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TREASURER'S NOTICE. THE CANAL QUESTION. NORTHWEST NEWS. BIMETALLIC LEAGUE. WASHINGTON CITY NEWS. POLITICAL STRATEGY. COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE, COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE, ST. HELENS, Or., May 18, 1894 Notice is hereby given that all unpaid County Warrants of said County, which have been presented and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Furds." up to March 16, 1842, will be paid opon presentation at this office. Interest on said warrants will not be allowed after date of this notice. E. M. WHARTON, -County Treusurer of Columbia County, Or Washington The Senate Committee on Indian Af-Yakima county will ship 500,000 pounds of wool from Prosser this year. fairs has anthorized a favorable report on Wolcett's bill for the opening to set-tlement of the Uintah and Uncompah-The Everett paper mill has made an-other large shipment of paper to Aus-Seattle Brewing Company's **Opposed to Issue of Interest-**The French Cabinet Tenders gre Indian reservations. Liberal Offer. Bearing Bonds. Its Resignation. tralia. The Secretary of the Interior has for-warded to the War Department a re-quest that troops in New Mexico be di-rected to arrest Navajo Indians, as a re-port to the department says they are off the reservation and committing depreda-Whitman county's slice of the State school fund is quite liberal. For its 8,412 children it receives \$46,002. The Oakesdale Council is being ur-gently petitioned not to reissue any liq-tor licenses to the town's saloons. DISSENSIONS IN THE SCHOOLS. WANTS THE SEIGNORAGE COINED CASIMIR-PERBIER'S FOXY MOVE. FINAL SETTLEMENT. PINAL SETTLEMENT. NOTICE IS HEREBY THAT I HAVE filed in the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Columbia county, my find ac-round as administrator of the extate of Co-limble Lancaster, deceased, together with my neithon for distribution of the residue of said estate, and that the Honorable judge of said court has appointed. Monday, the End day of July. A. D. 1994, at 2 of check p, m, of that day, and the courtroom of said court, at 84. Helens, io said county and state, as the time and place for the hearing and settlement of soud final account and place any person Interested in said es-iate, may appear and file objections to the same. Tateo May 1, 1894. LINDLEY MEEKER. Administrator of the estate of Columbia Lancaster, deceased. m18j15 ach Comment Regarding the Attitude of the Superintendent of Schools of Tacoma in Selecting Teachers-Other ions. Much Comment Regarding the Attitude It Passes Resolutions Against the Pres The House Committee on Indian Af-fairs has decided to grant the request of the Osage Indian delegation, which ap-peared before it recently, to detach the Osage reservation from Oklahoma and attach it to the Indian Territory. An amendment to accomplish this will be proposed in the Indian appropriation bill. the Resignation of the Ministers Reent Currency System-Pavors the Free garded as a Scheme in Favor of the Coinage of Silver and Gold at 16 to Premier for President in the Coming Receiver M. A. Sawtelle of the Port Townsend National Bank has paid out the 30 per cent dividend authorized re-cently by Comptroller of the Currency James H. Eckels. 1-Colonel Fiske's Idea. Pacific Coast News. Election in That Republic. WASHINGTON, D. C .- The Bimetallic TACOMA, WASH .- There has been much mment of late regarding the attitude eague has considered the report of the Committee on Resolutions. As finally of School Superintendent James in seof School Superintendent James in se-lecting teachers. Some of those inter-ested believe Mr. James is too fond of young and inexperienced women teachdopted they declare the league is unalbill. The National League for the Protec-tion of American Industries is opposing items of the Indian appropriation bill for the support of parochial schools, smounting to nearly \$400,000. Among them are the St. Boniface, Banning, Cal., \$12,500; Holy Family, Blackfoot, Mont., \$12,500; St. Igna'ins, Jocko, Mont., \$45,-000; Kate Drexel, Umatilla, Or., \$6,000. terably opposed to the further issue of railroads to attend the congress of railinterest-bearing bonds; that before casters. The principals also have a grievyears ago. ng their votes for Congressmen the Fruit growers in the Walla Walla Val-ley are a good deal worried at the pros-pect for scarce help in the picking sea-son. Few inquiries are being made for situations. ance. They seem to think Mr. James members of the league will require asdoes not consult them sufficiently