## TRIES NEW TACTICS

## Heney Would Prove That Glass entine S. N. Castle, Captain A. Peder-Bribed Others Than Boxton.

### DEFENSE OBJECTS TO TESTIMONY

Change of Plans Made Necessary Bebause of Silence of Vice Pres-Ident Zimmer.

San Francisco, July 18 .- The trial of Louis Glass for bribery reached a crucial stage yesterday, when the prosecution made its first attempt to begin the introduction of the testimony of 10 or more supervisors other than Boxton of Vice President Glass, of the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph company. Such testimony is called "evidence of ted in criminal trials for the purpose the act for which he is being tried.

Glass at the present time is being right to lay before the jury the inference to get beyond the limit. of his guilt contained in the proof of his having bribed other supervisors, like Boxton, against the granting of a remained for six days awaiting their rival franchise to the Home Telephone return. When on the sixth day the company. The defense denies this gunboat again appeared on the horizon, right, mainly on the ground that the the Castle and the J. D. Spreckels sailstate is not privileged to prove other ed for San Francisco, leaving the Frecrimes in an effort to establish the crime on trial.

to be of even more than its original im- row morning and request that it be portance, since the defection of Second taken up by the Washington authorities Vice President Zimmer from the ranks at once. The S. N. Castle belongs to of the prosecutor's witnesses, occupied A. B. Pond, of this city. the last two hours of the afternoon session and was in progress at adjournment. The jury was excused at the commencement of the argument and was taken by bailiffs to a point near the Temple Israel, later to be returned to its quarters at the Fairmount hotel.

#### ATTEMPTS TO BRIBE JURGES.

#### Cudworth and Fish Testify Against Friends of Schmitz.

San Francisco, July 18.—Charges that efforts were made to bribe two members of the jury which tried and convicted Mayor Schmitz on the charge of extortion, were laid before the grand jury yesterday at a special session. The jurymen involved in the charges are Royal W. Cudworth and Charles D. Gish, both of whom gave their testi-

been made to communicate with him while he was locked up at the St. Francis hotel with his fellow incres. Gish gave testimony showing efforts had been made to reach him while the case was on trial.

The grand jury also heard the evidence of D. Capelli, a teamster in the employ of Mr. Cudworth, and of F. Owings, whose story was corroborative. The grand jury took the matter under advisement.

Henry T. Scott, president of the Pacific States Telephone company, who is accused by Assistant District Attorney Heney of seeking to mislead the prosecution in regard to the whereabouts of T. V. Halsey and of being instrumental in preventing E. J. Zimmer, vice president of the company, from testifying in the Glass case, was called before the

#### Small Denies Friction Taik. Oakland, Cal., July 18 .- After a

meeting of the telegraphers in Sunset Small gave out the following statement: "I expect to leave Oakland within the next 48 hours for Chicago, where I will hold a conference with prominent leaders on next Tuesday, and recom-mend that our executive board meet in that city on that day. The strike in San Francisco and Oakland will continue. The fact of the matter is there are not enough telegraphers to fill the positions, and there is no worry about strikebreakers."

## Cabinet Follows Old Custom,

Tokio, July 18 .- Although Korea is under an absolute monarchy, the demoperatic custom has existed since olden days of demanding the retirement from the throne of a sovereign whose conduct endangers the national welfare. When such an occasion arises, the usage prevails that all the cabinet ministers shall appear before their ruler. One of them, acting as a spokesman, humbly states the advisability of the emperor's retirement in favor of a rightful successor. When this state is reached, the emperor is bound to abdicate.

## Gulf Steamer Takes Fire.

ship Allegheny, from Philadelphia, is structed any officer or ama'eur spy to Trail, Silas W. Tuttle, vice M. H. Al-Savannah, Ga., July 18 .- The steamburning off Tybee. All passengers were transferred to the government dredge and brought to Savannah. | The Allegheny is a Merchants & Mariners liner, and left Savannah this afternoon for Philadelphia. The fire occurred at the Mexican border, arrested five more 10 o'clock tonight, two miles off the Tybee island. All of her 32 passengers day, making their way into the state ler, resigned. Thomas Moffit has been and her crew were saved, but the ship, through the brush. All will be sent to her cargo and all baggage is a loss.

