Evidence Against Wappenstein in Alleged Bribery Case Due Tomorrow.

FOE IS CAST OUT

Judge Decides He Erred in Prohibsting Challenge of Y. M. C. A. Campaigner--Prosecution Outlines Its Procedure.

SEATTLE Wash, May 25-When court opens Wednesday morning the trial of Charles W. Wappenrich, ex-Chief of Pedice, on a charge of accepting a bribe of E000 to permit the operation of disorderly houses in the old King street vice district, will be th full swing.

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Mr. Murphy described the steps, that would be traced by the state, including the preliminary napotisations alleged to have been made by Wappenstein Gerald and Tupper, the manner in which Wappenstein is said to have used the police to keep theek on a number of women is the resorts and the alleged paying of brites to Wappenstein to prevent bank checks from being traced through the banks.

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The jurors selected to try the case are H. V. Miller, a mechanic! D. M. Duetsch, salesman; William H. Schorey, mer-chant; J. W. Kochler, carpenter: George F. Gray, merchant; Conrad Olean, farm-F. Gray, merchant; Conrad Ogen, rarmer; Honry Schwarble, transfer employe; E. J. McCartney, merchant tailor; E. Vanderwel, maricer; J. W. Wildermuth, chrosas messenger; O. Gunderson, carpenter; John Lang, baker.

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When the trial of Wappenstein was resumed today, Judge Main said that upon consideration he found himself in error in vertusing to permit the defense to challenge for cause flugh V. Whybern, a member of the Young Men's Christian Association, a contributor to the recall fund, against Mayor Gill and a worker against Gill in the recall campaign. Whyborn was, therefore, excused.

CORNERSTONE IS LAID

Fifty Thousand Dollar High School Building Dedicated Today.

UNION, Or. May 25.—(Special.)—The cornerations of the \$50,000 high school building being erected at this place was laid today with appropriate caremony by the Masonic grand lodge of Oregons Grand Master Wolverton having commissioned Past Grand Master W. T. Wright, of this place, as master of caramonics.

After the ritualistic ceremonies, State perintendent of Public Instruction L. Alderman was introduced as the rator of the day. In a well-chosen adcongratulated the people of Union upon the interest they were taking in the velfare of the rising generation.

The building is to be completed by he contractors on or hefore August 20.

UNIDENTIFIED BODY FOUND Man Over Stx Feet in Height Found in Channel Near Tongue Point.

ASTORIA, Or., May 18 .- (Special.)-ASTORIA. Or. May II.— (Special.)—
The body of an unidentified man was
picked up in the river this morning in
smith's Channel, near Tongue Point,
and was taken charge of by Coroner
Gubaugh. The body was that of a
man nearly six feet in height and
reighing about 178 pounds. It had
been in the water for a long time and
Mentification will be difficult.

Harrisburg Bank to Bulld.

HARRISBURG. Or., May 25.—(Special.)—The contract for the construction of a building for the Farmers & Marchants State Bank here has been by to T. H. Ellis, of Rugene, for \$10,-606. The building is to be of concrete and two stories high. The first floor will be occupied by the new bank and a store, the banking room to be finished in oak. The second floor will contain a ledge room for the Masons. Four office rooms will also be on the contain a longe room for the masons. Four office rooms will also be on the second floor. Construction work will begin at once and is to be completed in 30 days. W. H. Hand, of Albany, is

Hillsbore Beotlegger Pardoned.

he architect.

HILLSBORO, Or, May 18 .- (Special.) HILLSBOHO, Or, May 23.—(Special) -- Charles Jones, who was sentenced fanuary 21 by Jurigo Campbell to pay a fine of \$350 and serve 175 days in all, was released Sunday morning having been pardough by Govarnor West, is had 132 days of his sentence yet to serve. Four indistinguish were returned earlier. Jones for the Ulifety will be a paid to the University of the paid to the p mainist Jones for the illicit sale of quor at the Sweensy construction amps. Judge Campbell and District interner Tongue signed the petition or Jener pardon. The parton does for Jones' pardon. The parton does of his time is not include three indictments for which Cawston lives.

\$5,000,000 Mortgage Taken.

HILLSBORO, Or., May 29,-(Special.) The Washington-Oragon Corporation Saturday filed with the Recorder a merigage to the Fidelity Trust Com-pany, of Palladeiphia, to obtain a bend lause of \$5,000,000. The morigage covers all the property in the county owned by the company and is also filed in all counties of Oregon and Washi-terior, is which the compression over ington in which the corporation oper-

School Census Show 30 Gain.

