Feverish Interest Displayed at Coming Visit of War Secretary, Who Shortly Will Announce Himself as Candidate for Presidency.

From all over the state letters are arriving at the office of Secretary Tom Richardson, of the Oregon Development league, accepting seats at the armory on the occasion of the visit to be made in Portland by William H. Taft, secretary of war. The greatest interest displayed in connection with the tour of any public man is being shown in Mr. Taft's coming.

Among those accepting seats are men of all the various shades of political and business prominence in the state. Many officials, politicians, editors, and professional men write with enthusiasm regarding the secretary's visit. The official party will consist of Secretary and Mrs. Taft, their son, and John Barrett, director of the bureau of American republics; General Charles Edwards, and Wendell W. Meachler, secretary to

and Wendell W. Meachler, secretary to Mr. Taft.

The Taft family will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilcox. The remainder of the party has reserved quarters at the Portland hotel. Mr. Taft will arrive Thursday evening, September 5, and on Friday the day will be spent visiting Vancouver barracks, and seeing Portland and vicinity. Friday evening at the armory he will deliver an address at which a record-breaking crowd is expected to attend, including hundreds of men from over the state. It is believed one of the big crowds of the year will be in Portland on September 6, and quarters at all hotels are being spoken for in advance.

VICTIM OF UNDERTOW WAS BORN IN GERMANY

John C. Nussbaum, who was drowned in the presence of his wife in the surf at Long Beach, Washington, came to Oregon six years ago. He was married on March 14, 1906, to Miss Augusta Smith of Kalama, Washington. He

"Bubonic plague is prevalent on the Asiatic coast, and several cases have developed in San Francisco. Precautions are being taken by the other coast. Oregon six years ago. He was married Smith of Kalama, Washington, He



John C. Nussbaum, drowned in the

Was employed as a miller by Albers Brds.' Milling company and was a member of local 263, Grainhandlers' association, I. L. M., T. A., and William Tell No. 2, Sons of Herman. He was born in Germany 38 years ago. His parents and a brother in Germany survive him.

Mr. Nussbaum Hand with the company survive him.

Mr. Nussbaum lived with his wife at 451 Goldsmith st. July 24 they reached Long Beach, having gone to spend a month's vacation. July 27 he bathed in the surf for the first time, and while his wife stood on the beach watching him he was seized by the undertow and drowned. The body was washed ashore at Seaview Angust 26 and was identified by a description of the teeth given by the widow and published in The Journal.

ROBBERY TO STOCK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Tacoma, Wash, Sept. 3.—Thieves who broke into the second-hand store of Morris Levinson carried away about half of his stock. The police are unable see how the job was done without detection. Suitcases, watches, rings, jewelry of various kinds, firearms, clocks and badges and a great assortment of miscellaneous articles were carried off. The police believe those doing the thieving are intending to start a second-hand store and took the a second-hand store and method of securing an initial stock.

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RAT CRUSADE ADVISED ALONG THE WATERFRON

Health Officer Pohl Reports to Health Board Conditions of Filth Discovered-Precautionary Measures Urged Against Possible Advent of Bubonic Plague.

ditions existing on the waterfront of Portland were officially called to the attention of the board of health at its meeting this morning by Health Officer Dr. Esther Pohl.

In her report Dr. Pohl advocates that measures be taken at once to institute a rat crusade, with the idea of exterminating the pests and guarding against possible cases of bubonic plague. She also calls the attention of the board to

developed in San Francisco. Precau-tions are being taken by the other coast cities to prevent its introduction. Dr. Holt, the commanding medical officer in the marine service station at Astoria, has the work affecting the Columbia and its tributaries in hand. He sends has the work affecting the Columbia and its tributaries in hand. He sends a deputy to fumigate all San Francisco boats, and recommends that the local health boards institute a rat crusade, and have rats examined bacteriologically

"We have inspected the water front, and find that many of the Front street buildings discharge sewerage under the buildings into the river, or into the ground, as the case may be. Some of these places are indescribably filthy with their little rivulets of sewerage running out from under the buildings toward the river.

toward the river.

