

cross-examination of a witness.

McNary Objection Upheld Such a policy was indicated when Chairman Williams ruled as a point well taken an objection by Attorney John H. McNary of the company to Cousin cross-examining Lowe a second time after Major Garrison Babcock had finished a cross-examination of the witnes

"I don't think it is necessary to cross-examine in relays," said Wil-

"We are here to get the facts. whether it is in relays or some other way," replied Cousin. He was allowed to ask one more question. dropped.

## **Cousin** Called Down

Chairman Williams called down Cousin rather hard in the early place all creditors under the part of the afternoon when Lowe bankruptcy act. Liabilities of the had finished telling Cousin that | company are estimated at \$45,when he first went to Corvallis it 000 while the assets are said to was for the purpose of selling be in the neighborhood of \$35,electrical equipment and that tele-000.

phone service was a secondary consideration, and Cousin then asked if Lowe at that time was working for W. D. De Varney or the Corvallis Independent Telephone company.

Chairman Williams interrupted, but Cousin did not stop.

'Mr. Cousin," shouted Williams, "I am speaking to you. This is the fourth time the witness has explained that matter to you. and it is the last time while I am connected with this hearing.'

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The property was first attached sonally in connection with his asby a writ issued in the Yamhill sertions county court by the First National bank. This action led Matt

Efforts of the police to solve he mystery of the death of the Mouss and L. B. Matusch of Sher-Rev. Patrick Heslin centered toidan to order garnishments served day in the search for Dolly Mason against the book accounts of and they were finally rewarded. Street. Sheriff Ferguson was Examination Continues compelled to summon four special Hightower, who is charged deputies to serve the writs which with murder, was lodged today numbered about 150. in the Redwood City jail after As a result of the bank's atdays of strenuous examination by

tachment proceedings George Gutthe police of San Mateo and San brodt, Sheridan farmer, brought counties. His exam-Francisco suit against the latter for \$960. ination will be resumed tomor alleged damages sustained when row, District Attorney Franklin hay he owned was attached in Swart of San Mateo said.

the mill. This suit has been A woman who had been iden tified by a San Francisco news-The bankruptcy proceedings, if paper as answering the descrip-validated by court action, will tion of Dolly Mason, disappeared BUSINESS MEN today from an Oakland rooming house where she was known as

Dorothy Fisher. Movements Mysterious ... Two men, one of whom said he was a member of the San Francisco police force, told her to accompany them as she was under arrest. They departed in an automobile, according to the landlady

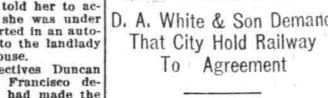
of the rooming house. Captain of detectives Duncan Matheson of San Francisco de-

the priest's body was found.

Radio Messages Still

There was a double drowning in Oakland arrest and nothing was the Skipanon river in this city known of it at the office of Dis-

number of 30-30 calibre rifle



ous to confront Hightower per- at the bottom of the Willamette river since the first week in pacity until 1916 when he re-August.

Portland authorities communicated with Long Beach officers recently that Whipple's hat, coat and a suicide note 1918 Dr. Ayer was elected prohad been found on the Hawthorne bridge. The note read:

"Dear Florence: I do not want to do this but you know how it was. Love-Jack."

Whipple, according to admissions made to Long Beach authorities, has been arrested 20 times on charges of failure to provide. He was divorced from his wife last year.

The man would neither admit nor deny leaving his coat on the bridge in Portland.

