NAMESTHAT GOON INFORMATION

Only Those of Witnesses Examined Required-County Road Petitions Must Be So Plain That He Who Runs May Rend.

It is not necessary in criminal cases for the prosecuting attorney to insert at the foot of an information the names of any witnesses other than those examined by him.

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Where men'are charged jointly with ssion of a crime and are tried separately, it is error to admit testimony regarding statements made by an-

minnted. When an agent refuses to pay over money collected for his principal, the latter may bring an action in trover, and need not describe the particular money converted.

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witer the alleged conspiracy had ter-

SALEM, July 28-(Special.)-The Su-preme Court today handed down opinions in four appealed cases as follows:

State of Oregon! respondent, vs. James L. Warren, appellant, from Multnomah county, M. C. George, judge, affirmed; opinion by Justice Wolverton. The defendant was convicted of the

murder of William Kirk, mate of the ship Clarence S. Bement, at Portland, January 23, 1990. He was sentenced to life imprisonment and appealed to the Supreme Court. The evidence against him was entirely circumstantial, the principal facts being that Warren was with Kirk in his room the night the kill-ing occurred, that he had little money at that time, that he left the next morning for San Francisco, from which place he went to St. Louis and was captured the following June at Atlanta, where he lived under an assumed name. The principal contention of defendant was that the evidence produced by the state was not sufficient to warrant the court in sub-mitting the case to the jury. After a review of the evidence the opinion says;

"There was an adequate motive shown for the deed, and the subsequent actions of the defendant were of such a character, when wholly unexplained as they were, to lead to a strong distrust of him, that there was evidence ample under the theory adopted by the state from which the jury might reasonably have the crime, and hence, his guilt in com-mission thereof." inferred the defendant's connection with

It is held, among other things, that it is not necessary for the prosecuting atment the names of any other persons than those examined by him and that when the defense attempted to show the bins of a witness by proving that he had engaged in a fight with defendant, it was proper for the prosecution to show how the fight arose.

State of Oregon, respondent, vs. James Aiken, appellant, from Washington county, A. A. McBride, judge, reversed and remanded for new trial; opinion by Chief Justice Moore.

The defendant, James Aiken, was jointly with Henry Bacon and Budd Malim, with the murder of Jung Goey Shu, in Washington county, December 3, 1900. Separate trial was had and Aiken having been found gullty was sentenced to life imprisonment, from which judgment he appealed. At the trial in the court below, the state, adopting the theory that the deceased was killed in pursuance of a conspiracy formed by Al-ken, Bacon and Malim, introduced testimony descriptive of Bacon's appear-ance after the homicide and detailing certain statements made by him at that time in the absence of defendant. This testimony was admitted over defendant's

Bacon appeared at the saloon of Wil-iam Woodard, six miles from the place of the killing, about two hours and forr-five minutes after the crime had been ommitted. His clothes were muddy and be had a cut over the right eye. When asked whether he had had a scrap he said that he had, "but you ought to see the other fellow." The court holds that while Bacon's appearance was competent testimony upon the theory that such appearance is the necessary consequence of a joint participation in an unlawful enterprise, yet it was error to admit in the trial of Alken testimony made by Bacon in Alken's absence. For this reas-on the case is reversed and sent back for

Salem Light and Traction Company, respondent, vs. F. R. Anson, appellant, from Marion county, George H. Burnett, judge, affirmed; opinion by Justice Bean. This was an action in trover for money alleged to have been collected by the defendant for the plaintiff and converted to his own use. Anson was manager and agent of the Salem Light and Traction Company at Salem, Oregon, and after the trial in the court below the court found that Anson had collected money to the amount of \$3.561 08, for which he had not accounted. It was also stated in the findings of fact that Anson caused false entries to be made in the books with in-tent to defraud and deceive the company.

