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AMENDMENTS WILL GO

Senate Agrees to All Offered in the Joint Statehood Bill

SO FAR AS CONCERNING ARIZONA AND NEW MEXICO

Discussion of Railroad Legislation Took Up Balance of Day—Mormon Defense Begins in Committee—Strong Protest Being Made Against Reflections Upon Morality of Members of Church—Witnesses Made Bold Statements.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The attention of the Senate was today divided between the statehood question and the governmental regulation of railroads. Mr. Newlands made a formal speech on the railroad subject, and at its close engaged in a spirited controversy over points involved with Senators Spooner, Foraker and others.

All amendments to the statehood bill, excepting that relating to liquor traffic in the Indian Territory, were agreed to. These amendments number one, which gives the territories the right to adopt or reject the constitutions offered, practically putting adoption of joint statehood or its refusal up to the people.

Testimony intended to prove that Mormon morals are of the highest type, and to refute the word of witnesses who have declared the contrary to be true, was offered by counsel for Senator Smoot today.

W. J. McConnell, formerly United States Senator from Idaho, and twice governor of his state, and Representative Burton L. French, member of the present Congress and re-elected for another term, were the day's witnesses.

It was the opening of the session for the defense in the Smoot investigation. Senator Knox, the new member of the committee, attended for the first time. The committee room was crowded. There is a sentiment in favor of pressing the investigation to a conclusion, and with that end in view it was announced that, beginning tomorrow, longer sessions would be held.

Both witnesses today denied many statements directed against the Mormon church, and its alleged interference in political affairs. Former Governor McConnell said that gentle members of the Idaho legislature have not as high morals as the Mormon members, and that if it were not for questions of geography and knowledge of legislative needs, the interests of the state would be better served by an entire Mormon legislature.

DEMANDS LEGISLATION

WASHINGTON, JAN. 11.—PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT CONTINUED TODAY HIS CONFERENCE WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS ON THE SUBJECT OF TARIFF REVISION AND OF LEGISLATION PROVIDING FOR AN INCREASE OF THE POWERS OF THE INTER-STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

ONE STATEMENT, WHICH STANDS OUT ALMOST WITH THE PRE-EMINENCE OF AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT IS THAT UNLESS CONGRESS AT THE PRESENT SESSION SHOULD ENACT LEGISLATION LOOKING TO THE REGULATION OF RAILROAD FREIGHT RATES, AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE FIFTY-NINTH CONGRESS WILL BE CALLED BY THE PRESIDENT TO DEAL WITH THAT PROBLEM.

IT CAN BE SAID THAT THE PRESIDENT REGARDS THE INTER-STATE COMMERCE QUESTION AS THE PARAMOUNT ISSUE NOW BEFORE THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

CATTLEMEN IN SERIOUS WRANGLE ABOUT AFFAIRS

CONVENTION COMES TO ORDER AT DENVER, AND PROCEEDS TO WORK.

RAILROADS ARE DEBARRED

Fight Precipitated by Question as to Whether Railroads and Packers Shall Have Representation on Governing Board of Association—Many Opposed.

Denver, Jan. 11.—The re-organization plan of President Frank J. Hagberth, by which the National Livestock Association was to be remodeled and its control vested in a board composed of the representatives of trades and interests allied to the raising of live stock, has been torn to pieces as far as the railroads are concerned.

For two days the executive committee, composed of members from each industry, has been working on the proposed re-organization, and it will require at least two days more to finish its work. No report will be made to the convention before Friday morning.

Before it was definitely concluded to prevent railroads from acquiring membership in the association a bitter fight was waged in the committee room. Texas and Colorado cattlemen became so wrought up over the possibility of the railroads having a voice in the management of the Livestock Association that they announced their intention to withdraw from the association if the measure was carried.

Other western organizations gave evidence of a desire to take similar action, and the adoption of a plan to admit the railroads would probably have resulted in the disruption of the association.

GEN. MILES GETS IT AGAIN

Washington, Jan. 11.—Appointment of Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles as inspector general of the State of Massachusetts overshadowed all other questions in discussion of the army appropriation bill in the house today.

A FINE FEED OUTLOOK

RAINS OF WEEK HAVE MADE MUCH ENTHUSIASM AMONG STOCKMEN.

Looks Like the Biggest Spring for Grass That Has Been Had in Years. Stock Now in Prime Condition, and Outlook Excellent.

Stockmen in the city yesterday from Sulphur Springs and San Pedro Valleys were enthusiastic over the splendid outlook that rains during the week have made for an abundance of grass with the opening of spring. All unite in the opinion that the prospects for plenty of feed during the year have not had a better start in years than is now at hand.

BIG TAX SUIT.

Filed at El Paso Against Prominent Property Interests.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 11.—An important tax suit, involving the property of the late Joseph W. Tays and others, some of which is the property upon which the water works reservoir is located, has been filed in the district court by the State of Texas against Joseph W. Tays, Eugene Tays, Mrs. J. W. Tays and the unknown owners of the property.

WRECKED AMERICANS ARE DROWNED.

