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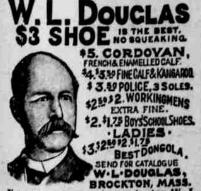
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No. 37.

WASHINGTON NEWS

Some Armor Plate Finally Accepted.

A Few Official Plums for the Hungry.

The Republic of Hawaii Recognized-The Tariff Situation-Senators Sick-National Park.

WASHINGTON, July 30 .- Secretary Herbert has finally accepted three hun-dred tons of the barbette armor in-is suffering from a complication of tended for the battleship Oregon, rep resented by the 17-inch Carnegie Harveyized steel plates which have been tried at Indian Head. On the first trial, the second shot perforated and cracked the plate, and if the test had stopped there, as is usual, the lot of plate would have been rejected, but the contractors, asserting that projec-tiles of a quality surpassing the standard shells in preceding tests had been Crayon Work used, asked for another trial under the old conditions. This request was granted and a fragment of the plate ame out victorious on the second trial. PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS. India Inks Washington, July 30 .- The president

sent the following nominations to the senate today: Treasury department-John W. Pack ssayer of mines at San Francisco. Department of justice—Judges of pro-bate, Utah, Thomas J. Brandon, Davis ounty; James L. Bunting, Kane; John Delamar, Toole; J. M. Grant, Rich; Achilles Perrin, Weber; Noble Warrum, Cache; William S. Willes, Wah satch; James I. Crutcher, Marshal District of Idaho. Gibson Clark, attorney, district of Wyoming. John A. McDer mott, marshal, district of Wyoming. Postmasters—George H. Islaub, Og-

THE YOUNG REPUBLIC. today sent to congress another-install- city. ment of the Hawalian correspondence the most important feature of which was Minister Willis' recognition of the new republic. He wrote: "I hereby, as far as I have the right to do, extend to the republic of Hawaii the recognition accorded its predecessor, the provis-ional government. I do this in the belief that I represent the president of the United States, to whom, as execu-Agents for the O.P.Boats. tion will be promptly submitted for necessary approval."

> Washington, July 30 .- For the first time since the tariff bill has been in conference there were signs of wavering from the strong line that ha stood behind the senate bill. "The senate bill or none," has been repeated during the day, but less frequently and with less emphasis than heretofore. The only explanation for the brief conference today is the fact that the house conferrees feel that the situation is changing in their favor. There are many reasons advanced to show that this statement has good foundation. It is known that the nails and telegraphs are bringing to democratic senators urgent appeals to pass a bill which will not favor trusts and which will be in line with democrats of the party of reform. In fact these requests upon senators are endorsements of the position of the president and the house in the main. That these telegrams are having an effect cannot be denied and have caused the enators who are most insistent upon the senate bill as regards coal, iron ore and sugar no little concern. The ouse members also find considerable comfort in their analysis of the speeches made by democratic senators when the conference agreement was before the senate, in which they find but one democrat besides Mr. Hill who made any pledge of his vote, and that was Senator Caffery, who declared if the Louisiana sugar interests were not protected that he would not vote for the bill. None of the other senators, t is claimed, burned the bridges behind them; none of them declared absolutely that they would vote against the bill if the one-eighth differential on sugar was not retained or if the against Penumbra Kelly, ex-sheriff, duty on iron ore or coal was stricken senators declared their desire to obtain a bill which would secure fortythree democratic votes. It is pointed 1, 1893. The complaint alleges that the out that none of these senators, not county court in April, 1893, levied a

> even Caffery, have placed themselves tax for county, school, road, state and in a position in which they cannot port of Portland purposes of 191/2 mills support the bill if it is returned without the differential protection to sugar nomah county, the aggregate amount refiners and with coal and iron ore of the taxes levied being \$1.243 is a 30 The democratic members of the conference found themselves in a complete deadlock when they met during sum of \$400,000 conditioned for the perthe forenoon, and a full conference called for 1 o'clock found itself with-

he drew while the conference was in session, which represented the senate 31, 1893, and filed April 1st. as a locomotive rushing down a steep grade under full steam. Stretching scross the track and directly in front of the engine is immense well-supported bumper which is labelled 'house," the republican house conterreees being represented as safely

lodged in the tall trees. "That is the situation. We all know what must happen when an irresistible force strikes an immovable ob-

