TENTS SPRING UP BESIDE THE SEA

Oregon Guardsmen Prepare for Encampment to Last Ten Days.

DINNER CALL IS ACCLAIMED

Wrestling With Baggage and Pulling on Tent Ropes Gives the Young Soldiers Very Keen Appetites.

SEASIDE, Or., July 11.-(Special.)-The Third Regiment, Oregon National Guard, arrived at Gearhart Beach today for a ten-days' stay in camp. Companies B, C. E, F, H and K and the hospital corps of Portland arrived at noon and an hour afterward the large field presented the

appearance of a canvas city.

A detail of men had been at Gearhart
for a week getting ready the staff officers' tents, and the boys from Portland soon had their homes for the next ten days ready for occupancy. The other ten companies of the regiment arrived on a spe-cial train at 6 o'clock and until a late hour tonight the camp was a busy scene Companies were being assigned their streets, orderlies rushing here and there and officers giving orders, but out of all the confusion order is rapidly being re-

All day heavily-loaded wagons bringing the camp truck from the depot and by the time the first contingent had their tents up the bugies called to table and the way the guardsmen devoured their rations showed their appetites were ot impaired by their journey. The ten companies arriving tonight repaired im-mediately to the mess tents for supper before getting down to the hard work of getting their tents up. Colonel Gantenbein is in command and

the following staff officers are present: Lieutenant-Colonel Poorman, Majors Baker, McDonell, May. On the Colonel's staff are: Captains Mears, Knapp, Winn, Brosius, Gilbert, chaplain; First Lieuten-ants Lebo, McDonald, Johnston, Second Lieutenants Hockyenos, Hibbard, Reit-

The boys all arrived in good health and those who arrived first have had an easy time, but tomorrow will begin camp life in earnest. The camp grounds are in ine shape, having only recently been nowed. The drill ground is rough and ineven and will give the soldiers a taste of real soldiering.

ACCOUNTS ARE BADLY JUMBLED

Sheriff Taylor Says He Is Ready to Pay All Due the County.

PENDLETON, Or. July 13 .- (Spe cial.)—The county officials with the expert accountants who have been at work investigating the books of the Sheriff's office will not complete their labors for several days and refuse to discuss the alleged shortage of \$20,000 as discovered yesterday. District Attorney G. W. Phelps, who is conducting an official examination of the records, said tonight that it would be impossi-ble to determine the exact figures of the shortage until the report of experts had been completed and sub-mitted to the County Court. He stated, however that the accounts were badly jumbled, and that the deficit would prove as large as at first Sheriff Taylor, speaking of the matter,

The experts have not as yet made an offilieve that the affairs of the office will be entisfactorily adjusted. I know that there is some money to be turned over on some of the tax rolls and I will not be able to ancertain the amount until a balance has been made. If the experts find that any money is so that Collins will not be held in jail due the County Treasurer from me I will make the amount good to that official as soon as I am notified.

The Sheriff and his friends allege there are no fraudulent features connected with the case, and that the only possible offense was the unusual delay turning the funds over to the County Treasurer at the proper time. No explanation has been made, however, regarding the alleged shortage of \$4000, dating back to the time when Representative Blakely was Sheriff. C. P. Davis, who has charge of the tax rolls, was the chief deputy under Blakely and has had charge of the finances of the office for the past seven years. County Treasurer Somerville said today:

June 21, as I desired to issue a call for warants. I visited the Sheriff's office several times to urge the money to be turned over. Deputy Sheriff Davis said he had about \$17,000 cash on band, but no effort was made to comply with my request until the matter was presented to the attention of the County Court. Of the amount \$12,000 was delivered to me yesterday. I have reason to believe that \$4000 of this amount was secured from private sources.

SUIT INVOLVES A MILLION

Marquam Case Is Now Before the Supreme Court.

