POOH BAH'S DOUBLE TURN

Commissioner Prepares Briefs for Lawyers, Then Acts as Judge of Them-Vain Protest Against the Colville Fees,

WASHINGTON, June 11.-In the Senate today La Follette made the state-ment that he had been informed that ment that he had been informed that an assistant to the commission to the five civilized tribes had assisted a legal firm in preparing the Indian roll and had then passed on the roll in his official capacity. He also said that a brother-inlaw of a Senator who had reported the legislation preparing a court system for Indian Territory had been appointed a member of the court thus created. These statements were made in a speech in opposition to the conference report on the Indian appropriation bill.

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The conference report was accepted, however, regardless of this opposition and that of other Senators, the expression of which consumed the greater portion of which consumed the greater portion of the day's session. The particular con-ference provisions to which objection was made were those relating to the en-rollment of the Choctaw Indians, the settlement of the claim of ex-Senator But-ler of North Carolina and other attorneys in connection with the Colville reservation in Washington and the adjustment of the business of A. J. Brown as ad-ministrator of certain minor Seminole

Indian children.

Earlier in the day the Senate passed the diplomatic appropriation bill, carrying 13,154,549, and the oath of office was administered to William P. Whyte as successor of the late Senator Gorman of Maryland.

MUCH GRAFTING ON INDIANS

Colvilles, Choctaws and Seminoles Get No Help From Senate.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—When the Senate today resumed consideration of the conference report on the Indian appropriation bill. Tillman resumed his attack on the provision ratifying the acts of A. J. Brown as administrator for certain minor children of the Seminole tribe of Indians in the disbursement of \$188.000.

Teller said that Brown's accounts

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Shamons took exception to the provision looking to the settlement of the claim for \$150,000 of ex-United States Senator Marion Butler and Josiah M. Vale in connection with the opening of the Colville Indian reservation, in the State of Washington. He expressed the opinion that the settlement was exorbitant and said that only a part of the claim should be paid. Later Simmons took the position that no legal service had been rendered.

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La Follette returned to his attack on the conference amendment concerning the enrollment of the Choctaw Indians, which enrollment of the Choctaw Indians, which enrollment to 300 perhe said would do an injustice to 2000 persons. He cited a case in which a firm of lawyers in Indian Territory had been paid \$750,000 for services to the Indians. Continuing, La Follette said that within the past few days he had been told that in 1903 an assistant on the commission to the five civilized tribes that had been given a leave of absence had during his absence been employed by the firm above referred to in briefing its cases for the exclusion of Indians from the rolls and that he had returned to his office and proceeded to pass officially on the cases which he had briefed. These cases were, he said, the same that are covered by the pending amendment. He added that he had been informed that this matter had been brought to the attention of the Interior Department within the past few days, but that it had not been taken up. The Wisconsin Senator also said that he had been told that a brother-in-law of Senator who had reported the legisla

been appointed a member of those courts.
The vote was then taken on the acceptance of the report and it resulted favorably, 20 to 16. NO MONEY TO MARK GRAVES

House Refuses Appropriation for

tion for the Indian Territory courts had

Cuba and China Veterans. ; WASHINGTON, June 11 .- After nearly four hours spent in the consideration of legislation affecting the interests of the District of Columbia, the House today District of Columbia, the House today resumed consideration of the sundry civil bill, and, after an hour and a half spent in its consideration, adjourned. An amendment was passed, permitting the appointment of retired officers of the United States Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., as members of the International Waterways Commission, as provided for in the river and harbor bill creating this Commission.

The House in committee of the whole refused to make an additional appropria-tion for marking the places where American soldiers fell and were temporarily interred in Cuba and China, on the ground that it was a bad precedent.

