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Passes Through the Third Day.

John J. Conlon, M. M. Clark, D. Clem Deaver, Dave Rowden, Ignatius Dunn and Dennis Lane on the Stand Yesterday.

WHAT SEVERAL PERSONS WITNESSED

The third day's session of the legislative contest opened with John J. Conlon still on the witness stand. His testimony was confined to detailing how certain voters secured their three ballots from the judges and voted but one of them. He did not know whether they carried the others outside or not. His complaint to the judges availed nothing.

M. M. Clark, a republican until recently, was a clerk of election in the First district of the Fifth ward, and the only democrat on the board. The judges there peddled American Protective association tickets in the booth until he protested against it, and then bundles of the tickets were left in the booth and the voters used them in making up their ballots. He heard a democratic disabled voter complaining after voting because a judge had not made up his ballot as he had requested, and the judge said that the man wanted to vote the republican ticket. He saw ballots illegally thrown out because of blots, and the pile thus thrown out was seven inches high. He saw a republican ballot that had been counted and dropped on the floor, picked up and counted again despite his protest.

Henry Osthoff told of being ejected from a booth so that the election board might illegally fill a vacancy and organize the board In secret, and he had heard that a judge in another precinct had said that forty-seven of his ballots had been thrown out.

How the Independents Fared. Clem Deaver was the first witness

called in the afternoon. He is an independent, and swore that there were but three independents on all the boards in the Fifth ward and but twenty-three out of the 616 in the whole city. He knew of none of the re-quests that the mayor alleged to have made upon the independents asking them to sub-mit names, but did know that the independents had tried hard to get their men on the boards in the face of great discourage-

Dave Rowden, another independent, said that he had furnished the mayor with a list of independents, and that official had promised that the independents should have two men on each election board, and had sent him to the coun-cilman living in his ward. Mr. Back. Back told him that the election boards were to be made up of republicans this year, just as they were made up of democrats a year ago. Back is a republican. Elsasser tried to help out the independents, but did not succeed very well. The witness visited all the polls in the First ward on election can and found but one of the men recommended by the in-dependents serving on an election board. He saw a republican candidate for the councll around the booths with a big bunch of sample ballots, and an officer refused to remove him when requested to do so. The witness was refused admittance to a booth in the evening to watch the count. On a divided ruling of the notaries he declined to answer a question on the ground that the vote was a tie and the ruling hadn't carried.

Ignatius Dunn, an independent, testified to having seen American Protective associa-tion ticket peddlers working close up to the beather

What Dennis Lane Saw.

Dennis Lane, a republican, was a challenger at one of the Fifth ward polling places, and caused the ejection of an American Pro-tective association ticket peddler, but the fellow kept at it all day on the outside near the door. He said that the five judges di-vided the ballots between them during the count, and each submitted the result of his count, and these sums were added to make the total. The ballots of illiterate or disabled democrats were prepared by republican judges, who refused to show them to the single democrat on the board when requested to do so. The democratic member was allowed to prepare but one ballot. It frequently happened that the ballots were folded before the ink was dry, and the result was that another cross was made at other points on the ballot. If the voter had voted for a democrat and the blot came in a place where it could be construed into a vote for a republican it was invariably counted, but if it was the reverse the ballot was reliated. quested to do so. The democratic member

republican it was invariably counted, but if it was the reverse the ballot was rejected. John Hope, an independent challenger in the First district of the Ninth ward, was the last witness. The board was made up of five republicans, one—democrat and one independent. The witness saw American Protective association tickets peddled at the door of the booth. Disabled voters were not sworn, and a blind man's ballot was prepared by his father-in-law, and neither were sworn. A democrat who wanted assistance was given such insufficent information that after given such insufficent information that after calling on the judges three times he left the booth in disgust without votiny. He had his ballot prepared on the outside, and when he returned and attempted to vote, he was

arrested and taken to the city jail.

An adjournment was taken until 10 o'clock
Monday morning, it will be the endeavor of
the contestants to introduce their testimony so as to have that relating to each, all by it self, so as to make a more intelligible record

NAVAJOS GROWING RESTLESS. Trouble with Their Agent May Send Them

on the Warpath. Durango, Colo., Dec, 17.-From a Navajo subchief, who came in from the reservation today, it was learned that in six days there will be a gathering of the tribes at Round Rock, near Chees' store, for the purpose of holding a grand powpow. Black Hawk and other chiefs will be present and the talk will be on the methods adopted by the present agent to compel them to send their children to school. The result of the powpow is a

men of the tribes can be restrained there NEWS FOR THE ARMY.

matter of conjecture, but unless the younger

List of Changes of Importance in the Regular Service Yesterday. Washington, D. C., Dec. 17. - [Special Tele gram to The Ber.]—The following army orders were issued today:

So much of special orders, November 29, as relate to Veterinary Surgeon C. D. Mac Murdo, Seventh cavalry, is suspended until further orders. First Lieutenant George H. Patten, Twenty-second infantry, will proceed to New York City and report to the superintendent of the recruiting service for assignment to duty at David's island. This detail is made with a view to a tour of duty for two years.

