

IT WILL NOT BE CLOSED.

Positive Statement Concerning the Ogden Gateway.

BANCROFT OF O. R. & N. TALKS.

News is of Particular Importance at This Time in View of Fact That Shingle Mills of Western Washington Have Just Resumed Operation—Prominent Eastern Railway Official's Visit—Well Pleasid.

"The Ogden gateway will not be closed," is the important information that S. W. Eckles, of Salt Lake City, general traffic manager of the Oregon Short Line, gave to a representative of the Post-Intelligencer yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Eckles and Mr. Campbell were seen at the offices of the two lines at 2 o'clock, when the former made the statement quoted in the foregoing.

When the Ogden gateway was thrown open a new market for the product of the lumber and shingle mills of Washington was at once created, and where California had an almost exclusive field to itself for redwood, the cedar of Washington and Oregon was admitted to competition.

According to Mr. Eckles there is a great and growing line for business to the south and southeast, and a traffic arrangement is in existence by the Great Northern, the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, the Oregon Short Line and the Union Pacific and all competing lines for business.

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BUNGO MEN HAVE AN OFF DAY.

A Suspect Jailed Through the Efforts of His Alleged Victim, Two Others Fell Down in Their Efforts to Catch a Farmer and a Third Gang Got But \$5.

John Johnson, who was recently beaten out of \$90 at the game of dice by two grafters, caused a mild sensation on Occidental avenue yesterday afternoon after he had been arrested by a man whom he told the crowd had robbed him.

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A middle-aged man with a bloody nose and a "jag" steered his way unsteadily into police headquarters yesterday afternoon at 2:30 and demanded to see Chief Reed.

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Maiden, Wife, Mother.

TO THE MAIDEN Crossing the threshold of womanhood, whose life has been darkened by the results of ignorance of the laws of nature, who needs the sympathy and advice of a physician, but who hesitates to expose her sufferings to her family doctor because of the embarrassment it would cause.

TO THE WIFE Beginning to feel her inaptitude for the position she is called upon by nature to fill, feeling the encroachments of disease upon her delicate constitution and knowing not how to regain her wasted health.

TO THE MOTHER God bless her—who has exhausted the best of her life in the care and nourishment of her children, and who well knows the impotency of drugs for her many complaints.

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inelli make universal rules regarding the conditions on which the Catholic church will permit one of its members to marry a non-Catholic, and also the nature of the ceremony with which such a marriage may be attended.

Archbishop Kain will shortly issue a letter pastoral, in which he will announce the rules henceforth to be observed under his rule.

NOMINATIONS AND CONFIRMATIONS. McMeiken for Surveyor General and Lenard for Postmaster.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Transactions Since January 1 and for Yesterday.

AMUSEMENTS. Third Avenue Theater.

PERSONALS. O. B. Turrell, of Redwood Falls, Minn., is among the Diller arrivals.

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George C. Howard, superintendent of schools at Westport, Mass., has confessed to the forgery of an indorsement on a note for \$90.

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