The chief contention of defendant or appeal was that pisintiff's remedy was by an action on contract, and not in trover, and hence the complaint did not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action. The Supreme Court holds that where the principal is entitled to receive and the terms of the employment of the agent require him to pay over the identical money received, an action of trover will lie for its conversion, "and such was lected belonged to his principal. The title immediately vested in the plaintiff and the defendant had no interest therein and no authority to make any use there-of whatever. * * The plaintiff was entitled to the identical money received." It is also held that in an action of this kind it is neither possible nor necessary to describe the particular money con-verted, but it is sufficient to allege and prove the aggregate amount converted

Amos Nelson, appellant, vs. Yamhili Leadville Con ... respondent, from Yambill county. R. P. Boise, judge, affirmed; opinion by

This was a proceeding by writ of review to set aside the action of the county court in locating and establishing a county road. The only question for de-cision was whether the terminus thereof was sufficiently specified in the petition for its location. The road had been surreyed before the petition was filed, and in describing the proposed road the place of beginning was definitely stated and then the course was given according to the surveyors' notes. The 34th was also designated by known surface objects, ofter which the library and the surveyors' notes. after which the line went "north on a line 29 feet west of said Nelson's east line 29.19 chains to angle 2.5 in said Nelson's field, thence north 55 degrees, 40 minutes west, 15.74 chains to a stake for terminus

of proposed county road, said stake be-ing set in the center of a certain county-road now there; and from which point an oak 12 inches in diameter bears south, 734 degrees west, 85 links distant, and an

oak 19 inches in diameter bears north, 62½ degrees west, 185 links distant."

The Supreme Court holds that in the petition the terminus of the road must be so designated that a person of ordinary intelligence need not mistake the locations. cation. The opinion says that by starting at the initial point and following the calls, the route can be accurately traced, but if it is not allowable to use the initial point in ascertaining the terminus, latter point can be located from the at angle 34. It is therefore held that the terminus was desirable with sufficient

Supreme Court Orders. The following orders were made in the supreme Court today:

L. H. Adams, appellant, vs. J. M. Church, administrator, respondent, or-dered that appellant have until August 10 to file brief. Winchester & Main, respondents, vs. Hulda E. Hoover, et al., appellants, respondents allowed until August 15 to file

German Savings & Loan Society, respondents, vs. Sarah M. Kern, administratrix, appellant, respondents time to file brief extended to August 20. Williamson vs. Wilson, time for filing petition for rehearing extended 30 days.

SAY OFFICERS OVERWORK MÉN. Fort Stevens' Difficulties May be Given an Official Airing.

ASTORIA, July 28 .- (Special,)-It is exremely difficult to secure much definite information concerning the recent trou-bles at Fort Stevens that culminated in several incendiary fires at the post buildings. Extra guards are still kept on duty, and leaves of absence are given the enlisted men for urgent reasons only. There appears to be an organized insub-ordination among certain of the new recruits, directed not at the service but at the officers in charge, who, it is alleged by some of the men, overtax them with work not necessary or required by the rules. They also assert that some of the officers treat them in a brutal and severe manner. The trouble at the post has been called to the attention of the War Department and, it is said, an official inrestigution has been ordered, when the enlisted men will be given an opportunity to explain their treatment. The assertion is made that the overt acts were committed not with the intention of destroy-ing Government property but with a knowledge that a departmental investigation would be ordered when the condi-tions existing at the post could be called to the direct attention of the heads of the

Bids on Work on New Sawmill. Bids were opened today for driving the foundation of the new Hume mili and capping it, the material to be furnished by the owner of the mili. Several bids were received but that of N. Clinton & Son was the lowest and the contract was awarded to that firm at the following prices: Driving and capping 1,500 piles, \$2.05 each; planking, \$2.25 per thousand feet; sway bracing, \$6. It will take about two months to complete the contract.

SAYS SMITH JILTED HER, School Teacher Sues Prominent

Stayton Merchant for \$6750. SALEM. July 28. - (Special.) - Miss Martha Wilson, a well-known school teacher of the Stayton neighborhood, today began an action against David B. Smith to recover \$6750 damages for breach of promise. Smith is a prominent merchant at Stayton and a popular young man in social circles. Mise Wilson alleges that in December, 1901, she and Smith made mutual agreements to marry each other, the consummation of the contract to take place in the Summer or early Fall of IME According to the complaint, Smith did not wait for the time to expire, but notified her early this month that he would not now or at any time become her husband. Miss Wilson alleges that she can earn \$40 per month at school teaching, but because of Smith's engage-ment to marry her she made no contract to teach during the coming school year. and it is now too late for her to secure a position. The unfaithfulness of her alleged lover has caused her great mental anguish, resulting in illness which required the attendance of a physician. Miss Smith demands \$1000 general damages, \$2000 punitive damages, and \$750 for loss of wages, medical attendance, etc.

