

ime the voters were registered by the Notaries. Mr. Finch said that a manda-ils wit might be brought if the Clerk efused to receive the registrations made here yesterday.

### Fewer Voters in Astoria.

ASTORIA, Or., May 16 .- Additional registrations were received today from the various Justices of the Pence throughout the county, sufficient to bring the total number up to 256. This is 283 less than the vote at the June election in 1898. At that time there were 2848 ballots east, but almost entirely confined to the precincts in the central portion of Astoria. In the city limits the wold two years ago and 1985, and the registrations this year are 1938, a decrease of 257.

Killing a Cinnamon Bear. Carson Tocsin. Last week Ed Farrell killed a bear of large eize, this week he killed a cin-mamon of even larger proportions and next week we expect to report the sudden death of a black bear at the hands of this doughty hunter. The first bear was killed with no especial excitement, but he of the chunamon hue let Farrell know that bear-hunting is no child's play. After four well-directed shots had been fired any one of which would have caused his death in a few hours, bruin retracted to any one of which would have caused his death in a few hours, bruin retrated to his lair and was there attacked by Far-rell's two hounds. One, of small expe-rience with the bear family, but highly prized by her cwner, became too bold, and was caught and would soon have been crushed in the bear's loving embraces had not Farrell, who thought more of his deer them his own sector made a nise that dog than his own safety, made a play that might have cost his life. Trying to get in a position to shoot without wounding either dog, he advanced until his guu ouched the bear's head. Busied with the logs, the animal had not noticed his ap-proach, but at the touch of the gun bar-rel he dropped the dog he held and made a pass with one huge paw, catching one claw in the hunter's thumb, making a gash to the bone and about two inches long. Behind a tree jumped the hunter, and hastily firing, the king of the forest fell all other produce. to rise no more.

Fish Commissioner Reed will not make bublic what boat he will use in patrolling the river, beginning next week, but says he has engaged the fastest steamer he could find. He also says that he proposes to enforce the law to the letter, as every fisherman is now acquainted with its provisions and cannot plead ignorance.

Mr. Brackenbury says he will make no charge against he wife. He states that her mind is undoubtedly affected by a recent filness, and that nothing else will account for her actions. Dengel is alleged to be a professional crook. The officers here believe that he committed a robbery the night before the elopement by which he secured \$5. is an ideal water power. A dam is being constructed, and a 50-foot head of water will be obtained, yielding 2500 horsepower NORTHWEST DEAD. The importance which this company at-taches to the pulp industry is shown by a clause in a deed by which the old Enter-prise millisite was transferred by O'Neil Mrs. Sophronia Rowland. Mrs. Sophronia Rowland died at her prise ministic was transferred by O'Neill Bros. to the Curtiss Lumbering Company. This millisite is on the Breitenbush, and is one of the few desirable locations for a mill. The deed conveyed 320 acres of land, and contained a provision that for b) years the water power on the land should not be used for the manufacture of pulp or paper. It is understood that this reachibiting was arrested to be the state of the state and the state of the state of the state of the state of the state state of the state state of the s tion was agreeable to both parties to the transaction. There is water power enough in the Santiam River to operate a sawmill and pulp mill every half mile. Lumber from the Santiam mills is shipped to nearly all parts of the West. but principally to Colorado and Utah. Considerable quantities are consumed in Linn County and other parts of Oregon. Those who take a day's ride along the ne of the Corvallis & Eastern Rallroad and see the almost unlimited forests timber still standing will have no fears of failure of supply for the immediate future. Only that along the river has yet been used. The timber further has yes not so accessible, but in time will be-come available by the increase in the price of lumber. Not in one generation

The firm of O'Neill Bros., sometimes called O'Neill Bros. & Callaghan, is in-terested chiefly in logging for paper and pulp manufacture. This company has a pulp mill at Lebanon, and is making prep-

trations to put in a similar plant at Ning-

ara, on the Santiam. At this place the

The Puget Sound Sawmill & Shingle Jumpany has purchased the Export Mill Company's plant at Fairhaven. The sale was closed Monday, and the price is reorted to be in the neighborho .02\$ to boo

Track-laying on the new Bellingham Bay & Eastern Railroad to Lake Whatcom has been completed, and the regular train service established. The new road is about four and a hulf miles in length, and finds an excellent grade to the lake. The use of the street-car line by the road

will be given up this week. George Shattuck, of Tumwater, met

with a serious accident at the Westside mill Monday forenoon, and as yet it canot he said what the outcome will be

He was hit in the right side with terrible force and thrown heavily to the floor on his face. His hip was badly fractured

The baby left on the doorstep of the

Monday the State Auditor certified to

struction that there is in the treasury to-the credit of the common schools for the current quarter the sum of \$418,665 62. This

is a large sum for the purpose named, larger by about \$100,000 than any quarter-ly apportionment ever before made. King

County will receive the lion's share of

-about goe Merenth.

