Lumbermen Will Not Attack Hill's Charters.

READY TO FORGET PAST

Damage Suit Will Also Probably Be Abandoned-Efforts Will Be Directed Towards Securing Bet-

ter Rates for Shippers.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 8 .- (Special.) The sensational programme of the Washington lumbermen to attack the charters of the Hill roads in the Federal Court, demanding their forfeiture because of a failure to provide serva-ice, and to petition for a receivership abandoned. The projected suit for damages because of losses caused by lack of cars may also be dropped, but the lumbermen are still considering the question.

mand for the opening of the Portland grateway to shippers in Western Washinston and the granting of joint rates on the same basis as those enjoyed by Portland to lumber shippers in this suit were mailed lats last week under registered letter to the Interstate Comments with the control of the same basis as those enjoyed by Portland to lumber shippers in this suit were mailed lats last week under registered letter to the Interstate Comments with the Williamette Pulp & Paper Company's camp near Skamokawa, died at the hospital here today without having recovered consciousness. The deceased was a native of Michigan, 20 years of the Interstate Comments with the williamette Pulp & Paper Company's camp near Skamokawa, died at the hospital here today without having recovered consciousness. The deceased was a native of Michigan, 20 years of the shipper without having recovered consciousness. sion and could not have reached Washington before today.

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It is declared on the highest author-ity that the lumbermen have decided that if the railroads will give them an extended territory and better car serv-ice they will be willing to forget about their losses in the past. It was admitted today that the declaration that a receivership would be established for the Northern Pacific was more in the form of a bluff, intended to bring the roads into line, than an actual inten-tion to make trouble.

FOUR BLOCKS FOR TERMINALS

### Harriman Line Will Condemn Seattle Property.

SEAT - AD, Wash, April 3.—(Special.)

The Oregon & Washington Railroad,
Harriman's line, projected from Portland to Seattle, will begin condemnaproceedings tomorrow against riy-owners in four tide-land s located between tion proceedings tomorrow against property-owners in four tide-land blocks located between Atlantic and Dearborn streets, First and Railroad avenues. This property less in the midst of the new wholesale and small manufacturing district on the tide-lands, and is directly west of the Hill freight terminals.

Harriman will use this property for Harriman will use this property for local freight distribution. It is adjacent to the big local dock property he bought for \$750,000 from the Stetson-Post Mill Company a year ago. A few scattered lots were purchased in this tract at the time other big purchases were made in Scattle, and a local deliver of property have been odd bits of property have been

picked up since.

A year ago the Harriman interests
were victimized by real estate speculators when they began buying terminals here. When this tide-land,
which concludes the scheme of Harriminals in Scattle, was wanted, the real estate speculators were ig-nored, and the court will be asked to

BISHOP SPEAKS TO STUDENTS

## **Ecadding Talks of Scottish Authors** and Queen.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugens, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—Bishop Scadding, of the Episcopal dicesse of Oregon, gave an illustrated lecture before a crowded assembly room at the university this morning. The lecture was entitled "Scotiand. Her Immortal Bards and Hopeless Queen." It was the most interesting discourse that his been given at the university since the address by William Jennings Bryan, and lasted from 10 to 12 o'clock.

After a happy reference to the fact that Oregon was able to succeed in debate as well as in football, the bishop proceeded to give a particularly able description of the poet Burns, and the home and life work of Scott.

Mary, Queen of Scotts, received a careful analysis and the views on the screen made the discourse quite real-UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene,

screen made the discourse quite realistic. About \$30 people, including the entire atudent body, were present.

EFFORT TO ESCAPE HANGMAN

## Charles Filpot Files Appeal to the Supreme Court.

WALLA WALLA, Wash. April 3.— (Special.)—Charles Filpot, sentenced to be hanged here on the morning of April 19, yesterday filed in the office of the County Clerk at Spokane an appeal to the Supreme Court,

preme Court.

The crime of which Filpot was convicted was the murder of N. M. Cole, March 28, 1995, during an alleged attempt at robbery and burglary. He was sentenced by Judge E. H. Cary, of Stevens County, on January 20. Two motions have been previously made for a new trial, and an arrest of judgment. These were overruled and unless the Supreme Court anneal delays the sentence. Filpot Court appeal delays the sentence, Filpot will hang April 19.

