

SENATE PASSES POSTAL BANK BILL

Voting on the Measure is Done Practically on Party Lines

Bill Authorizes Postoffices to Accept Deposits in Sums Ranging From One Dollar Up.

Total Deposits Must Not Aggregate \$500 and Only \$100 Can be Deposited in Any One Month.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 5.—Dividing practically on party lines the senate today passed the postal savings bank bill by a vote of seventy-two for and twenty-two against. Chamberlain of Oregon was the only democrat who favored the bill.

As it goes to the house the bill authorizes the postoffice money order departments to accept sums of one dollar or more from depositors and deposit the same in the local banks where the funds will remain unless withdrawn by the president in case of war. In such case the funds will be invested in government securities and will not draw less than 2 1/4 per cent interest. The control of the funds is vested in a board of trustees composed of the postmaster general, secretary of the treasury and attorney general. The aggregate balance allowed a single depositor is \$500, and no one can deposit more than \$100 a month. The government is required to pay two per cent interest, and exact not less than 2 1/4 per cent from the banks. The extra one-quarter of one percent is for the payment of expense, and loss. It is calculated the law will bring much money out of hiding and will result of a fund ranging from five hundred million to a billion dollars.

The Smoot amendment looking to the authorization of the withdrawal from the local banks of postal funds in case of war, and other exigency, was defeated by forty to 18. Later the amendment was adopted after it was modified by the insertion of the amendment introduced by Borah, directing that funds with-

drawn not be invested in government securities drawing less than 2 1/4 per cent, the rate required from the banks. Two other important amendments were adopted, one suggested by Bailey to permit the withdrawal from the postal funds the deposits by depositors "on demand," and the other by Gallinger, specifically included the savings banks and banking trust companies among the institutions permitted to accept the postal fund deposits.

The "insurgent" republicans were much elated by the acceptance of the Borah modification. They contend it will reduce to a minimum the government securities for which the postal funds will be invested and will prevent the national banks from using the funds to relieve themselves of a class of securities that are unpopular with the people. The Owen amendment intended to substitute the whole bill was defeated.

THOUSANDS OF WORKMEN JOIN IN STRIKE

OLD LETTERS ARE DISCOVERED IN CONGRESS

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 5.—In an unlighted corner of the attic of the house of representatives, the house committee on accounts rescued a large number of letters and documents of the early days of the republic. Among them are letters from Washington, Jefferson, Lafayette, James Monroe. Two of them were of peculiar sentimental interest to the attaches. These were written by Martha Washington and Mary Todd Lincoln, the former concerning the proposed removal of the body of her husband from Mount Vernon to the Crypt in the capitol, dated Mount Vernon, 1779, and the other applying to the government for a pension. Both were addressed to the speaker of the house.

ARIZONA HAS HOOKWORM CASE

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 5.—Dr. Bacon of Tombstone has reported what he believes to be a well advanced case of pellagra. The victim is the daughter of Pedro Michalena of Solomonville, an interpreter in the district court there. The girl is known to have an insatiable appetite for candy and to have consumed much of the cheaper kind of sweets, containing glucose, a corn product. The case is being closely watched and several physicians of the territory are taking an interest in its outcome.

SOCIAL QUEEN FINDS HER CIGARETTE CASE

NEW YORK, March 5.—Miss Agnes Sands has recovered her cigarette case through the New York American. The little article, which was as dear to the fair owner as a sophomore's pipe, was found by a member of the Lang advertising bureau. Whether his reward was a delicious—er—lady's cigarette or something more prosaic and less romantic, could not be learned.

Miss Sands is properly grateful, only just a wee bit piqued, because she has been held up as a monstrosity—a woman who smokes. She is an athlete and chum of Mrs. Ogden Mills.

OLD EMPLOYEE CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

By Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—After fifteen years in the service of the company in which he began as an office boy, and worked his way up to a position of affluence, Bartholomew Foley, aged 30 years, cashier of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph company, was arrested this afternoon and charged with embezzlement. He was accused of having stolen \$5,100 of the company's money. Foley has a wife and two children, one a baby of ten days and the other a year old.

