GREAT DISTRESS

Explorer DeWindt Receives Succor on Behring Sea.

HIS PROVISIONS ALMOST GONE

Captain of Whaler Supplies the Globe-Trotter, and He Continues on His Overland Journey From Asia to America.

NOME, Alaska, June 24, via San Fran-cisco July 3.—Captain Cottle, of the whaler William Bailey, arriving from the north today, reports succoring Harry DeWindt and his companion, George Harding, who re in distress on the shore of Behring DeWindt and Harding left Paris last ber, intending to make an overisjourney acroes Asia to America, via the Behring Straits. They traveled to Ya-kutsk, in Siberia, and proceeded thence by reindeer team to Nijni Kolymiusk, the most northerly settlement in Russia, and from there they traveled a distance of over 1500 miles onward. Captain Cottle found the two explorers

at Whaddyluk, an uninhabited cove, which is visited occasionally by passing whilers, DeWindt and Harding were in a sorry plight. They had a terrible trip across the country; their provisions were almost gone, and they had reached the coast only to find the ice had gone out of the straits, and that it was impossible to accomplish the perilous feat of crossing Bebring Straits on the ice. The captain supplied them with provisions, and he stated today that he believes they will make their way scross in a native skin-boat.

TO RECLAIM LAND FOR OWN USE. First Contract of This Kind Made by Oregon Land Board,

SALEM, Or., July &-The first contract for the reciamation of arid land to be awarded in favor of men who intend belug owners of the land, was given yesterday in favor of an association of men known as the Mathews Land Reclamation Association. The men who form the association are: John S. Mathews, Valentine Stroble, August Stanger, Albert E. Cowles and Thomas W. Ayers, Jr. They applied for 760 acres situated near the town of Express, in Baker County. As there are five men interested, this will make nearly 160 acres each, which is the that can be acquired by one

man under the arid land act. Contract heretofore made have been in favor of corporations which undertake to reclaim large tracts of land, relying for their compensation upon their lien upon the land and future sales to settlers. They have planned the irrigation of land upon a large scale. In the present instance, how ever the applicants will undertake to prigate only so much land as they may wish to purchase for their own use. It is stated in the application that there are no streams upon the land, but the water for irrigation purposes will be sup-

plied from artesian wells WILEY CANNOT GO AS WITNESS.

No Authority to Take Convict to Colorndo in Diamond Robbery Case. SALEM, Or., July 2-Deputy United States Marshal Wilson, of Portland, was at the capital today trying to get Kelly Wiley, a convict in the Oregon peniten-Wiley, a convict in the Oregon penitenony before a United States Commis the alleged diamond fobber, is defendant Wilson has a subpena for Wiley, but the penitentiary officials cannot see their way clear to let the man go. There is a law from the penitentiary to be heard as witnesses in the courts of this state, but there is no authority for letting the prin-oners go outside of the state. The superintendent of the penitentiary is responsible for the safe keeping of the men committed to his charge, and would be liable for any escape that might occur while the prisoners were taken to places not permitte by law. There is some objection also to taking a prisoner out of the state on a issued by a United States Commissioner. If a subpens should be issued by a United States Court in Colorado, it thie that a way may be found by which Wiley may be conveyed to that state without any danger of his gaining his liberty on habeas corpus proceedings.

CANNERIES IN BARD LUCK.

Fire at Bristol Bay Causes Loss, and Floor in One Plant Collapses. ASTORIA, Or., July 3.—The first authentic information concerning the salmo cunneries on Nushagak River, Bristol Bay, Alaska, since the opening of the season there, was received last evening. The letter was dated June 10, and was taken to Dutch Harbor by the steamer Mary D. Hume, which was going there for coal. It speaks in a most hopeful way of the prospects for the season, especially for the cannery of the Alaska Fishermen's Packing Company. Everything in that cannery was in good condition for operation, and the boats were the first out by three days. In that time they caught enough king salmon to more than fill the cans that had been prepared for that class of fish. Some of the other canneries have, however, had more or less trouble that has delayed operations. The floor of the cannery owned by the Portland-Alaska Packers' Association had collapsed, and 20,000 cans were badly dented, causing quite a serious loss. The netracks at the Pacific Packing & Navigation Company's cannery and been on fire; and half the west owned by the cannery was destroyed. The fire was thought to have been of liary origin and the act of some dis satisfied fisherman. At the time the let-ter was written the Columbia River Packers' Association's cannery had not started up, as some trouble existed with the fishermen, but its nature the letter did not

