

COPPER MINE BOSS DENIES \$100,000 PAY

MacNaughton Loses His Temper When Pressed for Answer at Inquiry.

IS SCORED BY LAWYER

Committee Expects to Get Information From Company Books.

Houghton, Mich., March 4.—"It's not \$100,000, and otherwise it's none of your affair," said James MacNaughton...

"Privately, no," he replied. Chairman Taylor said he supposed the committee would be able to ascertain the amount received by MacNaughton from the company's books...

President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners will be witness before the congressional committee in Chicago next week on the subject of his deportation from the copper country.

McDonald Opposes Loan. Peoria, Ill., March 4.—There were many heated arguments today at the annual convention of the Twelfth district of the United Mine Workers over a resolution to submit to a referendum vote the proposition loan to the international committee \$150,000 for carrying on the strike in Colorado.

GILL REELECTED SEATTLE'S CHIEF

Once Recalled, Then Defeated, He Comes Back With a Tremendous Majority.

Seattle, Wash., March 4.—Hiram C. Gill, elected mayor of Seattle in 1910, recalled in 1911, after the women of Washington had been enfranchised, and defeated in 1912, was elected mayor of Seattle yesterday by the great majority of 14,990.

MOORE QUITS AS AN AID TO BRYAN

Washington, D. C., March 4.—John Bassett Moore, councillor of the state department, ranking as acting secretary, resigned today and the resignation was accepted by the president.

FOURTEEN HURTIN A FREIGHT WRECK

Port Jarvis, N. Y., March 4.—Fourteen persons were seriously injured and property worth \$100,000 destroyed by a freight wreck on the Ontario & Western railroad today.

WOOD TO COMMAND IF A MEXICAN WAR COMES



Major General Leonard Wood.

Washington, March 4.—Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, will lead the American troops into Mexico in case of intervention.

This was decided at a secret conference at the war department. Gen. Wood is slated to take command of the first division of the army next spring. In case of trouble with Mexico in the meantime, he would be given charge of this division at once.

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ROME INVADDED BY STARVED WOLVES

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Rome, Italy, March 4.—Hordes of starving wolves driven from the Apennine mountains by heavy snows descended today in the valleys of Abruzzi province, in the vicinity of Rome, devouring hundreds of sheep. The wolves afterward took refuge in caverns 25 miles north of Rome, where, according to latest reports, armed peasants killed a large number.

NEW MUSCATINE CITY OFFICERS DEMOCRATS

Muscatine, Iowa, March 4.—The new city administration will be democratic the party having elected all except one candidate Monday. The socialists' candidate for alderman in the Fourth ward pulled through. Harry Kern was chosen mayor. The campaign was one of the cleanest in the city's history.

Table listing names and ward numbers: Kern, mayor 545; Hodman, treasurer 722; Vannatta, assessor 723; Kopp, police judge 186; Rowan, first ward 311; Sullivan, first ward 108; Heard, second ward 5; Bowen, third ward 59; Taylor, fourth ward (Soc.) 41.

CALLS ELLIS VILE COWARD BEFORE JURY

Prosecutor's Words Cause Defendant to Sway From His Chair.

HELD 'DAMAGED GOODS'

Cauldwell, Alleged Man in Case, Attacked for Refusal to Testify.

Chicago, Ill., March 4.—A vile coward who killed his wife and made his children motherless, then attempted to blacken her character to save his worthless life, were the words uttered by Prosecutor Malato in opening his argument to the jury trying William Ellis, charged with the murder of his wife. Ellis swayed in his chair and had to be supported.

"If he receives the death penalty," Malato continued, "he will have a chance to make his peace with the Almighty." He gave his wife none. The prosecutor attacked unsparringly both Ellis and Fred Cauldwell of Brantford, Ontario, alleged by Ellis to be the "man in the case."

Des Moines, March 4.—Edward Crook, charged with the killing of his friend, Charles Driscoll, when the latter was discovered in the company of Mrs. Driscoll, was found guilty of murder in the first degree and given a life sentence.

GEORGE IMMORAL JUDGES' VERDICT

Head of Junior Republic Is Censured in Written Report Given to Public.

New York, March 4.—That the actions of William R. George, founder and former head of the George Junior Republic, toward girl citizens in his charge, had been "deliberate and in highest degree improper" is the declaration of the formal report made public today by the three judges who passed on the accusations.

ALARM CLOCKS TO DEFEAT ROBBERS

St. Louis, Mo., March 4.—While William Koetter, clerk in a jewelry store, was placing a tray containing \$15,000 worth of diamonds in a window three men armed with revolver, knife and brass knuckles, attempted to rob the place.

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