FARMAN HAS BROKEN ANOTHER AIR RECORD

MOURELON, France, March 5.—Henry Farman established a new world's record for aeroplane flight with two passengers today by remaining in the air an hour and ten minutes.

Grand Jury Charges

Dr. Hyde With Murder

Physician Who Attended Col. Swope Has Thirteen Indictments Returned Against Him.

DIVIDEND OF FOUR PERCENT IS DECLARED

(Special to the Bonanza.)
GOLDFIELD, March 5.—At the regular quarterly meeting of the directors of the Round Mountain Mining company, held here today, a dividend of four cents per share was declared, ordered payable to stock of record of March 30. A total sum of \$31,600 will be paid on the 79,000 shares of stock outstanding.

TWO MEN SWEEP OVER NIAGARA FALLS

NIAGARA FALLS, March 5.—Two unidentified men were thrown from a row boat that overturned on the Niagara river a mile and a half above the falls today and are reported swept over Horseshoe falls.

By Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, March 5.—Thirteen indictments against Dr. Clark Hyde, husband of the niece of the late Thomas Swope, were returned today by the grand jury, investigating the Swope mystery. Two indictments charge first degree murder in connection with the deaths of the colonel and Chrisman Swope, to which Hyde is alleged to have given strychnine tablets. He is accused of manslaughter by bleeding James Hunton, a cousin of Swope's, negligently. Eight indictments in connection with the poisoning of the members of the Swope family, and visitors, were the most surprising of all.

Hyde is accused of poisoning people with typhoid germs, with the intent to murder Stella, Margaret, Sarah and Lucy Swope, Nora Dickson, Georgia Compton, Mildred Fox and Lenora Copridge. These were stricken with typhoid while Hyde was attending the Swope's. It is charged he made three attempts to poison Margaret with typhoid germs and poison by hypodermic injection and strychnine. Miss Fox was a visitor during the illness of the family. The Misses Dickson and Compton were servants. Caplases for Hyde's arrest will be issued Monday. He is now under \$50,000 bail in the case of the charge of the murder of Colonel Swope.

FREQUENT DEFEATS TO BE LOOKED INTO

CHICAGO, March 5.—Athletics at Northwestern university will be rehabilitated if plans set on foot yesterday by the alumni are carried out. Alumni of the school started an investigation for the purpose of ascertaining the reason why the purple streamers of the athletes have trailed in the dust so persistently of late. Sports about the institution will be given a thorough overhauling, according to the announcement, and athletics will be elevated on a par with any school in the west.

A committee of three was appointed to take action in the matter of revising the present system.

PRINTS TO BE IN THE RUNNING IN CALIFORNIA

AVALANCHE IN CANADA CLAIMS MANY VICTIMS

By Associated Press.
VANCOUVER, B. C., March 5.—Of the sixty-two Canadian Pacific trainmen, trackmen and laborers, buried in the avalanche at Rogers pass at the summit of the Selkirk range of the Rocky mountains early today. All are thought to be dead. Twenty-five whites and thirty-seven Japs are thought to have perished. Only five bodies have been recovered as a blizzard is impeding the work. Another slide of snow and rock occurred this morning a mile east of the spot where the men were overwhelmed. It destroyed portions of snow sheds and buried the track for 400 yards to a depth of sixty feet.

WINNIPEG, March 5.—The Canadian Pacific officials report ninety-two killed and fourteen injured as a result of the avalanche at Rogers pass.

COLONEL DAN BURNS FINDS ANOTHER MINE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—Colonel Dan Burns, politician, horseman, and mine owner, still has his luck with him. He has discovered a mine about eight miles from La Candelaria, which is said to be even richer than that fabulously rich property in Durango, Mexico. Word reached this city yesterday of Colonel Burns' latest stroke of fortune. Burns is fortunate in the first place to hold on to the La Candelaria mine in the face of litigation and threats and other proceedings which have been instituted to deprive him of the property. The Candelaria mine is reported to be worth between \$20,000,000 and \$30,000,000, though that is purely a guess at the value of the property, which is said to have produced \$1,000,000 in profits in a year.

Burns was at one time one of the best known of California politicians. He was the Southern Pacific machine candidate for United States senator. But Burns' millions have been marching on and now he is to gather fresh golden recruits to his bank roll.