TO BOOM OREGON MINES. Baker County Will Send a Man East With Fine Exhibit.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce last night a resolution was adopted indorsing the econosition to send a man East with a eral exhibit, who will be prepared to before the various commercial bodies and lecture on the mineral and other re sources of Eastern Oregon. The lecture is to be illustrated with views showing ning and other scenes in this section of

matter up with the O. R. & N. Railroad and ascertain what it would do to aid the project.

ON TRACK OF ESCAPE ROGERS. Capture of Walla Walla Convict Is Now Expected.

WALLA WALLA. Wash., July 2-Rucker Rogers, who escaped from the Washington state penitentiary in this city two weeks ago, was in Kamela, a small town on the line of the O. R. & N. beday evening. He was recognized by five people. He ate supper at that place, and continued eastward. Detectives have been sent from here, and it is believed the prisoner cannot escape.

Howard Case Goes Over.

neys for the defense have decided not to press their motion for a change of venue in the Manny Howard case. This conclusion was reached after it had been mutually agreed between the attorneys for the prosecution and defense that the case should not be called this term. The date of the trial was fixed for September 8.

White Salmon Man Is Missing. HOOD RIVER, Or., July 1.—Frank Hub-ard, of White Salmon, Wash, is miss-ng. He left two weeks ago today for Portland to transact business at the Van-couver land office, expecting to return the same day, but has not been heard of No reason can be given for his trance. He is a son of Mr. Hubbard, of White Salmon, and a brother-in-law of Bert Clyde, of the same place.

Notorious Smuggler Captured. PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., July 3-"Red" Iteliey, a notorious smuggler, and six contraband Chinese were captured near San Juan Island be customs and revenue-cutter officers and lodged in juli here late last night. The officers had been out a week waiting for Kelley, hav-ing received information of the contemplated expedition from Government apot-

Ratu Means Big Grain Crop. MORO, Or., July 3-A good rain this morning was exactly what was wanted by farmers to top off an already splendid crop of wheat in Sherman County. Springsown grain will now return as many bushels to the acre as Pall wheat. Potasome localities, will now give a bountiful

Bay Crop Likely to Be Damaged. CORVALLIS, Or., July 2.—The heavy rains of the past two days have fallen on many a field of new-mown hay, and a continuation will result in much damage to the hay crop. It is estimated that fully one-half the hay is cut. The damage so far is not material.

Rain Helps Hood River Crops. HOOD RIVER, Or., July 2.-A soaking rain feil today, doing crops of all kinds an immense amount of good. Berry-picking has been stopped in the valley, and in the mountains a few of the berry patches were slightly damaged by the

Rains Benefit Spring Wheat. ALBANY, Or., July 3.—The recent rains have been of great benefit to the Spring wheat, and, if they do not continue, will not injure Fall wheat, though a small quantity has already fallen. Cherries have generally been split. Otherwise fruit is

Good Forest Grove Improvement. FOREST GROVE, Or., July 3.—Work was begun here yesterday by Messrs. Albers & Schneider, of Portland, on a building to accommodate three hay-compress-ors. The building and the machinery will ors. The building and the machinery will cost over \$5000.

NORTHWEST DEAD.

Mrs. Johanna Young. ASTORIA, July 3 .- Mrs. Johanna Young, wife of County Commissioner Andrew Young, died this morning. She had been Ill for over a year with a complication of diseases, and underwent an operation yes-terday in the hope of obtaining relief, but was unable to recover from the shock. Mrs. Young was born in Denmark 22 years ago, and in 1872 came to San Francisco, where she was married. In 1873 the family removed to Clatsop County, and has resided here since. Mrs. Young leaves, beside her busband, three sons and one daughter, two of the former being now in Ainska. The funeral will be held on Sunday from the Lutheran Church, in this city, and the interment will be in Green.