SOUTH BEND, Wash, May 18. SOUTH BEND. Wash. May 12-i Special. — According to the counts of school district No. 31, just taken, which includes a large portion of this city, the number of children of school age is 382, or 50 more than one year ago. It will be necessary to provide addi-tional school room facilities for the sounds school room facilities for the DOG, SNATCHING TOY WAGON WHEEL WITH ITS TEETH, SAVES LITTLE MASTER FROM BAD FALL



BIRNS Or. May 19.—(Special.)—Geary Clevenger, son of G. W. Clevenger, Mayor, and the old family dog, "Stub." are constant companions. The animal is of the cattle dog breed, but long ago abandoned all ambition in that line and devotes himself entirely to "housework" and the care of his little master.

Geary and his playmate, Burns McGowan, were riding down the hill on the sidewalk in front of Mayor Clevenger's store, a few days ago, in a little wagon. Stub," apparently, was ableed on the store steps. At that point the sidewalk is about two feet above the street. As the boys reached the danger spot the wagon veered and was about to run off the walk, but Stub," whose weather sye was open, made a quick fump and anatched one of the wagon wheels in his teeth, holding it on the very edge of the walk and saving the lads from a bad tumble.

Sidney H. Crawston Said to Be in Contempt.

DAUGHTER IS INVOLVED

Complicated Case Sald to Hinge Upon Failure to Answer Summons in Preliminary Hearing

Against Business Man.

A bench warrant from the Circust Court is pending against Sidney H. Cawaton, a dealer in sawmill ma-chinery and at one time a prominent member of the Commercial Club. Cawa-ton is accused of contempt of court in failing to answer to a summons for proceedings preliminary to the trial of a suit for \$4000 in which he is the de-fendant. He is said to have crossed the river to Vancouver upon the eve of

the river to Vancouver upon the eve of being served, taking with him his daughter, who was a pupil in a local seminary (St. Helen's Hall).

At the time of the proceedings the defendant is said to have had upon his person the sum of \$15,000, and it was with a view to bringing this money within reach of an attachment that the preliminary proceedings were undertaken. It is said that the money was the proceeds of a suit or threatened suit, recently settled by a wealthy San Francisco machinery dealer.

dealer.

The suit in which Cawston is de-fendant is an action brought originally in Seattle for the recovery of \$4000, and to be due from Cawston to a former, partner upon a promissory note. Cawston had been a resident of Seattle for some years and left there recently, bringing with him the daughter, whose custody, it is said, had been awarded to the mother in a divorce decree granted in Seattle on April 18. Mrs. Cawston, former wife of the fugitive, is said to be in Portland with a view to recovering the custody of her daughter.

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Since his return from Seattle Cawston has lived at the Angelus Hotel.
Hecently he rented a cottage at Seattle for the season. His place of business for the season. side for the season. His place of busi-neef was at 75 First Street and the effects there probably will be attached in his legal affairs here Cawston was represented by Cake & Cake and Wilbur & Spencer.

"CRUELITY" DIVORCE CHARGE

Cawston Secures Papers on Grounds

Alleged by Wife Then Dropped. SEATTLE, Wash, May 29,-(Spe-ial.)-Sydney H. Cawston obtained a divorce by default April 18, from his wife, Pearl Cawston. The ground al-leged was cruelty, which consisted principally of charges made against principally of charges made against him in a former divorce action which she started against him in the Clark County Court at Vancouver, but afterward dropped. Cawston was formerly in the machinery business were as a member of a small firm known as Cawston, Carney & Co.

He still retains a legal residence in Scattle but is supposed to spend most of his time in Portland, where Mrs. Cawston lives.

200 JOIN MOOSE LODGE

Vancouver Branch Is Established. Portland Members Aid.

VANCOUVER, Wash, May 28.—(Special)—A lodge of the Loyal Moose was instituted here tonight when about 200 members were initiated.
Two special cars filled with Portland Moose arrived at 8 o'clock and assisted in putting on the work.

A banquet was served.

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the Marshfield High School this year. The commencement exercises will be held June 7, at the Masconic operahouse. The class is composed of Misses Nellie Tribbey. Belva Falangan, Mary Hanson, Alice Curtis and Joe Bennett. Eric Bolt and John Parguson.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. H. I. Buttedge the evening of June 4, and the class-day exercises will be held June 5. The address to the graduates will be delivered by William Jasper Kerr.

