NOTHER SEEKS KEY TO SON'S MEMORY

Mrs. C. E. Lelberg Traces Marvin to Hillsboro Where He Worked in Summer.

ALIENIST CALLED IN CASE

Young Man of Dual Personality Is Firm in Declaration That He Has No Recollection of His Past Life.

HILLSBORO. Or. Nov. &—(Special.)
—In an endeavor to piece together the broken threads in the memory of her son, Bernard Marvin, who is apparently the subject of a strange case of dual personality, Mrs. C. E. Leiberg arrived here today from Eugene. Knowing that her son, who denies all knowledge of his parentage, was employed here last Summer as a civil engineer by T. S. Wilkes & Son, to draft a map of Washington County, Mrs. Leiberg hopes to discover information which may serve to recall her boy's memory of the past.

of the past.
Accompanied by Dr. W. T. William Accompanied by Dr. W. T. Williamson, an aliented of Portland, Mrs. Leiberg left tonight for Eugene. It is her purpose to have Dr. Williamson examine her son with reference to his mental condition. She is positive that her son is not shamming and expresses the belief that he may have met with some accident that has clouded his mentality. Marvin Always Weak.

Her sen's life from boyhood, Mrs. Leiberg mays, tends to show that Mar-vin's apparent mental lapse is but the natural outcome of an inherently weak physical condition. "When Bernard was born," said Mrs. Leiberg "he weighed but three pounds.

When bernard was born," said Mrs. Leibers, "he weighed but three pounds. He was always a weakly child. Until 5 years old he was unable to walk. He was pscullar and extremely sensitive. While attending college at Berkeley his letters to me showed that he was always abashed, yet he stood high in his studies.

in his studies.
"I cannot understand his present mental attitude.
"I have visited Hillsboro to see if I can find anything which may recall his life before the thread was broken.

Mother's Face Stranger's.

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"All the way from Eugene to my home he saked for my residence and I cannot comprehend the lapse under the circumstances. He talked very rationally and was positive on all subjects except when he came to his maternity, when he absolutely denied all knowledge of his mother, asserting that his name was Lewis and that he had never seen me.

"I have always given him plenty of money and when he worked for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, in Montanh, he was of a saving disposition and at one time had kept \$1000 of his earnings. He was penniless when he reached my home."

When Marvin came to Hillsboro last Spring he was penniless and asked Shariff Hancock to give him lodging in the jail. Hancock gave him some money and, upon being told that Marvin was a civil engineer, secured work for him. Marvin worked here until late in the Summer, when he suddenly disappeared. Officials searched the river banks, in the belief that he had committed suicide. Later developments, however, proved that Marvin had left the city, owing a considerable heard bill, and that the effects he left benind would only in small part pay the obligation. behind would only in small part pay

Sweetheart Refuses Suit. so far as is known, and it is thought here that if he is demented it is a queer coincidence that, while he left debts, he was very prompt in getting all the money due him.

all the money due him.

Letters found after his departure showed that he had been in correshowed that he had been in correspondence with a young girl by the name of King, 14 years of age, in the Silets, and that she had declined to marry him. The girl excused herself on account of her age and the distinction between the families. on account of her age and the distinc-tion between the families. Her fam-ily were settlers on the Sileta, while her mother was a society woman in a sense, as well as a physician Part of a note was found bearing on the girl's refusal of Marvin, on which was written by Marvin, as though speaking to himself: "You fool! This is the time you will love and be betrayed

by a woman."

Marvin is said to have borrowed \$50 from a man here, while his employer was absent in the mountains, alleging that he had taken in a \$400 con ing that he had taken in a \$400 con-tract for plats. He represented that he wanted this money to pay his hotel bill, but not a dollar of it was applied in that manner. After leaving Hills-boro he appeared at the home of an aunt of the young girl with whom he was infatuated and gave his hame as Lewis and denied that he was Marvin, although they knew him well. It is significant that from the Shetz he went to Leaberg, in Lane County, where his

MARVIN REFUSES TO TALK

Victim of Dual Personality Will Not

Discuss His Case. EUGENE, Or. Nov. 6.—(Special.)—
Maintaining that he is bot the son of
Mrs. C. E. Lieberg, a graduate of Berkeley, or a givil engineer, but is George
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unable to recall events longer than six weeks ago, yet showing in his speech and hearing that he is a man of education and refinement. Bernard Marvin, or George A. Lewis, the strange victim of dual personality, or of mistaken identity, is a pumiling man.

He is suspicious of the woman who calls him her son, and asserts that his part he is silent.

He refuses to discuss his case in any way. The only statement that he would give out tonight is that there has undeubtedly been a mistake made in identity, which will be cleared later.

