TOO LATE TO FILE

No Democrat or Populist for the Supreme Court.

JOHN C. YOUNG ALSO IS LATE

Their Only Chance to Get on the Official Ballot Is by Petition—Straight Populist Itinerary.

SALEM, Or., April 24.—John C. Young, regular People's Party nominee for Congress from the First District, today presented his certificate of nomination at the Secretary of State's office for filing. It was returned to him without filing, on the ground that it was too late, the time for filing having expired April 19. H. E. Courtney and W. M. Ramsey, nominees for Supreme Judge on regular People's and Democratic party tickets, respectively, have not filed their acceptances. None of these gentlemen, therefore, are entitled to have their names appear upon the official ballot. There is yet time, however, to make legal nomination by petition, which it is probable will be done in these cases.

The leaders of the regular People's Party in Oregon have already arranged dates for speakers in the interest of their state and Congressional tickets. The campaign will begin at Baker City, May 21, at 7:30 P. M., and will close at Ashland, June 2, at 2 P. M. The speakers are: Hon. W. M. Howard, of Alabama, and Hon. J. B. Osborn, of Georgia, and their dates are as follows: May 21, Baker City; May 22, North Powder and Cove; May 23, Richland and Pine; May 24, The Dalles; May 25, Portland; May 26, Oregon City and McMinnville; May 28, Dallas and Salem; May 29, Corvallis and Albany; May 30, Eugene; May 31, Roseburg and Grant's Pass; June 1, Eagle Point, Gold Hill and Jacksonville; June 2, Medford and Ashland.

YAMHILL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Representatives Were Both Renominated.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., April 24.—The Republican County Convention met here today and made the following nominations:

Representatives—Clarence Butt, of Newberg; E. F. Lamson, of Willamina.

Sheriff—E. A. Alderman, of Dayton.

Clerk—J. H. Nelson, of McMinnville.

Recorder—J. Lewis Hoskins, of Newberg.

Assessor—J. M. Yocum, of Sheridan.

School Superintendent—E. V. Littlefield, of La Fayette.

Commissioner—Amos Nohon, of West Chehalem.

Treasurer—O. O. Rhude, of North Yamhill.

Surveyor—C. E. Branson, of McMinnville.

Coroner—J. M. Chapman, of Sheridan.

R. P. Bird was selected chairman of the County Central Committee at the meeting subsequently held.

The following justice district nominations were made:

La Fayette—Justice of the Peace, E. A. Hill; Constable, W. C. Westerfield.

North and South McMinnville, Baker Creek and Fairlawn—Justice of the Peace, J. E. Brooks; Constable, Frank Hayes.

North and South Newberg, Dundee and West Chehalem—Justice of the Peace, J. M. Wright; Constable, J. J. Wood.

East and West Dayton—Justice of the Peace, S. R. Baxter; Constable, William Hamilton.

Amity and Bellevue—Justice of the Peace, H. P. Williams; Constable, T. B. Holcomb.

Carlton, North Yamhill and Checawan—Justice of the Peace, F. L. Roberts; Constable, Nels Nelson.

North and South Sheridan and Willamina—Justice of the Peace, J. H. Hewston; Constable, Douglas De Lashmutt.

The County Convention of the Democrats and Populists will be held next Saturday.

LANE COUNTY'S CAMPAIGN.

Republicans to Start May 12 and End June 2—Joint Debates.

EUGENE, May 24.—The Republican County Central Committee has announced the customary canvass of the county by the various nominees, to begin May 12. Their itinerary is made out for a campaign till June 2. As many of the precincts as possible will be visited during the time, and meetings will be held at the principal centers daily at 1:30, and in a few places evening meetings will also be held. An invitation is extended to the nominees of other parties to join in the canvass. The invitation will probably be accepted, and the regular semiannual joint canvass, giving each man 10 minutes in which to discuss the political issues at each place, will be entered upon. In making the tour of the county, Florence will be taken as the initial point, and Eugene will come in for the closing argument on the Saturday evening before election day.

WOOL SHOULD BRING 20 CENTS.

So Says Polk County Man, Who Urges Growers to Demand It.

SALEM, Or., April 24.—H. H. Vandevort, of Polk County, one of the most extensive sheepowners in this vicinity, says that he will hold his wool this year for 20 cents per pound, and he advises all woolgrowers to do the same. He believes the supply and demand warrant that price, and is satisfied that if growers hold out for it they will get it. As shearing has not begun there is no market price, but it is generally believed that much less than 20 cents will be offered. Mr. Vandevort thinks that if the present weather continues, shearing will begin about May 10. Fleeces are of very good quality this Spring, owing to the mild winter.

