

at Weehawken, N. J. GRAIN OUTPUT IS CRUX. King George, of England, seeks to

establish and maintain peace among the different political parties.

Forest fires rage around the town of Rainy River, Ontario, and there is little hope of saving the town.

A delirious typhoid fever patient in that in his opinion the crux of the fin a Spokane hospital leaped from a ancial situation lay with the grain fourth-story window and was instant- crops, particularly corn, James A. Patten, the erstwhile "cotton king," ly killed. sailed for Europe on the steamer

It is now believed that President Rawn, of the Monon railway, committed suicide to escape gigantic graft exposures which he knew would soon Boston.

August Ropke, bookkeeper of the situation this fall depends on good Fidelity Trust company, of Louisville, crops," said Mr. Patten. "The oat Ky., is believed to have embezzled the entire surplus of the corporation, is short. Now, if corn fails, the coun-

Patton, Done With Gambling, Says

Good Times Depend on Crops.

Fortune is \$71,053,737.

New York-Edwin H. Harriman was

worth \$71,000,000 at the time of his

nce tax is paid, show that Charles A.

Peabody, president of the Mutual Life

Mrs. Harriman's adviser since her

\$875,000, the amount to which the

state is entitled under the transfer tax

laws. A little arithemetic shows that

Cyclone Sweeps Italy.

great damage to the towns of Saronne

taken from the ruins. At another vil-

lage the collapse of the roof of a build-

Dakota Wheat is Burned.

Ellensburg, Wash .- W. H. Wilson

ssistant to the third vice president of

inspection trip, says that Montana and

Dakota wheat is burned up and the

their crop. He finds business condi-

tions good in spite of crop failures and

says that conditions as far as crops

and business is concerned were never

Long Labor War Ends.

St. Louis-Formal announcemen

ployes of the plant are to be organized.

present management is, and always ha

been, friendly to organized labor. We

believe labor has a right to organize

Squids Puzzle Spokane.

Spokane, Wash .- Two well develop

ed devil fish, or giant squids, measur

were dragged from the Spokane river

One wa

for its protection and advancement,'

The announcement says in part:

Adverse railroad legislation

better.

burying most of the workmen.

ing resulted in the death of 14.

Milan, Italy-A terrific cyclone swep

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was valued at \$71,053,737.

Insurance company, who has acted as

ASSEMBLY NAMES TICKET. Republicans Select Full List of State Officers. The following state officers were

Kroonland. He was accompanied by his partner, William H. Bartlett, of Chicago, and William S. Clough, of on, of Roseburg. "It seems the crux of the financial

Superintendent of public instruction -L. R. Alderman, of Eugene.

are still raging around them.

Swarms of Black Insects are Devouring Crops in Manitoba.

foreman, the men went to death in an edict ordering that all Jews who could not establish a legal right of residence elsewhere should he article residence engine at Hoover's The the data onkey Gretna, Manitoba-The black grass opper, or black locust, the greatest pest that has ever attacked the crops of Manitoba and the Northern states, has arrived in swarms, and the injur ious insects are headed north, having come from Dakota, where they have flames, these three men started to go already done great damage to the grain crops and the gardens. The black grasshoppers are to be

then blowing eastward, sending ing gardens, showing a special fondthe fire that way, so the trip up the ness for cabbage. Where they do not find succulent garden forage, the safe. The men had about reached their tack the standing grain and strip the tools when the wind suddenly changed, sweeping the fire with wonderful rapstraw bare in an incredibly short time. 'Tim'' O'Brien, the veteran custom directly up the timber-covered idity collector at Neche, N. D., recalls that hill where the men were. In a few in the years 1871 to 1874 the black minutes the flames had swept the engrasshopper was a terrible pest, strip-ping the whole country bare, and eating the bark off the poplar trees Falling burning trees made it imposwhen they had cleaned everything else sible to ascend this hill until after noon the following day. A rescue party green off the face of the earth. They ame suddenly after a long dry spell in 1871 and at times were in such swarms that their flight obscured the light of and had escaped the fire. All three oodies were found, however, burned

Diver Jumps to Death.

Zeppelin's Gas Plant Explodes

New York-Reiterating his declara tion that he never would again re-enter the speculative arena and declaring

Portland.

State printer-William J. Clarke,

electric light and power plant and the a to Pendleton and from Pendleton to North Yakima. In addition their lines

> cil is now opening up a new street connected with the new Catherine creek wagon road.

Jacksonville-The good roads movement has received another impetus in named by the Republican assembly: Representatives in congress—First district, W. C. Hawley, of Salem; Secand district, W. R. Ellis, of Pendleton. book" which will show the beginning

Governor-Jay Bowerman, Condon. Secretary of state-Frank W. Ben-all the dips, spurs and angles. This will necessitate a resurvey of all coun-State treasurer-Ralph W. Hoyt, of ty roads. Present records are very inaccurate.

