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Advertising Bills Collected Monthly.	Toll Ann Mandada Anna	in coording, subdoin,		101 101	Address, GRAFHIC, Newberg, Oregon.
NEWC OF THE WEEK	RECORD OF OREGONLEGISLATURE.	STATE PRISON FIRE	ARE AFRAID TO REFUSE.	WILL VICIT (ALCT	DEWET HAS ESCAPED.
NEWS OF THE WEEK		JIAIL PRIJUII TIKL	The Demands of Hussia Embarrass	WILL VISIT COAST	Crossed Orange River With Bulk of
and of the uten	BILLS PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES.		the Chinese. PEKIN, March 4.—Prince Ching		His Commando.
	H. B. 1, amending mining laws. H. B. 5, times and places of court, Second district.	Penitentiary at Lincoln, Nebraska,	and Li Hung Chang met this morn-	House Committee on Rivers and	LONDON, March 5.—General Dewet lost heavily in men and stores by his
From All Parts of the New World	H. B. 19, relating to electric wires on higways. H. B. 20, validating certain marriages.	Burning.	ing and had a long consultation over the new demands of Russia regard-	Harbors.	incursion into Cape Colony, but he
and the Old.	H. B. 21, penalties for injuring or destroying records on public lands.	Durning.	ing Manchuria, which virtually mean	narbors.	seems to have made a clever escape with the bulk of his commando. Ap-
	H. B. 24, amending law for relief of inidgent soldiers. H. B. 26, reorganization of Oregon National Guard.	THE CONVICTS WERE SAFELY REMOVED	absolute Russian control, while at the same time China would be re-	JUNE THE TIME SET FOR THE TRIP	parently Commandant Hertzog crossed
OF INTEREST TO OUR MANY READERS	H. B. 27, uniform system of mine bell signals. H. B. 33, appropriation \$1,000 for Soda Springs.		sponsible should anything go wrong		the Orange river with him. General Hamilton, who was pursu-
Comprehensive Review of the Important Hap	H. B. 39, relative to taxation of personal property.	Local Militia Ordered Out as Measure of Pre-	there. Both of the Chinese pleni- potentiaries admit that they fear to	All the Important Rivers and Harbors of the	ing, heard that General Dewet was
penings of the Past Week in a	H. B. 44, to aid Oregon Historical Society. H. B. 54, amending Bancroft bonding act.	caution-At a Late Hour the Fire	refuse these demands, although rec-	West Are to Be Inspected-House Military	surrounded at Phillipstown, northwest of Colesburg. On arriving there he
Condensed Form.	H. B. 59, punishment for poisoning domestic animals.	Was Not Under Control.	ognizing that compliance means the loss of a province to China. They	Committee plans Like Journey.	found the Boers had not been at
The Boers have crossed the Orange	 H. B. 62, consolidating offices in Multnomah county. H. B. 63, providing for building bicycle paths. 	Lincoln, Neb., March 2 Fire which	also think that compliance might	WASHINGTON, March 4 The	Phillipstown at all, but had doubled back and were struggling across the
river.	H. B. 65, providing extra clerical aid for state treasurer. H. B. 66, fixing witness' fees in Multnomah countycoroner cases.	started in the satte penitentiary last night seems certain to destroy the en-	mean trouble with other powers, for Russia announces that only Russians	river and harbor committee of the house has informally decided on a	river at Colesburg. Apparently this
Outlook is good for Oregon prune	H. B. 71, regulating surety companies.	tire main building, together with the	and Chinese will be allowed to trade	junket to the Pacific Coast next June,	is another instance of defective intel- ligence regarding the doings of the
and hop crop.	H. B. 76, providing for election of road supervisors. H. B. 88, regulating purchase of public supplies.	cellhouse and other buildings. Just after 2 o'clock this morning a telephone	there, except at the greatest disad-	with a view of inspecting the more important rivers and harbors of the	Boers.
Volunteers defeated a band of ebels in Leyte.	H. B 97, primic bidding for county supplies. H. B. 100, protection of labels and trademarks.	message came, saying the room in which the telephone instrument was	the advice of the other ministers.	West. It is proposed to first stop at	from Colesburg dated vesterday which
Dewet and the bulk of his commando	H. B. 102, to prevent coercion and initmidation of voters.	located was in flames, and must be	Private Calvin, of the Ninth United States Infantry has been acquitted	Galveston, then proceed to Southern California, and up the entire Pacific	says: *
have eluded the British.	H. B. 108, for collection of road poll tax and manner working roads. H. B. 110, protection of forests, game and wild fowl.	vacated. This cuts off the only means of immediate communication with the	of the charge of manslaughter	Coast. Invitations have already been	ing for Denst This shoe is in
