

NEW ORLEANS, April 12.—The legislature met at noon. It was the most orderly for many years. The Conservative members were sworn in. A resolution was adopted in the house referring the claims of those included in the award to the committee on elections, which will report to-morrow. Both parties seem to accept the award without opposition, making it a success.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 14.—The miners of Lehigh and Wilkesbarre counties are determined not to resume work unless their demand for an advance of 10 per cent is granted. There are five thousand men of this county alone idle, and several thousand more private operators, who are waiting the action of the companies and miners. No outrage of any kind have been committed, and there are no fears of any in this section at present, unless there should be an effort to vote upon resumption, which would be prevented at all hazards. Business is badly prostrated throughout the valley on account of the long continued strike.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—The centennial celebration of the organization of the anti-slavery society commenced this morning in Concert Hall. Vice President Wilson called the assembly to order, and in a short address stated the object of the meeting and the history of the society. After prayer and singing by the Hutchinson family, Dr. Wm. Elder delivered an eloquent review of the career of the society since its organization.

BOSTON, April 14.—Ten inches of snow fell here yesterday and fifteen at Fall River. All trains from the south are delayed.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—A very extraordinary attempt at murder was made here last evening. The parties are General Sutton, who was in the army in the Mexican war, and a man named Ross. Sutton and Ross were about to open a large billiard room. According to Sutton's ante mortem statement, Ross came to him this afternoon and took him to the fourth story of the building where they were to occupy to consult with him about some improvements. While there Ross attacked him with a heavy hammer and a sharp instrument. After that everything was a blank to Sutton for two hours. Then he revived and crawled down two pairs of stairs, to where there was a workman, who saw that he was covered with blood and nearly dead. The police, surgeons, and the district attorney were summoned. The physicians said Sutton must die. In his ante mortem statement he said Ross was his murderer. Ross was found in his room at the Metropolitan hotel, next to the scene of the murder. He was changing his clothes. A bloody handkerchief was found in his room and his hand was cut. Ross was brought to the dying man and declared that the ante mortem statement was a lie; that he had not seen Sutton that day. Ross begged Sutton not to go to eternity with a lie on his lips. The affair is very mysterious. Both Sutton and Ross are widely known.

The Postoffice Department is in receipt of information that parties who have secured contracts for a large number of mail routes in the Western States, are systematically offering to sub-let them, thereby assuming, in effect, the position of mail route brokers. One party in Kansas has sent out postal cards inviting bids for sub-letting specific routes, and stating in a printed postscript that he has sixty-five routes to dispose of, and will send catalogues on application. The department has taken steps to break up this business.

All clerks in the Postoffice implicated in the recent mail frauds, have been dismissed by the Postmaster General. The Secretary of the Treasury writes to the Secretary of War, in regard to communication from the war department on the 11th of February, covering a copy of a letter of Captain J. B. Campbell, 4th artillery, on the subject of amunition in Alaska, recommending that a revenue cutter be stationed in the waters of that country. Secretary Bristow says the Treasury Department has not at its disposal a revenue cutter that can be assigned to permanent duty in Alaska, but the steamer Welcott, stationed at Port Townsend, W. T., will be used to make occasional cruises into those waters, with the view to remedy the evil complained of.

Boston, April 14.—There are no new features in the wool market. The demand is steady and prices unchanged. Manufacturers continue to purchase in lots as wanted, and appear to be quite indifferent about anticipating their wants for any length of time ahead. Sales of Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces have been at 22/500 with a fair demand at these figures, small lots of medium grades realizing the highest figures. Michigan and Western fleeces are selling at 40¢ @ 52¢, and combing and delaine fleeces at 63¢ @ 52¢. Super pulled wool continues in demand, and grades most wanted are good and choice at prices ranging from 50¢ to 75¢ for 100 lbs. There is also a fair inquiry at 42¢ @ 45¢ to quality. In California wool no change is noted. Foreign is quiet and prices of Australian continue to range from 50¢ @ 51¢, jobbing at 57¢ @ for cross-breds.

LONDON, April 14.—Twenty thousand persons yesterday witnessed experiments of Paul Boyton with his life-saving apparatus in the harbor of Boulogne.

