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Charles Hall, defented candidate fo Charles Hall, defeated candidate f
the repubican nomination for gove
nor at the primary election May nor at the primary election May 19,
came to an abrupt conclusion in the
circuit court at Salem, when U'Ren circuit court at Sulem, when U'Ren
of counsel for the contestant announced that in the face of the rulinge of
the court with relation to the introduction of testimony and the appar-
ent erroneous information received from contestant's informants that it rosecution of the case.
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have prevented us from interrogat-
ng witnesses with relation to who ing witnesses with relation to whom
they voted for and the principles and
reasons which reasons which prompted them to
change their party afflilations at the
polls on primary election day have polls on primary election day have
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in announcing abandonvent of the
Wheat Growers
Home Financed ance corporation concerning advanc
agreed upon for grain growera
plains that the Oregon Wheat Grow
ers' Cooperative assoch ers' Cooperative association has al-
ready arranged tof finance all require-
ments throgh privato banking chan-
nels in oreggn, and because of this
self-help no provision is made for as-