British officials do not believe the	H. B. 113, duty of surveyors in establishing boundary lines.	prison, which is nearly four miles from the business district of the city.	brought against him for killing a French soldier who was endeavoring	received from various chambers of	hubbub and the trease are marching
Boer war is near an end.	 H. B. 121, duties of state superintendent of public instruction. H. B. 122, amending trespass law. 	Between 1 and 2 o'clock, however, a	to pass a post where Calvin was a	ton to have the committee visit ports	off in various trains to press the
It is rumored in Berlin that Am- basasdor White will retire.	 H. B. 126, amending law in relation to kidnaping. H. B. 128, amending law authorizing furnishing of public records. 	member of the Lincoln fire department telephoned that the penitentiary proper	sentinel.	in those states, and the Oregon dele-	
Judge Elbridge Hanecy was nomi-	H. B. 144, protecting copyrighted plays.	was doomed and that the fire was spreading. Before the flames had	RUSSIA PRESSING CHINA.	gation will unite in an invitation to the committee to visit Portland,	CARRIED OUT ON LAKE ERIE.
nated for mayor of Chicago by repub-	H. B. 146, relating to mining claim locations. H. B. 149, providing punishment for desecration of American flag.		To Rush Through the Manchurian	the mouth of the Columbia river, and	Twenty-one Men on Floating Ice-
icans.	H. B. 171, appropriation for eneral expenses of state. H. B. 172, providing for domestic irrigation.	gave orders to release the convicts from the cells and march them to the	Treaty. LONDON, March 4.—Sir Ernest	other important points in Oregon. Representative Tongue expressed	Seventeen Rescued.
Provincial governments will be es- ablished in southern Philippine	H. B. 177, reserving oyster beds in Netarts bay.	prison yard under double guard. The	Satow and Mr. Conger, after consult-	this desire to the committee, and Mr.	SILVER CREEK, N. Y., March 5
slands.	 H. B. 178, regulating disbarment proceedings. H. B. 179, regulating fishing on Alsea river and bay. 	removal was accomplished without dis- order.	ing with the missionaries, have de-	Moody will make a special request that the Upper Columbia be visited,	out on Lake Erie, off Silver Creek, to-
Spokane capitalists will build a	H. B. 183, regulating recording of chattel mortgages.	The origin of the fire is unknown. When first discovered, the officers of	cided, according to the Pekin corre- spondent of the Morning Post to re-	so that the committee may realize	were rescued.
60,000 brewery and ice plant at Baker	H. B. 187, relative to service of citation. H. B. 188, primary election law for Multnomah county.	the institution all set to work with the	ject the Chinese proposition, made on	the importance of overcoming the obstructions at The Dalles and Celilo.	The last seen of the four men they
City, Or. American preparations for depart-	H. B. 189, abolishing separate board of commissioners for Multhomah	small fire-fighting apparatus of the prison. Water was used in abundance,	the suggestion of M. Picheon that they should act as representatives	The delegation hopes that its in-	were still on the ice, but a high wind was blowing up a big sea, and the ice
are from China are practically	H. B. 200, increasing salary of deputy clerk of Malheur.	but assistance from the city fire de-	of the Ministers of the powers to	vitation may be supplimented by others from chambers of commerce	was fast breaking up. They were
ompleted.	H. B. 205, providing for collection of road poll taxes. H. B. 208, declaring certain thoroughfares to be county roads.	partment was called for. A short time after midnight Warden Davis said he	discuss with the Chinese plenipoten- tiaries the missionary question, and	and similar bodies of Portland and	about four miles out, and there was a mile of open water between them
Cuban conservatives want to dis-	H. B. 217, protection of oysters and lobsters.	did not have the fire under control, but he could not tell how bad it was burn-	the claims of native converts.	other Oregon cities.	and the shore. When it was found
uss the senate amendments with mericans.	 H. B. 219, propagation and protection of salmon. H. B. 225, relating to final accounts of administrators. 	ing in the upper story, and at the front	"They are convinced, however," says the correspondent, "that the	The house military committee has also planned a Pacific Coast trip.	that the men were cut off from shore
