

RATING OF MYXIS

First Clash in Senate Committee About Rates.

DOLLIVER WANTS ACTION

Railroad Senators Seek Delay in the Hope of Forcing President to Compromise After Unlimited Debate for Months.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—(Special)—A clash between the Administration and anti-Administration forces of the Senate committee on interstate commerce is imminent. They have almost reached the parting of the ways on the question of railroad-rate regulations. One of the most spirited controversies that has yet marked these meetings, took place today when the proposition was advanced to defer final action upon the rate bill until the House of Representatives has made its desires known by passing a bill. Dolliver, Tillman and Newlands were the only so-called Administration members present. They were outnumbered almost two to one. They objected and declared for immediate action. They wanted the work of framing a bill to begin.

Railroad Men Play for Delay. Chairman Elkins and Aldrich were among those who suggested that it would be better to defer action, inasmuch as the House was the popular branch, and legislation could be pushed through under limited debate, while no such thing was possible in the Senate. It was pointed out in the upper body could be crystallized more readily if it were known what the House desired. Dolliver is striving so to amend his rate bill as to meet certain objections of the Democratic members of the committee. If he can do this, he can secure a majority numerically, as Clapp and Chandler, two other Republicans, it is said, will support him.

Senate May Force Compromise. Elkins declares there is no intention of filibustering in the committee. It is his belief, however, of the administration men that, if rate regulation is to be kept out of the Senate for a month or more longer, the President will be forced to consent, because the opportunities for unlimited debate and the consideration of the great supply measures will make possible chances of a compromise. The House has gone forward with the understanding that the Senate would report and pass a bill before it would be called upon for action. The House committee has had no hearing, while the Senate committee has been occupied the greater part of the Spring and Fall in hearings. It is thought it may require a month or six weeks to get a rate bill out of the House committee and call it up for consideration. Indications tonight are that the anti-administration forces have won first place in the great contest. The same committee will not hold another meeting until next Friday.

DOLLIVER'S EFFORT AT ACTION

Railroad Senators Prefer to Await Action of House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce met for two hours today and discussed rate regulation in a general way. Senator Dolliver's bill is regarded as likely to draw administration support, and the author is trying to shape it so as to draw more Democratic support. The Iowa Senator conferred with Senator Tillman for an hour after the committee had adjourned. Dolliver moves to take up his bill and consider it section by section. He argued that, if the bill could be taken up and all portions on which the committee could not agree be voted on separately, it would be a basis for an early report to the Senate. He failed to obtain the adoption of his motion or any decision in regard to it, but it was agreed that an early consideration of the various pending measures should be had. This agreement, however, did not take the form of a definite program.

The indications are that the House will pass a bill and that the measure will come to the Senate before a report is had from the committee on interstate commerce. If the House passes the bill, that would bring before the Senate a measure almost identical with the Dolliver bill. Dolliver stated today that if his bill is rejected by the Senate committee, he will make a minority report which will bring it before the Senate and that he will move to substitute it for any measure reported by the committee. If such a measure is not satisfactory to the administration, as far as could be learned today the Senate Democrats will not unite on any bill. Tillman and Newlands, both members of the Interstate Commerce committee, have bills pending. The former said today that Dolliver's bill was an elaboration of the ideas of the Senate majority in his brief message, and that he could support it, "if no attempt is made to make the Democrats the tail to the President's kite."

REWARD BENNINGTON HEROES

Models of Honors and Gratuity for Eleven Survivors.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Recognition of the extraordinary heroism displayed by the officers and crew of the U. S. S. Bennington, when her boilers exploded on July 21 last, is contained in a general order issued today at the Navy Department by Secretary Bonaparte. Each of the 11 members of the crew has been awarded a medal of honor and \$100 gratuity. They are: John J. Clousey, chief gunner's mate; George F. Brock, carpenter's mate, second class; Edward Rogers, seaman; Willie Cronan, boatswain's mate, third class; Raymond E. Davis, quartermaster, third class; Emil Fredericksen, water-tender; Rado Grubich, seaman; William C. Shacklette, hospital steward; Oscar E. Nelson, machinist's mate, first class; Otto Schmidt, seaman; Frank E. Hill, ship's cook, first class. The general order calls attention to the "extraordinary heroism displayed by the officers and crew of the U. S. S. Bennington at the time of the lamentable disaster which overtook the vessel while lying off San Diego, Cal., on the forenoon of July 21, 1905. The crisis which occurred with such terrible suddenness and destruction was met by the officers and crew with readiness and resource. Men bravely and unflinchingly forgot their own injuries and rushed back in the shower of scalding water, steam and ashes to rescue their more unfortunate shipmates."

