VOL. VI. NO. 195.

PORTLAND, OREGON, SATURDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 19, 1907.-TWO SECTIONS-18 PAGES.

WHICH SHALL IT BE?

PRICE TWO

# FOR MONEY

Copper King Will Sell His Burnside Street Bridge Will Stock and Devote Time to Mines in Hope of Being Able to Rebuild Wrecked Fortune. Repaired.

Controller of Currency Ridge- County Commissioners Inley Refuses to Take Presidency of Bank Which Montana Financier Resigned Recently.

New York, Oct. 19 .- It is reported that F. Augustus Heinze intends to sell the stock he holds in various enter-

sell the stock he holds in various enterprises which will yield enough to enable him to carry on mining operations in the west, whereby he hopes to rehabilitate his fortune. One of Heinze's friends said today:

"Heinze knows he can produce copper at six cents a pound that will drive other concerns out of business."

Before leaving for Washington last night Comptroller of the Currency Ridgeley said the question of the presidency of the Mercantile National bank is unsettled, while Charles Morse, a director of the bank, said Ridgeley had accepted.

- It was officially announced this after-noon that Ridgeley had declined the presidency of the Mercantile National

bank.
Following a meeting today of the clearing-house committee it was reported that the clearing-house had extended \$1,100,000 to the relief of the Mercantile National bank. This action

No other man has been considered for the office and Ridgeley's refusal gives the impression that the bank's condition is none too good. It is expected that Heinze's successor, will be named over Sunday.

named over Sunday.

Financiers today estimated that the run on Helnze's copper securities cost the backers of the stock nearly \$66,000,-000. United Copper dropped from 77 to 10, representing a shrinkage of \$30,-150,000. Preferred fell from 98% to 20, a decline of \$3,700,000. The drop in Butte coalition from 39% to 10 represents a shrinkage of \$29,000,000. Stewart Mining shrunk \$3,000,000 from 4%

# RIDGELEY DECLINES.

Comptroller of Currency Declares He Will Remain With Government,

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, Oct. 19.—Comptroller of
the Currency Ridgeley this afternoon
confirmed the announcement that he had

confirmed the announcement that he had declined the presidency of the Mercantile bank of New York. Mr. Ridgeley made the following statement:
"After a consultation with my friends in Washington and in the west I decided that I did not care to leave the treasury department at present. I therefore decline the offer of the presidency of the Mercantile bank of New York."

Mr. Ridgeley refused to add enviting Mr. Ridgeley refused to add anything to this statement. Some of his acquaintances say his ambitoins are higher and that he wants to remain in politics.

## LONDON RAILROADERS PREPARING TO STRIKE

(United Press Leased Wire.)
London, Oct. 19.—Day and night meetings of the railway employes are taking place in all parts of the country, at which speeches are made and resolutions passed emphatically favoring a strike to force the companies to recognize the union. nizé the union

Also a spirit of bitterness is develop-ing. Reports continually reach the lead-ers of the would-be strikers that the

Be Kept Open for Street Cars and Pedestrians While Structure Is Being

crease Amount of Contract \$6,000-Time Limit for Work Reduced to 90 Days-Teams to Keep Off.

Following a conference with a delegation representing the Northeast Side Improvement association, comprising the territory north of Sullivan's guich. County Commissioners Lightner and Barnes this morning decided to modify the contract for repairing the Burnside street bridge so that one streetcar track and a walk for pedestrians will be kept open while the work is in progress.

Contractor Wakefield has agreed to reduce the time for completion of the work under his alternative bid from 120 work under his alternative bid from 120 days to 90 days, the additional cost to the county being approximately \$6,000. While work is being done on the turntable, at least two weeks, the bridge will have to be closed to all traffic, and teams will not be allowed on the structure until the contract is finished.

Increase Amount Paid. Following a meeting today of the clearing-house committee it was reported that the clearing-house had extended \$1,100,000 to the relief of the Mercantile National bank. This action is temporary.

The stock market today reflected the uncertainty of the financial situation by its irregularity. Coppers fluctuated its irregularity. Coppers fluctuated repaidly.

The announcement that Ridgeley had declined the presidence of the Mercan-more he would be willing that the time

rapidly.

The announcement that Ridgeley had declined the presidency of the Mercantile caused a flurry in financial circles. Financiers predicted that if the announcement had been made while the stock market was open the biggest run on stocks of the week would have resulted.

completing the said that if paid \$5,000 more he would be willing that the time for the work be cut down under his alternative bid from 120 to 90 days. He said it would be out of the question to allow teams on the bridge during any stage of the work, but he could keep one car track open and a walk for penalted. is required for the work on the turn-table. While that work is in progress, he said, which will be not less than two weeks, the structure will have to be

to contradict statements that have been made as to the Morrison street bridge having been kept open while it was being repaired. He gave dates to show five days in one month, five days in another, and pearly two months at another time in which the bridge was closed.

