Half Mile of Telephone Line

Near Mount Royal Is the

Latest to Go.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Woodbury, N. J., Jan. 20,-Twenty-

two hundred feet of wire on the lines

of the Delaware & Atlantic Telephone

company between this city and Mount

Royal was stolen some time during the

LANGDON UNSETTLED

ABOUT PAT CALHOUN

(United Press Lessed Wire.)
San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 20—Attorney
A. A. Moore, representing the United
Railroad defendants, this morning made
another effort to have the district attorney give him a definite announcement in regard to when Patrick Calhoun would by placed upon trial. Moore
declared that Calhoun was engaged in
very important business affairs in the
éast and that if it was not the intention
of the prosecution to place him on trial
February 1 that he desired to remain
there. However, Langdon refused to
give him any definite answer at this
time.

Arranging for Denver Convention.

Wisconsin Poultry Show.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 20.—Prise winning birds from several states are included among the exhibits at the seventh annual show of the Wisconsin Feathered Stock association. The show opened today, and will continue through the week. Fancy bred turkeys, chickens and ducks are numerous, and the display of pigeons is also notable.

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TODAY'S MARKETS | Says Thomas G. Farrell, of Everding & NEW COMPANY WILL ment Taking Control of Fishing." | NEW COMPANY WILL MAKE MACHINERY

While Coast Has More There Is a Shortage in the Country This Year.

Produce market features: Potato outlook not so bad. Onion market remains high. Salmon legislation to be fought. Smelt supplies still heavy. Egg market is holding same. Hop business remains heavy. Heavy run of Chinook salmon. Wheat is firm though unchanged. No oriental flour demand. Meats to be influenced by weather. Apple demand is much the best. Car sweets and two cars oranges.

Potato Outlook Not Bo Bad. While trade in the potato market remains somewhat dull, there is still a fair amount of business available in the south and southwest. It seems after all that the great crops so much talked about recently have been put out as a sugaboo by some interests who want to see potatoes sell very low. Final figures south government regarding the potato frops of the Pacific coast show:

1907.

Bushels. Bushels.

Bushels, 4,048,383 4,441,671 6,286,375 regon 5,250,000 Vashington 6,000,000 halifornia 6,960,000 Total cost18,210,000 Increase 3,433,572 Increase Smaller Than Expected.

While it is not believed that there will be any shortage of potatoes on he Pacific coast the present season, he crops as given by the government's inal figures, are not nearly so great a expected. On the entire coast the acroase over the short production of a ear ago amounts to but 3,433,527 bushis, a fraction over a third more than he preceeding crop. Desiers generally ad talked about twice as many bushels of potatoes grown on the coast this eason so the government's figures are relief to some extent to the producers. The resent prices on potatoes are shout that the crop seems to demand, but ome dealers have recently made the tatement that still lower figures may expected before the new crop is sady.

Production of the United States. The production of the United States.

The production of potatoes throughout ne United States in 1907 reached a state of 297,942,000 bushels compared ith 208,038,382 the previous season his shows a net loss of 96,000 bushels, he principal losses were shown in the middle states. The government report hows the following states as growing smaller amount, with the total prouction for the two years:

1907.

Bushels.

Bushels.

Bushels. 17,110,000 nd 660,000 41,748,000 la 22,968,000 Bushels. 22,998,360 686,880 44,142,630 hode Island w York buth Carolina. 27.075,000 chigan orth Dakota 6,424,000 5,655,000 100,000 1,200,000 2,030,000 172,546 977,855 1,977,850 2,032,500 per 1b 11% c Salmon Legislation to Be Fought.

Salmon dealers are against the pro-psed bill of the upper river fishermen close the season for salmon during the months of October, November and ecember. They claim that is the best me for the catching of steelheads for bld storage purposes and to close the ason during these months would ruin be business. On the other hand they in favor of the provision that night-shing be prohibited. They are ilkelies opposed to the bill of the lower ver fishermen to stop all fishing above be mouth of the Sandy as they say at the lower river is already fully aked with fishermen and to shut out her portions would be discrimination.