HOUSE AND SENATE TO CLASH

House Resents Senate Encroachment on Control Over Money.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The House committee on interstate and foreign commerce has decided to defy the Senate in connection with all light-house matters and similar bills which must be passed on by the committee. It has been the practice

of the House to frame these measures in such a way that a sum of money, not specified, but not to exceed a certain amount, is to be made available for the improvement. The Senate invariably has changed such bills so that they appropriate a fixed amount. This system is regarded by the members of the House committee as conducive to reckless expenditure, and the members of the committee will refuse to accept such a bill hereafter, and purpose forcing the Senate to indicate measures which will encourage the completion of work at the lowest possible cost and the saving of balances which may remain. This action of the House committee is in line with the general opposition the House is offering to what is declared to be encroachment of the Senate upon its rights.

CONFERENCE AT WHITE HOUSE

Internal Affairs of Army and Navy Under Discussion. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—An important conference, which covered a wide range of discussion of the internal management of the War and Navy Departments, was held at the White House tonight. It was participated in by Secretaries Root, Taft and Bonaparte and Attorney-General Moody, and lasted from 9:30 o'clock to 11:20. The subject was changes in the navy personnel bill affecting the promotion of officers, which is now before Congress, were mentioned. From the length of the conference, it is believed that matters affecting the Philippines, Panama, San Domingo, the General Board of the Navy and the General Staff of the Army also may have been brought up.

IS RAILROAD SYSTEM A TRUST?

Reader Suspects Pennsylvania Combine Is Contrary to Law. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Representative Reeder, of Kansas, introduced a resolution today requesting the Attorney-General to investigate and report to the House whether there exists or has existed a combination or agreement between the Pennsylvania Railroad System, the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railway Company, the Baltimore & Ohio Railway Company and the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company or any two or more of these trusts in violation of the anti-trust law.

Will Hear Objectors to Bishop. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Because of the absence of Chairman Mendenhall and several other members of the Senate committee on the Isthmian Canal, there will be no meeting to consider the nominations of members of the Canal Commission until after the Senate recesses on Monday next. The committee intends to give any persons desiring the opportunity to be heard for or against confirmation of the nomination. Several Senators will take up the question of permitting a member of the Commission to be engaged in other business, and the question of the payment of double salaries. After the nominations of Commissioners have been disposed of, it is said the committee will take up the question of reorganization of salaries to be paid to canal employees.

No More Jamaicans for Canal.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 5.—The agents of the Panama Canal Commission, who have been here for some time for the purpose of hiring laborers to work on the canal, closed their offices today by orders from Washington, owing to Governor Swettenham's attitude in refusing to allow laborers to go to Panama without a deposit of \$5 each. Mr. O'Connell, who was in charge, sailed for Colon tonight.

Drydock Dewey's Voyage East.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Jan. 5.—The United States tug Potomac, one of the convoys of the sailing ship Dewey, which left Annapolis, Md., December 23, for the Philippine Islands, arrived here today for coal and provisions. The Potomac reports having left the Dewey, which was the charge of the soldiers Caesar, Brutus and Gladius, about 100 miles off Bermuda. The Dewey will pass here tomorrow.

Express Companies Abolish Passes.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The express companies have decided to join the railroads in refusing to issue passes for the carrying of business free of charge. Announcement to this effect was made today at the office of the express companies.

Notes From National Capital.

Representative John Sharp Williams, the minority leader in the House, has returned to Washington. In his absence, Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, took his place. Representatives Carl of Kansas, introduced a bill to permit grazing leases on Western lands. It allows leases for periods of five years under rules prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior. The House committee on interstate and foreign commerce will consider rate bills on January 12. News of the naval disaster at the committee, but it is likely that Chairman Hepburn's measure will form the basis for action. Admiral H. Glass will retire from active service on January 7. He will be continued indefinitely in his duties as commander of the Pacific naval district, with headquarters at San Francisco. The Secretary of the Interior has withdrawn more than 1,000,000 acres of public land in Arizona and New Mexico from all forms of disposal except under the mineral laws for inclusion in forest reserves.

