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## SHIP SUBSIDY BILL PASSED

Although There Were Several Amendments—The Vote Stood 42 to 31.

## VEST WAS NOT IN IT

No Foreign Built Ships Shall Participate in the Subsidy—This Was Aimed at J. P. Morgan.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—After a prolonged debate, the senate today passed the ship subsidy bill, the final vote upon the measure being 42 to 31. Senators Allison, Dilliver, Spooner, Quarles, Proctor and Dillingham, Republicans, voted against the final passage of the bill and McLaurin, South Carolina, voted against the bill. Some amendments were adopted but they were all agreeable to those in charge of the measure the friends of the bill voting down all other amendments. With the exception of the amendments offered by Allison and accepted by Frye, limiting time of operation of contracts made under the provisions of the bill to July 1, 1920, and providing that the amount of expenditure under the bill annually, none of the amendments agreed to, materially affected the bill as reported from the commerce committee. Vote upon the amendments began at 3 o'clock and such a flood of them was offered that the final vote upon the bill was not reached until just before 6 o'clock.

Amendments offered by Vest, providing for "free ships" and for application of provisions of anti-trust law to shipping industry were rejected, as was the amendment by Patterson providing that no Chinese person should be a member of a crew of a subsidized vessel. Pettus offered an amendment providing that the total expenditure under the bill should not exceed \$9,600,000 in any year. It was rejected by a decisive vote.

Senate agreed to the amendment offered by Spooner providing that congress should have power to amend or repeal the act, without impairing any contract made under its authority. Hanna offered, and senate adopted three amendments applying directly to acquisition by J. P. Morgan and association of Leyland line of British ships. They provide that no foreign built ships shall be constructed to prevent American citizens or corporations from holding or operating foreign ships in ocean-carrying trade, and that no foreign built ship of any line thus acquired by American citizens shall be admitted hereafter to American registry.

## NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS.

Jarvi Case is Postponed for the Wife to Testify.

The coroner's jury assembled yesterday morning and was called to order by Coroner Pohl. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Eakin was present and conducted the examination, while C. W. Fulton sat by and listened to the proceedings in the interest of his client, occasionally making suggestions and asking a few questions.

Mrs. Tobias Rakhonen, who lives in the lower story of the building where the murder was committed was examined, as was also Stephanus Jarvi, the 18-year-old son of the deceased. Neither threw any light on the case and the principal feature of their evidence was the contradictions of her husband's evidence given last Saturday, by Mrs. Rakhonen, and the emotion of the boy. Mrs. Rakhonen's evidence was also practically valueless to either side, as she knew nothing about the material points. She heard Gabriel Jarvi—she only knew him by the name Gabriel—knock at the front door of the house and then walk around to the rear door and knock. He was swearing and said they were all crazy and that he would put them in the insane asylum at Salem. The boy also corroborated her statement as to what the

deceased said, and according to their testimony Gabriel did not threaten to do any killing, but was only going to send them to the asylum, as he thought they were crazy because they would not let him into the house.

Mrs. Rakhonen said her husband went to the window and raised it and looked out at the body of deceased, but that he was not feeling well, and as others came he went back to bed. Although she was on the lower floor and nearest to the deceased and heard what he said and finally admitted that she heard the all door open, but did not see the pistol shot. On being interrogated closely on this point, however, she admitted that she heard something click, which indicated that she possibly heard the revolver cocked but did not hear its report when it was discharged. Her evidence was so vague that it was of but little value. When closely interrogated about material points she could not hear them or knew nothing about them from the fact that she was attending to her children. She remembered that when he returned from the rear of the house he kicked the front door until the windows in the house rattled. She also said that Gabriel passed by about 6 o'clock in the evening, and that upon being invited to supper by his wife he stated that he had been to supper.

