to Have Been Stolen After Ro-

ceipt by Postal Clerks.

PUGET SOUND BUREAU, Seattle,

Wash., March 9 .- (Special.) - Fifteen

thousand dollars in currency is mys

The money came to Seattle from Ju-neau, Alaska, on the steamship North-

tioning and examination of everyone connected with the office has failed to disclose the subsequent disposition of the package. By today, when news of the loss first became public, the inquiry had sifted down to three persons, two of whom, a man and a woman, are employes of the postoffice, while the third is employed in another federal office in the same building.

The inspectors have made a thor

ough search of one home in Seattle even to shaking down the contents of the coal bin, but without result

The inspectors are still hopeful and persistent. The Juneau firm shipping the currency and the Seattle bank to

which it was sent are both protected

TRACTORS SEE **BUILDING REVIVAL**

Pacific Coast Leading in Construction Boom.

Annual Convention of Northwest Chapter of National Association Will Open Here Today.

general construction were voiced yesterday by Arthur S. Bent, Charles A Nogelsang and E. J. Harding, officers of the Associated General Contractors of America who are here to attend the annual convention of the Pacific northwest chapter of the association which is to be held at the Multnomah hotel today and tomorrow.

"Indications clearly show that building will be stimulated all over the country," said Mr. Bent, who is president of the national body, "and I am firm in my belief that the Pacific coast will lead the rest of the country. So far this year Los Angeles has started projects at a rate that will make the year's building amount to more than \$190,900,000, and other cities seem to be going ahead at the same rate.

Const First to Boom "The Pacific coast is receiving the boom first, I believe, because there is a general industrial trend toward west, due to the fact that the coast has half of the hydro-electric power of the country which means cheap power for manufacturers, also climatic conditions allowing all kinds of work practically the entire

year, and because the coast cities have access to all ports of the world My own idea of the future of the Pacific coast is too big to tell and would sound like a fourth of July

coming year will be for human wel-fare and comfort. Homes, churches,

fare and comfort. Homes, churches, achools, theaters and buildings other than industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction. Industrial plants will compose the bulk of the construction of the form that it is a construction was overbuild during the was an attempted to the construction was overbuild during the was a sentence for construction and bulk of the kall of the Northern is R. T. Sullivan, manages of the Tacoma Rallway & Power company and the Puget Sound Electric comp ployers and employes, making for im-proved conditions in the building and construction industry.

Costs Told to Pr One of the chief functions of the Associated General Contractors of America is to stimulate building by undertaking to visualize for the public the elements that enter into making up the cost of construction and to regulate prices as much as pos-sible. When exorbitant costs and unreasonable prices are quoted by any combine or branch of building supply factors the association endeavors to cradicate the cvil. Much of the talk during the convention will be on this subject, as the contractors hold that lack of public confidence retards building programmes.

Another subject to be constant to be constant. Another subject to be considered is in his honor tonight.

the Kenyon bill, now up in congress, and which is an effort to have public departments regulate their building programmes so they will fit in with times of depression in the general construction industry and prevent unemployment trouble. Sessions Open Today.

The first session of the convention, friendly rela-which will be attended by over 100 government. which will be attended by over 100 contractors, builders and construction engineers from the principal cities throughout the Pacific northwest, will open at 10 o'clock this morning at the Multnomah hotel. The afternoon session will begin at 2 o'clock this morning at the Multnomah diener dance will begin at 2 o'clock. at the Multnomah hotel. The after-noon session will begin at 2 o'clock and an informal dinner dance will be given in the evening. The same hours prevail on Saturday, when the election of officers will be held. The annual banquet of the chapter will be held Saturday night at the close of the convention.

MR. PEPPER HAS RIVAL

William J. Burke of Pittsburg Is Candidate for Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9.— William J. Burke, republican, of Pitts-burg, serving his second term in the house as a representative-at-large from Pennsylvania, today announced his candidacy for the senate "in op-position to Senator Pepper," who was appointed to the senate to serve until successor to the late Senator Pen-se could be selected at the polls ext November. Mr. Pepper has as yet made no for-

mal announcement as to whether he will be a candidate.

Obituary.

Samuel Steele.

Samuel Steele, 60, retired real estate dealer and resident of Portland for the last 33 years, died Wednesday at the family home, 335 Twelfth street. Mr. Steele came to Portland in 1899. He organized the firm of Brong & Steele, real estate dealers, shortly after his arrival, and he retired only five years ago.

The international triangular debate between the University of British Columbia, the University of Montana and Reed college will be held tonight. tired only five years ago.

