

RIGHT OF WAY IN THE CANYONS

Short Line and San Pedro Cases Are Postponed.

PLAN OF HARRIMAN PENSIONS

AUTOMATIC FENDERS FOR THE SALT LAKE STREET CARS.

A postponement was agreed upon yesterday in the railroad case growing out of disputes over the right of way beyond Calientes, Nev. Stipulations to postpone the hearings until March were agreed upon by Parley L. Williams, attorney for the Oregon Short Line, and C. O. Whittemore, representing the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake railroad. This includes all the cases involved in the litigation before the Nevada district court and the United States land office.

The difficulty commenced in July, 1901, and involved the question of the right of way in the Meadow valley wash. Both lines claimed to have exclusive rights in the canyon, and the courts were resorted to. Injunctions were served upon the two roads, and the case was carried from one court to another, with the result that both lines were tied up near Calientes. The Short Line could not build west from that point, and the San Pedro could not build east of it. After trying themselves hand and foot the parties to the litigation commenced overtures looking to an adjustment of the differences, and in May a basis of settlement was agreed upon. Each line was to take one side of the canyon, and neither was to get closer than twenty feet of the other.

SYSTEM OF PENSIONING.

President Harriman Will Place No Strings on the Benefits.

San Francisco, Dec. 5.—President Harriman of the Southern Pacific has inaugurated a system for pensioning employes grown old in the service of the company, and a circular has been issued outlining the plan which it is proposed to follow. In general outline the plan is very similar to the pension plan of the Illinois Central and the Chicago & Northwestern roads. Employees who have attained the age of 70 and have been in the service twenty years or over are to receive pensions on the basis of 1 per cent per annum of the average salary received during the previous ten years, and they are to be pensioned for each year of service. For instance, an employe who had received \$1,000 per annum for ten years in the service of the company thirty years, would receive a pension equal to 30 per cent of \$1,000, or \$300 per annum.

RESULT OF LOW RATES.

Over Seventeen Thousand Passengers Went Through Ogden Gateway.

San Francisco, Dec. 5.—The Southern Pacific reports that 17,164 passengers came over the gateway via the Ogden gateway while the low settlers' or colonists' rates were in effect, during September and October. The number via El Paso during the same period was 6,886, with a small number reaching their line at Los Angeles, a total of nearly 25,000 passengers. This, of course, is due not only to the low rates, but to the extensive way in which the railroad advertised the climatic and industrial advantages of California for all classes. As the rates were only effective westward it is a fair inference that the large majority of these passengers originated in California as a permanent increase to the population.

NEW FENDERS COMING.

Consolidated Lines to Be Equipped in a Few Days.

A carload of the new fenders is on the way and will soon be placed on the cars of the Consolidated company's lines. One of the new street cars which has been placed in service by the company is equipped with appliances, and they are an improvement over anything of the kind previously used. The fenders do not project from the front of the car, but remain in a perpendicular position. By an automatic arrangement they are quickly lowered if anything happens to come in contact with them. When in action they lie in a horizontal position, ready to pick up any obstruction. At other times they are close against the front of the car and out of the way. To get an obstructing body under the car is practically impossible.

Agree to Advance Rates.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—A proposition was submitted to the western roads today by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe to advance livestock rates from the Missouri river to Chicago from 12 cents a hundred pounds to 15 cents. All the roads, it is rumored, have signified their willingness to accept this rate as far as it applies to shipments west of Kansas City but they decline to make a less rate than 25 cents from Kansas City proper to Chicago.

Ristine Goes to St. Louis.

Denver, Dec. 5.—Word has just been received here that George W. Ristine, the well known railroad man, has been appointed chief of the transportation and traffic department of the St. Louis exposition. Mr. Ristine was receiver for the Colorado Midland railroad when the control of the road was taken out of the courts.

Veteran Passenger Agent Dead.