The La Grande, Or., sugar factory	H. B. 229, providing for standard weights of produce. H. B. 237, fixing Multnomah-Columbia boundary line.	ot the building its spread was slow. Later the report came that the fire was		They expect to visit the important	Dunkirk by the mayor asking for
vill buy lands and engage in the	H. B 249 fixing salary of certain county treasurers.	a very bad one. At 1:40 A. M. the city fire depart-	arrangement for settling this mat-	points and army posts on the coast, with a view of gathering information	assistance.
aising of beets.	 H. B. 260, appropriation for state departments. H. B. 262, providing manner of selling state lands. 	ment arrived, and began throwing		as to the harbor, transport and ship-	a party of rescuers brought a boat on
Great Britain is anxious about the eport that France intends to station	H. B. 274, relative to Eastern Oregon District Agricultural Societies.	water on the walls. The flames had gained too great headway, however,	of the existing situation and ar-	ping facilities, and the capacity and condition of the barracks. Portland	a flat car. They worked heroically
force at Hankow, China.	 H. B. 275, relative to Southern Oregon District Agricultural Societies. H. B. 280, annexing panhandle to Baker county. 	and the firemen directed their efforts	pressing Li Hung Chang hard to ruch through the Manchurian conven-	and Vancouver barracks are among	all day. The 17 who were rescued
Count von Waldersee has issued re-	 H. B. 286, compensation of Lane county officers. H. B. 292, extending time for construction of Siuslaw & Eastern Railway 	to saving of the remote buildings. By request of the warden, Chief of	tion," says the Pekin correspondent	the points to be visited.	great difficulty. They said that their
ewed orders to allied force to be eady for a possible expedition.	& Navigation Company line.	Police Hoagland sent all available po- licemen to aid in preserving order.	of the Times. "More than one power besides Japan and Englend have re-	AMERICAN FORCE IN CHINA.	comrades probably perished, as they were in perilous positions.
All the appropriation measures save	H B. 294, making Vancouver avenue a county road. H. B. 295, punishment for mutilation of hides of cattle.	Later, as an additional measure of safe	monstrated with China against the ne-	Chaffing Has Orders Further to F	
he river and harbor and sundry civil	H. B. 296, fixing compensation clerk of supreme court.	ty, Lieutenant-Governor Savage order- ed out the local company of state mili-	gotiations that are proceeding at St. Petersburg. The time has come when	Chaffee Has Orders Further to Re- duce It.	BUFFALO GETS THE MEET.
ills have been acted upon by con-	 H B. 311, increasing salary judge of Malheur county. H. B. 313, increasing salary judgeBaker county. 	tia. Captain Ringer, with a majority	the powers would be justified in	WASHINGTON March 4Carrying	Wheelmen Will Gather in the Pan-
rress.	H. B. 346, defining duties of attorney-general. H. B. 348, appropriation for payment of claims against the state.	of the members, is at the armory, and a Burlington engine and coach will	interfering in order to prevent China	out the policy inaugurated by the state department when it changed its	handle City.
The river and harbor bill, as agreed pon in conference, carries \$70,000	H. B. 347, general appropriation bill.	start with them at 3 o'clock.	negotiating with a single power, while the peoce negotiations remain uncon-	military force in China into a lega-	At the annual meeting of the Na-
or the improvement of the Willam-		SURRENDER OF BOTHA.	cluded."	tion guard, the war department has	American Wheelmen held recently in
ette and Yamhill rivers above Port- and.	S B. 1, providing for expression of choice in selection of United States enators by the people.	JORREHDER OF BOTHA.	Commenting editorially upon its Pe- kin advices, the Times says:	sent orders to General Chaffee to re- duce still further his force. The	Philadelphia, the invitation of Mayor
	S. B. 10, relating to drawing of juries. S. B. 13, taxation of goods, merchandise, etc., in cities and towns.	No Confirmation of the Rumors Current in	"The United States and Germany	general has now under his command	Dieni to hold the annual summer meet
A Ladrone rendezvous was raided in Pollulo island.	S. B. 23, increasing efficiency of public schools.	England.	might perhaps be supposed to recog- nize the mischief China's policy en-		unanimously.
	S. B. 29, authorizing Portland to dispose of market block.	Loudon, March 2 The Daily News	nize the mischief China's poncy en-	F. Fifth Artillery, and the Ninth In-	This action meets the hearty ap-

