# WEEKLY OREGON STATESMAN, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1900.

**RELIEF FOR GALVESTON** 

# Desperate Efforts Made by the Citizens to Bring Life Into the Stricken City.

All the Destitute Are Taken Care Of-One of the most Remarkable Escapes from Death Ever Recorded-A Batteryman's Struggle

in the Gulf.

first real attempt to clear away the scribed £1000 for the relief of suffergreat mass of debris piled along the ers, and that more will follow. to be taken from the stricken city feeling of depression.

Shipping men say today that the damage to the wharves is by no means as serious as at first supposed. More Quartermaster Baxter: hopeful reports were received today touching the water supply. The water company is now serving some of its customers. Soldiers patrolled the water front and challenged all who could not show proper reason for their landing, or who were unwilling to work for the privilege of coming into town.

Assurances have been received by the railroads that they will do all in their power to re-open communication, and their present plan seems to be to concentrate all forces on the work of reconstructing one bridge. Telegraphic communication has been partly restored, the Wesfern Union and Postal companies having reached the city with one wire.

The relief committees are steadily broadening the scope of their work. the issuance of orders and rations in multitude surrounding every bureau Pelle Isle, and four near Cape Bonathe applicants are rapidly being taken vista. care of.

The sympathy felt for Galveston ers were notified by cable that the is at hand.

GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 14 .- The Liverpool cotton exchange had sub-

One of the most remarkable escapes beach front for a distance of several recorded during the flood was report miles was begun today. The exodus ed today, when the news came that a from the city was heavy today, and United States batteryman, on duty at hundreds were eager to go, but were the fort last week, had been picked unable to secure transportation. How up on Morgan's point, wounded but unable to secure transportation. Along alive. He had buffeted the waves for the bay front there were scores of five days, and lived through the terfamilies with dejetced faces, pleading rible experience. Morgan's point is thirty miles from Galveston.

where, in spite of every effort to re- the dispatch of Quartermaster Paxter, store confidence, there is a universal to the Department, expressing the bely ruined. Congresman Hawley last

While it must not be

ficent or worthy of have the honor to state to the Quartermaster General, respecting Galveston, is unworthy of a sol their city."

Austin, Tex., Sept. 14.-The total ferers amount to \$1,300,000 to date.

St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 14.-The tales of widespread destruction wrought by yesterday's gale continue to your in. Six vessels were wrecked near St. They have established bureaus for Pierre; and six in Placentia Bay. It is also reported that four were lost in every ward, and though there is a Renew's harbor, two in the straits of

Thus far fourteen lives are known to have been lost, and it is feared the throughout the world was again evi- loss of life will prove to have been denced this morning, when local bank- much greater when full information

# ENVOYS' WIVES AT PEKIN.

Mme DeGiers Mme Pichon Mrs Conger Of France Of America Of Russia

Much attention has been attracted by Bef that Galveston has been hopeless

the War Department, in reply to

signotice. that Quartermaster Baxter's telegram dier and in no way represents the morale of Galveston citizenship, and their determined purpose to restore

OVER A MILLION.

obscriptions for the Galveston sur

## ANOTHER HORROR.

ing?"

ordance with Lord Roberts' strategy since February, Komatipoort is the new objective point, and when it is captured Lord Roberts will be credit-ed with having taken possession of the last Dutch railway line and closed the door into neutral territory. The work of pacification will not have been thoroughly worked out, but the main object will have been secured. as was done when Bloemfontein and Pretoria were occupied.

