

LA FOLLETTE HAS LIABILITY BILL

Measure Fixing Employer's Responsibility Introduced in Senate.

COMPARATIVE NEGLIGENCE.

Class Permits Award of Damages in Reduced Amount in Cases Where Employee Was at Fault.

Washington, Feb. 12.—A comprehensive employer's liability bill was introduced in the senate and house today by Senator L. A. Follette of Wisconsin and Representative Sterling of Illinois. The authors say the bill has the endorsement of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and is intended to meet the recent decision of the supreme court by which the employers' liability act of June 11, 1906, was declared unconstitutional.

Every common carrier while engaged in interstate or foreign commerce, or commerce between the possessions of the United States, is made liable to its employees who are injured while employed in such commerce when such injuries are due to the negligence or mismanagement of any officer or employee of such carrier, or when due to defect or insufficiency in equipment. This provision is made equally applicable to carriers in the territories, the District of Columbia and the Panama Canal zone, and carriers engaged in the transportation of the United States mails.

CORPORATION NEGLIGENCE.

The bill recognizes the doctrine of "comparative negligence" as it is now recognized in the states of Wisconsin, South Dakota, North Dakota, Nebraska, Nevada, Georgia and Florida, and in the act of Congress which was declared unconstitutional. It permits an employee to recover damages if he is found contributorily negligent, but says the jury shall diminish the damages in accordance with the portion of negligence they may find is attributable to the employee.

REGULATION OF FEES.

In the event of a verdict in favor of the employee, it is required that the court shall allow as part of the costs a reasonable attorney's fee, not exceeding an amount equal to 25 per cent of the judgment to 5 per cent of the amount finally recovered for each appeal. It is made a misdemeanor, punishable by fine not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment not exceeding six months, for an attorney to exact or receive any fee or compensation other than that provided for in the amounts so allowed by the courts.

An injured employee shall not be held to have assumed the risk of his employment in any case where the violation of law by the carrier contributed to such injury.

EXEMPTION CONTRACTS.

One section of the bill specially makes void any contract, rule or any device whatsoever the purpose of which is to exempt the carrier from liability under the act. The statute of limitations within which suit can be brought is fixed at three years.

Receivers of common carriers are made equally liable to their employees as are the common carriers. The final section protects suits which have been brought in the territories and the District of Columbia under the act of June 11, 1906, if being continued by the employees that that act is still intact in those jurisdictions.

SNELL! A PARANOIAC.

Ability of Minister's Wife Also Afflicted With Intermittent and Exaggerated Ego.

Clinton, Ill., Feb. 12.—When the trial was resumed today of the \$2,000,000 suit instituted by Richard Snell to break the will of his father, Col. Thomas Snell, more love letters were introduced in evidence.

The letters were read to the jury, and spectators crowded forward, craning their necks to catch every word. It was the purpose of reading the letters to show that Col. Snell was insane about women.

Most of the letters read today are signed simply "Your own little girl," and others bear no signature. They are admitted as evidence as having been written by Mrs. Laura Hamilton, wife of the Rev. E. A. Hamilton. The letters express the ardent love of the writer for the aged millionaire, and in-

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"I had eczema on my hands for about seven years and during that time I had used several different remedies, together with physicians' prescriptions. The disease was so bad on my hands that I could lay a slate-pencil in one of the cracks and a rule placed across the hand would not touch the pencil. I used—

Skin Lotion, Remedy and others usually but I did not use any internal remedy, and while some gave partial relief, none relieved as much as did the first box of Cuticura Ointment. I made a purchase of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and my hands were perfectly cured after two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of soap were used. I now keep them on hand for sunburn, etc., and use Cuticura Soap for shaving. I could write a great deal more in reference to my cure but do not want to take more of your time. WILLIAM H. DEAN, Newark, Del., Mar. 28, 1907."

CHILD SUFFERED With Sores on Legs. Cured in Two Weeks by Cuticura.

