NEWS At Home TOLD IN TABLOIDS Abroad NEWS

MRS. BOLLES DENIES HUSBAND'S CHARGES

SILK MANUFACTURER SUES HER FOR DIVORCE.

Names Two Co-respondents, Who Are Described as "Clubmen and Bankers."

Justice O'Gorman and a jury in the Supreme Court are trying the suit for divorce brought by Harry L. Bolles against his wife, Eva G. Bolles.

Bolles is a wealthy silk manufacturer at Westerly, R. I., and he charges that his handsome wife lived with one Henry Widmayer at the Hotel Virginia, in the Grand Circle, from June to December, 1898, and with one Frederick Schussler at No. 230 West One Hundred and First street in 1901. She denies the charges and says besides that he has a similar suit pending in the Rhode Island courts.

Mr. Bolles is a grandson of Elisha Bolles and inherited $200,000 from him in 1891.

The co-respondents are described as bankers and clubmen. Robert L. Turk, in the wife's behalf, said that she was turned out of her home and abandoned by her husband Jan. 2, 1898, when they lived in Manhattan avenue, and that while he kept their twelve-year-old son, Arthur Littel Bolles, he left their little girl, Violet, eleven years old, with the mother and without support. She has had to sell all her belongings to raise money with which to buy necessaries.

Testimony Against Her.

A clerk at the Hotel Virginia testified that Mrs. Bolles lived at the hotel in 1900 with a man named Widmayer, and was known as Mrs. Widmayer. He said Widmayer abandoned her at the hotel.

Max Babb, a detective who served the papers on Mrs. Bolles, testified that she read the complaint and said: "I don't care what happens if I could only get my children."

Herbert Arthur Smart, bell boy at the West One Hundred and First street apartment-house, testified about the life of Mrs. Bolles during a whole year there. He said Frederick Schuessler frequently visited her.

Detective Babb was asked how he knew Mrs. Bolles when he served the summons.

"Because," he said, "she was pointed out to me in the Tombs Police Court the day before. She was there with Col. Murphy."

Frederick Schuessler, of the Hanover Bank, named as co-respondent, testified in behalf of Mrs. Bolles. He said that Mrs. Bolles was an old friend of his family, called on his mother and sisters frequently, and he escorted her home. He denied the charge of Mr. Bolles.

Mrs. Bolles told the story of her married life. She denied every charge made by her husband and contradicted the statement of his witnesses. She denied having lived with Widmayer.

GUREWITZ HELD IN $2,000 BAIL.

ACCUSED OF LARCENY OF $10,000 BY BROADWAY BANK.

Cloak Manufacturer Had Four Notes Discounted at the Banking-House.

Reuben Gurewitz, thirty-six years old, of No. 19 East Ninety-eighth street, a manufacturer of cloaks at Nos. 91 and 93 Mercer street, was held in $2,000 for examination by Magistrate Flammer in the Centre Street Court to-day on the charge of the larceny of $10,000 from the Broadway National Bank.

Charles J. Day, the cashier of the institution, made a complaint in which he stated that on the strength of a financial statement given the bank by Gurewitz—which, he said, turned out to be false—four notes of $2,500 each were discounted for him. This money the bank has lost.

Gurewitz was represented by Henry W. Unger in court.

Mr. Unger stated that his client had failed in business, but was guilty of no crime. He was released on bail.

SEIZE MORGAN'S PRICELESS BIBLE.

CUSTOMS MEN HOLD EIGHTH CENTURY ANTIQUE.

Illumined on Parchment, Its Binding Is Set with Precious Stones.

A manuscript bible of the eighth century, said to be worth 50,000, the property of J. S. Morgan, a nephew of J. Pierpont Morgan, who arrived on the steamship Oceanic to-day, was held by Deputy Collector of the Port Williams and sent to the appraisers' store to be valued. The bible is a magnificent work of great rarity. The headings of each chapter are illumined in an exquisite manner and the cover of the book is set with precious stones.

Collector Williams said that he had ordered the bible to be temporarily confiscated as a precautionary measure, a quick appraisment on the pier not being advisable. Mr. Morgan refused to discuss the matter.

