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only 21 years of age, and is a speedy lad in all departments of the same.

story. Moe testilled that the took this \$500 back with him to Groton and deposited It to Frank Conger's account, but

its final disposition never was traced. A year ago Senator Alids received be-tween \$6000 and \$7000 for his services in elping the Argus Publishing Company of Albany to recover \$21,500 on an old print-ng claim against the state. The attorneys for Senator Conger

wrung the facts of this transaction from Allds on the witness-stand today and did their best to make it appear that it was only another form of taking money for his influence as a member of the Legislature.

ANOTHER VICTIM IS FOUND

Body of Joseph Furlin, Passenger,

Taken From Wellington Slide,

SEATTLE Wash, March 15 .- The body ecovered yesterday from the Wellington avalanche ruins has been identified, from papers found on the clothing, as that of Joseph Furlin, a passenger. Nothing further is known of him and the railroad had no record of him. The Great Northern will begin at onc

the construction of snowsheds on the Cascade division that will cost \$1,000,000 or more. General Manager J. M. Gruber is making a detailed study of the work that is needed.

There are 11 unclaimed bodies at the morgue, some of which have been identi-fied by name only. The bodies unclaimed will be buried in a plot of land pur-chased by the Great Northern Railroad and they will be interred with one cere-

Six railroad men and eight passengers are still in the list of missing, making the railroad's total of 95 dead. Bodies are seldom found now in the avalanche guich. The snow heap in which the excavations are in progress covers 40 acres, and in some places is 30 feet deep. The snow is melting rapidly. A week more will be required to complete the search snow is melting rapidly.



Slays With Bullet.

LOS ANGELES, March 15 .- Dear Bingham, 17 years old, was brought to jail here from Sunnyside today charged with having shot and killed his step-father, S. E. Elliott, in the suburban village.

The youth is alleged to have fired the fatal shot in defense of his mother, his 12-year-old sister and himself. They assert that Elliott, while intoxicated, beat his stepdaughter brutally and when his wife and stepson pro-tested, started for the kitchen, saying that he was going after a knife. When he reappeared the boy fired four shots at him with a revolver. One of the bullets penetrated Elliott's heart.

2 MORE RUNAWAYS CAUGHT

Umatilla Sheriff Overtakes Fugi-

tives When Horses Give Out.

PENDLETON. Or., March 15.-(Spe-dal.)-With the two armed prisoners who

WESTON LOSES 20 POUNDS Pedestrian Makes 36 Miles Despite

72-Mile Jaunt Day Before.

GREAT BEND, Kan., March 15.-Ed-ward Payson Weston, the pedestrian, ar-rived here tonight at 9 o'clock after walking 36 miles today. He did not appear to be fatigued, in spite of his 72-mile walk yesterday. Wes-ton has lost 20 pounds since starting on his journey, but a physician tonight pro-nounced him in good condition.

PLAT INVALID IT IS CHARGED

East Side Property Owner Com-

plains of **G**ity Engineer's Work.

City Enginter Morris is accused of bad faith with the city in an action filed in the Circuit Court yesterday morning. The charge is made in connection with a suit instituted by F. M. Pliter, an East Side property owner, wherein it is sought to have the platting of Laurelhurst, a new addition changed. Pliter charges that the plat ting does not conform with the law and that Morris had official knowledge of this when he approved it. The Laurelhurst Company, the Ladd

Investment Company, County Clerk Fields and the City of Portland are named as defendants in the action. Pilter asks tha the County Clerk and Recorder of Conveyances be enjoined from further recording the sale of lots in Laurelhurst until the merits of his contention are decided.

Pliter charges in his suft that the addition was not platted to conform to adjoining properties, and that East Thirty-fourth. Thirty-sixth and Thirtyeighth streets are not extended into the addition so as to connect with the new public park, for which, the peti tion says, a large sum of money has been paid by the city. On MBarch 7, the petition recites, the plat was presented to Morris for his

approval. Morris in turn presented it to County Assessor Sigler, - County Judge Cleeton and County Commissioner Barnes for their signatures of ap

Closing the petition, the court is Closing the petition, the court is recording conveyances in the tract and that the plat be set aside as invalid.

WRIGHTS' PATENTS ATTACKED

Aviator Syndicate in France Brings Suit for Annulment.

