

sider legislation aside from the tariff measure, many river and harbor improvements are being held up, including those of the Northwest,

France has decided to materially increase her navy.

A change in lumber duties is likely to be adopted by the senate.

rejected by the Illinois legislature. Prominent New Yorkers have h indicted for coal land frauds in Wyoming.

REVOLUTION IS ACTIVE. The bill against big hats has been Santo Domingo Republic in Throes of

ents, or just what work each is per-

forming and a detailed analysis of re-

sults as compared to expense involved,

will be carried on.

Another Strife.

its richness and fertility. Mr. McKinney will subdivide the place, retaining bout 40 acres, which he will plant to

## Some Fruit Hurt.

Farm Sells for \$23,000. Brownsville-The dry cold weather Salem-Meyer & Bell have sold to has been injured to some extent, espec-E. C. McKinney, of Milwaukee, Wis., the 220-acre Lake Labish farm of the ially walnuts: the leaves on the walnut trees being young and tender, easily late Tilmon Ford for \$23,000. This is froze. Although they were not in full one of the best known farms in this leaf it is thought the cold weather has section of the valley. A large part of it is genuine beaverdam land, noted for been very injurious to them.

Eugene Favors Florence Road.

Eugene-The council of Eugene com

mends the effort that is being made by

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Potatoes-\$1.75@2 per nundred.

Vegetables-Turnips, \$1.25 per sack;

carrots, \$1.25; parsnips, \$1.50; beets,

\$1.75; horseradish, 10c per pound; as-

paragus, Oregon, 75c@\$1.25 per dozen; lettuce, head, 25@75c per dozen;

onions. 125@15c per dozen; radishes,

15@20c per dozen; rhubarb, 2@3c per

Pork-Fancy, 10c per pound.

ordinary, 7@7%c; heavy, 6@6%c.

Veal-Extras, 8@81/2c per pound;

Hops-1909 contracts, nominal; 1908

pound; valley, fine, 24c; medium, 23c;

Cattle-Steers, top, \$5.50@5 75; fair

coarse, 22c; mohair, choice, 246725c.

\$4.50@4.75; cows. top. \$4.25@4.50;

50; heavy, \$3.50@4; bulls and stags,

Hogs-Best, \$7,5067.75; fair to

\$3@3.50; common, \$2@2.75.

pound

butter prices.

Ga3 per dozen.

Wheat Belt.

Colorado common points via Portland Seattle, May 21.-Great Northern and points in Washington between still prevails in this vicinity. Fruit railroad officials announced today that Portland and Seattle, including the latter, the joint rates to be the same as a branch line of the road would be built the joint rates contemporaneously in from Wilson Creek south to Connell, effect between said points via the the junction of the Northern Pacific Northern Pacific and its connections. and the Oregon Railway & Navigation Second, the carriers named are order company. The move is one that has ed to establish before July 1, joint on June 8. Forty-three princess cosbeen projected by the Hill lines for rates and through routes for passengers tumes in trunk No. 4 will be offered at

Weston-G. W. Mitchell has just mark the first step in the contest for and baggage from points on the North-neluded the sale of \$1,130 worth of Fastern Washington to iter the contest for and baggage from points on the North-several dinner gowns, appraised at \$1,-

will be offered for sale on June 4, contains 30 magnificent lace waists, each one described as a "dream," and not one appraised at less than \$200. In trunk No. 3 there are 49 princess gowns, the minimum appraisal being \$250. They will be offered at auction

waists in trunk No. 5 will be offered at

auction. The total appraisal of the

Sleuths Become Jealous.

Spokane, May 19 .- The police, the

heriff's office and the big force of de-

tectives brought here by the Great

Northern confess they have no clews

whatever to indicate the whereabouts

of the robbers who held up a Great

Northern train near Spokane Saturday

night. There is a woeful lack of co-

lice and the railroad detectives, and

apparently the magnitude of the re-

wards has excited jealousy and petty

rivalry. Four suspects arrested a short

distance from Spokane were released.

Wireless Phones for Harriman.

Omaha, Neb., May 19.-Dr. Mille-

er, the electrical wizard of the Union

Pacific, is working upon a wireless tel-

ephone system that he hopes to have

installed upon all the lines of the Har-

and in the baggage car will be a high

frequency machine with power furnish-

ed by the engine. This will agitate

the sound waves, and instruments in

One Man Can Sink Fleet.

