OFF FOR BUFFALO.

of Oregon's Mineral Exhibit.

BAKER CITY, April 19.-Fred R. Mel-

Hs left yesterday morning to take charge of the mining exhibit of Eastern Oregon at the Pan-American Exposition. Mr.

Large Irrigation Ditch Sold.

has purchased the big Grayson ditch, which will be used as a part of the sys-tem. In addition to this purchase Mr.

Patterson says his company will expend \$20,000 this season on the main ditch. At

least 25,000 acres of land in this section

will be brought under cultivation when this irrigation system is completed. The

company owns 5000 acres of land near this city, which will be reclaimed.

The business men of Baker City have

come to the rescue of the local baseball team with sufficient financial aid to in-sure the organization and maintenance

AN OREGON PIONEER OF 1841.

Asa Williams, Who Died at Houlton

Yesterday.

Asa Williams.

with the exception of the past year's resi-dence at Houlton, he had lived in Wash-ington county since 1841. He leaves a wife

of Palo Alto, Cal. Interment will be in the cemetery at Hillsboro, Sunday.

DISCUSSED FUEL PROBLEM.

Asylum Board Considering Proposi-

tion of Importing Wood. SALEM, Or., April 19.—The Asylum Board held an informal meeting today to

discuss the fuel situation. A number of farmers who have small lots of big fir

wood are offering it at \$3, but the board

s standing by its price of \$2 85. Traffic Manager Sullivan, of the Cor-

vallis & Eastern, was in the city today

to offer the state 2000 cords from Mill City. Various other offers of large amounts have been made, and the board

Will Use Less Wood.

Light & Traction Company has purchased all the sawdust from the Capital Lumber-

ing Company's mill, and will thus great

School Board Let Contract.

The Salem School Board today let a con-

tract for 210 cords of small fir and oak

Schools, at an average price of \$2 36 per

cord. This is low, considering the fact

Light Run of Salmon.

Water Bailiff Greenman is busy making an effort to collect licenses from the fish-

ermen in this district, but all are not

and Clacksmas fishermen complaining the run of salmen since Monday.

OREGON CITY, April 19.-Willamette

ly reduce its fuel account.

for the Park,

paying up promptly,

was learned today that the Salem

of a grand stand.

Business Men to the Rescue.

at the Pan-American Exposition.

from the Northwest territory.

Literature."

WOMEN WILL NOT GIVE UP

PAN - AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS ASK THAT EXPENSES BE PAID.

They Are Acting on Legal Advice to Get What They Assert Are Their Rights.

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 19.-The division of sentiment between the Washing-ton Pan-American Commission and the members of the board of women mana-gers, which began at Tacoma last Sun-day, has not been healed by any means. and the women, under legal advice, have begun to assert what they say are their rights. Mrs. S. E. Barr, of this city, and Mrs. M. L. Hidden, of Vancouver, to-day filed with the State Auditor a peti-tion praying that official to notify Executive Commissioner Moore to audit their anticipated expense account, a copy of which they appended to the petition. The Auditor will ask the Attorney-General for an opinion as to what shall be done in the premises, but judging from an opinion given today by the Attorney-General's office, the plaintiffs are not likely to be successful. The Attorney-General heids that while under the law the women are entitled to their expenses their bills must be audited by the comnecessary warrants. Since the commis-sion has refused to recognize the women it is hardly probable that any bills they may contract will be audited. Included in the petition to the Auditor is an estimate of what the women say they should be allowed-24000, \$2500 for personal expenses, and \$1500 for an exhibit and expenses, and \$1500 for an exhibit and expenses, and \$1500 for an exhibit and expenses are strongly and the same of t person of transportation. It is under-steed the Auditor is in sympathy with the ideas held by Mrs. Barr and Mrs.

WILL STUDY TAKIMA SOILS. Covernment Official Making Ready

for the Work. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 18.— Charles A. Jenson, of the Bureau of Bolis, United States Department of Agriculture, and B. A. Hhausen, of Los Angeles, Cal., are here preparing to make an exhaustive study of the soil of the Yakima Valley. Soil will be analyzed and some sent to Washington, D. C. Special attention will be paid to the subject of alkall. The waters of all the streams will be tested and experiments made which bear on the subject of irrigation. When the gentlemen finish their work they will prepare maps which are expected to be

considerable value to farmers here. Meeting of Sheepmen Called. Superintendent Sheller, of the Rainler reserve, has called a meeting of the sheepmen of Yakima County for next Monday. Permits for grazing sheep on the reserve during the Summer will be assued at that time.