NOT GOING TO HAGUE MEETING

Spanish-American Countries Scorn

World's Peace Conference. WASHINGTON, June 11.-Many of the South and Central American rethe South and Central American re-publics are showing an indifference to-ward the third peace conference, to be held at The Hague next year, which is especially annoying to the United States. Secretary Root was Instru-mental in bringing about a delay of The Hague conference until next year so that it might not conflict with the Pan-American conference, which will begin at Rio Janeiro on July 12. But Secretary Root's interest in the south-ern meeting does not seem to have spurred the southern republics to par

ricipation in The Hague conference, in spite of the protests they voiced when Russia suggested that early this Fall would be a good time for The Hague meeting. Fanams has declined from the first take any part in The Hague con-rence. Venezuela, Ecuador and Nicaragua have ignored all communica-tions, not even acknowledging the re-ciept of the original invitation. Ho-

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A Ray of Hope.

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For weeks we have been casting about for a temporary down-town office, and a place where the Acolian and Planola circulating library, and the Oregonian premium talking and singing machine records might be handled, which we cannot do in our wholesale quarters, corner Thirteenth and Northrup streets. It has been a physical impossibility to secure quarters adequate for these requirements. Now come Messrs. Jennings and Company with a proposition that may mean the cessation of this sale within the next 36 hours. So then, here's a fair warning. Sale may end within the next 36 hours. Don't put off coming, therefore, until this opportunity has slipped by. You can now save enough money in the buying of a piano to take the entire family on a trip. East this Summer. You may not be able to do it after Wednesday night or after Thursday. Act quickly then, for if an arrangement now in contemplation is consummated the sale will stop forthwith.

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livia, Guatemala, Salvador and Peru have accepted the invitations, while Brazil, Argentina and Mexico are also known to have expressed a desire to take part in The Hague deliberations, under the prescribed conditions,

MAY ADJOURN ABOUT JUNE 23

Congress Will Dispose of Everything Except Type of Canal.

WASHINGTON, June 11 .- In an effort to bring an adjournment of Congress by July 1 or earlier, Senator Allison, chair-man of the Senate Republican steering committee, will call the committee to gether either on Wednesday or Thurs-day to consider the programme for the remainder of the session. With the statehood question out of the way, it is now believed that the railroad rate conference report and the meat inspection bill are practically the only obstructions to an early adjournment.

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It is not likely there can be any agreement this session between the two houses on the subject of the type of the canal to be constructed across the Isthmus of Panama. For several days June 21 has been held up in the Senate as an adjournment date to strive for. In the House there is a dissession to editors before its a dissession to editors before its and is subject to editors. there is a disposition to adjourn befor July 1, if possible, and it is likely that any reasonable programme could be agreed upon between the houses,

HOUSE TO ACT ON RATE BILL

Will Send It Back to Conference

Without Debate Today. WASHINGTON, June 11.-The railroad washington, June 11.—Ine railroad rate bill will be sent to conference by the House as its first business tomorrow. The committee on rules has been called to meet in the morning and a special rule returning the bill to conference without discussion in the House will be brought in Under the rules there will be the returning the second returning in. Under the rules there will be 40 min-utes' debate on the rule, but none is to be had on the conference report.

Growing Trade With Japan.

WASHINGTON, June 11 .- Trade of WASHINGTON, June 11.—Trade of the United States with Japan is larger than with any other Oriental country, says a bulletin issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor, and aggregated in the fiscal year \$106,000.00. Exports to that country have grown from about \$5,000,000 in the calendar year 1895 to over \$55,000,000 in the fiscal year 1905, and imports from that country from \$27,500,000 in 1895 to nearly \$51,000,000 in 1905. The growth in exports from the United States to in exports from the United States to Japan and China, says the bulletin, has been a remarkable feature in United States export trade in the last decade. The increase in exports to Japan was in round terms \$50,000,000.

Confirmed by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, June 11.-The Senate in recutive session today confirmed the fol-M. R. Wilson, Register of Land Office at

Bozeman, Mont.

Receiver of Public Moneys—Samuel A.
Wells, at Spokane, Wash.; Charles A.
Wilson, at Great Falls, Mont.; John R.
Hilman at Kalispell, Mont.

Postmasters—Idaho, Grace H. Wolley,
Preston; Washington, W. W. Ward, Dayton; F. W. Molloy, Oaksdale; W. L.
Lemon, North Yakima; Carrie Newton,
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Need new House Wrappers? Pay us today for the \$1.25-\$1.50 sort.

