lerity that spells success Japan has already mobilized her troops and is making arrangements for their transport. This

embarkation will probably take place from the southern shores of the archi-

pelago, undoubtedly in the vicinity of

operations is well known,

A Long and Bitter Boad.

road it may prove to be. Kyushu prov

COURSE AND BAN ON A BAR AT SWAN ISLAND-TUGBOAT OCKLA-MAMA PULLED HER OUT INTO DEEP WATER.

Owing to a heavy fog which overgot out of her course and went aground o'clock the tugboat Ocklahama went to her assistance, and soon pulled the stranded vessel into deep water. damage was done and the steamer resumed her voyage down the river.

The Hassalo is operated by the O. R. & N. Co., between Portland and Astoria. There was a heavy fog when she left last night, and the further she went down stream the denser it became Reaching the mouth of the Willamette it was impossible to follow the channel, and she went aground.

The steamer Elder was due to sail at 8 o'clock last evening, but on account of the fog it was deemed advisable for her to lie at her dock until daylight. She left down this morning at 5 o'clock. Steamboat men are all agreed there is a fine channel from Portland to the sea, and if vessels can follow it there is no danger of them having any

The Elder took out a full cargo and

MAJESTIC IS SAID TO STILL BE OPEN ciples that will be presented in the next

The report was made to Chief of Po lice Hunt this morning that the Majestic cafe, a notorious place near Third and Couch streets, was open after its license was revoked last week. The matter is being investigated today and Chief Hunt announced that he would permit no vio-

"The place has no license," said Chief Hunt, "and has no right to sell intoxica-ting liquors. But if this is not being done I suppose they have a right to oper

Not long ago & woman committed suicide in the saloon and numerous robber-les have occurred there.

CAPTAIN M'MILLAN

Captain McMillan of Nova Scotia will the new commander of the British ship Ancaios, succeeding Captain Fulton. Captain McMillan is expected to arrive known among the shipping men of Portland, having taken the British ship Dimsdale out on her eastern trip from Portland.

His predecessor, Captain Fulton, was killed by a fall. Standing on the gang-plank, Captain Fulton lost his balance and plunged 24 feet to the water, strikon the ship's ballast log.

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STEAMER HASSALO UNITY, THE CRY ONE MACHINE WON GROUNDS ON BAR ON JACKSON DAY \$600 IN 46 DAYS

IN A DERSE FOG SHE GOT OFF HER LOCAL DEMOCRATS WILL OBSURVE SLOT MACHINES KNOWN TO PAY ANNIVERSARY OF BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS WITH REUNION AND BANQUET-FUSION NOT FA-VORED BY THE LEADERS.

Everything is in readiness for the hung the river the steamer Hassalo appropriate celebration of Jackson day by the local Democrats at the Academy last night at Swan island, near the of Music hall, in the Mulkey building, mouth of the Willamette. At about 11 tomorrow evening. When arrangements program was under, consideration. It has been decided to abolish this feature of the entertainment. There will be a 'Dutch" lunch followed by the organization of a club.

Tonight the party leaders of Portland will journey to Oregon City and participate in the reorganization of the party in Clackamas county. Governor Chamberlain will deliver an address on this occasion and will also be present at the local gathering tomorrow night.

Sweek Talks About Democracy.

Alex Sweek said today: "I am not in favor of forming a poitical club which will tie itself to candidate at this time. It is too early to decide which would be the best man for a national candidate. There are Hearst, Bryan, Cleveland and other clubs throughout the country. These are all premature, as I think that there is time nough for organizations of this kind, when more is known of the issues and the policies which will be advanced, and some idea can be formed of the man who is most representative of the prin-

"To all fusion I am radically opposed, and think that it is bad politics to at this time split the party into different factions and have these make a fight for some particular man. They should all work in harmony and fix on a leader typical of the party principles, work for his election regardless of factional, personal or geographical considerations.

Jackson Day.

