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TILLMAN

SNUBBED

Hansbrough Takes Exception to His Criticism of Judge Noyes.

Bill to Increase Judges' Sal- aries Passed by the Sen- ate.

HOUSE STILL DEBATING OLEOMARGARINE BILL

PROPOSED LEGISLATION WOULD
NOT PREVENT SALE AND USE
OF OLEO.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The senate to-
day passed the bill to increase the sal-
aries of certain judges 25 per cent.
Mr. Elkins offered an amendment pro-
viding that members of the cabinet be
given salaries of \$12,500 a year, but
it was laid on the table by a vote of
38 to 21.

The urgent deficiency bill was con-
sidered at some length. In connection
with the debate thereon, Hansbrough
excepted to the denunciation of Judge
Noyes of Alaska by Tillman yesterday
as one of a band of scoundrels and
thieves. He made a long statement in
vindication of Noyes. Tillman inter-
rupted with a declaration that either
the judge's circuit court in California
was a set of scoundrels or Noyes was
one. Hansbrough paid no attention to
Tillman's remarks.

Some unimportant amendments were
made to the bill. It went over.
Early in the session Hoar presented
a petition signed by prominent citizens
praying for a cessation of hostilities in
the Philippines and requested an in-
vestigation of alleged barbarities prac-
ticed in the islands by soldiers.

Daniel's Confirmation Withdrawn.

DANIELS C. W. C. A.
Washington, Feb. 4.—The senate in
executive session this afternoon un-
animously reconsidered the vote by which
Ben Daniel was confirmed as marshal
in Arizona and referred his nomination
to the judiciary committee for further
investigation.

Teller scored the judiciary committee
for recommending Daniel's confirmation
and accused the committee of great
laxity. Hoar objected to Teller's speak-
ing. He declared the committee had
twice investigated Daniel's record and
found nothing to unfit him for the
office. In regard to Daniels serving a
term for larceny Hoar said he heard of
that matter for the first time when
Teller told of it in today's executive
session.

In the House House.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The debate upon
the oleomargarine bill was resumed in
the house today immediately after
the reading of the journal. Mr. Thomp-
kins (N. Y.), the first speaker, sup-
ported the measure. He declared that
in his opinion enactment was to prevent
the practice of fraud upon the public.
The bill would not prevent the man-
ufacture and sale of oleomargarine as
such.

Mr. Robb (Mo.) also supported the
bill, while his colleague, Mr. Cowherd,
advocated the adoption of the substitute.

SCHLEY IN CHATTANOOGA

Chattanooga, Feb. 4.—No formal re-
ception or entertainment was accorded
Admiral Schley upon his arrival
here this afternoon at 2:50 o'clock. A
party of about thirty ladies and gentle-
men left on the 1:25 p. m. train and
met the admiral at Whiteside, Tenn.,
and came with them to the city. In the
party were Hon. J. E. Frazier and
wife, Mayor A. W. Chambliss and
wife, Hon. Newell Sanders and wife,
Mr. J. B. Pound and wife, Hon. R.
S. Sharp and wife, Dr. W. T. Hope
and wife, Judge M. M. Hope, Major
Charles R. Evans, Col. J. P. Fyfe, and

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others. They were joined by the com-
mittee from Knoxville.

The admiral traveled from Nashville
as the guest of President J. W. Thomas
of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St.
Louis railroad, in his private car.
The train was backed into the union
station and the admiral and party es-
corted to the Read house, where an
informal reception was held. A great
crowd gathered at the station to see
the visitor and hundreds formed in
line to shake his hand after they had
crossed the street and repaired to the
Read house parlors.

After a short reception the party took
trains and, escorted by the Chatta-
nooga cavalry troop, drove to Fort
Cameron and other points of interest
close by. They returned to the union
depot at 4 o'clock, where the Knoxville
committee took charge and escorted
him to the splendid private car pro-
vided by General Manager Gannon, of
the Southern railway. At 4 o'clock the
car was transferred to the Southern
railway, and at 4:10 the admiral and
his party left for Knoxville.

URGING CHARLES PRICE FOR U. S. SUPREME COURT

SENATOR PRITCHARD TO DRAW UP REPORT FOR NATION- AL PARK BILL.

Special to the Gazette.

Washington, Feb. 4.—A number of
southern republicans are backing
Charles Price for the vacancy on the
United States supreme court bench that
will soon be occasioned by the retire-
ment of Judge Shiras.