BELL SENTENCED AT SALEM

## Bogus Check Operator Pleads Guilty to Charge.

SALEM, Or., April 3 .- (Special.) -- William Bell, confidence man, who fleesed the sank of Woodburn out of \$50, and is wanted for bogus check operations in Oregon City, Portland and Victoria, B. C., pleaded guilty in the Ctrcuit Court today to a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, and was given an inde-terminate sentence in the penitentlary by

The officers here are of the opinion that Beil has been operating extensively in many of the Coast cities, also in Canada. The prisoner is a man of about @ years, English by birth, well educated and resined in his manner. He will be taken to the state prison tomorrow by Sheriff

# Is Sentenced for Embezzlement.

ASTORIA. Or., April 2—(Special.)—At this morning's session of the Circuit Court, Arthur Leberman pleaded guilty to an information charging him with larceny by embezzlement of \$600 from Fisher Bros. Company, and was sentenced to a term of two years and six months in the mentientlary.

Council Settles Street Problem. SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 2.-(Special.)—After a stormy meeting last night the City Council passed the

been a bone of contention for the past two years and there is still strong opposition to the movement.

TO RETURN AFTER 36 YEARS.

Henry Gilmore Will Find Wife Divorced and Children Dead.

MARSHFIELD, Or., April 2.—(Special.)—After a disappearance of 36 years, during which time two of his children have died, Henry Gilmore has been located in Oklahoma and he will soon return to visit his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Holland in Marshfield Gilmore left Coos Bay because of a family difference, when his daughter, now married, was a child six years old He also left three other children and a wife. The wife has secured a divorce and is now married and living at Coos Bay.

Will Sell Mohair Pool.

SILVERTON, Or., April 3 .- (Special.) -At a meeting of the officers of the Silverton Mohair Pool held in this city yesterday it was decided to sell the pool to the highest bidder on Monday, April 15. The pool this year is the largest ever offered for sale in Sil verton and consists of something ove 5000 fleeces. Many buyers from dif-ferent parts of the state are interest-ed in the sale, and it is predicted that

FRUITLESS EXPEDITIONS FOL-LOW TALE OF RICHES.

Four Deaths and Two Futile Prospecting Tours Result From Midas-like Story.

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, March 16 .- (Spefal Correspondence.)-"I stooped over to drink from a small creek and was astonished to see a stream lined with

pure gold.' The foregoing words have lured to the barren Arctic country a number of prospectors, caused the death of four men, cost prospective promoters about \$50,000 and have induced a number of prospectors to look toward the Colville River section, on the Arctic slope, as a "likely" district in which to con-tinue their search for the yellow metal. An Arctic explorer named Williams

An Arctic explorer named Williams told the stories of the discovery of untold the stories of the discovery of un-told riches to many persons, and suc-ceeded in interesting prospectors and capital in expeditions to his alleged immensely rich discoveries. A Fair-banks business man has given a full story of Williams, believing that un-less this boom of the Arctic was ex-ploded sore disappointments, hardships and very likely loss of life would re-sult.

gold and had no trouble in raising funds.

The expeditions, however, were unsuccessful. The first party got lost, and after some trying experiences, in which all fought and quarreled with Williams, broke up and returned.

The second expedition shared the same fate as the first. For this trip \$33,300 was raised and an \$0-foot steamboat was used. The boat was frozen in a slough at the mouth of the Notak River. Williams lost his discipline and the confidence of the men who accompanied him, the party broke up and he was abandoned, after his companions became convinced that they were on a wild goose chase, headed by a dreamer. In some way he became reconciled to the backers of his second expedition. Then the Fairbanks man told the story of the other two. man told the story of the other two.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* NEW MAXOR OF EUGENE.



J. D. Matlock.

EUGENE, Or., April 3 .- (Special.)—J. D. Matlock, who was elected Mayor of Eugene Monday, April 1, by the citizens favoring city ownership of the water plant, is an Oregon pioneer and a Demo-cratic war-horse of Lane County. He was the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer last June. He has served the city in years past as Mayor and a member of the Council at various times, his last service ending in April of last year. During his last term in office he was an earnest advocate of municipal ownership, making a long, hard and consistent fight for the city against the corporation. It was this record on this issue that made the people of Rugene insist that he enter the race for the Majoralty. The ma-jority gives him was the largest given any candidate for Major in the last 18 years. He was elected over F. W. Osburn by 150 votes.

Washington Hotel Burns at Seattle.

BLAZE LIGHTS WHOLE CITY

One Thousand Pounds of Dynamite Stored in Wing of Building Removed in Time to Prevent a Disastrous Explosion.