S. B. 29, authorizing Portland to dispose of market block. A Dutch laager at Willowmore was S. B. 37, tor publication of revised code. S. B. 38, fixing fees county officers in Multhomah county. S. B. 44, sessions of circuit court in Seventh district. Thorneycroft's column is closely fol-S. B. 56, declaring unnavigable streams highways. S. B. 61, selection and sale of state lands S. B. 62, relative to meeting by state university regents. The envoys at Pekin have taken up S. B. 63, food and dairy commissioner act. S. B. 64, amending code relative to Multnomah judges. It is believed in London that the S. B. 72, relating to actions in justice courts. S. B. 75, providing vestibules for street cars. S. B. 79, amending act creating Wheeler county. Several bodies were taken from the S. B. 84, monument fund for Second Oregon volunteers. (Houses disagree over amendments. Bill fails.) S. B. 86, creating office of state bacterioloigst. The cruiser New York will sail from S. B. 88, preventing unlawful interference with te'egraph or telephone wires. Aguinaldo's uncle was appointed S. B. 97, appropriating \$8,000 for state fair premiums. governor of Bulacan province. S. B. raising salary of supreme court reporter. S. B. 193, authorizing district and high schools. Buffalo Bill will participate in the S. B. 103, providing for scalp bounties. inaugural ceremonies at Washington. S. B. 112, providing bounties for destruction of fish destroying animals. S. B. 114, relative to directors in corporations. I'wo.men were killed by an explo-S. B. 116, relating to school lands. sion of firedamp in the Blue Canyon S. B. 126, auditing claims against the state. S. B. 130, providing for care of orphans and foundlings. The Cuban convention approved the S. B. 137, creating office of auditor of Multnomah county. S. B. 138, defining liability of owners of vessels for damage. scheme of relations with the United S. B. 142, requiring deposit of cancelled warrants with secretary of state S. B. 146, relating to location of mining claims. Marine engineers on the great lakes S. B. 162, providing additional compensation for governor. struck for additional help in engine S. B. 171, incorporating port of Portland. S. B. 173, enacting Torrens law system of title registration. S. B. 174, providing for fish hatcheries. Fire destroyed the warehouse of the S. B. 179, limiting printing of biennial reports state officers. Phillips Oil Company in Philadelphia. S. B. 180, amen ling Australian ballot law. S. B. 189, relating to filing of reports by state officers. The attic and a large portion of the S. B. 190, relative to Oregon Soldiers' Home. roof of the Criminal Court building in S. B. 191, primary law for Multnomah county. S. B. 196, fixing salary of superintendent of schools in Wheeler county S. B. 197, mending law regarding to transfers of stocks of goods. Rev. Charles Bliss, aged 73, former-S. B. 201, uniform system for taxation of property. ly engaged in educational work in S. B. 202, acceptance by state of certain lands. Utah, died at Long Meadow, Mass. S. B. 206, incorporating city of Portland, A case is before the courts of Baker S. B. 209, prohibiting saloons within 300 feet of school buildings. county. Oregon, involving ownership S. B. 210, regulating sale of liquors near mines. S. B. 216, amending law relating to prosecuting attorneys. of a quartz mill which was located on S. B. 220, fixing salaries of certain officers in Baker. Malheur and Clatcounties. A bill was rushed through the Kan-S. B. 221, charter commission for Portland, sas legislature prohibiting prize fight-

