo Edgardo; Saturday Matinee, "Merry War" Saturday night, "Maritana." and Russo, fo first time in English. "Because I Love You." PRICEE-Lower floor, 50c and Too; balcony Sc and 50c; galler, Zoc; loge and box seat \$1. Matinee-Zoc and 50c so any part of th bouse.

Should Be Offered for Scalps,

the Editor.)-There is one subject on which I would like an expression from our favor ite Oregonian at some time. Some poo fishermen have at divers times been ar rested and fined for illegal fishing on this bay-men who have families to support As a matter of course, all men should aim at being law-abiding citizens.

There is one cannery on this bay mak-ing a good pack during the season, and there are small quantities of fish packed has ducks and the kingheners abounding on this bay, on a conservative estimate, eat more of the "rising generation" of our fish supply here than is taken by fisher-men-legally or lilegally-in all of five

years. Now, I suppose there are no shags, no fish ducks, no kingfishers inhabiting the bay at the mouth of the Columbia, or the waters of the Columbia River. I form this supposition from the fact that I have read of the arrest of illegal fishermen there, while I have never read of a single

arrest of one of this destructive feather I have read of a Fish Comm issioner an his deputies for the State of Oregon-no doubt high-salaried officials; of their pa-trol of the Columbia in finely appointed steam yachts or launches, looking out for the poor devil of a fisherman who wishes

In poor down of a instrumant who wanted surreptitionsity to treat his family to a fresh fish, or to the proceeds therefrom. In San Francisco Bay, Chinamen are ar-rested for seining for small fry, and the fish industry is thereby to a great extent protected-supposedly. Suppose, therefore that the money spent for those Fish Comnissioners, for launches and for patrol ing-suppose it were added to a fund and a bounty paid for the arrest-otherwise

killing-of these destructive birds, would not that be a more practical way of pro-tecting the fish industry? Could not The Oregonian take this subone of those usually vigorous edi-C. I. ject for torials?

State Fish Commissioner Reed speaks in the following vein of the subject-mat

for the scalps of these several fish-enting birds. And also I will go a little farther than 'C. L' does, and give a good fair

bounty on the scalps of seals and sealions. as either one of these animals will eat

se officials, the blame, if any, in re-

cerned, we have no very fine launches or yachts on the Columbia, but ones similar to those on Tillamook Bay, in which the

ter referred to in the foregoing letter: J. P. FINLEY & SON, Undertakers Lady Assistant. 275 Third st. Tel. 9 "In regard to fishermen being arrester they must expect to be arrested if they violate the law. The suggestion in regard F. S. DUNNING, Undertaker, 414 Ea to the shags or cormorants and fish ducks as well as kingfishers, is a good one. It Alder, Lady Assistant. Both pho

Floral pieces; cut flowers. Clark Bros. 289 Morrison. Both phones. has been my intention to have a law passed at the next session of the Legisla-ture whereby a small bounty could be paid

NEW TODAY.

HEWITT-CRACKERS, CRACKERS, TWO 3-pound cartons, 35: 2 pounds built crackers, 150: a 14-pound box fresh soda crackers, 50e, We still seil our celebrated Mocha and Jaw coffee at 25c per pound, and our 60° tea fo 60c per pound. Flour, 60c, 65c and 70e pe sack; hard wheat Diamond flour, 80c per sack; 20 pounds sugar for \$1 with all grocery orders of \$3 and upwards; sugar alone, 1 pounds, \$1: 3 pounds article peaches (hish grade), 25c; 5 cans American surdines, 25c; 3 cans celebrated althert Roche surdines, 25c; 3 cans celebrated articlen surdines, 25c; 3 cans celebrated surdines, 25c; pure maple syrup, in built, only 50c per gailon, regular price 25c per gailon. Only one store, 18 Third st., near Tamhill, P. S.-We will de-liver in Albina Mondays, Wednesdays and Pridays. Fridays

FOR SALE-ONE OF THE MOST COMPLETE suburban homes in vicinity of Portland A modern S-room house, with bath and base-ment, near two car lines. Four acres of land, all in choice fruit of finest varieties, consist-ing of 70 observes, 75 apples. 30 pears 240 Italian prunes, 5 years old, and in fine bear-ing; plenty of small fruit; good barn and chicken-house; water piped to barn. This Guarantee & Trust Co., Chamber of Com-merce, city.

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cific Coast Company. Telephone, 229. 2

Fish Commissioner rode last season while there; and if the correspondent calls these "finely appointed steam launches," well and good. I will not argue the point with him. I will say, however, that when we do need a steam launch, we take the apest one we can get that will answer the purpose. I am not acquainted in San Francisco Bay, and know nothing of the Chinamen being arrested, but presume the California Commissioners are in some re-spects like the Oregon Commissionerthat is, if Chinamen or any one else are found illegally fishing, they are promptly arrested."

