

DEPEW DOES NOT RECOVER RAPIDLY

SENATOR MAY NOT RETURN THIS SESSION

Since Leaving Capitol Has Been in Close Retirement—Suffering From Nervous Strain and Breakdown

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 4.—Senator Depew, who left Washington a month ago on the advice of physicians, will not, in all probability, return to his seat in the senate during the present session.

Senator Depew has been in retirement in Westchester county. Both the senator's physician and a member of his family say that the sole reason for withholding information as to his exact whereabouts is to afford him the privacy without which absolute rest would be impossible.

With the senator are his son, C. M. Depew, jr., and his niece, Miss Anna Depew Paulding. Besides taking automobile trips over the Westchester roads when the weather permits, Senator Depew gives some time to such matters of business as are taken to him by his nephew, Charles C. Paulding.

Not Mending Rapidly "It was confidently expected when the senator returned from Washington a month ago," said a member of his family yesterday, "that after a rest of a couple of weeks he would be able to return to his home duties at the capitol, but he has not mended as we had hoped."

He certainly seems to have benefited from the rest he has taken, and if governed by his own inclinations would undoubtedly go back to the capitol as he is deeply interested in the subject of railroad rate legislation now under discussion.

The following statement of Senator Depew's condition is taken from a communication addressed to a member of the senator's family by Dr. Pierce Bailey of this city:

Nervous Breakdown "Senator Depew has been under my care since last autumn. He is suffering from a nervous breakdown, the result of prolonged strain. I now expect him to make good recovery and resume his senatorial duties. To obtain such a result a complete rest of several months is imperative."

Dr. Bailey yesterday confirmed the foregoing, and added that the period of rest prescribed would preclude the return of the senator to Washington before the end of the present session.

Concerning the report that the senator would shortly leave for Europe, Mr. Paulding said yesterday that no plans in that direction had as yet been made by the senator.

Chauncey Declines By Associated Press. NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 4.—The declination of Senator Chauncey M. Depew to stand for re-election to the Yale corporation was announced today from the office of the secretary of the university.

TUSKEGEE CELEBRATION ON

Speeches Made by President Elliott of Harvard, Secretary of War Taft and Booker T. Washington

By Associated Press. TUSKEGEE, Ala., April 4.—Owing to the delay of the Ogden special train, the beginning of the exercises in connection with the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial institute was delayed until tonight.

Among the prominent men who came in on the Ogden train were Secretary of War William H. Taft, Robert C. Ogden, president of the board of trustees; Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard university; Dr. Lyman G. Abbott and Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the New York Evening Post.

The party was greeted by 1500 students and alumni, and members of the faculty and board of trustees. Principal Booker T. Washington delivered an address of welcome.

Mr. Ogden delivered a strong address on the significance of the celebration. President Eliot of Harvard spoke on "What Uplifts a Race and What Holds It Down."

Secretary Taft also made an address. Senator Burton's Case Ends By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 4.—The hearing in the case of United States Senator Burton of Kansas was completed in the supreme court of the United States today.

Get Divorce Decrees

Interlocutory decrees of divorce were granted yesterday in the superior court in the petitions of W. E. McKeele against Mrs. M. E. McKeele, W. O. Randolph against Mrs. M. E. Randolph and Mrs. E. W. Day against Walter D. Day.

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KILLS MAN OVER DEBT

Chicago Barber Beaten to Death by Alleged Creditor, Assisted by Three Other Men

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, April 4.—Geo. D. Brown, a barber 41 years of age, was attacked by four men last night at Thirty-eighth and Butler streets and was beaten so severely that he died two hours later from the effects of his injuries.

Bernard Comiskey, who is accused of being the leader of the quartet responsible for the man's death, together with James O'Shea, is under arrest and the police are searching for the other two men.

The crime is declared by the police, following their investigation, to have been the outcome of enmity between Brown and Comiskey over a debt owed to Comiskey by Brown.

MINERS' DEMANDS TO BE MODIFIED

BELIEVED OPERATORS WILL MEET HALF WAY

Mitchell Seems Pleased to Know That Roosevelt Will Not Interfere. Few Bituminous Men at Work

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 4.—It was the general belief tonight of those who are closely watching the situation about the anthracite miners' headquarters in this city that the miners have definitely decided to modify their demands and will present them to the operators probably tomorrow.

Some of the members of the committee privately admitted before coming to New York for the present negotiations that the original demands were greater than the miners really expected to get, and that the leaders could afford to trim them down and still leave the mine workers enough to be satisfied.

It is believed that if the operators would meet the men half-way on some of the demands they have made, such as the reconstruction of the conciliation board, an eight-hour day and an increase in pay for some classes of labor, the miners would seriously consider the proposition of renewing the conciliation board's award for more than one year.

President Mitchell is devoting almost as much time to the situation in the bituminous fields as he is to the hard coal regions. When he was informed that President Roosevelt had declined to interfere with the soft coal troubles, he showed great interest and inquired if the text of the president's communication had been made public.

