FRANSPORT TAKES

Buford Sails for Famine Region of Yang-tse-Kiang Valley.

MUSICAL SENDOFF

Carries 2000 Tons of Flour Provided by Christian Herald Fund. Klopsch Has Raised \$450,-000 in United States.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30 -- Conveyed into the stream by the army tug Slocum with the Twenty-second Infantry Band playing murtial airs, the crowds on the quay cheering and waving a farewell salute, the government transport Buford salled at 1 o'clock today from the Folsom street dock for Chin Klang with 4,000,000 sect dock for Chin king with showing sunds of American flour on board for e famine sufferers in Northeastern tina, contributed and collected through e efforts of the Christian Herald of ew York. The transport Logan will sail May 6 for Chin Klang with 2,000,000 pounds additional. The entire consignment of 2009 tons was to have been carried by the Buford, but inter arrangements divided the lot into two cargoes.

Will Go to Famous Region. The Buford is in command of Navigat-ing Officer Captain Frank Hall, Quarter-Ing Officer Captain Frank Hall, Quartermaster Lieutenant Charles B. Moore,
Accompanying as ship's surgeon is Captain Usher. The Buford is expected to
arrive at the mounth of the Yang Tse
Klang River about five weeks hence, as
she will lie over in Honolulu a week.
Eight or nine days will be consumed in
ascending the Yang Tse Klang 200 miles
from Chin Klang, which is the port
tearest the famine provinces; so that
six or seven weeks will elapse before the
work of distribution of flour can be bework of distribution of flour can be be worg of distribution of nour can be de-gun. The Logan is to meet the Buford in the Yang Tse Klang and accompany her to the point of discharge. After the Buford has been unloaded, she will pro-ceed to Manila to bring troops to San

Farewell Speeches Made.

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A programme of music and address was carried out on the wharf just before the sailing. On a rode platform, araped with American flags, sat Governor Gillett, with the Rev. Grant De Witt Talmage, of Los Angeles, who directed the programme; General J. B. Rawles, U. S. A., retired; James D. Phelan, president of the California branch of the American National Red Cross; E. R. Johnstone, representative of the Christian Herald in charge of the relief cargo; Bishop William F. Nichols of the Episcopal Church; Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, Ng Poon Chew, editor of the Chinese fally paper, the Ung Sai Yat Po; the Rev. Dr. John Hemphill of the Presbyterian Church, and a score of others. About 509 persons made up the audience and occupied improvised seats on top of the great piles of merchandise awaiting shipment. The program was opened with the singing of the doxology. Dr. Hemphill led in responsive reading of Scriptural selections. The Rev. E. E. Baker of Oakland led in prayer, pronouncing a hiessing on the Buford's cargo, and asking for divine guidance of her trans-Pacific course. "My Country, "Tis of Thee" was sung in chorus.

trans-Pacific course. "My Country, of Thee" was sung in chorus. Dr. Talmage introduced Mr. Johnstone. Dr. Talmage introduced Mr. Johnstone, who spoke briefly and stirringly of the relief works undertaken and carried to successful completion by the Christian Herald and Louis Klopsch, its editor and owner. Mr. Johnstone read a letter from Mr. Klopsch, heartily thanking the people of the United States for their cordial co-operation and generous sympathy, "shown toward the starving people of China, who are now in the grasp of the greatest famine in modern times." The following telegram was also read The following telegram was also read

The following telegram was also read from Mr. Klopsch:
"The \$50,000 mentioned in my letter has been already sent to the State Department, to be cabled simultaneously with the salling of the Buford. Probably \$50,000 more will follow, aggregating our cash contributions of \$300,000 which, with the value of the cargo, makes the Christlan Herald's total \$450,000. Bon youage!"

Governor Gillet. Mr. Phelan and Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheeler also made short addresses. The program was concluded with a prayer by Rev. Mr. Baker, after which the band played "The Red, White and Blue." An hour later the Buford

RECORD GIFT FOR FAMINE

Contribution of \$200,000 for Chinese Famine Sufferers.

WASHINGTON, April 30 .- Two hun-dred thousand dollars, the largest con-tribution for famine relief ever made tribution for famine relief ever made in one day, was sent to China today by the Caristian Herald. On the day the transport Euford sailed from San Francisco with the most valuable relief cargo ever shipped, being worth \$156,000,\$550,000 more in money was cabled to the relief committee, all coliceted and contributed by the same paper, which has made a total contribution of \$400,000 for the Chinese relief fund. The following cablegram was received from China today:

"Shanghai, April 30.—Arrived Buford cargo anxiously awaited. Harvest prospects now extremely discouraging. Prolongation of the foreign assistance absolutely mecessary.

"EDITOR NORTH CHINA NEWS."

WILL TAKE STAND FRIDAY

CHESTER THOMPSON WILL TES-TIFY BEFORE JUDGE.

