COTTAGE GROVE OREGON.

EVENTS OF THE DAY

Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented in Condensed Form, Most Likely to Prove Interesting.

Lord Salisbury, ex-premier of England, is dead.

Eight firemen were seriously burned at a Chicago fire,

A cloudburst at Denver did consider able damage to property.

A party of 25 Sall Lake people are making a tour of Oregon.

The Macedonian revolution is marked by more massacres at Monastir.

The croiser Marblebead and the gur boat Concord are anchored in the Portland barbor.

The Canadian government with use peaceful measures in the suppression of posshing on the great lakes.

A bill to pension veterans of the Cayuse Indian war will be introduced at the next session of congress.

The entire Humbert family has been found guilty of swindling and sentenced the Newankum river, about 2 is miles to from one to five years' imprisonment. The Turkish government has promised fulfillment of all of Russia' de-

mand and the czar's squardon of war

vessels has been ordered home.

demands on Turksy.

Senator Quay says he will seek no further political honors.

ony are on a strike for a shorter work The United States and Chinese treaty

international treaties. King Peter, of Servis, has again

tions change at the capital. Switzerland has objected to Dr. Lardy, her minister at Paris, serving

Venezuelan arbitration court. The Trans-Mississippi congress indorsed the Lewis and Clark fair and passed a resolution favoring a govern- The second car followed it and brought ment appropriation of \$1,000,000.

Lord Salisbury's condition is very

A David City, Neb., man has married his stepmother.

The powers are considering steps to end the uprising in Macedonia. Fire in the Beaumont, Texas, oil

fields destroyed \$50,000 worth of prop-

General John C. Black, of Illinois has been elected commander in chief of

William P. Sullivan, a Missouri sen ator, has been found guilty of grafting and fined \$100. Londoners were much surprised at

the showing of Shamrock III. They expected her to have a walkover. President Roosevelt will allow no discrimination in favor of union men

by the government, neither will be oppose them in any way. A granite monument marking the site of the birthplace of the late Presi-

dent Cheeter A. Arthur has been erect ed at Fairfield. Vermont.

asked Secretary Moody to send one or

during the carnival in September. The Hamburg-American steamship company will establish a line on the Pacific ocean.

The kaiser of Germany will ask the reichstag to provide for an increase in the army of 39,000 men.

Massachusetts Democrats may rur General Miles for governor. It is said

he will accept the nomination. The chamberlain of the czar of Russiz has arrived in this country to range for an exhibit at the St. Louis garian frontier. A dispatch from Dub- started down the mountains and across

The Trans-Mississippi congress is in

Pedro Aivarado, a Meixean, who, six years ago was a laborer in a mine at 30 cents a day, has just died, worth \$85.

A fight petween Turkish troops rebels near Monastir resulted in the sultan's followers being repulsed with a loss of 210 men.

The Reliance must give Shamrock III 1 minute and 45 seconds start on the 30 mile race on account o' a larger

amount of canvass. A cloudburst at Cerro Pietro, Ariz. wrecked the etamp mill of the principal gold mine at that place and washed

away \$40,000 worth of ere. A beavy thunder storm in the San Bernardino valley, Cal., destroyed many fruit and shade trees. Lightning

struck a number of houses.

Pope Pius has given \$20,000 to be distributed among the poor of Rome. Turkey has called for 52,000 men for

service in Macedonia.

China has agreed with the United States to open two ports, thus maintaining the open door policy.

Roosevelt wants Root to help him defeat his New York enemies and will endorse him for president in 1908.

A wealthy Davenport, Is., woman was kidnaped and held for \$50,000 ransom, but gave her captors the slip

Vesuvius continues active and is guard prior to the passage of the act. a Herald dispatch from L'us, Peru. Baltimore, Aug. 23.—The Missouri, pushed as rapidly as material and lass make and flame to a height of the law contemplates that the government shall furnish equipment to all near this vein, which are producing 30 National Mercantile Marine company town is cutting the lumber for the statos. tajamo and Pompeii.

ELKS IN TRAINWRECK.

Excursion on Way to Olympia Ditched With Fatal Results.

