Many Portland People Expected to Visit Capital During Most Successful Exhibit and Carnival Ever Held by Citizens.

SALEM, Or., July 5.—(Special.)—Thursday will be the opening day of what promises to be the most successful Cherry Fair in the histoiry of Salem. The hig show will continue for three days.
At a voting contest which closed today,
Miss Nellie Cowles, an attractive young nan and an employe in the office of the State Treasurer, was elected queen of the festival. Miss Cowles came to

this city from Woodburn.
With the king, whose identity has not been disclosed, she will be crowned on Thursday morning, immediately following the grand opening parade.

Thursday Portland Day.

Thursday will be Portland day and the local committees are preparing to enter-tain hundreds of people from the metrop-olis, who will come here on special cars. Albany, Eugene, Dallas, Woodburn and other towns of the valley will also send big delegations on other days of the fair. big delegations on other days of the fair. The cherry show itself will be held on the Courthouse lawn, on the High street side, between Court and State streets. A large pavilion is now nearing completion and will hold the cherries. A stand is being crected nearby, where entertain-ments will be given and it is probable that the king and queen will be crowned

Large Exhibits Expected.

The cherries this year promise to make a splendid showing and word is being received from growers all over the valley that they will send in exhibits. The merchants of Salem have donated more liber-ally than ever before toward the cause of the fair and the awards will be large and well worth competing for.

Amusement features are to be many, including Arnold's Carnival Company, a large number of free attractions, probably some aeroplane flights, and a num ber of concessions and shows, which wil be scattered about the streets and give the business district a gala appearance. Business men are making arrangements to decorate their stores and the streets. Considerable money will be spent for this

Royalty to Head Parade.

The opening parade on Thursday morning promises to surpass in magnificence any parade attempted on a similar occain this city. It will be headed by beautiful floats carrying the king and queen, these to be followed by long strings of floats, decorated automobiles

carriages and various fraternal, labor and other organizations.

On the closing night the king of mirth and joility will reign and will head a burlesque procession. Visitors will be given the key to the city and an evening of much pleasure is expected.

LOCAL FIRMS REPRESENTED

Portlanders Will Reciprocate for Favors Shown at Rose Festival.

Forty-four business houses yesterday agreed to be represented at the Salem cherry fair tomorrow, in response to the invitation extended by a committee of business men of the state capital who spent the day in Portland. In addition to this number, 20 had previously announced their intention of being represented at the fair, and it is expected more will be enrolled before the special train leaves at 9:15 tomorrow morning. Besides the business men, a general in-vitation is extended to the public to turn out, fill up the train and show Salem a spirit of appreciation for the way that city helped out the Rose Festival. "It is right and proper that we should send a big delegation to Salem," said C. C. Chapman, manager of the Commer-wation department, "Salem cial Club promotion department. "Salem sent a delegation of 800 here to the Rose Festival and during the Lewis and Clark Fair turned out 1500 strong, the largest

delegation that came to the Exposition We should reciprocate by having a big representation in Salem Thursday, which has been set apart as 'Portland day,' " The invitation committee was enter tained by the Commercial Club at lunch tained by the Commercial Club at lunch. Those in the committee were: A. F. Hofer, secretary of the Salem Board of Trade; W. I. Staley, president of the Salem Cherry Fair; C. L. Dick, manager of the Salem Fruit Union; Professor J. H. Ackerman, State Superintendent of Schools; F. W. Power, secretary-treasurer of the State Horticultural Society; H. C. Atwell, president of the State Horticultural Society; C. L. Starr, F. G. Deckebach and H. W. Meyers.

FOURTH'S TOLL IS TEN

Three-Year-Old Boy Dying as Result of Scattle's "Sane" Celebration.

SEATTLE. July 5.—Ten persons were more or less seriously injured in accidents incident to the Independence day celebration here yesterday. One of these, the 3-year-old son of C. M. Johnson, was so badly burned in an explosion that he is not expected to live.

Little effort was made by the police to enforce the recently-passed "same Fourth" ordinance, it having been discovered that the law was deficient in several vital parts. A new ordinance will be introduced in the Council immediately, and it is believed that next year's celebration will be on a much quieter scale than the one this year.

