

### CLEAN BILL IS GIVEN LORIMER

Majority of the Committee Holds Senate Had No Right to Re-Open the Case.

SENATOR HELD NOT GUILTY If There Was Any Corruption, He Did Not Know It.

HINES IS ALSO EXONERATED Resolution Acquits Lumber Magnate of Wrongdoing.

MINORITY WILL MAKE REPORT Senators Kenyon, Kern and Lea Do Not Agree with Majority—Notable Debate is Expected on the Floor.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The committee action was sweeping. It not only adopted the "re judicata" resolution, prepared by Senator Jones of Washington, but also resolutions favoring the Lorimer contention.

The Jones resolution declared that the pending case had already been covered by the previous trial of Lorimer in the senate and that to again place the Illinois senator on trial would be in accord with the principle of "re judicata."

Another resolution adopted exonerated Edward Hines of Chicago, president of a large lumber company, of any wrong doing.

Senator is Innocent. A vote of five to nothing, the committee adopted a resolution declaring that if there was any corrupt dealing in connection with Lorimer's election, Senator Lorimer had no knowledge of it.

On the resolution declaring that Lorimer had no knowledge of any corrupt dealings, Senators Kenyon, Kern and Lea, who opposed Lorimer, refrained from voting.

Will Come up Next Week. It is expected that the case will be brought up in the senate next week. Twelve propositions were voted on before the committee adjourned.

### MISSOURI GERRYMANDER IS DECLARED ILLEGAL

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 28.—The Missouri supreme court today decided that the redistricting of the state into senatorial districts was not legal because Governor Hadley refused to issue a proclamation proclaiming the districts.

### MAJOR BUTT IS RECEIVED BY THE KING OF ITALY

ROME, March 28.—Major Archibald W. Butt, personal aide to President Taft, was received today by King Victor Emmanuel in private audience at the palace.

### The National Capital

Thursday, March 28, 1912. The Senate.

In session at 2 p. m. Griggs joint resolution creating commission to investigate foreign credit unions favorably reported by finance committee.

Met at noon. Resumed consideration of diplomatic and consular appropriation bill.

Dean Talbot Denies Charges Made by Miss Esther Mercy

CHICAGO, March 28.—Marion Talbot, dean of women at the University of Chicago, took the witness stand today in the hearing of the \$100,000 stand suit brought against her by Miss Esther Mercy, former student at the university.

Early in her testimony Dean Talbot said that before her interview with Miss Mercy she had heard nothing which would reflect on her virtue or morality.

Gov. Donaghey Fails to Secure Renomination

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 28.—Returns from yesterday's democratic primaries received today from the majority of the districts throughout Arkansas, indicate that Congressman Joe T. Robinson has defeated Governor George W. Donaghey, who was a candidate for reelection.

### Court Declines to Accept Bill Charging Brandt With Larceny

NEW YORK, March 28.—The grand jury investigating the case of Folke E. Brandt, the former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, handed up this afternoon a presentment in which it said that Brandt should have been indicted for grand larceny and not for burglary in the first degree.

### Lowell Strikers Attack Factory

LOWELL, Mass., March 28.—The first violence since the beginning of the strike of textile workers took place today when factory windows were broken by parading strikers.

### ARIZONA HOUSE PASSES RECALL AMENDMENT

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 28.—The bill submitting the judiciary recall amendment to the people at the next general election passed the lower house of the Arizona legislature today.

### WAGE BILL GOES TO ROYAL ASSENT

House of Lords Passes Measure for Minimum Pay to Miners Without Amendment.

ASQUITH APPEALS TO WORKERS Premier Asserts Grievances Are Removed by Legislation.

TALKS TO LIBERAL COMMONS Agitation Up to Present for Most Part Disinterested.

END SEEMS TO BE IN SIGHT Many of the Men Are Anxious to Return to Work—Government Arranges to Protect All Who Do So.

LONDON, March 28.—The House of Lords this afternoon passed the miners' minimum wage bill without amendment.

End of Strike Seems Near. The end of the coal strike which has so sorely affected the people of the United Kingdom during the last four weeks is believed to be at hand.

ANTHRACITE MEN WILL QUIT Operators Expect Men to Suspend Work Sunday.

Census of Catholics in U. S. Adherents of Church is Doubled Within Twenty Years.

### Find Seed Corn Poor Over Whole Country

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Because of the poor corn crop last year, the bureau of plant industry of the Department of Agriculture, has tested samples from all over the country and found a very low average of germination.

### Kansas Posse Hunts for an Insane Man

SALINA, Kan., March 28.—Sheriff Burke, heading a posse of a dozen men, started today in pursuit of an armed man believed to be insane, who yesterday and last night spread terror among the farmers of Greenwood county.

### FRED BEELL THROWS FRANK COLEMAN AT SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Wash., March 28.—Fred Beell of Wisconsin won his wrestling match with Frank Coleman of Omaha last night by superior strength.

### Illinois Legislature Will Pass Primary Bill on Saturday

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 28.—The house primary election committee voted today favorably to pass the bill, one of the bills which passed the senate.

### STUBBS ORDERS NAME OFF

LINCOLN, Neb., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Governor Stubbs of Kansas wired to Secretary of State Wait today asking that his name be taken off the primary ballot as a republican candidate for vice president.

### WAIT INSTRUCTS ON CANVASS

Tells County Clerks Over Nebraska that New Primary Act Does Not Specify Any Particular Date for Counting Votes.

Wait Changes Rules. Secretary of State Wait is sending out a supplemental certificate of nomination to county clerks.

