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WILLIAM McKINLEY TAKES THE OATH FOR HIS SECOND TERM

Roosevelt Also Sworn in as Vice President--Imposing Ceremonies--McKinley's Inaugural Address--Outlines Plans for Future of Philippines.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—William McKinley, of Ohio, today, for the second time in his career, took the oath as president of the United States. Not since the time when the Republic endorsed the war president, Grant, has a chief magistrate succeeded himself until the present time. Nor has there ever been before such an imposing inaugural procession, so much enthusiasm displayed, or so many spectators.

Pennsylvania avenue, between the treasury building and the capitol was a kaleidoscopic mass of color. In addition to the dozen or more public reviewing stands, there were hundreds of private structures in front of stores and other buildings.

Senators Hanna, Spooner, Jones of Arkansas, and Representatives Cannon, Dalzell and McRae, composed the joint congressional committee on arrangements which called at the White House for the president at 10 o'clock. After receiving their congratulations, the president stepped out of the front door, raising his hat in recognition of the cheers that went up, and entered the waiting carriage, Mark Hanna following.

March to Capitol.

Then the march to the capitol began.

Ten minutes after the doors of the senate had been opened, the galleries were filled, the throng overflowing into the corridors. The buzz of conversation ceased as an official announced the appearance of the nation's guests, ambassadors and ministers of foreign countries, who filed in, attired in glittering court costumes, silken gowned solemn justice of the supreme court; governors of states and members of the house, heads of executive departments and chief officers of the army and navy. They were all seated when the president and Theodore Roosevelt entered, escorted by the joint committee. The president seated himself directly in front of the

Roosevelt Sworn In.

presiding officer's desk, while Roosevelt stepped to the rostrum, and received the oath of office from president pro tem. Frye, who immediately declared the senate of the fifty-sixth congress adjourned sine die.

Assuming the chair and gavel, the new vice president announced that the senate of the fifty-seventh congress was convened in extraordinary session.

After prayer by the blind chaplain, Roosevelt delivered his inaugural address, which was very brief. He said "Great privileges and powers are ours, and heavy are the responsibilities that go with these privileges and powers. As we do well or ill, so shall mankind in future be raised or cast down. We belong to a young nation, already of giant strength, yet whose present strength is but a forecast of the power that is to come.

A Proud Position.

We stand supreme in a continent in a hemisphere, and as we gaze into coming years, duties new and old rise thick and fast to confront us from within and without. Most deeply do I appreciate the privilege of my position. For high, indeed, is the honor of presiding over the American senate at the outset of the Twentieth century."

In conclusion after the address, new members of the senate were sworn in by the vice president.

Led by Sergeant-at-Arms Ransdell the distinguished audience then filed out to a platform erected on the east front of the capitol. Then President McKinley took the seat reserved for him beneath the canopy.

Quiet having been obtained, Chief Justice Fuller stepped forward. While the sea of faces gazed in eagerness the president, with uplifted hand, repeated the oath and pressed his lips to the Bible.

McKinley's Address.

The chief executive then read his inaugural address. He began by saying that now, contrary to the situation of four years ago, no anxiety exists regarding our currency and credit.

"I have the satisfaction to announce," said he, "that the congress just closed has reduced taxation in the sum of 41 million dollars."

The Philippines.

"As to the Philippines," he said, "congress having added the sanction of its authority to the powers already exercised by the executive under the constitution, thereby leaving with the executive the responsibility of government in the Philippines, I shall continue my efforts already begun, until order shall be restored, and as fast as conditions permit, I will establish a local government, in the formation of which the full cooperation of the people has already been invited. When it is established, I will encourage the people to administer the laws. Already something has been done in this direction.

"The most liberal terms of amnesty have already been communicated to the insurgents, and the way is still open for those who have raised arms against the government for honorable submission to its authority. Our countrymen should not be deceived, we are not waging war against the inhabitants of the islands. A portion of them are making war against the United States. Force will not be needed, or used, when those who make war against us shall make it no more. May it all end without further bloodshed."

He compared the depression in industries four years ago to the present activity and declared that the national verdict of 1896 has for the most part been executed. Whatever remains unfulfilled is the continuing obligation resting with undiminished force upon the executive and upon congress.

