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## RUEF BRIBERY CASE GOES TO JURY

END COMES TO LONG DRAWN OUT TRIAL

Unusual Precautions in Court Room to Prevent Repetition of Assault on Assistant Prosecutor Heney.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

San Francisco, Dec. 9.—The case of Abraham Ruef, charged with bribery of a former supervisor of this city, went to the jury at 2:30 p. m. today. At 5:45, after having been out two hours and nine minutes, the jury requested, and was given, permission to go to dinner by Judge William P. Lawlor, but was ordered to resume deliberations at 8 o'clock.

During the last day of the trial, which has required 195 days to bring to a decision, the room was crowded with men and women of local prominence. The usual precautions taken after the shooting of Prosecutor Francis J. Heney was resumed today in full force, and the spectators subjected to close scrutiny before entry, were surrounded by a heavy detail of police at every stage of the proceedings.

Hiram Johnson, one of the attorneys who volunteered his services after Mr. Heney was shot, closed the argument at noon, after an address of two hours and a half, during which time he reviewed many arguments set forth by the defense. He had never shaken the testimony of the witnesses who charged Ruef with receiving \$200,000 from the United Railroads and with giving former Supervisor James L. Gallagher \$55,000 to be distributed among the members of the board.

The instructions of the court were delivered after a slight delay, and contrary to expectations, occupied but an hour in delivery. During the first hour that the jury remained sequestered Ruef paced nervously up and down the aisle, occasionally stopping to speak to acquaintances, and often sinking into his seat, where he appeared bowed in thought, his back turned to the spectators.

Henry Ach, Ruef's chief counsel, whose efforts in behalf of his client have several times threatened him with a penalty of physical collapse, did not appear in court this afternoon, and it was reported that he had been stricken with pleurisy during the noon recess as a result of a cold contracted last night after he had completed an address of six hours and twenty minutes.

Both in duration and by reason of the startling and unusual occurrence that attended its progress, the trial has attained position as the most important outgrowth of the exposures of the summer of 1906 when a grand jury, after hearing the confession of sixteen members of the board of supervisors, returned scores of indictments charging bribery against the supervisors, Mayor E. E. Schmitt and against Ruef, then recognized as the political head of the administration, and against officials of the street railway system, the gas and electric company, two telephone companies, a realty company and a quartet of prize fight promoters.

In addition to several trials in which the alleged associate of Ruef

figured as defendant, Ruef himself has twice appeared to answer on the scores of indictments pending against him. In the first case, wherein Ruef was charged with extorting money from the proprietor of a French restaurant, the defendant pleaded guilty, at the same time protesting his innocence. The case was afterwards reversed by the higher courts. In the second trial upon a charge of having bribed supervisors in the application of the Parkside Realty company for a trolley franchise, the jury disagreed after seven hours' deliberation.

The pending trial was upon an indictment charging Ruef with bribing former Supervisor John J. Pury. It was commenced on August 26, and therefore has been in progress 195 days, of which at least seventy were actual court days. The jury was not completed until November 6, when the trial was seventy-two days old. The record, now containing 3,200 pages and over 1,000,000 words, shows that 1,450 witnesses were summoned, of whom 446 were actually examined. As the jurors were passed over to the sheriff as they were selected, six of the men who composed the jury have been deprived of their liberty since September 25, a period of seventy-five days.

Shortly after the trial commenced, Frank J. Murphy and Adolph Newburg, two of the attorneys engaged in the defense of Ruef, were indicted upon a charge of attempting to bribe John M. Kelly, a taxman in one of the Ruef ventures. E. A. S. Blake, a contractor, indicted on the same charge, was convicted by a jury and afterwards confessed. He is still awaiting sentence and the trial of Murphy, in which Blake was the principal witness for the prosecution, is in progress in another department of the superior court.

The attempted assassination of Francis J. Heney, who originally had charge of the case, as assistant district attorney, was perhaps the most startling outcome of the trial. Ruef trial. Heney was shot in the court room on the afternoon of November 13 by Morris Haas, a liquor dealer, who several weeks before in Ruef's second trial had qualified to a seat in the jury box, and whose record as an ex-convict was exposed by Mr. Heney. Haas, on the night of November 15, committed suicide in the county jail by shooting himself with a small dagger, which he is believed to have secreted in his shoe.

During a period of considerable excitement which followed the shooting of Mr. Heney, many attorneys of ability offered their services as substitutes at the trial for Heney. Of these the services of Hiram Johnson, Matt Sullivan and J. J. Dwyer were accepted, and their services during the past four weeks have been without monetary compensation. John J. O'Gara, an assistant district attorney, has been engaged in the trial since its inception.

On the side of the defense Henry Ach has been chief counsel of Ruef throughout. Thomas B. Dozier, of Shasta, has assisted him in the case since the retirement of Frank J. Murphy, following the latter's indictment.

## HENEY APPEARS ON WITNESS STAND

San Francisco Prosecutor Entirely Recovered From Effects of Assassination.

San Francisco, Dec. 6.—Francis J. Heney appeared as a witness today at the trial of Attorney Frank J. Murphy, accused of attempting to bribe a venireman in the Ruef bribery case. The assistant prosecutor, who had not been seen in public since he was shot down in Judge Lawlor's court room, by Morris Haas, appeared to be almost entirely well and walked to the witness stand with a firm stride. A slight discoloration of the right cheek marked the spot where the bullet of the would-be assassin had entered. His voice was full and strong, proving the fear of its impairment to have been unwarranted.

**Prominent Hibernian Dead.**  
Savannah, Ga., Dec. 5.—P. J. O'Connor, former national president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and former president of the Catholic Knights of America, died here today of pneumonia.

## TIME FOR THE PEOPLE TO TAKE AN INTEREST

Meeting in Commercial Club Tonight for Discussion of the Sewer Construction Proposition One of Vital Interest to Property Owners of Albuquerque.

A meeting will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Commercial club for the discussion of the sewer construction proposition which is shortly to come before the people of Albuquerque in definite form upon the voting of a bond issue for sewer construction. Every property owner and every taxpayer is invited and urged to attend this meeting, which will be for the purpose of general discussion of a problem recognized as the most important one now before the city.

Among other speakers at the meeting tonight will be the representative of the American Light and Water company of Kansas City, Mr. Bullock. Mr. Bullock has made, in behalf of his company, a definite proposition to the city council for the construction of the sewer. The council has not as yet considered this proposition, and the meeting tonight is in no wise an official one. Such members of the city government who are present will be there in their capacity as private citizens. While Mr. Bullock's proposition

has thus far received no encouragement in any form from any official source, it is a definite, business proposition from a reliable construction company, and furnishes the basis for intelligent discussion of the sewer construction problem in concrete form. What Mr. Bullock will have to say tonight will therefore prove of general interest and will probably lead to a general discussion of the sewer question which can not but prove of benefit.

The sewer construction matter has moved slowly. It has been postponed and postponed from time to time; but it now appears to be nearing the point where action may be had. It is, therefore, time for the property owners of Albuquerque to begin to take an intelligent, active interest in the question and the meeting in the club tonight will give the opportunity for a beginning.

The meeting will be called promptly at 8 o'clock and every man interested in the sewer building problem is urged to be there.

## BIG DEFICIT IS EXPECTED IN TREASURY

TOTAL FOR YEAR NOW PLACED AT \$114,000,000

Annual Report of Secretary Cortelyou Shows Vast Increase of Expenditures Over Receipts.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

Washington, Dec. 9.—The annual report of Mr. Cortelyou, the secretary of the treasury, shows a reversal of conditions for the fiscal year 1908, as compared with the fiscal year of 1907. For the latter year the receipts were \$84,236,586 in excess of the disbursements. For the fiscal year 1908 the disbursements were \$58,070,201 in excess of the receipts, due to business depression and increased appropriations. Fortunately, the report says, the available cash balance at the beginning of the fiscal year, was \$22,061,445.

The treasury was called upon in the latter part of October, 1907, to render assistance in a financial panic which started in New York City and which gradually extended over the entire nation. Through treasury operations during this financial disturbance the amount of public deposits with the banks reached \$236,548,321 on November 30th, 1907, and on December 27, 1907, the maximum of \$259,594,271 was attained, after which it decreased to \$256,929,154 by the close of the month.

Further withdrawals decreased this amount to \$118,379,526, on November 16, 1908. At the beginning of the present fiscal year there was a free circulation of money and large amounts were returned to the financial centers and some of the depositors voluntarily returned to the treasury a part of their holdings of public deposits, amounting in all to approximately four million dollars. A further withdrawal of public money from depository banks in New York City, made in January, amounted to \$8,850,000, making the balance in the banks to the credit of the general fund at the end of January, \$226,241,418.

Further voluntary surrender of deposits were made during February, and on June 30th the general fund had been reduced to \$149,000,000. The aggregate of trust funds, consisting of gold coin and standard silver dollars held for the redemption of certificates and notes for which they were respectively pledged increased \$139,000,000 during the year.

The monetary stock for the year increased \$265,203,000. The growth in gold was \$151,744,391. In silver, \$17,928,991; national bank notes \$94,545,227. At the same time there was a decrease of \$1,006,000. At the close of the fiscal year 1908 the money in circulation amounted to \$2,928,015,488, or a per capita of \$34.72. The percentage of gold to circulation was \$94,545,227 in the volume of national bank notes during the fiscal year closed July 1st, last.

The amount of interest bearing debt on June 30, 1907, is shown to have been \$934,902,760, and on June 30, 1908, \$997,503,890.

The report shows that from the date of the passage of the national bank act in 1863 to July 1, 1908, charters were granted to 9,174 national banking associations and at the close of the last fiscal year there were in operation 6,827 associations, with authorized capital stock of \$20,542,774. Banks to the number of 1,878 have been closed by the voluntary action of their stockholders, and 459 insolvent associations have been placed in charge of receivers.

There were purchased for the coinage of subsidiary silver during the fiscal year 18,956,309 ounces of silver bullion at a cost of \$9,923,026. The receipts from internal revenue taxes for the fiscal year 1908 were \$251,711,128, a net decrease from 1907 of \$17,955,646. The customs receipts for the same period amounted to \$286,113,120, a decrease for the year of about \$46,000,000.

Basing his figures on the estimates of appropriations already submitted by the several executive departments, the secretary is of the opinion that the excess of expenditures over receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1910, may reach \$143,946,736. The secretary estimates the deficit of the present year at \$114,000,000.

Realizing that sudden changes in the customs standing of imported merchandise are unfair to business, and introduce an element of uncertainty, the secretary has instituted a new system by which when the classification of goods is changed, every result in the payment of a higher rate of duty, ample notice is given to those interested.

There have been just completed by the department negotiations which put an end to the long drawn out controversy as to the value of Limoges china. And in doing this it has established a precedent and a principle of co-operation between the manufacturing interests involved and the United States government which is capable of being extended to other classes of merchandise, with excellent results.

During the year the department has entered into an agreement with the chamber of commerce of Limoges, representing the manufacturers of

that city, as to the value of all kinds of pottery, these manufactures. Some minor details yet remain to be settled, but these do not affect the harmonious results that have been achieved.

The report calls attention to the commission of which Assistant Secretary James B. Reynolds was the chairman, which went abroad last year to discuss with German officials certain important matters affecting the proper administration of the customs laws and an agreement reached with that country contained a provision that the chamber of commerce of that country should be entitled to furnish certificates of value of merchandise manufactured or produced in their respective communities which should be regarded by the appraising officers of the United States as competent evidence in the finding of value. This privilege was subsequently extended to the chamber of commerce of other nations, and it was granted only after it was ascertained that these organizations were governmental in their character so that in case of a careless or false certificate of value being sent to this country by such an organization, it would be possible to prevent the matter to the government for proper action. The treasury commission also made a special study of these chambers of commerce in France, Austria-Hungary and Great Britain, to determine just what would be the competency of the evidence that was presented in case of disputed values. With a view to greater expedition and hence less disturbance in business conditions incident to the enforcement of the tariff laws, the secretary during the year has arranged to do away in a large measure with the reference of each disputed case to Washington and has left to the chief local representative of the treasury department and the department of agriculture at the larger ports the disposition of all cases except those of exceptional importance.

The advantage of reducing to a minimum the transfer of gold between these financial centers of the world, the secretary says, has been often discussed, but has not yet been the subject of official action. Economy in such transfers as come about automatically from time to time by the extension of the system of bills of exchange and by the use of international credit.