Jackson day is the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans, fought January , 1815, when Andrew Jackson defeated Sir Edward Pakenham and the English forces. It was Andrew Jackson, the eventh president of the United States, whom Democrats regard as peculiarly a of their party. During his long public career he served as supreme justice, one term as congressman from Ten-SUCCEEDS FULTON as president and at one time served territorial governor of Florida. His military record helped to make history. essee, two terms as senator, two terms the Creeks at Talladegan in 1813, at Emuchfan and Horseshoe Bend in 1814, was the hero of New Orleans, was the commander against the Seminole wars ent insurances. from Canada tomorrow. He is well and captured Pensacola from the Eng-

BATTLE OF NEW ORLEAMS.

(Journal Special Service.) New Orleans, La., Jan. 8.- Today was the 89th anniversary of General Jackson's defeat of the British at the battle of New Orleans. In commemoration of the anniversary, federal, state and city offices were closed, and the day was otherwise observed as a legal holiday I throughout Louisiana,

BIG RETURNS-SECRET AGENTS COLLECT EVIDENCE FOR THE COUNCIL-THE MAYOR STANDS FIRM ON EDICT.

It is now known positively that the city officials conducted a most searching examination of the slot machines previous to Mayor Williams' announcement that they must be done away with. were first made an extended musical Agents were out collecting evidence quietly, and it was upon the reports they made that the orders came to put the machines out of business.

One feature of the agents' work was to discover what the chances were against the player with the money machines, for the agents of the machines loudly proclaimed that their apparatus was not a "sure thing game." The agent reported to the mayor that

the net profits of a machine in a down-

town saloon amounted to \$690 during 46 days, in which a tally was kept on its operation. If any concession is made it will probably be to allow the merchandise machines the privilege of operating on a

restricted scale. The chances a player has when he drops a coin in a money machine can be deducted from the following sign. which is placed in a downtown slot-ma-

chine shop "Slot Machines of All Kinds Made On Percentage." This placard has attracted much at-

tention E. O. Magoon, one of the large slot machine owners, visited Mayor liams this morning and had a long talk with the city's chief executive. He wanted to reach some sort of understanding by which the machines could must be faced." remain in operation, or arrange some concession which would be satisfactory to the city officials, but pothing definite was done. The mayor is believed to be already firmly convinced as to the merits of the proposition, and his recent actions would indicate an unchangeable determination to put the money-paying machines out of business absolutely.

IMMEDIATE WAR OR **ULTIMATE PEACE**

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from London and Liverpool say that insurance on Japanese steamers sailing from the Pacific coast to the Orient have advanced from 4 to 10 per cent. The Maritime Insurance company received many cablegrams. These were warnings and advices concerning differ-

BRITISH SOLDIERS ORDERED.

Hong Kong, Jan. 8 .- Two hundred and fifty British soldiers, members of the Sherwood Foresters, have been suddenly warned to hold themselves in readiness for active service. The troops are ready and the transport arranged for. The destination is unknown, but it is pre-sumed to be either Pekin or Seoul.

MINADO REVIEWS SOLDIERS.

Tokio, Jan. 8 .- Twenty-six thousand field here today by the emperor. They composed the first division known as the Imperial Guards and will constitute The emperor went on the field in his state coach, but in the review he was mounted on a handsome horse. His brilliant staff and all foreign attaches formed a noteworthy escort.

GREAT COAL SHIPMENTS.

Cardiff, Jan. 8 .- Immense shipments of coal are being rushed to the far East. Forty-six thousand tons have gone to Japan, 30,000 to Hong Kong and 40,000 to the Russian squadron at Port Arthur in the past few days.

JAPAN'S STRENGTH.

Plattering Statement Made Regarding Conditions of Mikado's Porces.

Should war break out between Russia and Japan," says Commander J. D. Jerrold Kelley, United States Navy, in the Chicago Tribune, "no extensive land operations can be undertaken until a naval battle has been fought to settle the 'command of the sea. What, then, does this much worn phrase mean? Without advancing any undue claim for the supreme importance of sea power, it may safely be asserted that this command of the sea, furnished by ships and sailors, is the paramount condition whereon the em-ployment of land forces in time of war

depends. "What, then, are the conditions that exist today, and what will be the probable disposition of the contending energies? In the new theatre of war the naval forces of Russia and Japan in the China seas are in displacement and ton-nage so nearly equal that the Japanese superiority measures less than 9,000 tons displacement. These small odds are discovered in armored cruisers, as in bat-tleships the Russians have a tonnage greater by more than 1,000 tons.

