EVENTS OF THE DAY

An Interesting Collection of Items From the Two Hemispheres Presented

in a Condensed Form. factory of House & Davis, at Des-A disastrous fire in a Brooklyn skyplaines, Ill. The loss is estimated at

scraper caused a loss of \$300,000. An official dispatch from Manilla construction and a large stock of valusays a conspiracy has been discovered in the Scoloo archipelago, a portion of able hardwood lumber. A lady living the Spanish colony of the Philippine over the factory lost diamonds valued at \$1,000.

Perry Bathalow, United States consul at Mayence, is being prosecuted for severely injuring an inmate of his house by striking him on the head

The price of bread has gone up half a penny a loaf, and the increase is being actually felt in the poorer districts of London, whose many families have, in consequence, been obliged to reduce their supplies. An explosion of natural gas at Ava-

lon, Pa., killed Bessie Osborne, sged 15, seriously injured her brother Dale, aged 9, and her sister Edith, aged 6. The house was badly wrecked. The explosion was caused by a leak in the kitchen pipes.

Thomas P. Gillespie, superintendent of the Sterling Mining & Milling Comcyclone in Lincoln and Payne counpany, at Montgomery, Nev., was shot ties, Oklahoma territory, number seven, and killed on the road between the with three perhaps fatally injured. Johnny and Chispa mines, by unknown Many others reported dead may swell parties. The shooting was done from the list of fatalities. The scene of behind some bushes. devastation is hard of access The

Advices received from the Arctic ocean whaling fleet state that the entire fleet has taken only 52 whales up to October 1. In consequence of the poor catch, the price of whalebone will be in the neighborhood of 5 cents per pound. As the fleet had only one week for operations after this news was dispatched, the Arctic season is considered a failure.

Paul Isenberg, the wealthy Hawaiian sugar-planter, who with his family has been spending several months in Europe, has arrived in San Francisco. Mr. Isenberg's European trip was for the purpose of interesting body served as food for rats He fell foreign capitalists in the gigantic Oahu plantation scheme, of which so much has been written lately. His mission was in a measure successful, for he is now returning to Honolula with a guaranty of about \$1,500,000 from several Dutch millionaires.

It is stated by officials that the United States will have the co-operation and support of both Russia and Japan in the approaching issue over establishing adequate protection for the fur seals of the North Pacific ocean. The question is about to be brought forward, as two commissions, one American and one British, have returned, after an investigation of the conditions in Behring sea. Aside from the information they have received, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Hamlin has recently made a report after personal inspection of the seal islands, stating that if modifications of the Paris award negotiations were not agreed to the "fur seal will in one or two seasons be commercially extinct."

The north-bound Houston & Texas Central passenger train was wrecked sixty miles from Houston, Tex. The engine jumped the track, but the coaches staid on the rails. Engineer C. E. Clark was badly hurt, and Walter Matthews, his fireman, was killed. No passegers were hurt.

At a cost of two lives four masked robbers stole \$5,000 from Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Monagan, in the mining village of Rappahannock. The heads of Mr. and Mrs. Monagan were crushed with a sandbag, and they are in a critical condition. The robbers are still at large, but a posse is in pursuit.

A bull fight with fatal results occurred at Nogales, Ariz., and for a years ago seven men perished in av short time caused a panie in the audience. One of the bulls becoming more enraged than usual, rushed about the arena goring everything within its A horse was disemboweled. A picador in an attempt to place a thorn in the side of the wild animal, was caught on one its long horns, which pierced him like a sword. He was tossed and fell to the ground bleeding and mangled, where the beast held him between his horns and pawed him. He was frightfully injured and died a few minutes later.

The Venezuela government has forwarded to Washington a brief prepared at Caracas by a commission of five eminent jurists on the British-Venezuela boundary question. It will be submitted to the United States commission as soon as the translation is completed. The brief covers 300 pages and is said to be a forcible presentation of the case. Aside from this brief coming direct from Venezuela, Messrs. Scruggs and Storbrow, counsel for Venezuela in this country, are about to submit final arguments. Hertofore the arguments presented have covered the points in evidence, but the taking of proof is now practically over and the final argument is in order.