State Pair Commissioners. . B. Wood and A. J. Spinwn, of this place, have been appointed State Pair

Commissioners. They, with J. M. Baxter, T. B. Gunn and W. L. McDonald, constitute the board. Members dropped from the board to make room for the new ap-pointees are Matt Barthelet and F. D. Schnebley, of Ellensburg. Wool Market Opening.

The wool market is beginning to open here, and several small sales have been made. It is anticipated that many transactions will be recorded next month. The actions will be recorded next month. The buyers will meet the sheepmen, as here-tofore, in this city, on the 1st and 15th, and this will be the meeting-point for Central Washington.

Found Dead in Bed."

M. D. Baum, a familiar character about this town and at Yakima City in early days, was found dond in his bed yesterday morning. He had been a resident of the Vailey for 20 years or more. He left no family, and had no relatives here.

CLEAN-UP AT DAWSON.

Experienced Miner Says It Will Reach Thirty Millions This Year. SEATTLE, April 19.-James H. Ardern, of one of the mining companies of Daw-son, came to the city this morning on his said that the clean-up this year in the Dawson camp would, from a conservative mite, amount to \$30,000,000, making I the biggest output in the history of the

Mr. Ardern has an extensive experience in the Klondlice, and says that the new strike in Eddorado below the level of the old bedrock is not in the least exagger-ated. He is taking to London samples of the guartz from the ledge lately struck in the country rock and which runs from Victoria Guich, on Bonanza, to Elderado. This quartz, which is said to be fabulous-ly rich in free-milling gold, Mr. Ardern thinks will rules the Dawson camp a great deal in the estimation of the financial con-ters of the world, and he says will estab-lish the fact that the Northern gold fields only in their infancy as producers of the precious metal,

Wholesale Deaths by Freezing. SEATTLE, Wash., April 19.—The Skag-way News, of April 13, which arrived to-day, contained dispatches from Dawson of that date. The most important dis-

Two mushes hames unknown, who arrived yesterday from Nome, bring sensational reports of wholesale feaths by freezing along the coast. They report that 200 persons died from exposure of freezing before the middle of January at various points up and down the coast. Their stories are not credited here, as they lack confirmation.

Teams are still arriving from Whits-horse with freight and passengers, mak-ing good time. The trail is holding out

rkably well. The remains of the lost Dr. Bettinger have been uncovered a few miles up the White River trail, where he had doubtless died of exposure, having mistaken the

GOLDSBOROUGH BROKE DOWN. Eccentric Rod Gave Way on Final

Trip-Due to Defect in Material. WASHINGTON, April 19.-Like almost every one of the torpedo-bosts recently added to the Navy, the Goldsborough, which premised so well, has come to grief on her final trial. A telegram received at the Navy Department from Lieuten-ant-Commander Peters, the principal trial officer, dated Scattle, Wash., yesterday,

Tends: Second final trial Goldsborough interrupted today by the breaking of the port low-pressure eccentric rod, 46 min after starting. Probably not less than 20 days will be required to refit." later dispatch announces that the break was due to a defect in material.

FELL TO HIS DEATH.

Washington Ploneer Lost Footing on Roof He Was Shingling.

OLYMPIA, April IR.—Joseph Snider, who came to this city in 1858, and a veteran of the Indian War of 1855-6, was instantly killed in this city this afternoon by fall-ing from the roof of a house he was shingling. Snider was all years of age, a of Arkansas, and leaves a wife

Fatal Fall of Bridgebuilder.

EVEREIT, Wash., April 18.—Frank Reich, foreman of the riveters on a steel bridge being built on the line of the Great Northern, four miles east of Skykomish, fell 50 feet from the upper supports and was instantly killed.

Probably a Fatal Fall,

TACOMA, April 18.-Gordon Burke, years old, a student in the Tacoma High

School, fell from the bannister today and struck on his head, producing injuries

struck on his head, producing injuries which it is feared will prove fatal.