# A PORCLAMATION,

London, Sept. 14.-The following lispatch has been received by the War Office from Lord Roberts:

"Machadodorp, Thursday, Sept 13-Kruger has fled to Lourenco Marques and Botha has been obliged to give over the command of the Boer Army temporarily to Viljoen, on account of ill health In consequence of this I have circulated a proclamation, as follows:

"The late President Kruger, with Reitz and the archives of the South African Republic, has crossed the Portuguese frontier and , arrived at Lourenco Marques with a view of sailfor Europe at an early date. Kruger negotiations today with which the has formally resigned the position which he held as President of the South African Republic, thus ' severing his official connection with thte Transvaal. - Kruger's action shows for military orders. The War Departhow hopeless, in his opinion, is the ment officials are awaiting word from war which has now been carried on the State Department, as to the next for nearly a year, and his desertion of the Boer cause should make clear to step expected of the troops, but it is hight sent the following telegram to his fellow-burghers that it is useless now intimated that this next step will to continue the struggle any longer.

> habitants of the Transvaal and the Orange River Colony, that nearly 15,-000 of their fellow subjects are now of the Russian Government as indiprisoners of war, not one of whom cated in yesterday's dispatches. No will be released until those now under official confirmation has been received arins against us surrender unconditionally.

"The burghers must be cognizant of of the withdrawal, but the fact is not the fact that no intervention in their doubted here. , Regardless, however, behalf can come from any of the of the course to be taken by Russia. great powers; and further, that the it is now said there is nothing in the Pritish Empire is determined to complete the work which has already cost so many lives, and carry to a conclu- in the event that the Russian froops sion the war declared against lier by the late governments of the Trans- that the control of the situation would vaal and the Orange Free State,a war towhich there can be only one end-

RUPPERS-Of every description for lers, to determine when, and how, and men, women and children, at the New York Racket. Big stock of new goods just in. dw2t.

FIGHTING WITH THE HEAT.

Hitherto the ingenuity of man has made much greater progress in fightng the cold of winter than in con- termasters' supplies for subsisting the tending against the extreme heat of army in China are nearly all at Taku. summer, says Youth's Companion. If but are still aboard transports. They we have warm garments, good fires have not been unloaded, because it and well-built houses, 'cold weather was expected the army of General few moments the girl had recovered. gives us comparatively little discom- Chaffee would soon up or its way to fort. From the blistering sun of sum- the Philippines. No definite orders mer even the millionaire can buy in- have been sent to General Chaffee.

POSTPONED

No Immediate Prospect of the Evacua-

tion of Pekin.

# **GENERAL CHAFFEE WILL DETERMINE**

Matter Rests With Him.

treth." Leave the Chinese Capital-The

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.-There were no developments in the Chinese which dense smoke hangs in clouds. public can be made acquainted, the whole matter being still in the diplomatic phase, and therefore not calling of frame buildings, stampeded horses of birds and imperiled the lives of many people. The probable losses are very heavy, far exceeding in the aggregate \$150,000 in this county alone.

not be taken immediately. The situ-"It is probably unknown to the in- ation has lost" something of its acute ness, owing to the change in attitude at Washington of the postponement

> Fargo, N. D., Sept. 14.- Governor Roosevelt and his party of campaigners rested in Fargo tonight, after a American note of response to Russia day of speech-making in this state that demands immediate evacuation, and Minnesota.

are called away. Instead, it is stated CHILDREN DABBLE simply pass from the State Department into General Chaffee's hands, and it would be for him, after conferr ing with the other military command-

to what extent, the American forces should be withdrawn. He might choose his own time, and in a degree his position would be similar to that occupied by him in the advance upon Pekin, so far as having a free hand is concerned.

## READY TO MOVE.

Washington, Sept. 14.-The Quar-

of Toledo, O., that, while he would fresh, cool drink of buttermilk. probably not run for Congress, he In the live stock department things were stirring yesterday. J. L. Smith, would make speeches for Bryan and of Spokane, general superintendent of Stevenson.

"It would be a bad year for him if the Spokane Industrial Exposition, he were to run for Congress," the Sen- and manager of the Hazelwood Comator continued. "for the Republican pany, Ltd., owners of one of the largparty in Ohio is amply able to carry est dairy ranches and creamery plants the state and Jones' own district, with in the Northwest, came in and enterhim in the race or out of it.