New York, Dec. 5.—William Henry Welch, traveling passenger agent of the New York Central railroad, is dead at Yonkers from a tumor on the brain. He served through the civil war with the Sixteenth Michigan regi-

ment, and later was with Custer in the Indian campaign.

Railroad Notes.

New coal and cattle cars are being received by the Oregon Short Line. Assistant City Agent Nason of the Oregon Short Line is confined to his home by illness.

The managers of the resort at Salt Lake are still awaiting the action of the contractors regarding the basin. No figures have yet been supplied.

A remarkable feat of engineering was accomplished recently at the docks of the Northwestern line at Ashland, Wis., where a steamer was loaded with ore at the rate of over 5,000 tons per hour.

A bride and groom arrived in the city yesterday in a special car over the Rio Grande. They were Mr. and Mrs. Hodges, the bride being the daughter of J. W. Gilluly, treasurer of the company.

J. P. Dunn, superintendent of motive power and construction for the Short Line, has been making a tour of inspection over the road and superintending the work of placing the machinery in the shops at Pocatello.

GIVES HIMSELF UP.

Deserter from the Presidio Is Willing to Suffer Punishment. "I'm a deserter from the United States army, and I want to give myself up," said a white man, a deserter, in sight, the police at once announced that they would take charge of him.

The man, who was identified as James L. Leavenworth, was taken to the Presidio at San Francisco two years ago and that he had been working at whatever he could find to do ever since. He has no work now and is willing to serve his term for desertion.

"I've had no rest since I left the army," he said. "Everywhere I went I thought that they were after me, and I was afraid to settle down in any one place. When I got to Salt Lake I met an officer of the street whom I had seen several times at the Presidio. He looked at me as if he knew me, and I then determined to give myself up and suffer punishment for desertion. I suppose I will be sent to Alcatraz, but I'd rather go there than to Leavenworth. I see by the papers that they don't send deserters to Leavenworth any more, and that makes me more willing to give myself up, for I'd rather do time in Alcatraz than in Leavenworth."

Several of the police officials do not believe that the military authorities will take Stanton. They claim that deserters from other posts have been turned over to the Fort Douglas authorities several times, and that the authorities refused to take them, saying that the deserter must be taken by his captor to the post from which he deserted. As only \$20 expense money is allowed, the police here will not take him to San Francisco if the authorities here don't want him, so that the deserter may yet be able to enjoy freedom, secure in the knowledge that he will not be pursued and that he is immune from arrest as long as he stays away from the Presidio.

UP TO HER OLD TRICKS.

Winnie Moore Is Arrested Charged With Robbing a Man. Willie Myers, whose other name is Winnie Moore, appeared in the city court yesterday afternoon on a charge of larceny. The Moore woman is one of the colored residents of Commercial street and is said to belong to the gang of "rollers" which has been operating there for some time. She was charged yesterday with robbing H. C. Roberts, a white man, \$20, the proceeds of which was an unwilling one, and his testimony was so weak that Assistant County Attorney Johnson asked for the dismissal of the case.

Winnie Moore has figured as a "fractious" woman in one of the most important in the robbery of a wealthy mining man some six months back in which the victim lost \$1,100. Although the police have been in connection with the former case, she has been allowed to return to Salt Lake and resume her old games.

TO FORM AUXILIARY.

The regular monthly meeting of the Veterans Auxiliary of the Navy Legion was held at Army hall Tuesday evening at which a resolution was passed by the body that a ladies' auxiliary branch be inaugurated. A meeting to discuss the history of the auxiliary and encourage social relations among the members, the arrangement of the room in the basement of the presiding bishop's office and arrangements have been made for the inauguration of the auxiliary on the first Tuesday in January. All who are in sympathy with the cause are invited to become members. The qualifications for membership are: standing in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and others. Information can be obtained at the office of President J. Thomas or from W. B. Woods, secretary.

A BOODLER CONVICTED.

