### THE MORNING OREGONIAN, FRIDAY, JULY 30, 1909.



Several New Feeders to Be **Built in Northwest** This Season.

OPEN OKANOGAN VALLEY

Line From Oroville to Brewster Will Develop Rich Fruit, Stock and Mineral Land - Double-Track Line on Sound.

MINNEAPOLIS. July 29.-(Special.)-An extensive programme of improv which will include the building of branch lines to tap rich and productive territory a the West and important betterments of service has been planned by the Great Northern and will be carried out during the next few months. The carrying out of the plan means the expenditure of sev eral million dollars, the employment of thousands of men in constructive work and eventually a great increase in the traffic and consequently the earnings of the road. Also it will materially strengthen the Great Northern's positio in its competitive fight with the Harriman interests and the Chicago, Milwau kee & Puget Sound for Far Western and Coast business. This latter con sideration undoubtedly had much weight in influencing the Hills to decide to push the improvements at once after some of them had been hanging fire for years. Line Down Okanogan Valley.

One of the most important of these im provements will be the building of the new Okanogan branch from Oroville or the Spokane & Oroville line of the Great Northern down the valley of the Okano gan River to Brewster. This line will follow the route taken by the fur traders of the rival Hudson Bay and Northwest Companies a century and more ago. Brewster being on the site of old Fort Okanogan. It will afford traffic facili-ties to an extensive area of rich fruit land, a portion of which has recently been irrigated by the Government under the Okanogan Irrigation project. The area of fruit land to which this line will give ready access is said to be greater than the Wenatchee, Yakima and Hood River tracts combined, and the land equally good for the raising of fruit.

The line will also pass down the west ide of the Colville Indian reservation. which embraces 1500,000 acres of mineral, timber, grazing, agricultural and fruit lands and one-half of which will have been thrown open to settlement by nex

#### Will Be Extended to Wenatchee.

Will Be Extended to Wenatchee. Eventually the new branch will be ex-tended southward to connect with the main line of the Grent Northern at We-natchee, about 70 miles south of Brewster. It will then tap the rich Endta and Me-thow Valleys, Brewster Flats and Bridge-port Orchards in the Okanogan Valley, all of which districts are already large pro-ducers of fruit. This section of the line will probably be built next year, built orders have been given the contractors to rush that part of the line between Oro-ville and Brewster to complete as soon as possible and work will be at once commenced.

ienced. Another important improvement to be made this Fall will be the double tracking of the line between Seattle and Everett. This will be done to enable the Great This will be done to enable the oreat Northern to add several more passenger trains to its Coast line service between Portland and Vancouver and as a direct result of the agreement with the Northern Pacific by which the Great Northern has

ared trackage rights between Portland Tacoma from the Northern Pacific.

Men's and Boys' Clothing

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# **BEN SELLING** LEADING CLOTHIER

Salem Officials Think Norgrove Is

SALEM, Or., July 19.-(Special.)-Sheriff J. H. Ross, of Lincoln County, came Salem today to get J. R. Norgrove, want-ed in Newport for the alleged theft of a camera. Norgrove fits the description of a man wanted in Eugene for forgery, and the Salem police believe they have in Norgrove an old all-around "bad man." Before he was arrested here he went to two local banks and asked them to

draw on banks at distant places for siderable sums of money Norgrove said match, scheduled at the World's Fair tomorrow night to restrain the Sheriff from interfering with the match. The Sheriff filed notice on the fight pro ers a few days ago that he would not permit the contest.



Proves to Be Only Piece of Evidence Prisoner Objects to by Declaring It Is Personal Letter.

THAW CONFRONTED

WITH ODD PUZZLES

After Trying Day, His Counsel

Feel Satisfied He Has

Made Good Record.

NOTE TO WIFE PRODUCED

(Continued From First Page.)

he found most useful was a tablet containing 26 sheets of foolscap paper, on which were pasted a strange variety of manuscript. Thaw identified it as some-newspaper clippings and scraps of thing he had prepared and sent to Dei-phin M. Delmas, his chief counsel dur-ing the first former in the set

phin M. Delmas, his chief counsel dur-ing the first trial, for use in preparing his closing speech to the jury. Some of its contents were strange enough to cause suspicions of the author's sanity, but Thaw invariably explained by saying they were letters written fo him and his family by persons whose kind intentions probably were better than their mental balance.