NEW ORLEANS, April 15.—The report of the committee on elections, embodying the terms of the award, was adopted in the House by a vote of 82 to 15. Most of the members displayed marked speeches intimating acquiescence. Ferdinand, of Assumption, a colored member ousted by the award, said he had the satisfaction of giving up his seat to his old master, who had always been just and kind, and would take it as an honor which did not occur every day. A joint resolution recognizing the Kellogg Government and pledging the members to support the efforts of the government in that line of reform and good government was adopted by the House by a vote of 89 to 8.

In the Senate (Green's) of Tennessee district is the only member whose name is involved. He will be designated by Governor Kellogg when master and resign his seat in the Senate, and F. S. Goode will be seated in his stead. This will perfect the terms of award, except reorganizing the House, which will be done in a day or two. Willis and Estelle are prominently mentioned for speaker, and some think Governor Hahn will be retained.

Congressman Wheeler left for home to-day. He expressed himself satisfied with the result of the session.

several other parties have gone from Yankton and Springfield, and others are preparing to follow from those places. It is not known in what number, but it is estimated that at least 100 men are now on the way from different localities in this vicinity. Two ladies accompanied the last party that left here.

NEW YORK, April 15.—A dispatch from Havana says W. J. Sharkey, a convicted murderer, who escaped from the tombs, New York, arrived there in irons from Santiago de Cuba. His jailers say he attempted to escape from prison by digging his way out of the cell; that he had made attempts to slip from his hands the cuffs while on the way to Havana and also tried to leap overboard. He leaves for New York by the first steamer.

Reliable private Cuban advices announce continued burnings of sugar plantations by the insurgents. Also the steady advance of the insurgents will bring them near Matanzas within a few weeks.

BOSTON, April 15.—Henry W. Dutton, senior proprietor of the Evening Transcript, died this morning, aged 79. Within five months Mr. Dutton lost his wife and son, which, together with the death of Mr. Haskell, editor of the Transcript, indirectly caused his death.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 15.—The Senatorial excursion party arrived here last evening, and are to-day visiting Fort Sumter and other points of interest in the harbor, the United States steam revenue cutter being at their command. They leave for Washington to-morrow night.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The President and Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Sartoris, General Babcock and Secretary Robeson left this morning en route for Massachusetts to attend the battle of Lexington celebration on the 19th inst., and will return Wednesday. Secretary Belknap left last night. Other members of the Cabinet will join the President in New York to-morrow morning.

Designs of the 20-cent silver piece were selected and approved yesterday by H. R. Linderman, director of the mint. The obverse design contains a figure of Liberty with the word "Liberty" inscribed on the shield, surrounded by thirteen stars; beneath the figure, the date "1875." On the reverse, the figure of an eagle with the words "twenty cents." The edge of the coin will be perfectly smooth, in order to distinguish it from the 25 cent coin.

COLUSA, April 15.—The warm, dry weather continues, and the grain prospect looks bad. It is now estimated that we will not have a two-third crop, and unless we have rain in a few days not half a crop.

LOS ANGELES, April 15.—Wool is beginning to come in in considerable quantities. Receipts at the depot registered since Monday are something over 110 bales. The feeling among wool purchasers is not favorable to strong rates. There is a disinclination on the part of producers to sell at low figures, and the result will probably be the holding of a good portion of the spring clip for a higher market. The quality of the clip so far is very fair, but it will probably deteriorate and become burry as the grass dries off.

LIVERMORE, April 15.—Crop prospects are discouraging; but little grain will be raised in this vicinity without more rain.

SALT LAKE, April 15.—Geo. Reynolds, sentenced several days ago to one year's imprisonment and \$300 fine for polygamy, was before the court to-day. Bonds were accepted for his appearance before the Supreme Court, to which the case has been appealed.

Gen. Crook, lately placed in command of the Department of the Platte, headquarters at Omaha, arrived here to-day on his way eastward.

There has been trouble along Bitter creek valleys for several days, caused by high water. The Union Pacific track has been washed away in several places. No train came over that portion of the road to-day, and none are expected for two days.

NEW YORK, April 16.—The President and Mrs. Grant, with members of the Cabinet, arrived last night and left at 10 A. M. for Boston. The committee of the Massachusetts Legislature met the President's party here. They all had to purchase tickets before entering the special train in which they left the city.

GREAT FALLS, N. H., April 16.—The spinners' strike is over, the men returning to work on the terms proposed originally by employers.