Pioneer of Baker County. BAKER CITY, Or., July 3.-Albert Toney, a pioneer of this county, died sud-denly at the Bonanza mine yesterday from heart disease. He was a native of Illinois, where he was born in Jefferson County, in 1847. He came to Oregon with his parents in 1864, and had resided in this county ever since.

city, and the interment will be in Green

Miss Alice G. Connor. SALEM, Or., July 3 -- Miss Alice Gertrude Connor, the 23-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Connor, of this city, died today of consumption. The remains will be sent to Calistoga, Cal., next Sunday for

Rev. P. S. Knight Resigns. SALEM, Or., July 1-Rev. P. S. Knight the pioneer Congregational minister of Oregon, has resigned the pastorate of the Congregational Church at Corvallis.

New California Postmaster. WASHINGTON, July 1-The President today appointed Lynn L. Shew Postmaster at San Ana, Cal.

POISONED BY COPPER.

Japanese Mining District Being Decimated by the Deadly Mineral.

Tokio Letter in the Chicago News, The fight between the capitalist and the workingman has begun in Japan, with a tragedy worthy to be treated by the pen of a great dramatist. The Ashlo copper mine, the property of Mr. Furukuwa, a Japanese millionaire, is one of the great-est copper mines in the world, employing over 12,000 men. This mine has been affecting thousands of acres of once fertile land, ruining the crops, poisoning the do-mestic animals, and undermining the health of a large population. All attempts to obtain redress for the people have falled, dcepite the fact that the cause of the sufferers has been championed by Mr. Tanaka, a member of Parliament, who has caused scenes of almost insane vicience in the diet by his attempts to obtain what he considers justice for the people. Tanaka even went the extreme length-Tanaka even went the extreme length-for a Japanese-of attempting, in Decem-ber last, personally to place a petition on the subject in the hands of the Emperor while that ruler was returning to the palace after opening the dist.

The tragedy was deepened a short time ago by the suicide of the millionaire mineowner's wife. She, unfortunate lady, had gone mad, and had been under observation some time before her act of self-destruc-tion, which took place in a ditch by the roadside, under the most distressing cir-cumstances. The millionaire himself is now seriously ill, and his doctors will not allow any newspapers to be brought into his room, owing to the fact that they frequently contain references to the awful state of things at Ashio.

It is singular that little or no sympathy to extended to the sufferers by the press or by the public. The newspapers gen-erally side with the multimillionaire and pour contempt and ridicule on the deci-mated people and on the one or two gen-erous publicists who have taken their t. The government organs and the disters talk glibly of the impossibility of checking the poisoning all at once, and neglect taking any action for checking it at all by promising to appoint commissions of inquiry, although one commis-sion, which numbered among ite members sions of indury, almough one commis-sion, which numbered among its members some of the oldest scientists in Japan, has already sent in a report which dis-closes the existence at Ashlo of an awful

Burdensome Legislation.

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Chattaneoga Times, of burdensome legislation that South Caroline law which prohibits any person from carrying a pistol, either concealed or unconcealed, unless it is at any person from carrying a pistol, either concented or unconceated, unless it is at least 20 inches long and weighs at least 20 inches long and weighs at least at once proceed with the erection of a 20 three pounds, seems to have some claims to distinction. As the Bouth Carolina gentleman can bardly be expected to give up his traditional amusement he will hereafter pull a gatting sun about with him.

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several months a force of men has been at work tunneling in the mine, and the results show a wide vein of rich quarts.

ELKS WILL BUILD A TEMPLE. Baker City Lodge Will Have a Fine

Optional With Teacher us to When the Student Shall Take up Several Branches.

SALEM, Or., July 3 .- State Superintend ent Ackerman has almost completed his new course of study to govern the schools' of the state in the use of the new textbooks. When the new text-books were sdopted a year ago, Superintendent Ack-erman issued a supplementary circular to be used in connection with the old course of study until a trial of the new books should determine the changes need-

Home by the End of the Year. BAKER CITY, Or., July 1.—The Elks have decided to erect a temple in this city. A committee has been at work for some time trying to secure a site for the some time trying to secure a site for the building, and at the last meeting of the ladge reported that it had succeeded. The work of erecting the building is to be commenced at once, and if possible the structure will be completed this year.

