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NEW ENGLAND

Greatest Territory Now Being turned against him last Saturday. Flame Swept in the History of that Region.

PALL OF SMOKE OVER MANY LARGE STATES.

Fires Have Also Broken Out Anew in the Adirondacks-The Worst Fires Ever Known Are Raging in New Brunswick-Bath, Maine, Is Surrounded by Fire-One Town Entirely Destroyed.

Nasua, N. H., June 4.-The wires state that all New Hampshire is now darkened by the smoke of immense forest fires. Groveton people are fleeing to Berlin, which is entirely surrounded by flames. All the farmhouses in the vicinity of Meredith are destroyed. Ashland is threatened. The flames last night did much damage to the famous Corbin Park within whose preserves are innumerable deer, 1,000 elk, 150 buffalo and countless wild boars.

In the Adirondacks, Glenns Falls, N. Y., June 4 .- Adi rondack fire conditions are again most serious. The Cedar river sec tion is ablaze with a big fire sweep ing near Catlin lake. Long lake and Catamount range, near Lake George are also flame swept.

Pall of Smoke Over New York. New York, June 4.- The city is covered with a pall of smoke from the terrific forest fires sweeping throughout the New England forest and northeastern portion of this

Smoke All Over Massachusetts, are falling here from the forest fires in Eastern Massachusetts, and the sun is completely obscured by the dense smoke.

But One House Left. St. Johns, N. B., June 4 .- The town of Briggs Corner was destroyed by fire yesterday, only one house being left. New Brunswick is suffering from the worst forest fires ever known. Bonn river is reported burn ed. St. George is in constant peril Nothing but a change of wind can save the town of Stanley.

Vast Forests Burning. Millinocket Me. June 4 .- Thous ands of acres of heavy spruce be tween here and Mekahdin are swept bare. It is reported here that Sher man is destroyed. All communication is cut off over entire sections. The following towns are said to have been wiped out of existence: Cristal Grindstone, Stacyville. Confirmation is unobtainable, but if true, there is probably considerable loss of life.

City of Bath Surrounded. Bath, Me., June 4 .- The city is almost completely surrounded by tremendous fires. The fire department is constantly busy.

WHOLESALE SLAUGHTER IN A CAROLINA RAILROAD WRECK

Loaded Excursion Train Goes Into a Washout-Conductor Also Killed

and Many Were Injured. Charleston, S. C., June 4.-An exeursion train on the Atlantic Coast line was wrecked near Sumter this morning, the engines, baggage cars and three coaches plowing headlong into a deep washout. Conducto Clements and four negro passengers were killed. Thirty-three were hurt, eight seriously. The engineer and fireman are among the injured. The excursion was returning from Nicholas to Columbia,

Fatalities Will Reach Thirty. Augusta, Ga., June 4.-The Atlantic Coast officials announce this morning that they had received a messag saying that seven bodies had been taken from the wreck near Sumter, and it is believed the fatalities will reach 30. The injured are being taken to Sumter.

TWO CHILDREN DROWNED.

Fractious Horse Crowds Over Railing

Into Boise River. Boise, June 4.- A distressing acci dent occurred Wednesday afternoon on the Ninth street bridge across the

Boise river, which resulted in the drowning of two little children. Mrs. James Stevenson, the wife of the deputy state engineer, was out riding in a carriage, accompanied by her 2-year-old child and another child whose name could not be learned.

As they were crossing the bridge on the return from South Bolse the horse became fractious and Mrs. Stevenson jumped out of the carriage to take the horse by the reins and lead it across As she jumped out the horse veered to one side and broke over the railing precipitating the two children carriage and horse into the surging

Searching for the Bodies. Boise, June 4.—Searching parties are out for the children drowned last night in Boise river. The bodies are

not yet recovered.

SEATTLE THUGS IN BUSINESS. Man Beated to Death, Robbed and Put on Railroad Track.

Seattle, June 4.-James Montgomery, aged 25, was beaten with a slung shot and killed, the purpose being robbery, near Auburn last night. The body was placed on the Interurban track where it was struck by a train and slightly mangled. The authorities are invsetigating, but have no Ottawa, Ont., June 4.—The David- Kresley, a mining broker, has conelue.

Canal Treaty Will Be Ratified. Washington, June 4.-Senor Herman, of the Colombia legation, today received word that peace is fully reestablished in that country. The canal treaty can now be ratified by the braska supreme court today decided Colombian congress.

