and yesterday were unusually high, on account of the heavy swell rolling in from the sear but no damage resulted.

BIGGS TO WASCO ROAD GIVES WORK

Men Now Unemployed to Get Preference, Says Governor West.

KAY, OLCOTT LUKEWARM

Plan to Furnish Labor for Many of Those Most Deserving Outlined Through Commission's Act Authorizing Bids Called,

SALEM, Or., Jan. 27 .- (Special.)-Governor West and State Highway Engineer Bowlby were authorized today by the State Highway Commission to advertise for bids for building a road from Biggs to Wasco, the object being to furnish employment for many of the men in Portland who are out of

The road will be nine and one-half miles long and the terms of the con-tract will bind the successful bidder to employ as many men as possible and give those now out of work the preference. It is planned to devote

Plans Are Discussed. Governor West said that he was willing to take the responsibility for the improvement of the road, and that he believed it could be made a practicable scheme for giving work to many of the men in Portland who need it. Mr. Kay thought it probable that the contractor would find it difficult in get

Messra. Kay and Olcott insisted that they would not vote for more than \$30,000 being used on the particular road. Both thought that the county, which would be benefited by the thoroughfare, should pay part of the expense, but Major Bowlby said the County Court would not agree to that. He announced that earth was in such condition that much of the work could He announced that earth was in such condition that much of the work could be done with picks and shovel, which would mean the employment of a large force at a time. When Messrs. Olcott and Kay said they were willing for the Governor and Major Bowlby to take the groposition in hand, Governor West said:

Till get in behind this thing and do the best I can with it. I'll take all the roasting they give me, for I am used to it. I believe the thing can be so arranged that many of the men will be

Highway through Jackson would start soon and that it would furnish employment for a large number of idle men.

PIONEER PASSES. AGED 90 Mrs. H. A. Carothers, Who Came

West in 1853, Dies in Canemah,

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. H. A. Carothers, aged 90, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Plummer, in Canemah, near Oregon City Monday,

In 1853 she crossed the plains with er husband and settled on a homestead two miles out of Canemah, late moving into the city, where she had lived since 1865. She is survived by three children: Mrs. M. A. Plummer and John Carothers, of Canemah, and Neely Carothers, of Butte, Mont. Her grandchildren are Mrs. William Ruconich, Cheater Carothers, of Oregon City, Andrew Carothers, Maggie, Ward and Archie, of Montana, Eddie, of Idaho, and Clark, of Canemah. Her husband, Irvin, died in Canemah in 1890. They were natives of Illinois.

MEAT COMPANY MAY BUILD

Aberdeen Bids Fair to Have Fourth Wholesale Plant.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 27 .- (Spe-ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—A deal for a ten-year lease on Aberdeen business property, with the privilege of purchasing at the end of that time, was closed here today by Sulzberger & Sons, Seattle meat packers, Renters of the present one-story building which occupies the lot beyond the commerce and business of commerce and business chambers of commerce and business ers. Renters of the present one-story building which occupies the lot have chamber been notified to vacate before March 1.

The concern plans immediately to begin work on a three-story cold-storage and many many but the concern plans immediately to begin work on a three-story cold-storage and many but the concern plans immediately to begin work on a three-story cold-storage and many but the chamber many b wholesale ment house

The property adjoining the leased lot is occupied by Frye & Co., meat packers, and it is reported that Sulzberger intends to purchase the Frye wholesale establishment. The entrance of Sulzberger into the Harbor gives Aberdeen four large wholesale more as a berneen four large wholesale more as a superior of the superi four large wholesale meat plants.

CITY GETS FIRST MONEY

Initial Improvement Permit Issued in New Town of Molalla

MOLALLA, Or., Jan. 27 .- (Special.)-Modalia, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—|
The first money was received by the City Treasurer and the first permit was granted by the City Recorder to-day in the new City of Modalia. The amount involved was 25 cents, which was paid by G. J. Taylor, editor of the Molalia Pioneer, for a permit to construct a sidewalk in front of the Pioneer building.