FOREST FIRES.

Plymouth, Mass., Sept. 14.-Acre af-

A WEEKS FAILURES.

New York, Sept. 14.-R. G. Dun's

Review of Trade will say tomorrow:

The failures for the week were 195 in

the United States against 149 last

year, and thirty in Canada against

ROOSEVELT'S CAMPAIGN.

thirty-two last year.

im in the race or out of it. "I see Bryan is squaring off to come riving late last night. His entries are: 5 Jersey cattle: 7 Guernseys; 6 at us with the race question. I un-Hoisteins; 11 Poland China hogs; derstand he will attack us on the disfranchisement line. Well, that will have little effect. Let him come to Oble and talk will, that we to acres near Such as a ranch of 3000 Ohio and talk with the colored people acres near Spokane; milks 170 cows, and operates skimming stations there and see what they think of the tbroughtout southeastern Washington, Republicans there. This is the day of newspapers, and neither Bryan nor on the ground, and his herd of eigh-W. O. Minor, of Heppner, was also anybody else can shut the eyes of the teen shorthorn cattle from the Moun-When the American Troops Are to press. The public is bound to get the tain Valley Stock Farm arrived late last uight. He has a splendid bunch

of cattle. John W. McKinney, of Turner, was

on the ground with his splendid herd of Herefords, twenty head, among er acre of which was beautiful wood- them being a number that are certain land early in the week is now a stretch to be prize-winners. He makes a betof blackened, smoky ground, over ter show than ever before.

Frank Brown, of C. E. Ladd's Oak The brush fires which sprang into Hill farm, has sixteen shorthorns in activity with Wednesday's gale have the stalls on the ground, and a fine simply devastated a great region of lot of cattle they are-prize-winners, Plymouth county, swept away scores every one. He also has forty-five sheep, of the Cotswold, Shropshire and cattle and killed immense numbers and Southdown breeds.

These are only a few of the many valuable herds that will be here; in fact the stock show will be the best ever seen in the Pacific Northwest, and no farmer of Oregon, who takes interest in good stock, can afford to miss the State Fair this year. It will pay every one to see the fine exhibition of dairy and beef cattle, and all other stock shown at this year's fair.

The poultry department is also a busy place. Here the prize chickenswill be shown. Here also the greatest Belgian have exhibit ever held in the Northwest will be placed. The board has made excellent provision for the Belgian show. In addition to the hutches built in former years, 109 new autches have been constructed, and Pelgian haves valued at hundreds of dollars each will be entered for this. exhibition.

Luke Lindsay came up from the IN HYPNOTISM. Sound last evening, with four horses, to participate in the races at the State

Peatrice, Neb., Sept. 8.- Even babies out in this Western country seem to he versed in occult science. A strange incident happened here recently when Lillie Armstrong, 7 years old, went

into atrance at the bidding of her playmate, Dolly Horn, The Armstrong girl approached Dolly Horn and with hands outstretched commanded her to go to sleep. The little subject immediately sank against a tree and fell slowly to the ground. The other children shook Dolly by the

her heavy breathing. They could not rouse her until Conrad Schmidt came along. He is something of a hypnotist Limself, and in a

PARIS HAS MANY TREES.

Fair next week. His string consists of three trotters, and a pacer as follows Nettie Ham, trotter, by Hambletonian-Membrino, with a record of 2:19½. Kittle Caution, trotter by Caution,

Pabe Chapman, trotter, by Ingrim. Arab, pacer, by Alexis.

E. C. Perringer, of Pendleton, whose fine string of borses, was here all summer, and who went to Portland a week ago to attend the Irvington arm, but there was no response save races, taking his horses down, returned to Salem last evening, bringing

his string back. These fine animals will contest for purses on the Salem track during the fair.



Baroness Nichii Lady Macdonald Of England Of Japan

Mme Knobel Baroness Von Heyking Of Holland Of Germany

port. She will take from here over

1100 animals for the German cavalry

in China, in addition to all the fodder

**KRUGER HAS RESIGNED.** 

18 NO LONGER PRESIDENT OF

THE TRANSVAAL.

