

BADGERS

PINCHOT

Cross-Examination in Land Hearing Demands More

IN BALLINGER CHARGES

"Personal Knowledge" Asked of the Witness—The Latter Replies by Telling of Letter to the President.

Washington, March 5.—The cross-examination of Gifford Pinchot proceeded slowly before the congressional investigating committee yesterday.

Mr. Vertrees, counsel for Secretary Ballinger, and Mr. Pinchot got into long arguments as to the meaning of some of the lawyer's questions. They also argued almost continuously as to inference to be drawn from documentary evidence.

Mr. Vertrees did draw from the witness the fact that his only first-hand knowledge of any act reflecting upon Mr. Ballinger in connection with the Cunningham case was based on the letter sent by Mr. Ballinger to President Taft on November 15.

Mr. Pinchot denied that either he or any of his people owned stock in the Pocahontas Coal company. He said that up to the time he sent Givins to President Taft, Mr. Ballinger's views as to conservation were different from his own.

"Then you were unfriendly?" "I distrusted his policies and what he would do."

Referring to his testimony that Mr. Ballinger as commissioner of the land office protested against the creation of the Chugach forest in Alaska, in which some of the Cunningham claims are located, Mr. Pinchot said he had never read Mr. Ballinger's letter and did not know what reasons he gave in the letter.

Mr. Pinchot declared that while the letter had been on file with the committee for some time, a regulation of the committee permitting counsel only to examine the documents had prevented his reading it. Long discussion ensued as to the modification of the rule, but the matter was put over for discussion in executive session.

Mr. Pinchot was asked to read the letter. When he had concluded, Mr. Vertrees asked:

"Does that letter indicate hostility to the general policy of conservation?" "In my judgment, it does."

"Point out a single statement to that effect."

Mr. Pinchot said the whole thing had to be taken together. The witness was asked if it was not known when Mr. Garfield withdrew the huge tracts of land for water power sites that nine-tenths of the lands so withdrawn were not needed and would have to be restored.

Mr. Pinchot frankly stated that it had been his policy to withdraw lands for forest ranger stations when they were not needed for that purpose, but they were withdrawn to protect possible power sites.

"So that was your policy and Secretary Garfield's?" "Yes, and President Roosevelt's and Secretary Wilson's."

Mr. Vertrees spent some time with the witness as to the charge that Mr. Ballinger had deceived the president regarding an opinion of the comptroller of the treasury on the subject of the agreement between the forestry service and the interior department regarding Indian lands. He brought out the fact that a copy of the comptroller's decision referred to by Mr. Ballinger had been sent to the president.

"There is nothing here to show the president read that decision," declared Mr. Pinchot, "and the unavoidable inference is that Mr. Ballinger deceived the president, because the president said in his letter to Mr. Ballinger on Sept. 13: 'Your declaration to carry out the contract was made necessary by a ruling of the comptroller.'"

The witness contended that the decision sent to the president did not cover the co-operative agreement as to Indian lands.

Senator Flint asked the witness if the statement submitted by Mr. Ballinger

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In regard to the co-operative agreement was not a fair one. "Pretty fair—from Mr. Ballinger's point of view."

Mr. Vertrees, in reply to questions from members of the committee to clear up a misunderstanding, said that the co-operative agreement which Mr. Ballinger voided was one by which Indian office employees had been placed under the absolute control of the forest service. It was the delegation of authority and control to which Mr. Ballinger called attention and in which he believed himself to have been upheld by the comptroller.

The luncheon recess here was ordered.

JOURNEY OF 26,000 MILES.

Doctor Clark and Mr. Shaw Complete Globe Girdling Trip.

Boston, March 5.—Dr. Francis E. Clark and William Shaw, president and secretary of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, reached Boston yesterday after a journey of more than 26,000 miles around the world and on the Pacific coast.

They left Boston last October to attend the world's Christian Endeavor convention at Agra, India, and other Christian Endeavor conventions in Egypt, China, the Philippines, Japan and Hawaii and for the last few weeks have been in California, Oregon, Washington and Manitoba, attending similar conventions. They report a very happy and prosperous condition in all parts of the world, and the societies multiplying abroad, as well as in this country.

