Master of Topeka Says He Could Not Locate Valencia.

### PLAN MADE FOR RESCUE

Captain Cann Had Liferatts Ready to Send on Shore, in Tow of Lifeboats, to Bring Off the Survivors of Disaster.

SMATTLE Wash., Feb. 16 .- (Special.) Captain Cann, in command of the steamer Topeka, which relieved the Queen off the Valencia wreck, declared today that when his vessel reached the scene, the wreck could not be discerned. There is something remarkable about this testirepancy between the statements of the men on the Queen and the survivors of the boat, but it may be that a logical explanation for all the differences can

It has already been testified by Captain Cousins that the Topeka came into sight after the tug Czar had gone in toward the Valencia and came out with a state ment that no life existed aboard. The seen put off after the tug and declared there were persons hanging to the rig-ging. A short time afterward the Topeka hove into sight and ordered the Queen to San Francisco. Then, Captain Cann testified, the wreck was invisible. Those survivors who escaped by a raft from the Valencia declare the Queen steamed away from them, and that they saw the To-peka coming up and tried to reach her, itimately being saved by that boat.

Newspaper men who were aboard the Topeka declared when they came back that the Valencia was invisible when they Cann told his story today. He, too, says the wreck could not be seen. He alleges a mist had arisen that shut off the shore and that the best of the information he uld get confirmed a belief that the

Valencia had gone to pieces.
Captain Cann suggested today the first line of real effort to reach the wreck that has ever been presented. He said he had a programme of sending liferafus in toward the doomed vessel, in tow of lifeboats. He proposed to allow these rafts to drift in toward the Valencia and take off her people. But when he failed to make out the wreck and could get no confirmation of the statement that life ex-isted on the steamer he stood off. He was once in seven fathoms of water and

got out because of the danger.

Testimony before the local inspectors is practically concluded before the National Board arrives. Pretty nearly everybody has testified and been cross-examined. The National Board will merely go deep-er into the inquiry, and the evidence of next week will be largely a repetition of

that already given. There stands out one question as a re-There scans but has been produced that is of startling import and yet has been quietly ignored:

cosel struck, and what did he do? shouting orders to lower the lifeboats to the saloon deck. Members of the crew say he ordered them lowered and made No one has said the master of the essel gave any further orders that night. From the time the Valencia struck to the time the liferafts put away the fol-lowing day, there is a hiatus. No one has supplied information that shows anything the Valencia's mester did in the when he shouted to the people aboard the

Valencia that those who wanted to take their lives in their hands might go onto declares Captain Johnson went about the boat with a revolver in his pocket, that he was badly rattled, that setter than gossip for the testimony be

### Survivor of the Valencia Makes Con-

tradictory Statements in Testimony. SEATTLE Wash., Feb. 10.—Testimony offered by Frank B. Connors, a survivor of the wrecked steamship Valencia, before the Marine Inspectors, became so strange at times, interspersed with mixed and contradictory statements on points testi-fied to by other witnesses, that it is feared the awful experience incident to the disaster and the subsequent suffering has so affected Connor's mind that he cannot remember distinctly; or else that he is attempting to conceal s

ances in connection with the affair.
While testifying regarding his actions seen sent away early Tuesday morning in reply to a query from District Attorney Frye as to how he came to be aboard the liferaft, Connors stated that he was thrown to the deck of the Valencia as a result of the main topmast being carried away, and on striking the deck a big sea carried him over the side and on to the

The witness said that Captain Johns vessel's deck to get aboard his raft. The passengers refuse dto go and hung back. thus corroborating other testimony pre-viously introduced showing that the pas-sengers apparently preferred to remain on the vessel rather than trust themselves to the mercy of the wind and sea.

Connors remembered a ship coming in very near the Valencia on the morning after she struck, which is thought to be the steamer Edith, so nearly wrecked an nour after the Valencia went on the rocks. This was supposed to have hapuened be-tween the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock, Janttary 2. Captain Croskey, of the steamer Edith, on arriving in port Wednesday, January 24 reported he had nearly been d. Connors says guns were fired hope of attracting her attention

### ENGINEERS' HEADQUARTERS.

### Office Building Will Be Erected Near Klamath Falls.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Feb. 10 .- (Spe

erection of a beadquarters building as soon as plans in preparation are completed to be large enough for the offices of the different departments, and that will probably cost about \$5000. It will be two stories and basement. In addition to the main building, a water system will be installed, with its supply from a reservoir located on higher ground. Modern conveniences will be included and barns for the necessary livestock and a blacksmith shop will also be built on the ground. The main building will cover an area about fixed feet in its ground plan. The location is along the right of way of the main canal.

