

THERE IS ONLY ONE MORE DAY

In Which to Elect a Short Term Senator From Montana.

THE REPUBLICANS ARE CONFIDENT

That They Can Elect Carter Tomorrow—A Writ of Mandate to Bring Higgins to Time on Senate Bill Number 87.

Helena, March 6.—Although the session will adjourn tomorrow, the deadlock in the Montana legislature continues. One vote was taken today with the following results: Carter 32; Frank 30; Conrad 12; Cooper 8; Macginnis 8; Toole 1. A motion by Corbett to resume the joint session this afternoon at 2 o'clock was defeated. An effort is being made to arrange a caucus of the fusion forces tonight. The republicans hope to elect Carter tomorrow. They claim to have enough votes already. Part of the plan is to keep away several democrats from the session tomorrow, so as to reduce the vote required to elect.

Senate bill No. 87, providing for changes of venue, which President Higgins refused to sign yesterday on the ground that it had not been approved by the enrolling committee, Senator Worden, the author of the bill, today applied to the supreme court for a writ of mandate compelling Higgins to sign the bill. The writ was made returnable this afternoon. In a house this morning concurred in the amendments to Kilgallon's bill eliminating the circle from the ballot and passed a number of measures, including several appropriation bills. The body of Senator Courtney was shipped to Butte this afternoon. Members of the house and senate escorted the body to the station.

M'ARTHUR IS CAPTURED

Suspected Murderer Is In The Toils.

POWELL CO. SHERIFF

Makes His First Big Catch. McArthur Is Accused Of The Murder Of Oliver Dotson.

Special Dispatch to the Bee: Anaconda, March 5.—Sheriff McMahon of Powell county, assisted by a number of officers, today effected the capture of James McArthur, the suspected murderer of Oliver Dotson, at Washington Gulch, on Feb. 15. The chase of McArthur has been vigorous since the discovery of the crime. Several days ago a clue was received that McArthur had been seen in Ravalli county. He was captured near a logging camp, about three miles from Florence, near Missoula. McArthur is an ex-convict. The crime for which he is wanted is the most atrocious in the history of the state and shocking in details.

WOUNDED WITHOUT CAUSE

Brutal Russian Police Club Students.

THE PEOPLE HORRIFIED

The Occasion Was The Fortieth Anniversary Of The Emancipation Of The Serfs.

St. Petersburg, March 4.—Today was the fortieth anniversary of the emancipation of the serfs. At noon a thousand male and female students gathered in and around the Kasan cathedral where a mass for the repose of the soul of Czar Alexander II was being celebrated. After the mass the students began singing and the police gathered in great numbers. The students were surrounded and driven toward the city hall. For no special reason the police began beating the students and trampling them under the feet of their horses. Banks and business houses were nearly all closed, and the entire city was horrified by the conduct of the police.

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APPLAUSE FOR TEDDY

But He Did n't Like It a Little Bit.

HE THREATENED

To Have the Galleries Cleared—Platt Wants to Amend the Senate Rules.

Washington, March 6.—When the senate convened today the galleries were packed with people, a majority of whom were visitors to the city. As Vice-President Roosevelt stepped to his desk to call the senate to order a burst of spontaneous applause rang through the gallery. With an evident manifestation of disapproval, the vice-president said: "If there is any disorder the sergeant-at-arms will clear the galleries." A resolution of Platt, of Connecticut, to amend the senate rules was referred to the committee on rules. Morgan then addressed the senate upon his resolutions to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

NEW CABINET SWORN IN

The Ceremony Was Very Informal.

WM. CAREY SANGER

Of New York Has Accepted The Post of Assistant Secretary of War.

Washington, March 6.—The members of the cabinet were sworn in today at the white house. The ceremony was informal, no one being present except the president, Chief Justice Fuller, who administered the oath, and Secretary Cortelyou. Although the official announcement of the fact is withheld it is known that Colonel William Carey Sanger, of New York, has accepted the post of assistant secretary of war to succeed Melkijohn. It is believed the change will take place at the end of this month.