### OPERATORS EXPECT MEN TO SUSPEND WORK SUNDAY

NEW YORK, March 28.—It was learned today from an authentic source that the anthracite coal operators are making no move to prevent a suspension of work in the anthracite fields and that they regard such a suspension at midnight on March 31 as inevitable.

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### STRAW SHOW SENTIMENT

A letter has been received at the Taft headquarters from Tekamah in which the writer speaks of making a poll of one of the business houses, in which eleven clerks are employed.

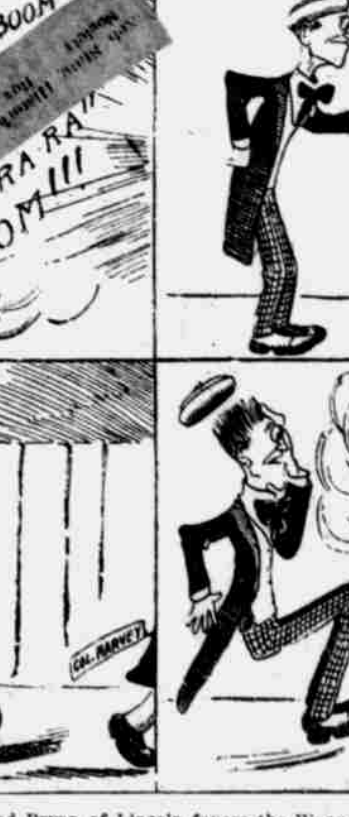
### ENDORSEMENT FOR BACHELOR

The Taft headquarters is sending out 5,000 postal cards containing the endorsement of N. J. Bacheider, former governor of New Hampshire and past grand master of the National Grange.

### MICHIGAN WILL VOTE ON SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT

LANSING, Mich., March 28.—The Michigan house this afternoon by a vote of 75 to 19 passed the bill providing for a vote at the fall election on a constitutional amendment granting woman suffrage in this state.

### Candidate with a Lot of Bad Luck



It is rumored that a man named Bryan of Lincoln favors the Woodrow Wilson candidacy.

### BLUNT INQUIRY ATTRACTS MANY

Effort to Be Made at Springfield to Fix Responsibility for Death of Young Farmer.

MANY WITNESSES SUMMONED Little City Rapidly Filling Up with Many Friends.

COUNTY OFFICIALS ATTEND James Blunt Engages Two Lawyers to Defend His Interests.

THREE SHERIFFS SUBPOENAED Chief of Police John Briggs and Deputy Tronton Will Go on Stand—Marshals Sworn in to Prevent Demonstration.

With fifty witnesses, including the sheriffs of three counties, the chiefs of police of two cities and a score of other persons of more than ordinary importance in the community, subpoenaed as witnesses at the inquest which will begin at 10 o'clock this morning over the body of Roy Blunt, victim of last week's battle between three escaped convicts and officers of the law, everybody in the little village of Springfield was on tip-toe last night awaiting the result of the deliberations of the jury.

### TROOPS GUARD ROCK ISLAND

Number of Men Arrested as Vagrants and Sent to Jail.

### SPECIAL GRAND JURY CALLED

Charges of Inciting Riot Which Have Been Made Against Thirty Men Will Be Investigated.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., March 28.—Judge Frank Ramsay of the Rock Island county court today ordered a special grand jury to take up charges of inciting riot which have been made against thirty individuals, among whom are a number of local politicians.

### KENTUCKY OIL STOCK SOARS WITH PROMISE OF BIG BONUS ON WAY

NEW YORK, March 28.—Another outgrowth of the recent dissolution of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey into thirty odd constituents was the rise today of shares of the Standard Oil of Kentucky to the unprecedented price of \$1,000 a share.

### CONVICTS' BRAINS EXAMINED

LINCOLN, March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—An examination of the brains of Gray and Dowd, the convicts who lost their lives after shooting the prison officials, shows that Dowd bears all the

### THE MAN WHO CONDUCTS HIS CHICKEN BUSINESS ON SOUND PRINCIPLES SUCCEEDS

The man who advertises wisely gets paying results. The Bee is used by the greatest number of men engaged in the poultry business because its readers are the kind that is able to purchase and that does purchase.

### HOW TWENTY CANNIBAL KINGS PROPOSED TO ME

Experience of an American Girl told in THE BEE Next Sunday

The Weather  
For Nebraska: Generally fair, not much change in temperature.  
For Iowa: Generally fair, except rain southeast portion.  
Comparative Local Record.  
1912. 1911. 1910. 1909.  
Highest yesterday... 54 36 32 20  
Lowest yesterday... 48 38 32 20  
Mean temperature... 44 38 32 20  
Precipitation... .00 T .00 T  
Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal:  
Normal temperature... 48  
Excess for the day... 2  
Total deficiency since March 1... 26  
Normal precipitation... 1.25  
Deficiency for the day... .26 inches  
Precipitation since March 1... 2.41 inches  
Excess since March 1... 1.16 inches  
Deficiency for cor. period, 1911... .50 inches  
Deficiency for cor. period, 1910... 1.29 inches  
Reports from Stations at P. M.  
Station and State Temp. High. Rain.  
Cheyenne, clear... 49 48 .00  
Denver, clear... 48 46 .00  
Des Moines, clear... 48 46 .00  
Hodge, clear... 48 46 .00  
Lander, clear... 48 46 .00  
North Platte, part cloudy... 48 46 .00  
Omaha, clear... 48 46 .00  
Pueblo, clear... 48 46 .00  
Rapid City, clear... 48 46 .00  
Salt Lake City, clear... 48 46 .00  
Santa Fe, part cloudy... 48 46 .00  
Sheridan, clear... 48 46 .00  
Sioux City, clear... 48 46 .00  
Valencia, clear... 48 46 .00  
T indicates trace of precipitation.  
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.