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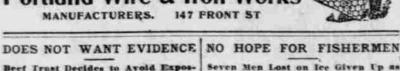
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Beef Trust Decides to Avoid Expos ure of Inside Workings. CHICAGO, March 4-The "beef trust" has decided to stand by its demurrer to

allegations made against it by the Federal Government when the cases against the combined packers were begun eversi months ago, and will appeal from he decision overruing it. This alternative was chosen in preference to a hear-ing of testimony as to the inner workings

of the combine.
It is understood that the Governmen has a voluminous supply of testimony of every sort bearing on the case and taken in all portions of the country.

Mrs. Maybrick May Be Freed. LONDON, March 4.-With reference to reports concerning an impending release of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, it is stated bere that, according to customary usage in the case of prisoners of good behavior, she could be liberated in April, 1894.

Seven Men Lost on Ice Given Up as Dend.

MENOMINEE, Mich., March 4 .- All hope for the recovery of the seven fishermen who were lost on a detached field of ice last Sunday has now practically been

OHIO TOWN IS PLOODED.

Great River Has Cut Off Aberdee From Neighboring Country. CINCINNATI, Murch 4-The river slowly. The Weather Bureau reports the rise is over as far down as Portsmouth nded by water and most of the

HELENA, Mont. March t.-The wors ly a foot of snow has fallen in the past

Administered by Richards to Eagleson.

MUST OBEY ORDERS OR QUIT

Idaho Surveyor-General in Very Hot Water.

PERSECUTED HIS CHIEF CLERK

Because Man of His Choice Was Nor Appointed. He Sought to Drive Out Schlegel-If He Continues Practice, Removal Will Follow.

Land Commissioner Richards has taken vigorous steps to enforce his order in the Idaho Surveyor-General's office. Surveyor-General Engleson, failing to have his own man appointed chief clerk, discriminated against Alexander Schlegel, who was appointed. Schlegel complained to Richards, who

has written to Engleson, ordering him to treat Schlegel fairly or resign, and telling him if he does neither he will

Senator Mitchell is well again, and will remain in Washington for the extra reseton of the Senate. Senator Simon and Representative Moody are coming home in a few days.

The Oregon Postmasters who falled of confirmation are safe, but Ankeny will oppose confirmation of Irby at Ritaville, as he is a Wilson man.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, March -Land Commissioner Richards took action today in settling a controversy in the Surveyor-General's office, at Boise, which lliustrates his method of managing the General Land Office, and tends to show what may be expected in Oregon and other offices under his charge, where his instructions or the law are not car-

In November last it became necessary to appoint a chief clerk in the Idaho Surveyor-General's office to succeed B. A. Robb removed. The Surveyor-General, Engleson, desired to appoint his friend, Charles Paynton, then a clerk in the office, to the vacancy, but was told the chief clerkship was in the classified service, and in order to be promoted Paynton must first pass the examination. ton refused two liberal offers to take the examination, and accordingly Alexander Schlegel, in the classified service, and formerly chief clerk of the office in Ne-

braska, was transferred to the positi Eagleson protested, complaining that his ersonal wishes had not been respected in the premises. He thereupon proceeded officially and personally to ostracize Schlegel, and to pass over his head and into other hands many of the duties of chief clerk. When this condition of affairs became known here, a special agent was sent to the office and reported the condition to be as alleged by Schlegel and January Zi Engleson was advised that Schlegel must be recognized as chief clerk of the office, and must handle all public business rightfully belonging to the chief clork. These instructions were ignored, and today Commissioner Richards is sending a letter to Eagleson re riewing the facts, and saying:

Obey Orders or Quit.

"It is apparent that you have not comolied with former instructions; that it is not your intention to allow Mr. Schlegel to perform all the duties of chief clerk, rather that it is your intention to make his position so uncomfortable that he will be compelled to abandon it.

"The course you have been pursuing it this matter will not longer be tolerated You are hereby required to either state that you will comply with the letter and spirit of the instructions heretofore sen ou, and that you will fully recognize Mr. Schlegel as the chief clerk of your office, and permit him to perform the duties pertaining thereto, and accord to him such official courtesies and treatment as he is entitled to, or at once to forward your resignation as Surveyor-General forthwith. In the event you do not reply to this communication within a reasonable time, or that you decline to comply with either of the above requirements, you will be summarily removed from the official osition which you now occupy, without further notice."