ST. LOUIS, April 16.—Mrs. E. L. Irwin, a highly respectable young lady, of Hannibal, Missouri, tied a cloth line around herself and her little girl, six years old, fastened the other end to a stake in the ground, then took the child in her arms and deliberately walked into the creek. Both were drowned. Financial embarrassment and disappointment in love, it is understood, caused the act.

OMAHA, April 16.—The high water which for several days has delayed trains on the U. P. R. R. has finally become so high that travel is entirely suspended between Laramie and Ogden. The water is six feet deep in places and still rising. It is impossible to predict when travel will be resumed. The canyons are reported full of snow and it is well known the depth of snow which fell last winter is the greatest for many years. The location of the present trouble in the Butte Creek Valley, three hundred miles west of Cheyenne. Passenger trains which left here the 13th, 14th and 15th are lying at Laramie City and Rawlins. Those which left Ogden the 13th are lying at points west of Green river, all in good quarters and well cared for. U. P. officials advise travelers for Utah and California not to start until notice of the blockade being broken is given.

A dispatch from Fort Laramie to-day says Capt. Mix's company, who were sent out after the missing party at Harney's peak, have secured the whole of them, consisting of 18 men, one woman and a boy, and will arrive at Fort Laramie on the 18th. Heavy snows in the Black Hills and high waters everywhere. A war party of Sioux and Arapahoes are reported to have left for the Nebraska country.

Mary Clemmer Ames has been a guest of one of the Brooklyn hotels for three or four days, registered as Miss Mary C. Richards, her maiden name. She is under subpoena from Becher's lawyers.

CHICAGO, April 16.—The weather turned suddenly cold last night, and early to-day the mercury was in the neighborhood of zero. Water pipes froze and to-day is like a day in December.

LONDON, April 16.—Four crowded revivals were held to-day. One especially devoted to students for the ministry took place at Sprague's tabernacle. Moody delivered an address on Christian work, which was rapturously applauded. Thousands rose at his invitation to go into the streets and work for Christ.

BREILIN, April 16.—The success of the revival mission of Fernal Smith in this city and other towns in Germany is increasing. Immense crowds attend the meetings, and members of the nobility occupy seats on the platform. The Empress of Austria has given private audience to Smith.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—By the overland train, last night, there arrived A. P. Bacon, J. C. Fowler and A. Gould, all of New York. It is stated on good authority that the former comes to assume charge of the Pacific Mail agency, under the new directors, Jennings S. Cox retiring. Mr. Fowler is to take the position of chief engineer, and Mr. Gould, who is a relative of Jay Gould, will probably become joint agent.

SAN LEUIS Obispo, April 16.—The weather is favorable and crops are looking well. The wool crop, which is the heaviest and best of any county in the State, is rapidly moving forward for shipment. Over 2,000 bales have been shipped this month, and a large amount is awaiting transportation.

SACRAMENTO, April 16.—The two stages to and from Grimes Valley were robbed this morning about 8 o'clock by two masked highwaymen. The passengers of one stage were thoroughly overhauled, the robbers obtaining about \$400. A posse of eight men were after them in half an hour after the robbery was committed, but had not overtaken them at latest advices.

SAN DIEGO, April 16.—Assays of rock from ledges recently discovered on the Jumei grant gives \$40 to \$60 to the ton gold and silver. The ledges are readily accessible. Specimens recently brought from the Minerva mine, at San Rafael, are the richest ever found in that country.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Great preparations are making for conferring the scarlet beretta on Cardinal McCloskey. The sanctuary of the cathedral is being enlarged to accommodate the large number of archbishops and bishops expected, and to give scope for full observance of the entire ceremony. Admission to the cathedral will be by ticket only.

A dispatch from London states that Chase L. Lawrence, the alleged forger and smuggler of silks, who was arrested at Queestown while fleeing from this country has been held for extradition. The silks that Lawrence and his associates smuggled are valued at over a million of dollars.

MEMPHIS, April 17.—There was a heavy frost last night, killing vegetables, and seriously damaging if not killing fruit.

PROVIDENCE, April 16.—The second trial in this city, to-day, to elect a Senator and nine Representatives to the general assembly, resulted in the choice of the regular Republican ticket, supported by the liquor interest, by 350 majority. This probably secures the election of Henry Lippitt, Governor, and the repeal of the prohibitory and State constabulary laws. Several arrests were made for bribery and illegal voting.

