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Senate Decides that Indian Institutions Must Be Nonsectarian. STRONG MAJORITY VOTES THAT WAY. Machinists Want Government Work on War Ships—Effort to Keep Laplenders Out of Gold Fields.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—After some further discussion the senate today rejected the sectarian school amendment to the Indian appropriation bill offered by Jones of Arkansas, by a vote of 30 to 16. As has been the practice for two or three years, the free homes measure was offered as an amendment to the bill, but it was ruled out on the point of order that it was general legislation and therefore not germane to an appropriation bill.

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undoubted right to the claims they had located. Daniel opposed the amendment. Mr. Hansbrough said the Laplenders had located from 1,000 to 2,000 placer claims on the various creeks in the district. They were not American citizens. Later American citizens arrived in the district and, finding the richest claims located by "aliens," they re-located them. As American citizens they claimed only their rights. So far as he was personally concerned, Hansbrough said he had no interest in the claims, direct or indirect, contingent or remote.

Teller maintained that it made no difference whether the Laplenders were citizens of the United States or not. While the law was that only citizens of the United States could locate mining claims, the question of citizenship could be raised only by the United States, and it was well understood the United States would never raise it. The pending bill was laid aside without further debate.

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OPPOSITION TO ROOT'S BILL

Army Men Object to the Measure to Increase Efficiency of the Army. DOUBTFUL IF CONGRESS PASSES IT. Even the Influence of the Secretary of War is Not Considered Sufficiently Powerful to Carry It Through.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The determination of the republicans to effect adjournment of congress before the first and fifteenth of June will leave a number of important measures for settlement at the short session. Among the bills now pending is Secretary Root's measure to increase the efficiency of the army. Antagonism to the bill is not confined to the staff, but comes from the line and has grown with such force that there is grave doubt if the measure could command votes enough to secure its passage.

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Public Judge Lauben decided against the petitioners, the Credits Commutation company, which decision was sustained today. Supervising Architect Taylor has recommended that the appropriation for a public building at Aberdeen, S. D., be increased to \$150,000 from \$87,000 owing to the increased cost of building material.

Lawrence County Convention. DEADWOOD, S. D., April 9.—(Special.)—The Lawrence county republican convention will be held in this city April 28 and the primaries will occur on the 29th. A delegate-at-large will be elected, a delegate from each precinct and an additional delegate for each twenty-five votes or major portion cast for K. G. Phillips in 1898.

Infant Burned to Death. YANKTON, S. D., April 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The 2-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Will Harding of Wakonda was burned to death this morning. The child was left alone in a room with a lighted lamp for a visionary night and the parents returned the child's clothing was in flames and burned so severely before they could be extinguished that death shortly ensued.

WITH JACKSON WHEN HE FELL. Brother-in-law of "Stonewall" and a Former Confederate Soldier and Chaplain Dies. NEW YORK, April 9.—Rev. William F. Junkin of Manhattan, N. J., died today of pneumonia. He was born in Philadelphia 39 years ago, his father being Rev. Charles Junkin, a noted Presbyterian clergyman.

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UNIVERSITY LOSES GAME

Omaha League Players Too Swift for Lincoln Men. BAD WEATHER KEEPS MANY FANS AT HOME. Omaha Men Show Some Good Work and Are Particularly Strong at Bat. Winning by a Score of Nine to Five.

LINCOLN, April 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The Omaha league team defeated the state university base ball nine this afternoon on the university campus by a score of 9 to 6. The game was devoid of sensational features, the locals being clearly outclassed. Stiff gusts of wind continually blew east across the diamond and by seven o'clock the spectators were stopped for minutes at a time. The visitors showed themselves to be clever ball players. Their work at the bat was particularly superior. Hoy and Tomlin each made a couple of phenomenal stops and threw out the bases. The university team's batting average was a trying out for both nines. The weather kept many of the fans at home today, there being about 200 in attendance. The score:

Table with columns: OMAHA, UNIVERSITY, R, H, PO, A, E. Scores: OMAHA 9, UNIVERSITY 6.

Queen drives through city. Crowds of People Gather Along Route Followed Through Dublin Streets. DUBLIN, April 9.—Queen Victoria took her usual drive in the viceregal grounds today and paid her promised visit to the city this afternoon, leaving Phoenix park at about 4 o'clock. Large crowds of people witnessed her majesty's departure and the route followed was thronged.

United States as well as others comes within the rule. PARIS, April 9.—The French authorities have decided that all exhibits at the exposition are to be open to the public on Sundays and the United States exhibits are, naturally, within this regulation. These exhibits are under cover in buildings erected by the French government, over which the United States authorities have no control, therefore they must abide by the rules established. The United States pavilion is not within this category and the question of its being opened or closed on Sunday the French officials have left entirely to Commissioner Peck's desire. He will probably announce today or tomorrow his final decision in the matter.

BRITISH AFTER GOLD STOOL. Efforts to Obtain Golden Throne of Ashanti Taken to the Tilt to Fight. LONDON, April 9.—Official reports received from Sir Frederick Mitchell Hodgson, governor and commander-in-chief of the Gold Coast colony, show that the Ashanti uprising was due to efforts by the British to obtain possession of the "Golden Stool of Ashanti," the royal throne, which King Prempeh is charged with having seized at the time of his submission to the British expedition led by Sir Francis Scott. These efforts have been violently opposed by the Kumasi tribe with the result that two British constables have been dangerously wounded and one has been killed. A third is missing and twenty-one other casualties are reported. Most of the native chiefs, however, declare themselves loyal and refuse to join the Kumasi tribesmen. A governor hopes to secure a peaceful settlement. He has sent for two additional companies of troops.



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COURT MAY PLAY BURGLAR

Judge May Possibly Be Compelled to Order a Lawyer's Safe Blown Open. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., April 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The struggle for the McClellan estate has developed another sensational feature and it may be necessary for the sheriff to blow open the safe in the office of V. C. Cherry, the attorney in the case. Cherry is in Ireland on matters connected with the fight for the estate. Prior to his departure over two weeks ago he procured the documents from County Judge William T. O'Grady, and Grigby, attorneys for Arkansas and Texas claimants, announced their desire to have the documents in question for reference during their closing arguments in behalf of the county. Judge Judge Wilkes therefore issued an order this evening requiring these in charge of Cherry's law office to produce the documents in court at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. The papers, it is understood, cannot be found in the office and are believed to be locked in the safe. Cherry did not leave the combination. If the documents are not produced in court tomorrow morning it is the purpose of the attorneys to ask for an order requiring the sheriff to secure the papers, when it may be necessary to forcibly open the safe.

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DANISH ISLANDERS OBJECT

Demonstration by Native Population Shows Strong Feeling Against Transfer of Their Country. ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., April 9.—The king's birthday, Sunday, was unusually celebrated at St. Thomas and St. Cruz. There was an outburst of loyalty to Denmark and demonstrations against the sale of the islands. Among other features there were day and night processions, the people being accompanied by national colors and cheering the king. Telegrams were sent by the inhabitants to the colonial cabinet, wishing his majesty a long reign and expressing hope that the Danish flag would ever wave over the islands and that they would remain under his scepter. The feeling against the sale of the Danish West Indies is strong.

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