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Hitchcock Desires Better Proof With Oregon Lists.

MINERAL CHARACTER IN DOUBT

Evidence That Satisfied the General Land Office and the Local Officials Is Not Deemed Sufficient by the Secretary,

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 30 .- The recent regulations of the Interior Department prescribing the manner in which school land indemnity selections shall be made, where the school selections are alleged to be mineral in character, are being strictly enforced in Oregon, for the department is convinced that in no other state has this law been so radically and so extensively

Under the new regulations several Oregon lists have been held up by Secretary Hitchcock, because the mineral character of the lands has not been proven. These lists were favorably considered by the local land offices, and in turn passed upon by the General Land Office, and sent to the Secretary for approval. The lower offices found no flaws, irregularities or shortcomings, but each of the lists in question was promptly turned down by the Secretary because the state failed even to indefinitely prove the mineral character of the school lands offered as base under the new rulings.

The state will not be permitted to make selections in lieu of land within a school section alleged to be mineral in character, and for that reason excepted from its brent, whether returned by the Surveyor-General as mineral or otherwise, in the absence of satisfactory proof that the base land was known to be chiefly valuable for mineral at the date when the state's right thereto would have attached. if at all.

The several lists have therefore been returned to the State of Oregon with instructions to establish the mineral character of the lands at the date of survey. If this can be done, the lists will be approved. If satisfactory proof of this character is not furnished, the selections will be rejected. The lists that have been returned by Secretary Hitchcock cover 2500 acres, as follows:

2000	Acres	6.
Litet	Il. La Grande district 60	а
List	20. The Dalles district 76	90
Lint	18. Lakeview district	80
Lint	6. Burns district 20	9
List	19, Roseburg district 72	R
List	II. Oregon district 16	Mr.

Secretary Hitchcock states that he desires it to be thoroughly understood that he has not rejected the Oregon lists, but has merely returned them to the state for proper proofs. Such lists are not considered as finally issued until approved by the Secretary.

Government Begins Investigation,

ST. LOUIS, June 30.—Major Thomas L. Sarey, of the United States Army Engineer Corps, who has been instructed by the War Department to investigate the alleged terminal bridge monopoly, has begun the collection of documentary evidence of the relations between the Merchants' Bridge Company and the Eads Bridge Company. After examining these, he will determine whether to hold a formal hearing, at which the officers of the Terminal Association will be examined. ST. LOUIS, June 30 .- Major Thomas L.

Coinage of Mints for Year, WASHINGTON, June 20.-The state-

ended June 30 shows the total colnage to have been \$74,203,600, as follows:
Gold, \$45,721,773; silver, \$25,506,526; minor colns, \$2,484,601. In addition there coins, \$2,484,691. In addition there were coined 19,182,829 pieces for the Philippines, 750,000 pieces for the Government of Venezuela, and 1,390,000 pieces for the gov-ernment of Colombia.

SOLONS INSULT PREMIER

Hangarian Diet in an Uproar Over the Army Programme.

BUDAPEST, June 30 .- Premier Hedes vary's appearance today in the lower house of the Hungarian Diet for the pur-pose of unfolding the ministerial procamme was signalized by scenes of extraordinary uproar, during which many insults were hurled at the rPemier. After preliminary remarks concerning his

appointment as Premier, Count Hedes-vary referred to the parliamentary troubles and to the extraordinary conditroubles and to the extraordinary condi-tion of affairs primarily due to the bill increasing the number of Hungarian re-cruits for the imperial army, and said that as a means of re-establishing the normal state of affairs in the lower house the government had decided to sus-pend for the present any discussion of that measure. Count Hedeavary's ex-tression "for the present" called out unpression "for the present" called out up-roarlous protests from the Left. Indig-nant shouts of "trickery," "disgraceful," 'revolting," rang through the chambers.

