# **NEWS OF THE WEEK**

### In a Condensed Form for Our tesy Readers.

A Resume of the Less Important bu Net Less Interesting Events of the Past Week.

A great earthquake in Guatamala did lamage to property.

Nearly all the large cities are now

Rockefeller cannot be compelled to testify in Ohio in the Standard inquiry. The Bank of England has again rais ed the discount rate, but gold purchases

Three Kansas banks have closed on account of failure of a bank at Kansas City, Mo.

Chief Forester Pinchot says the tim-ber supply of the United States will not last 20 years.

Experts have found the New York trust companies solvent and the banks will back them.

Governor-Elect Easnell, of Oklaho ma, advocates a 90-day holiday for fi-nancial interests. The United States Steel corporation

has bought control of Tennessee Coal & Iron company, subject to Roosevelt's It is feared many lives were lost in

the recent heavy gale off Newfoundland. Seven fishing vessels have not reported and are believed to have gone down.

The population of London is over seven million.

America is proving the promised land of the Jews. Governor Hoch, of Kansas, is said to

awant to fill Senator Long's place. The Russian prison system is said to be a practical joke by leading bureau-

Harriman is reported to have purhased the Georgia Central railway

New York banks have impaired the government cash reserve, but no alarm is felt, as foreign gold en route to this country will make the shortage good.

Enrique Creel, ambasador from Mexico to the United States, has been elected governor of Chihuahua, but it is believed he will continue his ambassador-

San Jose del Cabo, at the mouth o the Gulf of California, has been de-stroyed by wind and a cloudburst. Six-teen persons were killed and the entire population is destitute.

Pope Leo is reported to be seriously

The Commercial State bank, o Grand Island, Neb., has cloed its doors. Finland has passed a bill prohibiting the manufacture or importation of al-

Parts of India are threatened with famine, having experienced the worst

Reliable reports from Karatagh, Rus sian Turkestan, say but 300 perso met death in the recent disaster.

General Booth, of the Salvation Army, has arrived in New York from England and was given a great recep-

British railroad employes have voted for a general strike and there seems little likelihood of a settlement being The governors of Georgia, Alabama

and North Carolina have united to force the railways to obey new laws passed in those states. It is announced that 21 steamer

have been chartered to bring coal and other supplies from Scotland for the American fleet which is to visit the situation, owing to the dislocation

A bank cashier at Charlton, Ind .eft a message saying the bank was wrecked and committed suicide. Oklahoma banks will reopen Novem

A third death from plague has oc

Montana banks are doing busine

under normal conditions Hostile Navajo Indians have been

killed or captured in Southern Utah. William D. Haywood will most probably be the Socialist candidate for president.

California banks are almost all ig-noring the holiday proclaimed by the The Great Northern and Northern

Pacific railroads will not suspend con The Louisiana legislature has been

called in extra session to pass laws gov erning public service corporations. The Rock Ilsand railroad has laid of

every construction crew on account of approaching winter, the officials say. Two arrests have been made in Chl-cago for stealing records in the case of John R. Walsh, wrecker of the Mil-

New York banks are furnishing mon ey to move crops.

The Union Pacific has stopped much Nebraska officials have severely snub

Forty sailors have been devoured

anibals near Cape Horn. The German imperial bank has raised the discount rate to check gold ex-

Many of the large banks in differen rt of the country are absorbing the SETTLERS BY TRAINLOAD.

About Three Thousand Arrive in Spokane at One Time.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 5 .- Nearly 3,000 homeseekers, bound for every part of the Pacific Northwest, arrived in Spokane Sunday by the various roads. They are traveling on tickets sold in the East under the colonist rates, which expired October 31, and the army is made up of those who waited until the last day of grace to begin their journey.

Train No. 3 on the Northern Pacific consisted of 25 coaches filled to the steps. It traveled in two sections. Twelve hundred souls, railroad officials estimated, were inside the coaches.

When the colonists alighted at Spo-

kane to stretch their weary limbs, big depot was unable to hold the

Traveling men from St. Paul, who witnessed the embarking from that point on October 31, say several hundred were left behind. They fought to get inside the gate and train officials were compelled to carry children from the cars in order to force the parents to get off in order to make room for those remaining Portland, Seattle and Taof these colonists, who seem to be prosperous and not locking refinement.

#### BANKS ISSUE PAPER.

Clearing House Certificates to Serve Public as Cash.