in surance of adherence to the free coinage making selections of teachers and in of silver and gold at 16 to 1 and a pledge Lancaster, deceased. m18j15 carrying out the school work. They held that, if a bill providing for such coinage a meeting recently and notified the Su-perintendent of their views, and he is understood to have replied that he had not intended to act without their advice. There is no doubt about the existence of disastifaction among interested persons as regards the present school manage-ment. The opposition to the removal of Superintendent Gault still asserts itself, and Gauit's friends feel that the high stundard of Tacoma public schools ex-isting at the time of his resignation is not now being kept up. The principals' objections are being considered by the School Board. They oppose further re-ductions in the salary of grade teachers on the statement that the Seattle prin-cipals will do it, which statement they may is erroneous. They oppose the al-leged interference of Superintendent James in school work. When this mat-ter takes form before the public it will create a lively discussion. In order to secure a change of policy an increase of School Directors to one for each ward is proposed. Representative Doolittle of Washing-on has introduced a bill to appropriate a meeting recently and notified the Su-Charles King & Co. have secured judgis passed by Congress and vetoed by the is passed by Congress and vetoed by the President, they will work and vote to pass it over the President's veto; that, if the election of President is thrown into the House, they will vote only for the person in favor of free coinage; de-nounce the present system of national banks as the monumental monopoly of the nineteenth century; recommend the ment for \$20,670.33 against the Palouse Irrigation Company. The amount rep-sented extras on a piece of irrigating work, the contract price of which was \$22,217.52. SHERIFF'S SALE. ton has introduced a bill to appropriate \$100,000 for ascertaining the subterra-nean water supplies in the States of Idaho, Montana. Washington and Ore-gon lying east of the Cascade Mountains and ascertaining the localities at which artesian water can profitably be dug. It is proposed to have the work done by the geological survey. BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION AND order of sale duly issued out of and un-der the seal of the Circuit court of the State of Orgon for Columbia county, to me duly directed, dated the 21:1 day of May, A. D. 1994, upon a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1894, in favor of George W. Cross and Eveline J. Cross as plaintiffs, and against Isaac N. Shatto and Rachel A. Shatto as defendants, for the sum of one hundred twenty-seven and fifty-eight hun-dredths (\$127.58) dollars, with interest thercon at the rate of eight per cent, per annum from the 19th day of May, A. D. 1894, and the further sum of fifty dollars as attorney's fees, and the further sum of twenty-three and forty-five hundredths (\$23.45) dollars, costs and disbursements, and also the costs of and upon this writ, commanding me to make sale of the follow-ing real property of the above named de-fendances, towit: The northwest guarter of the northwest Carnot. The attitude of Premier Casimir-Perrier tends to confirm the most general belief that he rode for a fail in this contest, as he seemed to do in the recent Toussaint debate, under the in-fluence of the approaching election for President of the Republic. He is ap-parently being abetted by President Carnot, who thus has broken the part entered into when M. Casimir-Perrier accepted the Premiership. On that oc-casion M. Carnot promised that he would not stand again for the Presidency, and that he would support in every way in his power the candidacy of M. Casimir-Perrier, who thus would almost inevita-bly become the President of the Re-public. BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION AND \$22,217.52. The sale of a big tract of timber land in Chehalis county has recently been consummated, involving a large sum of money in the transfer. The tract con-sists of about 4,200 acres in the Hump-tulips country. It was sold by D. A. Biodgett to Frederick Nehf and John W. Prestel of Michigan. The price paid ac-cording to the deed on file in the Aud-itor's office was \$30,000 and other valu-able considerations. The same prop-erty was sold about two years ago for \$20,000. The Farmers' Alliance and Industrial nounce the present system of national banks as the monumental monopoly of the nineteenth century ; recommend the enactment of