Isaac H. Lyonberger, of St. Louis, has been appointed assistant attorneygeneral of the United States for the interior department. He succeeds William A. Lytle, of Georgia, who recently resigned to become a candidate for the office of justice of the supreme court of Georgia. Mr. Lyonberger has taken the oath of office and entered upon his official duties. He is a wellknown attorney in St. Louis, and one of the leading practitioners in the state. He is 48 years of age and a

warm friend of Secretary Francis. Assistant United States Attorney Schlininger has sworn out a warrant before United States Commissioner Heacock, of San Francisco, charging Third Mate H. P. Bowen, of the steam whaler Balaena, with the wilful murder of Second Mate Frank Jones, at Herschel island last winter. The story of the murder was told by the officers of the steamer Jeanie on her arrival from the Arctic a fortnight ago.

The ordinary speed of a housefly is twenty-five feet a second; but when chased it often attains a speed of 160 feet a second.

THERE WAS NO CRIME A dispatch from St. Petersburg to Soliel says there has been an important exchange of views between the

Mobilizing France-Rrussian Troops.

French and Russian ministers of war,

been effected in the general plan for

the mobilization and concentration of

Franco-Russian troops in time of war.

Soliel adds that proof of this statement

will soon be seen in a number of fron-

tier changes, and the first step is said

to have been taken by an increase in

Plano Factory Burned.

were destroyed, with 250 in process of

Has Sued the Ball Club.

much interested in baseball, while wit-

nessing a game in Baltimore, was

struck by a foul fly. She has sued the

Baltimore base ball club for \$5,000 for

injuries she claims to have received.

This is probably the first suit of the

Asphyziated by Gas.

John Houston and wife were asphyx-

iated by illuminating gas in their

apartments in Chicago. Houston is dead and his wife's condition is criti-

cal. The accident was due to careless-

ness on the part of Houston who forgot

Met Death in the Cyclone.

The known dead by the disastrous

Bank Gardner Dead.

man, fell from his bicycle in Buffalo,

N. Y., striking on his head and frac-

turing his skull, dying almost instant-

graph operator and well-known to the

An Elevator Rope Broke.

The rotten rope of an elevator caused

the death of John Rahenberg in St.

Oil Stove Exploded.

liam Allenbach, in Milwaukee, ex-

over the little family group in the

kitchen. Allenbach, his wife and baby

Have Renewed Their Pledge.

suces, the lumber men interested in the

domestic trade have arrived at the con-

pool which they have maintained dur-

ing the past year under the name of the

Central Lumber Company, of Cali

fornia. It required an enormous

amount of conferring to settle the mul-

titudinous interests involved, but this

has at length been accopmlished and

Coal Gas Exploded.

Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal Company.

was not in operation and only about

fifteen men, mostly rensirers, were

inside. So great was the force of the

explosion that it shook the surface for

down.

explosion there.

miles around. Smoke coming up the

gaseous in the anthracite region. Five

A Safe Robbed.

Spokane in the office of the steam lavn

dry company, on Main avenue. The

safe was opened and between \$1,200

and \$1,300 in cash taken, but the rob-

bers, who had gone to the trouble of

opening the safe and taking the money

in one part, left \$87 25 in another al-

though about \$40 was taken from the

same drawer in which the money was

left. The money left was all silver.

The Car Turned Over.

injured and others seriously injured in

an accident on the Wyoming Valley

traction line in Wilkesbarre, Ps. The

car left the track and fell upon its side,

pinning four passenegrs under the

Cyclone in Oklahoma.

A evelone struck Mitchell postoffice

offins have been sent from Gpchrie.

of the Queen & Crescent road were de-

stroyed. Most of the electric cars were

stopped on account of interference with

A jury in the supreme court returned

verdict awarding Bertha Robinson,

of Chicago, \$4,500 damages from David

Weisenberger, of New York, for

breach of proimse to marry. The plain-

tiff sued for \$50,000. She claimed she

met the defendant while visiting New

York in the winter of 1893, where

they became engaged. The plaintiff

pleaded that he became betrothed un-

der false representations, that instead

of moving in high social circles in Chi-

cago, Miss Robinson's family were

beneath his standing. Counsel for

Weisenberger asked a stay of ninety

days to appeal.