Egg Market Is Just Molding. All sorts of values seem to be ruling the local egg market at this time, ome dealers assert that they would quite willing to sell all their sup-ies at 27½ while others say that ey are not selling below 28 and 28c dozen. Some have very liberal ar-vals while others have but few. Chicken market is still very slow th arrivals hard to move above the ice printed. Turkeys can scarcely id a demand at all. Creamery butter market is mixed as

Creamery butter market is mixed as tone. Dealers seem to agree that is late boost to 37% was a mistake supplies were too liberal. Several ty creameries still quoting at 35c, swever. Outside brands of best at me price. wever. Outside brands of best at me price. Cheese market is fractionally better th quite liberal buying by California crities during the past few days. Brief Motes of the Trade.

Two cars of oranges arrived in this erning. Demand good at former price, ar sweet potatoes also unloaded. Price es between 3c and 3 ½c. melt supplies are still heavy with te filled. Price remains between c and 3c. Wheat market is firm though un-

anged in price.
Apple demand is about the best along e street. Prices holding somewhat iffer as a result. Front street sells at the following ices. Prices paid producers are less gular commissions: Grain, Flower and Feed.

GRAIN BAGS — Calcutta, 9c; large ts; amall lots, 9 %c. WHEAT — Track prices — Club, 85c; d Russian, 83c; bluestem, 87c; va)-y, 85c. v. 85c.
COFN—Whole. \$33; cracked. \$33 ton.
BARLEY—New—Feed. \$27.6327.50
r ton; rolled. \$30 @ \$31; brewing. \$29.
RYE—\$1.55 per cwt.
OATS—New—Producers' price—No.
white \$27 per ton; gray. \$26@26.50.
FLOUR— Eastern Oregon patents.
95; straights. \$4.50; exports. \$3.90;
illey. \$4.30@4.50; graham. \(\) \(4.8. \) \(4.50; \)
hole wheat. \(\) \$4.75; rye. \(\) \(50s. \), \(\) \$5.50;
les. \(\) \$3.

hole wheat, \$4.75; rye, 50s, \$5.50; les, \$3.50; les, \$3.50; les, \$3.50; les, \$3.50; les, \$3.50; les, \$2.50; les, \$1.70; les, \$

POULTRY — Mixed chickens, 12c r pound; fancy hens 12@12%c per; roosters, old, 11c; fryers, 12%c lb; ollers, 12%c lb; ducks, 15c geese, d, 11c per lb; turkeys, alive, 15c lb; essed, 18@19c; lb; squabs, \$2.50 doz; geons, 31.25 doz; dressed poultry, 10 c per lb higher; wild geese, \$4@5 doz.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

Mops. Wool and Mides.

HOPS—1907 crop, first prime, 6½ @7c; ime, 6c; medium to prime, 5½c; meam, 4@5c ib; 1906 crop, 1@2c lb.

WOOL—1907 cip—Valley, 16@18c; stern Oregon, 13½ @18c.

MOHAIR—29@25½c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 12@13c lb; green, 3@5c; calves, green, 5@7c; kips, 5c; bulls, green salt 3@4c lb

SMEEPSKINS — Shearing, 15c@20cch; she.. wool, 25c@40c; medium,

CHINOOK SALMON RUN

One of the greatest winter 4 runs of Chinock salmon ever • seen here has appeared in the • Columbia river. Receipts dur-ing the past 48 hours show a liberal increase, and fishmen say they never heard of such a big movement of Chinooks for the winter as at this time. This forced the wholesale price down

wood, 50c@\$1 each; long wool, 75c@ \$1.25 each. TALLOW— Prime, per lb, \$c@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2@24c, CHITTIM BARK—5c.

CHITTIM BARK-5c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Fancy \$0@75c selling; buying, Willamette valley, 50@56c; eastern Multnomah and Clackamas, 60@66c per cwt; sweets, 3c per lb.

ONIONS—Jobbing price—\$2,25@2.60; buying, spot, \$2@2.00; garlic, 7c lb.

APPLES—Select, \$1.75@32.00; fancy \$1.50; choice, \$1@1.25; ordinary, \$1.00.

FRESH FRUITS—Granges, new \$2@ \$2.76; bananas, 5c lb; lemons, \$3@4.50; box; limes, Mexican (——) per 100; pineapples, \$4@4.50 dozen; pears, fancy, \$1.50@1.75; ordinary, \$1 a box; tangerines, \$1.50 a box; Jap oranges, 50c a box; persimmons, \$1.75.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new, 50@50c, sack; carrots, 50c per sack; beets, 65@75c per sack; parsnips, \$5c@\$1; cabbags, \$5c@\$1; cabbags, \$5c@\$1; tomatoes, Californa, \$2.25; beans, 15c; cauliflower, \$1.10@\$1.20 doz; peas, \$10c; horseradish, \$c lb; artichokes, \$1@1.10 doz; green onions, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, \$1.00@\$1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, \$1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, \$1.00@\$1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, \$1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, \$1.00@\$1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, \$1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, \$1.00@\$1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, \$1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, \$1.00@\$1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, \$1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, \$1.00@\$1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, \$1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse, \$1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen; peppers, 200.200; peppers, 200.