Stephane, the boy, spoke good English and intelligently. But when he arrived at the material points in the case he gave way to sentiment and flooded his handkerchief with tears. He said that he was frightened when he heard his father down stairs and pulled his sweater over his head. He wore a sweater and had doubtless slept with it on. He corroborated Mrs. Rakhonen in what his father said and did down stairs, but he knew nothing of the killing and heard no report of

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## CHEERS FOR DELARNEY

IRISH ENTHUSIASM NOT APPRECIATED BY ENGLISH.

Wearing of the Green not a Particularly Popular Event in London.

NEW YORK, March 17.—"The Wearing of the Green," is not likely to be as popular as usual in London today, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. The pro-Boer demonstration in the House of Commons when the news of Lord Methuen's capture was announced has been taken greatly to heart by Englishmen. They have been almost as much humiliated by the Irish reception of the disaster as by the disaster itself. One Irish nationalist has written to the Times, disassociating himself from the demonstrators, but he is not an Irish leaguer, and his anti-Boerism is almost certain to cost him his seat at the next election. A great majority of the Irish people are strongly opposed to the Boer war, and would gladly see it ended by an acknowledgment of the independence of the South African republics. Speaking at a Nationalist meeting at Glasgow last night, John Dillon, M. P., called for cheers for Delarney, and the audience responded heartily. English Radicals fail to understand this attitude. They cannot see that what annoys England pleases Ireland.

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## DISCUSSED THE BOER WAR

The River and Harbor Bill, Cuban Tariff Question and Many Others Receive Attention.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The house committee on rules by divided vote on party lines today decided to report the resolution of Representative Crumpacker, of Indiana, for a special committee of 13 members to investigate the alleged disfranchisement of voters in some of the states.

The Democratic members of the committee, Richardson, of Tennessee, and Underwood, of Alabama, protested against the reporting of the resolution. Democratic members consulted their colleagues on the floor of the house and began considering the advisability of expressing their dissent by resorting to the most extreme devices of parliamentary procedure. To this end it is the intention to submit the matter to a Democratic caucus, probably Wednesday night.

## RIVER AND HARBOR BILL

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The house today began consideration of the river and harbor bill. Burton, of Ohio, made an extended speech in explanation of the measure. Several other members spoke briefly on the measure, among them being Bellamy, of North Carolina, who protested against the treatment his state had received. Foster, of Illinois, and Cochran, of Missouri, discussed the Boer war, criticizing the majority severely for failure to allow congress to express the sympathy of the American people with the struggling republics.

## EVANS TO BE PROMOTED.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—There is no doubt that Pension Commissioner Evans will, within the next few months, sever his connection with the pension bureau, to accept from the president a position which will be a substantial promotion, but which has not yet been definitely selected.

President Roosevelt will not consider the question of Evans' retirement until a position entirely satisfactory to the commissioner has been provided. No decision has been reached concerning a successor to Evans.

## ASSIGNMENT OF COMMANDERS.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—On the retirement of Major General E. S. Otis, on the 25th inst., Major General Arthur MacArthur, in command of the department of Colorado, will be transferred to Chicago and Brigadier General Frederick Funston will command the department of Colorado.

Brigadier General W. A. Kobbie will be assigned to command the department of Dakota.

## CUBAN TARIFF.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Arbitrating conference on the Cuban tariff question lasted until 5:30 p. m. At its close Chairman Payne authorized the statement that there was no change in situation and no agreement, the conference adjourning until tomorrow.

Conferees stated privately that the situation in conference amounted to a deadlock and that they were no nearer agreement than they had been at the outset.

## CUBAN RECIPROCITY.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—A meeting of Republican members opposing ways and means committee on Cuban reciprocity resulted in agreement not to accept any compromise involving reduction of tariff duties. This, in effect, is instruction to insist upon rebate plan or reciprocity plan. The

meeting was attended by 53 Republicans.

## EXCLUSION ACT.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Senator Penrose, chairman of the committee on immigration today submitted a report on the Chinese exclusion bill. He says sentiment of the American people is crystallized against admission of Chinese laborers to compete with workmen of the United States, and recommends passage of the bill.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Jose Vincente Concha, newly appointed minister from Colombia, presented his credentials to President Roosevelt today.

