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SEVENTY-FIRST DAY.

SENATE—The debate on the Bland seigniorage bill occupied the Senate today after the usual morning business. The new Senator from Louissana, Mr. Blanchard, was sworn in. Mr. Peffer's resolution for an investigation of the news aper allegations that Senators had profited by speculation in sugar securities was laid on the table. Adjourned.

House.—No business of public importance was had and the house adjourned after a brief session.

SENATE.—The proceedings in the senate to day were of an extremely uninteresting character. Without the intervention of any morning business, except the presentation of a few pensions and the introduction of some unimportant bills, the senate took up the discussion of the seigniorage bill which was continued until adjournment.

House.—The house began the consideration of the bill making appropriations for the sundry civil expenses of the government and fair progress was made. No other basiness was done and the house adjourned after a brief session.

SENATE—The Bland seignlorage bill dis-cussion occupied the entire day and after a shortexecutive session the senate adjourn-

ed.

House—Chairman Sayers of the appropriation committee is making wonderful progress with the sundry civil bill in the House. Today 40 pages of the bill were discosed of, making in all 83 in two days, and leaving only 16 pages more. No amendments of importance were adopted today, although the northwestern members made a vigorous effort to increase the amount for the survey of public lands. The House adjourned at 4:30 p. m.

SENENTY FOURTH DAY.

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SENATE.—The Bland bill for the coinage of \$55,000,000 of the silver seigniorage in the Treasury passed the Senate this afternoon by a vote of 44 to 31. Thirty Democrats, 11 Republicans and 3 Populists voted for the bill and 21 Republicans and 10 Democrats against it. After a short executive session

against it. Aftera short executive session the senare adjourned, House—The lower branch of congres transacted no business of importance to-

SEVENTY SIXTH DAY.

SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY.

SENATE—The senate was not in session.

House—The house, in committee of the whole, resumed consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill. The house at 5 o'clock took a recess until 8 o'clock. About 50 members were present at the night session. After action on a number of private persion bills the house at 10:25 adjourned.

SEVENTY SIXTH DAY.
SENATE.—Not in session.
House.—No business of public importance was had and after a short ression the house adjourned.

FISH LAW SUSTAINED.

The U. S. Supreme Court Holds That Can Order Illegal Fishing Devices Destroyed.

5. W. Hague, Game and Fish Warden, has received a copy of an opinion handed down a few days ago by the United StatesSupreme Court, in which the right of fish wardens to destroy nets, seines and other illegal sevices for catching fish under State Laws is settled finally. Mr. Hague says he has destroyed \$15,000 worth of articles of this class since he has been in office and the question of his right to do so has frequently been brought up, but never carried far enough to get authoritative decision on it. He was once arrested for it, but the Grand Jury ignored the bill

was once arrested for it, but the Grand Jury ignored the bill. The case just decided is that of George W. Lawton and others against W. M. Steele, a fish warden of New York. Steele destroyed hoop and fake nets worth \$525 owned by the plaintiffs and they sued to frecover the value of them. A jury awarded them \$216. The Court of Appeals reversed this and ordered a judgment absolute for the defendant. Then Lawton and others appealed to the United States Supreme Court on the ground that the State law authorizing the destruction of nets was unconstitutional, for the reason that is deprives a citizen of his property without due process of law:

for the reason that is deprives a citizen of his property without due process of law; that it is in restraint of the liberty of the citizen and that it is an interference with the admiralty and maritime jurisdiction of the United States. The nets destroyed were taken from a navigable stream, which is under the control of the government.

The court is of the opinion that the destruction of the nets is a proper exerc se of the police power of the State. The waters from which they were taken are within the jurisdiction of the State, not within the description of the state, not within the jurisdiction of the state, not within the description of the state, not within the

ject the protection of fish. The person owning the property seized has a legal remedy. If it was used in violation of the law he has no just cause of complaint. If not used so he can repley it or sue for the value in which case the burden is on the defendent to show that the property was used illegaly. In conclusion the decision of the New York Court of Appeals is affirmed.