SHATTLE, Wash., April 3 .- (Special.)-Fire tonight destroyed the Washington Hotel, the famous scenic resort that was opened four years ago when President Roosevelt visited the Northwest. The hotel was being gradually torn down to

badly bruised but not seriously hurt. The furniture and breakable goods were badly damaged.

BROWNELL SUED FOR \$4000.

Mrs. Lizzie Roppell Begins Proceedings at Oregon City.

OREGON CITY, Or., April 3 .- (Special.) George C. Brownell, ex-State Senator, is the defendant in a suit that Senator, is the defendant in a suit that was instituted today in the Circuit Court by Mrs. Lizzie Roppell. She alleges that February 22, 1906, she had an accounting with Mr. Brownell, and they found that \$5000 was due her from the defendant, who two days later paid her \$1000, but has since refused to pay her the balance. She fused to pay her the balance.

fused to pay her the balance. She asks judgment for \$4000 and interest from February 24, 1906.

Mrs. Roppell is represented by Attorneys Piggott & Finch, of Portland, and she declines to make a statement as to the nature of the claim, referring all inquirles to her lawyers. When asked if she would agree to compromise the case, she intimated that a satisfactory agreement ought to be reached out of court.

Mr. Brownell was seen this afternoon, but refused to discuss the events that led up to the filling of the suit. saying that he did not care to try his case out of court.

"I do not owe her a dollar," he said,



PHOTOGRAPH OF JESSE LUKE, HIS WIFE WHOM HE DESERTED. AND HER 16-YEAR-OLD SISTER WITH WHOM HE ELOPED.

RAINIER, April 8 .- (Special.) - The above is a photograph of Jesse Luke, Mrs. Luke and her 16-year-old sister with whom Luke cloped last Sunday. Luke is at the right of the photograph, Mrs. Luke to the left, and her sister is at the top of the picture.

ploded sore disappointments, hardships and very likely loss of life would result.

Williams went to Seattle and told his wonderful stories of riches that could be had on the Arctic slope if capital were handy. Seattle business men invested thousands of dollars to start out an expedition to the frozen North to locate his "find."

Since that time scores of men have contributed money for his expeditions and at least four deaths are attributable to his enticing stories of great riches in the barren North country. He told stories of his daring trips and of the strange way in which he located the district. He had \$1900 in golddust, which he claimed he got in one pan.

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When he told his stories to men of money he would display his pan of gold and had no trouble in raising funds.

The expeditions, however, were unsuccessful. The first party got lost.

Moore's newly-opened apartment-house, in which hundreds of people reside. The city ordinances forbid the storing of such quantities of explosives within the city limits.

ORDER LEAGUE BEGINS WORK

### One Arrest at Woodburn and Others to Follow. WOODBURN, Or., April 3 .- (Special.)

The Law and Order League, newly organized, through its executive committee, has duly started to work, and there is a likelihood that several ar-rests will follow one made today. John St. Onge was arrested today on a warrant sworn out in Justice
Hayes' office, charging him with illegal voting at the polls here Monday,
when the municipal election took
place. St. Onge came to the United
States from Canada a few months ago
and took out his first naturalization papers recently. He was challenged at the polls, but the judges failed to swear in his vote. Justice Hayes placed him under \$500

bonds, and gave him until Friday morning to plead.

LUMBER EMBARGO IS REMOVED

Mills Now Closed Down Will Soon Resume Operations.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., April 3 .- Offi-BELLANGHAM, Wash., April 3.—Officials of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company received orders this afternoon removing the embargo on Eastern shipments of forest products which went into effect January 1. This order will affect some 200 mills in this state, many of which have been closed some order to inchility to make ship. down, owing to inability to make ship-

Many mills will start up as soon as many minis win created of accumulated their yards are cleared of accumulated stock and hundreds of men will return to work. Six thousand cars of lumber, it is estimated, are awaiting shipment on the lines of this company in Western Washington.

Car Jumps Track Near Colfax.