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## PARIS SOCIETY HEARS COUNT BONI PLAYED

CASTELLANE SUIT DRAWS CROWDED COURT ROOM

Attorney for Princess de Sagan Grills Anna Gould's First Husband as Self Seeking Jealous Reprobate.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

Paris, Dec. 9.—French society crowded the courtroom in the palace of justice today to hear M. Julesmier speaking in the name of the Princess de Sagan oppose the suit entered by Count Boni de Castellane, in which he petitions that the custody of his three children be given to his mother, the Marquise de Castellane. When Princess de Sagan, formerly Miss Anna Gould, secured a divorce from the Count de Castellane, custody of her children was awarded to her.

If M. Bonnet, speaking for the count, did not spare the Princess de Sagan a thoroughgoing, M. Julesmier was no less denunciations and bitter in his description on this occasion of the count. Castellane's sole motive in entering this suit, he charged, was hatred of de Sagan, the very thought of the prince occupying a place in the affections of his former wife goading de Castellane to fury. The count, M. Julesmier said, did everything possible to hinder the marriage of his former wife to de Sagan, and having failed in this he was now seeking by every means in his power to bring discredit upon the de Sagan household.

Mr. Julesmier declared that de Sagan never had been expelled from any club, and that while in Buenos Ayres he did not lead the adventurous life ascribed him. These and other accusations, counsel declared, were base calumnies, concocted by a man who had squandered the fortune of Miss Gould, and left her with debts amounting to \$2,500,000 to settle.

M. de Castellane has reproached M. de Sagan for living humbly, retired in hired rooms," continued the

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## IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

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## MILLION A DAY SHRINKAGE IN PAY ROLLS

B. F. YOAKUM DEALS WITH RAILROAD PROBLEM

Points Out Disastrous Effects on Wage Earners and Business Interests of Craze for Restrictive Laws.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

Chicago, Dec. 9.—J. Pierpont Morgan sat at the banquet board of the Chicago Association of Commerce tonight while B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the executive committee of the Rock Island-Prisco lines discussed "Our Country and Our Railroads."

Mr. Morgan accepted the invitation to be present some time ago, stipulating, however, that he should not be called upon to speak.

Mr. Yoakum declared that the panic of last year caused a shrinkage in the payrolls of the railroads of \$1,000,000 a day, largely as a result of misdirected agitation against the roads. He averred his conviction that an established railroad policy by the government is necessary, but it must be stable, and a centralized one, under which the railroads can plan construction years ahead. He said 100,000 miles of road would have to be built west and southwest of Chicago to care for the increasing population and commerce. Railroads alone, he said, can not solve the transportation problem of the country, but the government must adopt as broad and comprehensive a waterways policy as has been pursued by the capitalists in building railroads. Mr. Yoakum said in part:

"Our country, the greatest present and future country of the world, our railroads, the greatest single interest in the country, two networks of such unlimited possibilities that anyone accustomed to speaking could talk long and interestingly.

"Transportation has been the chief agent in the civilization, development and wealth of all countries. The oceans, lakes and rivers served early civilization; as population increased the trails and wagon roads reached out into the interior as far as produce and supplies could be profitably handled, but it was soon power that developed the modern world, and the railroad has made possible the supremacy of the United States among the countries of the world.

"In the construction of a railroad through an undeveloped agricultural country, with the grading cuttings are found the farmers, new towns, new industries, and a general population engaged in every pursuit in life. The immediate increase in property values is from ten to fifteen times the cost of the railroad. The production of the farm, made possible by the railroad, brings to the farmers each year several times the cost of the railroad. Yet, until recently, railroads were looked upon by the public only as a means of transportation, not as servants and builders of the country, but as enemies, operated in the interest of a few.

"This has been the doctrine preached by the political agitator. The thinking men of the country have fought by permitting the railroads to fight their own battles.

"The masses are becoming better informed and to appreciate that the general business of the country cannot maintain its normal basis or expand unless the railroads can go forward in their work of expansion.

"To successfully carry through important construction work, plans must be made years ahead; therefore, it is of paramount importance for the people and the railroads to have a fixed governmental policy that can be relied upon.

"We are beginning to live down the effects of last year's depressing conditions; but we are an advancing and forgetting people, and before the recent panic has been forgotten, we should, as individuals and through co-operation, aid in influencing a governmental policy which will protect us from similar calamities in the future.

"An established railroad policy by our government is essential to the welfare of all classes, and more directly that of the railroad employees and other workmen. The agitation against the railroads has been misdirected, and the result has been to hurt the workmen, as we have recently seen in the loss of shrinkage in the payroll of railroad employees of \$1,000,000 per day, to say nothing of the army of men engaged in the manufacture of material and supplies used in the operation and construction of railroads who were thrown out of employment.

The results of ill-directed legislation are of vital importance to the million and a half railroad employees who invest their time by selling their labor to the railroads, and the million investors who exchange their money for railroad securities, who want their money safely invested. The danger which threatens the employee's payroll and a man's investment in railroad securities just as surely endangers every other branch of business. It is therefore of supreme importance that the employee and the investor that we have fair

laws that properly safeguard their interests.

"The development of this country since its independence has been carried on more rapidly and with greater wisdom than any country of the world; but to further develop its resources, expand its trade, and do what is necessary to bring it up to the standard which it merits calls for greater work in the future than has been accomplished in the past.

"The first essential factor in building a new country is the locomotive, the second, the plow; and when political agitation, unnecessary and restrictive regulations, act as a bumping post to stop the roadway of the locomotive, they stop the future progress and prosperity of the nation.

"If that vast domain west and southwest of Chicago, which is so rapidly turning to grazing lands of the past into farming lands of the future, is to have the same mileage of railroad to an equal area as the country east of you, the present mileage will have to be increased 100,000 miles of new railroad. It was from that section of the country the packing houses received their grass-fattened cattle prior to the advent of the railroad, while now many of the large pastures are owned by prosperous farmers who have so increased their productivity, since the pasture days when ten acres were required to take care of one animal, that the same ten acres now produce 450 bushels of corn, 200 bushels of wheat or eight bales of cotton.

The country now needs a rest from their regulative laws until the railroad can adjust themselves to a compliance with those which have been enacted. If they are found to be inadequate, they can be changed or modified to fit the emergency, with fairness to both the railroads and the public.

"All work necessary for the proper upbuilding of a country like ours cannot be accomplished alone through the attention of the federal government, under as broad and comprehensive a plan as the policy pursued by our bankers in finding capital to build up our splendid railroad systems. Compare the work of the government in furnishing water transportation, where nature has provided the rivers and only awaits the work of contractors with what has been accomplished by our bankers and contractors in building our railroads of 230,000 miles to an efficiency capable of moving the nation's traffic and its population, adding untold billions in wealth to the property owners of the country, and consider what our property values and our transportation facilities would have been had the government kept pace with the country's progress with the waterways. To put it another way, if the 30,000 miles of railroads of this country at the close of the war between the states had been under government ownership and control, the same as navigation or waterways, where could we have been today in the Nation's growth if they had done no better for the public in furnishing rail transportation than they have in furnishing water transportation.

"Without criticizing, but only as an illustration, take the Panama canal, a splendid and magnificent work and probably an instrument of national peace, as well as a means of shortening the water distances between the Atlantic and Pacific ports. If the government should expend as much money as the Panama canal will cost in the improvement of our waterways, turning our rivers and their tributaries into arteries of commerce, it would be of untold benefit to the entire country.

"Every generation has its problem to solve, and the most important one for us is the question of transportation between the railroads and the public on a basis fair to both. No agency can be as effective in standing as arbiter between the people and the railroads as the strong arm of the federal government. All railroads engaged in the movement of commerce between states should be under the control of the federal government rather than forty-six state legislatures.

"Railroad pools should not be legalized; pools are secret understandings between the parties to them; but railroads should be permitted to enter into open traffic alliances, subject to the approval of the interstate commerce commission, which would safeguard the interests of the public. The same federal authority should authorize the issuance of railroad securities, thereby protecting the investor against overcapitalization.

"The capital at Washington, will then become the 'Hague' of the nation's railroads and its commerce where peace conferences will be held to settle the questions arising between the public and the railroads fair to both, and without political influence or favoritism to either."

Thomas Burke, of Seattle, Wash., discussed "The Commercial Relationship of the Pacific Northwest and the Orient."

## COMMITTEE MAY SERVE SUBPOENA ON CARNEGIE

Washington, Dec. 9.—If Andrew Carnegie does not accept the invitation of the ways and means committee of the house to appear before it and tell what he knows about the tariff there is every indication that he will be subpoenaed by the committee. The future sessions of the committee will be very interesting, as several persons of prominence are to be called on to testify. If these witnesses refuse to respond to subpoenas they probably will be cited before the courts for contempt, as was done in one instance during the hearing on the Wilson bill.

The subpoena was served on Mr. Carnegie tonight by the house sergeant at arms. It is returnable at a date to be fixed later, suitable to the convenience of Mr. Carnegie.

Sereno Payne, chairman of the committee, stated that Mr. Carnegie might appear tomorrow.

## HALF BILLION DOLLAR BOND ISSUE ASKED

TO IMPROVE NATION'S INLAND WATERWAYS

President Roosevelt and Mr. Taft Advocate Spending Fifty Million Dollars Annually on Needed Improvements.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

Washington, Dec. 9.—Sentiment in favor of a government bond issue for a comprehensive improvement of the rivers, harbors and canals of the country to the end that this nation shall have the greatest system of waterways in the world, gained headway at the opening session of the annual meeting of the rivers and harbors congress here today.

The scheme contemplates \$500,000,000 worth of federal bonds for inland water courses to be distributed over a ten-year period, of \$50,000,000 annually. President Roosevelt and President-elect Taft, before the joint conservation meeting, have advocated the issuance of government bonds for constructing permanent public improvements.

The speakers included Vice President Fairbanks and Andrew Carnegie, Ambassador Bryce, Beth Low, of New York; Representative Joseph E. Ransdell, Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri; Governor George E. Chamberlain, of Oregon, and Samuel Gomers.

Upwards of thirty-five delegates, representing forty-four states and the territories of Alaska, New Mexico and Hawaii and Porto Rico, were in attendance.

The advocacy by Governor Chamberlain, of Oregon, of the defeat of senators and representatives who have pledged themselves in favor of waterway improvements and who fail to redeem their pledges, was opposed by Representative Clark, who declared congress is not opposed to river and harbor improvements and never has been.

To say so, he declared, would be to assume that congress is composed of a job lot of political idiots. He expressed the belief that if congress were presented with a feasible scheme for waterway improvements, it would be adopted.

## CANNON ONCE MORE DENIES HE REIGNS SUPREME IN HOUSE

Washington, Dec. 9.—Speaker Cannon today declared that never since 1890 had there been a time when under the rules of the house, either under republican or democratic control, a majority of its members had not been able to register their will on legislation. He made the assertion, in speaking to a delegation of the Ohio Valley Improvement association, which through its chairman presented him with a memorial urging the improvement of the Ohio river at a cost of \$43,000,000 to be paid in bonds. "I appreciate," said Mr. Cannon, "the approach me because I am a speaker. I know that they say I am the ear and that I have more power to bind and to loosen than had St. Peter, when it was said to him: 'On this rock I build my church.' But that is incorrect. The speaker's function is to preside over the house and to enforce its rules, and nothing more."

He then declared that in view of this fact it would rest with the committee on rivers and harbors to make recommendation in this as all other matters pertaining to the improvement of the waterways of the country. The speaker assured his hearers that he had no doubt that the committee would give the subject its very best consideration and believed the inland waterways improvement would progress with the increase of population.

Referring to the suggestion for the issuance of bonds, he called attention to the fact that at present all improvements of the kind are made under contract and said the country had never yet failed to provide the money for such work.

"I can not tell," he said, "how the money is to be obtained for the vast improvements needed, but that there will be sufficient for all necessary changes I am certain. In the swing of the twentieth century, I have no doubt that there will be expended no less than ten thousand million dollars in the improvement of the waterways of the country, but of necessity some of this work may be done by those who must follow after us."