Southern Pacific Meeting

ELLENSBURG, Wash, April 4 .- After the arrival of the late trains tonight caucusing b gan and deadlocks were in or der. In the absence of an agreemen steering committees wire appointed with instructions to report at 9 tomorrow morn-ing. Determined opposition is developing to two delegates being a lowed King County, and the opposition to Hopkins of Spokane is still vigorous. The King Coun ty delegation adopted resolutions, indors-ing L. B. Andrews as successor to John F. Gowey, late Consul at Yokohama, Ja-

FUSION IN LINN COUNTY.

County Ticket Nominated-Separate State Delegates Named.

ALBANY, Or., April 4.- The Democratic and Populist County Convention nominated a fusion ticket today, as follows: County Judge-H. M. Palmer, Populist, Sheriff-George N. McHargue, Democrat. Clerk-William F. Harnner, Populist, Recorder-Edward Meeker, Democrat, Treasurer-R. B. Miller, Populist. Commissioner-H. B. Springer, Populist, School Superintendent-W. L. Jackson,

Democrat. Surveyor-T. A. Riggs. Democrat.

Coroner-J. G. Norman, Populist. The Democrats elected the following delegates to the state convention, who were instructed for M. A. Miller for delegate to the National convention:

M. A. Miller, C. G. Burkhart, E. Archi-bald, Thomas E. Fox, S. M. Graland, P. J. Smilley, J. K. Weatherford, George Fin-ley, C. H. Stewart, J. J. Whitney, B. M. Payne, C. J. Shedd, J. M. Ralston and W. W. Crawford.

The Populists elected the following dele-gates to the state convention:

a. D. Hale, E. E. Lange, J. A. McBride, J. J. Beard, E. C. Neal, A. J. Blevins, C. B. Montague, T. J. McClary, D. M. Jones, B. F. Ramp, J. W. Ewing, J. Clem, I. A. Munkers, R. R. Humphrey, H. B. Springer, George Alexander and George McLane. McLane

The Democrats adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Democratic party of Linn County, in convention assembled express their sympathy for the Boers in their gallant struggle for liberty; that w hereby affirm our adherence to the Chi cago platform adopted by the Democratic National Convention in 1896; that we most heartily indorse our able and fearless leader, Hon, W. J. Bryan, for Presiden in 1900; further, that we are in favor of free and unrestricted trade with Puerte Rico.

Jackson County Populists.

MEDFORD, Or., April 4-At the con-vention of the People's party today the following delegates were elected to the

state convention: J. W. Marksbury, Ed Anderson, Frank Williams, A. L. Galls, J. L. Bachelor, F. C. Schmidtline, W. E. Phipps, P. J. Van Hardenburg, J. A. Smith, George R. Lind-ley, J. S. McCain, F. W. Moore, W. T. Anderson and A. A. Pennington. A county central committee was ap-

county convention.

Marion County Populists.

SALEM, April 4.-The Marion County Populists will hold their county conven-tion at the opera-house in Salem next Friday. The convention will be compose of 241 delegates. George W. Weeks, chai man of the county central committee, will call the delegates to order and pre ring the forming of a temporary organization. A prominent Populist said today that the convention Friday would teach the Republicans a lesson on the subject of proper treatment of old soldiers. He was bought by C. W. Emerson, for \$4000

The Oregon Telegraph & Telep Company applied to the City Council last evening for a franchise to maintain and operate a telephone system within the city limits. The council allowed the ordi-nance to be introduced, and passed to its second reading, but before taking final action asked the City Attorney to pass upon it.

Stone Church at Burns.

Harney County News. Based on the very favorable report that Rev. H. J. McDevitt made to him recently, Archbishop Christie, or Portland, has granted permission for the erection of a stone Catholic Church in Burns. The its dimensions are 50x100 feet. This is the size suitable for a four-battery post, so it plans will be here in a few days, and the first contract for the delivery of the stone upon the ground will be let as soon as may reasonably be expected that, while the department has not officially an-nounced its intention of doubling the presthe bids are in the hands of the com mittee. The pastor, Rev. H. J. McDevitt, is the treasurer of the building fund ent accommodations at the fort, such action is anticipated which now amounts to nearly \$1700, and the committee feels very hopeful that \$550 can be easily obtained. There is every The question of securing a water supply has not yet been determined, and it ap-pears to be the one great drawback in making the proposed extensive improve-ments. An abundance of pure water can be secured by connecting with the Astoria reason to believe that a school conducted by Catholic Sisters will be started in Burns at a time not far distant.