CHICAGO, April 17.—Kansas City advices state that 800 Cheyenne warriors crossing the track of the Chisum, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, Thursday night, 15 miles east of Lakin. They were going north, passing through the State of Kansas. A company of troops was sent from Fort Dodge in pursuit, and the Indian trail was followed about twenty miles, when it became evident the Indians had separated and scattered over the prairie. They are undoubtedly on the war path, and bloody work may be expected any day.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 17.—A heavy west and north-west wind has been prevailing here the last 36 hours, extending as far south as Montgomery, Ala. This morning there was ice an eighth of an inch thick at Corinth, Miss. All exposed vegetation was frozen here this morning. It is believed that all the fruit, cotton and wheat of this adjoining States are seriously injured, if not entirely killed. The thermometer was down to 25° here and 42° at Montgomery, Ala., this morning.

CHICAGO, April 17.—The extraordinary cold snap continues here, and reports from all portions of the West, South and East show the same general character. The fruit crop has doubtless suffered very seriously, and in many localities it is reported entirely killed. The thermometer here last night was down to zero. Snow has been lying all day.

CINCINNATI, April 17.—Reports from Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio, show that the weather during the last two days has been the coldest for the season known in many years, the thermometer ranging from 12° to 25° above zero. Early frosts are thought to be killed, and tobacco seriously injured.

BOSTON, April 16.—President Grant and suite arrived at 5:30. An immense crowd assembled at the depot, but beyond the usual surging and gazing of the crowd, no demonstration was made. The party entered an open carriage, and escorted by a squad of police, the President moved to the Royal House. A dense crowd lined the sidewalks and the broad square in which the hotel faces was densely packed with people eager to catch a glimpse of the President. Some cheering was heard indulged in. Gov. Gaston was in waiting and informally received and welcomed the President and party. The President's apartments are quite luxurious and elaborately decorated with flowers. This evening the President attended Mrs. Roseby's banquet at the Globe Theatre.

BOSTON, April 17.—President Grant this morning abandoned his visit to Boston Park and gave a private reception, later receiving citizens generally. At noon, the President's party were driven to the State House. Passing through a file of cadets, the company entered the building and were ushered into the Executive Chamber and presented to Gov. Gaston, members of the Council and State officials, in whom they proceeded to the Senate Chamber where the President was formally introduced, and from there the party entered the House of Representatives where a similar introduction was made.

The banquet at the Parker House to-day given by the Commercial Club in honor of the President and Cabinet, was a grand affair. One hundred and twenty-six guests were present. Alex. Price, President of the Club, presided. President Grant, Secretaries Robeson, Belknap, Fish and Delano, and Postmaster General Jewell, were present, and a number of local celebrities. The Presidential party left for Concord by special train.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Dr. Brown Squard has written a letter denying the story that the President according to his statement, won't live six months unless he changes his habits.

day completed its reorganization by electing Frequent clerk and other conservative officials. The terms of the award were carried out in the Senate by unseating Elam, Democrat, and seating Goode, Democrat, in the place of Crozier, colored Republican. The joint resolution recognizing the Kellogg government was adopted with but two dissenting votes. During the day a large number of reform bills were introduced.

CHICAGO, April 17.—A New Orleans special says the majority for Estelle, for speaker of the reorganized House of Representatives, was much larger than anticipated. After his defeat Willis made a violent, intemperate speech, attacking General Sheridan, Governor Kellogg and Senator Packard and attributing his defeat to their uncharitable conduct.

CONCORD, Mass., April 17.—President Grant arrived this evening and drove to the residence of Judge Hoar, whose guest he is while here. The Pullman train of four cars arrived from St. Albans with Gen. Peck and other State officers, the St. Albans Guards with the St. Albans Brigade Band. The own is thronged with visitors.

PARIS, April 16.—A party of three persons as ended in the balloon Zanth to-day, for purpose of making scientific observations. The balloon ascended the extraordinary height of 8,000 metres—over 25,000 feet. Two of the aeronauts were suffocated to death, and when the balloon reached the ground a third was almost insensible, and has since been so ill that his recovery is doubtful.