This is as much a statement of the situation as could be obtained from by him as taxes for the year 1893, and any source. The democratic members in failing to do so violated and made of both houses appreciate to the utmost the extreme gravity of the situation. Democratic senators who say county judge of Multnomah county, anything on the subject say that to all appearances the house conferrees are as unyielding as they have been legal and acting county court, made

NOTHING DONE IN CONGRESS. Washington, July 30.—Beyond pass- Markle and E. B. McFarland to ening a few unimportant bills by unanimous consent, nothing was done by the house today. Boutelle offered a resolution congratulating and recog- is now due and owing from the defendnizing the Hawalian republic but on a ants to the state of Oregon the sum point of order it was referred to the of \$400,000, and interest thereon at the

Two hours were spent in an attempt August 1, 1893, no part of which has to secure the adoption of a special or-der for the consideration of McCrea's long past due. bill to protect public forest reserva-

Under an act of March 3, 1893, the The shortage is the amount of counadjournment. Under an act of March 3, 1833, the president reserved public timber lands ty funds deposited by him in the Oregon sale and disposal and set them from sale and disposal and set them aside for forestry purposes. The total ing the money on deposit. This bank is now in the hands of a receiver, act-number of acres so reserved aggrenumber of acres so reserved aggrenumber of acres so reserved and included lands in ling under the United States court.

Los Angeles, July 30.—Thomas Mc-away, as she does not represent the average government. We are anxious to have to the senate million-dollar thistic amendment to the agricultural appropriations.

daska, Arizona, California, Colorad New Mexico, Oregon, Washington and Wyoming. The bill for which consideration was today sought empowered the secretary of the interior to sell under restrictions not exceeding b value on these reservations, to regulate the occupancy of same and to protect the same against fire and de-

A PEACEFUL ASPECT. Washington, July 30.—The senate wore an aspect of peace and serenity today in striking contrast to the exitement of last week. Vice Presiden Stevenson had returned and occupied his accustomed seat. Among the bills introduced was one by Allen to proride for the issue of \$50,000,000 in treasury notes to be distributed pro-rata among the states "for the relief of worthy poor." It was referred to the finance committee, IS IT THE TARIFF?

Senator Voorhees passed a very bad night and was not able to attend the troubles, and an operation may ecessary, though his condition an attack of erystpolas. He is at today's meeting of the tariff conferrees. ANOTHER NATIONAL PARK.

Senator Squire has presented a me urrounding the celebrated Mound Rainler, near Puget sound. Eminen scientists have given a cordial endorse

OUGHT TO BE BOOTED. He Deserted the First and Now Talks of a Second Army.

Charles Kelly, who led the industrial army from Oakland, April 3rd last, has returned from Washington to his home in West Oakland. He is now convaleseing from an attack of typhoid fever contracted at Washington, and as soon as he has regained his strength says he will enlist another army and take it to Washington, which, he is of the opinion, is the best way of bring ing the attention of the people to the the working classes. The new army will be composed of the contingents

THE BASEBALLISTS.

Pihladeiphia, July 30.-New York 13 Philadelphia7. Baltimore.-Boston 5, Baltimore 2. Cleveland.—Cleveland 14. Louisville 5. ments and are being held under ad-Chicago.-Chicago 8, St. Louis 4. Brooklyn.-Washington 19, Brasklyn

FOR THE THIRD TIME

MINNEAPOLIS HAS A DISASTROUS FIRE IN A BUSINESS CENTER.

It Destroys a Lumber Yard, Gas Plant, Round-House, Forty Freight Cars and Merchandise.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 30.-The third Ex-Vice President Morton Wants to disastrous fire in the history of Min neapolis broke out about 3:39 this afternoon in the lumber yard of the Shevlin-Carpenter company, on the bank of the Mississippi river at the foot of Eighth avenue north. It spread with remarkable rapidity and before it was controlled destroyed property valued at nearly \$500,000. Besides 20, 000,000 feet of lumber, the gas manufacturing plant of the Omaha rail road company, the roundhouse, tool house and sand house, and also the turntables of that road, nearly forty freight cars, some loaded with merchandise, and the office building of the Shevlin-Carpenter company were burned.

