## ELECTION DAY IS UNUSUALLY QUIET

City Resembles Country Hamlet While Voters Are Deciding Politicians' Fate.

WAGERS RECORDED

Campaigning Is Indulged In. Bourne Backers Offer Bets During Whole Afternoon.

No arrests, an absolute lack of violence or even threats of it, and little excitement of any kind, characterized the primary election held yesterday. Everything was as peaceful and screne as the streets of a country hamlet, many miles removed from a railroad, on an average afternoon.

Politician, and near politicians gath-ered on the street corners of the down-layer section and swapped guesses.

lown section and swapped guesses about what the voters were doing, and sometimes made small bets of drinks

er cigars on the outcome, but the ar-guments did not even wax warm. Only one complaint was heard that the corrupt-practices act was being violated. Harry Yanckwich, candidate for Justice of the Peace, distributed a number of his cards among the employes of a department store and probably elsewhere. When taken to task declared that he had a right to leit votes if not within 100 feet of roting booth. The text of the law. which prohibits campaigning of any kind on primary day, was shown him and it is presumed that he desisted.

Law Complied With,

An automobile shot through the streets carrying the advertisement on hanners of a candidate for Railway Commissioner, but there seems to be nothing in the law expressly prohibiting this. Banners of other candidates were, however, not in evidence, al-though many of them have been car-led on autmobiles for weeks. It is believed that, in compliance with the spirit of the law, they were removed Thursday night or yesterday morning.

Several office-seekers, particularly one in the race for the Republican commation for Sheriff, had tacked their cards upon buildings and poles close to places where announcement was made that the voting tents would be pitched and may have gained some ad-vantage as a reward for their fore-

Early Morning Vote Heavy.

There was an unusually heavy early norning vote cast in the residence recincts and a light vote in the downwen precincts during the same hours.

the afternoon the voters living in
central part of the city exercised eir franchises, and there was little ing in the home districts. Between and 7 o'clock there was more or less of a rush at every polling station by those who had not voted before going to their work in the morning. Most of the labor vote was polled between those hours.

No complaints reached the County Clerk's office that ballot boxes had not been delivered or that clerks or judges of electron had not reported for duty.
County Clerk Fields had men at the
office all day to handle any such complaints, although all other offices at
the courthouse were closed as ordered There were only a few cases incorrect registration reported.

In the afternoon reports were in cirat several cigar stores to bet on Sen-ator Bourne against Hen Selling and that no Selling takers could be found. There was little betting, comparatively speaking, on the outcome of any of the contests.

### NEW CAMP LURES MINERS

Gold Strikes in Lake County Bring Prospectors to Oregon.

LAKEVIEW, Or., April 19.—(Special.) LARBYIEW, Or., April 12.—(Special.)

-Lured by the news of gold strikes
in the High Grade district at New
Pine Creek, on the state line 15 miles
south of Lakeview, an army of prospectors, miners and leasers are pouring into that town with tents, bedrolls
and miners' wars as artiller.

have doubled.

Every train is loaded with miners, leasers and mineowners. Several mining properties have changed hands within the last few days among which was the Sunshine group of claims which were sold to Reno capitalists for \$75,-

Materials have been ordered for the nstruction of stamp mills and cyan ide plants.

### CHURCH WORKERS MEET

Sunday School Association to Hold Elementary Sitting.

Pollowing on a successful first session last night, the Multnemah County Sunday School Association will hold in elementary sitting this morning under the auspices of the Portland Graded Union, with Mrs. J. W. Wilkins presiding. The session starts at 10 A. M. in the Grace Methodist Church, on Twelfth and Taylor streets.

In the afternoon at 2 o'clock addresses will be delivered by Professor E. C. Knapp, of Spokane; Rev. C. A. Phipps and others, and the meeting will adjourn after the reports of the county officers have been read and the annual election held.

The closing session will take place

The closing session will take place Sunday, beginning at 2:30 P. M. with praise service conducted by Rev. J. H. Cudlipp, assisted by the Hawthorn-Park Presbyterian Orchestra.

cur in Centralia on May 30, 31 and June 1, on the occasion of the midsummer meeting of the Southwest Washington Development Association. If present plans now under way do not miscarry. June 1 will be Railroad day, on which occasion the new depot, the new \$125.000 high school and the new postoffic will be dedicated. One of the features of the celebration will be an aeroplane flight by Claude Berlin the aviator, who left the first of the week for New York to purchase his new machine.

State Legue ball games will be played here between Centralia and Chehalis on each of the three days of the

played here between Centralia and Che-halis on each of the three days of the convention. The programme for the meeting was roughly outlined at a mass meeting held last night at which com-mittees were appointed to complete the details of the celebration. Some indication of the size of the

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MAY ROBSON LAMENTS INABIL-ITY TO USE NEEDLE.