GAINS FOR BOTH SIDES

Three Firms Adopt Eight Hours, One Joins Typothetae.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The Typographical Union announced tonight that three firms of employing printers, members of the Typothetae, had accepted the union's demands for an eight-hour day and "closed shop," and by tomorrow morning about 150 of the striking compositors will be at work. Early in the day it was announced that Possey & Co. and A. G. Sherrill had signed the union agreement, and tonight the Wynkoop-Hallenbeck-Crawford Company settled with the printers. On behalf of the Typothetae, it was announced that the fight for the "open shop" and the nine-hour day was going forward steadily. The American Bank-note Company, it was stated, although not a member of the Typothetae, had come out for the "open-shop" principle. The Typothetae announced that 200 nonunion men were now working in 50 "open shops" in the city, and that the number constantly is being added to. To assure the nonunion men of permanent employment, the Typothetae declared that personal contracts for one, two and three years would be entered into.

Strike Ties Up School Buildings.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Union of Structural Ironworkers, today took personal charge of the strike of the union men here for an increase of pay from \$4.50 to \$5 a day. He said he found conditions so satisfactory that he did not consider it necessary to call a National strike. Work on 12 public schools in the several boroughs is tied up by the strike and the construction of other schools will be delayed as soon as the masons can be taken from work. There are between 25 and 30 schools under construction in the city.

Our Great Sale Lipman, Wolfe & Co. Every Article Reduced

2000 New Spring 1906 Lingerie Waists

On Sale at Clearance Sale Prices

The demand for White Lingerie Waists is so imperative that we urged the manufacturer to make strenuous efforts to make us a large shipment at the earliest possible date.

We are ready today with 2000 New Waists made of the finest Mull, embroidered and tucked

A particularly attractive lot of Waists, regular price \$2.75, is offered at \$1.98

Other Splendid Bargains at \$1.38, \$1.57, \$1.80, \$1.98, \$2.17, \$2.36, \$2.82, \$3.61 up to \$6.45

Our Great White Carnival

Is the Best Opportunity for Procuring the Best Muslin Underwear and the Finest Lingerie at the Lowest Prices

CORSET COVERS in endless assortments. Great bargains at 25c, 29c, 39c, 49c, 59c, 69c, 79c, 98c and up. GOWNS of cambric, lawn and muslin. Great bargains at 59c, 79c, 98c, \$1.39, \$1.59 and up. DRAWERS—Great bargains at 39c, 49c, 69c, 98c, \$1.39, \$1.98, etc. SKIRTS of muslin and cambric with lawn flounces and ruffles. Great bargains at 79c, 98c, \$1.35, \$1.45, \$1.65, \$1.98, \$2.75 and up. CHEMISE in short and combination styles. Great bargains at 49c, 59c, 79c, 98c, \$1.35 and \$1.98. FRENCH LINGERIE—All those dainty pieces of handmade French muslin underwear—many of them classed as objects of art—also all of our Italian Silk Underwear—are on sale at much less than former low prices.

\$1.50 Gloria Umbrellas at 98c

Mererized Gloria Umbrellas, in 26 and 28 inches, for men and women, with a large variety of new handles. Regular \$1.50 values at 98c

Bargains for Men Handkerchiefs

Men's cambric hemstitched Handkerchiefs; full size; regular 10c quality reduced to, each 5c. Men's cambric hemstitched Handkerchiefs; full size; 12 1/2c quality, each 10c. Men's pure Irish linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs; 20c quality reduced to 3 for 50c. Men's pure Irish linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs; 25c quality, each 19c.

Muslin Nightshirts

Men's muslin Nightshirts, beautifully trimmed; made large and roomy; 63c quality, each 47c. Shirts All our \$1.50 Manhattan Shirts made of madras or percale and all new, fresh goods, no old timers in lot, reduced to \$1.19. Men's fine percale Shirts, made specially for Lipman, Wolfe & Co.; all new, neat patterns, reduced to, each 89c.