Mr. Morgan said he had been abroad for about a month on a pleasure trip. He admitted seeing his uncle while abroad, but said he knew nothing of any business that Mr. J. P. Morgan might be engaged in.

CITY BANK STOCK UP.

Stock of the National City Bank—the Rockefeller bank—opened to-day at $625—par value $100—and jumped to $670 before 2 o'clock.

Presumably this raise was due to the proposed increase in the bank's capitalization. It is now $10,000,000. Last January the Board of Directors authorized an increase of $5,000,000. This has not yet been made.

LOCAL

TO FIGHT TAMMANY.

Committees representing three anti-Tammany Democratic organizations will hold a conference this afternoon in the Mills Building to adopt plans for fighting Tammany in the September primaries.

STRANAHAN AT CAPITAL.

Nevett N. Stranahan, Collector of the Port of New York, has gone to Washington to confer with President Roosevelt and Secretary Shaw concerning several matters connected with his office at this port.

MAYOR TO ADDRESS "VETS."

The Veteran Corps of the Sixty-ninth Regiment, N. G. N. Y., will give its annual banquet to-night in the Stuyvesant Casino. Mayor Low will be the guest of the evening, and will respond to the toast, "The City of New York."

"LEAR" TO BE REPEATED.

Manager Conried has induced the great artist, Adolph von Sonnenthal, to give two more performances of "King Lear" at the Irving Place Theatre, and they will take place next Monday and Tuesday.

PADEREWSKI MAY SMOKE.

Ignace Jan Paderewski will be able to smoke the 100 cigarettes or a portion thereof, which were imported by him from Germany, for his agents paid the customs duties on them after they had been seized.

BROOKS INQUEST PUT OFF.

The inquest into the death of Walter Brooks, who was to have been held to-day, has been put off until April 30, to allow detectives on the case more time to follow certain clues.

GIFT TO COLUMBIA.

Columbia University will receive a gift of $1,000 from the Temple Emanu-El to found a fellowship in comparative religion on the seventieth birthday of the Rev. Gustav Gottheil.

HO! 'WARE FRESHMEN!

There will be things on May 1 on the campus of Columbia University when the senior class appear in the classic mortar-board, which they have voted to do, and which the freshmen say they do not like.

WILL ATTEND RR. HEARING.

Residents of the Bronx announce their intention to appear in large numbers at the hearing on May 1 in the City Hall on the application of the New York Interborough Railway for a franchise to build a road covering forty miles of the streets of the Bronx.

PLAY FATAL TO BOY.

Joseph Belitch, six years old, of No. 59 Second avenue, died at his parents' home on April 20, from injuries received from jumping off a railing on April 13. The Coroner was notified of his death this morning.

WASHINGTON

URIBE-URIBE BEATEN.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The State Department has received information by cable that Gen. Uribe-Uribe, the insurrectionary leader in Colombia, has been overwhelmed by the Government troops at Medina, and has been compelled to retreat.

SNYDER TO REPRESENT ARMY.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Captain Henry D. Snyder has been detailed to represent the Medical Department of the army at the American Congress of Tuberculosis in New York May 14 to 16.

BABCOCK VERY ILL.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Representative Babcock, of Wisconsin, is dangerously ill with a complication of heart troubles that cause grave fears for his recovery.

ROCHAMBEAU TURN-OUT.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The ceremony at the unveiling of the statue to Rochambeau, May 24, will include a military demonstration. President Roosevelt will preside and make the opening address.

NAMED FOR EGYPT.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The vacant judgeship in the International Court of First Instance at Cairo, Egypt, will be filled by W. G. Van Hoesen, a lawyer of Salt Lake City. If he will accept the President's nomination.

CLARK NOT TO GO TO CORONATION.

DECLINES THE PROFFERED APPOINTMENT.

Rear-Admiral Watson Named in His Place as American Naval Representative.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Capt. Charles E. Clark has declined the appointment of special representative at the coronation of King Edward, and the President has named Rear-Admiral Watson for that mission.

Capt. Clark, who commanded the Oregon at the battle of Santiago, was picked for naval representative at the coronation several weeks ago, and it was understood at the time he would accept the mission.

Mr. Whitelaw Reid is the special Ambassador for the ceremony. It was announced recently that the civil representatives would pay their own expenses, and those of the army and navy would receive only such compensation as would be due in the ordinary line of duty.

