

MARE ISLAND YARD.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT has been formally invited to send a troop of cavalry to London, England, to participate in the royal cavalry tournament in May next. Senator Dolph has introduced a bill extending the time two years for beginning and constructing the bridge across the Columbia river by the Oregon and Washington Bridge Company.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The Senate Committee on Territories has authorized a favorable report upon the bill introduced by Carey, defining and changing the boundary line of the Yellowstone National Park, and also upon the bill providing for the punishment of offenses committed in the park.

BOUND FOR THE POLE.

WELLMAN AND PARTY EN ROUTE FOR THE ARCTIC REGION. Evangelist Moody succeeds in converting Jovial and Big-hearted J. S. C. Blackburn, Senator from Kentucky—Salvation Secularist at Vassar.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Washington. Spokane's last grand jury cost the county \$5,000. The Everett paper mill will ship 100 tons of paper to Australia.

FRENCH ANARCHISTS.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF THE BOMB-THROWER HENRI DIES. The German Minister of Finance and Chancellor Caprivi bring an Action for Slander Against Three Men—The Brussels Monetary Conference.

HAIRY MEN OF JAPAN.

A Curious Race of People That Appear to be Growing Extinct. At a meeting of the Anthropological Institute (Mrs. Hildop, who well known traveler, read an interesting paper on the Ainos of Japan, that singular race of "hairy men" who are chiefly found in the island of Yesso.

PURE AGRICULTURE.

THE EVIL HABIT OF EGG-EATING PRACTICED BY HENS. Care must be taken not to let the hen see the egg. Prof Roberts of Cornell University is persuaded after several experiments that caustic potash in stick form, which may be procured at any drug store, is the cheapest, most effective and simplest way to prevent hens from growing on cattle.

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THE PORTLAND MARKETS. WHEAT—Valley, 85¢/bush; Walla Walla, 75¢/bush. EASTERN SMOKE MEATS AND LARD—Hams, medium, 12¢/lb; hams, picnic, 11¢/lb; breakfast bacon, 12¢/lb.

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