Pioneer building. Recorder D. C. Boyles, who received

ing directors were present: H. A. Lewis, R. P. Rasmussen, A. F. Miller, Theodore Brugger, C. M. Lake, E. L. Thorp, H. G. Mullenhoff, Fred Crane, and D. M. Roberts. D. M. Roberts and Theodore Brugger were appointed as a committee to act with President Lewis in revising the constitution and by-

on revising the constitution and by-laws of the fair association. Dates for this year's fair were set for September 15 to 19, inclusive. Pre-miums for the Grange exhibits are as

EX-EMPLOYES ON STAND

GOVERNMENT MAN ALSO TESTIFIES IN ALASKAN FRAUD CASE.

Books of Development Company De clared Mutilated Before Turned Over to Authorities.

preference. It is planned to devote \$30,000 of the state road fund to making the improvement, Governor West announcing that he could arrange to have the money advanced by friends in contractor before the state money became available.

State Treasurer Kay and Secretary of State Olcott were far from being enthusiastic in their support of the proposition. They said, however, that an emergency evidently existed and that, inasmuch as the road between Biggs and Wasco was the only one that had been surveyed which could be worked now and the Governor and the State Highway Engineer recommended the plan, they would submit.

Plans Are Discussed. the missing pages, number 50, was re-ferred to on another page as the "as-sessment, work account," Mr. House

S. E. Leitch, deputy clerk of the United States District Court, was called to the stand to identify the subpena

some of the men to work and that he might not want to give the preference to men now out of work.

Major Bowlby said if men were sent to Biggs and they refused to work they could be declared vagabonds under the law and compelled to work out their terms of sentence for nothing. He thought this would be a good plan to compel the unworthy who are clamoring for jobs to become producing citizens.

Large Ferces Needed

Messys, Kay

GENERAL ASSESSMENTS PAYABLE AT SEATTLE FEBRUARY 2

With Levy Increased 25 to 27 Per Cent County Treasurer Expects Hard Task in Pacifying People.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 27.—(Special.)

General taxes for 1913 will be payable at the office of the County Treasurer, Will H. Hanna, on and after Mon-

Approximately \$9,000,000 will be on the Treasurer's book for collection, in-cluding state, county, city, school, road district and port district taxes, but exluding city improvement district as-

LAND LOCATOR REPLIES

HEAD OF CANADIAN HOMESTEAD COMPANY IGNORANT OF PROBE.

George P. Rossman Says United States Law Is Not Being Violated and That Work Is Indorsed.

"If the Canadian immigration authorities are investigating me for lo-cating people on Canadian homesteads know nothing about it," said George P. Rossman, head of the Canadian Homestead Company, to whose activities a news article in The Oregonian of Sunday, January 25, referred. "It is true that there is a law in

only that, but my work is indorsed by chambers of commerce and business men in the territory to which I send

many people to Canada to find the land, for which they have paid him \$50 aplece as a location fee, just as repre-"I sent more than 300 last Summer, said Mr. Rossman, "and there has been about no complaint from any of them. I break.

Mr. Rossman denies that he fled from his offices at 63 Broadway to es-cape investigation by Portland detec-"We simply moved to bigger quar-ters at 73 Sixth street," he said.

STRIKE BALLOTS SENT OUT

Station Employes on Two Railroads Voting on Demands.

First prize, \$250; second, \$225; third, \$200; fourth, \$175; fifth \$150; sixth, \$125, and all others \$100 each.

The score card for Grange exhibits is as follows: Vegetables 25 points, fruit 25, grains and grasses 25, fancy work, 15, neatness and arrangement 10 points.

points.

Best farm display, first prize \$50, second \$30, third \$20.

Score card for farm display, vegetables 25, fruits 25, grains and grasses 25, other farm products 15, arrangement 10 points.

Season tickets for adults will cost \$1, and day tickets 50 cents. Children under 14 years accompanied by parents or guardian will be admitted free. The meeting adjourned until the first Monday in March.