Gifford Pinchot and State geologist
Holmes today called on several sen-
ators regarding the Appalachian park.
Senator Pritchard will next week draw
up a favorable report for the commit-
tee, which all members of the commit-
tee have agreed to sign.

FIVE MINERS FOUND ALIVE IN HONDO MINE

Sabinas, Mex., Feb. 4.—The number
of known victims by the Hondo mine
explosion is now 116. Today five min-
ers were found alive in a remote part
of the mine. Their condition was pit-
iable.

MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT WILL BE GUEST OF THE REIDS

Washington, Feb. 4.—It is practically
decided that Miss Alice Roosevelt will
accept the invitation of Whitelaw Reid
to be his guest in London during the
coronation ceremonies. It is said that
the president intends to insist that she
shall go merely as the guest of the
Reids and not to be regarded in any
way as representing the president.

EMPLOYEES AND WAGES IN NORTH CAROLINA MILLS

Raleigh, Feb. 4.—The statistics of the
year ending June 30, 1901, compiled by
the commissioner of labor and printing,
show:

The 276 mills operate 1,680,483 spin-
dles, 56,052 looms and 3905 machines,
using 75,132 horse-power.
Average wages per day: Engineers,
\$1.58; firemen, 88c. Highest average
wages per day of men, \$2.18; women,
\$1.06. Lowest average wages per day:
Men, 35c; women 28c. Average wages
of children, 27c.

Total number of employees, 44,544, of
which 18,171 are men, 18,377 women, and
7896 children boys are 4139 girls.

The number of hours worked per day
varies from ten (in some of the knitting
mills) to twelve and a half. Eighty-
one per cent of adults and 62 per cent
of the children read and write.

There are 9 new mills in course of
construction or completed since June
30, 1901, making total number of mills
285.

EVIDENCES OF A WRECK ON LONG ISLAND COAST

New York, Feb. 4.—The ocean tug
Richmond left this port Sunday towing
the coal laden barges Antelope, Belle
of Oregon and Mystic ell. The tug
put into Newport and reported during
the storm Sunday night that the barges
broke away. Wrecks of two barges
have come ashore between Quogue and
Belle port, L. I., also two bodies, one
of which is identified as that of Capt-
Miller of the Antelope. It is believed all
three barges went to pieces. Each had
a crew of four, and Miller's wife accom-
panied him.

FEARS THAT TWO GIRLS PERISHED AT WATERBURY

Waterbury, Feb. 4.—As a result of
the recent conflagration here it is stated
that two German servant girls are
missing. It is feared they perished in
the flames.

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TAFT EULOGIZES WORK OF ARMY

Describes System of Terror- ism Exercised by Insur- gent Leaders

Declares That No War Was Ever Conducted More Hu- manely

SUPPOSED REASONS FOR BELL'S ORDERS

CONDITIONS IN BATANGAS PROV- INCE DUE TO LACK OF MILI- TARY ENERGY — AGUINALDO AND LUNA.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Governor Taft
renewed his narrative on the Philip-
pines situation today. He described
the system of terrorism exercised by
the insurgent leaders in their guerilla
campaign. He eulogized the army and
said: "The activity as well as the
ability with which the guerilla bands
are chased is a great surprise to the
Filipinos who are getting tired of the
guerilla warfare."

While speaking of the murder and
mutilation of American soldiers Taft
was asked by Senator Culberson
whether he ever heard of mutilations
of Filipinos by American soldiers. Taft
said he had not. He had heard of
charges of whipping Filipinos and the
torture known as the water cure. Con-
tinuing he said that while cruelties
have been inflicted, that people have
been shot when they ought not to have
been, and that there have been cases
of the infliction of the water cure tor-
ture yet he declared there never was
a war conducted more humanely.

Culberson—Do you make that state-
ment after reading Bell's order?
Taft—That order has been published
since I left the Philippines. I have
talked with Bell about reconcentration
in the province of Batangas. The con-
ditions in that province were produced,
I think, by lack of energy and military
activity.

Governor Taft recalled the fact that
as soon as General Otis received rein-
forcements sufficient for his purpose,
the Filipino insurgent army had broken
up and scattered into guerilla bands.
On this point Aguinaldo and Luna dif-
fered. So sharp was this difference,
he said, that Aguinaldo directed and
secured the assassination of Luna, thus
leaving the way open for the carrying
out of his own plans.