Groceries, Muts. Etc. SUGAR—California and Hawaiian—Cube, \$5.95; powdered. \$5.80; berry, \$5.60; dry granulated, \$5.60; XXX granulated, \$5.40; conf. A., \$5.60; extra B., \$5.10; golden G., \$5.00; D. yellow, \$4.90; beet granulated, \$5.40; barrels, 10c; half barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c advance on sack basis
(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.) quotations.)
HONEY—\$3.60 per crate.
COFFEE—Package brands, \$15.88@

16.63.

\$ALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, \$13.50 per ton; 50s, \$14.00; table, dairy 50s, \$19.00; 100s, \$18.75; bales, \$2.50; imported Liverpool, 50s, \$20.00; 100s, \$19.00; 4s, 18.00; extra fine barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, \$4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, \$20.50 per to; 56-lb rock, \$13.50; 100s, \$13.00.

(Above prices apply to sales of less 100s, \$13.00.

(Above prices apply to sales of less than car lots. Car lots at special prices subject to fluctuations.)

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 5c; No. 2, 5½.95%c; New Orleans, head, 7c; Ajax, 5c; Creole, 5%c.

BEANS—Small white, \$4.25; large white, \$4.10; pink, \$4.10; bayou, \$3.90; Limas, \$6.50; Mexican reds, 4%c.

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 6%c per lb; Virginia, 5c per lb; roasted, 8c per lb; Japanese, 5% 96c; roasted, 7.99c per lb; walnuts, California, 16c per lb; pine nuts, 15c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; fancy pecans, 16.920c per lb; almonds, 16c.

Meats. Pish and Provisions.

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HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs., 12½c per lb; lbs., 12½c per lbs. HAMS, BACON, E.IC.—Forthing pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs., 12½c per ib; 14 to 16 lbs., 12½c per lb; 18 to 20 lbs., 12½c; breakfast bacon, 15½@22½c; per lb; picnics, 9c per lb; cottage roll, 10c per lb; regular short clears, smoked, 11½c; per lb; bhsmoked, 10½c; smoked, 11½c; Union butts, 10 to 13c lbs., unsmoked, 12c; per lb; smoked, 13½c; per lb; smoked, 13½c; per lb; smoked, 13½c; per lb; shoulders, 10c; per lb; pickled tongues, 7bc each, LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 12½c; per lb; 5s, 11½c; per lb; 5s, 11½

b; 5s, 11%c per lb; compound, 10s, 8%c per lb; b = lb; founders, 8%c per lb; halfbut, 9c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 12%c; ordinary fresh, 10@11c per lb; frezen, 9c; herripgs, 5c lb; soles, 7c lb; shrimps, 19c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 11c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 25c per dozen; sturgeon, 12%c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; crawfish, 25c per dozen; sturgeon, 12%c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 7c per lb; Columbia smelt, 2%@3c; black cod, 7%c lb; crabs, \$1.00@1.59 dozen.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, \$2.50; per 100-lb sack, \$6.00@6.50; Easle, canned, 60c can; \$7 dozen; eastern in shell, \$1.75 per hundred.

dred. CLAMS—Hardshell, per box, \$2.40; razor clams, \$2.00 per box; 10c per dox.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

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ROPE—Pure manila, 14c; standard,
12½c; sisal, 10½c.

COAL OIL—Water white, tanks, 12½c;
case, 18½c; headlight, cases, 20c;
Elane, cases, 28c; Elocene, cases, 21½c
sallon.

gallon.

GASOLINE—86 deg., cases, 24½c per gal; iron bbls, 18c per gal,

BENZINE—86 deg., cases, 25c per gal; iron bbls, 23c per gal,

TURPENTINE—In cases, 96c per gal; wood bbls, \$3c per gal.
WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7%c per lb;
500-lb lots, 8c per lb; less lots, 8%c.
WIRE NAILS—Present basis at \$3.20.

