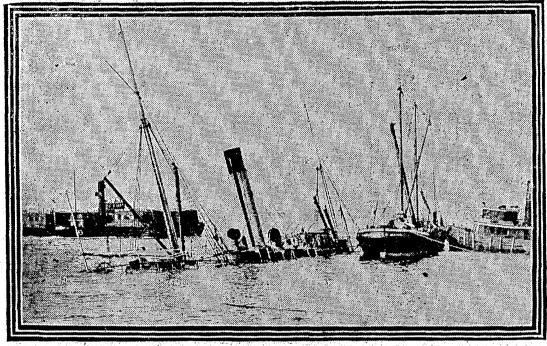
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T REOPENS CAR TICKET LITIGATION!

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LINER SUNK IN NEW YORK BY FREAK ACCIDENT 。嗚 骗 BOTTOM THROUGH SHAFT CRASHES DOWN HATCH

EXTRA



The liner Zulia, which sank in New York Bay Tuesday morning, was the victim of a peculiar accident that occurred when the vessel was only a short distance from a drydock to which she was being towed. A steel shaft eighteen feet long, weighing several tons, which was being loaded aboard the ship, broke through the wood case that enclosed it, fell on its end down the cargo hatch and tore a jagged hole in the ship's bottom. The vessel filled up and sank seven hours later, despite desperate efforts to keep her afloat. It will take more than \$100,000 to repair the damage. No lives were lost.

FARMER HOPES TO CUT **OUT MIDDLEMAN UNDER** PARCEL POST SYSTEM

Regulation: Allowing Fifty After Twelve Years Adminis. Pounds to Be Delivered for 55 Cents in Certain Zones, Meets With Approval.

BEGINNING January 1, 1914. The High Cost of Living will be forced to take a few reefs in the rubber bands that encircle its bank roll, for. bands that encircle its bank roll, for, on that date, a number of farmers will begin sending their products direct from the farm to the consumers, through the medium of the parcel post. Under a new ruling, which becomes effective on the first of the new year, parcels up to fifty pounds, will be delivered in certain zones for 55 cents. with this in view many farmers arranging to divide the middle-'s profits between the producer the consumer.

outlined and now being carried out by A. L. Brown, of Sherlock, who operates one of the largest dairy and poultry farms in Western Washington—2,500 acres, 800 of which are under cultivation. Brown already has arranged, to, market a large number of Christmas, turkeys and "other farm products through the parcel post. Under the present regulations these products can be delivered in Seattle and other, towns at a cost of 25 cents for twenty pounds.

"Under the present conditions," said Brown, "we have to deliver a lot of goods through the express companies. This is not satisfactory, for the reason that the goods are sent to a central express agency, and the consumer is notified to scall and get the package. The postoffice will make a delivery every morning."

Brown expects to make a specialty of week-end packages of mixed butter, eggs, poultry and pork products, each package weighing not less than ten.

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PRESIDENT KANE TOLD DUTIES WILL END ON FIRST DAY OF YEAR

tration Will Not Be Allowed to Finish Term as Active Head of University.

AFTER twelve years of administration as head of the University of Washington. President Thomas Franklin Kane will not be permitted to complete the present school year as active executive of the institution. His refusal to render to the Board of Regents his resignation and his further statement which the board asserts contains "an, enter misapprehension" of the teasons actuating their request led to the board asserts convolute and anounts to an almost immediate severence of his official connection which amounts to an almost immediate severence of his official connection which he still will be nominal head occupying the president's residuale on the campus and receiving the supplanted by an acting head, who will be supplanted by an acting head, who will direct the policies of the institution from January I, 1914, until August I. 1914 when President Kane's term will expire, his successor will be installed, and the removal order of the rements

1914, when President Kane's term will expire, his successor will be installed, and the removal order of the regents will become effective.

President Kane himself will be considered as absent on leave after January I. During the nineteen days intervening between the present date and that time he will continue as head of the university, and after his forced retirement the regents will be glad to accept, whatever advice he chooses to render to the acting head of the institution.

The summary action of the regents

tution.

