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University of California and Stanford to Co-operate in Such Move.

BERKELEY, Dec. 4.-The academic conneil of the University of California has taken into its own hands the matter of revising the game of football on the Pacific coast so that the objection- tion City, is 44 years old and the father able features in the sport as now play- of thirteen children, all living and in ed may be eliminated. Stanford is co- good health. He came to Oregon from operating in the movement and the au- Nebraska a few years ago.

WILL MODIFY FOOTBALL RULES. | thorities of the two universities will act entirely independent of the national committee. The smaller universites of the coast will be asked to bad themselves by the recommendations of the committee.

> HAS A FEW HIMSELF. Charles Bailey, a farmer near June

IT IS NOT PRICE ALONE

That determines the actual worth of an article. Price linked with quality makes true value. An article which gives satisfactory service makes the buyer a permanent customer. It is the reliability of our merchandise, together with prices marked on the spot eash basis, that keeps our business.

Barnes Cash Store 6. T. Barnes, Prop.

Undersells "regular stores." Just now we are offering about 150 men's high-grade suits at 20 per cent discount. You'll find them on our bargain table. They're values you can't afford to overlook.

Over 200 Boys' Knee Pants

Suits on our bargain tables at 20 to 30 per cent discount. Ages 3 to 14. Bring your boy in. We can fit him at "money saving" prices. During the rainy season you need absolutely solid footwear.

- OUR SHOES

dollars on every rain coat.

Have stood the test for 14 years in Salem. Every pair is built to give satisfaction. Shoes for every member of the family. Men's genuine "Cravenette" rain coats at "cash store" prices. Just the right weight for our Oregon climate. We save you from two to three

Our Dry Goods Department

Is a busy place. Salem ladies appreciate our efforts to supply them with the most desirable dress goods at prices from 15 to 25 per cent lower than "regular stores" ask for same qualities. We'll have our Holiday Goods ready for your inspection by December 8th, which will give you ample time to make your selections from the most complete line of Holiday Novelties we have ever shown

HICAGO. STORE

One Week's Clearing Sale

Owing to the wonderful display of Christmas Goods that we have now mapped out we have decided to hold a powerful CLEARING SALE for one week; slaughter the prices right and left, clearing the shelves and tables so we will have sufficient room for our entire Christmas show goods, sold less than manufacturers' cost.

Here are a few of the Wonderful Bargains

50c Fancy Dress Goods, yd.....25c 69c Fine Dress Goods, yd....39c 85c Newest Dress Goods, yd....49c Fine Imported Dress Goods at the same ratio of low prices. Remnants of Dress Goods, half price Fine Silks 23c, 35c and 49c yd. \$1 Fine Dress Silks, price yd...65c Remnants of Silks, half price. 8 1-3c Outing Flannels, yd43/4c Sale prices throughout this depart-Prices slaughtered on Muslins, Table Linens and White Goods. Ladies' 75c Outing Flannel Night Gowns, price 45e

Ladies' 25c Hose Supporters 10c Best Spool Silk, spool3c Christmas Toys before being marked at any price. Best Saxony Wool, skein3c Shetland Floss, skein7c Boys' Short Pants, pair 19c Boys' Suits, Half Price. Boys' 10c Suspenders5c Boys' 85c Sweaters, price 49c Ladies' \$1.25 Swans Down Dressing Saques, sale price.......69c Cheaper ones and better ones. Ladies' \$1 Black Mercerized Petticoats, clearing price 65c CLEARING PRICES ON CLOAKS. SUITS, MILLINERY and WAISTS. All Hosiery and Underwear at Thousands of articles in this Big Store that you can buy cheap dur-

Best Standard Pins, paper1c

Best Safety Pins, per doz 2c

slaughter prices. Ribbons at any price you want them. ing this Clearing Sale. Children's 25c Underwear, clearing Men's Clothing, Hats and Shoes in the same boat. Prices cut to pieces.

Salem's Greatest Growing Store.

Corner Commercial and Court Streets, Salem

DELAYED REPORTS TELL OF CON-DITIONS IN ISQLATED CITY.