Mr. Vandevort has 1000 head of sheep and lambs, most of them let out to farmers on shares. He acquired these at a cost of about $1000, and they are now worth $4000 or more. Good ewes are worth $5 to $6 each, and lambs $2 50 to $3. He keeps 161 ewes on his own farm. From these he will raise this season 232 lambs. He expects his ewes to produce on an average seven pounds of wool each. He says that, with wool at 10 cents per pound, there is money in the industry, if the price of sheep rules accordingly, but with sheep at the price they are now selling, the growers should receive 20 cents.

Mr. Vandevort has a band of 38 goats. These produced this year an average of 4¾ pounds of hair each, which was sold in the Polk County pool at 29 cents.

State Treasurer Moore today received two payments on 1899 state taxes, in both cases the taxes being settled in full. Sherman County remitted $8403 35, and Harney Count $14,702 81.

A draft has been received at the Treasury Department for $514 28, the amount due the state for board of United States prisoners.

In the Supreme Court today the following proceedings were had:

Elizabeth Hess, administratrix of the estate of Christian Hess, deceased, respondent, vs. Oregon German Baking Company, a corporation, appellant, appeal from Multnomah County; submitted on briefs.

John Salzgeber, appellant, vs. N. Mickel and Mary Mickel, respondents, appeal from Marion County; argued and submitted.

H. G. Merrifield, a hopgrower, residing at Aumsville, reports that half the acreage of hops in that vicinity will be plowed up this Spring and sowed to oats or other grain. Growers have become discouraged over the low prices prevailing, and will go out of the business.

Next Thursday being the 51st anniversary of the establishment of the Odd Fellows' Lodge in America, that day has been set for the breaking of ground for the new Odd Fellows' Temple in this city. The programme for the occasion has not yet been arranged in full, but Judge George H. Burnett, past grand master, has been asked to throw the first shovelful of dirt.

NORTHWEST DEAD.

Oliver J. Geoghegan, of Vancouver, Who Had Seen the World.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 24.—Oliver J. Geoghegan, an old resident of this county, died at the home of his daughter, in this city, last evening, from a complication of heart and stomach troubles. He was 72 years of age, and left a family of six children. The funeral will take place from St. James' Cathedral, at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Deceased was a native of Ireland, and was an elder brother of the late John D. Geoghegan. He came to America in 1845 with his parents and family. The family, except Oliver, returned to Ireland the following year. He made his home at Three Rivers, on the St. Lawrence, until 1849, when he joined the exodus to the California gold fields. He remained in California until 1850, when he went to Australia, where he was joined by his brother Nicholas, who is still a resident of Clarke County. The two brothers returned to America by way of London in 1858, and from that time until 1865 they farmed in Wisconsin, where Oliver was married to Miss Katherine Clancy. From 1865 until 1868 he lived in New York City, returning in the latter year to Wisconsin. He came to the Pacific Coast in 1872, settling in Salem, Or. He lived at Salem and Gales Creek until 15 years ago, when he moved with his family to Vancouver.

Resident of Whitman County.

COLFAX, Wash., April 24.—William Kennedy died at his home in Palouse, this county, on Sunday, after an illness of only three days, aged 82 years. The funeral was held yesterday. Mr. Kennedy left a wife, the same age as himself, six sons and three daughters. Only one son and a daughter were absent from the funeral.

William Kennedy was born in North Carolina in 1818, of Scotch parentage. While still a youth his parents moved to Virginia, and later to Kentucky. Soon afterward he moved to Illinois, where he remained until 1851, when he came to Oregon, settling at Bethel, in Polk County. Here the family lived until 1873, when they came to Colfax. At this place Mr. Kennedy opened a blacksmith shop, the first in the county. Later he took up a far near Palouse, where he lived until about eight years ago. He then removed to Palouse, built a home for himself and aged wife, and lived in quiet, awaiting the last summons.

Old Resident of Clark County.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 24.—George A. Landgraff, an old resident of Clark County, was found dead in his bed at his home in Washougal this morning. He was 62 years old and unmarried. He was last seen alive Saturday, when he appeared to be in usual health. The cause of his death is unknown. He was interested in valuable mining properties in Skamania County. Landgraff had relatives in Kansas, but none in this county.

Mrs. Wood, at Centralia.

CENTRALIA, April 24.—At the residence of her parents, in this city, on Monday afternoon, Mrs. Edna Wood died from the bursting of a bloodvessel. Mrs. Wood was formerly Miss Edna Ames, of this city. Her home was in Everett, and she had been visiting her parents in this city for several weeks. She left a husband and infant daughter.

A. J. Harmon, of Bridgeport.

DALLAS, Or., April 24.—A. J. Harmon died at his home in Bridgeport, in this county, yesterday of pneumonia. He came to Oregon in 1882, and was about 50 years old. He left a wife and several children, most of whom are grown. Mr. Harmon was a worthy, upright citizen. The funeral was held at his home today.