> Wire Service to Be Extended. Ontario-For building a telegraph line from Ontario to Vale and possibly

improvement of the city water system will be voted on soon. The city counwill run down both banks of the Co-

Good Roads Movement Helped.

the same period 1,121 were expelled by Corvallis & Eastern railway, four the same period 1,121 were expelled by the first method, which, in effect, is a warning for their departure, but per-mits them time for a settlement of pri-vate affairs. In the majority of cases the latter with departure are the lays

In the majority of cases the Jews method proved ineffective, as the Jews in that category are prone to return to Acting against the advice of their in that category are prone to return to Kiev after temporary absence. Since May 24, when the imperial

elsewhere should be returned within the pale of the restricted district of the camp. An hour later, after a vain Polish provinces and the Ukraine, be- effort to save the camp outfit from the came effective, there have been expelled from this city, Solemnka and to a point 400 yards up a steep hillside Dmieffka suburbs, 3,011 persons by to get their tools, where they had left the second method and 3,641 by the them when the fire started. The wind first method.

NEW ENGLAND IS AFFECTED.

Portage county. Conditions now are reported favorable. The towns of Irma, Gleason and

Bloomville are still safe, but the fires

GRASSHOPPERS ON WAY.

entire surplus of the try might have a period of dull times. amounting to \$1,400,000.

A salmon was caught at Astoria, Ore., with a fish hook of foreign make embedded in its mouth. It is believed to have come from the Southern California or Mexico coast, as no hooks of this kind are made or used in this country.

death. The records of the state con-Flour will soon advance 20 cents troller's office, into which the inheritbarrel.

Rainfall has checked the forest fire in many localities on the Pacific Coast.

Norway's recognition of the Madriz blockade has aroused indignation at husband's death, paid on March 5 last Washington.

Eleven men were killed in a prema ture explosion of a 12-inch gun at the estate on which this tax was paid Fortress Monroe, Virginia.

It is said false reports of gold strike at Iditarod, Alaska, have filled that camp with hundreds of destitute men.

A bitter fued between John D Rockefeller and his brother Frank, of many years standing, has been amicably settled.

A diamond weighing 191 carats and worth \$150,000 in the rough has been found in the famous Premier mine, in South Africa.

A Chicago man made his wife crawl several blocks to church on her knees and confess that she was to blame for their domestic troubles.

A French scientist declares that the Northern Pacific, who is here on an within a few years many surgical opere performed by electricity ations will be instead of by the surgeon's knife and farmers will harvest only a tenth of saw.

The postmaster of Tropic, Utah, who has been a fugitive from justice since May 15, when a shortage of \$2,300 was discovered in his accounts, was will not interfere with the Northern found dead within a few miles of his Pacific policy of expansion.

Owing to the scarcity of railway laborerr Canada has decided to admit without restriction from all countries except Asia, all construction laborers is made by J. T. Templeton, see retary of the Buck Stove who are mentally, morally and physic-Range company, of the end of the ally fit, and who are guaranteed emfight with organized labor. The em ployment.

A negro has been appointed collector of customs at Washington, D. C.

Stock is reported to be dying on Montana ranges on account of dr

Fire destroyed a North Yakima Wash,, clothing store, causing \$18,500 damage.

The Forty-seventh annual convention ing over three feet from tip to tip of the Ancient Order of Hibernians is in session in Portland. just back of the city hall.

The First National convention of the still alive when captured. Their pres-Ancient Order of Hibernians, Board ence here, hundreds of miles from waof Erin, is in session in New York ter and above the falls, is a puzzle not yet solved. City.

Gervais A great deal depends on the drouth. The entire corn belt has had a serious Baker City.

term, F. A. Moore, of Columbia, pres- are deficiency of moisture since March 22.

> A. McBride, Clackamas, present in cumbent. Railroad commissioner at large -Frank J. Miller, of Linn. State Engineer-John H. Lewis, of Multnomah, present incumbent.

Commissioner of labor statistics-O. P. Hoff, of Multnomah, present incumbent.

Schools Show Increase.

Salem - Reports received from the ounty school superinteadents continue o show increases in most branches of school work. In Columbia county an

increase of 186 is shown in the school census over 1909. Enrollment has in-creased 97, 10 additional teachers have ver the district west of Milan, doing een employed and three school houses built. The average monthly salary has increased \$6 and for women teach-Rovellasoa and Lanote Pozzolo. It is estimated that 25 persons were killed ers \$7.47. In Lane county an increase and wounded. At Buste, Arizona, 19 of 699 is shown in the census and 876 miles from Milan, a factory collapsed, in enrollment. Twenty-six new teachers were employed during the year. dead and many seriously injured were

Baldwin Wins Timber.