ED SPENCER SENTENCED.

Must Serve Thirteen Years for Mur- Republicans in Convention Endorse der of Ella Mundt, Spokane, June 4.-Ed Spencer was

last January. and even Spencer was surprised at night, proved to be effective. the mild verdict of manslaughter re-It was proved beyond a doubt that Spencer was crazy by drinking abspeech, complimented Hanna and sinthe, when he committed the crime, predicted his re-election to the senand to that fact is probably due his ate. Then followed a long tribute

escape from the gallows.

Under ordinary circumstances the murder was unprovoked and inexcus able, as he deliberately loaded a pis ol and went to where the unsuspect ng giri was working as a domestic nd instantly killed her, afterward making a half-hearted attempt at suicide. Experts were called to testify to the awful effect of absinthe on the human system and mind, and on the strength of this evidence the crime was fixed as manslaughter.

WEALTHY STOCKMAN KILLED.

Ending of a Fatal Quarrel Near Boise -Surrender of the Survivor. Boise, Idaho, June 4 .- James Emmons, a wealthy stockman of Laredo, was shot and instantly killed yester day by a man named Baird. The Boise county sheriff left this morming to get the prisoner, who has given

SHOT UP THE SALOONS. Attempt to Enforce Prohibition in a

Texas Town, Houston, Texas, June 4.-Fifty nasked men rode into Brookfield early this morning and destroyed three saloons. A thousand shots were fired and all the fixtures were riddled, but none was hurt. The saloons continue to operate, despite the rohibation law

ST. LOUIS IS ALARMED

Drowned by Their Homes Collaps. ing After They Were Cooped Up Five Days-Gigantic Task of Cleaning the Slime-Smeared Cities Will Seven Men Killed in a Fight in Kan-

St Louis June 4 - The Mississipp ver continues to rise, a stage of 1.2 feet being shown at 7 a. m. Thi a rise of 1.3 feet during the past hours. It is expected that 32 feet vill be reached some time today. In the meantime people all along the river front, both here and in East St. ouis are preparing for the big flood. The river men and government officials predict that the water will be ver the levee railroad tracks by oon today, and officials of the differnt railroads affected are placing heir rolling stock where it will be afe. Weather Observer Bowie says emerged all were shot down.

"The river at Kansas City is re orted 10 miles wide. Whatever the ause of the delay of the arrival of he waters from the flood stage, the utlook here becomes more encouragng. The Mississippi below is con day or Saturday, at a time when most at Needles, the flood from the Des Moines iver and upper Mississippi will have

assed here." At the northern end of St. Louis ounty the residents are moving their tock across the bluffs and are prearing to follow it with their house old furniture if the river continues

Already large lakes have been formd in the low section. North of St Louis, from Eads bridge the water an be seen extending back over the owlands between that place and Granite City, and forming a veritable lake. The same condition prevails outh of East St. Louis.

Two Entire Families Drowned. Des Moines, Ia., June 4.-The work f caring for the 5,000 destitute flood ufferers is still taxing the local reef committee to the utmost, but the ommittee has affirmed that there is o need of outside assistance. Ten thousand dollars has been subscribed here, in addition to a large quantity f clothing and food.

At Atlantic two marooned families vere drowned in the Nishanabotna oottoms last night, cooped up in their own homes by the flood. For five days they had been compelled to sit on tables with no drinking water and practically nothing to eat. The river ontinues to fall rapidly between here

Water Falling at Kansas City Kansas City, June 4.-The water is till falling rapidly. A hundred and fifty sanitary sergeants were sworn in this morning to compel all residents to clean yards. Thousands went to work at all the available places in the bottoms to commence the work of cleaning. It will be three weeks before any one is permitted to ive in houses in the flooded district.

River Rising at St. Louis. St. Louis, June 4.-The river rose nearly a foot today preceding 10 o'clock this morning. Two hundred people were driven from their homes n the Venice bottoms Hundreds are at work strengthening the levees.

Levee Broke Near Warsaw, III. Burlington, June 4.-The flood sitation is serious. The levees south of Warsaw. Ill. broke cutting off the Wabash service. Hundreds of acres inder crops are destroyed. The river here is eight miles wide and the inhabitants are abandoning the low- counties, 800. lands.