Movement on the Boers-Botha

Ceases to Command.

centrated movement upon Komatipoort

and has left Pretoria in order to di-

rect it personally. Ian Hamilton is

returning to the railway from Lyden-

burgt Pole-Carew is pushing east to-

they will require on the voyage.

MADE A DEADLY ASSAULT.

FIGHT BETWEEN A WHITE MAN AND FORTY JAPANESE.

On a Small Island in the Pacific near Hawaii-All Participants Are in Honolulu.

HONOLULU, Sept. via San Fran cisco, Sept. 14.-The story of a battle Roberts Is Making a Concentrated on Laysan island, a small speck in the Pacific which was once a Hawaiian dependency, reached here today by the bark Ceylon, which brought to Honolulu all the participants in the affair. It was a fight between Captain Spencer, the "king of the island," and forty Japanese inborers, who were taken there to help load vessels from Honolulu with guado.

The captain tired eight bullets into the crowd of forty men, killing two of his forces that he has resigned the in early of them and wounding several. Captain Spencer and the Japanese were taken on board the Ceylon, and taken to Honolulu.

On arriving in Honolulu last night Captain Spencer was charged with murder. The Japanese allege that they made no attack upon the captain, but simply assembled to discuss the nutter of the food supply, The Japanese consul will probably

be asked to demand damages for the Japanese from Laysan, for their sufferings on the way to Honolulu.

A RECORD TRIP.

both his forces and cut off a portion of them from communication with the San Francisco, Sept. 14 .- Almost a record trip from the Eastern coast was commandos between Nelspruit and made by the large steamer Bosnia, Koncatipoort. Lydenburg apparently poison is the most complete and instruc-which has arrived, 47 days and 10 has been abandoned as soon as it was live ever issued; it not only tells all hours from Philadelphia. She belongs to the Hamburg-American line, and has been chartered by the German Government. The Bosnia is the larg-east steamship that

executive.

commandant general.

availy only by running away from it. He has been told to hold himself in The electric fan has been introduced readiness to execute orders to withpute commonly in the offices and draw. shops of the large towns. The movement of the electric-car gives passengers a cool breeze, even when there is no gir stirring. In neither case, is the temperature of the air lowered; the movement of the air simply dries the

ools the body. Certain devices for artificial refrigeration, such as are employed in the Dorward ordered the town burned afmanufacture of ice, would; if introduced into houses and shops, actually lower the temperature. This is not practicable, even if it were economial. Summer air usually contains so much moisture that were its temperature to be suddenly lowered by artificial means a moist "clamminess" would result, and that it decidedly aupleasant. Even in the United States senate chamber, into which in sumirer air artificially cooled is pumped, the process employed is very roundabout. The air is forced into a lower temperature than is needed, to wring given as confidently to the babe as to

about the warmth desired. This system is too elaborate and costly for ordinary uses. Neverthe throughout the United States and in less it can not be doubted that one of foreign lands. For sale by F. G. Haas, the achievements for the twentieth druggist, Salem, Oregon. entury will be the conquest of the ann. Some way will be found to cool the interior of buildings by a method not too expensive for persons of mod erate niezns. Out-of-doors, of course,

the king of day will rule as he does won.