Senator Quay Ill.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Senator Quay
was taken sick in the senate yesterday.
He probably will be confined at home
for several days.

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Five room house Central avenue,
\$40.00.
Ten room house Central avenue,
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Eight room house Church street,
\$60.00.
Five room house West, Chestnut,
\$37.50.
Six room house Charlotte street,
\$35.00.
Nine room house Cumberland avenue,
\$60.00.
Eleven room house Cumberland avenue,
\$50.00.
Ten room house Chestnut street,
\$100.00.
Eight room house Cumberland avenue,
\$50.00.
Eight room house Cumberland avenue,
\$55.00.
Seven room house Charlotte street,
\$50.00.
Twelve room house Sunset Drive,
\$40.00.
Ten room house French Broad avenue,
\$65.00.
Nine room house Flat Rock, N. C.,
\$42.00.
Eighteen room house Haywood
street, \$80.00.
Ten room house Haywood street,
\$75.00.
Ten room house Montford avenue,
\$75.00.
Eight room house Montford avenue,
\$40.00.
Fourteen room house Merrimon ave-
nue, \$150.
Seven room house Montford avenue,
\$50.00.
Eleven room house South Main street,
\$65.00.
Five room cottage Pine street, \$20.00.
Eight room house Pearson Drive,
\$55.00.
Eleven room house Starnes avenue,
\$80.00.
Nineteen room house Spruce street,
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BURNING BUILDING FELL; FIREMEN BURIED IN RUINS

Nine Men of the St. Louis Fire Department, Including Assistant Chief Thiery, are Underneath the Mass of Ruins.

St. Louis, Feb. 4.—Fire broke out this evening in the five story building
occupied by the American Tent and Awning company in Chestnut
street. The firemen had the fire partly controlled when the entire building
collapsed, crumbling away from the first story. There were twelve firemen
at work on the various floors of the building at the time. Two were taken
out seriously injured. It is believed that Assistant Fire Chief Thiery and
nine firemen are in the ruins, some if not all killed.
The firemen are making every effort to remove the mass of debris from
their comrades. The loss is \$100,000.

ENGLAND WON'T ACCEPT FOREIGN INTERVENTION

WILL NEGOTIATE ONLY WITH THE BOERS IN THE FIELD.

London, Feb. 4.—The British govern-
ment has replied to M. Schuyper, the
Dutch premier, that if the Boers in
the field desire to negotiate for peace,
negotiations can be entered into, but
only in South Africa. The British gov-
ernment adheres to its intention not
to accept the intervention of any for-
eign power.

The text of the reply of Lord Lans-
downe is as follows:

"Sir: You were good enough to lay
before me January 25 a communica-
tion from the Netherlands government
in which it was proposed that with
the object of bringing the war to an end,
his majesty's government might grant
safe conduct to Boer delegates now in
Holland, for the purpose of enabling
them to confer with the Boer leaders
in South Africa. The British govern-
ment adheres to its intention not to
accept the intervention of any for-
eign power.

"Should the Boer delegates them-
selves desire to lay the request for safe
conduct before his majesty's govern-
ment there is no reason why they
should not do so. I say, therefore, it is
not at present clear to his majesty's
government that the delegates will re-
tain any influence over the representa-
tives of South Africa or have any voice
in their councils."

London, Feb. 4.—It is now said that
the retirement of Lord Salisbury from
office will be coincident with the end
of the Boer war. The St. James Gazette
today claims to have the highest au-
thority for saying: "The premier has
fixed restoration of peace in South Af-
rica as the appropriate moment to re-
sign office. If the war is ended, Lord
Salisbury will retire at the conclusion
of the present parliamentary session,
but it is his present intention to retain
his post until peace is accomplished."

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RESULT OF ELECTION IN THE PHILIPPINES

IN SOME PLACES FILIPINOS SUC- CEED AMERICANS—TAR- IFF APPEAL.

Manila, Feb. 4.—The Philippines
commission held a hearing today on the
proposed application to congress in re-
lation to the duties on products from the
Philippines. The commission decided
to recommend a reduction of 75 per
cent, sugar and tobacco growers urging
such a reduction.

The returns from the elections in ten
provinces yesterday show satisfactory
majorities for the governors originally
appointed by the Philippines commis-
sion. In several places, however, Fili-
pinos were elected to succeed Ameri-
cans.

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