GRAIN ASSOCIATION FORMED,

Farmers of Marion County Neighberhood Will Pool Crops. SALEM, July 28.-(Special.)-The farm-ers of the Rock Point neighborhood, in

the Waldo Hills, held a meeting Saturday evening and organized the Rock Point Grain Association, with the following officers: President, W. H. Downing, Sublimity: secretary and treasurer, H. H. Humphreys, Macleay. A sales commit-tee was chosen, consisting of W. H. Downing, J. T. Hunt, T. B. Patton, Martin Smith and Adam Burns.

Practically all the farmers of that vicin-ity have joined the association, and there is great enthusiasm over the project. The success of the grain pools formed in 1909 and 1901, by which the members realized 4 to 5 cents per bushel more than did those outside the pool, has given the farmers great confidence in this plan of disposing, of their grain. Another meet-ing will be held August 15, when the total amount of grain represented will be known and the farmers will be ready to receive bids for the pool.

Oregon Mining Stock Exchange.

	PORTLAND, July 28." Today's quotations were:	
8	494	Arked.
s	Alaska M. & M	11
Н	Bronze Monarch	18%
d	Caribou	8
И	Crystal Consolidated	20
а	Chicago	81/2
	Cascade Calumet	- 4
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N)	Huronian	- 8
ы	Oregon-Colorado M. M. & D	25 50
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20,4477	NEW YORK, July 28.—Mining stocks today closed as follows:
	Adams Con \$3 20 Little Chief \$0 11 Alice 40 Ontario 8 00 Breece 50 Ophir 1 15 Brunawick Con 5 Phoenix 6 Comstock Tunnel 55 Potosi 10 Con. Cal. & Va. 1 20 Savage 1 Deadwood Terra. 1 00 Sierra Nevada 15 Horn Silver 1 25 Small Hopes 45 Iron Silver 1 90 Standard 5 50 Leadville Con 5

| HOSTON, July 28.—Closing quotations:
Adventure	\$28.00 Parrott	\$28.56	
Alloues	\$2.50 Quincy	\$132 (90	
Amalgamated	\$6.00 Sasta Fe Cop.	\$2.00	
Ringham	\$3.4 50	Tamarack	\$177 (90
Cal. & Hecla	\$570 (9) Trimountain	\$95.00	
Centennial	\$20.00 Trimity	\$12.25	
Copper Bange	\$58.75 United States	\$21.75	
Dominion Coal. \$130 (9) United Copper	\$14.75		
Tranklin	\$11.00 Utah	\$20.25	
Tranklin	\$15.00 Victoria	\$6.00	
Alchawk	\$4.25 Winona	\$4.75	
Old Dominion	\$19.00 Wolverines	\$50.00	
Onceola	\$61.06		

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BOSTON, July 28.-Closing quotation

MAN WHO EMULATESTRAC

CALIFORNIAN RUNS AMUCK AND SHOOTS RIGHT AND LEFT.

Secures Team at the Point of a Revolver and Escapes After Wounding Several Men.

