## EVENTS OF THE DAY

Comprehensive Review of the Import Likely to Prove Interesting.

Violent earthquake shocks were felt at Ealu. Hungary.

Ex-Postmaster General Smith denies

all charges of fraud. Japan's participation in the Lewis

and Clark fair is assured.

An American named Thornton and his native scout have been slain in point that the czar was kept ignorant versity, and have been enthusiasti

Dr. J. W. Jewett, for 40 years customs examiner at New York, has been

Russia will refuse to receive the petition of the Jews, which Roosevelt will forward.

Emperor William, at a dinner, said Teutons and Amreicans are bound by ties of blood and relations should be

Almost the entire plant of the Cincinnati abattoir company, one of the largest in Ohio, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$300,000.

Peru has arrested a number of deputies who were to take part in congress on finding illegal documents in their

In a raid by the police on the headquarters of the Macedonian revolutionists at Kostendie, Bulgaria, six men were killed and much dynamite cap-

to Utica, N. Y., college.

Seventeen New York murderers will be executed within the next week.

Three tramps were killed in the

Colombia telegraph wires are down and proceedings of congress are not ob-

Definite steps toward the erection of a \$3,000,000 art museum in Chicago have been taken by the National Art itself.

Interference by the Toledo humane society stopped a butchers' contst for killing and dressing animals.

The Chicago pneumatic tool company has declared the regular 1% per cent dividend for the quarter ending June

The department of agriculture will

locate at Nodoches, Tex., the largest tobacco experiment station in the About 1,000 carpenters employed by

the various Chicago packing houses have struck for an eight hour day and ury to meet the needs of the situation. 50 cents an hour. The battleships Alabama, Illinois,

and Massachusetts and the cruiser Brooklyn, accompanied by the Mayflower as tender, have sailed for the Azores ilsands for the summer manenvers.

Frost and rain have rained thousands of acres of potatoes in Ireland.

Ashes from the volcano Sangay, in

Three days of rain have helped to dispel the fears of a crop failure in

Ex-President Arias, of Spanish-Hondurea, has been placed in a dungeon by

the successful rebel party. The shipping traffic at Cienfuegos, Cuba, is tied up by a strike of lightermen for higher wages.

The large wholesale boot and shoe firm of Lamkin & Foster, of Boston,

has been attacked by creditors. campaign against the get-rich-quick

concerns centering in that district. A Chinese mandarin at Linchow has been executed for high treason, in supplying arms and ammunition to rebels.

Ludwig Levoi, formerly a member of the Hungarian diet, has been appointed emigration commissoiner for Hun-

The scaffolding of a bridge in course of construction near Rome gave way with the result that five men were killed and 20 injured.

A buoy thrown out by the Baldwin-Ziegler polar expedition at Franz Josefland, June 11, 1902, has been picked up

on the northeast coast of Iceland. The people of Servia take offense a the new king for promoting assassins.

Whitelaw Reid says the Monroe doctrine has been carried too far by

Wyc., and collided with a freight train. Four men were killed. Ex-Representative Loud, of Cali-

fornia, is placed in an unenviable position in new postal scandal.

negro at the stake to avenge an assault The supreme court has declared these upon and murder of a 17-year-lod girl. warrants to be void.

Four men were killed and another fatally injured in a wreck on the Mis-

souri Paictic near Jefferson City, Mo. Convicts in the Colorado state penitentiary captured the warden's wife, about midnight last night. A number and using her as a shield, made a desperate break for liberty. The two

President Diaz, of Mexico, is sure to be renominiated.

in battle with rebels.

Five men were killed in a mine explosion at Blodsourg, N. M.

The 1904 supreme lodge A. O. U. W.

will meet at Chattanooga, Tenn. The amount of relief money received

at Heppner now totals over \$8,000.

TO ACT FOR JEWS.

Roosevelt Has Decided to Send Petition to the Czar.

