HOUSE RECEIVES FLOOD OF BILLS

Opponents of Primary Nomination of Judges Engage in Filibuster.

TO COMMITTEE RETURN

Effort Is Made to Amend Present Marriage Examination Law and Anti-Cigarette Law-Guard Asks for More Money.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 16.—(Staff Correspondence.)—By fillbustering, the enemies in the House of the bill restoring the nomination of Supreme Judges to the direct primary method prevented action today by that body on the measure.

The bill came before the House this afternoon with a report favoring its passage, signed by four of the nine members of the committee on privileges and elections. Representative Lambert, of Whatcom, a member of the committee, Insisted that the bill was not properly reported because at the committee, insisted that the bill was not properly reported, because at the committee meeting only four were present, or less than a quorum, and that he declined to sign the report. One member not present at the meeting had later signed the report.

After a long parliamentary tangle, Ward, of Kitsap, speaker pro tem, sustained the objection, and the bill went back to the committee. The

went back to the committee. The friends of the bill, however, succeeded in securing the appointment of three members to take the places of three on the committee who had been perma-nently excused, and the committee was instructed to report tomorrow.

Flood of Bills in House.

The House received a flood of 16 bills this afternoon, several of which will come up in the House tomorrow withcome up in the House tomorrow with-out committee action, under a suspen-sion of the rules. One of these, by Ghent, of King, amends the present anti-cigarette law so that it applies only to the sale to nly to the sale to or possession by

minors.

Another bill, by Ghent, to come up tomorrow, amends the much-discussed

Edge marriage law, so that the present
inhibitions against the wedding of persons afflicted by certain diseases is retained, but affidavits as to good health
are accepted in lieu of physicians' cer-

Another cigarette bill, by Byerly of Cowlitz, will also be considered tomor-row. This bill restores the law to its from before the passage of the criminal code. It will prohibit the possession or manufacture of cigarettes for purposes of sale, but will exempt jobbers doing an

Primary Bill Appears.

The expected bill amending the primary law so that the nominations for candidates to be voted on in special elections to fill Congressional vacancies shall be nominated by special primary elections was introduced in the House by Bell of

lton, the former Adjutant-General, in order to get through his deficiency bill, had cut the maintenance estimate below the sum actually necessary. National Guard officials were quoted as saying that the Guard could not be maintained the \$60,000 appropriated by the regular

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ager of the company's Pacific Coast department, was also submitted.

Then taking up article 4, the state presented a deposition from George Graham, Jr., of Denver, an official of the Capital Life Insurance Company, alleging that in February, 1907, this company paid Schively \$235, of which \$200 was for "verification of report." Mr. Graham made affidavit that Schively did not make an xamination of the company's assets. chively's receipts for the money and a letter demanding the payment were ex-

hibited in evidence.

J. S. Lichty, treasurer of the Farmers'
Mutual Livestock Insurance Company of Spokane, was the first witness called to Spokane, was the first witness catted to the stand. Mr. Lichty said that the only times Schively came to their offices was to collect \$100 and \$150 to permit the company to continue doing business. The witness swore that Schively never presented any detailed statement of expenses and was in the office the first time about one-half hour. Mr. Lichty estimated the expenses of Schively's trip to Spokane from Olympia at \$30.

'On October 9, 1206," testified Mr. Lich-Schively and E. E. Liggett, Insurance Commissioner for Idaho, came to the office and received \$500 for an 'examination that never took place. Schive-iy," said Mr. Lichty, "requested that the check be made out to Liggett, saying that it would be divided equally. They were in the office about 15 minutes," said

Israel Wants Verification.

On cross-examination Schively's coun sel brought out that this company is now in the hands of a receiver. Mr. Lichty was asked if there was not a stenographer present during the interviews, and if entries were not made in the company's books in a woman's handwriting. Mr. in the purpose of testing the interviews, and if entries were not made in the company's books in a woman's handwriting. Mr. Lichty replied in the negative, and Mr. Israel asked for a subpena for Charles St. Morris, and an order for the company's policy records and cash books, for the purpose of testing the credibility of witness Lichty.

