

ore data, but out make the field in mostly empty." "Four of the Western bliuminous roads are now in the hands of receiv-ers and three are not paying dividends. The others are fortunate in having a large volume of other business to help them out. It is not a question of traf-fie density, but of inadequate rates.

Increased Business Does Not Heip. Cross-examined by R. W. Roplequet, St. Louis, representing coal opera-rs, Mr. Daly explained that the coal business was increasing, but under the prevailing rates the railroads did not think it would improve their situ-

You say some of the Western coa "You say some of the Western coal haulers are now in the bands of re-ceivers. Is it because of the freight rates on coal that they are in receiv-erships," the witness was asked. "It is fair to assume that if they were making money on coal they would not be in receiverships," replied Mr. Daty.

Daly. "The Interstate Commerce Commis

"The Interstate Commerce Commis-sion reported in the Eastern case that the fact that some of the coal carriers were not carring enough was due to cases other than rates on coal. Isn't that true of the Western roads?" "I don't think so. Even under the increases which we propose to make on coal rates, that commodity will not bear its proportionate share of trans-portation cost. The public ought to consider not only the busy season but the long season when valuable equip-ment is idle. As it is now, the more coal the roads carry, the more they lose." There are a states of the steam of the steam of the states District Court of Porto

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sky: the only sign of life the steam rising from the sweating column horses. These are the pictures the war crowds upon the brain by day and by night, and it seems to me now that no my mind or desden me to their thrill. There is exhibitration in every instant of existence. Here is a quarter of a mile of freight the states in the resolution was cabled at the resolution was cabled at

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CATE GERMAN STEAMER.

Criminal Prosecution of Captain Not

Yet Decided On-Kaiser's Cruiser

Believed Near San Juan.

Announcement of Attack on Ger-

witness. "No," the attorney replied. "That's a crime in itself." the court retorted. "Whit's the use questioning John Kaney, a Democratic commit-teeman who has pleaded guilty, testi-fled that he saw Roberts make out and

Some idea of the part American beer is playing in feeding the men in the trenches may be gained from the fact that exports of fresh beef increased last month to \$17.813.161 from \$518.845 in February, the preceding year, while during the eight-month period the total export was \$57.000.000 greater than in 1914. Canned beef valued at \$7.254,720 went abroad last month, as against \$243,766 a year ago. sign an absentee affidavit for a man who was out of the city. "Wasn't that forgery?" the court in-

terposed. "Of course, it was: signing another man's name." SUIT FOR SHIP TO BEGIN Mayor and Others Rearrested.

Mayor and Others Bearrested. Kaney also testified that he paid out about \$70 to voters on cards on which had been written "O. K. Bud," by Election Inspector Houghton. Mayor Roberts, Sheriff Dennis Shea, City Judge Thomas Smith and Street Inspector Alexander Aszel, alias Steel, spent tonight in jail as the result of their failure to give additional bonds of \$5000 each on charges preferred by Judge Anderson of attempting to corrupt Government witnesses. Roberts presented a bond for the ap-

Roberts presented a bond for the ap-proval of Judge Anderson at the id-journment of court, but consideration was put off until tomorrow. Percy Williams, attorney for Sea and Smith, said he did not believe he could pro-cure their release tonight.



PRESS INSISTS ON SATISFACTION FOR ATTACK ON DRESDEN.

lovernment, However, Has Made No.

man Cruiser in Neutral Waters.

Department of Agriculture has inaug-urated a sweeping campaign in an at-tempt to eradicate the orchard pest of fire blight. Deputies in Yakima, Spokane, Walla Walla and other Eastern Washington districts are serving notices upon own-ers of blight-infected orchards that they must destroy infected trees at once. Under the new law the state can proceed with this work and charge it against the property if the owners fail to comply with notices. Wenatchee Woman Seeks Divorce. WENATCHEE, Wash., March 34,---(Special.) - Anna Laura Powera brought sult yesterday for divorce from John Lester Powers, alleging cruelty. The Powers were married November 3,

The Powers were married sovember a, 1807, in Wenatches, moving in 1912 to Okotoks, Canada, where it is alleged he became so abusive and beat her that she was forced to appeal to the Cana-dian mounted police for protection. She returned to Wenatchee in February, 1914. There are no children. She asks for absolute diverse and the restoration absolute divorce and the restoration

breaden was blown up at 11.13 o chock with her flag flying, while her crew gave three hurrahs for the Emperor. "This disproves the British statement that the Dresden hoisted a white flag and capitulated."

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of her maiden name. Genesee High School Head Quits.

Mexicans to Battle for Possession of Matamoras. CITIZENS HELP DEFENSE CO-RESPONDENT IS NAMED

> BAKER, Or., March 24 .- (Special.)-Alleging that since August, 1914, James F. Fleetwood has kept company with one Jennie Lahar, of this city, Mrs. Linnie Fleetwood has filed suit for divorce in the Circuit Court here. The Fleetwoods are well known Baker peo

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ple. In her complaint Mrs. Fleetwood as the State Department and to the Max-ican agencies here late today told of an impending battle for poissession of Mat-amoros, the port across the Rio Grande from Brownsville, Tex., which appar-ently is to be the scene of the first real fight of the Villa campaign against the east coast of Mexico. Some of the

real fight of the Villa campaign against the east coast of Mexico. Some of the dispatebes indicated that skirmishes al-ready had taken place. According to a statement issued by the Carranza agency, the citizens of Matamoras at a public mass meeting today determined to organize to sup-port General Naffarate, the Carranza commander, who was said to have a garrison of 3000 men entrenched and provided with artillery and machine guns. Generals Castro and Belara were said to be on the way with reinforce-ments. ments.

