



MITCHELL SAYS SCOTT INSPIRED PROSECUTION

Senator Accuses Editor of Oregonian of Effort Being Made to Indict Him in District of Columbia.

Hermann's Indictment at Washington for Destroying Public Records Probable and Mitchell's and Williamson's Possible.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—Attorney General Clegg has been in conference with Attorney General Moody over the reported intention of having indictments issued in the District of Columbia against Mitchell, Hermann and Williamson.

If Harvey Scott went to Washington to take a hand in the proceedings against Senator Henny he must have gone of his own volition, for there is reason to believe that he was not summoned by Henny or by the president.

Harvey W. Scott went east last Friday ostensibly to attend a meeting of the Associated Press directors in Chicago, but his real destination appears to have been Washington, where most of the principal actors in the land fraud drama are now gathered.

Scott's ambition to be a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet received a hard blow when the president declared his determination to reappoint Hitchcock as secretary of the interior.

DUCHESS APPOINTED REGIMENT COMMANDER

Widow of Sergius Honored by Czar—She Interviews Husband's Assassin.

(Journal Special Service.) St. Petersburg, Feb. 24.—The czar today appointed the Grand Duchess Elizabeth, widow of the late Grand Duke Sergius, to be commander of the Fifth Grenadier regiment at Kiev.

MRS. CHADWICK'S JEWELRY IS FOUND

Customs Collector Finds Fifty Thousand Dollars' Worth in Dupe's Hands.

(Journal Special Service.) Cleveland, Feb. 24.—Customs Collector Leach returned from Washington New York this morning with considerable jewelry which at one time belonged to Mrs. Chadwick.

NEW NATIONAL BANK FOR CONDON, OREGON

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, Feb. 24.—The application for the organization of the Condon National bank at Condon, Ore., with \$10,000 capital, has been approved by the controller of the treasury.

ANOTHER SHORTAGE IN UTAH EXPOSITION BOARD

(Journal Special Service.) Salt Lake, Feb. 24.—The committee of the legislature investigating the world's fair commission on foreign irregularities, discovered another shortage of \$700 today.



This is a snapshot of Maxim Gorky, the Russian author, now in prison for the active part he took in the recent troubles. It was taken just previous to his arrest.

THE WORKERS' MAGAZINE

There will be an entirely new feature introduced in the next issue of The Sunday Journal called "The Workers' Magazine," embracing the experiences of men in all lines of human industry together with suggestions from those who have successfully solved the problem of getting along in the world.

RIVER AND HARBOR BILL HAS PASSED HOUSE

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, Feb. 24.—The house has passed the river and harbor bill without an amendment except those presented by the committee. The bill carries \$17,254,657.

CRAZED FROM SMOKING MANY CIGARETTES A DAY

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Feb. 24.—Made violent by smoking 150 cigarettes a day, according to the testimony of a witness, 15-year-old William Boeticher fought so desperately with three policemen that they had all three could carry him before Magistrate Becker in Harlem court.

IN MYSTERIOUS NIGHT BATTLE E. BYRNE ALMOST LOSES LIFE

Amid the wreck of his saloon, with blood smearing the floor, window sill and bed; with the imprint of dripping hands on door, ceilings and furniture, Edward Byrne was found with a ragged cut on his temple and the marks of finger nails on his neck.

OVER HUNDRED CORPSES RECOVERED FROM MINE

(Journal Special Service.) Birmingham, Feb. 24.—Up to noon today 103 bodies have been recovered from the Virginia mine. Three more are in sight and it is believed at least 10 or 12 more are in remote parts of the mine.

BOOKMAKERS BARRED FROM MISSOURI RACES

(Journal Special Service.) St. Louis, Feb. 24.—The house today repealed the breeders' law licensing bookmaking and pool selling on horses. The bill making it a felony to be at races engaged in bookmaking was then introduced.

MULLAH ON WARPATH

(Journal Special Service.) Aden, Arabia, Feb. 24.—The Mad Mullah is reported again on the warpath, and to have seized and killed a number of the sultan's Obawa's followers.

AFFECTS MILLIONS LAW MUST BE UPHOLD

Can Debts of Dead Company Be Collected on Stock Not Paid Up? Attempt to Nullify Direct Primary Nominations Denounced.

CLAIM SET UP BY MINING CORPORATION

Last Chance and Tyler Companies Again in Litigation—Point Raised Involves Every Holder of Stock

Can holders of subscribed and unpaid capital stock in a corporation be held liable for the amounts of the debts of a company long defunct? This question, which has special significance to holders of millions of shares of mining and other stock, has been raised in the federal district court by the suit of the Last Chance Mining company, a Spokane concern, against the Tyler Mining company of this city, composed of W. B. Honeyman, J. C. Moreland, Donald McKay, D. W. Wakefield, W. Y. Masters, George Watkins, David Goodsell, Seth L. Pope and Martin Osvoid.

Several years ago the Tyler company was an active, promising concern of this city. In 1902 the Last Chance company was successful in a suit against the corporation in the state circuit court of Oregon for Multnomah county, and recovered a verdict for \$5,817.

PRONOUNCED DEAD REVIVED BY LANCET

W. C. Whitford Restored to Give Wife Directions About Property.

HEART AND LUNGS STILL BODY BECOMING COLD

(Journal Special Service.) Victor, Colo., Feb. 24.—Walter Cecil Whitford, 27 years old, who died in Victor hospital of pneumonia Tuesday morning, has at last been revived after being pronounced dead. Heroic measures were taken to restore Whitford to consciousness in order that he could have a private conversation with his wife.

CHILDREN ESCAPE FLAMES BY PERFECT FIRE DRILL

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Feb. 24.—The Juvenile asylum at One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, with 1,200 inmates, took fire today. The children followed the drill perfectly, and all escaped without injury. The fire was extinguished without much loss.

GRAND JURY CALLED FOR INDIANA BOODLERS

(Journal Special Service.) Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 24.—Judge Alford, in the criminal court today, announced that a special session of the grand jury will be called immediately to take up the legislature bribery cases.

WORLD'S LONGEST TUNNEL FINISHED UNDER THE ALPS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 24.—The boring of the Simplon tunnel was completed this morning, bringing to a successful conclusion one of the greatest engineering feats in history. The tunnel is the longest in the world, extending under the Alps from Brig, Switzerland, to Ielle, Italy, more than 13 miles in length. More than six and a half years were occupied in construction and there was only one foot deviation when the two ends were brought together.