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RUINS OF CHINESE CONFLAGRA-BUT SAY CELESTIANS DID IT.

The list of fatalities resulting from the disastrous fire of Wednesday night in Chinatown now numbers four, but how many more corpses still lie under the rulns is unknown

There is a general belief that from one to six or eight more bodies will be found when the debris is cleared away. The exact number of missing Chinamen cannot be told even by the Chinese themselves, for they do not keep track of each other. The coolies come and go and no one knows them. Many of the laborers work in the canneries during the summer time, returning to Portland for the winter. They are in and out of their rooms and it is a difficult matter to locate them. Even their friends know nothing about them.

It is stated in Chinese circles that one more Celestion is known to be missing, but well-informed Second street denizens declare that the list will yet be much larger.

Another body was found late yesterday afternoon by searchers in the ruins who were looking for valuables-The corpse was buried under much debris in the northwest corner of the Bacon building. It was taken to the morgue, after being viewed by Deputy Coroner Finley. The feet and hands were terribly burned and the features were so eaten away by the flames as to be unrecognizable. However, friends have identified the body as that of Lee Sue, a cannery laborer, who returned to Portland two months ago. He was between 45 and 50 years of age and roomed in the ill-fated building where he lost his life. He is said to have been an

AN OLD ADAGE

About the way to tell a toadstool from a mushroom-"Eat it; if you die it was a toadstool." That's the way it is with buying

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GOV. CHAMBERLAIN IS TO RIDE THE GOAT

Tonight will be a gala one for the there will be a banquet given in the TION BELIEVED TO CONCEAL Woodmen of the World, for besides having 15 candidates to initiate, they also Workmen, in the same building as that MORE BODIES AND VALUABLES- are to make Governor Chamberlain of the Woodmen's lodge room. FIREMEN ACCUSED OF ROBBERY ride the goat, in order to become one of the Woodmen who will take part in the Weebfoot camp. The team which the night's ritual are: will carry through the initiation is a consul commander; C. A. Elliott, ad-crack local team of the Woodmen of the visor lieutenant; M. T. Woodward,

> the ax on the cherry tree, but the chap- the initiation. The banquet will only ter was founded on the birthday of be given to the old and new members Washington in the year 1895. Washington in the year 1895. After the governor and the other can- pating team of the George Washington didates have been put through the mill chapter.

the time of the fire. As exclusively published by The themselves.

Journal yesterday, the other victims are There is a widely-spread rumor in cir-Mark Yues, Ho Lung, also known as culation that the fire had been burning Ho Tip Gee, and Ah Fue. Their bodies an hour or more before the alarm was are still at the morgue unclaimed, but given. Officer Price was told early in it is probable that friends will arrange the evening that there was a blaze in for their proper burial. A friend of progress, but the Chinamen at 91 Sec-Yuen indentified his corpse, which was ond street denied it. The theory is that not burned and said he would telegraph the fire was started in revenge and is to Merced, Cal., where the dead man has the outcome of the highbinders' controa cousin.

and jewelry came to light today. Chin bodies left in the ruins to cover up Lucy, a contractor, took money and the crime. the building, and claims some one Food Song Wa is awaiting a claimant at snatched it from him. A similar ex- the police station. It was found in one perience is reported by Chin Wuey who of the burning buildings by Pipeman claims his loss is about \$200.

the firemen which accusation seems un-just. But that there was robbery there dates ranging from 1889 to 1896, and for found broken open and the valuables gave the purse to Chief Campbell who some of them very strong, lying in the lice Hunt. Sherlock building, all of which had been forced open.

after escaping from the burning buildings, they were kept from returning by police and firemen. Not a few Ce lesitals claim that the firemen made use of this opportunity to loot and ransack, but they have no proof to offer to justify this statement.

men of good character, and any overt dismissal. They were too much enand the police.

proved, he will summarily punish any offender. The chief also denies an alleged interview in which he is quoted as saying that it was the extra men who did the stealing if any stealing at all Judge Frazier this morning. The par-