a system of currency that will insure a per capita circulation of \$50 to be made up by the free coinage of ail-ver and gold at 16 to 1 and the issue of treasury notes; assert that the discon-tinuance of the issuance of silver money and the repletion of the treasury by bond issues is burdensome on the masses; declare that it is the duty of the Secre-tary of the Treasury to coin the bullion now in the treasury and to pay interest on the public debt with silver, and de-mand the issue of \$450,000,00Q of non-interest notes of small denominations. Speech-making was the order of the day. Colonel Fiske of Denver advocated the building by the government of a rail-road from Pittsburg to San Francisco, and later one to the South, as a means of assisting the people. The convention adjourned sine die. Representative Hermann has secured an opinion from the Attorney-General which declares that the President can release any portion of a forest reserve. The question was raised in connection with the Bohemia mining district in the with the Bohemia mining district in the Cascade reserve. The land office has prepared a proclamation, to be submitted to the President, restoring several town-ships in the mineral district. The Pres-\$20,000. The Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union is preparing to build a flouring mill at some point in the Palouse coun-try, having a daily capacity of 150 bar-rels. The location is not yet decided upon, but it will be either Garfield, Pull-man or Oakesdale. They have a propo-sition from a Minneapolis firm to put in the machinery, the Alliance to furnish the building for \$12,000 in three equal annual payments. It is hoped to pro-cure a bonus from one of three towns mentioned to assist in making the first payment. dent will sign the proclamation soon. ident will sign the proclamation soon. Mr. Outhwaite's report on armor-plate investigation directs the Naval Commit-tee to proceed immediately with the in-vestigation. It is to cover all the work done by the Carnegie Company since its government contracts began. One thou-sand dollars is available for the use of the committee in prosecuting its work. Power is given to summon witnesses, administer oaths and secure the produc-tion of books and papers. The House adopted the report. Enles has introduced a hill to repeal ing real property of the above named de-fendants to wit: The northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section nineteen, in township seven north, range threewest of the Will-ametic meridian, in Columbia county, State of Oregon, together with the improvements, tenements and appurtenences thereinto be-longing or in any wise appertaining. Now, therefore, by virtue of said execu-tion, judgment, order and decree, and fi-compliance with the commands of said writ. I will, on Saturday, the 23d day of June, A. D. 1894, at the hour of 10 o clock A. M. of that day, at the front door of the county Courthouse, in said county and state, seli, subject to redemption, at public anction to the highest bidder therefor for cash, all the right, title and interest which the above named defendants, base N. Shatto and Rachel A. Sha ito had on the 14th day of October, A. D. 181, the due of the nortcage, or has since acquir d in and to the above described real property, to safts y said judgment, dicree, execution and order of sale, interests, costs and all accruing costs Date May 22d, A. D. 1894. ROSEBERY'S SPEECH. He Favored a Great Limitation Fowers of the Lords. LONDON,-Lord Rosebery spoke the other evening in Birmingham to the FOR A 5-CENT FARE. meeting which had just inaugurated the an Francisco Will Gain a Park if the Midland Liberal Federation. He hoped Movements Succeed. THE INDUSTRIALS. SAN FRANCISCO, CAL-A big mass syment. eeting was held here, at which citizens Careful Estimate of the Different Band demanded that the Southern Pacific of Coxeyites on the Way. Enloe has introduced a bill to repeal Company, which controls most of the Enlose has introduced a bill to repeal the civil service act. In the act creating the commission it is stipulated there shall be three Commissioners at certain fixed salaries, and this act still remains in force. It was the intention of the House to make it ineffective, but the many failers to supropriate money does WASHINGTON, D. C .- Representative street railways in the city, grant a 6-cent.fare from the ferries to the ocean. Adolph Sutro, the millionaire philan-thropist who is said to own one-tenth of Davis and H. E. Taubeneck have been making a careful estimate of the different bands of Coxeyites on the way to