The Oregon Mining

the State Superintendent of Public In-

Trullinger home, at Olympia, two weeks

and his nose and eve painfully injured.

contented. The ranchers are prosperous and contented. The fusion candidates say that the people here are unconcerned about the attack on the Administration. They are doing well, and have no griev-

ance sgainst the Administration or any-body else. The price of livestock is high; wool is high. All farm produce is high. Isolated from the railroad, the outside world cannot compete with the ranchers, and stockmen can raise the best animals and the best grade of wool for less money

than any class engaged in the same busi-

died February 24, 1868. Mr. French was a man of strict integrity, and a general favorite in his community. By religion he was a Quaker. His home trip on a sailer was seeasioned by the fact that the quarantine prevented the departure of steamers, owing to the plague.

ferences that they may have had. The Prosecuting Attorney was requested to lismiss the case against Herbert, but he has not yet done so.

Registration in Marion SALEM, Or., May 16.-The total regis tration of voters in Marion County is 603 This is subject to slight increase, as there are a few blanks yet to be received from outlying precincts. The largest precinct registration is in Salem, No. 2, 356, and the smallest is in Elkhorn, 18.

#### Big Increase in Baker.

BAKER CITY, Or., May 15.-Approxi-mate estimates so far give 3900 voters registered in the county.

# CLACKAMAS GOLD AND COPPER.

#### Several Promising Claims in South ern Pert of County.

OREGON CITY, May 16 .- C. G. Holt and F. A. Wheeler, who have been mining in the Lester district for the past two years, were here today. This district inciudes in its boundaries the northeast corner of Marion County and southeast corner of Cluckamas County, and is sliunited on Gold Creek, a tributary of the Santiam, and one mile from the head-waters of the Molalin. This is a quartz milwing district, the claims extending through the corners of two countles. De velopment work is being pushed on eight ledges, and some encouraging tests have been made. A-tunnel has been sunk in the Bimetallic ledge to the depth of 200 feet; the last assay in the Michigar property at a depth of 75 feet showed Michigan \$14 71 to the ton, which is about the average given by assays made on samples from the other ledges. Wheeler and Holt are interested with Dr. C. Goucher, of Molalla, in the Michigan, but have acquired in-terests in the Bimetallic. Negotiations have been pending for the sale of the latter property to Tennessee men, but nothing definite has resulted. Some rich samples of surface copper ore were exhibited from a ledge seven feet in width, recently discovered in that district. Considerable money has been expended in de-velopment work in this district, the greatest depth having been obtained on the Bimetallic claim.

George Wyland, of Wilholt Springs, was today, and exhibited some rich samhere today, and exhibited some rich same ples from a copper-producing ledge situ-ated on his farm. Little development has been done on the prospect. A neighbor. Mr. Fox, has croppings of a similar ledge on his farm, but declined to give some mining men an opportunity to develop the claim, because they wanted a controlling interest in the lode.

Two men were in the city a day or two ago and paid the recording fee on four quarts claims located in the Shena Creek mining district, near the headwaters of the Sandy River. The men were very reticent as to their plans, but one of them claimed to have been mining in Alaska.