Portland, Nov 5 .- In order to sup ply the temporary need of currency and rnish means for marketing the crops of the state, the Portland Clearing House association has authorized the ssuance of bank checks in denominations of \$5, \$10 and \$20 for general cirnouse certificates, will be based upon deposits of notes, bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments that are secured by wheat, grain, canned fish, lumber actually sold, and other marketable products or paper approved by the committee that has been appointed by the association and by which the certificates will be issued.

These certificates or emergency bank notes will be issued through the Portland Clearing House association to the extent of two-thirds only of the value Colorado has taken steps against the companies in the coal combination with the hope that the price of fuel may be tions the same as currency. The reduction two-thirds only of the value of the securities. The certificates will be redeemable in cash February 1, 1908, and will be used in all transactions the same as currency. The will tions the same as corrency. They will be received by the banks in payment of all obligations and will circulate the same as gold, silver or paper money.

This plan for providing a temporary circulating medium was adopted at a onference of the representative bank ers of the cities of Portland, Tacoma, Spokane and Seattle, held in the last named city Sunday.

## PAPER MONEY IN BAY CITY.

Clearing House Banks Will Issue Cur-

rency in Small Notes. were at work all day Sunday in the row county, has lost about an equal clearing house preparing certificates in number. Opinions among sheepmen denominations of \$5, \$10 and \$20. useociation, will be issued by the clear-ng house. These certificates are to constitute a flexible currency for use in sufficient and the quality poor. ing house. retail trade and to meet payrolls until the present coin stringency is relieved. The certificates will be accepted as legal tender by the 32 banks in the expected currency shipments from the East are received. be retired as quickly as possible by the banks, because of the large amount of The cars were wanted for shipment of

It was stated that an important move in connection with the financial situation has been made by the safe deposit ompanies, who, it is said, have agreed to rent no more boxes to any one, in order to prevent the hoarding of money in safe deposit boxes. Estimates place the amount of money in sate deposit vaults in this city as high as \$10,000,-

Strain Easing Up in East.

New York, Nov. 5 .- Last week given over to the work of rehabilitation of financial conditions, and much progress was made, although there reof exchange facilities in the money and mmercial markets. This was inevitable from the shock of the preceding week's events in New York. situation has been well in hand and

Cruiser Buffalo Spoke North Head, Wash., Nov. 5 .- Th United States cruiser Buffalo, which has been doing special duty in Bering sea with the revenue service for .th past two months, was communicated with by wireless last evening off Van-couver island. The Buffalo sailed rom Bremerton navy yard in Augus with rush orders to proceed to Bering sea to help the regular revenue cutters poachers. The entire fleet of cutters was kept busy throughout the season watching seals.

Credit Currency Remedy. New York, Nov. 5.—That permanent relief from the present monetary stringency can only be had through a sys tem of credit currency adequate to meet the requirements of trade and redeemable in gold coin, was the opinion ex pressed today by Representative Char-les Fowler, of New Jersey, chairman of he banking and currency committee which will at the coming session en-deavor to have a law passed for credit currency issued by the National banks.

Mexico City, Nov. 5 .- A. B. Butler, pecial agent of the United States govnment, is in this city to work in the nterest of trade relations between the United States and Mexico. He wil look over the trade conditions of the entire country, inquiring into those features which should interest the merchants of the United States, and report in what way conditions can be im-

## OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST

STUDENTS PACK APPLES.

Corvallis Experiment Station Will Ship Carload of Newtons.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvals-A carload of first class Newtowns, from an orchard operated under a lease by the horticultural department at the ollege, is being prepared for shipment, the grading and packing being done by students in the agricultural course The work is a drill in that important department of horticulture, and they get regular credits for it in their colege work. Two days were spent recently by John Castner, a packing expert from Hood River, in giving th students special instruction.

The Newtowns being packed for shipent are from the five-acre Meeker orchard, but a few hundred yards from the college. The land was leased last year for purposes of experiment. portion of it was given the highest scientific cultivation, and the remainder allowed to go in much the same fashion that is usual on Willamette valley farms. The difference in the appearance of the two portions is so marked as to leave no doubt of the efficacy of care. Scarcely a single box of marketable apples will be secured from the neglected portion, while from the culti-vated part at least 600 boxes of the fin-

est fruit will be secured. The test seems to establish that New towns are a desirable variety for planting in the Willamette valley. Professor Lewis declares the color of the fruit from this orchard is as fine as can be produced. The apples will grade 31/2, 4 and 4 1/2 tier.