Charles J. Denny, Millionaire, Goes Up For Two Years. St. Louis, Dec. 4.—After two days of trial Charles J. Denny, the millionaire brewer and director in the St. Louis Street Railway company, formerly a member of the house of delegates, charged with adultery in connection with the history of the brewery, was found guilty early this evening and his punishment fixed at two years in the Missouri state prison.

GOVERNOR STONE PROTESTS.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 5.—Governor Stone has taken prompt action to raise the quarantine which has been ordered by Governor Yates of Illinois against Pennsylvania cattle on account of the foot and mouth disease which exists among cattle in the New England states. Governor Stone wrote a letter to Governor Yates protesting against his action, and declaring that there had been no such disease in this state since 1882, that there had been no communication with that there is none and has been none in New Jersey.

KILLED BY A CRANE.

Pueblo, Colo., Dec. 5.—J. M. Smith, a rigger, years of age, was killed and killed and another rigger, was fatally injured at the Colorado Fuel & Iron company's steel works, both being run over by a traveling crane seventy feet above the ground.

JOHNSTONE STILL ALIVE.

Philadelphia, Dec. 5.—The condition of Johnstone, who was killed in the explosion at the Pennsylvania mine, is unchanged. Little hope is entertained for his recovery.

PROBABLY YOU KNOW HOW AYER'S HAIR VIGOR ALWAYS RESTORES COLOR TO GRAY HAIR AND MAKES THE HAIR GROW. THAT SO?

Probably you know how Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color to gray hair and makes the hair grow. That so? J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

PUBLICITY BILL TO BE REPORTED

Measure Was Drafted by Congressman Littlefield of Maine.

IN HANDS OF SUB-COMMITTEE

PROPOSED LAW INTENDED TO CURB THE COMBINATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The sub-committee of the house judiciary committee, to which was referred anti-trust bills, reported favorably to the full committee today on Mr. Littlefield's bill providing for giving publicity to the affairs of commercial combinations, with certain amendments. Acting Chairman Jenkins of the judiciary committee appointed a sub-committee today consisting of Representatives Littlefield of Maine, Overstreet of Indiana, Powers of Massachusetts, De Armond of Missouri and Clark of Alabama, to which all anti-trust bills, including the publicity bill, have been referred. A meeting of the committee is called for tomorrow.

Scope of the Bill.

The publicity bill, as amended, provides that every corporation, joint stock company or similar organization engaged in interstate or foreign commerce, and every such corporation which shall hereafter be organized, shall file with the interstate commerce commission on or before Sept. 1 each year a return stating among other things its assets, liabilities, organization, and when organized, the statutes under which organized, and, if consolidated, the names of the constituent companies and the same information concerning them. If the concerns have been reorganized the original corporation or corporations is to be stated with information concerning them.

It also is provided that the amount of authorized capital stock, shares into which divided, par value, whether common or preferred, and distinction between each, amount issued and outstanding, and the amount of cash, if any, paid in cash, and how much, if any, in property, and if in property at the time it was received in payment shall be stated. The indebtedness, its nature and for what purpose incurred, is to be given, also a statement of the assets at their present cash market value, giving the elements upon which the market value is based.

Must Give Figures.

It is also required that the total earnings and income, operating expenses, interest, taxes, permanent improvements, net earnings, dividends declared, with rate and date during the year preceding the first of the preceding July, salaries of officials and wages of employees be disclosed. It is provided further that the treasurer, or other officer of concerns affected by the bill having the requisite knowledge, shall answer on oath all inquiries that may be made in writing, under the direction of the interstate commerce commission, relative to its financial condition or to its capital stock. Such answer is not to be used in evidence against the person making it, except in prosecutions under the proposed act.

A tax of 1 per cent per annum is imposed on so much of the capital stock outstanding which is not fully paid in cash or other property at its full cash value, as the provision is made for collecting the tax.

Penalty Provided.

