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Allan, attorneys for W. D. Whitcomb, temporary receiver for the wrecked als ois republican. The legislature hond house, in chancery proceedings a large majority. hefore Robert F. Maguire, temporary master in chancery.

This evidence, which threw an altogether new light on the tangled business relations between Fred S. Morris and John L. Etheridge, was brought to the surfac. a few hours after Etheridge had arrived at the county jail from Minneapolls in custody of two deputy sheriffs.

Women Juggle With Stock.

Taking the records and documents of the defunct bond house as their and was drowned. Efforts to find guide, the receiver's legal advisors, as the body failed and will be renewed represented by Harrison Allen and Cansius R. Peck, developed during their cross-examination of Morris, the sole witness during the day, that on water. February 21, 1919, at a time when Henrietta Morris, a sister of the witness, owned 998 of the 1000 shares of of the four fell in. stock in Morris Brothers, Inc., the corporation sent its draft to the Forest Grove National bank for \$100,000 and instructed that it should be placed to the credit of Mrs. Stella M. Etherldge.

With this modey, it was contended. Mrs. Etheridge purchased the 996 shares of stock from Miss Mo There is no record of any kind to show that Mrs. Etheridge gave anything for this \$100,000, which was placed to her personal credit in the Forest Grove bank, and which she aed in purchasing the entire Morris holdings in the bond house.

Old Corporation Insolvent.

It was further assorted by altor neys for the receiver, and substahtiated by the company's records, that at the time Etheridge and his wife formed the new \$1,000,000 cornoration in September, 1919, and took over was at that time insolvent.

Major Peck, of counsel for the receiver, sought to show that the Ether-

dges formed a \$1,000,000 corporation by taking over the assets of a \$100,-000 corporation which was insolvent the sum of \$225,000. As a basis for this proof, he had marked for dentification a trial balance issued the new company was formed, showing that the surplus was a trifle more Turnkey Gives Liquor Party New than \$2000. Listed among the assets of the old corporation was the \$100 .-000 deposited in the Forest Grove alleged frauds appear in the trial balance, it was charged, making the charges filed here today.

Mrs. Etheridge Receives \$100,000.

In support of the charge that Mor- host farewell. ris Brothers. Inc., had made an out-right gift to Mra. Etheridge of \$100,-ood, counsel for the receiver pro-prohibition law and permitting pris-(Concluded on Page 5, Column 1.)

GIRL DROWNS IN CREEK

Dare to Cross on Narrow Foot-Bridge 1s Fatal to Child.

WALLA WALLA, Wash, Jan. 3 .-(Special.)-Goldie Eaden, 13-year-old daughter of Mrs. John Haden, 113

Malcolm street, fell from a small footbridge into Garrison creek today tomorrow. The child with three compapions was playing near Garrison creek, which is swollen by high

The children dared each other to cross the narrow footbridge and two Ore girl saved herself but Goldie Eaden was swept downstream, the body catching in some barbed wire, where it stayed for several minutes, with the girl's head under water. Before rescuers could reach her she was swept on downstream.

RIP VAN WINKLE II HERE

Pioneer Takes First Car Ride to Glimpse Portland.

ROSEBURG. Or., Jan. 2-(Special.) -Fred Gossier, a pioneer of this county who has resided here during his entire lifetime, which covers a period of 64 years, left yesterday for Fortland.

This was Mr. Gossier's first expe rience with railroad service. He had never before traveled on a train, nor poration as a basis for the \$1,000,-600 corporation, the old corporation way" in a metrapolitan city. He has and during his long residence here never before ventured outside the

> county. Mr. Gossier is being chaperoned or his visit to Portland by James Hutchings of this city. They plan to spend several days in the metropolia

by the old corporation shortly before JAIL SCENE OF REVELRY

Year's Morn for Prisoners.

RENO, Nev., Jan. 3 .- Prisoners it National bank, in the name of Mrs. the Washoe county fall were guests Etheridge, but which she herself of Fred Krahenberg, night jatler, withdrew in full several days before when he held "open house" early the trial balance was made. Other Saturday morning, according to

indolvency more than \$135,000 in all the guests, an alloged forger and a drug addict, bade the jall and their

onors to escape.

on undue strain on the treasury." the line intended for the bride. The the movement to put the senator on the senator of the s joined by 24 republicans in over- speeded to happyland. George Max Umrein, 27, Portland, his behalf was that much support for state superintendent of public instrucriding the veto.

Supporting the president's position and Bertha Schuyler, 20, Neche, N. D., him was coming from prominent men tion. Later he introduced Stewart were two democrats-Senators Gerry, were the couple. Matida Kochaneck, in shipping circles in Seattle and Campbell, state mine inspector, to Tacoma. (Concluded on Page 5, Column 1.)

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POLITICIANS

whom was administered a special onth. John W. Eagleson, retiring

state treasurer, escorted Treasurer Banks and retiring Mine Inspector Ball excorted Inspector Campbell. The senate organized with the election of E. W. Whitcomb of Lemhi county as president pro tem. He is a

republican and was elected over D. W. VanHoesen (dem.) by a vote of 36 to 6. Whitcomb placed the follow-ing attaches in nomination and they were elected: Secretary, Paul A. Davis: assistant secretary, A. M. Boylen: chaplain, Rev. D. H. Jones; secreant-at-arms, Colonel G. A. Han-Desider Homeweil's Panama canal policy W. VanHoesen (dem.) by a vote of 1 36 to 6. Whitcomb placed the following attaches in nomination and they sergeant-at-arms, Colonel G. A. Han-naford; engrossing clerk, Ruby attacked and defended in senate. Page 2, 1ey, Oregon City; J. H. Peare, La

