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NEW YORK CITY SHAKEN BY TERRIFIC BLAST

Ten Lose Lives; Hundred Injured in Explosion of Gas in New Grand Central Railway Terminal.

PROPERTY LOSS CLOSE TO MILLION DOLLARS

Four Missing Believed to Be Dead Under Debris, Shock Throws Heart of Great City Into Panic.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

New York, Dec. 19.—The terrific explosion of illuminating gas in the auxiliary power house at the Grand Central station which sent a tremor along the entire rock backbone of Manhattan this morning, caused the death of ten persons, two of them women, the injury of 125 others, and property damage estimated tonight from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000. Fire broke out in the shattered ruins of the power house again late tonight, but with a corps of police, searchers and foremen on the scene, the blaze made little headway before being checked.

No additional bodies were found, but in a hospital Guthrie Johnston, an electrician, succumbed to terrible injuries received in the explosion, bringing the death list up to ten. Four workmen, who are missing, are believed to have perished and of 125 injured, ninety-eight were removed to hospitals. Of those eight may die. An investigation by the police is in progress.

Tram traffic on the New York Central railroad ceased entirely for some hours and was disorganized for the rest of the day, but the new station itself, now in process of construction, was not damaged.

The injured include laborers and other employees of the railroad, pedestrians, bystanders and others in the vicinity of the accident.

A passing surface car carrying seven passengers was lifted from its tracks and hurled in an automobile running alongside. Four of the seven passengers were killed outright, but the chauffeur of the motor car was slightly injured.

For some hours it was believed dynamite alone could have wrought such instantaneous and demolishing havoc, but late in the afternoon Fire Chief Croker said he was convinced the explosion was due to a mixture of air and illuminating gas, used in lighting railroad cars, touched off by an electric spark. The gas had accumulated in the auxiliary power house from a broken pipe snapped off by a runaway passenger car.

The force of the explosion ran north and south from one to two miles along the rocky ridge that is the backbone of the island, and east and west laterally for a mile. Jarred, walls were shaken out of plumb, windows were blown in by the thousands, ceilings came crashing down on the heads of those beneath, and the pavements were littered with pulverized glass.

The full amount of the property damage is yet unavailable and may exceed the rough and conservative estimate of \$500,000. The loss to the New York Central railroad company includes the physical damage done to the power house, which was completely wrecked; the delay to construction work and the damage done to cars standing near the power house.

The loss to shop keepers and property owners in the vicinity will spread over a wide range of items. Christmas displays were blown backward into the shops, sucked into the street, or cut to ribbons by flying glass.

Whole fronts of buildings were shattered.

As nearly as can be determined this is how the accident occurred:

A train of empty passenger cars hauled by an electric motor, in charge of Albert Seagratt, and propelled by a cable, crashed into a steel and concrete buffer post, snapped it off, and rammed a pile of lumber behind it into a gas main, connecting with the taps from which the tanks of the passenger cars are charged.

By the testimony of Motorman Seagratt and of John J. Quinn, a bricklayer working on the main power house adjoining the auxiliary house, the time of the break in the pipe was about 8 o'clock. Two clocks stopped by the jar fixed the time of the explosion itself at 8:22.

ington avenue poured thousands into the streets.

Whole business houses were emptied in a twinkling. The tall facades of the many fashionable hotels in the neighborhood were spotted with the faces of half-dressed guests, shaken from their sleep, peering from broken windows.

Black robed priests from St. Patrick's cathedral nearby and white-coated ambulance surgeons passed each other on kindred errands of consolation and comfort.

Frank Smith, the chauffeur of a wrecked automobile, cut, bruised and shaken, told from the cot where he lay in a hospital, what he remembered of his first impressions.

"Almost before I realized that there had been an explosion," he said, "a rain of bricks and mortar began to fall on me. Then a six foot timber shot down out of the sky like an arrow. I had one foot on the brake and the other on the accelerator with my knees wide apart.

"That great arrow passed between them and smashed down through the floor of the car. Then the trolley car toppled over and landed on its side beneath the mass of wreckage. Two priests were pulling me out for dead when I got my wits."

The worst focus of death was the spot at which the trolley car and the automobile were hurled together. The seven passengers were dumped to the underside of the car in a tangle of iron work, sharp fragments of glass and broken panels.

Miss Mary Pope was caught by the head following a station and the overturned automobile beneath and crushed to death. Three other passengers, all men, were overwhelmed with wreckage and died before help could reach them.

Twenty feet away, Miss Edith Offner, 28 years old, a stenographer in a magazine office on her way to work, was speared through the head by a flying joist. Policeman Toomey had just signalled the trolley car to stop and was leading two little girls across the street by the hand.

One was torn from his hand by the first blast of air and the other by a rebound. The second girl, Mary Gilman, 12 years old, had her right leg torn off by a flying fragment of the iron railing surrounding the Lexington avenue station.

Seventeen men in fire house No. 2 were shaken from the beds.

Battalion Chief Duffy was sitting at his desk when the windows fell about him, and an iron girder burst head-on through the wall, knocking him down and badly bruising him. He got the men to bandage him and he went to work immediately.

Training school founded by Miss Helen Gould on Lexington avenue, fifty young men and women were eating breakfast. Those on the far side of the room first realized that there had been a serious accident when, in looking toward the street, they saw the napery on the tables nearest the windows dabbled with blood. Fully half the students were painfully cut by flying glass.

In the babies' hospital at Fifty-ninth street and Lexington avenue, the infants were being given their morning bath. Nurses were thrown about by the explosion and several other babies were tipped out of their cribs and in two instances, babies were popped upward out of their tubs as if they had been drawn out by a powerful suction.

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In the interval, the broken main had ample time to pour high pressure gas into the lower levels of the auxiliary power house. When workmen set to clearing away the lumber, it is assumed that one of them dropped a steel tool across the third rail, there was a flash of electricity and the great reservoir of accumulated gas exploded.

What happened then will never be adequately known. The roof of fire house No. 2 directly across the street from the power house, lifted like a brick, mortar and splintered timbers began to fall on the pavement and in an instant the streets were filled with prostrate men and women blown flat by the shock and the rush of air. They sat dazed where they fell, picking slivers from their flesh.

A moment more and crowds beset the drug stores begging for aid and clamoring for telephones and when the clattering rongs of ambulances began from the tall building.

GAS RESPONSIBLE FOR TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

New York, Dec. 19.—Fire Commissioner Felt, who reached the scene of the explosion within twenty-five minutes after it occurred, and ordered the heads of the divisions of the fire department to make a thorough investigation, issued a statement tonight.

"All of the investigators from this department agree in the general statement that the explosion was caused by a train backing into the bumper and breaking the two-inch supply main carrying the gas to the various points in the yards," he said. "The escaping gas permeated the lower levels of the power house."