New Orleans, May 19.-If the de-

vice for the destruction of protected

magazines aboard battleships and in forts, devised by H. A. Folk, of this

discovered a way by which magazines

explod

the general offices will gather them.

riman system west from Omaha. He

smuggled gowns was \$520,000.

Abdul Hamid is said to have turned of Monte Christi, who is working in over \$5,000,000 more to the Turkish unison with General Quirito Felice for government.

Celestino Castro, brother of the deposed president of Venezuela, has been ordered to leave Curacoa.

Great Britain will start construction on four more Dreadnaughts before the close of the present fiscal year.

Jap strikers on the Hawaiian plantations are to invade Honolulu and par-It is estimated there will be ade. from 3,00 to 4,000 in line.

President Taft has nominated Supreme court, as a justice of the Su preme court of the Philippines.

Railway freight troubles have just begun. Actions are to be commenced tween Portugal and China over the against roads operating into Pacific coast terminals demanding the same treatment as Spokane.

Every employe of the Standard Oil during the funeral of H. H. Rogers, vice president of the company. There are 67,000 on the payroll.

A controlling interest in the St. Paul Pioneer Press has been sold to the St. Paul Dispatch.

William Adler, the New Orleans bank wrecker, has been given six years in the penitentiary.

Allen Parker, a member of the British parliament declares that the race

Wheat has reached \$1.30 at Chicago and \$1.53 at Cincinnati.

More Jap laborers on Hawaiian plantations have gone on strike and been rising for the past few days and 6,000 men are now involvled.

The Philippine general assembly has ed, and the cars are partly covered. passed a resolution declaring in favor of the independence of the islands.

in order to levy blackmail on employers.

The members of the Turkish chamber of deputies have taken oath to support the new sultan and uphold the constitution.

lar. She took six shots at him, wounding the man.

A plan has been presented to the British parliament for the care of the unemployed.

Cape Haytian, Hayti, May 25,-The walnuts. revolutionary movement is spreading. General Camacho, the ex-governor

the overthrow of the government, has attacked and seized Guayabin and Dajabon, which are on the Haytian frontier, the Dajabon river being the northwest boundary between Hayti and the

Dominican republic. There has been fighting between the revolutionists and the loyal forces at Monte Christi.

The fate of Jose Bordas, governor of Puerto Plata, is not known, but it is eported he is either dead or a prisoner.

Communications are interrupted, and government troops are expected to pany, has filed articles of incorporation Charles D. Elliott, of the Minnesota reach the disaffected districts by sea.

China is Standing Firm.

Lisbon, May 25 .- The dispute bepossession of the dependencies of Macao has become acute. The Portugese gov ernment is sending General Jose Mach-

ado to induce China to come to an ami cable agreement, notwithstanding the company suspended work two hours fact that the government has received port law to test in the courts by a pound. word that China absolutely refuses to enter into negotiations with the Portu- ure, so that trouble will not arise later

gese delegates unless Portugal announces the dependencies, including the be brought up at the June term of the neighboring islands.

18 Cars Fall Into River.

Helena, Mont., May 25.-A Great Northern ore train was wrecked today

between this place and Great Falls, and 18 cars of ore fell into the Missouri

Three others of the train crew more or less seriously hurt. At the will be heavy. Lack of warm sunshine place of the accident the Missouri river holds strawberries back.

runs beside the track. The river has softened the roadbed. The engine now lies at the bottom, completed submerg-

## Dreadnaughts to Grow

Evidence is being secured at Chicago London, May 25.—Reginald McKen-that various labor leaders called strikes na, first lord of the admiralty, in reply-the elimination of the Fourth of July crop, 1%cr ing to criticisms on the government's celebration. naval policy, said today that the bat-

tleships to be built under this year's program would be at least 30 per cent superior to their immediate predecesmade known.

U. P. Orders 100 Engines.

Grain Coming on Well.