The charge of extorting \$200 each for two perfunctory examinations of the Walia Walia Fire Insurance Company was supported by the evidence of O. G. Par-ker, treasurer, and Dorsey M. Hill, re-ceiver of the company. Mr. Parker testi-fied that Schively on April 15, 1907, spent about three hours on the company's books and charged \$20 for it, and that on July 30 of the same year he made another ex-amination and received an additional \$30, for neither of which examinations \$30, for neither of which examinations three hoors on the company's books tetailed statements of expenses were submitted. Receiver Hill exhibited check-book stubs and cashbook entries showing the payment of the money. He estimated that \$35 would be ample to cover the expenses of each trip to Walla Walla from

is expected that the state will take up the Spokane perjury charge tomorrow, which is one of two dealing with alleged misconduct committed since Schively beday dealt with his conduct as a deputy.

It is expected that later on in the trial Schively's counsel will raise the point that a state officer cannot be impeached for acts committed while a deputy. The respondent will also vigorously combat any attempt by the impeachment managers to bring in amended articles to take the place of those withdrawn. The House will be asked probably tomorrow to adopt amended articles, but whether they will be presented before the impeachment court is a matter for fujure consideration. The Senators who were absent on rollcourt is a matter for future consideration.

The Senators who were absent on roll-call this morning were nearly all members who were here Saturday night. Eight of the 11 absentees of Saturday hastened back to the city Sunday night, when they learned the effect of their absence, but there were still 11 absent this morning. Members who remained here were not sparing in their condemnation of the new set of absentees, and took action by set of absentees, and took action by adopting a resolution offered by Piper of King, declaring absence without leave contempt of the impeachment court, and punishable by a fine of from \$5 to \$25.

ASK INQUISITORS' DISCHARGE

Representative French Thinks Halsey Committee a Luxury.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 16.—(Special.)—Representative E. L. French, before leaving for Olympia this morning, said that he intended at the first oppor-tunity to introduce a resolution in the lower House of the State Legislature providing for the discharge of the (Halsey) committee which has been investigating

charges made against the members of the State Supreme Court. He said that he did not consider that this committee had accomplished any-thing, and that they were a needless expense to the state. As members of this committee they draw \$7.50 per day, whereas, simply as Representatives their pay is \$5 a day. They drew this extra \$2.50 a day during the entire recent recess of the special Legislature.

GIRL'S FATHER ELUDED

YOUNG HOQUIAM COUPLE RUN AWAY; LAND IN JAIL.

Man Aged 21 and Girl Aged 15 Taken by Portland Police After Romantic Elopement.

Edward Malloy, aged 21, eloped from Hoquiam last night with Edith Thorpe, the 15-year-old daughter of a Hoquiam ploneer. In Centralia they met the girl's father, but she told him she was going to Chehalis to visit relatives, and he suspected nothing. When he arrived home at 3 o'clock it came over him in a flash what his daughter had done, and the Portland police were notifled to watch for the couple and to take them into custody.

Mr. Thorpe is furious at what has occurred, and is said to have promised relentless prosecution of the young

man.

Malloy and the girl were arrested as they alighted from the train at the Union Dept by Detectives Hyde and Craddock upon a telegram from Chief of Police Oliver, of Hoquiam.

When taken to police headquarters the couple displayed a deep affection for each other. Turning to the officers, Malloy and

"Gee, fellows, it's hard to be put in jail for being in love." The dark-eyed miss who is directly responsible for the wrath of her father and the activity of

ice, mournfully scanned her lover

was introduced in the House by Bell of Pierce. The bill went to committee.

Among other bills was one which amends the criminal code so that saloon screens are permitted except on days when saloons are required by law to remain closed; a bill requiring street and electric cars to be heated, and one probibiting the intermarriage of whites with negroes or Mongolians.