High School Debating League. University of Oregon, Eugene-Oregon State High School Debating league, organized during the past sumtion from all parts of the state. Up to the present time fifteen of the larger schools have signified their intention of joining the league, including Pendle ton, Baker City, La Grande, Ontario, The Dalles, Astoria, Salem, Eugene, Roseburg, Klamath Falls, Grants Pass, Bandon, Marshfield, North Bend and a number of smaller ones On account of the reorganization of its high schools. Portland was not able to enter, but will do so next year. The state has been divided into four districts, and a championship team will be chosen from each district. The final debate will be held at the University of Oregon. A handsome silver cup

will be given to the winning team. Dry Range Killing Sheep.

Pendleton — That sheep on many ranges of Eastern Oregon are unac-countably dying is the report brought to this city by prominent sheepmen. The heaviest loss seems to be in Morrow and Gilman counties, with a lesser amount in Umatilla county. A. Smythe rency in Small Notes. & Son, of Arlington, report the loss of San Francisco, Nov. 5.—Forty clerks 200 head, and William Smith, of Mordiffer as to the cause. Some think the which, indorsed by all the banks in the sheep are getting a poisonous weed, but

Means Ruination of Business. Salem-The Rickreall Milling com pany has filed complaint with the Oregon Railroad commission alleging that nuch to relieve the local situation until it placed orders for one freight car Sep-The certificates will one on October 4, and has received but one car, that delivered on October 4. securities deposited with the clearing grain from Derry to Newberg. The milling company says this failure to furnish cars is ruining its business and appeals to the commission for aid in ompelling the Southern Pacific to fur-

nish cars. Car Shortage Hurts. Athena-The car shortage here is great drawback in the shipping of products. Many hundred tons of wheat are stored in the various warehouses awaiting shipment, and most of the wheat that has been shipped so far was sent out on flat cars. Many of the armers along the little railroad stations have been unable to sell their wheat at good prices because the warehouse companies, as the agents, are \$29.50. unwilling to buy too much wheat unless they know they can ship it out.

C. & E. Makes Report. Salem-The report of the Corvallis & situation has been well in the range success was met in limiting the range of the disturbance and in the initiation of the disturbance and in the initiation ing showing: Earnings from operating showing: Eastern railway, filed with the state tion, \$235,807.42; operating expenses, \$139,793.17; income from operation, \$96,014.25; total income, same, deductions, taxes, interest, etc., \$64,151.30; net income, \$31,862.95; surplus, same; no dividends; total deficit for entry general balance sheet, 208,126.58; total cost of construction and equipment, \$3,114,280,90.

Mills Forced to Shut Down Albany-Because of car shortage the big mills of the Curtiss Lumber company at Mill City, on the Ccrvallis & Eastern railroad, 35 miles east of Albany, will soon close down until cars can be secured. Manager Robert Shaw said he could get no cars at all for shipments outside the state, and the nill yards are crowded with lumber mough to fill 400 cars. These mills have a capacity of about 100,000 feet

daily, and will throw 200 men out.

Apples Await Road. Pilot Rock-It is estimated the here are now about \$18,000 worth excellent apples on orchards tributary to this place awaiting the completion | of the Umatilla Central from Pe to this place, so they can be shipped to market. If the road is completed soon many of the fall apples can be saved. After this year great quantities of fruit

Many Apples Spoiling Pendleton-On account of the scar city of help to pick and shortage of cars many apples are going to waste in 16@22c per pound, according to shrink-Umatilla county. The car shortage is age; valley, 20@22c, according to fine-

holding up the shipment of several neess; hundred boxes at Milton.

will be shipped out from this point to

the markets

PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

Reform Association Would Ex

empt Many Articles. The Oregon Tax Reform association with headquarters at Portland, has for ts object several radical changes in the mode of taxation. Circular letters have been issued and sent to granges and other organizacions throughout state. The changes are to be made by amending the constitution through the initiative. The following is the text of

the associations' desire:
"All dwelling houses, all barns sheds, outhouses, and other improvements appertaining to any dwelling all fences, farm machinery and appli inces used as such; orchards, crops and livestock; household furniture in use, and tools owned and in use by a mechanic shall be exempt from taxation."