FRESNO, Cal., July 28.-James McKen ney ran amuck at Porterville yesterday and initiated his performance by shooting out the lights of a saloon and tried to shoot the cards out of the hands of a man in a card game. That he only wounded the man was due to his poor marksmanship and not to his criminal intentions. He then proceeded to a livery stable and secured a rig at the point of a revolver. A Constable, a Deputy and several citizens attempted to arrest McKen-ney, but he opened fire and four of them were wounded, one so seriously that he

Officers in surrounding counties have seen notified, and a sharp outlook is be-ng kept. McKenney has a bad record, having some years ago been sent to state's

passed the steamship St. Paul July II, en route to Nome, and arrived at Dutch Harbor the next day. The cutter Perry and American ships. Jabes Howe and Charmer were anchored there. The latter was to sail for Puget Sound July 23. The steamship Senator, en route to Nome, was eased in the Pacific Ocean, July 23, cutter Bear was expected to sail from Nome to Point Barrow and other Arctic

INDIAN LANDS CANNOT BE TAXED. Act of 1884 Vests Title in Government for Twenty-five Years.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 28 .- (Special.) Homesteads granted to Indians under the act of Congress of July 4, 1884, are not subject to taxation for 25 years from that date, according to a decision handed down by the Supreme Court today. The case in Spokane County, and is entitled Gregorie
Frazee and Mary Frazee, respondents, vs.
Spokane County and George Mudgrett, as
Treasurer thereof, appellants. It was
brought to wipe out taxes levied assistant.

Another heavy shock was falled. brought to wipe out taxes levied against the homestead of the respondents, to cancel certificates of delinquency levied thereon, and to enjoin the levy and collection of taxes against the homestead for the year

It was the contention of the respondents prison from Tulare County. Two years ago he killed a man in Bakersfield, but 5 of the act of July 4, 1884, title is not relinquished by the Government on Indian William Lynn, a gambler, whose abdo- homestead entries for 25 years thereafter.

EUGENE, July 43 .- (Special.)-A.

S. Patterson, who died here Satur-

day, was one of the best-known plo-

............. DEATH OF ONE OF LANE COUNTY'S BEST-KNOWN



A. S. Patterson

neers of Lane County. He was born June 19, 1824, in Dearborn County, Indiana, where he spent his early life and 'received his education. During the years of the great rush to the Pacific Coast he became interested in the West, and in 1853 joined the army of immigrants coming across the plains to Oregon. He arrived in Eugene about the latter part of October of that year. He soon engaged in general merchandising, which he followed for 10 years. He then went into the milling business with William Edrix, J. G. Gray and Samuel Swift, and established and operated the Eugene Flouring Mills. The mill burned about 10 years ago, and the firm sold out its interests. Mr. Patter offices. In 1858 he was elected a member of the State Assembly. He was appointed Postmaster of Eugene July 1, 1869, which office he held until 1888. In 1804 he was

elected County Treasurer, to which office he was re-elected in 1608. Mr. Patterso was married May 7, 1808, to Sarah &. Christian, of this city, who, with three sons Alonzo, Percy and John-were present at the time of his death. He was one of the oldest members of Eugene Lodge, No. 11, A. F. & A. M., under whose auspices the funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2:30 P. M.

men and legs were filled with buckshot. The act gives to Indians the homestead necumbed to his wounds today, McKen-ney also filled the right arm of George Barrows, a printer, with shot, sent a bullet into the mouth of Deputy Marshall Willis, another into the arm of Deputy Constable Tompkins, and a load of shot

into the arm of W. B. West, Before leaving town he called at the house of Dave Moshler. He awakeped Moshler and called him to the door. Standing before the door, gun in hand, McKenney exclaimed: "Fve got into a b—I of a fight. They came after me, but I whipped them all. I killed three or four of them. They have not treated me right. They can send the whole town after me. I'll die game. You talk about Tracy? Tracy won't be in it with me. They hurt me."

Putting his hand to his leg he squeezed up a handful of blood. He then drove off to Lindsey and is evidently headed for Fresno County, where it is supposed Kenney, who has a shotgun, rifle and revolver, is a desperate character, and will not be taken alive. Sheriff Parker and his deputies are in pursuit, but no definite information has been received as to the desperado's whereabouts,

FARMERS HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC. Lincoln County Association Has an

Interesting Session at Toledo. TOLEDO, Or., July 28.—(Special.)—The Lincoln County Farmers' Association held its second annual harvest home picple at the Parrish grove, two miles west of here, Saturday. After a sumptuous repast a short programme was carried out. Hon J. F. Stewart was the first speaker, and discussed briefly the benefits to be derived from gatherings of this sort, During the course of his remarks he took occasion to speak in highly complimentary terms of the work of the Oregon Agri

ultural College, through the farmers stitute movement. Dr. A. Carter, of Elk City, was called upon to discuss the advisability of holding an agricultural fair in the county this Fall. The opinion of the speaker was that such a meeting would be highly desirable.