Any concern contemplated in this bill failing to make the return as required by the act, or making the same with a false statement, or failing to pay a tax imposed is to be restrained on the suit of the United States from doing any business, relative to its interstate commerce, until the foreign company, or the person making the return, general, at the request of the interstate commerce commission, to enforce the provisions of the proposed act, and suit may be brought in any district court of the United States at the election of the attorney general where an offending concern has a place of business.

Decision is made that the interstate commerce commission shall prepare and publish a statement showing a list of corporations and disclosing their condition. The bill does not apply to any concern the amount of capital stock of which does not exceed \$50,000.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The Hague.—The papers here allude to the probability of Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, making an European tour next summer.

Amsterdam.—A general strike has been proclaimed here by the Dockers' union in consequence of the insistence of the company in undertaking the work of a company whose employes are striking.

London.—Mrs. W. L. Croll, a native of Chicago, who was recently acquitted by her maiden name, Alice Maud White, is dead. Mr. and Mrs. Croll had been residents of London.

St. Petersburg.—As a result of a petition to the governor of St. Petersburg, the meeting of workmen to discuss the betterment of the postal system was held last Sunday with the sanction of the authorities.

London.—Bitter cold weather continues to prevail throughout the United Kingdom. Gates and bridges are frozen, the channel traffic and there have been many deaths from influenza and other serious injuries, and several others nearly suffocated were rescued by firemen.

Only a small portion of the residence burned, the chief danger to the occupants being from suffocation from the dense smoke that filled every portion of the structure. Mr. MacVeagh and family were uninjured. An overheated furnace was the cause.

FAVOR THE OMNIBUS BILL.

Oklahoma Republicans Angry at Beverage Committee. Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 5.—The announcement is made tonight that the Republican territorial chairman will issue a call tomorrow or Monday for the Republican statehood convention for the purpose of taking action on the senate substitute bill for the admission of Oklahoma to statehood. The convention will endorse the pending omnibus bill and pass resolutions denouncing the bill of the senate which is opposed to the Republican party in Oklahoma.

THE PRICE RAISED.

Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—Failures of the French walnut crop and the consequent increased demand for walnuts, has caused the growers to advance prices 75 cents per pound on the soft shell variety. The California crop, it is asserted, will amount to 750 to 800 carloads, much of which is already being shipped. This is above the average yield.

SAGE GOT THE LAND.

St. Paul, Dec. 5.—A decision today of the supreme court decided in favor of Russell Sage in the suit of George C. Glover to wrest a quarter section of land in Swift county from the New York possession as assignee of the railroad of the Hastings & Dakota railroad in Minnesota more than fifteen years ago. The court reversed the order of the Swift county court.

A QUEER CHARGE.

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 5.—Mrs. Ella Galbreath, who was recently acquitted at Iowa, charged with the murder of her husband, has been indicted for perjury. She cannot be located and is reported to have gone to Canada. She is alleged to have been falsely in her own defense, Charles Holstad, who pleaded guilty to complicity in the crime, is a witness against her. Holstad was today sentenced to life imprisonment.

TROUBLE IN HONDURAS.

Panama, Colombia, Dec. 5.—A revolutionary movement is threatened in Honduras. General Sierra has been induced to refuse to turn over the presidential power to Señor Bonilla, who was elected president in October. It is believed that the Honduran congress will try to dissolve the last elections illegal and Señor Bonilla's numerous partisans threaten to break their leader's rights by force, if necessary.

BRITISH BARK AROUND.

Bahia, Dec. 5.—The British bark Proctor, Captain James, which sailed from San Francisco Aug. 2, bound to Queenstown, has put into port with the loss of her compass, a boat and some sails, the reports having been furnished from one of her crews. While mooring her she went aground, the heaving at the rate of half an inch per hour. A survey will be had.

EFFORT TO UNSEAT BUTLER.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Elections committee of the house, regarding the case of Wagner vs. Butler, from St. Louis, today decided to report a resolution providing the time to be given the contestants for preparing their cases limited to thirty-five days, instead of 30, as the rule now provides.