New Game Warden.

Salem-Robert O. Stevenson, of Forst Grove, has been appointed state game and forestry warden by Governor Chamberlain. Mr. Stevenson will suceed John W. Baker, of Cottage Grove, whose term of office has expired. The appointment of Mr. Stevenson makes the first change in Governor Chamberlain's official family. The appointment is for four years, during which ime Mr. Stevenson will make his headquarters at Forest Grove. The new appointee is a well known citizen and perhaps most in importance, that of Forest Grove and is a native son, having been born and raised in Yamhill county. In politics he is a Demo-crat, and his appointment was made upon the recommendation or a large number of prominent Democrats

Rhodes Scholarship Examanation. University of Oregon, Eugene-The ext qualifying examinations for the Rhodes scholarships for this state will be held at the University of Oregon, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 21 and 22, 1908. The arrangements conducting the examinations will follow closely those of last year, with the exception that an examination fee of \$5 will be charged all candidates. The examinations will be under the direc-

Little Hope of Relief.

Salem—The State Railroad commis-sion has answered the letter of the gov-

Oil Land Leased.

the revenue arising from the operations

if oil, coal, gas or minerals are found

If nothing materializes after a period

of three years, the leases are to be-

War on Illegal Dams.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Barley-Feed, \$28 50 per ton; brew

Corn-Whole, \$32; cracked, \$33.

Hay-Valley timothy, No. 1, \$17@18 per ton; Fastern Oregon timothy, \$23;

clover, \$13; cheat, \$13; grain hay, \$13

Fruits-Apples, \$1@2.50 per box;

antaloupes, \$1@1.50 per crate; water-

Vegetables-Turnips, \$1.25 per sack

carrots, \$1.25 per sack; beets, \$1.25 per sack; cabbage, 1@1%c per pound;

50c@\$1 per dozen; corn, 85c@\$1 per sack; cucumbers, \$1 per sack; onions,

15@20c per dozen; parsley, 20c per

dozen; peppers, 8@17c per pound:

radishes, 20c per dozen; spinach, 6c per pound; squash, 1@114c per pound; to-

Potatoes-75c@\$1 per hundred, de

ivered Portland; sweet potatoes, 21/4c

Butter-Fancy creamery, 30@35c pe

Veal-75 to 125 pounds, 8@81/e; 125

to 150 pounds, 7 1/4e; 150 to 200 pounds,

Pork-Block, 75 to 150 pounds, 736

12 1/2 per pound; mixed chickens, 11 1/2 @ 12c; spring chickens, 11 1/2 @ 12c; old

roosters, 8@9c; dressed chickens, 13@

14c; turkeys, live, old, 16c; young, 18c; geese, live, 9@10c; ducks, 14c;

12c; spring chickens, 11 %@12c;

cauliflower, 25c@\$1 per dozen;

matoes, 25@50c per box.

6@7c.

Onions-\$2@2.50 per sack.

@8c; packers, 7@7%c. Poultry—Average old bens,

Hops-1907, 7@9e

Wheat-Club, 87c; bluestem,

the state game warden.

alley, 87c; red, 85c.

@14: alfalfa, \$13@14.

@10.50 per barrel.

Oats-No. 1 white,

ng, \$30; rolled, \$30@31.

the fish.

dams, according to the

cord.

business.

Whereas, Requests have come to me from the leading banks of the whole tion of the Oregon Committee of Selec state, as well as from different commertion, composed of President P. L. Campbell, of the University of Oregon. cial bodies and depositors to make proclamation of a legal holiday from day chairman; President Ferrin, of Pacific university; President Coleman, of Wilto day until money can be obtained to handle the largely increased industrial lamette university; President Crooks, of Albany college, and President Riley, and commercial interests; and of McMinnville college

Whereas, I am firmly convinced from information I have received that our banks were never in better condition than at this time, and are only in need of moneys which are actually due them from correspondent banks to tide over the present crisis:

ernor on the fuel shortage, addressed to t several weeks ago. The communica-Now, therefore, I, George E. Chamtion says it has caused letters to be perlain, governor of the state of Orewritten to 66 mills in Eastern Oregon and has received ten replies. Only one had wood to sell, and that at \$1.25 per gon, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do declare Monday, the 4th day of November, 1907, a legal holiday for Others say they cannot get car the purpose of assisting in fiding over to handle wodd on local orders. Many the present financial stringency and say that on account of the raise in lum-ber rates to the East the future is too protecting the credit of the state until coin or currency, now due and owing uncertain for them to undertake new our people, can be obtained; and I do declare it my purpose to continue to declare such holidays from day to day to day State's Attorney John J. Healy, how-Klamath Falls-There have been to be normal. filed with the county clerk of Klamath

In testimony whereof I have hereuncounty leases on a large tract of land near Lost river. These leases were secured by the Kamath Oil company landowners will receive 10 per cent of D., 1907.