Help was summoned from St. Paul and seven engines with full crews were sent over from that city. The Insurance was about \$350,000.

"PUM" KELLY SUED The Sum of \$400,000 Demanded from Him and His Sureties.

Portland, July 30 .- Suit has been commenced in the state circuit court by W. T. Hume, district attorney, and George B. Markle and E. B. Mc. out. But more than this, many of the Farland, sureties on his bond, for the sum of \$400,000 and interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from August upon all taxable property within Mult-That on the 28th of March, the county court made an order directing that the sheriff should execute a bond in the formance of the duties of tax collector, and that on March 30, 1893, Penum out business before it when it con- bra Kelly made, as principal, George B. Markle and E. B. McFar-The impression which ex-Speaker land as sureties, a bond in the sum Reed obtained of the situation was of \$490,000, binding themselves jointly embodied in a rough diagram which and severally. This bond was ap proved by the county judge, March

The complaint alleges that in pur suance of this warrant Mr. Kelly as tax collector did between March 28, 1893, and August 1, 1893, receive and collect as such tax collector various sums amounting in the aggregate to about the sum of \$800,000, of which he oald to and turned over to the county treasurer about the sum of \$483,353.06, but in breach of his trust failed and neglected to pay over to the county treasurer as by law required the sum of \$316,646.94 of the moneys collected default in the conditions of his bond. That on July 23, 1894, H. H. Northup, county commissioners, constituting the an order directing W. T. Hume, district attorney, to institute proceedings against Penumbra Kelly, George B

force the conditions of the bond and collect the penalty thereof. That by reason of the premises there

Dispersing the Militia It Is Very Meager and Unreliable. for Home.

Mayor Hopkins, Ultima- The Chinese Will Not Send War News. tum to Pullman.

The Strikers in Court in California-Omaha Butchers Quit Work-Numerous Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30 .- At Sac-Highth regiment broke camp this evening and started for their homes. The state troops at Dunsmuir will be held there for an indefinite period, United such it might be attended with con-siderable risk. Senator Vest has had States Marshal Baldwin having reported that the strikers at that point were still in a mood to make trouble. A strong force of United States troops is still on duty at Sacramento, Rocklin and Truckee. There is no probamorial to congress for a national park bility of their being withdrawn for Japan.

The United States district attorney is preparing an amnibus complaint against all A. R. U. men who are in jail in Northern California charged with offenses against the federal law. complaint will probably be lodged before United States Commismagistrate tomorrow. This complaint is to take the place of a multiplicity complaints now on file against the merce and trade, and conspiracy to water line. Her battery included four

SENDING HOME MILITIA Oakland, Cal., July 30.-The second withdrawn from West Oakland yards absolute needs of a large portion of at 7 o'clock this morning except 100 men in command of Captain O'Neill, of battery G. They consist of a detail Washington, July 30.—The president from Los Angeles, Oakland and this from all the batteries, the naval reserve companies and cavalry, and are to do guard duty. The lines have been greatly reduced and deputy sheriffs have been pressed into service to take the place of the absent militia men. Hundreds of applications for re-Pittsburg.-Pittsburg 8, Cincinnati 6, instatement have been received by the different superintendents of depart-

visement. WILL REMOVE SOLDIERS. aid today unless he was informed before night whether the Pullman comweek, the troops in Pullman will be removed within twenty-four hours. BUTCHERS STRIKING.

Omaha. July 30 .- All the butchers in the Swift, Hammond, Cudahy and Omaha establishments struck for an increase of wages today. About 3,000 men are affected.

LEVI WANTS TO RUN. He Governor of New York.

Ex-Secretary Tracy's informations dis- Chinese transports there. pels all doubt about Mr. Morton's diswill reach that city about September placement of 2,300 tons.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago.-Corn was again the leader and closed 11/4 cents higher.

Liverpool.-Wheat, quiet, but steady; carried by the Chin Yuen. demand poor; holders offer moderately; No. 1 California 4s 6d to 4s 7d; red western winter 4s 1d to 4s 2d; do spring 4s 6d to 4s 7d. New York.-Hops, weak; state com non to choice 6 to 12; Pacific coast 9 to 13; London market easy.

