GOODSELL GRAB ADVANCED

THE HEARING TO-DAY.

After This Farce Bill Will Be Passed by Assembly.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.] Albany, April 17.—Having to-night advanced one of the Goodsell railroad grab bills, granting powers with no limit except as to the compensation to the State, which is not mentioned, the Assembly will to-morrow go through the sol-Niagara power grab, after which it will with still more gravity pass the measure, as has been the plan all the time. The hearing to-morrow, as has been said before, bears no reference to the vital questions of the bill, which are: How much is the beauty of Niagara Falls to be in jured, and how much is the State to be paid for the enormous franchise granted. The hearing is to decide how much of the financial advantage incident to the powers granted by the bill the city of Lockport is going to receive. It has nothing to do with the real issue of the bill, and the defects that secured its veto last year.

The exact situation is that the city of Lockport under last year's measure would have secured all the advantages, since the power would have had to be manufactured in that city. This year the power can be manufactured anywhere, under the terms of the Leggett cill, and the people of Lockport oppose the bill. The men who fathered it last time are shaking their heads about it gravely this year, although a little bit chary about expressing an opinion that might reflect on their position last year. No one has much hope of its being defeated by the legislature.

No new story can be told about the corruption attending its progress; it is known to every one It is cheap, inconsticuous and rather the dirtiest proposition of the year, but it will pass because no one of importance will make a fight. The New-York City Republicans, Stanley, Agnew and Prentice, aided by Wainwright of Westchester, who have opposed every bad bill which has passed the legislature during their term, will speak against it. Then with a rush it will be put through and sent over to the Senate, where the men who look after this sort of legislation will take it in charge.

Short of the Governor there is little hope of beating the bill. Certain people assert that the Mayor of Lockport will veto it, but Lockport has a selfish interest and a selfish interest can be satisfied. As far as any strong opposition based on the obvious defects of the measure is concerned it does not exist and cannot be roused in the present session. But its friends begin to realize that in executive hands it will hardly be

The Goodsell "grab" bill, Edvanced to-night, confers the power on railroad corporations to make such additions, betterments and facilities as may be necessary or convenient for the better management, maintenance or operation of their railroads and the right by purchase or condemnaon to acquire property therefor. Assemblyman Fuller, of Brooklyn, made a formal objection, asserting that the reading of the bill left it doubtful whether it did not confer additional franchise. This thought deeply grieved Assemblyman Wade, who has the measure in charge, and he rose with every evidence of deep emotion and assured the Assembly that the bill was the "most beneficial to New-York City and State of the whole session." He talked for some time about the "line of low grade" which this enables railroads to find and follow, about the "Gulf railroads," which received this privilege to the detriment of New-York commerce, and finally nursed the bill along. A final debate will be had on the bill later in the week. The definite charge was made to-night that the lobby, working through the agency of certain well known legislators, has determined on the defeat of the Saxe-Stanley bill providing for the removal of the New-York Central tracks from 11th-ave., and that arguments of imposing character have already been advanced. Some damaging revelations along this line are expected soon, when it is believed some names of the agents used by the "third house" will be made public. asserting that the reading of the bill left it

REPUBLICAN CLUB AGAINST "GRABS."

Representatives Will Fight Niagara and Goodsell Measures at Albany.

The Republican Club, at a full meeting last utions opposing three "grab" bills now pending in the legislature. One of the bills is the Niagara power bill; another is Senator Goodsell's bill permitting the Interborough Company to abandon certain plans in The Bronx, and the last bill is one reviving the old Steinway tunnel. The rep-resentatives of the Republican Club will at once go to Albany and oppose the bills.

EGISLATION SURE, SAYS PAGE.

Gas Investigator Asserts Committee Found a Good Deal of Water.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.] Albany, April 17.—Senator Page asserted to-night that the committee would probably complete its hearings either Saturday or Monday and present its report to the legislature two weeks from tonight. When asked as to the rumor that the committee had decided on a price of gas to be recommended in its report, Senator Fage said that had not been considered. An accountant would prepare not been considered. An accountant would prepare a table of figures from the testimony and computations would be made from these figures.

"We have found a good deal of water in the company's stock and we are convinced now that legislation will result from our investigation, but it is

NO POLITICS IN GOVERNOR'S VISIT.

Not Here to Confer About Gas Investigation or Revenue Bills.

Albany, April 17 .- Governor Higgins to-day declared that his Sunday visit to New-York had not been for the purpose of conference about either the lighting investigation or the Mortgage and Stock

"I did not see Senator Stevens, chairman of the nor any member of his committee. To speak frankly, outside of the hotel clerk, I met just four people-Hamilton Fish, Collector N. N. Stranahan, Cornelius N. Bliss and George Sheldon. Mr. Bliss and Mr. Sheldon called on me. I met the other two by accident."