The last word received by Mrs. Letberg from her son, Bernard Marvin, was six weeks ago. He was a civil engineer in the employ of the Southern Parific and was stationed at Hillsboro when the letter was written. Since that time she has not heard a word from her son. She went to Hillsboro resterday, in the hope of securing some information that will aid her in clearnformation that will ald her in clear-

information that will sid her in clear-ing up the mystery.

Dr. W. A. Koykendall, who has ex-amined the young man, cays that there-seems no doubt but that he is Bernard Marvin, and the son of Mrs. Leiberg. He thinks that there is no doubt that the case is one of laysed memory or dual personality, due, in all probability, to a blow on the head.

New Plants Projected.

MEDFORD, Or., Nov. 6.—(Special.)— Planes rented, 24 per month. Robber The first public announcement of the & Chase, 375 Washington street.

Siskiyou Electric Company, which recently took over the Rogue River Electric Company, paying \$2,206,000 for the local company's plant, was made today when it was declared that two new power plants are to be constructed, one at Fall Creek, which will develop 4000 horsepower, and the second on the Klamath River, which will develop 10,000 horsepower.

It is the plan of the company to combine all these stations on the same system, which, with the new Prospect plant and the plant at Gold Ray, will make a combined horsepower of 27,000.

The company also announces that it intends to put two more units in the Prospect plant for 10,000 horsepower each, which it believes will furnish all the slectric power that Southern Oregon will need for electric lines, light, heat and manufacturing.

The Prospect plant will be completed by the first of the year. It has been built in the mountains 50 miles east and north of Medford, on the Crater Lake road, at a cost of \$500,000.

Two hundred men have been working there since last March and 14,000

GRAND ARMY VETERANS BURY COMRADE WITH MILI-TARY HONORS.



The Late Marion Naught. OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 6,-(Special.) — Marion Naught, who died Saturday night, was given a military burial this afternoon by members of Meade Post No. 2. The pailbearers were G. A. Harding, J. Doremus, J. J. Maliatt, W. W. Freeman, G. W. Midlam and F. M. Ciyde. The floral offerings were beautiful. Edward Mo-Parland sounded taps.

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Marion Naught was born in
Hilmots, March 29, 1838, and came
to Oregon in 1852. He settled in
Polk County, later enlisting at
Port Vancouver in Company A of
the Pirst Oregon. After the close
of the war Mr. Naught made his
home in the Molalla country. He
disposed of this land and resided
in Oregon City for the past 14
years, making his headquarters
at the store of George Young,
where he met many friends daily.
Mr. Naught was married three
different times, his wives having
passed away many years ago. He
is survived by the following
children: Mrs. W. A. Kutch. of
Milton, Or.; John L. Naught, of
Los Angeles, Cal; Leonard
Naught, of Hickleton, Wash.: Frank
P. Naught, of Bickleton, Wash.

tons of machinery has been transported over the rough mountain roads by horse and wagon.

EXIT FROM ROOM IS BLOCKED BY SHEET OF FLAME.

Seattle Man Mistakes Gasoline for Kerosene When Attempting to Stimulate Blaze in Stove.

BEATTLE, Wash, Nov. 6,—(Special.)

Bernard Johnson, a sand and gravel worker, atempted to spur on a smould-ering fire with gasoline poured from a five-gallon can, in a tent shack occupied by himself and three fellow-workmen on the Lake Washington canal portage, shortly before noon today, and an explosion followed. Trapped by a locked door, the four men fought through the cauddron of flames and es-caped through the burned canvas with their lives, but Johnson and Arch Sell-

their lives, but Johnson and Arca sea-ers were probably fatally burned, and Peter J. Taylor and Carl Blenhelm also received serious burns. Taylor says that the four men. all but Blenheim, employed by Contractor G. M. Kruse, have been living in the shack for some time and that, with no shack for some time and that, with do work today, they were late arising. All were scated above the stove, the fire having smouldered and burned low through lack of attention, when Johnson picked up a five-gallon can almost filled with gaseline, by mistake, intendpick up another can which was with kerosene. He began to pour the gasoline on the burning wood.

STATE FUNDS GO RAPIDLY Unpaid Warrants Are Met After Delay of Two Months.

SALEM, Or. Nov. 6.—(Special.)— More than \$80,000 of the state's money was taken up today by those who pre-sented warrants which in August and September were stamped 'not paid for want of funds.' There was \$220,000 worth of such warrants outstanding at the opening of the day, the call for this class going out last.
The warrants carry 6 per cent inter-

when the warrants of this kind are fully peld the general fund will be approaching depletion. The balance of the \$140,000 outstanding taxes for the second half will, however, meet the

MURDER CASE IS BEGUN Mike Morgan on Trial at Grants Pass for York Killing.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Nov. 6.—(Special.)—Circuit Court opened today with Judge Calkins on the bench. The day was set aside for the trial of Mike Morgan, accused of Alling John E. York July 13, 1911. York, who befriended the defendant, was struck over the temple with a club a rope was tied around the insensible man's neck and the body was dragged to Regue River where log chains were anchored around it and the body thrown in the river.