FUNERAL COACH SMASHED.

Car Runs Into It at Thirty-fifth Street and Broadway.

A funeral carriage occupied by Mrs. Carrie Cramer, her three children and brother, while on its way to Calvary Cemetery to bury Mr. Cramer, was struck by a Broadway car at Thirty-fifth street and Broadway this afternoon. The coach was badly smashed. Mrs. Cramer was severely cut by glass. She was taken to her home, No. 843 Tenth avenue. No arrests were made.

TELEGRAPH

SELIGMANS IN DEAL.

CLEVELAND, April 23.—J. & H. Seligman, of New York, who have been negotiating for the Toledo Railway, Light and Power Company, one of the Everett-Moore syndicate properties, have asked that their option be extended for two weeks.

MORGAN'S EYE ON CHINA.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 23.—Hongkong papers received by the Empress of China contain a report that a syndicate headed by J. P. Morgan has applied to the Chinese Government for permission to build a railway from Peking to Ching Kiu Kan.

$100,000,000 AT DINNER.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—More than $100,000 was represented at the dinner given by Hermann Oelrichs to E. H. Harriman. The guests included the most prominent millionaires of this city.

PROF. HALL RESIGNS.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., April 23.—Prof. James Parker Hall, associate professor of law, has tendered his resignation to the trustees. From here Prof. Hall will go to Chicago University.

FAMILY ALL PATRIOTS.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., April 23.—Joseph S. Levers is dead of dropsy, aged sixty-seven. Robert Levers, his great-grandfather, was a member of the First Continental Congress and a regular officer on Gen. Washington's staff.

DR. HILLIS AT FUNERAL.

WOODBINE, Ia., April 23.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Hillis, mother of the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis of Brooklyn, was held from the old homestead. Dr. Hillis preached the funeral sermon.

CLERGYMAN REVOLTS.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 23.—The Rev. W. T. Hutchinson, in conference with a committee of Congregational clergymen, has refused to retract his denial of the authenticity of the Scriptures.

CORN KING REIGNS AGAIN.

CHICAGO, April 23.—George E. Phillips, the dethroned corn king, has arranged with his creditors, and will resume business with Irwin, Green & Co., who will handle his rates.

TO SELECT PRESIDENT.

MILWAUKEE, April 23.—The names of Prof. Hyde, of Bowdoin College, and Prof. Jenks, of Cornell, are under consideration by the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin for President.

CANADIAN TO AID IRELAND.

OTTAWA, April 23.—The Hon. John Costigan intends to offer in the House of Parliament a resolution favoring home rule for Ireland and deploring the proclamation of the Land League.

FIRE KILLS SIX PERSONS.

OTTAWA, April 23.—In a fire near this city Thomas Hull, his wife, three children and a scalemen were burned to death. Only two with four horses.

PASTOR IN DIVORCE SUIT.

NEWPORT, April 23.—The Rev. Charles H. Porter, a clergyman of the Unitarian Church, has been sued for divorce by his wife, who alleges in her petition that she was treated with cruelty.

JERSEY CALF FOR BRYAN.

BUFFALO, April 23.—A Jersey bull calf has been shipped to William J. Bryan at his home in Lincoln, Neb., by A. T. Mohl, of this city.

NEGRO LAWYER LOSES.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 23.—W. H. Green, a negro lawyer, asked that the indictment against his client, a negro, be quashed because there were no negroes on the jury. His client was convicted.

SHORTEST MURDER TRIAL.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 23.—The shortest murder trial in this county, three hours and a half, ended in the conviction of John Canters in the second degree.

FARMER'S WIFE ENDS LIFE.

ITHACA, N. Y., April 23.—Tired of working in the fields like a man, Mrs. Etta Deyo, a farmer's wife, committed suicide by drinking the contents of a vial of carbolic acid.

BURNED BARN FOR REVENGE.

YORK, Pa., April 23.—The large barn of C. C. Wolf was destroyed by fire and forty head of fat beef cattle and ten horses and mules perished. Henry Eberly confessed that he set fire to the barn for revenge.

FIRES MENACE TOWN.

