

"Steady rain since 2 P. M. Funday," was the message that came from the agent at Heppner. "Crop conditions in Morrow County best ever. Grain heading.'

Similar messages came from Condon, Similar messages came from Cosudo, Gilliam County, and Moro, Sherman County, Rain east of the Blue Moun-tains was not so heavy as in the wes-ern and central portions of the state but it was sufficient to help crops, Crook County expects to reap the

Crook County expects to reap the heaviest wheat crop in its history, and this rain will add 10 per cent to the This rain will add to per cell to the principal of the farmers in that section.
J. E. Sawhill, secretary of the Central Gregon Development League, who was in Portland yristerday, had mas agges last night from officials of commercial organizations in several parts of Central Gregon several parts rain had failen in the agricultural districts and that the wheat crops would be increased from three to five bushels an acre.
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Britten, a plaintiff in a personal injury suit in which F. H. Hoenel is defendant, sult in which F. H. Hoenel is defendant, were introduced in evidence in Judge Gatens' department of the Circuit Court yesterday afternoon. The woman stripped off her ahoes and stockings to demonstrate to the jury a permanent injury to an ankle which she alleges the has sustained, and to allow a phy-

Anticipating that an insanity plea may be entered by Jack Roberts, charged with the nurder of Donald M. Stewart and George Hastings in an M. Stewart and George Hastings in an attempted automobile holdup on the Whitehouse road on the night of March 28 last, Deputy District Attorney Fitz-gerald yesterday morning asked the County Court to have the defendant examined by allenists. Mr. Fitzgerald suggested that Drs. William House and W. T. Williamson make the examina-tion

The physicians want \$50 each for

In describing the location of a build-ing or a residence in the city it would be possible under the system to tell exactly how many blocks it is from the division or central streets. For ex-ample, The Oregonian building would be on the corner of Sixth street and Seventh avenue, it being located seven blocks south of Burnside and six blocks west of East Water street. In describing that location it would be necessary to say, corner of Sixth street and Seventh avenue, southwest. In addresses it would be necessary to in-dicate the district, as Seventh street and Eighth avenue southeast, or Fifth

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100 Numbers to Block Adopted.

It was decided also to adopt the sys am of 190 numbers to each block, thu

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The fruitgrowing districts also profited Although rain was not so badly needed in those sections, it came at a time when it will be of greatest value. More Rain Predicted. Although grain crops were not suf-faring from the lack of moisture, say

More Hain Predicted. Although grain crops were not suf-faring from the lack of moleture, say farmara, the danger period might have arrived within a few weeks had the hat weather of last week continued. Now that they have had a thorough wetting grains and grasses will mature rapidly without more rain. However, it is too early in the season to ex-periang droughts, and further and perhaps frequent showers are prob-able, say weather bureau officials. "In the Williamette Valley, where much accesse is devoted to growing vege-

"In the willametic valuey, where much acreage is devoted to growing vege-tables, the small potato crop is said to be rulned as the rain has turned them into big potatoes," was the cheering report received from an agent on the on Electric yesterday.

feast, like all Jawish holidays, is in calebration of an event in the religious development of Israel, this one repre-senting largely the renewed obligation taken upon themselves by the Chosen Psople when they accepted the ten commandments at the hand of Moses. The reform synapogue uses this holi-day as confirmation day. At Temple Both Israel a confirmation will be held on Wednesday morning at 19 c'elock. Rabbi Jonah E. Wise will officiate and Mrs. Rose Bloch Bauer will direct the music, assisted by E. E. Coursen, or-ganist; Miss Carmel Sullivan, harpist; Duncan Raff, cellist. A trio 'of the harp, organ and cello will render Handel's Largo. A harp and cello solo also will be given. Visitors are wel-come at the synagogue. Services will be held at Heth Israel tonight at 8 o'clock and Wednesday at 10 A.M. Other vegetables have banefited similarly. The total benefit to the fruit, vegetable and grain crops of the state, it is asserted, is ecormous.

# STORM DRENCHES PENDLETON

## Electric Wires Tumble-One Horse

### Dies on Street.

Dies on Street. FENDLETON, Or. May 10.--(Spe-rial).-Commencing early in the after-noon, a heavy rain visited Fendiaton and Umatilla County generally with a high wind rising toward evening, which did considerable damage to elec-tric wires between this city and Walla Walla. A live wire was blown down on Jafferson treet and a cab horse was alectrocuted. All high-power lites were cut earlier in the day. Other live were say serious damage resulted. Telephone lines in various parts of the county were disabled part of the day. For the last five houre rain has fallen in torrents.