Eight days after the crime was committed Morgan was arrested. He confessed to killing York, but alleged self-defense.

GENEROUS OREGON

State Pours \$13,332,066 Into Reclamation Fund by Sale of Public Lands.

JUST SHARE IS .DESIRED

Governor Receives Figures of Sum Contributed - Money for Projects' Completion Deemed

SALEM. Or. Nov. 5.—(Special.)—Figures secured by Governor West from the Commissioner of the General Land Office show that the State of Oregon has furnished to the reclamation fund through the sale of public lands \$13,-32,066 after all expenses have been deducted, including the 5 per cent given to the respective states from the net proceeds of the sale of public lands in those states. This in Oregon amounted to \$701,587, being 5 per cent of \$14,083,-755, total not proceeds after expenses of sales. of sales.

Under the law this portion of the proceeds is turned over to the states to be used for roads, schools, or as the Legislature may from time to time

Taft Sends Data, The Governor secured these figures as a result of his conference with President Taft when he was in Halem several dent Taft when he was in Salem several weeks ago. At the time Governor West urged that President Taft take up the matter of the completion of irrigation projects in Oregon, declaring to the President that Oregon had been the largest contributor to the reclamation fund through the sale of public lands and had received the smallest benefit from the sale of such lands.

The figures showing that Oregon has contributed more than \$12,000,300 to-

contributed more than \$12,000,000 to-ward the reclamation fund were se-cured to bear out the statements of the Governor along this line. The major portion of this money has been secured

in recent years.

Governor West recently wrote to the President again calling his attention to the promise relative to giving attention to the Umstilla project and the President has answered, saying that he has the matter under consideration and will give it his earliest possible attention.

Work Proceeds on Projects.

On the West Umatilla project, work on which has not started, the estimated expense will be \$5,600,000. The Umatilla project proper is about \$2 per cent completed, \$1,23,000, approximately, having been expended on this, according to figures available in the office of the State Engineer, as shown by reports of the reclamation service. On the Klamath project, about \$2,000,000 has been expended, about \$2,000,000 has been expended, about \$2,000,000 has been expended, about \$5 per cent of the work having been completed, barring two smaller units.

The Governor believes that a large share of the money which has gone out of Oregon from the sale of its public lands should be turned back into the state for the completion of the Oregon projects, which are either under way or for which plans have been made, such Work Proceeds on Projects.

for which plans have been made, such as the West Umatilla project.

It is pointed out that Oregon's ambitions so far along the lines of Government reclamation have been rather cramped by the fact that these reclamations eramped by the fact that these reclama-tion projects are puny compared to some that the Government has already prosecuted the work upon to comple-tion, and it is asserted that this state is entitled to the completion of those projects already under way at least, owing to the vast sum of money which the state has poured into the reclama-tion funds through the wholesale dis-posal of its public lands.

CLARK SHIPS 150 CARS Prune Output for Season Valued at Approximately \$425,000.

VANCOUVER, Wash, Nov. 6.—(Special)—Prunes shipped from Clark County this year amount to approximately 150 carloads. Valued at \$2800 a car, the crop is worth \$425,000. Owing to unfavorable weather, the pack this year is about 100 cars short.

this year is about 160 cars short.

The largest shipments from the county were made by the J. K. Armsby Company, which has shipped consignments to London, Liverpool, Gothenburg, Hamburg, Defienburg, Stockholm, Antwerp and several other foreign cities. This company's pack will be about 55 or 60 cars.

The E. L. French Company, of Ellsworth, will ship about 60 to 45 carloads, 16 cars of which were sold in the State of Washington. Mr. French has not shipped any Clark County prunes abroad this year, but has exported some from his plant in Southern Oregon.

The A. C. Burdick Company has shipped quite a number of cars, and Mason-Ehrman and Lang & Co., of Portland, have bought prubes in this county and packed them in Portland.

Irrigation System Enlarged.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Nov. 6.—(Special)—The Chicago-Rogue River Company is making preparations to enlarge the trrigation system around Grants Pass. A member of the company has been East and procured machinery and equipment to run all Winter. This week a large force of men will be put on at the head works to extend the concrete work beneath the river. All retaining walls will be strengthened to resist any flood. Two large ditch diggers will arrive in a few days and these will be put on the big gravity ditch that leads to the lower river valley. These machines will be operated day and night. valley. These machi erated day and night.