Has Secretary's Approval. Commissioner Richards' course is thor ughly approved by Secretary Hitchcock. The Commissioner says he does not inend to have a repetition of the Perrault trouble in the Idaho office, nor will be allow an unsatisfactory and inexcusable condition to run on indefinitely. The commissioner, who knows Schlegel personally, says there is not a more efficient chief clerk in the land service, and there

is no justification whatever for Eagle MITCHELL IS UP AGAIN.

son's actions.

Rest Restores His Energy-Simon and Moody Soon Coming Home. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washngton, March 4.-Senator Mitchell railled after a long night's rest, his temperature returning to normal, so he was again in Lewis and Clark State Commission urged to the Senate today during the closing hours organize by the board of directors. Page 10 the Senate today during the closing hours

of the session. He presented, a short time before adjournment, the credentials of Senator Fulton. Senator Fulton was also n the Senate during the morning. Both Senators intend to remain in Washington throughout the special session of the Sen-ate.

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Senator Simon intends to bid farewell to Is hours. It has also turned bitterly cold. Washington, where his Senatorial career

just as soon as he can close up a few pending matters of minor importance. Representative Moody will remain here

a week or ten days, closing up local ing up considerable correspondence that accumulated in the closing days of the session, when the Democratic filibuster required the presence of all Republicans in the House from early morning until late at night.

Ankeny, will remain here throughout the special session of the Senate. Representative Jones is going home forrow, while Cushman will remain for about two weeks.

Senator Foster and his new colleague

KILLED BY HENDERSON. Bid to Relieve Sherman County

Settlers Goes to Graveyard.
OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 4.-Owing to the flat refusel of Speaker Henderson to consent to consideration of Representative Moody's bill allowing settlers on odd sec tions within the limits of the conflicting

grants to The Dalles Military Wagon Road Company and the Northern Pacific Railroad, in Eastern Oregon, to have credit or second homesteads for the amount of time and improvement made on the lands of which they were deprived, that measure went to the graveyard, although it had passed both houses. The bill passed the House early in this

ersion, and was amended in the Senate a short time ago, the amendment sending It back to the House for concurrence or This Henderson refused to conference. consent to, although he recognized several of the filibustering Democrats to put through private bills or measures local to their state or district. He was personally appealed to by both Moody and Senator Spooner, who put the bill through the Senate, but stood out stubbornly. The fact that the bill passed the House and Senate this time will give it prestige in the next Congress, however.

POSTMASTERS NOT CONFIRMED.

Those in Oregon Safe, but Wilson Man at Ritzville Doomed.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington. March 4.-Among the nominations that failed of confirmation before the adjournment of the Senate today were three Oregon postmasters-William B. Curtis. Marshfield; Chester A. Martin, Ontario, and Marion F. Davis, Union. There was no opposition to these men, but during the last executive session held yesterday Senator Mitchell was not present to call them The names will again be sent to the

Senate and no doubt confirmed.

The nomination of John F. Irby for postmaster at Ritzville, Wash., will probably not be sent in again. He was recnded by Congressman Jones, but is a Wilson man and unsatisfactory to Ankany, who, after today, has power to hold up obnoxious Washington State nominations. Ankeny is favorable to Mr. Kennedy, who may be named.

Many Good Wishes for Moody. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 4.-For an hour after the adjournment of the House today Representative Moody was besteged by members and Senators who expressed their sincere regret at his retirement from Congress. He was assured on every hand of the high esteem in which he was held by his fellow-members, and the many warm personal friends he has made in Congress. There was a general expression of hope that he might not long remain out of Congress, but should return, either in his old capacity or in a higher place

Shorthouse, the Author, Dead. LONDON, March 4.-Joseph Henry Shorthouse, author of "John Inglesant" and other novels, died today in his 69th

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Congress Adjourns With Enthusiasm.

FAREWELL TO HENDERSON

Retiring Speaker Bids Members Loving Good-Bye.