STRAMEN Instruc-Leaves St. Helens for Por land 7: 5 s. M. isturning at 3:30 P. M. STRANEN JORGEN KELLIGO-Leaves St. Helens for Fortland dolly except Similar, at 7 a. S., ar riving at 17 actiant at 10.30; returning, lawe Portlany at 1 P. M., arriving at St. Helens at 4.

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Society Notices. MASONIC,--St. Helens Lodge, No. 32-Regular mammications first and third Saturday in retraonth at 7:30 + N, at Massonic hall. Visit-ig members in good standing invited to at-

tend. Manuscic, -Richtler Lodge, No. 21-Stated meetings Saturchay on or before each full moon at 7.40 r. M. at Masonie hall, over Blanchard's store. Visiting members in good standing in-vited to attend,

Oob Fillows-St. Helens Lodge No. 117-Meets every Saturday night at 7:10. Translent brothren in good standing cordialty lavited to stiend.

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Travelers' Guide--River Routes.

STRANER G. W. SHAVER-LEAVES SL. Helons for Fortland at It A. M. Tuesday, Thursday and Statistical Leaves SL. Holens for Claisland Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:09 A. M.

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accruing costs Dated May 22d, A. D. 1894. m25j22 T. C. WATTS, Sherift of Columbia County. Cr. SHERIFF'S SALE. BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION 1-SICIAN AND SURGEON. 8t. Helens, Oregon. E. HALL, SICIAN AND SURGEON. Clat-konie, Columbia county, Or tred and 23 and eighty one hundredths dollars costs, and eighty one hundredths dollars costs, and for the costs and expets s of sale and of said writ, upon a judgment rendered March Sist, 1894, in the case of John Veazey vs George Clark. Now, there-fore, by virtue of said judgment and execu-tion. I have lexied upon, and will, on Sat-arday, the 16th day of June, 1894, at the front door of the county courthouse, in St. Helens, Columbia county, state of Or-gon, at the hour of 16 o'clock a. m of said day, sell, at public anction to the highest builder, for cash, all of the interest of said defendant, George Clark, or which he had on the 19th day of May, 1993, the day of the entry and docketing of the ortifical judg-ment in said cauge, in the following-de-scribed real property, towit: The north-cast one quarter of section eight, and the northwest one-quarter of the northwest one-thange, five west of the Willamette meridian, to satisfy the hereinbefore named ours, and the costs and expenses of said sole. Witness my hand this 11th day of May, 1894. 7. C. WATTS; milling Sheriff of Columbia County, Or.

Offer of Funds to Dig It by the Brewing riding Lambert on a rail since he has been locked up. Some of the old Ta-coma residents are vigorous in their de-nunciation of the sanctification followand Malting Company SEATTLE, WASH .- The Lake Washington canal matter again came up for discussion before the Chamber of Commerce nunciation of the sanctincation follow-ing. It is understood that Rev. Mr. Gallagher, pastor of the Atkinson Me-morial Church, whose wife was the or-ganizer of the sanctification movement, will be separated from her. He claims there is no such thing as sanctification of the hole. at its meeting recently, and the offer nade by the Seattle Brewing and Malt-ing Company to give \$30,000 in thirty monthly installments toward the work was discussed at some length. Some of the members were in favor of widening the present canal for the purpose of low-ering the lake, thinking that this was hardly the time to build a ship canal. The offer was made for a ship canal only, however, and others thought the work could be accomplished by home capital. The matter was referred to the permanent Lake Washington canal committee, con-sisting of D. H. Gilman. S. L. Crawford, A. P. Mitten, George H. Heilbron and C. D. Stimson, with a request that they investigate and report promptly. nade by the Seattle Brewing and Malt-Oregon. The party that recently went to the Bohemia mines country to search for the bolies of the two men who perished in that vicinity a few months since has been unable to find them, and intend returning. It is now the opinion that the bodies will not be recovered before the last of June, as the snow still lies on the ground from ten to twenty-five feet

in depth.

