FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY.

Socrat Evenno,-A charming little He Cuts His way out of Jail and athering took place at Governor Moody's on Saturday evening, in honor of Mrs. Mills, principal of Mills College, Oak-land, California. Only those were pres-ent who had been pupils at the College, friends specially interested in the institu-tion of which Mrs. Mills is the founder and tion of which Mrs. Mills is the founder and accomplished head, and a few who had formerly attended the celebrated school of which she was a graduate—Mt. Hol-yoke Seminary. The meeting between teacher and scholars, some of whom Mrs. Mills had not met for years, was mutually pleasant, and the evening passed quickly, with music and in con-versing of other days and recalling events pleasing in reminiscence. Governor and Mrs. Moody were unusually cenial in Moody were unusually genial in sing the courtesies of the executive on, and the refreshments of iceand cake were simply elegant, ormer and present pupils of Mills ge present were, Mrs. William n, Miss Gray, Miss Church, Miss man, Miss Clara Earhart, Miss Edna y, Miss Winnie Watson of Portland, Moody, Miss Winnie Watson of Portland, Miss Annie Breyman. The other guests were, Secretary Earhart and Mrs. Ear-hart, Rev. E. J. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Waite, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Breyman, Mr. and Mrs. Werner Breyman, Mrs. I. N. Gilbert, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Ladue, Mrs. Patter-son, Mrs. Lownsdale, Mrs. Woodworth, Miss Earhart, Miss Dearborn, Mr. Will-iam England. The host and hostess were assisted informally by Mrs. Moody of The Dalles, Miss Nelson, and Mr. Ralph Moody. Mrs. Mills left on Mon-day morning's train for her home in Oaklay morning's train for her home in Oak-and, whither she will carry with her the leasantest impressions of our beautiful ity and its surroundings, gathered brough the hospitality of our executive nd his family.

Through the hospitality of our executive and his family. CHEMEKETA. FREMEN'S ELECTION.—But little in-terest was manifested yesterday in the fireman's election, only 105 out of a total of 275 votes being cast. The candidates for chief engineer were Geo. Anderson of the Alerts, and W. F. Dugan, of Capital engine company. Mr. Anderson was elected by a majority of seventeen—he receiving GI and Mr. Dugan 44 votes. of 275 votes being cast. The candidates for chief engineer were Geo. Anderson of the Alerts, and W. F. Dugan, of Capital engine company. Mr. Anderson was elected by a majority of seventeen—he receiving 61 and Mr. Dugan 44 votes. ngine company, acceled by a majority of seven cociving 61 and Mr. Dugan 44 votes. There was no opposition to the clection of Mr. Clarke Churchill, of Salem en-gine company, and he polled 103 out of 104 votes cast for assistant engineer. The likelihood will make it cost his cap-tor dear, if he can. He has many friends who will aid him in any way they can, and the utmost vigilance must be used to capture him. The following is a de-scription of Saunders: Six feet high, very slenany office for which its nominee is sure to be defeated, Dugan is sure to be avail-

EXCURSION PARTY .- A number of Salem's young people made up a party, on the Fourth, engaged carriages and spent the day at Silver Creek Falls. The local editor of this paper, who in some way managed to get an invitation to go along, would write a full description of the expedition if he did not have in mind the awful fate of a former local who returned awful fate of a former local who returned from a similar trip, about three years ago, and inspired in some strange man-ner by the waters of Silver Creek, ex-hilarated by the ride, or intoxicated by the mountain air, wrote a brilliant but rather incoherent description of the falls. His friends, with the hope of finding congenial surroundings for him, pro-cured him a partnership in a Portland law firm.

A GAG .- There is an old fellow around town who does odd jobs at whatever there is to do, and strange as it may seem, is soldom employed. One night recently he was seen to be troubled, and a friend of his asked him what was the matter. "Oh, it is just my luck," the man replied; "every time I get a little job something prevents on for his sumply the city editor of this paper off on his summer vacation, and you will find him a quite agreeable fellow, if you approach him. This description is put in for fear some curiosity hunter would school-marms don't smother him, we hope you will let him off without, engine him

SAUNDERS AT LARGE!

Strikes for the Brush-Reward Offered.

SPECIAL TO THE STATESMAN.