Briefly referring to the Spanish war and its results, the president said that it was signally favorable to American arms and in the highest degree honorable to the government. "It imposed obligations from which we cannot escape. We are now at peace with the world and it is my fervent prayer if differences arise between us and other powers that the same will be settled by arbitration.

"Entrusted by the people for a second time with the office of president, I shall enter upon its administration appreciating my great responsibilities. I should shrink from the duties this day assumed if I did not feel that in their performance I should have the co-operation of wise and patriotic men of all parties. We are united. Sectionalism has disappeared.

Great Applause.

The enthusiasm was tremendous as the last words of the president died away.

The president and presidential party then adjourned to the capitol, where luncheon was served while the troops and civic bodies formed for the inaugural parade. There were in line over 42,000 men.

On reaching the White House grounds, the president ascended the stand and watched the organizations go by.

This evening the throngs will view more marching, the fireworks and will attend the inaugural ball in the pension building.

Conscience Troubled.

CHICAGO, March 4.—After two years the conscience of a young woman now living in Maine, drove her to write a letter to Station Agent Laing, of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, in Evanston, confessing that she had ridden on the line twice without paying her fare, and tendering five two-cent stamps in payment.

Mr. Laing refused to make public the name of the young woman.

"I write to confess my guilt of having ridden on your line without paying my fare," she writes; "I at once felt that I had done wrong, and repented and know that God forgave me. But at that time I did not feel the necessity of making it right with the railroad.

"I now ask your forgiveness and send 10 cents in stamps, which I believe will pay the car fare in these two instances.

POLICE NOTES.

Two clarionets, valued at $50, were stolen out of the store of James Tracey at 406 Main street, last night.

A thief entered a clothing store at 903 First avenue last night and stole an overcoat.

A quantity of razors, valued at $50 were stolen out of the store of J. Ringer at 1113 Western avenue last night.

W. M. Lewis, an undertaker of Canyon City, Col., has asked Chief Meredith to locate Arthur Richardson. Lewis states in his letter that on the morning of February 28 a man by the name of J. E. Estabrook died and in a memorandum book was found a note which read that in case of death notify Arthur Richardson, Seattle, Wash.

WHITE MESSIAH.

WHITE ROCKS, Utah, March 4.—The Indians of the White Rock agency are becoming greatly excited over a new white Messiah, who, they think will perform many miracles and give them back their old hunting grounds.

This "Messiah" is Harry Sullivan. When the time appears to be ripe, the Indians are to send for their Messiah, then rise in a body and make their demands.

She Drank Poison.

BUDAPEST, March 4.—Pesti Hirlap (newspaper), asserts Sibyl Sanderson (Mrs. Antonio Terry), former operatic singer, a native of California, drank poison at her lodgings and was taken to the hospital. Her condition is not considered critical.

Had a Narrow Escape.

BUFFALO, March 4.—Thirty men, fishing from an ice field off Silver creek yesterday, were carried into the lake by a sudden gale which parted the ice. Help was procured from Dunkirk and Buffalo, and by midnight all were rescued though some were in an unconscious condition. It is feared that a few isolated persons have been lost.

Won't Use Trust Tobacco.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., March 4.—An anti-trust meeting was held in this city yesterday. It was called by Harry M. Chapman, a local tobacco jobber, who had been refused goods by the Continental Tobacco company, because he would not handle their goods exclusively. The city hall was crowded.

A non-trust club, numbering 500 smokers, was organized, pledged not to use trust tobacco.

CHICAGO, March 4.—The Chicago Federation of Labor yesterday adopted resolutions denouncing Rear Admiral Sampson's recent letter, in which he opposed Gunner Morgan's application for promotion on the ground that men who worked up from the ranks did not have enough social polish to be officers. The resolutions refer to Sampson's action as "a cruel and outrageous insult," and scored the rear admiral as an un-American snob.

The Alaska Steamship Co.'s Dolphin arrived from Skagway this morning, after a very pleasant trip. She reports having passed the Excelsior and that the latter will arrive some time tonight.

SKAGWAY, March 1.—The three steamers which the W. P. & Y. recently purchased from the C. P. R., which are at present at Wrangel, are to be towed to Skagway and hauled up on the flats, where they will be dismantled and loaded on the cars, to be transported to White Horse.

The work will require several weeks' time and will give employment to a number of skilled mechanics and laborers.