EMPEROR WILLIAM SPEAKS SFT WORDS TO THE GERMAN WORKINGMEN

These agitators tried to stir up the workingmen against their employers, against other classes, and against the throne and altar, and at the same time they had miserably unscrupulously exploited, terrorized and enslaved them in order to strengthen their own power, not for the promotion of the welfare of the workingman, but in order to sow hatred between the classes and disseminate cowardly slanders, from which nothing, not even the grandest quality of the honor of German manhood, remained immune. With such people the working class, as honor-loving men, should have nothing to do.

Emperor William, accompanied with asking the deputation to send a comrade from their midst, a simple, unpretending man from the workshop, into the national parliament. Such a man would be gladly welcomed as a working representative of the German working class. The representatives of other classes would willingly work together with such representatives, however many they might be.

The presence of the workmen, Emperor William maintained, showed that he was justified in making his bitter socialist speech, declaring it was a lie to say that workmen had to rely on the socialist party for a betterment of their position. The socialists, he added, had terrorized and trod the workmen under foot and as men of honor they must have no more to do with them.

The presence of the workmen, Emperor William maintained, showed that he was justified in making his bitter socialist speech, declaring it was a lie to say that workmen had to rely on the socialist party for a betterment of their position. The socialists, he added, had terrorized and trod the workmen under foot and as men of honor they must have no more to do with them.

DISASTROUS BLAZE AT STILLWATER, MINN.

Stillwater, Minn., Dec. 5.—Fire that broke out under the stage in the Grand opera house this morning caused a loss of \$175,000. The opera house block, which was valued at \$200,000, was destroyed with a loss of \$50,000, insurance \$20,000, and adjoining property \$100,000. The losses are: J. O. Nolen, grocer, \$15,000; Holcombe block, \$10,000; Dische block, \$10,000; Zeigler Brothers, clothing, \$40,000; stock badly damaged. There also were small losses in the fire under control by 6 o'clock. The St. Paul fire department sent apparatus, but it arrived too late.

CAUGHT UNDER FALLING WALL

One Fire Laddie Killed and Several Badly Injured. Cleveland, O., Dec. 5.—At 4 o'clock this morning while members of the fire department were still fighting the flames in the ruins of the Little & Rocky factory at the corner of Case and Hamilton streets, a portion of the wall fell upon a young boy, who was killed. The boy was named Patrick H. Joyce, who was on the inside.

Ambulances were hurriedly called and the boy was brought from the ruins all but Joyce. Later the boy was taken to the hospital where he was recovering. He had been crushed beneath many tons of brick and mortar and heavy machinery. The other firemen who were caught under the falling wall will recover. The injuries of McKenna, Jones and Nieding are serious.

ZELAYA WANTS AN ALLIANCE.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 5.—George Bear, the Indian, was hanged at 9:03 this morning. He displayed the utmost courage. He was led out to the gallows by the sheriff, and the bishop of Orleans and Secz in connection with the action of the greater part of the French episcopate in signing last October a manifesto for presentation to the pope, and the action of the deputation of the signatories committed an abuse of authority.

The archbishop of Besancon and the bishop of Orleans and Secz were selected for punishment because they were especially active in securing signatures to the manifesto. The archbishop of Besancon and the bishop of Orleans and Secz were selected for punishment because they were especially active in securing signatures to the manifesto.

INDIAN MURDERER DIES ON SCAFFOLD.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 5.—George Bear, the Indian, was hanged at 9:03 this morning. He displayed the utmost courage. He was led out to the gallows by the sheriff, and the bishop of Orleans and Secz in connection with the action of the greater part of the French episcopate in signing last October a manifesto for presentation to the pope, and the action of the deputation of the signatories committed an abuse of authority.

FRANKLIN MACVEAGH'S RESIDENCE AT CHICAGO CAUGHT FIRE.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Franklin MacVeagh's residence at 109 Lake street drive was damaged \$10,000 by fire early today. Two maid servants jumped from a second-story window, sustaining serious injuries, and several others nearly suffocated were rescued by firemen.