With Finger and Shoulder Fractured Noted Player Gives Birthday Party-Will Appear Sunday.

May Robson arrived in Portland yes-terday and is at the Mulinomah Hotel, pending the opening of her engage-ment at the Heilig on Sunday night. Also she is mending as a result of a very bad fall in Medford, last Wednesday evening-just prior to her opening there in her newest play "A Night

Miss Robson was seen at her apartments last night and related the de-

"I started out for a little walk before going into the theater, and entered the stage door just about 7:20 o'clock; asked the stage hands, as is my habit, where my dressing-room was. They pointed to the corner, and I started out. It was pitch dark, and a brace must have fallen scross the top of the stairs, but, of course, I couldn't see. The next thing I can remember is trying to save myself by catching onto something, but there was no balustrade or banister of any kind to help me, and all I can remember now is landing head first at the bottom of the stairs.

"That I escaped with a broken finger and a slight fracture of my collarbone, I think is miraculous, and I am thankful to think that I can appear on Sunday night with nothing more than the inconvenience of a finger done up in plaster. "I started out for a little walk be-

plaster. "To be honest, the two greatest in-To be notest, the two greatest in-convergences and deprivations the ac-cident has caused me are that it will prevent my sewing or writing, two of my greatest pastimes. Sewing to me is what smoking is to a man, and i feel just as badly as they could possibly do if they were told they were going to be deprived of the comfort of a good

be deprived of the comfort of a good cigar.

"There are some funny lines in the play which are so applicable to the situation that I know it is going to be hard for us to keep our faces straight while we are saying them. I was going to give a birthday party and have a cake with 16 candles on it tonight, and here I am in bed, looking like a whipped soldier."

Miss Robson had the birthday dinner, with all her company in attendance and was the recipient of many beautiful remembrances and telegrams of birthday congratulations.

from the accident, and looks forward with keen pleasure to resuming her work on Sunday night.

### REPORTED SALE IS FALSE

President of Hydro-Electric Com pany Denles Rumor

HOOD RIVER. Or., April 19.—(Special.)—N. C. Evans, president of the Hydro-Electric Company, characterizes as utterly false the reports that have been circulated to the effect that the Hydro Company had sold the controlling share of its capital stock to the Hood River Gas & Electric. The re-port has been circulated here by em-ployes of the Hood River Gas & Elec-tric Company.

A stringent rate war is being con-tinued by the Hood River Gas & Elec-tric Company, who is endeavoring to win back, by offers of extremely low rates, the customers secured from them

ing into that town with tents, bedrolls and miners' pans as artillery.

While surface showings in the High Grande district have for the past two years aroused much interest here, a few recent strikes in the Sunshine claim assaying up into the thousands, has excited prospectors from Alaska excited prospectors from Alaska to Mexico. It is predicted by prominent mining men, that New Pine Creek will excel Crippie Creek and Goldfield of present values hold out.

Owing to the heavy snows in the mountains several hundred prospectors have been forced to await the Spring thaws. They are whiling away the delay by speculating in real estate, and as a result prices for business property have doubled.

### FREIGHT GUARANTEE GOOD

Alaska Shipments From Portland Accepted by Steamship Company.

The E. J. Dodge Steamship Company has telegraphed W. S. Smallwood, of the transportation committee of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, accepting the guarantee of 200 tons of freight for the first sailing of the St. Helens from Portland for Alaskan ports on the Bering Sea

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J. N. Burnside, representing the Northern Navigation Company, which operates on the Yukon, came from Seattle yesterday and informed Mr. Smallwood that his company would accept business from the Dodge line from points on the Yukon River. This completes the links in the proposed service to Alaska, and it remains only for the merchants of Portland to continue to furnish the necessary freight to insure regular service out of this port. W. G. McPherson, F. S. West and N. F. Titus, members of a special committee, reported yesterday that their solicitation among the merchants of the city for pledges of freight is meetthe city for pledges of freight is meet-

### Lumber Company Appeals.

EUGENE, Or., April 15,-(Special.)-The Booth-Kelly Lumber Company yes-terday filed notice that it appeals to the State Supreme Court in its suit to CENTRALIA PLANS BIG TIME

Washington Aviator Will Fly at Three Days' Celebration.

CENTRALIA. Wsh. April 19.—(Specials)—The biggest celebration ever need in Southwest Washington will octable. The city entered a demurrer, which was austained.

## FREEDOM IS GIVEN TO VIOLA CARVER

Court Rules Girl Not Responsible When She Shot Edge to Death.

CHEERS GREET DECISION

Love Tangle Involving Young Wom an, Man She Killed and Former Sweetheart Told by Witnesses at Hearing.