#### Hartridge on Stand.

Hartridge on Stand. Thaw's examination was delayed a few moments while his attorney called to the stand Clifford W. Hartridge, Thaw's former counsel. It was from Hartridge hat Susan Merrill said she received 325,900 to be paid to women alleged to have been abused by Thaw in her New York lodging-house. The money, she lestified, came from the Thaw family. This morning Mr. Morschauser tried to set possession of the books containing the accounts of these payments, which Mrs. Merrill said she had turned over to Hartridge. He failed because the witness said the account books and other memoranda had been destroyed. Thaw's attorney brought out the fact that Hartridge was suing Mrs. William Thaw for a balance claimed for his legal services, which he alleges consist-ed largely in suppressing revelations

I largely in suppressing revelations imaging to Thaw and his family. Susan Merrill was in court again to-

Replying to questions by Mr. Jerome Mr. Hartridge said he had paid out con-siderable sums of money, and that his instructions were general and did not come from Mr. Thaw. Mr. Hartridge was not instructed as to whom he should pay the money. He added that Thaw gave him small amounts of money for Mrs. Merrill, and sent word to her that "Mr. Reed says to say mothing "

Mr. Hartridge was also to tell Mrs. Merrill to keep quiet about what hap-pened in her house, and to keep every-body else quiet and to obtain from her letters to "Mr. Reed."

letters to "Mr. Reed." Mr. Haritidge said he received a mys-terious telegram from Thaw, addressed to Roger O'Mara, ex-Chief of Detectives of Pitisburg, directing him to get three in boxes kept by a certain "Miss Bell" in the "Highlands" Exchange in that city. "Let nobody else have them," said the message to Mr. O'Mara. Another mes-sage contained in this telegram told "Miss Bell" to deliver the boxes to O'Mara, and cautioned her also to "let nobody have them." have them."

"Were you ever sent to anybody for Thaw to get a whip?" asked Jerome. "No," said Hartridge. Mr. Hartridge produced the original

manuscript of geveral statementswhich Thaw gave to the newspapers in 1906. Thaw's counsel objected to the reading of some of these statements, but in one case requested that Mr. Jerome be al-

lowed to read the paper to the court. On cross-examination, Mr. Morschaus-er reverted to Hartridge's suit against Mrs. William C. Thaw, "It involves about \$93,000 now," remarked the wit-

velt's messages:

with death.

editorial comment.

From the sheets in his hands Thaw read also quotations from the Bible and from the poets on the subject of wrongs to

oung girls and children. "Find that thing about St. George," refered Jerome. This proved to be the following note,

about the Dragon," and Thaw went on to tell the familiar story.

"The idea," he said, "was that Mr. White was to be likened to the dragon." Jerome droped the clippings and held

cured 23,474,700 Pounds of

thing of value in summing up. The Dis-trict Attorney defied him to find any-thing there of the least value to the lawyer defending a man on the charge of murder. Thaw fingered the clippings for a moment. "Here is something," he announced, and read slowly and impressively the follow-ing words from one of President Roose-

"The hideous crime of rape, the most abominable of all the category of crimes, ... Moreover, in my judgment, the crime of rape should always be punished

Thaw read several other extracts, in-luding letters he received in person, and

marked. "Was your idea that Delmas should liken you to St George?" asked Jerome.

#### Tells Story of Dragon.

Statistics on Industry in Ore-

ip a little note containing a pen and ink

"Why not?"

you are crasp or not?" "Tes." "Then why don't you want this letter read? Isn't this an obscene letter?" de-manded Jerome, holding it out "It might be if written to another man's while be not artitude to the start." Last Year Oregon Fishermen Se-

number of newspaper clippings that Thaw had sent to Attorney Delmas on the chance that he might find there some

FISH CENSUS IS OU

Finny Tribe --- Forty-four

Vessels Used in State

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash

Ington, July 29 .- The Census Bureau

today made public preliminary statistics

114,000 lbs. 119,100 lbs. 177,600 lbs. 78,700 lbs.

Compete in Rifle Shoot.

HITHERTO UNPUBLISHED PORTRAIT OF EVELYN NESBIT THAW

AND SNAPSHOT OF HARRY KENDALL THAW, TAKEN

AS HE WALKED TO COURTROOM

addressed to Delmas: "The book 1 send you is Percy's Re-iques about St. George," with a verse

"No, the story as I remember it was

gon Are Furnished.

