DRIVE THEM FROM STATE. **DRAWN BY PACKERS**

New Meat Inspection Bill Was Their Suggestion.

REPRESENTATIVE WAS IN CHICAGO

Member of Committee Submitted Substitute to Packers-Changes Accepted in Full.

Washington, June 16. - President Roosevelt has yet to play his trump the Beveridge meat inspection amendment to the agricultural bill. It became known today that the house committee substitute for the Beveridge Chicago packers and was reported by the committee exactly as requested by the men whom the president proposes to place under government inspection.

The house committee last Saturday morning reached an agreement to report its substitute and immediatly Representative Lorimer left for Chicago with a copy of the committee bill. He with a copy of the committee bill. He spent half a day Sunday in conference with the leading packers of his home city, submitting to them the substi-tute drawn by himself and Chairman Wadsworth and accepted by the major-ity of the house committee. The pack-ers went over this proposed legislation very carefully, wrote in many changes very carefully, wrote in many changes which they desired, and asked Mr. Lorimer to do his best to have their ideas carried out.

Mr. Lorimer hastened back to Washington, submitted the packers' ideas to the committee, and the majority of the committee actually adopted every suggestion that was made to Mr. Lorimer, reporting a substitute for the Beveridge amendment identical with that which was endorsed by representatives of the packers in Chicago on Sunday. These facts are vouched for by two members of the house committee, and they have reported them to the president.

Such evidence as this is the strongest kind of a club for the president, and will do more than anything else to defeat the committee proposition and force the house to accept something very similar to the original Beveridge amendment; to do otherwise, the house would have to acknowledge that it was legislating at the direction of the beef trust and few congressmen care to go into the campaign this fall with any such record to their credit.

WANT APPEAL TO COURTS.

Victims of Postal Fraud Orders Want Cortelyou Curbed.

California Declares War on Dishonest Insurance Companies.

San Francisco, June 15 .- The official of California are agreed, it is said; that he insurance companies which refuse to meet their obligations and pay their losses in full will not only be driven from the state, but ruined before the world, if the widest publication of their methods can accomplish that end. Insurance Commissioner E. Marion Wolf is backed by Attorney General Webb. The attorney general expressed himself forcefully today regarding the proposition made by 60 companies at a meeting in Oakland Tuesday to pay only 75

per cent of adjusted losses. "Under the law of California," he said, "the state insurance commissioner can revoke the license of any insurance company for the state when there Roosevelt has yet to play his trump card against the men in congress who are endeavoring to render ineffective cause. And not only would it be proof of unsoundness and unfitness to do business, but it will be the plainest avidence of dishonesty. It would be cause for the commissioner to revoke the state license of any company standamendment was actually drawn by the ing for such a proposition, and I know that Mr. Wolf, whose heart is in the situation, will take such action toward

> ment. "This is the limit of his power of punishment under the Calfiornia law, but he can go much further. The insurance commissioners of all the states stand together. Through them, Com-missioner Wolf can advertise to all the world the dishonesty of the companies chat refuse to meet their obligations. I am certain that he will use that power against those that give him cause."

companies that enter such an agree-

There was no change today in the alignment of insurance companies on the proposition to make a general 25 per cent cut, but the companies that voted for full payment still hope to win over many of those that took the stand for a percentage settlement.

LIFE DISGUSTS DOWIE.

Aged Prophet Lay Down to Die Once, But Could Not.

Chicago, June 15 .- John Alexander Dowie, on the witness stand in Judge Landis' court today, tremblingly begged for death to relieve him of his sorrows and his defeats. He declared also that should he die he would come back to earth again as Elijah the Restorer.

Dowie, in the course of his testimony, gave the following rules to guide a man who is about to die: "Do things in order-even when you go to die. Don't make a splash and mees of Go to your death couch and await the end in calm."

The occasion for the discussion of death came when Dowie, fighting for the ownership of Zion City and re-claiming possession, which is now in the hands of Wilbur G. Voliva, was telling of his first serious illness as part of the testimony on his present competency to rule the city which he built. Dowie made the amazing asser-



TURNS DOWN WOOL GROWERS. | SAYS CONTRACTORS WILL LOSE

Did Not Know Nature of Rock Along

Route of Celilo Canal.

