

## TO REPEAL TIMBER AND STONE ACT.

Bill Introduced by Senator Hansbrough Intended to Stop Land Speculation Frauds.

## INAUGURATES A NEW POLICY.

Government Will Dispose of Timber at Its Market Value—Provides for Reforestation.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Senator Hansbrough introduced a bill in the senate which, by implication, repeals the timber and stone act, under which land is now acquired at \$2.50 an acre regardless of its real value. The measure is intended to cure defects in existing laws, check speculation in public timber lands and put an end to the frauds which recently have grown into a national scandal. It was referred to the committee on public lands, of which the author is the chairman.

The secretary of the interior is authorized under the new bill to make examinations and estimates relative to the quantity and value of the timber and stone on the public lands and to sell the right to dispose of the same in such quantities as may seem advisable to the highest bidder. This plan is now pursued in the sale of timber on Indian lands in Minnesota. The title to land remains in the government and the secretary of the interior may fix the limit of time in which the purchaser of the right shall remove the timber or stone. The right to cut the timber and make it a merchantable quality is made inalienable.

If Senator Hansbrough's measure becomes a law all the timber land on the public domain will be withdrawn from entry and the government will enter upon the policy of disposing of its timber at its market value. One provision in the bill prohibits the entry of these lands under the homestead or old land laws. It is argued by Senator Hansbrough that in leaving the fee to the land in the government reforestation will take place and the sale of timber will be a source of large revenue.

The second section of the bill amends the land act so as to provide that a settler whose entry falls within a forest reserve selects another piece of land in lieu of his original entry. It must be more valuable for agricultural purposes than for timber or stone. Under the existing law many of the entries were made by men who had no intention of settling on the land and later go outside of the reserve and file a homestead on other timber land.

The third section of the bill amends the act of March 11, 1901, and requires all proofs of commuted homestead and desert land entries to be made before registrars and receivers in local land offices. This proposed amendment to the existing law is recommended by the commissioner of the general land office, who, in his last report, said that the "privileges granted by the act have been greatly abused, particularly by United States commissioners who have often been parties to wholesale frauds in connection with proofs made before them."

## CARNEGIE'S AMBITION.

To Make New York One of Great Engineering Centers of the World

New York, Nov. 12.—Andrew Carnegie's plan to make New York one of the great engineering centers of the world and to give to all branches of the profession a large building for general club purposes is reported to be fast approaching realization. The proposed building will cost one million dollars. The plans now under consideration contemplate two ten-story buildings, one for the Engineers' club in West Forty-fourth street, near Fifth avenue, and the other as the home of the four national societies of the engineering profession in West Thirty-ninth street. Here will be housed the technical libraries of these organizations and here their members will meet for the business and professional details that pertain to each.

Mr. Carnegie's offer to the engineers was made at a dinner given to six men representing the organizations on last Valentine day. Those in charge of the preliminary work expect to announce before the end of the present year the formal acceptance of Mr. Carnegie's proposition and to begin at once the work of construction.

## Chicago Passenger Traffic.

Chicago, Nov. 12.—Transportation lines on the South side, which now daily carry 18,000 passengers, in their suburban service, reported last night that 316,000 passengers could be handled without overcrowding the capacity of the roads. Many extra trains will be run on the railroad if the tie-up caused by the strike of the employees of the Chicago City Railroad company should be complete. The elevated road will run on its average of one car every twelve seconds if there should be demand for such a service.

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street west of State would be most inconvenient by the tie-up. Kenwood, Hyde Park, Madison Park, Woodlawn, Englewood and the neighborhood in the vicinity of the stock yards would be well provided with elevated and steam trains. Passengers from south of Sixty-third street would not be delayed on account of the strike because the majority do not ride on the surface lines. Those who wish to cross the city from the east and west would be compelled to come to the city for a connecting line. With the exception of that on Twenty-second street, the cross town lines would be stopped.