Baker City is fortunate in this particular. The Masons own a handsome tompile recently completed and the Odd emple, recently completed, and the Odd Fellows have owned one of the largest brick buildings on Main street for several years. The Knights of Pythlas own a lot on which they will soon erect a large building. This will make four secret so-

ciety buildings for Baker City. Old Folks' Excursion.

MANY CAST BALLOTS UNMARKED FOR CERTAIN OFFICES.

92,290 Persons Went to the Polls, While the Vote for Supreme Judge Was Only 87,719.

SALEM, July 2.—One of the surprising disclosures in the returns of the recent election is the large number of ballots that were cast without a choice being made for all the offices to be filled. Whether it was from carelesspess or intention, many voters placed their ballots in the box with only one or two candidates voted for. The total number of persons who went to the polls and cast their ballots was \$2,920, but the total vote for Supreme Generally speaking the new course of study will lessen the amount of work laid out for the pupils in public achools. In sritimetic, for example, it is left optional with teachers whether a text-book shall be placed in the hands of children before the beginning of the fourth year.

Old Folks' Excursion.

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Preparations are in progress for the annual old folks' excursion to Sumpter, which is tendered every year to the old people of the county by the officers and owners of the Sumpter Valley Railroad.

The citizens of Sumpter always take pleas-

never be heard from. It has the power to silence the voice of the United States Sentrack curves are elevated for a speed ate, which is the American House of averaging @ miles an hour, and the more Lords. It has made President Roosevelt speed the more elevation needed."

look small in the eyes of organized labor. "Do you think it is possible for an enThe meat and ill other trusts and mogineman to drive a locomotive 150 miles nopolies absolutely own the United States Government at this hour. I ask every true union man and Republican who re-

AS TO 150 MILES AN HOUR Possibility of Locomotive and Men Standing the Strain.

Indianapolis News. Can an engine haul a train at a speed of 150 miles an hour? That is the question that was asked of a number of enginemen on different roads. They all agreed that the science of engine-building might in time develop so that an engine could be built to make the speed, but said that they were engine-runners, not engine-builders. "Can a men stand it to drive an engine at that speed?" was asked of a Pennsyl-

vania engineman.
"I suppose," said he "that a man could stand it for a little while. The general public has no idea of the strain on the engineman, and the faster the speed the greater the strain. When you get up to 50 miles an hour you are going the pace that makes young men old. When an engineman on one of the fast trains that run into this city leaves his seat he is often nervous and worn out. He is some-times in the condition that in a woman would be called hysterical. "There are men on this road, in fact, on

all roads, who will not take a fast passenger run. They are splendid freight run-ners, but when they get on a passenger train they cannot make the time, and no matter how much they dislike to do so, they have to go back to a freight train. The engineman must keep his eyes riveted on the rails ahead of him. He must be prepared to see any danger that may sudden-ly present itself, and he must be watching for signals at stations and in blocks. "This is a terrible train on the nerves of his eyes, and it is bound to tell on a man before long, especially if he has a great deal of night running. At night the

shadows bother him a great deal, and many an engineman has been badly scared by them. In fact, everything about running an engine tends to rack the brain and disturb the nerves. If the engines get to running 150 miles an hour a new set of men with new kinds of constitu-tions must be secured to run them." R. L. Ettinger, mechanical engineer of the Big Four, and a recognized authority in his line, was asked if an engine could be driven 150 miles an hour.

ent," replied Mr. Ettinger. "All the power in an engine of the ordinary size is exhausted in running it at a speed of % ent," miles an hour, although it could not haul a train at that speed. The highest speed attained by an engine is 100 miles an hour, and that under the most favorable circumstances, and for a short distance.

beloved country. The beef trust, which has made untoid millions and dictates the price of meat for all our people, has got would use up all the power. Then there the power to have an investigation stopped and referred to a committee, where it will track-building for an engine to make 150

an hour?"
"That is a question that is hard to an-

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Government at the same and Republican who reveres the name of Abraham Lincoin to think for themselves. I ask them to investigate the ship-subsidy bill, which is the most gigantic steal of the century, for the benefit of a coterie of Senators."