SALEM, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—In the supreme Court was beard today the case of P. A. Marquam vs. the United States Mortgage & Trust Company, the Title Guarantee & Trust Company and J. Thorburn Ross. The purpose of the suit is to set aside the sale of the Marquam building in Portland, on the ground that Ross was a trustee and the sale to him was invalid because of his fiduciary relation. P. A. Marquam seeks to set aside the sale, because if he succeeds his right to redeem the property will be renewed. Since the foreclosure sale, values have advanced so much that he can easily raise the money with which to pay off the debt. The property is worth about \$1,000,000 The lower court found in favor of Mar-

IMPEACH WITNESS' TESTIMONY

Reilly's Cash Book Shows Sale of Rifle Before Salem Outbreak.

SALEM, Or., July 13 .- (Special.) -A mensation was sprung today in the Monte-Wright murder trial when F. J. Lacey, of Portland, a witness for the defense, was impeached. Yesterday Lacey testified that the cash-book filed in Washington attacking the charkept by W. J. Riley, the gun dealer, did not show a sale of a 20-30 rifle between May 20 and June 10, 1902. Riley had testified that he sold a rifle of that kind to Monte early in June.

The cash-book was introduced in evidence and taken to the jury-room when the jury retired. This morning it was learned that in hunting through the cash-book one of the jurymen found a record of the sale of a 20-20 on June 6, three days before the It is asserted that prison outbreak. entry is in Lacey's handwriting. he having been in the employ of Riley | 10 years of age

at the time. The cash-book was used today to impeach Lacey's testimony.

Yesterday Lacey testified that he found this old cash-book on his coun-ter Tuesday, and did not know how it came there. Today witnesses were called who swore that last evening Lacey admitted that he sent a boy to came there. Riley's house to get the cash-book which contained the records of sales

Riley was a witness for the state and Lacey was called by the defense to impeach Riley's testimony. His own impeachment was, therefore, the more

complice of Monte in putting the rifes over the prison wall was concluded to-The trial of Harry Wright as an ac day, but the jury had not agreed at a late hour tonight.

Ore in an Old Shaft Runs \$7000 to the Ton.

WEISER, Idaho, July 13 .- (Special.) -News reached here today of a phenomenally rich strike in the White Rose claim, a property belonging to was encountered in the bottom of the shaft. A sample was taken to the company's assayer, who pronounced it tellurium. A test was made of it and it returned the extraordinary sum of \$7000 per ton in gold.

The ore is said to be covered with free gold. A hoist is being placed on the shaft and the company will thoroughly develop it. The property is loounty, about 100 miles from Weiser. Evidences have been discovered before of tellurium in that section and this find would appear to demonstrate that it is there in paying quantities.

chunks taken out were six or

COLLINS HELD FOR PERJURY

eight inches in width.

VICTORIA JUDGE DECIDES CALI-FORNIA WARRANT ENOUGH.

Fugitive Bigamist From San Francisco Is Allowed to Remain at Hotel in Charge of Officer.

VICTORIA. B. C., July 13 .- George D. Collins fought hard, though unavailingly, this afternoon before Judge Lampman, to prevent a remand being taken to allow of officials and witnesses arriving from San Francisco to prosecute him for perjury in connection with the suit brought against him in the Superior Court at San Francisco by Charlotta Newman, who alleges that Collins married her May 15, 1889, and his later marriage to Clarice McCurdy at Chicago was bigamous. His application for dismissal on the ground that the warrant was defective was not granted, and he was remanded for six days to allow officers arriving to conduct extradition proceedings.