"CORRUPT PRACTICE" BILL PASSED.

Senator Malby Says It Was Railroaded Through the Upper Chamber.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.] Albany, April 17.—Senator Malby, who believes that the bill would make it possible for a series of court actions to hold up the decision of an election Indefinitely, was thinking of something else this evening when the Senate reached the first of the "corrupt practice" bills, and before he realized what

had happened the bill passed.

This measure, with two companions, was brought Tris measure, with two companions, was brought here a month or more ago by D. Cady Herrick and Perry Belmont, and introduced by Senator Brackett and Minority Assembly Leader Palmer. It provides that any county judge may receive and act on charges against the campaign practices of any candidate for office, and simplifies the method of presenting such charges. It is considered the most important bill of the trio.

After the session Senator Malby declared that the bill had been railroaded through, contrary to agreement.

CANALS TO BE OPENED ON MAY 4.

Albany, April 17.—Superintendent Franchot, of the Department of Public Works, to-day announced Thursday, May 4, at noon, for the formal opening of the Erie, Champlain, Oswego and Cayuga and Seneca canals. The Black River Canal will not be opened until some time later because of weather conditions, delaying necessary repairs being made until May.



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O'BRIEN FOR CHAIRMAN

Black Men Favor Secretary for State Committee Head.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.] Albany, April 17 .- It was learned here to-night on unquestioned authority that as a result of the meetings of various Republican leaders last week with the tentative purpose of reorganizing the party control, at which the friends of Senator Platt and those of ex-Governor Frank S. Black were present, as well as the former Governor himself, a proposition had been advanced from the Black camp to make Secretary of State John F. O'Brien chairman of the Republican State Committee to succeed ex-Governor Odell. This proposition was formulated by the Black people after the conferences, or rather talks, since there was no definite conference, and after the names of two other men, both belonging to the immediate friends of Senator Platt, William Barnes, jr., and Congressman J. Sloat Fassett, had been suggested.

When ex-Governor Black came to the end of the talks he made the remark: "I have been led to the trough several times only to find that there was no water there for me. The next time I go there I am going to have a

next time I go there I am going to have a drink."

This is now believed to have been his meaning. Those who are familiar with the contest by which ex-Governor Odell was made chairman of the State committee will recall that it was the friends of ex-Governor Black who made the most consistent fight. The hardest part of the work was done along the counties of the northern tier, and it was done by Secretary of State John F. O'Brien. It was through his management that the Essex-Clinton State committee district was turned over and the vote gained for ex-Governor Odell. His work in this long fight makes him peculiarly the man that would be indorsed by the Black men, and as a man who has hitherto had little actual prominence in party politics, that is, as compared with Fassett, Barnes, Colonel George W. Dunn and certain other men whose names have been mentioned in connection with this position, there might be less serious objection to his becoming chairman.

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The exact situation at the present time seems to be that he has been tentatively suggested by the Black wing, and is now more or less under consideration by the friends of Senator Platt. But the consensus of opinion appears to be that no direct move will be made to force a change until after the New-York City election, unless ex-Governor Odell should voluntarily resign. Overtures have been made, originally by William L. Ward, of Westchester, who dissuaded ex-Governor Black from his purpose of retiring from political life and then brought about a meeting with Senator Platt. It is said that it took more or less argument to change ex-Governor Black's mind. Possibly the proposition to name O'Brien was then suggested. At all events, it is directly after Mr. Ward's visit here last week that this well authenticated report is heard and accepted, not as decided, but as not improbable, by the political wiseacres at the Capitol.

PRESS SPRINKLING BILL.

Prentice Measure Stands a Good Chance of Passing.

INV TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Albany, April 17 .- Strong pressure is now being brought to bear to press to passage the Prentice bill, which confers on Street Cleaning Commissioner Woodbury of New-York the power to regulate street sprinkling and sanding, a measure which is indorsed by Mayor McClellan, who vainly sought to have it passed in the shape of the La Feta bill. This bill was introduced by Charles F. Mur-

This bill was introduced by Charles F. Murphy's Assemblyman early in the session. Subsequently the Tammany Hall authorities discovered that there was a contract concealed in the situation, as the contract under which the street sprinkling is now done expires this summer, and instantly the bill was heid up.

