## MATE'S MISTAKE WRECKS STEAMER

Alaska Liner Goes on Rocks but Passengers and Crew Are Safe.

CAUSE LOSS

Vessel Lies in Exposed Position Of San Juan Island and Heavy Gale Would Probably Pound Boat to Pieces.

SEATTLE. Wash. Dec. 2.—Mistaking another landmark for Pike Point, a mate of the Alaska Steamship Company's liner Northwestern steered the vessel on the rocks in False Bay, San vessel on the rocks in False Bay, San Juan Island, early this morning. Passengers were safely transferred to the British steamer Tees, as the North-western was in no danger in a calm pea. However, a wind is rising to-night, menacing the safety of the wrecked vessel.

Three revenue cutters and the wreck-

Three revenue cutters and the wreck-Ing steamer Salver are standing by the Northwestern. Captain Croskey, master of the wrecked steamer, has declined assistance from the Salver, saying that he will await the arrival of the wrecking tug Wyadda, which had been dispatched from Scattle by the underwriters.

#### Ship Is Exposed.

The Northwestern lies in an exposed position and should the wind increase to a gale would suffer severely from the pounding of the waves.

The passengers, who were taken off by the steamer Tees, returned to Sestile tenight. They will resume their journey to Alaska on the steamship Olympia, which salis tomorrow.

#### 26 Passengers Aboard.

The Northwestern left Scattle for Valdez Alaska, at 10 o'clock last night with 28 passengers and 200 tons of freight. She struck the rocks at 2:40

freight. She struck the rocks at 2:40 A. M. The British steamer Tess, which was near, responded to a wireciss call from the Northwestern.

Captain Creakey had left the bridge in charge of Fourth Officer Allen, who mistook a point nearer for Pike Point, which he intended to round. The steamship struck heavily about 200 yards from the point, crumpling up her bow for 12 feet. The Northwestern sild up on the rocks, which penetrated her side just forward of amidships. She held fast on the rocks, tilted up forward on an even keel.

an even keel.

Captain Croskey gave orders immediately to man the boats and the passengers, a majority of whom were asloop when the boat struck and were awakened by the shock, dressed hurriedly and came upon the deck. The stewards and purser ran from state-room to stateroom, warning and assist-ing the passengers. There was little excitement.

#### Women Placed in Boats.

The women were placed in a beat which was swing ever the side and lowered to the main deck, but hurried investigation by the officers showed that the ship was in no danger and the women were brought on board again. None of the passengers left the vessel and the stewards passed coffee and fruit among them.

The wireless operator as soon as the ship struck threw out his "S. O. S." and soon had a response from the steamship Tees. The Tees stood by until daylight, when the passengers were transferred without difficulty, the sea being calm.

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mistaking a landmark.

The Northwestern was built at Chester. Pa., in 1889, and was formerly known as the Orizaha. Her net tonnage was 2324. She was valued at \$250,000. The Northwestern went ashore at La Touche Island. Alaska, in 1807, and \$190,000 was spent in repairs after she had been hauled off.

#### FURNITURE FACTORY BURNS

Incendiary Suspected in Oregon City Fire; Loss About \$8000.

OREGON CITY, Dec. 2.- (Special.) fire broke out in the Ofwald furniture manufacturing building between Elev-enth and Tweifth streets, at \$130 o'clock this evening and destroyed the entire structure and contents, entailing a loss

fire department saved them from in-

In the basement of the building three horses were burned to death, it being impossible to rescue them.

#### JAPS ANNIHILATE NATIVES

Troops Sent to Formosa When Rebels Refuse to Give In.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 2-Extreme measures against the rebel natives in Formosa are being taken by the Japanese expeditionary force. Villages occupied by three tribes have been destroyed by gunfire.

The troops are engaged in annihilating the Fermosans in the Shinchiko district following their refusal to surrender.

## CUPID BUSY AT VANCOUVER

Soldier's Sweetheart Comes All Way From New York State.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Louis R. Parker and Miss Margaret Little, accompanied by Mrs. Annie L. Fisher, of Grants Pass, Or., as witness, today secured a marriage license and were married here.

Nick Andrew, First Sergeant in the
First Infantry, and Eather Aplan, who
came all the distance from Medina, New
York, were married here today.