SALEM WARNED OF WATER Citizens Called to Boil Aqua Before

Drinking It.

SALEM, Or., July 5.—(Special.)—City Health Officer O. B. Miles has issued a statement to the citizens of Salem warning them to boil their water and take every precaution to see it is fully sterilized. He states the local water company is planning to install an additional suction pipe and the work may result in contaminated water for the time being. Mayor George F. Rodgera also issued a Mayor George F. Rodgers also issued a statement urging this precaution, but says the danger is only temporary. An inquiry among physicians shows that there are four cases of typhoid here, but they state these are not traceable to

TOWN SAVED BY BUCKETS

FETE QUEEN NAMED

Main street last night, and before it was under control swept away the entire row of frame buildings on the west side of the street between Island and Upton streets. The whole town at one time seemed to be in danger. The fire is thought to have been caused by fireworks shot from the hill on the east side of the city. The fire department was handleapped by lack of water, but as soon as the city pumps were started the fire was soon brought under control. Good work was done by volunteers with buckets, who saved adjoining property. The Dime Theater was saved by hard work with buckets, and the fire that way was confined to the one block. The Farmers' Implement Company on the opposite side of the street, were damaged by the heat, the building of the Farmers' Implement Company being damaged most.

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The losses were: Wah Lee Laundry, total loss building and contents; the building owned by William Codd, of Spokane. Codd Bros.' furniture store, loss on stock, \$7000; building, \$3000; insurance, \$2000. T. A. Cyland, shooting gallery and cigar store; loss, \$1500; insurance, \$500. Minnis & Starl, cafe; loss, \$1000; no insurance. A. H. Reid, building loss, \$1000; insurance, \$500. R loss, \$1000; no insurance. A. H. Reid, building loss, \$1000; insurance, \$500. R. K. Squibb, building, \$5000; insurance, \$2750; loss on stock, \$3500; insurance, \$1500. H. M. Moffatt, loss on building and stock, \$1500, covered by insurance. A. J. Davis, building, loss \$500; covered by insurance. Farmers' Implement Company, covered by insurance. Burreil Investment, loss fully covered.

GOVERNOR INTENDS TO RUN FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

In Letter, Executive Says He Will File Declaration of Candidacy in Few Days-Health Better.

SALEM, Or., July 5 .- (Special.) -A letter received this morning from Governor Frank W. Benson, who is now in San Francisco, bears the news that the Governor is preparing to file his declaration of intention to become a didate for re-election to the office of Secretary of

The letter also says that the Governor s rapidly improving in health, that he has not felt better for several years and that he is getting anxious to return to the state. It is expected he will return about July 29, when he will probably resume the duties now being taken care

of by Acting Governor Jay Bowerman.

Many friends of the Governor in this city had become alarmed at reports from San Francisco and believed he would retire from the political arena this year altogether. They took his request to Bowerman to act as Chief Executive in his stead, as a tack understanding that Benson had retired from the field.

The letter, however, sets this idea at rest and plainly states that the petition for his re-election will be filed within a ew days, probably before the Governor's

SEATTLE DEALERS OFFER 86 CENTS FOR BLUESTEM.

White River Potato Crop Will Be Early and Large-Eggs Quoted Higher on Exchange.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 5 .- (Special.)

SEATTLE, Wash., July 5.—(Special.)—
Under bullish reports from the Eastern Washington grain belt, the market was stronger locally today and bluestem advanced to 86 cents. Other varieties were unchanged. Several more cars of Yakima Vailey new timothy arrived.

Although watermelons were temporarily out of the market today, four carloads of California stock are known to be in transit. The market was rather bare of cantaloupes and the supply promises to be limited for several days. Good stock sold up to \$2.75, with \$2.56 the low price. A straight carload of California tomatoes, arrived, coming on a market practically bare. One or two other straight carloads are due shortly. A carload of peaches arrived and sold at 80 cents. Raspberries were lower at \$1.25. Fancy lemons were quoted higher at \$7 to \$7.50.

The prospects for a large crop of potatoes in the White River Vailey are excel-

The prospects for a large crop of potatoes in the White River Valley are excellent. The crop will be at least two weeks earlier than last year.