"You can't tell what I might have done," he said. "It's my own business, though, if I did."



turned to Iowa and accepted a po-With the job of postmaster a sition as professor of education in Stayton soon to be passed out the university of that state. In following a civil service examina tion to be held in Salem, Septemfessor of education in the Univerber 10. several active candidates sity of Washington, a position have announced themselves. which he has held for three years. One of the candidates is the

resent postmaster, E. D. Alexan-

der, a Democrat, who according

to all reports has been very effi-

cient. He will take the examina-

William Smith, it is also an

nounced will go after the job and

will appear September 10 to

show the civil service examiners

his special qualifications for the

Edgar Waters, son of Captain

Waters, who was Stayton's post-

active applicant and will be on

hand for the civil service examin-

At one time Harry Humphrey

was in the race but among Stay

ton folk there is an impression

that he is not actively after the

iob and has not as yet announced

whether he will take the examin

Incidentally, it might be an-

nounced that in the examination.

perience count strong. The office

is supposed to pay \$1700 a year

ation.

at on

Salary is \$5000 Dr. Ayer will receive \$5000 a year as head of the Oregon state normal, and his election covers a period of three years. He received his degrees in the Upper lowa university, Georgetown university and Chicago university.

Regents attending today's sesion were Governor Olcott, Sam A. Kozer, secretary of state; J. A. office. Churchill, state school superintendent; W. C. Bryant of Moro, E. E. Bragg of La Grande; Leonard master several years ago, is an Starr of Portland; Cornelia Marvin, state librarian and Frank

Miller of Albany. ARGENTINA IN LINE. BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 15 .-Laurence Ginnell, who recently

arrived here as "envoy of the vicinity of Elgin caused slight Irish republic," has cabled Eamdamage. Reports reaching here onn De Valera that "Argentina is from Wallowa county indicate practically unanimous for Irish business qualifications and exheavier damage in the southern independence and will support , any decision.



Approval of an emergency measure providing for the immediate extension at a cost of \$2400 of the Hickory street terminal of the north Salem sewer to a point below the level of the Willamette river at Hickory and Water street was the major action taken by the Salem city council last night.

The motion as introduced by Alderman Baumgartner is in response to a demand by citizens living in the vicinity of the north terminal of the sewer. At the present time the sewer terminus is above water-level and a very unsanitary

The action was taken in the face of a very heavily overirawn street department budget, members who opposed the sewer extension on the grounds that the treasury items are padly deflated finally yielded to arguments tending to show was pleased with the effects of the that the sewer improvement was an absolute necessity.

street, Jack Maddox, proprietor. License Issues Gem hotel, Ferry at Sotuh Com Upon motion of Alderman mercial streets, Mrs. Lucy Johnson, proprietress.

built.

With the dam completed, there will be erected a power house on the exact spot formerly occ by the flour mill on North Front street. Engineers of the paper mill estimate that at Front the fall of water will be 36 fe and it is at this point that the

turbine wheel will be placed. Large Power Possible

Electricity generated by wheel will be carried from North Mill creek power house the paper mill at Commercial an Trade streets. Engineers estimate that the dam causing a fall of 36 feet at Front street will gen erate 1000 horsepower. from the South Mill creek flow generates only 350 horsepower. In addition to constructing th dam and the power house. Oregon Pulp & Paper company directors yesterday afternoon cided to dike and dredge what is known as "the ditch" from Sale to Stayton. It will be deep and broadened and given a capac ity for a much greater flow than for the past 20 years.

Winter Work Planned.

The work of improving the ditch will go on all winter. The North Mill creek property was purchased about one year by the paper mill from the Ladd estate for \$100,000. The purchase included valuable property on North Front street, and all water rights to the mill race,

Incidentally, it may be said that the water power of Mill creek in North Salem was the prime factor in giving Salem its present location.

**Jason Lee Selects Spot** In the early days Jason, Lee and his missionaries selected point eight miles north of Salem for the future metropolis, Bat on account of the water fall of North Mill creek, the grist mill was located about where Liberty street merges into North Broad-

With the grist mill located there and also the right location for a sawmill, the Methodist plo neers decided to locate their city nearer the grist mill.

COAST BASEBALL

Sunday's Scores. Los Angeles, Ang. 15.—Los Angel failed to score here in the play-off tada of a postpomed game with Vernon an the Tigers walked away with the conte-and six tallies. It was Shellenbach game from the start. He allowed La Angeles only four hits. VERNON 6, ANGELS 0

Augnes, Dumovich and Stanage; enbach and Hannah. No other games scheduled. Portland 5-3. Sacramento 4-4. Oakland 9-8. Vernon 5-3. Los Angeles 5-6. San Francisco Solt Lake 5-1. Scattle 1-11. STANDING OF THE TEAMS

San Francisco The question of issuing these mento ..... licenses caused many inquiries from m mbers of

cate that the craft has virtually been abandoned. On Sunday Cap-Apus, bound fom Limerick, Ireciew of 37 and one stowaway.

