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RUSSIAN ROUT

Existence.

Are Evacuated.

cess at Port Arthur.

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TACK ON PORT ARTHUR

Gain Valuable Ground After Bloody

Bayonet Fights-Terrific Explosion

London, Sept. 5 .- The Exchange

Telegraph has a Rome dispatch as

serting that a telegram from Tokio

contains the news of Japanese suc

The Japanese made a desperate at

tack on the line of forts from Antshe

shan to Ksekitvan. After a blood;

bayonet fight they occupied the

harbor, one vessel being disabled.

Russian Army Annihilated.

Central News from Rome states that

Stackelberger's army, numbering

25,000, which was reported cut off by

junction with Kuropatkin, has been

Kuropatkin Abandoned 200 Guns.

London, Sept. 5 .- A St. Petersburg

correspondent to Reuter's wires that

despite the denial of the war office

the report is persistently current that

Kuropatkin was obliged to abandor

200 guns at Liao Yang. Some were

damaged in the fighting. The res

were spiked by order of Kuropatkin

that General Linevitch, with troops

for the relief of Kuropatkin, has an

rived at a point not far from Mukden

Details of Liao Yang Fight.

Yentai, Sept. 5 .- Russians evacuat-

Taitze and burning the bridges be

hind them. A strong force was hold

attacked this force on September 2

but was repulsed. The Japanese

annihilating two Russian companies.

In the evening Kuroki got within

12 miles of the railroad at Yantai.

Later he was driven back to his orig

inal position. Desultory fighting oc-

Kuropatkin Still on the Run.

Czar Going to the Front.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 5 .- It is again

being in progress.

It is also rumored at St. Petersburg

completely wiped out.

credited here.

SAILORS TURN SMUGGLERS.

cars and 24 Panama hats were seized y a secret service man and a cur oms officer Wednesday at Bremer ton. The goods were taken from the Eagle Billiard Hall and brought this city, where they were taken charge by the customs authorities of his city.

Officer F. G. Malone and Customs Of cer Knox. The eigars are valued \$680, while the Panama hats range in value from \$12 to \$25. The goods were brought to Bremerton by the sailors of the United States cruisers New York and Bennington, and sev ral other vessels which are now sta ioned at the navy yard, and sold a the proprietor of the Eagle Billian hall, where they were found and con

of Powder Inside Port Arthur Does For some time past the secret serv men have been aware of the fact that large quantities of cigars and other articles were coming in at the navy yard on which no duty was be ng paid, and Special Officer Malonnd Customs Officer knox were de

LABOR DAY BASEBALL.

Record of League Games Played This Forencon.

Boston, Sept. 5.-Boston, 12; Wash ngton, 5. Cleveland, Sept. 5.-Cleveland, 4: St. Louis, 3.

terrible bombardment of the towns hicago, 3. Shells also deluged the ships in the hia, 5; Brooklyn, 4. Pittsburg, Sept. 5.—Pittsburg, 3; Cincinnati, 5. London, Sept. 5 .- A dispatch to the

Former Comptroller Dead. Ogdensburg, N. Y., Sept. 5.-Danie Magone, former Comptroller of the the Japanese while attempting a Port of New York, died last night.

## A dispatch to the Exchange-Telegraph from Rome, states that Kuropatkin had two horses shot from under him during his retreat from Liao der him during his retreat from Liac Yang. The dispatch regarding the loss of Stackleberger's forces is dis-

STEAMER POMONA HAS

ed their positions around Liao Yang fog at 1 o'clock this morning, the of the tribe in English will be watchthe night of September 3, crossing the steamer Westport, from San Fran ed with interest. cisco for Westport, collided with the ing Kuroki back from Yentai. Kuroki steamer Pomona from Eureka, for San Francisco, Sept. 5.—Templar

The Pomona's guard was carried curred September 3 in the vicinity of away and a number of her plates were broken. The Westport escaped with a bac

y damaged bow and was forced to eturn to the city. The Pomona limp St. Petersburg, Sept. 5,-According ed into port with passengers in an in to the latest, but unofficial reports ensely nervous condition, some of Kuropatkin continues to retire northhe women on the verge of histerics ward, some rear guard fighting still Some of the passengers suffered slight bruises by falling from their berths.

