

REFORMERS BOW TO CANNON'S WILL

Much-Exploited Fight on House Rules to End in Compromise.

WHIPPED BEFORE BATTLE

Insurgent Forces Assure Speaker of Friendship and Say They Only Want Such Changes as He May Suggest.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—It is understood that the Hepburn rules revision committee in the House will ask to be authorized to agree to compromises that the Speaker might suggest if desirable.

Entire Committee Will Act.

The outcome of the individual conference with the Speaker is said to have been an understanding that the entire committee will lay before the Speaker after next Thursday night's conference on rules the amendments that may be agreed upon.

New Plan of Recognition.

Republican Floor Leader Payne and Representative Dalglish will be consulted by the committee.

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Call Committees Once a Week.

Other amendments that have the approval of the committee are to require the call of committees once a week, so that all bills on the "union" and the House calendars may be reached in due time, and to enlarge the committee on rules, though leaving it to the Speaker to select the members.

WHO OWNS THIS LAND?

State Claims Valuable Tract Bought by J. Probstel 47 Years Ago.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The state land department of the state of Washington advertised for sale and was on the point of selling as state school land a certain 60-acre tract in Clark County when it was discovered that the land had been sold 47 years ago and bought by Jacob Probstel, of Vancouver.

VERDICT AGAINST DOCTOR

Centralia Physician Must Pay \$3000 for Bungled Job on Broken Leg.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The jury in the case of Marion Howell vs. Dr. J. H. Damon, of Centralia, brought in a verdict for \$3000 damages tonight. Howell sued for malpractice alleged in a job of setting a broken leg, which leaves him a cripple for life.

PANAMA PLANS WELCOME

Pacific Fleet to Be Given Great Ovation on Arrival.

PANAMA, Dec. 12.—The vessels of the Pacific fleet are expected to come to Panama harbor tonight or Sunday morning. The gumbost Yerktown arrived yesterday afternoon. Senor Diaz, the Governor of Panama, has issued the following circular to the local societies:

SENATOR ELKINS BUYS BANK

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, and a syndicate of local and New York investors have obtained possession of the stock of the American National Bank held by Robert N. Harper, the bank's former proprietor, and now head of the Washington Chamber of Commerce.

TALK TO SEATTLE

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shores, shall carry away with them nothing but grateful and edifying recollections of every Panamanian with whom they come in contact, under whatever circumstances or whatever their social standing.

TO PROTECT BLUEJACKETS

Panama Agrees to Provide for the Sailors' Safety.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Assurances have been given to the State Department from President Obaldia, in response to the request of Acting Secretary of State Bacon, that adequate protection will be given by the authorities at Panama to American sailors and marines that may be landed on the isthmus, either for shore leave or in transit, upon the arrival of Admiral Swinburne's fleet of armored cruisers at Panama today.

COLOMBO SIGHTS FLEET

SIXTEEN VESSELS NEAR CEYLON PORT TO TAKE ON COAL.

To Be Entertained by Colony and Each Man Will Be Given Package of Tea.

COLOMBO, Ceylon, Dec. 12.—The United States Atlantic fleet, under command of Rear-Admiral Sperry, was sighted at 7 o'clock this morning. The fleet left Manila on December 1. The 16 vessels will remain for six days to take on coal and give the men and officers opportunity for shore leave.

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VALLEJO, Cal., Dec. 12.—Several relapses were reported today in the cases of persons suffering from ptomaine poisoning as the result of having partaken of the luncheon provided for the patients who generally were regarded as progressing favorably, have taken the form of acute dysentery, completely prostrating the sufferers. In many cases the physicians consider the relapses worse than the original attacks.

SHIPPERS TO FIGHT

May Enjoin Railroads if New Rates Are Enforced.

EASTERN ROADS LIE DOWN

Have Agreed to Make No General Advance for Two Months—Project Is Being Prepared by Traffic Association.

NAB "SCARFACED CHARLIE"

Chicago's Most Accomplished "Crust-Thrower" Caught in Sham.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—"Scarfaced Charlie," Chicago's most accomplished "crust thrower," fell in the hands of the police last night as he was begging on the streets. When he was lodged in a cell at the Harrison-Street Station he was seized with a violent attack of something that resembled hydrophobia. He bit the bars of his cell and barked like a dog.

BARMAN HURLS HAMMER

Salem Saloonkeeper Raps John Yates Blow on Skull.

DO NOT AFFECT LOCAL MEN

R. B. Miller Says Rates Cut No Figure Here.

Piles Cured at Last

By Pyramid Pile Cure After Years of Intense Suffering and the Failure of Other Cures.

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