## Machine Tool Officers.

New York, Nov. 12.—At the annual convention in session here of the National Machine Tool Builders' association the following officers were elected: President, William Lodge; first vice president, W. P. Davis, Rochester, N. Y.; second vice president, F. E. Reed, Worcester, Mass.; secretary, P. E. Montanus, Springfield, Ohio.

## Sheriff Will Get Nelson.

San Francisco, Nov. 12.—Gov. Pardee has issued a warrant of rendition against David C. Nelson, the man who has been under arrest here for several days upon the charge of being accessory to a murder committed by his brother in Coffeyville, Kan.

The sheriff of Montgomery county, Kan., arrived in Sacramento with requisition papers and immediately applied to the governor for a warrant authorizing him to take Nelson back to Kansas.

## James R. McNeil Arrested.

New York, Nov. 12.—After being sought all over the United States for more than a year, James R. McNeil, who is wanted in Alabama for alleged violation of the lottery laws, has been arrested in Brooklyn, where he has lived during the past eight months.

## Frederick J. Haas Dead.

New York, Nov. 12.—Frederick J. Haas, who has claimed to be the first brewer of lager beer in America, is dead at his home in Trenton, N. J. He came from Germany in 1845 in company with the late General Franz Siegel.

## Wants to be Reimbursed.

New York, Nov. 12.—Efforts of the city of New York, made annually for nearly 20 years to have the United States government reimburse it for money expended "in defense of the national union" during the Civil war, will be renewed during the present session of Congress, when a petition will be again presented asking the national body to reimburse the city in the sum of \$1,000,000 expended by it in arming and equipping troops to the number of almost fifty regiments.

## Construction Company Stops Work.

New York, Nov. 12.—Work on buildings in course of construction by the Fuller Construction company in this city has been stopped abruptly by a strike of union bricklayers. Pending adjustment of the difficulty, all work of the companies is at a standstill, and nearly 1,000 men are idle. The men assert that the company has subtle some work to a contract which it declared "unfair." The officials say they will make no effort to employ non-union men.

## Gave Her Life for Her Children.

New York, Nov. 12.—Mrs. Mary Workheiser of Brooklyn has sacrificed her own life, saving her three young daughters from burning to death. An exploding can of naphtha set fire to the clothing of Mrs. Workheiser and her six-year-old child. The mother, regardless of the pain she was suffering, beat out the flames on the child's clothing and drove all three of the girls into the street. Then she followed ablaze from head to feet. Neighbors ran to the scene and quickly wrapped quilts about her, but she died a few hours later.

## Guarding Negro from Lynchers.

New York, Nov. 12.—Edward Green, a New York native, is guarding a Negro in special guard in the Bronxville jail owing to fear that he will fall prey to lynchers. He is charged with having attacked the Negro in Mount Vernon, and his children's children have taught grandpa that CASCARETS Candy Cathartic is the only perfect medicine for all bowel troubles, children's diseases, diseases of the stomach and liver, sick headaches, biliousness, and bad blood. Best for the bowels. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped O. C. Sample and booklet free.

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## THE LATEST PORTRAIT OF JACQUES LEBAUDY, WHO IS CALLED "JACQUES I., EMPEROR OF SAHARA."



Although a great deal has been heard lately concerning Jacques Lebaudy, the "emperor of Sahara," there are very few pictures of him extant. The accompanying illustration, made from a snap shot, gives an excellent idea of the features of the irrepressible Frenchman who is trying to upbuild an empire in the great African desert. Emperor Jacques has been busily engaged for the past few weeks in buying supplies for his subjects and equipment for his kingdom.

## SPORTING NOTES.

Word comes from Cincinnati to the effect that Jonathan of the Salt Lake team has been given to St. Louis of the National League. Bridge was claimed by the Chicago American league team.

Over Lawson, Floyd McFarland, Harry Downing and Billy Davies have arrived safe and sound in Australia and have begun racing at Sydney. Harry Downing entered the handicap race the day after his arrival and had but little trouble in winning his heat. Pedlar Palmer and Plunger Bill Martin are riding and appear to be in good form.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 11.—The Wichita track over which Cereus trotted in 1898, Oct. 19, was remeasured this afternoon and found to be two feet over a mile in length. The remeasurement was demanded by the American Register association and will be submitted as evidence in favor of Cereus when the case comes up before the board of appeals.