In the Senate today Potts of King introduced a bill appropriating \$35,500 for the maintenance of the National Guard. Senator Potts explained that Ortis Hamilton, the former Adjutant-General, in pathetic listeners: "I worked in a mill in pathetic listeners in the care of with the care of with us, Eddie, I will love you just the with the care of the care of the with us, Eddie, I will love you just the with the care of the with us, Eddie, I will love you just the with the care of the with us, Eddie, I will love you just the with the care of the with us, Eddie, I will love you just the with the care of the with us, Eddie, I will love you just the with the care of the with us, Eddie, I will love you just the with the care of the with us, Eddie, I will love you just the

pathetic listeners: "I worked in a mill in Hoquiam. I boarded with my brother, directly across the street from the girl's home. We saw a great deal of each other. Her father or any of her family have never displayed any dislike for me. We loved each other from the first, Yes, we talked of getting married. I thought MORE TESTIMONY HEARD

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We taked of getting and was coming to Portland to find work. When I was leaving the girl came to bid me goodble. Well, you know how it is—it was hard for me to leave her behind and she knew it. That is why she is here."

Malloy evinced no perturbation when apprised of the fact that the girl's father threatened to prosecute him for his action, "I'm sorry her father feels that way about it. Why can't he let me have the girl. I never did a thing in my life I am ashamed of or sorry for. Of course, he can make trouble, but what good will it do him? Sure. I'll go back and face them all. I have nothing to fear." The pair will be returned to Hoquiam

NO KIMONOS ON STREETS

Women Who Appear in Negligee at San Diego Will Be Arrested.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-An order issued today by the Police De-partment forbids women appearing on the street with kimones. The housewife who in case of an emergency slips down to the corner drugstore for medicine or makes a hurried trip to the corner gro-cery store must dress properly for the ecasion. Otherwise, she must be able to

lodge a policeman. The order comes about through the efforts of the police to control the denizens of the "red light" district, although no distinction is made in the new law. Respectable women, however, who prefer kimonos to any other costume in this hot weather, are highly indignant.

Will Dedicate August 29.

Arrangements have been completed to-Sandy on Sunday, August 29. There will be services in the morning, afternoon and evening. A basket dinner will be served, the committee in charge furnishing coffee. Every one is invited to bring lunch. An interesting programme for the dedication is announced. Among the speakers there will be Hon. W. C. Hawley, George C. Brownell and R. A. Booth, besides several ministers. Rev. J. W. Exon is the pastor in charge. The new of the most attractive buildings in Sandy,

Barefoot Logger Alleges Robbery.

Asserting that he had been robbed of Asserting that he had oven rooted in \$48 by an unknown man in the Dewey Rooming-house, Second and Burnside streets, D. W. Bunton, a logger, rushed into police headquarters last night bareheaded and barefooted and demanded the arrest of the thief. While extracting the arrest of the thief. While extracting the remainder of his wealth, amounting to \$35, from his shoes, which he carried in his hands, he told a rambling story in which he incriminated a woman whom he met in a nearby saloon with the theft.

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Court of Inquiry Keeps Its Findings Secret.

OFFICERS TO BE CLEARED

Belief General in Navy Is That Court Holds Sutton Shot Himself While Trying to Shoot One of Other Officers.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Aug. 16,-The Sutton court of inquiry closed today after two secret sessions, during which the testimony relative to the death of Lieu-tenant James N. Sutton, Jr., was gone over thoroughly. The findings were reached and signed tonight. What they are the members of the court refused to say, as they will be reviewed by the

to say, as they will be reviewed by the Navy Department at Washington before being made public.

While those who sat in the case were sworn to secreey and the findings of the court are not known, the consensus of opinion in naval circles, including the views of old officers who have served on courts-martial, is that it will be found that Sutton died by his own hand, and by accident, and that he shot himself while trying to shoot another.

It is also thought that all of the offiers who have appeared in the case will be exonerated. While it is possible that charges might be preferred against them, no attention will be paid to them, owing to the breaches of discipline having occurred two years ago.

LIFE LOST IN M'KENZIE

Boatload of People Upsets and Young Woman Drowns.

EUGENE. Or., Aug. 16.—(Special.)— Miss Rena Ireland was drowned and five other persons barely escaped a like fate when a boat capsized in the McKenzie River, 26 miles above Eugene. Sunday

A party consisting of F. Finn, Albert Ward, Finn's son-in-law. Mrs. Albert Ward, Miss Mabel Ward, Miss Bena ireland and N. Aya, left Finn's farm at 6 o clock in the morning, intending to drift down the river to Salem, where they were to take a river steamer to Portland, transfer to another and go on to Scattle to visit the Fair.