## Halsey Pleads Not Guilty.

San Francisco, July 18 .- T. V. Halsey today, in Judge Dunne's court, pleaded not guilty to ten indictments discovery of 24 men, who were concealcharging bribery of supervisors as the ed in the Seraglio palace, it is supposed try 225,000 acres of land in Montana version of the Franklin County bank, charging bribery of supervisors as the ed in the Seraglio palace, it is supposed try 225,000 acres of land in Montana version of the Franklin County bank, been reported in Southern Bavaria, Otherwise no damage as done. The augment of the Pacific States Telephone with the intention of assassinating some and North Dakota on account of the Connell, Wash., into the Connell, Wash., into the Connell, National bank, with \$25,000 capital. company.

RUSSIA SEEKING TROUBLE.

Gunboat Violates Rights Accorded to American Veesels.

San Francisco, July 16 .- The barksen, arrived here today from the cod MAY BE WAR ON GRAND BANKS fishing grounds off the coast of Siberia, and reports that the vessel had been boarded by the Russian gunboat Mandjur, her ship's papers taken and warned to stay 30 miles from the shore, under threat of being confiscated and the officers and crew taken to Petropavlovsk

Captain Pedersen stated that on June sea, eight miles from the shore, in company with the schooner J. D. Spreckels, the barkentines Fremont and City of Papeete, all from San Francisco, when the Mandjur hove in sight. The commanding officer, said Captain Pedersen, boarded the Castle, seized not that their votes were bought by Theodersen, boarded the Castle, seized not dore V. Halsey, acting under direction only the ship's clearance papers, but all of Captain Pedersen's private papers and his moster's commission and certisimilar offenses" and it is often admit- ficate. Captain Pedersen remonstrated, declaring that his vessel was outside of showing corrupt intent on the part the three-mile limit, and therefore he of a defendant in the commission of was violating no law. The Russian commander, however, stated that no fishing would be allowed within 30 tried for the bribery of Boxton; the miles of the shore, and gave the S. N. prosecution contends that it has the Castle and the other vessels seven days

As a number of the Frement's crew were on shore at the time, the vessels mont and the Papeete. Captain Pedersen will lay the matter before United The argument of this point, conceded States Attorney Robt. T. Devlin tomor-

#### JAPAN TURNS TABLES.

#### Los Angeles Workman Insulis American Flag and Fares Badly.

Los Angeles, July 16 .- T. Yoni, Japanese employed as a wiper in the Southern Pacific shops in this city, narrowly escaped serious injury at the hands of an enraged mob of American workmen today. Yoni was wiping an engine on which had been placed two small American flags. While wiping the engine, Yoni turned and deliberately spat upon one of the flags. His action was seen by another workman, who immediately pulled Youi from the engine to the ground, at the same time ed as torpedo companies. acquainting the other workmen in the building of Yoni's act. A crowd

a plain and direct method by which E. H. Harriman, the railroad magnate, Union and Central Pacific railroads. The act of 1874 is pointed out as the man may be criminally reached. The wording of the law is quoted and a decision of the United States Supreme court given as a precedent. There is no recommendation made that proceed ings be instituted, as the department of justice is supposed to take action.

## Ship Mules to Islands.

Scattle, Wash., July 16 .- A shipment of 450 Missourl mules is held in the government corrals at Fort Lawson and will be forwarded to the Philippines within a few days on the transhall, West Oakland, today, President port Dix. The last shipment of 232 mules needed to fill out the order for the Philippines arrived last week. The average cost of the mules to the governare delivered in the islands. There are mounts for officers stationed there.

## Passenger Trains Crash.

Leavenworth, Kan., July 16 .- A Chicago Great Western passenger train, running over the Kansas City Northwestern tracks, is reported to have run into a Burlington train at Bethel, between here and Kansas City, at 1 o'clock this morning, wrecking the sleeper and killing and injuring several A wrecking train is now on its way from Kansas City to the scene.

#### Denies He Is Japanese Spy. Tokio, July 16 .- General Tersuchi, the minister of war, in an interview today, contradicted the reported arrest of

a Japanese spy at San Diego, Cal. He said: "There are no Japanese military officers in America except military attaches. The war office has never in- Maine, resigned. Washington-Deer fired the shot. examine American forts."

