

DOLLIVER LEADS ATTACK ON ALDRICH

IOWA'S SENIOR SENATOR BITTERLY DENOUNCES MACHINATIONS OF SENATE LEADER.

LEADS FORMIDABLE FIGHT AGAINST POSTAL BANK BILL

Fate of the Measure Now in Doubt—Dolliver Drags in Name of Taft and Exposes What He Declares to Be Sinister Plans of Monied Interests of the East.

Washington, March 4.—The insurgent republican protest against Aldrichism broke loose in the senate with renewed force yesterday afternoon and as a result the fate of the postal savings bank bill is in doubt.

With the aid of the democrats the insurgents won one victory over the Aldrich organization in the debate and when the senate took a recess until today they appeared to be in command of the situation.

Senator Dolliver led the attack. Before crowded galleries and an assemblage of senators that could not restrain their meriment over the satirical thrusts given the Aldrich crowd and their Wall street allies.

As a climax to his address Mr. Dolliver lifted from his desk and spread out before the eyes of the senators a bulletin of the National City Bank, the Standard Oil financial institution in New York, which disclosed an intimate knowledge of the plans of the Aldrich organization.

Dolliver Reads an Extract. Then the senator read an extract to the effect that the postal bank funds would be invested in government bonds.

"This tells me what I have been unable to discover from any members of the senate," Mr. Dolliver said. "The circular of the National City Bank is like a harbinger of spring. It announces that the money commission will make a report in a year or two which will deal with a reorganization of the monetary system."

Objects to "Delicate Shadings." "I do not like these delicate shadings of the Smoot and other amendments. I prefer the amendment of the senator from New York, which can not be misunderstood, rather than others here that leave us in the dark as to their meaning."

House Committee Decides on Omnibus Public Buildings Bill. Washington, March 4.—The omnibus public buildings bill was decided upon today by the house committee on public buildings and grounds.

PROTECTOR MEETS DEATH. Wisconsin Farmer's Fatal Interference in Quarrel of Neighbors. Ashland, Wis., March 4.—Gustave Kisten, a farmer living near Butterton, shot and instantly killed John Bryan, last night, during a quarrel with Frank Sturgeon, whom Bryan was trying to protect.

ICE GOING OUT. River Gorge Breaking Up at Burlington Owing to Warm Weather. Burlington, March 4.—The ice gorge broke up here at 2 this afternoon.

Orders Investigation of Lynching. Dallas, Tex., March 4.—Judge Sea today instructed the grand jury to investigate the lynching yesterday of Allen Brooks with a view to indicting the mob leaders.

of representatives but it is going to excite a large interest among that portion of our people who have left a sufficient independence of mind and thought to care for what is going on in the congress of the United States.

"Was There Any Bunko?" "Do these banks want to sell them?" asked Mr. Dolliver.

"The senator declared these bonds weren't due until 1930, and that nearly all of them were deposited in the United States treasury as security for national bank circulation.

"The Iowa declared he stood for a postal bank bill such as was in the minds of the people when the republican platform was adopted—a postal bank system the deposits of which should be deposited with the banks of the neighborhood instead of piled into investments which would divert the money to Wall street.

A \$12,000,000 DEAL. Sale of American Telephone Stock by Mackey Interests Officially Announced—82,000 Shares Changed Hands.

Boston, March 4.—The purchase by the American Telephone Company of 82,000 shares of stock recently sold by the Mackey companies is announced here today by President Vail.

GUTHRIE WILL BE TRIED. State Claims to Have New Evidence in Alleged Murder Case.

Special to Times-Republican. Vinton, March 4.—Francis Guthrie, husband of Rose Guthrie, who was either murdered or committed suicide at Belle Plaine ten years ago, is still being held in the county jail here.

DANCE TO CANNON'S MUSIC. Republican Editors of Speaker's District Approve His Policies.

Danville, Ill., March 4.—Twenty republican editors of the Eighteenth congressional district of Illinois, represented by Speaker Cannon today endorsed the speaker's policies, called upon him again to be a candidate, approved the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill and paid a high tribute to President Taft and Governor Deneen.

BAKED IN THE SAND. Drunk at Cedar Rapids Thought He Had Walked in Hades.