SKAGWAY, March 1.—The Pacific Steam Whaling Co. is setting up a sawmill at Hunter's bay, Prince of Wales island, the machinery for which is on the ground, with a view of cutting the lumber for and preparing all the cases for its own salmon pack, not only for that of the cannery at Hunter's bay, but for those to the westward as well.

PEKIN, March 4.—The American troops are actively preparing to leave, with the exception of two companies, who will be left as legation guards. The British are to spend the summer near the coast, gradually withdrawing to India. The Germans will remain indefinitely.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—All efforts to locate the wreck of the Rio de Janeiro by divers are futile. The bodies have not yet risen to the surface.

KING EDWARD IS GOING IN FOR POMP AND SPLENDOR

WINDSOR CASTLE IS TO BE ALTERED AND PRINCE ALBERT'S ROOMS OPENED.

WINDSOR, Eng., March 4.—Court officials say King Edward is determined to have as splendid a reign as the accessories of pomp and luxury can make it.

Queen Victoria continued the comparative simplicity of the period of 1850, but the king is already setting a new standard of luxury and magnificence. It is announced in this connection that Windsor castle is to be extensively altered and improved.

Meanwhile the king will reside at Frogmore house, which is already being beautifully fitted up. The rooms of King Edward's father, Prince Albert, which have been closed since his death, have been reopened. Buckingham palace will also be extensively improved.

Plenty of money will be needed to carry out the splendid program mapped out by King Edward. Through the newspapers and other channels public opinion is being sedulously worked in favor of a largely increased royal allowance.

TROOPS TO LEAVE CHINA

PEKIN, March 4.—Signs of the approaching departure of the foreign troops are evident. The Americans have packed all supplies except enough for two companies. The goods are destined for Manila. The British have planned to spend the summer in the Pei Ho valley, leaving a small guard in Pekin and along the railway. The French will leave a brigade of infantry on guard, and will keep a permanent station at Hankow. The Germans have done nothing but try to sell their horses and camels. Socially, there are two rings within the ranks of the allied officers. The Americans, British and Germans are very friendly. The Russians, Austrians and French club together. The Japanese are drawn more to the Americans than the others.

LONDON, March 4.—Marshal von Waldersee has not abandoned the plan of an expedition if necessary. It is asserted that China will sign the convention with Russia, though the other powers are indignant.

ANNIVERSARY.

The Clerks' Union Will Celebrate With a Grand Ball.

The first anniversary ball of the Clerks' Union will be held at Ranke hall on Pike street next Thursday evening instead of at G. A. R. hall as advertised. The demand for tickets became so heavy that the committee of arrangements became convinced that the latter place would not accommodate the throng.

A year ago it was noised about that a movement was on foot in the city to close the stores on all secular days at 6 p. m., and to keep them closed on Sundays. The various unions received an invitation to participate in a torchlight parade on March 5, to celebrate the inauguration of the reform, and as will be remembered on that date the biggest parade ever seen in Seattle was held and the clerks carried their early closing plan. This anniversary ball is held to celebrate the union's success a year ago.

Supreme Court Plums.

In anticipation of the passage by the present legislature of a bill increasing the membership of the supreme bench by two, friends of ex-Judge Richard Winsor, of this city, will urge upon Gov. Rogers the advisability of his appointment to fill one of the newly-created places. A delegation to labor in his behalf will go to Olympia tomorrow. Those on the inside, while looking wise, claim that if Seattle gets one of the prizes, Wm. H. White will capture it and the other appointment will go to ex-Judge M. M. Godman, of Columbia county, who nominated Gov. Rogers last summer and to whom the latter feels more than grateful.

The hearing of the motion to remand the quo warranto proceedings in the case of the state of Washington vs. The Seattle Gas Co. came up in the federal court this morning. The gas company asked for an extension of time, which was granted. The hearing of the motion will come up next Monday, March 11. At that time the question of whether Judge Handford or the superior court has jurisdiction over the case, will be argued.

CITY HALL.

The civil service commission will hold a meeting tonight to resume the work of making arrangements for the examinations for promotion in the service.

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Saturday an order for 50 railway laborers was received by the free employment bureau. Within three-quarters of an hour the order was filled.

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J. E. Valentine, of the city engineer's office, has been confined to his home by inflammatory rheumatism, returned to work today.