ALBANY, July 5 .- W. W. Saunders, whose trial, in this city, for the murder of Chas. Campbell, on the 4th of November last, has attracted wide-spread attention during the past week, escaped from jail at an early hour this morning; it is thought about 1:30 o'clock. The jury in the case had at 8:30 p. m., on Saturday, brought in a verdict of guilty, as charged in the indictment, which was for murder in the first degree, and the time for sentence was set for 1 o'clock, on Wednesday, next, July 7th. James Jamisen, awaiting trial for perjury and illegal vot-ing, also escaped at the same time. They escaped by sawing off the bolt of Saun-der's cell door, which let both prisoners in the corridor. A hole was then cut in the brick work (the jail is a brick struc-ture) near the floor and the iron holt ture) near the floor, and the iron bolt sawed off, permitting egress through the jail. There is no doubt that he had as-sistance in making his escape. A reward of \$1,060 has been offered for his capture, of \$1,000 has been offered for his capture, and telegrams, giving his description and reward offered have been sent all over the country. Men from this city are searching in the mountains to the south and eastward. His escape became known about daylight, giving the prison-ers about two and a half hours the start. Shariff Charlton who resides over the jail Sheriff Charlton who resides over the jail heard no noise. He was in the corridor, and saw the prisoners safely locked up at 11 o'clock. Miss Mattie Allison, the only remaining prisoner in the jail, who is al-so on trial for the murder of Chas. Camp-

scription of Saunders: Description : Six feet high, very slen-der, is delicate in health and pale from der, is delicate in health and pale from confinement; smooth face, very dark hair, weighs about 130 pounds, 30 years old, and slightly pock-marked; thin, prominent nose, sharp features, small, dark, deep-set eyes, with habit of blink-ing frequently, has sallow complexion, nervous temperament, and has morphine habit. Finger on one hand slightly in-jured at the end, and claims to have been shot through the chest or body. Spits shot through the chest or body. Spits blood sometimes. Up to the latest accounts, nothing had

been heard of Saunders, although numer-ous rumors and alleged "clues" are float-ing about.

LOOK OUT FOR IT .- To the people of Yaquina Bay: If you see a kind of a what-is-it, that looks like it had escaped what is it, that looks like it had escaped from Barnum's museum, with knicker-bockers on its alleged legs, and a general lonesome appearance, as if made up for a song and dance, running at large over among you, don't be fright-ened. It is harmless. It won't bite. It is simply the city editor of this paper off on his summer vacation and you will

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY. "SAN'L OF POSEN."-M. B. Curtis in Sam'l of Posen'" will make his first ap-

SAUNDERS STILL AT LARGE .- At latest accounts, Saunders, the murderer, was still at large. The woods and brush about Albany are being thoroughly searched for him, but as yet nothing new has developed. Before Saunders left the jail he wrote a very polite note to Sheriff Charlton, thanking him for his uniformly coorteous treatment during his (Saun-ders's) confinement, and regretting exceedingly that he was thus unceremoni-ously called upon to abuse his considerate hospitality. He also wrote a letter to his fiancee, Miss Minnie Allison, bidding her a tender adieu, and hoping that they might meet under other and different might meet under other and different conditions. It appears that the iron bolts in the hinges of his cell door had been filed off for some time prior to his emeute, and their places had been filled up with wood. It is said by some that Jamison, the prisoner who escaped with him, and who was confined for illegal voting, was put in jail just for the pur-pose of assisting Saunders to escape. But that is only a matter of speculation. The officers of Linn county made an ef-fort to secure the services of Sheriff for to secure the services of Sheriff Minto, but he is forbidden by law to leave the county upon other than county busi-ness. There is no doubt that Saunders will make a desperate attempt to escape, and that he will fight to the last, as it is death for him either way. The only way that he can be captured is by stratagem, and this his pursuers will probably endeavor to do.

EXCITING RUNAWAY .- About 10:30 yeshad gone a block. Although on a dead run they did no particular damage until they came to the White Corner, where they tried to run through the asylum hack, and accidentally broke its tongue. When opposite Wade's store, the team took a notion that they would buy a self-binder, and with that object in view there are no as the sidewalk in front of they ran up on the sidewalk in front of the store, with the front wheels of the vehicle banging away at their heels. They narrowly missed a couple of ladies who were walking along with their baby carriages in front of them. When they got to the door of the store they changed their minds about the self-binder, and concluded that they wanted one of Bowie's carriages, which was standing on the outer edge of the sidewalk. But they didn't have time to stop and hitch up, and so in lieu of the carriage, they tried to carry off the awning in front of War-ner's paint shop, and they very nicely succeeded. They were very tired by this time and were induced to stop. About 5000 people, more or less, followed the team down the street, each one try-ing to stop the team, from behind, of course. vehicle banging away at their heels.