One person was killed, two fatally

A mysterious burglary occurred in

The mine is one of the most

same for the present, at least.

After several weeks of daily confer-

in arms were fatally burned.

An oil stove in the residence of Wil-

fraternity throughout the country.

Gardner was on old-time tele-

Hank M. Gardner, a one-armed

to properly turn off the gas.

property damage is heavy.

been killed instantly.

ly.

Mrs. Caroline B. Newman, a woman

Fire completely destroyed the piano

Twenty-five new pianos

the number of Russian dragoons.

\$50,000.

kind on record.

by which certain modifications have

Verdict. THE SEIFFERT CASE SETTLED

"Not Guilty" Was the Jury's

a Well-Known Spokane Lawyer and Politidian, Set Free.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 2. - The Seiffert murder case went to the jury at 4:80 o'clock this afternoon. At 6 o'clock a verdict of not guilty was returned. At 7 o'clock the judge came into court and the verdict was announced. When the announcement was made, Seiffert turned and embraced his wife, both crying. The crowd cheered the announcement.

(Henry Seiffert shot and almost instantly killed L. H. Plattor, a wellknown attorney and politician, in the corridor of the courthouse at Spokane shortly before 6 o'clock on the evening of July 31 last.

The tragedy resulted from remarks made by Plattor in court, and which Seiffert construed as a reflection upon his character. Seiffert was being pressed before the court as administrator of the estate of Rudolph Gorkow. a rich brewer, who died in Spokane a short time previously. Gorkow had married a variety actress about a year before, and the marriage was an onhappy one. He brought suit for divorce shortly before his death, and in his will out his wife off with \$1. She is contesting the will, and there is a struggle over the administration of the estate. Plattor represented some of the beneficiaries of the will, opposing Seiffert.

When court adjourned, the two men met in the corridor. Seiffert claimed he offered his hand to Plattor as a brother Elk, and said:

"Come on, Lew, and I will show you that you are all wrong." It was said by some, but this was denied by others, that Plattor rejected ton this morning, attempted to kill anthe proffered hand and struck Seiffert other man, and then ended his own with his cane. Seiffert then drew a revolver and fired the fatal shot, which passed through the heart. Platter was dead in a minute, never uttering a word after he was shot. Seiffert then Louis. The accident occurred while walked into the sheriff's office and gave he was alone, and for eleven hours his himself up.

A crowd of attorneys were with the a distance of forty feet and must have two men when the tragedy occurred. An attempt was made to stop Seiffert, but the maddened man was too quick.)

DOES NOT AID CUBA.

ploded and scattered the burning fluid The Red Cross Society a Partisan Affair.

New York, Nov. 2.-A commission of the Spanish branch of the international Red Cross Society, which recently arrived in this city from Havana, has issued a circular letter appealing to the American public for funds to aid the work of the Spanish branch clusion that their various interests can of the society in Cuba. It is stated in be best subserved by remaining in the the circular that the society in Cuba lends assistance to all the ill and wounded in the field, Cubans and Spanish alike.

Tomas Estrada Palma, head of the Cuban junta in the United States, referring to the circular said:

"I request that it be made known nearly all of the mills on the books last that the commission's claim that the year have renewed their pledge to stand work of the Spanish branch of the soby each other. Prices will remain the ciety is absolutely independent of government control and free from any litical bias is not correct. The Red Cross in Cuba is entirely a one-sided A terrible explosion of gas occurred partisan society, completely under the at the South Wilkesbarre shaft of the control of the Spanish government, and none of its members is allowed to min-It is reported that six men were so ister to the wounded or dying Cubans badly burned they will die. The mine

on the battlefield. "I challenge the society to publish over its signature a single case in which the Red Cross has on any battlefield in Cubs attended to the wounded on the Cuban side. I can prove by shaft prevented the rescuers from going American, and even by the Spanish press reporters that there have been many cases where Cuban surgeons have nursed the wounded Spanish soldiers, escorting them afterwards to the Span-

ish lines. "Only recently a Spanish decree was issued from Havana placing the drug trade under the control of the government in order to keep, under severe penalties, any medicine from reaching Cuban hospitals. It is for this reason that we Cubans must rely on the United States for our medicines for our ill and wounded in Cuba, and it is to keep the Spanish soldiery from assaulting our hospitals that we place them in the neart of the mountains

where only Cubans would dare tread. "While I will not grudge the commission any amount of success they may attain in their work, it is my duty as a representative of the Cubans to let the American public know the true facts in the case of the Red Cross Society in Cuba."