GREAT FIRE AT OTTAWA. Plaining Mills and Lithographers Burned Out.

ographing establishment, and 10 ad- names to stock certificates in the Lu joining dwellings burned today. Loss, cile Dreyfuss Mining Company. He \$400.000

Sunday Baseball Unlawful. Lincoln, Neb., June 4 .- The Nethat Sunday baseball is unlawful.

OHIO FOR "TEDDY."

the Rough Rider.

Columbus, O. June 4.-Chairman his morning sentenced to serve 13 Hanna called the nominating session years in the state penitentiary, for of the state republican convention to the murder of Elfa Mundt, in this city order at 10:30 this morning. Foraker was named as permanent chairman. The case was stubbornly fought. The harmony arrangement made last Hanna and Foraker appeared side by side on the platform and were wildly applauded. Foraker, in his

> o Roosevelt. Resolutions Indorse Roosevelt. Mr. Dick presented the report from he committee on resolutions, unqualifiedly indorsing koosevelt for the ST. LOUIS IS NOW IN THE presidency in 1904, and promising the support of the party for Hanna to re-

election to the senate. The platform concluded by saying ole to penalties provided by repuecan legislation, and their vigorous enreement in the courts. No worthy aterest is imperilled, but whatever work public harm is restrained ad that too without recourse to the lemocratic plan of destroying all American industries through tariff evision or otherwise. If further legislation is necessary

on to enact and enforce with equaly and safety Ticket Nominated. Myron Herrick was nominated for

republican party can be depended

overnor, and Warren Harding for ieutenant-governor, by acclamation. PONTIFF'S CONDITION IS

CAUSING MUCH CONCERN. Postponement of the Consistory, at

Which Two American Cardinals Were to Have Been Appointed. rhoea, which is causing anxiety. His and weak condition makes the attack

It is believed the consistory, which ings. dition, cannot be held for several days Springfield, Mass., June 4.-Ashes Two Entire Families in lowa Were fairs to be looked after at the com- cleaned out.

IN THE CATTLE COUNTRY.

St. Francis, Kan., June 4.-In a attle yesterday near here, between Farmer Berry and his four sons on yesterday. ne side and 20 cowboys on the other.

all the Berrys and two cowboys were The Berrys were returning from isit to a neighbor, and in order to make a short cut nulled down a wit fence on the Dewar cattle ranch. The owboys charged and a fusilade comsenced and continued until the Ber rys barracaded themselves in a cabin. he cowboys rushed and the Berrys killed two. The cowboys then fired residence, where the the cabin, and when the Berrys days without food.

INSANE BY FLOOD NEWS.

anced From Excitement. Los Angeles, June 4 .- George Mad ien, of Topeka, a passenger on a aratively low, which means that the Santa Fe train, became a raving mawater at present in the St. Louis dis- niac at Barstow yesterday after readossibly permitting the Kansas City tacked passengers and was locked in tage of the river to reach here Fri- a car. He was taken from the train

DEMOCRATIC LINN GOES FOR HERMANN.

Heavy Falling Off of Republican Vote in Marion County-Total Vote Will Not Reach Two-Thirds of That Cast

Salem, June 2.-The latest figures are known to be for Hermann. Clackamas county last year gave mous Tongue, republican, 1,376; this year gave Reames, democratic, about 50; Marion gave Tongue 1,291, and gave Tongue 870, gives Hermann

cratic, gave Hermann 125. Tongue's ear. Marion county alone shows 1,327 republicans less voting for Hermann than for Tongue. It is practically the same in Clackarras county The total vote will be probably no more than two-thirds of the total cast DECISION FOR A CHANGE last year.

Latest Estimates,

Dr. T. W. Harris, chairman of the Jett and White Will Be Tried epublican congressional committee gives the following estimates at m.: Hermann counties-Benton 0; Coos, 400; Curry, 150; Douglas 150; Lake (not reported); Lane, 350 Twenty-seven precincts out of 52 reported; in Linn, 125; Lincoln, 200; Klamath, 100; Marion, 125; mook, 350; Washington, 350; Yamhill, 50.

Total majorities in Hermann counties, 2,828. Reames counties-Clackamas, 350; Polk, 50; Josephine, 200; Jackson, 200. Total majorities in Reames

CONFESSES TO FORGERY Fraudulent Transactions Netted Him | tinually.

\$50,000. Francisco June 3.-Howard 1 son Planing Mills, the Mortimer Lith- fessed to raising stock by forging

pocketed \$50,000. Colonel Redpath is president of the company and Senator Turner one of its directors.