BUYS FORMER MACKAY STOCK.

American Telephone Company Secures \$2,000 of Its Own Shares.

Boston, March 5.—The purchase by the American Telephone company of the \$2,000 shares of its stock, recently sold by the Mackay companies, was announced here yesterday by President Theodore N. Vail.

President Vail says that the stock was secured at a price representing between \$11,000,000 and \$12,000,000 cash. President Vail denied that there was any basis for the assertions that a rate war between the Western Union and Postal companies is impending.

SEEKS ITALY'S AID.

Grecian Crown Prince Thinks Friendly Influence Would Help.

Rome, March 5.—Crown Prince Constantine of Greece arrived here yesterday in the strictest incognito and asked for an audience with King Victor Emmanuel.

He wished to submit to his majesty the situation in Greece and to request the assistance of Italy's influence in the solution of the Cretan question, upon which may depend the peace of Greece and the stability of the monarchy.

"MOONSHINE" STILL IN NEW YORK.

Police Now Looking for the Operator, who Disappeared.

New York, March 5.—Through a small fire the police found a full-blown "moonshine" still in the basement of a five-story tenement in Lewis street, on the East Side and they are looking for the late tenant, who disappeared when the firemen arrived. The outfit consisted of three small stills, several barrels of mash, several barrels of whiskey, and two telescopic hand-bags, each fitted with a five gallon copper tank, by means of which it is supposed, the whiskey was taken out of the basement and sold.

OKLAHOMA FOR INCOME TAX.

Both Houses of Legislature Ratify Income Tax Amendment.

Guthrie, Okla., March 5.—Both houses of the Oklahoma legislature have ratified the income tax amendment to the federal constitution.

ROOT ON POSTAL SAVINGS

Senator Urges Amendment to Invest Money Deposited

IN GOVERNMENT BONDS

Attacks the Cummins Idea—Says It is Dangerous to Saddle the Treasury with Responsibility for \$500,000,000.

Washington, March 5.—Senator Root addressed the Senate at length yesterday in support of the idea embodied in the Root amendment to the postal savings bank bill. This idea is that the moneys collected by the postal savings banks shall be invested in government bonds. Senator Root contended that unless his amendment, or one along this line, were put into the bill, it would not be constitutional.

Senator Root held that the postal savings bill ought to be framed so as to prevent the government from the necessity of going to the bankers of the country to take care of its bonds when it needed to float them. He alluded to the attack on President Cleveland for going to a great New York bank to sell bonds, although there was nowhere else to go. In the Spanish war, he said, the bonds sold by popular subscription went to bankers and brokers.

He urged a postal savings system that would "enable the government of the United States to plant itself on the industry and thrift of the people of the United States." He contended this was the kind of postal savings bank for which the party declared and which the president had in mind in his message to Congress. As the bill now stands, he pointed out, it embodied a widely different conception. This was to provide for the receipt of deposits, their transfer to neighboring banks and their retention in the neighboring banks until paid back to the depositors.

The entire session was devoted to a further consideration of the postal savings bank bill. Unable to reach a vote on that measure, the Senate took a recess until to-day at 11:45 a. m.

The House had the post office appropriation bill before it nearly all day.

OPPOSITION FROM RUSSIA.

Building of Railroad Proposed by American Frowned Upon.

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B. & O. STRIKE WAITS.

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Baltimore, March 5.—With the strike order held in abeyance until to-day, interest in the controversy over wages and service conditions between the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and its conductors and trainmen centered yesterday in the efforts of the board of mediation, under the Erdman act, to settle differences by peaceful means. Whether the time limit would be extended beyond the hour fixed—11 a. m. (today)—and extension of the Order of Railway Conductors said depended on whether the results of the mediators' labors showed any reasonable hopes that an amicable adjustment of the pending dispute might be reached.

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48 RESCUED FROM DEATH

Anchor Line Caledonia Takes Crew

FROM SINKING STEAMSHIP

Korea Sends Wireless to New York. The Lost Vessel Was Bound from Norway to Philadelphia.

