

WHY PANAMA WON

House Realized That a Fight Would Mean No Canal.

SENATOR MITCHELL ON RESULT

Believes the Nicaragua Route Will Finally Be Chosen—Has Doubts About Panama Company Giving a Clear Title.

Canal advocates are now confident that the long-talked-of waterway is to be constructed.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The Panama Canal won because a fight against it would mean no canal at all this session.

There are some who think Hanna has achieved more of a victory than he anticipated, and believed he was opposed to any canal whatever.

Crater Lake Appropriation Cut.

The Senate committee on appropriations today reduced to \$200 the allowance in the general deficiency bill for construction of roads, fences, bridges, etc., in the Crater Lake National Park.

Juneau Property Bill.

The Senate bill granting title to Juneau, Alaska, of property in that town now used for school purposes was favorably reported to the House today.

TURNED DOWN BY IDE.

Committee's Recommendation Not as Strong as Wilson's Fall.

ABERDEEN, Wash., June 25.—C. W. Ide, recently confirmed Collector of Customs for the port of Seattle, has been appointed collector of the port of Aberdeen.

Democratic State Convention.

SEATTLE, June 25.—The Democratic State Central Committee met in this city today, fixed the time and place for the election of delegates to the state convention.

Government Ships Ship Company.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—Customs Collector Stratton has requested the United States District Attorney to bring suit against the Japanese Steamship Company for \$1000 penalty for allowing Dr. Yung Wing to escape from the Hong Kong.

TONGUE ANALYZES OREGON VOTE.

Election a Factor in House Debate on Philippine Bill.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The Oregon election became a little factor in the Philippine debate in the House today, when Representative Tongue showed that the action of the state in electing Chamberlain Governor was in no sense a victory for anti-expansion.

Not Property of Chinese Government.

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MINNIVILLE, Or., June 25.—Dr. James Mintz, a character, and for many years Stock Inspector of Yamhill County, died here this morning, aged 71 years. He is survived by five children. Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

PORTLAND LOSSES IN NINTH

SEATTLE NINE WINS AT HOME BY A SCORE OF 4 TO 3.

Webfoofers Play Ball From Start to Finish, but Luck Is Against Them—Engle in Box.

Table with columns: Northwest League, Yesterday's Games, Stading of the Clubs.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 25.—In the best game of ball on the Seattle grounds this year, Portland went down to its eleventh straight defeat by a score of 4 to 3.

The game was a desperate struggle from start to finish, and the struggle was not over until a high pitch of excitement by the game effort made by Portland to break the losing streak, and the equally strenuous exertions of Seattle to win out, and keep out of the Butte nine, which is just an eyelash behind in the pennant race, and ready to step into first place the first time Seattle falls down.

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SPORTSMEN GATHER FROM ALL OVER THE NORTHWEST.

Trophies Are Large and Competition Will Be Keen—Clay Targets and No Live Birds.

Table with columns: Spokane, Helena, Portland, Tacoma.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 25.—The 15th annual shooting tournament of the Sportmen's Association of the Northwest will begin at the Irvington shooting grounds this morning, continuing for three days.

The annual meeting of the association will be held tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Hotel Portland, and the banquet will be held at the same place on Saturday night. The uptown office of the association is at the Mikado Hotel.

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KANSAS CITY, June 25.—Theodore

more interested in the preliminary than in the main event, as their favorite, Frank Freeman, is to go against "Swanson, the terrible Swede," over whom he recently got a questionable decision. Manager Jack Day, of the Pastime Club, who will referee the main event, said last night:

"I take pleasure in being able to guarantee our patrons two of the best contests ever seen in Portland, and assure them the first bout will commence promptly at the time advertised, after which there will be no delay."

Winners at Butte.

BUTTE, Mont., June 25.—The results at

Six and a half furlongs—Nonnie won, Ewan second, Rossin third; time, 1:34. Mile and 70 yards—Ullow won, The Sugar second, El Fosse third; time, 1:49.

Five furlongs—King of Diamonds won, Winslow second, Hattie Perkins third; time, 1:05.

Six furlongs—Sea Queen won, Sir Douglas second, Nara G. third; time, 1:16.

BOXERS MEET TONIGHT.

Hegarty and De Coursey to Go for

Tonight Tim Hegarty, champion featherweight of Australia, and Billy De Coursey, California's premier 125-pound boxer, meet in the arena of the Pastime Club, in a 2-round contest. To decide which is the better man and incidentally carry the title of feather-weight champion of the Pacific Coast and Australia. Both men are as confident as mortals can possibly be, and are working hard to place a bet on them. The work of both men, while training for the bout, demonstrated that they were willing fighters and as clever as any man in the world. All who visited their training quarters predict a fast contest.

De Coursey said last night he is fit to fight for a King's ransom, and added: "When I work against him, I am as tall as an inch taller than he, cleverer, faster, as strong, and I have as long a reach as he. I also think I hit as hard, though many think otherwise. Even though I can't outlast other advantages in my favor more than offset the hitting. I am a sure winner, barring accident. Arthur Cribb and Mel Lowenthal will be in my corner as seconds."

Betting on the contest has lived up, and many large commissions were placed yesterday. Even money will rule, and it looks as if neither will enter the ring a favorite. The advance sale of seats is greater than for any contest ever held in Portland. Orders have come from Seattle, Tacoma, Astoria, Vancouver, Oregon City and many of the small towns adjacent to Portland. The sports of Oregon City are

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