Collins was permitted by Judge Lamp-man to address the court in his own be-half, following Attorney H. D. Helmcken, who is conducting his case. Collins addressed Judge Lampman, advancing objections to the validity of the information upon which the warrant for his ar-rest was issued, and outlining the California law affecting perjury. He and his counsel held the warrant secured for his arrest was vold, as it omitted to state the perjury to be "wullful." They beld this

mission was fatal, They further objected that it was shown that the perjuly was committed before an official with jurisdiction to try the case, in connection with which it was alleged to have been committed; that it is not shown that Collins was sworn, and that it was not shown that the alleged Officer Osburn and Fred Overlander

Frank Higgins, acting for the San Francisco police, produced authorities to show that the accused could be held on the sworn statement that perjury had been committed, without details being specified, and quoted several extradition cases be fore Canadian Judges in support. Th for six days. An arrangement was made so that Collins will not be held in jail but in the custody of a special officer,

whose expenses will be paid by him Collins, in an interview, said he sidered the proceedings the work of the conspiracy against him at San Francisco. This conspiracy was the work of a powerful minority, including both bench and bar. The indictment against him was secured by the conspirators, because the Judge who presided over the grand jury which indicted him was a man who sought to ruin him because he had the Judge impeached before the State Gov ernor for conduct unbecoming to

Another Judge worked against him behad upset many of the Judge's decisions own way, as on appeal, and the press conducted a are helpless. campaign of calumny against him. His activity in support of the Schmidt administration had also provoked antagonism, and knowing that he had been prejudiced and was likely to be railroaded to the penitentiary, he fled from San Francisco.

President Asked for a Warrant.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 12.—Lewis F. Byington, District Attorney of San Francisco, has requested Acting Governor Anderson to ask President Ro warrant of arrest for George D. Collins, the attorney who is charged with bigamy, and who escaped to Victoria, B. C. Acting Governor Anderson immediateeffect to Washington.

Collins Indicted for Perjury.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.-George D. Collins, an attorney of this city, under arrest at Victoria, B. C., was indicted by the grand jury on the charge of perjury.

Investigation Under Way on Uma-

tilla Indian Reservation. PENDLETON, Or., July 13.—(Special.)— Charles M. Robinson, clerk of the Uma-tika Indian reservation, has been suspended from office by Major J. J. McKein, United States agent in charge of the reservation, pending en investigation of the pilcate filings made, but no trouble was affairs of Robinson's office. This action experienced in handling the crowd. on the part of the agent is understood to be a result of the investigation of the affairs of the reservation, which is being

Eureka Cadets at Corvallis.

acter of Robinson

CORVALLIS, Or., July 13.—(Special.)— Sixty-eight college cadets from the col-lege at Eureka, Cal., who are on the march for an eight days' encampment at the Fair, are encamped here for a couple of days. Tonight they gave an entertainment at the Opera-House and tomorrow are to leave for the north. They are making about 16 miles per day. The youngest lad in the company is but

Harriman Officials the Guest of A. B. Hammond.

TELLURIUM FIND IN IDAHO Members of Party Refuse to Talk and After Visit to Yaquina Start Over Eastern End of the Road,

the Iron Springs Mining Company. ALBANY. Or., July 13.—(Special.)—Is While cleaning out a shaft that had the extension of the Corvallis & Eastern caved in a vein of peculiar looking ore railroad across the mountains by the old Minto Pass into Eastern Oregon contemplated? Today a party consisting of A B. Hammond, nominal owner of the Corvallis & Eastern; A. R. Stickney, president of the Chicago & Great Western, of the Harriman system; General Manager O'Brien, of the Southern Pacific Company's lines in Oregon; the local officers of the Corvaills & Eastern and a number of Eastern railroad men rolled into Albany on the Southern Pacific from Port-land, and, without any ostentation or comment as to their object, immediately left on a special train for Yaquina Bay. the western terminus of the railroad, which has passed through many vicissi-tudes of fortune, and is yet the hope of people along the entire length of its line and into the proposed territory of Cen-

tral Eastern Oregon. The party returned from Yaquina this evening at 6 o'clock, and, without stopping, began the run through the moun-tains to Detroit, the eastern terminus of the Corvallis & Eastern. Members of the refused to be interviewed, and talked to no one concerning the object of their tour of inspection of the old Oregon

property. The fact that Mr. Hammond, in his periodical trip to his Willamette Valley operty, however, is accompanied by men high in railroad circles and in the con-fidence of the head of the great Harriman system, has again started the fire of hope in the bosoms of those who have believed the prosperity of the Valley contingent upon the extension of the road into East-ern Oregon. It is rumored Mr. Harriman has an option on the Corvailis & Eastern. The special will return from Detroit early enough in the morning to take the local