The dairy produce exchange today lifted the price of fresh ranch eggs to 32 cents. That quotation was not general, however, on the street, although the market was firm. Receipts were light. Dealers are preparing for large receipts of poultry. Butter was steady.

Anglers.

SALEM, Or., July 5.—An initiative peti-tion for an act to make it unlawful for persons to fish in the Rogue River with anything but a line and hook was re-ceived by the Secretary of State today. It was prepared by a majority of anglers residing in the district several miles above the mouth of Rogue River, and is mainly for the purpose of protecting the smaller fish from being caught and thrown aside by commercial fishermen along the lower river. Riparian owners to the Oregon Agricultural College and the Federal Government. It is hoped the shore land along Rogue River e fine-mesh nets under the present fish laws, and owing to several large fishing concerns controlling in the neighborhood of 20 miles of shore land on the lower river, a great quantity of small steelhead salmon are being caught and thrown aside because they are too small for can-ning purposes. These fish, it is claimed, take the hook on the upper river readily and are a very sportive fish, and for this reason should be protected from the mesh nets of the commercial fisherm

FISHERMEN GET INTO TOILS

O. A. C. Men Leave Licenses Behind

NEWPORT, Or., July 5.—(Special.)—Captain Jack Alexander, commander of the O. A. C. cadets, and his son, P. H. Alexander, were fined \$25 each and costs today by the local Justice of the Peace for fishing without having their licenses on their persons. They were arrested vesterday at Beaver Creek by Deputy Warden James Gatens.

Captain Alexander had left his license n Corvallis, and a telegram from the Clerk of Benton County verified his assertion. His son had left his license in camp, but Gatens made no investigation. Their fines were remitted and they proeeded to Yachats

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TOWN SAVED BY BUCKETS

Volunteers Check Colfax Fire When
City Water Runs Low.

COLFAX. Wash., July 5.—Fire broke out in the laundry of Wah Lee, on lower

The swell Great Northern train, electric lighted, through tourist and standard sleepers, Portland to Chicago in 72 hours. No change of cars. The best of dining-car service. You'll like the compartment observation car. From Hoytstreet station daily 7 P. M. Tickets and betthe at city ticket office, 122 Third street, and depot, Eleventh and Hoyt streets

Returning Congressman Will Go to Puget Sound.

TAFT'S WORK IS PRAISED

There Never Was a President Who Desired More Earnestly to Do Right to All the People," Remarks ex-Judge.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 5.-W. W. McCredie, Representative of the Second Congressional District, has returned to his home in Vancouver, after attending the recent session of Congress. Next week he will go to Tacoma and other Puget Sound cities to spend several days. When asked to talk on politics today, Representative McCredie replied that he was not prepared to make an extended talement, as he had just returned from long trip and he had not become settled ret. He has not formulated his plans

yet. He has not formulated his plans for the coming campaign.

"The first year a man is in Congress he is a mighty small factor, but his vote counts just as much as any of them." said Mr. McCredle, "This Congress did more than any other Congress and accomplished many things which a few years ago would have been thought impossible. "I believe President Tafi is absolutely conscientious and honorable and has been conscientious and honorable and has been and is trying to do all within his power to carry out the principles of the Republican party. I believe that there never was a President who desired more earnestly or sincerely to do right to all of the

Mr. McCredie is glad to return to his Mr. McCredis is glad to return to his Western home and hopes to enjoy the cool weather here this Summer. It has been sukry and hot in Washington and at times the heat was almost unbearable. W. G. MacRae, who went East as Congressman McCredie's secretary, is still at Arkansas Hot Springs.

OREGON CITY ENTERTAINS

Five Thousand People Enjoy Fourth of July Celebration.

ORECON CITY, July 5 .- (Special.)-Five thousand people from every section of Clackamas County and from Portland were here yesterday to see the biggest and best Fourth of July celebration ever held at Oregon City. From early morning until late at night the streets were thronged, and the crowds were greatly interested in the monster parade in the morning, and various athletic events. The water carnival drew a large crowd to the banks of the Willamette, and the land sports were an attractive feature of the celebration.