Polk county woolgrowers have

formed a pool.

PROGRESS OF SEATTLE TAKES GREAT FLOOD UP THE FIGHT

Water is Receding at All Kan- Will Force the Navy Depart- large and scores of small boats were wrecked in the harbor during the Latest Advices.

GREATEST DANGER LINE.

hat monopolies are directly amena. Extra Session of the Kansas Legisla. Will Appeal to the President—Failing water and six of the crew and the ture Probable to Deal With the Sit. uation-Flood Soaked Buildings Continue to Callapse-Sickness and Starvation All Over the Waste of

expected.

Kan, conveying food and necessaries, ident. Failing there, they will make The only boats in the flooded district an appeal to the next congress. They are in charge of the police, as more believe the hostile action is inspired than \$2.250,000 are under water in by California in the interest of Mare the safes of the smaller banks, ex- Island. press companies and railway offices. Between Five and Six Hundred III.

James Thomas, the first newspa-Rome, June 4.—The pope today per man to get into and out of Kanuffers with a severe attack of diar- sas City, Kan., and who represents dives have multiplied and the spawn ne Scripps News Association, returnphysicians say they have no fear of ed this forenoon. He says the situa- of vice. uplications, but his advanced age tion there is black. Fifteen thousan.

has already been postponed several days on account of the pontiff's conyet. The appointment of cardinals, who had only had one meal in 24 and feathers, AND IN GREAT DANGER. of whom two are expected to be Americans is one of the important afed on a Bridge.

A steamer last night brought in GOVERNMENT REPORTS 7 passengers from the Randolph nd of the Milwaukee bridge, five iles below here. The majority were which has been missing since Sunday, and for which search was made

Forty Inch Fail Twenty-Four Hours.

River Falling at Lawrence. Lawrence, Kan., June 3.-The Kaw ver fell three feet last night. Crisis Reached at St. Louis,

St. Louis, June 3.-The river is the 32-foot mark. At the crest of the ent fiscal year than in any previous flood is two days distant, it is now year. water at present in the St. Louis dis-water at present in the St. Louis dis-ing flood news from Kansas. He at-trict will move out rapidly, thereby ing flood news from Kansas. He at-done. Carondolet is already suffer-and the exports. To each of these

> Another Drowning Reported. Des Moines, June 3.-Another

> who had been without food for five

FIRST LABOR COMMISSIONER. Office Until 1906.

June 3.-Governor Chamberlain, Secretary of State Dunpon the district congressional elector bar and State Treasurer Moore have on are that it is claimed by the re- named O. P. Hoff, of Portland, to be ublicans and conceded by the demo- Oregon's first labor commissioner rats by 2,028 for Hermann. The Mr. Hoff was formerly a resident of later figures are not likely to mater. Lane county, where he served as an ially alter these, though most of the agent for the Southern Pacific railounties are incomplete, some being road. For several years he has been estimated. The estimated counties employed in the freight department of the same company in Portland. It was a most remarkable election. His election was practically unani-

Governor Chamberlain's preference 1906, when his successor will be lected by the people.

OF VENUE IS RESCINDED. STRIKE OF JANITORS

Their Home County-Witnesses' Houses Guarded.

Jackson, Ky., June 3.-The prose cution this morning asked the court's permission to withdraw the motion for a change of venue and hold the trial of Jett and White in Breathitt cunty. The court granted a rescindng order changing the trial to Morgan county. Jett and White were brought into court by the soldiers, and turned over to the sheriff, who warmly shook hands with them. The anti-Hargis people this morn ng are very bitter. A volley fired near the jail last night again turned out the soldiers. The homes of witnesses are protected by guards con-

DRUG HOUSE FIRE. One Girl Killed By Jumping-Others The Freight Handlers' and Restau- son were willing but that Clove was of irrigating.

Severely Injured. and was fatally injured.

eived a dispatch from Valparaiso reporting the loss of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company's steamer, Aro-

sas Points According to the ment to a Show-Down in City of Valpariaso suffered considerthe Bremerton Affair.

> SAYS CALIFORNIA IS RE-SPONSIBLE FOR EMBARGO.

There, Will Drag Her Case Before ed to Hold the Navy Yard-City Rough Element Dominates Roost.