Washington, June 27 .- The president has decided to transmit to the Russian government the petition presented to him by the executive council of the B'nai B'rito regarding the treathas been taken after mature consideraant Happenings of the Past Week, tion. At first it was decided that the Presented in Condensed Form, Most petition should not be presented because it might be resented by the Russian government and lead to a response that would cause a break in the relations of the two countries. However, the first consideration has been reconsidered, and by direction of the president the petition will go forward. What the result will be is problemati-

> At the White House conference on as to the exact condition of the Jews in | cally supported. his empire by the bureaucrats, who had hedged him about on all sides, and they were sure if the president would only once assist them in laving their case before the czar himself, he would at once adopt measures to alleviate and by the general public. their condition. The president at that

to regard the full publicity which had been given to the White House conference as sufficient to meet the needs of czar could not fail to see some of the newspaper comments and reports upon the subject. The Jews, however, were

not satisfied with this passive attitude. Officially, it is expected that the petition will be received, but it may be stated that there have been no lack of intimations from informed sources that the czar will never be permitted to see the note, as the Russian prime minister will not receive it for transmission. Andrew Carnegie has given \$100,000 In fact, it is realized that the Russian position is still correctly described in the statement telegraphed from Washignton June 9, from which this extract gradually disappearing.

is taken: "Nor will it be possible for Russia to wreck of a freight train at Layfayette, receive any representations regarding Ind. power. The Russian government takes the same position as that long held by the American government, namely, that it refrains from interfering in any internal affairs of another power and must insist on similar treatment for

OUTSIDE AID IS WANTED.

## Kansas Legislature Defeats Flood Meas ure Opposing It.

Topeks, Kan., June 27 .- The specia session of the Kansas legislature will adjourn tomorrow afternoon. No more bills will be passed. A long wrangle ensued tonight over the proposition to appropriate money for the relief of flood sufferers, many of the members insisting that it was a disrgace for Kansas to ask for outside assistance when there was plenty of money in the state treas-The bill was voted down by a small

Of the 50 bills enacted into law, only two are general bills. One is to remit taxes of property destroyed by the flood, the other is to extend the authority of county commissioners in cases of dire

FACE MARTIAL LAW.

Richmond, Va., June 27 .- Street cars were run on three lines this afternoon, and are running tonight so far without serious molestation. On each car were four, six or eight militiamen mill at Newberg, sveral steamboats with rifles loaded and bayonets fixed. and thousands of acres of timber Strong guards of militiamen were cn lands. duty during the day at all the power houses and car barns.

Stringent orders were issued by the authorities today with the object of maintaining order, women and chil-dren being asked to remain at home, as far as possible, and the troops being specifically directed to shoot promptly, and to kill, if necessary, to prevent destruction of property or peril to life or

Find More Postal Frauds. Washington, June 27 .- Postoffice inspectors are gathering evidence in at least six or seven cases of alleged fraud against the postoffice department, which will be presented to the grand jury as soon as the government officials are satisfied they have a strong enough case to obtain indictments. the recent investigation into postal affairs has been under way. It is impossible to obtain any information as to the identity of persons whose acts are being investigated.

Grafters Received \$10,000. St. Louis, June 27 .- According to information which Circuit Attorney Folk secured today, \$10,000 was spent in Jefferson City to pass the bill legalizing Eight cars broke waay at Rawlins, outstanding county warrants, which were issued with deficiencies in the the kitchen, commissary, engine-roo treasury. This mesaure was one of the and large shower bathroom. at the time. It is said that there are more than \$1,000,000 in these war-A Wilmintgon, Del., mob burned a rants now in the hands of speculators.

Cloudburst in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., June 2/.- A rain so tically a cloudburst, fell over Topeka of residents in South Topeka were compelled to leave their homes and flee to eaders were killed and the rest cap- higher ground, while a few of the smaller houses were washed from their oundations. Soldier creek, which was such a factor in destroying North Topeka recently, came up with a rush, and is the real estate transfers of the pro-The sultan of Morocco lost 6,000 men flowing over Kansas avenue bridge.

Revelation to Germans.

