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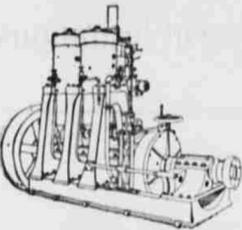
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NEW MEN IN THE COMMITTEES

Cabinet Officers Will Go Slow With Changes--Committees--Nominations--Mitchell for Judge.

Washington, March 9.--There will probably be few vacant seats on the republican side of the chamber at noon tomorrow.

There was some discussion in the caucus on the question of eligibility of the gentlemen appointed to seats in the senate by governors of Oregon, Kentucky and Florida.

MITCHELL FOR JUDGE.

Washington, March 9.--The published account that ex-Senator Mitchell of Oregon would be a candidate for circuit judge of the ninth circuit, to succeed Judge McKenna, has brought out other names.

SCOVILLE TO BE RELEASED.

Washington, March 9.--Consul General Lee today cabled the state department that Sylvester Scoville will be released.

SENSATIONAL JOURNALISM.

Will Not Be Endured by California's Senate--Editor Arrested.

Sacramento, Cal., March 9.--The senate today ordered that A. M. Lawrence, managing editor of the San Francisco Examiner, be imprisoned until he answers certain questions put to him by the senate committee.

INDIANS GET JUSTICE.

Salt Lake, March 9.--A special to the Tribune from Price, Utah, says: Orders for the troops to remove the intruders from the Uncompahgre reservation were received at Fort Duchesne last night.

CROWN OF INDIA.

Chequamegon, B.C., March 9.--(To the Astorian.)--We arrived today. All well. It was a run of good luck for the Crown of India.

CORKHILL.

(The Crown of India left Astoria last Saturday and has made a remarkably quick passage.)

THE MARKETS.

San Francisco, March 9.--Hops--\$ and 11c.

London, March 9.--Hops--\$ 15s.

Liverpool, March 9.--Wheat--Steady, demand moderate; No. 2 red spring, 6s 6 1/2d; No. 1 California, 6s 6 1/2d.

Portland, March 9.--Wheat--Walla Walla, \$1 and \$2; Valley, \$2 and \$3.

STERLING COMMITTEES.

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