Albany-Crop conditions in Linn age next year. county are very much improved owing to cool, cloudy weather, although no rain has fallen in the past few days. Fall grain looks well, spring grain is improving and will come out in good Bugene citizens in their desire to build shape if rain falls in the next week. a railroad from Eugene to Florence, Early strawberries were injured by Lane county. frosts. Other fruits will have average

crop except prunes and pears.

Will Drill for Oil.

Lebanon-A new oil company to be known as the Cascade Petroleum com-Corn-Whole, \$35 per ton; cracked, at Salem. The company has already \$36 per ton. Barley-Feed, \$34.50 per ton. leased and bought 2,000 acres of land about six miles east of Lebanon in what Oats-No. 1 white, \$41 per ton is known as the Beaver Creek neigh-borhood, and it is said that considerable \$14@18 per ton; Eastern Oregon, \$18 a20; clover, \$11@12; alfalfa, \$13@ more land will be leased before long.

Suit to Test Port Law.

Marshfield-Members of the Port of Coos Bay commission will put the new strawberries, Oregon, 10@12%c per friendly suit, as a precautionary meas It is thought that the matter can court and a decision reached possibly in 60 days.

Cloudy Weather Helps.

Salem-Farmers in Polk and Marion counties are still in dire need of rain. The weather has been cold and for the to build dreadnaughts is crazy and sin- river. Brakeman Rogers was killed most part cloudy but the grain and and Engineer Sieben seriously injured. fruit need more moisture. Danger of were frost is entirely past. The prune crop

Cherry Fair in July.

Salem-At a meeting of the board of trade Cherry Fair committee it was decided to hold this year's fair and carnival about the middle of July. The show will last three days and will be more elaborate than usual, owing to crop, 860814c; 1907 crop, 3604c; 1906

Will Show Cherries.

The Dalles-The annual cherry fair will not be held in this city this year. to good, \$5@5.25; common to good, sors. In what way that superiority is Instead, The Dalles Business Men's to be obtained has not been entirely association has arranged to exhibit fair to good, \$3.75@4.25; common to Mrs. Longstreet, widow of the Civil disclosed, but at least two of the im- 1,000 boxes of cherries in the Oregon medium, \$2,50@3.50; calves, top, \$5@ war general, was awakened by a burg- provements to be introduced have been state building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacifi exposiction in Seattle.

Fifteen Thousand for Depot. Dunkirk, N. Y., May 25.-It is re-ported that the Union Pacific railroad Klamath chamber of commerce have Klamath Falls-The directors of the China fats, \$6.75@7.

cluded the sale of \$1,130 worth of Eastern Washingon territory between sas City, Chicago and other Union Papotatoes from 12 acres of mountain the Hill and Milwaukee interests. cific and Chicago & Northwestern land, this having been his most profit-The branch line, as planned, will de- points. able season. He will increase his acre

part from the main line at Wilson Creek and will follow the Crab creek It is understood authoritatively that it is the intention of the Northern | Pacific, in connection perhaps with other valley until it swings off to the east of Moses lake, traversing the low country roads, to seek an injunction restraining the commission from putting its east of the Saddle mountains and connecting with the Northern Pacific main order into effect. Should such an inline at Connell. junction be granted, it would prevent

The branch line, which affords a new the enforcement of the order during the outlet for the wheat farmers of Grant period of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exand Douglas counties, Washington, will be continued ultimately from Conposition at Seattle, as it is estimated that it would require many months for nell to connect with the North Bank the courts finally to determine the case operatioon between the sheriff, the po-

Kermit Hero of Beaters.

Nairobi, British East Africa, May Bank Business Growing. 22.-Theodore Roosevelt and his son

Washington, May 21.-The returns Kermit are having good hunting luck from National banks giving details of on the Juja ranch of George McMillan. their condition on April 28, 1909, show Their bag includes a water buck, an remarkable increases. The summary impalk and other varieties of antelope, shows that since May 14, 1908, a The expedition has now a total of 60 14; grain hay, \$13@14; cheat, \$14@ 14.50; vetch, \$14@14.50. specimens, representing 20 different little more than a year ago, the loans and discounts have increased \$434. species. Mr. Roosevelt has killed a Fruits-Apples, 65c@\$2.50 per box; 764,000 and during the same time the python. Kermit, on a recent trip, des-

patched a leopard at a distance of six has been given carte blanche and has total resources of the banks have increased \$774,261,000. During the same period government deposits have paces. The animal already had mauled the preliminaries well in hand. Copa beater, and was charging Kermit per wire will be laid along the track increased \$111,255,000, and bills paywhen killed.