Yale is already hailed as 1903 champion of the eastern gridiron. The following statistics show the strength of the team: Average weight of the team, 1902, 1903.

Average weight of line, 292 pounds. Average weight of backs, 185 pounds.

Tonight the wedding of Miss Jane Cyrene Beattie and Rufus K. Cobb will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Beattie.

Mrs. F. S. Richards entertained the members of the Utah State Council of Women this afternoon at her home in honor of the birthday anniversary of Elizabeth Cady Stanton.

The Daughters of the American Revolution were entertained today at the home of Mrs. La Motte.

Mrs. Frank D. Kimball has returned from Boston, where she has been visiting for the past few weeks.

This afternoon Mrs. P. S. Keogh entertained at a delightful tea in honor of Miss Lavell, who is the guest of Mrs. A. H. Tarbet. The rooms were beautifully decorated and a large number were present to enjoy the event.

Mr. and Mrs. George Odell gave a family dinner party last night in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter Jean.

Mrs. J. F. Grant is in Ogden, visiting Mrs. J. F. Grant, Jr.

Mrs. Robert Glendinning was hostess at an enjoyable Kensington this afternoon.

Col. and Mrs. E. F. Holmes will arrive home next Monday from their extended trip.

Mr. and Mrs. William Armstrong will shortly be at home to their friends at their new residence, 140 B street.

## HISTORIC LETTER OF GEN. GRANT.

One Accepting Nomination and Ending, "Let Us Have Peace," Found by Scavenger.

## WAS ADDRESSED TO J. R. HAWLEY

After He Went to Washington as Senator It Disappeared and Was Believed to Have Been Stolen.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 12.—The historic letter of Gen. Grant accepting the nomination to the presidency and ending with "let us have peace," has been found among some waste paper here by a scavenger.

The letter was addressed to Gen. Joseph R. Hawley, president of the National Union\*Republican committee. After Gen. Hawley went to Washington as senator, the letter disappeared, and was believed to have been lost.

Workmen taking waste paper from the cellar of the Courant building to send to the ragman, tossed out a bulky envelope, which was picked up by the man in charge and taken to the office. It proved to be the long lost epistle, the last paragraph of which reads:

"Peace and universal prosperity, its consequence, with economy of administration, will lighten the burden of taxation, while it constantly reduces the national debt. Let us have peace."

The letter is dated May 29, 1868.

## RHEUMATISM NOT A SKIN DISEASE.

It is natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when rheumatic pains are shooting through the joints and muscles and they are inflamed and sore, the sufferer is apt to turn to liniments and plasters for relief; and while such treatment may quiet the pain temporarily, no amount of rubbing or blistering can cure Rheumatism, because it is not a skin disease, but is in the blood and all through the system, and every time you are exposed to the same conditions that caused the first attack, you are going to have another, and Rheumatism will last just as long as the poison is in the blood, no matter what you apply externally. Too much acid in the blood is one cause of Rheumatism; stomach troubles, bad digestion, weak kidneys and torpid liver are other causes which bring on this painful disease, because the blood becomes tainted with the poisonous matter which these organs fail to carry out of the system. Certain secret diseases will produce Rheumatism, and of all forms this is the most stubborn and severe, for it seems to affect every bone and muscle in the body. The blood is the medium by which the poisons and acids are carried through the system, and it doesn't matter what kind of Rheumatism you have, it must be treated through the blood, or you can never get permanently rid of it. As a cure for rheumatic troubles S. S. S. has never been equalled. It doesn't inflame the stomach and ruin the digestion like Potash, Alkalies and other strong drugs, but tones up the general health, gently stimulates the sluggish organs, and at the same time antiseptics and filters out of the blood all poisonous acids and effete matter of every kind; and when S. S. S. has restored the blood to its natural condition, the painful, feverish joints and the sore and tender muscles are immediately relieved.

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