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HORNET SAILS AS MERCHANT VESSEL

OWNER DENIES SHIP IS A FILIBUSTERER

No Complaint Filed at State Department Against Former United States Steamer Under Suspicion at New Orleans.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

New Orleans, La., Dec. 19.—The Hornet was cleared today for Cape Gracias as a merchant vessel by G. W. Rueff, Jr., agent for the owner, who is given as Joseph Beer, head of a line of schooners now in the Central American trade.

Mr. Rueff branded as false the report that the steamer was involved in a revolutionary expedition.

Captain Johnson, the master, has been employed by the Estrada government in Nicaragua for several months and until recently was the commander of the Nicaraguan gunboat Yula, David P. Rowland, the chief engineer, has seen service in Central American waters.

The revenue cutter Davy was lashed to the Hornet's side all morning and a thorough inspection was made of the craft and her supplies. Government agents even moved and examined many of the bags of coal with which she is lined.

The members of the crew are under contract for a "thirty day voyage."

Some of the members frankly admitted to an Associated Press representative this afternoon that they believed that the Hornet was destined for Honduras.

The Hornet will sail, according to her captain, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The vessel cast off her mooring at her berth up the river and moved down five miles at 8 o'clock tonight.

Captain James Johnson went to his home in this city to spend the night and said he would not board the Hornet until the sailing hour tomorrow. Repairs to the machinery caused the delay.

Jesse Ulloa, Honduran consul to this port, tonight notified the Honduran minister at Washington that the Hornet expedition "looks strongly revolutionary and the vessel is an enemy of the state."

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troops from and coming inland and taking possession of all the transportation lines and passes. Who or what is going to stop them?"

Manufacturing Plant Burned. Shelby, O., Dec. 19.—The plant of the Brightman Manufacturing company was destroyed by fire tonight. The plant was valued at \$150,000. The fire originated in the office.

Texas Murders Mother-in-Law. Dimmitt, Texas, Dec. 19.—Following a trivial quarrel Sunday night, J. A. Brashear this morning shot and instantly killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. P. E. Ramey, and then fired a bullet into his own head, dying instantly.

NEGRO DESPERADOES ARE LANDED IN JAIL

Lavaca, Ala., Dec. 19.—Three of the Salter negroes have been landed in the jail here, together with Titus Folmar, a negro supposed to have been in the crowd that shot and wounded four white farmers near here Saturday night. One of the Salter negroes was taken from a mob tonight and brought to the county jail. Further trouble is expected.

FARMERS' BANK OF CANADA FORCED TO SUSPEND

Institution Has Deposits of \$1,400,000; Disclosures in Court Cause Fatal Run.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 19.—The Farmers' bank, with head offices in Toronto and thirty-one branches in various towns and villages throughout Ontario, has suspended payment and the doors will not open tomorrow morning. The capital stock is \$1,000,000 with about \$600,000 paid up.

The shareholders, numbering over one thousand, principally in small amounts. W. R. Travers is the general manager.

The deposits in the various branches are roughly speaking, \$1,400,000. The suspension was brought about by the failure of the bank to meet its liabilities of \$20,000 at the clearing house today.

The bank instituted proceedings against a former manager and clerks at Lindsay for conspiracy and the evidence as to the bank's condition brought out at the hearing caused runs on the branches all over the country.

Molders' Wages Increased. Chicago, Dec. 19.—The Stove Founders' National Defense association has secured a five per cent increase in wages from the Iron Molders' Union of North America today signed an agreement granting the molders five per cent wage increase.

About 30,000 men are affected.

SHOP STRIKERS TO RETURN TO WORK

General Manager of Missouri Pacific Road Claims Settlement Is Complete; Victory for Company.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

St. Louis, Dec. 19.—The striking machinists, blacksmiths, boiler makers and other metal workers of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain system will return to work Wednesday morning, December 21st.

A settlement was agreed upon between the officials of the company and representatives of the striking employees tonight. According to the statement of General Manager A. W. Sullivan to the Associated Press, the settlement is complete victory for the company.

The men go back to work on the terms offered May 1st, which was then rejected. That proposition included a three-cent an hour increase.

The new agreement the men permanently relinquish control of the shop foremen and acquiesce in the rules adopted by the Chicago conference of western lines last March.

The work day for repair shopmen will be nine hours, and for engine housemen, ten hours.

The agreement provides that all former employees who desire to retain their seniority must apply for reinstatement within thirty days. All of the strikers are eligible, but the foremen, numbering nearly 150 men, will not be taken back.

JUDGES ROBERTS AND WRIGHT CONFIRMED

Senate Approves President Taft's Appointments to Supreme Bench of New Mexico.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

Washington, Dec. 19.—The senate today confirmed the nomination of Edward R. Wright and Clarence J. Roberts to be associate justices of the supreme court of New Mexico.

SAYS LORIMER VOTE WAS TAINTED

SENATOR FRAZIER DID NOT SIGN THE REPORT

Had Prepared Statement Which Secretary Failed to Present to Committee Before Findings Were Made Public.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 19.—United States Senator James B. Frazier today denied he signed the report of the sub-committee of the committee of privileges and elections of the senate which found the election of Senator Lorimer of Illinois free from scandal.

Instead he says he filed a statement in which he said he believed seven of the votes cast for Lorimer in the legislature were tainted. It has been generally reported that all members of the sub-committee signed the report which gave Lorimer a clear record.

In speaking of the final meeting of the sub-committee, when the report was signed, Senator Frazier said: "I was not present at this meeting, but left Washington Friday night and understood the sub-committee made a report to the full committee, and that all of the other members agreed to the report."

"Before leaving Washington I prepared a statement of my views and conclusions based on the evidence and law, and gave it to my secretary with instructions to hand to the chairman of the sub-committee, and I have no doubt he did this. In this statement I disagreed with the report of other members of the sub-committee, wherein it exonerates the election of Lorimer from the charges of corruption."

"I said that in my judgment the evidence established that four members of the Illinois legislature who voted for Mr. Lorimer were bribed to do so, they having conferred, and further, that they were bribed by three other members of the legislature who had voted for Lorimer; and that my conclusions as set out in the statement were that there were given votes cast for Lorimer which were corrupted or tainted."

"Eliminating those seven votes would reduce Lorimer's vote below the number necessary for his election, he having received only six more than were necessary."

"I certainly did not sign the report of the sub-committee; in fact, I was not in Washington when the sub-committee had its final meeting to act upon the matter."

"Was your statement a minority report?" was asked.

"Well, it could hardly be called a minority report. You see, the sub-committee reports to the full committee, and the full committee reports to the senate. My statement represented my views and conclusions."

"I do not know whether the other members admitted their views, but which, of course, had the privilege. I do not know that the sub-committee's report was signed by anyone."

RELIEVES PROSPECTORS OF ASSESSMENT WORK

Washington, Dec. 19.—A bill relieving from annual assessment work all prospectors who were injured by the forest fires of last summer and fall was passed today by the senate.

The bill was hurried to the house in the hope of procuring action there before the Christmas recess.