All Neckwear Reduced

25c at 19c, 35c at 27c, 50c at 37c, 65c at 47c, 75c at 57c, 85c at 67c, \$1.00 at 78c. \$1.25 at 98c, \$1.35 at \$1.12, \$1.50 at \$1.27, \$1.75 at \$1.47, \$1.85 at \$1.63, \$2.00 at \$1.73, \$2.25 at \$1.87. And all others in like proportion.

HILLER IS STILL GUARDED

HELD AS WITNESS, BUT NO ACCUSATION IS MADE. Says He Will Establish Alibi—Mother's Will Locked in Safe, of Which Key is Lost.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 5.—Coroner Mix, after hearing testimony this evening and tonight relative to the death of Charles A. Hiller, of New York, who was found with a bullet wound in his head at the home of Charles A. Hiller, Wednesday morning, declined to make a statement. A Maxey Hiller is held by the coroner's jury as a witness, but is at home, guarded by a policeman. The coroner said tonight, however, that no charge of any kind had been made against any person. A Maxey Hiller said late tonight that he would establish an alibi when the proper time came, but refused to discuss the mysterious case further. The witnesses in the inquest today were Charles A. Hiller and Margaret Reynolds, the latter a servant in the house where Mr. Edwards was killed. No statement was given out as to the purport of their evidence.

Indictments Against Sherrick.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 5.—Special Judge Wilson today quashed three of the nine indictments against ex-Auditor of State David E. Sherrick, who recently resigned on demand of the Governor. All the counts charging conspiracy are removed. Six indictments remain, charging Mr. Sherrick with the larceny or embezzlement of sums aggregating \$68,527.

Trains Still Blocked in Snow.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 5.—The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific overland passenger trains are still blocked in the snow in cuts on the plains around Santa Rosa, N. M. Big rotary snowplows and gangs of men have been unable to cope with the conditions.

Robbers Take Run Money.

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 5.—The Astell saloon, at Basin, a mining camp 40 miles north of here, was entered by two robbers early this morning, the safe cracked and the proprietor robbed of about \$200. The robbers escaped, though several possess are looking for them.

\$18.50 to \$15.00 Tailor-Made Suits \$6.75

Fifty-five Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits of black and navy chevots and pan chevots, all new this season; made long and short-coat styles; regular price \$18.50, \$17.50, \$15.00. Will be closed out at \$6.75

\$18.50 to \$15 Walking Skirts, \$8.75

Walking Skirts of finest quality chiffon Panama cloth in all the newest shades of gray. Made in plaited and flounce styles.

Silk Coats, Values to \$45 at \$16.75

Silk Coats in tight-fitting and half-fitting styles; full length. Colors are black, red, tan.

Silk Tailor-Made Suits, Values to \$50 at \$17.85

All made in most up-to-date styles in blue, green, tan, brown and gray.

Dress Goods Bargains

IMPORTED CREPE DE PARIS. \$1.00 quality pure silk warp Crepe de Paris, in full line of colors for street or evening wear; 42 inches wide; sold always at \$1.00, at, per yard, 49c. ZIBELINE CLOAKING AT ONE-HALF PRICE. \$1.50 quality Fur Cloaking, 54 inches wide; navy and brown; price cut in half, 75c. 54-INCH BROADCLOTH MIXTURES. \$1.75 quality all-wool Broadcloth Mixtures, for tailor suits, coats, etc.; Oxford and medium grays, browns, castors; 54 inches wide, at 98c. \$1.00 SUBLIMES 59c. Imported silk and wool Sublimes, similar weaves to Lansdowne, 37 inches wide; cardinal, gray, pink, yellow, rose, Nile, reseda, heliotrope, at 59c. NOVELTY SUITINGS. \$1.25 all-wool Novelty Suiting, 54 inches wide; Scotch tweeds, homespuns, boucle and camelshair novelties; regular \$1.25 values, at 65c. \$2.25 Priestley's Cravenettes, for Rain Cloaks, 56 inches wide; Oxford, navy, brown, tan, castor, gray and mode; plain and stripe effects, at \$1.65. PLAIN AND FANCY VOILES AND ETAMINES. \$1.25 to \$1.75 Imported Novelties in French Voiles, 48-inch plain Voiles, 43-inch French Voiles, Mistral, Etamines, Panamas, etc., at 69c. BARGAINS IN BLACK DRESS GOODS. Black Novelty Dress Goods, \$1.50 and \$2.00 quality, silk and wool Crepe, Mohair and Wool Novelties, figured Solids and fancy Jacquards, at 69c. BLACK NOVELTY DRESS GOODS—\$1.75 TO \$3.00 QUALITY. Silk embroidered Crepe, polka-dot embroidered Crepe de Paris, silk and wool crepe novelties, mohair novelties, Priestley's silk and wool novelties, at \$1.48.