## Airplanes Resume

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 15. -Airplane patrol of national for-

according to Shirley Buck of the In this case, it is indicated, Mr. forest service. This was near any rescinding of the proposition, brush. The goal of the bovine George Wenderoth of the license her arraignment today and asked for a week's extension of time to Obenchain will probably act as Parkdale, in the Oregon national the city attorney was instructed toper was a barrel half full of committee, the council voted to enter pleas to a charge of mur- advisory counsel. The status of forest and covered about 150 to serve notice upon the Southern fermenting mash. In a hidden grant the following licenses: and her divorced husband, the case legally now is one of rest acres before it could be brought Pacific that pavement would be cabin, about 100 yards away, was Pool hall at 178 South Commer-



today the victims being Orville trict Attorney Swart. Allen and Elmer Heckard, about 8 and 5 years old. The boys were, cousins, and fell in the stream

**Two Small Boys Drown** 

while playing. Their bodies were

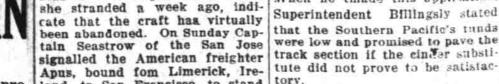


LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 15 .- E. A. Rosenthal, pro- land. to San Francisco. to stand tory. prietor of a local pawn shop, tonight positively identified the by and take off the San Jose's stock of a shotgun found in ocean waters just off Santa Monica beach several days ago, as part of a shotgun which he sold for \$10 to a man who entered his store some time between July 25 and 28.

Attorneys who have undertak-Since the evidence now in the en the beginnings of the legal bathands of the prosecution involves tle for Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain. not only Mrs. Obenchain, but a accused here of implication in the mysterious murder August 5 of college friend, Arthur C. Burch ests of Oregon was resumed today her former sweetheart, J. Belton of Evanston, Ill., it is expected the from the machine base at Eugene, Kennedy, broker, late today went preliminary plan of defense for after a period of several weeks in conference to lay definite the woman will be coupled short- which the patrol was suspended

plans for her defense. At the meeting of the young man and the two defended by one scrious fire occurred in the period attorney who represented her at they were indicted.

woman's counsel were present the attorney when tried jointly, as in which Oregon had no patrol.



**Come from Grounded Ship** 

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 15 .-

Radio advices received here to-

Patrol of Forests that Vandervort, Marcus, Wender-

ly with the defense of the young due to gasoline scarcity. Only one

trict in question.

the city has already done so. Front street is paved in the dis-After being advised that too

franchise was granted, there was HOOD RIVER, Ore., Aug. 15,a general skirn ish to join the "I voted against it" crowd. Of the A bull's overindulgence in the conaldermen present it was found tents of a mash barrel, according to stories of orchardists of the oth and Baumgartner had opposed

Underwood, Wash., district led to the discovery by officers of two condition is reported. granting Mr. Billingsly's request. At first the aldermen made hurstills near Stevenson. ried efforts to resaind their action **Toper's Course Dizzy** 

as a section of the city ordinace The bull, attracting attention provides that the enfranchised by his drunken stagger and his railroad be required to pave where bellowed maundering, evidently moonshine makings. Officers fol-

lowed his as he pursued an ermuch tiem has passed to permit ratic course, through the under-

nied that his men had made the

Ralph R. Obenchain, a Chicago until Monday when the two must under control. Patrol was resumed required on the Front street side discovered the still. The Skamania cial street, Barney Perlman, pro- recalled much trouble experienc- Los Angeles attorney, whom she called here enter their pleas to charges of with the arrival of a carload of spur between Court and State county sheriff is holding the prop- prietor. to her aid. gasoline from California. erty at the county jail. murder. Arlington hotel, 462 State (Continued on page 6) streets.