LOUISIANA LAW TO CRIMP DOPE TRAFFIC

New Orleans, Dec. 19.—Though wholesale and retail druggists put up a hard fight against it, an act was today incorporated in the state health board code restricting the sale of habit-forming drugs, particularly cocaine. It prohibits physicians prescribing cocaine for habitual users or the refilling of prescriptions containing such drugs.

CHANGE IN SENATE RULES RESISTED BY MAJORITY

Vote of 37 to 17 Emphatically Voices Opposition to Closure in Greatest Deliberative Body on Earth.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

Washington, Dec. 19.—By a vote of 37 to 17, the senate today again emphatically announced its determination to resist all efforts to alter its rules in any way looking to the establishment of closure in that body.

The question arose over the ruling made last Saturday by Vice-President Sherman, holding that an announcement of a pair by a senator in an eye resolution introduced by Representative Rainey of Illinois, a democrat. It was referred to the committee on rules.

The resolution provides that a committee of five be selected to investigate how much, if any, of these expenses were paid by Mr. Roosevelt or by any one acting for him. It further provides for inquiry as to the contracts made for him, while president, by the Pennsylvania railroad or its officials "or the demands for transportation made by Theodore Roosevelt while president, on said road."

The committee is to make the same investigation with regard to other railroads furnishing him transportation.

Newspaper Man Fatally Wounded. Pittsfield, Ark., Dec. 19.—Arthur Murphy, editor of the Press-Eagle, and a relative of General Arthur Murray, United States army, was shot in the head and probably fatally wounded here tonight. Ed and Gus Lelandin surrendered. The shooting is said to have been connected with a family feud.

CHIEF JUSTICE WHITE SWORN INTO OFFICE

FIRST CONFEDERATE TO HOLD THIS HIGH POSITION

Ceremonies Marked by Extreme Simplicity and Oath Is Subscribed to From Judge's Seat on Bench.

[By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire]

Washington, Dec. 19.—In the presence of a distinguished gathering in the little court room, Edward Douglas White was today elevated from associate justice in the supreme court of the United States to the chief justiceship.

The climax of the ceremonies occurred when Associate Justice Harlan, as senior member of the court, administered the judicial oath. It was subscribed to on the bench itself, instead of at the clerk's desk, as is ordinarily the case.

Chief Justice White, while taking the oath, held in his hand a Bible which has been used by nearly every chief justice and associate justice and similar occasions in the last century, but unlike most of them, he kissed the book at the conclusion of the oath.

Because of the overwhelming modesty of Chief Justice White, officials of the court were uncertain as to the exact details of the ceremony of the day until they had actually occurred.

In a general way, the broad customs attending the inauguration into office of the head of the court were followed.

Unlike the inauguration of a president as the head of the co-ordinate branch of the government, the induction into office of a chief justice of the United States has always been a comparatively unostentatious occasion. Instead of an escort from the capitol to the White House composed of gaily attired civic organizations and seasoned military commands, a new chief justice has only his black-robed brethren on the bench in procession from the robing room to the court room; instead of his approach being heralded by the loud huzzas of cheering thousands, the advance to power of a new chief justice is announced by nothing more than the solitary tones of the court officer; instead of an inaugural address outlining his policies, the only utterances of a new chief justice is the solemn words of his oath of office.

The dignity resting in the customs founded on the swearing into office of John Jay, John Rutledge, Oliver Ellsworth, and John Marshall, and perfected in the days of Roger B. Taney, Salmon P. Chase, Morrison R. Waite and Melville W. Fuller was not materially disturbed today by radical innovations.

The ceremonies of elevating an associate justice to the chief justiceship of the nation began in the secret confines of the court's robing room. It is here that the oath of allegiance is administered. Just before the court takes its place on the bench, the new chief justice is sworn in by the court officer, followed the form prescribed by law. It reads:

"I, Edward Douglas White, do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God."

It was a similar oath of allegiance that created such a tempest in the court last year when Chief Justice White, in his annual address to the nation, declared that he would support and defend the constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God."

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Exhibits From Chicago Exposition Arranged to Good Effect in Offices of Bureau of Immigration and Many Visitors See Fruits, Vegetables, Minerals and Splendid Collection of Photographs.

After considerable hard and highly artistic work, the exhibits returned from the Chicago Land and Irrigation exposition have been most attractively arranged for display in the offices of the bureau of immigration in the Commercial club building, and many visitors called yesterday to see the products of exhibition. The pick of the stuff from the New Mexico booth in the Coliseum is arranged on shelves and otherwise, with the big signs which emphasized forth the wonders of New Mexico at the big land show. There are preserved fruits of unknown of sizes, vegetables and numerous varieties of grains; exhibits of wool, coke and coal; feed

crops and other things all arranged with an eye to decorative effect and advantageous exhibit, and the offices have really been transformed into a little exception of their own. The collection of photographs, large and small, taken all over the territory, cover the walls, and there are a number of the folding display cases for photographs which hold an immense number of pictures. A visit to the office is a liberal education in the possibilities of New Mexico, and her varied resources and their development. Bright Navajo rugs are later to be placed on the floor and a small auditorium is to be devoted to a mineral exhibit which will be placed later.

Secretary H. B. Henning and his assistant, J. B. Dugger, have spent several very busy days getting the stuff in place and the effect is well worth the effort. Visitors are welcomed at the offices and here is a long table in the center of the spacious main office heavily loaded with literature telling of every part of the new state. The place is well worth a visit.

The only thing lacking in the ensemble is Jack Dugger's owl, which has unfortunately been left in the Lincoln Park Zoo at Chicago.

BILL PROVIDES FOR DIRECTOR OF POSTS

New Official Will Be Permanent Government Official and Have Practical Control Over United States Mails.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire) Washington, Dec. 19.—The reading was begun in the house today of a bill for the revision and classification of the postal laws.

This provides for a practical reclassification of the postal service and for the appointment of a director general of posts. The latter would be a permanent government official, being subject to dismissal for cause only and would be the practical manager of the entire postal department.

This would not dispose with the cabinet position of postmaster general and the latter would be the real head of the department, giving his attention, however, almost entirely to the broad questions of policy.

Further show progress was made with the reading of the bill, which is a long one, because some of the members were anxious to have taken up a pension bill providing pensions for civil and Mexican war veterans more than 62 years old. Every parliamentary way was resorted to, but without avail.

The house did not adjourn, however, without a struggle, two calls for quorum and three roll calls being necessary before it was decided to adjourn for the day at least all efforts to get the pension bill up.

NEW YORK CITY SHAKEN BY TERRIFIC BLAST

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house until it formed an explosive mixture by combination with the air. There was no trace of any other explosive at that point. When the leakage was discovered, there had escaped from 14,000 to 20,000 cubic feet. A large quantity became condensed under the floor and through the power house.