J. H. Mills, of Buxton.

FOREST GROVE, Or., April 24.—J. H. Mills died at his home at Buxton, Or., yesterday, aged 52 years. He had been a resident of Washington County for eight years. He left a son and daughter. Interment was in the Buxton cemetery today.

Death of a Newcomer.

TACOMA, April 24.—J. Chapman, who arrived Sunday from London, England, to establish himself in business here, died suddenly of heart failure this morning. His wife and children are still in England.

W. C. Baird, of Brownsville.

BROWNSVILLE, Or., April 24.—W. C. Baird, an old and highly respected pioneer died at his home in Brownsville yesterday, aged 86 years.

APPOINTMENTS DON'T SUIT.

Eugene's Council Refuses to Ratify, but Men Will Hold Office.

EUGENE, April 24.—A special meeting of the City Council was held last evening, the principal business being the action of the Council on the confirmation of the appointments of the Mayor. The appointments of L. L. Stevens for Attorney, M. S. Hubbel for Fire Warden, C. M. Collier for Surveyor, and Sidney Scott for Street Commissioner, were confirmed by the Council. When it came to a vote on J. S. Stiles for Marshal, and F. B. Hawk for Night Policeman, the Council locked horns with the Mayor and refused to ratify. However, these officers will probably continue to serve. They are both reappointments, and upon the refusal of the Council to ratify, Mayor Harris announced that he probably would not make any appointments of officers to succeed them. In this way, Stiles and Hawk will probably continue to hold office during the Mayor's tenure. As soon as the appointment of Scott as Street Commissioner was confirmed he put in his resignation, which was promptly accepted.

Oregon Notes.

Fred E. Wilmarth has purchased an interest in the Burns News.

A new saw mill will soon begin operations at Alba, Umatilla County.

George Ross, nominated by the Populists for County Clerk of Coos County, has declined.

The material for the Fossil water works, weighing 100 tons, will be hauled from Arlington by team.

The new bridge crossing the Coquille River at Myrtle Point has been completed and opened to traffic. It is the best bridge in Coos County.

The Sugar Leaf Creamery, Coos County, has resumed operations. It will handle 10,000 to 15,000 pounds of milk daily as soon as the roads are good; and will make cheese principally.

George Snodderly, a pioneer of Grant County, died at Long Creek last Wednesday. He was 60 years of age, and went to the Canyon Creek mines in 1860. The body was taken to Susanville for burial.

Field Superintendent Larson, of the La Grande beet sugar factory, reports that up to Saturday night there was a total of 700 acres of beets planted and the ground is prepared for seeding 800 acres more.

A cattle buyer was on the Lower Coquille River the past week buying and contracting for calves and young stock for parties in Fresno County, California. He made contracts for some 600 head of calves at $8 per head, to be delivered the first of September.

V. McCurdy, who has been trapping in the Coos Range, in the vicinity of Eden, came to Myrtle Point Friday last to ship his furs. He had the finest lot of furs we have seen in this place, says the Enterprise, principally marten and mink, and among them four large bear skins.

Dr. Sanford's Liver Invigorator.
The best Liver Medicine. A Vegetable Cure for Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Constipation.

FEW SEALS, MANY SALMON

EXCEPTIONAL CONDITION AT THE MOUTH OF THE COLUMBIA.

Thousands of Fish Jump From the Water Outside the River—What the Pilots Observe.

ASTORIA, Or., April 24.—Pilots Woods and Matthews, who have been on the pilot schooner for some time, state that seals and sea lions are not as plentiful outside this year as usual, and in their judgment the animals are rapidly decreasing in numbers. This is, of course, around the mouth of the river. Both also state that there are an unusually large number of salmon outside, even as far as 18 miles beyond the whistling buoy, where the water begins to get brackish.

Before the "Fall" fish enter the river, they are frequently seen jumping out of the water, but this is rare with the Spring and early runs. This season, however, seems to be an exception, and during the past two weeks thousands of the salmon outside have been seen jumping out of the water.

Andrew Langseth, a fisherman in the employ of Booth's cannery, disappeared on the evening of April 7, and has not been seen or heard from since. On that evening he was seen in the lower end of the city in a dance-hall, and in a partially drunken condition. It was known that he had $15 on his person when he started out on his evening's spree. His friends, who have been searching for him, believe that he has been shanghaied on one of the outgoing vessels; others deem it probable that he fell overboard and was drowned. Langseth was a native of Helgeland, Norway, 25 years of age, unmarried, and had resided in Astoria for several years, following the occupation of a fisherman.