A GRAVE MISTAKE.

Washington, July 20 .- It is the opinion of diplomats here that the Japan ese have made a grave error in sinkit is going to cost them much money in reparation besides the humiliation of an apology. The Kow Shing belonged to a line of coast steamers beonging to Hugh Mathlesm and a company trading between the Chinese ports. The vessel was under the British flag until she was sunk.

AN INJUNCTION ASKED.

Chciago, July 30.-Selah Reeves an fulla B. Follette have filed a bill in the superior court to restrain Samuel P. Parmley from accepting a sheriff's deed to some mining property in Douglas county, Washington, in which the complainants claim on interest. It is alleged that the property was mortgaged without the plaintiff's knowlthe holder of the notes.

THE INTERSTATE FAIR.

Tacoma, July 30.-Congressman Dootending the bonding privilege on foroday and was sent to the senate. One was trivial. hundred tons of exhibits have arrived from San Francisco. The grounds and buildings are being put in shape for opening day, August 15th, which will Hawaiian Royalist Commissioner Wil e made a gala day.

CHICAGO MARKET GLUTTED.

Chicago, July 30.-Livestock receipts ment is attributed to the failure

FAST BICYCLE RECORD.

Guthrie, O. T., July 31.-Another bank

Japan Seems to Have the Best of th Fight-More Chinese Vessels

WASHINGTON, July 31.-The stat e department is seriously concerned at the lack of official news at this critical Juncture from China and Japan.

WON'T SEND THE NEWS New York, July 31.-The central cable ompany has received advices from Hong Kong and Shanghai that the Chinese telegraph companies will not accept any telegraphic messages re- had shot and killed J. M. Mitchell, specting the war between China and The Chinese land lines at North Shanghai are interrupted, cutting off Tien-Tsin and Pekin.

MONDAY'S NAVAL BATTLE. Tien-Tein, July 31.-- A mayal battle was fought yesteriay between the Chinese and Japanese flerts. The Japanese sank the Chinese war ship Ches sioner Heacock as the committing Yuen. Two large cruisers, supposed to be vessels built for China by Arm strong, were captured or destroyed The Chen Yuen was a battleship of railroad strikers. The charge will at- 7400 tons displacement, carrying 1434 lege interference with interstate com- inch and compound armor at the retard the progress of United States 12-inch guns protected by armored breastworks, and two small Krupps, eleven Hotchkiss cannon and tubes for Whitehead torpedoes, two 81/4-inch and six-inch Krupps, and a secondary battery of Hotchkiss revolving cannon. The Chen Yuen was built for China at the Stettin works. She was a sister ship of the Ling Yuen,

> of the Ling Yuan. ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

and was the most powerful ship in

Shanghai, July 31,-10 p. m.-News News has fust reached here of a desperate battle between the fleets of the largest battleship but one in the Chicago, July 30.—Mayor Hopkins first class cruisers, captured or desother large Chinese vessels, said to be troyed. The battle was hotly conpany intends to start its works this /sted, but the Japanese appeared have handled thier guns, hips and torpedoes with more skill than the Chinese. The Chinese fleet engaged THE MINNEAPOLIS IS STAUNCH, carried nearly 1,000 men and a large SEAWORTHY, AND SWIFT number are reported killed or drowned Later dispatches say that few if any of the Chinese engaged in the battle escaped. Two German officers in command of the Chen Yuen are reported

to have met their death with th LATE AUTHENTIC REPORT

News of the battle was received here by private telegrams from Tien Tsin. pleted and submitted today to Sec tary of the Navy Tracy, who is a If the report is true, of which there retary Herbert by the commodore guest at the United States hotel, has is little doubt, it means that an end The speed attained was 23.073 knots received information regarding the has been put to China's fighting upon per hour. The ship is believed to be Hon Levi P. Morton which will in-the seas. Chan Yuen must have staunch, seaworthy and handy in an terest republicans generally generally, started from Taku after leaving the eminent degree, and the great speed The two Chinese cruisers supposed

