

ORDER FOR LOWER RATES IS VALID

United States Supreme Court Reaffirmed the Constitutionality of the Hepburn Law Regulating Interstate Commerce.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 9.—The United States supreme court today reaffirmed the constitutionality of the Hepburn law regulating interstate commerce in deciding the cases of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Union Pacific railways. It also held that the order of the interstate commerce commission reducing rates on lumber from northwest points to eastern points was valid.

NEW YORK SUFFERS BY FIRE.

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to the rescue. So suddenly were they buried that not even their number could be ascertained.

Just how many perished will not be known for many hours. The property loss will not be known until the ruins have sufficiently cooled to permit of examination of the vaults of the Equitable Life, the Mercantile Safe Deposit company and the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads, all of whose offices were in the building.

Never in New York has a more severe fire occurred, so far as its fire fighters are concerned. Heated like a furnace, the narrow streets about the destroyed block were terrific to work in.

The fire started shortly after 5 o'clock in a storeroom in the basement of the Equitable building and spread with incredible rapidity. Eating its way to the airshaft the fire communicated quickly with each floor and in a few minutes the building was a roaring furnace. Within half an hour after the fire started the flames were shooting from the dozen entrances on four streets on which the building stood. Broadway at this point is only 60 feet wide, while Nassau, Cedar and Pine are mere alleys. Hemmed in by the tall buildings on every side the firemen were forced to fight the flames so close that the darting tongues of flame blistered their faces and the greatest difficulty was encountered in attempting to raise the fire ladders to gain access to the upper floors.

Flames Gain East.

At 8:30 o'clock the flames had gained such headway that the firemen working on one side of the building were called away and within a few minutes the walls on that side of the flaming structure crashed into the street.

Flames at that hour were sweeping the entire block bounded by Cedar, Pine and Nassau streets and Broadway, and so great was the danger of its spreading that for the first time in the history of Manhattan island Chief Keaton sounded the borough alarm, summoning every piece of fire fighting machinery in New York proper.

Among the offices in the building

GOVERNOR WEST ADDRESSES CLUB

Speaks on Civic Improvement and Prison Reform—His Remarks Proved of Much Interest and Close Attention Was Given Him.

Before the ladies of the Greater Medford club, Governor Oswald West appeared Monday afternoon and addressed them at some length, speaking principally upon prison reform, which he has successfully inaugurated in this state. Governor West also dwelt at some time upon the work of such an organization as the Greater Medford club, it being prominently fitting that the ladies of a community should deal with such problems as civic improvement, socially and materially.

Governor West, after pointing to the great field for such organizations as the one he was addressing, turned to prison reform and told what he was endeavoring to do in the state.

Governor West was given close attention and his remarks were of much interest to the club. During the course of his remarks he stated that he would not again seek office unless his political enemies forced him to it.

Arrested for Pickpocket.

A man by the name of Anderson, said to be from Jacksonville, was arrested last night by Night Policeman Cingold, charged with robbery from the person.

Anderson was caught in the act of picking the pockets of an associate at the rear of a front street saloon. He was at once placed in jail and a hearing will probably be given him this afternoon.

were those of August Belmont, Kuntz Brothers, the Union Pacific railroad, the famous Cafe Savarin, the Western Maryland Railway company, Equitable Trust company, Mercantile Trust company, the Mercantile Safe Deposit company and the general offices of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

Haskins for health.

500 TROOPS ARE RUSHED TO CHINA

One Battalion Will Be Hurried Aboard the Transport Thomas and the Start for China Will be Made Immediately.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 9.—Five hundred American troops were today ordered rushed from Manila to Chin Wang Tao, China, to guard the American concession of railway line from Peking to the sea.

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DEMOCRATS TO MEET.

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PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Jan. 9.—An unknown steamer is ashore off Truro in a terrific southeast gale. All efforts to reach her or render aid have been unsuccessful.

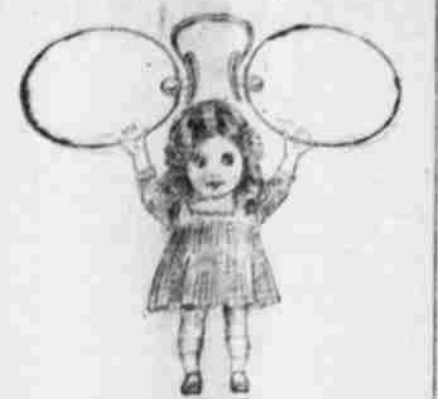
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