A NEW GRAIN COMPAN

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Lacross, Wash., Jan. 20 .- J. S. Shreck, M. M. Johnson, O. W. Pollard, E. E. Zarine and T. H. Shrobe, recently appointed a committee by the farmers of the district to organize the Lacross Grain company, have drawn up articles of incorporation with a capital of \$25,000, divided into 250 shares of the par value of \$100 each, and are now soliciting subscriptions to the stock. They are meeting with excellent success.

MILL STUFFS—Nominal—Bran, \$24
n; middings, \$29; shorts, country, \$27;
ty, \$26; chop, \$19@22.
HAY—Producers' price — Timethy,
fillamette vailey, fancy \$15; ordiny, \$11; eastern Oregon, \$17; mixed,
10@310.50; clover, \$10@12; grain,
10@12; cheat, \$1 Onions Cheap at Union.

Western Oregon—Occasional rain to-night and Tuesday; southwesterly winds.
Western Washington—Rain tonight, cooler. Tuesday occasional rain. South-westerly winds, diminishing tonight. Eastern Oregon, eastern Washington and Idaho—Rain or snow tonight or Tuesday, cooler.

Hold Fourth of Wheat. Huntsville, Wash. Jan. 20.—Nearly 70,000 bushels of choice wheat has been sold in this immediate vicinity the past 10 days, the price paid being 75 cents a bushel. It is said that the farmers still have in their passession one fourth of the 1907 crop.

New York Exchange. Chicago, Jan. 20.—New York exchange

HEAVY IN COLUMBIA DEMAND SENDS WHEAT HIGHER

Early Loss When Foreigners Buy Cash Stuff.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET. Close. 102 % 98

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Foreign wheat markets seem to have suddenly developed a spirit of bearishness that cannot be eradicated, as far as futures are concerned, but for spot delivery foreigners are still liberal buyers in American markets. Liverpool opened and closed today at 7s 8½d, a net loss from Saturday's final figures of 1½d. This was the influence under which Chicago opened this morning. May had a range at the start from \$1.01½ to \$1.02. It weakened fractionally in the early trading, losing ½c from the opening figures, but an actual demand for wheat forced prices back over the top opening figure by ½c, and closed ¼c advance over Saturday, and in the July a profit of ½c was shown.

One of the queer turns the wheat markets

We was shown.

One of the queer turns the wheat market has taken is that Europeans are buying larger supplies of cash wheat in America than ever before the present season, and yet while high prices are being naid here the quotations at Liverpool, Paris and Berlin are sliding downward very fast.

A decrease of 655,000 bushels in the American visible supply and liberal world's shipments for the week were features that were favorable to the bull side of the wheat today.

Corn, oats and pork pits showed a close following after the wheat spirit of the day, and substantial gains were made in each line.

made in each line. Range by Downing-Hopkins company;

0	WHEAT.					
h	May		Open. 101% 97%	High. 102% 98%	Low. 101% 974	Close, 102% 98
				CORN.		
	May July		59%	59 14	58%	60 14 59 14
				OATS.		
	May		52 %	53 %	52 14	82 %
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	Jan. May	::::1		1342	1330	1285
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World's Wheat Shipments. New York, Jan. 20.—World's wheat shipments last week 8,896,000 bushels. American Grain Visible Supply.

Chicago, Jan. 20 .- American visible upply:
Wheat—Decreased 655,000 bushels.
Corn—Increased 152,000 bushels. Liverpool Wheat Lower.

Liverpool, Jan. 20.—May wheat opened at 7s 8 % d and closed at 7s 8 % d, 1 % d under Saturday. ANOTHER LOSS IN EAST. Hogs Drop 5c Today With Receipts

Very Heavy in the Yards. (United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Hogs, 56,000; cattle, 37,000; sheep, 23,000. Hogs are 5c lower; mixed, \$4.15@4.45; heavy, \$4.25@4.55; rough and heavy, \$4.10@4.15; light, \$4.10@4.35.

Cattle—Ten cents lower.
Sheep—Steady.
Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 20.—Hogs, 13,000; cattle, 11,000; sheep, 8,000.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 20.—Hogs—Receipts, 5,200; cattle, 4,500; sheep, 4,000. (United Press Leased Wire.)