Albany - Title to 17,360 acres of ome of the best timber land in Oregon was finally vested in the estate of George Baldwin, a former Wisconsin nillionaire, by a decree entered in the State circuit court here. It marks the end of a contest over the land between Baldwin and S. A. D. Puter. The land involved was all Oregon school land, situated in sections 16 and 36 of various townships in five leading Oregon ounties

Land Soon to Be Sold.

Albany-The company that recently ourchased the land embraced in the old Oregon wagon road grant is about to put its holding west of the Cascades on the market. The property belonging to this company in Eastern Oregon is already being sold. Many acres of this original grant are in Linn county. The holdings begin about 12 miles from Albany, near Plainview, and extend across the mountains.

Vale Lets Contracts. Vale-The contract for the construction of the Vale water and sewer systems has been let to the American

Light & Water company, of Kansas City, for \$63,490. The city has been onded for \$75,000. Work must mpleted in four months.

Newport Builds Walk to Beach Newport - A wide board walk has een built from Main street, Newport,

new bath house.

Attorney general-J. N. Hart, of to Brogan, the Oregon Short Line is shipping material and unloading it at

Justices Supreme court - Six-year this point. The poles are square and being stored at the stockyards ent incumbent; four-year term, Wal- here. The wire and other necessary ace McCamant, of Multnomah; Thos. equipment has arrived, and work will begin on the arrival of workmen.

> Fire Destroys Logs. Astoria-A fire which started in a clearing at the Portland Lumber company's logging camp in the Grays river district, damaged about \$2,000 worth of logs belonging to the company.

> > PORTLAND MARKETS.

4c; red Russian, 81c; valley, 86c. Barley-Feed and brewing, \$23@24

Hay-Track prices: Timothy, Willamette valley, \$18@19 per ton; East-ern Oregon, \$20@22; alfalfa, new, \$13@14. Corn-Whole, \$32; cracked, \$33 ton. Oats-No. 1 white, \$28@28.50 ton. Butter-City creamery, extras, 31c; fancy outside creamery, 30@31c per pound; store, 23c; butter fat, 31c. Eggs - Oregon candled, 26%@27c er dozen; Eastern, 24@25%c.

Poultry - Hens, 17@18c; springs, 20c; ducks, 15c; geese, 10@11c; tur-keys, live, 18@20c; dressed, 221/@

25c; squabs, \$3 per dozen. Pork-Fancy, 12%@13c per pound. Veal-Fancy, 12@12%c per pound. Green Fruits-Apples, new, \$1.25@ .25 per box; Lambert cherries, 12%c. per pound; apricots, 50c@\$1.50 per box; plums, 50c@\$1.25; pears, \$2.25 per box; peaches, 50c@\$1.25; loganberries, \$1@1.25 per crate; blackberries, \$1.50@1.75 per box: watermelons, 1% c per pound; cantalopes, \$3.50 @4.25 per crate

Vegetables-Artichokes, 60@75c per dozen; beans, 3@5c per pound; cab-bage, 2¼@2¼c; cauliflower, \$1.50 per dozen; cucumbers 50c per box; egg plant, 12½c per pound; garlic, 8@10c; norseradish, 121/2c; green onions, 15c

per dozen; peas, 5c; peppers, 10@ 12½c; radishes, 15@20c per dozen; carrots, \$1@1.25 per sack; beets, \$1.50; parsnips, \$1@1.25; turnips, \$1. Potatoes-Old Oregon, 75c@\$1; per

hundred; new, 114c per pound. Onions - Walla Walla, \$2.50 per sack; Hood River, \$2.25. Cattle-Beef steers, good to choice, \$5.20@5.60; fair to medium, \$4.25@ @ 4.75; cows and heifers, good to choice, \$4.25@4.50; fair to medium, \$3.50@4; bulls, \$3@3.75; stags, \$2.50

@4.50; calves, light, \$5.75@6.75; heavy, \$3.50@5. Hogs-Top, \$10@10.30; fair to me-

dium, \$8.50@9.75. States life saving boathouse and the 3.50; lambs, choice, \$5.50@6; fair, \$4.75@5.25.

700 Miles of Railroad Are Made Idle

by Grand Trunk Srrike.

Boston-Some 700 miles of railroad in the New England states were made practically idle by the strike of con- tire face of the hill, turning the forest ductors and trainmen declared through- into a furnace. out the entire Grand Trunk railroad system. About 450 trainmen in New England are involved in the strike The strike in New England affects then went up, hoping against belief 166 miles of the main line of the that the men had reached the summit Grand Trunk road.

The railroad shons at St Albans Vermont, where 350 men are employbadly, but not beyond recognition. Two bodies were found together, one ed, have been closed. The shop emploves adopted resolutions conden 100 yards further up the hill. nine Wheat - Bluestem, 91@92c; club, the strike of the trainmen. Freight traffic is tied up.

