

SAY LAW DEPRIVES VOTERS OF RIGHTS

Illinois Primary Law Places Too Much Power in Committee Hands.

EXPECT DELAYED DECISION

Lawyers Declare Measure Invalid Because It Permits Electors to Vote in One Part of the State and Not Another.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 15.—(Special.)—The Illinois Supreme Court today heard arguments in support of and against the constitutionality of the primary election law.

The main points advanced by attorneys for Phillips and Peacock were that the primary act is unconstitutional because it adds to the constitutional qualifications of some electors and deprives constitutionally qualified electors of the right to vote at the primary elections.

Attorneys Loesch and Struckman took the grounds that the primary act is constitutional and that even though some sections are repugnant to the constitution, the whole act could not fall on this account.

As the situation stands at present the wisest course at the situation is to believe that the Supreme bench will not hand down its decision this month in the two cases attacking the act.

VETERAN DIPLOMAT QUILTS

Vigneux Resigns From Paris Embassy, Pensioned by Millionaires.

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Henry Vigneux, secretary of the American Embassy at Paris, has resigned, the resignation to take effect March 31.

Mr. Vigneux, who is 79 years old and the oldest member of the American diplomatic corps abroad, leaves the service highly esteemed by all who know him.

READER ASKS COMMISSION

Sues Haggin for \$250,000 for Buying Peruvian Mines.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Suit was brought in the State Supreme Court here today by Athlete B. Reader, husband of Ella Rawley Reader, against James B. Haggin, the wealthy mine-owner and racing man.

ROAD DELAYING EXTENSION

Canadian Northern Cautious in Building Lines to Coast.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 15.—It was stated today that the plans for the Canadian Northern extension to the Pacific are still tentative.

ARREST THREE SUSPECTS

Colorado Officials Think They Have Rio Grande Robbers.

PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 15.—H. Jesus Varuel, a Mexican who has been spending money freely, during the past 24 hours, was arrested last night on suspicion of being one of the men who held up Rio Grande train No. 4, near Fort Logan Saturday morning.

DENVER, Feb. 15.—Two men suspected of being the train robbers who held up a Rio Grande train near Fort Logan Saturday morning, were arrested last night at Salda.

ON TRIAL AT SAN FRANCISCO CHARGED WITH BRIBERY



PATRICK CALHOUN, PRESIDENT UNITED RAILWAYS.

PAY \$50,000 FINE

But Waters-Pierce Company Does Not Quit Trust.

FURTHER ACTION LIKELY

Missouri Courts Not Satisfied With Action of Oil Company in Ouster Proceedings and Threaten New Trial.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 15.—Henry S. Priest, of St. Louis, and H. Clay Pierce, chairman of the board of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, today filed in the Supreme Court of Missouri an acceptance of the terms imposed upon the company by the recent order of the court.

Payment of the fine was made by the tender of a certified check for \$50,000. The acceptance is silent so far as showing a reorganization independent of the Standard Oil Company is concerned.

On the grounds that the Waters-Pierce Oil Company has not complied with the order of the Supreme Court of the state in its answer filed today, attorneys show evidence that it has severed with the court a suggestion that the ouster be made effective against the concern.

The action of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company this morning does not comply with the decree of the court except as to the fine, the Attorney-General said.

When does the Standard Oil Company of Indiana come in now? The court passes upon its proposition. I should not be surprised if the court would give us a field day for both companies and have it all at once.

Company Is Content. Judge H. S. Priest, attorney for the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, said today that the company is content with the order of the court and now are submitting ourselves to its orders.

Speaking of the proposition made by the Standard Oil Company of Indiana to let the state have half control of the business of a new company to be organized to do business in Missouri, Judge Priest said: "We are not parties to it. We promised not to go into any combination of any kind whatever. We have nothing to do with these propositions, but, of course, if we must meet them, we will meet them."

SIGSBEE TELS OF MAINE

Ex-Commander Chief Speaker at Memorial Service.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Memories of the men who were plunged to sudden death when the battleship Maine went down in the waters of Havana harbor, 21 years ago today, were honored in song and story today in observance of the day by the military, religious and patriotic bodies.

CONDENSED NEWS BY WIRE

Denver.—The statement of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad for the half year ending December 31 shows a net profit of \$1,000,000 in the earnings of \$500,000 from the same period of 1907.

REVEY ANSWERS WITH HOST THREAT

Tells Insulting Witness He Has Drawn Line on More Vilification.