A Sepoy Ran Amuck. Simla, Nov. 2.- A sepoy belonging to the British-Indian troops stationed twenty miles from Guthrie, O. T., and at Fort Randeman, ran amuck last swept away farmhouses for miles. night and killed Lieutenant Yeate, of Postmaster Mullen and wife are known the royal engineers; Lieutenant to have been killed. Many others are Downes, of the Bombay lancers, and reported dead. Rescuing parties with two private soldiers, besides wound-

ing Lieutenant McLaughlin. London Cabmen Strike

A Storm in New Orleans. A severe wind and rain storm passed London, Nov. 2 .- In pursuance of a resolution adopted yesterday evening. over New Orleans, causing one death and doing other damage. The light upwards of 4,000 cabmen struck today. ning, which was beavy, struck five adding another chapter to the long. houses. Albert Trahina was instantly wearisome dispute between the cabmen killed. A large number of trees were and the railroad stations. blown down and houses were unroofed. The greater portions of the fruit sheds

Lisben, Nov. 2 -A severe storm prevails along the coast of Portugal. fishing-boat has been lost near Setabal, eighteen miles southeast of this city. Fourteen fishermen were drowned.

To Reorganize the Chinese Army. Berlin, Nov. 2 .- The Tageblatt says has been definitely appointed organizer will shortly start for China, accompanied by a number of German offi-

War Indemnity Reduced One-Half. St. Petersburg, Nov. 2 .- It is rumored that Russia, in view of Turkey's financial troubles, will reduce the yearly installment of the Turkish war indemnity of 1,000,000 roubles to 500,-

Changes Contemplated for San Francisco Garrison

San Francisco, Nov. 2.—The recent changes that have taken place at the several local military stations will not result in a reduction of the numerical force of the San Francisco bay garrison. As a matter of fact, the late maneuvers mean that San Francisco barbor is to be more thoroughly protected than ever. Colonel W. R. Shafter, the new The Man Who Killed L. H. Plattor, comander at the Presidio, is authority for this statement. Furthermore, the various changes effected and in contemplation are the direct result of General Miles' recent visit to the Pacific coast.

It is the intention of the war department to make San Francisco the largest and most important military post on the entire slope. The plan agreed upon includes many changes. Hereafter the Presidio is to be regarded merely as headquarters for the post officers and a detachment of land forces, instead of a rendezvous for the principal detachments assigned to the post. The assignment of high-power guns to this station has rendered necessary the selection of elevated and advantageous sites, such as Lime point, Point Lobos and Point Bonita, for their mounting, instead of the low ground at the Presidio.

One of the chief features of the proposed improvements for the defense of this port will be the establishment of an entirely new station on the Marincounty shore. The almost natural earthworks back of Point Lobos, on the San Francisco shore, are to be mounted with six or eight of the high-power guns and another powerful battery is to be located at Lake Merced.

These, acting with the already powerful battery of dynamite guns and 16inch high power rifles mounted near the Presidio, are considered sufficient by General Miles and Colonel Shafer to take care of any hostile squadron.

VINING'S THREE SHOTS.

Mason County Logger Killed His Friend and Himself.

Olympia, Wash., Nov. 2.-Crazed with drink, George Vining, a logger, deliberately shot James Jones, at Shel-

Vining had quarreled last evening with two men from Seattle, and one of them bit his lip. The three men had apparently forgotten the quarrel, and were sitting in a saloon at 2 o'clock this morning, when Vining cooly remarked: "I guess I'll kill a couple of people."

He went to his cabin at the end of town and returned with a rifle; looked into the saloon, but, not seeing the two men with whom he had quarreled, he took up his station across the street. About an hour elapsed, when one of the men, named Mointyre, stepped out and Vining fired. The bullet shattered McIntyre's arm, and the arm had to be cut off.