COLLISION INJURES SEVEN.

reported that the czar has decided to go to the front to inspire the troops Chicago Elevated Train Crashes Into by his presence. String of Empty Cars. Magazine Explosion at Port Arthur.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 5 .- The general staff estimates that Kuropatkin's loss during the retreat from the Liao train crashed into a string of empty Yang fight was 1000 killed and wounded. Several times the regiments were obliged to cut through opposing Japanese by bayonet and narrowly escaped being precipi

charges.

Stackleberg is believed to be safely out of the Japanese enveloping forces.

A message was received this evening reporting the explosion of a powder magazine at Port Arthur with tremendous destruction.

Suicide at Kamiah.

Kamiah, Idaho, Sept. 5 .- The dead body of R. L. Smith, of Grangeville, was found this afternoon near the Indian church here, a quarter of a mi! from town, and about twenty yards McVicker's estate, appeared today in lined the sidewalks to see the process from the wagon road. The dead the person of Alexander MceBan, of slon come in. man's throat had been cut from ear San Francisco. The attorneys for to ear and a short distance away on McBean notified Attorney Condee, , to ear and a short distance away on McBean hothed Attorney Condee, nessed at Union in 1872, when the ground was found a pen knife. representing the estate, but did not same records were hauled into Union, aged. The former lost a bridge over the manouvers and going into came representing the estate, but did not same records were hauled into Union, aged. The former lost a bridge over the manouvers and going into came at Manassas and The man evidently had been dead two or three days, judging from the condibased. tion of the body. At first rumors were in circulation that a murder had been committed, but later investigation seemed to assure beyond all doubt that the case was one of suicide.

Murderer Electrocuted.

Auburn, N. Y., Sept. 5 .- Guiseppe Versail, aged 21, was electrocuted at Northern Pacific Wreck Blocks the 6:24 this morning. The electrocution was without incident. Versail and Antonio Girogio, who was electrocuted here last week, killed John Vangorder and his half sister, Miss, Franham, in Allegheny county, last May.

Escape of Von Plehve Assassin. St. Petersburg, Sept. 5 .- The report that Sassoneff, one of the murderers of Von Plehve, has escaped from prison, is denied in official circles.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 5.-It is reported here that the California mur-

'Jackies" on American War Vessel

MOST COMPLETE Seattle, Sept. 5.-Eight thousand ci Stackelberger's Division of 25,000 Men Wiped Out of

iscated by the officers.

Immense Damage - Two Horses Shot From Under Kuropatkin-Nicholas Again Decides to Go to the Front to Inspire Troops-All Rustailed to work up the case. sian Positions Around Liao Yang

The majority of the cigars wer cought from Manila and are of as excellent quality. The hats were pur chased in Panama, while the vessel were lying at that place.

heights south of Tung Chaltau. From this point of vantage they began a St. Louis, Sept. 5 .- St. Louis, Philadelphia, Sept. 5.-Philadel

NARROW ESCAPE

Met the Westport in a Heavy Fog Off Point Reyes, Both Vessels Disabled -The Pomona Limped Back to San Francisco Harbor-Women Passen-

Narrow Escape From Sinking.

with all on board.

Chicago, Sept. 5.-Seven were seri

isly injured in a collision on the Lake street elevated at St. Louis avenue, this morning. A crowded

CLAIMS A SHARE.

Wrangling Has Begun Over Mrs. Mc-Vicker's Estate.

Chicago, Sept. 2.-Another unex ected claimant for a share in the

The will will possibly not be pro pated before next week. Mis. McVicker's body is expected arrive in Chicago Sunday after-

TWELVE CARS IN THE DITCH. Tracks.