position to be a candidate for govern-or. Not only is he willing to run if he is nominated, but he is anxious to so fatally for the Chan Yuen, are the be here once more and mingle in the Chin Yuen and Foo Ching The Chin fray. He has, therefore, arranged to Yuen was a protected cruiser built at sail for New York in a steamer which Emswick, England. She had a dis-Her armament consisted of three 814-inch Krupps and two 6-inch Arm-

strongs, protected by splinter proof shields, eight-pounder rapid firing San Francisco, July 30.-Wheat, un- Hotchkiss guns, six Gatling and four the house conferrees accepted the retorpedo tubes. The Foo Ching was also an English in an advance all along the line of the built protected cruiser, very much grain markets today. It rose 2 3-4 similar to the Chin Yuen. She had a closing 2 3-8 higher and wheat ad- displacement of 2,500 tons; was built vanced about two cents in sympathy of steel in 1880 and carried ten guns of about the same calibre as those

> DENIAL OF BRUTALITY. Yokohama, July 31.—The following

official statement of the difficulties between China and Japan has been issued by the Japanese government; Japan and China were approaching a settlement of the difficulties when China suddenly suggested that Japan withdraw her fleet from Corea and give formal compliance with the ese demands by the 20th, otherwise the whole Chinese force were to land and a sea advance upon the part of China would be made. The Japanese regarded this as an ultimatum, but acting under the advices of the friendly powers agreed to the proposals in sank the Chinese transport. ONE FOR CHINA

Shanghai, July 31.-It is reported today that the Japanese forces atittle wires tonight that his bill ex- tacked the Chinese position at Yashan on Friday and Saturday last. The eign exhibits from the Mid-winter to Japanese it is said, were repulsed the interstate fair passed the house with heavy loss. The Chinese loss

> WANT AN ADJUSTMENT. Interview the President.

Pittsburg, July 31.-The Hawalian royalist commission, John A. Cum-mings, Samuel Parker and Judge oday are the largest ever known Wiederman, cabinet officers of the roy Hogs, 60,000; cattle, 25,000; sheep, 12,000; alist administration, passed through total, 97,000. This extraordinary move- Pittsburg today on their way to Washington in the interest of ex-Queen, Liliuokalani. Judge Wiederman, in an der for the considerations of the considerations of the protect public forest reserva-bill to protect public forest reserva-bill to protect public forest reserva-bill to protect public forest reserva-tions, but the republicans by absent-ting themselves succeeded in forcing an ing themselves succeeded in forcing an amount of the bond and interest.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment dred men went to work at the Illinois are on the way to Washington to re-thousand more will be employed soon. July 4th the government adopted a constitution and proclaimed a repub-Los Angeles, July 30.—Thomas Mc- away, as she does not represent the a vote of 176 to 52, has refused to agree

DARING BANK ROBBERY. Five Armed Men in Oklahoma-A Posse in Hot Pursuit,

robbery with all the trimmings of the Dalton raid was enacted near here to-day. As a result J. M. Mitchell, a barber, is dead and one of the outlaws who gives his name as Ernest Lucas who gives his name as Ernest Lucas is dying. Lucas is 22 years old and says his comrades were members of the Cook gang that recently have given the territory officials much trouble. Soon after 10 o'clock this morning, five armed men rode into Chandler from the east, dismounted back of the Lincoln county bank, and three rushed inside while two stood guard at the doors with Winchesters. Two men covered the president, Harvey Kee, and his brother, the cashier, and demanded that they turn over cash "putty damned quick," while the third rushed into the private office where rushed into the private office where Teller Hoyt was seriously sick and com-pelled him to walk to the safe and attempt to open it. Although a Winhester was pointed in his face, he

could not stand long enough but fell him and shot at him twice but 'nissed The men on guard called out that it was time to go and the three man got between \$200 and \$300 lying on the the meantime the guard at the door who attempted to give the alarm. The bandits had scarcely passed out of the city when a posse were mount ing and started in pursuit. were their horses that from under the fleeing men but they compelled farmers coming to town to give up their nounts and went on. Finally a battle was fought for nearly fifteen minshot through the hip and the others scattered and disappeared in the hills.

MADE A BIG HAUL.