Portland-The government canal a

"The contractors, Smith & Jones

who are digging the first half mile at

paring a foundation for the rock work

Mr. Taffe says there is nothing in the

Calapoola Company is Sued.

He

near there for 20 years.

Pinchot Says They Must Pay for All Range in Reserves.

Washington-Gifford Pinchot, chief of the Forestry service, has overruled the protest of the Umatilla County Woolgrowers' association in the matter who has been operating fish wheele of charging a grazing fee for the Blue mountain forest reserve range this sea-

son. The woolgrowers also protested that they were not assigned individual ranges. The department explained that it was not custemary to assign particular tracts to individual stockmen when reserves were first created, and it blast out. Their bid was \$294,000. is not yet determined what plan will be They have about 100 men at work prefollowed in the Blue mountains."

on the upper end of the canal." The association also called attention to recent decisions by the California fishwheel business this season because and Washington courts to the effect "those fellows on the lower river won't that the secretary of agriculture is let a single salmon get past them." without authority to impose a tax for the use of forest reserve range, and gets a good price, 7 cents a pound, for all he traps, his market being in the without authority arbitrarily to regulate its use. The forest officials inter-East. His cold storage works are, pret these decisions to hold that the however, devoid of salmon this season, and he does not anticipate any great secretary of agriculture had not been improvement in the run. empowered to enforce any penal code, but did have the right to keep the reserves clear of stock or lease them on Albany - Claiming the Calapooia Lumber company, of Crawfordsville, such reasonable conditions as he should prescribe. No appeal has been prosecuted to a final hearing in either case. has cut and logged more than 750,000 but the officials believe their right in feet of timber off land belonging to him, Abner C. Withee has filed suit the sphere indicated is beyond all possible question, and say that court decifor \$4,500 damages in the State Circuit sions will have no influence upon the court for Linu county, through Attorrules adopted for control of reserves. ney W. Lair Thompson. The timber alleged to have been cut by the defend-

Bands Want To Go To Salem.

ant company is valued at \$1,500, and the Oregon statutes provide that where Salem-Almost every organized band timber is cut unlawfully the owner in the state has applied to the Salem may recover three times its value. Fourth of July committee for an en-gagement. When the committee began Withee is an Eastern capitalist who has large timber holdings in Linn county, making arrangements to celebrate the and is represented in the West by Fourth it was announced that a large Thompson & Hardy, of Eugene. number of bands, probably 20, would be employed if possible for the occasion. The responses came thick and fast. Several days ago the committee the 12-mile ditch of the Baker Irriga had engaged all the bands that could tion company within the next few days. be paid from the fund available. If there were a few thousand more dollars in the treasury the committee would be willing to work overtime engaging bands. As it is the committee is satisfied that there will be more brass band music in Salem on the Fourth of July than was ever heard at one place in Oregon before.

State Fair To Be the Greatest. Salem-Now that the election is over President Downing of the state fair board, who is also chairman of the Democratic county committee, expects to devote his entire time and attention to perfecting arrangements for the state fair, which opens in September. Mr. Downing says that the fair this year will be the greatest ever held on the built. Dowle made the amaging asser-tion that after he was first stricken he be better and more numerous and the lay down to die, but awoke two hours arbibits in every department will ex-be better and more numerous and the so where the wheat was spring sown. lay down to die, but awoke two hours exhibits in every department will excel all other showings. He says the people in every county are taking an awoke two hours later alive," he said, interest this year, which is due, he "and I am still alive and disgusted." thinks, to the interest awakened by the Lewis and Clark fair.

GERMANIA TO QUIT.

Strong Insurance Company Withdraws From Califoreia.

San Francisco, June 18 .- The Germania Insurance company, of New York, will write no more insurance in this state, will close all its offices and abandon California as an insurance field. Telegraphic instructions have been received from the home office to that effect and will be followed.