When near the Ward farm, the boat was caught in a seething whirlpool, driven

against a jam of sawlogs and capsized.

Mrs. Ward and daughter Mabel were
saved by Finn, who pulled them up on top of the boat. Ward and Aya managed to save themselves; but Miss Ireland was drawn under by the current and was not seen again until her body was recovered five hours later half a mile below.

The boat was 22 feet long by 7 feet wide and was built especially for this trip. On the particular point where the accident occurred the water is very deep and the current strong, and the boat was

YUMA FLOODED BY RAIN

Yuma today. The adobe houses of the poorer classes crumbled like sugar.

Dozens of families were compelled to move out, wading walst deep in the water, which poured over window sills, in an attempt to save their belongings. Railroad tracks were washed out.

MARRIAGE LICENSES MANY

Monday Sees Total of 26 Issued, Making Up Lack on Friday, 13.

Isaac Jones, of Vancouver Barracks, applied to one of County Clerk Fields' deputies yesterday for a duplicate of his marriage license. It was only last week that he took out a license to wed Miss Ida Kiehl Ocasek. He is 44 years old, walle his bride is 27. Harry Riley acted a witness for him.

Yesterday was a banner day for mar-riage licenses, with 26 couples who ap-plied to County Clerk Fields. Those who came yesterday more than made up for the lack last Friday, the 13th of the month, when only four licenses were is-

FLEET ADDS TO PERILS

(Continued from first page.) most of the forces of General Bliss are concentrated around Rock Station and Middlesboro, which was occupied this aft-ernoon. Just before the close of the peernoon. Just before the close of the riod at 1 o'clock General Bliss drew the Fourteenth New York and the Tenth Cavalry through East Freetown, the scene of the Sunday night encampment of the red army, and hurriedly marched them around Lakeside Park, where they them around La camped tonight.

Sharp Skirmish Fought.

There was a conflict between a mixed patrol of cavalrymen from Squadron A. of New York, and the Essex Troop of New Jersey and a detachment of Dis-trict of Columbia bicycle scouts, representing the invaders and a portion of the Eighth Massachusetts Infantry, on outpost duty for the defense. This resulted in the "killing" of 10 cavalrymen and six infantrymen, according to the umpire. It was merely a skirmish and at its close the two scouting parties fell back to their supporting bodies. Just to the north of this point six blue

scouts were captured by a cavalry advance. Without knowing it, this advance was within a short distance of a strong force of blue infantry, which was marching toward Middleboro. It was

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red cavalrymen been sufficiently alert they could have located this body of blue infantry and could have sent an orderly back to the main cavalry body, about a mile in the rear, and a strong force would have hurried around to cut off the blues,

Forty Scouts Taken.

Before they were ordered to fall back to the rear, the scouts of Captain Ryan, of the mixed cavalry, captured about 40 privates of the blue scouting parties and

The game became enlarged tonight

when it was announced that a theoretical feet of battleships and smaller craft was on its way to assist the invading army of the red by a series of night attacks on the Boston harbor defenses.

The harbor forts today received reinforcements when the transport Summer The harbor forts today received reinforcements, when the transport Sumner brought six companies of coast artillery from New York, 720 men. The newcomers were distributed among Forts Heath, Banks, Andrews, Warren and Strong, and tonight each of these strongholds was fully manned to resist an attack by the fleet of the enemy.

Navy to Take Part.

The fleet will consist of transports, The fleet will consist of transports, tugs and mine planters, numbering 14 in all, and each designated either as a battleship, cruiser or torpedoboat. They will carry six-pounder guns and small arms instead of the big guns of the warships and the fire of the guns of the forts will be entirely sub-caliber.

This sea war game will be umpired by Colonel Cronkite, who is in general charge of the naval maneuvers, and Major A. M. Hunter, of Governors Island, N. Y.

HEAT STRIKES SOUTHWEST

(Continued from first page.) been below 70, is the hottest period of that length of time since 1901, In Oklahoma City the Government thermometer registered 103, while thermometers in the street registered 112. It was the hottest day recorded there in 15 years.

in 15 years.
Dispatches state that Oklahoma crops have been materially damaged by the hot wird. At Muskogee the Government thermometers registered 110. This was the highest recorded in three states. Hot winds blew all day at McAlester. with the temperature at 108. Vegeta-tion there is being killed. Cotton is

materially damaged.