SENT TO PRISON FOR LIFE NOT

Montana Youth Confessed to Brutal

Murder of Pawnbroker. BUTTE, Feb. 16.-A Miner special from Devisiowa, Mont., says James Sherman was today sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Samuel Studinski, an aged pawnbroker whose brains young Sherman confessed to battering out with a hatchet for the purpose of robbery. Sherman also confessed to having attentions the life of Proceedings 11 tempted the life of a Prosecuting Attor-ney and to committing a number of bur-

Sherman is about 20 years of age, and the son of very respected people of Lew-istown. Sherman's aged father was pres-ent in court and wept blitterly when his son was sentenced.

## **GOOD CHANCE TO ADVERTISE**

TROUSANDS WILL ATTEND NA-TIONAL EDUCATIONAL MEET.

Oregon Should Have a Proper Exhibit at San Francisco, Says the State Superintendent.

SALEM. Or., Feb. 10.-(Special.)-"Fifteen thousand Eastern people will be in San Francisco next July when the Na-tional Educational Association is in sesdonal Educational Association is in ses-sion, and Oregon should do semething to attract their stiention to this state." says Buperintendent of Public Instruction J. H. Ackerman. "Many of the visitors will be teachers, but probably a large profor-tion of them will be people engaged in other occupations who take advantage of the reduced rates to come to the Coast-They will all be people who may easily become interested in this state and who can do us an immense amount of good can do us an immense amount of good by telling what they know about Oregon

when they return to their Eastern homes. The association will be in session July 5 to 16. The leading educational workers of the United States will be there. San Francisco has raised a fund of 140,000 with which to provide entertainment. The State of Washington will have headquar-ters at the meeting and will make every effort to advertise that part of the Northwest

"It seems to me that this is an oppor-tunity for Oregon to show her spirit and let the tourists know this state is on the map. We ought to make such an exhibit as will cause nearly every visitor to come to Oregon before returning to the East. We should at least let them know that

we are an active, wide-awake, enterpris-ing people and that we have a state of which we have reason to be proud. "As manager of the N. E. A. for Ore-gon, I intend to take the matter up with Manager Tom Richardson, of the Portland Commercial Club, and with the Southern Pacific Company, and see what can be done. In my opinion we should can be done. In my opinion we should send a large delegation of teachers and hoosters' who will not only show that Oregon is ready to help in everything that is of interest to the Coast, but also that Oregon is a very interesting and very important part of the Coast.

"We should maintain headquarters with an exhibit of fruit sufficient to creditably represent our horticultural resources. A

represent our horticultural resources. number of Oregonians should be there at all times to talk about Oregon and tell strangers of our scenery and the points of interest which will make it worth their while to come this way on their return East. All the visitors will have tickets permitting them to return by way of Oregon.

"At the Lewis and Clark Fair Califor-"At the Lewis and Clark Fair Califor-nia put up a building and an exhibit which were admired by every viritor to the grounds. The people of Oregon were grateful for their kind assistance in con-tributing to the success of the Fair and I believe the people of California feel that they got the value of their money in advertising. We owe it to the people of California to return the favor our own. of California to return the favor; our own MIND SEEMS TO BE IN A MAZE stiention

### Plumbers' Trust at Aberdech.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Feb. 10 .- (Speil.)-Business men of Aberdeen, who allege that there is a plumbers com-bine, say that, by letter received from F. T. Crowe, of Seattle, since the charges against the rlumbers have been

ments. The letter is as follows: "Seattle, Wash., Feb. 5, 1906.—Gentle men-Referring to your list of plumb ers' supplies, the writer regrets to re port that after a careful investigation it is impossible to secure these items in Seattle for shipment to others than plumbers in Aberdeen or. in fact, to any other place in this district where plumbers are to be found. This rule seems to be very carefully maintained, so much so that we cannot secure this material even for ourselves under any