When the Premier was again able to make himself heard, he announced his intention of asking the house to vote the financial indemnity bill and to give him authority to commence negotiating for commercial treaties before the customs tariff was completed. A bill providing for the resumption of specie payments, the Premier added, would also probably be

The Premier concluded with declaring himself a warm supporter of the dual system of government, of a common Austro-Hungarian army and of liberal prin-

Franz Kossuth has resigned the presi-dency of the party of independence, owing to the party's failure to approve his arits with the Premi

High Honor for Bishop Farley, NEW YORK, June 30 .- Most Rev. John M. Farley, D.D., who was recently created archbishop of New York, will be invested with the pallium July 23 by a special messenger from Rome.

The pallium will be conferred with elab-

orate ceremony at the cathedral in this city. Invitations to attend have been sent to all the dignitaries of the Catholic Church in the United States.

Given Jurisdiction in Postal Fraud, TOLEDO, O., June 30.—United States Commissioner B. F. Brough today com-mitted George E. Lorenz and his wife, Martha J. Lorenz, to the jurisdiction of the United States Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Lo-renz were arrested here last week upon indictments issued by the Federal grand

Rig Fire From Gasoline Explosion. RALTIMORE, June 30.-A gasoline tank exploded today in the basement of S. Eirk & Sons' jewelry store, causing a fire which did damage estimated at \$75,000; covered by insurance. A number of em-ployes were rescued from the cornices of the roof by firemen.

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One of the most noted speakers of his day, Disraeli, said of himself: "Nature intended me to be a silent man, but circumstances have forced me to do much speaking." Your just demands for the indispensable news of this store are the circumstances which force us to speak of its opportunities with their facts behind every word, with their innumerable fulfillments to support every promise, with their cumulative benefits succeeding every event. The attractions of this preholiday week—this week of events preceding our country's natal day—are such as not to be resisted by any alert shopper.

It is the condition of midsummer that produces dullness in the general market. It is the dullness in the general market that produces opportunities. It is the adaptable alertness of this store that produces for you the inimitable benefits. PRICES WITH-OUT PROFITS HAVE TELESCOPED THE WHOLE STORE. May we review a few before-mentioned bargain events now in full progress and incidentally introduce one or two new friends of the same family?

## That Extraordinary Sale Fashionable Shoes

Has carried the crowds before it like the grand tidal bargain wave it is. People have flocked here by hundreds, and hundreds are yet to come and enjoy this veritable feast of footwear value. The sale ends Priday at closing time, and one of the grandest money-saving opportunities of the year will have past. Buy Shoes now for the "Fourth;" buy them for a year ahead; buy them for you and yours. NO BANK WILL EVER PAY YOU FOR YOUR MONEY AS WE PAY YOU FOR IT HERE-NOW-AT THIS SALE OF SHOES AT RETAIL AT FACTORY PRICES.

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IT'S SIMPLY GOOD LUCK THESE CHANCES to Buy Summer Underwear at Such Savings. PRICES AT ABOUT HALF.

Some lots are from our own stock-reduced; others equally desirable, from the mills whose business has been retarded by the cool weather. It'll be hot as "Flujy" before many days and we might hold the goods back to get full price, but that's not our way—the bargains are ripe, pick 'em. LADIES' EXIRA SIZE VESTS, Richelieu ribbed, low neck and sleeveless or with short 25c LADIES' EXTRA SIZE COTTON VESTS, with high neck and long sleeves, LADIES' WHITE LISLE VESTS, low neck and sleeveless with lace trimmings; also pinks 29c

and blues with low neck and short sleeves; splendid 50c qualities..... MISSES' UNION SUITS, low neck, sleeveless and values ranging according to size from 19c 

COMING! The Greatest Millinery Sale on Earth

Don't believe it? Why not? Somebody must have it—why not us? Even our own milliners are waiting to share in this one. FRIDAY—none before—We place on sale the stock of the largest wholesale millinery houses in the entire Northwest at 20c on the dollar of original cost. 69c 

Walking Skirts Reduced (Woman's Salon, 2d Floor-Everything re- \$9.65

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Court Decides Receivers Are Necessary.

CONCERN IS HELD INSOLVENT

Directors Are Also Found Remiss in Their Duty of Protecting Stockholders-Action on Nixon's . Resignation Is Postponed.