New York, June 27 .- Having comleted their seven weeks' tour through the United States, the delegation of 47 Germans sent to this country by the kaiser to study agricultural methods, are preparing to leave for home. The leader of the party says that what they zer of women's Lewis and Clark clubs. More troops have been sent to Du- admire most in the United States is was in Monmouth last wee, where she buque, Iowa, to prevent rioting by the people. The argultural experi formed another club with a good charment stations also were a revelation.

## HAPPENINGS HERE IN OREGON

LOANS FROM SCHOOL FUND.

Two Districts Have Borrowed Money at

5 Per Cent.

plication to borrow money from the

irreducible state school fund, under

A number of other districts are mak-

ing preparations to borrow money

bonds have been accepted are District

vided that whenever any school dis

The state land board is also prepar

of money to the public schools

Chemawa Graduates Five.

part of the afternoon there will be band concerts, athletic contests and

given an opportunity to inspect the

acter of work done at the institution.

An entertainment will be given in the

No Celebration at Portland.

land has been transferred to the Hepp-

at Irvington, for the benefit of Hepp

ner. The amount paid in is \$2874.66

and about \$250 is outstanding. It is

Muddy Water for Twenty-five Miles.

ed to Astoria from service on the pilot

schooner, says that, as a result of the

Light Plant at Fort Stevens

Old Pioneer Cone.

Convict Restored to Citizenship.

sentence in the penitentiary for lar

ceny committed in Douglas county

The pardon serves merely to restore

Rural Delivery Much Appreciated.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Flour-Best grades, \$3.95 @ 4.30

Millstuff. Bran, \$23 per ton; mid-

Oats-No. 1 white, \$1.10 @ 1.15;

Hay-Timothy, \$20@21; clover,

young, 13@14c; hene, 12c; turkeys,

ive, 16@17e; dressed, 20@22e; ducke,

dlings, \$27; shorts, \$23; chop, \$18.

nominal; cheat, \$15@16 per ton.

Governor Chamberlain has granted

Captain Joseph Sloan, an Oregon

grounds and barracks.

Salem last Sunday

him to citizenship.

ey, 77c.

ing. \$21.

graham. \$3.45@3.85.

gray, \$1.05 per cental.

ory prices, 1@1 %c less.

22 4c; store, 16c@18.

Vesl-734@8c.

Lambs-Gross,

Hoge-Grow, 646 %c drossed, 766e.

dressed, 6@6 %c.

dreseed, 7%c.

Eggs-17@ 20c per dozen.

egon, 8@14c; mohair, 35@3714c.

Mutton-Groce, \$3.50 per

Hope-Choice, 18@20c per pound.

Beef-Gross, cows, 35 @4c. per

3.50 per cental.

6.50.

ally increasing in amount.

runs.

Captain Howes, who has just return-

This is

The Fourth of July fund at Port

The closing exercises of Chemawa

the entire fund.

The districts whose offers of

the act of the last legislature, and

Two school districts have made ap

YEAR OF SUCCESSFUL WORK.

ment of Jews in Russia. This action University of Oregon Expects an In-

creased Attendance. The year just closed has been one of the most successful in the history of the University of Oregon. A hearty spirit of co-operation has existed be tween the students and faculty, and the work accomplished during the year of the students has been above the average, and cases of discipline have

The athletic and other interests of the students body have been conduct the 15th inst., the Jews had made the ed according to the ideal of the uni

President P. L. Campbell has made many friends during the first year of his regime, and his efforts to build up the university and to bring it into closer touch with people of the state have been appreciated by the regents

The prospects for a large increase hearing promised to do what he could. in attendance next semester are flat It was at once perceived to do what tering. Already nearly 100 applicawas asked involved the danger of a tions have been received for freshman short reply and a disposition developed standing, most of them coming from graduates of the different high schools throughout the state. The scientific and engineering courses will be better equipped than ever before, and the the case, for it was assured that the facilities for instruction in these branches will be very efficent.

The dormitory is being improved and transformed into a comfortable home for the young men of the univer-The dormitory will be managed in the future by the university and a fixed rate of \$3.50 per week will be charged for board and lodging.