Missoula, Mont., Sept. 3.-As a result of a rear-end collision between westbound Northern Pacific freights be held in this city, as soon as the Nos. 53 and 59 at Drummond at 7:30 work is complete. Bonfires will be clock tonight, 12 freight cars are in burned till late into the night,

no one was injured. While No. 59 was switching in the yards train No. 53 bowled into its ear end, running at full speed.

Fishing Schooner Seized.

Fishing Schooner S derer, John C. Dunham, has been cap fishing schooner Samoset, of Dux- liam Fife has also refused. M. Linn, the head by the motorman and con- husband for highway robberies here Both of the dispatches were signed

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK AT OLD WAGES.

Bring in Panama Hats and Ci- Announced That the Only Condition to the Agreement is That the Strikers Call Off the Strike to Be Put to Work in There Old Places as Fast as Possible-Police Arrest 38 Strikers on Picket Duty at Chicago Yards-Seven Weeks' Strike Ends in Failure-Million Lost in Wages -Not a Point Gained.

> Chicago, Sept. 5 .- A secret confer ice of the representatives of packers and striking butchers' committee s in progress; looking to a settlement of the strike. Manager Strainer, of the Union

Stockyards & Transit Companies, pent more than an hour this morn ng in consultation with the strik eaders at the Transit House, It is authoritatively stated that President Donnelly held a conference Saturday night with T. J. Conners, o

Armour & Co., and that he will mee

other representatives of the packer It is stated that plans have been hade for the immediate return to work of the strikers. It is understood he packers agreed to put the old men work as fast as possible at the old

The only condition is that the nions call off the strike. As a retop night picketing at the yards, 28 Yang, as he did at Hai Cheng. nen were locked up during the night No Referendum Vote on Strike.

Donnelly today withdrew the order

Donnelly denies that he will call to flank him from the west. r a reiesendum vote as to calling off the strike. Reports of the pending settlement are looked upon as a ruse to prevent another break in the

Strike Ends in New York.

New York, Sept. 5.-A police row, when the strikers apply for their held by other troops.

St. Louis. guage, and a school will be regularly onducted at the Philippine reservaon until the close of the exposition. self. Our losses were insignificant. The first class was held today and gers on Verge of Hysterics-Was prise the second class and the Negrithat the Japanese attacked the fort the front states that the Russians are

The Negrito is one of the most prim-San Francisco, Sept. 5 .- In a dense and efforts to instruct the members

Templars at the Shrine.

San Francisco, 17 miles northwest of commanderies arriving this morning Point Reyes and but for a fortunate were from Nebraska, Illinois, Massashrappel fire was terrific, one shell sheer at the moment of striking, it is chusetts, Kentucky, Pennsylvania and believed by the officers and passen | Minnesota. This atternoon the Ear gers of the Pomona, that the vessel of Euston and the British delegation would have been sent to the bottom arrived and were given an ovation as they rode through the streets.

"Hello" Girls Can't Flirt. Cincinnati, Sept. 5 .- Fifty "hello girls have been discharged for flirt- started shortly after 9 o'clock toing over the wires. They were trap night swept the entire business por Question Developed by Direct Pri ped by a traveling detective, who tion of Gem, Idaho, and a large part would call for a number and begin a of the residence district, entailing a

## COUNTY RECORDS HAULED IN WAGONS

LA GRANDE PEOPLE MOVE THE COUNTY SEAT.

Records Brought From Union to La flames.

the La Grande county seat commit-

tion, from citizens of this city, who wires and the power line of the Wash-

state on what ground the claim is which it is claimed stole the county eat from La Grande. The records were brought over in

ouse is ready for them. It was intimated that a demonstraion would be made by Union, against he removal of the records, bu carcely a person was seen on th streets as the twelve wagons filed through town and up to the cour

house to load the records. A celebration of the removal will already purchased homes in this city.