Keep Walks Clear.

Mr. Barnes also conferred with the street car officials over the telephone and was informed that it would be im-possible to run some of the cars that usually cross at Burnside street over the Morrison street bridge when the Burnside bridge is closed, but that the better plan probably would be to handle all the cars over the steel bridge. Before leaving, the delegation asked the compissioners to suggest that in the commissioners to suggest that in placing the new planking on the steel bridge the material be kept where it will not obstruct the walk. The com-missioners promised that this shall be Commissioner Lightner said that the action taken in altering the contract is in response to an apparently unanimous wish of the people of the peninsula.

ROOSEVELT'S TEDDY BEAR HUNT TO CLOSE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Stamboul, La., Oct. 19-The Roosevelt bear hunt ends this evening. The president will break camp early tomorrow at Bear Lake and go to Stamboul, where he will be the guest of Leo Shields unthat the til Monday forenoon, when he starts for import Washington via Vicksburg and Nashville.

OREGON

TRUST

SAVINGS

BANK

Union Iron Works at San Francisco Will Not Be Closed by Magnate.

San Francisco, Oct. 19.-Charles M dress delivered at the chamber of commerce today, announced that it had been decided by him to not only not to

weeks, the structure will have to be closed to traffic of every description.

The discussion with the commissioners was informal, the members of the delegation urging that the time of closing the bridge be made short as possible. They were willing that the cost be increased to secure this end, and strongly opposed the plan of closing the bridge to all traffic for 60 days, as the contract now stands.

Commissioner Barnes took occasion to contradict statements that have been as to effer you advice on the manner. me to offer you advice on the manner

in which you are to conduct your business, but it sometimes happens that fresh mind is able to do something right which heretofore was a puzzling matter.
"Preliminary to my address I wish to
say that no expression of mine today

say that no expression of mine today shall be construed in any way as bearing upon the political labor situation in this city.

"The subject upon which I wish to speak of is a manufacturing city, and I desire to address you as a citizen of this city. If the investment of money counts as anything, I can safely call myself a citizen of this city. My interests in San Francisco are very large, so large in fact that I came to this city for a long stay to make a personal inspection." spection."
"San Francisco with its splendid lo-

cation, climate and other advantages cannot help but succeed. We don't expect to make any money at present, but we do expect to make money as soon as those abnormal conditions pass, and the worse the conditions the sooner they will pass,
"We of the east draw the impression

that San Francisco is in the midst of a great political turmoil, that its courts of justice are in the hands of factions. You may not need the money which the east is ready to expend, but you do need sympathy and good will. Drop once and for all this internal political strife that makes a man who brings his money to San Francisco fear for his life. I want to congratulate the citizens of San Francisco for the work they have done since the earthquake. I think it is wonderful the amount of work you have accomplished under the conditions now existing."

# RIOTOUS YALE BOYS

Crusty New Haven Alderman Objects to Letting Students Off With Fines.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New Haven, Conn., Oct. 19 .- Alder-

"Whereas, Citizens of New Haven have been abused, insulted and angered for years, their lives endangered and property damaged and the dignity of the community lowered by the riotous acts of members of the University of

"Resolved, That the judges of the city court and the judges of the court of common pleas be requested to use every effort possible to stop such acts, abuses and insults to the people of New Haven, by not imposing a fine, but that a jail sentence be imposed upon those students found guilty of such riotous acts by the court."

# SCHWAB DECIDES LAST FIGHT TO SAVE FUNDS GRAFT FOUND IN ST. LOUIS HOUSE

Depositors' Association Will Decide Tonight Whether to Further Effort to Reorganize Oregon Savings—Probable Time Will Be Extended to Last of Month.

The matter of continuing or aband-oning the campaign to save the depos-itors of the Oregon Trust & Savings of depositors, whose course threatens to inflict loss upon the entire body of de-terminant to inflict loss upon the entire body of de-order. bank from loss of 50 or 60 per cent of positor their savings is under consideration to- ance of Home Telephone bonds by that day by the Depositors' association workers, who have grown weary chasing the committee will probably be abandoned, nimble evader of the proposition. They and the receivership will continue to will determine the question this even-ing, after carefully weighing every de-tall of the situation.

not come in and sign accept time the whole plan of the Depositors' association and the bank reorganization committee will probably be abandoned, the end of the chapter, the depositors taking their prorata with all other cred-itors of the bank, from what is left of It is probable that the decision will the wreck.

clares Margaret Anglin Is

Her Missing Daughter.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

never been solved. On the evening of April 26, 1907, Miss Stevenson, then 25 years old, left her Brooklyn home, tell-

ing her mother she was going for a walk. She took a car and since that time no trace of her has been dis-

Henry Miller, states that the story cannot be true, as the actress is at present living with her mother and two brothers in this city.