BICYCLISTS OBJECT. Against Way Vancouver Is Spending Bicycle Tax Fund.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 19.-Con-siderable complaint is heard here among bicyclists regarding the action of the City Council in ordering the repairs be-ing made to the walks in the city to be paid for out of the bicycle tax fund. The grounds of objection are that the bicycle fund is created from the tax paid by bleyelists; and is paid for the express purpose of building and maintaining bicycle paths throughout the county; that the Council has no right to use the money se derived for any other purpose. The Councilmen argue on the other hand that the expenditure of the money in the bicycle fund is entirely within the discretion of the Council; that the work being done in the City Park is for the direct benefit of blcyclists as well as pedestrians, and that conse quently no one should object to the bicy cle tax funds being used for that pur

HOUSES MUST BE NUMBERED. Colfax Council Has Passed an Ordi-

nance to This Effect. COLFAX, Wash., April 19.-The City Council has passed an ordinance requiring the numbering of the residences and business houses of Colfax according to the United States mail service block system. The ordinance takes effect April 26, and within 20 days owners must have their houses numbered according to plat, on penalty of \$5 fine.

Stage Line to Be Discontinued. The stage line from Colfax to Thornton miles, is to be discontinued April 20, ince the abolishment of the postoffice at teptoc, six weeks ago, there has been no mail to carry, as Thornton is on a rail. road, and the Postoffice Department or-dered the line discontinued.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 19.-Judge Bell, of Seattle, is holding court this week for Judge Rudkin, is now occupied with the jury cases. The most interesting matter that has come before the court was the trial of one Cochrane for alleged assault with a deadly weapon. The complaining witness is a boy named Roberts, about 17 years of age. Against his unsupported testimony was that of five witnesses who asserted that at the time of the alleged shooting the defendant was not present, and that the shooting was done by another person. The jury was out nearly 24 hours, and finally reported that they were unable to agree. It is said that they stood

Failed to Appear for Trial. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 19.-Dr. David Lindsay, charged with criminal libel, and at liberty on his own recognizance, failed to appear for trial today, and a bench warrant was issued for him Lindsay was operating here as the Wash-ington Medical Dispensary, and the charge against him grew out of the cir-culation by him of a defamatory circular against Dr. P. Frank last December Frank, who is a regular practitioner, had previously caused the arrest of Lindsay as the first move in what was termed a crusade against the "quacks."

Smallpox on Board Foreign Ship. PORT TOWNSEND, Wash, April 19.— The British turret steamship Calthness, 18 days from Mororan, Japan, arrived here this morning with seven of the crew of 28 men down with smallpox, and will be sent to Diamond Point quaranwill be sent to Diamond Point quaran-tine station for fumigation. The disease made its appearance a few days after the vessel sailed, and much difficulty was experienced in bringing the ship to port. Upon arriving here, British Vice-Consul Klocker and Customs Inspector Lehr boarded the vessel. They will be sent to the quarantine station with her.

New Creamery Will Soon Start Up. CENTRALIA, Wash., April 19,-It is ex pected that the new creamery here will go into operation May 1. The buildings are fast nearing completion. The boiler has arrived from the East and has been placed in position. The other machinery is due any day. The plant will have a city of about 1200 pounds per day. According to the present plan, farmers will be required to separate their milk, the creamery taking nothing but cream.

Judgment of Lower Court Adjourned. OLYMPIA, Wash., April 19.-The judgkum County has been affirmed by the Supreme Court in the suit of E. H. Watkins et al., plaintiffs and appellants, vs. Thomas Dorris, defendant and apnt, and William Dorris, respon This was an action for an injunction and

To Welcome McKinley,

CENTRALIA, Wash., April 19.-Extensive preparations are being made to give President McKinley a royal welcome when he passes through Centralia on his Western trip in May. It is expected that he will be here about 30 minutes. The citisens will be assisted by the teachers and punds of the city schools.

Recommended for Postmaster. SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 19. Samuel Andrews has resigned as Post-master at Oysterville, and the appoint-ment of Thomas Andrews has been recded by the Republican Central Committee,

Washington Notes. A new telephone company is being or-Tacoma school teachers have asked that their salaries be increased.

