

HILL PLEADS FOR MCKENZIE

Sees the President Regarding the Pardon.

DAN LAMONT WITH HIM

Senator Quay Heads a Movement on the Attorney General.

FRIENDS LOOK FOR A PARDON

They Are Hoping the President Will Act Before He Leaves for the West.

From The Journal Bureau, Room 45, Post Building, Washington.

Washington, April 16.—If Alexander McKenzie isn't pardoned, it will not be because pressure has been brought to bear upon Attorney General Knox in McKenzie's behalf. It leaked out to-day that James J. Hill and Dan Lamont made a special trip from New York recently and saw the president in McKenzie's behalf.

It is said that within the past few days strong pressure has been brought to bear upon Attorney General Knox in McKenzie's behalf. Senator Quay is at the head of this movement and he is understood to have made a personal appeal to Knox, who as a Pennsylvanian is supposed to be a part of the Quay machine.

As soon as the president can hear from the judges of the court of appeals in San Francisco, he has been asked to give him their views regarding the case. It is generally understood here that he will announce the pardon. That he will refuse to act favorably, McKenzie's friends will not believe.

It is the desire of McKenzie's friends that the president act before starting on the western trip, two weeks from today.

MCKENZIE BREAKING DOWN

Doctors Fear He Will Not Live Through His Term.

Special to The Journal.

San Francisco, April 16.—Alexander McKenzie, who is serving a sentence of one year in the Alameda county jail, for contempt of court, is a picture of despair, and his health seems broken under the strain.

The doctors say he will probably not live through his term. When Mr. McKenzie left Cape Nome he was far from a well man. His constitution had been undermined by the severe climate, and the many duties imposed upon him.

PARTNER IN A SALOON

Two Strettwolfs' Claim to Residence in North Dakota.

Special to The Journal.

Fargo, N. D., April 16.—The man, Strettwolf, whose divorce was declared invalid by the United States supreme court yesterday, obtained his decree in Mandan and was a client of Attorney Voss of that town.

"One of your favorites?" stammered the curate, slightly puzzled. "I do not understand."

Stops a Wheeling Princess

New York Sun Special Service

London, April 16.—A story is printed that Princess Victoria, a daughter of King Edward, while cycling in the Long walk, Windsor park, which is forbidden to cyclists, was stopped by one of the royal gatekeepers, who, not recognizing her, stood in the gateway to prevent her passing.

ROOSEVELT TO ATTEND

Thomas Shevlin Says He'll Be at State Fair.

A STRAIGHT PROMISE

Reports That Vice President Will Not Come Are Discredited.

NEW BUILDING PLAN CONSIDERED

Meeting of the Board of Managers of the State Agricultural Society.

From The Journal Bureau, Room 45, Post Building, Washington.

"Teddy" Roosevelt will come to the next state fair. This was the pleasant surprise which Vice President Thomas H. Shevlin of the state board of managers had to announce at the meeting at Hamline to-day.

Mr. Shevlin says that Vice President Roosevelt unqualifiedly promised to come. He has heard nothing to the contrary from the vice president and therefore discredits reports from Washington that "Teddy" is not certain to come and that he does not think that leaving a binding engagement with the state fair manager.

A Formal Invitation.

The managers unanimously voted to invite Vice President Roosevelt to be present and will ask him to make an address on either the opening day of the fair or on Tuesday. Needless to say, this will be one of the chief attractions of fair week; and for many the presence of the famous and much-loved "Teddy" will be a greater feature than the fact that the cattle show at the next fair will be the biggest thing of the kind ever seen here.

Roosevelt is a many-sided man and one of his delights is to discuss agricultural matters and the social and economic sides of country life; and he is also said to have some ideas of his own on the subject of state fairs. At all events it is safe to say that every person in Minnesota who can manage to get within sound of his voice will be glad to hear him speak at the coming fair.

Minor Matters Discussed.

Among the minor matters considered were the erection of a new grand stand and the tunneling of the race track. It is hoped to arrange to construct a driveway under the track so that carriages and passengers who want to see the races from the inside of the track can pass under the speedway and avoid all danger of collision. This whole subject was left with the executive committee to report at the next meeting. It was reported that the Great Northern railroad will increase the sidings facilities at the grounds for this season, thus giving improved transportation facilities. The board also authorized an arrangement for a tent 100 by 200 feet in size for the use of the judging and auctioneering of stock during fair week.