Challenge Race Improbable. Glasgow, Sept. 3.—George L. Wat-

Another Great Battle is Imminent. Berlin Financiers Believe Russia Is Preparing for a Five Years' War-Japanese Gain Many Advantages, Following Capture of Liao Yang-Fifty Thousand Killed and Wounded Before Liao Yang-Prospects

Admit Great Reverses, But Minimize Their Losses.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 3.—The war that portion which occupies a defense partment announces that communi from the south to northwest of Liao cations with Liao Yang have been Yang, and the height northeast of Nothing has been received re- Mutcang. Our armies conducting an arding operations around that place attack on the right bank of the Taitse nice Thursday. Great anxiety pre-river occupied the height west of Helralls in official quarters, although youngal at 9 this morning, September onfidence is expressed that Kuropat- 3, the enemy being routed. The ensult of the efforts of the police to kin will extricate himself at Lian emy is still offering some resistance

Kuropatkin in Retreat.

London, Sept. 3.-A dispatch from alling on the Meat Cutters, Team St. Petersburg states the report reach. St. Petersburg, Sept. 3.—High milli ters and Market Wagon Drivers to ed there today that Kuropatkin is re-tary authorities here admit efuse to handle any meat until the treating toward Mukden. Officials been decided to abandon Liao Yang strike is declared off. He said the admit the report was received, but unless Kuropatkin is overwhelmingly order was not official. The confersay it is not official. If Kuropatkin successful immediately. ace board had no power to order the is retreating, they say it is probably due to another effort of the Japanese

> Kuropatkin's Account. St. Petersburg, Sept. 3 .- Kuropat. across the Taitse. Kuroki is report kin's dispatch of Friday's date is ed to have captured several Russian made publi

"At nightfall Thursday the Japan- way to Mukden. ese attacked our Skwantun position, but were repulsed after a hot fight. guard is still kept up today at the They renewed the attack at night. Berlin Sept 3 -A prominent bank clants of the Schwarschild and Suelz- this time with success, driving back or just returned from St. Petersburg, allied building trades and the building berger Dressed Beef Company, though a regiment in the direction of Skwan- reports the Russians are making fillers and contractors broke out son he strike of the butchers is called off. tun. The retreat of this regiment led nanc The guard wil be kept up until tomor- to the evacuation of the positions five years' campaign against the Jap- or lockout would seriously int

vanced gradually, in order to retake out the Japanese. TEACH ENGLISH TO FILIPINOS, Skwantun position. At dawn Friday assumed the offensive against Ku-School for Most Primitive Natives at roki's army, the attacking corps in take by artillery the position captur. Field Marshal Oyama succeeded in given, that enough schools to St. Louis, Sept. 5.-Worl'ds Fair ed during the night. My infantry al-Grounds.—Arrangements have been so advenced to the attack. During completed for teaching the Igorrotes. the night the Japanese violently bom-Moros and Negritos the English lan-barded the interior of the Russian position and inside the Liao Yang railroad station, and the railroad it. The neighborhood is next year.

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"Have just received a dispatch struction will be commenced with from the chief of the Liao Yang gare Moros. The Igorrotes will com- rison, timed 10:35 a. m., to the effect Tokio, Sept. 3.—A telegram from The Town of Larkspur Threatened situated in the center of our position, gradually giving way before Field San Rafael. Cal., Sept. 2.—Fire but were repulsed with very great Marshal Oyama's assault. Kuroki started this morning on the hill west

Russians Routed. London, Sept. 3.—The Japanese legation gives out the following dispatch received by Oyama from Tokio Rome, Sept. 3.-A telegram from this morning:

GREAT FIRE AT GEM. Idaho Town Nearly Annihilated Last burned to the ground. Night.