Carranza Garrison of 3000 Strongly

Villa Force Is 8000 Strong.

A State Department dispatch from Brownsville announced that the Villa force marching against Matamoros was 8069 strong and had reached a point

near the town. Secretary Bryan and Secretary Dan-iels continued today to inquire into conditions in Yucatan, where the sizal orop, on which American twine manu-

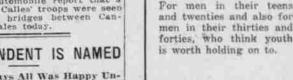


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Entrenched and Armed-Villa State Will Proceed to Destroy Infect-Army of \$00 Has Reached ed Trees at Owner's Expense. Point Near to Town. OLYMPIA, Wash., March 24. -- (Spe cial.)—As the result of the enactment of the new horticultural code, which carried an emergency clause, the state Department of Agriculture has inaug-WASHINGTON, March 24.-Reports to the State Department and to the Mex-

According to Mesican officials in Naco the bridge was burned by two Americans employed by General Elias Calles. Americans arriving from Cananea by autômobile report that a small band of Calles' troops were seen burning eight bridges between Can-anea and Nogales today.



Baker Wife Says All Was Happy Until Husband Was Charmed.

In her complaint ars. Fleetwood as-serts that she was married May 2, 1912, and until last Fall everything went happily, but after that her husband was so charmed by the other woman that he neglected his wife. She also as-serts that she always has been faithful to her husband and has never been in-timate with other men,



thril. There is exhibitation in every instant of existence. Here is a quarter of a mile of freight cars emifting cannon and autos and tons of food under the swaying search-lights, while the frosty air rings with shouts for Hans, and Otto, and Johann and Emll

Detachments Move Swiftly.

Here is a lowing, plunging herd of eatile driven up the narrow streats steamship of the general description stamship of the general description of the Wilhelm was reported sighted purple, and orange and wearing caps of the wilhelm was reported sighted purple, and orange and wearing caps

of astrakhan. Here, during three hours of exult-ant clamor one atternoon, there were passing into the abbey square through four entrances and passing out on the opposite side, infantry, cavalry, artil-lery, annumition carts and provision attempt. Eugene Bachelor and Bride Go to train

Rechts!" "Links!" "Bechts. "Links." "Recents." "Recents." "Links." should the underofficers. who sat on horseback at the entrances of the square, and the various detach-ments moved swittly and in purfect or-der to be fed, or quartered, or shod, or nursed, or shot at, as the scheme of things might demand.

"Links" shouted the underofficers, who sat on horseback at the entrances of the square, and the various detach-ments moved swiftly and in purfect or-der to be fed, or quartered, or shod or nursed, or shot at, at the scheme of. They say it requires one-fifth of an army to take care of the other four-fifths, and what I am seeing in Lowicz and pets are beiling. Bodies are bei-ing bandaged and horses are being whod. Ronds are being mended and prisoners are being mended out to to the mending. Stattered autos are being repaired and new ones are being repaired and new ones are being repaired and new ones are being swing from flatcars Minute maps of the town are being printed and issued to officers and underofficers, and the doeker out with each are being wet up.

"Kolossal" Strikingly Significant.

"Kolosan" Strikingly Skinificant. Every pay day, which means three times a month, hundreds of soldiers are sending off thousands of marks. Bridges and railway tracks are being guarded, eattle are being slaughtered, and so is the copy of injudicious cor-respondents. Yes, the 32,000 who are taking care of the 45,000 lying within a few square miles to the east of Lowicz have plen-iv to do. Even when it is not the

miles to the east of Lowicz have plen-ity to do. Even when it is not the most perilous work in the world, sol-diering is the hardest. The Germans have the word "kolos-sal," sounding, however, little like out "colossal." for the first "o" is short and carries the "." the "a" is flat and the accent comes hard on the last syl-lable. Nor does the German word con-vey precisely the significance we give "colossal" when we apply it to statues or bulk. or bulk

Vancouver for Ceremony.

SANTIAGO, Chile, March. 24.—Al-though the Chilean Government has made no official announcement con-cerning the statement that the German cruise: Dresden was in Chilean waters when destroyed off Juan Fernandez island by British warships on March 15, it is accepted universally here as true. The press insists unanimously that once. From information obtained here to-day it was made clear that there is a strong belief in official quarters that the dash of the Odenwald was made with the purpose of carrying supplies to the German converted cruiser Kron-true. The format of the other true.

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facturers depend is imperiled. Dele-gations of independent twine manufac-turers visited the State Department urging that everything

done to assure safety and transporta-tion to the crop. Secretary Daniels said a warship would be assigned to convey money for the movement of the crop, if pecessary, but that so far no action had been release

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Chile demand satisfaction from Eng-hand. LONDON, March 24.—An official tele-gram from Berlin, received at Amster-dam today and forwarded to Reuters' Telegram Company here, says that the commander of the German cruiser Dresden, on arriving with the mem-bers of his crew at Valparaiso aboard a. Chilean cruiser, after the destruction

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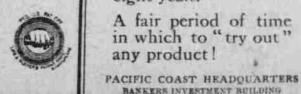
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