Contagious **Blood** Poison

There is no poison so highly contagious, so deceptive and so destructive. Don't be too sure you are cured because all external signs of the disease have disappeared, and the doctor says you are well. Many per-sons have been dosed with Mercury and Potash for months or years, and pro-nounced cured — to realize when too late that the disease was only covered up-

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.-A dispatch Like Bogots Like. driven from the surface to break to the Tribune from Londan, says: out again, and to their sorrow and mortifi-The Mail's correspondent in Lourenco cation find those nearest and dearest to them have been infected by this loath-Marque's learns that Mr. Kruger has some disease, for no other poison is so resigned the presidency of the Trans-vaal, but remains a member of the as this. Often a bad case of Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula or severe skin disease, an old sore or ulcer developing in middle General Botha is said to have been life, can be traced to blood poison conso incensed at the cowardly conduct tracted

The Sin of the Parent. supreme command and Viljoen is now life, for it remains smoldering in the sys-

According to a Lisbon message to driven out in the beginning. S. S. S. is the Express. Mr. Kruger proposes to the only antidote for this peculiar virus, claim all other Populists have resignset up the seat of his government at the only remedy known that can overcome it and drive it out of the blood, and News from the seat of war in South it does this so thoroughly and effectually Africa is indecisive, but it is clear that there is never a return of the disease that Lord Roberts is making a con- to embarrass or humiliate you afterwards. cures Contagious Blood Poison in any and all stages; contains no mineral to break down burgt Pole-Carew is pushing east to-wards Nelspruit: French is making for Barberton, and Buller has divided her known that cleanses the blood and at the same time builds up the general bealth

Our little book on contagious blood

NO OPPOSITION.

Tien Tsin, Sept. 12, via Taku, Sept. 13.-The expedition under General Dorward, against the Boxers threat ening the Tien Tsin region, reached perspiration from the skin and so Tu Liu, on the Grand Canal without opposition, and the city was occupied without a shot being fired. General ter it had been thoroughly looted.

## ORDERS TO MOVE.

proceed to Wei Hal Wel immediately.

#### A Word to Mothers.

Mothers of children affected with croup or a severe cold need not hesito administer Chamberlain's ate Cough Remedy. It contains no opiate nor narcotic in any form and may be out the moisture, and then passed an adult. The great success that has Fine Blooded Cattle Placed in the Stalls over het water pipes to raise it to attended its use in the treatment of colds and croup has won for it the ap proval and praise it has received

FUSION IN IDAHO.

DEMOCRATS CLAIM TO HAVE MADE AN ARRANGEMENT

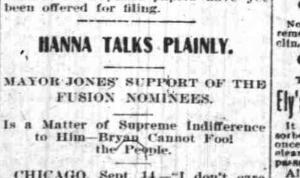
Put Populists Have Not Signified Their Intention to Fall in With

Their Plaus.

rats and Populists have effected a ton county exhibit, is also on the partial fusion. Today the Democratic ground, and his fine collection of committee filed its ticket. It also and fanches is being displayed in an filed the resignations of the candidates attractive manner. for Congress, Auditor and Mine In- Agricultural College exhibit, of which spector, and the nominations of the Prof. George Coote will have charge, nominations under advisement for pected next week. twenty-four hours.

Glenn, of Bear Lake county, for Congress; E. W. Jones, of Boise, for Auditor, and M. H. Jacobs for Mine In der the direction of Supt. Geo. Weeks spector. It is admitted that three of and Prof. F. L. Kent, of Corvallis, the Populist candidates have refused who will have charge of that section. to withdraw. They are C. M. Mullen, This will be one of the best patroniz-Presidential Elector; M. F. Eby, for ed sections of the fair, as the many Secretary of State, and Texas Angel. for Supreme Judge. The Democrats

ed, but no Populist papers have yet



CHICAGO, Sept. 14 .- "I don't care whether Mayor Jones takes the stump Senses of Taste and Smell. No Mer- jumps away did he get-not breath or not. When he comes out for Bryan cury. No injurious drug. Regular enough had he to howl for help to his it means simply that McKinley has Size, 50 cents, Family size, \$1.00 at master in the distant hills-not fifteen

possesses about \$9,000 trees Paris in the streets and public places in the city. It is calculated that there are 26,000 plane trees, 17,000 chestmuts and 15,000 eluis, the rentainder consisting of sycamores, maples, licheus, etc. Apparently there is only one oak ud one ash tree.

PACIFIC COAST COMMERCE.