Liver. Men up the seem impossible, and I would not say that it would be impossible for an engineman to drive a locomotive at that speed. But if he did he would have to be protected a great deal more than he is now. For instance, he could not the liver than he is now. For instance, he could not the liver the wind. put his head out of the cab window as he does now, for the force of the wind would be so great that he could not breathe. And there are a good many things that would have to be changed before a locomotive could haul a train 160 miles an hour. This is a problem that up to this time no one to my knowledge has tried to solve-the speed problem along the lines you suggest,"

> **HOW TO GROW CARNATIONS** Put Plants in a Sunny Spot and Water Frequently.

Chicago Chronicie. The carnation likes a sunny situation and should be free from the immediate neighborhood of taller plants. A little soot and ashes may be scattered between the rows and worked into the soil with bene-fit to the plants. They should be cultivated thoroughly during the Summer and abundantly supplied with water. Carnations, from seed, grown in the open ground, will not give many flowers the first season, being properly a blennial, but should be well protected during the Winter, and the following Summer will give quantities of flowers until cut down by frost. The plants that have been grown in pots should be shifted into larger pots from time to time as the pots fill with roots, disturbing the ball of the earth as little as possible; weak liquid manure may be given once a week after the plants are in four-inch pots increasing the amount somewhat as Fall approaches and buds appear. By November the plants should be in four or fiveinch pots and ready to bloom. Buds that appear during the Summer should be removed and the strength of the plant re-

served for Winter blooming.

A sunny window in Winter, where the temperature will not reach much above 55 degrees is most congenial to the car-mation, the usual air and temperature of the living room being much too warm and dry for them. A room away from direct heat, that is, one that receives its heat from another room, suits them admirably and this room should be thoroughly aired every day, care being taken to protect the plants from drafts while this is being done. A screen that can be pushed between the plants and the open door is a great convenience and protection.

Mary Barber Engaged.

DENVER, July 3,-The betrothal is announced of Major Ralph Hartsel, of Denver, and Miss Mary Barber, of Canton, O., the favorite niece of Mrs. McKinjey, Major Hartzel is an attorney, and during the Spanish War he was commissioned by Before a greater speed could be at-the Spanish War he was commissioned by tained, there must be a radical change in President McKinley in the volunteen army the construction of locomotives. If a with the rank of Major.

Married after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness.

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Miss Mollie Sater,



whereas, in the past, the book has been used in the third year. It is also left op-tional with the teachers to drop out of the third-year work some of the less important subjects in mathematics. Higher Geography Dropped.

Since the history of the United States is growing rapidly, as also is the knowldige of the geography of the earth's surface, the text-books on these subjects have undergone a corresponding increase in size. The latest text-books present more work for pupils, and it was found advisable to drop the higher book on geography. This leaves a one-book in the place of a two-book course,

Miss Ethel Cox.

In physiology, the work has been signed more to the first years of signed more to the first years of the course, so that the two books are completed in the sixth year, instead of extending through the seventh, as under the

The State Board of Text-Book Commissions has under consideration the adoption of the Higher Lessons in English, of the same series now in use, Rerd and Kellogg. Should the higher book be the same series now in use, kerd and Kellogg. Should the higher book be adopted, the course of study will be changed so as to make the use of this book optional in the higher grades. There book optional in the higher grades. There are a number of well-graded schools in Talbott, of the McKenzie River hatchery; the state that find the grammar course has sent to Master Fish Warden Van too short, as at present prescribed. With the adoption of an additional text-book those schools that need the extra work is one of the largest of the kind known to can use it, while others can continue the work inid out in the required course.

Teachers Consulted as to Course. In preparing his new course of study Superintendent Ackerman secured opinions of all the leading teachers in the acveral counties of the state concerning the work that should be done in each text book in each year of the course. Wit all these opinions before him, he con structed a plan of work which seemed to him to meet the requirements of the pub-The new course is now in press, and will be rendy for distribution about the middle of the month. Copies will be supplied in quantities to the County Superintendents, from whom they can

secured by teachers. Flat Salaries in This State Office. When Superintendent of Public Instructon J. H. Ackerman today paid into the state treasury \$136 of fees collected by him recently, he remarked: "Fint salaries in my office." The money was collected tor certificates and diplomas issued to teachers. For many years the fees thus received went into the pocket of the Superintendent, but in 1898 a law was passed turning all these fees into the treasury. Superintendent Ackerman aided self wrote the section which governed the disposition of fees.