Chehalis, Wash., Aug. 23 .- The special train carrying the Portland Elks to Olympia was ditched two miles west of this place at 11 o'clock yesterday norning, while running at a high rate of speed. Two men, Charles Farleman, a cigar dealer of Portland, and Frank Gales, a tramp, who was riding on the tender, were instantly killed. Between 30 and 40 others were injured, of whom two and possibly three are so seriously hurt that recovery is doubtful,

The special of seven cars, pulled by engine 347, left Portland at 7:35 A. M. According to the testimony of the passengers, which is corroborated in a measure by the statement of the engineer, the engine was not working very satisfactorily, and when Castle Rock was reached the fires were drawn and an effort made to repair it so that it would steam better.

It climbed the hill beyond Castle Rock without difficulty, and picked up some of the time that was lost before Napavine was reached. From that point it rolled down the grade at a pretty good gait, and was going at about a 40-mile clip along the banks of west of Chebalis, nurp explosion was heard and an in tant later the hig locomotive shot over the embankment, toppled to the left and buried its left cylinders and driv ers in the soft earth. Simultaneously Canada wants a better trademark law with the explosion the tender parted from the enigne, jumped from its trucks Austria will support Russia in her and landed at the foot of the embank ment. The first car, a light combination passenger and baggage car, broke loose from the tender, numped for an instant on the ties, and then, with ter About 7,500 textile workers in Sax- rific force, plunged down the embank-

An immense cedar stomp was standing near the foot of the embankment. and as the car flew past it, the entire commissioners have resumed work on left side of the coach was torn out, and the unfortunate passengers bruised, cut threatened to abdicate unless condi- glass, iron and wood, bran hes of trees sispping them in the faces. The momentum of the first car was so great that it continued on past the big stump turned farther over, and finally came to a stop with the entire left side and most of the seats swept clean, the roof caved in and the floor buiging up. up alongside of the stump. The lead-ers checked the momentum of the third car, fourth and fifth cars, which left the embankment and turned partly over, but escaped the terrible punish ment inflicted on the first car. sixth from the engine lett the rails but remained on the ties, the occupants es caping with little more than a bad Oregon Irrigation Sites Don't Look Good scare. The seventh and last car was

WON BY RELIANCE.

rails.

Shamrock III Badly Beaten in First of

International Races. 12 to 15-knot breeze, over a windward and leeward course of 30-miles, the gallant sloop Reliance yesterday beat seven minutes and three seconds, after deducting the one minute and 57 secsuall and scattered and little vacant onds, which the defender concedes to public land can be benefitted. Further Sir Thomas Lipton's third challenger examinations will doubtless reveal on account of Reliance's larger sailing many localities where work can be beplan as at present measured.

land, s has apologized for insulting the American flag, saying his crary son was responsible for the outrage.

American flag, saying his crary son with it supremacy of the world, and diversion works. This presumntion will be cup series of the contract of merican flag, saying his crary son and by a strange coincidence the first presumption, it may be added, judging the Japan Advertiser says the Japan more warvessels to the Portland harbor around the Isle of Wight. The Reli- Mr. Newell recognizes the justice of taking leave of their families and ance beat the British boat three min-making expenditures in Oregon in view friends, and Formosa is being filled utes 24 seconds in the thresh to wind- of the large contributions of the state with troops. the run down the wind.

Situation is Critical.

Sofia, Bulagria, Aug. 25 .- The general outlook in Macedonia shows no signs of improvement, and the developents in the next few days are awaited

New Cruiser is Launched.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.-An occasion which will be memorable in the history of this state transpired today when the Quay, was launched at the yards of the William Cramp ship and engine build-ditions. The afternoon new-ing company. The maiden pings of claim that the first race showed ing company. States navy was witnessed by one of boats, but they Cramp's ebipyards.

Rob Streetcar Men.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 25.-Two masked and heavily armed highway-men held up and robbed the conductor and motorman of a traction company's car at the end of the West Adams street line, a short time before midnight, to-night. From Conductor Holton they ook \$14 in money and a watch and from Motorman Saliebury they secured about a dollar in change and a watch. The highwaymen made their escape in

Washington Will Be Reimbursed. Washington, Aug. 25 .- Under the national military law of last congress the secretary of war has directed that Washington state be reimbursed in full or amounts expended in purchasing 30 of gold five meters wide has been discaliber magazine rifles for its national sovered in Choquitambo, according to

TROUBLE SPREADS

UPRISING IN MACEBONIA REACHING A CRITICAL STAGE.

