

Beginning of Race War.

On the afternoon of Saturday last reports began running from mouth to mouth that the Tartars and Armenians were massacreing each other. Immediately there was great alarm and a panic prevalled. Stores were closed and windows and doors were barricaded. Twenty min-utes later sounds of rifle firing were heard from the various quarters of the city, and everybody wished to fire, but no one could tell whether safety lay within or with-out the city. Two hours later patrols or Cossacks and other soldiers armed with

walled amphitheater on the southern shore of the Apsheron peninsula, with the oil fields on either side, from which ernment is \$3,220,860,022, and of this amount \$3,144,295,406 has been paid on acthis pipe lines convey the oil a few miles neries in the ount of the Civil War. The total number of claims allowed, original and increase, under order No. 78, these refinerics are located in the socalled "Black Town" quarter. The principal or Balakhan oil field, where The principal or Balakhan oll field, where the heaviest fighting has taken place, is 15 miles portheast of Baku. Sa-bunto and Romani are adjoining oil districts. Biblebat, a small but very rich field, lies on the opposite or west side of Baku, just outside the city limits. Most of the surrounding region is inhabited by Tartar hill tribes, who, in addition to occupying the iwo dis-tricts on the hillsides running down to the port, also occup the old forti-fied section in the center of the town, which is probably their headquarters. known as "the age order." since that order went into effect, April 13, 1904, up to June 30, 1906, was 65,612.

Scene of the Rebellion.

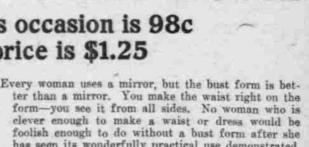
On June 30, 1995, the roll contained the names of \$34,608 survivors of the Civil War-a decrease of over \$000 from the pre-

It is expected that the arrival of the Shah of Persia at Beku in a few days on his way to Teheran will complicate the situation, and this belief probably vious year. The total amount disbursed for pensions for the fiscal year was \$141.142.860, of which amount \$4.197,166 was for Navy pen-sions and \$5,400.558 was paid to pensioners furnished the inspiration for the im-perial order to the Vicercy of the Cau-casus to stop the disorders at all costs. of the Spanish War and \$153,022,176 to the

survivors of the Civil War, their widows and dependents. The total amount paid to Spanish War The town of Baku lies in a steep

pensioners since 1886 is \$11,996,198. The total amount of money paid for pensions since the foundation of the Gov-

is looked upon merely as a social time-killer, when, as a matter of fact, it is a means of developing grace, of promoting means of developing grace, of promoting physical culture and traching the best manners. We dancing masters must stand together to prevent the walt from degenerating, for it is not what it was ten years ago, just because Americans have grown so careless about it. They woosten through everything no matter two-step through everything, no matte



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riefls began to arrive from the barracks and these troops immediately engaged the

The firing between the warring faction tinued all of Saturday night. On Sun-the situation showed no improvement and firing was in progress all during the day, the streets being descried except for the combatants. No one dared to leave his house during the day. A carriage surrounded by Cossacks conveyed the city authorities to the house of the Governor-General. At 8 o'clock on Sunday evening the first reflection on the sky of fire in the "black town' quarter vas noticed and it was learned that the Nobel oil reserwhich is probably their headquarters. The Tartar quarters are composed of dirty and squalld houses in crooked voirs were burning.

Fires Surround City.

streets. Many of the streets are wide enough to permit individuals to Sunday night was more fearful than the streets. preceding one. Fires broke out in several preceding one. Fires broke out in several quarters and the firing of the troops was uninterrupted. Fires also broke out in the suburbs of Balakhan and Sabunto. Telephonic communication between Baku and these points was destroyed, and it pass. ARTILLERY RUSHED TO BAKU All Petroleum Works Destroyed and was impossible to ascertain what was

burning on Monday morning. Many of the inhabitants decided to brave the dangers in an effort to leave the dity. They went in cabs, surrounded by Cossacks, to the railroad station, and at Baku have been destroyed and all the factories and other works there are closed. the flight from the city soon became gen-The military authorities are hastening measures to cope with the disastrous sit-uation at Baku. Artillery has been diseral, everybody who was able to do so leaving. By this time provisions had bepatched from here by special trains. The prices of benzine, kerosene and their

come scarce and prices were soarin. On Monday night the burning, shooting, killing and plundering continued, and a refinery which was in fisines beyond Bibliont lit up the sky in that direction. A hig woodyard in Baku also caught fire and a strong wind fanned the flames, which soon spread to Nikitin Circus and adjacent houses. The fire continued all of Tuesday, breaking out in several places, embracing the railroad station and a number of Armenian houses in dif-

ferent quarters of the city. Wednesday fugitives from Balakhan began to arrive here and told of the in describable horrors they had witnessed. All the oil works there, they said, were in the hands of the Tartars, who were pillaging the honses of Russian and Ar-menian workmen, carrying away everymeman workmen, carrying away every-thing of value and burning the buildings. Many workmen, they say, will be left in poverty, and they believed that Balakhan would be totally destroyed.

Vain Movement for Peace.

