TAFT LOAFING ON BROTHER'S RANCH

Plays Golf on Muddy Course and Enjoys Dinner Where No Speechmaking.

WILL SEE CATTLE ROUNDUP

Cowpunchers to Show Skill to President Today-Vacation Ends Friday When He Speaks at Waterway Convention.

GREGORY, Tex., Oct.19.-President Taft began his three days of doing as he pleased on his brother's ranch today by playing 18 holes of golf over a muddy course and by "just loafing" through the long afternoon and even ing. The idea of eating dinner without having to speak for it, and of going the livelong day without having to make a speech, appealed to Mr. Taft strongly, and he declared he wished his Far-Southern vacation could last a week and three days instead of just the lat-ter period.

Will See Cowpunching.

Fomorrow morning the President will have a 16-mile run to the Rincon sec-tion of the ranch to see a small round-up of cattle and sheep and some exhibiup of cattle and sheep and some randi-tions of cow-punching. He will be presented with a big and comfortable saddle, made especially for him. The President bankshod his private

secretaries from La Quinta today and gave no thought to public business in any way.

The President's play days will end, however, on Friday, when he will be taken by boat to Corpus Christi to be the guest of that city and to address the convention of the Inland Waterways Association.

Large Party With Taft.

The house where he is stopping with his brother, C. P. Taft, is three miles from Gregory. This town, however, as well as the larger towns of Taft and Sinton, are all on the ranch, which comprises 125,000

With the President, in addition to Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Taft and Miss Louise Taft, are Secretary of War Dickinson, Capiain A. W. Butt, Dr. J. J. Richardson and Colonel Cecil A. Lyon, Republican Na-tional Committeeman. The other memtional Committeeman. tional Committeenant.

hers of the party are stopping here at the Green Hotel, newly built, where the executive officers are temporarily located. Secretary Dickinson and Captain Butt were up early and went hunting ducks. There are five automobiles on the ranch and several motor boats. When the President arrived here last night and was conducted by his brother to one of the manifest has said. chines, he said; "Automobiles, eh? Well, they tell me all you rich farmers have them these days."

GRESHAM BOY IS MISSING

Rainsford W. Thorpe Unseen Since March 25 Last.

Rainsford W. Thorp, aged 23, son of E. L. Thorp, who lives near Gresham, on the Bass Line road, left his home at Gresham March 23, and came to Portland. Two days later he packed his suit-case and told friends at the Harrison rooming-house in Portland, that he was going to Kelso, Wash. This was the horough investigation has been made by Mr. Thorp and every possible clew has been followed up. Rainsford is well known in the district

about Gresham, where for three years be was rural mail carrier. He was indus-trious and trustworthy, and there was trious and trustworthy, and there was not the slightest reason, as far as known, for his disappearance. His habits were good. When he left Portland, he had two suits, one a dark serge and the other a greenish brown college suit. He was last seen March 25, by Raleigh Watter. son, clerk at A. H. Bell's, in Portland. He had but a small sum of money with him. His parents are anxious to get trace of him and request any one who has seen him or knows of his whereabouts to notify E. L. Thorp, at Gresham, Or.

CHURCH SESSION BEGINS

Congregational Societies Are Meeting in Eugene.

BUGENE, Oc., Oct. 19 .- (Special.)-The General Association of Congregational Churches convened in annual session at the First Congregational Church of Eu-gene today. On account of the delay of the southbound train bearing Moderator B. S. Huntington, the session did not open until about 4 o'clock.
Organization was effected this after-

Organization was effected this afternoon and the regular programme carried
out. Rev. P. E. Bauer read a paper on
"The Preacher's Creed," and an address
was given by Rev. George W. Henrau,
Pacific secretary of the A. M. A.
At the evening session A. C. Terrili
spoke on "Why We Wanted You to
Come" and E. F. Green on "Why We
Are Here." Retiring Moderator Huntington delivered his address, and Rev.
Sidney Strong spoke on "The Spirit of
Jesus the Eternal Spirit."

DUNNE WAS MISINFORMED

Judge Testifies for Mrs. Guggenheim in Suit to Annul Divorce.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.-The case, wherein Grace B. Guggenheim seeks to have her divorce from William Guggenheim, granted by Judge E. F. Dunne in Chtcago eight years ago, annulled, came be fore Judge Honore today.

Mr. Dunne, now a private citizen, filed the petition as a friend of the court, declaring that he had been informed that he had been misled in granting the divorce. Judge Honore declared he would give due consideration to the statement

that Mrs. Guggenheim seeks pecuniary benefits in appearing in the case.