The summary action of the regents was not taken, it was asserted, until President Kane had refused to reconsider his determination not to accede to the demands of the regents. At a late hour yesterday afternoon the board concluded its long session with him, and official announcement was made as follows:

as follows:

"Your action in refusing to tender your resignation and in assigning for (Continued on Page Two.)

WEATHER

IN EAST WATERWAY

By PAUL C. HEDRICK.

PURCHASE of approximately 5,000
feet of waterfront on the west side
of the East Waterway from the Harriman railroad interests for 500,000 cash;
or approximately that sum; the erection of the largest grain elevator in
the North Pacific Coast with a capacity of 500,000 bushels of wheat, to be
used by Balfour, Guthrie & Company
and the erection of a mammoth pler
and warehouse for the Harriman line,
on the east side of the East Waterway,
are the main elements in the new plans
of the Port of Seattle, which will be
consummated soon after January 1next.

interest at 4½ per cent and the reminder will bear interest at 5 per cent and the reminder will bear interest at 5 per cent.

Of the main elements in the commission's plans, as described, that relating to the establishment of the firm of Baifour, Guthrie & Co., of which Alexander Baillie is resident partner, is probably the most important. The firm is one of the largest exporting concerns in the whole world and is backed by enormous capital. Its leases in Tacoma, where it has made its North Coast headquarters for many years, will expire within a year or so, and the plan has long been considered of establishing permanently the Balfour, Guthrie & Co. headquarters and chief exporting and importing point on the Pacific Coast in Seattle.

This is precisely what will result from the deal now about to be closed with the Port Commission. The 1100-100t dock to be constructed on block 375, Seattle Tide Lands, formerly owned by J. T. Heffernan, will be for the use of the Harrison line of steamships, for which Balfour, Guthrie & Company are agents. The 500,000 bushel wheat elevator will suffice for the Puget Sound needs of Balfour, Guthrie & Company for some years. The land on the east side of the East Waterway to be sold to the commission soon after the first of the year by the Harriman Interests, locally known as the Oregon-Washington Rallroad & Navigation Company, consists of the following blocks of tide lands, purchased by the Harriman system several years ago for \$1,100,000.

Blocks 323, 334, 395 and 396, with the exception of probably 800 feet at the south end of the waterway. This 800-foot strip may be purchased by the Standard Oil Company as a site for new works including a distributing, plant planned for the future.

LIFE SENTENCE FOR SLAYER

LIFE SENTENCE FOR SLAYER SAN FRANCISCO, Saturday, Dec. 13.

Arthur R. Coulson, a poultry and food merchant, found guilty of the murder of George Kovack, night watchman of a garage, on September 19 last, was sentenced today to life imprisonment in San Quentin penitentiary.

Purchase of 5,000 Feet of Waterfront, Erection of Eleva-

PORT DEALS INCLUDE

VAST IMPROVEMENTS

tor and Mammoth Pier, Soon to Be Realized.

and it is the policy of the commission to make possible its use by Balfour. Guthrle & Company, Kerr, Gifford & Company and all others, including the wheat raisers of Eastern Washington, as is the policy in Montreal.

The commission has proceeded far enough with negotiations for the sale of bonds amounting to \$1,400,000 to lead to the confident prediction that the gigantic undertakings outlined in the foregoing will be carried out. The commission expects to be able to realize approximately \$900,000 by January 15 next from the newly projected sale of these securities. Of the projected issues of bonds aggregating \$1,400,000, which will be offered soon after January 1 next, \$600,000 will bear interest at 4½ per cent and the remainder will bear interest at 5 per cent.

Mayor-Elect Mitchel and Wife on Return

SEATTLE, WASH., SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 13, 1913.

Judge Mitchell of Thurston County Court Holds Up Enforcement of Public Service Commission Ruling.

GRANTED IN STREET

CAR TICKET CASE

WRIT OF REVIEW IS

COMPANY ARGUES THAT CONTRACT IS VIOLATED

Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company Ask Ex-tension of Time in Putting New Rates Into Effect.

SALEM DECLARED WET BY CIRCUIT COURT

Ruling of Judge Galloway.

PORTLAND, Ore., Saturday, Dec. 13.