The lights in the saloon were put out, and the men scattered. Vining waited for another victim and fired at he next man to leave the saloon. That nan proved to be James Jones, aged 33. and a particular friend of Vining. When the mistake was discovered, Vining turned the rifle against his own bdomen, fired and dropped dead. Both of the dead men were unmarried.

A California Rancher in Trouble Across the Line.

San Diego, Nov. 2.—Harry Mansur, an American farmer living on this line near Tiajuana, is in trouble in Lower California. He has a Mexican wife whose parents live at Rosario, eighteen miles south of the boundary line. Last Monday Mensur and his wife went to visit them. The costom prevails on the border of allowing Americans to enter Mexico freely with horses and outfit, provided the parties are well known and intend to return. The same rule applies to Mexicans entering this country. Mansur drove a Mexican herse, but the wagon and harness were of American manufacture. At midnight, he was routed out by a posse of rurales and conducted to Tiajuana, charged with smuggling. An immediate trial took place before Joaquin Zazaueta, justice of the peace. Mansur was fined \$680 or five years imprisonment in Ensenada. The papers were forwarded to Ensenada, and the prisoner followed. Mansur will appeal to American Consul Godbe at Ensenada for interference in his behalf. It is believed the absurd heavy sentence will be revoked by the higher court.

A Marderer Stanged. Chicago, Nov. 2 .- Julius Mannow was hanged at noon today for the murder of Carey B. Birch. Mannow wrote a letter yesterday in which he stated that Joseph Windrath, his companion in crime, who was executed June 5 last, was not guilty, claiming he did the shooting himself. On the scaffold he reiterated the charge made some time ago, that Judge Horton had led him to believe he would escape capital punishment if he confessed, thus giving him no chance for his life in his trial. Mannow had a criminal record extending over ten years, and twice served terms in the penitentiary for

valuable in Nebraska.

American Apples in Germany. London, Nov. 2 .- A Berlin dispatch to the Daily News refers to the arrival of the first shipload of American apples at Ham urg, and their selling for from four to eight shillings a hundredweight, while good German apples at

this season of the year cost 16 shillings. Tornade in Louisiana. A destructive tornado passed through Tensas parish, La , five or six negroes being killed. There was widespread destruction of property.

Berlin, Nov. 2 .- Bruno Werner, a clerk, has been arrested in the Hartz Colonel Libert, of the German army, mountains, charged with being the instigator of the murder of Herr Major of the Chinese army, adding that he Levy, president of the Berlin bar, Sunday morning, October 18. Levy was attacked by two men in the bedroom at his residence at Meirenstrasse and clubbed to death. His wife was seriously wounded at the same time. The assassins escaped. Wilhelm Grosse, a lockswith, arrested Tuesday, confessed, and said Werner planned the murder,

Mycose is a sugar produced from the

PLANS OF WAR DEPARTMENT. HE TALKED TOO MUCH

Bismarck Accused of Divulging State Secrets.

PUBLIC OPINION CONDEMNS HIM

His Article in the "Hamburger Nachrichten" Brings Forth a Rebake From the Official Press.

Berlin, Oct. 30. - Public opinion generally in Germany condemns Prince Bismarck's revelations in the Hamburger Nachrichten, regarding the alliance between Russia and Germany, which existed during the last years of his chancellorship, and allusions are made to his "indiscreet loquacity, which is gradually tarnishing his glorious reputation. There is little doubt that the prince

has divulged important state secrets in his attempt to triumph over his successor, General Count von Caprivi, and the official communication in the Reichzanger yesterday, cabled exclusively to the Associated Press, indirectly admits the truth of the article in the Nachrichten, and sharply rebukes Prince Bismark by saying: 'Diplomatic events of this kind are

strict state secrets, and to preserve them conscientiously is an international duty, a breach of which would prejudice important state matters. The imperial government must therefore decline any attempt to clear up the matter, and it will neither deny what what is false nor supply what is incomplete."

