

LILLEY'S CHARGES ARE LIKE RAVINGS

President of Submarine Company Accuses Accuser of Falsehood.

LAKE OFFERED TO SELL

Rice Refuses to Reveal Names of Stockholders and Attorney's Fees. Money Not Spent to Buy Congressmen Wine.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The investigation of the charges made by Representative Lilley against the methods pursued by the Electric Boat Company in securing legislation was resumed by the special commission of the House today. Isaac L. Rice, president of that company, pronounced a "malicious lie" the statement of Mr. Lilley that "the Electric Boat Company had made continued and repeated efforts to influence the action of the Navy Department."

"The only influence we have used with the Navy Department," replied Mr. Rice, "is to build the best boat. The rest of the story is a malicious lie."

Refused to Buy Out Lake. Mr. Rice said that he had been approached on four occasions by representatives of the Lake Company with propositions to buy out that company or to merge the two companies and form a new one.

Mr. Rice testified that he was given to understand by Mr. Brown that these proposals were made contingent on the present investigation being stopped; that it could be stopped if the consolidation were effected.

No Woman Lobbyist. Among the questions prepared by Mr. Lilley and propounded to Mr. Rice were a number relating to the alleged employment of a woman lobbyist by the Electric Boat Company to influence members of Congress.

SAYS THE DUKE WILL WORK. Shouts Defends Son-in-Law From His Critics. "Give the Duke a chance; he's a square-shouldered young man and opportunity is all he wants," said Theodore P. Shonts, speaking of his new son-in-law, the Duke de Chauvins.

GOVERNOR IS ATTACKED. Michigan Executive Accused by Politician of Trickery. SAGINAW, Mich., March 31.—Arthur Hill, of this city, wealthy lumberman, Regent of the University of Michigan, and one of the unsuccessful candidates for election to the United States Senate a year ago, today issued a lengthy open letter addressed to Governor Fred M. Warner, sensationally attacking him.

ORGANIZE FOR BOYCOTT. Hatred of Japanese Goods Spreading Through Chinese Empire. HONGKONG, April 1.—The boycott against Japanese goods, instituted as a result of the Tatsu Maru incident, is spreading.

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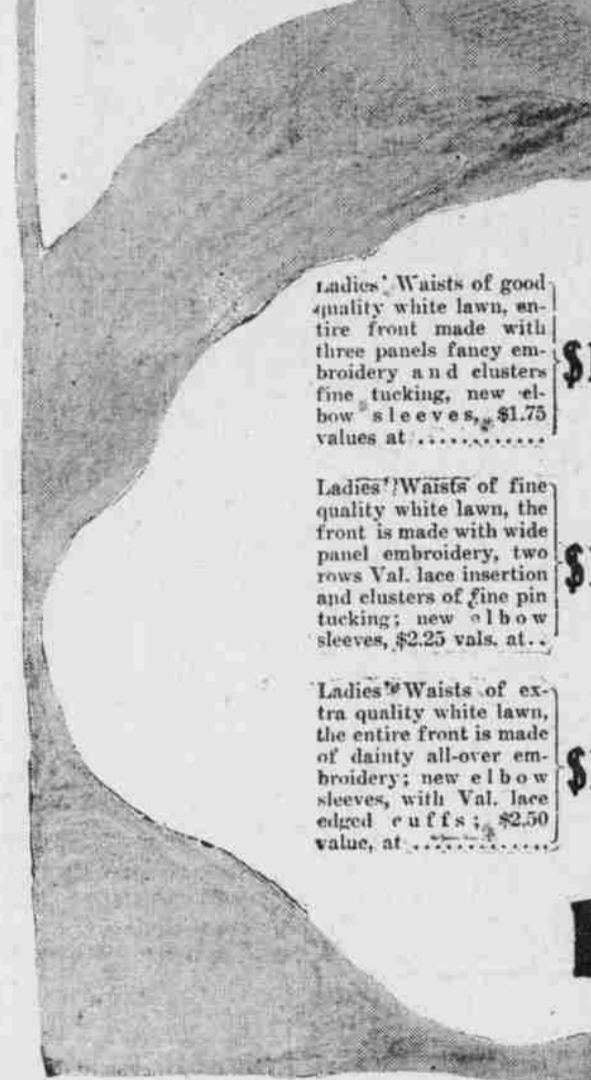
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Ladies' Waists of extra quality white lawn, the entire front is made of dainty all-over embroidery; new elbow sleeves, with Val lace edged cuffs; \$2.50 value, at..... \$1.92

Ladies' fine white lawn Waists; the entire front is made of all-over embroidery and clusters of fine pin tucking; new elbow sleeves, with 3 deep tucks; real value \$3.50. \$2.46

Lingerie Waists of all-over panel embroidery in novelty designs; new elbow sleeves, with tucked and lace-edged cuffs; the real value is \$5.00—special for this sale..... \$3.72

Novelty Net Waists in ecru, made with wide insertion and lace trimming; new ruffled elbow sleeves; the real value is \$6.00—special reduced for this sale only..... \$3.86

Novelty Net Waists, made over silk in the popular shade of ecru, medallion trimmed yoke; new kimono effect sleeves, with Cluny trimming; real value \$6.50..... \$3.97

Tender Yankton Arrives With Mail and, Passing Quarantine Without Stopping, Gives Rise to Rumor That Admiral Is on Board.

PROTECTING THE OPEN DOOR. America Seeking Recognition of Chinese Integrity. WASHINGTON, March 31.—It is admitted at the State Department that the status of the American Consul at Harbin has been made the subject of representations to Washington by the Russian government, but while negotiations are pending the officials are loath to discuss it.

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Dresses FANCY figured lawn and percale two-piece House Dresses; also lawn and percale one-piece House Dresses. Values to \$2.00. \$1.19

Kid Gloves GENUINE "Trefousse" 2-clasp Pique Kid Gloves, very best quality, all sizes, in tan, brown, black, white, oxford, slate, etc. Always \$2.50 pair. \$1.98

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Ribbons ALL silk Taffeta Ribbon, all colors, 4 1/2 inches wide. Regularly sold at 30c yard; a value without precedent, Wednesday. 15c

Wilton Rugs VELVET Wilton Rugs, handsome Oriental patterns, light and dark grounds, size 27x54 in., large variety. Reg. \$3.50 value. \$1.98

Huck Towels 18X33-INCH Bleached Huck Towels. Sold regularly for 18c each, good heavy quality. A sensational value. Wednesday only. 10c

Stationery BOX Eaton-Huribut 35c Stationery, all the new shapes and colors, quire of paper and envelopes to match. 19c

Visit'g Cards 100 CARDS printed from your copper finish on latest size cards, vellum flint or French fabric cards. Wednesday only. 69c

Pictures FREDERIC REMINGTON'S famous Wild West Pictures, marvelous delineations of the life of the plains. Sold for \$1.00 everywhere. 25c