NO LAWYER TO DEFEND HIM

Corvallis Saloonkeeper Had Betrayed

his prosecutor yesterday afternoon. case against Blumberg was violation of

the local option law.
Several weeks ago Blumberg pleaded guilty before Justice Holgate to the same offense and was fined \$50. By that token local attorneys, from the standpoint of good citizenship partly, if not the body. He left several notes, showing wholly, refused to have anything to do great distress of mind. In the note to with his defense, and for that reason his wife he said in part:

to another town for a lawyer.

Yesterday's trial was by jury and the conviction was speedy. The man whom they took to be a coin. The fine was \$50 and the costs \$25 or \$30. In the former furtance, though he had no license. Blumoided payment of a fine to the Federal Government.

FIRE GIVEN FRESH IMPETUS

Mount Hamilton Ranchers Are Asking for Assistance.

SAN JOSE, July 13 .- An urgent call Hamilton section, the fire cast of that mountain having broken out again with fresh fury. It is now burning towards the King ranch. The fighters are exhausted, and a rancher rode to Lick Observatory from the scene this afternoon and asked them to telephone clans

to this city for assistance.

The danger to the observatory has the flames now seem doomed. cause be had strongly taken that Judge Gonzales, Crow, Hayes and several to task in the interest of a client, and other ranches have been burned over, another was opposed to him because be and at present the fire is having its way, as the exhausted ranchers

GREEN POINT SAWMILL BURNS

Davenport Bros. Lose \$25,000. With No Insurance.

HOOD RIVER, Or., July 11 .- (Special.) -Daven of Bros. Lumber Company suf-fered a loss that will probably exceed \$25,000 by the burning of their Green Point sawmill last night. There was n insurance. The mill had recently been increased to a capacity of 125,000 feet of lumber per day. Large orders are walting to be filled, and every effort will be ly compiled by sending a dispatch to that effect to Washington. of employment.

Rush at Seattle Land Office.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 13.-The greatest Land-Office rush ever experienced here occurred this morning when 400 men were lined up at 3 o'clock to make filings on the newly opened Gov-CLERK ROBINSON SUSPENDED dian reservation, 50 miles north of Ho-quiam. Within an hour 300 entries ernment lands near the Quiniault Inwere made on the 250 available timber

and homestead claims.

The land is valuable, and for some time numbers of settlers have been living on it without filing. These and scores of others got in line two hours before the Land Office opened so as to be able to enter their papers before other claimants. There were many du-

Wireless Stations on Coast

VALLEJO, Cal., July 13.-Captain Gearing, United States Navy, of the equipment department, Mare Island Yard, and Master Electrician George Hanscom go north on Saturday to locate the remainder of sites for wireless

elegraphy stations on the Coast.

A location will be selected either at Cape Flattery or Neah Bay and at Bremerton. When completed, there will

treaty made between the United States and China on the immigration question, the Bellingham Chamber of Commerce has passed a resolution asking that a treaty be negotiated which will place the travelers, students and merchants of China on the same footing with those of Japan and European countries, and providing similar guarantee for Americans in China. Strong opposition to the admisison of coolle labor to America was expressed by the Cham-

Divorce Suits at Oregon City.

OREGON CITY. Or., July 12.—(Special.)—Kate D. McGuire, of Portland, today brought suit for divorce from Frank M. McGuire, alleging desertion in 1963. The parties were married at Ogden, Utah, in 1886, and the plaintiff prays for the custody of two minor

Judge McBride today granted a decree of divorce in the suit of Charles Edward Miller against Daisy M. Miller. Tae injunction suit of Sarah A. Chase vs. Oregon City was today dismissed without prejudice.