San Francisco, Sept. 14 .- The financi committee of the proposed Pacific Commercial Museum has secured subscription that will, give the institution an income of \$23,496 for its first

year, and its establishment is now Hong Kong, Sept. 14.-Orders have assured. Its will be planned after the been issued for the Third brigade to Commercial Museum in Philadelphia.

> OREGON'S BIG FAIR SPLENDID SHOW OF LIVE STOCK NOW

ON THE GROUND.

# Yesterday-Hutches for Bel-



(From Daily Statesman, Sept. 15)

The State Fair grounds present a scene of activity seldom equalled in the days preceding a fair here, and the result can not help being the complete success of the annual exposition. The Pavilion Is fast being put in shape. In addition to the county exbibits being placed in position, as reported in yesterday's Statesman, the Lane county exhibit was yesterday received, and Hon. Jasper Wilkins is superintending the placing of the same in the space assigned to his county. EOISE, Ida., Sept. 14.-The Demo-H. L. French, manager of the Ben products of Benton county's farms

Populist candidates, for those places was also received yesterday, and is o fill the vacancies. These are the being arranged near the main enthree places offered the Populists at trance. The entire Pavilion presents the time of the state convention. To a most busy scene, and this portion day the Secretary of State filed the of the big show will be one of the loket, and took the resignations and attractions for the many visitors ex-

In the dairy section, the working, The three Populists put on are T. L. plants of G. G. Wickson & Co., and Geo. L. Bickel, of Portland, have been received, and are being installed unthirsty visitors will call here for a



Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs Brewer of scrolula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,-that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, tricers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidney and howels, expels poisons, helps digestion builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Dr. STONE, druggist.

HIS QUESTION.

"I wish to ask a question pertaining to the game laws?" said the visitor to the queries editor.

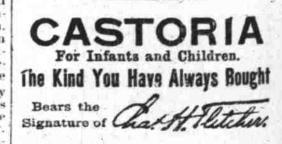
'Ask on, my friend.' "When is the open season for shooting stars?

Eut before the editor could answer him he was gone.-Philadelphia Inentrer.

GIVES HIMSELF AWAY.

Laura-I want to say to you that Mr. Wellkepp is a good deal older than he acknowledges. Flora-Why?

"Oh, he is so tickled every time Fitzsimmons wms." - Indianapolis Press.



THE FIGHT OF THE COYOTES.

Tito howled the long howl for help the muster call. Yap Yap Yap Yah Yah Yah-h-h-h-h-

and made the buttes around re-echo so that Jake could not tell where it came from, but some one else there was that heard and did know whence it came. The dog's courage revived n bearing something like a far away shout. Again he sprang at the little one, but again the mother balked him with her own body, and then they losed in deadly struggle. "Oh!" if Saddleback would only come," but no one came, and now she had no further chance to call. Weight is everything in a closing tight, and Tito soon went down, bravely fighting to the last, but clearly worsted, and the hound's courtge grew with the sight of victory, and

all he thought of now was to finish her and then kill her helpless haby in its turn. He had no ears or eyes for any other thing, till out of the nearest sage there flashed a streak of gray and in a trice the big-voiced coward was hur!ed back by a foe almost as heavy as kimself. Hurled back, with a crippled shoulder-dash-chop-and stanch old Saddleback sprang on him again. Tito struggled to her feet, and they closed on him together. His courage fled at once when he saw the odds, and all he wanted now was safe escape-escape from Saddleback, whose speed is like Allays inflammation. Heals and pro- the wind-escape from Tito whose batects the Membrane. Restores the by's life was at stake. Not twenty

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#### lost just one vote and no more," said Druggists or by mail. Senator Hanna when questioned con- ELY BROTHERS, 16 Warren Street, weant to tear, they tore him all yards away from her little one that be est steamship that ever came to this. These tactics are bold, but in ac-THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA. cerning the declaration of the Mayor New York. bits.-Scribner's.