BATTLES LEAVING NO SCARS

Democrats Continue Filibuster to the End and Oppose Thanks to Henderson, but This Only Inspires Republicans.

Appropriations by 57th Con-

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WASHINGTON, March 4.-The last day of the 57th Congress was marked by ing tactics to the very last minute, and by an affectionate tribute to the retiring Speaker, David B. Henderson. This was all the more demonstrative because a few Democrats, carried away by party feeling, opposed the vote of thanks which is always given to a Speaker at the close of

When the House convened at 10 o'clock his morning, the decks were clear for the final adjournment at noon. The storm which culminated at 4 o'clock this morn ing, when Cannon delivered his scathing arraignment of the methods of the Sonare during the discussion of the conference report on the general deficiency appropristion bill, had passed, and oversthing proised a serene and peaceful ending. Al-though members had had little more than time to go home for baths, fresh linen and breakfast in the interim since the adjournment shortly before daylight, they were back in their places for the closing ceremonies. The leaders on both sides

were among the earliest arrivals: As is usual the scenes in connection with the closing attracted vast crowds, which besieged the portals of the House even before the doors were opened committee, Cannon, with a red carnation in his button-hole, came into the hall with his arm around Dalzell just as Speaker Henderson, whose long career in Congress was to end in two short hours, ascended the rostrum. The Speaker, despite the strain of the last few days, looked smiling and serene as he faced the House, gavel in hand.

Richardson, the minority leader, who has been conducting the long fillbuster. was on his feet smiling back at the Speaker. The Democratic minority was determined to make good the threat made when Butler (Mo.) was unseated last Thursday, and fillbuster to the end of the session. As soon as the Speaker's gavel fell he announced that no quorum was present, and thereupon Payne, the matority leader, moved a call of the House. The calling of the roll, which seemed to visitors in the galleries to have been going on continually for the past week, began. The buzz of conversation in the galleries, checked momentarily by the bang of the Speaker's gavel, was resumed Members on the floor talked and laughed and the cracked voice of the reading clerk rose hoarsely above the din. The Speaker several times was compelled to admotiish the House to preserve order so that

the clerk could hear the responses, Cheers for Cannon.

As the roll call was concluded a remarkable scene occurred. Speaker Henderson yielded the gavel to Cannon, the incoming Speaker. As the latter took the chair the members broke into a burst of applause, in which the galleries joined. It was as much a compliment to the re-tiring Speaker as to Cannon. The Speaker retired to his room in the rear of the hall and Cannon then announced the motion for a call of the House defeated.

ity leader, offered the following resolu tion of thanks to the retiring Speaker; "Resolved. That the thanks of the House are presented to the Hon. David B. Henderson, Speaker of the House of Representatives, for the able dignified and honorable manner in which he has presided over its deliberations and performed the arduous and important duties of the chair during the present term of

Amid intense stience Payne, the major

(Dem. Mo.) was on his feet demanding recognition, but the chair ruled that Payne was entitled to the floor. The majority leader faced the minority as he announced that he considered it a high honor and privilege to be permitted to offer this resolution, pointing out that it was not the first time that such a resolution had come from the majority side. cited the instances of Clay, Polk, Banks and the late Speaker Roed. As he concluded with a glowing tribute to Speaket Henderson, the whole Republican side broke into hearty applause. But there was dead silence on the Democratic side. When Payne demanded the previous

oppressive silence. All eyes were on the Democratic side. From the reaf row Cochran (Dem. Mo.) arose quickly and, in a loud voice, cried, "Division," and then the ayes and noes came. From the Re-

publican side came a sound like a hiss.
"The gentleman from Missouri demands the ayes and noes," announced the chair, "As many as are in favor of ordering the ayes and noes will rise and stand until they are counted."

Democrats Are Implacable

Cochran was already on his feet. Burleson (Dem. Tex.) at his side joined him and with some seeming hesitation a score of other Democrats also rose to their feet. Richardson, Underwood, Williams (Miss.), De Armond and other prominent men on the minority side remained seated. The sound on the Republican side now became distinctly a hisa and from the galleries also came similar signs of disapproval. In all only 21 Democrats arose. The chair counted and, still amid intense silence, announced that 21 had seconded the demand.