Box Factory at Mosier Destroyed. MOSIER, Or., July 13 .- (Special.) -- Care leasness permitted fire from burning saw-dust to destroy the Green & Peck box factory at this place this morning. The loss is \$4000, with no insurance. The firm is also in debt for the plant. The flames spread to dry grass and destroyed over 100 acres of pasture. Fences were consumed and only by hard work were a number of barns saved.

Regulsition Issued for Lawrence.

SALEM. Or., July 13.-(Special.)-Gov ernor Chamberlain today issued a requisition upon the Governor of Illinois for the extradition of Hal Lawrence, wanted in Portland on a charge by C. B. Calla-ghan of stealing \$150. Lawrence is under arrest in Chicago,

CHARLES NICHOLS, OF PORT-LAND, KILLS HIMSELF.

Left Letters in Which He Says He Had Not Slept for Two Weeks.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 13 .- (Special.) -Charles Nichols, who registered at the Hotel Washington July I under the name of Charles Hoyt, Chicago, drank carbolic acid early last night, and when found was in a comatose state. He died this orning at the hospital to which he was

taken, Nichols represented that he was agent for a Chicago house, and also acted as collector for the Troy Laundry of Portland. He remained about the hotel, and seemed greatly worried when asked about CORVALLIS, Or. July 11.—(Special.)—
Because no Corvallis lawyer would defend him, Jake Blumberg, a local Hebrew, had an Albany lawyer for his him. Jake Blumberg, a local He-v. had an Albany lawyer for his which proved to be worthless, and the usel in a trial in which the state was

The to end his life Among his effects were found ,letters which proved that his name was not Hoyt, and he left a note to Mrs. Amanda Nichols, of 514 East Oak street. Portland. who was communicated with today, and who arrived tonight to take charge of the body. He left several notes, showing

when his case originally came up last Good-bye, darling angel. Baby Amanda. Saturday morning it had to be postponed in order to give the defendant time to go land. Or. The sweetest angel that ever lived -good-bye-I loved you beyond everything elecbut I was weak. My debts were more than longed so for you. Good-bye, sweet angel

perjury was material, which is necessary under California laws, while unnecessary under Canadian laws.

wwore they saw Blumberg pass the bottle to the buyer and saw the latter pass under Canadian laws.

From there on, over ten pages were written in a similar strain, expressing a written in a similar strain, expression and expression a writen a written in a similar strain, expression and expression and exp spirit if not in body. The unfortunate man wound up with a statement that he had not slept for two weeks and wanted

to die Nichols was about 30 years of age, light omplexion and fairly well dressed. face, on the lower part, was terribly burned by the acid. A Coroner's inquest

will be held tomorrow, Charles Nichols lived at 514 East Oak street, and was formerly interested in Charles Nichols & Co.'s cigar store at

105 'Fourth street. Doctors Save Letcher's Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.-Beverly Letcher, the bank clerk who yesterday attempted to end his life with opium, was greatly improved today. Physicians at the Emergency Hospital worked on him for hours last night, and the heroic treatment resulted in long been past, but many ranches that his return to consciousness this morn-have hitherto been believed safe from ing. He was removed to a private hos-The pital and his recovery seems assured.

Sharrett Investigation Continues. TOLEDO, Or., July 13.-(Special.)-The

rand jury investigating the Sharrett nurder case, in which Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green are held on suspicion, has not yet finished its work. The evidence before the grand jury is voluminous, the at-terneys for the defense being permitted to appear before the grand jury. The return will be made tomorrow.

Leader of Convicts Still at Large.

TACOMA, Wash., July 13 .- Of the eight convicts who escaped on the Fourth of July from McNeil's Island, only one, George Wade, who was the leader, remains at liberty. W. D. McCarty was shot in the leg at Ellensburg yesterday when he refused to surrender to the Sheriff, C. D. Castle

To Vote on Free Textbooks.

was captured nearby.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 13 .- (Special.)—A special election was caffed by the Board of School Directors today to be held July 29, to determine whether a special tax of 2 mills may be levied to provide free textbooks for the pupils of the Aberdeen public

Fined for Starting Fire in Forest OLYMPIA, Wash, July 13.—(Special.)—Joseph Keyes was fined \$29 and costs today for violating the new state law in regard to the starting of fires in the woods. This is the first conviction in the state under the law passed by the last Legislature.