George E. Chamberlain.

By the Governor, Frank Benson Secretary of State.

Pendleton-One hundred and fifty Employes Lend to Employer. Chicago, Nov. 4 .- Payroll worries esidents of Pendleton and vicinity have united in a war against the dam vere not among the cares Saturday of in the Umatilla river, which are caus-Henry G. Dawson, manufacturer of ing the death of many salmon in the mantles. A score of his own employes river. They have signed a petition to all workingmen, surprised him by offer-There are ing him enough currency, about \$6,000, to carry through two paydays. If Mr complaint Dawson should need more money bewhich do not provide for the passage of fore the flurry in the market is a thing of history, the men on the other side of his desk will bring more. Last week if he had kept them in his own safe. than the old 40-cent rate. \$29.50; gray

Graft Prosecution is Issue. San Francisco, Nov. 4 .- Issues of far more importance than are commonly involved in a municipal election will come up before the voters of San Fran cisco for decision tomorrow. Behind the leading names on the several party tickets are the survival of the so-called

melons, 1c per pound; pears, \$1@1.75 per box; grapes, 75c@\$1.75 per crate; quinces, 50c@\$1 per box; huckleber-ries, 7@8c per pound; cranberries,\$10 the overthrow of the Ruef-Schmitz regime and the bribed supervisors. Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4 .- The finan ial troubles in New York, with their later echo in the West, have not alarm

fore they were harvested, but conditions have changed. Farmers are building barns to store away the corn they have harvested. They say they will hold their grain for higher prices, although as high as 48 cents is offered.

Chinese Stone Missionaries. Hongkong, Nov. 4.—The Scandinavi an mission in the district of Namho has been attacked by the anti-foreign element of the population. The mission aries, Misses Wendell and Erickson. were stoned by Chinese, who alleged that native women were forced to come Christians and were kept for immoral purposes. The magistrate at Namho succeeded in restoring order.

igeons, \$1@1.50, squabs, \$2@3. Eggs—Fresh ranch, candled, 35c per St. Petersburn, Nov. 4.—The latest advices from Vladivostok say that 150 arrests have been made in connection with the recent mutiny there, the per-Wool-Eastern Oregon average best, sons arrested being for the most part soldiers and sailors. Merchantmen ying in the harbor steamed outside before the firing began, and thus escaped being damaged.

MONEY FLOWS BACK Refuse Lumber Shipments Until Fur-

President Being Urged by Conserva Washington, Nov. 4 .- It is learned

CALL EXTRA SESSION.

sented the present situation as one com

The president has been assured from

dangerous situation which has con-

CONTINUES HOLIDAYS.

Gouernor to Issue Proclamation From

Day to Day.

Whereas, It has been and is impos

sible for the banks of Oregon to secure

shipments of coin or currency from

this state from Eastern banks; and

November 2, 1907.

American industrial methods

ere from undoubted sources that Pres- Eastern Financial Situation Now ident Roosevelt is now being urged to Almost Normal. call an extra session of congress to deal with the financial situation. The re quest comes from and represents the judgment of the conservative leaders in AN INCOMING STREAM OF GOLD the financial world, who have repre

pelling action of a character that will Lusitania Sails for New York With eradicate all ground for suspicion of \$10.000.000-Each City Husbands Its Own Supp'y. most reliable sources that there will be

no opposition on the part of the great New York, Nov. 2 .- The financial industries of the country to the enact- situation is gradually clearing without ment of the necessary laws to carry out showing any striking features. on the banks and trust companies are his ideas of Federal control to the extent to which he has expounded them practically over; money, which was temporarily withdrawn from banks subin his recent public utterances. These assurances are made at this time to what has been represented as the most is considered legitimate. Further engagements of gold by Bos-ton and other points have brought up