CREAMERIES TO MAKE THREE GRADES BUTTER CHEAP PRICE ADDS

The agitation among creamery men for a better grade of cream than is ordinarily received, is having an effect upon shippers and some have already started to take systematic care of their product. Oregon creameries, too, have started to grade their product more carefully. Instead of one, or at the most two, grades of fresh butter, the creameries are planning to make three grades. One city institution has already adopted this method and is putting out what it calls a premium or first grade. Only about 100 pounds of this quality is now made daily, but the makers claim there is a legitimate demand for something better than has been turned out heretofore. The price of the premium butter is 40 cents a pound in the wholesale markets or 45 cents retail. This is 90 cents a or 45 cents retail. This is 90 cents a

butter because creamerles now pay 1½ cents a pound premium for cream that is first class over the ordinary run.

SPOKANE MINING EXCHANGE. (Furnished by Downing-Hopkins Co., members Spokane Mining Exchange.) Spokane, Wash., Jan. 20—Official

Ajax 9	10
Alameda 4	4
Alhambra 4	
Alberta Coal & Coke 26	33
Bell 3 1/2	11
	6
Bullion 4½ Charles Dickens 8½	9
Canadian Cons, Smelters 70	95
Copper King 234	3
Dominion Copper180	235
Evolution 1%	2
Echo 1%	2
Galbraith Coal 24 1/2	27
Gertle 3	3
Hecla 250	350
Happy Day	
Holden G. & C 34	3
Humming Bird 34	6
Hypotheek 1	2
Idaho Giant 54	6
Intl. Coal & Coke 80	86
Kendall 85	95
Lucky Calumet 13 %	21
Missoula Copper 5	6
Minaval Warm	1:
Moonlight 212	3
Nabob 4	4
Nine Mile 11/2	
O. K. Cons 1	3
Oom Paul 6	9
Panhandle Smelt 4	43
Park Copper 1	1
Rambler Cariboo 23 1/4	26
Reindeer 2	3
Rex (16 to 1) 17	25
Snowshoe 7%	81
Snowstorm	130
Sullivan 6	7
Sullivan Bonds 50	
Stewart	100
Tamarack & Ches 50	90
Wonder 1	1.5
Sales-1,000 Chas. Dickens at 9c.	
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Northwest Bank Statement. PORTLAND.

Clearings today \$ 954,156.92 Year ago 1,350,138.46 Balances foday 93,034.50 Balances today Year ago SEATTLE. learings Balances TACOMA. Tacoma Wheat Market. Tacoma, Jan. 20—Wheat export: Club, 83c; bluestem, 85c. FOUR PER CENT

Chicago Market Recovers Three Per Cent Given in Cash and 1 Per Cent-in Stock During Day.

> STOCK MARKET LOSSES. A. Sugar ... 1 St. Paul A. Smelter, c. 6 % Colo. Fuel do pfd ... 2 % Erie ... 4 Locomotive Anaconda % Locomotive . Atchison14 Missouri Pac B. & O.
> Brooklya
> Penns.
> Reading 1 Atchison 14 Missouri Pac.
> B. & O. 46 N. Y. Central
> Brooklya 5 N. Pacific
> Penns 6 O. & W.
> Reading 16 N. Pacific
> Rock Island 4 U. S. Steel
> B. P. 5 GO N. pfd.
> S. Rallway 4 G. N. pfd. STOCK MARKET GAINS.

New York, Jan. 20.—After an opening which was full of hopefulness for the bull side, the stock market sold off rapidly on forced liquidation and profittaking and with the exception of a few shares the market closed severely lower. Great pressure appeared in American Smelting common at the start, this being one of the few to open weak. Smelter was offered on all sides; everyone seemed to be selling at once and prices dropped rapidly all through the day. At the closing the common shares were showing a net decline of 6½ points as compared with the closing of Saturday. Preferred lost 2½ points during the day. Call loans were again favorable to

.....1% People's Gas. .. %

the bull side, the market opening at 3 per cent and selling down as low as 2 per cent. The close was at 2½ per cent.

Louisville & Nashville was one of the few to hold its early gain. Besides the regular dividend of 3 per cent the directors today announced an additional payment of 1 per cent in stock. This kept the market afloat while the rest of the shares were going over their head and were sinking. For the day Louisville showed an advance of 1½ points. Chesapeake & Ohio gained 1% points.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.

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7014	70 %	65 1/4	51 1/2 113 1/4 65 1/3	
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Chesapeake & Ohio, ex-dividend 11/2 Louisville & Nashville, ex-dividend

per cent in cash and 1 per cent in stock. People's Gas, ex-dividend 1½ per cent.

Receipts Are Small and This, Too, Is Causing Demand to Increase.