"Forty-two are necessary to order the ayes and noes," he announced, "not a sufficient number, and the ayes and noes are refused."

A great wave of applause awept over the Republican side, and was taken up by the spectators in the galieries as the announcement was made. Now the question came on the adoption of the resolution. Again Cochran demanded a rec ord vote. This time only 17 Democrats joined in the demand, and the anne ment that the resolution was adopted was hailed with double applause

When the applause had subsided the Speaker pro tem. laid before the House the President's veto of the bill to grant to N. C. Thompson the right to construct a dam at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, and to use the water power of the Tennessee River. Payne moved to refer the message to the committee on interstate com-merce, pending which Livingston (Dem. Ga.), the ranking minority member of the appropriations committee, asked and obtained unanimous consent for himself and Cannon to print in the Congressional Record statements concerning the appropriations of this committee. This was the first unanimous consent granted since last

Payne then glelded three minutes to Richardson (Ala.), the author of the vetoed bill, who made an urgent appeal to pass the measure over the President's veto. Burton, chairman of the rivers and harbors committee, in a brief speech, declared that the water power of navigable streams should not be given away. Payne demanded the previous question

on his motion, and upon that Richardson demanded the ayes and noes. The whole Democratic side supported the demand. It was after 11 o'clock when the roll was called upon this demand. The previous question was ordered, 154-80, and at 11:30 the last roll call began on the motion to send the yeto message to the committee on interstate commerce.

During the progress of the roll call the message from the Serate announcing the

sesage of a resolution for the appoint ment of a committee to walt on the Pres ment of a committee to wait on the President and inform him that Congress was ready to adjourn was received. Payne immediately asked unanimous consent that the chair appoint a committee of three to join the Senate committee on this mission. There was no objection and the chair appointed Messra. Payne, Grosvenor and Richardson (Tern.), Payne's motion was carried. We to M.

was carried, 30 to 60.

At this moment, six minutes to 12,
Speaker Henderson re-entered the hall and ascended the restrum smid a great demongalleries. The applause grew into cheers, and the vast majority of the Democrats rose with the Republicans to their feet to join in the demonstration. Then it oln in the demonstration. Then it seased for a moment as Payne, of the ommittee, announced that the committee had waited upon the President and that he had conveyed his congratulations, whether it was proper for him to do so

Cannon, still standing at the side of the rostrum, then in a clear voice read the resolutions adopted by the House. Speaker Henderson was visibly affected as he faced the packed galleries and the members of the packed gaileries and the members of the House for his valedictory. For half a minute he paused to control his emotions before beginning. Then with a voice that trembled at first but grew gradually stronger as he proceeded until his words rang out, he delivered what was perhaps the most touchingly human farewell ad-dress ever delivered from the Speaker's chair. He said: chair. He said:

Henderson's Farewell Speech. "Gentlemen of the House of Represent-

alives: An age spent under this dome must give opportunity for forming many and strong ties. Constituted as I have been from childhood, friendship is an essential element of my life's food, (Applause.) Whether on the floor or in the chair, I have found a bountiful supply in this hall (Anniause) I have seen beautiful and instructive things on this floor, sharp, able, feeling debate, and debate, gentle-men, is the foundation and sustaining power of American liberty. (Applause.) But I have seen enother beautiful thing. When the flag was raised in war. I have seen both sides of this chamber, as one man, put \$50,000,000 into the hands of the Chief Magistrate and my 'Lend on,' with-out a dissenting voice. (Applause.) I say that from that hour I have believed that there was no future moment when disin-tegration could come to this Republic (Applause.) And when I saw the young men from every state in the Union touch-ing elbow and rushing into the ranks of war, there was absolute confirmation of that belief. (Applause.)

"I have no fears for the future of my country. Let no one be disturbed by the battles on this floor. As I said, they are guarantees of freedom and I approve them. At times there may be scars left, but they are not scars that leave a per-manent cripple; they are scars that leave the soul and the manhood without a dangerous wound. For one, go where I may from this hall, I shall carry with me in my heart an affectionate recollection of the friends that I have met here, and I do not know of one enemy. (Applause.) Whenever I meet any member of this body in the future. I shall feel that I meet a legislative comrade, and I know that he will meet a friend. (Applause.)