EXTREME TENSION PREVAILS

Telegraph Lines Are Still Tied Upand Armed Patrols

Guard Streets.

Count Witte Believes Emperor By Ac ceding Demand for Universal Suf frage May Still Find Ground Upon Which All Can Stand.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 3 .- (Via Elytkuhnen, East Prussia.)-The city remains quiet, but an extreme tension prevails, and there are armed patrols n the streets, especially in the neighborhood o the telegraph office. The telegraph and postal tie-up remains complete. Soldiers and employes of other departments are being used to Jeliver portions of the vast accumulation of

The telegraph operators met yesterday's threat to lischarge them tollay unless they returned to work by resolving to prosecute the strike until their demands are satisfied, The League of Leagues, which is issuing decrees like a veritable provisional government, has openly defied the prefects warning to the walking lelegates and agitators, that any attempts to perthe issuing of a counter proclamation of warning not only to the Russian | use of the company, but to Danish operators that they work at their peril. The authorities think the strike will be broken in a few days, but the basis of their optimist is not

Witte is now convinced that the emperor by acceding to the demand for universal suffrage, may still find common ground on which the government and moderate and extreme elements can stand. If this fails to stay the headlong march of events, a proclamation for a ready male constitution might be tried as a last card. Then nothing would remain except the dic-

Competent judges of the situation believe a dictatorship, while it might reiway to common ruin.

Serious Fight at Kieff.

Vienna, Dec. 4 .- The Tageblatt pubishes a communication from Odessa via ing for food. The governor general refuses to help them and they are threatening to steal and plunder.

Travelers arriving at Odessa from Kieff report a serious fight there Friday between the engineers and Cossacks. Many hundreds were killed or wounded. The neue Frie Presse publishes a dispatch from Lemberg, Galicia, evidently referring to the same occurrences at Kieff, and says the engineers refused to work as telegraphers, hundred armed men left the barracks and paraded the streets, where they were joined by a number of infantrymen and followed by a crowd of workmen. Near the railroad station the mutincers engaged 300 Cossacks and drove remainder of the mutineers surrendered. Kieff, where martial law has been de-

More Trouble in Finland.

Hapnarda, Sweden, Dec. 4 .- A dispatch received from Tornea, Finland, reports that there is a new railroad strike in Finland, which was caused by the nominations to the new genate, and that an industrial strike may be ex-

correspondent of the Times says three lowed by a immense rush of business, regiments at Riga have refused to per- and it is probable Special Agent Higform police duty. The sailors of the

imperial guard have mutinied. Koenigsberg, East Prussia, Dec. 4 .-The Ostrepussiche Zeitung prints re- gave rise to much dissatisfaction and Livonia and Courland were attacked by many local politicians and others, but the peasants, killed and terribly mutilit is generally conceded that anything

Believes Witte Will Succeed.

adence the present agitation would not

result in a revolution. He added that

He said Witte was certain to over-

come the difficulties with the military

and strikers, and thus strengthen his

from the general ferment.

own position.

Warsaw, Dec. 4 .- Libtski, a prominent lawyer and editor, whom the governor general of Warsaw exiled and who Secretary Hitchcock to Apportion \$1, was released at the request of the Zemstvo congress, returned here today Irrigation Project. from St. Petersburg. He expressed con-

merely sporadic outbursts resulting commenced without delay.

serious difficulty has arisen in the min-istry resulting in an acute crisis. The OUR NATIONAL socialists, the correspondent says, have informed the government that if the postal men be not replaced an appeal will be made to the people to take arms against the government.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Matin describes the sinister aspect of the Russian capital. He says patrols are everywhere, the doors and windows of houses closed, stores barricaded and Cossacks camping in the streets. There

is no news from other parts of the em pire, says the correspondent. The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Pigaro says that Witte presented to the council of ministers a project granting universal suffrage. The population at St. Petersburg, according to the orrespondent, displays absolute indiffer ence to the scenes of anarchy, while

German Squadron Sighted.

the authorities appear powerless.