Kansas City, June 3,—The river Seattle, June 3.—The Chamber of cell six-tenths of a foot during the Commerce today proposed to take up Seattle, June 3.—The Chamber of ight. A light rain continues. There the navy department's embargo Crushed Against a Mississippi River off further discussion by an adjourn-dermen Johnson, Dickson, Hartman, a partial street car system in op- against the Bremerton and Puget ration this morning. No further loss | Sound navy yard, for the purpose of life from the flood in this section forcing the issue. If no satisfaction can be obtained from the department Boats are running to Kansas City, the case will be appealed to the pres-

While the navy department has repeatedly warned the town of Bremerton that its moral tone was highly distasteful to the government, yet of moral leprosy has filled its dens

The city authorities seemed powpeople are being cared for in erless to check the immoral tenden churches, halls and municipal build- cies, and when members of the city council openly condemned the rough The relief work is not well handled, element and held it responsible for seriously ill. He talked with 50 men place, they were threatened with tar

president to Seattle's apeal is awaited with interest. suit.

SHOW HAPPY RETURNS.

om the Burlington passenger train Exports to Russia Have Doubled in Nine Months-Indications Point to in History of Nation,

Washington, D. C., June 2 .- The Topeka, Kan., June 3.-The Kaw alarms which have been sounded 11 40 inches in the 24 hours preced- during the past two years regarding six this morning. Governor Bai- the trade relations between the de for an emergency appropriation, in the figures of our commerce up to row Buildings continue to collapse. this time. The three countries which wo persons have been rescued from have been mentioned from time to e second floor of an outlying brick time as likely to decrease their imresidence, where they had been three portations from the United States renewal of the anthracite strike are Russia, Austria-Hungary and

Germany. A study of the latest figures of the treasury bureau of statistics regarding our imports and exports show a steady growth in the trade relations with all of these countries, and indiwo feet above the danger line at 10 cates that our commerce with each of clock this morning, having reached them is likely to be larger in the pres-

three countries our exports are Many families were removed from steadily and rapidly increasing and omes this morning in boats. The from each of them our impores are great cradle used in transferring also steadily increasing. This is ars to ferry boats was swept away strongly marked in the figures of our trade relations with Russia in the present fiscal year,

The latest figures show that our rowning is reported this morning at exports to Russia for the nine months Chatsworth. Two families were distending April 1, were nearly double overed in the Nishnabotna bottoms those of the corresponding period in any year of the last decade, and that our imports from Russia are also steadily and rapidly increasing, being louble those of 1899 and three times those of 1894. The figures regarding our trade relations with Germany O. F. Hoff, of Portland, Will Hold the and Austria-Hungary show a corres-

ponding increase. WAS IT WILKES BOOTH? Supposed Suicide January Last of the

Assassin of Lincoln. Enid, Okla., June 3 .- Junius Brutus Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln, identified the man who the object of the visit. suicided here January 14, as his uncle the assassin. The man lived as the Federated Council the foundry of

David George. Upon his death, K. L. Bates, attorney for the Memphis came here and and that the committee wished to re was Walter Drennan, a former rail- fully identified the body, then went quest the council to disregard any oad engineer. No formal vote was East and has obtained positive idengives Hermann only 150. Lane, which taken on the choice of a commission-tification from the nephew, from work. er, but after discussing the matter, it Joseph Jefferson, Clara Morris and 350. Linn county, historically dem developed that Dunbar and Moore a score of others. Bates claims to and supplemented by Thomas Means were in favor of Hoff, and that Cham- have been the confidential agent for and others. The council engaged in majority in the district was 7,372 last berlain would be satisfied with that Booth for years. Bates says the man the discussion with them and the election, and the matter was in that supposed to have been killed was talk became general and on one side way settled. Hoff will serve until named Ruddy Booth, and that he settled in Glenrose Mills, Texas, and conducted a store there as John S. Helen.

IN CHICAGO BUILDINGS.

Attempt to Operate Non-Union Laun dries Fails Because of Threatened Sympathetic Strike, Chicago, June 3.-The janitors of b large apartment buildings struck on the fair list to commence with, So

this morning, alleging discrimination

against the unions.

Attempts were made to start laun iries this morning with non-union help, which failed because the coal teamsters threatened to walk out. Dispute Over Representatives. Indianapolis, June 3.-President

the anthracite difficulty, but that the foundry was placed on the unfair list rain, which will insure wheat and rye piracy on the bark Veronica, were mine workers will insist that Nich- and were told that it was because ols, Fahy and Duffey be recognized the proprietors were opposed to union as their representatives.