He adds that the tank was discovered about fifteen minutes after the break occurred by William A. Wil-

RELIGIOUS DRAMA PRODUCED IN CHURCH

First Dramatization of Rev. Charles M. Sheldon's "In His Steps," Rendered By Christian Endeavorers.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire) Topeka, Kan., Dec. 19.—The first dramatization of "In His Steps" ever permitted by the author, Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, was given tonight in the Central Congregational church of which Dr. Sheldon is pastor, by members of his own Christian Endeavor society and for members of his own congregation.

The version given was a dramatization by Prof. P. H. Lane of Washington college, under Dr. Sheldon's personal supervision. There was only the merest presence of stage settings, scenery or make-up of characters.

By request, there was no applause at the stage. There was no curtain. Scenes were shifted in the full glare of the lights. A few changes were made after the lights had been switched off and the church left in darkness.

In spite of the simplicity of the production, it elicited both laughter and tears from the audience. No admission was charged, but entrance tickets were given out beforehand. The church was packed to the full capacity.

GARMENT WORKERS STRIKE FAR FROM SETTLEMENT

Efforts at Mediation Abandoned By Chicago Chamber of Commerce; Aldermanic Peace Commission Declines to Dissolve.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire) Chicago, Dec. 19.—Hopes of mediation in the Garment Worker's strike passed away with two announcements today—one by an inquiry committee of the Chicago Association of Commerce and the other by the Schaefer and Marx, the clothing firm most affected and which has submitted at least one offer of arbitration. Both say a settlement can be effected only by direct meeting of the strikers and manufacturers.

The clothing company announced to Mayor Busse and the city council strike committee that it would withdraw from negotiations now under way, looking toward a settlement, and in the future would deal only with its former employees, offering, however, to take back such of the strikers as reported for work at once.

Mayor Busse refused to dissolve the aldermanic peace committee and will hold that body ready to offer its services at a later date.

The inquiry committee of the Association of Commerce after investigating for a week the cause of the strike, and seeking a plan of settlement, also withdrew its services today.

In a report the committee said the original cause of the strike was of minor importance and had been lost sight of in the resulting sympathetic labor strike, and advised immediate settlement without the aid of any third party.

CHIHUAHUA MINER LEADER OF REBELS

Mexican Government Unable to Confirm Tidings That Commander of Insurrectos Met Death in Battle.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire) El Paso, Texas, Dec. 19.—The leader of the insurrecto forces around Chihuahua is Pascual Orozco, a mining man about thirty years of age, (Orozco) has no military training, but is reputed to be a natural leader and to possess great daring. The report which reached this city today that he was killed near Piedras, Sunday, cannot be confirmed.

Francisco Vega, a notorious bandit, has organized a gang of twenty-five men and is trying upon both the government and insurrecto factions. It is declared that Vega has personally killed twenty-seven men, several having met death at his hands since the present trouble began. Orozco has instructed his followers to kill Vega on sight.

The plan of campaign inaugurated by the government is reported to be the surrounding of the insurrectos over a large area, and gradually drawing in the lines until the enemy is forced to give actual battle. So far, the insurrectos have not fought in any way resembling military order.

PRISONERS CAPTURED AT CHIHUAHUA JOIN REBELS

Washington, Dec. 19.—Private telegrams received here today state that twenty-seven prisoners taken by the Mexican revolutionaries (Orozco) in the state of Chihuahua, just across the Rio Grande at Presidio, Texas, have joined the insurrectos. Sixteen pieces are reported to have been captured by the rebels at Chihuahua.

SPECIFIC BRANDS TO BE REQUIRED ON FOOD

Washington, Dec. 19.—As the result of a conference with New York and Chicago business men today, Representative William D. Olinde, chairman of the house committee on interstate commerce, will tomorrow introduce a substitute for his bill amending the pure food law, relating to the branding of packages of food, drugs, medicines and liquors.

The substitute provides that if the net quantity of the contents of the package are not plainly and conspicuously marked on the outside in terms of weight, measure or numerical count, the article will be deemed to be misbranded.

The substitute allows reasonable variations and provides that tolerances shall be established by rules and regulations made under the pure food law. The bill is intended to take effect immediately on passage, but no penalty or fine, imprisonment or confiscation will be enforced for any violation of its provisions as to products prepared within eighteen months after its passage.

DEATH TRAP CLAIMS LUCKLESS WAYFARER

Waverly, Cal., Dec. 19.—Death that had been secretly arranged for its luckless victim, killed Frank Smith today when he entered the cabin of Harry W. Laseck, four miles below the Burnt Ranch postoffice on the banks of the Trinity river. As Smith opened the door the trigger of a shotgun that had been loaded, set and aimed at the only opening to the little shack, was released and a charge of buckshot tore into his chest. He was instantly killed.

Laseck left his cabin six weeks ago for a visit to his old home in San Luis Obispo. Before leaving, he posted a placard near the door bearing the words "Death to anyone who enters." Then he set the gun with the muzzle pointing toward the door.

and a piece of string from the door knob to the gun trigger and left the trap to claim its victim.

BROTHER OF KARL HAGENBACK DEAD

Cincinnati, Dec. 19.—The reported death of Carl Hagenback, at his home near Hamburg, Germany, is not true, according to a private cablegram received here today by Alfred Bode, in Cincinnati. The cablegram said that William Hagenback, a brother of Carl, had passed away. The message was signed Lorenz Hagenback, a son of the man reported as dead.

LOAN SHARK FINED AS DISORDERLY PERSON

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Arthur V. Hill, manager of a loan company, the first person to be convicted in this state under a decision which classes money loan offices where usurious rates are charged, as disorderly houses, was sentenced today to pay a fine of \$100 and costs.

His counsel immediately took an appeal.

INSANITY DEFENSE FOR GAYNOR'S ASSAILANT

James J. Gallagher to Be Arraigned Today in Hoboken Court for Felonious Assault on "Big Bill" Edwards.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire) Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 19.—James J. Gallagher, who shot and wounded Mayor Gaynor on the deck of a steamship at Hoboken, N. J., August 10th, will be arraigned here tomorrow for trial on an indictment charging felonious assault on William H. Edwards, New York's commissioner of street cleaning, who stood beside the mayor and was slightly wounded at the time of the shooting.

Counsel for Gallagher, Alexander Simpson, said today he would apply at once to have his client declared insane.

The Edwards indictment is to be brought up first because the prosecution desires to be certain of the effects of the mayor's wound before proceeding to trial. For that reason the statutory year and a day probably will be allowed to elapse.

SEVEN MILLIONS GO ABROAD AS GIFTS

Sale of Money Orders Indicates Good Times in Store for Foreigners With Friends in United States.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire) New York, Dec. 19.—Good times are in store this Christmas for many persons living abroad who have relatives or friends in this country, judging from the amount of money and the quantity of other presents that have been sent across seas.

Figures furnished today by Postmaster Morgan show that from December 1, to the sailing of the Mauretania Saturday afternoon, 473,389 international money orders, representing a face value of \$7,025,453 were issued in New York city and sent to foreign countries.

