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HARRIMAN APPEALS TO PRESS AND PUBLIC

MAGNATE BELIEVES REPORTERS SHOULD REGULATE RAILWAYS

Declares Roads Are Suffering From Unjust Agitation of Questions Unfairly Presented and From the Enforcement of Unjust and Discriminative Laws.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

commission

Chicago, Oct. 17.—E. H. Harriman today appealed to the people of the United
States, the newspapers and the press
associations to see to it that the railroads got fair play before the interstate commerce commission. He suggested that the newspaper and press
association people hold a meeting to devise regulations for the railroads.
"The railroads," he said, "are suffering from unjust agitation of questions
unfairly presented them and from the
enforcement of unjust and discriminative laws.
"The court where many of these injustices have been inflicted is the interstate commorce commission. Some
of these injustices make the railroad
men sick at the stomach. A remedy can
be procured by the press by asking the

Ordinance Placing the District Within Fire Limits Soon to Be Brought Before Council-Stone Buildings and Docks Would Be Built.

Portland's waterfront, now not included in the fire limits of the city, is to be incorporated within these limits as soon as it is possible for the city attorney to draft the ordinance. He is

soon as it is possible for the city attorney to draft the ordinance. He is now working on the document and in all probability will have it ready for introduction before the next meeting of the council.

If the ordinance is passed, and it has been asked for by a number of the councilmen, it will put an end to the construction of wooden wharves and buildings along the waterfront and insure fireproof and modern structures in the future. It will also insure that all repairs and future additions to the present existing wharves and buildings along the waterfront be made in accordance with the new ordinance and therefore as near fireproof as possible. In brief the passage of the proposed ordinance will put an end to wooden structures along the river front and will mean that ultimately the whole water front property to construct concrete seawalls along the harbor line has the proposed ordinance will be bounded by wharves of brick, stone or concrete and steel.

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Upon Tips for Performing Regular Duties.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Alexandria, Oct. 17.-Grafting on a with the chief of the staff, the inspector | militia holds off the curious. of Alexandria harbor, the captain of the Port of Rosetta and numbers of other officials have been banished from

The officials involved have been found gullty of accepting bribes for every kind of service it has been in their power to render. They would not perform any of their duties without being bribed. They had a regular scale in operation, ranging from a box of figs to \$250.

Foreign shipping masters are held responsible for the spread of the grafting system, they being anxious to evade harbor regulations. Investigations are continuing and are expected to involve at least 100 officials.

ROOSEVELT IS MAKING EXCUSES FOR HUNTING

(United Press Leased Wire.) Stamboul, La., Oct. 17 .- Jake and Ralph Osborne, noted hunters, will join the Roosevelt party today or tomorrow.

Egyptian Officials Insist Governor Hanley Orders the Troops to Shoot Vandals for Looting Homes.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Fontanet, Ind., Oct. 17.-Fontanet is large scale has been discovered in the today burying its dead. The mourners Egyptian government, and Socrates Bey gather under their tents where the fu-Spire, the director of services, together | neral services are being held, while the

> the little cemetery east of the city. The claims that agents of President Diaz search for missing bodies was resumed sought to kill him last night by firing today. Fresh bodies of militia have arrived to assist in the work.
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> Many parts of bodies have been found in the dust around the bolier-house. The searchers would find skulls here and hands there.
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> Alfred I. Dupont, vice-president of the Dupont Powder company arrived the

> in the dust around the boiler-house. The searchers would find skulls here and hands there.
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> Alfred I. Dupont, vice-president of the Dupont Powder company, arrived this morning to look after the comfort of the homeless. He has also started an investigation into the explosion.
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> Governor Hanly is angered by reports that bones dug from the debris by boys are being exhibited in Terre Haute saloons. He has ordered this work stopped and has given the soldiers instructions to shoot the vandals if necessary.
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> death by falling and that his assaliants immediately fied.
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> Pampo says he is a university man and the son of a wealthy Mexican. He fled with J. Joregul, a revolutionist leader, from Mexico to escape arrest, going to Los Angeles, where he was shadowed by agents of Diaz. After arriving in Chicago, Pampo says the Mexican government again told him he was marked for death. Pampo is being guarded at the police station.

SELECTING JURY FOR SECOND FORD TRIAL

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Oct. 17 .- The work of

Steel King Will Decide on Future Policy in San Francisco Within Next Three Days - Depression Is Simply Reaction.

