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THE SECRET DISCOVERED. DOZENS OF MEXICANS DROWNED

United States.

Special to THE ASTORIAN.] Their Bodies Carried off in the Great SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.-Louis Sloss to-day confirmed a statement published a few days ago to the effect Rio Grande Flood

that there were several places in the United States where seal skins were prepared for the market as dexter-THE RIVER A RAGING TORRENT. asly as in England or France.

Special by The UNITED PRESS

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 13 .-- The twenty-four foot rise in the Rio Grande struck the lower part of the river last seal skin dyers.

And drowned. At Laredo to-day, as many as a dozen bodies were seen floating past but not many are known to have been recovered. The great flood is produced mainly by the Rio Escondio, which has its rase in the mountains fifty miles above Eagle Pass. This stream, by reason of a perfect deluge of rain along its Sneaking of the renewal of the Rise. Eagle Pass. This stream, by reason of a perfect deluge of rain along its course during the past few days, has been converted into a raging torrent, and its volume added to that of the Rio Grande has played sad hayoc.

FLOOD IN THE EAST.

Railroad Tied Up And Much Damage Done. special to THE ASTORIAN.]

WATEBTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 13.-The rain which has fallen in torrents almost continuously for five days past has swollen every stream in this sec-tion to a spring freshet height. To day the effects are seriously felt here-abouts by the almost complete tying up of the Rome, Watertown & Ogdens-the stream of the stream of the series the burg railroad and its branches, the distruction of a mill and other damage manufacturing and farm property. In Lewis county many acres of good farm land are under water. The water rose to such a height that the cattle took refuge on the knolls and highlands, and they were made to

swim through the flood at milking time. The Black river is raging, being within four inches of the unusually high point which it reached last spring, and with the frequent showers still coming, and the water still flow-The Str. Telephone ing into the valley from yesterday's rains, there is a probability that it will pass that high water mark and become more dangerous.

> **OPPOSED TO FOREIGNERS.** Organizations Arranging for

the Coming Campaign. secial to THE ASTORIAN.

CHICAGO,Sept. 13 .- The Times says: It will be news to a good many peo-ple, especially political members, to

learn that the organizations opposed to foreigners and Boman Catholics in San Francisco, Sept. politics, intend to take political action this fall.

Monday night they completed their organization and a committee of 100. which is to have control of their powhich is to have control of their po-litical operations, is to be selected. This movement is of considerable im-portance, in-as-much as the allied orders claim to have a membership of 18,000 in Cook county. The alliance is made up of the pa-

GETTING READY FOR WORK

Seal Skins Will be Dyed in the Major Handbury Will Quarry Rock for the Jetty at Bugby's Hole.

Major T. H. Handbury, United

States engineer, who has been down to the month of the river to make arrangements for resuming work on the ietty as soon as the president signs the river and harbor bill, came up on the handsome government tug Men-dell. He has decided to get out stone Private advices have been received that a number of prominent eastern for the jetty, for the present at least, at Bugby's hole, and the *Mendell* came up to take down'a quarter boat, to be attained there a the furriers have organized themselves into a corporation having some of the essential features of a trust. The to be stationed there for the accomcapital stock is \$1,000,000, all sub-scribed, and the avowed object is to free the American public from the modation of the men employed. The rock at Bugby's hole is not so good as that which was being furnished by Mr. tyranny of the French and English Hinkle from the quarry above Wash-ougal, but it will do very well for the Among the prominent members of lower part of the jetty, and it will cost much less than the price to which Mr. Hinkle has advanced rock. As soon as practicable Major Handbury will advertise for proposals for furnish-ing rock for the jetty, but as this will take some two or three months he will quarry his own rock in the mean time. time. He expects to get about 1,500 feet of the jetty built this season and Speaking of the renewal of the Rusto complete it by the end of June next. It will take a year or two to get all the stone on the jetty, as it is

sian contract, Mr. Sloss said that his compact had not yet been extended. His company, however, is confident of its being accepted by the Russian gov-ernment. The contract will run for ten years. The Alaska Commercial Company is many characterial for the state of the state of the state company is state of the state of the state of the state company is state of the s intended to put lots of it on and make a job that will last as long as the Columbia rolls down to the sea.-Oregonian, Sept. 13.

MARINE NEWS AND NOTES.

Company is wrong about extending it further, because it is calculated that the depredations of poschers in the next few years will have as disastrons an effect on the Siberian rookeries as The steam schooner Louis Olsen, Capt. Johnson, started yesterday for they have had in those of Behring sea. Tillamook, with a full cargo.

The British ship Angerona did not A TRBILLING EXPERIMENT. cross in yesterday on account of the heavy fog prevailing on the bar. Narrow Escape of a Man and a

The British ship Slieve Donard, flour-laden for the United Kingdom, is lying in the stream and will sail in a few days.

The Gen. Canby brought up yester day 368 cases of salmon from the Aberdeen Canning company to be shipped east. She also brought forty barrels of cranberries and 226 sacks of oysters for San Francisco and twenty four barrels of cranberries for Portland.

tower, 170 feet from the ground, to the fourth story, and there he took the boy in his arms. They had not slid more than ten feet when the belt which supported the captain gave and. The winter schedule for the river teamers goes into effect to-day so far as the steamer *Thompson* is con-cerned. Beginning this evening she will make tri-weekly trips from here cerned. Beginning this evening she will make tri-weekly trips from here leaving Sunday, Wednesday and Friaday evenings, and returning leave Portland Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings. Mr. Donahue, agent of the Telephone, has received no instructions yet, but the steamer will doubtless take the alternate days, leaving this city Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings.

Arrival of the "Elder."

The steamship George W. Elder, Captain Patterson, arrived yesterday morning from Alaska via Seattle. She SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.-Jack Mc-Auliffe, a brother of Joe McAuliffe, who plead guilty to grand larceny, was sentenced this morning to ten years in the state prison. John Corbett, a brother of Jim Corbett, was arraigned for forgery to-day and pleaded gnilty. He forged his father's name to an order on a tailor ern coast trade will take her place on several weeks ago. He will be sen-tenced next Saturday.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—While trying the mutual patent fire escape about 6 o'clock this evening on the new *Chronicle* building, Captain Me-Laughlin of the Now York fire depart-ment and Laws Lauge 19 are all ment and James Lucas, a 12-year-old boy he held in his arms, had a most miraculous escape from instant death. Captain McLaughlin slid from the

Boy With a Fire Escape.

Felony.

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way and both came down at lightning speed. McLaughlin grasped the line with both hands while the boy held on to him like grim death. McLaughlin landed feet first and

then fell over on the boy. The lad escaped with a slight injury to his hand and the captain drove his ankle bone into his right foot. The exhibition was witnessed by thousands.

PRIZE FIGHTERS BROTHERS Two of Them Plead Guilty to

has 7,000 cases of salmon and 300 tons of coal for this city. This is the last trip of the *Elder* on the Alaska run for some time. She will go to San Francisco in a few days and then be thoroughly overhauled and re-paired. The old steamer *Mexico* which has been engaged in the south-

the northern run. Speaking of the mishap to the