A number of Prosser farmers will plant considerable land to chicory this sea-Construction of a telephone line to con-nect Dusty and Endicott will commence

at once. A local company is back of the enterprise. The County Commissioners have re-funded Walla Walla County's \$80,000 onds. The old bonds were 5-20s, with a 6-year option. The new bonds bear 4 per

cent interest. Peter Larson, a millwright in L. W. David's mill at Blaine, was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon by felling from a scaffold to the ground below, a dis-

tance of 30 feet. A move is on foot to install elevators in the schoolhouse being creeted at Scattle. The contract calls for stairways, but if prompt action is taken no trouble

will be experienced in making the

Frank Murphy, who says he deserted from Troop H. Fourth Cavalry, at Walla Walla, in June, 1899, reported at Fort Walla Walla Thursday and gave himself up. He is in confinement, awaiting instructions from the Secretary of War.

Harvey Stonecipher uncovered part of the skeleton of a mastodon while on the road about a mile and a half from Waitsburg. The bones were probably six feet below the surface of the ground. This makes parts of several skeletons of the mastoden which have been unearthed in that vicinity of late years.

H. L. Johnson, a well-known con-tractor of Whatcom, left home last Saturday, supposedly to look after his work, and has disappeared, leaving no trace which leads to any solution of the mystery. His son, W. H. Johnson, has insti-tuted a thorough search for him and has followed up two or three clues only has followed up two or three transcription to come to the conclusion that none of them have any foundation in fact. Mr. them have any foundation in fact. Mr. Johnson is 67 years old, an old soldier.

BIG CROPS QUITE SURE of Tacoma, and an address by President P. L. Campbell, of the Monmouth Normal School on "The Use of Supplemental

OUTLOOK IN WILLAMETTE VALLEY WAS NEVER BETTER.

Fruitmen Count on a Banner Year-Hops Are Thriving and Grain Is Making a Fine Growth.

SALEM, April 19.—The prospect for a good crop of every kind of agricultural and horticultural products was never better in the Willamette Valley than at the present time. The season has been remarkably favorable for all grain crops, and wheat promises better than eyer be-fore. The farmers were able to get their work done at the proper season, and the grain has an excellent start.

Charles L. Dailey, ex-Commissioner of Horticulture for this district, and proprietor of several orchards in the Red Hills county, says that from the present out-look the fruit this fall will be the largest and best in the history of Western Orebright; they have put out their blossoms during the clear, bright weather, and there is every opportunity for the fruit to set well. Apples, cherries and other tree fruits are making as good a showing as are prunes, which in point of commercial importance constitute Oregon's greatest fruit crop. Small berries also give evidence of passing the Winter well and of yielding a bounteous crop this

Josiah West, the Clatsop dairyman who owns a prune orchard in Polk county, re-cently made a close examination of his fruit trees, and says he does not see how he can fall to have the largest crop on record. The roots of his trees are free from borers, and the trunks and limbs show no blemishes of any kind. The fruit buds give every indication of healthy, vigorous condition. Mr. West attributes this absence of borers to the treatment he gave his trees two years ago. He dug the soil away from the base of the tree and put a coating of plaster compound all around the trees, thus keeping out the worms.

Hop vines are making a good, strong growth and nowhere is there heard a complaint of missing hills. Cultivation has been thorough, thus assuring a con-tinuation of the excellent beginning. Pasturage is good this spring, and all

hay crops have made as good a start as have the grain crops.

A season of plenty this year means much to Western Oregon. It has always been the boast of Oregon that crop fallures are unknown. Yet two years ago there was a short prune crop and last year a poor wheat crop. Farmers have somewhat discouraged, and the what might be desired. But if the present season shall bring forth an abund-ance of all kinds of farm products, it will be convincingly shown that the un-favorable season was an exception, and not an indication that agricultural industries are on the decline. A bounte-ous crop, even at average prices, will put the farmers on a good financial foot-ing and will do more than anything else to attract immigrants to this state. Willamette Valley farmers are now in a prosperous condition, but the grain farm-ers this year are not in a position to make many improvements on their farms. A good crop will leave most of them with a balance to their credit, enabling them to make many permanent improve

New Creamery About Completed. SALEM, April 19 .- The Crystal Ice Company today installed in its new creamery a 300-gallon churn, and will be ready for business the first of next week. Nearly all the machinery will be new and of the most up-to-date pattern. The creamery occupies the building formerly used by T. S. Townsend, of the White Clover Creamery, and is conveniently located for farmers residing east of town

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETING. Proparations Under Way for State Convention at Salem.