Bitterly Disappointed in Nevada Mines-Declares He Has Never Seen Man Who Would Tell Truth About That State.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Oct. 17-Whether the Union Iron Works is to be enlarged or closed will be determined by Charles M. Schwab, former president of the United States steel corporation, within the next three days. Schwab arrived last night from the east. Asked whether the present depression in finances is temporary or likely to be serious, he

"The prevailing depression is simply reaction. We are going ahead too ast. Now we have to go slow awhile. There has been a boom, everything was carried to the breaking point, and present conditions are merely the reaction. People have lost the confidence that had, and depression ensues." Schwib is an extensive owner of mining interests in Nevada.

"I put more money into Nevada than any other man," he said. "But I must

any other man," he said. "But I must say that I am bitterly disappointed in Nevaus. I do not think that I have met Confidence of eastern people in

ILL LUCK HANGS ON TO STEAMER

sel Queen Nearly Sinks at Bay City Dock.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Oct. 17.-Ill luck

seems to pursue the steamship Queen of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, afternoon to help swell the total. During the years that the ship has Queen occurred late Wednesday, when she nearly sank at the wharf while taking on cargo. The ship listed to taking on cargo. The ship listed to starboard and water began to pour through one of the portholes astern. There were nearly 200 stevedores and workmen aboard the vessel, whose lives were endangered. Thanks to the pres-ence of mind and quick action on the part of the station keeper. Oscar Nel-son, who closed the porthole, the inflow of water was stopped and all danger of a calamity was averted.

Revolutionist Says Agents of Diaz Have Chased Him Over Country.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, Oct. 17 .-- Emilio Pampo, a All day yesterday graves were dug in Mexican revolutionist from Los Angeles,

TWO MORE CASES OF PLAGUE ARE FOUND

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Oct. 17 .- The follow ing plague report was issued by the the Roosevelt party today or tomorrow.

The failure thus far to catch a single selecting a jury for the second trial of bear is said to be due to the bad behavior of the down and to the further fact that the party is too large.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The work of board of health today:

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WALL STREET EXCITED OVER STOCK SITUATION



Pacific Coast Company's Ves-Committees Take Big Strides Toward Securing Needed Money for Carnival.

> Contributions to the Rose Festival fund are over \$25,000 today and many more large pledges are expected this

At a meeting of the ways and means been on the coast and Alaska trade committee held in the offices of the she has met with a series of misfor- association it was decided to reorganize tunes. The latest accident to the nil the committees who have not made

the \$100,000 fund may be gone on without delay.

The committee will hold its next
meeting Monday evening by which time
reports from all committees are requested to be in so the association may
make public acknowledgement of the
receip! of the amounts contributed or
of pledges for amounts.

Several large contributions came in
to the ways and means committee this

to the ways and means committee this morning including pledges of \$300 from The Journal and pledges of \$250 each from the Oregonian and the Telegram (Continued on Page Two.)



ROSE FESTIVAL FUND.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER JR. IT ISN'T A TRACT BUT A STOCK CERTIFICATE THAT OCCU PIES HIS ATTENTION.

Otto Heinze & Co. Ask for Re ceiver—August Heinze Reported Failed.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

New York, Oct. 17.—Wall street was in a flurry this morning over the re-(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) port that August Heinze had gone under. He says he did not recover conscious-All the money kings are excited and ness until Wednesday even the placid Rockefellers, father and son, are said to be unnerved by a situation which appears to have been brought about to a certain extent by the Stand-ard Oil grip on securities and mantpulation of same

An informal statement was issued this morning by the firm of Otto Heinze & Co., which attempted to corner the copper market, in which the firm declared itself perfectly solvent and willing to meet all of its legitimate obligations in ull. It said, however, that rather than eitle unjust claims, the firm preferred emporary suspension from the privileges of the stock exchange.

It is stated that Arthur Heinze is no longer a member of the firm. F. Augustus Heinze admitted this morning that he will tender his resignation as president of the Mercantile National bank at the directors' meeting today. He says he has not sold his United Copper stock.

George Best Is Arrested for Street Sweepings Dumped Bigamy While Checking Trunks to Chicago Where He Hoped to Take Bride on Wedding Journey.

Member of Kolb & Dill Com- Public Highway 'Used as a pany Admits Escapade of Past but Declares His Incarceration Is Job of Father-in-Law.

San Francisco, Oct. 17 .- The honeyof George S. Best, an actor formerly connected with the Kolb and plague in San Francisco and the ten-Dill company, was rudely nipped in the dency in all cities toward a spread of bud late Wednesday by detectives who germ diseases is a little thing that some arrested him at the ferry depot while of Portland's paid servants care not a he was attending to the checking of his rap for. The city has a board of health, trunks to Chicago. He was taken into and it is hoped by cheerfully inclined custody and locked up pending the ar- persons that this board will cause somerival of a warrant from Los Angeles charging him with bigamy.