## CARNEGIE INSTITUTE TRUSTEES IN SESSION

Washington, D. C., Dec. 9.—Appropriations aggregating \$636,300 were made today at the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Carnegie institution of Washington. This amount is to be used in 1909 merely to continue projects heretofore initiated.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard university, and Martin A. Ryerson, of Chicago, were elected trustees to fill vacancies in the board.



## ANNUAL REPORT OF WAR SECRETARY

General Wright Points Out Need of More Thorough Organization of National Guard as Adjunct to Regular Army.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

Washington, Dec. 9.—The total estimate of the war department for the next fiscal year, as shown by the annual report of the secretary of war, amounts to \$189,550,000, an increase of about \$52,000,000 over the appropriations for the present year. This increase is largely for river and harbor work, and other public works of a civil character, for which purpose about \$24,000,000 is asked. Of the balance, about \$10,500,000 is an additional estimate for the support of the army, military academy and the militia. For military posts, etc., the estimate calls for an increase of \$17,500,000.

The secretary of war especially recommends an addition of \$12,000,000 to the army, and also approves a policy for the elimination from the service of all officers who fail to maintain the requisite standard of efficiency. Both of these propositions were before congress at its last session and will be strongly urged this year.

The necessity for more officers, the report states, is due to the unavoidable detachment of officers from their regular service with troops. Their detachment for recruiting duty, for duty as instructors in the army and at state institutions, as well as with the militia of the several states and territories, has occupied the time of a large number of officers. At present there are an estimated 691 officers, and 157 additional absent on leave or on account of sickness. Besides this, examinations, court-martial service, and numerous other kinds of special duty, though temporary in character, make a considerable increase in the number of officers that are constantly unavailable for regular service with their commands. He adds that it would be a measure of wise economy to provide an extra number of highly equipped officers for these added duties that have been thrown upon the army, as the result would be highly beneficial in case of war.

To provide for the 612 officers the secretary states there will be added an annual cost of between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000.

Another method for increasing the efficiency of the army he states is to eliminate officers who have not the highest qualifications. The present law on the subject does not apply above the grade of captain and it is said has utterly failed to accomplish its purpose except in cases of physical disability.

The report shows that the army is now only 923 enlisted men short of the authorized strength, due to great improvements in recruiting. During the past year there has been an increase in the actual strength of the army of 19,168, making the present strength 411,616 officers and 68,517 enlisted men, a total of 480,133. Of this number 53,102 are serving in the United States, 12,101 in the Philippines, 4,905 in Cuba, 1,192 in Alaska, 111 in Porto Rico, 556 in Hawaii with 257 troops en route and officers at other foreign stations.

The total number of enlistments in the army during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1908, exclusive of the hospital corps and Philippine recruits, was 41,445. Of this number 11,743 were re-enlistments and 29,702 were original enlistments. The percentage of native born white and colored among the original enlistments was 88; of the total number of enlistments, 55,435 were native born, 5,539 were of foreign birth, 12 were Indians, 28 were born in the Philippine Islands, 4,000 of re-enlistment, 138 were born during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1908, exclusive of the hospital corps and Philippine recruits, 19,553 were white, 1,241 were colored.

The number of desertions from the army fell off to 48 per cent of the whole number of enlisted men in the service during the fiscal year 1908, as compared with 5.6 per cent during the preceding fiscal year. The secretary speaks with gratification upon the marked decrease in the number of desertions, not only during the past year, but during the past two years. The number of desertions was less in 1906 than during any fiscal year since 1901. He accounts for this improvement by the fact that the longer term military contracts are now confined in the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., instead of at military posts, more strenuous efforts are made to apprehend and punish deserters, and the method of making enlistments has been changed.

Very satisfactory results he states are shown in the largest practice of the vast territory. In 1908 about 100,000 acres of land were made as in 1907 under the same conditions, and the results for the years 1907 and 1908 show marked improvement over 1906.

The secretary attaches an estimate of \$100,000 to enable the signal corps to take up military aerostatics in a more effective way than it has done in the past. He reviews the progress of aerial navigation during the past year and gives it great importance as a military activity.

Congress is asked for a considerable increase in the appropriations for investment in permanent military plants, such as gun and mortar batteries, fire control at fortifications, electrical installations at coastal defenses, searchlights for harbor defenses, and other necessities of coast defense, preservation and repair of fortifications, repair and protection of defenses at Pensacola, Fla., and at New Orleans, La., defense of the coast, Texas, armament for fortifications, fortifications in minor posts, and additional land for military posts. These various items in connection with permanent military plants, call for increased appropriations.

## EDUCATED PEOPLE TO USE GASOLINE

Witness Tells of Standard Oil Campaign to Popularize Dangerous Substance.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

New York, Dec. 9.—Branching off into a new line of testimony intended to show the economic development of the business of the Standard Oil company counsel for that corporation today put L. T. Drake on the stand in the hearing of the government suit for its dissolution. Mr. Drake for many years was engaged in the marketing of Standard Oil products. He said \$250,000 had been spent in educating the people in the advantage of using gasoline.

Mr. Drake denied that the price of gasoline has increased three or four times in the last few years but said positively the price had doubled since 1897.

Counsel for the Standard Oil company placed in evidence a schedule showing that the Standard's profits in the best grade of kerosene ranged between a low and eight cents profit per gallon.

To bring out the significance of the tables on prices of commodities submitted the defense called Joseph French Johnson, professor of political economy at New York university. Johnson said, had risen and fallen with other commodities during the period. Neither the variation nor the general rise in oil prices, however, was as great as that of other commodities, he said.

**MUST ANSWER ST. LOUIS SUIT BY END OF MONTH**  
St. Louis, Dec. 9.—A stipulation limiting to December 31 the time in which the Standard Oil company may offer testimony in defense of the dissolution suit which the government is conducting against it, was filed in the United States circuit court here today.

The document, which is signed by attorneys for the government and the company, provides that the company may present rebuttal testimony in January, 1909, or longer if it is so desired. In case the testimony is closed January 31 the final hearing will be postponed for a period corresponding to the extra time taken by the rebuttal witnesses. The original agreement limited the defense testimony to December 1 and the final hearing to have been called February 23, 1908. The document filed today in dated November 24, the filing being a formality.

**GOVERNORS ENDORSE FOREST SERVICE WORK**

Washington, Dec. 9.—A distinguished assembly of governors today appeared before the house committee on agriculture on the heels of the federal government establishing forest reserves in the White mountains and in the southern Appalachians. All members of the opening of the fight in this session of congress, for the creation of a reserve to protect the navigability of navigable streams, a measure which the committee considers constitutional.

Governor Chamberlain of Oregon, former Governor George E. Pender of California, and Dr. Edward Everett Hale, chairman of the United States senate, were among those who appeared. Chairman Scott of the committee, said the house committee and the judiciary had questioned the constitutionality of congressional action on the part of congress, looking to the purchase of land for the conservation of forests, whatever it might do toward protecting the navigability of the streams of the country.

Governor Chamberlain of Oregon, told of the benefit of the system of federal forest reserves in his state and declared that if the action does not now take the action proposed it sooner or later will be compelled to do so at a greater cost.

## FINDS FAULT WITH ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

Liquor Dealers Association Grows Peevish Under Continued Assaults of Foes of Rum.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire)

Washington, Dec. 9.—That the wave of opposition throughout the country to the liquor trade seems to be receding was the keynote of the reports from various state organizations made today at the closing session of the National Liquor League.

Resolutions were adopted declaring that the industry has been over-regulated, over-assaulted and overtaxed in the furtherance of a creed or ethic that is basically un-American and at absolute variance with every principle of liberty, civic righteousness, economic common sense and common justice.

It was resolved that the "Anti-Saloon League" is a menace to good government, the rights of communities and vested property rights, and exists for no other purpose than to provide occupation and revenue for the members of a close corporation by the process of perpetual agitation, and that local option is not another name for prohibition and is equally confiscatory in its assaults upon property rights.

**GUESTS POISONED AT NAVY YARD BANQUET**

Governor of California Seriously Ill; Walter Wins At Poisoned Food Exposed.

San Francisco, Dec. 9.—The first death to be reported in connection with the many cases of poisonous poisoning among the persons who partook of the luncheon given at the Navy Island navy yard on last Saturday after the launching of the cruiser Prometheus, is that of James C. Reynolds, one of the waiters engaged by the caterer to serve the luncheon, and with a number of his associates ate of the food provided. All were more or less affected and several of them are still ill.

So far as known, the condition of none of the others who were made sick by the tainted food is serious. Governor Gillett, who was one of the guests at the luncheon, and who is ill at the time, is reported to be much better today and is believed to be in no danger.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney and Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

**CHURCH TO FIGHT KIERAN SUITS**

All Efforts of Alleged Defaulter to Compromise Turned Down by Catholic Societies in Pennsylvania.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 9.—Several men paying they were representatives of P. J. Kieran, head of the defunct Fidelity Funding company, of New York and Chicago, were here today attempting to compromise with the several Catholic societies of this diocese who have been made defendants in suits to collect money growing out of loans placed through Kieran and the funding company.

One of the men was charged by the parish of a bishop, but it is said he admitted that Bishop Casanova had not recognized him. It is said to be the policy of Bishop Casanova not to consider compromise propositions, and to insist upon prosecutions. Attorneys for the organizations informed Catholic leaders that the matter was now in the hands of the police and would take its course.

Attorney Charles A. O'Brien representing one of the societies, informed the alleged agents of Kieran, who said that a society to sue for all claims was being organized that no effort in compromise would be considered.

**CARNEGIE TRUST COMPANY HOLDS NOTES FOR \$400,000**

New York, Dec. 9.—In connection with the suits brought by makers of bonds against P. J. Kieran, former president of the Fidelity Funding company, it was stated by the Carnegie Trust company of this city that it holds \$400,000 of the notes of various Catholic societies which were the property of the Fidelity Funding company. These notes, the statement issued by the Carnegie Trust company says, are secured by \$400,000 worth of collateral, and the trust company is awaiting the action of the receiver before attempting to recover.

Thomas J. Gilroy, the receiver, has requested the Carnegie company to surrender some of its collateral, on the ground that the value of the collateral exceeds the notes it holds by about \$200,000, but the company declines.

**GOVERNMENT'S OLDEST OFFICIAL PASSES AWAY**

San Francisco, Dec. 9.—Captain Augustus F. Rogers, assistant superintendent of the United States coast and geodetic survey, and said to have been the oldest official in the employ of the government, died early today at his home in this city after an illness of only three hours. He would have been eighty years of age had he lived until January 1.

He spent the entire day yesterday in his office in the federal building, but shortly before 12 o'clock last night was seized with an attack of coughing and suffocation caused by heart failure and died a few hours later.

In 1841 the reports entered the government service and for many years has had charge of the coast and geodetic survey of the Pacific coast, Alaska, Hawaii and the Philippine Islands. He was a son of Commodore John Rogers, who defended Baltimore in the war of 1812, and who at the time of his death was at the head of the navy.

His wife, Mrs. Rogers, has three daughters in the navy, only one of whom, Rear Admiral John H. Rogers, is now living. He leaves a widow and seven children.

**Man Victim's Body Recovered.**  
Red Lake, Minn., Dec. 9.—The almost bare skeleton of Andre Kervin, the third of his men entombed in the mine here in the recent disaster, was found this morning. But for the water which was found near the body it would have been impossible to have identified it.

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**SUITS AGAINST CHURCH FILED IN PENNSYLVANIA**

New Castle, Pa., Dec. 4.—Suits to recover money alleged to be due upon notes which were discounted by the Fidelity Funding company, of New York have been entered in the Lancaster county court by the Carnegie Trust company of New York against the Society of the Holy Family, St. Vitus Italian Catholic church and St. Mary's Polish Catholic church, all of this place.

The amount of notes against the society of the Holy Family is said to be close to \$60,000, and the organization received about \$20,000. The St. Vitus church has notes amounting to \$50,000 outstanding, for which \$10,000 is said to have been received, and St. Mary's church has notes aggregating \$18,000, upon which about \$5,000 was secured.

**HOLY ROLLER CHIEF ELUDES CAPTURE**

Reward Offered for Arrest of Fanatic Who Started Fatal Riot in Kansas City Streets

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**TO ORGANIZE STOKERS AS NAVAL RESERVE FIREMEN**

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Captain A. M. Shannon, a member of the naval

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number of children who were housed in the "Garden of Eden" were not properly fed. This was investigated and found to be untrue. The band made a comfortable living by holding street meetings and other religious services.