Young Woman Sent to Asylum.

ALBANY, Or., July 13.—(Special.)—Miss Maggie Craft, daughter of C. F. Craft, of Crabtree precinct, was today committed to the state insane asylum by County Judge Stewart, after the usual medical examination. Miss Craft has been men-tally deranged for two years.

Chamberlain's Colle, Cholers and Diarrhoes Remedy-The Best in

Existence.

Mrs. L. B. Jones.

FEW AT THE EXECUTION

Doomed Man Dies With a Prayer on His Lips, and Without Another Word Uttered on the Scaffold.

SALEM, Or., July 13.—(Special.)— Without a word of farewell to the world, George W. Lauth was executed by hanging at the State Penitentiary today for the killing of Mrs. Leonora B. Jones at Oregon City a year ago. "Into thy hands, O God, I give my spirit," was the brief prayer the condemned man whispered as the straps were being adjusted, and an instant later the trap was sprung. The fall broke the man's neck, and there were The fall no convulsions except a few twitches of muscles by reflex action. In 13 minutes after the drop Drs. Calbreath and Griffith pronounced the man dead. "Lauth died a Christian," said Chap-lain E. W. St. Pierre, who has been a daily visitor at Lauth's cell for several months past. "He professed religio soon after he was brought to the Pen tentiary, and has been happy and cheerful ever since. He had no fear of death. I have been with him all the morning, reading the New Testament to him. He was more composed than I and dreaded the execution much less

than I did." There were only 31 persons present at the execution, including seven or eight prison officials. Several physi-cians were invited, but did not attend. making it necessary at the last moment to send to the State Insane Asylum for Superintendent Calbreath and Dr. Grif-

Lauth's crime was the shooting of Mrs. Leonora B. Jones, with whom he had been living in illicit relations. Mrs Jones secured all Lauth's money and then left him, whereupon he shot her and surrendered himself to the police. His defense was that his act was due to insanity induced by jealousy.

Marion Bar to Elect Delegates.

SALEM, Or., July 13 .- (Special.)-The Marion County Bar Association will hold a meeting at the County Courthouse Sat-urday at 2 P. M., for the purpose of elect. ing delegates to the meeting of the Pa-cific Coast Bar Association at Portland August 10,

Ashland Elks Get a Charter.

ASHLAND, Or., July 13 .- (Special.)-The Grand Lodge of Elks, in annual convention at Buffalo, today granted a charter to Ashland Lodge, No. 944. This makes the total of Elk lodges in the State of Oregon number 12,

INDEPENDENCE, Or., July 13 .- The ses of J. R. Cooper, charged with keeping his saloon open on Sunday, have been settled by his paying a fine of \$25 for each offense, after a plea of

Fined for Open Sunday Saloon.

but I was weak. My debts were more than I could bear. Forgive me, darling angel. Oh, how I hate to die. I love you so. I have longed so for you. Good-bye, sweet angel.

AND HIMSELF.

Melancholy-Mad Spokane Man Almost Severs Head of Wife From Body in Sight of Neighbors.

SPOKANE, July 13.-Frenzied by melancholy and continued brooding over alleged injuries, Charles H. Davis tonight slew his wife, his 3-months-old baby and outskirts of the city. Without a moment's warning or uttering a cry the wife and haby had their heads nearly severed from their bodies by a razor in the hands of the hueband and father. Davis then The E made three gashes in his own throat and then fell weltering in a pool of his blood in the kitchen. In the brief space of five minutes the entire family was blotted