Alleges a Conspiracy, New York, Dec. 17.—Receiver Oakum of the Richmond Terminal company filed complaint against the members of the Georgia syndicate which in 1888 sold the controlling interest in the Georgia Central railroad to the Terminal company. Oakum declares that when the purchase was made the Georgia Central had no recognized market value, but that as a part of the conspiracy to make an immense profit for the syndicate the sale was effected at 855 per share. These charges of conspiracy are made against excharges of conspiracy are made against ex-President J. H. Inman. Directors Cathoun, Swan and Wormser, all members of the Georgia syndicate. The suit involves resti-tution estimated at \$8,660,600. Inman says he is ready to meet the accessations. Oakum promises further astonishing revelations.

Conscerated a Bishop.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 17. Rev. Lemvel H. Wells has been consecrated as bishop of the diocese of Spokane, in the state of Wash ington, in Trinity Protestant Episcopal church. There were nine Lishops and about fifty decaymen from this and other dioceses. Bishop Williams of Connecticut, who presided; Bishop Morris of Oregon, who delived the sermon of conservation; Bishop Paddock of the diocese of Olympia, Wash., Bishop Niles of New Hampshire, Bishop

Neely of Maine, Bishop Walker of North Dakota, Bishop Talbott of Wyoming, Bishop Brewer of Montana, Bishop Lyman of North Carolina. Bishop Wells was a student in Trinity college when the war broke out and resigned to go into the army as a second lieutenant in the Thirty-second Wisconsin GRINDING SLOWLY ALONG colunteer infantry.

NO GASOLINE LIGHTS

Sheriff Bennett Takes Charge of the Plant for the San Vapor Company. There was not a gasoline glim burning in the city last night. They were all in the hands of the sheriff, and he was not in the lighting business.

The cause of the trouble was all on ac-

count of the Metropolitan Street Lighting company having failed to pay its debts. Yesterday the Sun Vapor company atresterday the Sun Vapor company attached the entire plant and at once took possession, claiming that there was the sum of \$2,600 due on the purchase price. During the day John H. Erck jumped into the legal arena and levied an attachment upon all the lamps, posts, horses and equipments of the Metropolitan company, alleging in his petition that there was due from the defendant the sum of \$150. due from the defendant the sum of \$1.500 and that the debt grew out of the nonpayment of a promissory note which the officers

ment of a promissory note which the officers of the company had executed in order to raise money with which to purchase the plant from the Sun Vapor company. He also alleges that there is money in the possession of the Sun Vapor company and that it belongs to the Metropolitan company. In order to get hold of the money the Sun Vapor company is made a party to the suit.

CURRENCY QUESTIONS.

Massachusetts' Congressional Delegation Answer Questions. Boston, Mass., Dec. 17.-The Boston Commercial today will publish the result of cor respondence with members of the New England congressional delegation on the cur rency and its future. There is substantial rency and its future. There is substantial unanimity in favor of a substitution of more conservative legislation for the act of 1890. As to the future of currency there is great difference of opinion. There is general opposition to the revival of state bank circulation and the delegation, with a few exceptions, give assent to the extension of currency (contracted by the repeal of the Sherman act) by the amendment of the national banking laws, rather than through state banks. state banks.

CONTESTING EVERY POINT.

Wyoming's Gubernatorial Muddle Not Being

Rapidly Solved. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 17 .- [Special Tele gram to The Bee.]—The supreme court this morning overruled the motion to quash the alternative writ of mandamus issued in vacation by the chief justice. Judge Vandevanter, counsel for the responnents, then submitted two motions bearing on the case The first was a motion to strike out a part of the petition of the relators on the ground it had no bearing on the case, the other to re-quire the relators to make their pleadings

more definite. The latter motion was intended to compel the relators to recognize some one as gov-They had not done so and a canvass would be illegal unless done in the governor's presence. The desire was to get an opinion of the court as to who was governor. The

Indiana's Apportionment Unconstitutional. Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 17.-The Indiana upreme court today decided unconstitutional the apportionment act passed by the democratic legislature of two years ago under the provisions of which the legislature which will meet next month was chosen. The finding is that the apportionment laws of 1891, 1885, 1879 are all unconstitutional, but the court also finds that there is a de-facto legislature elected and qualified to enact a law which may take the place of the

Colored Populists Organize. TOPERA, Kan., Dec. 17 .- Twenty-five colored men of this state met here today to form a colored mens brotherhood of the people's party. They propose to have an organization in every county. This is part of the general plan of the populist organiza-

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