"My little daughter suffered with sores on her legs all last summer. Her feet were sore, too, and she couldn't wear her shoes. I think she was poisoned by running through weeds but the doctor said it was eczema. I tried several remedies but failed to find a cure. Then I sent for Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment which cured her in two weeks. I find Cuticura the best I ever tried for any kind of sore and I hope I shall never be without it. Mrs. Gertrude Laughlin, Ivydale, W. Va., Apr. 25, 1907."

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Variously colored protestations of affection with the request for money. Soon after the beginning of the trial the Rev. Mr. Hamilton resigned his position as the pastor of the church. It is believed they went to Florida. It was rumored that Mrs. Hamilton has suffered from nervous prostration because of the exposure of the letters.

JUDGE IS A MINISTER.

Judge Cochran, who is hearing the case, and who is an ordained Methodist minister and the lifelong friend of the Rev. Mr. Hamilton, sat with averted face as the letters were read to-day.

Following the reading of the letters a hypothetical question of 2,800 words was read to Dr. Archibald, church of Chicago, an agent. The question dealt mainly with the unsigned letters attributed to Mrs. Hamilton. Dr. Church was asked whether, in his opinion, if a man received such letters and made notations found on them, such as "the best letter she ever written," and "very important," and "this is a sweet one," he could be considered sane.

The question also recited Col. Snell's alleged dislike for his son Richard and his lavish gifts to Malvina Snell, McNamara of Kansas City, his favorite grandniece. After hearing the question Dr. Church said he considered Col. Snell a paranoiac, subject to "exaggerated ego."

RUSSIA ANGERED BY GERMAN NOTE

Czar's Statesmen Alarmed at Germany's Attitude in Macedonian Adjustment.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 12.—The Novoe Vremya's announcement of Germany's action at Constantinople, as embodied in the declaration of the German ambassador, Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, that Germany intended to abandon the allies and proposed instead the adoption of the Sultan's counter proposition, were the only the second part of Baron von Bieberstein's reported declaration meant a secret convention with Turkey and Greece with reference to railroad concessions in Uskub and Saloniki.

The Russian foreign office today professed inability to confirm the news, but that portion of the ambassador's declaration relating to the dissolution of Germany in the matter of the joint note is generally admitted to be accurate, and it is realized that this portends the failure of present efforts to alleviate Macedonia. The Austrian embassy here denies the second part of Baron von Bieberstein's reported declaration meant a secret convention with Turkey and Greece with reference to railroad concessions in Uskub and Saloniki.

WOMEN IN MARTYR'S SHOES.

London, Feb. 12.—The woman suffragists of this city are apparently bent upon making martyrs of themselves by assuming their confinement to prison cells. Another dozen of the delegates were arrested today. Under the leadership of well known Mrs. Parkhurst, they started from the "woman's parliament" determined to invade the house of commons, but the police broke up the column before it reached the precincts of parliament and carried the leaders off down a side street to the police station.

MUTUAL RESERVE LIFE.

New York, Feb. 14.—State Attorney General Thos. S. Jackson announced today that he had decided to ask for the appointment of a receiver for the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company. The legality of certain liens imposed upon policies has been questioned by the stockholders.

PLACE ALL BLAME ON REPUBLICANS

Wisconsin Democratic State Convention Says Party in Power is a Sham.

WILL SUPPORT W. J. BRYAN

First, Last and All the Time, the Badger State's Democrats Will vote for "Great Commoner."

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 14.—When the Democratic state convention to select delegates at large to the national convention at Denver resumed today, Evan Evans of Baraboo was made permanent chairman. Mr. Evans made a lengthy speech touching on various national issues, and sharply criticizing the Republican party throughout. He concluded by paying a glowing tribute to William J. Bryan, in whom, he said, "You see democracy personified, see democracy at her best."

At the conclusion of Mr. Evans' speech, the committee on resolutions presented its unanimous report as follows: "The Democratic party of the state of Wisconsin reaffirms its allegiance to the time-honored principles of Jeffersonian Democracy and declares its undying hostility to the sham and hypocrisy of Republican national administrations. It charges that the appalling abuses disclosed by the present administration are the direct results of the long-continued reign of the Republican party in national affairs. The people can no longer doubt the inherent perversity of the government fostered and maintained by the Republican party, since the Republican president himself has furnished the evidence against it. Its malfeasance, convicted and unconvicted, are but the shameful products of a system of public plunder and debauchery too long endured by a patient and suffering people."