Two reasons are given for this action. Celilo will cost \$10,000,000, instead of One, general in its scope, is that of an \$4,000,000, according to I. H. Taffe, ultra-conservative company not caring to risk any more of its capital in California losses. The other is more specific, and says the decision of the company was influenced by the legislature and Insurance Commissioner Wolf. The action of the Germania company

is the talk of insurance circles. When it was reported that the Eagle and some of the other smaller companies would quit California, there was little comment--it was expected--but when a company like the Germania declared itself in the same manner the entire commercial community of the city was startled.

The Germania is one of the strong companies doing business in California, having assets of \$7,000,000, and is paying its losses as rapidly as they are adjusted. Among insurance men the Germania is noted for its conservatism. It was thought probable that the company had been frightened out of the state by its recent losses. This was not fully admitted at the offices of the company, though it was conceded that the character of the loss and the manner in which it was incurred may have had its effect on the directorate.

There is every likelihood that a number of companies will follow the example of the Germania. Smaller companies see in it a precedent under which they may claim a reasonable excuse for quitting the state, and on the other band it may be the pioneer movement in what may develop into concerted action to secure the repeal of the act at the next session.

CYCLONE IN MONTANA.

Loss at Havre Placed at \$200,000-Rain Accompanied Wind.

Havre, Mont., June 13 .- Havre and Fort Assiniboine were struck by a hurricane this afternoon that did damage estimated at \$200,000. Buildings were toppled over without warning when the cyclone struck and not a structure in a lockout of the printers and put

the path of the terrific wind escaped a sympathetic factory strike. damage. Several persons were injured, but up to a late hour this evening no fatalities were reported.

The fierce wind carried rain with it, which fact precluded the possibility of damage by fire. Men and women were swept from their feet by the hurricane and for several minutes it was courting injury to venture outside. Later the

wind subsided somewhat and the work of rescue commenced. A report tonight states that both of

Graft on Colville Indians Passed by

the House.

Washington, June 13 .- Choosing an

opportune moment yesterday, when

nobody was looking, Chairman Sher-

man, of the house Indian committee,

called up and secured the approval of

the conference report on the Indian

dian graft. It had been the intention

of Representative Fitzxgerald, of New

York, to make a fight on this feature

Reference to the text of the bill dis-

stated that \$150,000 cash appropria-

benefit of the Indians," and yet Senator

McCumber, in defending the lawyers'

the reservoirs at Fort Assiniboine have burst and that the quarters of the sold- letters bearing upon this subjet and iers are being flooded. Four troops of be sent from Cleveland to every i the Second cavalry and four companies has of the legislature

STRIKE THREATENED AT MOST Governor of Poltava Clamors

TROOPS JOIN NO

Czar Can No Longer Trust s

lers to Resist Revolution.

Fresh Troops Since Mulley-Court Party Exposed.

St. Petersburg, June 14. - Om of the government's ability to with prospective agrarian discriment the news from Poltava, one of the est and most populous farming vinces of Russia, that the govern in daily receipt of requests for in for the protection of estates for in pensants, who have not the slips fear of the rural guards.

The governor is unable is a with these requests, because the troops, one regiment of which nied Sunday, are so infected by the volutionary propaganda that is ments sent to the villages immediate fraternize with the pessants. The ernor therefore begs the St. Peter authorities to send him fresh troops Two daily newspaper organs of Revolutionary Socialists, the Num Vestnik (People's Messenger) and

Isvestia (Peasant News) were myse ed today. The final number di Narodny Vestnik gives statistic General Trepoff's reactionary part the council of the empire, which eays is composed of three price, is counts, three barons, 24 er pres general, governors and other big d cials, and one metropolitan, sha gether draw from the government a \$500,000 in salaries. Besides that these reactionaries own immese tates, that of M. Polotseff being 1.50 000 Actes.

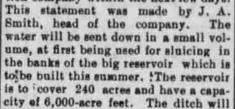
An industrial tempest areas to he the point of breaking at Me whence it may again spread ner empire. A final conference be the employers and printers, in strike produced the general strike last October, is being held tonight it should be fruitless, the result sill

INDEPENDENTS ASK FAIR FAIR

Independents in Ohio Ask for Spe Legislative Session.

Cleveland, June 14 .- The Lasers day says:

An extra session of the Ohio ign ture is asked by the indepen men of the state. A formal request the issuance of a special call is her prepared for Governor Pattison, s



Water Soon to Flow.