UNION DEMANDS GRANTED.

rant Employes' Scale Signed. Chicago, June 2.—The Nickel Plate bor crisis is thus averted.

SOUTH PACIFIC STORM.

Steamship With Eighty Persons on Board Lost, London, June 3 .- Lloyds today re

quia, with 80 on board, including passengers and crew. The dispatch adds that several gale, which lasted two days. The

able damage. Other Ships Were Wrecked. Captain Todd, of the Aroquipa atyea in a luli, but was struck by a heavy blast broadside and foundered So far as known, none were saved. he British Foydale, the German bark captain's wife and son were drowned. The Persimpon crew were saved. a Suffering Congress-Is Determin- The Esquito lost two of her crew.

Not AH Dead. Valparaiso, June 3.—Seventeen sur- reasoning. Was Warned by Government- vivors of the wrecked Araquiah have

> EXCURSION STEAMER SUNK. Bridge Span.

Hanibal, Mo., June 3 .- The steamr Flying Eagle and a barge with a three lives were lost, though conflict- was arrested by the sheriff. ing reports indicate that many more were lost. Three small children umped overboard. Mrs. Lynch was caught between the bridge and boat cabin, and fatally crushed.

Work Train Through a Bridge. Coshocton, Pa., June 3.-A Penn sylvania work train plunged through a bridge on Walhonding river this morning. Two Italians were hur jumping. The engine and six cars were completely submerged.

Four Prisoners Escape. Wheeling, W. Va., June 3 .- Four prisoners, including two murderers broke out of the penitentiary a Moundsville last night. A posse is Crops Not Suffering, But Held Back oday using bloodhounds in their pur

Fighting in Montenegro. Constantinople, June 3 .- Word was eccived today of a conflict between Montenerin and Turkish troops on Heaviest Foreign Trade This Year the Montengrin frontier. A number were killed and wounded.

On the Way to America. New York, June 3 .- A cable this morning from the Azores announces now contemplates calling a spe- United States and certain other countrival of Shamrock III and Erin al session of the legislature to pro- tries of the world find no justification III. Shamrock I is expected tomor Railroad Stocks Decline New York, June 3.-The threatened

> caused a reaction in the stock market showing a decline, Minnesota Bank Dynamited. Red Falls, Minn., June 3.-The Gold Stabeck bank at Vest was dynamited er has been very favorable for wheat

000 in notes being taken. New York, June 2.-Ambassadors the Kronprinz Wilhelm today,

UNION LABOR PRESENTS DEMANDS TO THE COUNCIL. have injured them somewhat. Prunes the month on various causes, and After a Lively Session of Inquiry and a full crop. Argument the Council Adjourns Without Taking Any Action-Al Round Discussion of Rigby-Clove

Last evening after the council had ompleted its routine business, a mmittee from the Federate Trades' Council of Pendleton, state hat they wished to address the coun The council expressed willing Booth, an actor and nephew of John ness to hear them and the spokesman of the party, Edward Coffman, stated

Coffman said that at a meeting of the Rigby-Clove Company had beer declared unfair to organized labor ids from the foundry on any city The matter was stated by Coffma

Some of the committee said they had no desire to force the combin unionize; others that they wanted the men to unionize, but had no use for the proprietors. Some said that they could handle no iron from the oundry as long as it was unfair hat it would be unfair as long as it mployed non-union men, and some said that the company could employ con-union men if it wanted to, and yet remain on the fair list if it was what warmer this week, and alfana

The matter was reviewed from the

time the trouble started, when Ed Money built the addition to the foun- greatly improved crop prospects; dry building and employed non-union all grains and grasses growing fast bits of information which was given Mitchell today says he does not care them either clearly or not, as the o discuss the probable outcome of case was. They were asked why the Sproul.-Have had a much-needed the men convicted of mutiny and labor and said they would fire any ter.-Lower temperature; range feed man who joined. This statement good; stock gradually getting in good

giving their notes for the same. This insure good hay crops,

action the union refused to recognize, claiming it was not done in good faith. The matter of the founding of the scouring mills and the woolen mills by the same method of private subscription was cited by members of the council to show that the action. of the foundry employes was reason able, but the union people held other-