LEBANON, Pa., April 23.—A fierce forest fire is raging on the South Mountains at Cornwall, south of this city. More than 500 acres of woodland has been destroyed. The high winds are sweeping the flames to Rexmont.

TRAIN ENGINEER SHOT.

PITTSBURG, April 23.—Burglars stole a safe from the Willow Grove toll-house and were trying to pry it open when they were discovered by the crew of a passing freight train. The robbers opened fire on the trainmen, fatally wounding Henry Stump, an engineer.

BRICKLAYERS GET INCREASE.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 23.—An agreement has been reached between the Mason Contractors' Association and the Bricklayers' Union whereby the bricklayers are to receive 50 cents an hour. The bricklayers have been getting 45 cents an hour under a contract which expires July 1.

LIGHTED FIRE WITH BILLS.

SYRACUSE, April 23.—Mrs. William H. Coulter, of Canastota, placed $20 in her stove for safe keeping, and her husband burned it up when lighting a fire.

NEOPHYTE SUES.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 23.—Alleging that he has been injured for life by the initiation ceremonies of Sovereign Camp, Woodmen of the World, Samuel W. Mitchell has sued the order for $25,000 damages.

LINER ELKO DESTROYED.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., April 23.—While bound from New York to Philadelphia, the Clyde liner Elko was totally destroyed by fire at Dock No. 3. The loss was $50,000.

CREAMER MAKES DEFENSE.

Says New York Congressmen Have Worked for P. O. Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Mr. Creamer, of New York, rose in the House to-day to a question of privilege on account of an attack on the New York delegation in connection with the Post-Office appropriation for that city.

He said the delegation had done everything possible in the matter.

OTHER ODELL GIRL ADDS TO MYSTERY

Sister of Murdered Marietta Odell Disappears as Authorities Seek Her—She Was Poisoned Also—Arrests Coming.

PATERSON, N. J., April 23.—Lillie Odell, sister of Marietta, who is believed to have been murdered by poison, has mysteriously disappeared and is supposed to be avoiding further connection with the mystery. Lillie is the most important witness in the case whose testimony has not been taken.

She, too, was poisoned and became deathly sick Friday morning after attending a ball at Echo Lake. The authorities only discovered last night that Miss Lillie was also poisoned, and as no trains reach Macopin, the Odell home, a message was sent there for her statement. Word was received in Pompton Lakes this morning that Miss Lillie had left her home in company with a relative late last night, and that they were supposed to be headed for the mountains back of Macopin.

County Detective Shane says that Lillie can tell who administered the poison, and as her sister is dead she will be the main witness. The statement of the dead girl Marietta is said to need confirmation, and Lillie is the one person who can tell the whole story.

Two Men Involved.

It is now believed that Marietta and Lillie were with two men and that both were implicated in the poisoning. Arrests are expected any time. C. C. Romaine, the Mayor of Pompton Lakes, received a telephone message this morning asking him to be on the lookout for two young men, giving their descriptions, and saying they were wanted in this case. The county is covered with detectives.

To an Evening World reporter Mayor Romaine said today:

"If Marietta Odell was poisoned, as we believe, she was, the authorities have the name of the person who gave her the poison.

"Mayor Romaine has taken an active official interest in the investigation of the cause of death of the young woman who died last Saturday morning in Mrs. Conkling's boarding-house, Wanaque, and who is believed to have been the victim of "knock-out drops" or other poison.

"Rita Odell was given poison by a man," he said. "She was conscious up to the moment of her death, and she made a full statement to Dr. E. N. Shippey. She told him everything, and the doctor has turned this statement over to the county authorities. The man is known. He is not a stranger. He will not be arrested until the chemical analysis of the viscera proves that she was poisoned.

Does Not Deny It.

Dr. Shippey did not deny the truth of this statement.

Thursday night Miss Lillie Odell went to a dance at Echo Lake, six miles from Wanaque, with a young man from Macopin. She left the dance about 11 P. M. At 2 A. M. Friday she appeared at John Poole's Hotel, Wanaque, and said she was ill. She was alone and asked to be driven to her home at Macopin. Poole's son, John, drove her to Macopin. During the journey the young woman became worse and was nauseated until she reached her home.

Young Poole said she was too ill to talk, and did not tell him what made her ill.