County Treasurer Thompson today issued a call for all warrants on the general fund indorsed prior to June 1, 1898. The warrants called in and the interest on them amount to $13,088. This week the Treasurer will remit the state tax, amounting to $16,163 94. Clatsop County still owes the state a balance of $7399 68 on the 1898 taxes, and $3000 will be paid on it.

QUARANTINE AND HOMESTEAD.

Railroad Got Filing First, and Smallpox Man Contests.

OREGON CITY, April 24.—For the past two days the local Land Office officials have been busy taking testimony in the contest case of Thomas B. Reed against the Northern Pacific Railroad Company. Last December Reed claims to have located on a homestead in Polk County, but was unable to file on his claim at once in the Land Office on account of being quarantined at Hoskins with the smallpox. In the meantime, the Northern Pacific Railroad Company covered this tract with lieu land scrip several days before Reed could make his homestead filing. He contends that he established a residence on the land.

Judge Frazer, of Multnomah County, is holding Circuit Court for Judge McBride, who is said to be indisposed at St. Helens. No decision has yet been handed down in the demurrer in the case of Hertzka, who was indicted for practicing Christian Science healing without a license. Myra West, formerly of Multnomah County, was granted a divorce from Fred West on the ground of desertion.

County Judge Ryan today recommitted the Wade children to the custody of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, conditioned, however, that before the children are bound out for adoption that the parents shall have an opportunity to be heard in the matter. The fathers of the three children are brothers, Robert and William Wade, and reside at Clackamas, both being widowers. The parents were continually intoxicated, and were not properly caring for the children. The court informed the Wades that they would be entitled to the custody of the children should they reform their habits.

TO LOCATE A COLONY.

Thirty Families in One Party From the Mississippi Valley.

COLFAX, Wash., April 24.—G. G. Lyons, of Central, Ill., was in the city today, on the lookout for a location for a colony of 30 families, which has been formed in Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma, and who have made arrangements to come to this state in the Fall. The men are all farmers.

F. H. Brown, the cattle-buyer, today shipped 101 head of fat cattle, five carloads, to Seattle. Mr. Brown states that these are the best cattle he has ever shipped, the average weight being in excess of 1600 pounds each. He also shipped a carload of fat hogs.

Frost has formed during the past three nights, but there has been no damage to the fruit crop as yet.

Today was the beginning of a jury term of the trial and criminal cases in the Superior Court. The case of William Clifford, charged with the larceny by embezzlement of about 16,000 bushels of wheat while acting as agent of the Shawnee Warehouse Company, which was set for trial today, was postponed until tomorrow, and it is expected that it will be postponed from day to day until the arrival of Judge Brents, from Walla Walla, to take the place of Judge McDonald during this term of court. McDonald for some reason does not desire to act as Judge during the trial of Clifford.

TRANSPORT ATHENIAN RETURNS.

Has Been in Service About Luzon—To Be Released.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 24.—The transport Athenian arrived from Manila tonight, after an absence of eight months, during which she has been employed in the Government service around the Island of Luzon. She had a fair voyage all the way. She left Manila March 16. The passengers of the steamer were Captain Warren Hayden Cowles, of the Fourth Infantry, who returned as Quartermaster in charge of the vessel; his wife, and two discharged soldiers from the Third Cavalry—Birt Brock and George Gwinner. The Athenian belongs to the Canadian Pacific, and will probably be released.

J. D. Morgan has completed negotiations with an Australian syndicate for the purchase of eight claims on Eldorado Creek, in the Bonanza mining district, near Nome, for $40,000.

C. A. Pitcher, a mining man, poisoned himself with cyanide of potassium at a local lodging-house this morning. Despondency over financial troubles is supposed to have been the cause.

MORROW COUNTY SHEEP.

More Buyers, Few Sales, Immense Increase of Lambs.

HEPPNER, Or., April 24.—The number of sheepbuyers here has increased, new ones having arrived from Idaho and Montana, but sales have not increased. Buyers say that they all want sheep, but that there is no margin in the business for them at the prices asked by growers. Growers say that at present Eastern market quotations their sheep are worth here all they ask for them.

M. C. Corrigal, of Sand Hollow, reports that one of his neighbors has sold a band of ewes and lambs, to be delivered after shearing, at $2 10—lambs same as ewes. The latter are each now yielding $1 50 worth of wool, which makes the ewe with lamb bring her owner $5 60, and many of them have twins.

While waiting for the market to open, sheepbuyers are stirring up lots of life and fun. Yesterday, A. M. Bunce, one of the biggest buyers from Wyoming, matched his saddle mule against the mule of Waldron Rhea, a merchant, and the race drew a big crowd. The owners rode, and Rhea won the $20.

Shearing is now well under way, and wool is the best ever clipped here. The lamb crop is immense. George Conser and Mac Clarke were out to their bands yesterday, and say that such big increases were never seen anywhere.