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Mr. Clopton didn't see that the large and scores of small boats were matter was quite ripe for discussion tised for as yet. Hayor Halley then stated the matter as it appeared to him. He said that the unions asked te council to discriminate against ne class of people to their detriment, when it was the duty of the nuncil to do the best in its po by the people. The unions asked the ouncil to refuse to allow Chinese or SEWER BONDS GO TO THE ther ships were wrecked, including ported labor to be employed on the Japanese labor, or non-union or im onstruction of the sewer, and to de-Persimmon, the Chilean bark Esqui- mand the employment of home labor to. The Foydale struck the break- as far as possible, and then turned around and ask them in the same breath to shut out the only foundry from the work to the detriment of the people, the foundry and the city. There was a conflict in the

The union people stated that if the ron was bought from the Rigby-Clove Company that no union labor could be employed in the construction of the sewer, and the council cut

ment. Neck Broken by a Fall, Salt Lake, June 2 .- An unknown rty of 240 Sunday school pupils on man this noon while quarreling with oard, struck a draw span of the a man named Hammond, at the Hississippi bridge here today. Both Grill Club rooms, was thrown down salary be raised from \$65 to \$75 per barge and steamer went to the bot a staircase breaking his neck. He cm. So far as now known, only died a few minutes later. Hammond the council.

Excursion Train Wrecked. Augusta, Me., June 3.-An excur-Sumpter, on the Coast Line, and tee many killed and injured.

A WELCOME RAIN HAS FALLEN EVERYWHERE

by Cold Weather in Some Locali ties-Fruit Yield Will be Heavy-Strawberry Picking in Progress. The past week was more favorable

han the previous one, and a general aprovement has been noted in the ondition of creps. Good rains jel n the eastern sections, which tem orarily relieved the droughty condiions and caused rapid germination of late sown grain. A few small lowers have also occurred in the outhern part of the state, but more rain is badly needed in that section In the Willamette valley and the is too wet, and warm weather and more sunshine is desired. The wheat crop east of the Cascade mountains is backward and unusually weedy his morning, the roads affected with prospects that even with favor able weather conditions from now on said leave to begin on Thursday

than those of last year. in the Willamette valley the weathlast night, \$2500 in currency and \$20. and the crop has stooled nicely and the plant is healthy and vigorous Hops in the old yards are not doing well; the number of missing hills is large and the vines are making an Choate and McCormick arrived on uneven growth. In the new yards

the hop vines are thrifty and promis Potato planting is well advance and corn and gardens have made fair good progress during the week. ange horses in Klamath county are or for the season of the year. The strawberry crop is good, and cherries promise fairly good yields, Total, \$1,727.25. although the cold weather and rains

and pears and also apples have set from these \$476.80 was collected in

Columbia River Valley. Mosier, Wasco county, J. M. Car oll.-Fore part of week cool; latter part hot; some fall grain cut for hay; pring grain short; fruit prospects ontinue good; gardens and pasture ne; early peas mostly shipped trawberries ripening fast; smal ield on account of young vines. Moro, Sherman county, N. P. Han en .- Warm and dry, with light showers first of week; warm weather has mproved crops considerably; more

Condon, Gilliam county, John F.

r; light rain middle of week; pro ects for wheat fair if rairs com June; weeds now making better eadway than grain. Pendleton, Umatilla county, E. V. IcComas.—Several showers varmer weather have improved crops omewhat; present conditions indirate a yield of grain one-third short f average seasons; abundant rains ow would do much to improve pring-grown grain; pasture, except ear the mountains, poor; fruit pros ects good

Helix, Umatilla county, S. L. Isaac.

-Crops have made fair growth;

weather warmer, with a few light howers; more rain needed; crops ot suffering yet; summer fallow plowing completed. Plateau Region. Erwin, Baker county, John Erwin. -No rain, and very dry; it is some

s growing fast; all other crops are ackward Cove, Union county, Jasper G stevens.-Twenty-four hours' rain has men exclusively, to the present time. a large cherry crop now assured, and The councilmen asked for various chances good for apples and straw-Ontario, Malheur county, A.

Sisters, Crook county, C. H. Fos-

crop, and greatly benefit all others.

COUNCIL MEET

since the bids had not been adver- One of the Most Important Sessions Held in Several

Trades Council Asks That Boycott of and Other Things.