GAMBLING-HOUSES STILL PAY POLICE BLACKMAIL.

—JEROME'S LETTER TO GROUT.

In response to Comptroller Grout's announcement that he will not approve the bills of county detectives for expenses in securing evidence against saloons and disorderly houses, District-Attorney Jerome has sent to the Comptroller a communication of about 2,000 words.

In this communication the District-Attorney announces that he has changed his mind since yesterday about dropping the crusade he is making against lawbreakers. If necessary, he says, he will furnish the Comptroller with an indemnifying bond in any amount, signed by men of the highest financial standing, guaranteeing that Mr. Grout will not lose personally should he approve bills for money spent in behalf of the city.

"As you are doubtless aware," the District-Attorney writes, "the racing season in the East has just begun. The result of this is that the pool-rooms are opening all over the city of New York.

"**From reports that I have received I am satisfied that many, if not all, of the principal gambling-houses in this city are now open and doing business. Money must be spent to secure evidence against them.**

"**I believe that the police of New York levy blackmail upon the keepers of gambling-houses, pool-rooms and disorderly houses.**

"Unless I can expect money to get evidence against these places I shall be in doubt to secure the punishment of captains for neglect of duty in failing to suppress them.

"In conclusion," the District-Attorney tells the Comptroller, "for my part, I do not see how you can refuse to sign the District-Attorney's office."

SAY POST-OFFICE MANAGER ROBBED MAIL FOR TOMBS.

Graham C. Voorhis, superintendent of Post-Office Substation 8, at Broadway and Howard street, was arrested this afternoon by Inspectors Jacobs and Meyer on the charge of stealing money from the mails. Two marked $2 bills, cut out in decoy letters, were found in the man's pockets. Voorhis made no statement and was held by Commissioner Shields in $2,500 bail for examination.

Complaints have been received by the Post-Office Inspectors for seven months that money was being taken from letters passing through Substation 8. This is in the heart of the dry goods district and at the centre of the less reputable section of the Bowery. The complaints received showed peculations of more than $50.

Voorhis was not suspected. He was taken into the confidence of the inspectors and nearly a hundred letters were put in the mail in an effort to catch the thief, who was supposed to be a carrier. The thefts continued, although the decoy letters were not touched.

Yesterday seven test letters were sent by the inspectors. All contained marked money. Jacobs and Meyer went to lunch with Voorhis this noon, and when it was time to pay the check, Jacobs asked to look at Voorhis's "roll." There was $20 in it and among the bills were two of the marked bills, the inspector says. The man was at once arrested. Many of the missing letters were sent to prisoners in the Tombs.

Voorhis is about forty years old. He lives with his wife and small daughter at No. 152 East Forty-eighth street. He was in the Federal employ for nearly twenty years.

In speaking of the arrest Inspector Jacobs said:

"Money in bills is never safe in the mails. Postal thieves become so expert that they can smell the money in letters. Bills cannot be hidden in a letter so that they can be detected.

CONDUCTOR KILLED IN ODD ACCIDENT.

Daniel J. Keane, a conductor for twelve years on the Rapid Transit road on Staten Island, was ground to death this afternoon while doing extra work on a gravel train which was filling in a trestle out in the Arthur Kill, near Arlington.

He was standing on the ashes with which a regulation coal-hopper car was loaded when the doors at the bottom gave way. The ashes and the man were precipitated to the track as the train was moving.

Keane was caught under the doors and was terribly crushed. He was married and lived at Power Hill.

BEEF TRUST IN CONGRESS.

Resolution Proposed Directing Inquiry by Committee.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Representative Richardson introduced in the House this afternoon a resolution directing the Ways and Means Committee to investigate the recent increase in the price of meat.

If practicable it is ordered to offer some measure of relief.

CABLE

TO FENCE IN THE BOERS.

LONDON, April 23.—The War Office to-day shipped one hundred miles of iron fence material to South Africa. It is intended to reinforce the Sheekhouse barbed wire fences and stop the Boer cattle rushes.

COURT-MARTIAL FOR ASSASSIN.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—A decree has issued orders the trial by court-martial of the man who assassinated the Minister of the Interior, M. Sipiagine, on April 15.

BOER LAAGER SURPRISED.