It was significantly whispered that "Johnny" Oakley was a safer overseeing official when a contract was at stake, and availing himself of a fancied clight La Fetra, when Commissioner Woodbury came to Albany to ask for the measure, and because of the snowstorm hastened back to New-York City without paying his respects to him, declared that he had been insulted and would not press his bill. Now a Republican Assemblyman has put in a similar measure, and it will be promptly pressed and passed, and Mayor McClellan will again be placed in the situation of receiving legislation he desires at Republican hands, in spite of Tammany opposition.

BILL RESTORING L. I. RATES PASSED.

Albany, April 17.-Senator Keenan's bill, requiring the Long Island Railroad to restore the rate of fare went into effect last January passed the Senate to-

MORE TIME FOR HOOKER INQUIRY. Albany, April 17.-The Assembly to-night granted

to its Judiciary Committee the third extension of time for the completion of the Hooker investigation. A resolution presented by the committee extended the time for report from Wednesday next until Thursday of next week.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. Sunrise 5:18 Sunset 6:42 Moon sets 4:54 Moon's age 15 HIGH WATER. A.M.—Sandy Hook 6:30 Gov. Island 6:50 Hell Gate 8:43 P.M.—Sandy Hook 6:54 Gov. Island 7:12 Hell Gate 9:05

INCOMING STEAMERS.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

Port of New-York, Monday, April 17, 1905.

rainer Moltke (Ger), Reesing, Naples April 3 and a 3, to the Hamburg-American Line, with 287 cabin 824 steerage passengers and mdse, Arrived at the bar at \$26 a m. 20 a m. toria (Br), McKenzle, Barbados April 5, Dominica and Antigua 7, St Kitts, St Thomas 8, and Bermuda 14, to A E Outer-with 74 passengers, mail and mdse. Ar-

ne at 7:22 a m.

Steamer Foquots, Chichester, Jacksonville April 14,
d Charleston 15, to William P. Clyde & Co., with pasngers and make. Passed in Quarantine at 7:25 p m.
Steamer City of Columbus, Smith, Savannah April 14,
the Ocean Steamship Company, with passengers and
dase. Passed Quarantine at 6 a m.
Steamer Manna Hata. Charles, Baltimore, to H C
oster, with make. Passed Quarantine at 8:50 a m.
Steamer (probably) Waccamaw, from Philadelphia for
ortland. Passed Sandy Hook Lightship at 5:45 a m.
Steamer Minnehaha, London (Nantucket).
Steamer Moordam, Rotterdam and Bouloghe (Nantucket).
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Steamer Oscar II, Copenhagen, Christiania and Chrisanssand. ansend. Sandy Hook, N. J., April 17, 9:30 p m-Wind west, oderate: clear.

SAILED.

Steamers Margaretha (Ital), for Havana; Atlas (Nor), Baracoa; Trinidad (Nor), Bermuda; Miramar (Br), Bal-timore; Jefferson, Norfolk and Newport News; Segu-ranca, Coion; Northwestern, Port Arthur, Tex; Mann-heim (Ger), Rotterdam; Citta di Genova (Ital), Genoa.

THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

FOREIGN PORTS. April 16-Arrived, steamer Bovic (Br), Mathias New-York.
Lizard, April 17, 12:50 p m—Passed, steamer L'Aquitaine
(Fr), Unsworth, New-York for Havre.
Bristol, April 16—Arrived, steamer Bristol City (Br),
Barclay, New-York.
Prawle Point, April 17—Passed, steamer Mesaba (Br),
Tubb, New-York for London,
Dover, April 17, 3:45 p m—Arrived, steamer Zeeland
(Br), Broothlead, New-York for Antwerp (and proceeded). (Br), Broomhead, New-York for Antwerp (and proceeded).

East London, April 14—Arrived, steamer Scharzfels (Ger), Bathmann, New-York via Cape Town and Algon Bay, Hull, April 16—Arrived, steamer Consuelo (Br), Watson, New-York via London.

Tyne, April 15—Sailed, steamer Manhattan (Ger), Walters, New-York, Glasgow, April 16—Arrived, steamer Caledonia (Br), Baxter, New-York.

Moville, April 15—Sailed, steamer Furnessia (Br), Black (from Glasgow), New-York.

Bremen, April 16 midnight—Arrived, steamer Gneisenau (Ger), Bleecker, New-York.