SALEM, April 19.-The executive committee of the Christian Endeavor Societies, and the local union, are making ex-tensive preparations for the State Christlan Endeavor Convention, to be held in this city May 16-19. Plans are being laid with the expectation that not less than 400 strangers will be in the city, verything possible will be done to make their four days' visit a pleasant one. The local union will provide lodgings for all delegates free of charge, but each will be expected to look out for his own meals. There will be a larger number of delegates at the convention than usual, so the local union has been careful not to promise more than it can perform. During the convention the members of the local union will strive to provide tertainment for the visitors when the convention is not in session. There are many places of interest in and about the capital city, and the state institutions will be open to visitors during the The presence of Rev. F. E. Clark, the

father of the Christian Endeavor move-ment, will make this convention one long to be remembered. Dr. Clark will de liver three addresses, two of which will be on May 18 and one on May 19. Among the other speakers are Rev. W. H. G. Temple, of Seattle, who will deliver the convention sermon; Rev. C. T. Hurd, of Portland; Rev. Henry Marcotte, of As-toria; Rev. J. H. Beaver, of Oregon City; Rev. G. W. Fender, of McMinnville, and Rev. G. S. Humbert, of Corvalits.

SITE FOR BARRACKS.

Selected at Fort Columbia by Board of Army Officers.

ASTORIA, Or., April 18,-A board of Army officers, consisting of Chaplain Hodgkins, Captain Downs and Lieutenant Cloke, went to Fort Columbia yesterday and selected the site for the proposed two-company post barracks. The findings of the board will be submitted to the department for approval, and it is expected that blds on the construction the buildings will be asked for in the near future.

Check for Scalp Bounty. County Treasurer Thompson today re ceived a check for \$666 42 from Secretary of State Dunbar. This is the amount of scalp bounty tax paid by Clatsop County in 1899, and which was ordered refunded by the last Legislature,

Keeping Jetty in Repair. There are about 60 men employed by the engineering department at Fort Stevens in charge of Assistant Engineer Hegardt, They are engaged in repair work and keeping the jetty in order so that as soon as the next Congress makes an appropri ation for the extension of the everything will be in readiness to commence work immediately.

BEST INSTITUTE EVER HELD. Annual Meeting of Clatsop Teacher Which Closed Yesterday.

ASTORIA, Or., April 19.—The annual three-day session of the Clatsop County teachers' institute closed this evening, after the most successful and interesting series of meetings ever held. The mem-bers of the institute this morning went on an excursion on the steamer lender, leaving here at 8 o'clock. The plan of the trip was to follow out the course taken by the Lewis and Clark expedition. The run was first to Fort Canby and then to Fort Stevens and in the afternoon Young's Bay was entered and the steamer went up the Lewis and Clark River to the site of historical Forand somewhat feeble, although quite active for a man of his age. His disappearance is very mysterious, and no plausible theory can be advanced to account for it.

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VESSEL IS IN QUARANTINE AT VIC-TORIA. Fred Mellis, Who Will Have Charge

> The Number of Cases Cannot Be Ascertained-Ship Has Just Arrived.

Mellis has forwarded what is considered by experts to be the finest and best arranged mineral exhibit ever exhibited VICTORIA, B. C., April 19 .- H. M. S Condor arrived at quarantine tonight. She has yellow fever on board, but the number of cases cannot be learned to-President W. J. Patterson, of the Pow-der River Land and Irrigation Company, a company recently organized for the purpose of reclaiming arid lands in Baker County, said yesterday that his company

PACULTY OF DALLAS COLLEGE. Will Serve for Ensuing Year-Institotion Is Prosperous,

