

could ent no breakfast, and before noon harrowing. The young man returned to the house about 3 o'clock and found his father lying dead on his bed. Mr. Vonderahe was a pioneer of the

easiy 50s and was about 80 years of age. He was a native of Germany. The following children survive him: Charles and Henry Vonderahe, of Ore-Charles and Mers, Julia Mueller, of Clarkes: Mrs. Mary McCarthy and Fred Vonderahe, of Carus, and Louis Von-derahe, of Oak Grove.

## ESTATE LEFT TO SCHOOL

Pioneer Gives \$12,000 to Sacred

Heart Academy in Salem.

SALEM, Or., April 18.-(Special.)-Judge P. H. d'Arcy today filed with the County Court his final account as exe-cutor of the estate of Joseph Dignam. a ploneer resident of Joseph Dignam, a ploneer resident of Salem who died a year ago. Dignam bequeathed his entire estate, the savings of years, to the Sacred Heart Academy, a local Catholic educational institution. The estate netted the school \$12,292. Dignam, who was a spinner

Dignam, who was a spinner, was em-ployed for many years by the Williamette Manufacturing Company, one of the first woolen mills concerns west of the Rocky Mountains.

## BOND ISSUE UP TO VOTERS

Forest Grove Proposes to Spend \$70,000 on Water System.

FOREST GROVE, Or., (Special.)-The proposition of voting bonds to the amount of \$70,000 far a new water sys-tem will be placed before the taxpay-ers of the city at a special election to be held Anril 27

to be held April 27. The proposed system is to be a grav-ity system, and the water will be ob-tained from Clear Creek, a stream in the Soda Springs district. The reservoir is to be located on the Buxton Hill, and will have a capacity of 250,-000 gallons. The maps and the sur-veys were made by A. L. Richardson, an engineer of Goldendale, Wash.

# HIT BY TRAIN: GOES INSANE

Man Who Attempts Suicide Finds

Himself in Asylum.

EUGENE Or., April 18.—(Special, Axel, who was run into a week ago by a southbound train near Junction City, and boought to Eagene for treatwho was brought to Eugene for treat-ment, was today committed to the State

Axel, who had been employed on Bushnell's farm, sat down by the track and apparently tried to commit suicide by

asparently tried to commit suicide by throwing his head across the rail, but he was only severally bruised.
DITCH PROJECT BLOCKED
Private Interests Interrupt Government in Malheur County.
ONTARIO, Or., April 19.—(Special.)—After spending several months in reviving the Malheur Irrigation project.

of Main street, with which are in danger many historic associations, is in danger steer; a baseball game between the Kla-math Falls and Klamath Indian teams, many historic associations, is in danger of being undermined by the Columbia River, and steps are being taken by the clitzens so to construct a safeguard around the tree that it may be permaroncho-busting, tennis tournament, basketball and other field sports. There will be a big camp provided a safeguard nently preserved.

where visitors who come overland from the interior will be afforded every con-venience for making their stay comfort-This is the baim of gilead tree, mark-ing the corner of the Amos Short dona-tion land claim which was surveyed in able and pleasant. 1846, and this marked the starting point Commercial parties of Portland and all for all surveys run in this section. It is the southwest corner of the military reser-vation and forms the boundary at that point between the city and the garrison grounds. When Lewis and Clark made their trip down the Columbia they fied their cance to this tree. The Hudson's Bay Company's first trading post in this section was built near the old witness tree pate in celebration of the new develop-ment that is being accomplished for Southeastern Oregon. Lakeview business men have given assurance of a large dele-gation from that city and county, as the event will also date the establishment of the permanent freight route to Lake County by way of Klamath Falls. Com-mercial organizations of San Francisco and Sacramento will likewise he invited

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and Sacramento will likewise be YOUNG ORATORS CONTEST and sacramento will include be invited to come, and it is expected that the gath-ering will be notable because of the per-sonnel comprised in the various delega-Cowlitz County High School Stutions ...

dents Seek Gold Medal.

engaged in building the telegraph lines betwen Ady and Klamath Falls, and the business will be established probably be-fore regular train service. It is probable that the WOODLAND, Wash., April 18.-(Spe-lal.-The first annual oratorical contest setween the students of the high schools fore regular train service. It is probable that the commercial officers of the tele-sraph company will be located in the business section of the city, while the raliroad operators will be placed in a temporary office in the yards pending the building of the depot. Plans for the Klamath Falls depot have not yet been fully determined, but it is expected that the railroad company will erect a build-ing of modern type commensurate with of Cowlitz County will take place at Woodland, April 24, the winner to be presented with a handsome gold medal, donated by the associated high schools of the county which at present is composed of Woodland, Kalama, Kelso, Castle Rock and Shanghai. The contestants will be three in number from each of the schools in the association, the medal to be the personal property of the individual who ing of modern type commensurate with the importance of the city.