The Prohibition convention here yesterday put a county ticket in the field, as follows:

Judge—Julius Keithley, of Heppner.
Sheriff—H. C. Gay, of Eight Mile.
Clerk—P. M. Howard, of Heppner.
Treasurer—W. P. Scrivner, of Heppner.
Assessor—E. D. Leach, of Ione.

CENTRALIA RIOT CASES.

First One Called for Trial—Outgrowth of Smallpox Quarantine.

CHEHALIS, Wash., April 24.—All day yesterday and a part of this forenoon were spent in securing a jury for the trial of Charles Green, of Centralia, who, with nine others, is awaiting trial for an alleged assault on Dr. J. T. Coleman and W. R. Russell, of Chehalis. The assault consisted in egging the doctor and Mr Russell, and was an outgrowth of the ill feeling engendered over the recent smallpox quarantine in Centralia. Assistant Attorney-General Vance and David Stewart are assisting the County Attorney in the prosecution of the case, and the defense is represented by J. E. Rice, George Dysart and W. W. Larborne. Each of the nine defendants is to be tried separately.

Corvallis Notes.

CORVALLIS, Or., April 24.—A petition of voluntary bankruptcy was prepared here today for Miss Emma Crawford, and is to be filed with the United States District Court in Portland. Miss Crawford for several years has conducted a ladies' furnishing goods establishment, and has recently become involved. The assets comprise a stock of goods that inventories about $900. The liabilities, so far as known, are about $1200. The store was closed Monday.

The proprietors have let a contract to a well-known mill machinery house for increasing the capacity and improving the machinery and processes in the Benton flouring mill. The capacity of the mill will be increased 65 barrels per day, raising the daily output from 110 to 175 barrels. The improvement will include the removal of several of the old machines, which will be replaced by the most modern machinery, be made to order by the contractors, and especially designed for Willamette Valley wheat. A month or six weeks will be required making the changes.

Creamery for Vancouver.

CENTRALIA, April 24.—The Beggs-Bradner Company, of Seattle, is putting in a first-class creamery plant here. A carload of machinery arrived today, and it is being placed in the old steam laundry building on Locust street. A large number of farmers have agreed to furnish milk. It was obtained through efforts of the Commercial Club. A cold-storage plant will be erected in connection with it next year.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

THE PORTLAND.

B Goodwin, San Fran
W H Clarke, Omaha
W B Dennis, Spokane
Bela Kadish, Baker C
Mrs Coleman, San Fr
J T Wells, N Y
S A Perkins, Tacoma
W A Sternberg, do
John L Dawes, Pittsburg, Pa
W G Codman, Boston
T S Armstead, Richmond, Va
Geo T Grant, San Fr
W J Hahn, Minnpls
F W Wheeler, San Fr
W W Stow & wife, Santa Maria, Cal
J P Cook, New York
J R Faull, Baker Cy
T L Munns, Cleveland
Mrs Jos McCabe & dtr, Walla Walla
D Corimer, St Joe
J A Daugherty, St Joe
Sam I Guiss, Woodbrn
W A Huntley, Oreg C
S B Morse, Oregon C
C B Durbin, Oregon C
E Clay, Oregon City
C W Nibley, Baker C
Memo Mizfker, do
John S Schenck, Dalles
Ralph Beerry, Redlands
H Birkenstein, Chgo
W T Buckley, Pittsbrg
H E Colby, city
F I Mittauer, Omaha
F C Bailey, Omaha
John Leary & w, Seattle
Mrs W G Pearce, Tacoma
Mrs J S Steeb, Tacoma
Mrs Benj Grosscup, do
G E Arnold, Chicago
P N Quinvette, Rossind
John Strickley & wife, Salt Lake
C G Forster, Milwaukee, Wis
Wade N Richardson, do
C W Simonson, do
P Joseph, San Fran
Mr & Mrs W W Middlecoff, Stockton, Cal
W J Kehler, Seattle
F B Thayer, St Paul
Richard Nixon, city
E Cochran, Boston
F Cutting & wife, Oakland, Cal
J M Wells, St Louis
H S Hogan, San Fran
John W Lloyd, Chgo
W F Chutter, Astoria
Mrs J A Fulton, Astoria
Miss Fulton, Astoria
Henry M Dinwoodey, Salt Lake

THE PERKINS.