If He Is Found to Be Sane, Slayer of Judge Emory Will Then Be Set at Liberty.

TACOMA, Wash., April 30.—(Special.)— Chester Thompson, the slayer of Judge Emory, of Scattle, will go on the witnessstand for the first time next Friday, when the hearing on the information fited some weeks ago by Prosecuting Attorney Muck-intosh, charging him with being an insane person and dangerous to be at large,

omes before Judge Snell.
This statement was made by Judge
Thompson today. When asked what his
bject is in placing his son on the stand. Judge Thompson replied that he merely wishes to have the boy examined to aid Judge Snell in reaching a decision as to the defendant's present mental condition. If Chester is declared to be sane and mentally responsible there will be but time.

Offer to Finance Medford & Crater

Lake Road.

Lake Road.

MEDFORD, Or., April 30.—(Special.)—
Dr. Stryker and George Estes, of Portland, have submitted to the receivers of the Medford & Crater Lake Road a proposal that contemplates an increased bid of 10 per cent in excess of that offered by Dewing & Son last week. They propose to take up the stock of local stockholders and issue in lieu thereof first mortgage 6 per cent gold bonds, to the amount of \$25,000. They also agree to give a bond in the sum of \$10,000, guaranteeing the immediate completion and continuous operation of the road from continuous operation of the road from Medford to Butte Falls.

Medford to Butte Falls

The proposition meets with almost unanimous approval of local stockholders, and it is believed that a re-sale of the road will be ordered by the court. The bid of these gentlemen will be about \$75,000.

FRUIT LOSS IS VERY LIGHT

Frost Has Not Seriously Harmed Walla Walla Orchards.

WALLA WALLA, Wash. April 30.—
(Special.)—First reports of damage to
the fruit crop of the Walla Walla Valley
were greatly exaggerated and overdrawn, according to statements given out
today by prominent fruitgrowers of this
vicinity. Sweeping statements of damage were conclusions based on the fact
that in many instances the outer portions
of the blossoms were injured but the

that in many instances the outer portions of the blossoms were injured, but the vital inner parts remain unscathed and practically unharmed.

While there has been some damage to fruit by recent frosts, the loss will not be heavy. It is now contended by farmers that chiese unforceseen obstacles arise to blight the maturing crop, the yield in Walla Walla Valley this year will be an average with that for several years.

ON TRIAL FOR FORGING WILL

Mrs. Mabel Warner Faces Jury for Second Time.

PENDLETON, Or., April 20.—(Special.)—For the second time within a month Mrs. Mabel Warner was today month Mrs. Mabel Warner was today placed on trial for the forgery of a will to the estate of her uncle, the late J. W. Young, by reason of which she is aleged to have made herself the principal beneficiary to the \$40,000 estate. The first trial held early in the month lasted several days and resulted in a hung jury, the ballots being seven to five for conviction.

five for conviction.

This time the case promises to be This time the case promises to be even more fiercely contested than before, in that Judge Stephen A. Lowell has been secured to assist Judge Fee in the prosecution, and Colonel Raley to assist the defense. Six jurors were selected today and it is expected that the other will be chosen tomorow.

BOARD WILL PRESS COLUMBIA SOUTHERN WORK.

Officers of Company to Appear Before Commissioners Monday to Confer Upon Regulations.

SALEM, Or., April 30 .- (Special.)-Un less the new management of the Columbia Southern Irrigation Company, of which Walter H. Moore and W. H. Lytle, of Portland, are at the head and principal financiers, appears before the State Land Board and makes a satisfactory show-ing of good faith and intentions toward the fulfillment of the contract with the state to reclaim the land within its seg-gregation, within a reasonable time, the action at law for the annulment of the contract between the state and the com-pany, which is being held in abeyance pending the fulfillment of the promises of the new management to make good the deficiencies of the old, will be in-stituted in court and prosecuted vizfinanciers, appears before the State Land stituted in court and prosecuted vig-orously to relieve the company of its ob-ligation and make room for other cap-ital to complete the project.

The adoption of an order to this effect The adoption of an order to this effect was the result of a meeting of the State Land Board this afternoon, after hearing the petition of the Columbia Southern Water Users Association, through Attorney W. B. Guerin, Jr., of Portland, asking that legal action be not delayed, that the company be put out of business, and the project taken in hand and completed by the state. The Board does not consider this proposition feasible

rules and regulations for the reclama-tion of the land, subject to the approval of the board. The company will be given 20 or 30 days time in which to submit mplete plans and estimates covering the

completion of the project.

