

NOW ISAAC RICE MAKES A CHARGE

He Says Submarine Boat Scandal Was Started by His Rivals.

A WOMAN IN THE CASE.

Mr. Lilley Would Have It Appear That She Was Employed to Win Senatorial Influence With Wiles.

Washington, March 31.—The investigation of the charges made by Representative Lilley against the methods pursued by the Electric Boat company in securing legislation, was resumed by the special commission of the house today. Isaac L. Rice, president of that company, pronounced as "a malicious lie" the statement of Representative Lilley that "the Electric Boat company had made continued and repeated efforts to influence the action of the navy department."

Isaac L. Rice, president of the Electric Boat company, was the only witness at the afternoon session. Mr. Lilley read the charge made by him, that the "continued and repeated efforts made by representatives of the Electric Boat company to influence the action of the navy department, and such efforts in the past were so persistent and notorious as to call forth the condemnation and criticisms of high officials of the navy department."

A MALICIOUS LIE.

"The only influence we have used with the navy department," replied Mr. Rice, "is to build the boat. The rest of the story is a malicious lie."

Regarding the charge that the Electric Boat company has suppressed competition, Mr. Rice said that is "a utterly absurd" and "like ravings." He denounced the charge that the company has subsidized newspapers as the purest invention.

Mr. Rice denied that the company had made any contributions to the campaign fund of any members of Congress or had helped to defeat any member which did not favor submarine legislation. He claimed that the reports derogatory to the Electric Boat company were being circulated by members of the Lake Boat company, and while he absolved Mr. Lilley from any ulterior motive in bringing these charges, he maintained that he had gotten his information from the Lake people.

RICE WAS APPROACHED.

Mr. Rice claimed that he had been approached on four occasions by representatives of the Lake company with propositions to buy out that company or to merge the two companies and form a new one. The representatives of the Lake company, who, he said, approached him, were U. G. Brown and Charles R. Flint, both of New York. Mr. Rice said that he declined all the propositions.

Mr. Rice testified that he was given to understand by Mr. Brown that these proposals were made contingent to the present investigation being stopped; that it could be stopped if the consolidation were effected.

"He said through United States Senator Bulkeley of Connecticut," replied Mr. Rice.

WOMAN IN THE CASE.

Mr. Lilley, through the committee, submitted a list of 204 questions to Mr. Rice dealing largely with the technical details of the boats, which foreign stockholders in the Electric company, amounts paid different attorneys of the company, etc. Mr. Rice declined to answer the questions regarding foreign stockholders and fees paid to attorneys, although he said he would give this information to the committee for its secret perusal. His failure to answer these questions will be considered by the committee at a later date.

Among the questions prepared by Mr. Lilley and propounded to Mr. Rice were a number relating to the alleged employment of a woman by the Electric Boat company, who, he said, was employed to win senatorial influence with wiles. Both Mr. Rice and Mr. Olmstead of the committee objected to this class of questions, which Mr. Rice denounced as "outrageous and irrelevant."

Mr. Rice denied that large sums of money had been spent in Washington for champagne or for entertainments of members of congress or officials of the navy department, or that his company ever made a gift to any member of Congress or any navy official.

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The following prescription, while simple harmless and inexpensive, is known and recognized as a sovereign remedy for kidney complaint. The ingredients can be obtained at any good prescription pharmacy and anyone can mix them.

Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

This preparation is said to restore the natural function of the kidneys, so they will sift and strain the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, purifying it and relieving rheumatism, backache, etc. The urine will be neutralized and cleaned and no longer a cause of irritation, thereby overcoming such symptoms as weak bladder, frequent and other urinary difficulties.

This is worth trying and may prove just what many people here need.

AGGRESSIVE FIGHT BY INDEPENDENTS

Rival Telephone Factions Will Meet on Battleground Of Competition.