TIMELY RAINS SAVE TIMBER

# Fires Quenched in Forests-Large

# Areas Burned Over.

Areas Burned Over. SEASIDE, Or., May 22.-(Special)-Timely rains, which have fallen in the last 24 hours, will save thousands of feet of valuable timber from the forest fires, which have been raging for the nast week in the vicinity of Humbug Meuntain. Large areas have been burned over and many families made homeless. Damage up to the present time has not been estimated but will reach a large sum. ach a large sum.

reach a large sum. The two little stations of Hamlet and Necanicum wave in the path of the firs and were destroyed. These fires were gotfe distance south of here and did not cause the recent fire which.

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for many years has been an inspira-tion to the many students who have passed through that seminary. His welcome among Episcopalians in Port-land will be hearty. His opening address will be given at Trinity chapel at S c'clock tonight, and he and Governor West will be the speakers at the banquet on Thursday night at the imperial Hotel.

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SALES WHILE SUIT PENDS.

Southern Oregon Company Must Pay

Assessments or Bedeem Its Claim

to Land Grants.

the work and to pay this fee. The usual fee is §5 for such examinations. Judge Cleeton said that the county might pay \$10 to each of the doctors in this

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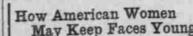
COURT REFUSES TO STOP TAX

For example, 1900 Sevenin street south-east would be located 14 blocks east of East Water street and seven blocks south of Burnside. Number 1400 would be on the corner and 1450 half way up the block work and the County Court is not

pay \$10 to each of the doctors in this case.
Mr. Fitzgerald and Sheriff Stevens do not believe that Roberts is insame and wish to fortify themselves with evidence. Roberts' trial is scheduled to begin June 3.
Attorneys E. S. J. McAllister and F. H. Whitheld have been appointed by Presiding Judge Kavanaugh to defend Roberts. Their compensation will be state, the prisoner having no means.
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CIRCLE ELECTS OFFICERS Mothers and Teachers to Be Repre

sented in Festival Parade.

JEWS CELEBRATE FEAST

Pentecost to Be Observed in All

Portland Synagogues.

The Feast of Shebuoth or Pentecost will be celebrated in all synagogues in Portland, commencing tonight. The feast, like all Jewish holidays, is in celebration of an event in the religious

buard.

The Highland School Mothers' and reachers' Circle at its last meeting sleated the following officers for the ensuing year. President, Mrs. Charles lington: vice-president, Mrs. A. Y. Bash, secretary, Mrs. O. E. Baird; two Charles Starker. The Circle voted to be represented with the Mothers' congress in the automobile parade in conscion with the Rose Festival. Mrs. A. F. Flegel, the retiring pres-frent estended an invitation to the members of the circle to attend a re-ternto of May 31. Mrs. Thomas Green invited the circle to an afternoon at her home, 137 Jessay street, Piedmont, on June 7.

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The exposition at Ghent will cover 200 acres, and it is already expected that the limits will have to be extended to find room for exhibiters.

of the grant had not been complied with. Prior to the suit the Southern Oregon Company had been paying taxes on these lands, but ceased when the for-feiture suit was instituted. Tax col-lectors, however, continued to assess the property and in default of payment the land was advertised for sale. Then, the Southern Oregon Company sought an injunction against this tax sale until the suit was settled. To this the Sheriffs demurred and Judge Wolver-tor yesterday sustained the demurrer and denied the application for the in-junction, for the reason that the de-fendant claimed title to the land and did not recognize the Government's claim. This decision, it is said, will cloud titles to the land whichever way the main suit may be decided. If the Government wins, all money paid for taxes or the money paid for tax titles will be lost and if the Southern Oregon Company wins it will have to redeem the tax titles. the tax titles.

VIAL'S FINANCES TANGLED Guardian Says His Ward Can't Pay

Alimony and Attorney's Fees.

Earl C. Bronaugh, who on January 14, 1911, was appointed guardian of Leon L. Vial, because of Vial's spend-100 in 1870 and \$2,520,000 in 1800.