

End of Schley Controversy.

House Committee on Naval Affairs, by a Vote of 7 to 4, On Party Lines, Adopts Resolution Concurring in President's Decision in Case as to Terminating Agitation—Indefinitely Postpones All Bills and Resolutions.

Washington, March 11.—The house committee on naval affairs by a vote of 7 to 4, today adopted a resolution concurring in the decision of President Roosevelt as to terminating the agitation of the Schley controversy and indefinitely postponing all bills and resolutions on the subject.

Further action be had in the matter. With this recommendation I most heartily concur. There is no excuse whatever from either side for any further agitation of this unhappy controversy. To keep it alive would merely do damage to the navy and to the country.

CLAIMS COMPANY WAS NEGLIGENT.

Thomas Allen Brings Suit Against Diamondville Coal & Coke Co.

ASKS FOR \$15,000 DAMAGES.

Miner Was Injured by a Car Breaking Loose and Crashing Him Against Wall.

Thomas Allen of Wyoming has brought suit in the Federal court against the Diamondville Coal and Coke company for \$15,000 for injuries received in the defendant's mine in December, 1901.

President May Retire in Six Months.

Takes the Position That the Lieutenant General Owes Same Respect to His Superiors that He Would Demand From His Subordinates.

Washington, March 21.—The statements made yesterday by Gen. Miles before the senate committee on military affairs were discussed by the president today with a number of his cabinet members.

Whatever intentions the president had with respect to the treatment to be accorded Gen. Miles, his future action will be somewhat influenced by the fact that Gen. Miles' statement before the senate has been represented to him as being privileged.

OFFICER PACK HAS RESIGNED.

Acceptance of Another Position Makes It Necessary.

HAS BEEN A GOOD OFFICER.

His Service Covers a Period of Eight Years Under Chiefs Pratt, Paul and Hilton.

Officer Marvin E. Pack, who has served eight years on the Salt Lake police force, and whose period of service embraces the incumbency of Chiefs Pratt, Paul and Hilton, today sent to the latter a five-page resignation.

Big Park City Consolidation.

Merger Scheme Embracing Quincy, Daly-West and Anchor Mines With a Capitalization of \$10,000,000—Prominent Stockholders Plead Ignorance—Mining Expert Says Deal Ought to Have Been Consummated Years Ago.

A project is now on foot which, if successful, will result in the long talked of combination of the Quincy, Daly-West and Anchor properties of Park City. Such is the statement made by a mining man well informed concerning the three companies owning these properties.

The Daily-West stated that he had heard nothing about the proposed deal. However, he admitted that the capital mentioned was enough to float the enterprise, and that it is feasible providing that the three companies can arrange to pay their debts, which each will do. It is stated that a very high rate of interest can be carried and paid on \$10,000,000 capital.

BIDS FOR FEDERAL BUILDING.

Proposals Invited for the Construction of the U. S. Court House and Postoffice Structure in Salt Lake City.

Postmaster Thomas received the following letter of local interest this morning from the treasury department office of the supervising architect at Washington:

Enclose herewith advertisement and authorities dated March 11, for its insertion in The News and the Tribune, daily newspapers of your city, inviting proposals for the construction (except heating apparatus, electric wiring and plumbing) of the United States court house and postoffice building in Salt Lake City, Utah.

HE LED A DOUBLE LIFE.

Shooting of Joseph Hopkins in Chicago Develops Day and a Burglar by Night—May Have Participated in Big Post Office Robbery.

Chicago, March 21.—As a result of what seemed a common shooting yesterday the police have become suddenly active today and are bending their energies to connect Hopkins, the injured man, with the \$75,000 postoffice robbery of last summer.

COLOMBIA TO CENSOR MESSAGES.

New York, March 21.—The Western Union Telegraph company's central office in receipt of a dispatch, dated Panama, Colombia, March 21:

The Colombian government notifies us that all consular and diplomatic messages must be submitted to censorship.

TEACHERS WILL MEET.

Superintendent D. H. Christensen will address the teachers of the city schools in the high school assembly room tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

LIKE AN ANGELS' CHORUS.

Mrs. Stanford So Characterizes the Choir's Singing and Wept With Joy—College Song Sent Students Wild—President Jordan and Faculty Entranced.

President Jordan and the entire faculty were also in attendance and lavished in their praise of what they said was the best singing ever heard in the university. Prof. Stephens was in his happiest mood in singing the first time since leaving home. Prof. McCallister was heard to exclaim: "I have never heard anything so beautiful as this."