the entire area of San Francisco, has offered to give his famous Sutro Heights property overlooking the ocean for a public park, provided the fare to the beach is reduced from 10 to 5 cents. beach is reduced from 10 to 5 cents. Sutro values the property at \$1,000,000. The meeting adopted long resolutions relative to the bill now pending in Con-gress to refund the Southern Pacific rail-road debts, making these obligations payable in 100 years, with interest at 2 per cent. The preamble declares that such legislation would rob the people of the United States and practically amount to a gift of \$76,000,000 to the Central Pache Kailway Company: that

Central Facilie Railway Company; thet under the laws of California the indiviaual stockholders are personally liable.

LAKE CANAL QUESTION.

payment. The Secretary of the State Land Com-mission has been instructed to notify the local tide-land appraisers of Mason county that in compliance with the de-cision of the Supreme Court in Smith vs. Forrest the board must proceed immedi-ately to survey and plat natural oyster beds. This is a step toward the reser-vation of such beds. The Land Com-missioners by law must receive applica-tions from purchasers of tide lands, un-less the same are shown to be natural oyster beds, and plats filed by local tide-land appraisers are only evidence to prove the status of all such lands. Local tide-land appraisers have thus far neg-lected their duty, which, if persisted in, may result in the loss of tide lands which should come within the reservation. D. S Lambert, a member of the Old

should come within the reservation. D. S. Lambert, a member of the Old Tacorera Total Sanctified Association, who went crazy recently, has been ad-judged insane, the examining physicians certifying that he was suffering from an acute mania caused by his attendance upon a religious society of Old Tacoma known as the "Sanctified." The physi-cians predict more insanity cases from the same cause. There has been talk of riding Lambert on a rail since. be has

ent bands of Coxeyites on the way to Washington City, and claim that there are 5,000 men tramping or riding on boats and borrowed trains toward the fore the spinopriate money deep to boats and borrowed trains toward the more failties to appropriate money deep to the Church of Scotland. Mr. Davis does not believe in the wishon or efficiency of the movement, and has written a magazine article in which he points out that the movement is a result of currency contraction fixed for their service by law.
C. H. J. Taylor, the colored Kanasa, "If the government should yield to Coxeyites have come from Kanasa," in the Senate, has been a spirited debate or the capital with other demands, and the result would be government by the multitude. The remedy for the present by the state of business he finds in the ballot, which he defines as recorded opinion, "No Corseyites have come from Kanasa," be sufficient to the approximation of the vote was not over party by her elections, and Nebraska, which he large a Populis State, has contributed no more than seventy-free men." By imprisoning the leaders, has a contributed no more than seventy-free men." By imprisoning the leaders, has a contributed no more than seventy-free men. Taylor received a larger percent for the state of anger from Kanass." Delegate Joseph of New Mexico has introduced a bill to anthorize the exploration to be a Minister on solution and purchase of the mines within the boundaries of private land claims in the wheath e boundaries of private land claims in the state base. The chief danger from the woesher, the thinks, will develow the built, was not to the front, and the rebuilt base for the bill, if enacted is an one or the base is the bill, if enacted is proton of the government's large private land claims in the ballok.
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PARIS .- In the Chamber of Deputies during the debate of the question whether the Minister of Public Works had authority to allow employes of State

road men the Premier demanded the doption of the order of the day. The motion was rejected by a vote of 275 to 225. Premier Casimir-Perrier therenpon left for the Palais Bourbon. The Minisors left the private room in which they had been conferring, and proceeded in a body to the Palais d'Elysee and formally tendered their resignations to President Carnot. The attitude of Premier Casi-