PARIS, March 15 .- The French avia-tion syndicate today brought suit for the annulment of the Wright patents in France. The petition, after setting up the general claim that the Wright Broth-

ers, both in Araerica and in France, are trying to obtain a monopoly in mechanical flight, declares that the petition-ers are prepared to prove that a patent granted in France to the Wrights on March 24, 1904, has been forfelted un-

der the law requiring the exploitation of an invention in France within three years of the date of the patent.

The petition also asks the annulment

as shares of stock, also attended. Ac-torney Dolph, who owns 75 shares of the 4965 hotel shares, and the fourth Portland holder who has not sold his stock to the new owners, did not attend the meeting. All four Portlanders object to selling their stock at the price paid originaly. William Norman said last night that the

postponement was decided because some stock is represented in California and it was desired to give holders there time to be here by proxy or in person, that they might have an equal chance of securing what they considered a fair re-turn on their money. "I do not know what Attorney Joseph's desire is," said Mr. Norman. "He repre-

sents but two shares of stock. Now when the title is put in shape by a trans-fer of the holdings of the Portland Hotel Company to the new company to be or-ganized, the minority stockholders will be permitted to bid against the price of-fered by us. If they bid too high we'll let them have it. Every one has been telling me our buy was worth \$1,500,000. I only wish some one would offer me wish some one would offer me Just see how quick I'd sell." that.

After adjournment it was said by mi-nority holders that the Day-Norman peo-ple were reluctant to divulge their plans til they have secured all of the property un-standing. When told of this report Mr. Norman said: "That is just about what we are doing."

EDITORS RIGHT UPHELD

CRITICISM OF PUBLIC OFFICER HELD NOT TO BE LIBEL.

Public Entitled to Know About Actions of Its Servants, Rules

Montana Judge.

HELENA, Mont., March 15 .- (Special.) -District Judge Clements today in over-ruling a motion to instruct the jury for acquittal in the criminal libel case in which J. H. Raftery, editor of the Treasure State, is defendant, and Mayor Frank

J. Edwards, the procescuting witness, nevertheless made a strong plea for the liberty of the press. He said: "I fail to agree with the County At-

torney's contention that you cannot im-peach a public official without libeling his personal character. For instance, if wspaper in Pennsylvania should have and that the State Capitol Commission-ers were thieves and grafters, it would

ers were thieves and gratters, it would be invoking language strong as language can express a libel, but the bare fact that they did and proved it put several men in the Penitentiary. That was as to a State House. Now, if a public officer is to be surrounded by this bulwark of protection so that the public press and individuals connot say that he is not con-

individuals cannot say that he is not conducting himsels in his official capacity in a lawful, honest manner, that individual is going to subject himself to a criminal

eution for libel. 'That theory would make it utterly impossible ever to prosecute any mal-feasance in office. So that I don't think there is anything in that contention. As long as criticism is confined to official

conduct and does not say that a man is personally lacking in integrity and Comp and Sunnyside Camp. The Arleta

Olson hints that he wants his old position at shortstop back again, but Mc-Credie is too well pleased with "Greased Lightning" Perrine, and has informed Lightning" Perrine, and has or "Oille" that it is third base or bench" for him.

Billy Rapps says this club could put it all over Kansas City and most of that American Association bunch. He is tickled immensely at getting on with such a good club, and is working out grand-

ly. He is the style of first baseman Portland has wanted ever since the fans at home first set eyes on Hal Chase. Some of the fans up North have written to McCredie and Cornell expressing anx lety as to the strength of Perle Casey's lame knee. Walter McCredie receives

a letter every other day from his uncle Representative McCredie, and according to Walt, all the "Judge," as he calls him, writes is the question, "How is Casey" knee?" Just to satisfy the fans that the captain is all right, here is Casey's own Wood. statement and is borne out every day at

practic 'My knee never felt stronger or better before I threw It out, and I am satisfied from the amount of work I have done, and the strain I have put it to that I will not have any trouble this season

Casey wears a strong knee supporter, but even this harness does not impede his speed and accuracy, for he is playing in his old-time Tacoma form. A large num-ber of Los Angeles fans pass through

ber on Los Angeles lans pass through here daily on automobile tours, and take advantage of the daily games between the Regulars and the Yannigans, and many of them have been heard to remark that "Casey has it on Del Howard a

mile," and that is "going some," espe-cially when cracked by a Los Angeles "bug."

WOODMEN ENJOY BANQUET

Head Consul Is Guest of Honor Judge Morrow Talks.