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BAMBAATA GETS MAGWABABA

Former Sulu Chief on War Path in South Africa Stands Off Police and Civilians

By Associated Press. DURBAN, Natal, April 4.—The colonial officials have received official confirmation of a raid made by the former Sulu chief Bambaata on a loyal Kruai near Greytown and the abduction of Bambaata's uncle, Magwababa, who was appointed regent of Greytown when Bambaata was deposed in consequence of his connection with the recent revolt.

Bambaata, who seems to command considerable influence in the plateau farms and cutting telegraph lines and has successfully stood off a body of police and civilians sent in pursuit of him northward of Greytown.

A large colonial force is gathering at Greytown to run down Bambaata.

Beat His Wife to Death

By Associated Press. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 4.—Robert Vanthof, said to be demented, is being held, charged with beating his wife to death in their home here today.

Levi Spiegelberg Incinerator Accepted

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 4.—Levi Spiegelberg, head of the firm of Spiegelberg & Sons, cotton converters, died suddenly at the Harmonia club yesterday. Mr. Spiegelberg was born in Westphalia 76 years ago and came here with his brother early in the forties. They had little money and decided to strike the west.

In 1846, when Mr. Spiegelberg was 16, he made the trip overland with his brother, and wound up in Santa Fe. The boys started a store and when the gold rush began branched out in business as wholesale merchants.

They built up an export and import business with Mexico and later had branches in many cities. Mr. Spiegelberg was known to almost everyone who hit the trail in those days and was a friend of many well known gold seekers and Indian fighters.

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"ELIJAH" ORDERS GRANGER FROM OFFICE

Telegraphic Powers of Attorney Not Valid—Wilhite Wires Apostle. Feeling Is Very Strong Against Him

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, April 4.—It was decided today by Overseer Voliva of Zion City that in view of the announced return of John Alexander Dowie from Mexico and his declared intention of making a fight against the action suspending him from office that the present overseer shall be appointed receiver of the Church of Zion and of all the public property in the name of the church.

The treasury department will appeal to the court from the decision of the board. General Appraiser Sharrett wrote the opinion in which he said that reconstructed rubies are composed of the same chemical constituents as the natural stones—oxide of chromium and aluminum.

Dowie Wakes Up

A message was today received by Deacon Alexander Granger from Dowie, reading as follows: "You are hereby removed from your office as general financial manager and all your offices. I warn you should you undertake to exercise any authority as financial manager it will be regarded as criminal."

Deacon Granger, after reading the message, declared that he would pay no attention to it, but would continue to discharge his duties as financial manager of Zion City.

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More Property Transferred

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DEATHS OF THE DAY

J. B. Hill By Associated Press. STOCKTON, Cal., April 4.—J. B. Hill, one of the oldest legal practitioners in California and the oldest member of the Stockton bar, died in this city today at the age of 85 years.

General Blanco MADRID, April 4.—General Blanco, formerly governor general of Cuba, died this morning. Ramon Blanco y Arenas was sent to Cuba to succeed General Weyler, whose conduct in suppressing the rebellion in that island shocked the humanitarian feeling of all the civilized world. He started on a policy of pacification, but the Cuban people did not trust him, and his experience on the island was not happy.

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DECISION IN RUBY CASE

Government Officials Class Artificial Productions for Custom's Purposes With Natural Stones

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The board's decision on the articles is based on customs purposes, with natural rubies, and are dutiable at 10 per cent. It is supposed that the ruby case will affect other kinds of precious stones, including emeralds.

The treasury department will appeal to the court from the decision of the board. General Appraiser Sharrett wrote the opinion in which he said that reconstructed rubies are composed of the same chemical constituents as the natural stones—oxide of chromium and aluminum.

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even adults can be seen at a glance. The great furnace takes a third of the space in the large two-story brick building. The wagons with their loads of garbage are driven up a long runway into the top floor to one of the twelve hoppers that shoot straight into the great firepit beneath.

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LIVES IN TOMB WITH DEAD MEN

MINER TAKEN OUT FROM LENS COAL SHAFT

Auguste Berton Exists Over Three Weeks After Explosion—Tries to Commit Suicide—Unable to Eat Horse Flesh

By Associated Press. LENS, France, April 4.—Another living survivor of the mine disaster at Courrières, March 10, was discovered this morning and brought out of the pit. The finding of another miner alive after twenty-five days' entombment caused intense excitement.

Auguste Berton, who was discovered this morning and brought out of the pit, was found in pit four of the Sallau mines. He was in good condition. According to his first statement, this man, Auguste Berton, suffered less than the preceding rescued men. He is 32 years old and was born in the same town as Nemy, the leader of the thirteen men rescued on March 30.

As the news spread through the region it caused extreme exasperation against the engineers who have been directing the survivors work. M. Leon, the state engineer, when he arrived at the pit, was surrounded by a crowd of people, who cursed and swore at him, one woman going so far as to strike the engineer.

Feels Touch of Hand One of a party of salvage men was working in the mine this morning when he felt the touch of a hand on his shoulder, and a man, who turned out to be Berton, said: "I am saved."