M. RODERICK KILLED

He Was Suspected of Having Robbed George McAuley.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 30.-James Monoghan, one of the chief owners of the Cariboo gold mine, received a brief telegram this evening reporting the killing of Mart Roderick, the man that was suspected of the crime of holding up George McAuley and taking from him \$11,000 worth of gold bullion that McAuley was bringing out from the

Roderick had been employed by the mine, and fell under under suspicion. He was watched and followed into the mountains by Foreman Keene. Roderick observing that he was being followed, opened fire, which Keene returned, killing Roderick.

The Cariboo mine is more than 200 miles from Spokane, and more than 100 miles from the nearest telegraph station, Marcus on the Spokane & Northern railway. It is a free-milling mine, and the bullion is taken from the ore by means of a stamp mill. In sending the bullion out to Spokane, the management took no precaution to provide a guard.

When McAuley was held up he was alone. The robber, who had a mask on his face and in his hands a double barreled shotgun with the barrels sawed off, stepped from the roadside and commanded McAuley to throw out the bullion.

The dispatch says none of the bullion has been recovered.

Roderick Was a Seattle Man.

Seattle. Oct. 30 .- The Post-Intelligencer will say in the morning that Matthew Roderick was a supposed respectable citizen of Seattle. Roderick was working in the mine, but was ill there at the time of the holdup. Soon after the robbery he returned to Seattle and since then has been shadowed by detectives. A week ago last night, Roderick left the city, estensibly on business. The detectives believed he had gone back after the bullion he could not carry away, as there were three bars, two big ones and one small The small one contained \$1,600. and it was believed Roderick took that one out and hid the two others.

Nothing more was heard of the case until today, when a telegram announced the killing of Roderick, The detectives have two affidavits

from men who live in the Cariboo country, in which it is alleged that Roderick tried to get them to go in with him on the holdup.

Roderick left a widow and two children in Seattle. She first heard of from. her husband's death tonight, when the officers went to her house atmed with a search warrant. In a small safe, \$300 in gold was found, and in addition, papers showing that Roderick had spent several hundred dollars since returning to Seattle. When Roderick left the mine, just after the holdup, he subscription of \$83 to help him out.

General Lee's Return. Havana, Oct. 30.-Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, United States consul general, informed the correspondent of the Associated Press this evening that he will sail for New York Saturday. General Lee said the purpose of his trip was to visit his family and to attend to private business.

Washington, Oct. 30 .- The annual report of Commodore Highborn, chief. of the construction bureau, to the secretary of the navy, contains a recommendation for the purchase of a tug for The chicory crop is getting to be the Puget sound naval station, at a cost of \$50,000.

New Warships Named.

Washington, Oct 30 .- Secretary of the Navy Herbert before leaving for Alabama, selected the names for the new battle ships and gunboats now under construction. The three battleships will be known as the Alabama, Illinois and Wisconsin. The gunboats will bear the names Annapolis, Marietta, Newport, Princeton, Vicksburg and Wheeling.

Even the leaves are turning the color of gold.

Criminal Negligence.

St. Louis, Oct. 30.-The coroner's jury that investigated the collision of Sunday, which resulted so fatally, returned a verdict finding it due to the carelessness of George Atwood, concharge of the westbound train, and the failure of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Company, in this case, to exercise proper supervision over the movements of trains. John H. Dressing, a painter, is dying of internal injuries received in the collision. He is the ninth victim.

BENEFIT THE NORTHWEST.

Reduction in Freight Rates on al the Transcontinental Lines. Portland, Or., Nov. 2 .- A new schedule of reduced freight rates will

go into effect on al' the transcontinental lines, November 9, placing North Pacific coast points on the same basis as San Francisco, The new rates will apply to all points

in the Central Traffic Association's territory, and from there west to the Pacific coast. The difference in San Francisco, and Portland and Sound rates, on general commodities, amounts to about 5 cents per 100 pounds, in favor of San Francisco. This will be equalized by the new tariff, which will lower North Pacific rates to correspond with those applying to San Francisco.

Notice of the proposed reduction was telegraphed yesterday from St. Paul and the foregoing meagre particulars were given out last night by J. V. Creighton, chief clerk of the Portland general freight office of the Northern Pacific railroad. This reduction will be of great importance to Northwestern merchants and business men.

BROUGHT TO HIS SENSES.

The Sultan Given Warning by Russian Ambassador.