## Five More Japanese Held.

San Antonio, Tex., July 16 .- The immigration inspectors at Laredo, on Japanese near Green's station yester-San Francisco for deportation to Japan.

## Corean Plot is Exposed.

Tokio, July 16 .- A dispatch from Seoul, Korea, reports the sensational

# NEWS FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

#### Modus Vivendi Regarding Newfoundland Fisheries Expires.

Washington, July 19.—The approach of the first of August, marking the beginning of the new herring fishing season upon the coast of Newfoundland, is s matter of great concern to the State department, for it finds the fisheries 18 he was cod fishing in the Okhotsh controversy between America and Great Britain in a most confused and unsatisfactory shape. The modus vivendi which and greatly against the wish of rets. the Newfoundlanders, American fishermen were permitted to ply their vocation anmolested off the shores of that

fishing season. It was the expectation of both the American and British governments that reached that would prevent future fric-

tion on this score. settlement of the trobule, and the were taken to make both accidents im-whole effort of the negotiations is apparently concentrated for the moment

#### INCREASE ARTILLERY CORPS

#### Twenty-Five New Companies Are to Be Organizad.

Washington, July 19 .- In accordance with an act of the last congress, providing for an increase in the artillery corps, the acting secretary of war has directed the organization of 25 additional companies of coast artillery, each with an enlisted strength of 109 men, to be designated from the 129th to the 156th company respectively. New companies will be organized at the following points: The Presidio of San Francisco; Fort

Baker, Cal.; Fort Casey, Wash., and Fort Worden, Wash. Skeletons of the new organizations will be formed by transfers from old companies at the various posts and the additional strength provided for will be made up by fresh enlistments. The Ninth, Fourteenth, Sixteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-eighth, Thirty-seventh, One Hundredth, One Hundered and Fourth, and One Hundred and Twenty-

### NAVAL OFFICERS IGNORED.

seventh companies have been designat-

#### Public Learns Plans for Fleet Before Men High in Rank.

Washington, July 18 .- There is serious friction between high naval officers. Washinsgton, July 16 .- The Inter- The question is raised, "Are the great partment here.

The officials and officers have only known by the public announcement that the greatest fleet of American battleships ever assembled is to mobilize in the fall for a journey to the Pacific coast. They wonder if they are being slighted or if the head of the navy forgot to give them official notice.

## Not Due to Carelessness.

Washington, July 18 .- It is said at tremely imprebable that the accident aboard the battleship Georgia resulted the possible exception of Costa Rica, ment will be \$210, when the animals ago a thorough inspection was made of every detail of the Georgia's ordnance 16 horses held at Fort Lawton for ship- by Commander Scofield, one of the ment to the Philippines to be used as most expert ordonice officers of the navy. This inspection included every one of the guns, the details of the turret mechanism and the workings of the ammunition hoists. .

## Umatilla Land Is Reopened.

under the Umatilla irrigation project illes have moved from the bottoms dishaving reached a point where it has been ascertained that land can be re- The Des Moines river is higher than it claimed, more than 62,000 acres of land has been since 1903. passengers. The injured are to be bave been restored to the public dotaken to Kansas City for treatment, main. This land will be subject to settlement on such date and after such notice as the secretary of the interior, Judge Alton B. Parker heard today may prescribe and will be subject to that he had a narrow escape from death entry, filing or selection upon the ex in Virginia Saturday night. While piration of 30 days from such date.

## Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, July 18 .- The following postmasters have been appointed: Orelen, resigned; Robertville, Henry Restorff, vice A. R. Babcocb, resigned.

## New Northwest Postmasters.

Washington, July 17 .- Postmasters appointed: Washington-Uniontown, of the eight-inch gun was thrown open Michael Reisnauer, vice W. A. Struppappointed a regular and Cecil O. Moffit a substitute rural carrier on route 3, at Garfield, Wash.