Professor F. L. Kent, of the Oregon Agricultural College, discussed "Co-oper-ative Creameries." He held that in lo-calities where little is known of creamcry management the proprietary concern is most successful. There is much for the patrons to learn regarding feeding, care of milk, the operation of the milk test. etc., and the up-to-date proprietor can be helpful to his patrons ulong these lines to such an extent that the creamery will prosper, while without such information the probabilities are that the concern will be a failure. He expressed the opinion that this locality is particularly well adapted to dairying.

LAND ENTRYMEN ORGANIZE.

Propose to Stand by Each Other in Siletz Reservation Contests. DALLAS, Gr., July S.—(Special.)—The timbermen of this city and immediate vicinity have organized, under the name of The Siletz Homesteaders' Protective Association, for the purpose of mutual protection and defense of the timber claims filed on by them at Oregon City last Monday, and located in township 8 south, range 5 west. Several of the members of this organization have, or will have contests with outside parties. The association consists of about 100 members. The following officers were elected: President, D. A. Eikins; Treas-urgr, P. A. Finseth; Secretary, T. A. Dunn: Trustees, E. J. Luther, C. O. Tennis, H. J. Dunn, George Cochran and

WITH TREASURE PROM NOME. Ronnoke Brings \$1,000,000, the Larg-

est Shipment of the Season. SEATTLE, Wash., July 28.—One million dollars in treasure was brought by the steamship Reanoke, which arrived from Nome and St. Michael this morning. This is the largest shipment to come from the Nome district this season. The Roanoke had aboard & passengers, among whom were Mrs. Nancy Noyes, wife of Judge Noyes, C. B. Smith and Captains William Johnson and K. J. Rosenlund.

When the Rounoke left St. Michael for Nome. July 18, the cutter Theils was there, and the steamship Lyra had left for Scattle some hours before. The Rosnoke left Nome for Dutch Harbor July 19. The United States transport Warren and cutter Bear were at Nome at this time, and the Centennial had left for Teller to discharge cargo. The Roanoke

rights of white citizens, but provides that the lands shall be held in trust and patent not issue for 25 years. The contention of the respondents was sustained in the lower court, which decision is affirme

BAILBOAD STRIKES COAL. Prospect n IJackson County Is Up to Expectations.

ASHLAND, Or., July 28.-(Special)-A cosi strike that promises to make no little stir in this section has been made near Asbestos, in the northern part of Jackson County, where the Southern Pa-cific Company has been developing a prospect. Six steam drills have been at work and a force of 17 men employed in the work. The tunnels were driven into the ground 20 feet and a vein of good steam-coal six feet wide was struck.
The Railroad Company owns considerable
land in the vicinity and has bonded a
large tract adjoining that upon which the strike was made.

Found Dead in a Prospect Hole. MEDFORD, Or., July 28.—(Special.)— Amos D. James, of Des Motries, Iowa, was found dead Sunday afternoon in a pros-pect hole about 15 miles east of Mediori near Rush by Henry D. Kubli. The shaft or hole, which is believed to have caved in, killing Mr. James, was 15 to 20 feet deep, and it took several hours to dig the body out. From all appearances the man had been dead several days. Coroner Pickel, of this city,, was notified by telephone and drove to the scene, holding an inquest over the body this morning. Mrs. James, who lives at Des-Moines, Jowa, was notified by wire. The body wil be sent there by express to-

To Search for Gold in Siberia. TACOMA, July 28.—The steamer Dis-overy has sailed from Nome with nearly 100 American miners engaged by the Northwestern Siberian Company to begin the exploration of the Siberian coast for gold and other metals. They are in charge of John Rosen, managing director of the company, which holds the conces-sions granted last Winter by the Russian Government to Colonel Wonlariaraky, of the Russian Army. They will go di-rect to St. Lawrence Bay, opposite Cape Prince of Wales.