### Political Situation in Malheur.

VALE, Or., Feb. 16 .- (Special.)-The political situation in Malheur County shows an abundance of candidates. For Repre-sentative on the Republican ticket G. L. King and Frank C. Brown, of Ontario, are out for the office. For County Clerk the Republicans have a pretty three-cornered fight with C. A. Gilham, of Vale: Charley Bush, of Westfall, and Ben Mattheisson, Bush, of Westfall, and Even Marthelesson, of Maiheur, as the candidates. The Democrats have two candidates, B. W. Mulkey, of Vale and A. W. Macpherson, of Ontario. For Treasurer only one name is mentioned, Elmer A. Clark, the present incumbent. For Sheriff, the Democrats have Daniel Kerfort of Ontario, and C. have Daniel Kerfoot, of Ontario, and C. O.
Thomas, of Vale: the Republicans have
T. A. Barton, of Vale, and Robert O'Den
of Ontario. No candidates have come out
for County Commissioner.

## Barred From Montana Courts.

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 10 .- (Special.) The Supreme Court of Montana today forever disbarred from practice in Mont-tana B. S. Thresher, of Butte, against whom charges of forgery, embergle ment and other offenses had been pre-ferred, and suspended for three months Evans A. Carlton, of Helena, ex-State Superintendent of Public Instruction, against whom were charges of deceit

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—H. H. Humphreya, engineer of the Kiamath project, has concluded arrangements for the permanent headquarters of the Reclamation Service in this district, to occupy a tract of land located on the 180-acre place of the Meadow & Garden Land Company, adjacent to East Klamath Falis, being a part of the old Mitchell ranch.

The purchase of the land has been consummated with Frank ira White, who has local direction of the big ranch, that is being subdivided and will be placed on the market early this Spring. Cutting up of this tract seems to signalize the passing of the great stock ranches and feeding grounds of the Kiamath Basin in big holdings.

The Reclamation Service will begin the

French Sailors Are Afraid to Put to Sea in Bark.

ENOUGH BALLAST

Recent Experience in Being Tossed About in Light Ship by Heavy Gajes Causes Mutiny at Port Townsend.

the French bark Amiral Courbet, lying at Port Townsend, mutinfed today, and, after foreibly taking a boat, ashere, declaring that they would not pro ceed to sea in the vessel, owing to her lightened condition. N. W. O'Rear, of Port Townsend, who arrived in the , said that the sailors were afraid to see with the vessel in light bal-

last,
"For the last two days," said Mr.
O'Rear, "launches have been busy running out to the ship, putting on ballast. Yesterday morning the vessel was ready to go to sen, and a tug arrived to take her out. Her owners had ordered her to Sydney, Australia. Soon after the tug arrived people ashore noticed a com-motion aboard. There was a good deal of shouting in French and wild gesticulat-ing. Then one of the boats was lowered and practically the entire crew, with the exception of the officers, pulled sahore.

"After landing they stated that the ship was not fit to leave Puget Sound, and that they would not go out in her. The men were reticent concerning the capture of the boat. Under the French laws this is a serious offense, and they are, I believe, liable for mutiny when

in the Courbet with ballast was enough. When the ship was recently being towed up from San Francisco, in ballast, she broke adrift from the tng. She was an light that only her topsalls could be used. In heavy weather the chances were all against her. She was blown far out to sea, and was given up by people ashore. She finally managed to work back and was picked up by a tug sent to look "There was a great deal of complaint

among the men when she arrived. They stated that the ship was not fit to leave port with so light a ballast. There has been more or less hard feeling between the officers and crew aince the vessel ar-rived. The crew allege the officers are endangering their lives and the safety of the ship by their penuriousness. The of-ficers of the ship, on the other hand, asthat the ship is perfectly safe with tons of ballast aboard.

The fact that the callors have signed on the vessel makes it very probable that the men will have to return to the ship and make the voyage even if the captain saw fit to proceed to sea without any bal-last at all."

