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HARD FIGHT WAGED

Senators Battle over Railroad Rate Measure.

BIG RECLAMATION FUND IDLE

Although Government Has \$10,000,000 in the Reclamation Fund, it Will Not Aid Work on New Irrigation Projects.

ASTORIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., March 25.—The ablest debates heard in the United States Senate for years are being credited to the members of the current body while treating the railway rate-regulation measure. There is an absence of partisan rancor and intensity marking other discussions, but the legal and economic research indicated by some of the speeches, the attention given by the entire membership, and the seriousness with which the Senators are struggling, impress Washington as no other legislative scene of recent times. Little if any doubt remains that a rate-regulation measure will be enacted by the Senate, to which the house will agree, but the local interest does not abate.

Many speeches delivered are thought to have an ultimate campaign destination, but in this analysis there is much confusion. A limited number of the Republican senators are against any rate regulation by the Government, the brilliant exponent of this doctrine being Senator Foraker, who believed when he gave utterance to his convictions recently that he dug his political grave. Another and larger contingent of the Republican side, led by Dolliver and Clapp, want regulation, with no court review provision whatever, leaving adjudication of rights arising under the law to fall where it may. Democrats are clearly divided, but a strong majority favors the positive review provision. All Democrats incline toward further legislation. Tillman, in charge of the bill wants a limited review.

It would seem difficult to make party capital out of whatever is done by the Senate in regard to this measure. A majority of both sides want something done. Credit for the final result will be shared by both. Even some of the most ardent regulationists would prefer to have action deferred for a longer time, that the great subject might be brought forth with more detail and in stronger light. But it seems assured beyond question that differences and the finer elements of content will be submerged, that some positive legislation may go into effect soon, upon which and in the light of its defects or imperfections, amendatory work may be presented with more assurance than is possible in the present titanic struggle.

Efforts Unavailing.
Although there is about \$10,000,000 in the reclamation fund, and the annual increase is large, all effort so far for further government work on new irrigation projects is without avail. Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock, in this as in a multitude of other things Western, absolutely declines to make any concession to the urgent appeals of a multitude of districts. He expresses his purpose of awaiting developments from some of the work undertaken, says the fund has been sufficiently reduced for the present, and will not consider new projects.

This and many other things in the record of the secretary has given rise to the Western spirit of opposition, and the hope that some time early this administration there will be a change. Western men ridicule the assumption of paragon virtues and watchdog duty over Western lawlessness each time the secretary of the interior is criticised. They think that this capital stock has been well exhausted, and the nation should see that the West is not more lawless than any other section, if judged by the same standards. Some of the very things which have been seized upon for the proud vindication of the secretary's imperious rule, grew and developed under his regime, and any credit due for prosecution could be more than attaches to reforming one's own administration and correcting things apparently done with the connivance of parts of the pious avenger.

Cured Consumption.
Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes, My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Hoarehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Hart's drug store.

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ARRIVES FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. W. E. Warren arrived on the Senator yesterday from California where she has been spending the winter, to join her husband, Captain Warren, and together they will visit with friends here and at Warrenton until sometime next month when they will return to Alaska.

IS RESTING EASY.

Willie Godbeck, who had his leg broken by being struck Saturday evening by a flat car on the electric car track near the power house, was reported to be resting as easily as might be expected under the circumstances. He is being treated at the St. Mary's hospital.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Louisa Morgan took place yesterday afternoon from the St. Mary's Catholic church. Rev. Father Waters officiating. The interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

CONFESSES TO ROBBERY.

LIMA, Ohio, March 25.—Yard Conductor Sloan of the Pennsylvania railroad walked into the police station and asked to be locked up. He said that in November, 1897, he and two other men robbed an express train of \$80,000 at Galena, Ill. Sloan's mind is believed to be unbalanced.

CHICAGO, March 25.—The only robbery on the Chicago and Northwestern at Galena, according to an official of that road is known as the Tower Robbery near Dekalb, forty miles from Galena. That robbery was in 1897 and netted about \$40,000.

The Best Cough Syrup.

S. L. Apple, ex-Probate Judge, Ottawa Co., Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Hoarehound Syrup for years, and I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Hart's drug store.

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