It is very encouraging to note that 85 per cent of the students who were in the university during the past year were actual college students and the preparatory department, which a few years ago contained more than

PRUNE GROWERS' FUEL PROBLEM.

Marion Cordwood Has Increased in Price June 30. A class of five pupils will be and is Lcarce. graduated. The exercises will occupy the whole day. In the forenoon and

An enormous prune crop and an unsually short supply of wood will make the fuel question an important one to fruitgrowers this fall. The curing of exhibitions and all visitors will be the hop and prune crops takes thousands of cords of wood each year. In the last year or two the amount of fuel cut has decreased, and it is very evident that the supply will not equal the assembly room in the evening. demand this fall. Every cord of wood that comes to Salem is quickly bought and much of that still corded up in the country is already sold. The best quality of large hr is selling at \$4 a whereas it usually orings but ner relief committee, and no celebra \$2.75 to \$3. The price of small fir has tion will be held, except a sham battle not advanced so much, as this class of wood is in less demand and more up from \$2.25 and \$2.50 a cord to \$3. It expected that all this balance will b is almost certain that as the season paid. There are bills outstanding passes the prices will increase and which must be paid, but the balance that prune growers will find the item to be transferred to the Heppner fund of fuel adding to the cost of preparing will be at least \$2500. their fruit for market.

thousand cords of slabwood will be brought to Salem from Eugene this summer.

Big Timber Deal Made. A deal involving several hundred and muddy water extends a distance required.

summated by which H. L. Pittock, F. W. Leadbetter, president of the Col umbia River paper company, and W. Ecuador, have been falling for several Virginia Street Car Strikers Are to Be of the Crown paper company, have days.

Shot in All Riots. eet in the Charles K. Spaulding logging company, owned by Spaulding and B. C. Miles. The object of the deal is to enlarge the scope of operations of the company, which ownes The capacity of the Newberg mill is about 30,000 feet daily, and this will be at least doubled, as the company wishes to increase its lumber

Law for Plumbers.

Some of the larger towns in Oregon have overlooked the act of the last legislature which requires that every ncorporated city of 4000 inhabitants shall have a board of examiners of plumbers within thirty days after the act becomes a law. According to the computation made by the secretary o state as to the time when acts of the legislature became laws, the 30 days expired last Sunday. The act also requires that in such towns every per on desiring to engage in the occupa tion of a plumber shall first secure a cense from the board of examiners of plumbers. Plumbers are required to pay a license fee of \$1 and These cases have come to light since each shop or establishment must pay

Quarters For Women Prisoners.

The changes and improvements which Governor Chamberlain is hav ing made at the state prison provide for suitable quarters for female priso This is an improvement that has long been desired. The female quarters are to be constructed in the north end of the new wing, on the third floor. This portion of the nev wing now consists of but two stories The ground floor is now occupied by so-called quiet measuers of the general second floor was intended for a comassembly and attracted little attention munity dining room, but has never been used for that purpose.

Men Needed on Jetty.

A force of 170 men, who are classed as unskilled laborers, is now at work on the extension of the jetty, and Assistant Engineer Hegardt, who has harge of the work, says he needs tremendous in volume that it was prac-tically a cloudburst, fell over Topeka men receive \$2.25 per day of eight ours, and pay \$3 per week for board. The labor is not hazardous or difficult the only thing required of the men is that they shall be able-bodied, of sober habits and willing to work.

An increase of nearly \$90,000 above ceding week is the feature of the past week in Portland, among the realty The building permits for the same period show a slight decrease, but nothing abnormal when the ordinary fluctuations of the construction business are considered.

Mrs. Emma Galloway, state organi

FROM MANY STATES.

Money for Heppner Sufferers Continues to Arrive Daily.

Heppner, Or., June 25 .- Nearly \$7,-500 swelled the total of relief dons tions today. It is gratefully welcomed, as the falling off in receipts yesterday and the day before gave some anixety to the committee, for there is pressing need of every cent received or prom-The money comes from all over the United States, one man in a far off corner of Texas contributing \$1, while the city of New York sent a check for their applications have been accepted. \$2,500.