The firemen in turn claim that the mauer against Moses Blumauer and Chinese robbed one another. They were Oscar Wiley against Jeannie Wiley. The fighting and struggling with each other. Blumauers were married in Portland 10 cold east wind. and knowing where their countrymen years ago. The Wileys were married kept their valuables could easily find in Kansas in 1872, and the defendant dethe money and lewelry. This, they say, serted his wife in 1800. They have 80 was done by some of the Chinese criminates of whom they say the Chinese mas county, of which Mrs. Wifey asks have their share. Another theory is possession,

World, belonging to the George Washington camp, which has won many prizes in competitive drills on the Pa- and W. Peterson, sentry. H. L. Day is the captain who will put the team of the The George Washington camp was not George Washington chapter through named because the "Father of his countries movements. The escort, Joseph try" was the first woodman and used Howell, will lead the neophytes through

opium fiend and it is believed he was that during the first excitement many under the influence of the deadly drug at petty thieves rushed into the block and took advantage of conditions to enrich

cousin. versy. Others think that some of the Additional cases of losses of money victims were first murdered and their

iewelry valued at \$700 from his safe in | A pocketbook evidently belonging to Harrow of engine company No. 3. In it The Chinese are greatly agitated over were nothing but some valuable papers, the matter and they lay the blame upon including a number of certificates of dedoubt, for numerous trunks were amounts from \$50 to \$103. The fireman There are still a dozen trunks, turned it over to Superintendent of Po-

The story of the Mongolians is that PRETTY GIRL WEDS A CHINESE ACTOR

New York, Dec. 18 .- After flying with his sweetheart across the concinent to On the other hand this assertion escape the wrath of her parents, Miss seems preposterous. The firemen are Roberta Lang of San Francisco, a pretty white girl, married Lum Tat Tsee in acts on their part would mean instant Chinatown last night. Long strings of lanterns decorated the place at 32 Mots street, cymbals clanged and red fire robbery, and at the same time they were glowed. Lum was an actor in a Chinese under the watchful eyes of their chiefs theatre of San Francisco. Miss Lang went to the show with a party of friends Chief Campbell is grieved at the and was shown behind the scenes and charges and he brands them as false as met Lum. Shortly after she became a far as his knowledge goes. He states, Sunday-school teacher and Lum joined however, that should any charges be her class. The girl's parents objected and the elopement followed.

Two divorces were granted by Circuit

ties in the cases were Hannah Blu-

CHOICE LUMBER

READY TO SAIL WITH LUMBER VALUED AT \$21,322-FOR QUICE LOADING ARTHUR PITGER ES-TABLISHES NEW RECORD.

Lumber-laden for Sydney, Australia, the British ship Port Patrick dropped down below the bridges from the Portand mill this afternoon, where she will ay at anchor until tomorrow morning, when she will leave for the sea. She has on board 1,215,338 feet of lumber and 3,290 laths, comprising 49,000 feet of timber. The total value of the cargo amounts to \$21,322. The vessel is not loaded to her full capacity; she could have taken out 1,500,000 feet. It is supposed to be the choicest lum-

ber that has been recently loaded at this port. Every stick of timber is perfectly free of all blemishes, as the importers of Australia will accept no other kind. On account of their being so par ticular, loading operations of the Port Patrick were necessarily slow. She began taking on cargo November 10, and big force of longshoremen has been constantly employed since that date filling her hold. Expert lumber inspectors were present, and more timber was standard than was put on the ship. Considering the care which had to be exercised in selecting the lumber, the agents of the vessel state that she made fairly good despatch.

Broke Becord.

One of the biggest day's work in the history of Portland was done yesterday, so far as loading a lumber carrier is concerned. More than 80,000 feet were placed on board the German ship Ar-thur Fitger, which is loading at the Inman-Poulsen mill for the west coast of South America. Timber was rolled aboard in a constant stream all day, and when the hour of quitting came it was learned that a new record had been esgest day's work represented about 70,-

The Arthur Fitger is making unusually quick despatch and expects to get away about Sunday. While the South American importers are particular about the grade of lumber sent them, it is said they are not a marker compared with the Australians. Hence, it is pos-sible for the Fitger to make far better time than did the Port Patrick.