NEWARK, N. J., June 30 .- Judge Kirkpatrick today aunounced to counsel repesenting complaining bondholders of the United States Shiobuilding Company that he had read all the papers in the case and had decided that the incorporation is insolvent and that its directors had failed to take proper steps to protect the bondholders and seemed to be without ability to raise funds. Therefore, in the interest of the bondholders, both those who appear here and complainants and all the others,

"I shall appoint receivers. I will hear counsel as to whom they may desire to name.

Charles C. Deming, for the defendant corporation, asked if it were not possible to postpone consideration of the actual appointment until tomorrow at 2 o'clock, but both Samuel Untermeyer and R. V. Lindbury objected. It was finally agreed that the order would be signed immediately, and that the counsel would have until tomorrow to agree on a sultable person for the appointment, but if an agreement is not reached the court will name the receiver tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

In announcing his decision, Judge Kirk-patrick said he had not had time to revise the opinion to be filed, and could not

George R. Sheldon, of the reorganization committee said: "I don't see how the ap-pointment of a receiver will interfere with the going shead of our plan of reorgani-

President Nixon was asked: "Will the appointment of a receiver interfere with

and the company is drifting along without any guidance. Not only are the directors not striving to relieve the company from embarrassments, but they are advising the stockholders to submit to numerous extortions to procure present funds and threatening foreclosure to those bondholders who refuse to relinquish the security of their mortgages. These people are entitled to the protection of the court and that protection can only be had by the interference of the court and interference of the court and the appoint-

NEW YORK, June 30.-The directors of the United States Shipbuilding Company met today, the stated object being to act on the resignation of President Nixon. For reasons not given out, adjournment until tomorrow was taken without action. Mr. Nixon declined to discuss the receivership proceedings nor would be say anything regarding the meeting except that his resignation probably would be accepted tomorrow. "I intend to remain mber of the board of directors," said

No Action on Nixon's Resignation

MADE ASSISTANT TO SCHWAB,

President of Steel Trust Is Too Ill to Do Work Alone.

NEW YORK, June 30.—Reports preva-leat for months past that Charles M. Schwab would retire from the presidency of the United States Corporation cul-minated today in the appointment as as-sistant to the president of W. E. Corey, president of the Carnegie Steel Company. The formal announcement was made by Richard Trimble, secretary of the finance committee, in the following form:
"In consequence of the continued ill health of the president, he has request-

ed the appointment of an assistant to per active duties of the president, and at today's meeting of the finance committee, W. E. Corey, president of the Carnegie Steel Company, was appointed to such position."

Announcement of Mr. Corey's appoint-ment occasioned no surprise in financial circles, where it had been a matter of common knowledge that at least one im-portant change was pending in the per-sonnel of the steel corporation's affairs. The finance committee of the steel cor-poration is dominated, according to pop-ular bellef, by Mr. Morgan and his friends. One of its leading members is H. C. Frick, who was induced by Mr. Morgan to accept a place on the committee.

The strongest pressure was brought to bear upon Mr. Frick in March last to accept the presidency of the corporation, but Mr. Frick resolutely declined. None of the officials of the steel corporation would discuss Mr. Corey's appointment or the cause that led to it.

Insomnia.

appointment of a receiver interfere with the completion of work now under way or prevent the company carrying out any contracts it has undertaken?"

"Not at all. I apprehend that the naming of receivers will, in the opinion of the court, emble us to do the things we set out to do, and bring the plants of the company up to their highest state of efficiency. I do not think the appointment of a receiver is intended to be a step toward the disintegration of the plants."

Judge Kilpatrick's opinion, given out tonight, enters very fully into the merits of the comporation is without funds; that the directors are unable to raise money upon the corporation credit to meet match directors are unable to raise money of the company have abdicated their powers, all drugglists.

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Why should you feel tired and sleepy in day time and restless and wakeful at night? This reversing the order of nature is due in a large number of cases to overcealing. A heavy ovening meal, especially thin a middle-aged person, often means a siespicas night. As Benjamin Frankin once siespicas

#### SLAYS MAN IN A FRENZY

EX-TEXAS OFFICE-HOLDER KILLS STATE CONTROLLER.

