

ARBITRATION TREATY UP.

CHANCES OF RATIFICATION BETTER THAN ITS FRIENDS EXPECTED.

THE OPPOSITION CONFINED TO THE SILVER SENATORS—MR. HILL'S MOTION FOR OPEN SESSIONS OVERWHELMINGLY DEFEATED.

Washington, Feb. 8.—By the decisive vote of 40 to 9, the Senate this afternoon, after a discussion of almost two hours, voted not to consider the general treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain with open doors. Secrecy will be maintained, and the traditions of the Senate will be perpetuated.

The discussion of the day, which continued until nearly 6 o'clock, showed that the chances for the ratification of the treaty are better than many of its friends supposed. The opposition, singularly enough, appears to be confined to the silver men who supported the ticket headed by Mr. Bryan.

Mr. Morgan will resume his speech to-morrow where it was broken off by the motion to adjourn.

ILL WANTS THE DOORS OPENED.

In accordance with his notice, Mr. Sherman moving an executive session at the close of the morning session. Mr. Hill at once made a motion that the doors be opened and the debate proceed in the presence of the public.

THE BEARING SEAL CLAIMS.

Mr. Sherman's plea for the treaty. When the treaty was taken up on its merits Mr. Sherman, as chairman of the committee, made a short but effective speech.

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EX-GOVERNOR LONG ACCEPTS.

TO BE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY IN MCKINLEY'S CABINET.

CHICAGO BUSINESS MEN SAY THE PRESIDENT-ELECT FAVORS A DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY WITH A TARIFF BUREAU—OFFICE-SEEKERS IN CANTON.

Canton, Ohio, Feb. 8.—The formal acceptance by ex-Governor John D. Long, of Massachusetts, of the portfolio of the Navy was received here to-night. It has been known for two weeks that ex-Governor Long was to be in the Cabinet, but the exact place he was to receive has been in doubt.

FILLED WITH A LOADED CANE IN THE STREET IN MEMPHIS BY A POLICE COMMISSIONER.

A NEGRO PAYS THE DEATH PENALTY IN NORTH CAROLINA.

CAMPBELL EDUCATION GOES ON.

CHAIRMAN HANNA'S METHOD TO REACH THE VOTERS WITH SOUND-MONEY LITERATURE.

THE BEARING SEAL CLAIMS.

BRITISH OFFICIALS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

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BUNCE'S FLEET IN PERIL.

TERRIFIC FIGHT WITH A GALE.

FOUR LIVES LOST AND EIGHT MEN BADLY INJURED.

THE WARSHIPS ARRIVE OFF CHARLESTON AFTER A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE ON FRIDAY NIGHT OFF THE NORTH CAROLINA COAST—HEROIC ATTEMPT OF A LANDSMAN ON THE MAINE TO SAVE HIS DROWNING COMPRADE—SLIGHT DAMAGE DONE TO THE VESSELS.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 8.—The United States warships New-York, Captain Schley; Maine, Captain Crowninshield; Columbia, Captain Sands; Amphitrite, Captain Wise, and Marblehead, Commander Jewell, arrived off Charleston Bay to-day after a terrible experience with the storm which swept up the South Atlantic coast Friday and Saturday.

THE KILLED AND INJURED.

THE GREAT STORM ENTERED.

ORDERED TO SEA AGAIN.

THE BATTLE-SHIP INDIANA FOUND IN GOOD CONDITION.

REPORTS DETRIMENTAL TO AMERICAN SHIP-BUILDING INTERESTS PRONOUNCED UNFOUNDED—WHY THE SHIP RETURNED TO HAMPTON ROADS.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The battle-ship Indiana's return to sea is the subject of a report which has been the subject of a brief but serious conference to-day between Secretary Herbert and his bureau advisers.

SECRETARY HERBERT EXPECTS THE INDIANA TO GO TO SEA TO-NIGHT, AND PROCEED WITH DISPATCH TO CHARLESTON, WHERE OTHER VESSELS OF ADMIRAL BUNCE'S FLEET ARRIVED TO-DAY, AFTER ENCOUNTERING SOME EXTREMELY SEVERE WEATHER.

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QUESTIONING MR. SEARLES.

SUGAR TRUST'S SECRETARY AND TREASURER BEFORE THE LEGISLATORS.

HIS EXPLANATION OF WHY HE DID NOT APPEAR BEFORE AN ADJOURNMENT TAKEN UNTIL NEXT SATURDAY MORNING.

After having examined for more than three hours John E. Searles, secretary and treasurer of the American Sugar Refining Company, the Joint Legislative Committee on Trusts adjourned yesterday afternoon until next Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

MR. SEARLES'S EXAMINATION.

WHAT HE GOT FROM THE TRUST FOR HIS NORTH RIVER REFINERY STOCK—ORDERED TO PRODUCE BOOKS.

THE EXPECTATION OF seeing and hearing Mr. Searles, or of hearing him pronounced guilty of contempt and liable to all the punishment incident to that offence, brought a big crowd of spectators into the Common Council Chamber at the City Hall yesterday morning.

MR. SEARLES CALLED.

MR. SEARLES MAKES HIS EXPLANATION.

LIBERTY CYCLES AT CENTRAL PALACE.

LIBERTY CYCLES FEB 6TH TO 8TH.



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