ï	1	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep
ï	Today	100	75	
			40	301
ì	1907	180	150	213
	1905	105	240	
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Hogs — Best eastern Oregon, \$5.25; China fats, \$5.00. Cattle — Best eastern Oregon steers, \$4\pi 4.25; best cows and heifers, \$3.25; bulls, \$.75\pi 2.00. Sheep — Best wethers, \$5.25@5.50; mixed and best ewes, \$4.00@4.50; lambs, \$5.25@5.50.

Goldfield Mining Stocks. Ban Francisco, Jan. 20—Goldfield hares: Goldfield Consolidated \$6.05;

Florence, \$4.85; Atlanta, 38c. SUM ALLOWED WIDOW OF LATE C. C. BARKER

Judge Webster in the county court this morning approved an order to pay Mrs. Rose A. Barker, widow of the late Columbus C. Barker, \$2,000 for the month of January and \$1,000 per month hereafter for her support. The estate is valued at more than \$500,000 and there is \$40,000 in cash on hand. It is stated that the debts of the estate amount to about \$110,000.

Plans Public Ownership. London, Jan. 20.—Public ownership and control of all the means of life occupies the foremost place in the list of topics scheduled for discussion at the eighth annual conference of the

of topics scheduled for discussion at the eighth annual conference of the British Labor party, which began at Hull today, to continue until Thursday. The Amalgamated Society of Engineers, probably the largest and wealthiest labor body in the world, will introduce one of the most definite and far reaching propositions looking to public ownership. It has been framed in the following terms:

"That, in the opinion of this conference, the time has arrived when the Labor party should have as a definite object the socialization of the means of production, distribution and exchange, to be controlled by a democratic state in the interest of the entire community, and the complete emancipation of labor from the dominion of capitalism and landlordism, with the establishment of social and economic equality between the sexes."

Attend Rosenthal's great clearance sale for fine shoe bargains.

Nelson Hughes Company Files Articles With the County Clerk.

Four new incorporations filed papers with the county clerk this morning. Nelson Hughes, O. J. Wright and Robert T. Hobson are named as incorporators of the Nelson Hughes Manufacturing company, which has a capital stock of \$20,000. It will engage in machinery manufacture.

The National Borax company, capitalized for \$100,000, has three Baker City people behind it. They are Harry Bingham, Vivian Moore and William S.

Bingham, Vivian Moore and William S. Sprague.

E. E. Hoffman, L. C. Vanetts and Charles Roberts have incorporated the Coast Concession company, which proposes to deal in and conduct fruit stands, lunch counters, curio stores, periodicals and sideshow and other amusements. The capital stock is \$2,509.

S. B. Klahn & Co. has been incorporated by J. D. M. Abbott, S. B. Klahn and William Davis. It will engage in the printing, stationery and supply business, and has a capital stock of \$5,000.

NEW BOOKS FOR THE LIBRARY

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Dunn—The Shameless Diary of an Explorer. 1907.
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Hardy—Jude the Obscure.

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Harrison—The Far Horizon; by Lucas Malet, pseud.

Jacobs—Short Cruises.

James—Bachelor Betty.

Kelly—Wards of Liberty.

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Page—Under the Crust.
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Corson—Voice and Spiritual Education, 1904.
Nepos—Twenty Lives; ed; by J. E. Barss; new ed., 1907.
Scott—The Philosophy of Public Speaking, 1907.
Tolstol—On Shakespeare; a Critical Essay, 1907.
PHILOSOPHY. PHILOSOPHY.

Abbott-Behind the Scenes With the Mediums, 1907. Hilty—The Steps of Life; Further Essays on Happiness, 1907. RELIGION.

Reisner-Workable Plans for Wide Awake Churches, 1906. SCIENCE.

Agassis—Three Cruises of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Steamer Blake, in the Gulf of Mexico, Caribbean Sea and Along the Atlantic Coast of the United States, 2 v., 1888. Bullen—Our Heritage of the Sea, 1907. Hann—Handbook of Climatoloky; tr. by R. D. Ward, 1908. New Jersey—Geological Survey—Gla-cial Geology of New Jersey; by R. D. Salisbury, 1902. Stillman—Engineering Chemistry; A Manual of Quantitative Chemical Analysis, Ed. 3, 1905. Waliace—Island Life; or the Phenom-ena and Causes of Insular Faunas and Floras, Ed. 3, rev. 1902.