But one more body was recovered today, bringing the total found to date to

the same source, and it seems that the state land board will be able Now that the town is practically to put out a considerable sum in this cleared and placed in a fairly sanitary ondition, the executive committee has No. 1, in Clatsop county, which will issue bonds to the amount of \$35,000. and District No. 2, in Wasco county, which will issue bonds to the amount The loans will be made at 5 per cent. interest. The usual rate for mortgage loans is 6 per cent., but the board does not find borrowers for felt that as much paid work as possible The act of the last legislature proshould be left to the Heppner people, giving them the opportunity to earn rict desired to raise money by issuing onds, it should be the duty of the district to offer the bonds to the state and board at not less than 5 per cent military camp, with cooks, tents, comnterest. The board has the option on the bonds at that rate, and if the missary and other equipment, it is posonds are found to be legally issued. may purchase them. If the state land board declines to purchase the bonds

the district may then sell them in the C. C. Berkeley, the well known enmarket at the best terms that can be The oththese are Pendleton citizens. ing a form of bond which each disschool district can now issue bonds without giving the state land board an opportunity to buy them, so that school districts upon bonds hereafter was thrown on top of undisturbed government inspector to see all that issued will go into the public school heaps. It the Portland contingent is practically all the interest paid by put on also, the time for completing fund, thus saving this large amoun! the task will be materially lessened.

A total of about five large carloads of general supplies, as food, bedding. Kaiser Praises Vessels Now at Kiel in clothes, etc., has been donated and Indian training school will be held on shipped to Heppner since the flood.

CUBAN MATTER BEFORE CABINET.

Naval Station Will Be Secured in Advance of Payment Therefor.

Washington, June 25 .- At the cabivarious departments and see the char- net meeting today, Secretary Wilson and had the pleasure of receiving Ad- stipulation or bond, it is asserted, will submitted an elaborate set of plans for miral Cotton and his captains. It more than cover the claims of the credthe proposed new building of the de- was a very happy and kind inspiration itors against the Trigg Company for partment of agriculture. Considerable them within the cost proposed by con- cent flagship Kearsarge today when I immediately release the ship to the

that the treaty will be so framed as to is warmly welcomed here, and will, I are represented by the actual cash valadvance of payment therefor, the ques- body will vie with each other to make absolutely essential at this stage to estion of price to be settled thereafter. them feel at home, in response to the tablish a sound precedent and deter-This is necessitated by the fact that the kind and friendly reception of my mine the question of title to war re-Cuban government proposed to acquire brother by the citizens of the United sels under construction, in order to prothe title from individual holders and States. transfer the land to the United States. and it is unable at this time correctly present freshet in the Columbia, fresh to estimate the value of the property

CHINESE CRISIS GROWS GRAVER.

undoubtedly what prevents the salmon from coming in in the expected large Rebels Besiege a City and Will Take It

Unless Help Arrives Soon. Shanghai, June 5, via Victoria, B. Captain Goodale, constructing quar-C., June 25.—The crisis grows more ceived here today from the department mnet will be avoided. termaster United States army with grave in Kwang Si. The North China of the interior. The withdrawn disheadquarters at Astoria, has received authority from the department at Daily News says today: Washington to advertise for bids for The local mandarins have received

the construction of an electric light the following telegram from Kwang Si: plant at Fort Stevens to light the "The rebellion is increasing and daily getting more dangerous and more formidable. The imperial army here is too weak to be of any use. The latest news is that the rebels have beseiged pioneer of 1850, first superintendent the city of Chung Chou of the prefectof the Oregon penitentiary, and an early chief of police of Portland, died ure of Tai Ping Fu in Kwang Si, and at the home of Dr. E. A. Pierce in that unless relief is sent at once, it rebels. Wu, the prefect, has been full pardon to Percy McDonald, who ordered a force under Ho Taotai and has completed the serving of a year's Major General Pan to proceed to raise known to come as a result of its recthe seige.'