Public exercises took place in the morning in the City Park, and Charles V. Galloway, of Salem, delivered the oration. Miss Mary Ellen Long recited the Deciaration of Independence and Mrs. Leon DesLarzes sang "Star Spangled Banner." The baseball game at Gladstone Park between the Canby and Banner." The baseball game at Gladstone Park between the Canby and Camas teams was hotly contested and was won by Canby, with a score of 4 to 3. Hensling of the Vernon team, in the Pacific Coast League, was in the box for the winners. The celebration closed with a spectacular display of fireworks.

ROBBER MAKES \$2537 HAUL

Agent in Great Northern Ticket Of-

EVERETT, Wash., July 5 .- The Great Northern ticket office, front, was looted of \$2537 about 11 o'clock last night by a robber, who knocked down the agent with a heavy club and carried off three sacks of gold and silver coins. When the agent, H. E. Stevens, was

picked up a few moments later, he was in a highly nervous state and was placed under an opiate at the hospital. Physicians, however, say he is not seriously injured. He was unable to give a connected account of the robbery.

Bystanders saw two men, one of whom was carrying two or three sacks, walking down the track away from the ticket office at about the time of the hold-up.

PLAN TO SAVE SMALL FISH APPLE MEN FIGHT PESTS ALTERNATIVE

Petition Out to Kill Use of Nets by Valley Growers Ask Further Co-operation of A thorities.

> SALEM, Or., July 5 .- (Special.)-The Willamette Valley Apple-Growers ciation will meet in his city at the of the cherry fair, later in the week. association includes more than 100 men bers from various parts of the Valley and a full attendance is expected. tion of the Oregon Agricultural College and the Federal Government. It is hoped to secure an appropriation from the Leg. islature to carry on the work, but in the meantime the fruitmen themselves will be asked to bear the burden and ways and means will be devised to ascertain how this may best be done.
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> Representatives of the Agricultural College will be present to offer information as to what the school may do in the way of an enlarged campaign to eliminate

WHITE MAN WHEELS NEGRO

South Bend Man Wins Bet Through Jeffries' Defeat.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., July 5 .cial.)—As a result of the Jeffries-John-son fight, George Cassells, proprietor of the Cassels Hotel, will give Fletcher German, the only colored gentleman in this city, a wheelbarrow ride through the main street of the city, German to wear a high hat and swallow-tail coat.

Seaside Historical Monument Begun.

Building Permits Reach \$73,732. The attempt that has been made to draw special government agents with headquarters in Boise into the Lingen-EUGENE, Or., July 5.—(Special.)—The felter episode is denied by these agents uilding permits issued for the month of who, while familiar with some of the building permits issued for the month of June asgregate \$73,732. Only one business building of importance was included, that the District Attorney for Washington, of the Bangs Livery Company, which is constructing a brick livery and garage at a cost of \$38,000. Most of the others are for residences.

SALEM, Or., July 5.—(Special)—
"Jack," a big Rees monkey belonging to Charles Simpson of the Arnold Carnival Company shows, which arrived here to-day, turned on his owner while he was being fed today and bit into Simpson's

These Checks Tell the Story!

Twenty-One Prize-Winners Find On Investigation That Prices Are Much Lower at Eilers Music House. Bring in Your Checks -We'll Allow Full Face Value.

-- The winners in a recent publicity contest (?) conducted by an obscure Michigan factory are fairly pouring into Eilers Music House to take advantage of our splendid offer. We've announced that we would accept all prize checks whether they be for \$1.00 or \$125.00 as a bona-fide off our regular established lowest retail prices. This arrangement is made possible through the co-operation of nine of America's largest and foremost piano factories.

This result is not surprising in view of the questionable method of juggling prices in which these small and unknown dealers are indulging. Altogether 21 careful and shrewd buyers, after an investigation, turned their checks into Eilers Piano House toward payment of a fine piano. This certainly is conclusive proof.



Remember

It makes no difference to whom your check is made payable, it will be accepted by us. You are the owner of the check and are free to make any disposition of it you may see fit.

Guarantee

Each and every piano leaving this store is guaranteed for from five to ten years by an old-time honored manufacturer, as well as by ourselves, and in addition thereto, each purchaser of an inexpensive piano is made doubly secure by receiving our two years' free trial exchange agreement.