Rebels are Very Active-Bulgaria is Now They Arrive to Put Down Rebellion-Frontier Quard Increased.

Sofia, Aug. 24 .- All the dispatches The situation is causing intense anxiety handed. in official circles. The most alarming news relates to an attack covering a officials prisoners, and brought them to the Rulgarian frontier, where they lib-the particular liking of the challenger, erated them. The Turkish officials The Shamrock did not turn the or depart.

The insurgen's burned the villages ance rounded. around Vasiliko and attacked a Turksh military post at the monastery of Elijah. The eastern part of the Adrianople Vilayet is a mountinous region, and the villages are few and scattered The strength of the insurgents is unknown. It is thought the outbreak is tended to draw the Turkish troops from

The peculiar danger of the latest outreak lies in its proximity to the Bulgarian frontier, thus creating a situation long foreseen and dreaded by the six knots. The course was set Sofia government. The Turks are now vertain to send a considerable force to this territory to suppress the outbreak. ing of the Bulgarian troops along the ntier. With the two armies close Announces That Every Demand of Rusto each other, under the present strained relations, the situation comes extremely desperate. The Bulgarian government is taking every possible step to prevent a commercial amity, but the officials express the gravest

In addition to the danger of a collison between the military forces, there s no smaller one of popular excitement getting beyond control and forcing the nt to adopt a belligerent atti-Meanwhile, the community re nains quiet, even the Macedonian part of the population showing no popular anxiety and enthusiasm

MUSTN'T ASK TOO MUCH.

to Newell.

the only one which remained on the Washington, Aug. 24 .- In his first annual report, made public today, F. H. Newell, chief of the government reclamation service, reviewing conditions in Oregon, saya:

"The localities where irrigation New York, Aug. 23 .- In a splendid work can proceed with the grea est ad-Shamrock III in commanding style, by the matter. Preliminary examinations exactly nine minutes actual time, or made so far-up to December 31-show field dwellings occupied by rich Turks an as at present measured.

It was a royal water fight for the will justify the expenditure of considerancient trophy, which carries with it able sums in construction of storage

ward, and five minutes 36 seconds in to the reclamation fund. "On the oth-

here with the gravest anxiety. The has swept over fields, roads and outbreak at Adrianople is growing and bridges and driven those living in the disturbances are also prevalent along lowlands in this city from their homes

England About Gives Up.

London, Aug. 24 .- All the press comgiant armored cruiser Pennsylvania, ment here on Shamrock's performance named by the daughter of the state's evidences the growing conviction that evidences the growing conviction that enfor senator and political leader, Mr. she is incaps le of recapturing the The afternoon newspapers the formidable addition to the United log of the respective merits of the two dated yesterday, says: "The situation the largest and most distinguished as ance of the challenger did not feifill semblages that has ever gathered at the expectations of her behavior in a the expectations of her behavior in a light wind, and say that Captain Care ems to have shown amarter seaman-

> Japan to Try for Cup. Japanese navy, carries out hi Japan will have a yacht in the next contest for the America's cup. The ommander, who came here to see the commander, who came here to see the strongle between Shamrock III and Reliance, declares he will interest francial men in his courter to the strongle between Shamrock III and Reliance, declares he will interest francisco, was delayed by her having financial men in his country to prepare | been at once for the building of a racer to enter the next races. "We can build as only one case, however and that was fine a boat as America," he said.

New York, Aug. 24. -- Telegrams Craigle. Ladrones, it is reported, atfrom Berrepasco announce that a vein tacked the town of Tarlac recently.

Work on Condensed Milk Plant ounces of gold a day.

WIND TOO LIGHT.