This is the first time for a number of years that a crew has seen fit to take matters in their own hands and forcibly leave a ship Sailors state that 260 tone of ballast for a ship the size of the Courbet is not sufficient. They also state that it was mostly by good luck that she was picked up after she broke adrift from the tug on her way up here from

also liable to turn turtle if struck by a sudden squall. For this reason the French sailors have the sympathy of all senfaring men. The matter will most probably come up before the United States Commissioner tomorrow.

CONDON, Or., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Andrew Neel, a sheepman of Lone Rock, sold a band of 3000 mixed yearlings to Montana buyers yesterday at E.S. These sheep were sold for June delivery, which with the woo! which Mr. Neel gets, will net him close on to \$5 a head. Many sheep are changing hands at these prices. It is understood that Jeff Neel and Albert Stitt, also Lone Rock sheepmen, have disposed of a large number of their young sheep at the same prices as above. There is an impression among stockmen here that at the prevailing high prices they are not warranted in holding for further

### Democrats to Hold Convention.

EUGENE, Or., Feb. 16.-(Special.)-A committee was held today to discuss methods of procedure regarding nomina-tions, and it was decided that the Democrats of the county meet in this city in mass convention Saturday, February M. and at that time select the names of capdidates for all county offices to be pre-sented for nomination at the primary

Traction Company Is Dissolved. SALEM. Or., Feb. 16.-(Special.)-The Oregon Traction Company today filed certificate of dissolution in the office of the Secretary of State.

MANAGER OF M'MINNYPILE COL-LEGE TRACK TEAM.



M'MINNVILLE COLLEGE, Or., 10.-(Special.)-The athletic council has selected Chester W. Campbell, of the junior class, to manage the 1906 track team. Mr. Campbell, while not an athlete, is a strong supporter of intercollegiate atbletics and takes an especial interest in track work. He has con iderable business ability and also the is already arranging a schedule of

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FRANK PECKHAM DROPS DEAD AT SAN PRANCISCO.

ing Under Course of Construction Responsible for the Accident.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10 .- (Special.)-A wire carrying thousands of volts of electricity killed Frank Peckham, at the corner of Bush and Stockton streets, at Il o'clock this morning, as he was walkine beneath a temporary structure erected over the sidewalk for the protection of passers-by. The wire was dangling from a new building being erected there. Through some one's carelessness it had a menace to every person that happened

Peckham was carrying an umbrelia, the framework of which brushed the exposed wire. Peckham dropped in his tracks and died without a word. There were a numdied without a word. ber of people near him at the time. Mrs. F. Fallon, of \$25 Bush street, had just passed the dangerous place, and also nar-rowly escaped death.

Peckham tramped up the hill without premonition of danger. He passed under the temporary structure erected over the sidewalk with his umbrella still open. One of the steel rods caught up the current, and in a moment Peckham was dead.

William Koenig, a contractor, who is superintending the building, witnessed the accident. He says that he realized the danger of the wire, but did not take the

people away.

MUST PAY PENALTY OF CRIME

Washington Supreme Court Decides in Armstrong Murder Case.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Feb. 10,--(Spe-ABBRIDGEN. Wash., Feb. 10.—(Spe-cial).—That A. A. Armstrong, who killed Robert Patton, on a farm in the Wynooche, Valley, must hang for the crime is the opinion the State Supreme Court handed down today, and probably ends a case which has attracted atten-

tion for the past few years.

Armstrong and Patton were ranchers and neighbors and the two became involved in a dispute over the dividing line of their respective holdings. There had been frequent quarrels and Arm-strong had been under arrest one or more times for assaulting Patton. The day of the murder Patton was chopping wood or clearing a plece of land which Armstrong alleged he had no

to leave the place on threats made by Armstrong. He even remained after the firing of one or two shots from a rife. Pinally he received a fatal wound. Armstrong was convicted by a jury and Judge Irwin sentenced him to be hanged and overruled a motion for a new trial. Armstrong was taken to Walla Walls, but his attorneys got the case before the Supreme Court on a plea of error and Armstrong has since been in the County Jall.

### Precautions at the University.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 16.—(Special.)—In regard to the typhold fever among the students, the faculty has decided to issue a bulletin every morning, giving the condition of the fever patients among the students. There are at present only two serious cases among the ten ill and convalescent.