meeting which had just imaginated the Midland Liberal Federation. He hoped that the Liberal conference in Leeds, he said, would speak emphatically in favor of a great limitation of the powers and prerogatives of the Lords. This would be in the interest not only of constitu-tional legislation, but also in the interest of the Lords themselves. Joseph Cham-berlain had been a great turncost. Once he was an advocate of disestablishment, and was hostile to the Lords. Neverthe-less he recently had made an animst-d defence of the Church of Scotland. The Lords admired his dexterity, but Mr. Chamberlain was not talking seri-onsly. His hostility was not serious, but the mere legerdemain of a wander-ing rhetorician. Referring to the deser-tion of the Welsh members of Parlia-ment, Lord Roceberv said that the Welsh disestablishment bill would be passed before the government's appeal to the country. If the discontented Welshmen did not believe in the government's hon-esty and honor, the sooner they carried their threats into execution the better.

important news. When she sailed a had been sent to the front, and the rebels were massed at Atna, the battlefield of 1888. A conflict between the rebels of 1888. A conflict between the rebeau and the government troops was then probable at any hour. The King when the steamship arrived had given the Aana party until May 19 in which to submit. In event of their failure to do so the Savaii natives and a portion of the Transacra natives were to attack them. so the Savaii natives and a portion of the Tuamasaga natives were to attack them. The British warship Curaco and the Ger-man warships Buzzard and Falke wert at Apia. It was understood, however, the commanders of these vessels were without orders from their governments as to how to act in case of emergency. The attitude of the rebels was defant, and it is expected an emergency that and it is expected an engagement has been fought before now.

A. B. LITTLE, SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER, St. Helens, Oregon

County surveyor. Land surveying, town platting, and engineering work promptly dene.





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CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregor for Columbia County. In the matter of the estate of Solomon F.

Nevada a Permitted Competitor.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL .-. The Nevada building was the scene of much congratulation the other day over the compro

miscon the other day over the compro-mise effected with the fair management by which the entire exhibit contained in the Nevada State building will be al-lowed to enter into the competition for the award. The exposition manage-ment with a view of insuring displays adopted a rule that exhibits intended for

In depth. The Linn County National Bank, through the receiver, H. M. Beall, has brought an injunction suit against the city of Albany to restrain the city gov-ernment from paying the city warrants. It is alleged that the city has been pay-ing the policemen cash for city warrants of recent issue, and that the old war-rants, some of which are held by the bank, have not been paid. It will prob-ably be made a test case. competition must be dirplayed in certain buildings erected by the fair manage ment. The effect of the rule was to ex-clude exhibits contained in State build ings. The amendment adopted permits Nevada, the only State building on the grounds, to come into full competition for the award.

About the Chinese.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL .- A gigantic fraud has been uncarthed in the hall of records in this city, which may lead to the

frustration of a clever scheme to land foreign-born Chinese. The records of the health department have been inter-lined in several hundred instances, each attesting the birth of a Chinese. By this means foreign-born Chinese have obtained birth certificates, which they think will entitle them to residence un-der the Geary act. The false entries are dated as far back as 1867.

The Blythe Estate.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL .- The Blythe estate seems to be near settlement and a victory for Florence Blythe-Hinckley to assured. The Supreme Court has ndered a decision adverse to the appeal rendered a decision adverse to the appeal of the contestants. There remains an-other appeal to be decided, but the at-torneys for Florence are so confident it will be in her favor that they regard the matter as practically settled.

Still Refuse to Sign

8AN FRANCISCO, CAL-The directors of the People's Home Bank still refuse to resign. At a conference held between them and a committee of depositors Harris and Keeney became involved in a quarrel, and each made a move to draw a pistol. Only by prompt inter-ference was bloodshed avoided.

cold for men to camp outdoors. Then

he looks for trouble.

BATTLE WITH OUTLAWS.

Two Members of the Dalton Gang Taken by Surprise.