—Judge Galloway in the circuit court at Salem today pronounced invalid the local option election in Salem on November 4, by which that city went that the city when and the city electrons November 4, by which that city went into the dry column, and the city election of December 1, by which an amendment to the city charter was adopted prohibiting the issuance of saloon licenses, and the capital city of Oregon again reverts to the wet column, as he issued a permanent injunction restraining, the officials from enforcing the two laws passed against the saloons.

As a result of this decision, if uphald by the supreme court on appeal, almost all the cities voting dry at the November election, will return to the wet column.

MRS. PANKHURST IS REARRESTED ON TRAIN

the wet column.

Militant Leader Returns to England From France and Is Taken Into Custody.

LONDON, Saturday, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the militant suffragette leader, was rearrested today on the train on which she was raveling from Dover to London. She returned to England from France this morning after a stay of several days in Paris with Miss Christabel Pankhurst, her daughter, who accompanied her to Calais,

HUDSON BAY TERMINAL TOWN SWEPT BY FIRE

Entire Block of Le Pas Is Burned; Loss Estimated at \$175,000.

LE PAS, Man., Saturday, Dec. 12.— Le Pas, the new Hudson Bay Railway terminal town on the Saskatchewan River, was fire-swept this morning. An entire block of buildings and sev-eral others in adjoining blocks were burned. The loss is estimated at \$175,-000.

Bank Clearings

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Spokane. \$ 737,757.00 83,069.00 Tacoma. \$ 401,643.00 59,806.00

From Trip to Panama and West Indies



After vainly attempting to have Colonel Goethals accept the posi-police commissioner of New York City, Mayor-elect John Purroy, has returned from a trip to Panama and the West Indies. He was panied by Mrs. Mitchel on the trip. Mr. Mitchel stated that he wo give out his decision on any of his appointments until December.

AMERICANS FORCED TO WARSHIPS AT TAMPICO

Rear Admiral Fletcher Transfers 500 to Dreadnoughts When Fighting in City Becomes of Serious Nature.

WASHINGTON, Saturday, Dec. 13.—
Rear Admiral Fletcher cabled from Tampico, under date of 1 a. m. today that at 4 p. m. yesterday he ordered all Americans out of the city and that before midnight he had transferred about 500, who were aboard the Wheeling and Tacoma, to the battleships Virginia, Rhode Island and New Jersey, outside.

The admiral reported that all foreign women and children were out of the city at 1 o'clock this morning, but that some men preferred to remain. He also stated that the situation was "getting worse" and that skirmishing continued with the Mexican gunboat Bravo shelling the position of the constitutionalists.

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with the Mexican gunboat Bravo shelling the position of the constitutionalists.

Admiral Fletcher asked the navy department to make public announcement that all foreigners were safe and that it was impossible to send personal messages to all who have relatives on the ships. The navy department has engaged the Ward liner Morro Castle. The navy department later issued this statement:

"Acablegram has been received from Rear Admiral Fletcher, sent from Tampico, Mexico, 2 p.m. Friday, which conveys the information that there has been no cessation of fighting, but that the fighting is not serious.

"Aguillar was reported to have just arrived with 3,000 men and taken a position on the right bank of the river. He said the Mexican gunboats Vera Cruz and Progreso were en route to Tampico.

"Admiral Fletcher has received information that both federals and constitutionalists have shot or hanged all prisoners taken, numbering about sixty-five. Three of these men were hanged in the forenoon from within the defeatal lines in full view of the shipping and city.

"The army transport Sumner leaves Galveston today for Tampico. Arrangements have been made to care for all Americans at Tampico. They number about 500."

ASSAULT ON MONTEREY MOMENTARILY EXPECTED

VERA CRUZ, Saturday, Dec. 13.— There is every indication that the city of Monterey may be attacked by the (Continued on Page Two.)

CITY CAN NOT SHIELD MISTAKE OF THOMSON

WITH TECHNICALITIES

Judge King Dykeman Overrules Counsel for Seattle in Suit | ROOT PRESIDENTIAL BOOM Municipality.