"But relative naval strength is not measured by size alone, and this apparent equilibrium disappears when the higher speed, the greater homogeneity in type, and, as a whole, the more mod-ern character of the Japanese fleet is considered. Then, too, Japan has a great strategic advantage in the extent and situation of her base of supply and equipment, in the immediate readiness of a reserve, and in the availability of fishermen and other seafaring persons to replace the waste of battle and of dis-

"The crews of both fleets are secured by conscription, but Russia has of late been forced to employ her rural classes, while Japan has over 2,000,000 of sea bred people on whom she can depend for the personnel of her squadron.

"It can safely be assumed that in courage, physical fitness and endurance, and in discipline, training, and self-devotion the enlisted men of the two conflicting fleets are equal. Nor can there be any great difference between the officers, as they are, in the main, highly educated, scientifically trained in the art of war,

and used to the sea. Japan Ships Superior.

"A well known expert, comparing the battleships of both sides, says: "I think it may be said that in point of homogeneity, of weight of metal, of protection, and of speed, the six Japanese ships are superior to the eight Russian

"The probabilities of a sudden dash at the outset must be kept in mind, as Japan has of late been a keen believer in Taudace, toujours l'audace. It is fair to assume Japan's first move will be to attack the Russian fleet, so that the waterways to Korea and Manchuria may be open to the passage of the army corps. She hopes to land on the peninsula and on the mainland.

"In order to effect this with the ce-

GOVERNOR DENIES IT

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and offered testimony to prove "The problem of entering Korea will a more difficult one than that solved Morris went to the livery barn where Nelson's horses were, and that when he in 1894. For six weeks after the Japa-nese forces at Seoul, Korea, had marched (Nelson) went to the barn Morris stood in the door with an open knife. To avoid meeting Morris he left the barn, for Asan and had scattered the opposing troops like chaff, her fleet cruised off the made preparations to leave Coffeyville, and when about to start for home, and Chinese coast, engaging the attention of an enemy that was ill prepared for such as he was passing down the street with sudden crisis. "Their design," writes a bundle on his arm, he saw Morris Major Callwell of the Royal artillery, standing on the sidewalk looking to was to cloak the movement of a great ward him, and he went to the edge of field army from the Japanese ports to the sidewalk farthest from Morris and field army from the Japanese ports to the Korean shores, and in this the efforts had passed him when the latter ad-vanced and assaulted him with a knife.

of the cruiser squadron were signally successful. A constant stream of troops poured across the intervening channel After Morris had struck Nelson several times and had knocked him to his with no interruption from the Chinese knees, he drew his revolver and fired of war.' The result of the ensuing several shots, one of which struck and killed Morris.

Fair Trial Denied.

"The Russians will, it is certain, make Upon such a state of facts as this no better use of their sea power than the Chinese did, and there will probably be man could be convicted of any crime if given a fair and impartial trial. After no idle promenading off Dalny, Port Ar-thur, or Vladivostok by the Japanese the transcript was made by the stenographer of the court and I had gone while Russia is playing a waiting game.
"Japan will have this time to fight to the city of St. Louis, Mo., to cover certain rulings made on the motion for for her high road, and a long and bitter a new trial, a false entry was added to the record which I attached in my brief ince will see some stirring scenes, and filed in the supreme court of Kansas. I mailed a copy of the brief to the trial here undoubtedly will be the area of conflict—at any event, in the early judge and wrote him a letter from St. stages. This is no place to dicsuss the Louis, calling his attention to the entry question of the alliances that may comand to the fact that he knew the entry plicate the situation, though with Great was false and a forgery, and appealed to

Trial Judge Vindictive.

He never replied, yet he knew what I had written was the truth, and from

vindictive enemy of mine, After the

cause was reversed the judge volun-

tarily told me that he would give my

brother a fair and impartial trial and

that I need have no fear. The county

attorney, Mayo Thomas, who had just

been elected to the office, also informed

me that he had read the record; that

there was nothing in the case; that he

would see that my brother had a fair

Cut Off by High Water.

court, and of this fact the judge was

Bondsmen Not Uneasy.

ready to sign a new bond for him.

informed.

