# **GIGANTIC** S. S. MERGER

Backed by Jim Hill for Ten Millions.

Will Operate Six Boats Between Puget Sound Points and Lynn Canal. &

Vancouver, Aug. 23.—The Great Northern is said to be behind the ten million dollars steamship merger of the Pacific Coast. All lines outside of those sailing from Vancouver to Alaska and the Orient and those from San Francisco to the Orient are said to be in the merger. The Northern Steamship Company is the name of the new concern. It will have a line of half a dozen vessels from the Sound to Lynn Canal ports.

Fatal Explosion

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Wilmington, De.f. Aug. 22.—Twelve are known to be dead, three are fatally injured and three missing, the bodies presumably in the ruins of the wrecked buildings, the result of an explosion at the Delaware Pulp Works of the Jessup & Moore Paper

Order Rescinded

Washington, Aug. 23.-The order was rescinded for permitting the landing of the Chinese seamen brought by the steamer Gaelic to San Francisco for the steamer Korea. The secretary of the treasury has ordered a full inquiry in the case.

Admiral Retires

pecial to the Daily Nugget. Berlin, Aug. 23.—Admiral Von Diedrichs, chief of the staff of the German navy has been succeeded by Vice-Admiral Buechsel. Von Dieing Dewey's busy day.

Situation Improving

pecial to the Daily Nugget Washington, Aug. 231-An intimawarships from Venezuelan waters, is morning. Domestic troubles. taken to mean that the situation in Venezuela is much improved.

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# The Ladue Quartz Mill

IS NOW IN OPERATION.

We have made a large number of tests and are ! ready to make others.

We have the best plant ! money will buy and guar- toilet soap, took a bath and won his antee all our work in this bride. mill and also in the

Assay Office

THE RELATIVE POSITION OF THE OPPOSITION CANDIDATES AT THE HOUR OF GOING TO PRESS.

# New Minister

drichs is the officer who commanded ceeds Jule Cambon as ambassador to the German ships in Manila Bay dur- Washington, Cambon going to Mad-

# Did He Better It?

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—Charles A tion from Minister Boyen, at Car- Johnson, professional pugilist and

# **Bodies Coming Home**

need to the Daily Nugget.

New York, Aug. 23.—The bodies of Chas. Fair and wife are coming home from Cherbourg by the American liner St. Paul, sailing today.

Memorial Fund

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Ottawa, Aug. 23.—The Canadian
South African memorial fund totals

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# A Wife for 75c.

ound rediculous but it is a fact just the same. Two lovers were after the same girl, and as far as she was concerned there was no difference, both were good, healthy specimens of humanity. But one of them was 'next' and went to Cribbs, the druggist, and got some up-to-date crushed

Moral: See Cribbs, the druggist,a full line of Toilet Soaps at virtually outside prices.

CRIBBS, The Druggist King St., next to Post Office.

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Medium sized glass stand lamps, complete. . . \$ .75

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globes and shades in newest shapes and de-

# BELIEVED TO BE MURDERER

Peter Fournier Arrested Yesterday on Well ent allies Founded Suspicion of Having, With His Partner, La Belle, Murdered Leon Bouthilette, Guy Joseph Beaudoin and Another Man While all Five Were Traveling to Dawson.

Although the news was religiously guarded for the government paper, the arrest of one of the men supposed to have been connected with the mur-

have since been found in the Yukon 1901. river and that they were the victims of brutal murder is attested by the fact that they were perforated of Peter Fournier yesterday is due to

\$400 in notes of the Bank of Quebec, that recent murder had been commit-Those who know the prisoner never ted in the territory. knew him to be possessed of so much money before. Within the past few weeks he is said to have had two \$100 bills changed in Dawson sa-

Yukon murder, as it is known that
La Belle was one of the five men who
Left Whitehave and he and Formior

For Pelly River. left Whitehorse and he and Fournier are the only two of the five that to sail for Pelly river tonight at 8

Peter Fournier was arraigned be-

der of Leon Bouthillette and Guy this morning, when he will again be Joseph Beaudoin, was effected about up, either for preliminary hearing or noon yesterday on Queen street near further remand, possibly the latter, were drowned here yeste day as it will take the crown some time The man arrested is Peter Fourni-to get its evidence in shape. The er, alleged to be one of the five men case bids fair to excel the famous who left Whitehorse in a small boat O'Brien murders for which crime the on June 16th, of which party the perpetrator died on the gallows one ques Tissot, artist and Bible illusbodies of the two above mentioned year ago this morning, August 23rd, trator, is dead.