MARINE HOTES.

Astoria, Dec. 18 .- Arrived down at 6 m.-Steamer Aurelia. Astoria, Dec. 17.-Arrived down at p. m.-Steamer Robert Dollar. Arrived at 2:30 p. m.—British steamer Indrapurs, from Hong Kong and way

Arrived at 4 p. m .- British ship Ancaios, from San Francisco. San Pedro, Dec. 16.—Sailed—Schoon ers Alvena and Annie E. Smale and bark Haydn Brown, for Portland. Astoria, Dec. 18.—Arrived down Stan-

ley Dollar. Astoria, Dec. 18 .-- No bar report; cape Weather at Astoria at 8 a. m.—Rainy;

RATES RESTORED.

For the present the river rate war between Portland and The Dalles is at an Deputy Sheriff Ward of San Diego.

nanagement of the Regulator line announces that the former passenger rates of \$2.50 for the round trip on the Bailey Gatzert will be restored. For one way CARGO COMPLETED the fare will be \$1.50, which is \$1.25 more than it has been for the past two months. Since the steamer Spencer went out of completely went out of commission to be enlarged the general public has been expecting be restored from the BRITISM SHIP FORT PATRICK ridiculously low figure of 25 cents, and will therefore not be disappointed.

> SAILS FOR PORTLAND The British bark Holt Hill sailed from

Hamburg this morning for Portland. She is bringing a general cargo consigned to Balfour, Guthrie & Co. The Holt Hill has a net registered tonnage

GOVERNMENT WILL **BUY NOLAN'S BOOK**

Washington Bureau of The Journal Washington, Dec. 18 .- Senator Warren reported favorably from the military affairs committee the resolution authorizing the secretary of war to pur-chase from John T. Nolan of Portland the original manuscripts and copy of the order book of Gen. Arthur St. Clair.

AN ASTONISHING LIGHT

So Brilliant That Beside It Ordinary Lights Appear as Candles—It Burns the Atmosphere, So to Speak.

The most wonderful light invention

since the beginning of time has been in-troduced in Portland by the H. W. Manning Light and Supply company of \$3 Third street, this city. The thing is a new style gas burner that actually burns the air, with just enough gas mixed with it to keep the flame alive. In producing light it consumes no more, if as much, gas as the ordinary burner, and produces a light equal to 300 candles. 19 incandescent electric lights, and two burners equal one gas arc light. Its brilliancy is simply astounding. It is marvelous, It is unbelievable, except when it is seen. And the cost, \$2, is so little that it will save the expense of its purchase within a week, and about half the gas bill thereafter. Mr. Manning has these burners lighted in his store each evening, and the public is heartily invited to call and examine them and see for themselves the tremendous revolution they have produced in the lighting business of the world. Every person burning gas will be interested in this light, and Mr. Manning will be bleased to show and explain it to all who may desire information.

When the H. W. Manning Light and

Supply company opened its doors in Portland a few years ago it occupied a small room on Stark street between Front and First. It has enlarged its quarters half a dozen times since then. and today is dealing in about everything that lights the universe. Its gasoline lamps may be seen in all towns and cities of the Northwest, until they have almost driven the larger kind of kerosene lamps out of existence. They have become very popular, indeed, all over the country, and the demand for them is becoming enormous. These lights are a great comfort to the home, especially to those fond of an evening reading. They are a delight to this class of their

BERT ROSS DIED GAME. San Francisco, Dec. 18.—Bert Ross was hung today for the murder of

AT SIX O'CLOCK

ALL OF BARBOURD PLEET WENT TO SEA THIS MORNING, THE LO-THIAN SAILING AT 11 AND THE ASCOT AT 11:30, AND THE OTHERS

The Oriental liner Indrapura left up the river from Astoria at 12:30, and is expected to reach here at 6 o'clock this She arrived at the mouth of steamer, and Captain Hollingsworth, her and cab drivers' union, who had been former master, is a passenger. It is impressed to drive by liverymen and understood that the latter is en route were called out by a business agent to New York to assume command of a while the ceremonles in the church were new liner which is coming around to progressing.