## LIEUTENANT JARVIS ILL.

SEATTLE, March 17.—Lieutenant D. H. Jarvis, who will succeed J. W. Ivey as collector of customs for Alaska, has been unavoidably detained in the city by the illness of his wife. It is likely that he will not be able to make the northern trip for two or three weeks. He will notify the department at once of his circumstances.

## GREAT STRIKE WIPED OUT.

BOSTON, March 17.—The great strike involving 20,000 men was wiped out today, when practically every man went back to work.

## IT WAS A BOY.

SEATTLE, March 17.—By the greatest feat of its kind which the Chinese of this city have ever known and by presents of gold and of wool, a life of good luck was wished to the infant son of Charlie Dong Yoke, one of the wealthiest of local merchants, yesterday. Two elaborate banquets were served, costing a heavy sum of money. Two hundred of the leading Chinese merchants of the city were present.

## LIFE SAVERS GO DOWN

SEVEN LOSE THEIR LIVES IN THE SURE.

While Trying to Rescue Men from a Barge Who Were Also Lost.

CHATHAM, Mass., March 17.—By the capsizing of a life-boat today seven life savers of Monomy station of Cape Cod met death and with them into the sea went five men from the stranded barge Wadenwa, whom they tried to bring to shore. The lost are: Life savers—

- MARSHALL N. ELDRIDGE.
  - EDGAR SMALL.
  - ELIJAH HENDRICKS.
  - OSBORNE CHASE.
  - ARTHUR ROGERS.
  - ISAAC THOMAS FOYE.
  - VALENTINE NICKERSON.
- From barge—
- WILLIAM H. MACK.
  - CAPTAIN CHRISTIAN OLSEN.
  - ROBERT MOLANEUX.
  - WALTER A. SEVED.
  - MANUEL ENOS.

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## TEN THOUSAND PEOPLE RIOT

"Free Russia!" "Down With Autocracy!" Cried the Russian Students.

## 100 PERSONS ARE ARRESTED

Police and Cavalry Use Cossack Whips and Flat of Sabres—Fought All Afternoon.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 17.—Students' riot, in which over 10,000 people were engaged kept a large force of police and cavalry busy through the day. Probably 100 arrests were made.

The students attempted to organize a procession, singing revolutionary songs and shouting "Free Russia," "down with autocracy!"

Police and cavalry charged, using Cossack whips and flat of sabres. Many persons were hurt. Fighting continued during the afternoon, breaking out in fresh places continuously.

The authorities made efforts to prevent bloodshed and were remarkably successful, considering the magnitude of the demonstration.

## VICAR GENERAL OF YUKON.

SEATTLE, March 17.—The Very Rev. P. E. Gendreau, V. G., who arrived in the city from Alaska on his way to Edmonton, Province of Alberta, to attend a council of high dignitaries of the Catholic church. Father Gendreau, who is now vicar general of Yukon Territory, will be present at the council by special invitation. Among the plans which he will urge for the benefit of the church in the Yukon Territory, will be the establishment of a bishopric.

## UNFORTUNATE JESUIT.

SEATTLE, March 17.—Father Aloysius Jacquet, the venerable Jesuit priest who was sent to Nome from California late last year to have charge of the missions in that vicinity and who, through fatigue and suffering on the long trip down the river became unbalanced, is to have refuge among the brethren of the church at the Mission of the Holy Cross, eighty miles up the Yukon.

## ANDREW JACKSON DEAD.

SEATTLE, March 16.—Andrew Jackson, one of the pioneers and builders of Seattle, died after a two month's illness Sunday morning. He was chief of police in 1880.

## DIED IN A POSTHOLE.

WARM SPRINGS, Cal., March 17.—The 17-months-old daughter of J. C. Sinclair, of Palouse, Washington, fell into a posthole containing a small quantity of water today and was suffocated to death.

## SILVER MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Silver, 54.