OFFICERS QUALIFIED .- In the office of the secretary of state yesterday, Capt. Geo. W. Belt, of Independence, qualified as district attorney for the third judicial district, which is composed of Linn, Ma-rion, Polk, Yamhill, and Tillamook, counrion, Polk, Yamhill, and Tillamook, coun-ties. Mr. Belt's term will expire in two years. In the office of the county judge, John W. Minto qualified as sheriff, M. N. Chapman as clerk, Henry Warren as one of the commissioners, and T. B. Patton as assessor, of Marion county. The re-maining officers elected at the last elec-tion here not as yet filed their bands tion have not as yet filed their bonds.

UNPRECEDENTED .- No book ever published has had, in so short a period, such publishers cannot fill the orders prompt-ly. It is stated that Mrs. Grant will re-

pearance in this city at Reed's operation pearance in this city at Reed's opera house on Monday evening next, the 12th, with his company. Yesterday morning's Oregonian has the following to say of Mr. Curtis and his company: "M. B. Curtis made his initial appearance befores a Port-land audience last evening, in his clever characterization, "Sam'l of Posen," and scored a decided hit. This unique im-personation has held the boards with un-interrupted success for the past six years, more on account of its exceeding natumore on account of its exceeding natu-ralness than for any especial merit in the play itself. The type which Mr. Curtis illustrates, the commercial drummer of Hebrew nationality, is one familiar to us all in every day business life, but seen at his best, however, in large eastern cities —always on the lookout for a business chance and never allowing an opportuni-ty to make a successful that slip. The chief merit of Mr. Curtis's personation is its quietness and finish. There is no straining after effect. From the time he enters as the simple-minded, yet shrewd peddler, up to the drop of the curtain on the last act, he is consistent in his de-lineation. His dialect is delicious in its

richness and his facial expression is something most ludicrous. Taken alto-gether, it is a piece of character acting that cannot fail to amuse. Mr. Curtis is peculiarly fortunate in having the support of a capable company." THE ELECTRIC LIGHTS .- The company

street, strewing poles on the way and breaking the coupling pole before they had gone a block. Although on a dead run they did no particular damage until STATESMAN, with its usual enterprise, had eight men and nine boys stationed in the vicinity of the State House, watching for any manifestations of electricity, or any other unusual demonstrations on the part of the poles, nothing happened. Three men and two boys solemnly averred that the light on the northeast corner was started up, but after thorough investiga-tion the local editor gives it as his delib-erate opinion that it was the planet Ju-piter that they saw. It is stated that

> iness in this city, has decided to remove his gallery to Spokane Falls. Mr. Shuster is a good photographer, and a hand-some bachelor, and it is with the great-est regret that the ladies of Salem bid him farewall. As it is, however, they heartily commend him to the tender mercies of the fair ones of Spokane Falls and devoutly hope that his lines may al-ways fall in pleasant places. "BUNGED UP."-The other night Frank

Thompson, in a fit of temporary aberration of the mind, walked over the banisters of the stairs at the Chemekete hotel. and landed at the bottom before he stopped. On his journey down, he re-ceived various injuries and bruises, among which might be mentioned a an enormous sale as the personal Me-moirs of General Grant. Over 300,000 volumes have already been disposed of, and the demand is still so great that the some time to come.

ANOTHER RUNAWAY .- The horse of T.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY.