GLYNN'S CHARGE PROBED

New York Governor Asserts State Has Lost Million Through Purchase of Road Machinery With Highway Fund. With Highway Fund.

ook, in which Highway Commissioner Carlisle is said to have kept a record of positions he parceled out to political leaders, is sought by James W sborne, for use in his graft inquiry. The first intimation of the existence of the book came today at the inquiry, when Theron Akin, of Fort Johnson, Montgomery County, an ex-member of Congress, spoke of it. Akin said that SEATTLE, Jan. 27 .- Most of the wit- last Summer he went to Mr. Carllale to nesses called by the prosecution today appeal for the transfer of John P in the trial of the case of the United Wright, an assistant highway engineer, States against Charles R. Munday and Archie W. Shiels, charged with conspiracy to defraud the Government of the Commissioner produced the book

the grand jury.

The Commissioner also learned more about campaign contributions and their relation to highway contracts and of the influence that highway contractor seemed to have over subordinates in the department. He also laid the foundation for an investigation of the charges made by Governor Glynn that the state has lost approximately \$1,000,000 through the conversion of highway funds for the purchase of road machinery.

Politicians Cause Transfer.

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John R. Wright, Commissioner of Public Works of Amsterdam, opened the way for the story of the "piebook." He said he had refused to approve the work of Contractors Peter V. Baird, of Montgomery County, and of John E. Gonsaulus, of Troy, and as a result had been transferred to a position 200 miles from his home.

He appealed to C. Gordon Reel, then superintendent of highways, but was informed that the transfer had been brought about by politicians and contractors.

GO-BETWEEN STILL FORGETFUL

conference between the Adjutant-Generals and Secretary of War Garrison, probably will be passed by Congress with comparatively little opposition. "Of course there will be some opposition," and of John E. Gonsaulus, of Troy, and as a result had been transferred to a position." Senator Chamberlain will present one bill in the Senate and the other will be presented in the House at the same time. The bills provide for legislation which will make it possible, if emergency arises, to order members of the National Guard outside the limits of the United States territory. The

GO-BETWEEN STILL FORGETFUL

Man Who Admits Receiving \$41,000 Cannot Remember Further.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.-James NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—James G. Shaw, who is alleged to have been the go-between in the alleged exaction of a political contribution of \$41,000 from Patterson & Co., of Pittsburg, as the price of obtaining them a contract for the construction of a section of the Catskill aqueduct, today again baffled the efforts of District Attorney Whitman to get him to refresh his recollection before the grand jury. Shaw, in Approximately to pacify the multitude.

Approximately to pacify the pacific and other problems involving land values must be settled either by the Internal Revenue Department or construct by pacifical,—Every Monday night since Charles in the facility.—Every Monday night since Charles in the facility.—Every Monday night since Charles in the facility.—Every Monday night since Charles in the facility.—Ever

grand jury can take action. Prior to his appearance Denis Cohalan, a clerk employed in Shaw's of-fice, testified that during the time the alleged negotiations for the payment of the contribution were in progress

Shaw had called up Gaffney on the telephone scores of times.

Shaw was subpenaed to appear again before the jury next week and in the meantime District Attorney Whitman will begin his investigation into other alleged activities of Gaff. into other alleged activities of Gaffney. He will call witnesses on Thurs-day in his investigation of charges that Gaffney attempted to exact a con-tribution of \$100,000 from James C. Stewart. Stewart himself and ex-Gov-ernor Sulzer will be among the wit-

The John Doe hearings, which were to have gone on tomorrow, will be put over until Friday.

MANTLE" DISAPPOINTS PORTLAND SLED OWNERS.

Fall, However, Is Not Heavy, Melting Rapidly at Many Places and Continuing at Others.

Portland had just enough of a touch of snow yesterday to rouse hopes in the bosoms of small boys owning sleds and to give plenty of temporary jobs shovelling snow off of sidewalks. The snowfall began late on the previous night and had succeeded in covering sidewalks and pavements to a depth of about an inch and a half by day-break

have connections and affiliations in Alberta, among them seven professional locators who take the people I melt as fast as they fell, but the send to the land by automobile and team."

Intermittently the flakes fell throughout the day. Not only did they send to the land by automobile and team." and trickled away on the pavements faster than it could be replenished and by nightfall the "white mantle" was "as though it had never been."