> JUDGE KING DYKEMAN, in the superior court yesterday afternoom, declined to let the city hide behind a technicality in an effort to escape paying for alleged engineering mistakes of R. H. Thomson. He denied a motion to dismiss J. M. Jorguson's action for \$17,020 against the municipality resulting from the slide of last winter in the Tenth Avenue South district, Nonsuit was asked by Howard M. Findley, assistant corporation counsel, on the ground that the Jorguson claim was not filed on the same date it was sworn to. In violation of the statute.
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> Jorguson's claim, which is but one of thirty filed against the city from the destructive fall of earth in this district, all of which total more than \$250,000, was sworn to February 12, 1913, but was not filed with the city cierk until three dayes, later. The claimant lived at 937 Twelfth Avenue South when the claim was sworn to and filed, and resides at that address still.
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> Findley's contention came as a sur-TUDGE KING DYKEMAN, in the su-

> claimant lived at 337 Twelfth Avenue South when the claim was sworn to and filed, and resides at that address still.
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> Findley's contention came as a surprise. Counsel for the city, at some length, urged a strict interpretation of the code. This is to the effect that the claimant, in bringing suit for damages against the city, must give his residence, by street and number, for a year past on the date the claim is sworn to and filed. If rigidly ensured the law would compet the claim and to swear to and file the claim on the same day.
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> Howard to the law would compet the claim on the same day.
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> Howard to this regard would, in numerous instances, prove to be a physical impossibility. He cited a case of where illness and distance from the point of files and distance from the point of files and distance from the chance of meeting the requirement. He also asked the cour to consider the fact that there haintiff to go outside the court of the city was no evidence, Hughes argued that Jorgon this statute provision. The claim and made no change of residence, he asserted.
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> The court held that the motion of the city was too technical, depled it and ordered that the jury, which had been excluded during the two hours consumed in arguing this point, he returned to the court room Judge Dykeman said from the bench that the case (Continued on Pago Two.)

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JOHNSON LEADER IN ACRIMONIOUS DEBATE ON EXCLUSION BILL

Price 1c. On News Stands, Boats, Trains, Sc.

Backed by Californians, He Seeks to Have House Commission on Immigration Vote to Bar Asiatics.

CONFUSION FEATURES . HEATED DISCUSSION

By Close Ballot, After Repeated Attempts to Get Favorable Action Question Is Temporarily Deferred.

WASHINGTON, Saturday, Dec. 12—
Representatives Raker and
Hayes of California and Johnson of
Washington today sought to have the
House immigration committee incorporate in the pending immigration bill
an amendment for the exclusion of
"Asiatics," including Hindu and
Japanese.
The fight in the committee was
acrimonius, and confusion in the discussion was so marked that it was reported an amendment for Asiatic exclusion had been carried.

By a close vote, however, after repeated attempts, the question of including an inhibition against Asiatic
was deferred until later in the day,
with the California, and Washington
members of the committee insisting
on exclusion.

THROWN FROM WINDOW AFTER FAMILY QUARREL

Pitched Him to Earth.

SAN FRANCISCO, Saturday, Dec. 12.

—As the climax of a long and bitter family quarrel, William Rein, a machinist, aged 19, was thrown today from the second story of a lodging, house and his skull was fractured on the pavement below. In an ante-mortem statement-he accused six persons who were in the house at the time, including James. Trecanis, proprietor of the house, and Belle, his wife. Trecanis and John Apospolou, Reinsald, pickell him up and threw him from a window after Apospolou had knocked him down. The accused persons were arrested. sons were arrested.

of J. M. Jorguson Against LAUNCHED BY GALLINGER

New Hampshire Member Lauds New Yorker an One of Country's Ablest Exponents of Sound Economics.

A Root presidential boom was launched todey, just after the New York senator had concluded an address on the currency, by Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire.

In a statement lauding Mr. Root as the ablest advocate of sound economic and financial doctrines in this country. Senator Gallinger said.

"Unless the Republican party nominates Senaton Root as its candidate for the presidency, it will miss the greatest opportunity that has ever presented itself to that party.



"Any man can earn," says Bill J. B., 30,000 a year, eas-i-lee. All of which surely cheers me, But what really queers me. Is he didn't give his rec-i-pee.

PROF KID'S SCHOOL OF EURYTHMICS



Cloudy tonight and Sunday, probably rain; moderate southerly winds.

Temperature at I P. M. Today, 50

Temperature during last twenty-four hours: Maximum, 55; minimum, 47.