## Will Reclaim Yellowstone Land. Washington, July 18 .- The secretary of the interior has withdrawn from en- of the currency has approved the con-

NAVAL OFFICERS DOWNCAST

#### Believed Precautions Would Prevent Further Powder Explosions.

Washington, July 17 .- Aside from their deep concern over the injuries suffered by the unfortunate turret crew of the Georgia, the officers at the Navy department were a good deal cast down when they learned of the accident, as it tended to shake their confidence in which they had rested for more than a Japanese generals who held high rank year, in the perfection of the regulations so carefully framed with a view entered into last year by the terms of to safeguarding human life in the tur-

April 13, 1904, a terrible accident appened on the splendid battleship Missouri, when through a "flare back" island, expired with the close of the five officers and 26 enlisted men met

their death.

Just two years later to a, day there was another explosion in the six-inch before the opening of the next season turrets of the Kearsarge, whereby three some permanent arrangement could be reached that would prevent future fric-occurred through a sailor's handling an iron extractor so as to make a short cir-Indications today are that it will be cuit in the electrical current, which set difficult to reach any kind of permanent fire to the loose powder. Measures

It is understood at the Navy departupon the drafting of some form of ment that the Georgia had just commodus vivendi to guard against the pleted her preliminary target practice development of friction upon the fish- and was on what is known as Barnstaing shores that might haves erious re- ble range, near Provincetown, just inside Cape Cod and about 50 miles from Boston. The Navy department officers expressed confidence tonight that the dispatch of the Georgia with the Atlantic fleet on its projected cruise to the Pacific will not be cancelled.

### JAPANESE SEALERS SEIZED.

#### Schooners Caught by Cutter Manning Near St. Paul Island.

Washington, July 20 .- The State department has been informed that the revenue cutter Manning, on July 5, seized two Japanese fishing schooners, the Nitto Maru and the Kaimo, near the boat landing within about a mile of the seal island of St. Paul. Both of the vessels were fully equipped for sealing, and there were evidences that they had been plying their craft, in the shape of fresh seal skins in the small boats. The seized vessels were the United States marshal. The crews were taken aboard the Manning and conveyed to Ungi, in charge of a United States marshal, where they will be tried before a United States commissioner upon the charge of violating the sealing regulations.

The Japanese embassy has been notified by the State department, but as the case appears to be an ordinary one of poaching, it is not expected that any diplomattic incidents will result.

## Guards Against Slocum Horrors.

New York, July 18 .- The Federal government is determined there shall state Commerce commission points out naval movements planned without con- be no overcrowding of excursion and sultation with the heads of bureaus other craft running out of New York through which their execution must harbor and no repetition of the Slocum can be placed in prison for merging the depend?" This question is prompted horror. A large force of customs offiby the discovery that no verbal or writ- cers has inspected every portion of the ten order referring to the movement of boats, with the result that 15 passenpresent statute under which Mr. Harri- the fleet to the Pacific has been re- ger carrying boats were put out of comceived by any official of the Navy delicenses. Moreover, hundreds of persons were obliged to disembark from vessels because of overleading.

## Joining National Forces.

Washington, July 16 .- The State department today received unconfirmed advices that the republics of Guatemala the Nicaraguan government. It is from any carelessness on the part of the are strongly opposed to the plan of personnel of the ship. A short time President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, for the project. federation of the five republics.

## Crops Damaged by Rain.

nalf of Missouri was drenched by a terrific storm last night. Reports received today indicate much damage to corn fields, bridges and culverts in the tion of the established rate of rental lowlands in many instances being washed out. Dispatches from Des Washington, July 18 .- Development Moines, Iowa, state that 40 or 50 famtrict of Des Moines to higher ground.

## Close Call for Judge Parker.

New York, July 17 .- Friends of riding on a train between Norfolk and the window beside which Judge Parker was sitting and embedded itself in the woodwork on the opposite side of the gon-Alma, Eliza J. Luce, vice Silas car. It could not be ascertained who

## "Flare-Back Caused Fire.

Washington, July 20 .- The naval court of inquiry in the case of the explosion upon the Georgia, will find that the accident resulted from a "flareback," meaning that when the breech after it had been discharged some shreds of burning cloth or unconsumed gas were driven into the turret and upon the powder about to be inserted for the next charge.

## Bank Changes Name.

Washington, July 18 .- The controller

JAPAN READY FOR WAR.