COLFAX, Wash., April 3 .- (Special.) COLFAX, Wash, April 5.—(Special.)
—The Moscow-Colfax O. R. & N. train
had an accident about five miles from
Colfax this morning. An immigration
car jumped the track and averted a
wreck by breaking from the train.
Two horses were injured and the owner, Charles H. Thayer, of Pullman, who
was shipping them to Spokare, was

It was learned this afternoon that Mrs. Roppell presented a claim against Mr. Brownell last year, just as the Senator was in the throes of a political campaign and only a short time before campaign and only a short time best the primaries. Suit was threatened, and Mr. Brownell, fearing that the case might be aired in court, gave to Attorney Gilbert L. Hedges, who represented Mrs. Roppell, \$1000, with the sented Ars. Roppell, \$1000, with the understanding that this amount was in full settlement of all claims against him. Mrs. Roppell in her complaint acknowledges receipt of this money, but claims a balance of \$4000, which the Senator refuses to pay.

LUMBER FIRM RAISES

## Hoquiam Mill Gives General Advance Without Request.

HOQUIAM, Wash., April 2 .- (Special.)—The Northwestern Lumber Com-pany has granted its employes an in-crease of 25 cents per day in wages, taking effect the first of the month. This affects nearly all the men in the mill, and was given without a request. Common laborers are now receiving \$2.25 per day instead of \$2.

Other mills have been paying the higher scale since last Summer, having been compelled to raise their wage scale in order to keep a crew. Millmen find it hard to obtain common laborers, and there is now a big de-mand for men to do the work in the yards and on the docks.

# Mrs. Susie Houghton Dies.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 3.— Special.)—Mrs. Suste Houghton, wife of E. L. Houghton, a prominent real estate lealer, died here today after an illness of two years of heart disease. She was a member of the Congregational Church and of the Beehive Rebekah Lodge of this place. She leaves a son, aged 15 and a daughter, Mrs. E. McDowell, of Medical

The funeral will be held tomorrow from the residence. Rev. Austin Rice will offi-

GOVERNOR MAKES APPOINT-MENTS LATELY AUTHORIZED.

L. A. Lewis, Portland, Joseph T. Peters, The Dalles, and W. J. Mariner, Blalock, Selected.

SALEM, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—At the meeting of the Portage Railway Board of Commissioners held at the state house this afternoon Governor Chamberlain announced the names of the members who will constitute the new Board. They are L. A. Lewis, Portland; Joseph T. Peters, The Dalles, and W. J. Mariner, Blalock. They are members of the Open River Association, and the action is taken in compliance with the act passed by the last Legislative Assembly, at the request of the old Board, which consisted of the Governor. Secretary of State and State Treasurer, to relieve them of the responsibility of the road.

The creation of the new Board trans-

The creation of the new Board trans-fers all responsibility and the burdens of the Portage road to the shoulders of the men just named, who by virtue of their present positions will be better able to handle the affairs of the line, and are also located nearer to the field of opera-tion. The new Board will officially take hold May 22, when the road will be turned over to them by the old Commis-sioners.

Superintendent El C. Steelsmith s ted plans for the improvements at the Big Eddy, which consist mainly of the lowering of the tracks and extension of the switches, so that the car facilities of the line will be increased. The amount required to do the work is \$2500. Mr. Steelsmith was authorized to confer with the members of the incoming Board, and if they approve of the expenditure, the present Board is willing that the work

if they approve of the expenditure, the present Board is willing that the work should be done.

The report of the superintendent shows the earnings of the road for March \$213.06, actual expenses \$518.55 and bills were audited to the amount of \$661.29. The business of the road for the month consisted

WAS WITH WOMAN AT LOON LAKE.

Alfred Everman Killed in Company of Mrs. Ernest Hesner, Who Had Left Her Husband.

SPOKANE, Wash, April 3- (Special.)-With a builet through his heart, fired by an unknown assassin, Alfred Ever-man, 19 years old, died in the arms of Mrs. Ernest Hesner, with whom he was sitting late last night on the shore of Loon Lake, Stevens County, about 40 miles north of Spokane. Mrs. Hesner was badly bruised by the same bullet which

passed through the man and struck her on the breast.

The woman is 26 years of age and for nine the struck her of the struck her of the struck her four children. The dead man for five years lived at Loon Lake with his parents, and Mrs. Heaner for some time has been living at the Everman home.

parents, and Mrs. Hesner for some time has been living at the Everman home, She and Alfred have been conspicuously friendly for months. Early in the Winter Hesner and his

Early in the Winter Hesner and his wife quarreled over the attentions being paid her and about a month ago they separated, she going her way and he taking the children, Mrs. Hesner went to Colville to sue for a divorce and after her return lived at various places, finally finding a home with the Evermans at Loon Lake.