fronted the country during an extended historic period-that is, the seeming the total engagements abroad under the of the lumber firms may have gone out of the lumber firms may have gone out of business. growing lack of confidence based on known irregularities in business methrecent movement to \$26,550,000. The Lusitana, which sailed from Liverpool ods in some quarters and no sure and speedy means of separating the good from the unsound. yesterday, has on board about \$10,000,-000 in gold, one of the largest single To this end it is suggested that th shipments ever made. Prices of ex-change were firm during the early part Lumbermen. president set congress to the task, first, of making such amendments to the fiof yesterday and did not yield seriously nancial laws as will result in the max-imum of flexibility with the minimum of basic change in our system; next, president embody his suggestions vented any comparison of quotations on arbitrage operations. on corporation control in succinct redations for enactment into law

Balances with the clearing house have settled down to a normal condition, but there is still something of a before the Interstate Commerce comblockade in domestic exchange through mission and a hearing be held. The the unwillingness of New York banks restraining order was asked by the Oreto pay currency on drafts from other gon & Washington Lumber Manufaccities and the unwillingness of other cities to pay out their currency upon from Seattle yesterday morning Judge drafts from New York. The condition Wolverton announced that the prayer of affairs indicates a continued pressure of the lumbermen would be granted. for currency rather than a breakdown

Eastern financial centers, although large balances are due to the banks of The possibility of hastening the ex still engages the attention of foreign should the railroads finally win. exchange dealers and also of those who endeavor to keep in touch with the general situation.

DELIVERY AT JOLIET.

Supreme Court Decision Turns Loos 100 Chicago Criminals.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 2.-The doors the Joliet penitentiary swing open to-day and the first batch of nearly 100 murderers, highwaymen, burglars and other criminals will be turned loose as a result of a recent decision of the Supreme court, which held that the municipal courts of Chicago could not legally try cases in which the indictments were returned by a Cook county grand jury.

The situation 's one of the most seri-

ous that ever confronted Chicago. If the decision of the highest court is to stand, it means that on the eve of winter footpads, murderers, and criminals

ever, has decided to take drastic steps to prevent the wholesale liberation of should be given liberty, but that each and every man must stand trial againthis time in the Criminal court.

LIFTS THE EMBARGO.

Northern Pacific Decides to Receiv

Lumber Shipments. Bellingham, Wash., Nov. 2 .- The order of the Northern Pacific railroad refusing to bill out any carloads of lumber from the Northwest, was in orce just one day. Last night just before the office of the company closed, the order was rescinded. The Northern Pacific will now accept lumber shipments at the new rate, but will not be able to collect the 50-cent tariff isting pressure. pending the decision of the Interstate Commerce commission. The injunc Mr Dawson made reveral deposits tion issued by the Federal court in Sewhich would have carried him through attle forbids the collecting of more

Famous Will Case Ended.

Staunton, Va., Nov. 2. - A case which has been occupying the various courts here for more than 100 years is William Henry Schofield, who was was ended today in the Circuit court by Major W. H. Landis, receiver, entering a decree which is considered final in the case of Peck vs. Borden and Borden bribery graft prosecution as conducted vs. Borden. More than \$100,000 was against indicted corporation officials by involved. The heirs, numbered near-Francis J. Heney, and the confirmation by 400. The final decree involves only or rejection by the voting majority of about \$6,000. One heir, represented the new order of things which followed in the original suit as an infant, died some years ago at the age of 96

Ford Case Postponed.

San Francisco, Nov. 2.—Owing to the fact that yesterday was a public holiday, caused by the proclamation of the ed the farmers of Nebraska. For the past decade farmers of this state have disposed of their crops by contract bewere continued for one day. When at such a time and place as deemed the Ford case came up Judge Lawler advisable. No special project will be asked for suggestions from the attor- advocated or considered neys for both sides in regard to the advisability of going ahead with the trial under the present circumstances. Both sides deemed an adjournment necessary

Japs to be Deported

Helena, Mont., Nov. 2 .- A Japanes nd three women, who are being held in the county jail at Butte on the authority of the United States govern ment, will soon be returned to Seattle for deportation to Japan. The man, Hyama Matsumura, is accused of bring ing three of his countrywomen t America for immoral purposes. It is stated that the four Japanese arrived in Seattle from Japan on the steame

Minneapolis June 7 last. Army of Chinamen Coming. Mexico City, Nov. 2.-Chinese bou for the United States have been arriving at Salina Cruz since January 1, at one time lived in the United States 4,765 having landed there en route to the Northern republic.

