Approval of Deschutes Roads Robs Oregon of Power Sites, He Says.

"RIDICULOUS," REPLY MADE

Secretary Points Out Garffeld Had Approved One Road, and Declares

> What People Want Is Not Power, but Railroads.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C. Nov. 18.-For approving the maps giving the Hill and Harriman ratiroads rights of way along the Deschutes River, Secretary Ballinger is se-verely arraigned by John L. Matthews in an article to appear in the December issue of Hampton's Magazine. Matthews' complaint is that Ballinger not only allowed two railroads to build through the Deschutes Canyon, but allowed both to build at water grade, thus interfering with power development on that river, and depriving the state of some thirty are more willier dollars of revenue which or more million dollars of revenue which it might have received in the form of a

it might have received in the form of a tax upon power companies.

In part Matthews says:

"At President Roosevelt's instigation and discovered that the proposed railways would ruin the water power of the Deschutes without any adequate return to the people. He therefore refused to grant the right of way until it should be so the right of way until it should be so resurveyed that the rallway tracks would be above the level of necessary dams and reservoirs to develop the country.

Waiting Game Pays.

"The railroads refused to spend the money necessary to put their roadbeds higher up, played possum during the last days of Roosevelt and waited until his successor came into office. Their waiting was well rewarded. Within three weeks after he became Secretary of the Interior. Bailinger approved the rights of way of the rival railway constructors. Interior. Ballinger approved the rights of way of the rival rallway constructors, netwithstanding the fact that these rights of way conflicted with each other, without ruling on which side of the river they should go, without requiring that their conflicting locations be re-surveyed. Also he approved them without taking any measures whatever to preserve to the people of Oregon the enormous public resource contained in the running water. Ballinger gave away this valuable proporty in such wise that its use will wreck the great heritage of the people of Oregon."

When Secretary Ballinger's attention was called to this article he pointed out that both railroads have been seeking right of way through the Deschutes can-yon since 1906. Contrary to Matthews' statement, Secretary Garfield on July 21, 1987, approved the Oregon Trunk's right of way for 74 miles along the Des-chutes, and since that date various maps of both companies have been approved. The roads conflict only where the nature of the country is such as to compel them to use the same right of way in passing through defiles, as provided by

Ballinger says it is ridiculous to arraign him for allowing two railroads to enter the inland country, when public senti-ment in Oregon is so strongly favorable to railroads, and gladly welcomes, two roads, which will mean competition. Matthews, in his article, says that rail-roads, by following the Deschutes River. can build to San Francisco at a 1 per cent grade, where the present route, at is 6 and 8 per cent.

Matthews Mad, Says Ballinger.

Advantages that will accrue to the peo-ple as a result of this well-graded road, meaning cheaper cost of transportation, he thinks will amply offset the imaginary losses in water powers. In a word, Secretary Ballinger regards Matthews as a man gone mad on the subject of water power, and one who believes the first cry of the West is for water power. His own experience has shown him that the West primarily wants rallroads, with their attendant settlement and development, and he is willing to rest his case with the peo-

To his mind a railroad into Ceneral Ore-To his mind a railroad into Ceneral Ore-gon will do more to build up that section than all the water powers along the Des-chutes, and he does not hesitate to say that if in future there is a demand for more water power than is being developed in Eastern Oregon, ways and means will be found to get it. Much of the article, says, is too ridiculous to call for an-

AMENDS BY COLLIER'S TARDY

Ballinger Refuses Magazine's Representative Access to Records.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—Secretary Ballinger today received a letter from Norman Hapgood, of Collier's, in which Hapgood says:

"I understand that there are certain parts of the records in your department which we have overlooked and which threw important light on matters we

have published."

He asks Ballinger to allow C. P. Connolly, of Collier's, to go over these records. Secretary Ballinger denied Connolly access to the papers, and wrote to Hapgood saying:

"Your request is exceedingly tardy."
In view of your published false and

In view of your published false and unjust insinuations of my professional and official conduct, without making slightest effort to secure confirmation from the records of my department, or from me, and your reiteration of Glavis' charges after they had been presented to the President and fully digested and disposed of by him. I do not thisk your columns are a satisfac-tory vehicle for making public such

He added he would not give Connolly access to papers without authority of the President.

POSSE IS HELD AT BAY

(Continued From First Page.) dered hammer and nails sent up through the stovepipe hole. With these he nailed the doors of his room fast and then informed the interpreter that he would re main in the room until the officers had

sent to Astoria. Or., for a Finn police-man, to whom the fugitive said he would surrender and to no one else. An attempt will be made during the night, if the Finn asks for food, to drug both him and the boy. Two doctors are at the house, ready to prepare the food.