\$9,879,000. Halibut Trust Planned.

able and rediscounts have decrease

\$1,500,000 four per cent 20 year serial Tacoma, Wash., May 21 .- Dissatis onds to the First Trust & Savings fied with the low prices the fisheries bank, the city of Chicago has reached companies are paying for halibut, the limit of its bonded indebtedness.

Butter-City creamery, extras, 28c; owners of the Puget sound fishing boats The bonds were awarded yesterday by fancy outside creamery, 27@28c per owners of the Puget sound fishing boats pound; store, 18c. Butter fat prices are planning to form a combination City Controller Walter H. Wilson, They went at par, with a premium of and to establish a joint fisheries comaverage 1 %c per pound under regular \$11,500 paid by the bank. The total city, is practical, modern warfare will bonded indebtedness of the city is now be revolutionized. Folk claims to have pany, with headquarters in Tacoma and agencies throughout the East,

Eggs-Oregon ranch, 24c per dozen. While the retail price of halibut is \$30,220,000, including the \$4,293,000 Poultry-Hens, 15%@16c per pound; said by the fishermen to be about the World's Columbian exposition bonds in vessels miles distant can be broilers, 28@30c; fryers, 22@25c; roosters, 10c; ducks, 14@15c; geese, same, they are only getting from 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> authorized by special act of the state ed by a wireless spark set off by to 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cents at the fisheries companies. 10@11c; turkeys, 20c; squabs, \$2.50

New York, May 21 .- The annual re-

and the United Mineworkers of Amerport of the Anaconda Copper Mining and the United Mineworkers of Amer-ica," stated C. H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who npany for the year ending December Wool-Eastern Oregon, 16@21c per

31, last, issued t day, shows that dur-ing the first six months of the year is here tonight. "It is not probable ary official observances of the anni-1908 the company suffered an actual that they will unite, as their fields of versary were held, but owing to the loss, owing to the shutdown of opera-tions in January and February of that all reports, the next convention of the any public gatherings or demonstrausefulness are different. In spite of tendency of the authorities to suppress year. The income for the year was \$15,604,482, a decrease of \$3,146,652 er than ever."

from 1907. The expenses were \$14,-658,519, a decrease of \$944,842.

Salvation Army Convenes.

Salvation Army Convenes. Chicago, May 21.—Four hundred members of the Salvation Army were in attendance at the national congress good, \$7.25@7.50; stockers, \$6@6.50; ported that the Union Pacific railroad Klamath chamber of commerce have has placed an order for 100 engines been advised by the chief engineer of to good, \$3.50@4; fair to good, \$3.50 Three Nevada men tried to send their mother to the insane asylum in order to return to with the American Locomotive com-to get her money. The entried district, which was injured, but the plant was wreck-mother to the insane asylum in order to return to complex have decided to order the first to good, \$3.500 of the western America district, which was injured, but the plant was wreck-mother to the insane asylum in order to return to work or to get her money. The entried district, which was injured, but the plant was wreck-mother to the insane asylum in order to return to work or to get her money. The entried district, which was injured, but the plant was wreck-and the employers have decided to order the Southern Pacific that not less than (a4; ewes, %c less on all grades; opened a five days' meeting here today. ed, windows shattered for several miles the strikers either to return to work or leave the Honolulu and Oahu planta-tions.

they would get from 8 to 10 cents.

With the forming of the combination

Anaconda Shows Loss.

operator in a tower on the shore. He claims that one man can destrony an Two Unions to Unite. entire fleet within a very few minutes Spokane, May 22 .- "It is probable

that working agreements will be made by the Western Federation of Miners

Czar 41 Years of Age. St. Petersburg, May 19.-In the se-

no popular celebration of the day.

Japanese Strike Broken. Honolulu, May 19 .- The strike of

Chicago Reaches Debt Limit.

Chicago, May 22 .- With the issue of

Explosion Fires Forest.

Pittsburg, May 22 .- One thousand

unds of powder in the wheels mills the Japanese plantation laborers is ap