Wallace, Idaho, Sept. 3.—Fire which loss of \$150,000, destroying nearly 100 houses and rendering scores of people question as to registration has been homeless. The houses were occupied for the most part by miners, many of Clerk Fields; whether a man must for the most part by miners, many of whom moved to Gem after the Black Bear conflagaration three months are election on account of the enactmen Bear conflagaration three months ago. In almost every case all their be- of the direct primary law. in almost every that seems almost every that a second time, which were purchased only voter must register a second time.

so the residents were forced to stand nothing to do with such a move. The passenger train left the tracks Twelve Wagonloads of Vaults and by and see the town swept by the tial election will be opened by Count

The cause of the fire is unknown, Clerk Fields on September 20. Grande Yesterday-Crowds of Peo- but it is supposed to have been start- ing the month, voters who failed to ple Lined the Street as the Processed by some drunken man in the vasion Came in—Celebration of the cant building. With two exceptions all the buildings in town were frame. White & Bender's store building, in the lower part of the lower part La Grande, Sept. 5.—Twelve wagnloads of county records, from Union

Trived here last right (see East 2000 county records).

The lower part of town, was surrounded by burning cottages and stores, but withstood the flames, and the stock of \$20,000 county records from Union onloads of county records, from Union arrived here last night, in charge of \$30,000 or over escaped with election matters was thrown into the little damage.

Telephone, telegraph, electric light waste basket by many officers of the ington Water Power Company were estroyed. Both the O. R. & N. and Northern Pacific suffered some damthe canyon. On one side runs the O. 26,000 are expected by tomorrow. the vaults, and will be placed in temporary quarters until the new court

R. & N. railway, while the Northern

Pacific passes through the only street

Watterson Visits Parker. close to it. The burned area is nearly luncheon with the Parker family.

KUROPATKIN IN RETREAT Place Will Open Soon. busily engaged in preparing for the

That the Russians Will Abandon the Liao Yang District-Russians

outside of Liao Yang. Our center and left armies are attacking.

Will Abandon Liao Yang.

St. Petersburg states that the greater management of the Stubblefield from part of Kuropatkin's army is now positions in the direction of the rall

For Five Years' Campaign.

ancse. They believe the national re- with the completion of the 65 sch "Towards morning our troops ad sources of Russia will be able to wear buildings either planned or aiready

Battle Is Imminent.

hilly and well adapted for defense, Russians Giving Way.

ing the railway. 50,000 Killed and Wounded.

the right bank of the Taitse, except wounded. 1000 feet long, and the houses, which were built closely together, were burned to the ground. was felt at 6:30 this morning. No

MAY REGISTER AGAIN.

maries Law. Portland, Sept. 3 .- An interesting

The fire started in the Frisco cafe, that is, register again, since the pasin an unoccupied building. When discovered it had a good start. The alarm was immediately given and a rush was made for fire apparatus. When hose was coupled onto the hydrant there was found to be not well. drant there was found to be no water, Fields says that his office will have Registration books for the Preside

Gainesville, Va., Sept. 3 .- Troop nessed at Union in 1872, when the age, having rails and platforms dam- are arriving by thousands today for Gem is located in a narrow part of Ten thousand are already here an

> of the town. The houses were built Esopus, Sept. 2.-Henry Watterse on either side of the track and very and wife arrived at 12:15 and took

## PORTLAND POLICEMAN KILLED BY BO'

or 10 hours. No lives were lost and ed. Most of the county officials have near Willamette Heights bridge last night, Police Officer Ole Nelson was shot twice and has no hope for re- Portland, Sept. 2.-The boy who Washington, D. C.: We, the Indians, covery. The assassin was captured.

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While trying to capture Charles bed, and he stated then he could W. Walton, the highwayman who swear the man who shot Nelson was further trouble. Answer immediate- The speaking program today com the ditch, 300 feet of track is torn up speeches by prominent citizens will be made and a banquet will be serving and all traffic has been delayed eight be made and a banquet will be serving and all traffic has been delayed eight.

Brother of Grace Haney.