A FOREST RESERVE IS WANTED.

Representative Sutherland Calls on Director of Geological Survey To Have Petition of Mantle Citizens Granted—Situation is Acute and Action Should be Taken Before Spring Thaw.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., March 21.—Congressman Sutherland called at the geological survey this morning and urged that the forest reserve requested by the citizens of Mantle be considered at once upon the ground that the situation is acute and action should be taken before the spring thaw-out. The director hopes to order the establishment of a reserve made early next week.

Authorities will be glad to police and take care of the same with very little expense to the government. It is expected that the city marshal will be designated temporarily to take charge of the reservation.

BODARD ESTATE.

Doubt as to Whether It Should Not Be Probated in Idaho.

The matter of the petition of H. D. Niles to be appointed executor of the estate of Julian Bodard, deceased, according to the terms of the will and that the will be admitted to probate in this county was taken under advisement by Judge Hall.

SENATE.

Washington, March 21.—Soon after the senate convened today Mr. Teller of Colorado presented resolutions of the Colorado legislature praying for intervention by an order of its good offices by the United States government to terminate the contest between the British and the Boers.

LIVERPOOL SPRING MEETING.

Liverpool, March 21.—Sportsmen turned out in force today, the second day of the Liverpool spring meeting, to see the Grand National steeplechase run, though the interest of the general public in the event waned with the scratching of King Edward's entry.

WILL BE HERE.

Messrs. Springer and Simpson Will Address Utah Cattlemen.

COURT HAS JURISDICTION.

Objection of Counsel for Major Waller and Lieut. Day Overruled—Major Pleaded "Not Guilty" to the Charge of Murder but Admitted that Eleven Men Had Been Killed.

DECLINE TO SIGN TOBACCO AGREEMENT.

London, March 21.—At a meeting of the Edinburgh Association of Retail Tobacconists today, resolution was adopted unanimously to decline to sign the Imperial Tobacco company's agreement not to sell American goods for a term of years, but expressing willingness, if the minimum price is raised so as to allow a fair profit to dealers, to what is possible, bonus or no bonus, for the sale of British goods.

DIVORCED FROM MAY YOHE.

London, March 21.—Lord Francis Hope was granted a divorce today on grounds of misconduct of his wife, (May Yohe) with Putnam Bradley Strong of New York. Counsel for Lord Hope lengthily detailed the marriage of his client to May Yohe, their visit to the United States in 1900, the meeting with Strong and the subsequent intimacy of the respondent and co-respondent, ending with their departure for Japan under the name of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith.

ENTHUSIASTIC AUDIENCE.

There was a large and enthusiastic audience in attendance at this morning's organ recital at the Tabernacle, where Prof. Giles gave a very acceptable program, including the overture to the Poet and Peasant. One of the listeners was Cyrus H. K. Curtis, publisher and proprietor of the Ladies' Home Journal, and one of the Raymond excursionists.

JACOBSON DISCHARGED.

Judge Diehl Holds He Did Not Commit Petit Larceny.

LIBERTY PARK CONCERTS.

Mayor Thompson today approved and signed the contract with A. S. Zimmerman for band concerts at Liberty Park during the seasons of 1902 and 1903.

TELEPHONES AS NUISANCES.

The Butte Miner of the 17th inst. prints a long article on "telephones as nuisances," the nuisance part of the matter being rival companies in the same town or city, and says that Portland, Los Angeles, Duluth and Detroit all have the double system, and are kicking in a most vigorous manner.

NEW OUT OF METROPOLITAN HANDS.

New York, March 21.—The following horses have been declared out of the Metropolitan handicap: W. C. Whitney's Endurance by Right and Eikhorn; J. W. Schor's Silverdale; Julius Pleisner's Triple; J. R. Crocker's Telescop; Frank Parrell's De Resque and W. L. Oliver's All Gold.

OXFORD-CAMBRIDGE SPORTS.

London, March 21.—The annual Oxford-Cambridge field sports were held today at the Queen's club, this city. A strong wind was blowing. Soon after the sports began, rain commenced falling and there were showers at intervals while a hail storm delayed the long jump. The only really exciting contest was the mile run, in which a foot divided first and second man.

MADE MONEY OFFICE.

The postoffice at Castle Dale, Huntington, Sunnyside, Utah, will become international money order office April first.

PENSION.

Pension granted, Utah: Original widow's, Sarah L. Rider, Salt Lake City, \$8. Idaho, increase: John Zimmer, Bellevue, \$8. Joseph C. Hull, Gibbonsville, \$12.

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