'UNION STOPS A FUNERAL. A "Senb" Back Driver Was Discovered in the Procession.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 1.-That the local hackmen's union is determined that only initiated members, holding drivers' cards, shall be employed, was evidenced yesterday by the unusual spectacle of a funeral procession being stopped a front of the Hall of Justice, when every driver dismounted from his sent and refused to proceed because it had been reported that there was a nonunion man among them. The men were employes of G. Marini, stable the backs were furnished. An Italian by the name of Francis Csaugno had been placed as driver on one of the hacks before a driver's card had been issued to him by the local union. He was forced to dismount, and after the owner of the carriage had been installed cession continued on to the cem-

VANDAL IN A CHURCH.

Defnces Altar, Damages Organ and Works General Destruction. ABERDEEN, Wash.. July 2.—The Methodist Episcopal Church in this city was forcibly entered by some vandal last night, who wantonly smashed the windows, tore down the curtain, defaced the altar Bible, broke the top of the organ off and damaged the keyboard of the in-strument, destroyed the charter of the Epworth League and wrought other al-most irreparable destruction to the in-terior of the church. The trustees have offered a reward for the arrest and con-viction of the culprit.

MILL FOR TREASURE MINE.

Blue River Property Will Have Plant In Operation in a Few Weeks. EUGENE July 3.—Charles Harding Park, who owns the Treasure claim in the Blue

of age and over are requested to make the trip. The railroad company gives them free transportation to and from Supports. ure in entertaining the old people and for State Printer. On an average, one out they have a jolly time. All people 70 years of every 19 voters who went to the polis and the people of Sumpter provide the banquet and a place for the old folks to banquet and a place for the old folks to get together and visit. Last year over 200 old ladies and gentlemen, ranging from 70 have shown the total number of votes cast at the election. Heretofore it has been to 20 years of age, participated in the outling. This year the number will be of votes cast for the candidates for any

John i anson, the highwayman, who was arrested at Huntington after being shot by the officers, from whom he was trying to escape, was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary by Judge Eakin in the County Court yesterday morning.

Want "Bad Lands" Cleared Out. The City Council has been petitioned to clean out the "but lands" in this city.

A committee has visited the section, and
will report, it is said, in favor of the petition at the next meeting of the Council. LARGE DOLLY VARDEN TROUT.

in the McKensie River. has sent to Master Fish Warden Van Dusen a Dolly Varden trout that weighs is one of the largest of the kind known to have been caught, and Mr. Van Dusen will preserve it as a specimen.

Savmill Enlarged. Some extensive improvements are being made to the Weldler mill at Rainler. The capacity of the mill has been increased from \$6,000 to \$6,000 feet per day, and in a short time a large amount of new machin-ery will be installed.

June Police Collections. During the month of June the collec-tions made by the Police Department amounted to \$1565, this amount being made up as follows: Sundry licenses, \$945 50; fines and forfeltures, \$622 50. To Entertain Dairymen.

At its meeting last evening the Astoria Progressive Commercial Association appointed a committee, consisting of Martin Poard, W. H. Copeland, Will Madison, P. A. Trullinger and Dr. H. L. Henderson, to entertain the members of the National Dairy and Pure Food Association, who are expected to visit Astoria on July 12. More Marion County Hop Contracts.

SALEM, July 2.-E. Goldman and J. Wolfard of Silverton, today filed a con-tract made June 24 for the purchass of the Henry Gwinn crop of hops, 6000 pounds, at I5 cents. Other contracts filed today were as follows: D. McCleary and today were as follows: D. McCleary and L. Ames, Silverton, to A. Magnus Sons' Company, 5009 pounds at 12½ cents; William Kaufman, Silverton, to A. Magnus Sons' Company, 5009 pounds at 12½ cents; dates w. Bird & Ditmarsh, Fairfield, to W. Elkins, as requil 10,000 pounds at 11½ cents; Charles McCormick, Woodburn, to Rosenwald & Co., 10,000 pounds at 11½ cents; Homer Gouley to Magnus Sons' Company, 10,000 pounds at 11½ cents. These contracts are a month places at 13% cents. These contracts are a month

Will of the Late J. S. Risley. OREGON CITY, July 3.—The will of the ate Jacob S. Risley was admitted to proof the home farm near Milwaukie, about 300 acres, valued at \$24,000; a lot on the northwest corner of Seventh and Morrison streets, in Portland, valued at \$20,000, and personal property and cash to the amount of \$1300, a total of \$45,000. His son, John F. Risley, is named as executor. The will was made April Z. 1893. The estate is equally divided between the three children of the deceased—John F. Risley, Charles W. Risley and Mrs. Alice M. Stark-weather. The appraisers are Richard Scott, T. R. Worthington and M. Oatfield.