Stayton Lands Sold.

WEST STATTON, Or., Nov. 8 .- (Spa-WEST STATTON, Or, Nov. 5.—(Special.)—J. H. Hartog was here Saturday to select 20 tracts of five acres each, sold to Portland men. These tracts will be set out this Fall to apples and pears. Several tracts near tracts will be set out this Fail to apples and pears. Several tracts near here were recently sold by the same firm to irrigationists from the Spokane Valley, who will set the land to apples this Winter. The soil around here is especially adapted to fruit and this new enterprise will change the entire complexion of this locality, which has

Our Store Will Be Closed Today and Will Open Wednesday Morning

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We are going to retire from the RETAIL Cloak and Suit business in order that we may take care of our present wholesale trade and engage more extensively in the WHOLESALE MANUFACTURE of Ladies' Garments. All our Ready-to-Wear Garments must be closed out. All our Cloths and Woolens will be sold by the yard or made up for your special order at sacrifice prices.

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This retiring sale will begin tomorrow (Wednesday) morning and continue until all stock and fixtures and location are disposed of.

Full particulars in this evening's and Wednesday's

ACHESON CLOAK & SUIT CO.

West Park and Morrison.

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TRICK CHARGED

Rivals Clash in Contest for State Hospital Contracts.

PROPOSALS THROWN OUT

West Coast Engineering Company Files Complaint That System of Submitting Bids Is Outcome of "Frame-Up"

SALEM, Or., Nov. 6.—(Special.)—Pro-test by the West Coast Engineering Company of Portland that the Pacific Fire Extinguisher Company, the lowest bidder on the wiring for the Eastern Oregon Branch Insane Hospital, had falled to live up to the require-ments of the law and had not submitted its bid in proper form, resulted in all of the bids being thrown out and at the same time brought forth declara-tions that a war is being carried on between contracting firms in Portiand and the allegation that the form of bid submitted by the Pacific Fire Extin-

submitted by the Pacific Fire Extinguisher Company was merely a trick and a blind to dupe the members of the State Asylum Board.

These allegations were made by representatives of the West Coast Engineering Company. The Pacific Fire Extinguisher Company's bid was over \$13,000 for the wiring and the West Coast Company was second lowest bidder, its bid being \$17,000, however. Bids Generally Uniform.

Two other bids were practically the same as the bid by the West Coast Company. The Hassaio Engineering Company's bid, however, was far in excess of the bids submitted by the other

cess of the bids submitted by the other firms.

R. G. Littler and Attorney Daniel of Portland were the protestants who said that the bid of the Pacific Company was not in form and the protest was acknowledged by the board. Representatives of the West Coast Company desired to have the lowest bid thrown out and the contract awarded to their company on the ground that the lowest bid could not be received and accepted as being out of the form required by the board and consequently invalid.

Governor West declared that such could not be done, as he did not intend to see the state deprived of the extra \$4900 because the lowest bidder omitted having its bid in proper form. The board took the same attitude and decided to advertise for bids to be opened in five days.

Trick is Alleged.

Valley, who will set the land to apples this Winter. The soil around here is especially adapted to fruit and this new enterprise will change the entire complexion of this locality, which has hitherto been a grain and hay country.

Vancouver Meets Goldendale.

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Vancouver High School will be at Goldendale. December 1, when the three debaters of the local school, Lester Wood, Magdaline Hjertans and Lloyd Hathaway, will meet the Goldendale team. The question to be debated is, "Resolved. That the conservation of our natural resources should be a function of the state, rather than of the National Government." Vancouver has the affirmative side. Trick Is Alleged.

a contract.
He declared that the same trick had ben worked in Portland in connection

with the Hawthorne bridge and the County Courthouse.

Timbermen Ask Lower Tax.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Nov. 6 .- (Spe-Coos County has heard a number of petitions of timber owners who asked that the assessment of the timber lands in the county be lower. Some changes were made in individual cases but the



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general petition for a lowering of the assessment was turned down by the is being kept in the City Jali, He will be given a preliminary hearing tomorrors that the assessment of timber land was not equitable as compared to the Ericson & Hanson, contractors, when Search for Gold Rewarded.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Nov. 5.—
(Special.)—Dr. Oglesby, of this city. has satisfied a desire he has nursed for years to revisit a mining district in California and find a mine which his later experience had told him he had nearly run onto when prospecting in that country in his youth, and he has written to his daughter here that he has indeed found a rich gold-bearing piece of property just as he expected.

Alleged Check "Raiser" Jailed.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 6,-(Special)—William L. Baton, 26 years old, who is alloged to have "raised" a check from \$5 to \$50 and had George McKee



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Ericson & Hanson, contractors, when he was given the \$5 check.

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