An affecting meeting occurred between Berton and his wife, Burton, who was covered with a layer of coal dust, described his experience as follows: "I was working with my cousin when an explosion occurred and we became separated. Afterward, alone, I groped about in the darkness trying to find an outlet. I first found a dead horse, but was unable to eat any of its flesh. Later I found some lunch bags which had belonged to men who had been killed by the explosion and I lived on the food I found in them. I saw a man in the mine and took clothing and shoes from the dead. I also found three watches and twenty-four suits. At one time I gave up hope and tried to commit suicide by opening a vein. I slept ten hours and tried to count the days, estimating that eight days had passed since the explosion."

Attacked by Women A thousand women are thronging about the pit mouth and are forcing the barriers. Troops and gendarmes are trying to control the situation. Five search parties went down this morning to explore pit four, but up to 10:30 p. m. they had not discovered any more survivors.

Other parties are searching the mines and the chief engineer will remain below all night. The crowd several times during the day broke through the cordon of troops surrounding pit No. 4, excitedly questioning the salvagers, who stated that no further traces of human life had been found. Several bodies of miners with the appearance of not having been long dead and a living horse were discovered. The latter was in good condition. The crowds dispersed at midnight except for a few women, who refused to leave the vicinity of the pit-head.

In pursuance of Premier Sarrien's instructions, a judicial inquiry was begun this evening against the state engineers who it is alleged, took over the superintendence of the salvage work from the company.

STAMP FRAUD IS BROUGHT TO END

NEW YORK LETTER CARRIERS TRAPPED

Carry on Smooth Scheme for Defrauding Government by Using "Postage Due" Stamps—Three Men Under Arrest

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 4.—Three letter carriers of station B at Attorney and Grand streets were arrested last night by postal inspectors, charged with working a new swindle. The men are George Davidson, William C. Spencer and John J. Mahoney.

The alleged fraud consisted in affixing canceled postage due stamps for ten cents to letters from foreign countries after removing the foreign stamps. The carrier then collected the face of the postage due stamp from the receiver of the letter. Sometimes the same game was worked with foreign letters that lacked a stamp, and then the government was the loser. It is not known how widely this trick has been played, but a change in the whole method of collecting postage due, especially on mail from Europe, is likely to follow.

An unusually large incoming foreign mail is handled at postal station B. Many of the senders of letters passing through this branch are European peasants and other neglectful folk who require amount of postage to their letters. So many are the unstamped letters that some slip through the hands of the distributing clerk and are given to the carriers, who stamp them.

Other letters that brought about a discovery of the trick. New York asked Budapest and Croy who they did not stamp their letters and help their friends save nickels, and Budapest and Croy reported that they did stamp them. Then complaints from New York rained into the postoffice.

Investigation, it is alleged, developed that Spencer, Mahoney and Davidson were buying large quantities of cancelled "postage due" stamps from dealers in stamps. For these they paid \$2 a hundred.

Convicts' Home Burns JACKSON, Miss., April 4.—The buildings on the state convict farm in Rankin county were partially destroyed by fire today. Loss, \$75,000.

AMUSEMENTS

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SAN PEDRO WANTS MARINE HOSPITAL

Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce Will Call Congress' Attention Thereto—Atlantic City Exhibition Quarters Next

The harbor committee at yesterday's meeting of the board of directors of the Los Angeles chamber of commerce reported suggesting that some effort be made to secure the establishment of a marine hospital and a quarantine station at San Pedro. Resolutions were adopted covering the matter which were ordered sent to the secretary of the treasury, in these resolutions it was suggested that the marine hospital be established on the government reservation at San Pedro and that a quarantine station be established in an old bulk moored in the proper place behind the breakwater.

In addition to these resolutions, statistics furnished by Lieut. Miner were submitted by the committee, showing that on the 1679 miles of coast line we have no marine hospital of any kind. In these resolutions the importance of the marine hospital of any kind was stressed. The committee also pointed out that the marine hospital of any kind was stressed. The committee also pointed out that the marine hospital of any kind was stressed.

A communication was read from T. A. Graham, assistant passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, stating that the Knights of Columbus were contemplating coming to California for their 1907 convention, and suggesting that the chamber of commerce extend an invitation to the national organization at the meeting in New Haven, May 26. The president was instructed to extend the invitation.

The president was also instructed to appoint delegates to the National Municipal league to attend the twelfth annual meeting at Atlantic City, April 24 to 27.

The president was also requested to appoint a committee to take up the matter of entertaining the delegates to the National Educational association to be held in San Francisco in July, the duties of this committee to be arranged for some entertainment or attraction and to offer some inducement to have them visit this city.

A request was received from Mr. Denby asking the chamber to indorse house bill No. 17345, creating a United States district court for China, and presenting the jurisdiction thereon. The matter was referred to the committee on law.

The following were elected to membership in the chamber: W. E. Sawelle, real estate; Henry C. Jensen, Henry E. Kemp, Iron-Oak Leather Co.; A. M. and A. C. Parsons, real estate.