Seven will also graduate from the North Bend High School. The exercises will be held June 6. The graduates are Helen Rosa Mende. Ellen Andarson, Grace H. Fulton, Edith M. Aliger, Freda M. Hazer, Clarence R. Kibbler and Hilda S. Lindstrom. The commencement address will be delivered by Professor W. J. Kerr, of the Oregon Agricultural College. The annual class day will be held tone where Rev. D. A. McLeod will defeated the seven will be delivered with defeated with decime where Rev. D. A. McLeod will defeated the seven Even D. A. McLeod will defeated the seven D. A. McLeod will defeated the seven D. McLeod lege. The annual class day will be held June 4, when Rev. D. A. McLeod will de-liver the annual address. The graduation exercises of the Ban-don High School will be held May 31.

ORE LINKS DRAW THUGS

MAN PELLED IN HOME, GOLD . CHAIN AND \$1000 TAKEN.

Captain J. B. Smith, of Everett, Is Victim of Daylight Criminals. Police Search in Vain.

EVERETT, Wash., May 29,-(Spe cial.)-Captain J. B. Smith, who claims relationship with millionaire wholesalers of the same name, was robbed at 1 o'clock this afternoon in his home here of his famous gold chain valued at \$1000, and \$1000 in cash. Two men rushed into his home, struck him over the head with a piece of gaspipe, knocking him senseless, and tied a gunny sack over his head. Then they took his chain and cash and everything else of value on his person and left the place.

Mr. Smith was alone in his home at the time and when he recovered and notified the police the robbers had made their escape. The entire police force joined in the search for the rob-

Mr. Smith came to the Coast from Montona, where he was engaged as a contractor. He is well known at Helena and in the Bitter Root Valley. From Alder Guich, where so many fortunes were obtained, he panned the gold with which the heavy chain he were around his neck was made. He lived for some time at Portland. Smith's relatives never visit him here, but him remittances through

EDITOR GETS APPOINTMENT

Charles H. Fisher and A. C. Dixon Named on Board of Regents.

SALEM. Or. May 29. — (Special.)—Charles H. Fisher, editor of the Eugene Guard, has been named as a member of the Board of Regents for the University of Oregon to succeed M. L. Butler. A. C. Dixon, also a resident of Eugene, has been appointed another member of the Board of Regents. seen appointed and Board of Regents.

Dixon's appointment is under the new law which provides for an additional member of the Board of Regents, and consequently he succeeds no one.

GUN ENDS RANCHER'S LIFE Wilbur Mellick, Despondent, Kills Himself With Revolver.

GRANTS PASS, Or., May 29 .- (Special.) GRANTS PASS, Or., May 22—(Special.)—Wilbur Mellick, living on a ranch near here, committed suicide today by shooting himself through the head with a revolver. Despendency is believed to have been the motive for his act.

Mellick and his wife had been working on the farm since last March, Mellick's body was found in his bedroom by his eldest child.

Cross-Country Jaunt Begun.

MARSHFIELD GRADUATES 7

Exercises to Be Held June 7—North

Bend Class Same Size.

MARSHFIELD, Oc. May 28.—(Special)

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Sevan pupils' will be graduated from

Securities Must Be Returned to Bankrupt Firm.

CREDITORS WILL BENEFIT

Court Rules Falled Vancouver Institution Shall Turn Over \$12,000 in Property to Trustee for Moore & Hardin.

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 29.—(Special).—The Commercial Bank of Vancouver, which failed for about \$400,000 December 19, 1811, will lose about \$12.—

couver, which failed for about \$400.000
December 19, 1811, will lose about \$12.600 in assets, as an order signed by
Judge McMaster, of the Superior Court,
today, made it necessary for the bank
to deed back to H L Parcel, as trustees for Moore & Hardin, bankrupts,
all of the property deed to the bank to
secure their losss.

A statute makes it compulsory for
any property, transferred to any third
party within four menths of the time
the application for hankruptcy is made,
to be deeded back for the benefit of
the creditors, provided that the party
is declared insolvent and bankrupt.

When the bank falled the firm of
Moore & Hardin deeded to the Commercial Bank everything they had,
practically, and in a few weeks they
were forced into bankruptcy. Now
that property has to be deeded back
to the trustee for the creditors and
the Commercial bank will be treated
the same as any of the other creditors.

The property so affected by the law
in this case includes 60 acres of land
near Sifton, a brickyard in Fruit Valley, which has been sold for \$4700; a
half interest in the launch Sacajawes,
valued at \$1000, a concrete mixer and
donkey engine, and John-Hardin's restdence.