#### "U" BUILDING INADEQUATE

Washington University Finds Large Quarters Much Too Small.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Se-attle Wash, Dec. 2—(Special)—On ac-tain of the Upper Mississippi,

count of the amazing growth of the University of Washington during the past several years, the new buildings dedicated to the institution by the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition are becoming inadequate to accommodate the enroll-

The large Fine Arts building, now accommodating the chemistry department, is crowded to its capacity. More than 700 students are using the building. Dr. Byers, of the chemistry department, said today: "Washington will very soon need a new structure for this department or a large addition to the present quarters. Last year we had no difficulty in making room for students, but now every room and laboratory is crowded."

The university this year is applying to the next Legislature for approximately \$1.000,000. Much of this will be used to secure new instructors and necessary equipment. Ten thousand dollars is being asked for a new hydraulic laboratory. The large Fine Arts building, now ac

## FARMERS ARE JUBILANT

ANTI-STATE ROAD FORCES TO FIGHT IN LEGISLATURE.

After Success in Washington Good Roads Convention, Further Victory Is Forciold.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Dec. 2 .-(Special.)—Farmers of the state are today jubilant over the victory of the anti-state road forces in the Washington Good Roads convention held he this week. They are already planning to carry the fight into the Legislature and are carefully going over the legis-lative ground and picking their tim-

ber.

"It was a great victory for the farmers," said State President Crow, of the Farmers' Union, who is still in the city today. "We won fairly on the question and have won a point that means a great deal to us. We want good, roads, but to get them we must repeal the state-aid law."

"We are well satisfied with the convention," said Local President McLean. "The farmers had their say, and it was theirs to have. They travel the roads."

"The farmers had their say, and it was theirs to have. They travel the roads." James McNeely, who read the minority report of the legislative committee before the convention and championed it to victory, has been unanimously chosen by the farmers to lead the fight in the Legislature. He is a member of the lower house from Pierce County.

The farmers are confident of an-

lerce County. The farmers are confident of an other victory, as in every farming dis-trict the candidates were pledged to the repeal of the state-aid law before they were even nominated. And in ad-lition there is other strong opposition. they say.

#### FANCY BIRDS TO BE SHOWN

Vancouver Prepares for First Annual Poultry Exhibit.

VANCOUVER, Wash, Dec. 2.—(Special)—Preparations for the First Annual Poultry Show to be held in this city, December 14, 15, 16 and 17, are about completed and much interest has been created in the coming event. In the poultry exhibit in the Clark County Harvest Show last Fall more than 200

indicated Show last Fall more than 300 birds were entered.

This poultry show will be on a much larger scale and more than 600 feet of new coops have been installed in the Sparks building, where the show is to be held for the accommodation of the exhibits.

exhibits.

Elmer Dixon, of Oregen City, Or., is to be judge of the exhibits, and many rash prizes, silver cups and diplomas will be awarded. H. C. Shellhous, who will be superintendent of the poultry show to be held in Portland, will have charge of the Clark County show. Those who desire may ship their exhibits from Portland direct to Vancouver after the Portland exhibition.

#### SESSION TIME EXTENDED

Days in Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, Wash, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—A meeting of the Southwest Development League will be held in the Grand Theater in this city, February 14, 15 and 16, and J. E. Barnes, secetary of the association, spent the day in the city making preliminary ar-rangements.

mr. Barnes said that it had been the original plan to hold a two-days' session, but this was too short a time, so three days will be used. Portland will send many delegates, and the Portland Commercial Club will

#### TEN FEET OF SNOW FALLS

give a banquet in Portland to the dele-

Drifts Deep at Headquarters in Crater Lake National Park.

of \$8000. The company manufactured a full line of furniture. The stock was small and with the machinery the loss is estimated at \$7000.

The building was the property of Frank Busch and his loss is placed at \$4600. Several adjoining buildings were in danger for a time but the vigational Park," said Superintendent W. F. Arant yesterday. "When my wife and I left the Government headquarters for department eaved them from inthe department eaved them from invember 20 there was two and a half feet and for 55 hours after we left it snowed

nuously."
Arant left the camp November 39 but did not reach this city until yes-terday. He states that the snow did not

## LOVING CUP GIVEN WEST

Members of Railroad Commission

Present Token.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Os-wald West, Governor-elect, was the resaid West, Governor-elect, was the cipient today of a handsome loving cup-from T. K. Campbell, Clyde B. Aitchi-son and Frank J. Miller, of the State Raliroad Commission. Miller will be-

member tomorrow. The Attorney-General submitted an opinion today that the Board and not the Governor has the appointment of Railroad Commissioner to fill a vacancy, and the Board will immediately act to fill the place left vacant by the resignation

#### Forest Grove Fowls Coming.

Aspersions Cast on Administration Resented by Associate Justice.