"Many people are employed in this part of the city, and there seems to be no good reason why these property holders should not be obliged to comply with the law and keep their premises clean."

The report also showed that there have been 18 cases of typhoid in Portland the last month, seven of which were traced to one milk ranch within the city limits. This ranch was supplied with water from the Woodstock water works and from a well. Since

water works and from a well. Since the well has been closed by the city officials no new cases have developed along the milk man's route.

There have been no cases of small-pox in Portland and but one of spinal meningitis. The contagious diseases apported to the department during Avenue.

reported to the department during August were:

Typhoid fever, contracted inside city.
18, deaths 1: typhoid fever, brought here for treatment, 6, deaths 1: diphtheria, 15; measles, 5: chickenpox, 1; whooning cough 4: tuberculosis 3: ervwhooping cough, 4; tuberculosis, 3; ery sipelas, 2; scarlet fever, 3.

HEAVY FINES FOR OWNERS WHO **WORKED BADLY SUFFERING HORSE**

foregoing decision.

"The horse is man's most faithful cases of Harry Bates, a teamster employed by the Banfield-Veysey Fuel company and E. J. Boon and J. Smith, foreman and stableman respectively of the financial gain of the master, it is only justice that the horse should at police court this morning rendered the the financial gain of the master, it is only justice that the horse should at least receive as a reward human treatment. It is apparent in this case that there was gross inhumanity on the part of all parties concerned, calling for the imposition of some punishment.

"The court is of the opinion, however, that the driver was not so much to presence of his wife at Long
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Albers doing should be more severally and an analysis of the condition of the suffering animal, could have substituted another horse and by not so doing should be more severally and the suffering should be more severally and the several severally and the several severally and the several several severally and the several severally and the several severally and the several s

doing should be more severely pun-ished. It is therefore the order of the court that the defendant Harry Bates be fined \$10 and J. Smith and E. J. Boon \$20 apiece."

After hearing the testimony in the dealt with.

WHALES THREATEN

TO SWAMP BOAT (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 3 .- The two whales that remained for several weeks Sept. 3 .- Preparations are almost comin the waters about Tacoma two months plete for the opening of the college ago and then disappeared have returned year, September 11. Prospects are for and were seen yesterday several times. BBERY TO STOCK

SECOND-HAND STORE

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DEFENSELESS JEWS AT

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The police have given the Jew baiters free rein and mobs are marching through the streets, firing at random at windows and doors. A reign of terror prevails. Rumors are in circulation to the effect that the soldiers will be turned loose to complete the work of decimaling the Lewis begun by the Black decimating the Jews begun by the Black

EAGLES WELCOMED BY GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA

(United Press Leased Wire.) (United Press Leased Wire.)
Norfolk Va. Sept. 3.—Governor Swanson, of Virginia, and Mayor Reddick, of Norfolk, delivered addresses of welcome at the reception today in honor of the thousands of Eagles gathered in Norfolk from all parts of the country for the national convention of the order Responses were made by Grand Worthy President Krause, Grand Worthy Vice-President Bell and Grand Worthy Treasurer Herring, on behalf of the vistors.

RUEF AND DINAN GAIN TIME TO ENTER PLEAS

(Pacific Coast Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Sept. 3.—Abraham
Ruef and ex-Chief of Police Jeremiah
Dinan appeared before Judge Dunne
this morning to answer to the charges
of conspiracy, upon which they were
indicted several months ago. At the
request of the prosecution Judge Dunne
continued the matter until September 24.

fuel company, furnished ball employes. At the station Ban-eclared that it was an outrage

WHITMAN PROSPECTS

and stableman.