It is alleged that when the divorce was being sought Mrs. Guggenheim testified that she was a bona fide resident of Illinois, whereas she now claims she was not a resident of the state and therefore the Illinois courts did not have juris-

MASONS OF RANK MEET

Honorary Thirty-Third Degree Men Gather in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—Interest in the

Southern Jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite Masons, now in session here, was height ened today by an increased attendance of nonorary thirty-third degree Masons from all over the southern jurisdiction. One of the most notable of these was

George F. Moore, sovereign grand in-spector-general of Alabama, was elected to the office of grand pryor

to the office of grand pryor.

An elaborate banquet was given tonight by the royal order of Scotland, attended by the members of the Supreme
Council, who are members of the order.

Among the speakers at the banquet tonight, all of whom paid homage to Albert
Pike, the great exponent of freemasonry, were James D. Richardson, provincial, grand master of the American
Pederation of Labor.

Mr. Richardson told of the remarkable
strides made by Masonry during the past
quarter century, while Mr. Gompers declared that he had been an anti-royalist
until be had learned of the beneficial
results obtainable only through affiliation

results obtainable only through affiliation with the Masonic order.

FRENCH ACTION IN RAISING DUTY NOT ALARMING.

Imposes Maximum Rates on American Goods, but Will Have to Back Down.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.-Government officials here are not disposed to regard the action of France in deciding to assess the maximum rate of duty against all imports from the United States as an evidence of her intention to enter into a tariff war with this Government. On August 7 last President Taft, in pur-

suance of the provisions of section 4 of the new tariff act, gave formal notice to France. Switzerland and Bulgaria that the United States commercial agreements with them would be ferminated on Octo-her 31 of this year.

her 31 of this year.

France more than any other country in Europe has discriminated against American products. Germany gives to the United States her minimum rates on about % per cent of our exportations into that country. France, however, has that country. France, however, has charged this tountry her maximum rates on all our exportations with the exception of a very few articles enumerated in

tion of a very few articles enumerated in section 3 of the Dingley tariff.

The effect of having to pay the United States maximum rate would undoubtedly be to put France to a tremendous dis-advantage as compared with practically all other European nations in handling American goods. America is probably France's best market for her champagnes, transfers and other wines. randles and other wines.

GEORGE W. MILLER DEAD Well-Known Washington Pioneer

Passes, Aged 76.

VANCOUVER, Wash, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—George W. Miller, father of Judge Miller, of this city, died at his home here today. George W. Miller was born in Clinton County, Ohio, August 25, 1833, and moved to Mount Sterling. Ia., with his parents in 1838, from which place in 1838 he started across the plains with an ox team for California. Returning to Iowa via the Isthmus of Panama in 1831, he again crossed the plains to Oregon in 1837, landing at Portland in September of that year. He was married in January, 1831, at Portland, to Miss Manila Harper, and from this union were born 12 children. The wife died at Goldendale in 1876, and he afterward married Miss Sarah Harper, who survives him. In the Summer of 1833 he moved to Thurston County, Washington, settling Thurston County, Washington, settling on Bush Prairie, near Olympia, and lived.



Crossed Pinins to Oregon in 1852.

there until 1855, when he moved to Lane County, Oregon. He served through the Rogue River Indian War in 1856, in Cap-tain Keith's Company from Eugene. In 1859 he returned to Thurston County, Washington, and lived there until 1872, when he moved to Klickitat County, where he engaged in farming and stock-raising until about 15 years ago, when he retired. Eight years ago he moved

he retired. Eight years ago he moved to Vancouver.

Mr. Miller was a member of the Washington Territorial Legislature in 1862, from Thurston County, and was also a Commissioner for that county for four years during the 50s. He was Treasurer of Klickitat County for four years and was also a Commissioner for that county for two terms. During his residence at The Dalles, he was a member of the City

for two terms. During his residence at The Dalles, he was a member of the City Council for several terms.

Those of his children living are Mrs. T. T. Roundtree, of Winlock, Wash.; B. F. Miller, of Spokane. Wash.; M. E. Miller, of St. Helens, Or.; R. A. Miller, of Carson, Wash., and Judge A. L. Miller, W. S. Miller, S. J. Miller, H. C. Miller and Blanche and Hazel Miller, of Van-

AGED PRIEST FOUND DEAD Father Vanhulst Accidentally As-

phyxiated in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 19 .- Rev. Adrian Van hulst, aged 93 years, one of the oldest priests in the United States, was found dead in his room at St. Ignatius College here today of accidental asphyxiation. Father Vanhuist was ordained a priest in 1829 and had been engaged in chari-table work in Chicago for 30 years.

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Rear-Admiral Winfield S. Schley, re-

Imprisoned Mexican Called Ferrer of Mexico and Fight Is Begun.