Before he could return he was entirely

Britain's fleet behind her, Japan's success in the east would be almost certain. him to correct it. "But this would relegate the Manchu-rian and Korean questions to a place of minor importance, for the entrance into. the quarrel of Great Britain and France that time to the present he has been must shake the foundation of European governments and transfer the seat of war to other seas.

"Even this country, which, next Russia and Japan, has the most important interests in Manchuria, may, through Wil- the rights granted us by solemn treaty with China, have to insist upon our privfleges. This sorely would be a most serious phase of the question, but it

trial and that he would be acquitted. But VESSEL HIRED again convicted of manslaughter in the second degree at the May term of the new trial and set for a day later in the term, and my brother was allowed to go to his home in the Indian Territory.

GERMAN BARK MAGDALENE ENcut off from the court by high water, and the court issued a bench warrant GAGED BY PORTLAND GRAIN for his arrest and forfeited his bond COMPANY TO TRANSPORT WHEAT As soon as I could communicate with TO UNITED KINGDOM AT 208my brother I wrote the judge, sheriff BARK LA BRUYERE OFFERING. to fix his bond and informed them that

Notwithstanding the warlike preparations which are being made in the Far East, chartering of sailing vessels at Portland continues. The German bark Magdalene was chartered this morning by the Portland Grain company at 20s to carry a cargo of wheat to the United The vessel is now lying at San Francisco, where she arrived on November 21, after a passage of 146 days from Newcastle-on-the-Tyne. The Magdalene has a net register of capable of taking out about 5,000 tons of

2,732 tons, which means that she is grain. The Andorinha is only about 400 tons greater in size, and she is the largest sailing vessel that ever came up the Columbia river.

Negotiations are also under way by

local shippers toward chartering the French bark La Bruyere, and the prob-abilities are that the deal will be closed cops were reviewed on the Aoyama before night. Her owners are also ask ing 20s to transport a grain cargo to a European port. She is at Port Los Angeles, having reached there Decemthe third division, if war is declared. ber 19 from Newcastle-on-Tyne. La Immense crowds witnessed the review. Bruyere has a net registered tonnage which was regarded as a farewell love of 1,738.

If war is declared exporters are confident that charter rates will be materially advanced, and this is undoubtedly the reason that tonnage engagements are being made at this particular time. For a couple of weeks past there has been a luli in the charter market—not only at Portland, but at every other point on the coast. The great trouble has been that the market has been overstocked with ships. Of late many of them have left in ballast, and so far as the owners of those remaining are conerned, the situation presents a more favorable aspect.

Aside from the war rumors, the international convention of shipowners recently held at Paris is supposed to have resulted in a limited way in keepng the rates up to a normal figure.

FEDERAL EMPLOYES GET LONGER HOURS

Washington, Jan. 8.—At a cabinet meeting this morning it was decided that an order be issued to every department of the government making the hours of employment from 9 to 4:30 o'clock, thus adding a half hour to the time now in vogue. The order applies to federal employes throughout the country.

The house today by a unanimous vote appropriated \$250,000 to stamp out the cotton boll weevil. The secretary of war sent to the house

committee on military his estimate of \$400,000 for a general military hospital.

After passing 115 private pension bills, the house adjourned to 2:40 o'clock.

ACCUSERS APPEAR AS DEFENDANTS TOO

For two days in succession S. Cummings has appeared as a defendant in the police court. Yesterday he was arrested on complaint of Frank Wilson, who accused him of assault and produced a badly-battered face as evidence Cummings was fined \$15. After the trouble the men are said to have again met and Wilson asserts that Cummings and E. D. Jarnett threatened to kill him. Accordingly both were defendants today and Wilson again testified against Cummings and also implicated Jarnett. Wilson and Cummings live in the same house in North Tenth street and the trouble is said to have arisen over the payment of rent and the use of a door.

JERRY FREEMAN ARRIVES.