State Flood Relief Plan.

Topeka, Kan., June 25 .- Senator F. The locating of three free rural mai routes from the postoffice at Junction City has resulted in a greater volumof postal business. Many more daily papers are taken and the amount of mail delivered and collected is gradu-Wheat-Walla Walla, 70@74c; vala 1/2-mill levy to meet the appropriation. ably in August. Barley-Feed, \$20.00 per ton; brew-

Coalminers Give Up Struggle. Nanamio, B. C., June 25-After 16 weeks of hopeless struggle the Ladysmith coal miners tonight gave up the fight and agreed to resume work immediately under the contracts existing before the inception of the trouble. The men have abandoned the Western Federation, which has furnished little form wage for all men, by which the or no support, many now being on the Potatoes Best Burpanks, 50@65c verge of starvation. There is great reper sack; ordinary, 35@45c per cental, joicing at Ladysmith tonight. The not to discriminate against union men; growers' prices; Morced sweets, \$30 mines will reopen immediately. It is expected the Cumberland miners will Poultry-Chickens, mixed, 10@11e; take the same course.

Floods Wipe Out Towns.

17.00@7.50 per dozen; geeze, \$6.00@ El Paso, Tex., June 25.—The Rio Cheese-Full cream, twine, 1514@ 16e; Young America, 15@15 %c; fact-Butter-Fancy creamery, 20@22%c per pound; extras, 22c; dairy, 200 Wool-Valley, 12 1/2 17e; Eastern Or-

Minister Will Not Return.

pound; steers, 5@5%c; dressed, 8%c. New York, June 24 .- According to

NATION IS DUPED

FREE SEED MAN GIVES GOVERNMENT SHORT WEIGHT.

Foreman of Company Exposes Fraud-States in Meantime, Will Withhold Amounts to \$108,000.

the court of claims, an affidavit by Wood, and Roosevelt has taken occasion to express his confidence in Wood.

The same has happened in Wood. Charles Kingsley, of Palis Charles Kingsley, of Palis Palis Charles Kingsley, of Palis Pal decided that no further outside work- ing that A. C. Nellis, of New York, are close to Roosveelt. men will be called for. The force on who had the contract for furnishing hand, now thoroughly organized, is seed ready for distribution to the gov- intends to stand by Henry C. Payne, hand, now theoretically organized, is deemed sufficient to complete the work. It is probable that the Portion books were to be kept, and the land contingent will soon be withdrawn, leaving only the Heppner force packages should be lightweight. The close to the president declare that in town. Since the rush is over, it is legal representatives of Nellis are suing for the payment of \$18,000 which tacks made upon him will not cause Secretary Wilson withheld from the the president to accept his resignation the money donated. The Portland contract payment for alleged non-perthe money donated. The Portland contract payment for alleged non-pet is a perfect understanding between force, under J. N. Davis, being very formance fo contract. The full Roosevelt and Payment for alleged non-pet is a perfect understanding between compact and as readily moved as a amount of the contract was \$108,000. Secretary Wilson said tonight the president is satisfied with what his \$18,000 was withheld as the result of postmaster general has done, and is sible that it may be sent down the val- an inquiry into the work of the conley to help clear up the drifts remain- tractor at the time, and that the government is still in possession of Nellis' bond for \$35,000. Mr. Wilson said gineer, has been working a force of 210 that he had directed that the seed conmen down the valley today. Sixty of tract and its execution be probed to the bottom, and that the investigation ers are mixed volunteers and paid men had not implicated any one in the govformity in this respect will make it easy to keep the records of bonds in the hands of the state land board. No more days will be required to go over to do satisfactory work, and caused the valley. The first search not being serious delay in the annual seed distriat all thorough, many drifts will have bution and a great rush of work subseto be gone over again, as loose debris quently made it impossible for the

LAUDS OUR NAVY.

Message to Roosevelt.