The forecast for today is fair weather, and there appears to be little prospect of enough more snow falling in the immediate future to drive away the homesickness of newcomers who are used to seeing everything snowbound in January.

ASTORIA HAS SNOW FLURRIES

Recorder D. C. Boyles, who received the money, turned it over at once to the City Treasurer. According to the city charter, 40 per cent belongs to the city.

SEPTEMBER 15, FAIR DATE
Multnomah County Board Meets at Gresham to Decide.

GRESHAM, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—

The Multnomah County Fair Board met

CLEVELAND, Jan. 27.—Refusal by the Lake Shore and Big Four railroads to grant the demands of 2509 railroad telegraphers, telephone operators and station agents probably will result in a strike of these employes over 2009 miles of road, officials of the Order of Railway Telegraphers here said today.

Strike ballots have been sent to members of the order and the vote is expected to be completed in two weeks.

You stop writing—whittle, scrape, lose temper—you know what ordinary pencils mean; Gresham, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—The Multnomah County Fair Board met

TACOMA HAS FIRST - SNOW Fall Is Just Sufficient to Make Good Fun for Kids. TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 27.—(Special.) -Tacoma had its first snowfall of the

eason this morning, accompanied by text to the coldest day of the Winter. next to the coldest day of the Winter. The fall was just enough to make good fun for the kids in the hill district.

A chilly wind accompanied it, with a maximum velocity of 20 miles. The temperature at 9 A. M. was 30.8, and at noon, under a bright sun, had only climbed to 36.

Rain or snow is predicted for to Rain or snow is predicted for to-

Icy Winds Hits Seaside.

SEASIDE, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—
Icy winds of high velocity from the
west and northwest have been giving
Seasiders an unusual chill for the last
24 hours, while snow, hall and sleet
have rendered outdoor work so disagreeable that nearly all building operations have been suspended until
better conditions previal. High tides
and heavy surf have done no damage
in this vicinity yet. ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 27 .- A "ple

Small Blizzard at Hood River. HOOD RIVER, Or., Jan. 27.—(Speal.)—With a slight drop in the temcial.)—With a siight drop in the temperature, a small blizzard has been raging in the Hood River Valley today. The strong wind has been driving flurries of snow that have been covering the higher altitudes. The wind-driven snow has made local construction work on the O.-W. R. & N. difficult.

Balmy Weather at La Grande. LA GRANDE, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special.)

—La Grande and the Grand Ronde have been basking in sunshine and balmy weather the past week. Plowing goes on uninterrupted in the farming section and stock is grazing on the bills.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL FINZER EX-PECTS BILL TO PASS.

Little Opposition to Measure Feared in Congress to Plan Extending Services of National Guard.

Adjutant-General W. E. Finzer, who has just returned from Washington, D. C., where he has been attending the meeting of the Adjutant-Generals' Association, said that he believed the two new bills regarding the National Guard, which were formulated after a conference between the Adjutant Gardinary Conconference between the Adjutant-Gen-erals and Secretary of War Garrison, probably will be passed by Congress

of the United States territory. The other feature is a provision for re-imbursement of the National Guardsmen for the time which they devote to drill and other duties connected with their service in the Guard.

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Portland Automobile Trade Association, Inc.

The Council consists of sever members. Councilman Dever and Fen-ton Smith are backing the Mayor. Councilmen C. H. Hammond, T. J. Councilmen C. H. Hammond, T. J. Stephens, L. P. Larson, Ray Nettleton and W. B. Everett are not in harmony with the Mayor,

When Mayor Coulter announced the re-appointment of G. G. Ricks for Chief of Police and W. S. Tomlin for street ommissioner, the majority refused to onfirm them. Each succeeding nom-nee has been rejected by the Council and Chief Hicks still holds office.

Last night an ordinance was passed abolishing the office of street commissioner and putting the work of that office upon the City Engineer. His friends declare that he may hand in his resignation as a result. There is talk of starting a recall upon all of the five who are out of tune with the Mayor. They declare they have no personal feeling against Mayor 'Coulter. They confirmed the appointment of E. H. Mohler for Police Judge, to succeed Judge M. D. Egbert.