#### Would Attack United States on South With Big Army.

Mexico City, July 15,-Nine thoueand veteran Japanese soldiers are now Vice President Given a Rousing in Northwestern Mexico. They are stationed at points in the states of Sonora, Sinolos and Chihuahua. Each group is commanded by skilled commanders, who saw service in the Russo-Japanese DISPELS THE "ICEBERG" STORY war. Thirty thousand Japanese, the vast majority of whom are veterans of the Russian campaigns, are in the southwestern section of the United States and Lower California. Three in the Russo-Japanese war have been in Mexico for three months. They dress like Mexican rancheros and are ostensibly buying land.

The Trans-Oceanic Immigration company, whose vice president is T. Hinata, a member of the Japanese parliament, is subsidized by the Japanese government to bring Japanese soldiers to Mexico. They have been coming into Mexico at the rate of 800 per month, landing at Salina Cruz, Manzanillo and other Pacific ports.

In case of war, the plan is for the California, capture the port of Guaymas, and use the state of Sonora as a base of operations in a campaign against harsh but loud aclaim. the United States. The plan would practically duplicate the operations against Russia, in which Japan seized Corea at the outbreak of the Russo-Japanese war.

Japan, in her war against the United States, will despoil Mexican territory, which has no navy, just as she did that of Corea in the war with Russia.

Foreign diplomats here, and especially those of Europe, are watching the developments with interest and astorishment because of the inadequate American secret service officials, who seem not to be thoroughly informed of Japan's operations in Mexico.

This story is absolutely correct in every detail.

## TIRED OF BEING GOVERNOR

#### Judge Wickersham Creates Sensation by Speech on Alaska.

Seattle, Wash., July 15 .- Federal Judge James Wickersham, of Alaska, speaking before the State Bar association, created a sensation by declaring taken to Unalaska and left in charge of that he was tired of acting as the government of Alaska, and that the bar of the state must whip the congressional delegation into line to grant some power to the people of Alaska.

His speech overshadowed that of Vice President Fairbanks in importance, for party left for Seaside where a banquet he insisted that the only authority of any kind in Alaska is that of the judiciary and the governor is a mere figurehead with only authority to appoint a private secretary and notaries public.

He denounced Seattle for quiet.y enjoying a \$20,000,000 annual trade with Alaska and refusing to aid Alaskans in

etting a system of governme The Bar association banquet lasted until 1 a. m., Mr. Fairbanks, Governor Mead, Congressman Humphreys, Senator Piles and others speaking in response to toasts.

## FREIGHT CAR POOL BREAKS.

#### Big Roads Abandon Project Which Does Not Succeed.

Chicago, July 15 .- The American railway clearing house, which for eight months has been trying to perfect a pool of all freight cars in the country, is in process of disintegration, accordand Salvador have joined forces and are ing to the Inter-Ocean. The Chicago & manner as yet unexplained two bags of beginning the mobilization of troops to Alton railroad, which was one of the resist any attack that may be made by strongest advocates of the car pooling rible flash that followed the entire turscheme at the outset, will withdraw. the Navy department that it is ex- stated at the State department that all The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul of the Central American republics with railroad has already withdrawn, and ceived horrible burns, one officers and many of the big roads in the East and West have determined to abandon the port and another before midnight.

> The organization has failed in its prime object, to insure each road hav- der command of Lieutenant Caspar ing on its own rails all the time the Kansss City, July 17 .- The western number of cars owned by it. It has rich, commandant of the New York failed to do this because it had no navy yard, and Midshipmen Faulkner power to penalize the roads for disobeying the mandates, beyond the imposiper diem.

## Panic Threatens All Japan.

ictoria, B. C., July 15 .- A financial depression was being severely felt when the steamer Tartar, which arrived today, left Yokohoma June 29. A meetmost prominent banks of Japan was held shortly before the Tartar sailed, for the purpose of devising means to check the depression. The government has redeemed treasury bills, recognized nationalized railway shares as negotia-Richmond, a bullet crashed through ble securities and paid proximate interest on these, but the banks considered a more drastic course.