**Secretary Wright Confirmed.**

Washington, Dec. 9.—The senate today confirmed the nomination of Luke E. Wright, of Tennessee, to be secretary of war, and Truman H. Newberry, of Michigan, as secretary of the navy.

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Folding Tables ..... 75c  
Express Wagons ..... 25c to \$3.00  
Two-Wheel Carts ..... 25c  
Fire Engines ..... 10c to \$2.00  
Tin Toys ..... 5c to 75c  
Automobiles ..... 15c to \$2.00  
Men's Gloves ..... 10c to \$1.50  
Women's Gloves ..... 25c to \$1.50  
Girl's Gloves ..... 15c to 30c  
Girl's Carts ..... \$1.50 to \$3.00  
Ladies' Coats ..... \$1.00 to \$15.00  
Fur Collars ..... \$1.00 to \$6.00  
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board, informed the National Commercial association tonight that the government would cooperate in organizing the 28,000 stokers employed in the navy reserve force of stokers. Captain Shannon declared the scheme was entirely practicable and that the stokers while serving at their present work would be highly efficient for battleship service in case of war.



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### RECORDS BROKEN AT MADISON SQUARE

Three Leading Teams Tied in Great Six Day Bicycle Race; Terrific Sprinting the Feature

Score of the riders in Madison Square bicycle race at 2 o'clock this morning, the end of the seventy-fourth hour:

Miles	Laps
Hutt and Stoll	1,455 2
Moran and McFarland	1,455 9
Hill and Demara	1,455 9
Walshour and Root	1,455 9
Palmer and Walker	1,455 8
Collins and Mitten	1,455 7
Wiley and Gavin	1,455 7
Devonish and Drobach	1,455 6
Anderson and Vanoni	1,455 4
Faber and LaFroade	1,447 7

The former record was 1,452 miles, 1 lap, made by Miller and Waller, in 1899.

New York, Dec. 10. — Plugging away in advance of all previous indoor bicycle records, three teams in the six-day race kept busily pedaling, and the many spectators who crowded Madison Square garden never before saw such earnest work.

The team of Hutt and Stoll, who were the favorites, were the first to break the record. They were followed by Moran and McFarland, Hill and Demara, Walshour and Root, Palmer and Walker, Collins and Mitten, Wiley and Gavin, Devonish and Drobach, Anderson and Vanoni, and Faber and LaFroade.

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### DEATH ENDS CAREER OF DISTINGUISHED SOLDIER

General Jackson Saw Service Under Two Flags.

Leavenworth, Kan., Dec. 9.—Brigadier General Henry Jackson, retired, died at his home here tonight of cancer, aged seventy-one years. General Jackson was a soldier in the Crimean War, civil war, the Spanish-American war and Indian campaigns. He was born in Canterbury, England. When sixteen years old he enlisted on a soldier and was in the Crimean war from 1854 to 1855. Rising to the rank of lieutenant in the English service, he resigned and came to America. He enlisted in the Fourteenth cavalry in 1855. He was commissioned first lieutenant after the civil war and in 1874 was made captain. In 1896 he was made lieutenant colonel, and in 1901 a colonel. He retired in 1904 with the rank of brigadier general.

### PLANTATION PROMOTERS INDICTED FOR FRAUD

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Richard Watch, of Chicago, Fulton Embrey, of Cincinnati, and Hiram E. Rose, of Owensboro, Ky., have been indicted by the federal grand jury here on a charge of using the mails to promote a fraudulent scheme.

The indictment is the outcome of charges made in connection with the management of the Miguel Plantation company, Vera Cruz, Mexico. Nearly 2,000 persons, it is alleged, were induced to invest in the company. The government charges that investors were promised profits impossible of being realized.

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Miners Killed by Windy Storm. Springfield, Ill., Dec. 9.—John Coleman and Frank Robinson, shot fires, were killed as the result of an explosion due to dust following a windy storm in the Springfield colliery company's mine tonight. Searching parties are hunting for the victims' bodies.

### CONVICT CLAIMS HE IS NEPHEW OF H. H. ROGERS

Renov, Nev., Dec. 9.—C. A. Rogers, who claims to be a nephew of H. H. Rogers, vice president of the Standard Oil company, was sentenced to serve a year in the state penitentiary this morning. He was indicted on two counts for passing fictitious checks on a hotel and gambling parlor, pleaded not guilty when arraigned, but later changed his plea to one of guilty.

Murder Trial Commenced. Butte, Mont., Dec. 9.—The trial of Arthur Bryan, formerly of Cincinnati, on the charge of having murdered George Morhard in this city last September 19, was begun today before District Judge Michael Donahue.

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### WITHDRAW TROOPS FROM CUBA IN THREE MONTHS

Washington, Dec. 9.—Governor Magoon, of Cuba, declared tonight that the American troops will be withdrawn from the island in less than ninety days after the inauguration of Cuba's president. He expressed full confidence in the ability of the Cubans to govern themselves well, saying the two elections already held there is every reason to believe that future elections will be equally satisfactory.

### PROFESSOR LOWELL SAYS WATER EXISTS ON MARS

Boston, Dec. 9.—Professor Percival Lowell today announced that his assistants at his observatory at Flagstaff, Ariz., have determined that the water vapor on Mars is present and measurable.

There has been much controversy with reference to the atmosphere of Mars, and its qualities. Those scientists who disbelieve in any life on the planet have known their contention could be proved if the absence of water vapor could be shown. While Professor Lowell and his staff have been at work seeking what evidence there might be in favor of an atmosphere. Photographs taken about a year ago by Dr. V. N. Slipher at Flagstaff, contained certain spectrum lines which Professor Lowell states clearly indicate water vapor on Mars.

### PINE BLUFF AGAIN MENACED BY FLOODS

Pine Bluff, Ark., Dec. 9.—The entire eastern end of the city again is endangered by the flood waters of the Arkansas river. The water passed the barriers of steel and lumber, causing the ground on the protected side to crumble. Unless the river is checked a number of buildings including the Cotton Hill shops probably will be destroyed.

### To Broaden Theatrical Trust.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Many theaters between Chicago and San Francisco including playhouses in Omaha, Denver and San Francisco, are to be merged into one company according to the Daily News today which credits the story to an authoritative source. Klaw and Erlanger are said to be the prime movers in the extension of the so-called trust.

### Democratic Club Elects Officers.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The National League of Democratic clubs today selected as temporary officers Representative Sulzer of New York, president; W. C. Miller of New York, secretary.

### PRICELESS RELIC OF WAR TIMES ON THE BRAVO

VENERABLE COPY OF NEW MEXICO PRESS

First Newspaper Published in Rio Grande Valley Undamaged by Half a Century in Tin Can.

A most interesting relic of the war times in New Mexico, and a survival of the days twenty years before the founding of the new Albuquerque, is the copy of the New Mexico Press, which was dug up with some old "thin plaster" or "fractional currency" and other relics in old Albuquerque, on Tuesday. The papers were buried in an ordinary tin can about the size of a baking powder can, notwithstanding which they are in a perfect state of preservation, and the New Mexico Press, otherwise known as the "Rio Abajo Press," looks as fresh as if it had been published yesterday.

### MAYOR OF HAGERMAN PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY

Business Will Be Suspended Today in Hagerman Valley Town on This Account—Many Deaths There Recently.

Special Dispatch to the Morning Journal. Hagerman, N. M., Dec. 9.—The hand of death has been laid heavily on this town in the last few days. Mayor James B. McConnell died this evening at 6 o'clock, and his death was preceded only a few hours by that of his sister, Miss Belle McConnell. These two deaths make the fourth in Hagerman since last Saturday, the former two being those of Joseph J. Garnett, a young man twenty-three years of age, and Francis, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sanford.

### Southwestern News Notes

Seven hundred dollars tied up in a red handkerchief and a black and white check, was stolen from the home of Virginia Espinosa, in Phoenix, during the week. Four hundred and sixty dollars of the money has been recovered by Marshal Shreve from Klean Espinosa, a nephew of the woman, who was arrested charged with the theft.

Director E. H. Newell of the United States reclamation service, accompanied by Governor Peck and wife of Hawaii, recently passed through the southwest en route to Washington. Mr. Newell was met at Ash Fork by Engineer L. C. Hill, in charge of the southwestern projects, who accompanied the party to Winslow. Mr. Newell has returned from a careful inspection of conditions in Hawaii as regards irrigation.

Jerome Edwards, convicted of criminal assault upon his cousin, a little girl fifteen years old, was given fifty years imprisonment in Globe, Ariz., by Judge Nave. The defendant pleaded guilty at the trial and was sentenced to the prison after he was sentenced. In passing sentence Judge Nave delivered the prison a searching lecture, declaring that he was absolutely lacking in every vestige of moral fiber.

Another item states that Captain David H. Bartholomew, of company K, Fifth United States cavalry, has left for Santa Fe, accompanied by H. of the Fifth infantry, are just leaving the city where they have been stationed under Captain W. H. Lewis, who fought brilliantly in the battle of Apache canyon.

Stephen Stanley, while watching the fleet of St. Augustine at Isola Esch, suddenly became incensed at something the press states that he fired in a crowd of Indians, killed one and wounded another and faded away because the infuriated Indians had a chance to massacre him.

The home of general news for which credit is given the Denver News, includes the intelligence that the Rebel flag in Mobile bay has been destroyed and the city taken by the Union forces; the Rebels have been expelled at Petersburg and Averell has recaptured it.

The colored globe, used so effectively in the tableaux, was kindly loaned by Electrician Shook and flown by Mrs. Claytable.

Both the Misses Davis will organize chess in this city, one in pipe organ playing and the other in chess.

How One Doctor Successfully Treats Pneumonia. "In treating pneumonia," says Dr. W. J. Smith of Sanders, Ala., "the only remedy I use for the lungs is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. While, of course, I would treat other symptoms with different medicines, I have used this remedy many times in my medical practice and have never failed to find a case where it has not controlled the trouble. I have used it myself, as has also my wife for coughs and colds repeatedly, and I most willingly and cheerfully recommend it as superior to any other cough remedy in my knowledge." For sale by all druggists.

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### PRESIDENT ELECT PUTS IN BUSY DAY

Conference With Speaker Cannon Results in Arrangement for Meeting of Mr. Taft With Republican House Leaders

Washington, Dec. 9.—President-elect Taft's day here was crowded with conferences and social engagements. The important feature was a conference with Speaker Cannon, which caused an arrangement for the republican members of the house committee on ways and means to meet Mr. Taft tomorrow.

It was also arranged that at the conclusion of this conference a statement should be issued to make known the attitude of both the committee and Mr. Taft is to be respecting the forthcoming revision of the tariff.

Mr. Cannon called upon Mr. Taft upon the latter's invitation. After the conference Mr. Taft attended the meeting of the board of trustees of the James fund for the education in the south. Later he took a long walk with Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, and upon returning to the boardman residence received many congressmen.

The president-elect and Mrs. Taft were guests at luncheon of Assistant Secretary of War Oliver and Mrs. Oliver. Tonight they dined with Mrs. Mary Scott Townsend.

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JAMES J. HILL ADVOCATES REDUCTION OF TARIFF

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 9.—Surrounded by many prominent railroad officials, James J. Hill, of St. Paul, tonight made the principal speech at a banquet given in his honor by the Commercial and Creve Coeur clubs of this city.

He reached here on a special train, accompanied by President Harris, of the Burlington system. An invocation was delivered by Bishop John Lancaster Spaulding. In the course of his remarks Mr. Hill advocated the development of the agricultural interests of the country as its future salvation. In thirty years he predicted that the population of this country would be 200,000,000 and that the present methods of agriculture would be inadequate.

He advocated a revision of the tariff saying that it was an utter impossibility at the present prices of everything to build and equip a railroad from Chicago to New York city which would pay a dividend of two per cent per annum.

Mr. Hill left for the east at 12 o'clock tonight.

Choked to Death. A common story of babies who have died of the croup. How unnecessary this is. No child ever had the croup without having a cold or cough at the start. If you will stop the first symptom of the cough with Ballard's Horebalm Syrup there is no danger whatever of croup. Sold by J. H. O'Reilly & Co.

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### FINE PROGRAM AT RECITAL LAST EVENING

Talented Reader and Pipe Organist and Clever Tableaux Features of Entertainment at Congregational Church.