ANARCHIST, SAYS RIDGEWAY

His Wife Denies Charge and Says He Is Peace-Loving Socialist. Labor Unions May Enlist in His Defense.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18.—Expressing the bellef that Gulterrex de Lara is to be made the "Ferrer of Mexico," if he is deported to that country on the charge that he is an anarchist and an immi-grant, the Socialists of this city, num-bering several hundred, today determined

bering several hundred, today determined to come to his aid.

An effort is being made to enlist the labor unions in De Lara's cause, and steps are being taken to hold a mass meeting the latter part of this week. The prisoner knows nothing of these movements on his behalf, as he is being held incommunicado in the county jail.

Says De Lara Is Anarchist.

Immigration Inspector Ridgway today stated that the representations be he made to Washington were based on it formation furnished him by the Los Angeles police, who arrested be Lara on the eve of President Taft's appearance in this city and released him immedi-ately after the President left for Arizona. The hearing will begin Monday before

Mr. Ridgeway.
"The man claims to be a Socialist and he is charged with being an anarchist," said Mr. Ridgeway today, "I do not know what the Washington officials will do regarding the evidence or how they will garding the evidence of two cults. If differentiate between the two cults. If De Lara can establish a residence of three years in the United States and show that he is not an anarchist, he will not be deported."

De Lara is without funds and the So-cialist organizations of the city opened a subscription for his benefit. Attorneys Melliy and Hoiston will act for him at the hearing on Monday. Friends of do La de Lara assert that Friends of de Lara assert that the United States Government can-not prosecute him as an allun as he has been in this country more than three years. His recent return to Mexico with an American magazine writer to get material for a story on "Barbarous Mex-ico," he asserts, was but temporary; he

claims he can be held now as an allen mly on technical grounds. Peace-Loving Socialist, Says Wife.

The wife of De Lara, an American veman whom he recently married, is The wife of De Lara, an American weman whom he recently married, is greatly exercised over her husband's position and fears he will be returned to Maxico and put to death. Her husband, she says, is a Socialist and of the type of thousands of American Socialists, opposed in violance of any character. of thousands of American Socialists, opposed to violence of any character.

"My husband has been in the United
States more than three years," said Mrs.
De Lara. "He made only brief business
trips out of California since first coming
here. He is peace-loving and quiet, and
his very soul recoils against violence of
any sort, most of all against the assastraction of mobile officials and all others." any sort, most of all against the assas-sination of public officials and all others." De Lara is held by the immigration authorities incommunicado. His wife, among others, is refused permission to visit him. A dispatch from Washington, D. C., states that the reason all inter-views with De Lara are denied is be-cause the immigration authorities there cause the immigration authorities there fear possible international complications.

GUERRA GAINS MORE TIME

Defect Found in Evidence Against Mexican Rebel.

EAGLE PASS, Tex., Oct. 19 .- On the contention of the defense that the evidence of the Mexican officials, which the prosecution sought to introduce, was not properly certified, the extradical content of the tion proceedings again Calixio Guerra, Mexican revolutionist. postponed loday until the January of court.

derra is charged with arson, mur-der and robbery in connection with the uprising at Las Vecas in June, 1998, and has been in jail since Janu-ary. He is supported by the League for Protection of Political Refugees.

SAYS LARA IS AN ANARCHIST

Mexican Arrested by Request of Inspector Ridgway.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—The arrest of ... Guiterrez de Lara, the Mexican attor-ey and author of Los Angeles, was authorized by the Department of Commerce and Labor here at the request of Immigration inspector Ridgway.

The request came yesterday in a telegram setting forth that De Lara should be taken into custody as an Anarchist and as a person who entered the United States without inspection. The request was immediately granted by Acting Secnediately granted by Acting Sec-

GASPIPE THUG LOSES APPEAL TO SUPREME COURT.

Barnes Habeas Corpus Case From Union County Is Reversed in Opinion by Eakin.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 19 .- (Special.)-In an spinion written by Justice McBride, the Supreme Court today affirmed the opinion of the Circuit Court for Multnomah County, Judge Morrow presiding, in the case of the State vs. Jack Ls Rose, known as the gaspipe thug. Defendant was convicted of murder in the second degree for the killing of Hyman Neuman, a second-hand dealer of Portland. He is now serving a life sentence.

In the matter of the habeas corpus of Joseph Lester Barnes, James R. Barnes, appellant, vs. Cora Long, respondent, appealed from Union County, where it was tried by Judge J. W. Knowles, the appellate court in an opinion by Justice Eakin, reverses and remands the case for further proceedings. preme Court today affirmed the opin-

further proceedings.

This is a dispute over the custody of a four-year-old child, son of James R. Barnes and Ada Barnes. The couple were divorced and later the mother died, leav-ing the child in the custody of her mother, who refuses to give it up to its and vaults, 92 7th st.