Special to Times-Republican. Cedar Rapids, March 4.—John Mears, a drunk, went to sleep in a sand drying plant unknown to workmen, who dumped a wagon load of hot sand on him.

61 CHERRY VICTIMS. Probably Last of Miners' Bodies Recovered—Identification Impossible Because of Decomposition.

Peoria, Ill., March 4.—A telephone message from Richard Newsam, state mine inspector, says that sixty-one bodies of miners were taken from the mine at Cherry this morning.

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NEBRASKA LAW UP. Supreme Court Hearing Attack on Law Compelling Switching Elevators.

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PINCHOT UNDERGOES SEVERE CROSS-FIRE

FORMER FORESTER GRILLED BY ATTORNEY FOR BALLINGER AND OTHERS.

AGAIN CHARGES BALLINGER MADE MISSTATEMENTS

Pinchot Says He is Prepared to Prove Secretary of Interior Told Untruths—Reads Hostility to Alaskan Forest Reserve into Ballinger Letter—Intense Interest in Hearing.

Washington, March 4.—While the interest in the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation had already been attested by large crowds at the sessions of the committee, the crush to get in the hearing room since Gifford Pinchot took the stand has been such that even the handling of newspaper copy out of the room has been at times made possible.

Ninety-nine out of every hundred spectators who crowd about the committee table daily are women. Louis R. Glavis was the hero of the throng while he was on the stand accusing Ballinger, but he has gone into eclipse now that Pinchot, the Noped forester and friend of conservation, is holding the center of the stage.

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Ballinger's Letter Introduced. Pinchot admitted that he had not read Ballinger's letter of protest concerning the creation of the Chugach forest in Alaska, and did not know what reason he gave in the letter.

New Trouble Develops. Washington, March 4.—The refusal of Secretary Ballinger to admit A. C. Shaw, deposed law officer of the forest service, to practice law before the interior department, has been carried up to President Taft and Attorney General Wickham.

TO AID UNION PAPERS. Bill Introduced Extending Second Class Rates to Class Periodical.

Washington, March 4.—Representative Dadds of Michigan, has introduced a bill permitting benevolent, fraternal, educational or trades union publications to enter the mails as second class matter and to enjoy the same rates as other publications of that class.

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PENALTY IN DOUBT ON LIVESTOCK LAW

BIG QUESTION AS TO PUNISHMENT OF RAILROADS BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT.

EFFECT OF FORTY-EIGHT HOUR LAW TO BE DETERMINED

Railroads Argue Fines Should Be Imposed For Each Train Loaded Government That Penalty Should Be Inflicted For Each Shipment—Decision of Far Reaching Effect.

Washington, March 4.—How severe a punishment congress has provided for railroads guilty of violating the so-called "twenty-eight hour law" for punishing the unlawful confinement of livestock in transportation was the basis for a stubborn contest today before the supreme court of the United States.

The case then was brought to the supreme court by the railroad, which contended that the unit for fining railroads is the separate shipment, while the legal representatives of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company insist that the unit is the train, no matter of how many separate shipments it is composed.

The outcome of the controversy will have a far-reaching effect. Many separate consignments of stock are carried frequently in one train, so the sum of the penalty, imposed by the law, will vary from \$100 to many times \$100, according to the outcome of the litigation.

The Questions Involved. This controversy was begun when the United States district attorney for the southern district of Ohio filed eleven cases against the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, claiming that it had carried as many shipments of live stock from shippers in various points in Illinois to Cincinnati without unloading the stock for all in violation of the twenty-eight hour law.

Hope of Settling Philadelphia Car Trouble Abandoned and General Sympathetic Strike Will Be Called.

Philadelphia, March 4.—Hope of an amicable settlement of the street car strike having been abandoned, the labor leaders are preparing for a general strike to take effect tonight at midnight.

GIRL SUES FOR ARREST. Jolly Time With Young Woman Causes Traveling Man Trouble.

Special to Times-Republican. Mason City, March 4.—E. R. Phillips, a Chicago phonograph salesman, arrested for assault and battery, and fined \$25, has been sued for \$75 for causing the victim humiliation.

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Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, March 4.—The Iowa Hardware Dealers' Association today elected L. C. Abbott, of Marshalltown, president, and A. R. Sale, of Mason City, secretary and treasurer.