Constantinople, Nov. 2 .- Since the visit of the Russian ambassador, M. Denelidoff, to the sultan and the important audience which followed, it is noticeable that there has been another change for the better in the attitude of Abdul Hamid and his advisers toward the Armenians in particular and the reform party in general.

It is known that Denelidoff used very plain language, and the sultan was convinced that the Russian ambassador was in earnest. This, supplemented by grave reports received by the sultan from the Turkish embassies in London and Paris, pointing out the distrust and irritation caused by the attitude of the Turkish officials, has brought about eager professions upon the part of the Turkish government of a desire to earnestly push the reforms as commenced.

Five Christian deputy governors have been appointed in Armenia It is probable there will be changes shortly in the Turkish ministry.

A TRANSFER OF GOLD.

to Chicago.

Large Amount Sent From New York

Chicago, Nov. 2. - Railroad employes at the Grand Central passenger station thought the advance guard of the army had arrived in Chicago when the Baltimore & Ohio fast express train pulled into the station last night. The-United States Express Company had a special car attached to the train, and all except one of this car was filled with men who carried revolvers and guns having bristling bayonets.

In the little corner, however, was railroad. The object was to save the sufficient wealth to satisfy a dozen customers the advantage of the sent gangs of trainrobbers if they had se- rate which went out of effect or is cured it. The wealth consisted of gold date, the rate now being twinces amounting to a legal tender value of per hurdred. \$2,500,000. It had been shipped from the subtreasury in New York to the subtreasury in this city, and it will be of the mountain, on the Low Pas made transferred from the express car to the Rand Mc Wally building this morning water power, and is to be in runn The transfer was due to the fact that order by the 15th of December. The the Chicago subtreasury was taxed to now have ten men at work. One relieve the recent strain on the sub | for 100,000 feet of lumber have be treasury in San Francisco

A VENTURESOME UNDERTAKING

Two Washingtonians to Carry Mall to Central Alaska.

Seattle, Nov. 2 .- Hugh Day and Jack Hays, mountaineers, left on the steamer Willapa today for Alaska. They will cross the divide above Juneau, leaving Juneau November 10. carrying the United States mail to year the levy was 12 1/2 mills. points on the Yukon river, Forty-mile and Circle City.

A contract with the government for the trip was completed here yesterday. They will have to walk and sledge about a thousand miles through the snow and ice-bound region of the midnight sun, and they expect it will take them 70 days to reach Forty-mile.

Last year three men, who attempted to cary mail to the Yukon at this season, must have perished in the snow. as they have never since been heard

SIMMONS' GOOD FIGHT.

Robbers to Flight.

Manager of a Coquille Cannery Put

Marshfield, Or., Nov. 2 .- A. H. Simmons, manager of the Parkersburg salmon cannery, on the Coquille river, was so poor that the miners made up a was held up in his office last night by two masked men, who demanded of Simmons, at the point of a revolver, that he open the safe. Simmons retused, and the robbers began an assault upon him with their revolvers. The robbers "went for" the manager with such fury that he changed his mind, but the desperadoes did not hear him say that he would open the safe. During the scuffle Simmons caught hold of the mask of one of the robbers and tore it from his face, so that he recognized him. This frightened the robbers away. Mr. Simmons has several fleshwounds on his head, and is under a doctor's care. Who the robber is that he recognized he will not disclose. No arrests have been made.

Englishman Arrested in Cuba.

Havana, Nov. 2. - Thomas W. Beatty, an Englishman, and owner of the Meda Luna plantation, has been imprisoned at Manzanillo, charged with being the instigator of the destruction by fire of many houses in the village of Meda Luna. His attorney. Juna Silva, was also arersted.

It is aunonneed that Nat Goodwin's company next year will carry two carloads of special scenery and a divocre

A Mother Kills Her Own Son.

Marysville, Mont., Nov. 2,-Mrs. Mary Allen accidentally shot and killed her 18-year-old son and fatally shot her husband this morning. He was whipping the boy. She interfered, and he turned on her. She took a rifle ductor, and J. A. Dryden, engineer, in and shot at him, but killed the child by accident. She then shot him in the head. He may die. She is crazed with giref.