Miss Helen Davis, pipe organist, and Miss Clara Davis, reader, entertained a large audience last night at the Congregational church, with a recital which was also participated in by well known soloists and included two very clever tableaux.

Miss Helen Davis' mastery of the pipe organ is admirable, and her classical numbers last night were particularly fine. Miss Clara Davis pleased her hearers immensely by her lighter work, and one very impressive selection from Van Dyke in more serious vein.

In the first tableaux children were represented praying at their bedside, while angels hovered above; Mrs. Frank sang during this tableau "Our Father in Heaven," and Mr. Gould sang "He Will Give His Angels Charge Over Thee."

The second tableau represented a wedding, with Miss Louise Keith as bride and Mr. Gould as groom, the bride wearing an exquisite white gown with bridal veil and carrying roses. Mr. Peters acted the part of the minister and Master Goodrich was ring bearer, with Miss Alice Nicholas as flower girl.

The six bridesmaids, wearing blue coronets and sashes, white gowns and white flowers, were Misses Lela Scher, Gertrude Ziehl, Nellie Patchin, Edna Patchin, Viola Blucher and Coral Clyde. During the tableaux the Stude quartet sang "The Rose Maiden" bridal chorus.

Another musical number during the entertainment was the "Blaze Song" by Mrs. H. J. Collins. Miss Beatrice Hill gave a clever exhibition of Indian club swinging.

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WRITE FOR MAPS AND PRICES, OR OTHER INFORMATION TO JOHN BECKER, President. THE BELEN TOWN AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY WM. M. BERGER, Secretary.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Contrary to the tentative program, the sixteen battleships of Admiral Sperry's fleet will not rendezvous at New York for the purpose of giving shore leave to the men after leaving Hampton Roads, where they were to be reviewed by President Roosevelt on February 22. Secretary Newberry made a statement to this effect today. Instead, the ships will be inspected at Hampton Roads for the purpose of ascertaining what repairs are necessary, and will then proceed in divisions to their "home yards."

However, a full squadron of eight battleships will remain at Hampton Roads for two weeks and from these vessels the 2,500 officers and men coming to Washington to the inauguration will be detached and the usual amount of shore leave given to those remaining aboard the ships. The ships will eventually head their way to Boston, New York, League Island and Norfolk yards for repairs.







FINANCE AND  
COMMERCE

Wall Street.

New York, Dec. 9.—There was extraordinary variety in the issues dealt in on the stock exchange today and very little news to account for the newly revived interest in them. Transactions were made in a large number of securities that have not appeared on the tape before in months past and only a few times in the course of a year's activities. Others which customarily occupy a place in the background, were rushed forward to the conspicuous forefront of the market. The consequence was a very large scope of different securities of which sales were made and some seasonal price changes when compared with preceding quotations. There was a corresponding retreat in comparative obscurity of many of the stocks, which have furnished the staple for speculative activity for many months. The former leaders in the market were quiet in tone and moved but little. In some respects such a market may be accepted as a reflection of a broadening tendency in the interest felt.

The high-grade standard stocks which are the more representative of general conditions are always first to move in a speculative advance and it is not unusual for lower grade, less representative stocks to be brought into adjustment to the rise in a belated movement. By the time this process has stirred up a movement in stocks of which any value is problematical, the inference is drawn by the practical market operator that a movement is approaching its culmination.

There were appearances to suggest such a conclusion in today's market, but there was less readiness to accept it, owing to the number of times of late when such signs failed. Today's market, in fact, was remarkably free from pressure or from hostile attempts to reverse the prevailing tendency in spite of the admittedly suspicious appearance of the movement. The effective control has been so often demonstrated by the trading leadership that confidence is maintained in its ability to push prices higher by main force if it shall so elect. The bear contingent is timid about contesting so powerful a control, and leaves the advance little contested. There was a fairly effective demonstration in the bank line group, including the coals, during the day. This was the only notable exception to the predominance of the low-grade stocks in the day's dealings. The advance in the Western Union dividend was a favorable factor.

Amalgamated Copper ..... 84 1/2  
Amer. Car and Foundry ..... 46 1/2  
do pfd ..... 108 1/2

Amer. Cotton Oil ..... 42 1/2  
Amer. Tel. and Tel. ..... 128 1/2  
Amer. Hide and Leather pfd ..... 35 1/2  
Amer. Ice Securities ..... 21 1/2  
Amer. Lumber ..... 16 1/2  
Amer. Locomotive ..... 56

do pfd ..... 169  
Amer. Smelt. and Refng ..... 91 1/2  
do pfd ..... 106 1/2  
Amer. Sugar Refng ..... 132 1/2  
Amer. Tobacco pfd ..... 94 1/2  
Amer. Woolen ..... 22

Anacostia Mining Co ..... 50 1/2  
Atchafalaya ..... 98 1/2  
do pfd ..... 162 1/2  
Atlantic Coast Line ..... 110 1/2  
Baltimore and Ohio ..... 109 1/2

do pfd ..... 92 1/2  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit ..... 57  
Canadian Pacific ..... 147 1/2  
Central Leather ..... 29 1/2  
do pfd ..... 101 1/2  
Central of New Jersey ..... 218 1/2  
Chesapeake and Ohio ..... 56 1/2

Chicago Great Western ..... 11 1/2  
Chicago and Northwestern ..... 174 1/2  
C. M. and St. P. ..... 69  
C. C. and St. L. ..... 49 1/2  
Colorado Fuel and Iron ..... 49 1/2  
Colorado and Southern ..... 58 1/2

do 1st pfd ..... 74 1/2  
do 2nd pfd ..... 70  
Consolidated Gas ..... 164 1/2  
Coca Products ..... 17  
Delaware and Hudson ..... 176 1/2  
Denver and Rio Grande ..... 37 1/2

do pfd ..... 82  
Distillers' Securities ..... 31 1/2  
Erie ..... 34 1/2  
do 1st pfd ..... 34 1/2  
do 2nd pfd ..... 35 1/2

General Electric ..... 158 1/2  
Great Northern pfd ..... 42 1/2  
Great Northern ore cts ..... 72

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Navajo Looms, regular price 75c; cut to ..... 50c  
Genuine Mexican Hand-Made Zapatas, size 42 by 20; make handsome portieres or couch covers, regular price \$15.00; cut to \$7.50  
Genuine Mexican Zapatas, size 42 by 20; the prettiest you ever saw, regular price \$22.00; cut to ..... \$12.50  
Genuine Mexican Drawn Work Table Covers, 6 feet square, guaranteed hand-made and all linen; regular price \$20.00; cut to ..... \$18.00  
Genuine Mexican Drawn Work Table Cloths, 33 inches square, guaranteed all linen, regular price \$3.75; cut to ..... \$2.50  
Genuine Mexican Drawn Work Shirt Waist Pattern, complete, regular price \$4.00; cut to ..... \$3.50  
Genuine Mexican Drawn Work Handkerchiefs, regular price 50c; cut to ..... 25c  
Genuine Mexican Drawn Work Collars, regular price 25c; cut to 15c  
Indian Bracelets, Mexican Filigree Jewelry in Gold and Silver, Native Gems, such as Garnets, Topaz, Turquoise and Leather Goods, Japanese Goods, and everything in the novelty line, all to be sold at hard-time prices. Store open every evening until 10 p. m.

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Illinois Central ..... 147 1/2

Interborough-Met ..... 15 1/2

do pfd ..... 36

International Paper ..... 11 1/2

do pfd ..... 56

International Pump ..... 32 1/2

Iowa Central ..... 33

Kansas City Southern ..... 38

do pfd ..... 67 1/2

Louisville and Nashville ..... 129 1/2

Minn. and St. L. ..... 52

Minn. St. P. and St. Ste. M. ..... 131 1/2

Missouri Pacific ..... 66 1/2

M. K. and T. ..... 71 1/2

do pfd ..... 83

National Lead ..... 83

New York Central ..... 117 1/2

N. Y. Ontario and Western ..... 46 1/2

Norfolk and Western ..... 85 1/2

North American ..... 75 1/2

Northern Pacific ..... 143 1/2

Pacific Mail ..... 37

Pennsylvania ..... 100 1/2

People's Gas ..... 87 1/2

Pitts. C. C. and St. L. ..... 87 1/2

Pressed Steel Car ..... 39 1/2

Pulman Palace Car ..... 171

Railway Steel Spring ..... 43

Reading ..... 142

Republic Steel ..... 26 1/2

do pfd ..... 86 1/2

Rock Island Co. ..... 24 1/2

do pfd ..... 69 1/2

St. L. and San Fran 2nd pfd ..... 46

St. L. Southwestern ..... 25 1/2

St. P. and N. W. ..... 53 1/2

St. P. and N. W. pfd ..... 78

Sloss-Sheffield ..... 78

Southern Pacific ..... 129

do pfd ..... 123 1/2

Southern Railway ..... 25 1/2

do pfd ..... 69 1/2

Tenn. Copper ..... 44 1/2

Texas and Pacific ..... 34 1/2

Toledo, St. L. and Western ..... 41 1/2

do pfd ..... 66

Union Pacific ..... 157 1/2

do pfd ..... 84

United States Rubber ..... 109 1/2

do 1st pfd ..... 109 1/2

United States Steel ..... 54

do pfd ..... 112

Utah Copper ..... 47 1/2

Virginia Carolina Chemical ..... 14 1/2

do pfd ..... 114

Wabash ..... 19 1/2

do pfd ..... 16

Westinghouse Electric ..... 50 1/2

Western Union ..... 69 1/2

Wheeling and Lake Erie ..... 11 1/2

Wisconsin Central ..... 22 1/2

Total sales for the day 1,074,200 shares.

Bonds were firm; total sales, par value, \$7,650,000.

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D. B. ROBERTSON, Business Manager.  
Return and subscribed before me, a Notary Public in and for the Territory and County aforesaid, the 31st day of November, 1908.

(Said.)  
The Morning Journal has a higher circulation rating than is accorded to any other paper in Albuquerque or any other daily in New Mexico.—The American Newspaper Directory.

ALBUQUERQUE — NEW MEXICO

## UP TO THE COURTS.

In the court news department of yesterday's issue of the Morning Journal mention was made of the fact that County Assessor Grunfeld had made a demand upon the board of county commissioners for fees at the rate of four per cent upon the face of the assessment rolls of the last two years, and that the board had refused to comply with his demand, but had offered him two per cent in full for his services, which he refused. It is understood that Mr. Grunfeld will now bring suit against the county for the payment of his fees at the rate of four per cent, on the ground that the action of the last legislature, which attempted to reduce the fees of the office from four to two per cent, was invalid, in that it was in violation of the organic act of the territory, which forbids the legislature to reduce the fees or emoluments of a county officer during the term for which he may have been elected.

On the other hand, it will be set up by the county that there was a pledge given to the people by Mr. Grunfeld, and all the other candidates on the ticket upon which he ran, that they would waive their legal rights under the organic law, and accept such reduced compensation as the legislature might ordain, and in support of this contention the following pledges are submitted, which were signed by all the candidates, and given general publicity through the press and other wise.

"Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 16, 1908.  
"We the undersigned candidates for the legislature on the people's ticket, hereby pledge ourselves that if elected we will do our utmost to secure the passage of laws which will result in the reduction of the present exorbitant salaries of county officers to a basis of fair compensation for services rendered."

This was signed by J. F. Sutor, candidate for the council and R. Rupp and Francisco Lucero y Montoya, candidates for the house of representatives, and was accompanied by the following endorsement:

"And we, the undersigned, candidates for the several county offices on the people's ticket, do hereby pledge ourselves that we will do everything in our power to assist our legislative candidates to secure the passage of the laws mentioned in the foregoing pledge by said legislative candidates."

Signed by all the candidates for county offices on the people's ticket including Mr. Grunfeld.

Acts for the reduction of fees and salaries to take effect at some date in the future had been passed by former legislatures, but county officers had always been able to bring to bear sufficient influence to cause their repeal before the time for them to go into effect, and for that reason the people of this county desired the candidates for whom they were to vote to pledge themselves to do to take effect at once, and the people believed

this was being accomplished when the foregoing pledges were signed. It was the understanding, expressed or implied, that a reduction of salaries to take effect at once, should be ordained and accepted, and it is now up to the courts to determine whether such a contract can be enforced.