HELLENBRAND'S HORSE .- Hellenbrand has got a horse. There are horses and horses, but this is a horse as is a horse. He is a No. 1, simon-pure, all-wool-and-a-yard-wide, 40-feet-without-a-knot-or limb, thoroughbred horse. This horse is not one of your ordinary horses that has a leg on each corner, but he is all legs. He has run away at the rate of 2¹, times a day for the last three days and a half, and has necessitated the purchase of two different new sets of harness. Hellendifferent new sets of harness. Hellen-brand says he is going to train that horse or die, and to that end he and his boy and Texas Jack and the dog go out to the depot every day for the purpose of getting the horse used to the train, and when the train comes in, the combined efforts of Hellenbrand and boy and Jack and dog, are of no avail in holding that horse. He sticks his tail straight up in the air, smorts like a for-horn, kicks the the air, snorts like a fog-horn, kicks the dash-board off of the express wagon and away he goes at a 2:08 gait. After he has gone far enough to suit his fancy, he finds a good, soft place in the road and sits down and nibbles grass or dust. And then after Hellenbrand has cusse the shoes off of the horse, and the boy has started a straw fire under him, and Jack has tickled his (the horse's) ears with one of his shoes, and the dog has barked himself into an acute attack of the cerebral spinal meningitis, the horse will leisurely get up and start home, and Hellenbrand and the boy and Jack and which has in charge the construction of the dog will look at each other with an the electric lights for this city has com-menced the distribution of the poles. In all there will be eighteen lights, ten of the prospective electric lights, at the freight depot, his team became scared and started to run down Commercial street, strewing poles on the way and the way and the state. The last named four have been the horse will look as meek as Morar and the loop and the box and as brave as a Roman gladiator. Oh! that horse is a jewel and Hellenbrand would not part with him for a half interest in the postoffice.

> ANOTHER BURGLARY .- Some time after 12 o'clock, Tuesday night, the residence of Dr. Jessup, on State street, was entered, and a purse containing change amounting to a dollar or so, a pocket case of surgical instruments, and a watch valued at about \$30, were abstracted from the clothing of the doctor. It appears that the burglars first entered the kitch-en by the back window, but were unable to get from there into the dining room on account of the door between the two rooms being locked. Failing in their first attempt at entrance, they (it is thought that there were more than one) returned to the wood house, secured an returned to the wood house, secared an axe, and succeeded in prying open a side window, breaking the window pane and the catch from the sash. Having gained an entrance by means of this window, the way through the rest of the house was clear, but the primary object of the midnight visitors appears to have been money, for they disturbed nothing except what they found in the doctor's clothing. The silverware and the jewelry of Mrs. Jessup were left undisturbed. Evidently the numerous burglaries that have been committed around Salem recently, have been by the same parties, and it is only a question of time when they will be caught. The jolly burglar is making himself entirely too frequent and some night he will be stopped short in his career of predatory harmfulness by a very small piece of lead, administered octaornality. externally.

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF SAUNDERS' ESCAPE.-Since the escape of W. W. Saunders parties from this city have been in vigorous search, but have not yet been rewarded with any definite trace of his whereabouts, although several floating clues have been obtained, says the Alba-ny Herald. On the night of the escape about 2:30 approaching the ferry, coming down to the river on the railroad switch. They kept out of the street so as to avoid detection, and rowed across the river in a small boat, and one of the men returned with the skiff, leaving the other two on the other side. It is firmly believed by many that Saunders and Jamison were the lads who crossed in the boat, and the time which they crossed renders it quite probable. Mattie Allison, the only remaining prisoner in the jail, heard the prisoners preparing to escape, but says she did not know what they were doing. She says they left shortly after 1 o'clock. She has been in hysterics since then.

A SAD CASE.-On yesterday afternoon's train II. C. Slocum, deputy sheriff of Doughas county, arrived in the city, having in charge Uncle Jesse Applegate, of Yoncalla, committed to the insane asylum. This unfortunaie gentleman is one of Oregon's first pioneers, who came here in advance of the tide of immigra-tion, and helped to hew out the way for all who followed. Financial reverses and other troubles have unbalanced his mind, so that his people were compelled to have him sent to a place where he can be properly cared for. It is really a matter of profound sorrow, and many old friends of the family will be pained to have the unmalence on the pained to hear the unwelcome news

AN ORDINANCE NEEDED .- John Coffey came to the city Tuesday evening and got too much bug juice aboard, and left his team standing on the street until a late hour at night. The team was taken late hour at night. The team was taken up by the policemen, and put in a livery stable. His brother, Dan Coffey, came to the city yesterday, and found that the policemen had a bill for taking up the team. He refused to pay this, and upon examining the city laws, it was found that policemen have no right to take a feam off of the streets when tied or hitched. An ordinance should be passed by the council to cover such cases. by the council to cover such case