Historic Church Burned.

COLVILLE, Wash. April 4.-Last night the old Catholic Church, on Church Flat, a mile cast of town, was burned to the pround. The building was erected in 1800 at a cost of \$3000, by soldiers at the gar-rison, and donated to the church. It was built of logs, and all the finishings and furniture was made he hand. About div its The plans and specifications for the Columbia, River quarantine station, which were forwarded to Washington some time furniture was made by hand. About six years ago the parishioners of the church erected a new building in the city and ago for approval, have not yet been returned, but Quarantine Officer Hasting is expecting to receive instructions at any moment to advertise for bids on the construction of the wharf and buildings. The

abandoned the old one. The citizens living in the neighborhood of the old church ex-prose deep regret because of the oblitera-tion of the old landmark. The fire is supposed to have been set by some mis-chlevous person.

Oregon Notes.

Ontario's City Council has planted 200 ad term of the Circuit Court in this city today. The case of John Pentilla vs. the Clatsop Mill Company, for \$20,114, for loss ditional shade trees.

A telephone line between Vale and West fall, is in course of construction. The Oregon Short Line is arranging to lid large and commodious stockyards

at Ontario The contractor wants laborers at \$1 75 per day on Government rock quarry, on Coos Bay

mony and report. A panther, measuring 9 feet, was killed OREGON CITY COUNCIL MEETING

A paniner, measuring y reet, was killed in Ash Valley, April 1, by Henry Laird and Frank Kuhn. A Harney man has taken some fine horses to Seattle. One beautiful span of blacks weighed 2300 pounds. Change in the Manner of Electric

Work is progressing on Ontario's new opera-house, and it will soon be complet-ed. The building is 37x99 feet.

The Bank of Ontario announces that it will take advantage of the new banking laws, and organize a National bank. \$45 had been paid into the cemetery fund. The general fund had ocen enriched to the anking

Datwin T. Colvin, of Lake County, was killed at Lincoln, Cal., recently by being run over by a freight car on the track of the Southern Pacific.

extent of \$612.66 for licenses collected. The committee on streets and public property reported that it had praced an electric light on a 60-foot pole at the corner of Seventh and Madison streets, that would take the place of six incandescent 25-cendia power lights. Instead of "six logging camps on the Siuslaw," as some papers have reported, the Florence West says the number if no:

take the place of six incandescent 25-candle power lights. Three other arc lights had been changed to 60-foot poles, with the result that the principal business and residence portion of the city is much better lighted than formerly, at no in-crease of cost. The commutee had dem-onstrated that an arc light on a 60-foot pole would light a larger area more per-fectly than 10 incandescent lights. The report of the committe was approved. The committee appointed to prepare plans and ascertain the sentiment in reference to a sewarage system on the hill were not the Forence west says the number if not less than 30, with several more to start work this Spring. An Eastern man has rented George Mil-ler's ranch, on Thomas Creek, in Lake County. Also he bought 20 cows, paying \$30 for cows to "come in" and \$25 for others

Burglars secured \$35 from a Burns sa loon one night last week. *Also, they took cigars, dice, revolver and some credit tags. Two arrests were made, but the suspects were discharged on examination,

to a sewerage system on the hill were not ready to report, but were encouraged by the fact that no remonstrance had been The old Perry Watkins ranch was sold at auction in The Dalles, Monday, under the authority of the County Court, by the executor of the estate, C. E. Bayard. It Why Her Sanity Was Questioned. Mrs. Susan Terwadow, of Eagle Creek, had a hearing today before the County

E. J. Godfrey, of the Red Boy mine, is for 10 or 15 minutes until they die. insist that the domestic animals used for food shall be killed instantly and pain-lessly, and yet we eat fish that have died about to take up a permanent residence in Portland, and will leave with his family for his new home Thursday morning. lingering and evidently painful death. BROWN HACKLE.

HOSPITAL FOR FORT STEVENS.

fumigating machines, which were ordered in the East several weeks ago, have been

completed, and are now on the way to

Judge McBride convened an adjourned

of an arm, is on trial before a jury. Among the orders made by the court to-day was one directing that the case of

the Columbia River Packers' Association

vs. Enyart & Cook, a suit for the pos session of the "Jim Crow" seining grounds

be referred to C. E. Runyon to take testi-

Street-Lighting.