St. Petersburg, (via Eyalken) Dec. 4 -It is reported from Cronstadt that the German squadron was sighted in the Baltic sea near the Russian coast. The rumor attributes the appearance of the squadron to the preparatory flight of the Russian imperial family.

Agrarian and anti-Jewish offbreaks are reported to have occurred in the governments of Chernigoff, Terek, Kursk and Kasan.

TO CIRCLE WHOLE VALLEY.

Work on Electric Line Through Grande Ronde Is Now Under Way.

LA GRANDE, Or., Dec. 4 .- A gang of Japanese laborers left this morning for Union, to begin grading for the Central railroad, projected to circle Grand Ronde valley. A. B. Browne of ive conflict. Union, one of the promoters, has just returned from the east, where he was money in the La Grande banks for the

The proposed railway is to be an Hot Lake, La Grande, Summerville, Elgin and Cove, and thence back to Union. No arrangements have been made for power, but it is not thought likely that the company will build its own plant, as the amount of power used the first few years will not exceed 500 horse

The officers of the company are: President, Alonzo Cleaver, Union, Or .; Cleaver, Union; Charles F. Mitchell, New York; Charles E. Graham, New strain the rising flood temporarily, Haven; V. T. Hammer, Bradford, Conn.; would only increase the dissensions of D. R. Alling, New Haven; Thomas J. the cataclysm and when the dam goes Madden, New Haven; Robert A. Marr, it will sweep government and dynasty T. W. Davidson and Arthur Browne of

The building of the electric belt line means much towards the development or Grand Ronde valley. With conven-ient transportation facilities and highodwoloczyska, Galici. saying that a class service, the benefits will be great. thousand reservists have been released Unless present indications fail, work from service and are hungry and home- will be commenced immediately, and the less. They are parading the streets ask- road pushed to completion within a

EVADE PROCESS SERVERS.

The Postponement of Examination of Rockefeller, Rogers and Others Is Necessary.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4 .- Postportement of the examination of John D. Rockefeller, H. H. Rogers and other Standard Oil men in the matter of ousting the whereupon the trouble began. Five Standard Oil trust from Missouri has become necessary because of the failure to get service on Mr. Rockefeller and others.

pefore Frederick Sanborn, of this city. Postponement has been taken until Janthem off. Later in the Jewish quarter uary 4. Mr. Rogers was recently served three battle ships at an estimated cost the mutineers faced the infantry regi- with a subpoena, but it is said that servment, which fired two volleys, killing ice is void, and that he will have to be armament of eight 12-inch guns and 165 persons and wounding many. The served again. Among others for whom substantially the same tonnage as is process servers have been looking are Many Russian and Polish families, Henry M. Flagler, John D. Archibald, the dispatch says, ar fleeing from Wade Hampton, James A. Moffet and Walter Jennings.

BUSINESS AWAITS OFFICERS.

News of Eddy and Lawrence, appointment Glad Tidings for Roseburg.

ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 4 .- The reopening of the United States [and office] here on the appointment of B. L. Eddy register and James M. Lawrence receivby, now in charge, with several others, will be retained some time as assistants.

The resumption of work by the office will relieve a condition of affairs that ports from Libau saying several of the delay. The particular choice made is nobility, officials and other residents of by no means entirely satisfactory to is better than to have the offices remain

ANNOUNCES APPROVAL.

000,000 for Work on Umatilla

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 .- (Special.) Senator Fulton had a satisfactory inhe strike was an epidemic and was torview this morning with Secretary eyen now dying out, owing to the ex- Hitchcock, who announced his approvahaustion of the working classes. Lilt- of the Umatilla irrigation project and ski further declared the military mu- his intention of apportioning \$1,000,000 tinies had not been planned, but were for the work which he expects will be

> OCCUPIES ANOTHER ISLAND. LONDON, Dec. 4 .- A Vienna corre-

BATTLE SHIPS

SECRETARY BONAPARTE OF NAVY MAKES INTERESTING REPORT

LESSONS FROM EASTERN WARE

Qualities Universally Recognized Necessary to Strength in Actual Conflict.