CHANDLER GETS A JOB

President of the Spanish Claims Commission.

OTHER APPOINTMENTS

On the Commission to Be Made Soon, and Then It Will Get to Work Promptly.

Washington, March 6.—Ex-Senator Chandler, of New Hampshire, has been selected to be president of the Spanish claims commission. The other appointments will soon follow, and it is the intention that the commission shall get to work soon as possible.

HIS HEAVY LIABILITIES

John E. Searles Owes Over a Million.

ASSETS ARE AMPLE.

Other Companies With Which He Was Connected Will Not Be Affected.

New York, March 6.—The financial embarrassment of John E. Searles, one of the organizers of the American Sugar company, and until yesterday president of the American Cotton company, it was said today, will not involve any of the 18 corporations with which he is connected as president, treasurer, secretary, director or trustee. Searles' liabilities, it is believed, will reach about \$1,300,000 and are covered by assets.

COLLISION ON THE PENNSYLVANIA

A Dozen Passengers Seriously Injured.

Philadelphia, March 6.—An east-bound passenger train on the Pennsylvania railroad ran into a freight train at Hill's tower, three miles west of Coatesville, at noon today. Over a dozen passengers were reported injured. The hospital train has been sent to the scene.

THE SICK MAN OFFERED A LOAN,

Conditioned Upon Placing Orders In Germany.

Constantinople, March 6.—It is stated that a German syndicate has offered the porte a loan of 3,000,000 pounds. The loan is conditional upon orders for arms and ammunition to be given German firms.

"THAT GOOD MAN WELLCOME"

Wants to Be Reinstated As An Attorney.

Special Dispatch to the Bee: Helena, March 6.—A petition signed by most of the leading lawyers of state asking that John B. Wellcome be reinstated was filed in the supreme court today. Wellcome is here. No action was taken on the petition today.

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THE QUESTION OF LEASING ARID LANDS

Has Come To The Front In The Denver Meeting.

Denver, March 6.—The question of the leasing of the arid lands of the open range to stock growers, has come to the front among the subjects to be considered at the convention of cattle growers now being held here.

LOTS OF SMALLPOX IN GLASGOW, SCOTLAND

Several Hundred Cases In the Hospitals.

Glasgow, Scotland, March 6.—Today's smallpox report is the worst since the outbreak. There are forty-two fresh cases and the total number of smallpox patients in the hospitals is 435.

WILL SUBMIT IT TO THE ELECTORS

Proposition to Bond Butte for School Purposes.

Special Dispatch to the Bee: Butte, March 5.—At a meeting of the school board tonight it was decided to submit to the electors a proposition to bond the district for \$50,000 to build school houses.

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WILHELMINA IN AMSTERDAM.

Amsterdam, March 5.—Queen Wilhelmina and the prince consort entered the city in state today. The royal party were received by the principal authorities and the burgomaster of Amsterdam delivered the address of welcome.

MINISTER TO AUSTRO-HUNGARY

An Illinois Man Gets the Appointment Today.

Washington, March 6.—The president today nominated Robert C. McCormick to be minister to Austria Hungary.

THE SHOP IS COMPLETELY CLOSED

Machinists Strike at Anaconda Shows No Change.

Special Dispatch to the Bee: Anaconda, March 6.—There is no change in the machinists strike here, the men are standing firm. The shop is completely closed today.

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Senate Bill No. 87 or to Entertain An Appeal From His Decision.

Helena, March 5.—In the senate today, senate bill 87 occupied attention. President Higgins refused to sign the bill and dug up an old rule which provided for the appointment of a special enrolling committee. This rule has not been in force this season. Higgins appointed on such committee Warner, Kennedy and Conroy, all opponents to the bill. He refused to entertain an appeal from his ruling.