Paris, July 31 .- A cask of gold, valsed at \$50,000, one of the forty casks shipped from New York, was stolen from the train between Havre and Paris. There is no clue to the thief or manner in which the cask was re-

The consignees of the cask of gold stolen in transit between Havre and under our protective system, be the this city, are Lazard Freres & Co., of policy of our government and be ap-Paris and New York.

DEBS TRAVELING.

the Chinese navy with the exception Brazil, Ind., July 31.—E. V. Debs ar-for the peace and prosperity of our rived in this city from Terce Haute last night and was met at the depot by the labor organizations and citizens avoid and settle all labor difficulties is China and Japan, in which the Chinese or chinese or defeated and the Chen Yuen, the largest battleship but one in the the largest battleship but one in the dricks hotel Debs was given a big We believe it is the duty of the state Chinese service, was sunk and two ovation by the assembled crowd. He to regulate all corporations and com-

and liberty of the laborer, and we insist that law and order must be main-A FINE WAR VESSEL

SEAWORTHY, AND SWIFT. The Conferrees on the Indian Appro-

priation Bill Have Trouble Over

Oregon and Other Lands. WASHINGTON, July 31 .- The report of the trial board of the recent trial trip of the Minneapolis was comattained, together with the fact that the tremendous strain resulted in no breakage or mishap, the report says reflects the highest credit on her de-

signers and builders. The conferrees on the Indian appropriation bill have come to a deadlock to meet with favor. over some of the most important items inserted by the senate. An agree ment was reached upon all but twenty-four of them, the senate receding in seven cases from its items, while mainder. The principal disagreement was over an amendment to ratify the agreement made at Yankton with the Sloux Indians of South Dakota, Changes were made in the house plans for opening the lands of the Siletz reservation in Oregon to which the house confereses would not agree; also the senate struck out the provision that sections 16 and 36 of the lands should be ceded to the state for the support of common schools. The house would not agree to the insertion of the agreements for the acquision of lands of the Nez Perces Indians of Idaho and the Yuma Indians of California and the senate would not

MYSTERIOUS CONDITIONS.

A Vineyard in Whose Atmosphere The Corn and Hay Crop Saved Death Seems to Lurk.

Fresno, Cal., July 31.-Mysterious death lurks in the big vineyard near ago rain making experiments were be the principle in an amended form, at Collis. Everybody has left the place the same time deplaring that if the and the authorities are preparing to tion of two citizens who visited the threatened Chinese advance was made begin a searching investigation of the Kansas rain maker, obtained his on the 20th it would be regarded as premises. July 23d, Mrs. I. N. Jacobs. an overt act. It is conjectured the cook for the vineyard employes, was Japanese commanders were instructed taken suddenly ill, and died within 12 to be on the watch for the Chinese hours. Two days later Superintendent war ships, and, seeing the latter ad- Ring was stricken with a similar malvancing July 27th, opened fire. The ady. He is still living, but will prob-Japanese do not believe the Kow ably die. Sunday last A. Peterson, a Shung, the Chinese transport sunk by vineyard workman, was taken ill in a Japanese cruiser, was flying the the same manner and died in thirty British flag, but was using the flag hours. Physicians declare that both as a ruse. The Japanese indignantly deaths were due to paralysis of the deny the charges of brutality brought gaged without the plaintiff's knowledge and the mortgage for sclosed by sank the Chinese transport. With a severe affection of the heart scale against the Chinese transport.

> FASTER AND FASTER. Men, Like Horses, Are Bringing th

Lima, Ohio, July 31.-The ten events of the League of American Wheelme today were witnessed by 1,500 people Two records were broken. In the two nile handicap, class A, Tom Cooper starting from the scratch, finished se ond in 4:39 4-5, breaking the world's record. Sanger rode an exhibition half mile in one minute flat, breaking the state record.

SHOT HIS LADY-LOVE.

London, July 31 .-- A man named 8id ney Bennett, describing himself as a lawyer, attempted to shoot a young interview, said: "We want to bring lady named Andrews, with whom he Chicago, July 30.—Twenty-five hunand is waiting for her answer. We nett then attempted suicide, inflicting a dangerous wound.

> LET THE THISTLE GROW. Washington, July 31.-The house, by

Platform of Michigan Republicans.