LODGE INSTALLATION .- At the regular meeting of Chemeketa lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F. last evening the following offi-O. O. F. tast evening the following officers were installed for the ensuing term by W. G. Westacot, D. D. G. M., viz: Ray L. Farmer, N. G.; W. H. Byrd, V. V. G.; Lute Savage, R. S.; H. S. Jordan, P. S.; G. E. Good, treasurer; Tilmon A. Howard, warden; Lucien E. Pratt, C.; J. D. Jordan, I. G.; Loba Hushes O. G. J. Li Widdle P. John Hughes, O. G.; J. G. Wright, R. S. N. G.; C. B. Moores, L. S. N. G.; George H. Burnett, R. S. V. G.; A. N. Moores, L. S. V. G.; W. E. McAfee, R. S. S.; A. G. Deardorff, L. S. S.

THE BRIDGE .- The petitions for appropriations for the bridge were formally presented to the commissioners' courts of both Marion and Polk counties yesterday. but no action was taken. The county of but no action was taken. The county of Marion is asked to appropriate \$15,000 for this purpose, and Polk \$7,500. It is quite likely that both counties will be heard from to-day, and most likely the reports will be favorable to the enter-prise. They cannot be otherwise and re-main within the bounds of reason and fairnes

IN THE COOLER .- This morning, Jared Tuck, the notorious, was up before Recorder Bowie charged with being drunk and disorderly. He was fined \$2.50 and costs by the recorder, and, failing to liq-uidate, was remanded to the cooler for four days.

WHEAT .- The price of wheat remains the same as last week, the Salem mill companies still paying 571/2 cents for good, marketable wheat. The new crop will begin to come in by the first of gust after which time it will pour im lively.

GETTING READY .- J. M. Payne, who in now justice of the peace of Salem precinct, has fitted up a railing in his office in Reed's opera house, and otherwise pro-vided his office ready for the transaction of business in his official capacity.

RESIGNED. - Kirk Hubbard has resigned his position as nightwatchman at the court house, and is now working at his trade, with the carpenters at the state house. His successor will probably be appointed to-day.

INTERESTING GAME.-The North Yanhill base ball club played the Columbias, of Portland, at North Yambill on Sunday. The Yamhillers won the game, the score standing thirteen to twelve, with nine innings.

me from attending to it. I was to have "Too bad, indeed," said his friend; "what were you going to do?" "I had been engaged to sprinkle the streets," and he walked off, leaving his sympathetic friend to stand the jeers of a dozen po-licemen who knew the "gag."-[Portland

A WORD OF ADVICE .- The ad interim local editor of the STATESMAN wishes to niversary. get right up in meetin' and wildly intimate to those very smart young men who try to "take him in" with false news, that he is no fool if he was raised in the that he is no fool if he was raised in the back woods, and his hair does stand straight up on the top of his head. If the aforesaid young men will go into some dark cellar and get into a barrel of salt and stop up the bunghole, there is a shade of a possibility that in the course of a century or two some of the freshness will be taken out of them.

FAILED TO QUALIFY .- The first Monday in July-succeeding each biennial elec-

tion—is the day specified by law for the qualification of county and district offi-cers. Yesterday was the day appointed for such qualification, but only a part of the county officers fulfilled the letter of the law. It is supposed that it was owing to the fact that it was a national holiday, or perhaps because the county judge, who approves of the bonds and bondsmen, was absent, that the newly elected offi-cers were thus derelict in their duty.

COLUMBIAS DEFEATED .--- In a game of baseball at North Yamhill, last Saturday, between the North Yamhill club and the Columbias, of Portland, the latter were defeated, after a hard struggle, by a score of 3 to 1. It will be remembered that the Columbias are the club which so signally defeated the Owls of this city at Oregon City, about a month ago. The Yambill club must be daisies, if they are from the "kentry."

Two Moge INSANE .- Frank Girard, an applicant for admission to the Insane Asylum, was brought up from Gervais last night by Constable Scott Taylor. Pa-pers of commitment will be issued to-day. Also another "crazy," (name unknown,) was brought down from Jeffer-son by constable Bellinger, and commit-ment papers will be issued for him to-day by County Judge Shaw.