The tragedy occurred about 7:30 o'clock and so quickly and so thoroughly did the man do his work that near-by neighbors, enjoying the coolness of the evening on their porches or in their front yards, heard not a sound to apprise them of the fearful deeds being enacted. Mrs. Edwin C. Payne, swinging in a hammock directly across the street from the Davis dwelling, saw Mrs. Davis auddenly pitch forward from her chair in the front room of her house. This started the in-

vestigation. position of the bodies indicates that Davis approached his wife from a rear room and seizing her by the hair, swiftly drew the razor across her throat. He made two strokes and her head was almost severed from her body. He then went into the bedroom, where the baby was sleeping, cut its throat and carried the body into the front room, where he placed it beside the mother. He then re-

turned to the kitchen, where he killed Davis, his acquaintances say, was mo bid and melancholy. He complained that he had not been given the help in saving money a wife should give him. Davis was ill years old. He was emloyed as a panelraiser in the Washing-on Mill Company, where he got his time last Saturday night, but he had another

job in prospect. Mrs. Davis was also il years old. Mrs. Davis was highly respected and, the neighbors say, all that

PACIFIC COAST DEAD.

Charles M. Coglan.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July C. M. Cogian, who had for many years held the position of Secretary of the State Board of Equalization, died at his residence in this city this morn ing. Cogian was born at sea and was

William Allen. ALBANY, Or., July 12-William Allen. a Linn County pioneer, who came to Oregon in the carly '50s, died at his home in Haisey, this county, Tuesday. Mr. Allen is survived by four children—Ben Allen

and Wid Allen, Mrs. Monroe Miller and

Jacksonville were closed, and places of business in Ashland were also closed during time of the funeral. The deceased was a native of Linn County, aged 41 years, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Miller, old residents of this city. Death was sudden and due to a cation of peritonitis and appendicitis. Three children are left by the de-

Fire in a Wallace Theater.

WALLACE, Idaho, July 12.-The upper part of the Collseum Theater was gut-ted by fire, which started at 7:30 o'clock this morning. The blaze was a stubborn one and required several hours work by firemen before it was extinguished The damage to the theater building and to the stock and fixtures is estimated at between \$6000 and \$5000. Mrs. Sarah Johnson, the owner of the building, carried \$2000 insurance on the building and \$1000 on the furniture and fixtures. William Fairman, who managed the theater, carried \$1100 insurance.

The building occupied by the Cafe, which is owned by Alex. Muir, of Farmington, Wash., was slightly dam-aged by fire and water. The lose is cov-

Suicide Committed Years Ago.

ered by insurance.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 13.-The body of Hiram Nelson, a lonely trapper, has been found in a cabin in the forest near Adams River, B. C., by the provincial police at Alert Bay. The body was lying in bed with a builet hole through the skull. It is evident from examination by the police officers that the body had been lying in the lonely cabin for five years, he being last seen in 1900, when he went to Alert Bay for provisions, part of which were found in his cabin. Nelson had seemingly become ill and failing to secure assistance, had committed suicide by discharging his rifle with a small piece of stick, the bullet passing through his forehead and lifting his skull

ROW IN CHAMBER GROWS OUT OF AMNESTY BILL.

To Prevent Resignation of Berteaux Rouvier Kills Measure_Duel Is Due to Quarrel.

PARIS, July 12.-Parliament adjourned for the Summer recess tonight, after an exciting scene in the Chamber of Deputies over the clause in the amnesty bill passed by the Senate Wednesday, reinstating those convicted of drawing up secret reports concerning the conduct of army officers, during which M. Lasies (anti-Semite) violently attacked General Andre, ex-Minister of War, calling him a

M. Berteaux, Minister of War, vigor ously defended his predecessor, and stated that he declined to continue his support of the government's amnesty bill in con-sequence of the charges made. The Min-ister then left the chamber.