While the greatest number of the orders were forwarded to Great Britain the largest aggregate amount of money went to Italy. In the same period 27,194 checks of mail, containing 16,029 packages have gone forward.

Of the money orders issued \$1,557,195 went to Italy and \$1,535,985 to Great Britain.

BRITISH ELECTIONS CONCLUDED

Balloting Results in Parliament With Coalition Majority Exactly as Before Dissolution of Parliament.

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire) London, Dec. 19.—With the final balloting today, the general elections have come to a close. Today's results are not yet known, but those last three seats were formerly held by a liberal, a nationalist and an independent nationalist.

The standings of the parties tonight:

Government coalition—Liberals, 270; laborites, 43; nationalists, 72; independent nationalists, 10. Total, 395.

Opposition—Unionists, 272. Coalition majority, 123.

The return of the nationalist and the independent nationalists to the constituencies yet remaining to be heard from, is considered certain, but there is a possibility of a change in Wickburgh in Scotland, represented in the last parliament by a liberal, R. Munro. The liberal majority in this district in the January election was 273 and it is considered doubtful if the unionists can overcome this.

The elections have been the most remarkable in the history of British politics and have upset entirely the calculations of the unionists, who had seriously expected to gain not less than twenty seats.

On the contrary, the unionists have not only gained nothing, but are likely in the end to suffer a net loss of one.

VIGOROUS PROTEST MADE BY VALLEY FARMERS

COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER

Claim They Are Not Given Enough Freedom in Disposing of Their Finished Products in the City.

On the ground that they are being discriminated against in the matter of disposing of their products in Albuquerque, a number of representative farmers of the valley entered a complaint to that effect before the city council last night and asked for an investigation.

The matter was first brought to the attention of the council last night when T. A. Summers stated that his wife had been arrested some days ago on a charge of peddling meat in the city; that she had been fined five dollars, and had later taken out a license, which action he believed should have been taken into consideration and the fine remitted. It developed that Mrs. Summers was selling meat in the city that had been killed on her own place and that she also was selling meat for J. E. Matthews, a dairyman.

Before any reply was made to Mr. Summers, Alderman Henry Auge gained the floor. Mr. Auge said that he was a retail butcher and believed that every one knew it. He said that he was in the city of not only competing all meat peddlers to take out a license, but to make the law such that it should be taken out yearly instead of quarterly.

The peddlers' license, it developed upon inquiry of the city clerk, is fifty dollars a year, payable twelve dollars and a half in advance every three months.

Alderman Auge said that the meat peddlers were entering into unfair competition with the retail butchers, who pay license to do business, and who have heavy expenses in carrying on their business. He said that the farmers and those who "peddle" meat do so only in the cold weather when they need no ice for their product, while the city butchers carry meat all the year, summer and winter, and in the warm weather maintain extensive refrigerating plants.

The statement by Mr. Auge called forth a reply by J. E. Matthews, who said that the farmers had found it necessary to "peddle" their meat because the butchers had refused to buy the most wholesale at a reasonable figure. Mr. Matthews said that before he started in to have his best meat peddled, he had gone to a number of wholesale and retail butchers in Albuquerque and offered his stock for sale.

"I was offered two and a half cents on foot for first class, prime beef," said Mr. Matthews. "Any one here who knows anything about good beef, knows this is a ridiculous figure the way the market is at the present time."

Mr. Matthews was interrupted by Mr. Auge, who declared that only the day before he had purchased a number of beefs and had paid four and a half cents for each.

"I will buy all the beef I can sell at any price under four cents, if it is offered to me," said Auge.

The alderman from the first ward was slightly flabbergasted when James Bewick offered to sell him his choice beefs at three and a quarter cents. The offer was neither accepted nor rejected.

J. P. Jacobson, another member of the farmers' committee addressed the council and stated that all they were asking from the retailers and wholesalers, is a square deal.

"We don't want to peddle meat around town," said Mr. Jacobson. "We would much prefer to sell to the wholesalers, who get the product off their hands, than go about town making a house to house canvass. We refuse, however, to accept four cents for fat cattle in Albuquerque, when it is selling in Kansas City today at seven and a half cents. We want a price for our stuff some place near the seven and a half cents, plus the freight from Kansas City to Albuquerque."

Mr. Neil M. Ferguson also addressed the council at some length, making a strong plea for the cooperation of the people of Albuquerque with the farmers.

"It is the trial of the life of a farmer to take his produce and peddle it around," said Mr. Ferguson, who said that he was a "trucker" and a "peddler." "If the farmers of the valley are hedged in and can't get fair prices from the wholesalers, they will naturally be compelled to get the best retail price obtainable. The farmers of this valley need encouragement and cooperation from the people of Albuquerque. The conditions of the valley are such that a valley farmer who contented with are not generally known."

Following the remarks made by Mr. Ferguson, City Attorney Collins stated that the law, as he interpreted it, did not place a restriction on the sale of any produce, such as fruits, vegetables, alfalfa, hay, fuel, etc., but did prohibit the peddling of "finished products," in competition with retail merchants, unless protected by a peddler's license.

Upon motion of Mr. Auge, a committee of three was appointed by Mayor Lester to consider the question, both as to legal and other phases. The committee was appointed, and consisted of Dr. J. H. Wroth, S. B. Coen, Charles Corcoran and City Attorney H. J. Collins. It was suggested that the committee notify one of the farmers as to the time and place of the meeting in order that their side of the case may be presented.

Among the farmers who were at the meeting last night to present their grievance to the council were Robert Louden, Henry Thomas, S. B. Parker, T. A. Summers, L. M. Ferguson, P. J. Jacobson, James Bewick, J. E. Matthews and others.

Conductor J. W. Hall of the Santa Fe, who has been confined to his home since December 8 with a severe attack of pneumonia, is reported convalescing. Mr. Hall's numerous friends will be glad to learn of his favorable condition.

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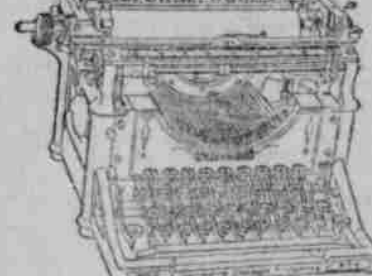
Steps Will Be Immediately Taken to Compel Property Owners to Connect With the New Sewer System.

Persons owning property in the Highlands, who have as yet failed to connect with the new sewer system, will be compelled to comply with city ordinance in the matter in the near future, according to a general agreement of the aldermen present at the meeting of the city council last night.

Dr. J. H. Wroth, chairman of the sewer committee stated to the council that although the Highland part of the new system had been completed for some weeks, people had failed to make the proper connections, only six connections having been made in November and three in December.

Steps will be immediately taken to ascertain the names of persons who have failed to comply with the ordinance and they will be dealt with according to law.

Candidate for Scott's Toga.
Weston, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Andrew Edmonson of this city tonight formally announced his entry into the race for the democratic nomination for the United States senate succeeding Nathan B. Scott, of Wheeling, republican.