Walla Walla, Sept. 2.-A. R. Old-

During Recent V sit East He Visited Several Institutions of the Kind to Familiarize Himself With Work-

REV. A. R. OLDS WILL HAVE

Widows and Orphans. The exac ite of the opening of the home will determined upon at a meeting o Also That All Communication With Liao Yang Has Been Cut the trustees tomorrow. A \$2000 heating plant is being installed and th building put in proper condition for the reception of inmates. There is large number of applicants. Mr. Olds will hold the position o perintendent and Mrs. Olds will be natron. During their recent visit East they inspected a number of in utions similar to the Stubblefield d gained some good ideas concern g the best method of managing hem.

"Our trip East," said Mr. Olds, was primarily to visit our old home Indiana, which we had not seen or 23 years. I noticed many change that had taken place during my al ence, but in a general way condions were much the same as when left there nearly a quarter of a cer tury ago. My home city, Fort Wayne, had made some progress and emembered it to be "At the different public institutions

e inspected we had an opportunity study the best and latest method vogue and gained many excellen leas. We talked to people who have had 25 to 30 years' experience and whose knowledge is most valuable In all instances they were very kind and obliging and freely gave us al ie information we asked for. We Japanese Gain More Advantages. gained ideas and information that London, Sept. 3 .- A dispatch from will aid us very materially in the he very beginning

STRIKERS FAVOR SCHOOLS.

Building Trades Difficulties Did Not Stop Work on School Buildings. New York, Sept. 2.-When the couble between the members of the in course of construction.

Fortunately a compromise was reached in regard to the work on Tokio, Sept. 3.—It is believed that school houses and assurance has been crossing the Taitse this morning with vide for the \$7,000 children will be COL DOESCH GOES EAST the main body of the Japanese army, ready at the beginning of the school The Russians are concentrating in year next month and that the others the neighborhood of me Yental coal which will provide for over hundre

CALIFORNIA FIRE.

amage was done.

With Destruction. tive races known to the ethnologist loss. We had six killed in the fort," succeed 1, after desperate fighting, of Larkspur and rapidly spread until in capturing an eminence overlook it now threatens the entire country o the south and west, including Mt. Tokio received today says the cas-

> Earthquake in California. Sainias, Cal., Sept. 2.-An earth-

Lumber Yards Burned. Toledo, O., Sept. 2.-The immense this afternoon. Loss, \$100,000.

REVOLT AGAINST THE RESERVATION AGENT.

Charge Complicity With Captain of Indian Police to Defraud the Tribesmen-Also That Drunkenness is on the Increase-Petition the President to Dismiss the Present Agent, and Make Other Complaints.

Klamath Falls, Sept. 3.-The In lians of the Klamath agency have gone on the warpath and are after the scalps of Captain Applegate and is assistants.

They charge that through the in luence of Captain Applegate the capain of the Indian police has rented ribal lands to outside stockmen for is own benefit; that the lands were ented to R. H. Horning and Tom ackson of Silver Lake, in an unlawmanner; that they could never do giness with Captain Applegate as tat county, where they took pack would not keep his appointments, horses for the interior. It was nd that as a result of poor manage ent and neglect of duty drunken in- Northern Pacific surveyors. lians, men and women, can be see

the reservation at any time. They show many more causes for ievance and after holding a meet cerams were sent: on, D. C.: We, the Indians, respect lly state that our United States In- the Great Northern railway. ian agent fails to do his duty. This servation is going down toward nothing; if he cannot manage, le someone take charge at once before

tribal lands reads as follows: "To the Secretary of the Interior, SITE IS SELECTED

CHARGE STUBBLEFIELD HOME Portland Will Soon Have Packing Plant in Operation.

> Portland, Sept. 2 .- A site has been selected for a packing plant and stockyards in this city. To make ure of securing sufficient land for all purposes negotiations are now in progress for a portion, and until all he ground necessary is bought and le secured the exact location will not be made public. At the same time it is averred by the promoters hat their program to have actual building operations begun by Octo ber can hardly be seriously interfered with, and the present secrecy is only a measure to make more secure the intentions of the men who have THREE WOMEN SECURED noney in the project.