"I am not going to give counsel to this body, further than to say that there is nothing more precious than this Government for us to fight for. Preserve that, if you love your life. It is more valuable than anything that can be named. Go on with the rough-and-tumble battles of legislation, but keep your eye on that flag which God asks us to die for . (Ap-

"When I took this chair I asked the support of this House to aid me in per-forming the duties of this high office which you conferred upon me. That gavel in my hand has never been defied by

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Governor Issues Special Writ to Sheriffs.

SUCCESSOR TONCUE

Congressional Candidates Must Now Be Active.

JUDGES ARE TO BE NOTIFIED

Chairman Harris of the Republican Congressional Committee, -Announces Meeting for March 12 in Portland or Eugene.

Governor Chamberlain has ordered special election for Monday, June 1, to select a Congressman to fill the vacancy made by the death of Thomas

The Sheriffs of the several countle will now notify the judges of election to hold a special election. Printed no tices for the same must be issued. be filed with the Secretary of State no

SALEM, Or., March 4 .- (Special.) -- Governor Chamberlain tonight issued a writ ordering that a special election be held Monday. June 1, for the purpose of electing a Congressman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Thomas H. Tongue. The writ will be printed and

forwarded to the several Sheriffs in a day or two. The issuance of this writ will be the signal for the starting of all the political proceedings by which the candidates of the different parties are nominated, and will also be the signal for all the candidates to begin their work. The issued by the Governor commands the Sheriffs of the several counties to notify the judges of election to hold a special election. This is in accordance with secde makes it the duty of the County Clerks, ten days before a special election. to mail to each judge and clerk of election two printed notices of the election which notices are to be posted by said julges and clerks. These are the only official proceedings required, except the

preparation of ballots in the usual man-Both the Democratic and Republican Congressional committees will be called together to fix a time for holding Congressional conventions, and then each ty committee will fix dates for primaries and county conventions for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Congressional conventions. When the Congressional conventions have gamed their candidates, the nominations will be filed with the Secretary of State, and that officer will certify the nominations to the County Clerks, who will prepare the ballots. The nominations must be filed not less than 45 days prior to the election. The writ issued by the Governor is as

"To the Sheriffs of each and all of the counties composing the First Congressional District of the State of Oregon, greeting. In the name of the State of Whereas, by reason of the death of Hon. Thomas H. Tongue, Representative in Congress of the United States for the First Congressional District of the State of Oregon, a vacancy has occurred in the office of Representative in Congress for said district; now, therefore, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested as the Governor of the State of Oregon, I do order that at the date herenafter named, a special election be held in the First Congressional District of the State of Oregon to fill the said vacancy, and you, the said Sheriffs of the countles composing the said district, and each of you, are hereby commanded to forthwith notify the several judges of election in each and all of the several election prechicts in your respective counties to hold a special election in each of said countles and precincts on Monday, the 1st day of June, A. D. 186. in manner and form as general elections are held, and pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, for the purpose of filling the vacancy aforesaid caused by the death of Hon. Thomas H. Tongue, and for his un-

Committee to Meet, March 12, EUGENS, Or., March 4.—(Special.)— Hon. T. W. Harris, chairman of the Con-gressional Committee for the First Ora-gon Distalct, said a meeting of the com-mittee would be held March 12, either in

Eugene or Portland. Tribute to Galasha A. Grow

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The members of the Pennsylvania Congressional delegation, at a meeting attended by every' member, adopted unanimously a preamble setting forth in sulogistic terms the unusual character and service of Representative Galusha A. Grow to his state and to his country, and a resolution of the regret fait by all state and to his country, and a resolu-tion expressive of the regret feit by all on account of his retirement from Con-gregs. The preamble recites that his nervices in Congress began nearly half a century ago, and while his name has been identified with many great public meas-ures, the act which he is justly entitled to claim as his own is the free homestead law, "under which the public domain has been turned from a wilderness into a haw, "under which the public domain has been turned from a wilderness into a world of happy homes." The preamble and resolution beautifully engrossed upon purchment and signed by each member of the Pennsylvania delegation were presented to Mr. Grow with a personal expression of the regard and affection of his collegaues.