Baker City-Water will flow through

be used for carrying water for storage in the reservoir for the first time next spring.

All Umatilla is Rejoicing.

Athena-Reports from all over Umatilla county are to the effect that the outlook for an enormous wheat crop this season is bright. Before the heavy rains there was considerable anxiety over the outlook, as in those localities where the soil is light the prospects for many places it was believed the crop

snington, June 16.—Effort is be ing made to curb the power exercised by the Postoffice department in issuing fraud orders against mail. The house committee on judiciary has reported favorably a measure granting appeal from department fraud orders to the courts, where the petitioner shall be insured the right to a full judicial hearing on the facts and judicial judgment as to whether the postal laws and regulations are being violated.

Department rulings on use of the mails, especially on the point whether fraud is being committed, have been the subject of many sharp controversies.

The plenary powers of the executive officials have been as frequently established. Accumulated disappointment of those denied access to the mails is offered in explanation of the present movement. Since the removal of Tyner, there have been no charges of wilful abuse of the powers of the department, but the purity of purpose conceded to officials has not removed the sting entirely for those who have suffered.

There is little prospect that the mesaure will be passed by the house this session, but assurance is had that a serious effort will be made to put it on the statute books before the close of the Fifty-ninth congress.

Ready to Reduce Navy.

Rome, June 16. - In the chamber of deputies today, Signor Brunialti interrogated the government relative to the proposal of the British government at The Hague conference for reduction of armament. Foreign Minister Tittoni tunity to publicly express Italy's adhesion to the humanitarian proposal of initiatives aiming at the simultaneous reduction of armament to avert the ures with its own members. dangers and disasters of war.

No Liquor in Federal Buildings.

Washington, June 16. - The house committee today authorized a favorab e the sale of alcoholic liquors in build. ings or on premises loaned or leased by the United States government. Besides applying to all government soldiers' homes, this bill will prohibit the sale of liquors in the hotels on the government reservations at Old Point Comfort, Ya., and Hot Springs, Ark., and in several hotels in Yellowstone Park.

Denied to the Women.

Helena, Mont., June 16. - Holding that upon constitutional grounds women cannot hold notarial commissions in this state, Governor Toole today remany applications.

"I was never so disgusted as when I

MASSACRE AND PILLAGE.

Bomb Flung at Christian Parade in Russia Provokes Riot.

Bialystok, Russia, June 15 .- A Jewish anarchist threw a bomb among the Corpus Christi procession, which was in progress here today, and killed or wounded hundreds of persons. In consequence the Christians attacked and massacred the Jews and demolished their shops.

The bomb was thrown from the balcony of a house in Alexandrov etreet. A Russian clergyman named Federoff was among those killed.

Immediately a'ter the explosion Jews began to fire from the windows of the house. Soldiers surrounded it and fired two volleys. Meanwhile the enraged ishing the fixtures and windows, throwing the goods into the gutters, and beating and murdering tue Jews. Many Jews fied to the railroad station, pursued by the mob, which killed several there.

Hold-Up Must Stop.

Washington, June 15 .- Judge James Wickersham, of Alaska, will be confirmed by the senate before adjornment. Notice was served on Senators Nelson and McCumber today by the steering committee that the senate will not permit them to continue their hold-up of replied that he was glad of the oppor- this nomination which it is apparent to practically the entire senate that Wick-Great Britain, adding that Italy always that the fight against him is not being was ready to co-operate sincerely with made in good faith. It is unusual for the senate to take such drastic meas-

Tours of Mutinous Garrisons.

Odessa, June 15 .- Generals Kaulbars, of Odersa, and Soukhomlinoff, of Kiev, start tomorrow, accompanied by report on the Terrell bill, prohibiting large staffs, on tours of inspections of garrisons in the southern and southwestern provinces, where the disaffection of numerous regiments is increasing in gravity. The seriousness of the agrarian situation is enormously enhanced by this military discontent, which independent testimony avers is purely political.

Major Scott To Be Superintendent.