The utmost precaution in regard to drinking water is maintained, and all buildings on the campus are supplied daily with boiled drinking water. The university has installed a plant which distills an amule supply of pure water. There UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene

an ample supply of pure water. There are no cases in the dormitory and students generally are observing sanitary habits, so that no new cases are likely to develop. Special examinations will be held for those who are absent from sickness, so that illness will not interfere greatly with the students' standing in the classes.

### Duniway Is Cordially Received.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., Feb. . 16 .- (Spe cial.)—Willis S. Duniway, candidate for State Printer on the Republican ticker, is in town. His work for party nom-inces in the past, and as Secretary of the Republican State Central Committee in the McKiniey and Roosevelt cam-paign of 1966, is well known here, and he receives assurances of hearty sup-port in Yamhill County. He expresses himself as well pleased with his re-ception here.

Packing Plant for Salt Lake.

SALT LAKE CITT, Feb. 10.—Prepara-tory to the beginning of work on a pack-ing plant with a capacity of 500 cattle, 1900 ing plant with a casecity of 500 cattle, 1900 sheep and 1900 hogs a day, five miles from this city, the Utah Packing Company met today and elected officers. George C. Whitmore, of Ukiah, Utah, is president. The company is capitalized at 1900,000, or which \$165,000 has been subscribed by Western stockmen. It is the intention to turnish a home market for the livestock of the Intermountain States.

### Large Attendance at Chemawa.

CHEMAWA, Or., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—
The Indian school never had as large an attendance as at present. There are now more than 550 pupils and more coming nearly, every day. The enrollment this year is 650. Superintendent Kyeelka, of the Hoopa Valley School, Callifornia, left today for home. He brought a party of 18 bright pupils from his school to get an advanced education along industrial lines at Chemawa.

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Convict Sentenced to Be Hanged.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16.—Charies Curison. one of the Folsom State Penitentiary convicts, who was engaged in an outbreak at that institution one year ago to escape, and who was found guilty a rew weeks ago on a charge of conspiracy, was independent of the many convicts. The convicts who was found guilty a regular-size package of Pyramid Pile Cure at your druggist's for 20 cents, or if he hasn't it, send us the money and we will send it to y

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Republican Caucuses Declare for Him for Mayor of Seattle.

BIDS FOR THE LABOR VOTE

Effort to Sidetrack Candidate for Office of Controller Who Was on the Wrong Side in a Bitter Strike.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 1st.-(Special.)-The Republican caucuses tonight indicated clearly that John Riplinger, the present City Controller, will be the Republican nominee for Mayor. Wherever there was any question, in the minds of the Rip-linger managers, a resolution was put through indorsing Riplinger and instruct-

ing the delegates to vote for him.
This was more significant in the Third Ward than anywhere else. In that district there is a candidate for Controller and another for Treasurer. The former Harry Carroll, is well known to politicians of the state, for he has several times been reading clerk of the House of Representatives. Now he is accountant in the Controller's office, protected from dismis-sal by civil service rules, but conducting campaign for the principal office under a nine-days' leave of absence. James An-derson is the Third's candidate for Treas-

derson is the Thirty's candidate for Treasurer. Both men were ignored in the instructions given for Riplinger.

A bitter fight is cropping out in the
North End of the city, who an attempt
is being made to agree upon a candidate
to fight the "ins" for Controller. A. J.
Contact in the Night agreed to abide Goddard, in the Ninth, agreed to able by a decision of a committee from the Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh Wards as to the candidacy of himself and T. A. Parish, a new candidate. Parish won, but today God-dard refused to get out of the race. Godstrike, and because of the labor union fight Republican politicians are trying to get him out of the way.

Tenight Republican leaders set afoot a movement to find an acceptable labor union man who can be placed on the tick et for either Controller or Treasurer. Unless there is an introduction of new strength, it is presty clearly indicated that the City Hall and Courthouse crowds will dictate all nominations and there is a fear of serious loss of strength. Help from the

labor unions is sought by placing one or more of their men on the ticket. A curious political shift is shown in the First, where the Clancys, defeated two years ago in the city and county fights have re-established themselves and wil force the nomination of James Conway elected two years ago as a Democrat Conway will also sit in the Republican

## Piles Cured

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ation unnecessary. Don't submit to the cruel, excruciating gain caused by the surgeon's knife. Besides, it is expensive and humiliating and rarely a permanent

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ests have agreed to his nomination. The most bitter Councilmanic fight is n the Eleventh Ward, where T. P. Revelle, a preacher, who drifted into the practice of law, is fighting L. H. Gray, a steamship man, and J. C. Redward, an ex-Councilman, for the Councilmanic nomination. This ward is overwheimingly Republican, but a factional fight two years ago elected T. M. Dalton, a Demo-

CITY WATER IS INFECTED

Eugene Council Is Taking Active Measures to Clean Up Town.