Good Strikes in Bohemin District. COTTAGE GROVE, Or., July 23.—(Special,)—The Musick mill, that has been idle for about two years, was started up yes-terday, and the 10 stamps will be kept steadily dropping from now on. Two more rich finds were made today on the properties of the Judson Rock and Sunrice Companies. There is great activity in every part of the camp, and a big demand for miners and teams to haul freight.

Oregon City Brevities.

OREGON CITY, July 28.—(Special.)— Chairman Charles H. Cauñeld, of the Board of School Directors, this afternoon received the resignation of Professor H. A. Hayes, of Henderson, Ky., was was recently elected City Superintendent of the Oregon City public schools for the coming year. He writes that unforeseen and unavoidable circumstances have caused his resignation. The board will hold a special meeting in a few days and take some action upoy the matter.

The case of A. J. Finch, who was arrested in Portland Saturday afternoon, charged with embezziement from Frank Busch, of this city, came up in the Jus-lice Court this morning. The accused asked to be allowed until Wednesday at 10 o'clock to plead, which was granted. He is expecting aid from friends. The regular county examination for

state and county papers will be held in this city August 15-16. An Indian Woman Murdered. PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., July 3.— The steamship Topeka, from Alaska this morning, brings news that Yip Hay. the Chinaman who was arrested here on the steamer Dolphin, Saturday, and who committed suicide in jail that night murdered an Indian woman at Peters-burg, Alaska, shortly before the Dolphin reached there bound south.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth. He sure and use that old and well-tried remedy Mrs. Winniow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, it soothes the child, softens the gums allays all pain, sures wind colle and diarrhoed

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CALIFORNIA TOWNS EXPERIENCE VIOLENT SHOCKS.

Dishes Are Thrown From Shelves in Lompere Valley, and People Become Terror-Stricken.

LOMPERE, Cal., July M .- Lompere Valley experienced a severe earthquake shock at 10:55 last night. At that time a violent shock was felt which lasted fully 30 seconds, and was so severe that dishes, clocks, house plants, etc., were thrown from shelves, and furniture and other articles upset. The people were stricken ward. Another heavy shock was felt at 5 A. M., and one at 11 A. M. A large. cracked at many different places and the School today. Santa Yenz River bed slightly changed at places. The direct disturbance seemed be of a local nature.

IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY. Oil Company Alone Loses \$20,000-

Several Narrow Escapes. SANTA BARBARA, Cal., July 28.-At 11:03 o'clock last night Santa Barbara County was visited by the most severe earthquake experienced in years. Only a slight tremor was felt here, but in other places considerable property was destroyed. The center of the disturbance appears to have been at the Car-reiga oil-fields frar Los Alamos. Two 1500-barrel tanks containing 175,000 gal-lons of cli were completely wrecked and the contents became a total loss. Build-

age suffered. The total loss sustained by the oil company will be about \$20,000. A report that the wells had ceased to proved to be untrue. At Harris Station an old creek which had been dry for years began flowing a stream two feet deep and 18 feet wide. At Los Alamos furniture and dishes were broken but no lives lost. Some narrow escapes are reported.

ings were cracked and some minor dam

Reports from Lompoc and Santa Maria state that several severe shakes were felt there at the same hour, but little damage was done. A slight shock was felt here at halfpast five o'clock this evening.

Tanks of Oil Destroyed. SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cat., July 28.-Two distinct earthquake shocks were experienced in this place last night. The first and heaviest of the two occurred at 10:52 P. M. and had a duration of five seconds. The second occurred at 5:19 this morning and lasted three seconds. The general direction of the disturbances was east and west. At the Western Union Oil Company's wells on the Careaga ranch. two tanks containing 2000 barrels of oil were destroyed by the first disturbance

Henviest Shock Ever Felt. SANTA MARIA. . Cal., July 28.-A heavy shock of carthquake was felt here at 10:50 last night. The vibrations were from east to west and lasted 45 seconds. The waves were a steady sway. Old timers say it was the heaviest shock ever felt here. Near Los Alamos, a few miles from here, a formerly dry creek bed was a rushing stream this afternoon.