Levi Ankeny, Walla W
Mrs F A Fisher, Astoria
Earl A Fisher, do
T Wigman, city
Wm Laycock, FtStvns
E A Parker, Astoria
J W Hobbs, McMinnvl
Miss G Fairchild, Forest Grove
J A Freeborn, Toronto
R B McLennon, Vancouver, Wash
Frank N McCandless, Ellensburg, Wash
J W Bates, city
R S Wilson, city
R A Kuner, San Fran
F L Carr, Montesano
Henry Anderson, Minneapolis, Minn
Ben Blasenger, Phila
J H Aitken, Huntington, Or
G L Campbell, Pomeroy, Wash
Mack Trimble, Bridal Veil, Or
Estell McVay, do
Edna Enhart, Dalles
J W Potter, Lansing
J Kennedy, Tacoma
M F Hardesty, Astoria
Mrs H McMaster, Camas, Wash
Violet B McMaster, do
Mrs L A Loomis, Ilwaco, Wash
J S Luckey, Eugene, Or
Mrs Luckey, Eugene
Miss Ada Hendricks, do
F H Meador, Moro, Or
Wayne Jones, city
Mrs Wayne Jones, city
A Christianson, Spokan
Thos P Baylis, Omaha
D H Bornhoff, Woodbrn
Mrs D H Bornhoff, do
E B Tongue, Hillsboro
Geo Melson, Stiverton
Thos Morgan, Montesano, Wash
E B Brigham, Seattle
O Garrison, Gr Rapids
M D Garrison, Thorp, Wis
R H Laereman, San Fr
B J Boynton, St Paul
J De France, city
L S Wilson, Walla W
G B Richmond, Seattle
A J Johnson, Astoria
F A Bennett, New Yrk
Geo Porter, Baker City
Miss Loomis, Ilwaco
Charles Cleveland, Gresham
Mrs C Cleveland, do
Fred W Gooding, Shoshone, Idaho
L E Crowe, The Dalls
F L Lacyman, San Fr
Frank Williams, Ashland, Or
Miss Bessie Snipes, The Dalles

THE IMPERIAL.

C. W. Knowles, Manager.

T J Ennis, Long Creek
Chas R Davis, do
R W Parsons, Seattle
O M Patterson, Olequa
Alex Rens, San Fran
Mrs Annie Hankins, Toledo, Or
Geo H Baker, Goldendl
H Harkins, Seattle
E W Parks, Seattle
O P Cashon, Roseburg
Mrs Cashon, Roseburg
M E Johnson, Spokane
W P Wagy, Colo Spgs
G B Heugen, do
C R Smead, Blalock
Miss Irene Nearrell, San Francisco
Wm Ellsworth, Olymp
L H Adams, Salem
J K Weatherford, Albany
S W Downing, Stone, Or
C W Loughery, Astoria
Edwin Stone, Albany
Rose Lynch, Rockwood
Miller Freeman, Seattl
W B Lawler, Albany
E N Carter, Stone, Or
Mrs Carter, Stone, Or
Oscar Westfall, Westfall
Mrs G W Lynde, Dunsmuir
Dr T W Harris, Eugene
R McMurphy, Eugene
Mrs W Hogan, Lewistn
F Ucox, Astoria
E L Barnett, Athena
W E Parrish, Mt Vernon, Or
S J Coatney, Colton, Wash
C R Green, Aberdeen
Mrs E Z Hurd, Tacoma
Mrs J F Foster, do
G L Foster, Tacoma
Mrs Millican, Tacoma
Miss Millican, Tacoma
Mrs Neil, Tacoma
Mrs McFeley, Tacoma
Miss Anna Metschan, Tacoma
Geo Turrell, San Fran
A J Coursen, Denver
J D Merryman, city
F D Kuettner, Astoria
Mrs Kuettner, Astoria
Alf R Kelly, San Fr
J H Ballance, San Fr
O D Taylor, The Dalles
W O Patterson, city
Jas J Powers, N Y Cy
Joseph G Powers, do
Louis Powers, do
Jerome Powers, do
Harold Powers, do
Reynold Powers, do

THE ST. CHARLES.

T Sundberg, Scappoose
H Opendahl, Hubbard
J P Clark, Astoria
W D Shaw, Aumsville
R M Clark, Woodln
Frank Sheythe, do
Paul Valerius, Whatcm
Miss Ora Walla, Lebanon
J H Graham, Goble
Mrs Graham, Goble
E C Nelson, Goble
E P Johnson, Dayton
H Austin, Champoeg
Daisy Sharell, Vancvr
Lou Haddle, Vancvr
Grant Marshall, do
H Mitchell, Astoria
I W Brothrs, LaCentr
E Briggs, Astoria
J O Brothers, Astoria
Robt G Cramer, Clatskanie
Wm Kearns, Astoria
J F Graham, Astoria
J C Thomas, Bull Run
M Ewing, Bull Run
J F Jennings, do
W H French, do
H G Barrington, Seattl
A Herritt, Everett
Alfred Erickson, Utah
Sami Aplin, Cornelius
Geo Baker, Washougal
C H Baldwin, do
Miss D Sitra, Rainier
Geo W Easterbrook, Oceanside
Mrs Easterbrook, do
A C Mowrey, Eufaula
Mrs Mowrey, Eufaula
W H Chamberlain, Goldendale
John Hoefer, Champoeg
Lizzie Ophendahl, Hubbard
E A Taylor, Oregon Cy
Frank Speythe, Dalles
M Prathis, Oregon Cy
Mrs Nora Johnson, Forest Grove, Or
Mrs C E Flint, Kenton
Mrs Fred Groner, do
Miss Ida Vohs, Forest Grove
Martin Wise, Stella
F A Hoyt, Stella
W St John, Bull Run

Hotel Donnelly, Tacoma.