The Woodmen of the World of the different camps located in Portland held a banquet at the Commercial Club last

night in honor of I. I. Boak, the head consul, who is in Portland arranging for the head camp session to be held here on July 25, at the West Side Temple. J. J. Jennings acted as toastmaster at the hanquet, and Judge Morrow gave the address of welcome

Boak gave a general talk on the welfare of the order and spoke particularly on the great increase in membership. He mentioned the fact that He mentioned the fact that there are 105,000 members of good standing in the

Pacific States which comprise Colorado, Padnic States which comprise Colorado, Idaho, Wyoming, California, Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Montana and Utah. Hermann Schade, of Prospect Camp, spoke in a general way on the welfare of the order and of the work which Mr. Boak is doing. George M. Hyland, of Washfoot Camp, and state lecturer for the Webfoot Camp, and state lecturer for the Modern Woodmen, dwelt on the purpose of all fraternal orders and said that all orders are good as long as they live up

to their principles. Other speakers of the evening Neighbor Clarno, of Prospect Camp Jimmy Rudemann, of Multhomah Camp Camp; | Frank Motter, of Prospect Camp; Deputy Auditor and License Inspector Ackerman Mr. Hammer, of Sunnyside Camp, and Dr. Marshall, of Webfoot Camp. Mr. Boak will speak tonight at the Port-

and Rose City Camp memoers will also be present at the meeting at Sunnyside. On Friday night Mr. Boak will speak from 8 to 9:30 o'clock, at Multnomah Camp and from 9:30 to 11 o'cluock at Multnomah Camp. At Multnomah Camp he will present the early history of Woodcraft from its organization until the Woodcraft from its organization until the present date. \$1500 in tax moneys for the present year The mistake is due to Mr. Wade having

AERONAUTIC DEFENSE WANTED which was drawn up by the city in De-cember, authorizing a tax of 5 mills for

Aero Club of America to Discuss general purposes, and a tax of 2 mills for city lights and also 2 mills for city Possible Equipment.

NEW YORK, March 15 .- The question

of the advisability of providing the United States with a suitable aeronautic equipment for National defense will be the chief topic of discussion at the an-nual banquet of the Aero Club of Amer-

An effort is being made to secure the attendance of President Taft, the Secretary of War and Major-General Leonard · · ·

New Firms Are Incorporated.

SALEM, Or., March 15 .- (Special)-Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the Secretary of

State as follows: Falls City Orchards Company; prin-cipal office, Portland: capital stock, \$15,000: incorporators, J. W. Benson, Seneca Fouts and Alex Sweek.

H. & H. Plano and Furniture Polish Company; principal office, Enterprise; capital stock, \$150,000; incorporators, J.

Capital stock, Jr., Ellen Harvey, C. A. Haney and E. L. Haney. Jeffery & Bufton: principal office, Portland: capital stock, \$25,000; incor-porators, E. J. Jeffery, Jr., L. E. Bufton and Howard H. Häskell. Son Ditch Commany, principal office,

Sag Ditch Company: principal office, Haifway; capital stock, \$5000: incorpor-ators, P. Halley, H. Leep and Robert Laird.

Nyssa-Owyhee Independent Telephone Company; principal office, Nyssa; capital stock, \$10,600: incorporators, C. J. Sinsel, W. B. Hoxie, Sanford Emison, Harold S. Vahl, J. Boydell and H. D. Birdsall.

Army Man Committed to Asylum.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 15 .- (Spe-VANCOUVER, Wash., March is.-(Spe-clal.)-Otto Rimnac, private of Company A. First Infantry, has been adjudged insane and ordered removed to the Gov-ernment Hospital for the Insane in Washington, #D. C. Rimnac attempted to commit sulcide in the post hospital recently, by slashing his neck. He missed cutting the jugular vein by a narrow nargh

Logging Camps to Resume.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 15.-(Spe-cial.)-Logging camps of the Twin Falls Logging Company, at Yacolt, will resume operations this week, after a six weeks close down on account of the Winter mows, which were exceptionally heavy.

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NEWPORT, Or., March 15.-(Special.) -A mistake make by Ira Wade, Clerk of Lincoln County, has cost Newport

High School Contract Let.

street improvements.

bidders being the Newport Construction Company, of Portland. The school dis-trict recently sold \$40,000 5 per cent bonds at a premium of \$565.

53 ARE LOST WITH VESSEL

Portuguese Bark Is Reported Lost

school building in this city, the successful

Off Azores Islands.

LISBON, March 15,-A Portuguese bark, sailing from Pico, one of the Azores Islands, has been lost, and 33 persons M'MINNVILLE, Or., March 15 .- (Spedrowned

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