First Vacht Race Unfinished in Time

New York, Aug. 21 .- One of the largest crowds of sightseers and vachtsmen that ever sailed down to Sandy Hook to witness an attempt of a foreign cophunter to wrest from America Prune Growers of Willamette Valley Pro-Placed in a Delicate Position-Clash the yachting supremacy of the world With Turkish Troops is Feared When returned to New York last night disapreceived here today indicate that the received here today indicate that the received here today indicate that the received here to the first to the

Of course the race vesterday was not aclusive, owing to the light and considerable area in the eastern part of the Adrianople Vilayet, where the insurgents have captured the town of Vasilizo. They took the chief Turkish shifting character of the air, but In a

fearing to return to Vasiliko, sought onter mark, and there is therefore, no refuge with the Bulgarian authorities, way of knowing absolutely how badly who sent them to a hotel in Burgas, that she was more than a mile astern, ers' associations. where they were at liberty to remain or about 16 minutes, in the existing strength of the wind, when the Reli-

As a result of the trial the experts believe, blow high or blow low, the Reliance will win this, the 13th, series

for the America's cup. The day was a miserable one, mist lay over the city and bay in the morning, and when the great fleet of excursion steamers, steam yachts, tugs and sailing vessels reached the starting where the racers were already jockeying for a position, threatening clouds were gathering over the Jarsey highlands. The breeze was not over miles southeast stealeht down the Jersey coast, and return.

TURKEY GIVES IN.

sia Will Be Met.

Constantinople, Aug. 22 .- Tewfik ber 14-26. Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister. ye-terday visited the Russian embassa dor and notified him that toe Turkish government accepted all the Russian The Dalles, September 22.26 demands and begged that the Russian squadron be withdrawn from Turkish October 69.

The Russian equadron arrived off Iniada, on the eastern coast of European Turkey, yesteaday afternoon.

The news of the impending arrival of the equadron here is spreading notwithstanding the continued suppression of all telegrams and announce ments on the subject. The meneral opinion of the Europeans here is that tervention and the abandonment of all the cause of the present rising

ports the strongest positions of the inand Florina. Contrary to previous reports, it is now stated officially that Kreehevo is still occupied by the insur-

children are not molested by the insurgents, who have destroyed only forti-

JAPAN STILL PREPARES FOR WAR,

Russia's Action in Corea Causes Differ

ent Regiments to Cather. Victoria, B. C., Aug. 22.-Japane papers received by the steamer Indravelli from Yokohama, to August *, discuse the alleged imminence of war, and

The Japanese paper quotes a long iner hand," he says, "the demand for terview with W. H. Krumm, an Amerand immediate necessity of reclamation with W. H. Arumm, an American mining expert from Manchuria, time on the substitution of oil for works are not particularly noticeable.'

who, in brief, said his observations in wood for fuel in the mill. The rapid Manchuria showed him clearly that advance is the neter of wood has made flowed in tended to keep Manchuria. Flagstaff, Ariz., Aug. 24.—For the second time this season a cloudburst tory.

Washington, Aug. 22. - Minister difficulty can be met. the coast and in the vicinity of the Bu . Yesterday afternoon a wall of water Beaupre, at Bogota, has been asked by the state department to send more nitza asserts that a division of the Rou- the valley. The water was eight feet definite information concerning prolar this mode of communication has Union.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—A dispatch to the held an informal mosting admit that the perform- in the Far East is becoming more nese are assuming an insolent attitude have their list nearly complete. toward the Russians, particularly toward the troops. At one place stones were thrown at the commander of the While all Russians are objects of insult a spirit of opposition to New York, Aug. 24.—If Lieutenant the Chinese government is also mani-commander Isam Takeshira, of the fested."

> Manila, Aug. 22 .- The sailing of the quarantined owing to the out break of cholers on board. There was reported cared when the vessel left.

Battleship Missouri is Launched. was successafully launched today.

HAPPENINGS HERE IN OREGON

TO INSURE THEIR OWN DRYERS.

pose to Organize Company.

At a meeting of prone growers held the cost would be greatly reduced by co-operative action. A committee to report a plan of organization was ap-petited, consisting of John Pemberton.

style, and that, too, in weather con-ditions which were supposed to be to the particular liking of the challenger. The Shamrock did not turn the The Shamrock did not turn the and transact a general business only on prune dryers and warehouses. The lew organization will have no connec tion with any of the other pronegrow

Coming Events.

Summer association of the North west Indian agencies, Newport, Aug

Baseball tournament, Rainier, Augunt 27-29. G. A. R. encampment, Westport August 1 September 1.

Southern Oregon ploneer reunion Ashland, September 3. State convention of mining men Portland, September 7.