OF HER OWN MOTHER

raud\_at Sioux Falls.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

from Sioux Falls announces that a di-

Gouraud from Gladys Crocker Gouraud

The fair divorcee is the daughter of Amy Crocker-Ashe-Gillig-Gouraud by her first husband, Forter Ashe of this

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Oct. 19.-A wireless message

San Francisco, Oct. 19 .- A dispatch

"Sam"

Weller, representative

# GRACE SEVENTH

Six-Story Office-Structure to Wealthy Boston Widow De-Be Erected on Corner of Washington.

Negotiations are in progress for the easing of the quarter block at the southeast corner of Seventh and Wash- dispatches from Boston. Mrs. G. T. ington streets to a syndicate of local Stevenson, widow of James Stevenson capitalists among whom is Jennings a wealthy real estate operator and & Co., well known realty operators. The hotel proprietor, said she had identified property belongs to Charles McGinn, her missing daughter, Grace Stevenfather of Judge Henry E. McGinn, who son, in the person of Margaret Anglin, has owned it since the early days of the actress. Friends of Miss Anglin

The proposed lease is for a term of 25 years and provides that immediately upon expiration of the leases of the present tenants the lessees shall put up a modern six-story business house overing the entire property.

While the rental to be paid for the

While the rental to be paid for the property has not been made public, it is known to be between \$2,000 and \$2,500 per month.

This is probably the most valuable available site for lease on Washington street and is one of the choicest business locations in the city.

In case the deal is consummated, it will be the fourth piece of Washington street property to pass into the hands of local capitalists under a long lease within the past 18 months. The Falling corner at Fifth and Washington and the Gearin corner at Fourth and Washington are both under a 20-year lease and both have been improved by the lessees with modern seven-story

he lessees with modern seven-story office buildings.
The Pittock block between West Park The Pittock block between West Park and Tenth streets, on Washington, is under a 99-year lease to clients of J. Whyte Evans, who are preparing to improve the entire block. The contemplated improvement of the McGinn corner will be delayed about 18 months on account of some of the present tenants having leases that have a year and a half yet to run.

## NAVY WANTS FOUR MORE BATTLESHIPS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, Oct. 19.—The navy department has practically decided to ask city, and by her marriage three years ago to Powers Gouraud became sister-in-law to her own mother, who some time carlier was married to Jackson Gouraud, a brother of Powers. congress for four battleships, two of which snall be sister ships to the 20,-000-ton Delaware and North Dakota au-thorized by the last congress and al-ready contracted for, and the other two still larger. STEAMER PRESIDENT

# DEPOSED EMPEROR TO

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Seoul, oct. 19.—The deposed emperor of Korea is going to Tokio soon to return the visit of the Japanese crown prince. According to court rumor he will never come back.

Seattle, Oct. 19.—A wireless message caught by the instruments at the Bremerton navy yard this morning announced that the steamer President from Nome as 900 miles off Cape Plattery with 670 passengers and much gold treasure.

Delegates Indicted for Accepting Bribe From Au-

Frederick W. Priesmeyer and Ferdinand Warner were arrested last night on the floor of the house of delegates en indictments for bribery. The indictments were returned at a special session of the grand jury after the passage of a bill in the house granting to Henry Ascher by local business men. the right to build and operate a garage. The men were locked up shortly before midnight.

The indictments charge that the two delegates received \$500, to be divided between them for the passage of the bill. They deny the charge. As the men were hustled from the chamber, the house became a bediam. Members shouted for Priesmeyer and Warner to protest and resist arrest, and it was 15 minutes be-fore the pounding of the speaker's gavel was noticed. Both are saloonkeepers. They were denied bond and are in jail.

## HARRIMAN FIGHT TO REACH CRISIS MONDAY

(United Press Lessed Wire.) Chicago, Oct. 19.-E. H. Harriman said today that the examination of the New York, Oct. 19 .- According to proxies will probably be completed Monday night. It is likely that he will not be here to witness the vote, as he will be examined in New York on Monday in connection with his refusal to answer the interstate commerce commission's questions. He will be represented in Chicago by President Harahan of the Chicago by President Hara Illinois Central declare Mrs. Stevenson is mistaken.

The mystery connected with the disappearance of Grace Stevenson has

Plans on Foot to Build a Downtown Amusement Place to Occupy Lower Floor of Eight or Ten-Story Office Structure.