EL RENO, O. T .- Two men suppo to be members of the Dalton gang of

train robbers passed through El Reno the other day, traveling eastward. The Sheriff telegraphed to the little town of

Sheriff telegraphed to the little town of Yukon to intercept and arrest them. A posse quickly organized, and when the train robbers made their appearance they were atacked. The defense was quite as hot as the attack, and a running fight ensued. One man, Mr. Farrish, was shot in the groin. The bullet passed entirely through him. He is not ex-pected to live. An old man named Nel-son was shot in the forehead, but not dangerously. A number of oth c per-sons were wounded more or less severely during the skirmish, among them a man named Snyder, who was shot in the face and will die. One of the robbers was shot and captured, but resisted to the last, and several of his captors bear cuts and bruises on the head, which he made with his six-shooter. The other robber escaped, but is supposed to have been hit two or three times, one bullet taking away a portion of his lip and one strik-ing him in the head. The one captured is not known here.

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The Loss at Williamspic

The Loss at Williamsport. WILLIAMSFORT, PA.—The total losses here as estimated by conservative men are \$3,000,000. This includes \$1,500,000 on logs, \$250,000 on sawed lumber and the balance on property throughout the city. Mayor Elliott has called a public meeting to take action looking to the care of the homeless. Probably fifty houses along the water front were ren-dered uninhabitable, and the families are being cared for by the more fortu-nate. It is estimated that the homes of 10,000 people were invaded by the water and are in such a damp and unhealthful condition as to make them undesirable.

condition as to make them undesirable. Those who lived above the flood line are not allowing the unfortunates to suffer. There is an ample supply of provisions, and the city is not in want.

Interest Will be Paid.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—A member of the Northern Pacific bondholders' commit-tee is authority for the statement that interest will be paid on the first mort-gage bonds. He says that the interest has been earned, and that while the re-ceivers have been obliged to pay prefer-ential claims and have not the cash on hand to meet the interest they will be justified in borrowing the money, and dies or oars or sails and not used in con-nection with other vessels or manned by more than five persons. This permission is not to apply to Indians in the employ-ment of other persons, or who shall kill or pursue fur seals outside of the terri-torial limits on contract to deliver the skins to other persons, nor to the waters of Behring Sea or passes between the Aleutian Islands," ustified in borrowing the money, and he committee will undoubtedly sanction this action and even assist in eccuring the money. It is said that the Northern Pacific consolidated mortgage bondhold-ers' committee will meet this week to inaugurate changes in the personnel of certain departments of the company's business.

introduced a bill to anthorize the explo-ration and purchase of the mines within the boundaries of private land claims in all Western States. The bill, if enacted into law, woold give any citizen of the United States qualified to make entries of public land a privilege of entering upon any territory embraced within any land claim confirmed by the Court of Private Land Claims and in taking up a mineral claim. Before making such claim the locator must tender the owner of the land \$2.50 per acre for it. of the land \$2.50 per acre for it.

Chairman Reilly of the House Com-mittee on Pacific Railroads has intro-duced a bill to amend the act creating an auditor of railroad accounts. It pro-poses an improved system of bookkeep-ing between the government and the railroads which have received govern-ment aid and are under contract to per-form services for the government in part form services for the government in part payment therefor. He proposes that the railroads shall transmit to the Commis-sioner of Railroads duplicates of all bills for services rendered the United States.

and accounting officers of the govern-ment shall notify the Commissioners of their action on all the bills.

Kyle has introduced a resolution in the Senate calling for non-intervention in Hawaiian affairs. It reads: "That it is the senase of the Senate that the United States shall not use force for the purpose of restoring to the throne the deposed Queen of the Sandwich Islands, or for the purpose of destroying the ex-isting government; that, the provisional government having been duly recognized, the highest international interests re-quire that it shall pursue its own line of policy; that intervention in the policical affairs of these islands by other govern-ments will be regarded as an act un-friendly to the government of the United States." Kyle has introduced a resolution in