It said that credit for the clever work which culminated in the arrest itt's new fall goods. with bullets and their schulls were Sergeant Frank F. Smith, Corporal John S. Piper and the others at the Immediately after his arrest yes- town station, all of whom have been terday Fournier was taken to the quietly but persistently working on barracks where a search revealed the case ever since it was known

One Year Ago Today.

the death of George O'Brien who Fournier has a partner named La murdered Clayson, Relie and Olsen Belle on whose trail the police are near Minto on the Yukon on Christmas, 1899. If the police are not arrest will take place at any momistaken in Peter Fournier the Dawment, and when he is in custody the son jail just lacked one night of be-police are confident that they will ing a year without containing the have the perpetrators of the last perpetrator of a particularly cold-

have since been seen alive, the general opinion being that the Yukon yet contains the body of their third vet contains the body of their third like the sail for Peny IIVel to sail for

fore Magistrate Wroughton shortly We can do your repairing on short before twelve o'clock this morning notice. Geo. Brewitt, the tailor, when the charge of murder in the Second avenue.

# **TEAR OUT** THE SIDE

Jane Woolsey Can Not Enter Court House.

Must be Tried Under Heaven's Broad Canopy for Making \* Moonshine Whisky.

special to the Daily Nugget. Washington, Aug. 23. - Because Jane Woolsey, a prisoner for making moonshine whiskey, is too fat to get through the court room door at Owensboro, Ky., an application has been made at Washington for permission to hold the U.S. court out of doors. She is five feet five in height and weighs four hundred and thirty pounds.

#### Crocker to Be Fired

Special to the Daily Nugget. New York, Aug. 23.—Edward Croker, nephew of Richard Croker, ex-King Tammany, is under suspension from chiefship of the New York fire department and will probably be dismissed from service next week.

#### Island Devastated

Special to the Daily Nugget New York, Aug. 23.-The Japanese Island of Torishama has been overwhelmed by a volcanic eruption and all the inhabitants, numbering 150, perished. The eruption continued at last accounts.

#### Too Late for Her

Special to the Daily Nugget. Seattle, Aug. 23.—Helen Wagner who died in the Seattle jail of grief and worry during imprisonment for theft, has been fully proven innocent of the charge of which she was convicted.

# Hackman Shot.

hurling beehives into the ranks of Special to the Daily Nugget. Seattle, Aug. 23.-Robt. Vanderpool, a hackman, was mortally wounded by Lulu Hamilton shooting him through a closed door while he was intoxicated.

# Family Reunion

Special to the Daily Nugget. Chicago, Aug. 23.—The Pullman family has just held its annual re-union at Castle Rest, where Geo. M. Pullman entertained Gen. Grant in Special to the Daily Nugget.
San Francisco, Aug. 23.—A legal fight for Charles Fairs' millions has begun before the flowers on his bier

# More Oregon Outlaws

pecial to the Daily Nugget. Pendleton, Or. Aug. 23.-Unknown outlaws held up Hezekiah Keys' sa-loon at this place and shot Deputy Sheriff Ritchie, who gave pursuit. Seattle, Aug. 23.-J. H. Newton

# **Actress Dead**

Special to the Daily Nugget.

London, Aug. 23.—Bessie Bonehill, a vaudeville favorite, is dead at Portsmouth, England.

Nearing the End.

Special to the Daily Sugget.
San Francisco, Aug. 23.—Caleb White, famous in California history, is near his death.

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3	Waiters' Aprons		\$ .25
1	Celluloid Collars		.25
1	Boys' Overalls		.75
3	Painters' Overalls		1.00
3	Painters' Blouses	•	1.00
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HALF PRICE SALE ON SLATER SHOES CONTINUES.

Sargent & Pinska,

2nd Avenue

Efficient Allies

Paris, Aug. 23. - Sympathizers with evicted sisters in France are

the soldiers, finding bées very effici-

Japs Protest

Ottawa, Aug. 23.—Japan has en-

tered a protest against discrimina-

Fair's Millions

Drowned at Seattle

Artist De

For suits and trousers see Brew-

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and wife, San Francisc

Special to the Daily Nu

New York, Aug

The protest will be disallowed.

British Columbia

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