New York, March 5.—A wireless message received at the office of the Anchor line at noon yesterday from Capt. W. E. Baxter of the Anchor line steamship Caledonia—sent when the vessel was 1,250 miles east of Sandy Hook—announced that at 3:30 o'clock on the afternoon of March 1 the Caledonia discovered, in a sinking condition, the steamer Korea of Philadelphia, and rescued her entire crew, numbering forty-eight.

The Caledonia was on her way from Glasgow to New York, while the Korea was bound from Norway to Philadelphia with a cargo of iron ore. The rescue occurred in latitude 52 degrees 31 minutes north, longitude 29 degrees 19 minutes west. The wireless stated that the Korea was left with a bad list, and seemed about to go under. The cause of the accident was not mentioned.

The steamer Korea was formerly well known in this port as a passenger vessel plying between New York and Libau for the Russian East Asiatic company. She was a steel ship, built in Flenburg, Russia, in 1890, with a gross register of 6,163 tons. Her length was 409 feet over all, her width 49 feet 4 inches, with a depth of 19 feet. During the Japanese war, she was used as a transport to take Russian troops to the far East.

Dunham & Boyesen, 21 State street, local agents of the Korea, say she was in command of Capt. Zipe.

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GUARD BASKET CAREFULLY

Spaulding Kept Montpelier Sem. Away From It

HIGH SCHOOL WON, 32 TO 15

Averill and Maiden Were the High Scorers from the Floor, but Griggs Made the Most Including Free Throws.

In a fast and interesting basket ball game, the Spaulding high school five chalked down another victory on its already lengthy list by defeating Montpelier seminary for the second time this season at the Church street gymnasium last evening. The score was 32 to 15, and, though the score was one-sided, the fast, clean, open playing of the teams and the brilliant passing at times displayed by the trappy high school quintet made the game one of the most interesting to watch that has been played at the gymnasium this winter.

Two 20-minute periods were played, and Spaulding made just 10 points in each half, while Montpelier made six in the first and nine in the second. Griggs and Darling played a strong guarding game, which was responsible in a large measure for Montpelier's getting only four baskets from the floor, and, besides, Griggs caged three baskets from the floor and Averill caged four baskets from the floor on good shots and Maiden did the same. The best work for the seminary team was done by Martin and Glidden, who made all but two of their points, Springer getting one basket from the floor in the last half.

Between the halves of this game, the second teams of the two schools indulged in a lively scrimmage, which ended in a victory for the seminary seconds by a score of 31 to 14. Owing to the fact that the seminary seconds were mostly all six-footers and the Spaulding players mostly four-footers, the game made a good vaudeville show for the spectators.

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ZBYSCO GOT DECISION.

Opponent Sprained His Ankle When Fall Fell into Press Box.

Omaha, Neb., March 5.—After wrestling an hour and ten minutes without a fall last night, Zbyseco got the decision over Jesse Westerguard. The men fell from the mat into the press box, the Pole on top. Westerguard suffered a sprained ankle and his seconds declined to let him continue, forfeiting the match.

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Catchers then wore neither masks nor gloves. In fact, gloves were unheard of, and considering the great scores that were run up, every man on the team must have been thoroughly exhausted when a game was over.

To receive \$700 for a season's playing marked a player as a star of the first water, and yet today the kings of the diamond receive more than that for a single month.

Daniels Holds Many Records.

Charles M. Daniels of the New York A. C. holds forty-three swimming records.

COMING SPORT EVENTS

The Brighton Beach (New York) twenty-four hour automobile race will be run May 13 and 14.

The annual Oxford and Cambridge sports will take place at the Queen's club, London, March 19.

The two greatest classics of the English turf will be run as follows: The 2,000 Guineas, April 27, and the English Derby, June 1.

The amateur championship of the Metropolitan Golf association will be held on the links of the Morris county (N. Y.) club May 25, 26, 27 and 28.

The Irish-American club of Toronto, Canada, will hold a fifteen mile try-out race March 17 and will send the three first men to the Boston Marathon in April.

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