## SKAMANIA COUNTY MINES.

## Good Copper and Gold Proposition Being Developed.

W. H. Kearney, who is developing a copper proposition for the Spokane & Vancouver Gold & Copper Mining Com-pany, returned from Skamania County. ngton, yesterday. He has some 20 the camp at present, and a tunnel 60 feet deep shows a solid body of ore, averaging \$50 to the ton in gold and cop-

Applegate Celebration at Yoncalla TONCALLA, May 15 .- Sunday, May 13, here was a pleasant gathering of old plo-neers at the old home place of Misses Lucy und irene Applegate, near Yencalla. The boccasion was the celebration of "Aunt in Oregon, she have come in the year 1843 with the families of her father, Charles, and two uncles, in the same company with the Looneys, Nesmiths, Waldos, Naylors, Hunts, Hills and many others. A nice dinner was provided by the different members of the family which all enjoyed. The residence was handsomely decorated with Old Mission roses and native ferns. Her father's family lived their first year in Oregon at the old valesion near Salem. They then moved to a place near where

has resided continuously for 50 years this May. Shingle Mills Shut Down.

Dallas now is, where they lived awhile

The three brothers, Charles, Lindsay and Jesse, thinking it was becoming too crowd-ed, then moved with their people to the Yoncalla Valley, and where "Aunt Lucy"

# TACOMA, May 16 .- Officers of the Red Cedar Shingle Association sent out notifications tonight to all the mills stating that over 90 per cent had signed the closing agreement, and mills were to be shut down between May 18 and June 4. Five thousand men will be laid off for three weeks, but shingle manufacturers argue it will obviate the necessity of reducing wages, and this sentiment is said to prevail among the employes. The closing for three weeks will curtail the output for the year by 2500 cars of shingles

#### Drawn to the Nome Trade

SOUTH BEND, Wash, May 15.-Owing to the great demand for steamers for the Nome trade, South Bend's steamer com-munication with Ban Francisco is sussended, the steamer Rival, of the Dellar line, which was running between here and San Francisco, having been char-tered for a trip to Cape Nume. Quite a trade has been worked up in the short time that the steamers ran here, and the route was a proficible one. It will prob-ably be resumed after the rush to Nome le over.

# Another Warehouse for Medford.

MEDFORD, Or., May 15 -A second warehouse for Medford is nearing com-diction, under direction of the owners, Cox & Perry, who will use it for a gen-eral storage depot and for handling fruit. It is 35x100 feet, and beeides next offices for the proprietors it will contain rooms for the Wells-Farge Express Com-pany. Farmers and fruitgrowers appre-clated the advantages of the first warehouse so much that it is evident there The development of these mines means | will be a good field for the second.

ness anywhere else in the world. One candidate began to talk about the low price of wheat and potatoes. It was news to our ranchers. They sell every bushel of wheat that they can spare at 1½ cents per pound, and potatoes at the same price, and all other produce accord-ingly and the mechanic "run after thom". ingly, and the merchants "run after them at these prices. It may be selfishness with them, but while they can get 30 cents per bushel for wheat at home, they are not worrying kver #-cent wheat in the Willamette Valley. It is the same with

No Idleness, No Poverty.

There is not an idle man in Lake Coun-ty, except from preference, and there h ot a man in the county who complaint There is only one pauper in the county, and he is blind, and the county only has to pay \$5 per month to have him taken care of in a private family. In six months

time your correspondent has never heard a man speak of "hard times," and he has been vigilantly on the lookout. There are no chattel morigages given here and every man's credit is good. No one thinks of beating or getting beat. It is an abso-lutely solid prosperity, and everybody is doine and

oing well. They listen to the speakers from the 'starved-out" sections with an expression for a surprised sympathy. The big, pros-perous fellows feel like going down in their pockets and sending a contribution to the Administration-ridden districts. It to the Administration-ridden districts. It is hard to get such men in political line. They really don't care so much about a man's politics. If a fellow pleases them pretty well they vote for him. Irrespective of his politics. In this county they have been electing a mixed ticket for years. The political parties put out their respective tickets, but the people go right along and year an they please. It is claimed

and vote as they pieuse. It is claimed that the Republicans have about 100 ms fority, but you cannot tell much about i from the result of the elections.

Election Wen by Little Girl. Bryan carried this county last election. Bryan carried this county was more popu-It was not because Bryan was more popular It was not because brain was more popu-lar or because McKiniey was unpopular. The big, prosperous ranchers ware cap-tured by a beautiful little dark-eyed girl.

tured by a beautiful little dark-eyed girl. The Republicans employed a quartet of jubilce singers. They were having things their own way. There was nobody to sing for the other side. Miss Lillie Wal-ters, a native of the county, pretty and bright as a May Queen, said she would sing for the other side, and only in her trens and short dresses she went about the county with her father, an old Texan, and same for the ranchers. She has a and sang for the ranchers. She has a volce like a nightingale, and captured the old ranchers, and they nodded their heads approxingly, and said:

"By golly, we'll vote for the little gal instead of the big quartet!" And Bryan carried the county. This Year's Fight.