The present purpose is to have the lant in operation in time to conume cattle fattened by full feeding uring the winter for the spring mar-

J. Cahill of Denver, who has been vorking quietly upon it for months sast, and now has it far enough adranced to justify moving his family Portland, which he has done, hav g purchased residence property nd will make this his permanent Mr. Cahill is a promoter with a rec-

The prime mover in the project i

rd of doing things, and in this par cular line at that. He planned ustled the money for and put in opertion the Western Packing plant in Denver, in 1892, and though it was combated by the older and heavier apitalized institutions of the country est of the Missouri river. For years Mr. Cahill was manager from \$12,000 to \$5500 a mile, but the

is put in operation. Mr. Cahill has enlisted the attenand they have organized a working widows. ompany that will enter the business ists with money and skill of manage-

CONTRACTS FOR

TO CLOSE AGREEMENTS. Laborer Killed in Logging District

hibits Will Be Taken Bodily to tracts Provide for Displays From Every Corner of the Globe, and Are Signed by Over Four Thousand Official Representatives.

Portland, Sept. J .- There is renewed activity in the preparations for Tamalplas, Mill Valley, Baltimore housing and exhibiting the displays Canyon and the Kent and Murray which will begin to arrive for the properties. Gangs of fire fighters Lewis and Clark fair immediately up-The enemy in front of our left central army is in continued retreat to
thus far amounts to 50 000 killed and

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The enemy in front of our left central army is in continued retreat to
thus far amounts to 50 000 killed and rector of exhibits, for St. Louis, where was severely bruised and jammed. A he will remain until the close of the Finn logger's head was cut, and he

Col. Dosch is already in touch with between 4000 and 5000 representatives of industrial establishments of every imaginable kind, representing industries carried on in every part of the world, with the intention of securing their exhibits at the World's fair in imber yards of Mitchell & Co., at whole or in part for the Portland Woodland, were destroyed by fire show. Col. Dosch makes this trip to

sign up for these exhibits under con-The terms of these contracts obli ate the Lewis and Clark directors to urn them unimpaired as to condin, and also binds the exhibitors to allow them to remain until the close of the exposition, without abbreviation, and to keep them in perfect runing order when the exhibit is mahinery or other industrials, and to eep agents and experts on hand dur ig the entire exposition to properly explain the qualities of the exhibits and give such other information as may be necessary to enlighten the

siting public. Nearly all the contracts for exhibfrom China, Japan, Indo-China and he Orient generally, as well as the If the right man, his captors get \$10,-Australian and African contracts, were signed up while Col. Dosch was in the East some time ago. He has now only to go through the formula of signing for exhibits from Europe and many of the American exhibits,

Hill Shows Signs of Invading New Territory. Hood River, Sept. 3.-Last week a party of surveyors from Seattle, headed by J. F. Blakemore, crossed to the Washington side of the Columbla to Glenwood, in Western Klicki-

GREAT NORTHERN SURVEYORS.

thought at the time the party was Yesterday James Langille returned from the McCoy creek mines, on the headwaters of the Cowlitz, and reported that this same surveying party ig at Klamath Falls, the following is at work in the Cispus pass, and that a similar party is working west To President Roosevelt, Washing- from the Yakima country. He was told the party was in the employ of

eft here early today for Chicago. prises platform addresses at Lexing The other telegram which refers ton Junction, Carrolton, Marceline and like bullets. They also tore off the La Plata. Beveridge Calls on Roosevelt.

Fairbanks is Stumping.

MADE LESS THAN \$550 REDUCTION

Board of Equalization Received Few Kicks From County Taxpayers.

CUT IN ASSESSMENTS.