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captured by the British.

lowing Dewet's retreat.

the question of indemnity.

Boer war is nearing an end.

Diamondville, Wyo., mine.

Hampton Roads for - Manila.

mine.

States.

rooms.

Loss, \$100,000.

New York was burned.

government property.

county jail is provided.

ing. A penalty of one year in the

At Grice, Tex., 12 women with

hatchets, axes and rocks went to the

postoffice and store run by J. J. Grice.

the cause of the double suicide.

to every part of the world.

000.

gold plated.

American machinery is being shipped

Railway track elevation in Chicago

Foreign diplomats expect the United

Troops in Pekin looted the roof of a

Enddhist temple in the belief that the

tiles were of gold, but they were only

States to establish a protectorate over

Cubs in regard to foreign affairs.

has cost the companies over \$17,000 .-

S. B. 227, providing water for state institutions. S. B. 23, method of building branch railroad lines.

- S. B. 234, fixing salary certain county treasurers.
- S. B. 238, appropriating \$25,000 for Pan-American exposition.

CHARTER BILLS.

in which bitters are sold, and taking Enterprise, Myrtle Point, Medford, St. Paul, Tillamok City, Coquille. . the bottles outside, broke them all. Salem, Butteville, Antelope, Dillas, Glendale, Alkali, Oalkand, Burne, Stav-The bodies of Louis Burch and Addie ton, Cottage Grove, Granite Bonanza, Lebanon, Prairie City, Whitney, Neha-Taylor, both 18 years of age, were lem, Vernonia, John Day, Lone Rock, Peudleton, Vale, Bay City, Condon, Joseph, Ashland, Newburg, Philomath, Canyonville, Baker City, Roseburg, found in a deserted house in La Junta, Colo. A revolver lying between them Silverton, Summerville, Elgin, Sumpter, Sheridan, Grant's Pass, Yoncalla. told the story. Young Burch's father Mitchell, Falls City, Albany, Heppner, Warrenton, Hood River, Cornelius, forbade their marriage, and this was Wasco, Grass Valley. Sheridan, Milton, North Yambill, Independence, Sea side, Astoria, Portland.

SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR.

- H. B. 2, establishment and maintenance of school libraties. .
- H. B. 4, appropriating \$45,000 for Oreogn Agricultural college.
- H.-B. 11, relative to property hidding for taxes.
- H. B. 16, amending act relating to county courts.
- H. B. 18, Time of holding courts in First judicial district.
- H. B. 25, appropriating \$47,000 to Oregon State university.
- H. B. 52, to amend code relating to appeals.
- H. B. 111, to reimburse Oregon volunteers for clothing money.
- B. 178, to regulate disbarment proceedings.
- B. 180, for payment of scalp hounty warrants.
- H. B. 203, appropriating money for legislative expenses and deficiencies.
- H. B. 333, establishment experiment station at Union.