PINCHOT MAY BE TROUBLE

(Continued From First Page.) spend continually. He could afford it, is unquestionably true; he probably could, by a carefully planned campaign, bring about a situation which would make Mr. Taft's renomination impossible. Inci-

Taft's renomination impossible. Incidentally, he would do much to shape sontiment for Mr. Roosevelt. All this is as set forth by Mr. Pinchot's friends.

The President knows Mr. Pinchot's political power and has due respect for it. He certainly cannot be unaware that Mr. Pinchot would be his most dangerous enemy if he should be removed from office. Moreover, he himself has indorsed Mr. Pinchot and his work; he has said he wants to retain the Chief Forester in the Administration, and doubtless he does. Therefore, it is highly improbable that Therefore, it is highly improbable that Mr. Pinchot will be asked to resign, no matter what overtures may be made to the President. To force Mr. Pinchot out of office without being able to convince the public that be had done some mighty wrear would be suicided on the part of ng would be suicidal on the part of

Handicapped by Friends.

Mr. Pinchot, like a great many other Mr. Finehot, like a great many other big men, is handicapped by a lot of un-desirable friends and followers. Some of them are in the Forest Service, others are not. Some, by their talk, are doing Mr. Pinchot injury: others, by their official acts, have placed the Forest Service in an undesirable light. Naturally, Mr. Pinchot, as head of that bureau, has been biamed for things really done by his subordinates. In the untangling of the Pinchot Rullinger affect the truth ultimately. ebot-Ballinger affair the truth ultimately will come out. Then the public will be given an opportunity to judge for itself how far the principals are personally to blame for censurable acts committed since March 4, 1909. Until the whole truth is

TAFT CALLS HALT Only Ten Remain ON BLOODY ZELAYA

Uncle Sam Practically Recognizes Rebels of Nicaragua.

DRASTIC ACTION LIKELY

Investigation of Untimely Execution of Two Americans Results in Dispatch of Two Warships to Central America.

NICARAGUAN PRESIDENT, WHOSE GOVERNMENT IS ACCUSED OF SLAYING TWO AMERICANS.



laid bare, the public cannot hope equitably to decide the true merits of this no-terious family quarrel.

LOSS OF \$8000 GOOD MEDICINE, HE DECLARES.

'Figurehead' Who Saw \$12,000 Flying Around Says It Was Enough to Excite Farmer.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Nov. 18,-Judge Green, before whom John R. Dobbins is being tried on the charge of aiding in the alleged robbery of Banker T. W. Bellew, of Princeton, Mo., of \$30,-000, today overruled an objection by the defense to the introduction as a witness of W. H. Bedford, of Bolckow, Mo. another alleged victim of the Maybray ombination.

The object is to show a general con-spiracy to defraud.

when Bedford was finally permitted to testify, following a long tangle of objections and motions, he told a typi-cal story of how he had been "fleeced" out of \$5000 by men alleged to be associated with Maybray.
"I knew I was bumped and decided

to take my medicine, and take her straight, declared Bedford. "They got me good. I lost \$8000, and then I gave my 'steerer' \$10 more to get out of

LUTHER CHAMPION MAULED

Ribs, Jaw and Knuckle Broken in Argument With Assailants.

A heated argument over the sincerity of Martin Luther in renouncing the Catholic faith to organize the Lutheran Church, engaged in between Ole Asten, a Norwegian laborer, on the one side, expounding the cause of Luther, and half a dozen sailors, mostly of Irish extraorion on the other resulted disastrously. tion, on the other, resulted disastrously for the Norwegian yesterday at Astoria. Ole was brought to Portland on a late train and taken to Good Samaritan Hospital. An examination by Dr. C. T. Tromwald discovered his injuries to consist of three broken ribs, a broken jaw, a broken knuckle, a swelling on the head, two blackened eyes and numerous bruises about the face and body.

HOLDUPS' WORK NETS \$450

Three Men Forcibly Robbed by Pair of Thugs in Hour.

Two hold-ups, operating without masks, got in their work on three citizens within

an hour early this morning and made a haul of about \$450 all told.

Charles F. Stromgrem, a Swede stone-cutter, living on Tenth atreet, between Burnside and Couch, was stopped at Ninth and Couch and forciby relieved of the bulls. Thomas White four \$100 bills. Thomas White, a cook, living at the Anacortes Hotel, lost \$10 af-ter a struggle at Fourth and Burnside streets. His watch was also taken. A Servian, too excited to give his name, was choked and beaten at Third and and he would take delight in it. That his couch and all the money he had, about assaults upon the Administration would \$5, was taken from him.

and report whether the blockade is ef-

Nicaragua has given this Govern-nent more trouble in the last few ears than any other, save, perhaps, enezuela.

