SEEK BUSINESS MAN FOR MAYORALTY RACE THE DETAILS

Commercial Interests Are Going Over City With Fine-Toothed Testifies at the Trial of Binger Comb in Effort to Find a Strong Man for the Repub-

lican Nomination.

Portland business interests are lookng for a mayorelty candidate on the ticket who will represent aniness interests of the city faith rs as well as of the large retail inhers as well as of the large retail lightments of the city have been ing the town for some one promitin business circles to become the ess men's candidate.

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y could not afford to sacrifice the
from their private business.

"In my epinion and in theirs," the speaker continued, "the office of mayor of Portland ranks next in importance to that of governor of Oregon. The mayor is the executive officer having a larger constituency than any other officer in the state except the governor. He presides over a district representing one third of the wealth and population of the entire state. He should therefore be a man of dignity of bearing and of much experience. It is such a man that the business men are looking for to support as their candidate for the nomination for mayor."

The Council Candidates.

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**Washington, March 20.—S. A. D. Puter and Dan Tappiey are the star witnesses at the Hermann trial. Puter was called late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this afternoon and related the details of his methods of manipulating late this

Frank Bennett, now representing the eighth ward in the council, has decided to make the race for reelection and will file his petition today or tomorrow. Mr. Bennett is known as "the booster of the east side" and will rely on his record in the council to secure him another term. He had intended to make the race for city attorney, but has withdrawn from that course in favor of William R. Mc-Garry. Mew Council Candidates.

One of Own Eind Wanted.

"The business men of the city are looking for a candidate after their own kind," said a prominent merchant to day. "They have even come to me and saked me to run. But don't say anything about it," he cautioned. "Men from Front street," he continued, "and those who have large sums invested in business here, want to see a business man at the head of the ticket. They want a man of years and of the city want of experience, one who knows from actual contact what the business here, want to see a business man at the head of the ticket. They want a man of years and of the city demands of the city deman

LOOK TWICE AT THOSE FIVES THAT POUR INTO YOUR POCKET

Portland people fortunate enough to possess \$5 gold pieces are looking twice at those pieces of money when they come into their possession nowadays, as several business men have recently given good silver change away for gilded counterfeits.

The cold coin was shown to her hus-

Secret service officials of the government have seen notified that a man or several men have been operating in had money whin the city recently and a sheep lookout is being kept for the guilty persons. Complaint was first made by the proprietress of a lodging greengoods men in a short time.

PROVIDES FOR AMENDING

(Journal Sectial Service.)
Chfcago, March 20.—The offer made
by the managers of the railroad lines
west of Chicago has been rejected by
the trainmen, who have voted to strike

CHARGED WITH MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE

asked that he be given until Saturday to enter a pira. The permission was granted and Garritz will probably have his trial at the beginning of the April term of court.

more than 20 signatures shall be taken to any one sheet and that an affidavit shall accompany each 20 names signed by the person circulating the petition, and swearing that the names and ad-

The Eola school closed four weeks en account of mumps.



FREE! FREE! PRIMA

Nickel Trimmed Exten-

SKATES

BOYS, YOU'LL HAVE TO HURRY!

There are 500 pairs to be given away with Boys' Suits and Top Coats. All the spring novelties are here and await your inspection.



Men's and Boys' Outfitters. 166 and 168 Third St. Mohawk Building.

PUTER GIVES EAST UMATILLA LANDS

Hermann, and Tells How Money Was Paid.

On cross-examination, Puter said:

"L. M. Ormsby got his interest in the land for giving advance information relative to the Blue Mountain reserve. Tarpley also paid L. M. Ormsby \$500 for the favorable report made by Ormsby's father on the '11-T' claims."

The government introduced a certificate of deposit endorsed by Emma L. Watson to Ormsby.

J. W. Heideke, a forest ranger, testified to what he declared were attempts at Albany, Oregon, in 1902 to have him certify to the validity of certain fraudulent land claims of S. A. D. Puter. Heideke said he refused to do this.