BLOEMFONTEIN, April 23.—A British patrol to-day surprised a Boer laager at Kroodraai, Orange River Colony. Five Boers were killed and twenty captured.

DE CARVALHO IN CHILI.

VALPARAISO, Chili, via Galveston, Tex., April 23.—Senor Jose Carlos de Carvalho has arrived here. He is the special envoy from the Brazilian Government appointed to promote comity between Chili and Brazil.

ANGLOMANIACS SCORED.

LONDON, April 23.—In a speech here John Hays Hammond warned the British against affect much importance to "the extravagant expressions of Anglomania of a class discredited in America, the Anglomaniacs."

CONTAGION IN LONDON.

LONDON, April 23.—There are now more than 1,100 cases of small-pox reported in London and 79 new cases have been reported in a single day.

MAY SHATTER GOVERNMENT.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, April 23.—An official press bureau states that further evasion of military duty will lead to the conviction that the present form of government is no longer suitable.

TROOPS FOR SOUDAN.

CAIRO, Egypt, April 23.—British troops are held in readiness to proceed to the Soudan owing to the fact that trouble is threatening in that part of Egypt.

LEAVES CZAR'S CABINET.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—M. Vannovsky, the Minister of Education, has resigned his post because the Czar, at the instigation of M. Pobiedonostseff, the Russian Privy Councillor, refused to sanction his bill for the reform of the intermediate schools.

LICKEY HEADING HERE.

COLON, April 23.—William H. Dickey, United States Consul at Callao, Peru, has left here for New York. Mr. Dickey is on leave of absence.

SIX REBELS ARRESTED.

HONGKONG, April 23.—Chinese officers in raiding a house at Canton captured six men who had been sent to Canton to spread the rebel propaganda and to purchase arms and supplies.

CAN'T GET READY FOR FAIR.

BERLIN, April 23.—Herr Richter, Imperial Commissioner at the Chicago World's Fair and director at the Paris Exposition, has said that he very much doubted whether Germany's proposed exhibit at St. Louis could be made ready in time.

REBELS CONTROL TRADE.

HONGKONG, April 23.—The rebels have seized the river banks at Quang-Shan, fifty miles below Nan-Ning, to prevent cargo junks ascending the river. The junks have returned to Wu-Chow.

ADMIRAL MENARD DEAD.

PARIS, April 23.—Admiral Menard, who had a most distinguished war record, died suddenly here at his hotel.

GEN. MERCIER ASSAULTED.

PARIS, April 23.—Gen. Mercier, who was prominent in the Dreyfus case, was struck on the head by a stone and badly hurt at the close of an election meeting at La Ferte Bernard.

PEKING COURT RECEIVES.

PEKING, April 23.—High Peking officials have been notified to be ready at the Tianing Park. The court will not return to Peking until April 29.

A DETAILLE SELLS FOR $320.

PARIS, April 23.—At a recent sale in the Hôtel Drouot, high prices prevailed. Cavaliers de Napoleon, a book by Mason, illustrated by Detaille, fetched $320.

MUST HAVE VOTE ON ISLANDS SALE.

DANISH UPPER HOUSE ACTS ON TREATY.

Electors and Members of the Colonial Council of Islands to Decide Question.

COPENHAGEN, April 23.—The Landsthing (upper House), by 34 to 30 votes, today adopted the majority's report on the treaty providing for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States. The treaty now goes back to the Folkething (lower House).

The session of the Landsthing was one of the most sensational on record. The lie was passed twice and charges and counter-charges were hurled back and forth, while the opponents of the sale of the islands went so far as to impugn the accuracy of the United States State Department's official records. The President of the House twice called a former Minister of Justice to order and the President also left the chair and spoke impassionedly against the ratification of the treaty.

Mr. Jensen, one of the opposition leaders, quoted a private conversation which he had with the Foreign Minister, Dr. Deintzer, claiming that the latter expressed himself as being personally opposed to the sale. This the Minister heatedly denied. It was at this stage of the proceedings that the lie was twice passed.

Three reports were submitted to the upper House of the Danish Parliament on the treaty providing for the sale of the Danish West India Islands. The Right, constituting the majority, favored deferring the ratification of the treaty until after a vote, in which only electors and members of the Colonial Council of the Islands shall take part. The second, minority, or Ministerial, report favored the unconditional ratification of the treaty.