Contract for Linn County Bridge SALEM, July 1.—The Marion and Linn County Courts today opened bids for the onstruction of a bridge across the San onstruction of a bringe across los Santiam River at Gates, in the eastern part of of Linn County, and awarded the contract to C. A. Gray, of Salem, for \$2500. The bridge is to be a Howe truss bridge, with a 174-foot span. The bids were as follows: a 14-foot span. The bios were as follows:
C. A. Gray, Salem, 1209; J. B. Tillotson,
Albany, 1453; C. F. Royal & Son, Salem,
14f75; W. H. Millehollen, Albany, 1450; J.
F. Conn, Albany, 14550. These bids were
for the bridge, exclusive of the approaches. In the separate bids for construction es. In the separate bids for construction of approaches, Gray was also the lowest bidder.

WINLOCK, Wash., July 1.—The remains of a man believed to be those of Henry Minckler were found under the Toledo

lic Instruction, Attorney-General or State Printer, and one out of every 29 falled to vote for Supreme Judge, Secretary of State, or State Treasurer,
This is the first time the election returns

the total number of votes cast. The law requires that the returns shall show how many persons went to the polls and de-posited ballots in the box, whether the ballots were marked for more than one man or not. It required persistent effort on the past of the Secretary of State to secure compliance with the law, and the returns from nearly every county were sent back for correction before the total could be determined.

There is reason to believe that the fall-ure to express a choice for some offices was due to carelessness or negligence. Every man who went to the polls had in-terest enough to want to cast a ballot, and One Weighing 10 Pounds is Caught since so many cast incomplete ballots, it would seem that they overlooked many candidates, some overlooking one and some another. There is one sircumstance that seems to confirm this view. It will be remembered that on the state ticket the names of candidates for the offices of Supreme Judge, Secretary of State, and State Treasurer were in the first column while the names of candidates for Supertendent of Public Instruction, Printer and Attorney-General were in the second column. It will also be noticed that about twice as many falled to vote for candidates in the second column as failed to vote for those in the first col-umn. While it is doubtless true that some intentionally made no choice for these offices, it seems hardly probable that one out of 19 would be thus indifferent. That the arrangement of the official bal-lot has some effect upon the election is indicated, though not proven, by the re-sult of the legislative contest in Douglas County. In making up the ballot of candidates for Representatives, Willis Kra-Wimberly's name was directly underneath

mer was placed on the ballot with the word "Democrat" after his name, and Ira with ditto marks under the word "Demowith alto marks under the word "Demo-cart." Ira B. Riddle's name appeared with the word "Republican" after it, while his running mate, F. H. Rogers, had only the ditto marks under the word "Republican." It was at first announced that both the Democratic candidates were elected, and the statement has been published all over the state. But when all the returns were in, it was found that 'Kramer and Riddle were elected. Exidently many voters marked only those names which had the party designation after them, overlooking those with the ditto

In some districts the legislative candidates were not grouped according to party as required by law, but Republicans, Dem-ocrata, Socialists and Prohibitionists were mixed together according to the alphabet ical order of their names Some of the County Clerks left no blank places for the insertion of names other than those printed on the ballots. Secre-tary of State Dunbar has made a collec-

tion of ballots, and will endeavor to have all ballots printed correctly two years

A man of the name of F. R. Bosworth has announced himself as an independent Republican candidate for Congress in an Indiana district. Here is his plat form: "When we stop to think we find that every necessity of man, woman and child is in a trust to satisfy the greed and avarice of a band of tax-dodging pirates that demand the protection of a standing army, and that are notoriously bribing and corrupting the lawmaking power of our

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Sometimes necessary.

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