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SPORTS

RACING RESULTS

At Jacksonville.
Jacksonville, Dec. 19.—The feature of today's racing at Monier park was the riding of Jockey M. Dell, who piloted the winners of the first four races and finished third in the fifth.
Close finishes were in order, the sixth furnishing the most exciting one, when Edwin L. and Mierman ran the entire length of the stretch heads apart, finishing in the order named.
First race, mile, John Patterson won; Aviator, second; Heart Pang third. Time, 1:43 3-5.
Second race, 6 furlongs: Manheimer won; Mark Anthony II, second; Detroit, third. Time, 1:24.
Third race, 5 1-2 furlongs: Sylvestris won; Marie Hyde, second; Herpes, third. Time, 1:57 3-5.
Fourth race, mile and 70 yards: Elizabethan won; Earl of Richmond, second; Canopian, third. Time, 1:46 2-5.
Fifth race, 7 furlongs: Bad News II won; Minto, second; Leah, third. Time, 1:27 4-5.
Sixth race, mile and 1-16: Edwin L. won; Mierman, second; Marie Algol, third. Time, 1:47 2-5.

At Emeryville.
Oakland, Dec. 19.—The sport at Emeryville today was marked by close finishes. In the third event Pawhuska gained a nose victory over Jett, the favorite. Arace ruled first choice for the mile event and after fighting it out with Jim Gaffney, the final sixteen, outgamed him, winning by a nose. Fine weather favored the racing and the track was in good condition.
Summary:
First race, 6 furlongs: Braxton won; New Capital, second; Lofty Hywood, third. Time, 1:24 2-5.
Second race, 6 furlongs: J. H. Barr won; Anna May, second; Bell Snyder, third. Time, 1:24 4-5.
Third race, 5 1-2 furlongs: Pawhuska won; Jett, second; Maxidice third. Time, 1:56 1-5.
Fourth race, mile: Arace won; Jim Gaffney, second; Miles, third. Time, 1:40.
Fifth race, mile and 1-8: Doyle won; J. C. Clem, second; Nebulous third. Time, 1:54 4-5.
Sixth race, 7 furlongs: Prosper won; Bliska, second; Tony Faust third. Time, 1:27 1-5.

At Pensacola.
Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 19.—First race, 4 1-2 furlongs: Giovanni Rago won; Miss Chanson, second; Laila Mate, third. Time, 1:58 2-5.
Second race, 4 1-2 furlongs: Donaldo won; Beverest, second; Dandy Dancer, third. Time, 1:58 3-5.
Third race, 5 1-2 furlongs: San Diego won; Chess, second; Laila Mate, third. Time, 1:27 3-5.
Fourth race, mile and 70 yards: Carew won; John Carroll, second; Occidental, third. Time, 1:55.
Fifth race, 6 furlongs: Grenada won; Hiram, second; McAndrews third. Time, 1:20.
Sixth race, 6 furlongs: Horicot won; Rubella, second; Hancock third. Time, 1:19 3-5.

SOCIALIST DIVINE HAS PUGILISTS ARRESTED

Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 19.—In an endeavor to stop a ten-round fight between Jack (Pinky) Sullivan and Porky Flynn of Boston being fought before the American Athletic club, Sam Langford, Bob Armstrong, Matchmaker Jake Carey and Flynn were arrested before the bout.
The warrants were sworn out, it is said, by the Rev. George R. Lunn, editor of a socialist newspaper.
Sullivan left the city before he could be arrested.

The four men arrested were charged with violation of a section of the penal code for aiding, abetting or encouraging a prize fight or sparring match to which admission is charged directly or indirectly. Membership cards were sold at the door. Carey was subsequently admitted in \$500 bail and the three others in \$250.
It was hoped that the principals for the main event could be ready to go, but at the end of the third preliminary it was announced that as Sullivan had left the city there could be no fight. A large detail of police was on hand and when the 1,000 cheering men left the arena, street opera houses, many wanted their money back, but the box office was closed.

Ten-Round Draw.
Kansas City, Dec. 19.—Tommy Brennan of Omaha and Tommy Dixon of Memphis fought a ten-round draw here tonight.
For seven rounds Brennan had the better of the battle, his clever fighting gave him the advantage. Dixon came back surprisingly in the last three rounds, and by keeping out of clinches completely outboxed his opponent.
Johnny McCarthy of San Francisco defeated "Chuck" Larsen of Chicago in ten rounds. Larsen took a bad beating, but managed to stay the limit.

Moran Challenges Wolcott.
Boston, Dec. 19.—Owen Moran, who recently knocked out "Battling" Nelson, issued a challenge tonight to Ad Wolcott for the lightweight championship at any time or place the latter may name, and offered to place a \$5,000 side bet. Moran says he will give up any or all of his engagements to meet Wolcott.

Ross and Barry to Fight in Memphis.
New Orleans, Dec. 19.—It was announced today that James Barry and Tony Ross, whose scheduled bout here yesterday was called off by the authorities, would meet in Memphis next Monday night.

Old-Time Baseball Manager Dead.
Newark, N. J., Dec. 19.—Alfred Hansen, manager of the famous New-Haven baseball team of this city which in 1876 defeated all the ball teams of the country, died at his home here today of locomotor ataxia.

Savage Wins On Foul.
Utica, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Jack Savage of New York won from Hank Griffin of California on a foul in the fifth round of a ten-round bout. Griffin had the better of Savage up to the time the foul was called.

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FEATHERWEIGHTS FIGHT TO FINISH AT CHEYENNE

Cheyenne, Wyo., Dec. 19.—Kid Ross of New York, knocked out Eugene Erlendson of Denver, at the Cheyenne Athletic club tonight in the eleventh round of a scheduled twenty round bout. The Denver fighter was outclassed from the start, but stayed off the knockout by clever footwork in the earlier rounds. Both men are featherweights.

TUCUMCARI RAPIDLY GROWING TOWARD THE 10,000 MARK

(Tucumcari News.)
Another splendid business block has been contracted this week, this one being that of Rector, of the firm of Sherwood and Rector, one of the realty companies of the city. The new building is the property of Mr. Rector, and is to be fifty feet front, by thirty feet in depth of rock and pressed brick, two stories. The walls will be heavy with suitable foundations for additional stories if needed in the future. This is a sensible plan for good buildings in Tucumcari at this time as it will only be a few years until like Oklahoma City, we will be going into the air and utilizing all the space possible for business purposes. Rector and Joseph, architects of Amarillo, Texas, are furnishing the plans and specifications and Horne Brothers of this city are the contractors. The block will cost \$5,000. Horne Brothers have been very successful in handling most of the big contracts in this city and are now engaged in the erection of the Voreberg hotel on the corner of Main and Second streets, one of the best buildings in Tucumcari. Messrs. Rector and Joseph are new architects in this field but they are out for business and are getting it as the opportunities come.