Manchester, En land, March 2 .--The Evening Mail says General Botha formally surrendered to General Kitchener shortly before 10 o'clock this morning. TOO EARLY FOR WITHDRAWAL that it will become available for the The Cubans Are Not Able to Form a Stable Government. New York, March 2 .- Several of the passengers on the steamer Havana, which has just arrived from Havana, express the opinion that Cuba is not in

a political condition to receive her in- so as to make it available for such dependence. Dr. W. C. Phelps, of use. Buffalo, said: "Uncle Sam must stay in Cuba.

are still in progress. It is believed

that Mrs. Botha brought proposals

says:

Everybody with whom I conversed in Cuba wants the United States to stay there. It is only the rabble, or negroes, consisting of about 30 per cent of the entire population of Cuba, who transport Indiana on the 5th inst. for vell for "free Cuba,' and these shiftless Manila. This battalion has been aspeople are 'fire eaters.' If they got signed to the Twenty-eighth infantry their freedom some other nation would and will constitute the first battalion step in and take the island away from of that regiment.

them for debt. I must say that the streets of Havana are clean, and that the general health is remarkably good. The great trouble in Cuba is that there is nothing fit to eat."

Joseph Howard, the journalist, says: "If the United States tries to leave Cuba next June, as is talked of, soldiers will have to get back there pretty quick to avert a state of anarchy which would undoubtedly follow their withdrawal. Capital is apprehensive. There is no trade. All are waiting. Americans and the capitalists want the retention of the United States troops."

Trouble Among Recruits.

San Antonio, Tex., March 2 .- General McKibben, commanding the department of Texas, was advised late today of trouble among the recruits en reported that a large vein of coal route for San Francisco. He at once has been discovered east of this place. ordered a detachment of 20 men under command of Captain Beall, Third infantry, and Lieptenant Perry, Seventh infantry, to go to Ennis, Tex., to meet

ticulars are known here.

tails, but President McKinley at all F. Fifth Artillery, and the Ninth In-"We learn that Commandant-Gen- events seems bent on peace at any eral Botha offered to surrender on cer- price." tain conditions and that pour parleurs

FOR SMALL SETTLERS.

Congress Begins to Understand from her husband to Lord Kitchener." The Sun says it is officially an-National Irrigation.

nounced that Botha has surrendered to WASHINGTON, March 4 .- Con-General Kitchener. ; The Pall Mall gress is beginning to recognize that Gazette credits the news of Botha's the national irrigation propaganda is surrender, but a representative of the not a scheme to irrigate vast tracts press learns that neither the war, toreign or colonial office has any infor- of private lands at public expense, mation confirming the report. The thereby putting money into the hands war secretary, Mr. Broderick, an- of speculators and those already well nounced in the house of commons this able to take care of themselves; but afternoon that he had no official infor- that it contemplates the reclamation mation of the surrender. and putting upon the land of bona

fide settlers-home builders. When this idea becomes firmely grounded in the minds of eastern men-that the land is not to be reclaimed and then jobbed away in large tracts, but that it is to be safe-guarded so

small settler who wants to take up

forty or eighty acres, and build a home upon it and stick his plow into the soil and let the water follow his furrow, then there will be very little opposition to storing, by the govern ment, of the flood waters of the west,

Ordered to Manila.

Washington, March 2 .- Orders were issued today for the Third battalion of

British Steamer's Bad Luck.

Bermuda, March 4. - The British

steamer Castino, after being two days out from this pert for New York, has returned for the second time with her propeller loose. The vessel sailed from Liverpool on January 19 for New York. Being blown out of her course and short of coal, she put in at St. George's for coal, February 12. After receiving a supply she proceeded on her voyage, but returned with a loose propeller February 18. Repairs were made and again she proceeded February 26.

now being completed in London by Manager John Boyd. A stamp mill and concentrator costing \$400,000 will be erected on the company's property now in 9,000 feet, and has cut 28 veine of ore. The interest now being sold is treasury stock, and the \$1,000,000 is to be used in further development.