First Baseman Jerry Freeman of the Portland team arrived in town this morning from "Shyattle," as he terms the hilly burg on the sound, and is decidedly glad to get home, as he intends to stay in this city for another year at least.

Freeman is in the pink of condition and is anxious for the season to start. Ike Frances and Phil Nadeau have left Rochester for Portland, according to a wire received by the local manager this morning.

SHINGLE MILL DESTROYED.

Ballard, Wash., Jan. 8. The shingle mill and dry kilns and 3,000,000 shingles of the Nichols Lumber company were totally destroyed by fire this morning. The less is \$25,000. A favorable wind alone saved the western half of the city. WOODARD, CLARKE & COMPANY

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ery county, Kan., and prepared an affidavit to which he got the sheriff to swear that there was reasonable grounds for reison, knowing that he was guilty of a knowledge that my brother was then felony. On this the judge prepared a and had been in custody for nearly three charge and I was arrested to the same months. He is now out on had charge and I was arrested on the 14th day of July, 1993, and waived the case I was deceived by both the judge and to the district court, and gave bond, county attorney, and my brother was and immediately went east for a company that I was representing, and from St. Louis went to California, on business court, 1903. A motion was made for a that I could not afford to neglect. I wrote my sureties that I could not get back to Kansas, in time for the October term of the court, but would be there before the next term, and also informed them that the proceedings against me and the bond that they had signed were void and explained to them why.

Arrested in San Francisco arrested in San Francisco, Cal., upon a circular letter signed by the sheriff of and clerk of the court requesting them Montgomery county, Kan., which stated that I was wanted for a felony comhe would surrender the moment that the amount of the bail was fixed. I was nitted in Montgomery county, Kan., and that \$200 would be paid for my arrest again ignored by all of these officers. and delivery in any jail in the United but wrote them several letters after this States. The circular was so indefinite begging them to fix the bond. In the that the chief of police wired the sheriff, meantime, knowing that he would not Andy Pruitt, for a more explicit charge, and he replied that I was indicted in the be granted a new trial by the trial judge. I had paid about \$200 to have h listrict court of Montgomery county, new transcript made, for the supreme Kan., as an accessory to a murder. Telegram a Pabrication.

The telegram was absolutely false and when the papers for a requisition My brother was in correspondence arrived it was found that the original with his bondsmen all the time and they charge against me had been abandoned, tagion, were not in the least uneasy and were and an information filed by the count; All attorney, Mayo Thomas, attempting to this time I was at Coffeyville, and my charge me with being an accessory after

rested up to the time of the filing of the same. This information was sworn to positively by Thomas, the county attorney, yet he knew of his own personal

Discharged in San Francisco. Upon a writ of habeas corpus I was discharged by Judge Cook of San Fran-cisco, after a full investigation, he holding that the proceedings against me were absolutely void and falled to charge me with any crime. On a duplicate of these proceedings they have just tried to secure a writ from Governor Chamberlain, to take me to Kansas, for persecution instead of prosecution. The oregon statute requires the governor to investigate the legality of proceedings of this kind before he honors a requisiion, and the governor of this state, be-On the 4th of November, 1963, I was ing an able lawyer, after examining the

papers, refused to issue a writ for my extradition. I did not conceal my brother, but would have done so if it had been necessary, and a man who would not would be harshly judged by his fellows and I would have been guilty of no crime against the law if I had concealed my brother. This statement is based upon the records.

D. R. NELSON.

RUTH CLEVELAND'S PUNERAL

Princeton, Jan. 8.—The funeral off Ruth Cleveland was held today. But few were present for fear of the con-

this time I was at Coffeyville, and my brother was spending the most of his time at his home in the Indian Territory. 35 miles from me.

On the 13th day of July, 1903, Thomas Fiannelly, the trial judge, came from his home in another county to Montgom
the fact to the murder of Albert Morris, yet the information showed upon its face that my brother had been acquitted of murder before it was filed. The information alleged that my brother was his home in another county to Montgom
the fact to the murder of Albert Morris, yet the information showed upon its face that my brother had been acquitted of murder before it was filed. The information alleged that my brother was by mail. Treatise free with me about your case. Dr. Bosanko, Phil'a. Ps.

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