Other Questions Discussed and Sugges tions Offered as to Requirements of Nation's Naval Equipment-Vessels Recommended to Be Constructed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 .- In his report, transmitted to congress to lay, Charles J. Bonaparte, secretary of the navy, discusses that branch of the government thoroughly, and among other things, says:

Within the past two years very impressive lessons to naval problems of the highest importance have been afforded by the bloody war in eastern Asia, now happily concluded. As to some conclusions to be drawn from this experience, we hay fairly say that everyone is agreed. Such are the paramount importance to a belligerent of tain two submarines or submersibles dominating. thorough preparation, drill, discipline, for the sake of experiment and by reatarget practice, and proximity to a well son of their comparatively small cost, and the bustle extended even to supplied base at the moment of decis- and the two river gunboats for the last floors of the chambers.

On other points professional opinion, at least, is practically unanimous. It suade the employes to leave work in conference with a number of capital- is universally recognized by those would lead to their arrest and a fine, ists. He has deposited large sums of qualified to speak that, morale and gunnery being equal, victory will usually fall to the heavier battery; that torpedo craft and mines have a real, alelectric line, beginning at Union and though a somewhat restricted, field of circling the valley. It will touch at usefulness in naval warfare, and that superior speed is of value in a fleet. not merely because it enables the commander to force or avoid battle, but because it is a source of strength in actual conflict.

On yet other questions, however, we can not say that any such unanimity exists. The recent war has taught us little, if anything, about the utility of submarines. It has caused, or at least vice-president, Charles F. Mitchell, New left, much difference of opinion as to York; treasurer, Charles E. Graham, the value of armored cruisers, and it New Haven, Conn.; secretary, Thomas has created a still more serious divergence of views respecting the best limit of size for the future battle saip. As a matter of fate, no battle ship of as much as 16,000 tons displacement was used by either belligerent, and while, on the other hand, at least one great power has determined upon the onstruction of an 18,000 ton battle ship and others are reported to have in contemplation vessels of from 20,000 to 22,000 tons, on the other, some author ties think these leviathans will prove ess formidable and more vulnerable than battle ships of 13,000 tons, such as our contemplated South Carolina and Michigan.

The department has been caused serous concern by the conflicting advice on the last mentioned question, tendered it by its authorized expert a.lvisers. The general board recommended some time since that the two last mentioned vessels be increased in displacement from 16,000 to 18,000 tons. The board on construction dissents from this recommendation. The general board has further recommended the authorization of three battle ships, to cost approximately \$8,250,000 each, and to be of such tonnage as will suffice to secure an armament of at least The hearing was to have begun today ten 12-inch guns. The board on construction dissents from this recommendation likewise, and advises instead of \$7,500,000 each, with an anticipated

contemplated for the South Carolina and Michigan. After very earefully weighing toese livergent views, I feel that it is not as yet sufficiently clear that the larger and more costly battle ships would have such increased efficiency in battle as to justify the certain addition to the public burdens involved in accepting the views of the general board. Unless, therefore, you or the congress snall lirect otherwise, I shall or ler the construction of the South Carolina and Michigan on the plans approved by London, Dec. 4.-A St. Petersburg er, announced Saturday, will be fol. the board on construction. With re spect to new ships to be authorized at the present session of the congress, it seems proper, owing to the high authority of both boards, to give their recommendations in more detail. That

of the general boar l as follows: Approximate unit cost. Total. battleships \$8,250,000 \$24,750,000 3 scout cruisers. . 2,000,000 6,000,000 4 destroyers 750,000 3,000,000 4 torpado boats ... 100,000 submarines 250,000 1,000,000 gunboat of Helens type 600,000 600,000 small gunboats. 25,000 50,000

river gunboats. 80,000 160,000

Approximate unit cost. 3 battleships\$7,500,000 \$22,500,000 scout cruisers .. 2,000,000 6,000,000 2 river gunboats. 100,000

It says further: "This board's failure to recommend destroyers, torpedo spondent to the Daily Telegraph says: boats, submarines and vessels of the The international fleet has occupied the Helena class is due to the necessity for Trouble in Ministry.

Paris, Dec. 4.—A St. Petersburg correspondent to the Journal says that demands of the powers.