Large Vein of Cole Discovered. \$2,500 Fire at Walla Walla.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., March 4 .--It is said that the quality is equal to ing to H. V. Fuller at Nowell and olution will be held in Buffalo June that of the Roslyn coal. An expert, Clinton streets, tonight, damaging it 14. The invitation was extended by to the extent of \$1,500, and destroy. Mrs. John Miller Horton at the meetthe train bearing the recruits, and deal says that there is no question but ing \$1,000 worth of furniture. The ing of the D. A. R. in Washington, with the situation as found. No par- that coal can be mined here in abund- property is fully insured. The cause D. C., recently, and was accepted by of the blaze is unknown.

lines in the United States.

Million-Dollar Mining Deal.

Chronicle states today that the trans-

Spokane, Wash., March 2 .- The

tion guard, General Chaffec's force

ing an unnecessary menace to the

Chinese court and in order to hold

out inducements for its early return

to Pekin, the United States govern-

force, and the orders went forward.

toward the restoration of normal con-

Great Telephone Combination.

ditions at Pekin.

F, Fifth Artillery, and the Ninth In-fantry. Although nominally, a lega-that organization.

For this reason the biggest meet is rather a formidable offensive in the history of the league will be quantity, and not desirous of retain-that held in Buffalo during the week commencing August 12.

Fruit Man Alarmed Over Weather. VANCOUVER, Wash., March 4 .-ment sometime ago determined upon Clark county fruit men are apprehena further reduction of the American sive lest the present warm weather continues long enough to endanger Considerable discression was left the fruit crop. There is some danger to General Chaffee in the selection of the trees budaing out under the of the troops to remain, and it is influence of continued warm weather assumed at the departmnt that the to such an extent that a freeze or a Pekin dispatches announcing that these consist of two companies of the would prove disastrous. Up to this Ninth Infantry, under Major Robert time the winter has been most faovrson, is correct. If the other powers able for the orchards, and the prosrepresented at Pekin can be induced pects for a big crop the coming to follow this policy, it is hoped that season were never better. a long step will have been effected

California Town Threatened.

Sacramento, Cal., March 5 .- The levee above the town of Washington, Yolo county, is in danger of breaking, YORK, Pa., March 4 .- A movement owing to the wash caused by the high has been inaugurated in this city winds, and a large force of men is aving in view the organization under working to save it. If the levee breaks one management of all the independ- the town of Washington will be ent telephone lines in Pennsylvania, flooded and the railroad grade between Maryland, Virginia and West Vir- this city and Davisville will be nearly ginia. A committee of officials from submerged. the various lines in this state has

Boers Cross the Orange River. been appointed to work out the basis on which the different companies will Colesburg, Cape Colony, Tuesday, the provisional regiment organized at be admitted to the new organization. March 5.-Fifteen hundred Boers, San Francisco to take passage on the The new company will be capitalized with whom, it has been alleged, were at \$27,000,000, and its promoters con- General Dewet and former President template that it will ultimately em- Steyn, found a spot at Lilliefontein, brace under one management all the near Colesburg bridge, where the Orange river widens, and the current is slow, and they crossed, both men

and horses swimming.

Mayas Defeated by Mexicans, MEXICO CITY, March 4.-There fer of a \$1,000,000 interest in the has been another battle between the Palmer Mountain Tunnel Company is rebel Indians and the Federal troops near Tabl. The Mayas were found well entrenched, but the Mexican troops rushed their position and the in Okanogan county. The tunnel is Indians fled in panic.

Declared a Dividend.

The Standard Oil Company has declared another \$20,000,000 dividend.

DAUGHTERS OF REVOLUTION.

Will Hold Next Congress in Buffalo June 14.

The next continental congress of A fire occurred in a nouse belong the Daughters of the American Reva rising vote.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Mach 4 .- It is who is prospecting in that locality,

ance.