> It is rather discouraging to a man to be forced to wait until he is dead in order to discover what a good fellow

NORTHWEST BREVITIES

Evidence of Steady Gross and Enterprise,

CTEMS OF GENERAL INTERP

From All the Cities and Towns of Thriving Sister States Oregon. The Foster & McDouald mine

Gold Gulch mining district bonded to Crook county capa Plenty of trout can be crusts

Coos river, by using salmen up to bait, but fly fishing in that the The North End Mill Company

Coos hay, has discontinued him logs from the Coquille, and a reshipping them over the railred The contract for construct a dikes, etc., in Tillamook her in been awarded to Contractor at Boh

The extention of the Sumpers railread to the town of Surple to celebrated by a ball and picts, my the shipment of concentrates sales that had been accumulating to be months.

Foss, Guthrie & Co. shipped bear Baker City a trainload of 490 us Nearly all of the cattle were long. from Powder Valley stockowsen h prices were: Cows, \$16; two, \$2 threes, \$23 and \$24. Some of the hopgrowers in Weeks ton county are storing cropin a

Masonic building in Laurel, when to hops will be kept until sold. See and a half cents has been offend by hops in Hillsboro. The chinook run of salmon in & Siuslaw this year has been fairly pal but it is about over. The bigmed

silverside salmon has not yet und the river, although it has ben to expected for the last ten days. Mrs. J. T. Vincent, who has ago den in the south part of Toledo, dies to have raised the largest pumping the season. The pumpkin is fire by

six inches by five feet one inch in to cumference, and is still growing. Eight men, including the mile were thrown out of employment the burning of the Weston form mills. The mill lacked 300 barned completing a 1000-barrel order faris China trade. It had just mounts telegram asking terms on 1,000 mm barrels.

Messrs. May & Semlers, of Hirts burg, during the week preceding the 20th inst., shipped 15,000 budded wheat from their warehouse on the

G. W. Wright and Chalres Collins are putting up a sawmill at the for in Lane county. The mill will rate received already.

Washington A theater is being built in No. Whatcom that will be able to sel 1.000 persons.

Colfax college has made array ments to publish a monthly paper, a eight-page sheet. The city tax levy in Olympia fit is

ensuing year will be 101 mills. Las Olympia sportsmen will take steps to

county. The entire collection of coins which was stolen from the Ferry museum is Tacoma a few weeks ago, has been recovered.

prevent the trapping of quail, contag

to law, by men and boys in Thusta

A levy of three and one-fourth mile has been made by the school board of Tacoma for school purposes. The let will provide \$80,100.

The Herrick Canning Company, of Aberdeen, has put up 150,000 cases d salmon this season, and expects to put up about 4,000 more. Very few hops have been sold in

Puyallup thus far, only those that have been contracted for having been delivered. Growers seem to think the will get more by holding on. In order to cut down expenses, Olym pia has entirely abolished the und street lights. Several citizens have,

however, subscribed a fund for the illumination of thoroughfares test their residences. The loggers and mill men who have camps on the small streams flowing into the Snohomish river are anxiously waiting for rain. These streams an

now so low that logs or boats cannot be floated to the mills. A bullet came flying through the window of J. H. Miller's kitches, is Whatcom, the other day, and street Mrs. Fred Hamburg, who was at work there, on a finger. The ball had spen

of Tacoma, made a showing of his trust before Judge Stallcup last week The cause of the case being brought sp was to get a ruling of the court as # whether the assets now on hand should be sold and the stockholders assessed to pay the balance of the liabilities or is the matter rest awhile. The stockholders have virtually agreed to the former plan, and if the court allows them to carry it out the assessment

1, 1896. A visitor on the Sound is interested in the lumber trade with Delagos be-Africa, says that during the pest twieve months between 60,000,000 and 70,000,000 feet of lumber will be re quired to supply the visible demands of the country tributary to Delagos bay alone, and the whole will have to be supplied by Oregon and Washington mills. This amount of lumber would

mish river are patiently waiting for the fish commissioner to come and at rest them for fishing with nets in the

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its force and did not injure her. The receiver of the Traders' bank,

will surely be made before December

load about thirty large ships. The salmen fishermen on the Spohe

river, contrary to the law.