STREET CAR MEN FIGHT

A Mix-Up Over a Matter of Putting on the Brakes.

C. E. Somerville, a motorman, arrested Saturday evening by Patrolman Deigh on a charge of assaulting J. B. Graber, was discharged by Police Judge George this morning. Graeber, who is a conductor, was employed on the same Cedar street car with Somerville. The latter claimed that Graeber purposely applied the brakes as the car was going up the Virginia street hill after leaving First avenue, and as a result the car slipped back to First avenue. Somerville met Graeber on First avenue near Pike street. The result was that Somerville slapped Graeber. It appeared that Graeber was in the wrong and Judge George discharged Somerville.

A Saloon Fight.

F. Ferrand was arrested last night by Police Clerk Easson for assaulting D. S. Freeman. The fight occurred in the Oak Leaf saloon on Third avenue.

Infant Son Dead.

Eddie Bowden, the 3-year-old son of Edward and Ella Bowden, died February 27, from pneumonia.

DEWET HAS ESCAPED

LONDON, March 4.—Dewet and his 1,500 Boer followers escaped across Orange river at Lillefontein by swimming their horses. They lost heavily in men and stores during the Cape Colony raid, but succeeded in greatly worrying the British. Kitchener's lieutenants are still hunting everywhere for the wily Boer general. They have gone on beyond Orange river in the pursuit.

STOLE THE CHILD.

Chief of Police Meredith is in receipt of a letter today from Mrs. Ella McGarney, a resident of Livingston, Mont. She states that about 11 years ago a man kidnaped her daughter, Gursie Palmer, who was then but 4 years of age. The woman claims that the man who has her child resides in Seattle. She says he goes by the name of C. H. Ketchem.

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AT 79c A YARD—
Choice of our new Foulard Silks; not a poor pattern in the lot; ought to sell for $1.00; only 79c.

AT 7½c A YARD—
50 pieces of this season's Dress Ginghams, corded effects in stripes and checks; the 10c kind; only 7½c.

AT 12½c EACH—
18x36; warranted all pure Linen double thread Huck Towels; see them; were 18c; only 12½c.

AT 69c A PAIR—
10-4 Gray Blankets, fine and fleecy, while they last, the $1 quality, only 69c a pair.

AT 25c EACH—
Men's Fancy Silk and Lawn Bosom Shirts; unusual value; sizes, 15c, 15½, 16, 16½; were 75c and $1.00; only 25c.

AT 37½c PAIR—
Women's Extra Quality of Fancy Lisle and Cotton Hose in plaids and stripes, lace and drop stitch effects; worth 50c, 75c and $1.00; only 37½c pair.

AT 43c EACH—
Women's Heavy Fleeced Gray Vests and Pants; an all season garment; sold all season at 75c; while they last, 43c each.

AT $1.29 EACH—
Men's Medicated Scarlet Wool Shirts and Drawers; a good value at $1.75; only $1.29 each.

AT 3c EACH—
A large collection of 100-page Books; good reading; nearly all well known authors; worth 10c; only 3c each.

AT 17c EACH—
50 different titles, cloth-covered Books; clear type, and good paper; trust price 40c; only 17c each.

AT 59c EACH—
New Shirt Waists; we offer choice of our 85c value to open the season; they will please you; only 59c.

AT 79c EACH—
A stylish Shirt Waist; made of Sea Island Percales, and worth $1.00; only 79c.

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Our Winter Jackets, Dress Skirts and Waists are marked at prices that will surprise you; every garment marked below cost; genuine bargains if we have your size.

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PORT CRESCENT, March 4.—Orrie Clayton, while making a coupling today, was instantly killed.

SEVEN HOURS IN THE BATH

Attorney's Clothes Attached While He Was Bathing.

ST. LOUIS, March 4.—While Attorney Dunbar Hunt, jr., was taking a Turkish bath at the Planters' hotel yesterday, Constable Ellison, of Justice Spaulding's court, served attachment papers on him for a furnishing goods bill from the F. A. Steer Furnishing Goods Co.