M. Berteaux's action aroused such con-fusion that the sitting was' suspended and at an impromptu ministerial council it was decided to withdraw the bill. On the resumption of the sitting. Premier Rouvier announced the prorogation of the chamber, thus annuiling the am-nesty bill. In order, however, not to disappoint the public on the occasion of the national holiday, it has been arranged that the amnesties will be granted by

Presidential decree There was some gossip in the lobbles tonight regarding the probable resignation of M. Berteaux, but it is thought Senator Prevet was severely wounded

in the forearm this evening in a sword duel with Senator Delpeche, as the result of a dispute over the question involved in the amnesty bill DRAWING NAVY NEARER HOME

British Admiralty Completes Plan of Concentrating Great Fleet. LONDON, July 13,-The Admiralty has just completed the scheme of naval redistribution outlined by the Earl of Sel-borne, ex-first lord of the Admiralty,

in December last, by the addition of numerous battleships to the Channel, At lantic, Mediterranean and Reserve squadrons. There are now concentrated in nearby seas no fewer than 45 battleships, all of modern construction, 15 armored and 27 other cruisers with their accompanying torpedoboat flotillas, all ready amitted suicide in his house on the for war at an instant's notice, as well as reserve vessels provided with the nucleus of crews. All of these squadrons will be in immediate touch with the Ad-

The Eastern fleet will consist of groups, with bases respectively at Hong-kong, Aden and Sydney, while another cruiser division at the Cape of Good Hope will form a connecting link.

This new concentration has been arranged much earlier than had been expected, owing to the fact that naval developments in Par Eastern waters permit the recall of battleships from China

BRITISH SAILORS IN PARIS

Naval Officers From Visiting Fleet Welcomed by Loubet.

PARIS, July 13 .- More than 150 British naval officers from the visiting squadron at Brest arrived here today and were met by representatives of the Minister of Marine and a large party of French officers. Rear-Admiral May headed the British delegation, while leading French Admirals were among those who received the guests, who were shown about the city. Presi-dent Loubet will give a reception in houor of the British officers tomorrow The visit of the British officers to Paris is part of the Anglo-French naval amenities, which are considered significant in connection with the Moroccan controversy.

FRANCO - ITALIAN AGREEMENT

Tittoni and Rouvier Will Confer on

Affairs of Crete. ROME, July 11.-The Patria, announce ing an approaching meeting at Aix, France, between Signor Tittont, the Italian Foreign Minister, and M. Rouvier, the French Premier, says they will exchange views on important questions of foreign policy, and especially regarding common action by France and Italy in

the Mediterranean. The paper says they will also discuss withdrawing their detachments of international gendarmeris on the Island of Crete in order to satisfy the Cretans and the substitution of a Greek garrison. but that they will maintain for ent the sovereignty of the Sultan of

Turkey over the Island. Non-Committal on Contraband.

LONDON, July 18.-In the House of Commons today, Mr. Robertson asked Premier Balfour whether there had been be stations at a distance of 200 miles from Bremerton on the north to Point Loma on the south.

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dent Roosevelt, but Great Britain, in on with other nations, reserved the right of considering what should be sub-mitted to the conference. The Premier added that there had not been any fur-

Balfour Opposes Conscription.

LONDON, July 12.-In the House of Commons touight Premier Balfour re-ferred to the speech of Field Marshal Lord Roberts in the House of Lords Monday last, in which the latter said that the armed forces of Great Britain as a body were absolutely unfitted and unprepared for war, and declared emphatically that the choice lay between conscription and some practical system of universal training. The Premier said he could never be led to believe that conscription could be successfully adopted in England.

Morgan May Invest in Belgium.

LONDON, July 13.-King Leopold, of seigium, came to Dover from Oste day for the purpose of seeing J. Pierpont Morgan who lunched with his Ma-jesty on board the latter's yacht. After a prolonged interview, Mr. Morgan returned to London. It is reported that the meeting concerned the financing of important schemes for the development

of the Belgian littoral,

Must Keep Cuban Cities Healthy. HAVANA, July 13.-President Palma has vetoed the action of Congress which continued in effect the budget for the fiscal year ending June 20. His reason for so doing is that the old budget did not include any provision for the sanitation

of cities.



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