SCRAPS .- The Jolly Pathfinders in ning, furnished some substantial laugh-ing material for a fair sized andi-ence. It is a very good show, all but the door-keeper. He's vile. Charles Cranston, formerly a student in the university here, and now book-keeper in the National bank, in East Portland, is suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

you will let him off without caging him. THANKS .- The "antimony slingers"

and all other night workmen on the STATESMAN wish to return their heart-felt and stomach-felt thanks to Mr. and Mrs. John Holman for a most splendid supply of cake and lemonade, and then wish to say that they celebrated the event of that couple's silver wedding in fine style, and wish many returns of the an-

To YAQUINA .- A large number of people from Salem went to Yaquina City yesterday, to a'tend the State teachers' association, which commences there to-day and holds till Friday. Mr. Manning, of the STATESMAN, was with the crowd, and will furnish full reports and write up the bay in extenso, while taking in the sea air and digging clams.

RIGHT IN THE OFFICE .- Things are coming to a pretty pass in Portland. Ellinger, the man who found pleasure in hugging women, has been declared in-Based on such evidence, we could point out three or four raving maniacs without going outside of this office.---[Portland Welcome.

STATE OFFICES CLOSED .- Yesterday was a quiet day around the State House, as far as the offices are concerned. All the state officers had "shut up shop," and, if it had not been for the busy sound of the saw and hammer everything would have been as quiet as the store of the merchant who does not advertise.

As OVATION .-- Chief engineer elect Geo. Anderson, of Alert hook and ladder company No. 1, was tendered a free ride by his company last evening on the hook and ladder truck. The new chief engineer takes his honors easily, and will doubtless make an acceptable officer.

RUNAWAY .- The cart of Dr. Dugas, of Champoeg, was bodily demolished on the celebration ground at Aurora yesterday. The horse, held by a boy, became frightened and ran away, hence the above reported result.

QUARTERLY INSPECTION -.- Company B, O. S. M., was "inspected" last night, by Capt. T. C. Smith aide-de-camp on Gen. F. H. Lamb's staff.

alize from her interest in the work \$750,- B. Wait of this city, while at Gervais, on

morning, on its way home from Portland, where they have been staying for the past ten days. While there they had a huge time, going on excursions, playing at the ball games at the Oaks, and giving concerts in the plaza. The boys have for the state fair, next fall, and it is not improbable that the people of Salem and every body else who goes to the fair will again have the pleasure of listening to heir excellent music.

EXAMINATION FOR INSANITY .- Mrs. Hub bard, of North Salem, against whom com-

plaint for insanity was filed some time last week, has had an examination before the county judge, lasting several days, and the examination culminated yesterday in her being discharged, there being no grounds whatever for believing her insane. Orders for commitment to the asylum were issued for Frank Girard, of Gervais, and Coleman Asbury, of Jef-ferson, of whom mention was made yes-

terday morning.

FOR FOLEY SPRINGS .- A party of gentlemen from Portland, accompanied by their servants, fishing rods, guns, soda

water, and so forth (with a good deal of "so forth"), passed through yesterday morning, on their way to Foley Springs, in Lane county. They were joined here by Gov. Chadwick and L. Abrams of Amity. Judging from the preparations they have made, their two or three weeks' sojourn will be only too short.

SOME REMOVALS, ETC .- H. S. Shuster, the photographer, is preparing to remove his gallery to Spokane Falls, W. T., and Mrs. M. E. Wilson, the dressmaker and They will be gone for several weeks. milliner, on Commercial street, will re-move her stock and place of business to the building vacated by him, which is 94 Court street. Sherman Thompson will occupy the place vacated by Mrs. Wilson, probably with a cigar and notion his father, Hon. John Giesy.

ON THEIR VACATION .- Yesterday morning Rev. M. C. Wire and Prot. S. A. Starr started for Tillamook bay, where they will spend several weeks in fishing and hunting. Mrs. Wire, accompanied by her family, will leave this morning for Hubbard, where she will remain for the souther two weeks. ing Rev. M. C. Wire and Prof. S. A.

000. W. H. Davis is now canvassing Marion county for this work, and orders left with him will receive prompt atten-tion. the fifth, got so patriotic that he conclud-ed to have a celebration of his own, and with that end in view, started down the street on a dead run. His efforts were so THE ROSEBURG BAND.—The Roseburg Junior band passed through yesterday

PERSONAL .- Frank Kellogg, who studied law in this city, and is now practicing in Heppner, Morrow county, is paying a short visit to Salem. He is looking well, and has a good practice in the bunchgrass country. This office acknowl-edges a call from him.