Buy a plenty-you'll need several to take away to the shore cottage or country bungalow-then, there's the supply that's running short for the housework at home. Today's offering includes the usual \$1.25 and \$1.50 wrappers in pretty percales, light and dark colorings, neat, attractive patterns. Full regular made in splendid workmanship, sizes are exact, not a skimped garment or pinched size in the lot. All have rolling collars, some ruffled over shoulders, others made plain. Skirts are flounced in 69c gathered effect. Special today only at......



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A Pretty Suit, Coat, Summer Dress, Lingerie or Silk Waist, Wash Dress, Black Silk Petticoat or Walking Skirt at a price not related to value? Grand Salons-Second Floor.

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DEPENDABLE, YARD-WIDE BLACK TAFFETAS. A new shipment just received direct from the looms: Regular \$1.25 grade, 36 inches wide, special, yard.....97¢ Regular \$1.50 grade, 36 inches wide; special, yard...\$1.19 Regular \$1.75 grade, 36 inches wide, special, yard...\$1.42 CLIFTON BOND SUITING.

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\$2.24, \$2.64 and \$3.08 each. Scotch homespun Table Damask, heavy and medium weight;

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18c WHITE LINETTE 121/2c. 'White Linette', has the look of real linen; regular value

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\$5.00 \$15-Gage, worth to \$15-Phipps & Atchison \$15.

50 styles of above famous make of hats, values to \$15, for \$5. Every late and approved style in the choosing, all wanted colors, no hat worth less than \$8 and more worth up to and including the \$15 models; choose today at \$5.00



Need More 'Kerchiefs? Surprising Values in a Special Sale Today

PLAIN AND FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS. 50c HANDKERCHIEFS 25c.

A lot of fine scalloped bordered Swiss Handkerchiefs, all nicely embroidered in pretty designs; every one is worth 50c, special sale price......25¢

10c AND 121/2c HANDKERCHIEFS FOR 6 FOR 50c. Women's pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, our 10c and

25c HANDKERCHIEFS FOR 15c. Ladies' pure all-linen Handkerchiefs, very fine and sheer;

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they, that at the special prices of today, one can scarcely see how a pair of hands can be paid for putting a garment together. And really there's not a bit of earning to anyone at these figures. Your's is all the gain—and all hands are kept

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Regular \$1.50 value, special at..... Regular \$2.25 value, special at......\$1.47 Another shipment of Corset Covers came in, about 9 styles to select from; lace or embroidery trimmed; regular price A great assortment of ladies' gowns, of fine cambric or nainsook, long or elbow sleeves, high or low neck, including slipover styles; regular price \$2.50, special at....\$1.87

Ladies' fine Cambric Drawers, deep lawn ruffle, fine hemstitched tucks, lace insertion, embroidery and lace edging; Ladies' Black Petticoats of Italian cloth and fine sateen flounces, in a variety of styles; regular price \$4.50,\$3.37

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Russian Moderates Will Try to Check Radicals.

AGRARIAN OPPOSE

While Parliament Talks, Revolutionists Stir Up Peasants to Strikes and Arson-Whole Regiment in Open Mutiny.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 11 .- The organization of a new party of the Center, midway between the Octoberists and the

midway between the Octoberists and the Constitutional Democrats, is announced today in an interview with M. Yermoloff, formerly Minister of Agriculture, and now a member of the Council of the Empire. The party, which probably will have a clear majority in the Council, expects to co-operate with Count Hayden, Michael Stakovich and other Conservatives in the lower house. lower house.

Though M. Yermoloff was dropped from the ministry on account of his liberal opinions, he does not hesitate to call many of the most cherisned plans of the Constitutional Democrats, including their agrarian project, "nonsensical will-o'-the-wisps," which the Council of the Empire will refuse to follow. He states that no project embracing seneral expropriation.

under extreme necessity, but adds that the party contemplates the immediate formation of a commission to elaborate principles under which the lower house's agrarian scheme may be amended, in order to secure the most speedy action.