He is survived by his widow and The Portland debate is scheduled for four children. The children are the Reed chapel at 8 o'clock. The Horace, Leighton and Medora Steele question will be: "Resolved, That the and Mrs. Margaret Bain, all of Port-ailled nations in the great war should land. The funeral will be held at cancel all external government war 10 o'clock this morning from the Fin-loans."

Chris F. Konzelman.

McMINNVILLE, Or., March 7.—
(Special.)—Chris F. Konzelman, who was born in Wurttenberg, Germany, December 3, 1862, died at his home in McMinnville, March 3. He came to the United States at the age of 17.

In 1889 he married Lillie May Watts, who died two years ago. Six children survive. They are: Ray of Dallas, Carl of San Francisco, Mrs. Velma Baughman of Camas, Wash.; Otto also of Camas, and Glen and Emmett

McMINNVILLE, Or., March 7.—
(Special.)—Chris F. Konzelman, who was born in Wurttenberg, Germany, which team which will meet Montana, comprises Herman will meet Montana, comprises Herman hers of the visiting team are Matt Pearce and George Bargen.

The Reed affirmative team, which the certificate issue being on the usual terms, while the notes are offered only in exchange for 4% per cont Victory notes pursuant to the treasury's refunding plans for the gradual retirement of Victory notes. Payment for the new notes, Secretary Mellon said, could not be made in cash, by credit in treasury certificates and send the certificate issue being on the usual terms, while the notes are offered only in exchange for 4% per cont Victory notes pursuant to the treasury's refunding plans for the gradual retirement of Victory notes. Payment for the new notes, Secretary Mellon said, could not be made in cash, by credit in treasury certificates and the gradual retirement of Victory notes. Payment for the new notes, Secretary Mellon said, could not be made in cash, by credit in treasury certificates and the gradual retirement of Victory notes. Payment for the new notes, Secretary Mellon said, could not be made in cash, by credit in treasury certificates and the certificate issue being on the usual terms, while the notes are offered only in exchange for 4% per cont Victory notes. When you have Dizzy Headache, Colds, Billiousness, Indigestion, or Upset, Acid Stomach is candy-like "Cascarets, too.—Adv."

Carl of San Francisco, Mrs. Velma Baughman of Camas, Wash.; Otto provided mounts.

The need affirmative team, which the certifica

of McMinnville. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Sun-day afternoon. Interment in Masonic

A. G. Wellington.

ABERDEEN, Wash, March 9.—
(Special.)—A. G. Weilington, 58, manager of the Continental Telegraph company, Aberdeen, died this morning at an Aberdeen hospital after an illness of about 24 hours. Mr. Weilington has been on Grays Harbor for 24 tives at Session Seeking to Return the war. Northern Profile and the Crossing Accidents. years. He was Northern Pacific agent at Cosmopolis for five years, the re-mainder of his stay here being chiefly LARGE SUMS TO BE SPENT

In the capacity of manager for the Continental. He is survived by Mrs. Wellington and by several brothers powers over transportation in four and sisters, most of whom live at Big Lake, Minn., his birthplace.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 9.—(Special.)—Officials having regulatory powers over transportation in four states will join here tomorrow with railroad executives and heads of

Miss Mollie Tompkins of Forest Grove. Their only daughter passed away re-Beliefs that the present year would cently and the mother never recovered a complete revival in building and construction were voiced yes.

Eliza A. Chase.

HAINES, Or., March 19 .- Special.)-

duce Crossing Accidents.

OFFICIALS OF FOUR STATES TO

weilington and by several brothers and sisters, most of whom live at Big Lake, Minn, his birthplace.

Mrs. Charles F. Miller.

Milton A. Miller has received word from his brother, Charles F. Miller, of San Francisco, telling of the death of Mrs. Charles Miller and stating that the widower will arrive with the body at 9:39 o'clock on the train from California. Mrs. Miller, formerly was Miller formerly was that the widower will arrive with the body at 9:39 o'clock on the train from California. Mrs. Miller, formerly was Miller formerly was Miller formerly was of the Oregon public service commission; Oregon, represented by Chairman Williams of the Oregon public service commission. of the Oregon public service commission; Idaho, with a representative of that state's public service commission, and Washington, with Frank R. Spinning, supervisor of transportation in the department of public works.