MARYSVILLE, April 18.—Oscar N. Smith was arrested here yesterday charged with the robbery of the Downsville stage on the 14th inst., at Oregon Hill. Smith is an old jail bird, having served two terms in the State Prison for grand larceny. The evidence is quite strong against him. Officers have little doubt, but they have the right man. Smith had nearly a hundred dollars in his possession when arrested. He says he cannot tell where he was on the day of the robbery. He accounted for the money in his possession by saying it belonged to a friend, but the friend don't claim it. Officers left here this evening in search of the treasure.

TACOMA, April 17.—General McCarver breathed his last at 2 o'clock this p. m. He was an old settler in Oregon and respected by all who knew him.

SALT LAKE, April 17.—A lot of emigrant passengers walked about eight miles and got into the Green river station last evening. The railroad company will start a train west from Green River with these emigrants this morning. The water in Butte creek is still rising, and is considerable higher to-day than yesterday. There are three bridges gone, and large portions of the track washed out in different places. From all we can hear to-day it would not appear probable that any train can pass over the road for a week yet, and even that will depend upon the weather. If the weather continues warm and the snow continued to melt, the difficulty at this place will be worked with energy. Improvements are being made on a large scale.

A large number of Kansas emigrants came directly from San Francisco to Coos Bay on the steamer Empire. The people of Coos county are very anxious to secure a daily mail from Roseburg. Two new schooners are to be built at Coos Bay this summer.

The Henryville coal mines are now being opened and hoisting works are being placed. The property is considered valuable and will be worked with energy. Improvements are being made on a large scale.

The fruit prospect in Linn county is said to be good, the Board of Directors, of the Albany Fruit Drying Company, met at the corner of Eli Carter last Saturday, and concluded the purchase of the necessary ground for building purposes, having secured a lot just below Parker & Morris' warehouse, fronting 72 feet on the river, and 72 feet on the railroad side track, and 160 feet deep. The brick and lumber are contracted for, and bids will be at once invited for the labor of construction. Eli Carter was appointed Business Manager and Superintendent. The Company want to contract for 100 tons of pumpkins and squashes to work up next fall.

E. E. Cooper, Chief Engineer of the Yaquina and Corvallis railroad has commenced the work of survey.

The County Court of Linn county has taken steps to procure a copy of the entire field notes of the public surveys of Linn county, and the County Court of Marion and other counties would do well to imitate.

The woolen factory at Brownsville has suspended work for want of wool and it is not certain if the mill will run the coming year or not.

Subscription is being raised to build an academy building at South Brownsville this summer.

B. F. Neal, a farmer near Solo, was taken one morning with a fainting fit, full into the fire and horribly burned before he was discovered. His face and right arm were burned black. His life is despaired of.

The farmers of Linn county are straining every point to plow and put in crops this pleasant weather.

H. L. Ridd, of Peoria, is building a large, fine residence, and a 36x48 feet barn to match. Harry is one of Linn's most enterprising farmers.

Mr. S. G. Reed will exhibit his fine stock at the Linn County Fair next fall. Last Sabbath six persons joined the U. P. Church in Albany, and about 25 united with the Calvary Society—comprising the Presbyterian and Congregationalist combined, under the ministrship of Rev. Mr. Stratton. Mr. Culver, of Coos river, is going to put up a fruit-drying establishment on a large scale. J. E. Halley has been chosen principal and Miss Ella Watt assistant of the Forest Grove public school. J. D. Rowell, of Washington county, owns a cow that has brought him five calves in less than 23 months. The directors of the Hillsboro school district cannot agree on a teacher, and the boys are having a long vacation. The Independent learns that Rev. George Chandler's son is coming from the East to take charge of the Baptist church at the Grove. Harmony Lodge, No. 2, of the I. O. G. R., at Cornelius, is in highly prosperous condition, having nearly 30 members, 23 of whom are charter members. H. Tamoura, a Japanese student in the junior year in Pacific University, wrote some articles on Japan to a New York periodical which were published with complimentary remarks both as to the style and the matter, and the publisher sent Mr. Tamoura \$25 as an earnest of his appreciation. A few days ago Mr. H. Hawthorne, while plowing in a field near McMinnville, passed near a snail and his horse commenced jumping about and kept it up until they got down and badly tangled in the harness. One of them became fast underneath the other, and before it was released, was drowned.