The Center party is opposed to the Council's assuming the initiative of legislation, which only would fruitlessly exasperate the lower house. In general it takes its stand on the principles of the fundamental law and the Council's response to the speech from the throne but spense to the speech from the throne, but the members are not bound to details by a hard and fast policy. The St. Petersburg newspapers are filled

with dispatches reporting agrarian troubles in the interior, in which the hand of the revolutionists and a central directing brain are clearly manifest. Where it is impossible to influence to arson, the propaganda manifests itself in agrarian strikes. In the province of Kherson the peasants refuse to begin work in the fields until their demands shall have been granted. In the central provinces the field hands are insisting on a mini-mum wage of about \$1.50 a day. Famine already is acute in several districts and in the province of Veronesh typhus has become epidemic.

DEBATE LAND BILL ALL WEEK

Large Committee.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 11.-The de bate on the agrarian question in the lower house of Parliament promises to inue throughout the week, and when finished the solution of the question will hardly be much further advanced than when the debate began, as the idea of giving instructions to the committee which will frame the bill has been aban-

Parliament Will Refer Question to

Whatever fighting occurs will come

the election of the committee, which will consist of 88 members. While the com-mittee will be supposed to follow the gen-eral direction of the views expressed

will retuse to tolow.

project embracing general expropriation and nationalization of private land will have the slightest chance in the Council of the Empire, which will admit of expropriation only in extreme cases and the bill will be ready for submission be-

fore July I, at about which time it is the Government's Intention to declare Parlia ment adjourned until September for the lummer vacation.
The members of the House dare not re

turn to their constituents after a fruitiess session of two months, and undoubtedly will resist any attempt to adjourn. Nevertheless, the House will be power-less if the Government persists. The Government's plan is clear. The House having failed to offer a solution of the agrarian question, the Emperor, under the authority reserved to him by the fundamental law, will promulgate the Gov-ernment's agrarian programme as a tem-porary law, in the hope that the peas-ants, disgusted at the failure of Parlia-ment to give reller, will accept it. Once the Government's scheme for land distribution is put in operation and gen-erally accepted, the Government calcu-lates that it will create enough support to prevent the House from attempting to replace it by its own plan in the Autumn. The mere adjournment of Parliament against the protest of the lower house of Parliament, however, is sure to raise a popular outery, with which the Govern-

ment will have to reckon, and the situa-tion and temper of the country at the critical moment will determine whether the Government will have the courage to attempt the scheme. The peasants are reported to have taken

possession of the estate of M. Statovich, a member of the lower house belonging to the October party, in Ryaxan Province. WHOLE REGIMENT MUTINIES

Poltava Garrison May Get Infection From Malcontents.

POLTAVA, South Russia, June 11 .-- An regiment of infantry over the fallure of the military authorities to redeem their pledges regarding the amelioration of service conditions, made as a result of last Fall's revolt. The mutiny threatens to spread to the rest of the garrison. Members of the Noncommissioned Officers' School have joined the mutineers. The public is greatly excited, anticipat-

ing that the revolutionists will seize the opportunity to inaugurate an armed re-volt in support of the mutinous soldiers The Eletz regiment paraded today be-fore the garrison commander, who prom-ised satisfaction of several of the men's demands. Afterward a review of the gar-rison was held, the Eletz regiment participating.

Father Forced to Choose Son to Die.

ST. PETERSBURG, June IL-A pathetic story comes to the Associated Press from Riga, where the military autherities compeiled a father, a veteran of the Turkish War, to choose which of his two sons should be executed for partleipation in disarming a policeman, authorities being unable to identify which brother was implicated.

After the father had sent his son to execution, it was discovered his other son was the real culprit. He is now on trial.

Russia Rebuilding Her Fleet.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 11.-An of ficial statement issued today shows that the naval construction in progress con-sists of seven cruisers, which would be accepted by the Summer of 1998; five bat-tleships, four gunboats and two torpedo transports, which will be ready for com-munity at the end of 1997 and 35 tormission at the end of 1907, and 35 tor

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