Washington, June 29.-President cablegram from Emperor William: modification of the plans submitted Kiei for the week, and thanks to this ship. After the stipulation is filed it will be necessary in order to bring fact, I was able to inspect the magnifi- is believed that Judge Grinnan will was able to compliment the captain on government. Secretary Hay referred briefly to the the exceptionally good state of efficien- It was learned at the navy departsending treaty looking to the acquisi- cy and neatness of the ship, and the ment today that far greater interests tion of naval stations in Cuba, and the fine appearance of his gallant crew are involved in the decision of the settlement of title to the Isle of Pines. With the expression of my warmest question of the possession of the cruis-As to the naval stations, it appears thanks, I assure you that the squadron ers Galveston and Chattanooga than permit of the acquisition of the land in trust, make an agreeable stay. Every- ue of those boats. It is regarded as WILLIAM, I. R."

STOP TO LAND ENTRY.

are Withdrawn.

trict comprises:

All of Franklin county, Washington Portions of 10 townships along the Snake river in Walla Walla county. Ten townships at the southwestern

corner of Adams county. A small portion of Yakima county. The supposed object of the with drawal is to investigate the possibilities for government irrigation in this district from the Snake and Columbia will certainly fall into the hands of the rivers. The order came as a complete surprise. A few months ago a governsending an appeal for troops to the ment surveying party prospected the governor, Wang Chi Hung, and he has entire country along the Snake from Riparia to Pasco, and the order is ommendation to the department.

1904 Fair Wants Funds.

St. Louis, June 29 -The World's D Smith will introduce a flood relief Fair Company has expended in actual berculosis, however, is not so satisfaction measure in the Senate, following the cash \$5,500,000 up to the first of the lines of the precedent established in present month, as shown by the report to 6 per cent in deaths from that dis-1901, when an appropriation was made of the auditing committee of the Na- ease in each of the years 1901 and to furnish seed for the settlers in tional Commission at work here. The Northwest Kansas who had lost their Commission has been formally notified all by drouth. He would require those by the Exposition Company that a re- the general mortality amounts to over to whom money is supplied to give a quest will be made upon the secretary 16 per cent. note therefor, without interest, due of the United States treasury to be al-October 1, 1904, and when it is col- lowed to draw on the fund of \$5.000, lected the money shall be returned to 000 appropriated by congress for the the state treasury. The plan will require fair between now and Spetember, prob-

Arbitrators Raise Their Wages.

Chicago, June 29 .- The wages of the 1,000 members of the Railway Express Drivers' and Conductors' Union will be increased on an average of 10 per the United States. It is of the seamcent, under the decision of the Chicago less rubber type. Captain Edgar Rusboard of arbitration, just made public. sell, Signal Corps, has started for Seal-The union made a demand for a unihighest paid would receive \$75 per In the agreement, they agree month. to grant drivers extra pay for Sunday work, excepting one Sunday in each S cloleries of the Lehigh coal and navi-

Cramp's Branch Out.

Philadelphia, June 29.—The stock-Grande at Berino, N. M., is six miles holders of the William Cramp & Sons' wide Santa Fe trains are coming in Ship & Engine Building Company, at over the Southern Pacific tracks. It is a special meeting today, approved the generated a large body of steam, which reported here that the channel has increase of the capital stock of the rushed down the gangway, scalding a changed twice in 30 miles above El company from \$5,000,000, and the in-Paso. The current crosses the Santa crease of the mortgage indebtedness the fire hose. Fe track twice in less than a mile of from \$1,000,000 to \$7,500,000. John terrtoriy. All the Mexican settlements W. Grange and Andrew H. McNeale, near Sierra Blanca, Tex., has been stockholders, have entered suit in this swept away Breino ha not been heard city to prevent the increase in the capital and the mortgage indebtedness.

Garden Seeds Sent Flood Folk.

Topeka, Kan., June 29.-Over 7,500 information obtained by the World pounds of garden seeds were received here, Senor Luis Corra, the Nicaraguan in Topkes by mail today for the benefit minister to this country, will not re- of the flood sufferers. This is the conturn to his post, and the Nicaraguan tribution of the United States departgovernment will continue without a ment of agriculture to the relief fund. diplomatic representative at Washing-ton because of the failure of the Nica-

PAYNE IS SAFE.