OREGON CITY, April 4.-At the month-

ly meeting of the City Council tonight the Recorder's monthly report showed that seven burial permits had been issued, and

Bids for Construction Soon to Be Ad Bids for Construction Soon to Be Ad-vertised For. ASTORIA, April 4.-The War Depart-ment has at last decided on the erection of a new hospital at the Fort Stevens barracks, and bids on its construction will be asked in a few days. It will be a 24-bed hospital, and first class in every par-ticular. The building is to be of wood, and its dimensions are swith feat. This is the TONGUE NOT SECOND CHOICE

Linn County's Delegation for Judge Hewitt, First and Lost.

ALBANY, April 3 .- To the Editor Twice I have noticed in your paper i statement that the Congressional delega ion from this county were for Mr Tongue as a second choice, and in your esue of Sunday, April 1, you stated in stance that the weakness of Judge Hew itt's delegation from this county was that its second choice was Mr. Tongue. These statements do Judge Hewitt and the dele-gation an injustice. The fact is that the appointees of Mr. Tongue pushed his claims to the extreme limit before the convention of this county and presented a ticket pledged to the support of Mr. Tongue on second choice; and it was not reservoir or running a pipe line to the Lewis and Clark River, but the Govern-ment desires if possible to have the source of water supply inside the reservation limantil they were overwhelmed by the sen liment of the convention in favor of Hewitt that they gave up their claim that Mr. Tongue must be second choice, and not until the convention had unanimously

elected a delegation chosen by Judge Hew itt his The fact is, many of the Republican

of this county consider it injudicious to nominate Mr. Tongue at this time, on account of the disaffection of the German towards him, as well as on account of the un-American position he has as sumed on the Puerto Rican bill. I do not desire to discuss Mr. Tongue further than to say as pleasantly as possible to his appointees, and the men that compose his push, that the delegation from Linn

has not selected a second choice, has not selected a second choice, as they intend to nominate Judge Hewitt if they c#n. ONE OF THE DELEGATION.

Malicious injury to Property. BUTTEVILLE, April 2-(To the Editor.) -I would like to ask you a question. What is the penalty fixed by law against any person who will go in your pastur and cut your horse's tall off?

There is a statute which provides that "if any person shall maliciously injure the personal property of another," etc., he may, upon conviction, be imprisoned in the penitentiary for not less than six months nor more than three years, or by imprisonment in the county jall not less than three months nor more than one

year, or a fine may be imposed of from \$50 to \$1000. The statute concerning cruelty to an animal provides for imprisonment in the county jall not to exceed 60 days.

Longitude of the North Pole. HILLSBORO, April 2-(To the Editor.) Reckoning longitude from the meridian of Greenwich, what is the longitude at the E. B. H.

Of course, neither of the poles has long! tude, all the meridian lines meeting there.

Try Allen's Foot-Ease

A poweder to be shaken into the shore. Your her feel evolues, servous and hot and set three easily. If ron have matring feet or tight shore, try Allen's Yook Dures motions, evening feet, increasing a shire with and calloun events. Reference cost structure and in the prime water and the shore of the shire of the shire of the shore event for the Their Sole of the shire water shore to be the shire of the WHEL Address, Allen S. Gimmed. Le Boy, M.Y.

More cases of catarrh have been cured by Hord's Sarsaparilla than by any other medicina.

W. H. Lang & Sons-Fir, \$10,979; \$12,379. Bentley Construction Company - Oak,

\$14,450. The total appropriation is \$11,000. The changes to be made are the construction of a floor across the House of Represent-atives, on a level with the third floor of building, making the repre sentative hall one story high and form-ing a new room on the third floor to be used as a library. The work is to be completed by November 10.

May Be Crookedness

The arrest, at Albany, of H. G. McKin ey, a timber land cruiser, on the charge of attempting to defraud the United States Government by procuring other person to purchase Government land under at to purchase Government land under an agreement that when the title is perfected it shall be transferred to parties furnish ing the purchase money, has caused con-siderable talk to the effect that a similar game has been played against the state. The State Land Board sells school, university and agricultural college land at a uniform price of \$1 is per acre. The law provides that not more than 329 acres of land shall be sold to any one person. Every applicant for the numbers of site Every applicant for the purch of state land is required to swear that the pro-posed purchase is for his own benefit, and ot for the purpose of speculation; that he his made no contract or agreement, ex-press or implied, for the sale or disposition

of the land applied for, and that there is no valid adverse claim thereto. When

applications for the purchase of land come to the office of the State Land Board in due form the clerk has nothing to do but give a certificate of sale upon the pay-ment of the purchase price. Sales in this manner are made very frequently, and the clerk of the Board has no evidence of an attempt to defraud the state.