Nominated. Protection, Reciprocity, Bimetalism

A Clean, Winning Ticket

Restricting Immigration, All Advocated-Other Points.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 31.-The republican state convention to-day nominated the following ticket: Governor, Gov. Rich, renominated Lieut. Governor, Alford Milne; secre tary of state, Rev. Washington Gardner; treasurer, James M. Wilkinson suditor general, Stanley W. Turner; attorney general, Frank Maynard; land commissioner, Wm. A. French; superintendent of public instruction H. R. Pattengel; nember of the board

education, Perry Powers. The platform affirms confidence an ncreased devotion to the American doctrine of protection. Continuing, it says, "we believe the present unhappy condition of our country is in a great part due to the threat and purof the democratic party to destroy the American system of protec-

We believe all articles which cannot be produced in the United States, except luxuries, should be admitted free of duty and that on all imports coming in competition with the products of American labor there should be duties levied equal to the difference between the wages abroad and the wages at

We believe the doctrine of recipros ity as advocated by that matchless statesman, James G. Blaine, should, under our protective system, be the plied in our trade relations with other We recognize that the employment of both capital and labor is ne ressary

tained and that the ballot box and the court of justice, and not the sword and yield of grain is immense and the torch, must settle all economic difficul- quality cannot be excelled. Threshing We believe in protecting American wage-earners against the evil effects of indiscriminate immigration from

the pauper and criminal classes of We believe in the use of gold and silver as money metals, to be maintained in circulation on a perfect equality and interconvertibility. We recognize the so-called silver question

We pledge the republican party of Michigan to use every effort in its power to restore silver to historic position in the United States as a money

DON'T LIKE FUSION.

Boise, Idaho, July 31.-The populist

state convention will meet here tomorrow. All the counties are pretty generally represented. The proposed fusion with democrats does not seem TAMMANY GETTING PATRIOTIC. New York, July 31 .- Mayor Gilroy reof sawed lumber. something to say about the coming election. "Tammany," said the mayor, "is not bound to selet a man for mayor from within the ranks of the organization this fall. We may nominate a man who is not a member of Tammany hall, if it is thought to the nterest of the democratic party. The fight this year is but a prelin skirmish to the real battle in 1896. I the republicans win in this city and ings in most of the towns en route. state next fall, there is not the slightest doubt that they will carry the country in 1896. They will also elect the next congress and leave the pres

GOOD FOR THE RAINMAKER.

fices in the interest of his party."

ldent without the support of either

branch of the national legislature dur-

ing the last two years of his term. My

nooves every democrat to make sacri-

view of the condition is that it be

Yankton, S. D., July 31.-Ten days gun in this county under the direct chemical formula and received instructions in its use. A ton of chemicals were consumed and last night one of the most voluminous rain storms of the summer was ushered in. It extendin all directions from the experimen station near this city and in locali ties as much as two and a half inches of water fell. The rain saves late corr

and insures a half crop of hay. WHEAT AND HOP MARKET.

San Francisco, July 31.-Wheat, un hanged .. Liverpool.-Wheat, firm; demand poor; holders offer sparingly; No. 1 California 48 61/d to 48 9d; red western winter 48 11/d to 48 21/d; do spring 48 7d to 48 81/d.

New York.-Hops, weak. BAD FIRE IN IOWA

Fort Dodge, Ia., July 31.-Fire started at Eagle Grove last night from the explosion of a lamp. A block and a half on the north side of the street, to 10c. Contracts for new hops are about fifteen business houses, was made at 10 to 12c. according to local-burned. Loss, \$50,000.

LEAGUE SCORES. Cleveland, July 31.-Cleveland, 18

Pittsburg.-Pittsburg, 11 rooklyn, 6. New York.—New York, 4; Bo Chicago, Chicago, 8; St. Louis, Baltimore, Baltimore, 11; Wash

STRIKE CALLED OFF.

Hammond, Ind., July 21.—By a unanimous vote last night the Chicago branch, No. 149 of the American Railway Union, has decided to call off the strike on the Chicago & Calumet Terminal railway. There is every assurance that all the old as will be given places.

A COWARDLY WRETCH.