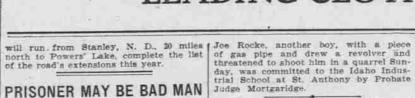
awing. "Are you willing this should be shown?" "Most certainly not." CATCH IS WORTH MILLION

"Because it is addressed to my wife and nly proper for her to see." "Don't you want us to find out whether

PRISONER MAY BE BAD MAN

Wanted Elsewhere.

deposit at those



the

Court Will Not Lift Lid.

# SEATTLE, July 29.—The Superior Court refused today to grant the in-junction asked for by the promoters of the Al Kaufman-Dr. Roller boxing

# On one of the thousand Islands an enter-prising American has started a pheasant farm. He expects in time to have 4000 to 5000 English golden pheasants on his island. As the nearest land is half a mile away, he thinks he'll be able to keep them at home.

Seventh and Stark Streets

Hartridge admitted that he had al-ready received \$103,000 from Mrs. Thaw, but said it was "for various purposes."

#### Mrs. Merrill Talks Again.

Susan Merrill was recalled and Mr Jerome examined her along the lines of her previous testimony, alleging that of her previous testimony, alleging that Thaw flogged young women at her lodging-house. She described the case of one girl in particular, whom she said she saw treated in this manner. "When Mr. Thaw went away." she said, "he left money for this girl and for others. I saw three different girls whiteway in all." she averted

whipped in all." she asserted.

"Did you ever write letters to Stan-ford White" asked Thaw's counsel. "Yes, sir."

"Did he ever call at your place?"

"Yes, a few times." Mrs. Merrill said she got acquainted with White when he called to see her about renting an apartment. Harry Thaw then took the stand, and Jerome's first question was the ellow-

"Were you crazy when you killed White"" 'I don't know," said Thaw. 'I was not medically so."

not medically so." "How do you know?" "The doctors told me so." "Did not several doctors," said Jerome, naming four, "swear in your presence that you were unable to appreciate the quality of your acts when you killed White?"

"I think so." As the witness took the stand his wife entered and took a seat where she had a

full view of his face.

A private stenographer employed by Thaw's family took down all this part of the examination.

#### Says He Had Brain Storm.

Thaw said he was willing to accept the judgment of 14 alienists who said he was irresponsible when he killed White. "I think I may have had a 'brain storm,' " he suggested. Jerome pounced upon the word. "What do you mean by 'brain storm?" Was it a feeling of sudden anger or

jealousy?

Jealousy?" "No. it wasn't jealousy. The alienists have explained it." Jerome's agggressiveness at length seemed to anger Thaw, and after the District Attorney had read an alieniat's assertion that he had "dementia precox." or adolescent insanity, he asked with assertive asperity

Do you think I have dementia pre-COX?

"No," replied Jerome, promptly, "but

"No." replied Jeroms, promptly, "but this is not the point." Thaw declared that several allenists were misled by misinformation derived largely from the New York District At-torney's office. Asked how he knew this, he said Dr. Jolliffs had told him so at Matteawan. Thaw again showed his dislike for Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton. While other alienists might have been misled, he said he did not think Hamilton was. "You don't think Dr. Hamilton would testify to a falsehoed, do you?" said Jerome.

he did not think Hamilton was. "You don't think Dr. Hamilton would testify to a falschood, do you?" said Jerome. Jerome turned over to the witness a

wife, but not written to mine." Thaw was asked to identify a gold hat-pin with a miniature dog's head at the end. He said he had seen it before. "Was it ever the end of a whip'

"It must have been the handle of a Thaw denied ever referring to White as the "Red dragon," as one of the

on the fishing industry of Oregon for allenists alleged.

allenists alleged. Some letters received by Thaw and turned over to Delmas were rather in-coherent, and Jerome asked the witness what purpose he thought they could serve. what purpose he thought they could serve. Thaw replied that some of this exhibit was rubbish and some of the letters might have been written by cranks, but they contained ideas that he thought Del-mas might possibly use. One letter referred to White as a "artisaly" and Thaw as a "tool of the Almighty." follows

Almighty." "This was a suggestion." said Jerome, "for Delmas to refer to you as a 'tool of the Almighty."" "No," said Thaw, quickly. "I put a cross opposite the word 'grizzly." think-ing it might prove useful in speaking of White."

The statement further shows 2224 in-dependent fishermen, and 2548 wageearning fishermen. The industry utilizes 44 vessels and 3312 fishing boats, valued respective-ly at \$124,545 and \$357,347. Fishing apparatus exclusive of boats 1# valued

Prisoner Denies Letter.