There will be a contest about the

There will be a contest about the residence. as Mardin claims exemption of his equity, \$2000, but it is probable this will be decided in court.

Moere has \$742 in property exempt and Hardine was allowed \$785, besides the home, which will be contested.

The firm of Moore & Hardin owes approximately \$100,000. Of this amount it is said the bank is creditor to the sum of about \$72,000.

HARBOR PLANS ALTERED

THAAMOOK PORT NOT TO ISSUE \$425,000 BONDS.

Engineer Advises Use of South Channel-Pipeline Dredge Recommended-Phone Ready.

TILLAMOOK, Or., May 29.—(Special.)

—Upon the recommendation of Engineer Lockwood the Port of Tillamook will not bond the district for \$425,000. It has been decided not to appropriate any money for bar improvements or for a north jetty, Engineer Lockwood not approving that work. He recommended use of the south channel of the bay and advised the Commissioners to fill in the Trask cut-off, which was disproved by the Government.

TILLAMOOK, Or., May 29.—(Special.)

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A small hydraulic, pipeline dredge, with a rotary cutter, costing from \$50,-800 to \$60,000, has also been recomnended and to make the necessary har

mended and to make the necessary harbor improvements from this city to the
bay, it is proposed to dispose of enough
bonds to build the dredge and raise by
taxation enough money to do the work,
which will cost about \$100,000.

An effort will be made when the
Port of Bayoccan is organized, to cooperate with the Port of Tillamook in
having the Sturgeon Channel opened.
That is regarded by the engineer as
the best channel that could be obtained,
but as the Government put in jetty the best channel that could be obtained, but as the Government put in jetty work and cut off that channel some years ago, conditions have changed now that the south side of the bay needs a channel. Should the Sturgeon Channel be decided upon eventually, that would relieve the Port of Tillamook of keeping open a channel in the hay, as that is in the Port of Bayocsan territory, or within half a mile of Dick's Point.

The telephone line between Tilla-

The telephone line between Tilla-mook City and Bayoccan is complete and in working order.

BLACKMAIL IS CHARGED

Alleged Libeler of Vice-Consul Is Said to Have Asked \$500.

TACOMA, Wash, May 29 .- (Special.) —Allegations of attempted blackmail were made by the state today in the case of Carl D. Blom, on trial for alleged libeling of Norwegian Vice-Consul Dirk Blaziw. Sworn to by C. Consul Dirk Blaauw. Sworn to by C. D. Sagery, court stenoghapher, who testified that he had been in a room next to that occupied by Carl Blom, Dirk Blaauw and John Blaauw, at the home of Dick Blaauw, shortly after the charges were published, a conversation of sensational nature was introduced in the transcript of nets taken at that time.

According to this testimony Carl Blom said he had not believed Dirk Blaauw guilty at any time and agreed to clear him, perjuring himself on the witness stand if necessary, providing the Blaauws paid him \$500.

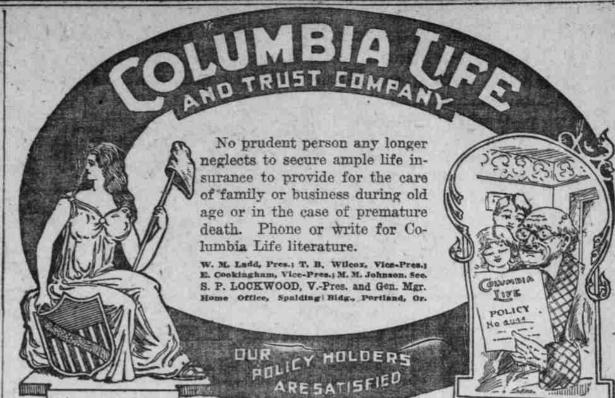
MATCHES KILL BABE TWINS

Olympia Infants Are Victims of Phosphorus Poisoning.

OLYMPIA. Wash. May 28.—Phosphorus poisoning caused the deaths of Cora Belle and Dora Belle Kline, the twin 21-months old daughters of H. ... Kline, of Olympia, today. The babes ate the heads of several matches last Tuesday. At first it was thought they had measles.

The parents do not know how the children got the matches and it was not known that they had eaten them until a physician was called to treat them for what was supposed to be measles.

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a charter.

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Rock Barge Being Raised.

Albany Alumnus Preaches Adieu. ALBANY, Or., May 29 .- (Special.)-Fred W. Neal, of Turner, a member of the class of 1908 of Albany College ASTORIA. Or., May 29 .- (Special.) - gave a farewell sermon in the First



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