Brulogne, April 16, Sp m—Sailed, steamer Patricia (Ger), Magin (from Hamburg and Dovery), New-York, Cherbourg, April 16, 11 p m—Sailed, steamer Harbarossa (Ger), Mentz (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, April 16, 11 p m—Sailed, steamer Harbarossa (Ger), Mentz (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, April 14, 11 p m—Sailed, steamer Manhampton), New-York, April 15, 11 p m—Sailed, steamer Manhampton, New-York, April 14, 11 p m—Arrived, steamer New-York, Maria (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, April 17, 10 a m—Arrived, steamer New-York, Maria (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, April 17, 10 a m—Arrived, steamer New-York, Maria (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, April 17, 10 a m—Arrived, steamer New-York, Maria (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, April 17, 10 a m—Arrived, steamer New-York, Maria (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, April 17, 10 a m—Arrived, steamer New-York, Maria (from Bremen and Southampton), New-York, Maria (from Bremen and Sou

York, Gibraitar, April 17, 19 a m—Arrived, steamer Konie Albert (Ger). Polak, N.w.—York for Naples and Genoa (and proceeded): 6 p m, salled, steamer Prinzess Leene (Ger), Dannemann (from Genoa and Naples), New-(Ger), Dannemann (from Genoa and Naples), New-York,
Port Said, April 17—Arrived, steamer Tiger (Nor), Bugge,
New-York via Alglers for Hankow,
Algiers, April 10—Sailed, steamer Kennebec (Br), Beynon (from New-York), Singapore,
Teneriffe, April 16—Arrived, steamer Prinzessin Victoria
Luise (Ger), Ruser, New-York via Funchal for Naples,
Valermo, etc (on cruise).
Sez, April 17—Arrived steamer Bucrania (Br), McClelland, Calcutta and Colombo for Boston and New-York,
Barbados, April 14—Sailed, steamer Hildebrand (Br),
Small (from New-York), Para.
Bermula, April 17—Arrived, steamer Caribbee (Br), Saunders, New-York,
Hamilton, Bermuda, April 17, 3:15 p m—Arrived, steamer
Bermudian (Br), Fraser, New-York
St. Michael's April 16—Sailed, steamer St Nicholas (Br),
Bari (from Shanghai, Hollo and Manila via Singapore and Algiers), New-York
Gibraltar, April 16—Passed, steamers Albenga (Ger), Petersen, New-York for Aden, Singapore, etc.; 17th,
Italia (Br), Bridges, New-York for Marselles and
Leghorn

Leghorn,
Leghorn, April 15—Arrived, steamer Calabria (Br), Coverley, New-York via Marcellles.
Port Natal, April 17—Arrived previously, steamer Indrawadi (Br), Hall, New-York via Shanghal, etc.
Suez, April 17—Arrived, steamer Richmond Castle (Br),
McDowell, Yokohama, etc. Hong Kong and Singapore
for New-York.
Moji, April 15.—Salled—Steamer, Indrani (Br), Willey,
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A RMY BUILDING, WHITEHALL ST., NEW | PROPOSALS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES.-Debe received here until 12 o'clock noon April 24, 1905, for furnishing fire extinguishers and hose. Blank forms for bidding and specifications can be obtained at this office. Government reserves right to reject or accept any or all bids. Proposals must be signed by bidder, inclosed in sealed envelopes, and addressed to undersigned, marked: "Proposals for Fire Extiaguishers and Hose, to be opened April 24, 1905." G. S. BINGHAM, Maj. & Q. M., U. S. A., Depot Q. M.

DROPOSALS FOR EARTH SPREADERS, Unloading Machines and Unloading Ploughs.—Office Isthmian Canal Commission, Washington, D. C., April 15, 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Isthmian Canal Commission, Washington, D. C., until 10:30 a. m., May 10, 1905, at which time they will be opened in public, for furnishing the above mentioned machinery. Blanks and full information may be obtained from this office, or offices of Asst. Purchasing Agent, 24 State St., New York City, or Asst, Purchasing Agent, at Custom House, New Orleans, La. H. J. GALLAGHER, Major, U. S. A., Purchasing Agent, at Custom House, New Orleans, La.

PROPOSALS FOR ORDNANCE SUPPLIES .-New York Arsenal, Governor's Island, N. Y. H.,
April 17th, 1965.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be
received until f p. m. May 17th, 1995, for furnishing instruments and drawing utensits, and materials, burlaps,
cotton waste, thread, forage, ironmongery, paints, oils,
lumber, tools, utensils, etc., during year ending June 39,
1996, Information furnished on application. Col. JOHN
E. GREER, Comdg.

WEST POINT, N. Y., MARCH 21ST, 1905 .-Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 12 o'clock, noon, April 20th, 1905, for the construction of two double and four triple sets of Officers' Quarters and for the erection of Cadet Barracks, as per drawings and specifications on file in this office. The U. S. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Forms and specifications furnished upon application. Address Quartermaster, U. S. M. A.

Amusements.