Chief Justice Fuller and Just ces Field and Brewer dissent from this opinion. They hold that fish nets are articles of private property and are entitled to protection of law. They are unwilling to concede to legislatures power to declare them public nuisances and to order their destruction. The illegal use of them would be terminated by the withdrawai from the water and the detention of them. Private property can not be arbitrarily invaded under the guise of police regulations nor forfeited for an alleged violation of the law by the owner, nor destroyed by way of penalty without giving him an opportunity to be keard. They do not care to sanction the smallest invasion of property rights.

THE DEADLY CYCLONE AGAIN. A Fearful Wind Sweeps Over Texas

Causing Death and Destruction. A cyclone struck Longview, Tex., shortly after midnight Sunday causing great dam age to property and loss of life. Hailstones weighing from 15 to 18 onnces fell with such force as to destroy buildings, trees and

such force as to destroy buildings, trees and shrubbery.

The list of dead is as follows: Alexander Lester, used 50, Alexander Lester, Jr., 19 years old: Robert Lester; Saran Lester, the moth-tr, Lester haby 2 years old, found dead in a treetop and Jasper Collins, crushed under a

tree.
Reports from Emery, the county seat of fines county, are to the effect that six people were silled outright and several fatally wounded. Among the dead are Esther Alsander, Henry Brass, George Walker and 4 year old son of Henry Mutray. Three indies were found north of Emery which have not yet been identified.

FIFTY PEOPLE DROWNED.

Result of a Collision in Chinese Waters Both Ships Going Down.

Oriential advices which have been received at Vancouver, B. C., state that a disastrous collision occurred recently in the strait between Bengalis and Cagal Two steamers, the Song Guan and Aing Hoo, collided while going at full speed. Those on board the Song Guan jumped in the water and were picked up by the craw of the Mang Hoo. Hardly had they reached the wrete when both steamers lurched and went down. About 50 people were drowned and as many saved themselves be swimming ashore, among them being two Americans, Captain Miller of the Song Guan and Chief Engineer P.erce. I fit Settled It.

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"Where do you want the paper

sent?"
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"Dar ain't none." "But well have to send it by mail, What is your nearest postoffice?" "Er place called Hamilton." "All right, I'll send it there,"

"No. sah, doan do dat."
"Why?" "Caze I'se ergin de postmarster at dat place an' I ain't gwine ter trade wid him." You wouldn't be trading with

"Yas I would, an' I has er mighty good cause not ter fling no bizness in lat man's hands. Come er lectioneerng ergin me in de church, he did, wanted ter be er deacon, an he beat me, an' I ain't gwine ter paternize his hôuse. Send dat paper down to de lones plantation.

"We can't do that." "Wharfo! Ain't you got er boy roun'

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Good and Bad Luck.

Born on Monday, fair in the face; Born on Tuesday, full of God's grace. Born on Wednesday, the best to be had, Born on Thursday, merry and glad. Born on Friday, worthily given; Born ou Saturday, work hard for a Hving; Born on Saturday, work hard for a Hving;

Soot and Smoke.

A machine, designed to separate the soot from the smoke which the fires of manufactories yield, has been invented by a Mr. Elliott, of Bir-mingham, England, and tried successfully for several months past in the mint there. A correspondent has examined the device, and declares it to be perfectly simple and

A Big Nugget of Silver. Supt Read sent down from the Diamond Company's mine last Monday a nugget of ore weighing 2,280 pounds, which was shipped Wednes-day to the Midwinter Fair in San Francisco, and which is to represent Eureka County. The nugget is 3 feet 10 inches long, 18 inches wide, and 18 inches thick. It assays 82 per cent. in silver per ton, and 18 per cent. in lead. The nugget when quarried out in the mine was about double its present size, but was too large to haul up the shaft, and had to be broken.—Eureka (Nev.) Sentinel.

Is Life Short or Long?

If life is so short as some think it is, it may he made to seem much longer and sweeter by a better care for our comforts. Minor troubles are much magnified by neglect and delay. We give too much time to hunting up causes when we ought to deal promptly with effects. This is much the case with pain. which should be cured at once and cause looked into afterwards. Miss Ida M. Fleming, 7 S. Carey Street, Baltimore, M.I., states that for years she was subject to frequent attacks of neuralgia, and tried any number of reme lies without avail. She was given quinine, which she says affected her nervous system. She suffered night and day during these attacks until she tried St. Jacobs Oil, which finally cured her.

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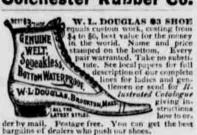
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