Waterford, Ireland, Jan. 11.—The steamer Zeno arrived here today with the captain and 12 men of the American steam dredge Texas, which foundered in a storm off the Hebrides.

BANDIT GANG IS EXPOSED BY WOMAN MEMBER

WOMAN ARRESTED FOR BIGAMY TALKS WHEN PUT IN THE SWEAT BOX.

OF NUMEROUS BOLD DEEDS

Names the Men Who Compose the Outlaw Band, and Tells of a Number of Train Robberies Participated in by Them—Men Are Under Arrest.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Minnie M. Seger, who was arrested tonight on complaint of B. F. Baddeley on a charge of bigamy, made a statement to Captain of Detectives Burnett shortly after her incarceration, in which she accused Baddeley of being a member of a band of train robbers.

STORMS CAUSE DELAY

SOUTHERN PACIFIC SUFFERS A WASHOUT THIS SIDE OF YUMA.

Traffic Tied Up for Twenty-seven Hours—Delayed Last Night's E. P. & S. W. Train From Benson—E. P. & S. W. Suffers No Damage on Its Line.

REMOVED KIDNEY.

Unusual Surgical Operation Successfully Performed at C. & A. Hospital.

To save the life of Mrs. A. Hackshaw, an exceedingly delicate and rare operation was performed yesterday at the C. & A. hospital, when a kidney was successfully removed from the patient. The member taken away had been diseased for some time, and removal became imperative.

HEARST TO PROSPECT FOR OIL IN MEXICO.

Chihuahua, Mex., Jan. 11.—It is now certain that the eastern part of this state is soon to be thoroughly prospected for oil and that W. R. Hearst is to be the moving spirit.

SUPERVISORS REFUSE

To Appoint Additional Justice of the Peace at Douglas

COUNTY HOSPITAL CHANGED HANDS ON YESTERDAY

New Appointments Made By the Board of Supervisors—Two Men Bound Over to Grand Jury From Wilcox, Marriage Licenses Granted.

(Special to Review.) Tombstone, Jan. 11.—The Board of Supervisors at their meeting today, upon the advice of the District Attorney decided to lay the petition of the citizens of Douglas for the appointment of another Justice of the Peace and Constable on the table. The District Attorney, in a lengthy opinion advised the Board that under the present wording of the statute they had no authority to grant such a petition unless it was shown that the population of Douglas was over 5,000.

P. A. Loftgren was appointed by the Board as road overseer at St. David.

The Board passed a resolution asking J. A. Rockefeller to assist the District Attorney in drawing up a set of plans and specifications for the construction of the two bridges to be built at Hereford and St. David respectively.

Z. W. Morrison was appointed as Justice of the Peace at Fairbank, and T. D. Larrien as constable.

The Board will meet in Bisbee on the 29th inst. to accept the branch county jail at Bisbee, which is to be completed at that time by the contractors.

A. J. Morstad, of Naco, was yesterday adjudged insane by the medical board before Judge Goodbody, and ordered committed to the asylum at Phoenix.

Dean Lamb and Chas. Durward were brought over from Wilcox this morning by Deputy Sheriff Jud Pruitt, of Bowie, and will be held to await the action of the next grand jury on a charge of grand larceny.

The following marriage licenses have been issued in the Probate Court since Monday:

Paul Murphy to wed Willette Cook, both of Tombstone.
Ira V. Bryant, of Tombstone, to wed Dora Lillian Sanders of Douglas.
Fred C. Fencerson to wed Nellie Iso, both of Douglas.
Juan M. Garcia to wed Sofia Levin, both of Naco.
Jesse Herlick to wed Emily Doyle, both of Bisbee.
Tom Flannigan left this morning for Phoenix, where he goes to argue the appeal cases of Ramon Moreno, E. Figueroa and E. Eredia, the Mexicans convicted of the murder of Arthur Wright at Black Diamond. The two former are now serving sentences at Yuma, while the latter is under sentence of death in the county jail. Flannigan was their attorney when the cases were tried in the District court.
The county hospital and the patients confined therein were turned over to Dr. Hughart this morning by Dr. Johnson. H. Berndt will act as steward for Dr. Hughart. There are thirty-three patients in that institution at the present time.

WANTED FOR FORGERY.
Douglas, Jan. 11.—H. L. Taylor is wanted in California on a forgery charge. Taylor was one of the first lawyers to come to Douglas, and for a time had a good business here, but he developed a shyer propensity and lost his clients. He committed some breach of promise by working the check game, and left the town for parts unknown with a big string of debts behind him. Now the officers are after him again, and the local officers have been notified to arrest him if he comes this way; but there is not much danger of Attorney Taylor visiting Douglas very soon.

AMERICAN EXPRESS MESSENGER MURDERED.
El Paso, Tex., Jan. 11.—A telegram received today by the Wells Fargo Co. says Express Messenger R. A. Latta, running between El Paso and Mexico City, was murdered last night in his car at Laguna, Chihuahua.
While the messenger's death is believed to be the work of robbers, the officials decline to state whether the car was robbed or not, saying only that they have no details.