Santa Hurries to Arctic. almost unheard-of form waited for Seattle- Santa Claus is reported to Laurence S. Baker, a 11-year old Jackmake his home in the Arctic Circle, sonville lad, when he dived from a boat but the pupils and teachers of the gov while swimming in Lake Worth. A ernment schools of Northern Alaska stingaree, a huge flat-bodied and gruewould have fared ill next Christmas if some species of warm-water fish, was presents, food, clothing and fuel had lurking just under the boat. One of not been shipped on the steamer St. the barbed spines which this fish car Helens, which sailed for Nome and ries on its whip-like tail pierced the other Arctic ports as far north as Point boy's neck, cutting the jugular vein. Hope. Congress was so late this year He rose to the surface crying for that it was impossible to send the and bled to death within four school supplies on a sailing vessel and minutes. there was danger that some remote

schools might get no supplies at all.

Work on Railroad Begins.

Friedrichshafen, Germany-The hy-irogen gas plant of the Zeppelin bal-Redding, Cal.—A large corps of sur-veyors under J. T. Lentell has taken loon house exploded and a number of employes were severely injured. The house was practically destroyed and the field to make permanent surveys for the Humboldt & Eastern railroad, buildings nearby in which the work-men lived were badly wrecked. The which will connect Eureka with Red Bluff or Redding. This work was orcause of the explosion is not known. dered immediately after the receipt of The gas exploded during the morning news from Washington that the secre-tary of agriculture had consented to workshop in which Count Zeppelin is tary of agriculture had consented to sell 1,000,000,000 feet of timber in the carrying on his experiments in aero-Trinity National forest at \$1.50 a nautics. That some of the workmen thousand. The new railroad will cut were not killed is remarkable. across Trinity county, which now has not a single mile of railway. English Strike Serious.

Japan Buys Four Airships.

Japan Buys Four Airships. Victoria, B. C.—News was brought by the steamship Suveric, which has just arrived from the Orient, that the of the railroad and the strikers to Japanese government has ordered four reach a basis of understanding after a military airships in France. They four hours' conference. Thousands of are to be built in accordance with coal miners are idle because of the railare to be built in accordance with French design, with certain alterations suggested by the Japanese airship in-vestigation committee. They are ex-pected to be delivered in Japan late in

August. Negotiations are under way Chicago Over 2.000.000. for more air craft.

Chicago-The population of Chicago has passed the 2,000,000 mark, accord-Louisville & Nashville Gives More ing to the 1910 school census just made can liner Amerika robbed Eva Strad-Louisville, Ky. - Four thousand public. The total minor population of ford, of New Jersey, of jewels valued Louisville shop employes of the Louisthe city is 814,115, an increase of 66,- at \$40,000. The Hamburg police be-Sheep-Best wethers, \$3.75@4; fair ville & Nashville railroad were given a 768 over the census of 1908. Based on the minor count, the total population is tional band working on trans-Atlantic to the ocean beach, passing the United to good, \$362.50; best ewes, \$360 surprise when they opened their pay envelopes and found therein an unsolic-ited increase of 6 per cent. 2,100,000. liners.

In 1874, after doing tremendous damage, they disappeared as suddenly as they had come.

Volcano is Cooling Off.

Juneau, Alaska-Mount Shishaldin, West Palm Beach, Fla.-Death in an the volcanic peak on Unimak island, which was recently reported as emitting a great sheet of fire, is now only smoking, and the sides of the mountain are covered with snow, indicating that there is no great heat within, according to Captain Will Gregory, of the lighthouse tender Armeria, which arrived here direct from Unimak. The keepers of the Scotch Cap light house, on Unimak island, almost in the shadow of the smoking volcano, express no alarm.

Two Towns are Drowned.

Los Angeles-Messages received here conveyed the report that Bisbee and Douglas, Ariz., were again visited by floods caused by mountain cloudbursts and that four persons had met death in the former city. Efforts to procure forther information were balked by the falling of the telegrabph wires necting Arizona with the rest of the world

El Paso, Texas - A dispatch from Bisbee, Arizona, over railroad wires states that the city has been swept by a destructive flood.

Governor Haskell on Trial.

St. Louis,-The taking of deposi Newcastle, England-The situation tions to be used against Governor Has-kell, of Oklahoma, and others associated in business with Governor Haskell, the Indianola Contracting company, of Muskogee, and other defendants to the government's suit, is now in progress here. Governor Haksell and others are accused of having illegally seized certain town lots in Muskogee belongng to Creek Indians and fraudulently con-

verting them to their own use.

\$40,000 Stolen on Liner. Hamburg-It is reported here that thieves on board the Hamburg-Ameri-