DEMOCRACY'S LEADER.

"We regard with just pride and admiration that the typical American, that matchless leader, who has blazed the way to wholesome public opinion and who has blazed the way to the rights of the people. His zeal and undying energy; his wise and far-seeing statesmanship stamp him as the greatest living American statesman, and endear him to all those who believe in the rights to all and special privileges to none."

"We, therefore, declare that we are unanimously in favor of that great commoner, William Jennings Bryan, as the next Democratic candidate for president of the United States and we hereby instruct our delegates to the national Democratic convention at Denver to vote for William Jennings Bryan as the Democratic nominee for president, first, last and all the time."

Before the business of selecting the four delegates at large was reached, it was generally expected that the state chairman, H. Manson, and Congressman Charles H. Weise, would be chosen. There were half a dozen candidates for the other two places.

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WILL WHIP THE KIDLETS WHEN THEY ARE NAUGHTY

New York, Feb. 13.—Unless the board of education goes contrary to the recommendations of its special committee on the advisability of restoring corporal punishment to the public school system, the board will hold a special meeting March 4 to consider the report of the special committee.

After receiving answers from 470 superintendents and principals of New York City schools, as well as from outside pedagogues, the board will hold a special meeting March 4 to consider the report of the special committee.

"This committee is of the opinion that corporal punishment should be permitted in our schools in extreme cases only, under strict regulations, and that it should be administered by the principal with the written consent of the parents or else by a parent in the presence of the principal. Where parents refuse to give their consent or refuse to permit a child themselves, in the presence of the principal, we believe the principal should at once report such child to the city superintendent for suspension and when suspended the child should be sent to a truancy school or a school for incorrigibles."

Of the 470 answers, 270 favored the restoration of corporal punishment, while 200 voted against it.

QUEEN ALEXANDRIA LIKES MR. MORGAN'S PICTURES

London, Feb. 14.—In a personal letter to J. Pierpont Morgan, thanking him for his gift of the first of the three volumes of the illustrated catalogue of his collections of pictures, miniatures, books and manuscripts, Queen Alexandria has expressed a wish to visit Mr. Morgan's residence in Prince's Gate, S. W., in order to view the originals.

It is expected that the visit will be made in March, when the dowager empress of Russia will be here. It is likely that Mr. Morgan will be present personally to show the collection to their majesties.

BECAUSE THEY HAVE PASSES.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 14.—Attorney B. P. Wagner of Atchison, Kansas, representing the Missouri Pacific railway, today notified Atty. Gen. Thompson that all the transportation issued to doctors and lawyers in Nebraska would be withdrawn. A list including the names of 20 doctors and 17 lawyers was filed a few days ago. The railway commission ordered the persons prosecuted under the laws of the anti-pass act.

Eat slowly, Eat regularly, Eat intelligently—EAT

Grape-Nuts!

"THERE'S A REASON."

Effect of White Plague On Business Interests

The world seems to be awakening to a sense of the effect that the dread white plague has upon business and financial conditions. This is seen in the efforts of many large manufacturers to check the spread of the disease among employees by creating more sanitary conditions in the shops, and educating their people to proper care in the homes.

Consumption is an insidious disease, often taking a hold on its victim before there is even the slightest suspicion of its presence. It frequently happens that an apparently inconsequential cold proves the starting point of the deadly scourge.

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RUSSIAN SOLDIERS JOIN UNITED STATES ARMY.

New York, Feb. 14.—That the United States is gaining soldiers, trained during the recent war between Russia and Japan, is a statement made by an officer in New York. He stated that of late a large number of men, born in Russia, many of whom had experienced during the recent war, have applied for enlistment in the United States army. Many of these men, it is said, are being enlisted as they have taken out their first citizenship papers, and are being enlisted as they have become citizens to all intents recognized by the law. Such men, because of their previous training, are well thought of as recruits.

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