Application of Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company That Assessment Be Lowered from \$12,000 to \$5500 a Mile Will Be Considered by County Court Next Week-Three Persons Who Received Lower Ret. ing Are Widows-Work of Board

The estimated assessment of Umallia county for 1904 is \$9,600,000, yet the result of the deliberations of the board of equalization in session this was doubled in size, and is one of week, shows a reduction of less than most flourishing packing plants \$550. The O. R. & N. company has asked that its assessment be reduced the Denver plant, and is now a matter will be decided by the countockholder in it, and will be the ty court.

manager of the Portland plant when Very few persons appeared before he board of equalization and asked eductions. Several came for the ion and secured the money subscrip- purpose of examining their assessions of some of the most conserva- ments and went away satisfied. All ive and heavy capitalists of Portland, those who secured reductions are Mrs. M. E. Rice, of Hudson Bay

secured a reduction of \$280 on alfalfa ment and operation that destine it lands. Mrs. Susan Welch had the asessment on property in this city cut \$100 and Mrs. Mary A. Ellis, widow of a Mexican war veteran, secured a reduction of \$165. Her property conists of a small cottage ni this city. Joseph Vey's request that the asessment on \$5000 deposited in a loal bank be stricken out, was denied. Vey owns property in Morrow couny and he attempted to establish his esidence in that county

HEAD-END COLLISION.

Train- Accident. Astoria, Sept. 3.—Two logging trains met head-on at Deep River camp near here last night, wrecking Portland After November 1-Con- both engines, causing one death and he injury of several men. The one death was that of Frank Heikling, who was riding on an engine. He was injured about the hips and groin, and lived 10 hours, dying

his morning on the operating table this place. The injured were William Judd. a ogger, whose leg was broken, and he was severely bruised. John Brown, a visitor at the camps, was very badly jammed and somewhat cut, especially about the arms and legs. Jesse Har was badly bruised and suffers from

oncussion of the spine. SHOT HIMSELF IN THE EYE.

Montana Suicide Found Sitting Upright in His Cabin. Malta, Mont., Sept. 3.-Jackson Trask, a well known character, exscout and semi-desperado, was found dead today in h.s cabin, sitting upright. Beside him lay a 22-calibre rifle with which the shooting had been done. There is every indication of deliberate suicide. Trask had put the muzzzle of the gun to his right eye and pulled the trigger after settl-

chair in such a manner that he would not fall over after death.

Reward of \$10,000. San Jose, Sept. 2.-Photographs and accurate descriptions were sent this morning to Naco, Ariz., where a man claiming to be the murderer of Dunham is in custody. When satisfied, the sheriff will send after him

ing himself back in the high-backed

HAIL AT PRINEVILLE.

Storm That Inflicted Great Damage in a Few Moments. Prineville was visited by a hallstorm such as falls to the lot of few men to witness, on Sunday last, says the Prineville Times.

At noon a distant rumble of thunder and a cloud of yellow dust which enveloped the city announced the coming of a storm, but no attention was paid to these signs, as the people supposed it was simply a dust storm, and the only precaution taken was the closing of doors to keep out the dust. In a moment, however, the dust was laid by a shower of hall which was ushered in by a strong west wind, and in a minute more the hail, which was then as large as walnuts, began to rattle on the roofs like a shower of coal, and the few remaining pedestrians in the open made haste to get under cover.

The shower lasted about 10 minutes and did about a thousand dollars' worth of damage to windows and gardens in the city limits. The hail cut off the foliage of trees as with a Kansas City, Sept. 3.-Fairbanks knife, and the air was full of green leaves. The stones struck the exposed windows on the west sides of buildings and went through the glass shingles from roofs and scattered them over the streets until the ground was a mass of hail, green leaves and pieces of shingles.

> Bryan May Come West. It is stated that William Jennings Bryan is being urged to make a west-

derer, John C. Dunham, has been captured near Douglas. He murdered six persons in California eight years ago, and there is a reward of \$11,000 and the interests of national ductor after shooting Officer Nelson.

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