Oregon national guard encampment September 1-12; Third infantry, Gear hart park; First battery, Seaside, Augseparate battailon, Roseburg September 3-12

Clackamas county teachers' institute, Oregon City, September 15-17. State fair, Salem, September 14-19 Second southern Oregon district fair, Eugene, September 29-October 3 Harney county fair, Burns, Septem

Races, Antelope, September 17-19. Stock exhibit and race meet, Port land, September 21-26.

Second eastern Oregon district fair Klamath county fair, Klamath Falls

Crook county lockey club meet Princylle, October 27-29. Lincoln county fair, Toledo, Septen

Board of Trade Formed. The new Industries inaugurated I ld time prestice and prosperity of he place. The three great lumbering mills directly tributary to it, the pro-fact of which all centers here; the According to the Turkish official re-orts the strongest positions of the in-creents are at Krus evo, Merihoro

Pulp Mill Closes flown. Because of the extreme low stage of the Willamette river the management of the Willamette Pulp & Paper mills. at Oregon City, has found it necessar to close down station A, which is lo cated on the east side of the river It is in this will that the pulp is pro The closing down of station A how over, will not interfere in any way with the operation of the main mills of the ornoration since there is a sufficient

Salem Mills May Burn Oll.

The management of the Salem wool on mills have been figuring for some only difficulty encountered was in the expense of cetties the oil delivered here, and when the oil company has completed its arrangements for stor-

Union Creamery Prosperous manian army, with a brigade of cavalry high and more than 300 feet wide, ceedings about the isthmian cana come firmly established and is doing from Sucharest, has been ordered to The torrent swept everything before it. from Bucharest, has been ordered to march toward the Bu garian frontier, ostensibly for maneuvers.

The torrent swept everything before it. Ireaty, not there is no way to have been ordered to march toward the Bu garian frontier, The flood struck Flagstaff shortly after how long the message will be delayed, the and fire cross for supplying the dark, swirling through the streets in owing to the interruption of telegraphic towns of this part of the state. A the lower part of town, doing great communication. The fact that two skimming station is in operation at messages of the same date reached the Cove, and the company is now are department with an interval of four paring to establish another station at days between them shows how irregu-

Forty Cents for Picking Hops

first week and and discussed the nelce. Cologne Gazette from St. Petersburg, to be smild for boundeline. It was the dated yesterday, cays: "The situation consensus of opinion that 40 cents a box should be the ruling price. A acute. Even in Manchuria the Chi-nickers and a few of the larger yards \$12; chest, nominal.

Will Handle More This Year

The Willamette valley prime association held its annual stockholders' meeting last Saturday. The secretary's report showed amons other things, that the association handled 1.750.000 nounds of primes less season in all probability the quantity controlled by the association will be larger this year than last. this year than inst.

Southern Oregon Pioneer Reunion,

Preparations are being made for the oming annual reunion of the Plones aciety of Southern Oregon, to be held at Ashland, Thursday, September 3 The oration will be delivered by Pres She carries home the Tenth infantry ident B. F. Mulkey, of the Ashland nor-

The Oregon condensed milk company's new plant at Hillsbero, is being

building.

WATERING OF KLADATH. Only a Very Small Portion of That Great

County Cultivable. Prof. F. L. Kent of the Oregon Agel pointed because the sea had refused a in Salem a few days ago, a movement cultural college, has just returned field of combat to the racers. Never- was started for the organization of a to Corvallis from a visit of a month's theless, the crowd was jubilant in the murual insurance company, for the lu-duration to the irrigated regions of The Empress of India was badly damconviction that Sir Thomas Lipton's surance of prupe dryers. The growers Klamath county, where he gave specwere agreed that the insurance com- lal attention to the methods of apply ing water, the kind of crops grown, naval engineering collegs of the Southpanies charge too high a rate of pre- ing water, the kind of crops grown, minim for this class of risks, and that and the extent of the trrigable area of that section of the state.

Klamath county has an area creat as the state of Massachusetts. If this area competent engineers on limite that not more than 160 square tion systems, and produce cultivated rops. Perhaps 1 per cent more is valiable for irrigation, but for various ensons to only adapted to to the growused mainly for hay.