Only a small portion of the residence burned, the chief danger to the occupants being from suffocation from the dense smoke that filled every portion of the structure. Mr. MacVeagh and family were uninjured. An overheated furnace was the cause.

SERVANTS BARELY ESCAPED.

Nothing of Importance in the House Yesterday. Washington, Dec. 5.—The house devoted today to bills on the private calendar, the most important bill passed was one to adjudicate in the court of claims the claims of certain importers from a second-story window, sustaining serious injuries, and several others nearly suffocated were rescued by firemen.

NOTED NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD.

Charles B. Harton, a Victim of Consumption in California. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 5.—Charles B. Harton, a newspaper man well known on the Pacific coast from Seattle to San Diego, is dead at San Bernardino of consumption, after a long illness.

CABINET MEETING.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The cabinet was in session for an hour and a half today. All the members were present except Attorney General Knox and Secretary Root. Secretary Hay called attention to what he considered to be the most important relations at Havana of a Cuban recently freed by the United States.

Are you Bilious? Do you have Sick Headaches? You can be quickly and easily relieved by taking Beecham's Pills

Are you Bilious? Do you have Sick Headaches? You can be quickly and easily relieved by taking Beecham's Pills. Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c and 25c.

THE CORPORATION WINS.

New York, Dec. 5.—The Pines-Pellon Mining company, a Colorado corporation, with offices in New York, received a favorable opinion today in a decision handed down by the appeals division of the supreme court, which Justice McLaughlin, who wrote the opinion, and all the other justices concurred in. The decision should not be taxed for personal property.

CHARGE DISMISSED.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The charge of conspiracy against Henry A. Hicks, Simon Burns and three other members of a faction of the Knights of Labor by Mr. Hovey and other officers of the order in charge of the headquarters at Chicago, was dismissed today by the police court, the judge holding that the case was one for the civil courts.

CARRIE NATION HAS DUG UP THE HATCHET

Topika, Kan., Dec. 5.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the saloon smasher, returned to the city yesterday and this morning made a tour of the saloons of the city preparatory to beginning another smashing tour, as she expressed it. The crowd following her grew so large that the police arrested Mrs. Nation on a charge of disorderly conduct.

She was given a small fine in the police court this morning. Mrs. Nation announced that she would repeat her old-time exploits in this city before long.

FIRE AT PRINCETON.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 5.—Dickinson hall, the vice recreation building of the academic department of the university, narrowly escaped being burned to the ground today. Fire broke out in the third story at 10 o'clock, while Professor J. Mark Baldwin's junior class in psychology was in session. A bucket brigade was formed by the students and the local fire department was summoned. After a hard fight the blaze was smothered before it reached the main part of the examination hall. It is thought that someone dropped a lighted cigarette in the hallway. Loss, \$3,000.

SOTHERN'S COUNTRY SEAT.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—According to a cablegram received here today, E. H. Sothern, who is filling an engagement at Powers' theatre, is to have a country seat in Wales on the west slopes of Snowdon, the highest mountain in England. The estate, which includes a house, as well as the chalet and hotel, where Mr. Sothern has spent his vacations for several years, is priced at \$150,000.

SPOKE FOR GOLD COINAGE.

Washington, Dec. 5.—General Luke E. Wright, vice governor of the Philippines, spoke in the senate today in advocacy of the insular affairs today in advocacy of the bill providing for the detail of army officers as chief and assistant chiefs of the Philippine constabulary. Governor Wright also spoke in favor of the gold standard coinage bill applying to the islands.

CHANGE OF LIFE.

Some sensible advice to women passing through this trying period. The painful and annoying symptoms experienced by most women at this period of life are easily overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is especially designed to meet the needs of woman's system at the trying time of change of life.