Lease of Prominent Business Corner Now Occupied by Northern Pacific Said to Be Sought by J. Whyte Evans and Heilig.

town theatre in Portland, originally intended for the Pittock block, has been It is understood that a lease is ready for signature covering a 30year tenure of the ground at the corner of Morrison and Third streets, owned by the Fleischner estate, and that a theatre, and store and office building, to cost \$150,000 will be built on the site,

to cost \$150,000 will be built on the site, which is now occupied by the Northern Pacific railway ticket office.

The lease is said to be sought by J. Whyte Evans and Calvin Heilig, in the interest of Klaw & Erlanger, the well known theatrical firm of New York, and the whole enterprise would be financed by that concern. The Klaw & Erlanger people have for a number of years been trying to get a first-class downtown theatre location in Portland, and for the last year they have been willing at any time to come into any practical plan for building a theatre.

The high value of down town business property is said to be almost prohibitive of a theatrical investment, for the average theatre cannot afford to pay more than \$800 to \$1,000 per month

pay more than \$800 to \$1,000 per month rental, under present conditions. The ground rent asked for the corner of Morrison and Third streets, now occutomobile Dealer.

Morrison and Third streets, now occupied by the Northern Pacific, would be about \$4,000 annually for the long term of years required by the builders of the proposed structure. This amount would have to come principally from the rental of stores and offices, and the new building would necessarily be from eight to ten stories high, and cover a quarter block.

cover a quarter block.

The parties interested in the deal decline to confirm the reported details.

Calvin Heilig is out of the city today. It is said a local subscription of \$50,-000 to \$75,000 in the stock of the pro-posed building has already been signed

# FOUR MEN HURT BY FALLING SCANTLING

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Oct. 19 .- While workng on a scaffolding on the steamer Mauna Kea at the Union Iron works, William Flowers, William Johnson, Mike Dulesen and Inglewood Robinson were injured by a scantling falling on them. Robinson was under the scatfolding at the time and sustained a fractured skull and several internal injuries. He will

# TWO MORE PLAGUE CASES IN BAY CITY

San Francisco, Oct. 19.—The board of ealth issued the following plague re-

# MOTHER-IN-LAW MADE HER WASH FOR LIVING

Mrs. Maud E. Simpson Files Suit for Ten Thousand Dollars Against Portland Weman-Objects to Doing Laundry Work for Bearder.

Daughter of Porter Ashe Is
Divorced by Powers Goul-

length and with some new trimmings in a complaint filed by Mrs. Maud E. Simpson, claiming \$10,000 damakes from Mrs. C. M. Simpson, the mother of the plaintiff's husband.

In her complaint she declares that when she married Walter Scott Simpson, now living in Portland, in October, 1900, she was 18 years old and inexperienced in the ways of the world. Her husband was 22 and had never been away from his mother. But Mrs. C. M.

# MILLIONAIRE WILL DEFEND WIFE WHO STOLE FOR NEGRO IS BRINGING GOLD

(United Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, Oct. 19.—A reconciliation of Mrs. Evelyn Romadke, the self-confessed burglar and partner of Albert Jones, a the negro thief, with her millionaire hus- be

# YOUR MONEY'S WORTH—AND THEN SOME THE SUNDAY JOURNAL

BEST FEATURES IN THE WORLD—This mammoth newspaper offers nothing but the choicest class of news, fiction, illustrations and TWO LEASED WIRES—The news of the entire globe for five cents.

A special service which surpasses that of any other publication supplements the great leased wire system.

INTERESTING STORIES FROM EVERYWHERE—Special writers who are known to fame contribute to the great Sunday Journal. LOCAL NEWS COVERED COMPLETELY—The best staff of newspa-permen ever assembled in the west covers Portland for this great

# THE MAGAZINE SECTION

PRINTED IN COLORS—Contains scores of the best stories of the day, as well as the funniest Funnies ever seen. THE CELLLO CANAL—By Don Steffa. The destiny of the Pacific northwest is held by the great project. Read Mr. Steffa's article.

THE ALTRUISTIC MISSION OF A MILLIONAIRE—Good roads form the hobby of this man who is making them a monument to his achievements. CLEO DE MERODE'S EARS-No one has ever seen them. Actress her-self clears up mystery.

WORKING FOR NOTHING—Man who leads greatest industrial army in world draws salary of clerk. THESE ARE BUT A FEW OF THE ATTRACTIONS OF THE DELIGHTFUL SUNDAY JOURNAL

man Emil Loos, determined to put a stop to the riotous acts of Yale students, has drawn up the following resolution to be presented to the board of aldermen:

Yale; be it

# vorce will be granted today to Powers

REMAIN IN JAPAN