Phillipsburg, Pa., July Si.—Jennie Jones, wife of a striking coalminer, was killed today by a shot fired by James Myers, a deputy sheriff, maddened by the jeers of the women. Myers fied into the mine. The strikers swear they will avenge the death of the woman.

OCCIDENTAL JOTTINGS. News of the Coast States Culled from Various Sources.

The fruit crop in Eastern Oregon is far larger than was expected, and is

Farmers report the grain cut as plump but in some instances not filled to the full extent. An expert is at work on the Klam-ath county books. He will go back over the records ten years.

Considerable complaint is made at Yaquina bay at the scarcity of men. The ratio is a 16 to 1 affair. Over 400,000 pounds of wool have been sold at Heppner during the past week at prices running from 6½ to 8

purpose, she can have her natural re-sources and leading industries repre-sented at the Northwest interstate Arrangements have been completed for the construction of a telephone line between Medford and Ashland, and the work of placing poles and string-ing the wire has already begun.

If Oregon can raise \$2,300 for

The steamer Elwood is to go on the ways in Portland for extensive repairs, including new planking and timber to her hull, besides alterations in her machinery and a thorough painting and That wool is a great factor in the re-

sources of Oregon is fully shown by the fact that this year's clip is esti-mated at about 18,000,000 pounds, which of \$1,080,000. Heading is in full blast throughout Morrow and Gilliam counties

will begin right away, if the sacks ar rive in time The floral department of the Oregon State Horticultural society has now in its treasury \$140.55. This fund should be used in conducting a flower show at the state fair in September. An

attraction of the state fair. The Prineville News challenges the state of Oregon in behalf of Crook county to produce a younger grand-father than the News candidate. Its is one of the paramount issues of the champion is L. C. Cline, of Deschutes. He is 34 years of age and has one granddaughter. "If the state of Oregon can beat it, let them trot out their

man," says the News. Work on the cradle for a log raft has been commenced at Astoria company who have announced their intention of permanently locating there for the purpose of engaging in the bus-iness of shipping logs to the San Fran-cisco markets. The cradle will be 600 feet long and 56 feet wide, and will hold about 7,000,000 feet of logs, in addition to a deck load of 1,500,000 feet

The Salvation army have spread a large tent at Dayton. They have a brass band and all the paraphernaliahorses, wagons, small tents to live in. etc.-for the carrying on of tent meetngs. They hold meetings each night. This branch of the army is from Portland and Seattle, and will take a trip through the valley to the southern part of the state, and will hold meet-

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW. Prices Quoted for General Produce, Etc., at Portland.

Beerbohm's grain report says: Wheat

-firm, but not active. Cargoes off coast, firmer and held higher; on passage, firmly held; French country mar-kets, dull; wheat in Paris, slow; flour, quiet; weather in England, fair. PRODUCE MARKET. Flour-Standard brands are quoted s follows: Portland, Salem, \$2.65 per barrel: Walla Walla, \$2.90. Oats-Weak at 35 to 36c per bu, for white and 33 to 34c for gray.

\$16 to \$18; chop feed, \$15 to \$16; middlings, \$23 to \$28 per ton. Hay-Good, \$10 to \$12 per ton. Butter-Firm. Oregon fancy creamery, 221/2 to 25c per pound; fancy dairy, 20 to 221/c. Eggs-Ordinary stock 121/c, and can-

Millstuffs-Bran, \$15 to \$17; shorts,

fled, 13c. Poultry-Weak. Old chickens are worth \$2.50 to \$3, and young, \$2 to \$3, according to size. Potatoes-Old are scarce and firm at 85 to 90c per sack. New Oregon are slow at 65c per sack, on account of

being very small.

Vegetables-Oregon cabbage, 35 Oc per doz.; string and wax beans, 21/2 to 31/2c per pound; peas, 11/2 to 2c per pound; cucumbers, 10 to 15c per dozen; egg plant, 10c per pound; green peppers. Sc per pound. Fresh fruit-Oregon peach plums, 75 90c per box; Bartlett pears, \$1 per

box; Oregon peaches, 40 to 65c per box. Wool—Dull; Valley, 9 to 10c per pound; Umpqua, 9 to 10c; Eastern Oregon, 5 to 7c, according to quality and shrinkage.

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