Situation at Philadelphia is Marked by Many Disorders---Strikers Submit a New Proposition.

By Associated Press.
PHILADELPHIA, March 5.—Disorder in many parts of the city marked the first day of the great sympathetic strike to back the fight of the trolley men against the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company. In nearly every section of the city men were assaulted by the strikers, cars were attacked and there were clashes with the police. The police experienced their greatest trouble at Independence square where 25,000 people gathered to participate, and watch organized labor's demonstrations. The strikers paraded through the square unmolested. Secretary Hope, of the Central Labor Union, tonight said 70,000 union men were out and that 30,000 other workers were affected. He declared the bakers and milk wagon drivers were not called out and would not be.

It was not the desire of organized labor, he said, to inconvenience the public to the extent of handicapping them in the deliveries of the necessities of life. The great industrial establishments and all "open shops" are operating with undiminished forces. The police claim not more than 20,000 are out. It is rumored tonight that the labor leaders might request Taft's interference. The company operated more than a thousand cars today, half of which were withdrawn at nightfall on account of the assaults. The worst outbreak occurred in the heart of the city, and dozens of men and women were felled in the onslaught by the police. During the march of the strike sympathizers, dozens of cars were attacked, and their windows smashed, the passengers and crews being forced to take refuge from the missiles by laying prostrate on the floors. When driven from Independence square thousands congregated at Washington square nearby, but soon afterwards were scattered by the mounted police.

PINCHOT EXCUSED; GARFIELD FOLLOWS

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 5.—Pinchot concluded his part in the Balingier-Pinchot inquiry today, and former secretary of the Interior, Garfield, took the stand. No new facts were brought out during the time Pinchot was on the stand. Pinchot summed up the various "inferences," desired by the committee, drawn from the documents previously introduced in evidence, and from the statements of witnesses yet to come. Garfield was on the stand an hour and a half and detailed his story of his administration of the interior department with respect to the withdrawal of land containing water power sites. He declared there had been no subter-

fuge, and no dealing in the dark. Garfield insisted the supervisory power of the executive to withdraw land from entry existed from the beginning of the government and was an inherent right vested in the present as custodian of public property. Regarding the charge that the power site withdrawals were too large, Garfield said he thought a great mistake had been made by not making some of them larger.

SIMON BRAY SERIOUSLY ILL AT HOLLISTER, CAL.

Simon Bray, assemblyman from Lander county, and well known in this city, is seriously ill at Hollister, California.

ALL BODIES MAY BE FOUND WITHIN WEEK

By Associated Press.
WELLINGTON, March 5.—Slow progress on account of unfavorable weather, was made today by men excavating in the death gorge. Rotary plows and hundreds of men are working day and night toward Wellington from both sides of the Cascades. Coroner Snyder of King county, estimates the dead at more than a hundred and believes all the bodies will be recovered within a week.

WORK STARTED ON COURT HOUSE FOR LYON COUNTY

DAYTON, March 5.—Contractor King yesterday began work on the restoration of the Lyon county court house, which was partially destroyed by fire. The city attorney of Yerington, which town has been moving heaven and earth and the lower regions to get the county seat has served notice that he will apply for an injunction to restrain the county commissioners from paying King any portion of the contract price.

The Dayton people are equally busy. They have assured Mr. King that they will put up a bond, remove the injunction and enable the structure to be built.

Court is being held this week. George S. Green, of Mack and Green Reno, gained an interesting divorce case yesterday. It was an action brought by Mrs. Parker against her husband on the ground of cruelty. The defendant said he would fight the case on that charge and allege a statutory offense in his counter claim. The complaint was then amended to failure to provide and the divorce was granted.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Church at corner of Florence and Cross avenues. Myron Cooley, minister. Everybody welcome. The Bible class will meet at the usual hour this morning, 10 o'clock sharp. After brief opening exercises the school will march to the Nevada theater where special services for children and young people will be conducted by Evangelist McClurkin. At 11 o'clock a. m., the regular services for public worship and preaching will be held at the church. The sermon will be the second in a series of three with the general theme: "What a Real Revival Will Do." There will be no evening service as the church will join in the evangelistic services at the Nevada theater.