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Two Railroad Companies and Settlers the Gainers by the Decision.

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Special to the Globe. WASHINGTON, May 19.—The state of Minnesota today lost another bunch of swamp lands by a decision of the commissioner of the land office, and the title to 5,000 acres inside the Northern Pacific indemnity limits passes to the Manitoba, or Great Northern, railroad.

The lands in question lie in Todd county, around Long Prairie, and are very valuable. The lands are described as Northern Pacific Indemnity List No. 25, and the case is regarded as a test case.

In November, 1883, the Northern Pacific offered this land at the St. Cloud land office, indicating its selection of the lands under its grant. The filing was rejected by the land office on grounds that it conflicted with state swamp land selections as to some tracts, and with the grant of the Manitoba Railroad company and settlers as to others.

The question at issue is decided in favor of the Manitoba and the settlers in all but a few cases. The Northern Pacific loses but 400 acres, settlers about 500, and the state of Minnesota one miserable quarter-section, the northeast quarter of section 19, town 129, range 34, and the Manitoba the remainder, 4,000 acres.

This is a disastrous knock-out for the Northern Pacific and the state of Minnesota, and indicates both the carelessness of its servants, and the mischievousness of its lawyers. It is so much the worse. The following settlers have their claims confirmed by the decision: John M. Bond, Ben Weber, John B. Millerson, N. Beach, Louis Stockel, Jacob Suresley, James Campbell, and John E. Withers.

If this decision is not appealed all these settlers can secure patents to their lands.

AGREE ON AN ARMISTICE. Unexpected Turn in the Nicaraguan Revolution.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—According to information received here the Nicaraguan revolution has taken an unexpected turn. Unofficial advices have been received at the state department that an agreement for an armistice has been reached by the government and the revolutionists.

No further information than this is obtainable at the department. The source of the news is concealed beyond the fact that it did not come direct to Secretary Gresham from Nicaragua. Evidently, however, the source is one entitled to credit, and the news is accepted as authentic at the department.

Enjoined the Troops. WASHINGTON, May 19.—A telegram was received at the war department from Gen. Razer, commanding the department of California, repeating a dispatch he received from Capt. Carpenter, the officer who was sent to the Payallup Indian reservation to prevent Mr. Ross from unlawfully building a railroad across the reservation, stating that an injunction had been served upon him by the circuit court, and that he was being held at Seattle tomorrow.

Land Office Appointments. WASHINGTON, May 19.—The president today made the following appointments: John G. Brown, of Idaho, to be register of the land office, Blackfoot, Idaho; John W. Jones, of Idaho, to be receiver of public moneys at Blackfoot, Idaho. The following appointments have been made in the general land office: James W. Jones, of Idaho, to be land clerk; Byron B. Park, of Wisconsin, chief of the mineral division; Michael F. O'Donoghue, of California, chief of the contest division.

Ten Months' Immigration. WASHINGTON, May 19.—Chief of the bureau of statistics reports that during the ten months ended April 30, 453,988 immigrants arrived at the ports of the United States. Of this number 96,070 came from Germany, 183,519 from Russia (except Poland), 43,828 from Italy, 38,631 from Sweden and Norway, 40,062 from England and Wales, and 34,035 from Ireland. The number arrived during the corresponding period of the preceding year was 334,235.

Will Pay the Duke's Bills. WASHINGTON, May 19.—The government will pay all bills presented for the entertainment of the Duke of Veragua. This statement was made by Secretary Gresham this afternoon in answer to inquiries whether the secretary of the department or money expended in entertaining the duke in Chicago would be allowed.

Finlayson's New Postmaster. Special to the Globe. WASHINGTON, May 19.—Maj. Baldwin today secured the appointment of E. J. Buel as postmaster at Finlayson, Pine county. M. A. Nugent was appointed or Washburn, Wis.

Rumors Were Correct. WASHINGTON, May 19.—The president has appointed Kerr Craik, of North Carolina, to be third assistant postmaster general, vice A. D. Hazen, of Pennsylvania, resigned.

Condition of Europe's Crops. WASHINGTON, May 19.—The statistician of the agricultural department

gives the following summary of the condition of European crops for May: Condition of winter wheat crops is generally fair, but seriously retarded by lack of rain; spring crops generally at a standstill in danger of serious injury from extreme drought.

ADDED WITH A MINISTER. An Eering Michigan Couple in the Hands of the Law.

DETROIT, May 19.—C. A. Gordon, a farmer living two miles from Fenton, Mich., came to Detroit today to look up his wife, who, he said, had come to Detroit with Rev. James Latham, a Methodist minister, of Toledo, Gordon learned that the couple had been in Detroit for several days, and that they had crossed the river to Windsor, Ont., for greater security, and the facts before the police of that city. A hours search resulted in their finding the couple, located in a boarding house, the mistress of which said they had been there a week, and she said she was to be husband and wife. The guilty couple were placed under arrest and taken to the police station, where they were arraigned on a charge of unlawful cohabitation. They both pleaded guilty, and are awaiting the action of the prosecuting attorney.