ROADS HIT BACK

ther Notice.

Bellingham, Wash, Nov. 1 .- No nore lumber shipments will be received by the Northern Pacific railroad in the Northwest until further notice. This is the order sent out to all agents of the ompany last night.

This move of the Northern Pacific is expected to be followed by all the railoads affected by the injunction issued by the Federal court in Seattle Thursday night, making it compulsory on the part of the railroads to charge the old rate of 40 cents on lumber from terminal points on the Pacific Coast. The railroads had issued a new schedule of rates that were to be effective today. This new schedule was fought by the lumbermen and resulted in the ssuance of the temporary injunction.

The railroads have evidently found another method of combatting the lumbermen. The latest move is the refusal to accept any shipments of lumber at ject to runs, is flowing to the stronger banks, and currency is being provided in most cases where the demand for it final decision on the rate is made, as they say that litigation will ensue before the matter is settled, and many

COURT SIGNS ORDER.

Portland, Nov. 1 .- Following the deat any time. The fact that the stock exchanges of London and Paris were Circuit Court at Seattle Wednesday, closed on account of All Saints day pre- Judge Wolverton, of the Federal court, granted an injunction yesterday restraining the railroads from putting in the advanced lumber rates to the East until the merits of the case can be set

Judge Wolverton ordered the associaof credits, but reasonable demands are tion to put up a bond for \$250,000 that being met for regular customers of the will be called for in the event the railroads finally win. This money will be used to pay the difference between the port movement of wheat and cotton present rates and the proposed tariffs,

Lumber companies in the state not members of the association are advised to file suits in intervention as soon as possible, in order that the railroads will not be enabled to enforce the proposed freight rates on firms not parties to the suit brought by the association. The advanced rates, as announced by the railroads on all lumber shipments

to the Missouri and Mississippi rivers, were to have gone into effect today, but the injunction will postpone them indefinitely. The increase was published some time ago and tariffs issued by the railroads. Appeals were made direct to the Interstate Commerce commission to postpone the enforcement of the rate, but as no complaint was before the commission, it could not act upon the appeal.

MONEY IS EASIER.

Acute Stage of Financial Crisis Over

New York, Nov. 1 .- Indications that the available supply of cash would be materially increased wthin a short time with imports of gold and the increase to subscribed my name and caused the criminals. He construes the decision of the tank note circulation, and that great seal of the state of Oregon to be affixed at the capitol, in the city of intended that convicted criminals would be facilitated in every way poswith the result of increasing credits abroad, were the salient feat ures of today's financial situation. It seemed to be recognized everywhere that the acute stage of the crisis was over and that all that remained was to obtain sufficient currency to resume currency payments upon a broad scale and thus to restore conditions prevail-

ing before the crisis. The engagements of gold made in New York, Chicago and elsewhere brought up the total import movement within the past week to \$23,750,000. As the amount of gold will afford a basis of credit to four times the amount, or about \$95,000,000, it will in itself afford much relief to the ex-

Harvard Angers Germans. New York, Nov. 1.—Special dis-patches say that some comment has been raised in the American colony in Berlin by the fact that Harvard university has sent as this year's "exchange professor" a Britisher instead of an American. The professor in question born a Canadian and is a subject of King Edward. It is feared in American quarters that Harvard by its ac-tion has mixed up the plans of the kaiser for a German-American educa-

tional experiment.

Calls Rivers Congress. Cincinnati, O., Nov. 1.—The National Rivers and Harbors congress has ssued a call to its members and supporters, as well as an invitation to all friends of river and harbor improvements, to assemble in convention in Washington, D. C., December 4, 5, 6 next. This in accordance with the con-

Rumors of Annexation.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 1 .- Failure on the part of the Dominion government to give relief to British Columbia from the incoming hordes of Orientals may one day lead to that part of the British domain being joined to the United States. Of all the questions before the people of British Columbia, the immigration issue is by far the most important. All foreigners coming into Canada by way of the Pacific must enter through Victoria or Vancouver.

Chinese Come in Via Mexico Mexico City, Nov. 1.—According to dispatch to the Record, since the first of the year there have arrived at the port of Salina Cruz 4,763 Chinese. Of this total, two-thirds have for their lestination the United States. A great many of these foreigners seem to have and are laboring under the impression

that they can get in again.