EX-SENATOR MILLER TELLS BAR MEMBERS CHANGE IS LIKELY.

Minimum of \$1500 or \$1800 as Amoun Exempt Foreseen-Association Takes In Five Men and Drops One.

Belief that the income tax law wil amended at some future date to include incomes of \$1500 or \$1800 was extion last night. The law as it stands on the statute books is complicated and a number of amendments to simplify it were predicted by Mr. Miller, who is the first collector of income tax in

CITY COUNCIL IS DIVIDED

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Dispute Over Police Chief Attracts

Citizens to Meetings

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BEN SELLING

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made by June 30. After June 30 the tax is delinquent, and upon ten days' notice from the department a 5 per cent penalty attaches and interest at the rate of 1 per cent per month.

Whether an unpaid tax becomes a lien upon real estate was asked by Jerry Bronaugh, who said he had understood that such a construction would be placed on the law. Mr. Booth said he had found nothing in his study to indicate such to be the intent or provision of the law.

Flya new members were added to the

ision of the law.

Five new members were added to the oil upon the recommendation of the membership committee. They are: A. J. hristofferson, Emil Nelson, Q. L. Mathews, Ray Emerson and William P. lichardson. Without a dissenting vote, he name of E. J. S. McAllister was recorded.

Officers will be elected at the next meeting of the association, to be held on the last Tuesday in February.

Adventist Elder Thinks Old Earth Has Only Short Time to Exist.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 27.—Elder G. B. Thompson, of Washington, told dele-gates to the Northern union conference Officers will be elected at the next neeting of the association, to be held in the last Tuesday in February.

Long Tom Is Receding.

MONROE, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special.)—
The storm that has raged here for seyof Seventh Day Adventists tonight they

Hesitation (Shaw) Prince's Band

Isle d'Amour (Edwards) Prince's Band —12-inch, \$1.00

Love's Tears (Miguel) Municipal Hand -10-inch, 65e

Path of Roses (de Paz) Municipal Band -10-inch, 65c

A1460—Answer to "Amoureuse" (Borger) Municipal Band

A1462—Mena, Take My Arm (Prendete dei Brazo Mena) (Villoido)
Municipal Band
Finsh of Fire (El Fogonazo) (Villoido)
Municipal Band —10-inob. 65e

Alie3—A good Fellow (Un Mozo Bien)
Tango Mattchiche (Viliolde)
Municipal Band
Tangolette (La Tangochinette)
Tango Mattchiche (Viliolde)
Municipal Band
—16-inch, 65e

A1464—The Aeropiano (En Aeropiano) (Prince) Municipal Band

Beautiful Portenitas (Lindas Por-tenitas) (Prince) Municipal Band —10-inch, 6

A5525—Dreaming (Joyce) Prince's Band

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BOSTON-HESITATION WALTZES

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Prince's Orchestra
Nights of Gladness (Ancliffe)
Prince's Orchestra —12-inch, \$1.00 A5513—The Firefly Waltres (Frimi)
Prince's Orchestra
Argentine Tango from The Sunshine Girl (Rubens)
Prince's Band —12-incb, \$1.00

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Prince's Band
L'Amour (Christine)
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That was the situation with Mrs. J. D. Fuller, of 104 W. 96th St., New York City, but some dectors told her You Need Fruitola she was suffering from "nerves" and others from gall stones. Not knowing which was correct she took the advice of a friend, who recommended Read These Symptoms and Have No Fruitola, the reliable California remedy recommended for just such symptoms. She procured a bottle from her It is an old proverb that trouble druggist and took the contents at one follows when doctors disagree. And dose, which is the way to take Fruityet they often disagree. In such cir- ola, She writes a detailed letter decumstances, where one cannot decide scribing what she passed and how well which doctor is right, or if any of she feels now after her thorough them are, it is best to take the situa- cleaning out. The main point is that tion in your own hands and do what Mrs. Fuller is entirely well today and ment is that which often afflicts the who have taken it will say the same.

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