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"Gas Tips."

mother, who recuses to give it up to its father. The lower court held that the best interests of the child required that its grandmother remain its custodism, but the Supreme Court finds that the



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lower court erred in its conclusions of law, and that the child must be given to its father, who is a man of some property and who has recently remarried. Peter O'Sullivan, appellant, vs. J. M. Biakely, respondent, appealed from Union County, Reversed, Opinion by Chief

CLUB TO BECOME HOTEL

BACHELORS' HOSTELRY TO BE ESTABLISHED HERE.

When Arlington Club Removes From Old Home, N. F. Sargent Will Fit up Unique Lodging Place.

The building at present occupied by the The building at present occupied by the Arlington Club, at the northwest corner of West Park and Alder streets, owned by the Thompson estate, is to be converted into a bachelors' hotel when the new building under construction for the Arlington Club is completed. The new hotel is to be held under lease by Nicholas F. Sargent, proprietor of the Perkins Grill. The lease is to cover a pariod of ten years. Mr. Sarkent does not make public the consideration under which the lease is to be taken.

This lease will go into effect at once

This lease will go into effect at once upon the removal of the Arlington Club from the present quarters. The time set has been January 1, but it is now thought pussible the new building will not be ready until May 1, 1910, and if this is the case the change will not be made until that time. Mr. Sargent will retain his lease on time. Mr. Sargent will retain his lease on the Perkins Hotel Grill, which was beau-tifully fitted up for him a few years ago. The new hotel, which will bear the name "Sargent's," will be a decided innovation. The three apper floors will be converted into bedrooms for hachelors only. There are to be no women connected with the in-stitution, but married men whose families are out of town for the Summer or Winare out of town for the Summer or Win-ter, as the case may be, will also be al-lowed to become guests of the house. The second floor, now occupied in part by a reading-room, cardroom and library, will be remodeled and made into bedrooms. There will be no general rooms above the first floor other than a s

snoking-room on each of the upper floors.

The first floor is to be given over entirely to dining-room purposes. Here Mr.

Sargent will put in an elaborate grill, following the Moorish lines of architecture in the world. ture in the work. The main entrance of the building will open into a large grill-room for both men and women. A bal-cony will be constructed at one end for music. On each side of the main dining-room, but opening into it, will be two smaller grill-rooms. The room on the south end of the building will be a din-ing-room for men only, while the other end will be set aside for women only.

A feature of the service to be given to roomers in the new hotel will be a numher of valets on each floor. Mr. Sargent declares he will have a service hitherto unheard of in Portland. He will have a number of Japanese boys, who will give their personal attention to the roomers on their floors, taking care of their clothing, ministering to their various wants, and treating them as they would be treated at

treating them as they would be recated at home by their own servants.

The work of remodeling will, according to Mr. Sargent, cost in the neighborhood of \$15.000. This work will start at once upon the moving away of the Arlington Club, and will be rushed to completion.

BILLBOARDS AS PREACHERS

Protestants Plan Advertising Campaign to Pass Word Along.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—A campaign of newspaper, magazine and billboard ad-vertising to call the attention of the American public to the importance of American public to the importance of remedying certain pressing social, economic and religious problems will be conducted beginning with the new year, by the combined Protestant churches of the United States, it was announced today.

The work is in charge of Rev.

Charles Stelzle, superintendent of the Presbyterian Church department of church and labor, and is sponsored by the Home Mission Council, representing Protestant churches with a con bined membership of about 18,000,000.

FREE TELEPHONES MAY GO Druggists Consider Agreement to

Put in "Nickel" Devices. No longer will it be possible to drop into the nearest drugstore and telephone

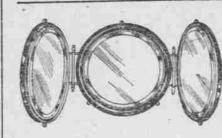
Into the nearest drugstore and telephone free of cost if the present plan of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company is carried out. A paper is being circulated among the druggists by the telephone company agents whereby an agreement is made for all the druggists to put in "nickel" telephones

This movement was started but recently and it is said a large percentage of the druggists have already signed the agreement to do away with free telephone service. It will be necessary howbefore the agreement binding, for every druggist in the city to join in the movement, as otherwise the druggists will not agree to enter into any such compact with the telephone

Seals Greatly Decreased.

SEATTLE, Oct. 19.-The United States steamer Perry, which arrived from the North tonight, brings word that after a close study of conditions by Professor

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Beat Board Bill Is Charge.

ASTORIA, Or., Oct. 12.—(Special.)— Three men who gave their names as Agelo Salerno. Michel Moreno and H. Sirola, were arrested by Sheriff Pomeroy Sirola, were arrested by Sheriff Pomeroy hast evening at the request of the Tilla-mook authorities on a charge of "beat-ing a board bill." The Sheriff of Tilla-mook County is en route here after the

Everybody's Sold to Butterick. NEW YORK, Oct. 19.-The stock of the Ridgeway Company, publisher of Every-body's Magazine, will be taken over by



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