

A Social Mystery

Company Asks Albany Council for 25 Year Franchise; Road to Be Completed in Twelve Months.

(Special Dismatch to The Journal.). Albany, Or., April 16.—At the incer-of the Albany city council Wed-oday the Oregon Electric company plied for a 25 year franchise through way agent, George F. Nevina, traf-manager; Harrison Allen, stiorney, John F. Richardson, civil engineer, resenting the Oregon Electric, ap-resenting the Oregon Electric, ap-in dependently before the council he he pstillon.

th the patition. Beady to Build. Attorney Alien spoke as follows on chalf of the road: "It is our sincere intention to ex-nd our read from Salem to Albany. he company has not asked for a fran-tise until now that it is actually ready build. The franchise prepared "is milar to those granted at other towns our line, like Salem, Forest Grove, ""

petition asks for a franchise along street from easterly to westerly of the city and for a T on street.

The of the street. Baker street. Provision is made that the road shall is in actual construction within two cars or franchise and bond be for-sited. A bond of \$5000 or more will be furnished by the company for faith-ful performance of fits contract. Albany the Torminns. Attorney Allen stated that the com-pany now runs 10 trains daily in and out of Portland. It is the company's mention to estend all Salem trains atterney as forminus at present. He

Albany as a terminus at present. He

aid: "We are in a hurry to build, ready to ct and we urge the city council to ive the measure early consideration. I is desired to begin construction as arly as May 2. If the weather per-sits the read will be completed within 2 months."

It months." **Dot Bathern Pacific** "We will build on our own capital and we propose to do a general pas-enger and freight business. Other patients of the road are in contem-patients of the road are in contem-patient. There is no connection be-bounder. And a passenger sta-tion of the road will call for terminal registion would also necessarily follow. The petition was referred to tho bound as a committee of the whole states a connection of the transhise. It is the general opinion of council-menta and that it will be granted.

BIG STOCK FARM

3 DONKEY ENGINES

MOVING PICTURE ARTISTS INVADE CENTRAL OREGON

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.). Madras, Or., April 15.—That central Oregon is becoming ex-ceedingly well advertised as a homeseeker's mecca, is attested by the circumstance that from two to a half dozen camper's wagons loaded with household goods stop over in Madras every night. night.

night. Most of these continue on to southern Crook and northern take counties, where there are still many sections of governi-ment land open to entry. While most of the desirable made with the land commission-er at this place average about off these being homestends. The M.E. Thompson company, which recently purchased the townsite of Madras, has had a plotographer in this vicinity for the past three days who is tak-ing views to be used in moving plotture shows to be given at portland, Seattle and Spokane, showing the attractions of this section for investors and home-seekers

NEW POSTOFFICE AT EUGENE IS OCCUPIED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Bugene, Or., April 15.--Eugene's new vernment postoffice building was oo cupied today and the people of the city are accustoming themselves to going there for their stamps and to mail their letters instead of going around on West Eighth street, the location of the old stoffice.

postoffice. The new building was erected at a cost of \$55,000. It is located at the corner of Sixth and Willamette streets a block and a half from the Southern Pacific depot. The railrond will here-after have to provide for carrying the mail to and from the postoffice on ac-count of its close proximity to the denot

SEEK TO LOCATE CREW **OF WRECKED STEAMER**

(United Press Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, April 15.— Officials of the Sierra Pinta Mines company of Sonora are making every effort to locate Captain Mansfield and his crew of the Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt Jr. of New York, who has arranged to steamer Venice, which is a total loss, New York, who has arranged to take a house at Reno with the di-vorce colony so as to negotiate the legal residence necessary as the legal residence necessary as preliminary to applying for a di-vorce. Mrs. Vanderblit's attorney, Sardis Summerfield, refuses to deny the report, but Mrs. Vander-bilt in answer to a point blank query declared there was nothing at all to it.

Pioneer of '58 Dies.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) banon, Or., April 16.-J. C. Huttor And that it will be granted. STOCK FARM SELLS FOR \$43,000 (Bnetial Dispatch in The Jearnal.s thand, Or., April 15.—The Jearnal.s that is not be west Logging company, yester-day dashed to destruction and ware ar from Sycamore. III. This is one is best stock ranches in the county

VAMBULIST

The case is considered remarkable, as the main arcse from bod, washed his hands and face and deliberately walked through an open window. As he fell, B. R. Hutchings and son and George Cos, all living at \$18 Ivanhoe street, is to uncertain the street time. The man was picked up in an unconscious condition, and taken to the

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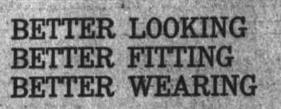
Good Samaritan hospital hospital. He The sleeping man pitched headlong to of Cheyenne, Wyo., has leased the Hotr will live.

the street. George Gobes, standing across the street, saw the main fall with his head and shoulders on the two men passing underneath. This saved his life. Hutch-ings and Foss were slightly bruised. When the man regained consploueness at the hospital he thought he was still in his room. This is the second me he has fallen from windows while walk-ing in his sleep. He is a member of the International Machinist's sneocia-tion and is St years ald

tion and is 23 years old.

man house, a popular hostelry of this city, for a term of four years and will dity, for a term of four yrais and whit take charge of the place on May L At that time the present proprietors. W. F. Caburn and wire, will retue from the management to manage the new Gaburn hotel, which is being completed and will ne be ready for business abon after the Mint of the month.

Saturday Evening Senside Train. A. & C. R. train leaving Portland very Saturday, 6:30 p. m., runs through Hoffman House Changes Hands. Eugene, Or., April 13.--J. W. Moore rate, Saturday, \$3.00; limit Mon



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