Shop all around, visit the other piano stores if you wish, but by all means make a rigid comparison of our values with those offered you elsewhere before making your final decision. You will then do as did these twenty-one people whose checks are photographed herewith, by purchasing your piano of the old, reliable



EIGHTH-PARK.

Lingenfelter's Retirement Not Due to Original Accusations.

Intention to Resign Not Mentioned Before Trip to Washington to Hold Conference--New Man Agreeable to Borah.

Boise, Idaho, July 5 - (Special.)-That Boise, Idaho, July 5.—(Special.)—That an opportunity was given to United States District Attorney C. H. Lingenfeiter to resign from office or accept the alternative of suspension or removal following the conference he held last week at Washington with the Department of Justice is evident from authoritative reports in Federal circles, as well as Washington dispatches received here. Mr. Lingenfeiter is now en route to Boise from the East, and a statement from him may serve to clear up the speculation relaserve to clear up the speculation rela-tive to his sudden abandonment of the Federal office he has held for two years.

There is a growing belief among those familiar with the sudden turn of events in the district attorney's office that the Department of Justice has determined to place the lid or what occurred in Washington between the Attorney-General and District At-torney Lingenfelter. Federal officials here have knewn that charges had been made against the district attorney and that the Department had taken much pains to investigate them. The resignation will take effect as soon as the new appointee, S. L. Tipton, has had an opportunity to become familiar with the wishes of the Department.

It was learned today that the graver SEASIDE, Or., July 5.—At 3 P. M. accusations against the district attorney are not the general charges pre-resterday, with simple but impressive ferred when he first took office, receremonies, under the auspices of the lating to the connection with a land Oregon Historical Society, ground was case at Lewiston before he became broken for the massive monument district attorney, but instead involve which is to be erected to mark the his action in becoming attorney in spot where Lewis and Clark boiled sea other land cases after he was in office, water to secure salt on their return and doing so without the permission of the Department.

evident conflict that existed in the evident conflict that existed in the Idaho district. For several months these questions were investigated. Later, according to reliable reports, Senator W. B. Heyburn and Senator W. E. Borah were consulted. They were asked if they had any objection to the removal or resignation of the present district attorney. Both said they had none, and preparations were then made to select his successor. S. L. Tipton being appointed. His ap-S. L. Tipton being appointed. His appointment is agreeable to Senator

No intimation ever has been given in Federal circles that District Attor-ney Lingenfelter wished to resign to engage in private practice, and this statement, coming from Washington after his reported removal, was a surprise to Federal officials. He left a good practice in Lewiston to enter Federal employ when N. M. Ruick was

L. R. TRAVER IS SPEAKER Seattle Educator Addresses University Summer School

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., July 5.—(Special)—L. R. Traver, principal of the Emerson school of Seattle, addressed the university students enrolled for the Summer session in the regular assembly this morning. His subwas "The Organization of a Course

Mr. Traver's former field of work was in Oregon, where he was a leader in all educational movements, being instru-mental in the foundation of no less than three county high schools.

Mark Wheeler and Gladys Huston have been elected chairmen of the men's and women's athletic committees for the Summer school student body. The com-mittee have made arrangements for men's, women's, and mixed tennis tourn-aments, both singles and doubles, with prizes and trophies for the winners.

BANTERED, MAN DROWNS John Kinkle Ventures Too Far in

River-Body Recovered.

GRANTS PASS, Or., July 5.—(Special.)

The body of John Kinkle, who was browned in the Rogue River yesterday, while bathing with some companions near Savage Hapids, was found today by a searching party a short distance from the point where he was last seen. He was a poor swimmer, and had been induced to venture too far upon the cantering of his companions and succumbed to the cold current.

MONKEY CHEWS UP OWNER

Showman's Forearm Torn to Shreds by Vicious Animal.

left arm near the elbow, tearing away the flesh to his wrist and then imbedding his teeth in Simpson's hand and fingers.

When the monkey was pulled away.
Simpson was bleeding profusely, his flesh ways of his new master.

hanging in shreds from his forearm Simpson recently acquired the monkey from Charles Hunt, also with the show, and the animal was not familiar with the



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