HARVEST COMMENCED .- The harvesters have begun to work in the north part of the county, as some of the grain is very

nearly ripe. Soon the hum of the thresh-er and the clatter of the self-binder will be heard all over the valley.

STATE DELEGATES .- Rev. R. W. Hill, D. D., of this city, and Miss Helen Spaulding, of Portland, will leave to-day for Minneapolis, where they will attend the national convention of corrections and charities.

FINE ART MATERIALS .- The attention is called to the display of art materials in the windows of Port's drug store, 100 State street. A very complete stock of late goods.

PERSONAL.-Miss Inez Curl has returned from a visit to her grandparents at Scio. Miss Curl will leave next week for Wellesley college, in Massachusetts. While in Salem she will be the guest of Mrs. C. A. Gray.

To YAQUINA. - Mrs. Dr. Warinner, and Florence and E. A. Warinner, have gone to Yaquina bay, to attend the State

NEW HOUSE .- Dr. Will Giesy, of Au rora, is building for himself a neat residence in that town, next door to that of

NEW KIND OF GUN .- Nimrods will be surprised to learn that a good gun for all

Going Fishing .- James Meener, head miller, and Ira Deekinson, second miller, of the Capitol mills, have packed their gripsacks and gone fishing, during the time that their mill is shut down. Their headquarters for the next few days will be at Stayton, from which place they expect to sally spasmodically and periodi-cally for the purpose of taking in the fea-tive trout by the aid of taking in the fea-tive trout by the aid of taking and line. If the fish up there find out they are coming, they will "step" out of the way

THE Boys' BAND .- If there is any thing in this wide world upon which a noise can be made it is a brass horn, and if there is one thing more than another that can make that noise, it is a small boy. From the sounds which proceed at all times of the day and night from different parts of the town, it would appear that the "kids" are making the most strenuous efforts to master their horns, and some of these days we will have band of young ones not inferior to the Roseburg Junior band.

TO HIS CHILDHOOD'S HOME,-Mr. W. J. Herren, of this city, will leave on next Saturday morning for Greenburg, Indi-ana, from which place he came to this country forty-one years ago. Mr. Herren has not visited the east since he first emigrated from there to Oregon, and he will no doubt be duly astonished at the changes that have taken place during his absence. He will return in about six

WHEAT PROSPECTS .- Wheat is now quoted in the market at 5716 cents per bushel, with but little selling. The market has a slight upward tendency, and every thing is favorable for a rise of some kind before long. Fall wheat has not been in so good a condition for a number of years, but spring wheat is not so good.

DECISION TO-DAY .- The petitions to the Polk county court, for an appropriation for the proposed bridge, contains 612 names of resident tax payers of Polk county. The court has promised to take action to-day.

NOTARY .- J. J. Shaw, of Salem, has been appointed notary public for the en-sning two years, by Gov. Moody.

THE DEPARTMENT WOMEN.

There are, 4,000 women in the govern ment departments at Washington and among them are some of the best-looking and most intelligent ladies of the capital They come, as a rule, from good families. Many of them are the widows of notest generals, the daughters of ex-governors and ex-congressmen, and now and then you will find the relative of a president or cabinet minister. Many of them have travelled widely and the great majority are educated and refined ladies. They do all kinds of work and receive salaries ranging from \$720 to \$1,800 a year. As money counters they are much more ex-pert than the men, and the rapidity with which they can count thousands upon thousands of dollars without making a mistake makes your brain whirl as you watch them. These money counters get about \$75 a month, and they count millabout \$75 a month, and they count man-ions of dollars every month. At one side of each one on the table lie great piles of greenbacks, done into packages as they come from the press. I am speaking now of the redemption bureau of the treasury. These bills are old and of the treasury. These bills are old and dirty. The strip of paper around each package of 100 bills states where they came from and who counted them in the country. The young lady takes this off and, moistening her fingers with a wet sponge in front of her, she counts the bills like lightning, and if the package is not right she reports so to the chief, and the banks from which the bills come must stand the loss. The girls seldom make a mistake, and if they do so or pase a counterfeit without noting it they must make the mistake good, and the amount is taken out of their salary. They can tell, however, a bad bill simply by f

dred mistakes where they make one .--[From a Washington Letter.

Rev. M. L. Jones, of Drain, passed up the road yesterday, on his way home from the camp-meeting at Canby.

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