The third report, that of the Independents (numbering ten members), favored the ratification of the treaty be made dependent upon following a plebiscite of all the inhabitants of the Islands.

Sun Match Company Plant Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—The plant of the Sun Match Company, at Falls of Schuylkill, a suburb, was destroyed by fire of an unknown origin to-day, entailing a loss estimated at over $100,000. The property was insured.

SHEEHAN MAY BE TRIED AFTER FOODY

JEROME HAS TESTIMONY AGAINST CAPTAIN.

Interesting Developments To-Day in the Trial of Capt. Foody.

It came to light to-day during the trial of Capt. Foody before Police Commissioner Partridge that District-Attorney Jerome has been collecting testimony against Capt. Sheehan in the Tenderloin. Charges against Sheehan may be made when the Foody case is finished.

When the Foody trial was resumed Francis Muller, a county detective, gave his testimony. It was similar to that given by other county detectives concerning the violation of the Excise laws. Then Detective Hamilton went on the stand and told about the purchase of drinks.

After Sheehan Now.

During Hamilton's cross-examination it came out that Jerome was preparing charges on the same line as those against Foody, against Capt. Sheehan, of the Tenderloin.

"Ever collect evidence in another precinct?" Mr. Olcott asked Hamilton.

"Yes, sir," was the reply. "Up in the Tenderloin."

"What became of that evidence?"

"I gave it to the District-Attorney."

"Oh!" ejaculated Mr. Olcott with a smile, as he resumed his original line of cross-examination.

Further questioning showed that several of the alleged saloons county detectives had testified to visiting are in reality furniture stores, tailor shops and boot-blacking establishments.

At this juncture District-Attorney Jerome came into the court-room and suspended the proceedings and held a long and spirited conversation with Mr. Olcott.

Mr. Sanford finished the examination of his witnesses shortly before noon. He then asked Commissioner Partridge to adjourn the case until Monday.

"The prosecution is not yet closed," said Mr. Sanford. "We want the intervening time for the purpose of going over the records and see if there is any filling in to be done."

Commissioner Partridge granted the request, but not before Mr. Olcott had secured from Mr. Sanford the stipulation that Sunday, March 30, should not be used against Capt. Foody, inasmuch as the latter was not in command that day. He was at home on account of illness.

BEVERIDGE SAYS TRUSTS ARE GOOD.

INDIANA REPUBLICANS IN CONVENTION.

Senator as Chairman Defends Great Industrial Combinations—Admits May Be Some Evils.

(Special to The Evening World.)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 23.—The Republican State Convention met here this afternoon and was organized with Senator Beveridge as chairman.

Nominations will not be made until to-morrow. The platform will be a general indorsement of the administration, it is said.

Senator Beveridge, in assuming the chair, made a long speech, the principal theme of which was "the Trusts."

The address was a bold and almost unqualified defense of the great combinations of capital, which the speaker said, were the natural result of American enterprise and invention.

The steel trust was cited as an example. Senator Beveridge asserting more men were employed at better wages after than before consolidation. This had been accomplished, he claimed, without increasing prices.

Railroad consolidation, he said, had resulted in an increase in the number of employees, increase in wages, decrease in freight rates and improved methods of transportation.

The Republican party, Mr. Beveridge said, would see to it that whatever evils attended these combinations should be corrected.

COXE TO BE APPOINTED.

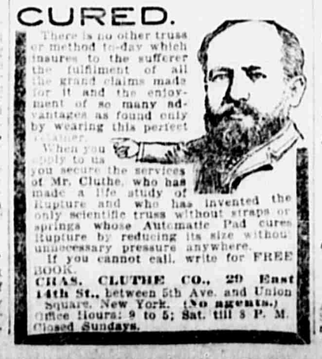
Will Be Raised to Circuit Bench, Platt Says.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Senator Platt, of New York, saw the President to-day, and later said that Judge Alfred C. Coxe, of the Northern District of New York, would be nominated as Judge of the newly created Federal circuit.

Judge Coxe has presided in one of the district courts of New York for about twenty years.

Ahe President has not yet decided upon a successor to Judge Coxe.

RUPTURE CURED.



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