ARMY CASE BEING HEARD

"Man to Be Great Soldier Must Bow to Scepter and Be Lickspittle," Words That Give Offense, Are Then Withdrawn.

WASHINGTON. Dec. 2.—Declaring that under the last two administrations is had been necessary in order to "be a great soldier, to bow to the sceptor and be a lickspittle," Alexander H. Bacen, an attorney of New York, today stirred the Supreme Court of the United States.

With some indignation, Associate Justice White interrupted the lawyer with objection to what he termed aspersions upon a co-ordinate branch of the Government, not contained in the record considered by the court. Mr. Bacen withdrew his statements with apploagies.

apologies.

The attorney was arguing that the courts of the District of Columbia had erred in refusing to compel the War Department officials to bring into court for examination the records in the case of Winslow Hart Reeves, Second Lieutenant in the artillers comps and to tenant in the artillery corps, and to

Mr. Bacon asserted that Reeves had uffered from norvous exhaustion while serving in the Philippines and that his physical condition entitled him to reitement on three-fourths pay. In-stead, and by reason of alleged enc-nies in the War Department, it was usserted by Mr. Bacon that Recvex had seen dismissed with only one year's pay.

"In this day of imperialism," said Mr. Bacon, "It seems to be the feel-ing even among judges that the Presi-dent of the United States can do any-

dent of the United States can do any-thing. The time was when an officer would spurn the idea of promotion through his wife's influence. Things have changed now."

In a brief filed in the court in the case, Mr. Bacon said that Lieutenant Reeves' dismissal would be a blot on the fair name of military justice.

"If such methods are to prevail," said he, "every officer will feel that his commission is unsafe in the hands of an unscrupulous department, and that flattery and subserviency are more potent protectors to a commission than potent protectors to a commission than efficiency in the line of duty."

Supreme Court Says Sale of Liquor in "Dry" County Is Illegal.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 2.—Saloon men of Lewiston, as well as the City Council of that city, must obey the laws of the state and not take it upon themselves to place any construction they please on their city charter, since the Supreme Court ruled in an opinion handed down Wednesday in the famous Lawiston liquor case that the sale of liquor in a

"dry" county is filegal.

"The Legislature, by enacting the special charter of the City of Lewiston, did not delegate to the city authority to license persons to sell infoxicating liquors within the city contrary to the general laws of the state," says the

"Special charter cities cannot by er-SESSION TIME EXTENDED dinance make acts lawful that are made criminal by the general laws of the state. When the general law prohibits or makes a certain business criminal. ful by licensing it."

#### KITTERMAN WEDS AGAIN

coming Benedict for Third Time.

SEASIDE. Or., Dec. 2—(Special.)—
Alexander Kitterman, whose second wife died August 28, was married yesterday afternoon to Mrs. Edna Haney, by Judge Brallier, at the residence of the bride, and left on the evening train for Portland.

His second wife died after suffering many weeks from the lodgment of a place of chewing gum in her lungs. She coughed up the gum the day before her death, causing an abscess, which had formed in her throat, to break, and the dectors were unable to check the reaction which followed. Kitterman took her body to Portland for interment in Lone Fir Cemetery boside that of his first wife.

His recent wife hed against on the witness was unwilling to tell what was done with the surplus of the Turf Association. It was "invested" he dectors were unable to check the reaction which followed. Kitterman took her body to Portland for interment in Lone Fir Cemetery boside that of his first wife.

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His present wife had assisted a great
deal during the illness of and after the
death of her predecessor. She has five
children by her first hurband, from
whom she received a divorce a few years ago.

#### HEIGHO CLEARED OF GUILT

Idaho Raliroad President Acquitted of Causing Woman's Death.