Struck them in sore spot

French Church Holds Up Salaries of Church Ministers. Paris, Dec. 5.—At a cabinet council today the French episcopate announced that he had suspended the salaries of the archbishop of Besancon and the bishop of Orleans and Secz in connection with the action of the greater part of the French episcopate in signing last October a manifesto for presentation to the pope, and the action of the deputation of the signatories committed an abuse of authority.

The archbishop of Besancon and the bishop of Orleans and Secz were selected for punishment because they were especially active in securing signatures to the manifesto. The archbishop of Besancon and the bishop of Orleans and Secz were selected for punishment because they were especially active in securing signatures to the manifesto.

INDIAN MURDERER DIES ON SCAFFOLD.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 5.—George Bear, the Indian, was hanged at 9:03 this morning. He displayed the utmost courage. He was led out to the gallows by the sheriff, and the bishop of Orleans and Secz in connection with the action of the greater part of the French episcopate in signing last October a manifesto for presentation to the pope, and the action of the deputation of the signatories committed an abuse of authority.

ZELAYA WANTS AN ALLIANCE.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 5.—George Bear, the Indian, was hanged at 9:03 this morning. He displayed the utmost courage. He was led out to the gallows by the sheriff, and the bishop of Orleans and Secz in connection with the action of the greater part of the French episcopate in signing last October a manifesto for presentation to the pope, and the action of the deputation of the signatories committed an abuse of authority.

FRANKLIN MACVEAGH'S RESIDENCE AT CHICAGO CAUGHT FIRE.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Franklin MacVeagh's residence at 109 Lake street drive was damaged \$10,000 by fire early today. Two maid servants jumped from a second-story window, sustaining serious injuries, and several others nearly suffocated were rescued by firemen.

NOTED NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD.

Charles B. Harton, a Victim of Consumption in California. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 5.—Charles B. Harton, a newspaper man well known on the Pacific coast from Seattle to San Diego, is dead at San Bernardino of consumption, after a long illness.

CABINET MEETING.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The cabinet was in session for an hour and a half today. All the members were present except Attorney General Knox and Secretary Root. Secretary Hay called attention to what he considered to be the most important relations at Havana of a Cuban recently freed by the United States.

Are you Bilious? Do you have Sick Headaches? You can be quickly and easily relieved by taking Beecham's Pills

Are you Bilious? Do you have Sick Headaches? You can be quickly and easily relieved by taking Beecham's Pills. Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c and 25c.

THE CORPORATION WINS.

New York, Dec. 5.—The Pines-Pellon Mining company, a Colorado corporation, with offices in New York, received a favorable opinion today in a decision handed down by the appeals division of the supreme court, which Justice McLaughlin, who wrote the opinion, and all the other justices concurred in. The decision should not be taxed for personal property.

CHARGE DISMISSED.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The charge of conspiracy against Henry A. Hicks, Simon Burns and three other members of a faction of the Knights of Labor by Mr. Hovey and other officers of the order in charge of the headquarters at Chicago, was dismissed today by the police court, the judge holding that the case was one for the civil courts.

CARRIE NATION HAS DUG UP THE HATCHET

Topika, Kan., Dec. 5.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the saloon smasher, returned to the city yesterday and this morning made a tour of the saloons of the city preparatory to beginning another smashing tour, as she expressed it. The crowd following her grew so large that the police arrested Mrs. Nation on a charge of disorderly conduct.

She was given a small fine in the police court this morning. Mrs. Nation announced that she would repeat her old-time exploits in this city before long.

FIRE AT PRINCETON.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 5.—Dickinson hall, the vice recreation building of the academic department of the university, narrowly escaped being burned to the ground today. Fire broke out in the third story at 10 o'clock, while Professor J. Mark Baldwin's junior class in psychology was in session. A bucket brigade was formed by the students and the local fire department was summoned. After a hard fight the blaze was smothered before it reached the main part of the examination hall. It is thought that someone dropped a lighted cigarette in the hallway. Loss, \$3,000.

SOTHERN'S COUNTRY SEAT.