Washington, June 15 .- Major Hugh L. Scott, Fourteenth cavalry, now in the Philippines, has been selected by General A. L. Mills, as superintendent new mill here. About \$6,000 has been voked all outstanding commissions held of the military academy, who is to be subscribed. A site of 78 acres on the by women, seven in all, and denied as given charge of an army department, river northwest of town has been secured. probably in the Philippines.

Fleeces in Prime Condition.

Baker City - Shearing of sheep in Baker county has begun by electric machinery at the plant of Lee Bros., near here, who will first shear their own sheep and then those of Ayre and employed in the construction of this other large owners in the county. Shearing was delayed by the long continued wet weather, but it is said that on account of the moisture the quality of the Baker wool will this year far exceed that of previous years, as it is clean from dust and of fine texture. It is expected the tonnage will be large H. G. Myer, of Salem, a member of the and that most of it will go into storage.

Many Seeking Timber Land.

Baker City - Many people are coming into the Eastern Oregon timber belt Christians attacked the Jewish stores in search of timber. Locators from in Alexandrov and Suraz streets, demol- Chicago, Milwaukee, Western Washington and Idaho were included in two parties which have passed through Ba ker City on their way into the John Day country. One of these parties, with H. J. Bundy, started for the Susanville district; the other party, 15 people in all, 14 women and one boy, which was under the direction of G. W. Shaw, started for Burns.

May Buy Road to Blue River Mines. club has met and adopted resolutions asking the county court to investigate 5c; radishes, 10c per dozen; rhubarb the matter of purchasing a highway in- Sc per pound; spinach, 90c per box; to the Blue river mines. At present ersham has been unjustly accused and to the mines, a distance of six miles, is closed on account of some trouble between the owners, the Lucky Boy Mining company, and other mine owners in the district, and there is no means of access to the mines from the outside.

Fruit Injured in Valley.

Salem-The continued damp weather which has prevailed for the past three weeks in the Willamette valley has had all the rain necessary for this 12c; young, 123 @18c. season.

La Grande Offers Free Site.

La Grande - The La Grande Commercial club is attempting to raise \$8. 000 for the purchase of a site to be offered to the Palmes Lumber company Secretary Taft to succeed Brigadier as an inducement for the location of its by option.

would be a failure outright, but everyof the Second infantry are stationed thing is now entirely different. there.

the time.

Road Machinery Arrives. LAWYERS TO BE PAID.

Salem-Two carloads of machinery for the government experimental road construction have arrived in this city. There is one more car on the road. When it arrives the work will be started in earnest. The engineer in charge of the work, Mr. Loder, expects to be sample road at least two months.

Successor to Dr. Lane.

Salem - Governor Chamberlain appointed Dr. W B. Morze, of Salem, a member of the state board of health, in place of Dr. Harry Lane, resigned, and of the report, but he was not present at barber commission.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat-Club, 72@73c; bluestem, 4@75c; red, 70@71c; valley, 72c. Oats - No. 1 white feed, \$31.50; gray, \$31.50 per ton.

Barley-Feed, \$24.50 per ton; brew ng, nominal; rolled, \$25@26. Hay-Valley timothy, No. 1. \$12@ 18 per ton; clover, \$7.50@8; cheat, the Indians not to receive any part of congress. \$6@7; grain hay, \$7@8; alfalfa, \$13. Fruits-Apples, \$2.50@3.50 per box; Sc per pound; gooseberries, 5@6c per pound

Engene - The Eugene Commercial \$1@1.25 per 100; green corn, 47%c Vegetables - Beans, 3@5c; cabbage. doz.; onlons, 8@10c per dozen; peas, parsley, 25c; squash, \$1 per crate; @75c per sack; beets, 85c@\$1 per sack.

per pound.

dozen.

per pound; mixed chickens, 12@12%c; has been very injurious to the fruit broilers, 15@16c; roosters, 10c; dresscrop. Strawberries in some localities ed chickens, 12@14c; turkeys, live. have been almost ruined. Cherries, 16@18c; turkeys, dressed, choice, 20@ too, have been injured for want of dry 22c; geese, live, 9@10c; geese, dressed, weather and sunshine. Growing grain old, 10c; young, 12c; ducks, old, 11@

