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Supreme Court of United States Upholds Minnesota Law.

State Has the Right to Forbid Consolidation of Competing Parallel Railroad.

Washington, April 11.—In the case of the State of Minnesota vs. the Northern Securities Company and Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railroads, which was not decided in the Supreme Court of the United States when the merger decision was handed down, was decided today. The Supreme Court held that the federal circuit court has no jurisdiction and the case is dismissed.

The case was brought to sustain the Minnesota statutes of 1896 forbidding the consolidation of parallel and competitive lines, also to prevent illegal combinations in restraint of trade and commerce. The decision was unanimous.

The object of the suit was to declare the combination of two roads and the holding of their stock by the securities company unlawful, against the laws of the state as well as federal statutes. By petition the case was removed from the state court to the Circuit Court of the United States, as arising under the constitution and laws of the United States. The case was decided against the state by the federal circuit court. The case was then taken to the Supreme Court, which invited briefs on the question of jurisdiction.

Justice Harlan, announcing the decision, held that the suit does not really and substantially involve a suit or controversy which the circuit court could have taken up for final decree. Hence the circuit court should not have taken cognizance of it, but should have remanded it to the state court.

Story Publishers Lose Suit.

Washington, April 11.—Books cannot go through the mails as second-class matter according to a decision of the Supreme Court today in the suit to determine their right to mail novels issued at regular intervals as "second-class mail matter," brought by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., of Boston, and other publishers. The courts below are sustained. The postmaster general maintained that the Riverside Literary Series, Columbia Library, Detective Library and other so-called libraries should be excluded. The publishers contended these publications were periodicals and magazines. For sixteen years these publications have had the second-class privilege.

(Rates of postage on magazines and periodicals are one cent for each four ounces. On books and pamphlets, applicable to so-called libraries, one cent for each two ounces.)

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gon Securities Company will be commenced next week, Manager Hengen says. A gang is now connecting the machine drills in the long tunnel. The company expects to strike the Champion ore chute in about 30 days from this tunnel, which will be used later for an electric road from the Champion to the Musick mine.

MOROS WERE SLAUGHTERED

Manila, April 11.—News reached here today of a fight between General Wood's forces and the Moros at Tarsaca river. The Moros attacked the Americans and were repulsed with great slaughter. Their leaders, however, escaped. The Americans lost two killed and six wounded.

Beavers' Place of Trial.

Washington, April 11.—The Supreme Court today ruled that George W. Beavers, formerly chief of the salary allowance division of the postoffice department, indicted in connection with postal frauds, was properly surrendered to the authorities of the Eastern district of New York, although arrested in the Southern district, and that he will have to stand trial there.



CLEARING FOR ACTION ON A JAPANESE WARSHIP.

The imitative Japanese have for years past been careful and discriminating students of the art of war on the sea. Their ships are modern and their discipline is excellent. Frequent target practice has given them splendid marksmanship, and when they clear for action there are no false alarms.

Trial of a Murderer.

Waltham, Mass., April 11.—Charles Tucker, arrested Saturday charged with the murder of Mable Page in her home at Weston March 31st, was arraigned this morning and pleaded not guilty. The case was continued until April 21st.

Senator Quay's Condition

Atlantic City, April 11.—Senator Quay is reported to be about the same this morning. His physicians advise absolute quiet.

FIRE ON THEIR OWN BOATS

Russians Mistook Signals for Those of the Japanese.

New Orlean, April 11.—A misunderstanding of customs flashlight signals caused great excitement at midnight last night. Officers in command of the forts thought the Japanese were making an attack and opened fire on the fleet of pilot boats and merchantmen outward bound. Two Chinese seamen were struck by a

Fired on Pilot Boats and Merchantmen, Thinking the Japanese Were About to Make an Attack.

San Francisco, April 11.—The trial of Con Davis, porter on the steamer Alliance, accused of criminally assaulting Mrs. A. H. Ames, of Marshfield, Ore., on a voyage from Portland to San Francisco, went over till Thursday.

MOB ATTACKED PRESIDENT

Vienna, April 11.—Near Agram Croatia, today, peasants attacked the president of the town, Kibach, and a notary named Vokuvitch, trampling them under foot. Vokuvitch is dead and the president is seriously injured. The mob broke into the town hall and burned the public registers. They were finally suppressed by troops. Many persons were wounded. An artilleryman was killed by the explosion of a cartridge during the melee.

POPE CELEBRATED FIRST MASS

Forty Thousand People Crowded Into St. Peter's Cathedral This Morning.

Rome, April 11.—Pope Pius celebrated his first mass at St. Peter's cathedral today amid a vast concourse of people. The scene was brilliant and inspiring. In the immense basilica were crowded 40,000 persons from all nations. For hours before the pope appeared the spectators arrived in streams and struggled for positions of vantage. Troops lined the piazza and kept back the surging crowd. One feature of the service was the rendition of the Gregorian chant by over a thousand youths, led by Father Perosi, head of the Sistine choir. The pope appeared pale and looked more aged than on the occasion of his accession to the throne.

UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR'S FATE

Berlin, April 9.—The Tagblatt reports Professor Wnoff, of Moscow University, murdered by revolutionary students. The body was found today lying in the streets with this inscription affixed: "Condemned to death by the revolutionary committee for acting as a police spy and betraying students holding progressive opinions to the authorities." The professor had been strangled.

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