CHICAGO, MARCH 31.—Permanent headquarters of the International Independent Telephone association were opened today in Chicago with the purpose of inaugurating a policy of aggressiveness that the organization expects, will put a new complexion on the telephone situation in America. For the first time in the history of the independent telephone movement and the organization of the association there is a salaried president, A. C. Lidemuth, of Richmond, Ind., and a salaried secretary, E. W. Ware, of Detroit, Mich., both of whom, with a corps of assistants, will devote their entire time to organization and field work, stimulating and promoting the co-operation of the objects of the association. Mr. Lidemuth said today:

"There are at present no less than 10,000 independent telephone companies operating approximately 20,000 independent telephone exchanges in the United States and Canada, with tens of thousands of miles of toll lines, occupying all, or in part, all the states and territories of the Union and all the provinces of Canada, having over 4,000,000 independent telephones installed and being supplied by upwards of 1,000 factories and supply houses, and altogether representing an investment of \$350,000,000.

"The cost of duplication and waste is a familiar one in all branches and industries, but recent utterances of the candidates for the highest offices in the land on commercial and industrial liberty and competition as against monopoly provide all the defense the independent telephone industry may need."

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Every mother feels a great dread of the pain and danger attendant upon the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of misery. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of the great pain and danger of maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, the system is made ready for the coming event, and the serious accidents so common to the critical hour are obviated by the use of Mother's Friend. "It is worth its weight in gold," says many who have used it. \$1.00 per bottle at drug stores. Book containing valuable information of interest to all women, will be sent to any address free upon application to **GRAFFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.**

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ADMINISTRATION IMPALED AGAIN

Teller of Colorado Borrows Tillman's Pitchfork and Makes Display.

QUESTION OF STATE RIGHTS.

He Says the General Government Has Ignored Constitutional Provisions in Dealing With Problems.

Washington, March 31.—The alleged tendency of the general government to override the powers of the states of the Union and to ignore the restrictions of the Constitution was the subject of remarks by Mr. Teller of Colorado in the senate today. He declared that there had grown up a pretense of attempting to justify any act by the federal authorities, whether there was authority for it or not, so long as it was ascribed to the public interest.

"We hear the repeated assertion," said Mr. Teller, "that whatever ought to be done we should find a method of doing."

ROOT'S SPEECH USED.

He referred to a speech by Secy. Root calling attention to the fact that the states were not exercising powers conferred upon them by their state governments, and when they did not they must not complain of Congress assuming the right to do what they were doing.

He also quoted the president as having recently said that there were certain evils "Congress ought to find a way" to remedy. The president's power, he said, was fully defined by the Constitution and no "interpolation" should be made to extend those powers. The full of the confederation of states in the past, he said, had resulted from a failure to recognize the rights of each of the states. He commended the attitude of Mr. Justice Harlan in upholding the rights of the states.

Mr. Teller spoke on the bill granting a right to a state company to do construct a dam in the Snake river. Washington, declaring that the rights sought in that bill belonged to the state and not to the federal government.

PINCHOT'S BUREAU CRITICIZED.

Senator Teller criticized in sharp terms the administration of the forest reserves, contending that they were largely conducted under regulations of the bureau which transcended the law and afforded poor opportunity to either the homesteader or the prospector to avail himself of the opportunities which Congress intended to afford both classes.

The remainder of the day was devoted to discussion of the Benton dam bill on its merits. As on yesterday, Senators Heyburn and Borah, both of Idaho, took opposing sides. Heyburn opposing and Borah favoring. Mr. Heyburn declared he would maintain his position even if satisfied that by doing so he would imperil his seat in the senate. No vote had been reached when, at 4:30 p. m., the senate adjourned.

FOR GOOD HIGHWAYS

Utah Men Co-operate With Other Westerners in Big Movement to Interest the Entire West.

Denver, March 31.—Articles of incorporation of the Rocky Mountain Highway association, having for its object the promotion of the building of improved highways and roads along the base of the Rocky mountains in Colorado, Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah, New Mexico and Arizona, were filed with Secretary of State O'Connor today by Gerald Hughes, Harold Koutze and Charles A. Johnson.

Any person interested in the good roads movement is eligible to membership in the association and a member of the most prominent men in Colorado and the other states named above have already signified their intention of joining.

The work of the association will be conducted under the supervision of a board of directors, numbering 15, the members of which will appoint advisory committees in each of the states embraced by the organization. These boards will control branches of the association formed in any state, territory, county or city.