## Good Will Towards Koreans.

y stated today that Joseph H. Choate, night in front of the barracks and acspeaking to the Corean delegates at The claimed the soldiers, who were invited Hague yesterday, merely said that to join the procession and demonstra-America had always felt good will to- tion. The troops were confined, howward Koreans, but he manifested no ever, and were not allowed to mingle epinion about the present condition of with the celebrators, who were not disthat country, and only expressed the orderly. At a mass meeting the workbelief that no action can be taken here, men condemned the government and exadding that if the Coreans desire to pressed sympathy with Southern France, make representations to the United States it must be to the government.

## Europe Has Summer Shivers.

Temperatures as low as 41 degrees have

# IS GUEST OF ASTORIA

# Welcome in City by Sea.

Whole City Turns Out to Greet Him -Warship Adds Official Salute Banquet at Seaside.

Astoria, Or., July 16 .- Nineteen times the boom of the guns of the cruiser Charleston broke the stillness of the air at noon yesterday announcing the arrival of the train bearing Vice President Fairbanks, who was Astoria's honored guest. As the vice president stepped from the train the cruiser's band played a martial air, the blue coated marines brought their guns to Japanese fleet to sali into the Gulf of present arms and the crowd broke into cheers while dozens of whistics on steamers, mills and canneries joined in

> Shortly after 4 o'clock the procession formed and headed by a platoon of police, the Charleston's band and the cruiser's full complement of marines and bluejackets and followed by the vice president and the other guests of the city in automobiles proceeded to the Van Dusen field, where Mr. Fairbanks addressed a crowd of several thousand people who had gathered to hear him.

> Mayor Wise welcomed the distinguished visitor in a few well chosen words and then Senator Fulton in his usual happy manner introduced the guest of the day. Mr. Fairbanks' speech was purely of an impromptu nature, but he is a pleasing talker and his numerous witticisms and local hits soon aroused the enthusiasm of the audience and dispelled the idea that he is an "iceberg," as so often depicted. He spoke of the great and unequaled prosperity of the country, of the wonderful opportunities to be found in the West, and prophesied that the prosperty of America as a nation was but just

eginning. Following Mr. Fairbanks, short speeches were made by Governor Chamberlain, Senator Mulkey and Congressman Ellis, when an informal reception was held and the public was given an opportunity of making the personal acquaintance of their distinuished guest.

At 6:30 in the evening a special train bearing Vice President Fairbanks and was held.

## BRAVE SOLDIERS BURNED.

### Terrible Powder Explesion on Battleseip Georgia.

Boston, July 16 .- With six of her officers and crew dead and 14 others either dying or suffering from terrible burns received in an explosion of powder in the after superimposed turret, the battleship Georgia steamed slowly up Boston harbor from the target practice grounds in Cape Cod bay late yesterday and landed the dead and injured men'at the Charleston navy yard.

With the arrival of the Georgia there became known the details of the most terrible naval accident that has ever taken place along the coast of New England. The accident ocurred shortly before noon yesterday while the Georgia's crew was at target practice off. Barnstable in Cape Cod bay. In some powder became ignited and in the terret crew, consisting of three officers and 18 men, was engulfed in fire and refive men dying before the ship reached

The explosion occurred in the after superimposed turret, but the men, un-Goodrich, son of Rear Adimral Good-Goldthwaite and James T. Cruse, were operating the eight inch guns.

## Jailed for Contempt.

San Francisco, July 16 .- The first serious blow to the bribery graft prosecution was struck by the Louis Glass defense in open court yesterday through Emile J. Zimmer, second vice president and director of the Pacific States ing of the managers of eight of the Telephone & Telegraph company, who first refused to be sworn afterward accepted the oath, answered two or three questions, then refusedto testify further. He was, by Judge Lawler, committed for contempt to the county jail "for a term of five days and until the question is answered."

## Reds Denounce Cabinet.

Montpelier, France, July 16 .- Marching workmen and their sympathizers, The Hague, July 15 .- It was official- singing anarchistic airs, stopped to-

## Try to Blow Up Leishman.

Constantinople, July 16 .- A bomb exploded last night in front of the sum-Berlin, July 15 .- Unseasonable cold mer quarters of the American embassy prevails throughout Middle Europe. at Yeni Keui, a suburb of this city. Four persons were slightly injured.