Later, he said, Special Agent Loomis passed Puter's claims without inspection Heideke says the interested parties tion. Heideke says the interested parties paid him \$360 in cash and \$75 per month giving instructions that "Mum" is the

The government is endeavoring t show that the fraudulent transaction were known by Hermann.

STATE CERTIFICATES AND STATE DIPLOMAS CHARTER OF PORTLAND

At the meeting of the council this afternoon the law providing for the manner in which charter amendments this morning and listened to the information filed against him by Deputy District Attorney Adams, charging file prisoner with murder in the first degree.

Garritz wore a sulien, dogged look upon his face all the time he was in court and uttered no word save when asked to spell his name, which he gave as Garritz. In the information the name had been spelled Garretz, and Attorney Adams asked permission to change the spelling in the information.

Garritz' attorney, John F. Watts, asked that he be given until Saturday

At the meeting of the council this afternoon the law providing for the manner in which charter amendments of State Superintendent J. H. Ackermay be submitted to the people was taken up and discussed.

The proposed measures provides specific rules for carrying into effect the law recently passed making it possible for local measures to be submitted various counties of the results of the reduction of the intitative or the referendum to matters affecting the district to take action upon them. It gives certain and set forms to be used in the circulation of initiative and referendum petitions and shows how these should be circulated and filed. In both more than 20 signatures shall be taken to more than 20 signatures shall be taken to the people was taken up and discussed.

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After all names have been signed and the petition is ready for filing the same is to be filed with the city auditor, who shall verify the names and addresses and if a sufficient number of names are found to be correct and legal then the petition is to be sent to the city autoreay.

The \$15,000 damage suit of Barney Haven against the Peninsula Lumber company was begun in Judge Gantanbein's court this morning. The plaintiff alleges in his complaint that he was injured while in the employ of the lumber company through the negligence of a fellow employe. The lumber company sets up the defense that the accident was caused through contributory negligence on the part of Haven. Haven alleges in his complaint that he suffered a broken leg and other nijuries, caused by the falling of a load of lumber upon him.

Three Towns Invite Cadets.

PROBABLY OPEN SOON

Filings Permitted Long in Advance of Time Actual Residence Must Begin.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Hermiston, Or., March 26.—That the land included under the east Umatilla project will shortly be opened to entry is now probable and already those desiring to secure irrigated lands are making the projects.

It is rumored that the land is to It is rumored that the land is to be thrown open for entry about May 1, though J. T. Whistler, engineer in charge of the work on the project, says there is no definite assurance as to the

Under the law the reclamation bures

Under the law the reclamation bureau has nothing to do with receiving land figings, as it is specifed that land entries shall be made through the local land offices. However, it is possible that the government may station a special agent at Hermiston to receive fliggs so as to save the settlers the inconvenience of a trip to La Grande. Under the terms of the reclamation law a settler on land covered by a project is not required to commence residence upon his claim until after the water has been placed upon had on the east Umatilla project should it be opened to entry this spring, will not have to begin residence for over a year. It is estimated by the reclamation people that water will be forthcoming a year from this spring.

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It has not yet been decided when the first of the 10 annual payments for the land shall be raide.

IS BEGUN AT BOISE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Boine, Idaho. March 2e.—Hardware
men where who belong to the Citizens
alliance today declared themselves in favor of the open shop, and the plum bers are on strike. Plumbing is at standstill.

In mass convention last night union men and other citizens nominated the following municipal ticket: For mayor, L. W. Grub; treasurer, D. J. Cohen; councilmen, Carl Prouty, R. O. Bacon, L. W. Wright, M. S. Parker. The con-vention was largely attended and enthusuastic.

TWO ROADS HEADED FOR BIG BODIES OF TIMBER

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Abordeen, Wash., March 26.—The
Milwaukee railroad has three parties of Milwaukee railroad has three parties of surveyors at work near Humptulips. One party is reported working in a northeasterly direction from Humptulips, a second toward Aberdeen, and the third just on the edge of the Quiniault reservation. Several Northern Pacific surveying parties are also working in this section, one of which, under Engineer J. C. Barton, near Mocips, on North beach, is said to be working in this direction. The northwestern part of the state is largely taken up with the Quiniault Indian reservation but it is said there is a good deal of fine timber that is not in the reservation but it is said there is a good deal of fine timber that is not in the reservation and that the owners of it wish to get it on the market. Both the Northern Pacific and the Milwankes seem exceedingly anxious to get into that section, and it is likely their roads will run parallet for much of the way.