European plan; headquarters for commercial men. Chilberg's restaurant in connection.

PIMPLES

Perhaps you have already discovered that powders and washes will not cure these eruptions on your face. They may cover up and suppress, but they cannot remove. Rashes, boils, salt-rheum, shingles, hives, eczema, tetter, etc., are but surface indications of a deeper trouble. And

That's Bad Blood

The question for you now is,—how to make bad blood good blood; how to get rid of all these impurities in your system. Everybody knows the answer,—a perfect Sarsaparilla. No ordinary Sarsaparilla, such as you can buy at almost any store, will answer; it must be a perfect one. There is such a Sarsaparilla, and it differs widely in every way from all other Sarsaparillas.

That's AYER'S

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NEW BLUE RIVER LEDGE.

In an Accessible Locality, and Promises Well.

EUGENE, April 24.—The newly discovered quartz prospects on the Blue River, reported about two weeks ago, are attracting a great deal of attention. Miners and prospectors are heading that way from all directions, and already a lively mining camp is there. This discovery is in the vicinity of the Blue River Falls, several miles northeast of the old Blue River mining camp. It is easily accessible by a horse trail from the main road up the McKenzie, and no difficulty is experienced by miners taking in supplies. This trail was made for the accommodation of Summer outing parties, which visit the falls annually. The vicinity where the quartz has been discovered has been visited by hundreds of people, but to them the hidden treasures of the mountains were not revealed.

Quotations of Mining Stocks.

SPOKANE, April 24.—The closing bids for mining stocks today were:

Blacktail	$0 09½	Princess Maud	$0 03½
Crystal	58	Palmer Mt. Tun.	16½
Deer Trail Con.	3	Rambler Cariboo	26
Gold Ledge	4	Republic	1 02
Golden Harvest	1½	Reservation	8½
Iron Mask	55	Rossland Gland	1½
Jim Blaine	14	Sullivan	13
Lone Pine Surp.	14½	Tom Thumb	16½
Mountain Lion	90	Palo Alto	¾
Morning Glory	3½	Big Iron	2½
Morrison	2½		

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	$0 03	Julia	$0 01
Alpha Con	3	Justice	2
Andes	8	Mexican	29
Belcher	16	Occidental Con	10
Best & Belcher	29	Ophir	59
Bullion	5	Overman	20
Caledonia	1 25	Potosi	25
Challenge Con	16	Savage	8
Chollar	22	Seg. Belcher	2
Confidence	80	Sierra Nevada	40
Con. Cal. & Va	1 55	Silver Hill	14
Crown Point	12	Standard	3 25
Exchequer	1	Union Con	23
Gould & Curry	22	Utah Con	9
Hale & Norcross	32	Yellow Jacket	23

NEW YORK, April 24.—Mining stocks today closed as follows:

Chollar	$0 20	Ontario	$0 00
Crown Point	13	Ophir	55
Con. Cal. & Va	1 45	Plymouth	12
Deadwood	60	Quicksilver	1 50
Gould & Curry	20	do pref	7 50
Hale & Norcross	30	Sierra Nevada	40
Homestake	50 00	Standard	3 70
Iron Silver	68	Union Con	22
Mexican	27	Yellow Jacket	22

BOSTON, April 24.—Closing quotations:

Adventure	$0 04½	Humboldt	$0 75
Allouez M. Co.	1½	Oscesola	66½
Amal. Copper	91	Parrott	44½
Atlantic	24	Quincy	1 55
Boston & Mont.	3 05	Santa Fe Cop.	5¼
Butte & Boston.	71	Tamarack	1 85
Cal. & Hecla	7 47	Utah Mining	30
Centennial	19	Winona	3½
Franklin	15	Wolverines	40

HEAVY FROST AT EUGENE.

No Injury to Fruit Yet Shown—Smudges Worked Satisfactorily.