Mrs. Ruby Sinclair; enrolling cierk, R. W. Katendahl; assistant enrolling Page 1. All nations to atem immigration tide. and C. V. Johnson, Salem. Mr. Peare and Mr. Huntley have almost countclerk, Irene Post; journal clerk, Wini-fred Knowlton; doorkeeper, I. B. Giles; janitor, A. J. Hennoid; pages, Lawrence Young and Charles Badley: fred Knowlton; doorkeeper, I. B. Lawrence Young and Charles Badley:

L. R. Thomas of Bingham, E. W. Porter of Latah and J. E. Kerrick of Canyon were appointed to notify the governor, and Senators McMurray and Harding to notify the house that the senate was organized. John Hart. republican national committeeman was introduced and briefly addressed the senate, urging relief from tax burdens through legislation. Sena-tors Gilchrist and VanHoesen were Page 12.

mileage. Adjournment was taken to Tuesday.

tion of Peter G. Johnston of Bingham county, republican, as speaker. This step carried out the caucus agree-ment. Speaker Johnston was nominated by Storey of Ada, and Hugo of

nal clerk; Sam Glenn, keeper; Clin-

Representatives Irvin of Twin Falls and Callaban of Shoshone were appointed to notify the governor Younger members drew seats by lot. older members having first the choice. A resolution was adopted calling for a joint session of the legislature at 3 o'clock Tuesday after-islature at 3 o'clock Tuesday after-proposed. Page 13. proposed. Page 13. friends for a position in the United. noon to hear Governor Davis' mea-

He said "4000 supposedly respecta ble citizens of Chicago witnessed the and returned to Oregon the post has been vacant. gressness and laservious suggestion Wilson Appointment Rejected.

of 'Aphrodite' without uttering a pro-

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British labor inaugurates campaign to free Ireland. Page 14.

National,

Hughes; assistant engrossing clefk, Fall considered certain of job as secretary Grande; Dr. J. C. Smith, Grants Pass,

Domestic

Lawrence Foung and Charles Badtey. assistant sergeant-at-arms, R. H. Bartoni cuatodian cloak room, James McAdams; proofreader, E. W. Harrell; clerks, Maude Moulton, Lillian Fraser, Edna L. Hice, Cecella Shuee; private Marding would clear way for constructive legislation at extra semion. Page 4. Pareline Northwest.

The house organized with the elec

nated by Storey of Ada, and Hugo of Latah moved that the election be made by acclamation. The following attaches were elect-ed: David Burrell, chief clerk; Rev. John Ross, chaplain; Archie French, sorgeant-at-arms; L E. Stamm, jour-

ton A. Peace and Myrl Cavanah, pages New Capitol Dedicated.

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A year ago President Wilson nominated G. W. W. Hunt, former governor of Arizona, but protests began to pour into the senate committee foreign relations, charging that the The Weather. TESTERDAY'S-Maximum temperature, 50 degrees. minimum, 43 degrees. TODAY'S-Occasional rain; westerly wind. Toreign relations, charging that foreign relations, Intimate terms with the L W. W. The held up and never will be confirmed. Collector of Internal revenue for the

Oregon district is attracting many applicants whose names soon will have to be sifted in order that one of their number may be recommended to President Harding for appointment. The candidates up to this time, so far ley, Oregon City; J. H. Peare, La pouring into Washington from all parts of the state.

Many Seeking Marshalship.

The most popular job, however, seems to be that of United States Among those known to marshal, have their hats well out in the ring

 valid. Page 5.
State engineer's report will show \$15,532,-000 voted in Oregon to finance irriga-tion projecta. Page 5.
Say H. Dobbin, Wallows rancher, named to succeed late E. E. Kliddle on high-way commission. Page 11.
Columbia. highway blocked by slides. Page 18.
Sports. George W. Ridgeway, Salem, are candidates for United States surveyorgeneral of Oregon, Ben F. West, Saguay or Paraguay, for which his friends say he is well qualified, and F. T. Wrightman, Salem, would gladly

D. C. Lewis, an attorney in the Board of Trade building. Portland. seeks appointment as federal judge in Alaska, Dr. Joseph A. Linville, Newberg, and P. O. Bonebrake, Portland, are candidates for federal pro-Federal raid yields \$9000 worth of drugs and alleged leader of negro underworld. date for appointment in the appoint in the app Docks and basements flooded by river. Service abroad, and others mentioned. Fage 15. Page 15. Blunder of county commissioners costly. for, weil-known former newspaper Page 20. man of Portland and La Grande; S. consorahip declared inadequate. J. Rupert, Salem, and Linn W. Nesmith, formerly of Oregon but now

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Sports. Canadian veterans win soccer clash. Page 12, appointed to arrange the seats and Senators Witty, Monson and Reed Page 12. New tennis record set by Americana. Iem, would be satisfied with an ap-Page 12. Page 12. Page 12. Chicago wheat advances with heavy ex-port buying. Page 19. All clarses of Wall-street stocks close strong. Page 19. Steamer Sadbury to take Oregon flour to south Atlantic coast, Page 18. Pertiand and Vicinity. Page 19. C. Lewis, an attorney in Board of Trade building. Porth seeks appointment as federal ju in Alaska, Dr. Joseph A. Linvi

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secretary to lieutenant-governor, Mra Jeanne L. Anderson of Twin Falls. Governor is Notified. L. R. Thomas of Bingham, E. W.

Commercial and Marine. Wheat strong and higher in all northwest-ern markets. Page 19.