EUGENE, Or., Feb. 18 .- (Special.) --There are at present 76 cases of fever suspected of being typhoid. In about half of the cases the physicians state that they are well developed and the diagnosis is correct. In other cases there is more or less doubt, but most of them are believed to be typhoid. Of other contagious diseases, there are now four cases of va-rioloid and about 20 cases of measies. have been during the Winter three uses of diphtheria.

There have been no deaths from any of the contagious diseases, except from typhoid fever. Of this three have died-a man named Morgan, February 1; a young man named Cole, February 7, and Attorney Harry Ladd, February 8. In addition to these, two men have died in the hospital here who were brought from a log-ging camp. 40 miles distant, to receive

The citizens are thoroughly aroused, and have determined to stamp out all infection without delay. A special meeting of the Common Council was held tonight call of the Mayor, and it was attended by a large number of interested citizens who offered suggestions and made addresses. A resolution was presented by the Merchants' Protective Association, urging rigid enforcement of all ordinances bearing upon the healthfulness and cleanliness.

Republican Club. Sales of tickets indicate that this number will be present. The banquer will be the most elaborate affair of the kind ever given in Salem.

Every Republican candidate for nominaof the city, and asking for the appoint-ment of a special health officer and a plumbing inspector to require renovation and purification of all disease harbors of every description. The Council readily agreed to take action, which it will do at the regular meeting Monday evening.

The Council and Mayor showed that much has already been done in the line suggested. It has been assumed by many nd openly stated that the seat of the disease is in the city water supply, and In this line it was reported that there has been much flushing of mains, opening of dead ends, etc., for some weeks past, and seven times in the last five months. But the city authorities and the water company have promised to press the work further, the company promising to connect all ends and leave no dead ends, and also to install a filter, besides digging new wells.

The meeting tonight left no doubt about the intention of the city to purify itself until it shall no longer be subject to the suspicion of being infected. All contaglous cases are to be more thoroughly as well as all other contagious diseases.

LONG TERMS FOR CRIMINALS

Judge Rigg Sends a Number to the Penitentiary. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 10.

(Special.) Judge Rigg this afternoon sen-tenced Joseph Whitley, the negro who killed Edward Curtis at Toppenish last Summer, to 29 years in the penitentiary.

Whitiey was convicted by a jury at the
January term of court of manslaughter.

In passing sentence, the Judge said that
he believed the prisoner was guilty of murder in the first degree. Other sen-

Joseph Anderson, colored, 14 years in the penitentiary. Anderson had been sent to the Reform School on this charge, but while there organized a revolt against the management of the institution, and was sent back to Yakima, the revolt having falled. Joseph Reed, who held up Carrol Engle in this city last Spring and robbed him, was sentenced to 14 years. Joseph Mitchell, charged with burglary, got four hornestealing.

horsestealing.
On motion of District Attorney Krutz,
John Koempel, charged with holding in
slavery and assaulting his sister-in-law,
Matilda Schroeder, was dismissed. The
attorney said there was no evidence to
sustain the charge and physicians testified that no assault had been committed.

Drowned at Mouth of Siletz.

ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—The gasoline schooner Gerald C., which arrived yesterday from Siletz, reports that Nels Anderson, a fisherman, was drowned while crossing the bar at the mouth of the Sletz River on February 1. Ander-son and his son were crossing out in a motor fishing boat and as they were on the bar the toat capsized. Anderson sank almost immediately, but his son was able to reach shore. The boat drifted out to sea and was lost.