BUNCHING UP OREGON TIMBER FOR BIG DEAL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendicton, Or., March 20.—D. Hynde of La Grande is in the city making arrangements to place upon the market in this city about 5,000 acres of timber land owned by about 70 people of La Grande and located in the southern portion of Umatilia county and the northern portion of Grant county. These people have located this land within northern portion of Grant county. These people have located this land within the past year in anticipation of the completion of the Pilot Rock branch of the O.R. & N., and now that the branch is advancing rapidly toward completion they hope to interest capital in their timber holdings. The land in question comprises one of the finest bodies of timber in eastern Oregon, and it is possible that a sawmill will be located in Pendleton on this account.

TRY TO TIE UP SASH FACTORIES FACE BOYCOTT BANK EXAMINER

Door Plants to Attend Meeting.

Encouraged by their success in tying up the Schmitt sash and door factory yesterday afternoon, the striking mill

up have so far resumed operations for a single hour. Minor departments in one or two of the smaller concerns are running with small crews. The milione or two of the smaller concerns are running with small crows. The mill-owners, however, are increasing the number of workmen about their plants in preparation for a resumption of business. These men are continually being approached by striking pickets, who meet with varying success.

Keep Workingmen From Portland The last possibility that any of the F. of L. unions would turn to and help the mill strikers went a-gilmmer-ing last night when the Team Drivers' union went on record as indorsing the stand of President Gram of the state stand of President Gram of the state federation against the I. W. W. General Secretary Trautmann of the I. W. W. has issued a circular from the national headquarters at Chicago characterising the strike at Portland as a "gigantic combat." He calls upon workingmen to keep away from Portland and urges them to spread the news of the labor troubles here.

The Columbia River Loggers' association is holding a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon to decide when to resume work at the logging camps.

ging camps.

GRANGERS DISCUSS PRODUCE EXCHANGE

produce exchange in the city of Port-land is to be discussed by the Pomona grange of Multnomah county in session this afternoon in the Odd Fellows' hall, Montavilla. The session today is one of the most important ones that the county grange has ever held and the county grange has ever held and the attendance is correspondingly large.

Legislative measures of especial interest to grangers will be discussed. Tonight 75 will take the Pomona degree and the officers of the Pomona grange will be installed. A big dinner was provided at noon by the Russellville grange whose guest the Pomona grange is to-

M'KENNA WILL PRESIDE AGAIN

In response to an urgent request from committee headed by J. Frank Watson a committee headed by J. Frank Watson and representing the sentiments of the Initiative One Hundred, F. I. McKenna has accepted a reelection to the office of president, with the provise that he is to be at liberty to work for the passage of the \$1.000 liquor sicense bill at the coming election, in spite of the decision of the One Hundred indefinitely to postpone it. Mr. McKenna said:

"In view of the fact that the bill was turned down by the organization, and that I was determined to go shead and work for its passage, I thought it THE MANUAL STREET OF CHICAGO

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TO THE SOCIAL STREET OF THE SOCIAL STREET OF THE STREET OF THE SOCIAL STREET OF THE SOCIAL STREET OF THE STREET OF TH that I was determined to go shead and work for its passange, I thought it proper to resign from the Initiative One Hundred. I also desired to withdraw from all active work and shape my private business to permit me to take a needed rest this year. But if the organization is willing that I should support the bill personally, and desires that I should remain president another year, I will accede to the committee's wishes."

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY

SUFFERS NO

(Special Dispatch to The Jean Hillsboro, Or., March 26—of the case of Pacific university wishes."

GRAIN DEALERS JAMES STEEL

Over Defeat of Five-Mile Liquor Bill.