CALDWELL. Idaho, Dec. 2.—After 16 hours' deliberation a jury in the District Court here this afternoon returned a verdict acquitting E. M. Heigho of the charge of manslaughter. J. W. Barton, of Weiser, Idaho, was the complaining witness and it was slieged that on the evening of August 7 last Heigho went to his home armed with a revolver and, calling Barton from his house, entered upon an altercation with him. Mrs. Beigiman, a visitor at the Barton home, stepped out of the house, and, seeing the men quarreling and in and, seeing the men quarreling and in the attitude of fighting, fainted. She never recovered consciousness, dying a few hours later of heart fallure. Heigho is president of the Pacific, Idaho & Northern Railroad and is a member of the staff of Governor Brady with the rank of Colonel.

#### DRIVER STEPS INTO RIVER

with the assistance of Wynne Gasoway. policeman, fished Thompson out with a pike pole. His hat was lost in the acci-

To add to his troubles, today Thomp-on was notified that he had resigned from driving a cab for a local liverty

#### PAY ASKED FOR OFFICIALS Ashland Proposes Glving Salary to Mayor and Council.

ASHLAND, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—With the approach of the city election, which will be held on December 20, aspirants for civic honors are beginning to place themselves in evidence. A proposition is being agitated and a petition has already been filed with the Recorder for the purpose of placing the Mayoralty office on a sainry basis.

It is proposed in the petition to make the salary of Mayor \$125 a month. It is also suggested in this petition that members of the City Council ought to receive \$25 a month for their services. It has been decided by the City Council to submit the proposition to the voters at a special election, which has been called for December 14 and at the same time the question of bonding the city for \$170,009 for water works extension will be voted upon. will be voted upon.

#### GOLD CLAIMS STAKED OUT

Vancouver Strike Results in Rush to Nearby Fields.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Spec-lal.)—Several more claims were staked out and filed on today, in the district near where gold was discovered rey. A local surveyor has made a of the district, "The Sifton Gold is," which he is selling to eager

Some are of the opinion that the excitement is started to boom a certain townsite near there, but this is denied. Albert Madsen today said that he had found a rock weighing 22 pounds, bearing gold, some time ago. The gold in the rock can be seen with the naked ye. At any rate, much interest in the gold fields" has been created.

#### JAPANESE GROWING APPLES

Hood River Firm Secures 320 Acres for Countrymen.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)

—M. Yasui & Co., a Japanese firm, has purchased 220 acres of raw land on the West Side, which they intend to clear this Winter and set to trees. The land is good apple land and has been divided to ten-acre tracts and will be sold to

into ten-acre tracts and will be sold to Japanese farmers.

Buyers for this land will come from Washington cities and Japan. The State of Washington does not permit Japanese to own property, hence they look for locations in Oregon. This same firm has 1600 acres near The Dalles which they are selling and farming successfully.

#### GRAFT EVIDENCE IS-GIVEN

(Centinued From First Page.) and 1908, "For appearing before legis-IDAHO "WETS" HARD HIT lative committees, opposing adverse legislation, consultations with various legislators and members of the Jockey Club." One bill was for \$5000 and was dated January 12, 1968.

"Would that indicate that he acted for all the racing associations?" asked Mr. Bruce. "I don't know.

"Of your own knowledge, you can't tell what services Mr. Coyne did for "No, I only know that Mr. Coyne

Speaker Wadsworth Involved. James Wadsworth, Jr., was speaker of the Assembly at the last session of the Legislature and during the

fight against the racing bills. He was at the hearing Wednesday when August Belmont said that previous testimony that rich members of the Jockey Club raised a fund of \$500,000 was absurd. the general aw promines.

Algernon Daingerfield, secretary of the make such business law-the Jockey Club, told of the contributhe Jockey Club, told of the contribu-tions of the various associations to the Jockey Club fund. All but the West-chester and Brighton Associations, he said, contributed to the \$40,000 spe-cial fund. He never saw any bills to show where the money went. He saw mediate rolled to injured employes.

cial fund. He never saw any bills to show where the money went. He saw Coyne at Albany, he said, but had no knowledge of what his services were. John J. Evans, treasurer of the Metropolitan Turf Association, the Bookmaker's Club, was the last witnesses were his occupation as a criff.

### \$120,000 invested.

Clark County Grows Richer. VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 2-(Special.)—The fees of the Clark County Auditor's office for November, 1910, were \$687.40, or \$257.90 more than last were \$687.40, or \$257.90 more than last rear. The number of instruments re-corded was \$68, against \$66 last year. There were 45 marriage licenses dur-ing the month and only 22 in Novem-ber, 1902.