M. C. Banfield, the senior member

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash.,

NEVER BRIGHTER

the largest enrollment in the history of college. There will be at least 75 in the freshman class.
One of the principal improvements of

One of the principal improvements of the year is the installation of a college book store on the fourth floor of Whitman Memorial building, where all books will be handled this year. A large amount of new apparatus has been secured for the various laboratories, which will be well equipped this year to do excellent work.

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Most of the professors have returned from their vacations or will be in town this week. Students will begin to ODESSA ARE SLAIN

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Odessa, Sept. 2.—The slaying and wounding of defenseless Jews continues today. In the Ghetto the Hebrews are being hunted down and shot without

FEET OUT She Had Curious Habits

When a person has to keep the feet out from under cover during the coldest nights in winter because of the heat and prickly sensation, it is time that coffee, which causes the trouble, be left off.

There is no end to the nervous conditions that coffee will produce. It shows in one way in one person and in another way in another. In this case the lady lived in South Dakota. She says:

"I have had to lie awake half the night with my feet and limbs out of the bed on the coldest nights, and felt afraid to sleep for fear of catching cold. I had been troubled for years with twitching and jerking of the lower limbs, and for most of the time I have been unable to go to church or to lectures because of that awful feeling that I must keep on the move.

"When it was brought to my attention that coffee caused so many nervous diseases, I concluded to drop coffee and take Postum Food Coffee to see if my trouble was caused by coffee drinking.

"I only drank one cup of coffee for breakfast, but that was enough to do the business for me. When I quit it my troubles disappeared in an almost miraculous way. Now I have no more of the jerking and twitching and can sleep with any amount of bedding over me and sleep all night, in sound, peace.

"Postum Food Coffee is absolutely worth its weight in gold to me." nights in winter because of the heat and

"Postum Food Coffee is absolutely worth its weight in gold to me."
"There's a Reason." Read the little health classic, "The road to Wellville," in pkgs."

Public Utility Franchises Will Be Thoroughly Investigated by a Committee of the Council, Aided by the City Attorney.

All public utility franchises now existent in the city are to be put under the municipal microscope and examined for hidden provisions giving the city power of regulation. In order to do this it is expected that the city council will provide for a special committee to work in conjunction with the city attorney in making an examination of all city franchises now on the books

of the city.

The discovery of the fact that the franchises held by the Portland Rail-ject to the control of the council so far as street repairs go has caused the members of the council to sit up and wonder whether it is not possible that other franchises have provisions granting regulatory powers upon the city government.

ing regulatory powers upon the city government.

Until City Attorney Kavanaugh went into the records to see just what the street railway franchises really meant, the council had but little idea of the powers held by the city over the company. Mr. Kavanaugh discovered that either the company would have to admit the right of the city to stipulate when street improvements should be finished or by denial make its franchises voidable.

Members of the council are now won-

chises voidable.

Members of the council are now wondering if it is not possible that some unexpected or forgotten powers do not lie with the city government in its dealing with the various other franchises which have been granted of late years. The question of appointing a special committee to work with the city attorney will probably be taken up at the council meeting this afternoon, and it is expected that as a result of its labors, should such a committee be apbors, should such a committee be ap-pointed, some important information will be unearthed.

HIGHEST PRICE

(Continued from Page One.)

do later on, when the demand becomes heavy, not even the big millers are willing to even hazard a guess. They say that conditions are the strongest they have ever seen, and that demand for flour is fully as great, if not greater, than when lower prices were named.

The truth of the matter is that the orient is about to have a flour famine. Both Chinese and Japanese buyers have been holding off their flour purchases for several months because they be-lieved that prices were far too high and they could purchase the new crop prod-uct at a material reduction from the prices asked for the old. In this they have gone astray, because not only did the prices not recede from the high mark of last year, but it has been ad-vancing at a steady gait ever since mill-ers began to sell flour of the present

With the wheat market on the Pacific coast abnormally high, owing to the great damage to the European as well as the American wheat crops, the in-quiry for wheat for foreign account could scarcely be heavier than at this time, and the movement at this time would be a record-breaker if the pro-ducer could be forced to sell. However,

elty to animals, Judge Strode in the police court this morning rendered the So great is the call for wheat that a foregoing decision.