EUGENE, April 24.—Heavy frosts occurred in this vicinity Sunday night and last night. Yesterday morning there could be found thin scales of ice in low places, and grass was frozen quite stiff, but this morning the frost was not quite so severe, the fog settling towards morning and preventing heavy damage. The effect of these two frosts on the fruit is a matter of considerable concern. Some fruitmen say the breeze was sufficient to keep the frost from doing any damage in the trees, and that the only place where the frost could be seen was on the ground. Others are of the opinion that much of the fruit is so injured that it will soon begin to fall from the trees. The young fruit does not yet show signs of injury. At any rate, the orchards will be watched with a great deal of interest until the effect is known.

Very few orchardists in this county make any attempt to prevent frost by artificial means. Smudge fires have been used by some in former years, and were last night and the night before, and the results have been highly satisfactory. Most of the fruitgrowers trust to luck to give them a crop. When they begin to realize that freezing can be prevented by simple means, much fruit will be saved that is now lost.

Italian Prunes Catch It.

OREGON CITY, April 24.—Reports from farmers and fruitgrowers in various sections of Clackamas County indicate that the heavy frost of Sunday night destroyed the Italian prune crop in some neighborhoods, and materially injured cherries and early plums. No damage, however, is reported as occurring to the petite prunes, which have proved to be almost sure producers in this section.

News of Polk County.

DALLAS, Or., April 24.—Yesterday the noon mail came by motor to Dallas by way of Independence and was 20 minutes later than when brought by the stage via Dixie. This created great complaint among The Oregonian readers. C. F. Belt, postmaster, immediately applied to the authorities in Portland to have it restored to the stage line again, which will be done today.

At a meeting of the School Board of Dallas district last night it was decided to elect teachers for the public schools May 21.

La grippe is prevalent in this county. Many cases have terminated in pneumonia, some fatally.

Yesterday evening the Thurston Bros.' mill had the largest run of logs ever made at a single flood here—700 logs landed safely in the pond and on the boom.

Houses are in great demand for rent here, and considerable preparation is being made to supply the want.

New Hall Dedicated.

ROSEBURG, Or., April 24.—Joe Lane's cabin, Native Sons, and Julia Abraham's cabin, Native Daughters, formally dedicated their new hall last night. Grand President Sol Blumauer, of Portland, and Grand President Mrs. R. A. Miller, of Oregon City, were present and assisted in the ceremony. The hall is elegantly furnished and very attractive in every respect.

Nome and Koyukuk.

Under date of March 28, the Juneau Dispatch contains the following correspondence from Dawson:

"Stewart Menzies, auditor of the Alaska Commercial Company, arrived up from St. Michael last evening. He had charge of the post at Forty-Mile during 1897, and late in that year started for the outside. He went to Scotland for a holiday and came in by way of the ocean. He spent some months at St. Michael and started up the river from that point on the 28th of November last. He spent five weeks on the Koyukuk, going up as far as Peavy. He says that the reports of good finds on the Koyukuk are entirely warranted. He says that good prospects have been found on a number of creeks, and he saw one $4 pan. There are about 150 people on the river, and wages are $15 a day. Prospects have been found at Myrtle, Wild, Johns and Slate Creeks, on the middle fork of the Koyukuk, on Alder and Florence, on the north fork, and on the main stream of the south fork, and on the Allenkaket River and Malamute Creek. The region embraced here is about 150 by 20 miles in area. A. Gordon Battles is in charge of the store at Bergman, which is at the head of ordinary steamboat navigation. Peavy is 50 miles further up.

"Mr. Menzies says the Koyukuk is not a Klondike by any means, but it ought to make a good camp. He is conservative in his estimate of Nome, also. He says that the sandy beach of Nome is very alluring, but there has been really very little prospecting there or at Koyukuk. Of the two he prefers the latter for permanency."

Washington Notes.

Active preparations are being made for the fishing season on Lummi Island.

J. F. Birney, of Everett, has gone to Snohomish to survey a logging camp for Campbell Bros. on Batt's Slough, where 700 acres of timber will be handled.

At a Port Townsend Custom-House sale of seized goods, consisting of silks, cigars and opium, the principal bidders were Chinese, and the opium brought $10 50 a pound, the regular market price.

The Republic company has 52 teams, many of them six horses, on the road freighting from Republic to Columbia, B. C. A six-horse outfit hauls 8000 pounds, and makes the round trip in five days.

Over 500,000 shingles were floating in the bay and strewn along the beach at Port Townsend Saturday morning as a result of the capsizing of the scow towed from Dungeness with 1,000,000 shingles on board. Many have been recovered, but the loss will be heavy.

Mrs. Lucy Hogg was Monday granted a divorce from her husband, James B. Hogg, by Judge McClinton, at Port Townsend, on the grounds of incompatibility of temper. Mrs. Hogg resumes her maiden name of Lucy McIntyre. The parties are both prominent Port Townsend people.

James Gilkerson, one of the prosperous Rimrock farmers, has just finished seeding 560 acres to Spring