Hops-Oregon, 1905, 10@1216c. Wool-Eastern Oregon average best,

18@23c; valley, coarse, 22%@23c; fine, 24@25c; mohair, choice, 28@30c per pound. Veal - Dressed, 4@7c per pound Beef-Dressed bulls, 3c per pound; cows, 41/2 @51/2c; country steers, 5@6c. Mutton-Dressed fancy, 7@8r pound;

Pork-Dressed, 7@9el

graft, stated in the senate that it was understood in committee that this first

of it. apricots, \$1.75@2.00 crate; cherries, er permit this graft to go through or veto the entire Indian appropriation bill.

Economy the Cry in China. Pekin, June 13 .- China is in financial straits. The expenses of the gov-

nal; new California, 2c per pound. is addressed to the people, and attempts

to justify the course of the government. It says that no one appreciates so much

as the throne the sufferings of the people from the taxation necessary.

> Steamer Empire Cornered. American steamer Empire cornered in and bring it to account for the part layed is assisting Guatemalan revolu-

tionists. The cabinet considered the case today and is believed to have dened on punishing the American ship.

Trembler Cracks Buildings. Nogales, Ariz., June 13 .- An earthordinary, 5@6c; lambs, with pelt on, juake occurred at Guaymas, Mex., yes-

terday about noon. Several buildings were cracked, but nobody was injured. Ily 40,000 acres.

er of the legislature.

Should the special session be cal the independent oil men will up it amendment of two laws which the deem necessary to insure then hir p as against the Standard Oil compare The first is the anti-discrimination is now in operation in Kansas and Im The second is the maximum in law, which has enabled the ini ent operators in Kansas to obtain sit rights from the railroads, thus p them on the same competitive basis a the vast combine.

bill, which embodies the Colville In- FORCE ISSUE ON CANAL TYPE

Amendment to Sundry Civil Bill Ma Come in House.

Washington, June 14 .-- An user ed snag was struck today in the n closes the fact that it is specifically ment for an early adjournment, and is possible that the type of the Pans canal must be settled before con tion, the first payment of \$1,500,000 to the Colvilles for the north half of their closes its sessions. Secretary Tan reservation, is made "for the use and in conference with Speaker Cannes Chairman Hepburn, of the com on interstate and foreign comm which handles the canal leg and there is a disposition to settle i appropriation would go to the lawyers, type of canal before the adjourne

Steamer Empire Is Sold.

City of Mexico, June 14 .-- Thesia er Empire, now at Corinto, Nicamp and said to be assisting the Guatemia rebels, has been sold to the Nice government, according to a dispatch ceived here from Salvador, and and now be seized. Tapachula alrin ernment are multiplying without in- report that Ayutla, Guatemais, has army is considerably in arrears, and a Ocos is said to be still in the possi-great percentage of desertions is result-ing. The dowager empress has invest a long edict, impressing on all officials the Guatemalan revolution scont in the necessity for economy. The officials the necessity for economy. The edict City.

Terril IGranted Parole.

Guthrie, Okla., June 14 .- In Terrill, serving 12 years for ma was paroled today by Governor Fish over the strong opposition of certain persons. As a member of Oklahoma Washington, June 31. - The United first legislature he drew up its cris States cruiser Marblehead has the code and was the first man to be and victed under its provisions. the harbor of Corinto, Nicaragua, and victed under its provisions, the moment the little litt the moment the little American vessel ing suit against President Roote demanding freedom under the it is believed the warship will seize it sions of the Louisiana purchase trait-

Goose Lake Land Withdrawn. Washington, June 14 .- The ser tary of the interior today willie is from disposition under the public is laws a strip of land extending and Goose lake, in Northern Californ Southwestern Oregon, for use in en nection with the Pitt river inight project. The area covers approxit

Butter - Fancy creamery, 1716@20c Eggs - Oregon ranch, 20@21s per Poultry - Average old hene, 12@13c

the private road from Blue River City turnips, \$1@1.25 per sack; carrots, 65 Onions-New, 1%@2c per pound. Potatoes -- Fancy graded Burbanks, 50@60c per hundred; ordinary, nomi-