The constable attached Mr. Hunt's wearing apparel. This was at 10 o'clock in the morning. For seven hours, or until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, Mr. Hunt was compelled to remain in the bath. He had not the money with him to settle the account, $30.90. The constable had his clothes, and the weather was too cold for him to venture out in his pajamas, to say nothing of the appearance of the thing. At 5 o'clock a friend came to his relief and paid the score. Constable Ellison released the clothes and Mr. Hunt left the bath.

Mr. Hunt has offices in the Union Trust building. It became known at Steers' that he was to leave St. Louis and make his home in New York. The attachment proceedings followed.

At 10 o'clock Constable Ellison called up Steers.

"I have located my man," he said. "He is in a Turkish bath."

"That is the opportunity of a lifetime," was the reply. "Attach his clothes."

The constable followed orders. Mr. Hunt was indignant. He threatened. Then he pleaded to be allowed to wear his clothing, on a promise to pay at once. The constable insisted on the money first. The proprietor of the bath sent word to a friend of Hunt's. This friend, it was said at Steers', appeared at the store and offered to compromise for $15. The full amount was demanded.

CAPETOWN, March 4.—Seventeen fresh plague cases are reported here.

WILL PASS OVER VETO

Olympia Legislator's Program on Apportionment Bill.

OLYMPIA, March 4.—The governor today vetoed the re-apportionment bill. The senate made it a special order at 3:30 this afternoon, and it will be passed over the governor's head by a strict party vote. The Republican caucus in both houses have agreed to this and they have votes enough to do it.

The bill allowing two deputy fish commissioners at a salary of $1000 each, passed both houses.

The bill restoring the old blanket ballot law passed the senate.

Gov. Rogers has announced the appointment of I. P. Collison, editor of the Chehalis Advocate, as librarian to succeed Herbert Bashford, of Tacoma. Collison is secretary of the Populist state committee.

OLYMPIA, March 4.—Thursday, March 14, will be the last day of the present legislature. No more bills will be introduced after today, if the present rules are followed.

It is estimated that the senate will appropriate about $2,500,000 during this session. It is generally understood that the amounts appropriated will be materially slashed this morning.

The bill, by Senator Land, of King, which aims to establish a school of mines at the state university, is the subject of much criticism from Eastern Washington legislators. The Eastern Washington people want the school of mines at the Washington Agricultural college at Pullman. They do not object to the State university teaching engineering. Seving. Several years ago the regents of the State university started a mining course. While the Pullman people thought their rights were being infringed upon, they did not object.

The State university does not want the name of the Agricultural college changed to the State College of Agricultural, Mechanical Arts and Mining, if changed at all, it wants the word mining changed to "science." The Agricultural college has no mining district tributary to it. The school of mines at the university is older. There are more mining students at the University than at the Agricultural college.

For these reasons the university supporters hold that a school of mines should be established at the State university, and not at the Washington Agricultural college.

WINDSOR, Vt., March 4.—The funeral of Wm. M. Evarts took place here yesterday. The body was brought from New York in a special car, accompanied by Mrs. Evarts and other relatives. A brief service for the family was held at the old mansion in the morning. At noon Dr. Goddard conducted public services at St. Paul's church. The pall bearers were former employes at Mr. Evarts' farm.

M'GROARTY TRYING TO HELP THE SOLID SEVEN

He Is Now Employed in Youngstown, Ohio, at Work by Which Sunset Blake and Others Can Fulfill Their Contracts.

John S. McGroarty has added another chapter to the queer story of the Seattle telephone war. He is now in Youngstown, O., endeavoring to persuade the capitalists interested in the Seattle Automatic Telephone Co. to give up their plans. Mr. McGroarty is pleading with them not to lose their money by putting in a competing telephone system.

Rumors of Mr. McGroarty's activity in the East reached the Star more than a week ago, and confirmation has come in the shape of a telegram to President Seeley, of the Automatic company. It is from A. E. Adams, treasurer of the local Automatic company, and also treasurer of the Dollar Savings & Trust Co., of Youngstown. It read:

"McGroarty's here and absolutely certain he will win an appeal. Is that possible?"

Mr. McGroarty's perseverance is of a high order. It is a pity that he is constructing his telephone system in the courts, the council room and back in Ohio. There is little chance that the local situation could be improved by trying to scare Eastern capitalists from putting a system in Seattle. But despite Mr. McGroarty's solicitude for the stockholders' interests, the Automatic officials are going ahead with the construction. The company has 50 or 60 men at work. Last week a contract for 5,000 poles was let.