STATE JUDICIAL CONVENTION MEETS

Sentiment Strongly Against Bryan and 16 to 1.

Grand Rapids, March 6.—The Democratic judicial state convention met today. There was very strong sentiment among the delegates against endorsing Bryan and 16 to 1.

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MRS. BRODERICK ENTERTAINED.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. James Broderick entertained her lady friends residing in the neighborhood of her home. The ladies succeeded in getting most of their mending and darning done, even though very busy, visiting. The general verdict was that their neighborhood was the place to live. At 4 o'clock light refreshments, consisting of lettuce, sandwiches, cheese wafers, angel food and tea were served. Those present were Mesdames Driscoll, Dick, Madison, Shay, Wallace, Logan and Mrs. E. A. Walker.

THEIR NINTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

Wholesale Lumber Dealers In Session At Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, March 6.—The annual convention of the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers association began today with 200 delegates, representing \$1,250,000 in capital in attendance.

SIX MONTHS FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Young O'Brien Gets Off Easy in Butte.

Special Dispatch to the Bee: Butte, March 5.—O'Brien, convicted of the murder of Ole Thompson, was today sentenced to six months in the penitentiary.

A FULL CAR OF SEEDS.

A very few places in Montana furnish the market for seeds that Kalispell does. The Missoula Mercantile company is always up to date in everything it goes into and in this case as in others, by the liberal order of a full car load of seeds, it saves enough in freight and price for the quantity ordered, to sell away below any firm handling seeds in Montana, not in the western states. The full list of seeds appears in the company's display ad in this paper and deserves a careful reading.

RELIEF EXPEDITION.

Christiana, March 5.—The Duke of Abruzzi's search expedition leaves San Fjord today. They will go direct to Franz Josef land. The relief expedition hopes to find alive the Norwegian machinist and two Italians who were lost during the recent Abruzzi expedition.

CROKER INDIGNANT.

Says Newspaper Interviews Are a Tissue of Lies. London, March 5.—Richard Croker expressed indignation at the unauthorized newspaper interviews in strong terms today when shown a copy of a New York newspaper containing an alleged statement of his views regarding New York politics. "You know how frequently I have declined to talk on current events in New York," said Croker, "and the interview is a tissue of lies from beginning to end."

ARRESTED AND RELEASED.

Police Officer Hannah arrested Alex MacDonald Monday night as he was leaving the city on the west bound passenger train on the alleged charge of having stolen a railroad pass from John Yakley in a saloon during the early evening. MacDonald was lodged in jail over night and brought before Judge Sullivan Tuesday for trial. The case was dismissed upon a statement made by Yakley to the effect that he knew that MacDonald had the pass, having picked it up off the floor. MacDonald was released upon payment of the costs in the case.

THOUGHT TO BE INSANE.

Special Dispatch to the Bee: Butte, March 6.—Charles Lewis, who attempted suicide on Monday by shooting, has a chance for recovery. He is believed to be insane.

THEY ARRESTED A MINISTER.

The Boers Have Occupied Another Town. Crolock, Cape Colony, March 5.—The Boers have occupied Pearson, on the Great Piet river. The British today arrested Rev. R. Eyncke, a minister of the Dutch Reform church under martial law.

HELD IN SEVEN THOUSAND.

Omaha, March 6.—James Callahan, one of the alleged kidnapers of Edward Cudahy, today waived preliminary hearing and was held in \$7,000 bond.

NO RECORD OF THEM.

Pekin, March 5.—In an edict the emperor annuls all decrees and reports rendered from June 29 to Aug. 14, 1900, in order that no trace of them may be preserved in history.

GETS TWENTY-ONE YEARS.

Peoria, Ill., March 5.—Samuel Moser, who murdered his wife and three children gets 21 years in the penitentiary.

COMPOSER DEAD.

Brussels, Mar. 5.—Peter Benoit, a distinguished composer, is dead.

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