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SENATOR JEFF DAVIS FIGHTS IN THE STREET

Little Rock, Ark., March 31.—United States Senator Jefferson Davis and Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Thomas Helm had a street altercation today. Later Senator Davis was arrested charged with carrying a revolver and with murderous assault. Helm says he accosted Davis, who he asserted had shot him during the recent campaign. Helm says he struck Davis twice in the face and subsequently chased him into his office.

Senator Davis made the following statement: "Helm attacked me from the rear, as I was going to my office, using a loaded bat, which was attached to his wrist by a piece of leather. He tried to attack such as I have warned the people of Arkansas would be made by political rings of Little Rock to further his desire. Helm simply acted under instructions of the superior."

SLAYER OF STEVENS CHARGED WITH MURDER

San Francisco, March 31.—An inquest was held this morning into the death of Durham White Stevens, the diplomat who was shot down by the Korean in Wan Ching, Monday, March 22. Coroner Leland asked Chang if he cared to make any statement.

"Certainly not," replied the assassin's lawyer.

That ended the case and it went to the jury. The latter returned a verdict formally charging Chang with murder.

DILLON IS GOVERNOR.

Helena, Mont., April 1.—Edwin Norris of Dillon today became governor of Montana. The inauguration will be devoid of ceremony. Chief Justice Theodore Brantley administering the oath of office. Mr. Norris will serve the nine months of the unexpired term of Gov. Joseph K. Toole, who resigned because of ill health.

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AMERICA LEADS IN JAPAN.

Tokio, April 1.—Trade reports which have been gossiped show that America leads with a total of 211,000,000 yen. Of this amount imports were \$9,000,000 and exports 151,000,000.

yen. China is next to America with a total of 144,000,000.

England comes next with a total of 128,000,000. The total Japanese trade for the year amounted to \$25,000,000 yen.

The balance this year is somewhat unfavorable to Japan.

TOPEKA MAN SUES FOR PART OF FORTUNE

New York, April 1.—Frank P. Smith of Topeka, Kan., who claims he is a half brother of the late Mrs. Charles L. Fair, has brought suit to recover from Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Mrs. Herman Oelrichs a share of Mrs. Fair's estate. Application has been made in the supreme court for the appointment of a commission to take the testimony of witnesses in France. No date has been set as yet for the trial of the suit here.

Smith, who is a seventh of the estate or about \$1,000,000 and declares that evidence exists which will establish his suit and which also may result in other suits being brought to heirs who accepted a settlement in waiver of their claims. Lawyers here have filed an answer on behalf of Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs.

It is understood that the answer contains a challenge of the authenticity of Smith's relationship to Mrs. Fair as well as a general denial of the allegations made in the complaint.

BIG RANCH DEAL.

Butte, Mont., April 1.—A special from Helena to the Miner says: One of the largest land deals in recent months was concluded here yesterday when Lewis Penwell of this city purchased the 15,000 acre ranch of the Basin Livestock company in Meagher county, commonly known as the J. B. Bowden place, for \$215,000 cash. Included in the deal are 12,000 sheep, with the usual complement of horses, cattle and equipment.

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12 Doz. Shirt Buttons for.....5c

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Talcum Powder5c

Kid Hair Curlers.....3c and 5c

Curling Irons3c and 5c

Hair Brushes.....5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and up

Cloth Brushes.....5c, 10c, 15c, 25c up

Tooth Brushes from.....5c up

Carpet Bargains

Yard wide Carpets, per yard.....23c, 35c, 45c

Brussels Carpet, per yard.....65c and 75c

Brussels Art Squares, 9x12.....\$14.00

Elegant Velvet Rugs, 9x12.....\$22.00

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Table Knives and Forks, per set of 6 knives and 6 forks.....45c and up

Rogers' Silver Plated Knives and Forks, per set\$3.50

Tin Tea Spoons, per set.....3c

Tin Table Spoons, per set.....5c

Wallace Pattern Tea Spoons, per set.....8c

Boys' Chain Pocket Knives.....5c and 10c

Men's Pocket Knives.....25c, 35c, 50c, 75c up

Butcher Knives.....10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and up

Hand Saws.....25c, 35c, 45c, 75c and up

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