15c Flannelettes 8c

3000 yards of new Printed Flannelettes in plain and satiny-style weaves; pretty colorings.

\$1.48 Corset Cover Embroidery 95c

Corset Cover Embroidery—in boxes—with heading to match.

Art Store Bargains

Mount Hood Pillow Tops; regular 50c, at 25c. 75c LUNCH CLOTH 45c. Special designs in violets for Pillow Tops; regular 50c, at 25c. 50c Traycloths, 25c. 50c Tapestry Tops, 25c. 75c Bureau Scarfs, 45c.

Hosiery Bargains

Children's fine-grade ribbed cotton Hose, double heels and toes and knees; full regular made; 30c quality, 19c. Ladies' ribbed wool Stockings, merino heel and toe, full length, seamless; 30c quality, per pair 18c. Ladies' fine cashmere Hose, full regular made, merino tipped heels and toes; 60c quality reduced to 40c.

Underwear Bargains

Ladies' fleeced Vests, high neck, long sleeves, silk trimmed neck, drawers to match; 63c quality reduced to 42c. Ladies' fine-grade ribbed Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, silk taped; \$1.50 quality reduced to \$1.05.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Scalloped and hemstitched embroidered Handkerchiefs for ladies; 12 1/2 and 15c values, each 9c. 100 dozen scalloped and hemstitched embroidered Handkerchiefs; 25c val. 14c. 100 dozen all-linen embroidered hemstitched Handkerchiefs, demi-laundered; 35c values for 19c. 5000 ladies' plain white hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 12 1/2 inches square; 7c values, each 4c.

SHEET AND PILLOW-CASE BARGAINS

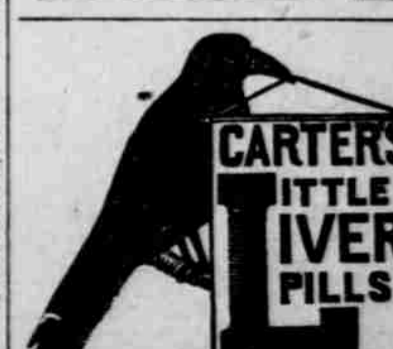
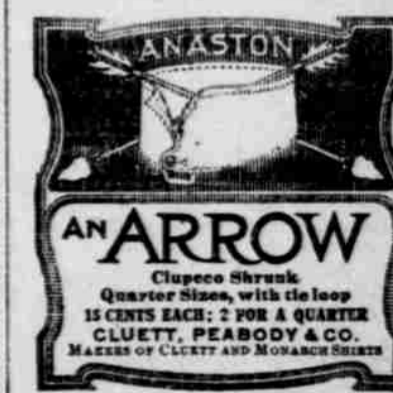
Ready-made Sheets ready for use, no seams in the center of our sheets; every one perfect and of good quality. 72x90 Sheets, bargain price 55c. 81x90 Sheets, bargain price 60c. 45x36 Pillow Cases, 17c. 50x38 Pillow Cases, 18c. 54x38 Pillow Cases, 19c. 45x36 Pillow Cases, H. S., 25c.

Seattle Lights Are Dear.

SEATTLE, Jan. 5.—(Special)—Seattle has already used up a bond issue of \$80,000, on which interest amounting to \$2,125 is paid annually, to install an electric lighting system. No city officials are confronting the problem of providing still more money, for the fund will be depleted by February 1. The municipality has just begun to sell light for commercial purposes, and the revenue during December was \$21,52. During the present month it may be \$1200. But monthly expenses are between \$2500 and \$2800, and the system is yet to be extended to all parts of the city. Nineteen street lighting circuits are installed, but at least 25 are needed. The commercial circuits are additional.

No Appetite

Means loss of vitality, vigor or tone, and is often a precursor of prostrating sickness. This is why it is serious. The best thing you can do is to take the great alterative and tonic Hood's Sarsaparilla Which has cured thousands.



They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.