Bates was taken into custody last Friday afternoon by Patrolman Goitz at Third and Flanders streets for driving a horse with a terrible running early it is the miller who forces up sore on its neck. As the driver mains the street of at Third and Flanders streets for universal to the miller who forces up ing a horse with a terrible running erally it is the miller who forces up sore on its neck. As the driver maintenance of the conditions are just the reverse from sore on its neck. As the driver maintained that his superiors knew of the condition of the animal and compelled him to drive the equine. Deputy City attorney Fitzgerald immediately issued warrants for the arrest of the foreman warrants for the arrest of the foreman the price on the exporter, but this year conditions are just the reverse from what they usually are and there's no telling what may happen if some more damage reports from European crops are received.

There is still a chance for wheat to

are received.

There is still a chance for wheat to sell at 90 cents a bushel or better in this market. Wheat is advancing with great bounds in the east and in Europe, and on some days the price is boosted fully 6 cents a bushel, and still the demand keeps far shead of anything the grain trade had ever known. At this time the foreign market is even this time the foreign market is even a fraction better than the local trade, but export agents here are conservative and are waiting to see what the near future will bring in European values before making any movement to adjust values here.

values here.

What effect the high export flour values and the extremely high wheat market will have on the local grades of flour can only be guessed at just now. There is no doubt in the minds of the local trade that new flour will open up fully as high as the old grades are selling for at this time—this being a performance never before duplicated in this or any other market. Old wheat flower always sells from 10 to 30 cents a barrel over the new grade at the start of the season, but this being an exceptional year all through the grain and flour market, there's no telling what will happen.

TELEGRAPHERS' STRIKE IS UNCHANGED HERE

There was no change in the local strike situation here today, the principal topic of conversation at headquarters in the Esmond hotel being the ovation accorded the telegraphers all along the accorded the telegraphers all along the line of march in the parade yesterday. Another comforting bit of intelligence was the making known of the facts with regard to the telegram set to P. McDonald by Clarence S. Darrow.

This telegram was sent over the Western Union rom Spokane by Mr. Darrow Saturdes noon. It reached here yesterday afternoon—during the addresses which were being given at the Lewis and Clark grounds. Mr. Darrow would have made better time had he mailed his message and the union men caim that this is but a sample of the service the telegraph companies are service the telegraph companies are able to give—that in nine cases out of ten it would save time for those send-ing messages to mail them.

CUBANS GO ON STRIKE FOR AMERICAN MONEY

(United Press Leased Wire.) Havana, Cuba, Sept. 3.—Work on 4,000 pulldings under construction or about o be constructed has been abandoned. the masons having struck for the pay-ment of wages in American money. The police are guarding the buildings. This may be the beginning of a general demand for American money.

VICTIM OF STREET CAR RIOT IS DEAD

(Pacific Coast Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Sept. 3.—John J. Peterson, who was shot in yesterday's earriot, died at the hospital this morning. Motorman Frederick Dubbsun and Conductor Watson, accused of the shooting, are under arrest.

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Painters Are Spokane's Finest. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Spokane, Wash., Spet. 8 .- The painters won the prize offered by the managing committee of the Labor day exercises for the best appearance in the parade.

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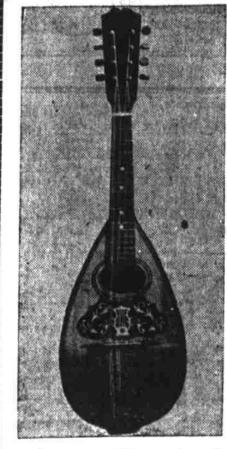
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