#### Elks to Hold Memorial.

ASHLAND, Or., Dec. 2 .- (Special.) nual memorial services of Ash-The annual memorial services of an land Lodge of Elks will be held on Sunday afternoon, December 4, in their new temple. In addition to the usual ritualistic programme and music, other fea-tures of the services will be addresses by Judge H. L. Benson, of Klamath Falls, and R. T. Burnett, of Medford.

#### Old Race Track Is Sold.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 2 .- (Spec ial.)-The Vancouver race track, built ial.)—The Vancouver race track, built 20 years ago by a race track associa-tion, and which has not been used for several years, was sold by J. H. Norris to Hidden Brothers, yesterday. Sev-eral miles of fence, 150 stalls, and grandstand will be torn down at once.

### Road Expends Big Sum.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—In a report filed with the State Railroad Commission today it is shown that the



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FUND TO BE PROVIDED IN LIEU OF DAMAGE AWARDS.

Commission Named by Governor Hay Prepares Bill to Be Submitted to Legislature.

SEATTLE, Dec. 2 .- The commission appointed by Governor Hay to draft an employers' liability law completed today a bill which it is expected will

These disbursements will, in effect, no book for 13 years. The rolls of the committee showed 150 members, he teetified, against 200 before the Hughes legislation went through.

These dissursements will, in elect, be the payment of sums to compensate injured employes in lieu of a verdict against the employer for damages.

An attempt will be made to fix a certain and definite scale of compensate.

sation covering all classes of employ-ment and all kinds of personal injuries. The scale will provide the compensa-tion to be made in each case on examination by the proposed commission.

The proportion of violent deaths in Washington is larger than in any other political division of the civilized world in which statistics are gathered.

### FIVE COUGARS ARE SLAIN

Forests of Pacific County Yield Big Game to Hunters.

SOUTH BEND, Wash, Dec. 2.— (Special)—The past week has been a disastrous one for cougars in Pacific County, five scalps having been offered at the courthouse for the \$20 bounty on

On Monday Clarence and Clyde Smith killed three just after the cougars had killed three just after the cougars had killed and partially devoured two deer, On Tuesday Peter Thompson killed an-other, and on Wednesday Peter Thomp-son and Charlie Miller killed the fifth. The scene of the killing is on Smith Creek, about ten miles from this city, Another cougar is known to be prowi-ing in that neighborhood, and hunters are after it.

Many cougar scalps have been pre-viously brought to the County Auditor, but never before have they come in "blocks of five."

#### IS BILLBOARD A BUILDING? Important Question Involved in Van-

couver Case.

FOREST GROVE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Forest Grove will be represented at the annual state poultry shown in Portland next week by a number of local poultry fancière. James M. Garrison will exhibit Barred Rocks and Brown Leghorns; George Little-hales will enter Crystal White Orpingtons, and Waiter Roswurm will exhibit mome of his fine Hamburgs.

CASCADE LOCKS, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Henry Gayette Dead.

CASCADE LOCKS, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Henry Gayette died at his home here on Wednesday. He was formerly a well-known steamboat captain of the Upper Mississippi.

Man Lingers on Vancouver Ferry Particle Rallway & Navigation Company has so far expended \$2,357,788.75 toward the completion of its lines. Of this \$1.478,413.75 was expended since June 30, 1902.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Is a billhoard on a corner lot a billho

Mary McHale, who was refused permission to repair by the City Council. The work was started on Sunday, it being al-leged that this was done to evade the

Council.

The case was taken from the Police Court to that of E. M. Scanion, Justice of the Peace, and today nearly every city official, including the Mayor, Councilmen, Chief of Police and City Clerk, were subpensed as witnesses. The case was taken under advisement until Saturday.

Portland, were married here today, Rev. H. N. Mount, of the Presbyterian Church, officiating. Mr. Cunningham is asso-ciated with the Peninsula Lumber Com-pany, of Portland, where the couple will reside.

The aviators of today

are the forerunners of

"Newlyweds" Given Reception.

official, including the Mayor, Councilmen, Chief of Police and City Clerk, were subpensed as witnesses. The case was taken under advisement until Saturday.

Portland Man Wins Eugene Girl.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Miss Ruth Eddings, prominent in local music circles, and Clifford Cunningham, of

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