Official's Private Office, Cheerfully Hands Him a Letter and Then Begins Shooting.

AUSTIN, Tex., June 30.-Frenzied by supposed wrongs, W. G. Hill, an ex-at-tache of the State Controller's office, today entered the private office of State Controller R. M. Love and killed him by means of two bullets from a large-caliber revolver. As Hill turned to fice, he was intercepted by Chief Clerk Stevens, of the department, who engaged him in a scuffle, during which Hill's revolver was accident-ally exploded. The bulet entered Hill's abdomen causing a wound from which he died this afternoon.

As to what caused the shooting none can

explain, other than it was the act of madman. Hill had been an employe of the Controller's office for ten years preceding Love's term of office. He wan discharged by Mr. Love when the latter took charge and it is presumed this preyed on his mind. Today he went to the Capitol, entered Love's private office, spoke to him cheerfully, shook hands and handing him a letter to read sat down at the in-vitation of the Controller. No sooner had Mr. Love begun reading the letter than Hill sprang to his feet and fired two shots into the body of Mr. Love, one taking effect just above, the other immediately below the heart. Mr. Love screamed, dropped the letter and sprang half forward towards his assassin, then gasped and fell backward. Hill turned to make for the door. He was intercepted by Clerk Stevens, who grappled him and was wrestling with birn when Hills and was wrestling with him when Hill's pistol was accidentally discharged, the bullet entering Hill's abdomen.

FLEES WITH CLUB'S CASH. Official of an Exclusive Hebrew Or-

ganization Is Short \$15,000. NEW YORK, June 20.—Reports of a large defalcation in the accounts of Har-monis Club, New York's most exclusive Hebrew social organization, have been followed, it is stated, by the disappearance of the club's cashier. First reports of the shortage in the cash account placed the loss at a high figure,

but it is now believed the sum will not exceed \$15,000. The shortage was discov-ered when the bank books were balanced. Until that point was reached during the investigation, it seemed likely that many members might be called upon to pay their dues and restaurant bills for an entire year a second time.

FEMALE ROBBER SANDBAGS HER. Milwaukee Woman Loses \$18,500

While Traveling or a Train. MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 30.-Mrs. F. MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 30.—Mrs. F. F. Adams, Jr., wife of the vice-president of the F. F. Adams Company, reported to the police today that she had been sand-bagged and robbed of \$18,500 while on a train en route to this city from Chicago, last night. Mrs. Adams states that she had gone to Chicago Monday to draw her \$20,000 inheritance from the First National Bank of that city. After paying some debts, she had started back on an evening train with \$16,000 in cash and a cer-

# her over the head with a blunt instru-ment, she says. She was knocked uncon-scious and robbed.

MOB SHOOTS A SHERIFF. He Tries to Save Negro From Lynch.

SCOTTSBORO, Ala., June 30 .- A mob of SCOTTSBORO, Ala., June 30.—A mob of 50 marched from Larkenville last night and took Andrew Diggs, colored, from jail and thence to the woods to be lynched. Diggs had been arrested for assaulting Miss Alma Smith, white, at Larkinville, last Sunday night, and brought here for safe keeping. Sheriff Austin resisted the mob until he was shot down and the keys taken from him.

The Sheriff secured two pistols when

tempt to come up. The threat was met with a volley and the Sheriff emptied his revolver in reply. One shot took effect in the Sheriff's right leg and the other in his arm. The daughter of the Sheriff ran to her father and was at once covered by a pistol in the hands of one of the mob and made to deliver the keys of the cell in which the negro was locked up. One of the mob accessed the Sheriff's wounds immediately, which are not believed to be dangerous. The regro was taken to the woods and hanged. The negro made a confession to the brother of the young lady and others who visited the jall after his capture.

arrested before night.