Roosevelt Will Not Allow Postmaster General to Resign.

Washington, June 24. - President Roosevelt is earning the reputation standing by his friends. Attempts have been made several times to sea him from some of the friends of other wilson Will Probe Scandal-United days, whom it is thought were not do sirable to be in close relations with him every time. Rather vicious at-\$18,000 Yet Due on Contract, Which tacks have been made upon Senator Lodge, and Roosevelt has been advised to have some other senator as his confidante, but all such advice has Washington, June 29 .- In the case b een rejected. Vicious attacks have of the Nellis seed contract suit before been made upon General Leonard a dozen men of less prominence who

Now it is reported that the president if Payne offers it. It is said that there Roosevelt and Payne, and that the not going to bes tampeded by the vicious attacks that have been made in

various newspapers upon Payne.

It is expected that when the investigation progresses somewhat further the president will take occasion to issue a statement concerning it, giving credit to whom due, for the work of investigation, and unless something happens that is not now in sight, to commend Postmaster General Payne, While this is quite freely discussed, it is impossible to say how true it is, as the president himself refused to discuss the matter, and no one officially connected with the administration will deny or affirm the statements.

NAVY WANTS PRECEDENT.

Tying Up of Galveston by Creditors Paves the Way for Trouble on Other Ships.

Washington, June 29.—President Washington, June 24.—Attorney Roosevelt today received the following General Knox had prepared today a stipulation in the nature of a bond Kiel, June 29 .- President of the which, will be filed with Jugde Grin-United States of America, Washing-ton: On my arrival at Kiel I was sa-mond, practically the Government's inluted by a fine American squadron, terest in the cruiser Galveston. This on your part to send the squadron to work done and material used on the

tect the government's interests in the ownership of at least a dozen ships, including battleships worth nearly \$5,-000,000, each. Separate action will be taken in the case of the Chattanoogs, building at Elizabethport, and it is therefore probable that no further de-Walla Walla, Wash., June 29.—An lays will be encountered in the compleorder for the withdrawal from desert tion of the Galveeton and the Chattaentry of 1,100,000 acres of land in the nooga, while any show of force or dur Walla Walla land office district was re- ess on the part of the National govern-

CUBA FREE OF YELLOW JACK.

Smallpox is Unheard of, but Tuberculosis Increases Its Ravages.

Washintgon, June 24 .- A copy of the monthly report of Dr. C. J. Finlay, chief sanitary officer for the Island of Cuba, which has been received at the Cuban legation here, contains the fol-

factory, not only in regard to the complete exemption from yellow fever and smallpox, but also in the number of deaths from malaria and in the total mortality. There has been no smallpox on the island since June, 1900, nor yellow fever since September, 1901, and the progress in the decrease in malaria has continued without interrup-"The condition regarding tutory. There has been an increase of 5 1902, and at the present time the proportion of deaths from that cause to

Washington, June 24. - General Greely has been informed that 580 miles of the submarine cable to be laid between Puget Sound and Alaska have been shipped from New York to Seattle. The remaining 750 miles will be shipped from New York in August. This is the first long cable made in

Miners Scalded by Steam.

Tamaqua, Pa., June 24.—As a result of two disasters which followed close upon one another in the No. 4 and No. gation company, in the Panther creek valley, three men are dead, one is dying and five others are seriously injured Late last night, while a force of men were fighting a mine fire, the action of the water on the burning coal and rock

Holds New King Was in Plot. Vienna, June 24.—The Allgemeine correspondent learns that the new king of Servia was not only fully informed of the military conspiracy at Belgrade.

but it was actually carried out by agents. The officers broke into the Konaw with a fixed determination cf killing the royal couple. The question of demanding the abdication of King Alexander was not a condition. ton because of the failure of the Nica-raguan canal project.

murder him.