NEW AMSTERDAM Evs.8:15. Three Wks.
Mat. Sat. only.
KYRLE BELLEW—ELEANOR ROBSON,
and a distinguished ALL STAR CAST,
in Goldanth's Remove Comedy. SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER LIBERTY Theatre. Matinee Saturday. Evgs., 8:15.
The Gibson Play. THE EDUCATION OF MR. PIPP
by Augustus Thomas. With DIGBT BELL. NEW YORK Theatre. Prices 25, 50, 75, 1.00. Ev. 8:15.
Pop. Mat. Wed. Regular Mat. Sat. Henry W. PRINCE OF PILSEN LYRIC 42d. W. of B'way. 108th Time. To-night, 8:15, Mat., Wed. Best seats \$1, 75c. 50. De ANGELIS IN F ANTANA

HARLEM OPERA HOUSE, 125th, nr. 7th Ave. MANSFIELD RICHARD

To-night, 8:30, THE MISANTHROPE; Wed., THE MERCHANT OF VENICE; Thurs., as the Baron Chevrial in A PARISIAN ROMANCE; Fri., DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE; Sat. Mat., THE MERCHANT OF VENICE; Sat. Night, BEAU BRUMMEL.

PRINCESS. B'way, 29th. Evs., 8:30. Mats. Thurs., Sat.

Broadway and 33d St. Broadway and 33d St. Week. Next Mon. THE PROUD LAIRD Seats nov MADISON SQ. THEATRE.

Ist Time TO-NIGHT at 8:30.

THE FIRM OF CUNNINGHAM

Colonial B'way & 62d. Mat. Daily. 23c. Ceellin Loftus, Frank Keenan & Co., 12 Navaio Girls, 8-Dollar Troupe, O'Erien & Havel, Holcomb, Curtis & Webb, others.

The Turf.

Queens Co. Jockey Club, TO-DAY, THE ARVERNE STAKES and five other races, beginning at 2:30 P. M.
Trains leave E. 34th St., 10:50 A. M.; 12:10, 12:30, 12:50, 1:10, 1:20, 1:40, and 1:50 P. M. regular.
Also from Flatbush Ave., 11:02 A. M.; 12:40, 1:00, 1:20, 1:45 and 1:51 P. M. regular.

PRANKFORD ARSENAL, PHILADELPHIA, Ps. April 13. 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received until 1 o'clock P M. on May 12. 1908, for removing end wall of present building and extending one one Story Brick and Steel Building. 36 feet 7 inches long by 45 feet 1 inch wide, for Loading Room, Small Arms Ammunition Plant, at this Arsensi. Information upon application. FRANK HEATH, Lt. Col., Ord. Degt. U. S. A. Commanding.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, S. N. T .-A DJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, S. N. I.—

New York State Arsenal, 7th Ave., cor. 35th St.

New York April 10th, 1006.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing and delivering QUARTERMASTER STORES and SUBSISTENCE STORES at the STATE CAMP of INSTRUCTION, Feekekill, N. T., in such quantilies and at such times as required by the Depot Quartermaster and Depot Commissary, to supply the troops on duty there during period commencing June 1st, and ending June 24th, 1906, will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, April 27th, at the Adjutant General's Office. State Arsenal, Seventh Avenue and 35th Street, New York City. Proposals must be made upon the several articles. The State reserves the right to accept or reject any of all bids, or any part thereof. Contractors for subsistence stores to agree to take back all unbroken packages. Information furnished upon application. Separate bids for Quartermaster and Subsistence Stores must be sealed and addressed to the Adjutant General. S. N. Y., State Arsenal, Seventh Avenue and 35th Street, New York City, and plainly marked "BIDS FOR QUARTERMASTER STORES". "BIDS FOR SUBSISTENCE STORES."

NELSON H. HENRY, Adjutant General.

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GENERAL DEPOT, Q. M. DEPT., JEFfersonville, Ind., March 21, 1905. A sale at public auction, of condemned property, consisting of typewriters, Mess Pans, Camp Kettles, Calfskin Shoes, Spring Wagons, Army Wagons and Ambulances, will take place at this Depot April 20, 1905, at 10 o'clock, a.m., and continue until sale is completed. All information furnished on application. J. M. Marshail, Assistant Quartermastee General, U. S. Army.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTS AND OILS

PROPOSALS FOR COKE AND FURNITURE.

Office of Asst. Purchasing Agent, Isthmian Canal Commission, 24 State Street. New York, April 17, 1903.—Sealed processis, in triplicate, will be received at the office of the Asst. Purchasing Agent, Isthmian Canal Commission, 24 State Street, New York, until 10:30 & M. April 10, 1906, for furnishing above-mentioned articles. Blanks and full information may be obtained from this office. ALFRED ANDERSON, Asst. Purchasing Agent.