## NOT THE RIGHT LESSON.

The deficit in the national treasury for the first seven months of the current year aggregated \$54,000,000. The deficit in November alone was \$10,000,000. A contemplation of these figures suggests the desirability of upward rather than downward revision of the tariff.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Our California neighbor put his figures correctly, but he argues very far from the mark when he declares that the lesson they teach us is that tariff revision should be upward rather than downward. On the contrary, they teach about as plainly as figures can teach anything that Mr. Carnegie is correct when he declares that the most of our "infant industries" have become sufficiently developed to stand alone, and that the sort of revision we need at present is one that will give us more revenue, rather than more protection. It shows by figures as clear as those in which the national deficit is stated, that many of our leading industries are able to compete successfully with all the world, without any protection. He shows, for instance, that steel rails can be made and sold cheaper here than anywhere else on earth, and yet they are protected by a tariff of \$17 a ton. In view of such facts how could it possibly improve the national revenue to make still higher a tariff that is already unnecessary, and prohibitory?

Could we not do much more to develop the country, and increase the prosperity of the people, thereby incidentally increasing the public revenue, by enlarging the field of railway construction, than by increasing the already exorbitant profits of the steel rail manufacturers?

## AN UNTENABLE POSITION.

Professor Guglielmo Ferrero, who is writing a history of Rome that commands the respectful attention of scholars and critics, in a lecture before the Lowell Institute of Boston, last Tuesday night likened Horace, the Latin poet, to "a modern press agent," who makes it his business to extol the virtues of wine in order to increase its consumption. The lecturer, among other things, said: "The odes of Horace were not written in striving for literary merit, but for a commercial reason. Vineyards and olive orchards in his time covered practically the whole of Italy. Consequently the people were peaceful and did not want war, because war might injure their industries. To realize the position of Horace in his time," added the lecturer, "imagine one of the great poets of Europe today writing a magnificent poem extolling the use of opium and the pleasures to be derived from that drug."

But the San Francisco Chronicle opines that it will be difficult for most moderns who have read the odes of Horace to think of him as a poet for hire. It is true that his poems are filled with allusions to the juice of the grape, but they appear to be naturally employed and not dragged in for commercial purposes. If the latter influenced him in any particular, he carefully disguised the fact, for he extols with impartiality the domestic and foreign product of the vine.

## WORK FOR THE EXTRA SESSION.

According to the Washington Star, reports received at the capital from Hot Springs indicate that Mr. Taft, when he calls congress in extraordinary session March 15, will expect legislation other than action upon the tariff. The extra session will be called primarily for tariff revision, but its work need not be limited to that subject, and congress once in session can remain as long as it chooses and do what it pleases. So that the senate and house are in union.

The rough hewing of the tariff bill will be accomplished during the regular session by the committee on ways and means, and probably will be in shape to present to the house for debate and passage immediately after the assembling of the extra session. It is thought that the bill will be laid before the senate by the end of March. Then while the senate exercises its functions as the greatest deliberative body on earth, the house will have time on its hands to devote to other legislative affairs.

According to the reports from Hot Springs, these are the subjects upon

which Mr. Taft will desire to have congress act.

Federal supervision and control of the issuance of stocks and bonds by transportation companies doing business between and among the states.

Amendment of the Sherman anti-trust act, to enable railways, under strict supervision of the interstate commerce commission, to make pooling arrangements among themselves regarding rates for freight and passenger traffic.

Supervision and inspection by some department of the government of large corporations engaged in interstate commerce business, with regard to capitalization, with a view to preventing watering of investment issues.

Coordination of the work of the department of justice, the department of commerce and labor and the interstate commerce commission in prosecution of trusts and general supervision of interests coming under their purview by statute.

The consideration of bills for the admission of the territories of New Mexico and Arizona to the union as states.

Enactment of the recommendations of the currency commission, if that body is ready to report a definite plan for currency reform, as result of its investigations in the capital of Europe during the past summer.

It will be recognized immediately, adds the Star, that all of these are "Roosevelt policies" which Mr. Taft has pledged himself to carry out during his term in the presidential office, so far as his own recommendation, urging and insistence can encompass that end. None of the advisers from Hot Springs or elsewhere tell of any other plans of the prospective president, but that omission is not subject of comment, since statements in congress realize that the new president will have his hands full carrying out the policies set and dried for him by his predecessor without urging anything new.

## AN INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION.

The movement which has been inaugurated in this country and in Great Britain in favor of co-operation, or what is now commonly called "profit-sharing," between employer and employee, is the first step in what gives promise of developing into a world-wide industrial revolution. The fact that this has already been installed in some of the most extensive industrial establishments of this country, and seems to be making even more progress in England than it has made here.

The latest instance of an important movement in this direction on the other side of the water, is detailed in a recent dispatch from London, which tells us that Sir Christopher Furness, M. P., who is the head of one of the greatest ship-building concerns in the world, recently called a mass meeting of his employees, who number over three thousand, and informed them of his determination to adopt the profit-sharing plan in the conduct of the great business of the company. The full capacity of the yards, he said, in which the experiment would be tried was twenty-four steamers. He had decided at once, on his own account, to give orders for six vessels at the Harbort Dockyard and six at Middleton Shipyard, orders which came with the building of twelve sets of engines.

This and other statements were received with marked enthusiasm. Councilor Little of the Joiners' Society, who presided, says the dispatch, declared his confidence that the whole scheme was worthy of a most sincere and earnest trial.

Looking to the immediate future, he was not without hope that, if they could only fill their building berths, and as a result of their more harmonious, industrious and efficient working could secure at the end of twelve months profits such as had been made in good years in the shipbuilding industry, the proportion of surplus divided according to the employees' share would be a distinct contribution alongside the 1 per cent paid on their share contributions, and in view of the necessary allowances which must be set aside for depreciation, improvements and repairs, he was satisfied that in a few years his co-partners would find that their shares had become materially enhanced in value. But, after all, it was not pounds, shillings and pence, but personal peace, individual freedom from worry on the part of them all, which he pictured as the most dividend to be anticipated as an outcome of their new departure.

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"ABOMINABLE falsehood" while not so short and ugly as some, is good.

STATEHOOD is coming rapidly to a show down.

THE DUTCH are threatening to toss a few pretzels over into Caracas.

IT IS REGRETTABLE that the jangle of the shovels should deafen a man to the sound of his own pledged promises.

THE FIRST automobile has arrived in San Marcel and the whole populace spends its time on the streets watching it.

THE GLITTER of the elusive dollar appears to have more fascination for the assessor than the interest of the people.

IT BEGINS to appear that when Sig plodded himself to lower salaries he referred only to Rio Arriba or Chaves counties.

IT APPEARS from Mr. Roosevelt's recent letter that there are newspapers and other newspapers. This statement is incontrovertible.

THOSE ENGLISHMEN have a delicate sense of civility and only look vexed when the suffragettes tear their hair out.

CHICAGO is in a stew because dead persons were voted at a primary. Which is only another indication that New Mexico is ten years ahead of the Windy City.

THE HON. EM Frost appears to be vexed. Can it be there is any hitch in his little scheme to make the Almanac "Exhibit A" in the proposed School of Archaeology?

A HANDSOME prize will be awarded the lucky gent who can guess how many times the word "falsehood" occurs in the letter of T. Roosevelt to Mr. Foulke on the subject of some newspapers.

"WHERE IS the dog in New Mexico's manner?" anxiously and innocently queries the Almanac. A disinclination to indulge in personalities and a delicate regard for the feelings of the Hon. Em Frost makes it difficult to reply frankly.

THE COMPROMETER has evidently slipped another cog and there are grave reasons to fear that the Almanac's subscription list has fallen off another hundred. At any rate something has again penetrated the somewhat callous epidermis of the former register of the United States land office. The distinguished former printer who charged \$12.38 a page says in the most recent issue of that invaluable publication, the Almanac:

"The most despicable sheets in New Mexico are the Albuquerque Morning Stockholder and the Roswell Daily Copperhead. They are the ash pans of New Mexico's journalism and wield about as much influence as a New Mexico goat would while grazing on the top of Mt. Baldy. They are visible but not well to look upon in any way."

## What the Editors of the Southwest Are Saying

### Foxy John.

John D. says he has quit thinking of money and joined the Brotherhood of Man. He took the precaution to get most of the money, however, before joining.—Tucson Citizen.

### Limit of Audacity.

We always knew that President Roosevelt feared neither man nor the devil. We had supposed, though, that human courage, like everything else human, had its limitations, but in the case of the president it appears to be unbounded, else he would not have invited the feminine buzzing about his ears which is bound to follow his letter to Dr. Lyman Abbott on the subject of woman suffrage.—Phoenix Republican.

### The Close of Clovis.

Clovis is certainly up and coming and no town in the southwest has a greater future. The ring of the hammer and the buzz of the saw can be heard from early 'til late at night. The recent visit of the railroad officials and the assurance that we are soon to have greatly things in railroad improvements have had a stimulating effect on business conditions and property has accordingly advanced in value.—Clovis News.

### Breaking Records.

The conviction of a burglar at El Paso last week caused great rejoicing. El Paso may in time convict a murderer.—Deming Headlight.

### Fighting Bill Mullane.

Our worthy 123 Mayor J. M. Dye has forbidden this paper to publish his name in the future under penalty of "settling the matter personally." He was told that the best time to settle was the present, for his name would be published as often as necessary. Men never get so fearful of dangerous that they can "bustle" this paper, and especially is this meant for J. M. Dye to whom the paper owes nothing in any way.—Carlsbad Current.

### For that Dull Feeling After Eating.

I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time, and can testify that they have done me more good than any tablets I have ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating.—David Freeman, Kempt, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve the digestion. They also regulate the liver and bowels. They are far superior to pills but cost no more. Get a free sample at J. H. O'Reilly's drug store and see what a splendid medicine it is.

If you want GOOD boards, try the Columbus Hotel.

## HEAVY PURCHASES OF FINE LAND AT BLUEWATER

Farmers Rapidly Settling Up Fertile Valley Which Will Be Great Agricultural Section; Lime Kilns Installed.

Bluewater, N. M., Dec. 9.—Every one is busy in Bluewater, and many new settlers are coming in.

Mr. William Nitzsche, of California, has purchased a farm in the Bluewater valley, and removed his family. He now has his house completed. Mr. Nitzsche was foreman of a large ranch in Southern California.

Mr. Jake Goetz of the Estancia valley, has removed to Bluewater, and is busily preparing his land for next year's crops.

Mr. Sam V. May, of the Estancia valley, has purchased a farm in the same section as Mr. Goetz.

Mr. John T. Branson, of Holly, Colo., has removed his family to Bluewater, and purchased a large acreage in the central part of the valley. Mr. Branson is an experienced irrigation farmer from Colorado. He sent his goods overland by wagon, and his teams, which are the finest in the Bluewater valley, arrived in splendid condition. His new house is now completed.

Mr. Clarence B. Spooner, of Albuquerque, has purchased 162 acres in the central portion of the valley, and has a large force at work plowing. Mr. Spooner is one of the energetic kind of men, who are sure to make a success. He will have his entire 162 acres in cultivation next spring.

Mr. J. G. Walker, of Albuquerque, has purchased a farm near the Bluewater headquarters, and is rapidly getting his land in condition for next year's crops.

Mr. L. O. Dutton, formerly superintendent of schools at Fremont, Ind., has purchased a farm adjoining Mr. Walker's. Mr. Dutton is the efficient teacher of the Bluewater school, and has made many friends during his short sojourn in the Bluewater valley, and says he would not return to Indiana for half the state.

Mr. Charles C. Carpenter, of Los Angeles, Cal., has purchased considerable acreage, and will have same in cultivation next year.

Mr. Francis N. Shelton, of Missouri is one of the progressive new settlers in the Bluewater valley, and will have a large acreage in cultivation. Mr. Shelton has with him his friend, Lieutenant McGuirk, one of the popular officers from Fort Leavenworth.

Mr. Thomas Davy, of Colorado, has selected acreage for an apple and cherry farm in the Bluewater valley.

Mr. Henry F. Brock, recently from Deming, N. M., has recently completed a two-story, nine-room house, with all modern improvements, including porcelain fitted bath room, etc. Mr. Brock is, perhaps, the heaviest investor in the Bluewater valley, and has expended several thousand dollars in improvements.

Mr. Granville F. Brock is placing under cultivation in the southern part of the Bluewater valley, a large acreage.

