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ROBERTS FOR THE SENATE

He May Make an Attempt to Follow Quay's Tactics.

HIS FALL WILL BE HARD

Senator Mason, of Illinois, introduced a Resolution in the Senate—Wishing the Burghers Success in Their Fight for Liberty.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: If Roberts is finally rejected by the house, as seem inevitable, there is a possibility that he may come forward as a claimant for a seat in the senate. His rejection by the house, it is expected, will add to his popularity in Utah, and it is suggested that if Quay is seated by the senate, the Democratic governor of Utah may appoint Roberts to fill the vacancy that exists in Utah's representation in that body.

Roberts' Investigation.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Representative Taylor, of Ohio, chairman of the special committee to investigate the case of case of Roberts, of Utah, has called a meeting of the committee for 11 o'clock tomorrow. Taylor says this initial meeting will be to determine upon a line of action. He could not say how soon the committee would be able to report. Roberts was about the house during the day. There was no session, and he chatted with groups of members and visitors who showed a friendly disposition towards him.
Kyle (South Dakota) and Walcott presented a number of petitions against

polygamy. Aldrich, chairman of the finance committee, presented a finance measure to "affirm the existing standard of value of all forms of money, to refund the public debt and for other purposes."

Rawlins (Utah) presented a resolution providing for a full investigation of the alleged polygamous practices in the United States and whether the president has appointed polygamists to federal offices. Referred to the judiciary committee.

Mason (rep. Ill.) offered a resolution extending the best hopes of the senate to the Boers in their contest for liberty. At 2:50 the senate adjourned.

Many Reports Presented.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—At the opening of the session, the annual reports of the secretary of the treasury, attorney-general, comptroller of the currency and various officials were presented. Spooner (Wis.) presented resolutions from the legislature of Wisconsin urging congress to take action looking to the advancement of American shipping interests.

Glorious News.

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion and builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists. Guaranteed.

Killed By Deputy Sheriff.

REPUBLIC, Wash., Dec. 6.—Joe Williams was shot this morning by Deputy Sheriff W. T. Swan. Williams had charge of the gambling games in the Butte saloon. He had been drinking heavily and was quarrelsome. He went into another saloon and was flourishing a pistol. Swan wrenched it from his hand, when Williams, who is a powerful

man, threw the officer ten feet. Swan then fired Williams' pistol, and the ball passed through the body near the heart. The wounded man grappled with the officer, wrested the pistol from him, and was about to fire when strength left him and he fell back and expired. A coroner's jury fully exonerated the officer.

A Life And Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store.

Seattle "P. I." Changes Hands.

SEATTLE, Dec. 6.—The Post-Intelligencer formally changed hands today, and the new management will be in control tomorrow. Announcement of the sale will be made in tomorrow's issue. The names of the new purchasers are not given, but it is understood that they are E. C. Hughes and Maurice McMicken, leading Republicans and members of the law firm of Struve, Allen, Hughes & McMicken. E. B. Piper, the editorial head of the paper, and George U. Piper, the business manager, announce their retirement, but state that they will remain in the state of Washington. S. P. Weston was today made business manager.

The purchase price is understood to be \$350,000, the bulk of which was paid in cash today.

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INSURRECTION IS NOT ENDED

Hope of Ending Philippine War Has Again Faded Into Uncertain Future.

New York, Dec. 7.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says: Hope of ending the insurrection and halting military operations in the Philippines, which seemed so bright a few days ago, has again faded into uncertain future.

Much has been accomplished. During the last few weeks the campaigning has been almost phenomenal. In dreadful weather, through a devastated country, across swollen rivers, along roads that were impassable for wagons, artillery and in some cases for cavalry, the advances of the troops have been so rapid and in so many directions that they have often been beyond the military telegraph lines, and operations have necessarily been independently conducted by the field commanders. The army is rightfully proud.

The insurgents have had a series of routs and disasters. The slaughter has been great. They have lost a large quantity of supplies and munitions of war and more than 1000 armed men have surrendered or been captured during their retreat in the last few weeks. Their government has been scattered or captured. What of it is at liberty is in flight. A portion of Aguinaldo's family are in our lines. Aguinaldo himself is a fugitive.

Notwithstanding all this there is no reason for an extreme optimistic view of the situation. Nothing more is heard of having the rebellion stamped out in the course of a few days. That sort of talk only lasted while the insurgent leader was slipping away last week. Field commanders now think that the end is still afar.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnston of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and paining me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Treatment is Effective.

SALEM, Dec. 7.—It is the general opinion that the number of patients at the Oregon insane asylum is rapidly increasing. This is erroneous, however, as the records will show. On November 30, 1898, there were 1160 patients, and on November 30, 1899, there were 1162. There are almost daily reports in the press of patients received, but there is seldom mention of patients discharged. The records show that the treatment given at the asylum is productive of good results, for in the last eleven months the number of patients discharged was 187, or 17 per month. The greater portion of these were fully recovered, while a few were discharged because their condition had improved sufficiently to warrant their being given liberty.

Be Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pale cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the World, 25 cents a box. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton Druggists. 4

Quartz About Malheur.

BAKER CITY, Or., Dec. 6.—Dan Bruner, who has mined in this section for nearly forty years, left this city today for California, where he will pass the winter. Speaking of the new enterprise of quartz mining in the placer field around his home town, Malheur City, thirty miles from here, he said:

"The best showing is on the Golden Eagle, owned and operated by a Portland company. Assays of the ore show values of \$200 to \$280 per ton. Deep sinking is under way, and will continue all winter. The company will erect a quartz mill in the spring, as early as practicable."

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