up in the eastern factories into various finished articles. All of the barbound fleet of steamers at Astoria got away this morning. The steamship Lothian of the China Commercial line sailed at 11 o'clock, and the body will be taken to the cemetery today in an express wagon. steamship Ascot a half an hour later. The Indravelli is still waiting an oppor-

All Sail Following the Lothian and Ascot, the Stanley Dollar sailed for Japan, the steamer Aurelia for San Francisco, the steamer Robert Dollar for San Francisco, the British ship Vincent for the United Kingdom, and the steamship Indravelli for the Orient. This clears up

tunity to cross out.

the lower harbor.

ANIMALS CAUSE A SPREAD OF PLAGUE

Washington, Dec. 18,-Consul Campbell at Fort Louis Mamritus reports that the terrible outbreak of plague is due to the millions of rats which infest the island. Cats and dogs are dying in great num-bers and are even more of a menace than the rats.

THE P. A. MARQUAM SUIT. At the trial of the case of P. A. Mar-

uam against the Title Guarantee & Trust company this morning, George W. Bates of George W. Bates & Co., bankers of Albina, testified that the Marquam building was, at the time of the sale in December, 1900 worth \$400, 000. W. C. Alvord, cashler of the First National bank, placed the valuation at \$425,000. County Commissioner Showers and

W. B. Steel, who served as a county commissioner in 1900, said that they had heard nothing of the compromise of the taxes until after the sale of the building on December 10, 1900.

LOST DIVORCE SUIT.

(Journal Special Service.)
London, Dec. 18.—David Bisham, the
famous baritone, lost his suit for divorce against his wife. Both are Amer-

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DRIVERS MOLEST BURIAL OF DEAD

POLICE CALLED OUT TO PROTECT PUNEBALS AGAINST INTERPER-ENCE PROM STRIKERS-INDICA-TIONS FOR AN BABLY SETTLE-MENT OF THE DIFFICULTY.

(Journal Special Services)
Chicago, Dec. 18.—Fifteen hundred livery drivers struck today. Business is tied up. At noon 400 stablemen quit the river from Victoria yesterday after-noon and crossed in over the bar at 2:30 week for a 12-hour day. A funeral at week for a 12-hour day. A funeral at o'clock, experiencing no difficulty. First St. Procopius' church this morning was Officer Horne is in command of the interrupted by members of the coupe

The pallbearers started to place the One of the most valuable shipments body in the hearse and were notified the on the Indrapura is a consignment of drivers all refused to proceed to the raw silk, which is valued at \$400,000. It cometery. The body was finally congoes to New York, and will be worked veyed to the cometery in a light undertaker's wagon, while Rev. Neuvel and the mourners proceeded in streetcars. Another funeral which was to have

> An undertaker this afternoon, who succeeded in setting non-union drivers called upon the police to protect the funeral. A detail of officers accomstood guard around the church while services were being held. The union predicts an early victory. Many liverymen are said to be signing

WENT 'WAY BACK AND SAT DOWN

police court today when Mary C. Dill was fined \$10 for using abusive language. Yesterday Rose paid a \$10 fine.
The women are heighbors, living on
Grant street. The testimony showed
that vite language of the most disgusting nature had been used by both sides, and Judge Hogue did not hesitate to fine Mrs. Dill this morning.

"I want to warn both of you," he said,
"that if you don't stop this quarreling
or move away from each other, it will
be costly for you if you again appear

Mrs. Dill was very indignant after she was fined. When Judge Hogue began another case she stepped up to the witness stand and said loudly: "Say, Judge, I am going to appeal this case. I can't stand any work like

"You sit down," said the court, and Mrs. Dill narrowly escaped another fine REPORT OF A PLOT

IS PURELY A FAKE

Galveston. Tex., Dec. 18.—The report that evidences of a plot against Roose-velt were found in the possession of Charles Pierson, a local anarchist who was arrested yesterday, is without foun-