The attitude of the United States, The attitude of the United States, shown by its apparent recognition of the Nicaraguan insurgents, indicates to diplomats that this Government would welcome the overthrow of the present administration. It is well known that President Zelaya's attitude toward Americans and American interests for some time has been any thing but satisfactory.

Time for Reckoning Comes.

The State Department today main tained a reserve that was described by one diplomat as "eminous." It was learned, however, that both President Taft and Secretary Knox practically have determined on the exertion of some forceful moral suasions if noth-ing more, with a view of bringing Central American states to a realiza-

Central American states to a realiza-tion of their responsibilities.

Aside from acknowledgment that a demand had been made on the Nicara-guan legation for a detailed and com-prehensive report of the killing of the two Americans the department de-cilined to discuss the existing crisis.

The execution of the Americans is held to be indefensible. In the abser of the complete details this Government were captured in the ranks of the enemy with arms in their hands, they were en-titled to military trial, under international law. It is inconceivable to officials that either man was acting as a spy.

Vessels Aplenty Can Go.

While no orders have been issued for the dispatch of war vessels other than the Des Molpes and the Vicksburg to observe conditions on both the Atlantic nd Pacific coasts there are plenty of ves els in Caribbean waters that can be sen o the scene on the shortest notice, while here are other vessels within call on he Pacific Coast. It is evident that the emper of the Administration has been horoughly aroused and, if occasion warants, the State Department may advise

rants, the State Department may advise drastic action.

Last year Minister Coolidge resigned and returned from Greytown. It was given out then that Mr. Coolidge returned merely because of ill health, but it eventually was learned that he practically was forced to withdraw to save the displied and preserve the standing. its dignity and preserve the standing of this Government. Since then there has been no diplomatic connection between the two governments, except through the Nicaraguan legation here. Attaches of the legation declined to-day to make any comment on the situation. The new Minister, Senor Hazera, naturally refused to discuss it, as his credentials had been waived aside at the White House.

There was an air of genuine anxiety about the legation, however, and, from appearance, diplomats regarded the situation as grave.

RECOGNITION IS EXTENDED

United States Gives Encouragement

to Nicaraguan Rebels. WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.-The State De partment practically has recognized the belligerency of the Nicaraguan revolution-ists and has made peremptory demands upon President Zelaya for explanation of the execution of the two Americans, Leonard Grace and Leroy Cannon, con-

demned as insurrectionists. The action of this Government in sending two warships into Nicaraguan territory following the receipt of the news that the two Americans had been sumthat th

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\$160, for only \$178. Pay cash or monthly.

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garded as a warlike demonstration against that country. The vessels will report developments in Nicaragua as promptly as

The State Department has taken steps to ascertain all facts connected with the supposed execution of Cannon and Grace. When this information is received the Government will take such action as the sase may warrant.

It is learned that the determination of President Taft not to receive the new Nicaraguan Minister, Isadore Hazera, was made known to that official through the Nicarauguan Charge d'Affaires, who was called to the White House and banded a letter addressed to the Minister, which stated that because of the rewhich stated that, because of the re-ported shooting of two Americans by the order of the President of Nicaragua, the President had decided to postpone indefi-nitely the formal presentation of Senor

The dispatch conveying the news reached the State Department late last night from the American Consulate at Managua and stated that the capture of the Americans had been followed by a death sentence. The Consul immediately appealed to President Zelaya to commute their sentence and his answer was:

"I will see. Later, on further appeal, Zelaya said:
"The sentence is final."

HIS PRESENTS TAKEN BACK

George Ford's Methods Forcible and His Sweetheart Complains.

Angered at being rejected by his sweetneart, who refused longer to keep com

pany with him, George Ford, of 211% First street, forcibly took a bracelet and Hamond ring he had given her from Miss Eisle Malor, of 444 East Oak street, acording to the young woman's statement. Last night Miss Malor made complaint against Ford to Patrolman Murphy, She was advised to see the District Attorney and get a warrant for Ford's arrest or a larceny charge. This she declared she



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Worth double. \$1.50 SILK HOSE 98¢

Women's "Onyx" pure thread Silk Hose; black and forty different colors; regular \$1.50 98c Kayser's reinforced silk Hose, double garter top, also Kayser's Italian Silk Hose; on sale \$1.50 Kayser's "Wonderfoot" Silk Hose, \$2.00 kind that really wear; pair......

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