IS READY FOR ASSASSINS

Accused of Offering to Desert Graft Prosecution, He Warns Witness—Juror Exposed as Having Prejudice.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Patrick Calhoun's trial upon an indictment for bribery, now entering upon its fifth week, has produced no session approaching in interest the proceedings today, when the panel of 12 jurors, completed after days of wearisome effort, was broken by the discharge of one juror and when Assistant District Attorney Francis J. Heney, presenting a threat from a witness on the stand, declared that he had fixed a line over which no living man could in future step.

Leake Threatens Heney. Sam Leake, a former newspaper manager and politician, who was summoned to the stand because of an allegation that he had endeavored to purchase an interest in the haberdashery business conducted by a brother of one of the jurors, precipitated the most sensational incident of the day.

Heney's Dramatic Warning. "That's all there will be of that," said Mr. Heney at this juncture. "I took this sort of thing from Henry Aehl for months until I got an American citizen and in that capacity I want to say that right here and now I draw the line over which no living man may step."

Juror Favored Conviction. It was shortly after this that the day's session of court ended, while the prosecution by the United Railroad and the additional testimony regarding Walter J. Hook as a juror, and after a challenge for cause had been interposed as a basis for the dismissal of the juror.

DEPORT FOURTEEN INSANE California Sending Crazy Aliens Back Under New Law.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—An especially constructed car will leave here tomorrow for New York, carrying 14 insane alien patients taken from the State Insane Asylum.

Millionaire Defendant Gets Day on Witness Stand.

Millions of dollars are at stake in the case of the defendant, who is charged with the murder of a woman.

Servants Give Testimony. A group of servants testified in court regarding the events leading to the murder.

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Marriage Licenses. A list of couples who have obtained marriage licenses.

Wedding and visiting cards. W. G. Smith & Co., Washington bldg., 4th and Wash.

Demonstration La Vida and W. B. Corsets by Mrs. Dean

Cipman, Wolfe & Co

Spring 1909 Tailor-Made Suits \$25

While Tailor-Made Suits up to \$100.00 are on display in variety, we are gratified at the excellent styles and materials we are able to show at \$25.00. They duplicate higher-priced garments in style.



Various coat lengths, from 32 to 38 inches—taffeta and messaline linings; new plain gored skirts, some trimmed in button and braid; serges and Panamas, in navy, smoke, tan, rose and black. Before buying, see these new Suits at \$25.00

Clearing Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists, Etc.

- \$22.50-\$25 tailor-made Suits, late styles... \$13.95
\$30 broadcloth and serge Suits... \$17.85
\$60-\$85 tailor-made Suits, on sale... \$34.65
\$90-\$125 tailor-made Suits on sale... \$43.95
Broadcloth Coats, values to \$30, for... \$14.95
Broadcloth Coats, values to \$20, for... \$9.98
Women's \$10 long Covert Coats at... \$3.95
\$1.75 Hygrade Black Petticoats for... 98c
\$8.50 colored Taffeta Silk Petticoats... \$4.79
\$4.50 Linen and Madras Waists... \$2.98
Women's Skirts, values to \$8, for... \$3.95
Women's Skirts, values to \$15, for... \$6.87
Women's \$3.50 crew Net Waists at... \$1.49

New Goods for Spring 1909

New Wash Goods, Wool Dress Goods, Silks, Linens, Tailored Suits, Dresses, Waists, Coats, Millinery, Corsets, Gloves, Embroideries, etc., arriving daily. Butterick Patterns and Fashion Books for Spring.

Embroideries, Vals. to \$2 Yd. 39c

Right at the beginning of the season, just before you start your Spring sewing, we have rushed these 18,000 yards of Embroideries out from New York for the season's best sale of high-class embroidery novelties.

Regular 50c Wash Laces

New designs in dainty washable English and Platte Valenciennes, lace edges and insertions to match, widths to 5 inches; an exceptional chance to buy regular 50c laces to sup-19c

Clearance Sale 19c Yard

This final Clearance Sale of Laces at 57c affords a golden opportunity to secure some new up-to-date laces in allovers, bands, galloons, edgings, insertions and festoon effects—at a price far below the regular cost; values up to \$2.25 a yard, all go at a price that will bring out every woman who wants a real 57c lace bargain.

LEMP TELLS STORY

Millionaire Defendant Gets Day on Witness Stand. Mrs. Lemp testified that she continued to live with her husband for more than a year and a half after the finding of the "Dear Little Pal" letter written by her.

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