The main fight this year is between Daly

and Tongue. While it is Daiy's home, he has many enemies here. They are making a desperate effort to carry the county against him. A stranger arriving here even before the campaign was thought of would never have expected to learn that Dr. Daiy held office or would stand any show in this county. He is the most universally "cursed" man in the

county. He is rarely ever spoke of fa-vorably by any man. Yet he has been in office for more than 16 years, and has never been defeated in this county for anything. There are no serious charges made made against him, but everybody talks about Daly, and his enemies hate him worse than they do a make. His friends

# Pacific County Democrats.

# SOUTH BEND, Wash., May 16 .- Th

Democratic County Convention, called to elect delegates to the state convention, net here tonight. The attendance way fairly good. Charles A. Coulter was chairman and Val Heath secretary. The delegates chosen were R. G. Waters, F. M. Smith, Val Heath, C. A. Coulter, W.

D. Paulding and P. W. Rohrbeck. They were instructed to vote for delegates pledged to W. J. Bryan for President and for James Hamilton Lewis for Vice-Pres-

Hon. William H. Gudgel, of this city, ill deliver the address here on Memorial day.

The steamer Signal is loading lumber and merchandize here for Cape Nome. Her passenger list is not only full, but numerous applicants have been turned SWIN.

# Winners of Humane Prizes.

OREGON CITY, May 16 .- Today a com mittee consisting of Rev. J. H. Bevan, Mrs. F. F. White and Professor W. H. Davis, appointed by the Clackamas County Humane Society to determine who on humane topics, handed in their report. The contestants were 21 pupils in the second, fifth and eighth grades of the local schools, the winners being Ethel Jeffer-son, second grade, Eastham school; East Walker, fifth grade, Earclay school; Nora Criswell, eighth grade, Eastham school,

# Decision in Hamilton & Rourke Case

OLYMPIA. Wash., May 16.-The Su-preme Court has reversed the judgment of the Superior Court of King County in the case of William S. Sibson and Peter the case of whinth R. Shown and reser-kerr, partners, appelants, vs. the Ham-ilton & Rourke Company. The reversal of the judgment of the Superior Court is but partial, as it carries with it the af-firmance of the referee's report, after a deduction in the amount of \$2238 59.

#### Oregon Notes.

Carson, Union County, now has con-section with the long-distance telephone

Six Benton County schools had a per-centage of 100 in attendance for the month of April.

Two new Catholic churches will probably be built in Southern Oregon, one at Elamath Falls and one at Lakeview.

Gold Hill's new system of water works has been completed, and water was turned into the mains for the first time last week. The reservoir is so situated as to give a fail of 350 feet in the town, giving a good pressure for all purposes. A hose cart and 200 feet of fire hose will

be purchased immediately for the use of the recently organized fire company. A salmon weighing 60 pounds, minus its adipose fin, was delivered to the Elmor cannery Sunday, says the Astorian. This is evidently one of the ssimon turned out by the old hatchery four or five years ago for experimental purposes. Whether or not this particular salmon has ever entered this port before there is, of course, no way of determining, but that he was well enough intisfied to come back to his original baunts after the expiration of five long years seems to be prima facie evidence that he had no pa ticular aversion to this locality.

BUSH FOR TIMBER LAND.

the Santiam mills close down for

# All the Best Tracts on the Coast Are Being Taken.

want of timber.

GREENLEAF, Or., May 15 .- The woods GREENLINAT, OL. May Down and the works swarm with timber locators, aside from one or two gangs who are working for the Northern Pacific in the country tribu-tary to Stuplaw River and Bay. These latter state that other crews are working for the northern and the men hear hear elsewhere. Some of the mes have been cruising for the company since December, when the work was begun in the State of Weshington and is here ber

WALLA WALLA, Wash, May 16.-The defense in the Royce murder trial today revealed its line, which will be temporary f Weshington, and it has been prosecutof Washington, and it has been prosecut- insanity brought on by excessive drink-ed systematically southward. The best ing and disease of the head. Woods,

gon. May 10. She was born in Indi-ana, November 25, 1835; crossed the plains in 1852, and was married April 28, 1853. She left a husband, G. L. Rowland, and three children-Mrs. Nancy Hatch, Mrs. Martha York and James F. Rowland, all living in Yamhill County.