COLORADO HAS ANOTHER

WORST BLIZZARD FOR YEARS

Heavy Loss of Stock Is Expected in the Northern Part of the State.

Denver, Col., April 16.—Reports from northern Colorado are that another storm has prevailed over the prairies for forty-eight hours, and still continues. It began in a misty rain and developed into a blizzard.

The loss of stock will be great, as the animals have become weakened by the storms of the past two weeks and lack of food. The snow is drifting badly and railroad traffic is delayed.

TIER'S ACQUITTAL

Heartily Approved at Lead Where It's Believed He's Innocent.

Special to The Journal.

Lead, S. D., April 16.—The friends of Harry Tier in the Black Hills are feeling good over his acquittal. He has been under arrest for several months at Evanston, Wyoming, for the alleged murder of Jack Wheeling in 1875. It was not believed at any time in this city that Tier was guilty of the crime. He resembled the real murderer very closely and singularly enough by another name at about the time of the murder, that name being the one carried by the man who is supposed to have done the killing.

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IT WILL COME IN HANDY. Uncle Sam—What have you there, my little man? Japan—A new gun after an old model, Uncle.

CARTER'S BIG HAUL

Solicitor General Richards Says Total Was \$2,169,159.

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MONOPOLY OF ALASKA

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SHUTS OUT ALL OTHERS

Complete Control of the Business of the Gold Fields.

FIVE BIG COMPANIES MERGED

Rothschilds of London Are Interested in the Combine—Cudahy in It.

Special to The Journal.

New York, April 16.—All the Alaska trading and navigation companies have been consolidated into two organizations, giving them a monopoly of the commercial wharfage trading and navigation in the Yukon, the Klondike and the Cape Nome gold regions. The new companies were incorporated at Trenton, N. J., yesterday under the names respectively of the Northern Commercial and Northern Navigation companies. The incorporators in both companies are Leon Sloss, Isaac Liebes, George H. Higbee and William Thomas, all of San Francisco.

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TO DEVELOP POWER

Plants of Dual Companies at the Soo to Be Enlarged.

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Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., April 16.—The Chandler-Dunbar Water Power company and the Edison Sault Electric company, which consumes the water power, have made final arrangements to enlarge their plant extensively, and the work will begin within two months. The water power is located on St. Mary's falls, opposite the ship canal, and is the most valuable on this side of the river, as it can be economically developed to 60,000 horse power.

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PATRICK IS HELD

Charge Is the Murder of Wm. Rice, the Texas Millionaire.

Justice Jerome's Decision

He Is Satisfied That Valet Jones' Testimony Was Sufficiently Corroborated.

New York, April 16.—Justice Jerome to-day held Albert T. Patrick for the grand jury on a charge of murdering the late Texas millionaire, William Marsh Rice.

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THREAT TO TIE UP THE STEEL TRUST

President Schaffer Will Call the Executive Committee to Consider Ordering a General Strike.

About 50,000 Men Are Employed in the Steel Trust Mills—No Change at McKeesport.

New York Sun Special Service

McKeesport, Pa., April 16.—President Theodore Schaffer of the Amalgamated association addressed the striking employees of the Wood department of the American Sheet Steel company, and announced that unless the company agreed to reinstate all its discharged employees and recognize the union, he would call out all the union mills controlled by the United States Steel corporation. He said:

"This fight is one to a finish between the Amalgamated Association and the billion-dollar trust. The life of our union is at stake. The constitution of the association contains a clause which says that in case of a company refusing to recognize the union, all the plants owned by that company shall be called out. That clause will be enforced. Every mill owned by the billion-dollar trust will be shut down by the end of the week unless the American Sheet Steel company concedes the right of its employees to join the union."

COMPANY STANDS FIRM

Positive Refusal to Recognize the Workmen's Union.

Pittsburg, April 16.—The strike at the W. Dewey Wood plant of the American Sheet Steel company at McKeesport, is still on. The mill is operated in a crippled condition. The strikers are picketing the streets to induce the workmen to stay away from the mill, but they are keeping off the company's property.

President Schaffer of the Amalgamated association said he probably would call the national advisory board together tomorrow to consider calling out the men in the other mills of the United States Steel corporation.

CLOSE THE SHEET MILLS

President Schaffer Says "This Is the Beginning."

Pittsburg, April 16.—If the plans now contemplated by the Amalgamated Association are carried out, the result will be a suspension of operations at all the union plants of the American Sheet Steel company before the close of the week.

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