CORVALLIS, Or., April 18.—At the session of the United Evangelical conference yesterday, the trustees of Dallas College elected the following faculty for the ensuing year: President of the college, Rev. C. C. Poling, Ph. D.; professor of English and science, Rev. D. M. Metzger, A. M.; Latin and Greek, Professor Countryman, A. B. mathematics and German, Professor A. F. Bitner: music, Professor C. W. Kant-

ner; art department, Mre. Weaver.
The board reported the affairs of the college in a prosperous condition with an attendance of 115 students.

of a team of first-class players. A plot of ground near the city has been leased and arrangements made for the erection Other Work of Conference, The following ministers were voted ordination as deacons: C. T. Hurd, A. A. Winter, S. M. Wood, S. E. Laurer and G. L. Lovell. As elders, the following were voted ordination: L. M. Boozer, Guy H. Phelps, H. A. Deck and S. J. Lindsay, Rev. C. A. Rabing, of the North-western lows conference, was received FOREST GROVE, Oregon, April 18.— Asa Williams, an Oregon pioneer of 1841, aged 74 years, died at Houlton this mornwestern Iowa conference, was received into the Oregon conference, ing. Deceased was born in Missouri, and

HOLIDAY APPROVED.

Schools Could Then Attend Unveiling of Chamoeg Monument.

SALEM, April 19.-A suggestion which is receiving quite wide approval among those who feel an interest in the early history of Oregon is that all schools in this section of the state take a holiday on May 2, in order that the pupils or as many of them as desire to do so, may attend the unveiling of the monument at Champage on that day. School children living at a distance would not be able to attend the exercises, but there are many schools in Marion, Polk, Yamhill and Clackamas counties near enough to Champoeg so that teachers and pupils could go to the exercises in a body. It has also been suggested that in all the schools on May 2 the teachers should take advantage of the events transpiring at Champoeg to impress upon the minds of the pupils the story of the formation of the provisional government.

NORTHWEST DEAD.

Mrs. J. J. Walton, Sr., Ploneer, EUGENE, Or., April 19.-Mrs. J. J. Walton, Sr., died yesterday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Phoebe Hughes, in Creswell, aged 83 years. She was a ploneer of Oregon, and had resided in Eugene and Lane County a long time. Mrs. Walton was born near Flemings-burg, Ky., August 15, 1817. Her malden name was Shokley. When she was 10 or and the following children: Mrs. Malinda Thompson, of Weston, Oregon: Mrs. Samuel Crow, of this place, Claborn Williams and Mrs. Bertha Rymal, of Greenville: Grace, James and Fred Will-iams, of Houlton, and Mrs. Rosa Purdin, 12 years old, her parents moved to Indiana and settled near Rushville. She married J. J. Walton at Rushville in 1834. With her hisband, she crossed the plains from Iowa to California in 1849. They lived in California until the Spring of 1852, when they moved to Oregon and settled near Ashland. From there they emigrated to the Umpqua Valley, near Oakland, and remained until the Fall of

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Joshua J. Walton, of Eugene: Mrs.
Phoebe E. Hughes, of Creswell; C. W.
Walton and Mrs. C. A. Cole, of Spokane; Mrs. E. P. Coleman, of Coburg; Mrs. J. S. Skinner, of Wardner, Idaho; Ira D. Walton, of Coburg, and Henry E. Waiton, of Portland. Her husband, J. J. Walton, died in 1896. The funeral will occur from the residence of her son, Hon, Joshua J. Walton, tomorrow after-

Mrs. Adn Gallaugher.

COLFAX, Wash., April 19.-Mrs. Ada Gallaugher, aged 21 years, wife of Thomas Gallaugher, died Wednesday evening. She was a bride of less than a year, and leaves a bahe 10 days old. Mrs. Gallaugher was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Von Soehnen, pioneer residents of Colfax, and was brought up here.

Joseph Conntser. COLFAX, Wash., April 19.—Reports from Sunset, 20 miles north of here, an-nounce the death last night of Joseph Conatser, an old settler of that region He was a bachelor of 65 years, and the owner of several thousand of acres of

Funeral of Washington Ploneer. SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 19.-The funeral of Mrs. Isaac Whealdon, of Pa-

fine farming lands around Sunset.



Like Another Helen

is like another "Alice."