A correspondent of the Hillsboro paper says: "The Good Templars' Lodge at Columbia Academy numbers 62 members, and is growing at each meeting. The Grange numbers about 80 members and is still increasing.

Last week Courtney Meek, of Tualatin Plains, lost a horse which choked itself to death with a halter, and one of his cows died from some cause unknown.

The parties who purchased Mr. Black's farm on Tualatin Plains, reports some sixty families who intend coming to this State the coming season, providing they write favorably.

Stockholders of Union Grange, Albany, will have a meeting in Granger's Hall, in that city at 1 o'clock p. m., Saturday, May 23rd, 1875, for the purpose of electing Directors and for transacting other business.

On Monday, the 12th inst., Santiam Chapter, U. D. of Royal Arch Masons, was organized at Solo with Comps. D. P. Mason as M. E. H. P.; J. A. Pennabaker as E. K.; Dr. Martin as E. S., and a full quota of subordinate officers.

Sheriff Tozier informs the Independent that there is \$730 of delinquent tax uncollected in Washington county.

The remnant of the Coos Bay Indians had a grand pow-wow at North Bend last Saturday night, occasioned by one of the old men taking a trip to the bappy hunting grounds.

Corvallis has a postoffice and the postmaster who is a minister and the Gazette man who is a Chief Templar can't agree and a personal difficulty has occurred. The postmaster doesn't want anybody to criticize him. Most of 'em don't.

Mrs. W. H. Zumalt and babe of Benton county were thrown from a load of hay the other day and severely bruised. The starting of the survey of the Yaquina railroad made times unusually lively last week.

Joe Emerick has returned to Corvallis from Galice Creek in Southern Oregon and couldn't see the richness of the mines there. The Treasurer of Eugene City kindly sent word to the City Council that he would take \$150 per annum hereafter for his services and call it square, and the Council accepted the liberal offer to find out afterwards that his fees had never exceeded \$125 a year. "The liberal soul shall be made fat."

The State Journal (Eugene) says on Thursday last week while plowing with a sulky plow, Anderson Harlow had the misfortune to break both bones of his left leg six inches below the knee. He had run out to far at one end of the land and endeavoring to make a short turn upset, setting his leg fast in the gearing near the hole. Dr. Shelton set the bone and the patient is doing well.

The Yamhill Reporter says: Gen. Palmer came over from Salmon river one day recently, and he reports a very bad streak of luck for himself. He had a large band of cattle in that county, out of which he has lost 150 head during the winter. The General says a dead whale, measuring 50 feet long, washed into the mouth of Salmon river a few days ago, and it is likely that there will be some whalebone in this county now.

The Oregon and California Stage line will commence running on summer schedule time on the 1st of May, making the trip from railroad to railroad in fifty-two hours.

The Albany Register says: "One evening during the recent revival meetings whilst Mrs. Wm. Gird was attending the services, some miscreant entered the family residence, corner of Second and Broad streets, and took therefrom a small cabinet of Chinese workmanship, which contained nearly all the family jewelry, amounting in value to about \$1,000.

First Grade East Salem Public School, for the month ending April 15th, 1875. Total No. enrolled..... 58. Total No. days taught in month..... 29. Total No. days attendance..... 91. Total No. days absence..... 81. Average No. belonging..... 51.3. Average No. attendance..... 47.05. Percentage of attendance on average..... 91. No. belonging..... 91.

The following named pupils attaining an average of eighty per cent, and over, in deportment and scholarship, their names have been placed upon the

HOLL OF HONOR: Willie Chandler, Gable Clark, Rachel Welch, Mary Parkson, Henry Wilson, Alma Chandler, Albert Briscoe, Josie Jones, Eunna Frierley, Minnie Welch, Theo Van Wagner, Ward Adair, Mattie Malson.

The body of Capt. R. B. Randall, who was employed on the improvement of the Upper Columbia, was found Saturday just below the falls at Celilo. Rev. G. T. Kays, of New York State, will soon come to assist the work of the Episcopal Church in Oregon and will probably be stationed in the Eastern part of the State, so says the Churchman. A man named Saunders, a brother-in-law of D. A. Lancaster, of Portland, was drowned Saturday while crossing a stream in the Blue mountains on a stage company's sleigh. He fell off and was lost.