DEMING WATER PURER THAN ANY IN EUROPE

(Deming Graphic.)
We have been talking week after week about the purity of the water in the Deming country, and now we have the cheering testimony from the Misses Nina and Anna Clark, who have been on a delightful tour of the old world, that no where in all their travels in the Orient did they ever find water of the pure purity that underlies the Deming country.
They first touched European shores at Gibraltar, going from there to Italy, Switzerland, the German Empire, France, Great Britain and Ireland. While in Bavaria they witnessed a complete rendition of the Passion Play, which lasts a whole day, with an intermission of two hours at noon. They spent all the time they desired to in each country visited, but not in one of them did they find water as immaculately pure as in their old home town. We are especially gratified at knowing this, as it adds more weight to our assertion that we have in the Deming country the purest water in the world.
And the same statement will hold good as to climate.

PRESCOTT BOY SCOUTS FULLY ORGANIZED AND OFFICERS ELECTED

Prescott, Ariz., Dec. 18.—The Boy Scouts organization, which was started in this city early in the fall, has been passing through the preliminary stages, the members receiving their first instructions as probationers. Saturday the members of the Seventh Grade Patrol, having satisfactorily passed the required examinations, were duly sworn in as "Scouts" by the Scoutmaster, Captain T. Cole, after which they received their badges. The captain addressed them briefly on their new responsibilities as Scoutmaster, emphasizing the importance of honor and helpfulness as the chief tenets of the Scout law.
George McDaniel, who has been temporary leader of this patrol, was unanimously elected by his comrades as regular Patrol Leader for a term of six months. The election was approved by the Scoutmaster and the latter properly decorated with special insignia.

TO MAKE LAS VEGAS PRETTIER CITY BY PLANTING GOOD TREES

Las Vegas, N. M., Dec. 14.—Las Vegas is a city of the ornamental trees. To promote the planting of trees and make Las Vegas a more beautiful city the council is contemplating the purchase of a carload of ornamental shade trees which will be distributed to the people of the city at actual cost. Alderman R. F. Forsythe started the tree planting enthusiasm at the regular meeting of the council last night. He said that the purchase of a car of trees nine years old had been a splendid success and to the council's action at that time is due the presence of so many beautiful trees on the parking lots and lawns of Las Vegas. Mr. Forsythe said a careful investigation should be made in order that the trees purchased should be those that are known to have thrived in this climate. He suggested the establishment of similar trees, saying they had grown well in California and should do so here. Mr. Forsythe remarked that elm and box elder trees had not done well here.
All the aldermen expressed their

believe in favor of the proposition and Mayor Goodall referred to the streets and alleys committee, of which Mr. Forsythe is chairman, the duty of investigating and determining the varieties of trees most likely to thrive in this climate and altitude. The committee will report at its next meeting at which time the purchase of the trees undoubtedly will be authorized.

KNIFE WOUND IN HEART FAILS TO KILL WAITER

New York, Dec. 19.—With a knife wound in his heart, three-quarters of an inch in length, neatly stitched up by the surgeons, Samuel Herman, a waiter, went back to work today. His case is said to be the seventh successful operation of the kind known to the profession.
Herman was stabbed in a brawl with a customer. He was taken to Gouverneur hospital and Dr. John E. Britman used twelve stitches to draw the lips of the wound together. To replace lost blood, the surgeon injected 500 cubic centimeters of salt solution.

BLOODHOUNDS FAIL TO HIT TRAIL

Dogs From Penitentiary Unable to Get Scent; Effort to Locate Body of Missing Boy Unsuccessful.
Lynn, Mass., Dec. 19.—Governor-elect Eugene N. Foss opened his second series of meetings in his campaign against the re-election of United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge tonight. He reiterated his previous statements that he himself is not a candidate to replace the senator.

Special Hunch to the Morning Journal.
Wagon Mound, N. M., Dec. 19.—Cleofas Romero, warden of the penitentiary at Santa Fe, returned home this afternoon with his bloodhounds after a futile attempt to locate the body of Juan Lucero, the 14-year-old boy who has been lost in the Turkey mountains for a week. The searchers, composed of about twenty farmers, still continue the hunt.
The condition of the little girl who accompanied her brother, on his fatal journey, remains critical, and physicians entertain very little hope of recovery.

BAN ON FRATERNITIES IN ROCHESTER SCHOOLS

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The board of education today formally adopted the five-point plan which prohibits the high schools on the ground that "they permit exclusive and undemocratic class distinctions, fix premature and artificial social standards, detract seriously from the regular work of the school, stimulate extravagant habits and involve a burdensome expense."
Fraternalism have existed in the Rochester high schools since 1872.

SENATE'S TRICKS DISCOVERED BY BRISTOW

Elongated Senator From Kansas Finds Out That Dignity Doesn't Always Work in Getting Results.
Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—Veteran members of the senate, who are loathe to be dignified, to observe the proprietors of the senate, to observe in the strictest fashion every rule of that body, provided it is convenient. Should an insurgent decide to cloak himself with dignity, insist upon a most orderly procedure and observance of the rules he may find that the regulars, after all, are not such sticklers as the country generally believes them to be.
Senator Joe Bristow of Kansas has discovered that it is hard work to force the veterans to stick to the rules. A few days ago the omnibus claims bill was called up in the senate. The elongated senator from Kansas was unable to have his way about some features of the measure, so he decided to become dignified and insist upon his rights. "I demand that the bill be read," said Senator Bristow.
Now that particular bill was 169 pages in length, and the reading clerk, as usual, complied with the demand. However, there are tricks in all trades, even in the trade of reading bills to the United States senate. Mr. Bristow, familiar with the afore-said tricks, settled himself in his chair with the bill before him, and with a pencil followed each line by the clerk to make sure that not a word was omitted. Senators endeavored to engage Bristow in conversation, but he would not talk.
Early in the reading of the bill there was a long distance call for Senator Bristow, and he put an insurgent colleague on guard to keep tabs on the reading clerk before he would consent to leave the senate chamber. Upon his return he had scarcely found his place when Vice-President Sherman summoned him to preside over the senate. Thereupon senators trooped to the desk to talk to the insurgent presiding officer. The moment his attention was taken from the bill the reading clerk jumped to his feet and began to read the bill. The reading was progressing with miraculous speed, but he could not catch the clerk in the act of skipping. Every time he lifted his eyes from the bill to reply to some senator's remark, simultaneously turned over a few more pages.
Finally the Kansas insurgent saw that he could not watch the clerk without being discountenanced by the senators, who suddenly evinced a desire to engage him in conversation, and he gave it up as a bad job, and the clerk took his cue and jumped to the last page.

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"MAN IN CORDUROY" PROCLAIMS HIS INNOCENCE

Suspect Held for Murder of Bernhardt Family, Denies Knowledge of Crime.
Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 19.—The mysterious stranger in the Bernhardt murder case, who has been described as the "man in the corduroy suit," is now in the custody of Sheriff J. S. Speed of Olathe. The man, who gives his name as Albert Allen, was detained for investigation by officers at Liberty, Mo., today.