Benton County School Statistics. SALEM, July 28. - (Special.)-Benton county's annual school report, which was filed in the Department of Education to-day, shows that the school population of that county has increased from 3428 to 2586 during the past year. The enrollment has increased in the same time from 156 year. The financial report shows receipts aggregating \$83,805, and disbursements to the amount of \$27.641 87

School Superintendent's Report. VANCOUVER, Wash., July 28 .- (Special.)—The annual school report of Clark presented by his admiring countrymen for his invaluable services and complete ent Evans today, shows a total school success in quieting Samar.

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population June 1, 1902, of estl, which is an increase of 347 over last year. The total enrollment of the year is 2833. The numenroliment of the year is 3333. The number of pupils that did not attend school during the year was 622. The number of teachers employed during the year was 113, and the average salary paid was 442.50 for male teachers. The total receipts for the year were \$58,517.67, and the total disbursements \$43,540.77, leaving a balance of \$14,956.96. The report gives the number of school children in the City of Vancouver as \$96, a main of \$50 over last year. couver as 896, a gain of 55 over last wear

Salem Thieves Confess. SALEM, July 28. -- (Special.)-Harry Vestacott, Eugene Johns, John Hower Westacott. and Adam Bower were arrested today, charged with stealing some brass, copper and rubber from Dave Richards' junk shop on Court street. They admit their guilt and will be sent to the Reform

ness or misery. The dull, sunken eye with its clark circles almost surely speaks

of womanly ill-health, and its attendant

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mouth, the shrunken form-the whole

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Firebug Sent to Reform School. John Cummins, the li-year old deafmute son of Curtis Cummins who caus-ed the destructive fire at Touchet last water tank was knocked over, the earth | Wednesday, was sent to the Reform

> Area of Land in Oregon City District. OREGON CITY, July 28,-(Special.)-The annual report of Register Charles B. Moores, of the United States land office, was completed this afternoon. It gives the total area of land surface in the 14 counties embraced in the Oregon City land district at 7.565,250 acres. Only 698,469 acres of usappropriated and unsurveyed land remain in the district, and 181,190 acres of this is not yet surveyed. Practically all the best land in the district has been taken up, and little or no destrable land is left for settlers.

Big Mining Suit Decided.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28-In the United States Court today Judge Morrow handed down a decision in the suits of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Mining Company against the Grass Valley Exploration Company to recover ore valued at over \$50,000 and to recover possession of the lode from which the ore was extracted. The decision was in favor of the Pennsylvania Company. An appeal will be taken.

Change in Mercantile Firm.

JORDAN VALLEY, Or., July 28,-(Spe cial.)-Antonio Azcuenaga has resign his rosition as president of the Jordan Valley Mercantile Company and retired from the firm. Fred J. Palmer has acquired the stock in the corporation fornerly owned by Azcuenaga and has been selected president of the company.

Missing City Official's Accounts Short

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.-William H. J. White, cashier of the Board of Pub-lic Works, is missing from his post, and it is officially announced that he is several thousand dollars short in his ac-counts. He lived at 80 Pierce street with his wife and two children, and has been missing for eight days.

Big Salmon Run Continues. ASTORIA, Or., July 28.-(Special.)-The deliveries of fish at the canneries today were fully as large as yesterday, but all were ta'en. The run appears to have fallen off considerably near the mouth of the river, and the principal catches were much above Sand Island.

Fisherman Attempts Suicide. ASTORIA, Or., July 28 .- (Special.) -- Anfrew Mattson, a fisherman employed by the Columbia River Packers' Association attempted suicide this evening by cutting his throat waile seated at his supper table. Insanity was the cau

Ex-Supreme Court Judge Patterson. SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.—Van R, Patterson, ex-Judge of the Supreme Court of California, is dead at his home here. to 1884. A year ago the average daily attendance was 1209, and now it is one of California, is dead at his home here. Items. There are 223 persons of school age who did not attend any school during the 32 years.

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