Reports from the Panhandle of Texas indicate that little more than moderate temperature has prevailed on account of aititude and prevailing

HEAT DRIVES TO BLOODSHED Epidemic of Murder and Suicide

Results in Chicago. CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—A murder epidemic prevalled here today. This is attributed to the peculiar weather conditions that have prevalled since last Friday. In one instance a man murdered his wife, wounded his son, probably fatally, and

In another, a woman was shot six times and the man she accused as her assailant was rescued from mob violence by the police and several attempted suicides were re-ported.

HEAT KILLS 37 IN ST. LOUIS

Four Days' Result of Sun's Work. New Mexico Editor Stricken. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 16.—Among the 21 persons prostrated by heat today was William H. Carey, editor of the Sentinel, Silver City, N. M. His condition is seri-

Today's deaths taken with those pre

viously reported, bring the total dead here for four days to 27. NEBRASKA RECORDS BROKEN

Temperature at Lincoln 103-Corn Crop Seriously Damaged.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 16.—All local hot weather records for this year were broken today, when the weather bureau reported a temperature of 103. Suffering has been intense.

There have been no rains in this section for two weeks, and reports from the country are that the corn crop has al-ready been seriously damaged.

Robbers Get \$3.

Walter Taylor, living at 306 Columbia street, lost \$5 early this morning through the activity of two holdups, who accosted him on Columbia street between Fourth and Flith as he was going home shortly after midnight. Taylor describes the men as smooth shaven, one about five feet nine inches tall, the other about five feet four. The tailer wore a straw hat, and the shorter a dark cap. The police used the chief's auto to get to the hat, and the shorter a dark cap. The police used the chief's auto to get to the scene in a hurry, but the robbers had

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MELTER AT DENVER ACCUSED OF ROBBING GOVERNMENT.

Charged With Allowing Molten Metal to Splash on His Clothes at Furnace.

LOS ANGELES. Aug. 16.—Charged with one of the worst offenses committed against the Government—that of abstracting gold from a mint—Charles W. Dakin, a trusted employe of the mint at Denver, Colo., was arrested in this city today by Secret Service Agent George W.

He is alleged to have sold several hun-ired dollars' worth of gold to local dred dollars'

dealers in small lots.

Dakin Let Molten Metal Splash on

His Clothes.

DENVER, Aug. 16.—Charles W. Dakin had been employed as a melter in the

SOLD \$600 WORTH OF GOLD

Washington—A moderate earthquake was recorded Monday at the Weather Bureau. It continued nearly an hour. The origin was estimated at about 2500 miles distant, in California or Mexico. Cleveland, b.—John D. Rockefeller, in a triendly greeting Sunday, clasped hands with Robert Bandlow, Cleveland's foremost Socialist leader and candidate on the Socialist loket to succeed Senator Burton in Congress last Spring.

San Francisco-Holding her baby in her arms, Mary Bergstrom, the 18-year-old wife of a Southern Pacific switchman, was shot in a lodging-house on Monday and died within an hour. August Bergstrom, the huaband, asserts that his wife committed suicide.

banks of the Potomac, bring to light hitherto unrecorded indian or pir tragedy of early American days. local mint for four years previous to tak-ing a month's leave of absence last June, when he falled to report for duty at the tragedy of early American days.

Chicago—Because Thomas Harvey. 35 years old, amused himself by walking repeatedly around a tree under which his friend Edward Jamsen, and a girl were seated, he was struck by Jensen with such force that his head hit the tree and his skull was fractured, and his death ensued immediately. The tragedy occurred at a pictile Sunday. when he falled to report for duty at the end of his vacation, an investigation was started. He was located at Los Angeles and further inquiry disclosed the fact that he had been selling gold there. In all he had disposed of \$600 worth.

His system, it is said, was to allow the metal product to splash on his clothing while he was at work in the mint here and then to scrape it off and keep it for his own use. Dakin has a wife and family here.



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