in jail, and a charge of adultery was filed against him. He will have a hearing

Mr. Brackenbury says he will make n

#### Mrs. Smith, of Salem.

ago, has been sent to the White Shield Home, at Tacoma. Mr. and Mrs. Trul-linger, who had been bothered consider-SALEM, May 16 .- Mrs. Ciara Smith, aged 24, died in this city today of conably by the matter, finally concluded on Saturday to allow the Home to take the child. One or two couples were anxious to have the child, but for some unknown sumption. Deceased was a daughter George Emert, of North Salem, and the wife of F. L. Smith, of this city. reason their requests were not granted.

# Runaway Couple Overtaken

GARFIELD, Wash., May 16 -Deput Sheriff Klowell has arrived here with runaway wife and partner. The woman is the wife of G. W. Verdot, and is accompanied by her 13-year-old daughter. The man's name is David Scott. The Ver-dots live on the Clearwater, 60 miles from Lewiston, Idaho. Scott is a neighboring homesteader, between whom and th woman an attachment had been formed that ended in flight. The party will be held here until extradition papers can be

Must Find That It Pays.

SEATTLE, May 16 .- "Hilda Hobson,

The Defense of Royce.

Stock Exchange

this sur

Auditorium, Chamber of Commerce Bidg., O. Box 673. Portland, Or.

J. E. Haseltine, Pres.; David Goodsell, Treas.; F. J. Hard, Sec. Directors-L. G. Clarke, J. E. Haseltine, David Goodsell, P. J. Jetnings, I. G. Davidson, F. V. Drake, E. A. Clem. the bogus Red Cross nurse who swindled towns in Oregon and was recently in Eastern Washington, is in Seattle working her "graft" today as Lizzie Smith, the

Geo. W. Lloyd. T. W. Nevill



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Is due to an acid poison which gains access to the blood through failure of the proper

secured.

cripple

Is due to an acid poison which gains access to the blood through failure of the proper organs to carry off and keep the system clear of all morbid, effete matter. This poison through the general circulation is deposited in the joints, muscles and nerves, causing the most intense pain. Bheumatism may attack with such suddenness and severity as to make within a few days a healthy, active person helpless and bed-ridden, with distorted limbs and shattered nerves; or it may be slow in developing, with slight wardering pains, just severe enough to make one feel uncomfortable; the ten-iency in such cases is to grow worse, and finally become chronic.

Like other blood diseases, Rheumatism is often inherited, and exposure to damp or cold, want of proper food, insufficient clothing, or anything calculated to impair the health, will frequently cause it to develop in early life, but more often not until middle age or later. In whatever form, whether acute or chronic,

# acquired or Rheumatism is Strictly a Blood Disease, and no limiment or other external treatment can reach the trouble. Neither do the preparations of potash and mercury, and the various mineral salts, which the doctors always prescribe, cure Rheumatism, but ruin the digestion and break down the constitution.

A remedy which builds up the general health and at the same time rids the system of the poison is the only safe and certain cure for Rheumatism. S.S.S., made of roots, herbs and barks of wonderful solvent, purifying properties, attacks the disease in the right way, and in the right place — the blood — and quickly neutralizes the acid and dissolves all poisonous deposits, stimulates and reinforces the overworked, worn-out organs, and clears the system of all unhealthy accumulations. S. S. S. cures permanently and thoroughly, and keeps the blood in a pure, healthy state.

Mr. J. O. Malley, izy W. 16h Street, Indianapolis, Ind., for eighteen months was so terribly afflicted with Rheumatism he was unable to feed or dress himself. Doctors said his case was hopeless. He had tried fifty-two prescriptions that friends had given him, without the slightest relief. A few bottles of S. S. S. cured him permanently, and he has never had a rheumatic pain since. This was five years ago. We will send free our special book on Rheumatism, which should be in the hands

of every sufferer from this torturing disease. Our physicians have made blood and skin diseases a life study, and will give you any information or advice wanted, so write them fully and freely about your case. We make no charge whatever for this service. Address, SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlasta, Ga