At 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the situation was somewhat improved. Tariars and Armenians were running through the streets crying "peace," and a little later a posse made up of both races, with clergymen at its head, went through the town. But these efforts toward a cessation of the fighting were not effective, for the firing went on all Wednesday night. The soldiers, however, continued their efforts to repress the disorders, and by Thursday morning

matters were more orderly everywhere. The streets today are deserted and the stores, banks and other public places are closed, hardly anybody ven-turing out. A pall of heavy black smoke the stores, hangs over Baku and its suburbs. The losses in these six days have not yet been accurately established.

was reported this morning that Tartars, notwithstanding their participation in the "peace" procession. are opposed to the establishment of

order, and that they demand a substan-tial sum from the authorities in lieu of permission to continue their pilinging. Boats running on the Voiga will Boats running on the Volga will doubtless have to use naphtha instead of oil. The quantity of naphtha on hand will be sufficient for the river boats for at least five months. It will take nearly a year to repair the damage

But for the activity of the soldiers, out here

Rejected Consul Comes to Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7 .- J. Martin Miller, whose exequator as an American Consul at Aix-la-Chapelle has been withheld by the German government, owing, it is sileged, to certain publications ema-nating from Mr. Miller while in journalistic life, has arrived in Washington and report to the Department of State. He declines to discuss the attitude of the Government toward his appointment, Mr. Miller expects to sail from New York Saturday for Alx-In-Chapelle.

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tion before the convention was the danc-ing of "The Spirit of the Times," a fancy half march, half dance movement. It is adapted for exhibition drills of children and the movements are planned in the

form of a five-pointed star. The con-vention will be in Session today and tomorrow.



Dr. Mences, Noted Physician.

of ill-repute, Officers Jay and Jones made NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 7 .- Dr.

nished by Officers West and Porter, the residence was entered and the following arrested on a misdemeanor charge: A. E. Johnson, James Hunter, James Sher-wood, Louise Thompson, Blanch Webster and Lillie Stanley.

FOURTH AND

MORRISON

Mrs. Bennington Von Valkinburg.

Yokohama, Sept. 7 .- Arrived previously-Kanagawa Maru, from Seattle, for Hong-

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.-Mrs. Josephine Bennington von Valkinburg is dead at Rockford, IlL, aged 55. She was the daughter of Charles Bennington, the Rothg. English composer, and a writer of consid-erable repute.

South End House Raided.

ments of several Southern colleges.

but it for the To clean out the South End of all houses

ences, one of the best-known physicians a raid on a private residence at 589 Fifth the Bouth, is dead at his home in this street last night. On information fura raid on a private residence at 589 Fifth

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residues have risen enormously. The present supplies will be exhausted in a a Convert of 1896. few days. The Tartar movement in Northern Cau-OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-ington, Sept. 7.-Senator Piles today rec-ommended the appointment of T. N. Al-len, of Olympia, as Receiver of the Olym-pia Land Office, to succeed J. O'B. Scocasus is said to be directed principally Panic reigns in the whole of the Tiftis district and the people are fearful of an attack by "Tartara. One Cossack was

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killed and another wounded near here last bey, resigned. aniest and another wounded hear here inst-night. The assellants escaped. The po-lice patrols have been strengthened and the authorities propose to organize a rural militia for the defense of Armenian nomes in 11 of the Trans-Caucasian districts where no troops are stationed.

FAMINE IN NINE FROVINCES

Government Asked for \$20,000,000

Products at Famine Prices.

TIFLIS, Sept. 7 .- All the naphtha works

to Feed Starving Millions. ST. PETERSBURG. Sept. 7 .- The first sitting of a ministerial conference called to deal with the famine which threatened to deal with the famine which threatened a number of provinces was held today. It was attended by the Governors of the provinces, representatives of the Zemst-vos and Red Cross and philanthropic so-cleties and marshals of the nobility. Re-ports were presented showing that the distress is particularly acute in the prov-inces of Saratoff, Rizan, Samara, Pens, Tamboff, Orel, Voronesh, Toula and Vi-atka.

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at was approximately estimated that 5.500.000 points of cereals would be re-guired to feed the distressed population and the conference recommended that the trasury assign nearly \$30,000,000 for these cereals.

Gorky Candidate for Assembly.

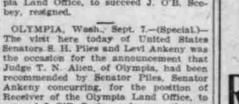
ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 7.-It is reported that Maxim Gorky; the au-thor, will be a candidate for election to the National Assembly.

Britain Tells Roosevelt of Treaty.

LONDON, Sept. 7.-The substance of the new Anglo-Japanese treaty has been communicated by the Foreign Office to the State Department at Washington through the British representatives at the different capitals. No details of the con-tents of the treaty have yet been given out here

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fered his resignation. Judge Allen came here from Kentucky during Cleveland's first administration to become chief clerk in the office of the Surveyor-General. After his retirement he

itered the practice of law. He became a Republican in 1896. Senators Ankeny and Piles thoroughly Senators Ankeny and Piles thoroughly canvassed the needs of Olympia harbor improvements and held a long conference with committees from the Chamber of Commerce. They were entertained at dinner this evening by Governor Mead.

More Bodies Washed Ashore.

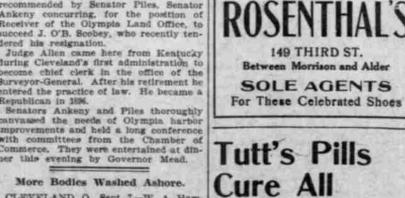


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