THE GOVERNMENT'S CONTENTION. Several routes lead to the conclusion that the separate shipment was meant as a basis, the government contends.

Two Iowa Victims. Former Council Bluffs Resident and Her Daughter Among Those Killed in Snowslide Which Demolished Two Great Northern Trains.

Special to Times-Republican. Council Bluffs, March 4.—Among those killed in the snowslide at Wellington, Mont., when two Great Northern trains were demolished, were George F. Davis and daughter, former residents of Council Bluffs.

RAISING PHEASANTS IN IOWA. Game Warden Promises State Support for Benton Flock. Waterloo, March 4.—State Game Warden Lincoln visited the Benton farm at Cedar Falls today, where Chinese pheasants are raised as an experiment.

T.-R. BULLETIN

Noticeable News of Today

The Weather. Sun rises March 5 at 6:30; sets at 5:55.

Iowa—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; warmer in the northeast tonight. Illinois—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; warmer in the northwest tonight.

Missouri and South Dakota—Fair tonight and Saturday; moderate temperature.

Telegraphic News: Pinchot First Under Fire. Penalty in Doubt for Livestock Law Violation.

Postal Bill's Friends in Panic. Dolliver Assails Aldrichism. Strike Pends Tonight.

Stock Sale Involves \$12,000,000. Last of Cherry Victim Recovered. Western Floods Receding.

With the Bowlers at Detroit. Iowa News: Right of Way Withheld from Interurbans.

Paterson Must Support Wife. Grinnell's Substantial Growth. A Hampton Romance.

State Oratorical Contests. Iowa and General News: Seed Corn Posts Alarming. Lark's Bitter Output.

High Tide of Investigations. New Type of River Packet. Editorial: Railroads Gaining Wisdom.

Businesses: A Real Interurban Project. Topics and Iowa Opinions. Looker-On in Iowa.

Story: The Man in Lower Ten. Markets and General: Grain Prices Fall.

Wheat Recovers at Close. Ten Dollar Hog Reappears. Cattle Steady and Unchanged.

Livestock Movement Decreases. City News: Iowa Bands to Give Big Carnival.

Twentieth Century Club Postpones Date. Particulars of Hong's Death.

General City News: News of County Towns. City News: Farm Transfers Are Heavy.

Local Bowling Scores at Detroit. Prize Boston Terrier Here. General and Brief City News.

unit of offense, there has been no train? He asked the same question where cattle had been derailed in cars and the train proceeded. In the case of cattle not being fed after they were unloaded, he claimed the train plainly was not meant to be the unit.

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23 KILLED IN ALASKA MINE. Powder Magazine Explodes in Gold Property on Douglas Island. Juneau, Alaska, March 4.—Twenty-three miners were killed at midnight by an explosion of a powder magazine in the 1,100 level of the Mexican mine.

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BILL PUT IN JEOPARDY IF IOWA'S PLAN WINS

Cummins Seeks to Prevent General Use of Savings Funds to Float Government Bonds—Smoot Amendment Gives President Too Much Leeway to Suit Middle West.

Washington, March 4.—Friends of the administration postal savings bank bill did not feel greatly assured as to its prospects of passage when the senate resumed consideration of the measure today, with the idea of disposing of it during the day.

Senator Cummins' amendment to the Smoot amendment, it was felt, would place the bill in jeopardy, and they were strong in the opinion that every other matter should give way to the justification of the Smoot provision unchanged.

Root Defends Measure. Senator Root took the floor to urge the necessity of putting the bill on a constitutional basis.

His idea was to afford the people an opportunity to invest their earnings, he said, and at the same time put themselves in a position of supporting their government. With the end in view of establishing such a system, he said, he had introduced his amendment providing for the investment of the funds in government securities.

As the bill stands I do not believe that it can be brought within the description of any of the powers conferred by the constitution," declared Root. He was opposed to the present amendments offered to the bill, but as he considered it impossible to get anything better, he would be willing to accept the Smoot provision, but he thought that it should remain unchanged.

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Root continued at length against the Cummins amendment, and citing the position of banks in times of panic when they had lost the confidence of the people, he wanted to know where the government would be with a \$500,000,000 in obligations to depositors without other security than that supplied by banks which could no more pay the government than they could pay anyone else.

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