In conformity with an order made by the board last June for the benefit of the old management, under the presidency of Robert W. Wilson, of Portland, the board also adopted a resolution forbidding the also adopted a resolution forming the company to furnish water to any lands outside of the segregation until the reclamation of all the lands within has been completed. It also provides that all of the available supply of water shall be furnished the settlers for the irrigation of such lands as may now or hereafter be under cultivation for crops, without be under cultivation for crops, without regard to whether or not the interest and principal, or both, upon deferred pay-ments for the purchase of the lien upon the lands has been paid.

GAME WITHOUT EARNED RUN

Butte Defeats Vancouver in Wild

Contest.

VANCOUVER, B. C. April 30.—In a game which was a comedy of errors without an earned run. Butte was deteated by Vancouver this afternoon. Howell pitched wild ball for Vancouver and was replaced in the sixth by Nelson, who fusished nicely. Wilkins anneared as was replaced in the sixth by Nelson, who finished nicely. Wilkins appeared as catcher for Butte today, but split his finger in the third and Veley took his place. No umpire turned up and players officiated. Score:

Vancouver ... 9 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1-3 7 5 Butte 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0-2 3 5

Fire Damages Hood River Bridge.

HOOD RIVER, Or., April 30.—(Special.)

A stubborn fire which originated in a large pile of slabs used as fuel for the locomotives of the Mount Hood railroad, kept all the available men in Hood River fighting it four hours today, and finally destroyed about 50 feet of the approach to the wagon bridge over the Hood River. The fire was discovered at 10 o'clock and had gained considerable headway. The damage will keep residents of the east side of the valley from reaching Hood River, except by a long detour for some time past, and three months ago he deserted her and their four children, forcing her to place the little ones in the Orphans' Home, and to work hard to support herself. Miss Hall, the young woman in the case, says she was not aware that Ray was a father, although she admitted knowing he had been married. At the station Ray had no explanation to make and in default of ball was locked up. The girl was turned over to Matron Simmons.

that will be to turn him loose. PORTLAND MEN TO BUILD LINE HANGS TO ITS LIFE

Rumors of Dismissal of Douma Premature.

SAVED BY EATING CROW

Golovin Apologizes for Insult to Army and Gags Protesting Radicals-Army Bill Is Passed Against Socialist Opposition.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 30.-Lleutenant-General Rudiger, Minister of War, went to Tsurskoe Selo today to report to Emperor Nicholas concerning the incidents in the Douma Monday. A rumor is in circulation that he persuaded the Emperor to dissolve the Chamber because of attacks on the army. The session of the Cabinet tonight, however, was occupled with ordinary business and one of the Ministers said there was no doubt the

Use Army to Crush People.

The morning session of the Douma was stormy, Gregory A. Alexinsky, Social Democratic member for St. Petersburg, Democratic member for St. Petersburg, said Socialists everywhere refused to vote for military budgets because armies were used in the oppression of workers and that there was a much greater reason that they should refrain in Russia, where the soldiery was employed to crush the whole people. He resented the imputation that this was not patriotic and said, if a German army (a bugaboo invoked by the Constitutional Democrats to pass the measure) appeared at the frontier, the proletariat guard would as willingly die in defense of the fatherland as it now would end in fighting its tyrants. He charged the army with participation in Jewish excesses.

Jewish excesses.

M. Alexinsky was repeatedly called to order and finally was denied the floor. After this the Social Democrats left the hall and the Constitutional Democrats moved the closing of the debate.

Army Bill Passed, Apology Made. The lower house passed the recruiting bill by 220 to 194 votes. The house also adopted a resolution setting forth the necessity of decreasing next year the number of men to be called to the colors and passed a law abolishing the custom of providing soldier servants for officers and the using of troops for police pur-

poses.

Presidert Golovin apologized in behalf of the House for the incident last night, during which M. Zuraboff. Socialist, made a savage attack upon the my and the government.

M. Golovin said that, in view of yes terday's reflections upon the army, he considered it to be als duty to an-nounce that the House regarded the army, which was true to the Father-land, as deserving of all respect and gratitude

Socialists Attack Golovin.

It is understood that this apology was acceptable to Premier Stolypin. The Socialists, however, retorted with a signed protest, declaring that M. Golovin's words infringed the prerogatives of the House, were opposed to the dignity of Parliament and suggested the election of another President.

In the open session of the Chamber, the

In the open session of the Chamber, the Social Democrats proposed the discussion of a vote of censure of M. Golovin, but M. Golovin, amid hisses and catcalls from the left, ruled that criticism of the chair was out of order and refused to recognize Radical speakers.

The court-martial bill was adopted without discussion. The Reactionaries raised the point of no quorum and refused to be counted as present. In the remaining half of the House, however, a bare quorum was found to be present and the measure was passed. There is no possibility of its was passed. There is no possibility of its becoming a law.