Encouraged by their success in tying up the Schmitt sash and door factory yesterday afternoon, the striking mill workers attacked the other six sash and door factories today. An organising committee of 10 men was sent to each plant with the purpose of enrolling the men and of getting them to attend a max mean and of getting them to attend a max means and of getting them to attend a max means and of getting them to attend a max means and door workers at 300 Davis street fonight.

No attempt will be made to tie up any of these smailer mills today, but if a sufficient number of recruits can be secured demands similar to those of the Schmitt employees will be given 24 hours in which to answer. The employees of Schmitt asked for a nine-hour day and a minimum wasg of 2.5.0.

Employer Asks Time.

Mr. Schmitt returned a conciliatory answer within a specified time.

A typewritten statement was sent to the men saking that they sil sign the petition individually, and that they wait until the matter could be presented to the board of directors. They were also saked to give the company reasonable time in which to complete its contracts entered into under the old scale, and to present the petition to competing contractors.

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tractors.

Nevertheless, the men walked out at noon yesterday. The entire number of sash and door workers in Portland is about 350.

None of the sawmills originally tied up have so far resumed operations for a single hour. Minor departments in one or two of the smaller concerns are

The announcement is now made that members of the grange will not patron-tse Kerr-Gifford company's warehouses at this place.

at this place.

As an example of the great strength of the granges in Whitman county, the Interior Warehouse company has suppended its Pullman office, as early last year the manager of that company incurred the displeasure of the granges and as a result he received but 600 sacks of grain out of the 200,000 bushels delivered at Pullman.

How Grange Serves Priends, The manager of the Puget Sound Warehouse company, N. E. J. Gentry, who has been an ardent friend and supporter of the five-mile limit bill, received more than half of the grain delivered at this place last season and as a result of the action taken by the manager of the rival company has been promised a still greater amount for this season.

this season.

The strength of the granges in Whitman county is tremendous. This county is headquarters for this organisation and the three granges nearest to Pullman, those at Ewartsville, Seats and Whelan, have an aggregate membership of over 800, while in the county the membership will reach over 2,000, and is ever increasing.

Ghurch People Aroused.

State Master C. B. Kegley, who resides near Pullman, is most bitter against the opponents of the bill to abolish the saloons and is using his utmost influence to punish the offending member of the grain company who was so active in opposing it.

At the Christian church Sunday evening, Rev. M. H. Marvin, pastor of the Methodist church, who was at Olympia during part of the seasion in behalf of the measure, gave a stirring talk on how the bill was defeated. Over on how the bill was defeated.
400 people crowded the church to

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, Or., March 20.—King, Guerin
and Pollock, attorneys for the Columbia Southern settlers, were appointed this morning agents of the state land board to inspects the books, records and other documentary evidence of the company, without expense to the state, to deter-

SUFFERS NON-SUIT

take a needed rest this year. But if the organisation is willing that I should support the bill personally, and dealers that I should remain president another year, I will accede to the committee's wishes."

IN APPRECIATION OF OREGON LEGISLATURE

(Special Dispatch to The Jearnal.)

Salem, Or., March 30.—Secretary of State Frank W. Benson received yesterday and today and resulted in a victory for the defendant, who forced the university to take a non-suit. The trial was one of the most interesting had here for years. Every inch was bitterly fought by both sides.

The action was brought to enforce a forfeiture clause in deeds to lots once sold by the university providing that in the event liquors were ever sold on the lots they should revert to the university. Litigation has been almost continuous for years.

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Mill Workers Ask Workmen in Farmers About Pullman Aroused State Board Fills Important Place Created by Act of Last Legislature.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, March 20.—James Steel of
Portland was today appointed by the
state board to the position of state bank
examiner, which was created by act of
the last legislature.

business.

Mr. Steel was largely instrumental in organizing the Willamette Savings bank, now the Merchants National bank of Portland, and was president of the institution until 1888, when he resigned to engage in the management of the Oregon Water Power company, he having built the line from Portland to Oregon City in conjunction with his brother. son City in conjunction with his brother, now state treasurer. Owing to the hard times of the early 90s and various complications this road was forced into the hands of a reserver, Mr. Steel being obliged to relinquish his holdings in the

For some time Mr. Steel has been secretary of the Idaho Copper Mining company with headquarters in this city.