Island of Lemnos (European Turkey).

Capacital description of the powers of the p

ment find it necessary to make still IS further reductions in the building program, it is recommended that such reduction be confined to scout cruisers and river gunboats, since the board is convinced that the primary and most important type of vessel for the navy is the battleship."

The department recommends the authorization of the following additions to the navy: battleships\$15,000,000 2 scout cruisers 4,000,000 DAY PASSES WITHOUT INCIDE 4 destroyers 3,000,000 500,000 submarines or submersibles gunboat of the Helena type

200,000

river gunboats

Total\$23,300,000 The same reasons which lead me to think it inexpedient to enlarge the dimensions of the South Carolina and Michigan lead me to advise that the battleships to be authorized be of the type recommended by the board on construction. Should professional opinion become substantially unanimous in advocating larger vessels before the construction of these ships is actually commenced, their plans can be, of course, remodeled.

It will be observed, however, that I have assumed the grave responsibility of overruling both boards with regard business outside the usual first to the number of battleships and that I have disregarded the advice of the board on construction to make all reductions which economy renders needful in other types. In my judgment the navy needs at least four destroyers, at least two more scouts, and at least display and the hundreds of visito one vessel of the Helena type. I re- with beautifully gowned women p reason and also for their ascertained

rest upon any civil officer who, in a der by Clerk/McDowell. The opening matter affecting the national defense, prayers were made by the chaplain disregards the judgment of those qual- Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hall in th ified to speak as the authorized represenate and Rev. H. N. Concen in f sentatives of expert opinion. I recog- house. nize and accept this responsibility In both the senate and the h within the limits above set forth. In committee were appointed to wait up view, however, of the large reduction the president and inform him that col made by the department in the esti- gress was in session. In the hou mates of both the general board and Clerk McDowell called the roll and the the board of construction, I trust that administration of the oath of o it may meet your views and that of the and the drawing of seats followed. I congress to authorize promptly the con- the senate resolutions of respect emnded, as well as the suggested new of Connecticut were adopted and th Constitution.

Program for Shipbuilding.

sion in the press and elsewhere as to interest, though its salient features are the advantages and disadvantages for already known to the members of e and as to the proper limits to be set | to the extension of our navy. To treat these questions fruitfully we must bear in mind that as applied to a navy the terms "large" and "small" can be only relative. A navy is an instrument pays particular attention to the subject of warfare, and it can be reasonably of railroad rate legislation and federal described as large or small only with reference to the strength of the enemy it may have to encounter,

that corresponding in the case of any lain, Rev. Henry N. Couden. one of the principal naval powers, sny, for illustration, of Great Britain or offices, such as chief clerk, superintend-France or Germany, we must reach the ent of the document room, disbursing

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FOR BUSINES

FIFTY-NINTH CONGRESS VENES AT WASHINGTON.

600,000 Senate Holds Brief Session and journs Out of Respect to Late Senator Platt.

> House Re-elects Joseph G. Can Speaker and Takes Other Steps Perfect Organization-Oregon Hor Members and One Senator Absent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 4 .- T fifty-ninth congress was opened to with brief session in both house senate. The presentation of the pr ident's message having been defer until tomorrow, there was practically routine. The time of both bodies devoted to the usual formalities opening day.

There was the usual exchange greetings among members, the introrooms and cloak rooms were thron

Senator Fairbanks called the senat to order on the stroke of 12 and simu A very serious responsibility must taneously the house was rapped to or

struction of the thirteen vessels recom- the memory of the late Senator Plat adjournment was in further tribute ! his memory.

There has been of late much discus-The president's message to be su dent Roosevelt has ever submitted t subjects, internal and external, supervision of corporations.

The rules of the last house adopted, and the present officers re-In fact, if we compar the ratio of tained. These officers are: Clerk, Alexour naval strength to our national area, ander McDowell; sergeant-at-arms, or to the extent of our coast line, or to Henry Casson; doorkeeper, F. B. Lyon; our commerce, or to our population with postmaster, Joseph C. McElroy; chap-There will be no changes in the mine

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