TRAGEDY OF THE REVOLUTION

Female Terrorist Commits Suicide on Finding Husband Traitor.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 30.—The funeral today of Mme. Madezhda Baradi-na, a well-known revolutionist who com-mitted suicide, aroused the greatest interest in revolutionary circles, on account of her romantic history. Mme. Baradina

does not consider this proposition feasible but the state has neither funds nor authority to foster the enterprise. It reposes fallh in the new organization and is disposed to give it a fair chance to make good its promise.

An order was made requiring the officers of the company to appear before the board next Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, to confer upon the adoption of rules and regulations for the reclama-

married him.

A few days age Mme. Baradina accidentally opened a letter showing that her husband was a traitor who had planned the arrest of an important group of Terrorists and even proposed to bring his wife back to Russia in order to deliver her into the hands of the police.

The police advised him to delay the matter in order to avert suspicion. Mme. Baradina, after reading the letter, took polices. Her body was brought to St. Pe-

son. Her body was brought to St. Petersburg and was interred here today, the coffin being buried under wreaths of crimson flowers.

General Strike in Warsaw.

WARSAW, Russian Poland, April 30. The employes of the street rallroads, the printers, bakers and factory em-ployes have decided to stop work on Friday night, and the authorities are taking energetic steps to forestall dis-

The police are making wholesale ar-rests of Socialists, and detachments of Cossacks will patrol the streets day and night until there is no further danger of trouble.

Tremendous Flood in Russia.

ODESSA, Russia, April 39.-One hundred thousand people are estimated to have been driven from their homes by the over-flowing of the Dnieper, Dniester and Dwina. The inundations are more wide-spread than usual and have created extreme distress over an enormous area.

Arrested on Statutory Charge,

James H. Ray, cashier for the North Vancouver ... 9 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1-3 7 5
Butto ... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0-2 3 5
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Roosevelt, Wilkins and Veley,
Fire Damages Hood River Bridge.

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Was also placed under greet.



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BUILDING IS HEAVY

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FIGURES FOR APRIL HIGH

Outlook Good for May, as Permits Will Be Taken Out This Month for the Buildings on Pittock and Pennoyer Blocks.

"Greater Portland" is not a mere figure

Even to one looking upon statistics as something beyond his ken, it must be evident that if in April, 1965, the building permits issued in Portland footed up 262 Items aggregating \$550,802, and in the corresponding month just ended the per-mits represent 322 items, with a total of \$1,645,560, there must have been in Port-land a most healthy growth in the month

of April, A. D., 1907. To have reached \$1,000,000 for the month's building operations would show 100 per cent increase; to reach over three times the total last year means about 200

Not only building-permit figures show the phenomenal growth of the Rose City, but other transactions add to the evi-dence. Real estate transfers for the month foot up on the records at over \$2,500,000. It should be noted, however, that nearly two-thirds of the transfers are recorded at nominal figures.

That being the fact, and an examination of the records will prove it to be the line of organizing such bodies.

true, the total transfers for the month on a fair awarage price would be upward of \$8,000,000.

corporation with its principal place of business at Spokane, vs. D. H. Young, J. D. Young, C. L. Young, W. Scheck, L. E. Van Horn, Frank Van Horn and Louis Prior was closed and taken under advisement by Judge E. H. Sullivan, who sat as the trial Judge during the hear-ing of the cause. The property involved is ing of the cause. The property involved is the big Tungsten mine, in the Cedar Canyon region, and from the opinions expressed by those who are familiar with mine values the result of the suit now pending will mean millions of dollars to the parties who win out in the contest.

PERSONAL MENTION.

R. J. Ginn, a banker of Moro, is at the Perkins Hotel.

E. O. McCoy, a leading merchant of The Dalles, is at the Perkins.

H. E. Armstrong, a Cathlamet merchant, is registered at the Perkins.

Matt Mosgrove, a prominent mer-Perkins. Senator Thomas B. Kay, of Salem, was registered at the Imperial Hotel

Dr. Harry Littlefield of Newberg. was in Portland yesterday, registering at the Imperial.

Dr. W. S. Derby, wife and son Carl, of Seattle, are the guests of their sister-in-law, Mrs. T. Mortensen. John Halley, Jr., of Pendleton, United States Commissioner for his section, is staying at the Imperial for a day or

Senator Charles W. Fulton was in the city yesterday, from his home at Astoria, and was registered at the Im-

P. Kain, Chief of Police of Saginaw Mich., is a visitor in Portland. He touring the Pacific Coast and called up Chief Gritzmacher yesterday.

Tors Richardson, manager of the Com-mercial Club, was in Rainier last night attending a meeting of the business mer of that place for the purpose of organ-izing a commercial body to act in conjunction with the State League of Com-mercial bodies. Mr. Richardson was in-vited to address the meeting and give them the benefit of his experience along

Contesting for Valuable Mine.

COLVILLE, Wash., April 29.—(Special.)

After a trial lasting nearly a week the case of the Roselle Mining Company, a Meldrum Is in San Francisco.

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