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> Northwestern Bonspiel Opens. (United Press Lessed Wire.)

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 20 .- The fifteenth bonspiel, under the auspices of the Northwestern Curling association, which Northwestern Curing association, which opened here today, promises to be the most interesting event of the kind the northwest has seen in years, if ever equaled before. Several hundred curiers are taking part, including a good sized delegation from Canada. Ten rinks are being utilized for the events, which will continue until the end of the week.

NEW PENALTY NEEDED STEALING WIRES TO CHECK HOMICIDES ALMOST NIGHTLY

Jersey's Electrocutioner of Opinion That Death Sentences Are Sad Failure.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Trenton, N. J., Jan. 20.-Headkeeper George Osborne of the New Jersey state prison, in his annual report to Governor Stokes, makes a plea for the abolition of capital punishment in this state.

with the new law, passed last winter, substituting electrocution for hanging as the means of inflicting the death penalty. Osborns has been charged with the duties of electrocutioner. He doesn't like the job, and says:

"No one could be more reluctant than I to assume this grave responsibility. I know that it is the best and most painless means of carrying out the death sentence, but I hope the day is not distant when society devises other means than capital punishment that will successfully abate capital crimes. I have the power, by legislative enactment, to deputize others to perform electrocution, but the responsibility remains, and any thought given this grave matter by the legislature will be deeply appreciated."

Royal was stolen some time during the night. The wire was taken near this bridge at Mount Royal.

The theft was similar in every way to the recent hau made at National Park and near Mount Ephraim. A company detective was here today and made an inspection, but could not get any clue. Linesmen were put at work at once, and the wire was quickly replaced.

This thieving is worrying the companies to a great extent. An official stated that if it were not for the wire stealing there would be little interruption, but the responsibility remains, and any thought given this grave matter by the legislature will be deeply appreciated."

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A startling feature of the report is a statement of the constantly increasing percentage of convicts sentenced for murder and manslaughter, that of the last year being 11.75 per cent of the prison population. The increase in the homicide class is shown by the following figures: In 1902 there were 97 out of a prison population of 1,021; in 1903 there were 102 out of 1,167; in 1904, 112 out of 1,175; in 1905, 132 out of 1,266; in 1906, 144 out of 1,219; in 1907, 157 out of 1,251.

Keeper Osborne's report forms a part of the report of the board of prison inspectors, and the latter shows that the total expenditures for all purposes connected with the state prison during the fiscal year 1907 amounted to \$223,552,63. The revenue of the prison for the same period was \$109,385.89, an increase of \$12,540.18. The total net cost of the institution to the state for the year was \$114,266.74.

EVERYBODY IS BUSY

Arranging for Denver Convention.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Denver, Col., Jan. 20.—Members of the subcommittees of the Democratic national committee arrived in Denver to day to look over the arrangements being made for the national convention to be held here in July. The seating arrangements and decorations of the convention hall, facilities for the conventione of the newspaper and telegraph men and the hotel accommodations are among matters to be looked over by the committeemen.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Klamath Falls, Or., Jan. 20 .- Construction Engineer Hoey of the Callfornia Northeastern railway, states that the railroad will be completed to Dorris,

the railroad will be completed to Dorris, not later than May 1.

Ericson & Peterson, contractors, are still on heavy cuts between Bray and Mount Hebron, but as soon as they can show a clear right of way, track laying will begin. Enough material is at Bray to complete the road to Dorris.

Ericson & Peterson are preparing for work on the "Shoo Fly" line over the hill this side of Dorris. The hill is to be tunneled, but a temporary line will be built now.

The contractors in Klamath Falls are The contractors in Klamath Falls are draining the low places close to the canal, preparatory to changing the course of the canal where the railroad grade crosses it.

SUSPECT GIRL WAS VICTIM OF MURDERER

(United Press Leased Wire.) Portland, Me., Jan. 20.-Dispatches from Leeds, 50 miles from here, tonight, describe the finding of the body of a woman, young and well-dressed, hanging in a closet in a summer cottage at Androscoggin pond. The body was suspended from a beam by a scarf. In suspended from a beam by a scarf. In her dying struggles the young women had thrust out one hand, pushed the closet door ajar, and in death the hand protruded through the door.

Suicide was the first explanation of the tragedy, but the fact that a chair on which the girl had stood had been kicked or removed indicated a more sinister aspect of the case. The explanation is that the chair was moved by some one else, furnishing a murder theory. The girl's name is unknown.

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