Jerome read a document given him by at \$755,490. Dr. Hamilton, who alleged that it was a copy of a proposed letter to the news-ASTORIA HAS CRACK SHOTS papers submitted to him by Thaw during his first examination by the allenists.

The letter condemned a certain class of wealthy men in New York, who, it was said, made a business of ruining young Sends Team to Clackamas Range to

girls. Thaw declared he had never written

night

Power.

me that.

ASTORIA, Or., July 29.-(Special.)--The rifle team selected to represent First Company, Coust Artillery Corps, O. N. G., of this city, at the annual contest to be held at the Clackamas range from The record of Anthony Comstock's ex-amination before the sanity commission brought out for the first time that Thaw had offered to pay all extra expenses if the Gerry Society would keep open all July 30 to August 3, will start for there tomorrow morning. The members of the team are as follows: First Lieutenant

"I have since found that the society had a place open all night," said Thaw, "and I can't see why they did not tell Karl Knobloch, captain; Quartermaster-Sergeant A. J. Schroeder: Sergeant A. L. Privates Tim Torkelson and D. Malagamb

"Why did you want them open at night?" asked Jerome. This team has made some excellent scores and is expected to hold its own with the teams from other sections of

"So that the agents would aid us if Mr. Comstock, or your office, or I, caught any of this gang of girl-hunters at night." the state. Next Sunday others of the company will go to Fort Stevens to en-gage in rife target practice on the Gov-

was the answer. At 5:35 P. M. Mr. Jerome announced that he was through with Thaw except for a possible question or two later. Court then adjourned until tomorrow.

Horticultural Society Incorporates.

Atwell, J. R. Shepard and Frank W.

Mill Starts as "Open Shop."

Strawberries Proftable Crop at SALEM, Or., July 29.-(Special.)-Arti-SALEM, Or., July 28.-(Special)-Affi-cless of incorporation were filed in the affice of the Secreary of State for the Oregon Horticultural Society; capital stock \$160. The society is being incor-porated so that it may legally receive a bequest willed to it by a Yamhill County pioneer. The incorporations are Homer. Montesano.

ernment range.

MONTESANO, Wash., July 29.-(Spe-

cial.)-C. E. Wagner, of Satsop, has a prize patch of strawberries, from which prize patch of strawbernes, itom which he sold this season 600 crates, at an aver-age price of \$2 a crate, or a total of \$1200 for the crop. There are two acres in the patch and no special treatment was given the plants save a small smudge plant, which was brought into use to prevent damage from frost, at a cost of about \$55.

TWO ACRES YIELD \$1200

Says I to myself. Says I. The Rex Dental Co., Abington Bidg., Is the place to go. Eays L

Reach Fort Peck Indian Land.

Eastern Montana will soon see the building of a long branch line from Bainville on the main line to Plentywood, 50 miles north and near the Canadian boundary

MOSCOW, Idaho, July 29.-(Special.)--Claude Giles, 15 years old, who struck

north and near the Canadian boundary. It will follow the course of the Big Muddy Creek and will pass along the eastern border of Fort Peck Indian reservation. This reservation, which contains about 2,000,000 acres of good agricultural land, is now being surveyed, and as soon as the Indian allotments are made it will be thrown open to settlers probably next year. To the north of the Fort Peck res-ervation there is still some land available for homestead entry. the calendar year 1908, exclusive of canneries and fish dealers. The total fish catch in Oregon was 28,474,700 pounds, valued at \$1,356,460. The principal species reported are as

 
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 302,000 lbs.
 \$ 20,500

 Salmon chinook
 35,176,100 lbs.
 1,055,650
 565,650

 Salmon deg
 905,000 lbs.
 7,019
 565,650

 Salmon diver
 905,000 lbs.
 108,950
 565,720

 Salmon silver
 4,922,500 lbs.
 108,950
 565,720

 Salmon steelhead
 2,400,400 lbs.
 105,720
 561,400
ervation there is still some land available for homestead entry. The line now being built from Colum-bia River Station 65 miles north of Water-ville and which is to be completed by November 1, and another short branch which is to be added to the extensive not-8,010 6,850 6,950 14,000 4,230 work already possessed by the Great Northern in Northern North Dakota and

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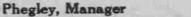
each bank he obtained a checkbook, and the police believe he intended to flood the city with bogus checks and make a quick get-away. Reform School for Bad Boy.

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