But it is noted that recently a large number of applications for the purchase of land were brought in by one person, that the affidavits were all sworn to before the same person, and that the purchasers seemed to have little, if anything, to do with the transaction. It is also noted that n this instance a large number of the in this instance a large number of the applicants were women, and that all the affidavits were made in the same county. These facts have caused considerable comment to the effect that the plain in-tent of the law is being evaded. As the same purchase price is paid in any event, the state cannot be injured from a finan-cial standpoint. The only injury would

cial standpoint. The only injury would be that which would follow the concen-tration of Oregon timber lands in the hands of syndicates.

Jury Did Not Agree.

Samuel Ramp, a Marion County farmer, was today tried before a jury in Justice Johnson's court on a charge of driving on a bicycle path. Ramp claimed he drove in the path because the road was blocked by two teams. Other evidence tended to show that he could have turned out with out driving on the path. After being out six hours, the jury falled to agree, and was discharged. Ramp will be tried again orrow. The trial today attracted great attention.

Capital City Notes.

In the Supreme Court today the follow ng order was made: South Portland Land Company, respo

ent, vs. Abbie K. Munger, et al., appel-iants, ordered that appellants' time to file a petition for a rehearing be extended to Iny 1, 1900.

May 1, 1900. The County Courj today awarded Henry Pape a contract to print 48,400 election tickets for use in this county next June. The contract price is \$75, which is less The than one-third the cost two years ago. The tickets this year will be somewhat smalle than those used last election. Three deeds to farm property were filed

BAN FRANC CO, April 4-At the

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4-At the an-nual meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Pacific Company today the fol-lowing directors were elected: C. P. Hunt-ington, H. E. Huntington, D. O. Mills, Charles H. Tweed, John W. Mackay, Thomas H. Hubbard, John E. Searles, John B. Haggin, John L. Probst, August Belmont and Edwin Hawley. It was given out that 5 per cent of the

It was given out that 36 per cent of the \$200,000,000 stock was voted. It was stated that the proposition of declaring a first dividend on the stock was not discussed. A statement of the gross earnings for the first nine months of the present fiscal year was submitted. It was said to show

eccelpts averaging over \$5,000,000 for each nonth, or a total of \$46,000,000 in round umbers. Officers of the company will be ected at a later meeting, to be held in lew York.

A little medicine of the right kind, taken at the right time, is invaluable. That means Carter's Little Liver Pills, and take at the them now.

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

ICACHICKS CAAMMINATION. Notice is hereby given that the board of ex-aminers for Multhomah County will hold the regular examination of axplicants for teachers oounty certificates. In the rooms of the Port-iand Business College, Fifth and Yambili streets, on April 11, 12 and 13, commencing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and continuing until 4 o'clock in the forenoon of each day. Branches for Wednesday-Penmanship, his-tory, orthography, reading. Branches for Friday - Geography, mental arithmetic, physiology, civil government. Applicants for primary ceruithates will be ex-mined as follows: Branches for Thursday-Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methols. Branches for Thursday-Art of questioning. theory of teaching, methols. Branches for Fuerday-Art of questioning. PORTLAND, April 4 .- 6 P. M .- Maximu temperature, 58; minimum temperature, 45; river reading at 11 A. M., 9.4 feet; change in the last 24 hours, -0.6 foot; total precipitation, 8 P. M. to S P. M. trace; total precipitation from Sept. 1, 1890, 31.43 inches; normal pre-cipitation from Sept. 1, 1890, 35.69 inches; defi-ciency, 7.28 inches; total summine April 3, 145; combine summine April 3, 12:54. sunshine April 3, 12:54. 4:06; possible

WEATHER CONDITIONS The pressure is decreasing over the North Pa-cific States. A trough of low pressure occupies the east slope of the Rocky Mountains, and the barometer is highest over the Dakotas. No rais of consequence has fallen in the Pacific Coast

Branches for Thursday, and the second or consequence has failen in the Pacific Coart States during the last 24 hours. Seasonable temperatures prevail west of the Rockles. The indications now point to a short period of un-settled weather, with showers, in Western Ore-gon and Western Washington. WEATHER FORECASTS. Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Thursday, April 5: Western Oregon-Showers in north and threat-ening weather in south portion; variable winds. Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho-Fair; southerly winds. Western Washington-Showers; south to west winds.

applicants will begin on a certain transform of 90 An applicant who has made a standing of 90 per cent, or more, on any branch, at the last two examinations taken in Oregon, is estilled to examplion thereon. Such branch may be taken in order to make a higher standing, if the applicant or cleats

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ing sites or acre and half-acr TITLE GUARANTEE & TRUST CO., 7 Chamber of Commerce.

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licant so electa. A. P. ARMSTRONG, County Superintendent

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