" LIKE ANOTHER HELEN," the new novel by GRORGE HORTON, is an exquisite creation-not unworthy to rank with 'Alice of Old Vincennes.' Time and scene are widely different; both books have the same healthy vitality, rapid movement and breathless in-"Alice" is an American girl, an exquisite creation of singular charm and beauty, 'Helen' is a Greek, beautiful, desolate, defiant—pure as now."—Chicago Chronicle.

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Nerves Wear Ou

And grow weak and exhausted when not properly nourished, just as an engine loses its power when the fuel runs low. The loss of nervous power is seen in the failing health and the wasting form. It is felt in the aching head, the throbbing hea., the irr tability, indigestion, restlessness and loss of sleep. Rebuild the worn-out nerves, rest the tired brain and add new fuel to the vital fires with the best of all tonics, Dr. Miles' Nervine.

> "I suffered from nervousness and nervous prostra-tion for a long time. I became thin and wasted, lost control of part of my nerves and muscles, and finally became so bad that I could not sleep at all. doses of Dr. Miles' Nervine brought the first sleep in nearly three weeks. I was on the brink of insanity, but that great nerve restorer brought me back to health."
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> MRS. M. B. BRED, Delta, Iowa.

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is food for the worn-out nerves and the weary brain. It is a food for the over-taxed and weak digestion. Is nourishes, fortifies and refreshes the whole system.

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cific County, took place at Oysterville

Athleties Revived.

SALEM, April 19.—The pleasant Spring weather has led to a revival in athletic circles at Willamette University, and every afternoon the young men occupy the University athletic field with their practice work. A baseball team is being formed, and it has been decided to organize a complete amateur athletic team for the purpose of competing with other schools in the state. The athletic work will be under the management of the student body, and for the present Professor Drew will direct the practice work.

"Sapho" Machine Owners Held. ASTORIA, Or., April 19.—Four saloon-keepers, of this city, were arraigned in the Justice Court today on informations, charged with beving "Sapho" picture-machines on exhibition in their places of business. The men waived examination and were held under \$200 box await the action of the Circuit Court. The machines were selzed several days ago, and are now in the custody of the

Witness in Mail-Discovery Case. THE DALLES, April 19.-Some days since Frank Egan, janitor of the postoffice here, was subpoensed to appear before the grand jury at Portland. Since
returning home the fact has developed
that he was called to give evidence concerning some 50 mail bags found in the basement of a building adjoining the stoffice. These are supposed to contain I rear of the roo

and fourth-class matter, accumulated uduring the two administrations pre-ceding the present. It is believed the find was made by the present postmaster and investigation ordered upon his request for instructions as to distribution.

Water Right Claims.

THE DALLES, Or., April 19.-Three water right claims were filed in the County Clerks office today by George W. McCoy, of Portland, under the name of the Western Land Irrigation Lumber & Fuel Company. The first filing is from Clear Creek for 120,000 miners! inches of water; the second from From Creek, for 50,000 inches, and the third for a storige reservoir site at the outlet of Cleus Lake, also the erection of a dam and reservoir holding 75,000,000 cubic feet of water.

Charged With Larceny,

ASTORIA, Or., April 19.-Two informstions, signed by C. H. Cooper and Benjamin Young, were filed in the Justice Court this afternoon, such charging George Wilson with larceny from a dwelling. It is expected that informa-tions will also be filed against him by several other persons whose cottages at the beach have been robbed.

Painting of Governor Geer.

Moore's oil painting of Governor Geer purchased in pursuance of an appropriation of the last legislature, has recently been placed in the House of Representatives. It hangs on the west wall near the



Warner's Safe Cure Co., Rochester, M. T. Gentlemen :- Last Fall I suffered severely with maluria, causing me to lose my

petite and sleep.

One of my lady friends had been cured by Safe Cure and advised me to try it and I began at once to take it according to directions, It affords me great pleasure to testify to the complete cure which accompanied its use and

I heartily recommend it to anyone for malaria. (Pres't' Poplar Bluff Literary Woman's Club.)

Yours truly,

IDA WILSON.

Warner's Safe Cure Co., Rochester, N. Y. Goatlemen: - To the dyspeptic everything looks dark and the sun shines only through a fog.

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