WILL DECIDE THEIR POSITION

On next Wednesday morning Police Judge George will decide the much agitated question of what standing the money-paying slot machines have in the community. The several proprietors of saloons arrested for having such devices in their possession will be given a hearing. The defense have subpoenaed E. A. Gardner, a private detective; Lucille Rees, a stenographer in Gardner's office, and C. G. Austin, formerly justice of the peace, as witnesses. Sensational testimony is expected.

On the same day Charles Rude will be given a hearing on the charge of permitting minors to frequent a place where obscene pictures are shown.

The merchandise store of J. R. Baxse, on First avenue, near Madison street, was entered last night and $5 taken from the till.

DECISION OF THE COURT ENTIRELY OVERLOOKED

The Peculiar Mix-Up in the Guerin-Leary Case Continues Scenes at the Coal Mines of an Exciting Nature.

The stockholders of the Seattle & San Francisco Railway & Navigation Co. are apparently no nearer a settlement of their difficulties than they were previous to the litigation of long duration which was recently terminated in the superior court. Notwithstanding the fact that the finding of the court decreed that the Guerin faction controlled the stock of that company, and enjoined John Leary and his party from voting any part of it, the latter faction refuses to yield, and, without having supplied a supersedeas bond, continue to hold sway in defiance of the ruling of the court.

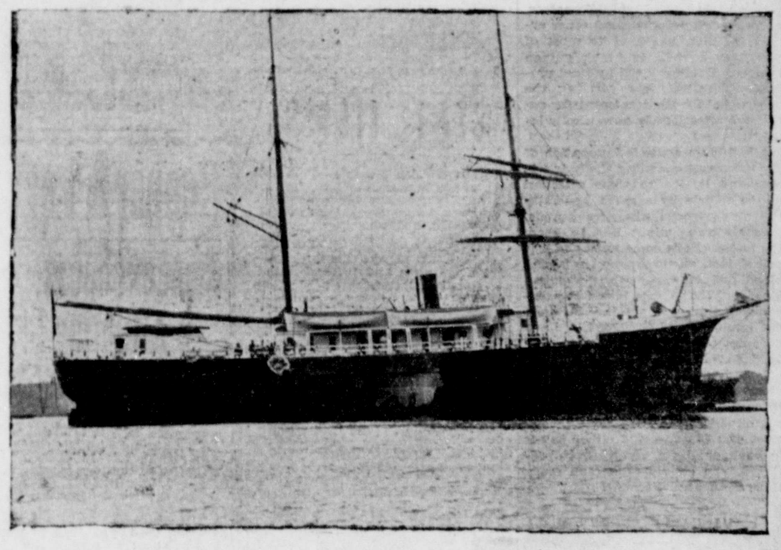
Immediately subsequent to the announcement by Judge Osborn of his decision, which occurred over two weeks ago, there was held in the offices of the company, a meeting of the stockholders for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. There was a disagreement, and the factions immediately split, with the result that two separate sets of officers were elected. The Leary people, who had up to that time been in control, at once fortified themselves within a high railing, which was constructed around their offices, and they continue to do business at the old stand.

That W. E. Guerin and John Dovey do not propose to be ousted by so simple a turn, however, became apparent last Saturday.

Sheriff Cudahy Acts.

Late Saturday night Sheriff Ed Cudihee, with two deputies, armed with warrants sworn out by Judge Hickman Moore, were dispatched to the Leary mines, to effect the arrest of the employes of the company and others in charge, on the ground of maintaining arms. Upon the arrival of Sheriff Cudihee at the mines, the officers of the county at this city were immediately advised by telephone, of the sudden turn of affairs. Upon receipt of the information, Supt. Shuffleton and Treasurer Pierra Ferry, of the railroad and navigation company, set out on horses to the scene. They arrived at Leary on Sunday morning at 5 o'clock, only to find that the sheriff had arrested a number of their men and all was as serene as a village graveyard. The vacancies were filled by other men, and they returned to Seattle and supplied bonds for the release of the men in custody of the sheriff. Tuesday, March 12, has been set for the hearing of the cases, and it is expected that an entirely new phase will be put upon the proceedings and a step be taken toward a final settlement of the serious mix-up.

PIONEER LINE TO ALASKA



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