Others taking part will 'nclude (Special.)—Mrs. D. B. Weir, who has the original of the original of

right to close the subscription for the PASTOFFICE LOSES \$15,000 notes at any time without notice was

served. The one-year treasury certificates, the secretary explained, were being offered to provide for the treasury's cash requirements remaining above the \$460,000,000 expected from income and profits tax collections during March, in addition to other sources of revenue. Registered Mail From Alaska Said

BIG STOCK SALE MADE

1000 Head of 4-Year-Old Geldings Disposed Of at Redmond.

REDMOND, Or., March 8 .- (Spe

WOMAN RECEIVES PARDON

Manufacturer of Liquor Allowed At the dock it was delivered to armed postal employes and marine guards and was carried safely to the main

postoffice building. Its receipt there was checked by two employes of the registry division. Exhaustive questioning and examination of everyone

NATIONAL OFFICERS OF CONTRACTORS' ASSOCIATION IN PORTLAND FOR CONVENTION.



dream, but these are concrete facts which are plainly in evidence in the construction officials who will speak on building conditions: Left to right—E. J. Harding, Washington, construction world.

"Most of the building during the Ansociated General Contractors of America." D. C., assistant national secretary; Charles A. Vogelsang, San Francisco, field secretary; Arthur S. Bent, Los Angeles, president of the Associated General Contractors of America.

ner in Honor of Yenii Takeda. Members of the Portland Chamber

of Commerce and other leading citi-

Mr. Takeda came to Portland Tuesday and took over the official duties

his time getting acquainted.

The dinner is to be informal and invitations have been sent out by the chamber to those who are interested in the promotion of more friendly relations with the Japanese government.

is accompanied here by Mrs. Takeda, a talented and educated Japanese

Shriners' Club to Give Dinner.

REDMOND, Or., March 9. - (Special.)—The Central Oregon Shriners' club will give a dinner dance March 22 at the Pilot Butte hotel at Bend.



Dr. E. O. Sisson, ex-president of the University of Montana, will be chair-man, and Guy C. H. Corliss, L. D. Bosley and E. E. Scharzstrauber, cent treasury notes for an undeter-

Edwin Allison Stewart.

Edwin Allison Stewart. 2½ years a professional dog catcher, whose old, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. A services have been employed by Rood, died at the home of the latter, the state license dog tax law. He is from influenza. The boy's mother and her three children were visiting this city from their home in Honolulu.

CONSUL GUEST TONIGHT

Chamber of Commerce to Give Din
MEDFORD, Or., March 9.—(Special.)

MEDFORD, Or., March 9.—(Special.)

A professional dog catcher, whose object by Mrs. M. Weiner at Four-bied by Mrs. M. Weiner a clean up the country scroots.

The sheriff has led a dog's life ever since the state tax was declared constitutional. He issued appeals to the

owners to pay the licenses on their dogs, but it was no use, So Sheriff Terrill was forced to show his teeth and growl. the professional dog catcher.

of his office and has been spending BEAVERTON HOME BURNED

Loss More Than \$3000.

BEAVERTON, Or., March 9.—(Special.)—The first destructive fire in Beaverton for three years burned the residence of Frank Miller to the ground last night about 8 o'clock.

Mrs Miller and daughter Luella were strending services at the Catholic Services. The public is invited to attend.

GEDDES CHANGES DATES

Visit to Portland Is Switched to Monday, March 27.

for England, he will arrive in Port-land on Monday, March 27, at 8:20 P. M., and remain until Thursday

The change of schedule also brings about a change of schedule also brings about a change of programme by the Chamber of Commerce. The ambassa dor was to speak at the members' forum on Monday, March 27, but he will arrive too late for this. The programme of entertainment will be adjusted to the new date of the accounty council of the league. Each leaders will the second of the league. Each leaders will be about a change of second and the league. Geddes visit. The ambassador will be accompanied by Lady Geddes.

TREASURY PAPER ISSUED Notes Offered in Exchange for 4 %

Per Cent Victory Securities. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9. Secretary Mellon announced last night an offering of \$250,000,000 one-

ranged for Vancouver Barracks. VANCOUVER, Wash., March 9 .-

(Special.)—George P. Horst, ex-chap-lain of the 35th infantry, will speak at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning at Vancouver barracks, Post Service club No. 1. Miss Georgeanna Wornom

Mrs. Miller and daughter Luella were attending services at the Catholic church, and Mr. Miller was downtown trading at the stores. When the firebell rang hose cart No. 1 from the city hall and hose cart No. 2 from West Beaverton responded and did good work in keeping the flames from spreading to adjoining residences.

Most of the furniture downstairs was aved, but everything upstairs was a total loss, including most of the family clothes, valuable papers and many treasured pictures. The loss is A. L. Tetu, illustrious potentate of Al Kader temple of Portland, has been invited as the honor guest.

family clothes, valuable papers and many treasured pictures. The loss is more than \$2000, partly covered by insurance.