Mrs. Hesner says that she and young Everman were seated on the shore of the lake when the boy was shot. They arose but he soon stumbled and as he was too heavy to support both fell to the ground. She then ran for help. Hesner, the husband, says he was in bed at the time of the shooting and his mother corroborates ry. Bloodhounds followed the the story. trails to the Hesner and Everman yards but located no one.

Portland Is Fourth.

ROSEBURG, Or., April 2.—(To" the Editor.)—We had a discussion in class time as to whether or not Portland was second in the export of wheat for the year 1903.

Please answer and oblige. STUDENT.

Portland ranks fourth among the cities of the United States in exports of wheat, The leading export cities in order are New York Galveston, San Francisco, Portland. For the month of December Portland occupied second place. From this fact probably arose the difference of opinion mentioned by the Roseburg

Third Marriage at Seventieth Year SOUTH BEND, Wash. April 2.—
(Special.)—Major R. S. Espey, of Oysterville, has just been married at that town. Mr. Espey is an old citizen of this county and at the age of 70 years is making his third adventure in the matrimonial line.

Postmaster Wright in Charge. SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 3.— Special.) — Postmaster Wright has

FIND BODY OF ABERDEEN BOY Believed That Raymond Olson Was Accidentally Drowned.

aken formal charge of the office here

Ex-Postmaster Turner will remain in the office a few weeks until Mr. Wright becomes familiar with the

by the Iron Way?

By SARAH PRATT CARR

ABERDEEN, Wash., April 3 .- (Special.) -The fate of Raymond Olson, the 16year-old high school boy who disappeared mysteriously February 9, was determined today, when his father identified the clothing on his body, which was found in the bay. The body was so badly decomposed as to make recognition difficult Young Olson with two companions went in a rowboat for a day's outing and landing at Hoqulam, Olson remain on the dock while the other boys went up town for a stroll. On their return Olson had year-old high school boy who disappeared

for a stroll. On their return Olson had disappeared.

body, and save for the fact that the lad's watch is missing there is no reason to doubt that his death was accidental. The presumption is that Olson, tired of waiting on the dock, attempted to go down the ladder which led to the boat and fell into the water. Olson was a member of the sophomore class of the High School and was regard-ed as one of its brightest members. His mother has been in Chicago some time.

AT ALL BOOKSTORES

Official Notice of Forest Reserve. SALEM, Or., April 3 .- (Special.) -- Gover-SALEM, Or., April 3.—(Special.)—Governor Chamberlain today received the three proclamations of the President, dated Murch 2, 1907, creating the Tillamook, Umpqua and Coquille Forest Reserves. These reserves all border on the Pacific Ocean, commencing at Tillamook County and running south as far as Curry County. The aggregate amount of the three reserves is about 4,000,000 acres.

Alfredo de Cordova, Banker. NEW YORK, April 3 .- Alfredo de The post morten examination revealed Cordova, the banker, died at his home so suspicious marks or wounds on the late tonight.

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As every part of the body is dependent on the blood for nourishment and strength, it is necessary that this vital fluid be kept free from germs, impurities and poisons. As long as it remains uncontaminated we are for-tified against disease and health is assured; but any humor or impurity acts injuriously on the system and affects the general health, or culminates in some special blood disease. Pustular eruptions, pimples, rashes and the different skin affections show that the blood is in a feverish and diseased condition as a result of too much acid, or the presence of some irritating humor. Sores and Ulcers are the result of morbid, unhealthy matter in the blood, and Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., are all deep-seated blood diseases that continue to grow worse as long as the impurity or poison remains in the circulation. Some persons are born with an hereditary taint in the blood and we see the effect manifested in various ways. The skin has a pallid, waxy appearance, the eyes are weak, glands in the neck often enlarged and usually the body is not fully developed or strong, because it has always been fed on weak, impure blood. In all blood troubles S. S. has proved itself a perfect remedy. It goes down into the circulation and removes all poisons humors wests or foreign matter and circulation and removes all poisons, humors, waste or foreign matter, and makes this stream of life pure and health-sustaining. Nothing reaches inherited blood troubles like S. S. S.; it removes every particle of taint, purifies and strengthens the weak, deteriorated blood, supplies it with the healthful properties it needs and establishes the foundation for good health. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Sores and Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Contagious Blood Poison and all blood diseases and disorders are cured permanently by S. S. S. It is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, and is the King of all blood purifiers. Book on the blood and any medical advice desired sent free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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