Articles of Incorporation Filed. Articles of incorporation were filed

the office of of the secretary of state ast week as follows:

Falls City Mercantile company, Palls City, \$5000,

Mission Mining company, Medford. investment company,

Portland, \$5000. Oregon Lumber, Land and Mining ompany, Baker City, \$250,000. Medford Business College company

Medford \$250 Dixie Mining company, Baker City Listerine Manufacturing company.

Foley, Imb Imbaus & Company, La Humbolt Sash and Door company, ortland, \$59,000. Oregon & Eureka Rallroad company, Fortland, \$125,000.

Preparing to Rebuild.

The Oregon City manufacturing impany has asked for bids for the obstruction of buildings at its woolen unil plant in that city to replace the run by recome that was burned has month. The talt is taken out will approximate \$30,000. Most of the buildings will be of wood and purpositions will be three stories high new regime, and will be directly connected to the chatruction of buildings at its woolen and will be directly connected to the uain building. The management of he bills expects to resume operations in this city October 15. As notomatic levice at a cost of \$10,000 will be pro-

The state board of education has reently made a ruling which will preent the graduates of normal schools states from securing state actaion that it would be papers in this state, unless they have The reason for this is that the board will not give to certificates and diplomas of other states a higher credit than is given to similar papers in this state.

Frank Curtis Becomes Warden

Superintendent James, of the Ore gon penitentiary, has appointed Frank Curtis to succeed E. A. McPher the position of warden. Curtis is a democrat and we a candidate for the legislature from Multnomah county in 1902. He has been serving for some time as a guard

Sawmill Regins Cutting. The big sawmill plant of Sims & Anderson, on Nell creek, just south of Ashland, has commenced operations, If has a cutting capacity of 50,000 feet for the Ashland manufacturing com-

pany.

Excitement over the recent discovers of gold on the Upper Molalla in reases rather than diminshes. Claim fter claim in the promising district

Portland's big fall carnival, Septem-

PORTLAND MARKETS.

nomah Athletic Club.

Wheat-Walla Walla, 77@79c; bluestem, 80ce82c; valley, 80c. Flour-Valley, \$3.60@3.85 per barrel; hard wheat straights, \$3.60@ 1.00; hard wheat, patents, \$1,1064.50 graham, \$3 3 63.75; whole wheat, \$3.85 cm (00) rve whart, \$1.00. Barley-Feed, #19,800019 50 per ton;

\$1.00@1.05 per cental. linemed dairy food, \$19.

Butter-Fancy creamery, 20(a 22) c completed at government yards. pound; dairy, nominal; store, 18 Cheese-Full cream, twins, 14c;

1@136c less.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, 11@ Colombian minister at Washington, dozen; turkeys, live, 100c12c per pound:dressed,140015c ducks, \$4004.50 er dozen; geese, \$5006,50,

Eggs-Oregon ranch, 19c. Potatoes-Oregon, 75@80c per mack; west polatoes, 2% c per pound. Wheat Sacks-In lots of 100, 51cc. Beef - Gross steers, \$3.75@4.25 ressed, 65@ @75@ per pound. Veal-8c per pound

Mutton-Gross, \$3; dressed, 51400 e; lambs, gross. \$3.50; dressed, 7c. Hogs-Gross, \$5.50@5.75; dressed,

Hops-1902 crop, 20c per pound. Wool — Valley, 17@18c; Eastern tobacco establishment, Oregon, 12@15c; mohair, 35@37%c. der European control.

SINKS A CRUISER.

Empress of India Collides With a Chinese Warahip Near Hong Kong.

Hong Kong, Aug. 20 -The Canadian acific a camer Empress of India, from ancouver, B. C., July 27, and Yokomama, Agunet 10, for Hong Kong, e luled ne r this port today with the Chiness cruises Huang Tal. ra k an hour after the collision. The Isropress of India saved 170 of the crew the emiser. The captain of the Huang lai, who refused to leave his ship, and the of her crew were drowned.

aged smidships.

The Huang Tal was a tender to the ern Chinese equadron at Nanking. She was of 2110 tone displacement, 200 feet long, 35 feet beam and drew 20 water. The cruiser was built in bout 6300 square miles, nearly as Regland. Her armament consisted of three seven inch Krupp guns, seven 40pounders and six small rapid fire guns, and was fitted with two torpedo tubes. She had a compenent of 300 men.

Blame Is on the Cruiser.