The question of whether the Makha Indians of Washington State can legally use schooners in the Behring Sea while sealing has been brought to the atten-tion of the Treasury Department. In a communication to the Secretary of the Treasury Hoke Smith, acting on the recommendation of Agricultural Com-missioner Armstrong, asked to be ad-vised whether Indians under a treaty be-tween this country and Great Britain vised whether Indians under a treaty be-tween this country and Great Britain and a section of an act approved April 6, 1894, governing seal-fishing in Behring Sea may be permitted to use their schoon-ers as a place of refage in storms and security and protection at night while engaged in fishing for fur seals in their cánces, as hitherto practiced by them. The correspondence which accompanied the letter included the following opinion under a Washington date of the Indian the letter included the following opinion under a Washington date of the Indian Commission telegraphed to Indian Agent Powell at the Neah agency: "The In-dians may take fur seals in cances or undecked boats propelled wholly by pad-dles or cars or sails and not used in con-cartion with other vessels or manual by

SHOT BY TROOPS

Seven Anarchists Executed at Bare lona, Spain.

BARCELONA .- Codima, Cerezuela, Sogas, Bernat, Viliaruba, V. X. Villarubia and Mir, the anarchists, were executed recently outside the citadel of Mona-juich. Sogas and Ceresuela joined in the prayers of the priest, but their com-panions shouted revolutionary cries. The anarchists were placed in line with their faces to the wall of the citadel. At the first volley from the troops only four of the convicts fell dead, and a second vol-ley was necessary to kill Sogas and Co-

An African Treaty.

NEW YORK .- The Herald's Brussels lispatch says that a treaty concerning the Congo Free State has been concluded the Congo Free State has been concluded between King Leopold and the British Minister to Belgium. The King aban-dons to England a small strip of terri-tory in the region of the Upper Congo, thus giving England access northward to the Nile. In exchange England grants the King until the end of his reign the left bank of the Nile up to the 17th de-gree. This is considered the best African treaty concluded for many years, and is a master-stroke of diplomacy on the part of the King, as it shuts out the French from the new basin and places the Congo Free State under the obligation of fight-ing the Soudan Dervishes. ing the Soudan Dervishes.

Treaty Rights Infringed.

PARIS .- M. de l'Oniel has annou his intention of introducing into the Chamber of Deputies the question of the British treaties with China, Italy and Belgium, alleging they are a violation of the French rights and existing treaties. Le Temps says it is not so much the Anglo-Congo treaty as the fact that Kng-land wishes to establish a buffer State hand wishes to establish a bullet state between the eventual possessions o France and Great Britain in Ceutral Af-rica, following the example of the Fiam-ere buffer State. According to Le Temp there is danger also that England wil ultimately absorb the Upper Nile region

and \$13,000 has been taken out as the result of the past winter's run. A par-tial clean-up of the Sturgis mine, about twelve miles from this city, which was finished last week, produced \$30,000 in yellow metal for itsowners. These mines are considered two of the best placer mines in Southern Oregon, and the re-sult of the clean-up of both has been watched with interest by mining men all over the State. The Miller mine com-prises 240 acres, all of which is consid-ered as good as that worked in the past, only two acresof which has been touched during the last eight years. The mine has been run with only one giant, and the present company is making arrange-ments to put in two more giants, as there is plenty of water to run that number during the winter season.

ably be made a test case. During the past few days there has been a marked improvement in the run of salmon, and the average catch per boat is much above the average at this season of the year. This fact may be due to the comparatively long spell of warm weather which has prevailed for a month past, or possibly the long-ex-pacted four-year run has materialized. The fishermen and others interested in the canning business are not, however, particular as to the cause of the plenti-in laupply, and are happy in the knowi-edge that all the boats are doing well. Four of Hapgood's men the other day caught exactly 2,000 pounds of fish, or an average of about twenty each, and many other hauls equally large are re-ported. ported.

Considerable excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Medford during the past few days by the result of a partial clean-up of the Miller placer mine, situ-ated about five miles west of that city. This mine was recently purchased by Portland parties, and between \$12,000 and \$13,000 has been taken out as the result of the past winter's run. A uar-