His bride of 10 days, a daughter of C. W. Fleming, manager of the Ameri-can Type Founders company in Los Angeles, departed in tears with her father on the afternoon train for the south, weeping and swearing undying constancy and devotion for her actor

The warrant for Best's arrest was is sued at the instance of another wife who resided in Los Angeles. Fleming said that his daughter, Cecile, who is 22 years of age, eloped and was married to Best 10 days ago in Santa Ana. She was stage struck, he said, and fell an easy prey to the fascinating manners of Best. He had disapproved of the match but his objections were futile.

Fleming investigated Best's career and said he had found a woman in Los Angeles who was the fellow's wife He prevalled upon her to have the warrant issued for Best's arrest for bigamy. Fleming asserts that Best has still another wife living, from whom he has not been legally separated. Best, at the city prison last evening said. "This is a trumped-up charge. It will prove to be so as soon as the matter comes up in the courts of Los Angeles. To be perfectly frank, I lived with a woman named Anita Thompson for three years, but never married her. She is in Los Angeles, I believe, and I suppose that she has been approached Fleming investigated Best's career

suppose that she has been approached to place these charges. I think that she married a man named Smith after

VICTIM OUT IN AUTO

Carpenter Alleges He Lost Ninety Dollars After Being Knocked Out.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 17 .- Sam Nelson, carpenter, has complained to the police that he was knocked unconscious, robbed of \$90 and left lying on the prairie, south of Tacoma, Tuesday night

Into Gulch Near Which Are School, Churches and Hotels - Residents Enter Complaints.

Convenient Place to Unload Refuse of All Kinds-Authorities Requested to Abate the Nuisance.

a part of it, is lending itself to breaking down the public health. one's arrest and punishment for violations of the common rules of health and deceney.

Dumping rotten garbage, dirty paper, ashes, old clothing and greasy rags into and now it is known that the street sweeping department of the city has been an unlooked for offender. Across the guich at Chapman street near Taylor is a decrepit bridge from which the department has been dumping refuse.

So objectionable has the process of filling in this guich become that children are being kept at home by their parents rather than allow them to study amid the foul missage caused by the amid the foul missmas caused by the mountain of garbage and street sweep-

ings.

The gulch is 40 or 50 feet below the level of the streets in the neighborhood. level of the streets in the neighborhood. It is owned by the King estate and by Jacob Kamm. A ramshackle old wooden bridge carries Chapman street across this guich. For some time the city has been dumping the sweepings from the streets off the bridge, it being the hope of the street cleaning department that som day it can get enough down to fill up to the level of the bridge, and thus avoid building a new span. Teacher Complains.

At the corner of Chapman and Salmon streets is the school and church of the German Evangelical Lutheran congrega-tion. The school is taught by Chris-tian Markworth.

tian Markworth.

"Although we are half a block from the gulch, the odors from the refuse dump are very objectionable," said the teacher. "Several of the parents have made complaints to us and the city about the disgraceful condition of the bridge and have kept their children out of school rather than have them subof school rather than have them sub-jected to the foul odors arising constant-ly from the dump. The parent of one of the pupils declares that her child had an attack of diphtheria resulting from exposure to the germs from the dump." Many members of the Zion German

Lutheran church are also compelled to remain away from services, or take a round-about way to get to church because of the garbage pile. Pastor Objects.

Rev. W. B. Behrens, pastor of the church, says that it is very objection-able at night and whenever it rains. The dew moistening the refuse and offal makes the stench rise to high

James Foley, one of the property own-ers in the neighborhood who lives at Chapman and Tayler streets has comrobbed of \$90 and ier.

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by Al Hanson and a woman companion, clares that people win include the discovery clares that people win include the neighborhood if the dumping process is kept up.

In order to facilitate the work of the street cleaning department a portion of the old bridge has been ripped up, except the old bridge has been ripped up.

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Wholesale Liquor Dealers May Be Enabled to Avoid Payment of Three Separate Taxes-Strong Pro-

test Eptared by Firms.

Liquor dealers of Portland, doing at total annual charge of \$1,400 annually. wholesale, retail and rectifying busness Strong protest was entered by a number of the firms affected by the decision

bank at the directors meeting today. He says he has not sold his United Copper stock.

New York, Oct. 17.—Heinze announced that he had decided to resign after a conference with his attorneys. He said "It is felt that owing to the copper fight now going on I should in the interest of the bank give the presidency to a man able to devote his attention exclusively to it."

Considerable relief was felt on the street this morning when the check sheets of the stock exchange clearing house went through.

The stock exchange governing committee today suspended for one year mittee to the considering the proposition of the total suspense was liable to the proposition of the city will be required to payonally as peculiar of the city of the ottool of the city of the ottool of the city of the ottool of the city of the ottool