Plans for the Gold Hill Road.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 10. (Special.)—County Surveyor Meloy announced today that the plans and specifications for the Gold Hill road from the Yakima side would be finished in ten days and placed in the hands of the State Rose Commissioner. He said work on construc-tion of the road would be commenced this

WINDOW SMASHED AT VANCOUVER AND TRAY OF JEWELS SEIZED.

Robber Shoots at Man Who Would Stop Him and Escapes in Fog With \$20,000 Loot.

VANCOUVER, R. C., Feb. 16 .- The boldest and most successful robbery ever attempted in Vancouver was o'clock at the jewelry store of A. F. MacMillan, 401 Husting street. At that hour, when Mrs. MacMillan was alone In the store, Mr. MacMillan being away in the East, and the assistant at dinner, an unknown man boldly smashed in the plate glass window of the es-tablishment, seized a tray of diamonds and darted around the corner. A passermade a grab at the fleeing thief, the drew a revolver, fired and dashed disappearing toward the water

front in the fog. A rough estimate of the value of the goods stolen places it at \$23,000, but it is not improbable that this sum will be exceeded when the stock reveals the full extent of the depredation,

All the Candidates Will Be There.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 10.-(Special.)-Scale for 250 persons will be provided at the Lincoln day banquet to be given in the Armory in this city next Monday evening. under the auspices of the Young Men's Republican Club. Sales of tickets indicate

tion for a state office has been invited to be present, and all who had not previously made other arrangements have ac-

## Working on the Malheur Road.

VALE, Or., Feb. 10.-(Special.)-Condet nation proceedings were need in the Cir-cuit Court here this week in a number of cases by the Maiheur Valley Railroad Company to secure the right of way be-tween Ontario and Vale on the line now being built by this company. Several miles of grading have been completed, and an soon at the weather breaks up a full crew of men all along the line will be put to work. It is expected to have the road completed in time to carry out the wool this coming season,

Indian Woman Wants Divorce.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 10.-(Special.)—The novelty of an Indian ap-plying for a divorce was seen here when Mrs. Nellie Alick asked the court of Yakima County to separate her from her usband, George Alick, whom she says is a criminal and now in jail in Portland. He has allotment lands in Oregon, and she has 169 acres on the Yakima Reserva-

Eminent Doctors Praise Its Ingredients.

We refer to that boon to weak, nervous suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Dr. John Fyfe one of the Editorial Staff of The Ecceptic Medical Review says of Unicorn root (Helonias Dioien) which is one of the chief ingredients of the "Fa-

"A remedy which invariably acts as a uterine invigorator " " makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive system."
He continues "in Helonias we have a medicament which more fully answers the above He continues "in Helonias we have a medicament which more fully answers the above purposes than any other drug with tableh I am acquainted. In the treatment of diseases peculiar to women it is seldom that a case is seen which does not present some indication for this remedial agent." Dr. Fyfe further says: "The following are among the leading indications for Helonias (Unicorn root. Pain or aching in the back, with jeucorrhea; atonic (weak) conditions of the reproductive organs of women, mental depression and ir organs of women, mental depression and ir-itability, associated with chronic diseases of ritability, associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive organs of women, constant sensation of heat in the region of the kid-neys; menorrhapia (fooding), due to a weak-ened condition of the reproductive systems amend, rhosa (suppressed or absent monthly periods), arising from or accompanying an abnormal condition of the digestive organs and ansemic (thin blood) habit; dragging sensations in the extreme lower part of the abdomen."

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If more or less of the above symptoms are present, no invalid woman can do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, one of the leading ingredients of which is Unicorn root, or Heionias, and the medical propagates of which it

and the medical properties of which it most faithfully represents. Of Golden Seal root, another prominent ingredient of "Favorite Prescription." Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago, says:
"It is an important remedy in disorders of the womb. In all catarrhal conditions." and general enfeeblement, it is useful."

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Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, says of Golden Seal root:

"In relation to its general effects on the system, there is no medicine in use about which there is such general unanimity of opinion. It is universally togarded as the tonic useful in all debilitated states."

Prof. Bartholow, M. D., of Jefferson Medical College, says of Golden Seal:

"Valuable in uterine hemorrhage, menorrhagia (floeding) and congestive dysmenorrhaga (plainful menstruation)."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription faithfully represents all the above named ingredients and cures the diseases for which they are recommended.