The council was called to order last night by Mayor Halley, and Al-Howard and Sommerville were pres-

Three Petitions Presented, A petition was presented from the street commissioner asking that his month. The petition was granted by

that an additional arc light be placed on West Court street. The petition A petition was presented by residents of West Court street to estab-lish a grade between Lilleth street

corder and treasurer were read and An ordinance was presented es ablishing a grade in Byers' addition and was referred to the ordinance

ommittee for consideration Sale of Band Issue Authorized. The bids on the bond issue for the onstruction of the new sewer were opened and read. S. A. Kean, of Chicago, bld \$30,330, the Trowbridge & liver Company bid \$30,320, and the order of the Women of Woodcraft id \$33,012, through their agent, J. L. Wright, the grand clerk of this order. The latter bid was accepted and an ordinance passed authorizing the sale. The bonds are issued in the sum of \$1,000, and bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. They are dated on July 1, 1902, and pay in-

terest semi-annually. Purchase of Right of Way. The recorder was authorized to oast countles the soil if anything draw funds at the demand of the sewer committee as a tender on the proposed right of way for the sewer at the lower end of the city.

the yields will be considerably less next. John Hailey, Jr., was appoint-After listening to arguments by a ommittee of the Federated Trades

> foundry, the council adjourned. City Recorder's Report. uncil last evening and adopted.

The sale of cemetery lots netted \$20, the liens closed by the street ommissioner yielded \$190.25, and the transfer of real estate to C. B. Wade cave the city \$700 more. A total of 1.387.05 being received. counted to \$1.700.

the last month. LAND OFFICE FOR MAY. Peceipts Show Gradual Increase in

esulted from any contagious diseases

15,232 acres 38,082.00 sales isolated tracts, 160 acres mineral entries, 49 acres 255.00 original desert entry, 160 acres Fees on 8 coal locations ... 2 mineral applications applications to record 98 980.00 timber locations 30 homestead entries 1260.00 Commission on 130 H. E .. 794.00 6 Umatilla Indian land

HANGED FOR PIRACY.

sales, 3886 acres ...

Mutineers Also Guilty of Piracy on the High Seas. Liverpool, June 2.-Rau and Smith, hanged today.

Baker City, June 2.-North Powder property, which is largely copper The surface showing here is a vein feet in this shoot is all in ore.

Months Past.

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT.

the Rigby-Clove Company Be Recognized-The Salary of the Street Commissioner Raised Ten Dollars Per Month-Petition for Arc Light

A petition was presented by residents of West Court street, asking sion train is reported wrecked near was referred to the street commit

> and Oak street, and the matter was ferred to the street committee. The reports of the marshal, city approved.

The recorder was granted a leave of absence for not more than 10 days.

ed to the office of recorder ad in-Council, asking that the council recognize the boycott of the Rigby-Clove

The recorder's report for the month just closed was submitted to the During the last month there were six liquor licenses issued, aggregating \$1.650; two express licenses for \$9.75; two show licenses, for \$4; one icense to a pawnbroker for \$2.50, and 35 dog licenses, amounting to \$61. There were 73 cases tried during

The expenses as paid for salary current expenses, The city health report showed that ere was during the past month three cases of smallpox, one case of carlet fever, one case of diphtheria and one case of measles. No deaths

teisacher.-Excellent growing weath-Following is a report of the United States land office at La Grande, for he month of May: 23 commutation of home stead entries \$ 4,350.00 8 timber and stone proofs,

> 196 timber and stone locations filed\$50,132.31

was qualified by some of the commit-tee by the statement that Rigby and ing water because of inferior mode a busy season. The John Dobbins Yainax, Klamath county, K. C. Eg- and which is pronounced the most Mr. Hartman asked about the ac- bert.-Getting too dry; much colder likely showing in that section, will Pittsburg, Pa., June 3.-A fire and St. Paul signed the freight handl- tion of the men in taking stock. Each weather and frequent frosts; a few be active soon now, as the owners caused by an explosion of chemicals in the drug house of the Gilmore Co., western is reported to having agreed pany to sign whether they preferred growth; garden crops backward. this morning seriously burned seven persons. One girl, panic-stricken.

The surface showing here is a vein to join a union, to take stock or to persons. One girl, panic-stricken.

The restaurants are signing the remain neutral. All of the men —This section has saved a full crop known shoot having good values. A jumped from a fifth story window employes' scale, as demanded. A la- signed to take \$100 worth of stock, of lambs, and has plenty of water to shaft sunk last year to a depth of 20