Mr. Black, of Deming, N. M., has completed his new residence in the Brock neighborhood, and is busily engaged in plowing.

Mr. Clarence B. Spooner, of Albuquerque, backed by ample capital, has a large force of men at work constructing new lime kilns within a short distance of the Bluewater station, and will be producing lime within the next thirty days. The lime deposits at Bluewater are known for their purity. Analyzing them they are found to be over 99 per cent pure lime. It is reported that the Santa Fe railroad will, at once, build a track to the kilns.

Heavy snows cover the entire range of the Zuni mountains back of the Bluewater reservoir.

The United States government has recently established auxiliary weather bureau stations at the Bluewater reservoir and also in the Bluewater valley.

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esteem and affection of her family, who were convinced that the children should remain with their mother. It was true, Mr. Roussett, continued, "that George Gould was somewhat apprehensive when he learned his sister wished to marry Prince Helle de Sagan, because he realized that de Sagan was related to the de Castellane family, which his sister had just succeeded in leaving. He gave his consent, however, when he saw that his sister's heart was set upon the marriage. The lawyer said he was convinced that the de Sagan household would be happy, but if a scandal broke out, George Gould would be the first to ask that the children be removed. He concluded by begging the court not to separate the children from their mother."

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## WIFE MURDER CASE AT BELLINGHAM NEARS CLOSE

Bellingham, Wash., Dec. 9.—The state rested this afternoon in the case of J. K. Thomas, charged with the murder of his divorced wife, and the opening statement was made for the defense. It is understood that the defense will finish Thursday and the case will be in the hands of the jury by Saturday night. J. B. Abrams for the defense, said he was prepared to show that the woman had often threatened Thomas's life, and the homicide was committed after the woman had attempted to shoot her former husband. The woman was killed about midnight July 19. After the shooting Thomas slept beside the corpse until morning, and two days later buried the corpse, staying about the place until arrested, six weeks later.

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## GRIDIRON HEROES BANQUETED AT ALVARADO

### BOYS TOASTED FOR THEIR BRILLIANT RECORD

Varsity Team, Regents and Faculty Guests at Annual Dinner Party; Flattering Prospects for Next Season.

seventeen husky football players who represented the University of New Mexico on the gridiron during the past season, sat down to a delicious banquet given in their honor by Dr. J. H. Wright, of the board of regents of the institution, at the Alvarado hotel last night. The members of the squad took their places at the banquet table with satisfaction which comes of duty well done. The '08 football team has probably been more successful on the gridiron than any other eleven that ever represented the university.

During the past season the eleven wrestled victory from every opponent in the territory, and only went down in defeat once, at the hands of the University of Arizona, a defeat in many senses a victory.

The banquet spread before the gridiron heroes was the best that Fred Harvey could serve, and was an epicurean delight from the first to the last course. At the conclusion of the banquet Dr. Wright, who acted as toastmaster, called upon several of the guests to respond to toasts, the first speaker being Frank W. Clancy, president of the board of regents of the university.

Mr. Clancy's remarks were brief, but of a very complimentary nature, indicating that the president of the board was highly pleased with the results achieved by the 'varsity eleven, and expressing the hope the athletes would be encouraged to a still greater extent in the future.

Lawrence Lee, manager of the eleven, responded to the toast "The Team." During the course of his remarks, Mr. Lee took occasion to publicly thank the board of regents, the members of the faculty and the people of Albuquerque for the excellent support which had been rendered to the football team during the season. R. H. Conway, who coached the eleven, and to whom a great deal of credit is due for the success of the team, made a few remarks on football matters, past and present, and then recited a number of experiences with the boys playing on an eastern college team.

Dr. Wright, president of the univer-

sity, was called upon by the toastmaster and paid a handsome compliment to the members of the team for the excellent manner in which they had conducted themselves during the football season. Mr. Wright made the football men blush when he drew a letter from his pocket, and read it aloud to his guests.

The letter was signed by Colonel William of the New Mexico Military Institute at Russell, and was to the effect that the 'varsity football team was the most gentlemanly and well-behaved lot of athletes who had ever visited the Russell institution. Prof. M. F. Angell, who formerly coached the eleven, was called upon and enumerated the difficulties encountered in attempting to turn out a winning team.

Walter Allen, half back and captain of the eleven, was called upon, and made a neat speech, in which he said that he had played on the 'varsity team for four years, and was delighted at last to be able to say he had played on a winning team.

Chalmers McConnell, one of the gridiron stars, was also called upon, and made a few remarks.

The banquet was brought to a close by a spirited talk by Dr. Wright, who told the boys that he did not care what they did during the coming year so long as they defeated the University of Arizona the next time they met them on the gridiron.

Dr. Wright gives the banquet annually to the football team, whether it is victorious or not.

"When we sit down to this banquet in December, next year," said the speaker, "I hope I will be able to call upon the captain of your team, and ask him to tell how the University of New Mexico defeated that of Arizona."

From the tone of expressions at the banquet last night, it is very likely that the varsity will have a good coach next year. There is every indication that a fine lot of material will be on hand with which to form a team eleven and with a good coach they can devote all his time to the team, there is no reason why the University of New Mexico cannot clean up everything in the football line in the Southwest.

Those present at the banquet were: Messrs. F. W. Clancy, Dr. J. H. Wright, President W. G. T. Wright, Prof. M. F. Angell, Prof. R. E. Asplund, Prof. Clark, H. H. Conwell, Lawrence Lee, Edward Safford, Edward Rame, Michael J. McGinnis, J. J. Sullivan, R. W. Ahrens, Walter R. Allen, Gillette Cornish, H. E. Marsh, Chalmers McConnell, Charles Lambie, Oscar Patton, J. Allen, Fred White, Clark Train, Lawrence L. Selva, William Wright.

The 'varsity boys after the banquet serenaded the Morning Journal, the Commercial Club and other places, and made a joyful noise generally.

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## NEW OFFICERS FOR WILL BEGIN WORK ON BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

Charitable Organization Closes Busy Year and Elects Strong Roster of Women to Serve During Coming Year.

A large number of ladies attended the annual meeting of the Non-Sectarian Benevolent Society, held in P. W. Clancy's office yesterday afternoon. Much routine business was transacted, including the reading of the annual reports of the president, secretary and treasurer. The reports contained the information that the work of the organization during 1908 had been exceedingly satisfactory to the officers, notwithstanding the fact that there were many calls for assistance from poor persons and families than have ever been made before. The ladies reported that forty-four Thanksgiving dinners, which were real dinners, with all the necessary trimmings, had been served to various persons on Thanksgiving day. This was an increase of fifteen dinners over any previous Thanksgiving day. In this connection the retiring officers desire to extend their thanks to the school children of the city as well as the members of the churches, the Ministers' alliance, and all others who generously donated food and clothing for distribution Thanksgiving.

The officers elected yesterday to serve during the coming year are as follows: President, Mrs. Amadeo Chavez, vice president, Mrs. Alfred Grunfeld, treasurer, Mrs. Frank Wilson, secretary, Mrs. B. A. Baker, auditor, Mrs. A. B. Stroup.

The meeting unanimously adopted a resolution extending a vote of thanks to the retiring officers, complimenting them upon the excellent record they had made while in charge of the business of the society.

Respectfully yours,

R. W. D. BRYAN,

Secretary of the Park Commission.

Elaborate Plan Under Way.

The commission has had under consideration for several months the improvement of the Highland Park and the action of the city council at its last meeting was a result of the efforts of the commission, aided by a large number of enterprising citizens, to solve the problem. The configuration of the block of ground donated by the city for park purposes some years ago, and the nature of the soil presented some difficulties and called for an expenditure of more money than the treasury of the park commission afforded. If anything like a park was developed within a reasonable period, in order that no money could be wasted, the commission determined early in the consideration of the subject that it was necessary to have a definite grading and planting plan so that each year as the money received from taxes was expended, it could be paid out in the development of the park and in at least a portion of the park could in this way each year be completed in accordance with the plan. Landscape architecture is a science and its students are expensive luxuries. An eminent Los Angeles architect offered to make a plan such as was desired for \$300, which was a large fraction of the total amount in the commission's treasury. In this dilemma, a suggestion was made that the United States Forestry Service was fortunate in having among its officers an skilled in park designing and upon application his assistance might be secured. Upon the needs of the city being made known to the chief forester, he willingly consented to give the needed assistance and at once assigned Mr. Mattson to design for the city a suitable plan for the contemplated park. Last September Mr. Mattson arrived in the city, visited the proposed park and as soon as he had examined the ground, presented himself before the commission and made a strong plea that an additional block of ground be secured on the east of the park for its enlargement. He argued that one block of ground was not large enough for such a park as the city needed and that owing to the slope of the ground, if another block could be added, an entirely new park could be developed, and that the two blocks would be on a level and would be much more than would be incurred with the present

## HIGHLAND PARK AT ONCE

PARK COMMISSION TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS

Elaborate Tree Planting System Designed by Representative of the Forestry Service Will Aid the Work.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners yesterday afternoon a resolution was passed directing the secretary to thank the city council for its action in appropriating funds for enlarging the park and the following letter was at once directed to the council:

December 9, 1908.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Albuquerque:

Dear Sirs:—At a meeting this afternoon of the Park Commission of the City of Albuquerque, I was instructed to thank you most heartily and sincerely for your appropriation of \$2000 to assist in the purchase of a block of ground needed to double the size of the Highland Park.

On account of its central location Highland Park will be a favored resort for the residents of our city. On account of its location, giving a fine view over the valley, we believe it will always attract and when improved become a very popular resort.

It is the purpose of the Commission to make the park a credit to the city, as rapidly as our funds will permit.

It was wise on your part to make it possible to enlarge the park, for the reason that it was too small before for the accommodation of the large numbers living in its vicinity, and because on account of the configuration of the ground it will not cost as much proportionately for its improvement.

We are satisfied that the people of the entire city heartily approve your action, and that more directly benefited, are duly appreciative.

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## VIGOROUS ATTACK ON THE FEVER

County Commissioners Name Assistant Health Officers Who Will Go to Work at Once Under County Health Officer.

The county health officer and the board of health have lost no time in taking advantage of the offer of the county commissioners to furnish health officers to assist in stamping out scarlet fever in the suburbs of Albuquerque. Chairman Grunfeld of the board yesterday appointed Jose Salazar, Leonardo Hunick and Tomas Werner as assistants to Dr. McLaughlin. These men, all of whom are well acquainted with the people in the nearby districts, will go to work this morning. Every house in the infected districts will be visited and wherever scarlet fever is found a rigid quarantine will be established.

The campaign to stop the fever will be vigorous and will be continued until every case has disappeared. The board of health and the county health officer are confident that this program will result in a speedy checking of the fever.

Davis Case Goes to Jury.

Omaha, Dec. 9.—The case of Charles E. Davis, charged with the murder of Dr. Frederick Rustin, was given in its entirety this afternoon. The entire day was spent by William F. Gurley, chief counsel for Davis, and by State's Attorney English in summing up the case.

## NEW YORK CHAUFFEUR GETS LIMIT FOR SPEEDING

New York, Dec. 9.—The most severe penalty for violation of the automobile speed laws—thirty days in prison and a fine of \$750—was the judgment of the special sessions court today upon Felix L. Drott, a chauffeur. It was the third time he had been charged with reckless driving. For every dollar which the prisoner is unable to pay of the fine, a day in prison will be the penalty.

one block. Mr. Mattson was so interested in the matter that the park commission determined to follow his advice. After conference with the owners of the adjoining block and with many friends of the enterprise, it was determined to secure the adjoining block. The commission appeared before the city council about a month ago and presented the matter; a large number of petitions were also presented, signed by a great number of people and the press of the city urged the council to help the commission secure the desired land. The matter was referred to a finance committee of the council and at the last meeting Chairman Neustadt recommended that the council appropriate \$2000 towards the purchase of the land. By a unanimous vote the recommendation of the committee was adopted and the enlargement of the park was thus assured.

The commission will now proceed with the improvement as soon as Mr. Mattson has completed his plan. As this is a matter of great importance and as many people are deeply interested in it, especially as this is the first park of any magnitude which has been provided for out of the public funds, the park commission will probably call a public meeting next week for the purpose of discussing the best methods to adopt to secure as quickly as possible the result desired.