ROAD CUT AGAIN AT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Roseburg, Or., March 20.—The Umpqun
river rose two feet at Winchester yeaterday causing the bridge to be unsafe. No trains will cross before tomorrow noon. All passengers, mah and express were transferred again today over the wagon bridge. The rain has ceased and the waters are receding. All trains from the south are several hours late. No. 15 will be made up hero and go south on regular schedule. All southbound trains come to Winchester and go back to Portland.

SIGN PETITIONS FOR REFERENDUM

The petitions prepared by the county court invoking the referendum in regard to the bill passed by the last legislature providing for the feeding of county prisoners at 12% cents a meal is being generously signed and no doubt is expressed but that the required number of names will be secured before the expiration of 30 days from the closing of the legislature, the time designated by law to secure the necessary signatures to such

The reason assigned for the petition is that the feeding of the prisoners at

SOUTHERN COMPANY
that the feeding of the prisoners at Kelly Butte costs the county an average of between 6½ and 8 cents a meal. It is the belief of the county court that the cost of feeding the other county prisoners can be done as cheaply.

According to the bill passed by the last legislature the allowance for food for county prisoners will make Shering Stevens, yearly income amount to more than \$10.000, instead of \$4,500, as stipulated by law. In order to bring the reflated by law. In order to bring the ref-erendum before the people at the June election of 1908, 5 per cent of the voters of the state are required to sign the pe-

YOUNG PRISONER IS FREE AGAIN

Henry Rassman, the 18-year-old ladwho was arrested with D. C. "Tattoo"
Kelley for the murder of Thomas Fleming, was "shipped" to his brother in
New York City last night. Rassman
was allowed to go free because of the
evidence he furnished the state against
Kelley, who was given a life sentence.

When he was released from jail yesterday, Rassman was as happy as a
schoolboy. Accompanied by Deputy
Sheriff Archie Leonard, Rassman went
about the city making purchases of
clothing and other necessaries. His 14
months incarceration in the county jail
was the incentive that made Rassman
glad to be in the open air once more,
and he refused to stay inside the streetcar when going to the depot. On the
way to the train he stood on the front
platform of the streetcar and inhaled
huge breaths of the fresh air.

Rassman's brother in New York,
promised to take care of the young man
in future and will endeavor to give him
work and education.

THOMAS BAILEY ALDRICH IS DEAD AT HIS HOME

Gosraal Special Service.

Boston, Mass., March 20.—Thomas Bailey Aldrich, the suthor, died at his home here yesterday afternoon from the effects of a surgical operation which was performed about a month ago. Aldrich was born in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, November 11, 1826. He first began writing when about 20 years old. Later he became a proof-reader and manuscript writer for a New York publishing house, afterward joining the editorial staff of the New York Home Journal.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY OFFERED THE DALLES

Attachment Suit at Pendleton.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

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Pendleton, Or., March 30.—Attachment proceedings have been taken by the Pendleton Bavings bank against Mrs. Sue Todd and A. H. Todd, two apparate suits being filed by J. H. Raley, attorney for the plaintiffs. Judgment for 11,245.50 is asked in the suit against A. H. Todd.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

The Dalles, Or., March 30.—A letter was received from Andrew Carnegie by the mayor last night, offering to donate th

ALL DRUGGISTS; 80c. AND \$1.00.

giving you the strength to throw it off. Take Scott's Emulsion for coughs and colds,

the trainmen, who have voted to atrice unless the managers make further concessions. Such a strike would call out 50,000 men and the up nearly all the roads in the west. The employee have saked an increase of 13 per cent in wages and a nine-hour day on through freight trains. The managers offered merely an increase in wages of 10 per cent. onds in the west. The employes have aked an increase of 19 per cent in vages and a nine-hour day on through reight trains. The managers offered nerely an increase in wages of 10 per cent in wages of 10 per cent in the managers offered cured it is probable that 400 cadets from Washington State college at Pullman will hold their annual encampment here this spring. North Yakima and Dayton have also extended invitations to the cadets.