Montreal, Aug. 20.—In an official explanation of the collision between ing of the native grasses, which are the steamer Empress of India and the Chinese cruiser Huang Tai, the Canadian Pacific railway officials say the two vessels were running parallel courses about midnight, when, without warning the captain of the Chinese cruiser saidenly tried to cross the bow of the Empress of India. The letter's New Virtue corporation, Baker City, captain immediately maneuvered at that the collision which he knew would be the result should be a glancing one. The bow of the croiser stid alongside the Empress, but the starboard propeller of the Empress caught the cruiser and injured her so hadly that she sank in a few seconds.

Holds That Some General Should Be on Philippine Board.

Washington, Aug. 20 .- There is a good deal of speculat on in srmy cir-cles here upon the effect of impending change in the war department. urally, attention is directed mainly toward the Phili pines, where active construction work remains to be done This fact, it is assumed, lies at the bettons of the president's selection of troy. ernor Tait as successor to Mr. Root. That Secretary Tait and Lientenant tioverner Wright, who is expected to succeed Taft, will be able to carry forrun by recretary Root and Governor

Taft is taken for granted. Less crear is the prospect for the to be done in the archipelago under the and subjects for consideration by the new general staff of the army concerns military affairs in the Philippines, ured to pour water on incipient fires, of transportation, centralization and specific administration, with especial view to prompt and effective action in case of an uprising too large thandled by any but federal troops,

In private conversation more than one offices of rank has expressed the administration, when Taft is succeeded by Wright, to fill the vacancy on the Philippine commission by appointing a general of the line also that the military member should

become ex-officio minister of war in the usular calcinet. TURKS MAY KILD

Panic Stricken Christians of Uskub Afraid to Leave Their Houses. Sofis, Aug. 20.-A reign of terror is

eported to prevail at Uskub, where the Christain inhabitants are alraid leave their houses. The Vali has is-sued the strictest orders to the Mussuimen population to remain quiet and lest their Christain neighbors, but the Musaulmans meetings in the nat, to massare the whole Christain per day and it will operate in the big insurgent bands appear near Uskub belt of sugar and yellow pine timber or on any other pretext. The Chris-The Turkish tains are terrorized. troops, who are their only protection, do not show the slightest disposition

to aid them.

Torpedo Bost is a Success Newport, R. I., Aug 20.—It was demonstrated to the satisfaction of the government officials that the torpedo host destroyer Hall is a success from every standpoint, and the trial board has decided to recommend that also be ber 14 to 26 inclusive, is given this accepted. The trial was held nutside year under the anspices of the Mult- of Newport in a sea described as from smooth to rough. The boat wave board of inspection and survey. She not only maintained her contract speed of 28 knote an hour, but at times made

20 knots and over. Auxlous to Complete Ships,

Washington, Aug. 20 .- Acting Sperstary Darling has received a telegrans from the consul of the United States shipbuilding company, of which the brewing, \$21; rolled, \$21@21.50. Crescent shipbininding company is a Oats-No. 1 white, \$1.07 \cdots; gray, part, stating that the company hopes Crescent shipbbniiding company is a eventually to be able to resume work Ministuffs--Bran, \$25 per ton; mit, on the craiser Chattanooga and the tordlings, \$27; shorts, \$23, chop, \$18; puto boats Nicholson and O'Brien, The contracts for all three of the ships Hay—Timothy, old, \$20 per ton; have been especified and a board of effi-new, \$14ss.15; clover, nominal; grain, \$12; chest, nominal.

Yet Hope for Canal,

Color, Aug. 20,-The statement Young America, 15c; factory prices, made in a dispatch from Foreign Min leter Rico to Secretary Herran, the 11 bc per pound; spring, 146 5c; announcing the rejection of the canal bens, 113 6212c; broilers \$2.00 per treaty and which was published here per today, to the effect that the Colombian congress may probably furnish a basis for a resumption of negotiations with the United States, has caused a more hopeful feeling in some quarters with regard to the fate of the treaty.

Massacre le Confirmed.

Solfia, Aug. 20.-Reports received from Constantinople, and believed to be authentic, confirm the previous statements to the effect that when the Turks recaptured Krushevo they alsoghtered the entire Christian population, without exception, and it Tallow—Prime, per pound, 4@5c; No. 2 and grease, 21%@3c.

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