## AN ATTRACTIVE CALENDAR FOR 1909

By far the most attractive calendar that has been brought to our notice this year is that issued by the Pabst Brewing Co. of Milwaukee in connection with their popular malt extract, sold and known everywhere under the name of Pabst Extract. The "Pabst" Tonic. Like the preparation it represents, this charming calendar—of exquisite and appealing beauty—stands out in contrast and is exceptionally unique among art calendars for 1909.

The Pabst Extract Rose Girl Calendar, as it is called, is rich in color, exclusive in design, with a touch of sentiment that makes a strong appeal to every lover of the beautiful. It portrays a charming girl in the bud of life bending gracefully over a great garden full of American Beauty roses, while in the background and looking from under a cool, inviting trellis, overhanging with vines, one can see a magnificent stretch of green award leading up to a quaint old colonial home. So skillfully has the artist worked that his conception that it is difficult to find words that will do justice to his achievement.

It is quite impossible, however, to give to any one who has not seen the original, an adequate idea of the indescribable charm and womanly beauty with which the sweet face of this girl-woman in the foreground is endowed. Indeed, it is no exaggeration to say that no more beautiful calendar for 1909 could adorn the walls of any home, den or office.

A copy of the calendar, free from advertising, 7x10 inches, may be obtained by mailing ten cents in stamps or coin to Pabst Extract Dept., 218 Chestnut St., Milwaukee, Wis.

## GOOD ATTENDANCE AT COMMERCIAL CLUB DANCE

Regular Function Turned Into a Negligee Affair, Proved Highly Enjoyable.

The regular Commercial club dance was unusually well attended last night, the affair being a negligee event, and none the less enjoyable on that account. Tempting refreshments were served, the music was excellent and altogether the occasion was a success. The university boys serenaded the guests during the evening. Those present were Mrs. W. S. Hopewell, Mrs. A. L. Richmond, Mrs. M. O. Chadbourne, Mrs. Charles White, Mrs. Andrew, Misses Minnie Holman, Alice Haldridge, Winifred, Adele, Elsie, Ruth, Grace, Grace Borradaile, Margaret Schuster, Eugenia Kiebler, Lillian Spitz, Lisa Dieckmann, Miss Underwood, of Nashville, Tenn., Messrs. Albert Faber, Ernest S. Jones, R. F. Landoll, Roy Stamm, A. W. Cleland, John Borradaile, Jerry Johnson, L. M. Way, A. M. Latus, Leon Hertzog, E. G. Schweizer, R. H. Gibson, T. M. Donnelly, M. O. Chadbourne, Dr. E. J. Allen, Geo. S. Piccard, Julius Skob, J. Benson Newell, C. S. White, W. J. White, D. D. Branson, Lloyd Sturges and N. O. McCroden. The Cavanaugh orchestra furnished the music.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE MAGNATES IN SESSION

Baseball Clubs Earnestly Urged to Enforce Anti-Betting Rule.

New York, Dec. 9.—The American league magnates opened their session by formally awarding the pennant of 1908 to the Detroit team. A resolution adopted was that no player for admission to grounds would be given to visiting clubs. The meeting accepted the drafting clause favorably received by the National league, which limits the drafting period to major leagues from September 1 to September 15. The rule will be in force from now on.

At the National league the time limit for return of players to clubs on waiver was reduced to five days during the playing season.

The indiscriminate issuance of passes by league clubs was discussed at length, and clubs were urged, in view of the anti-race track betting legislation, to take extra precautions in enforcing the league's law against betting in the stands.

Naval Officers Transferred.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Captain U. R. Harris, commandant of the naval station at Cavite, Philippine Islands, has been detached from duty there and ordered home. The command of the station will be assumed by Captain A. P. Naylor, who will relinquish command of the receiving ship Washburn at Boston, December 14, and sail for his new post from San Francisco about January 3.

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## LASSEOOED TAFT ON STATEHOOD

Governor Curry Reported to Have Obtained Speedy Results in Interview at Hot Springs.

The Hot Springs, Virginia, correspondent of the New York Herald, gives an interesting version of Governor Curry's visit to the president-elect last week in the following special dispatch appearing in Saturday's Herald:

Hot Springs, Va., Friday.—Judge Taft is in favor of immediate statehood for New Mexico. Governor Geo. Curry, of that territory, came here today and entered the president-elect in the campaign, and when the governor left he said he had "lapsed and haggard" Mr. Taft, and that he believed with the influence of the incoming administration behind it New Mexico would shine in the galaxy of states before March 4.

Mr. Curry, a former Rough Rider, and a protégé of Mr. Roosevelt, landed here this morning. He came to "prop" Mr. Taft and he did it in record style. The president-elect told him he did not desire to interfere with the work of the present congress, but that he would do all he could to promote the passage of the enabling act that would make New Mexico a state, even to asking Senator Beveridge to change his mind on the subject.

## DENVER MAN MATCHED TO FIGHT KENNEDY

After scouring the southwest for almost two weeks in his efforts to find a suitable opponent for Professor Kennedy, Major Rump, of the Albuquerque Athletic club, yesterday afternoon signed Rob Walker, of Denver, and Professor Kennedy to box fifteen rounds as a wind-up to the club's monthly smoker, which is to be held on the 19th of the present month.

The club officials and members are highly elated over their success in securing Walker to box Kennedy, as he is considered one of the fastest and cleverest welterweights in the west, and should he perform as he has done in the past there should be a rattling exhibition of the fistic game.

Kennedy, almost continually in training, starting work in earnest yesterday, determined to fit himself for a strenuous bout. Although confident he will score a victory, he realizes that in Walker he meets one of the best 142 pound men in the country, and does not intend to take any chances.

Walker arrived in town from Denver yesterday and will start training today. He is not a stranger here, as those who attended the exhibitions during the fair will remember he boxed a fast six-round bout with Private Quinn, of the Fort Logan Infantry.

## ROCKY FORD BANKER CONVICTED OF FRAUD

La Junta, Colo., Dec. 9.—E. J. Smith, cashier of the defunct Rocky Ford state bank, was found guilty tonight of receiving deposits when he knew the bank was insolvent. The jury had reached a verdict after ten minutes' deliberation. The minimum punishment is five years in the penitentiary. Smith's attorney will ask for a new trial.

## Williams' Credentials Presented.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The credentials of John Sharp Williams, until recently democratic leader of the house for his first senatorial term, beginning March 4, 1911, were laid before the senate today.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

John Sawtelle and Lynn Gray, two youths, sixteen and seventeen years of age, respectively, self-confessed burglars, were taken to the county jail yesterday afternoon to await the action of the grand jury, being unable to furnish the \$250 bonds which were asked of each of them for their appearance at the next term of court.

The lads accepted their fate without any show of emotion. Sawtelle and Gray were the leaders of a gang of desperate young criminals who succeeded in keeping the police busy for three weeks before they were caught. During the three weeks Sawtelle and Gray robbed the Albuquerque Carriage company, J. Korber & Co., J. Mandell's store, J. A. Skinner's grocery store and a pool hall on North Third street.

The 'varsity girls basketball team defeated the Indian school girls at the Casino last night by the score of 15 to 6. The win at the end of the first half was 10 to 4 in favor of the varsity. A large crowd attended the game. The line-up of the varsity team was as follows: Marie Durkin, jump ball center, Jennie Walsh and Blida Snowberger, centers, Miriam Cook and Mae McMillin, guards; Luthy Eide and Alice McMillin, forwards. In the second half Jean Hubbs played running center and Cleo Kelly and Myrtle Morris guards.

Navajo Tribe No. 3, Improved Order of Redmen, entertained the Ladies of the Degree of Pocahontas in their hall last night. Progressive high five was one of the features of the evening's entertainment. Miss Dorothy Motenbacher was awarded the ladies' prize, and C. L. Kessler, the gentlemen's prize. Mr. and Mrs. J. Stroud won the consolation prize. At the conclusion of the card party, dancing was commenced, which was indulged in until an early hour in the morning. Before the social session commenced, the chiefs' degree was conferred upon Blida Striden.

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### Foreword.

Washington, Dec. 9.—New Mexico  
and Arizona—Fair Thursday and  
Friday.

Insure in the Occidental Life.

R. W. Hunt, general merchant, of  
Mountainair, is in the city on a brief  
business visit.

J. E. McMahon, trainmaster of the  
New Mexico division of the Santa Fe,  
was here yesterday from Las Vegas.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Pres-  
byterian church will meet in the  
church parlors this afternoon at 2:30  
and a large attendance is desired.

W. H. Kyle, of Alliance, Ohio, ar-  
rived in the city last night and will  
remain two weeks, the guest of his  
nephew, Homer H. Ward, proprietor  
of the Albuquerque Cash Grocery.

The regular monthly business meet-  
ing of the Ladies' Aid society of the  
Congregational church will be held  
this afternoon at 2 p. m. at the home  
of Mrs. Redden, 417 South Walter  
street.

Benson Newell, deputy United  
States marshal, expects to leave this  
morning for Golden, Colo., with Pablo  
Labadie, a lad sixteen years of age,  
who was sentenced to serve a year in  
the Golden reformatory, for stealing a  
letter from the Alamogordo postof-  
fice.

Acting Governor Nathan Jaffa has  
appointed J. G. Darden, of Albuquer-  
que, an additional delegate to the Na-  
tional Conservation commission con-  
vention, which met at Washington  
on Tuesday. Mr. Darden is now  
in the national capital, and will repre-  
sent New Mexico at this convention.

The Temple Albert L. H. B. society  
will give a tea and sell home-cooked  
delicacies and fancy work Monday af-  
ternoon at 2:30 p. m. at the home  
of Mrs. Alfred Grimsfeld, 1015  
West Central avenue. Everybody is  
welcome and as the purpose is one  
devoted to charity, it is believed the  
attendance will be large.

A. E. Robinson, proprietor of the  
Riverside orchard in Old Town, has  
purchased the Colfax county building,  
erected at Traction park, for the pur-  
pose of accommodating the exhibits  
of that county during the Irrigation  
congress. Mr. Robinson will remove  
the building and move it to his  
ranch, adjoining the park.

Notice to all Royal Neighbors of  
America: District Deputy Supreme  
Orator Laura F. Mellins will organize  
a Royal Neighbor camp Thursday  
night, December 10, at 8 o'clock, in  
the Knights of Pythias hall in the  
Blas building, corner Fifth and  
Gold. All charter members of the old  
Royal Neighbor lodge the especially  
requested to be present.

H. Rappaport, of the armory board, has  
received a communication from Steve  
Canavan, of the Gallup Athletic club,  
asking for a game of basketball be-  
tween the Gallup team and a team  
composed of members of the Albu-  
querque Athletic club. It is likely that  
the local club will accommodate the  
Carbon City boys and the match will  
take place at the armory here within  
two weeks.

Leon B. Stern, proprietor of the  
Lion store, announces that the auction  
sale, which has been in progress in  
that popular emporium for some time  
past, will be suspended for one week,  
commencing with today. The sale is  
suspended for the purpose of assem-  
bling the stock, so that the auction-  
eer will be able to handle it more sys-  
tematically. The entire stock, how-  
ever, will still continue to be offered  
for sale at private sale, and at bed  
rock prices. Mr. Stern is disposing of  
his entire stock as he is retiring from  
the dry goods business on January 1.  
Every article in the store must be sold  
before that date. To this end the staff  
will be sacrificed regardless of cost.  
An excellent opportunity to purchase  
dry goods at the lowest possible fig-  
ure is thus offered to the public, and  
many are taking advantage of the of-  
fer.

Interest in the sale of the Sells &  
Le Breton store at 117 West Gold  
avenue, continues unabated, and the  
place is crowded daily with buyers  
who realize that the chance is one in  
a life time to purchase goods below  
actual cost. The firm has determi-  
ned to sell every article in its large and  
varied stock before the first of the  
year. Prices have been marked down  
to the very lowest possible point. An  
immense advantage, which this sale  
has over similar sales is that the  
stock of Sells & Le Breton is an un-  
usually large one, many articles of the  
same kind being on hand. Although  
the sale has been in progress for over  
ten days, and many sales have been  
made, there is still left a large and  
assorted stock of goods, and the care-  
ful buyers who are desirous of pur-  
chasing furniture and household ar-  
ticles at unusually low prices should  
not fail to avail themselves of the op-  
portunity to make some purchases  
before their neighbors have selected  
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