Lleutenant McCue Still Maintains He

CHICAGO, July 1.-Lieutenant William McCue, First Infantry, U. S. A., whose matrimonial experiences have been followed by allegations of bigamy, is detained at Fort Sheridan, having been taken there last night by direction of General Bates, commanding the Department of the Lakes. Viola Simmons, who was married to the Lieutenant at San Francisco, June 12, and whose father has sent noney to enable her to return home received a telegram from Rev. Father Mackey, of St. Peter's Cathedral, Cincinnati, in which the priest stated that he married William K. McCue and Ida Westcott. June 7, 1899.

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Nine hundred pairs Children's Ribbed Cotton Hosiery, guaranteed fast black, high spliced heels, double knees—children's hosiery that will stand the roughest kind of usage, real value 18c, per pair

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An assortment of Ladles' Fancy Hoslery, black grounds with fancy stripes 18c and dots and figures, regular 50c, per pair

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Regular ..... \$8.00 \$8.50 \$10.00 \$10.50 Reduced to .. \$5.98 \$6.39 \$ 7.49 \$ 7.87 Ladies' Cowhide Suit Cases, lightweight leather and canvas-lined, sizes 22 and 24-Regular .... \$8.50 \$9.00 \$10.50 \$11.00 Reduced to .. \$6.39 \$6.74 \$ 7.87 \$ 8.23

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tificate of deposit for \$2500. On the way she went into the toilet-room of the car, where another woman entered and struck CLOAKS

and the keys taken from him.

The Sheriff secured two pistols when
the mob arrived and mounting the stairs
said he would kill any one who would at-

A dispatch from Stevenson says Gov-ernor Jenk has been notified of the lynching. Five of the leaders of the mob were recognized and it is thought they will be

#### PRIEST SHOWS HE IS BIGAMIST. Was Never Married Before,

When his new bride confronted him with the telegram, McCue tore it up, exclaiming: "It is false, I swear it." Before leaving for Fort Sheridan, Lieu tenant McCue signed over his last pay check to his wife, and she gave it to the hotel management in payment of their bill, \$66, for nine days.

STOLEN BABY IS FOUND. Woman Who Kidnaped Is Believed

to Be Mentally Unbalanced. CHICAGO, June 30 .- Alice Furlong, the 2-year-old baby girl stolen from the door-step of her mother's home a week ago, was restored to her parents today, and the woman who kidnaped the child was arrested. Mrs. Hazel Avery is the name given by the woman who stole the child. When arrested near where she was living, he seemed dazed.

Mrs. Avery confessed to the crime, after telling a story of some tall, dark wom-an giving her the child. Apparently her only motive for the kidnaping was a de-sire to have a baby to care for and fondie. The police believe her to be mentally unbalanced.

Aged Woman Dies and Is Not Disser.

DENVER, Colo., June 30.—With her feet roped together, her hands doubly tied behind her back and a gag bound so tightly at the various hospitals today it was

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# **A Pre-Inventory Offering**

On July 6 our Semi-Annual Inventory is taken, and this bargain offering is to clear the shelves, if possible, before that event takes place.

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Every \$2 Wash Skirt, the latest styles

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around her mouth and neck that it finally stated that numerous victims of the Heins house at 2121 Sixteenth street in this city. Her dead body was discovered today. She was an old Syrian woman, and three Syrians, a woman and two men, have been arrested for committing the deed. The robbery was committed on Saturday night.

State's Briefs in Horn Case Filed, CHEYENN., Wyo., June 30.—Attorney Van Orsdel and W. R. Stoll, attorney of Laramie County, filed in the Supreme Court this afternoon the state's brief in the case of Tom Horn, the stockmen's detective, who was convicted of the murder of Willie Nickell, a ranchman's son, and was sentenced to be hanged, and whose attorneys obtained a stay of execution. When court convenes to: the Attorney-General will urge that an early date be set for the hearing of argu-

More Elevator's Victims Will Die.

strangled to death, Mrs. Antoine Kenhan elevator accident were more seriously was robbed and left to die alone in her hurt than at first reported, and that two probably will die. Those in a critical condition are Otis R. Thompson, a clerk at the Heinz plant, who was acting as guide to the visitors; John Cherney, of Alle-gheny; Mrs. Edward P. Holman, of Mount Paris, Ky. The other victims, including all the Cleveland visitors, will likely re-

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