#### SALMON ARE PLACED ON ICE CARS FOR PRINCE RUPERT

Boat Companies Given Permission to Rolling Stock for Grand Trunk Pacific Forwarded by Steamer.

if Sunday Law Is Broken.

Words To Freeze The Soul.

liquor licenses to \$500 a year.

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 19.—Grand Trunk Pacific rolling stock and power will start moving through Vancouver next month for Prince Rupert, a contract hav-ing been made by the rallway company with Mackenzie Brothers' Steamship Company for the transportation of 300 ASTORIA. Or. April 18.-(Special.)-Forty-nine boxes of Chinook salmon were received at S. Schmidt & Co.'s coldstorage plant this afternoon from the Clackamas River.

Chackamas River. On Saturday the transportation com-panies refused to handle these salmon on account of this being the closed sea-son, but permission has been granted them to transport salmon from the Clackamas and Willamette rivers pend-ing the settlement of the injunction pro-ceedings which are now before the passenger and freight cars and a number THIRD CONVICTION COSTLY

Transport Shipments.

Western Union Telegraph linemen are

ceedings which are now before the courts in Portland. Astoria Saloonmen Will Lose License

#### STORE AT LYLE IS BURNED ASTORIA, Or., April 19.-(Special.)-The City Council at its meeting this evening passed an ordinance providing that the third conviction of a saloonkeeper on a Lyle Trading Company Building Is

Total Loss.

charge of violating the Sunday closing law shall revoke the defendant's license. THE DALLES. Or., April 19.-(Spe-cial.)-The general merchandise store of the Lyle Trading Company was de-stroyed by fire this morning at Lyle, An ordinance was introduced to raise Wash, nine miles from this city. The stock of goods was owned by Malcoim McInnis, for many years connected with the Wasco Warehouse & Milling Com-pany, of The Dalles.

POLARIS BUMPS INTO TUG

# Vessel Forced to Put Back to Ho-

Shara. No matter, however, Mr. Gan-mack did not marry Rosie Shara at all. He married Miss Rosa Dranala. After a year of happy wedded bliss Mrs. Gan-mack happened to mention that her name was Dranala.

"Rosie, you said your name was what?" exclaimed Ganmack, with surprise and horror.

"Why, Dranaia, Eddie. What's the matter?

"It's all off," groaned Mr. Ganmack. "I married Rosle Dranais when I thought I was manying Rosle Shara and the license says Shara when it should have been Dranaia, and now I don't know whether it is Shara or Dranaia or Ganmack, or whether I am married or not to you or Rosle Shara. We must go to Seattle and find out." They went to the County Courthouse this morning and at the license window Mr. Ganmack asked wildly what he should do about it. "Here I am a married man for a year," he pleaded. "and I don't know whom I

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he pleaded, "and I don't know whom I am married to or what my wife's A.m.

name is." Chief Deputy Auditor W. F. Lincoln came to the rescue and after explana-tions were made the groom found that it would be necessary to take out an-other licensa, which he did, and married his bride of a year a second time.

# SIX VOLUNTEER THEIR SKIN

Grafting Resorted To to Heal Burn

on Seattle Patient.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 19.-(Special.) Bix persons, including one woman, specially peared at the City Emergency Hospital today and offered cuticle to be grafted onto the body of Hans Christopher, who was severely burned last December by the explosion of a lantern which set fire to his clothing. Many of the burns are on the abdo-

men and the wound was partly covered today by the grafting process with cuti-cle taken from two of the six volunteers, one of whom was F. F. Evans, a prom-inent Elk, broker and financial agent. who sacrificed 25 small patches from his

arm. The grafting process will be continued until the wounds are entirely covered. Christopher was employed on a ranch near the city when the accident occurred.

# **GOVERNOR BENSON INVITED**

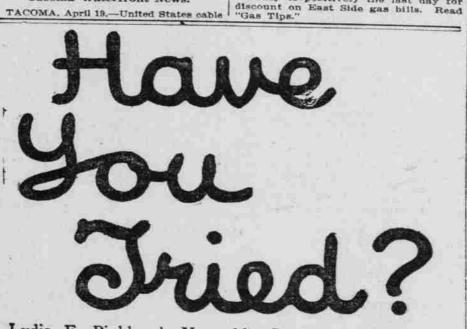
Receives Urgent Call to Attend Na-

tional Irrigation Congress.

SALEM, Or., April 19.-(Special.)-Gov-ernor Benson has received a copy of the official call for the IAh National Irriga-tion Congress to be held at Spokane, Au-gust 9-14, 1908. Oregon will be entitled to 15 delegates, each city of more than 25,000 population, ten delegates, and cities of less than 25,000, five delegates each. The board of control of the congress has sent an urgent personal invitation to Governor Benson, President Bowerman, of the Senate, and Speaker McArthur, of the House. of the House

### New Mill for Forest Grove.

FOREST GROVE, Or., April 19 .-Vessel Forced to Put Back to Ho-quiam After Accident. ABERDEEN, Wash., April 13.—(Spe-cial.)—The schooner Polaris, which



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