LOS ANGELES, April 19 .- (Special.) -Viola Carver is free. Police Judge Cambers, after a half hour's review of the case in Police Court late this afternoon, declared that he did not believe Miss Carver was responsible when she entered Mr. Edge's office, and con-sequently the crime of murder with which she was charged was not com-

"Her appearance-listless, downcast and almost lifeless — indicates to me that she did not realize her position or her condition, and that in conse-quence the act that she committed was

Cheers Greet Decision.

The courtroom, which was silent as space except for the voice, echoed with the handclapping and cheers of her friends when they realized that her freedom had been returned to her. Miss Carver had sat throughout the proceedings with downcast eyes, never once raising her head to afford a view

Almost as emotionless as she has been throughout her imprisonment, she arose, glanced about, then held her arms out to her mother and father, who hurrled to the prisoner's dock, where they passionately embraced her.

Love Tangle Related, A love tangle was related by de-fendant witnesses involving three witnesses, one of whom is Miss Carver.
Edge was another. When Charles Atkins, of St. Cloud, Minn. a former playmate of Miss Carver, was called to the
stand to testify about her actions, he
inadvertently stated that he had come

to Los Angeles to ask Miss Carver to become his wife. He blushed, but blurted it out.

"That's what I came here for," he said; "that, and to get a job."

Upon cross-examination by Deputy District Attorney Shannon, he said that he had been turned down very coldly by Miss Carver, but that he had re-

#### GOVERNOR WANTS ISLAND

West Says War Department Trying to Keep Seining Fees.

night, and here I am in bed, looking like a whipped soldier."

Miss Robson had the birthday dinner, with all her company in attendance and was the recipient of many beautiful remembrances and telegrams of birthday congratulations.

Although her right shoulder is swathed in a plaster cast and the third finger of her right hand is in a cast also, she remains in excellent spirits, and has wholly recovered from the nervous shock which resulted at first from the accident, and looks forward with keen pleasure to resuming her

This island formerly belonged to the state, but by a grant issued in 1864, it was ceded to the Government, which has made no use of the property, ex-cepting to collect fees for seining privi-leges. These fees now total about

leges. These fees now total about \$12,000 a year.
Governor West says the efforts to secure a refund of the money already collected will not be abandoned, but in the meantime, to avoid any future con-troversy, efforts will be made to have the property ceded back to Oregon.

### ALBANY RESIDENT IS DEAD

Charles P. Fortmiller Is Stricken at Age of 53 Years.

ALBANY, Or., April 19 .- (Special;)-Charles P. Fortmiller, a well-known business man of this city, died Wednesday at St. Mary's Hospital, after 10 days' day at St. mary a rospital, after 10 days Bliness, aged 53 years. He had been a resident of Albany nine years, coming to the city from Portland, where he was engaged for a number of years in the grocery business on the East Side. He was born in Newark, N. Y. and has

### A HAPPY, LAUGHING CHILD IN FEW HOURS

If Cross, Irritable, Feverish, Tongue Coated and Sick, Give Delicious "Syrup of Figs."

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Every mother realizes after giving delicious "Syrup of Figs" that this is the ideal laxative and physic for chil-

the ideal inxative and physic for children. Nothing else regulates the little one's tender stomach, liver and bowels so effectually, besides they dearly love its delightful fig taste.

For constipated bowels, sluggish liver, billousness, or sour, disordered stomach, feyerisbness, diarrhoea, sore throat, bad breath or to break a cotd, give one-half to a teaspoonful of "Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile, undi-

"Syrup of Figs." and in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile, undigested food and constipated matter will gently move on and out of the system without griping or nausea, and you will surely have a well, happy and smiling child again shortly.

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### "Nature's Gift from the Sunny South"

resided in Oregon since 1885. He was resided in Oregon since 1885. He was a member of the Lutheran Church and the Ancient Order of United Workmen. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Eva Jaegger, of Portland; three sisters, Mrs. Wallace H. Lee, of Tacoma, Wash.: Mrs. Kate Wilder and Miss Anna Fortmiller, of Newark, N. Y.; and two brothers, William Fortmiller and Fred Fortmiller, both of Albany.

ALBANY, Or., April 19.—(Special.)— J. Frank Burke and E. F. Zimmerman, of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon. and William Eastman, the ex-convict who served 15 years in various peniten-tlaries throughout the country, and

to approximately \$45,000.

Accordingly, at the suggestion of Senator Chamberlain, a bill will be introduced by the Senator to cede the island back to the State of Oregon. This island formerly belonged to the state, but by a control of the suggestion of the suggest

Suicide Is Tennessee Man.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 19 .- The man who committed suicide at the Y M. C. A. building here yesterday, who was believed to have been a former



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