THOUSANDS SHORT. A Manitoba Farmer Who Proves a Swindler of the First Water.

Many Thousands of Dollars Owed to Banks and Fellow Farmers.

Special to the Globe. WINNIPEG, Man., May 10.—A dispatch from Brandon says that J. W. Sandison, the banana farmer of that place, has fled the country. Last fall he left suddenly for the United States, and the bulk of the population thought this was the last of him, as he did several shady things before going, such a double chaff mortgage. On his return here a few weeks ago he came face to face with his creditors, whose claims aggregated some \$5,000. As he appeared to have lots of cash to put in his large crop, most of the ground being ready, the creditors agreed to give him a chance, but a few days ago Sandison disappeared. A Scotland Yard detective appeared on the scene and it leaked out that while in the old country Sandison, well stocked with topics of chaff mortgages and other securities, letters of credit, recommendations, etc., many of which were doubtless bogus, bought right and left on credit as high as \$50,000 worth of diamonds at one stop. The diamonds and some other valuables were subsequently pawned off and raised probably from \$20,000 to \$30,000 worth of cash. This money he flourished at the meeting of the creditors and employed as a passport to the leniency of home creditors. As he was nearly as good as gone, he owes banks about \$300,000, who are pretty well secured by chaff mortgages. He has also some \$100,000 worth of employees, \$15,000, and from \$50,000 to \$75,000 to outside people, including English and Scotch houses. It is said that, like all enterprising men, the old country he was fortified with wives, and in his late flight he has forgotten to take No. 1 with him.

HAVING A HARD JOB. General Managers Still Discussing World's Fair Rates.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The meeting of general managers, called to settle the world's fair rates in the West, discussed the matter all day, and finally left the matter in the hands of a committee of seven, which is to report tomorrow morning. The committee consists of Messrs. Newman, of the Northwest; St. John, of the Rock Island; White, of the Chicago & North Western; Milwaukee & St. Paul; Merrill, of the Burlington; Townsend, of the Missouri Pacific; and the union member by the name of Atchison. The committee has no power of settlement, and will do nothing but recommend. Then the matter will be referred to the directors, and the result will be a war in rates.

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EULALIE IS LANDED.

Once More Royalty Is Domiciled in the Home of the Free.

She Makes Her Entrance on a War Ship of Her Country.

After a Dinner on the Dolphin She Is Whisked to Washington.

Secretary Gresham Meets Her on Arriving at the Capital.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The Infanta Eulalie, the official and personal representative of Queen Regent Christine of Spain, arrived at the port of New York today, and for the first time in many years the United States entertains official a member of one of the royal reigning families of Europe. Everything that careful forethought could suggest to insure a comfortable reception to the royal party had been provided under the direction of Commander Charles Davis, U. S. N., who, by special direction of President Cleveland, acted as his representative here.

As usual, the Spanish war ship, the Infanta Isabel and the pretty white dispatch boat Dolphin went down the harbor.

Inside the hook the Dolphin dropped anchor, and the Infanta Isabel proceeded around the hook and there found the Spanish trans-Atlantic steamer Reina Maria Christina, bearing

The Distinguished Guests. Lying quietly at anchor just off the bar, where she had been all night. The booming of the Infanta Isabel's guns gave notice of her discovery, and in a short time the Dolphin's anchor was again hoisted, and the vessel was made ready to escort the Spanish princess and her attendants to a standstill.

The princess was the first to alight. She was assisted from the train by Commander Davis. The Spanish minister, Sr. Romero y Ripley, was just behind the princess, but before he could alight Secretary Gresham pressed forward to meet her.

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Meeting of the "crack" bowlers. Hot-headed Badger slays his uncle. World's fair gates not to open Sunday.

Fatal explosion at Eldora. Argyle Miller takes his life. Two parades in honor of Hill. Prosyterians see the president.

The Brooklyn handicap scandal. Hornsby gets a term at Still water.

Movements of Steamships. HAMBURG—Arrived: Suevia, New York; Columbia, New York.

Sailed: Callia, Liverpool; Britannic, Liverpool; Normania, Hamburg.

UNCLE SAM'S PREMIER THE FIRST TO BE PRESENTED.

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A Lengthy List of Charges Made Against the Several Officers.

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A Passing Acquaintance Tries Desperately but in Vain to Prevent the Deed.

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Business Affairs in Splendid Shape and Home Life Excceedingly Happy.

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