> Chamber to Hold Banquet. MARSHFIELD, Or., March 3.—(Spe-ial.) — The Marshfield chamber of ommerce will hold a monster booster

Legion Plans County Council.

the first time he had ever steered an the imported Jerseys,

Special Public Services Are Ar-

of Vancouver will sing.

Company C of the 59th infantry
will assist the chaptain in this serv-Residence Totally Destroyed and for this service. Berton F. Bronson, post chaplain, will be in charge of the services. The public is invited to

falling to Nels Pederson.

Monday, March 27.

Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador to the United States, has again changed the dates for his visit here, and, according to a telegram received by John Trant, local consult for England, he will arrive in Portaddress the gathering.

LA GRANDE, Or., March 9 .- (Spe-

post would name five members to the

by insurance. The postoffice's liabil-ity, it was said, does not exceed \$100 under registry regulations. PRICE OF CEDAR RISES Government Timber Is Increased to \$5 in 1000-Foot Quantity. EUGENE, Or., March 9 .- (Special.) Port Orford cedar owned by the government probably will seil hereafter on the stump at \$5 a thousand feet, according to R. S. Shelley, supervisor of the Siuslaw national forest. This is the highest price the government ever placed on standing timber, he said.

The government seen will offer for sale a small tract of this timber, located in the Siuslaw forest between Lakeside and Coos Bay. It adjoins the holdings of the Buehner Lumber company, which is desirous of purchasing it.

Club Leaders Visit Scappoose.

SCAPPOOSE, Or., March 9 .- (Spe cial.)—J. E. Calavan, field worker for the state clubs for boys and girls, and L. J. Allen, state livestock club leader, both of Corvallis, visited the leader, both of Corvallis, visited the Scappoose high school and community today, and Burl Smith, president of the state calf club. The visitors spoke before the high school of the value of club work and expressed their particular interest in this section because of the large number of prominent dairies. Burl Smith and his father manage the Sunnyside Jersey farm, known as the home of

Falls City Schools Reopen.

FALLS CITY, Or., March 9 .- (Special.)—The Falls City schools re-opened this morning after having been closed several days on account of liness among the children. With the coming of warmer weather, health conditions are much improved

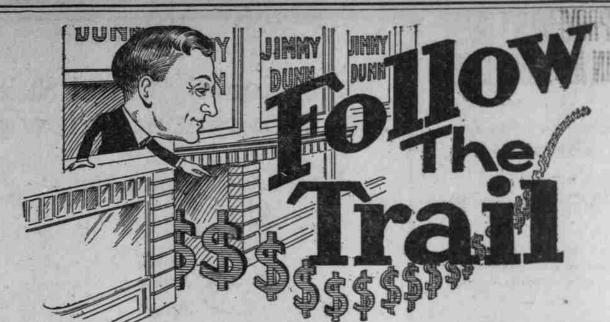
District to Vote on Bonds. OREGON CITY, Or. March 9.— (Special.)—Contraction of a \$30,000

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NEW SPRING SUITS \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40



warrant indebtedness for the purpose of building a new high school building will be voted on at a meeting of the voters of Union high school district No. 2 on the afternoon of April 1. An official call for the meeting was issued Thursday by J. R. Hall, clerk of the board, who, with A. C. Baumbach, a member of the board, was in Oregon City conferring with was in Oregon City conferring with Brenton Vedder, county school super-

Scappoose Home Burns.

intendent.

SCAPPOOSE, Or., March 9 .- (Speial.)-The house of Fred Lange was completely destroyed Wednesday by fire, which occurred shortly after the family had arisen. Some of the furniture on the first floor was saved. The fire started mysteriously on the second floor and the upper part was in fiames before it was detected. The loss is estimated at several thousand dollars.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three cunces of Orchard White, which any drugstore will supply for a few centagorisation of Jefferson and once from Linn county after removing to bleach lotion to soften and whiten red, rough or chapped handa. This several thousand dollars.

Commissioner Thoms Better.

ALBANY, Or., March 9 .- (Special.) -D. C. Thoma, county commissioner of Linn county, who had been serlously ill with influenza for several days at his home in Scio, was re ported today to be improving stead-

CHAPPED HANDS

WHITEN ROUGH

Kiwanis to Go After Budget.

THE DALLES, Or., March 2.—(Special.)—Thirty members of the Kiwanis in an accident at the Mud Bay Log-diub on ten teams on Monday, March ging company's camp about 12 miles home-made lemon lotion is far auperior to glycerin and rose water to smoothen the skin. Famous stage beauties use it to bleach and bring that soft clear, rosy-white complexion, because it doesn't irritate.—Adv.

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