Allen admits he was in the vicinity of the Bernhardt farm on the day before the four murdered people were found. He also says he is a friend of the Bernhardt family, but denies that he knew a single thing about the killing.

FOSS REOPENS FIGHT ON SENATOR LODGE

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WOLF RUNS AMUCK IN THEATER

Escaped Animal Leaps Over Footlights and Bites Women; Gallant Policeman Comes to Rescue.
New York, Dec. 19.—In a Brooklyn theater tonight a wolf in a wired enclosure on the stage, jumped over the footlights and attacked Mrs. Florence Baumgartner and Miss Marie Vermet.

INSURANCE EXCHANGE PREVENTS CUT IN RATES

New York, Dec. 19.—The Tanenbaum, an insurance broker who has fought the New York Fire Insurance Exchange, testified before the legislative investigating committee today that the exchange has prevented the reduction of rates.
"For two and a half years," he said, "I did all my business at a loss. The companies could pay me no commissions because I had no certificate in the exchange."
He brought suit and obtained a certificate without the necessity of bringing the case to trial. The certificate expired on December 1st and it has not been renewed.

SUPPOSED INSANE MAN ARRESTED

Stranger Giving Name of Sims, Unable to Give an Account of Himself, Is in County Jail.
Unable to tell anything about himself, other than to say repeatedly that his name is Sims, a stranger in the city was arrested yesterday morning by Policeman Knapp and later taken to the county jail, pending an order as to his sanity. It is believed Sims arrived yesterday morning from El Paso. He had in his possession an arrested trunk check, marked "El Paso to Albuquerque," and a key, with a brass check on it, marked "S."

BILL TO PERMIT WOOD PULP TO ENTER FREE

Washington, Dec. 19.—A bill to promote commerce between the United States and foreign countries in wood pulp and the printing paper industry was introduced today by Representative Ferris of Oklahoma.
The bill provides that wood pulp and printing paper shall be admitted to the United States free of duty on condition that the government of the country where it is produced and where it is imported, neither forbids nor restricts the exportation, nor imposes an export charge.

PRESIDENT'S YOUNGEST DONS LONG TROUSERS

Washington, Dec. 19.—Charles Taft, the president's youngest son, is home for the holidays, and things have begun to happen around the White House. Incidentally Charles is wearing his first pair of long trousers.
Today Charles rammed through the attic at the executive office and ran across a model of an aeroplane which had been sent to the president. The model is perfect in every detail, with the exception of the engine, which is a dummy. Charles thinks the aeroplane will glide if it gets a good start and he probably will give it a trial from the White House roof. He also took a turn at the White

TAFT PREPARES PLAN FOR PANAMA CANAL TOLL

Washington, Dec. 19.—President Taft is having the draft of a bill prepared designed to carry out his long-ago plan to collect tolls on the Panama canal. Representative Mann of Illinois, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, which will deal with the subject, has conferred with him and in all probability will introduce the administration measure.
The president believes the tolls ought not to exceed one dollar per ton. To obtain a gross income of nearly \$7,000,000.

COAL PRICE SLUMPS IN SALT LAKE

Dealers Decide Upon Fifty Cent Reduction When Threatened With Prosecution Under Trust Law.
Salt Lake, Utah, Dec. 19.—The fifty cent rate in the price of coal which went into effect early in November was taken off today and a further reduction is predicted. The first steps have been taken by the state officials to revoke the state charter of the Utah Fuel company and the ground that they have formed a conspiracy in violation of the law of the state. The prosecution of the alleged trust will not be affected by the reduction in price, which is now \$5.75 retail. Of the fifty cent reduction thirty-five cents is conceded by the mining companies and fifteen cents by the railroads.

NO LOSS OF LIFE IN SAN SALVADOR EARTHQUAKE

San Salvador, Dec. 19.—The report emanating from Port Limon, Costa Rica, that as a result of a terrific earthquake an island in the Ilopango lagoon in the interior of Salvador had disappeared with the drowning of many women and children is without foundation. Only a slight earthquake has occurred, recently, which was without damage to property or loss of life. Ilopango lagoon, which lies to the southeast of San Salvador, is in a normal state.

MARINES RAID CAMP OF ALASKA MOONSHINERS

Juneau, Alaska, Dec. 19.—A raid by a detachment of marines from the revenue cutter Rush has resulted in the breaking up of an Indian moonshiner's camp at the Indian village of Houma. Mary Werten, a woman, who was arrested, is said to have made a confession, implicating her husband and other members of the tribe.

LAND ALLOTMENTS TO FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Washington, Dec. 19.—The most important feature in the work of closing up the affairs of the five civilized tribes—that of allotting the lands—has been brought to a practical completion, says Commissioner George Wright of the Five Civilized tribes, in his annual report to the secretary of the interior.
Allotting 425,222 acres for coal and asphalt segregations in the Cherokee and Chickasaw nations and 1,373,324 acres for the proposed forest reserve in the Cherokee nation, the allotment of land of the tribes is 1,815,529 acres, according to the report.

BROTHERS SLAIN IN THREE CORNERED DUEL

Bluefield, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Two men are dead and one is dying as a result of a fight between Emmert and Lafayette Easterburg, brothers, and Urban Nash at Tacoma, Va., Sunday afternoon. After being shot below the heart by Lafayette Easterburg, Nash returned the fire and killed the brothers.

DENTISTS WILL AID HEALTH BOARD

Care of Teeth Regarded as Important Subject By New York Department.
New York, N. Y., Dec. 19.—By the appointment of Dr. H. L. Wheeler of New York city and Dr. W. A. White of Phelps, as dental consultants and special lecturers on oral hygiene of the New York city health department, Commissioner Eugene H. Porter has earned the distinction of being the first state health official in the United States to enlist the assistance of members of the dental profession on behalf of the health of the community.

The duties assigned to Dr. Wheeler and Dr. White comprise the giving of public lectures on the subject of oral hygiene and the prevention of tooth decay and consulting with local health boards and school authorities with regard to starting inspection of the teeth of school children and the opening of free dental clinics.
Dr. Gulick, president of the School Hygiene association, has estimated that two decayed teeth in the mouth of a child are sufficient to retard the child six months in its studies.

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ANXIOUS TO END HIS LIFE

Samuel Davis Tries Unsuccessfully to Secure Enough Poison to Send Himself Into the Unknown.
Dependent because of poverty, Samuel Davis, a struggling man, a recent arrival from Chicago, made several unsuccessful attempts yesterday to purchase enough poison with which to commit suicide. Davis had a room in a South Second street rooming house. Before leaving for town yesterday morning, it is believed, he dropped a remark about ending his life. One of the proprietors of the place followed him to town and into a drug store, where Davis was negotiating for the purchase of poison. The drug clerk was notified of the evident intention of the man and the matter was reported to the police. Davis was released on the shelves. The clerk then telephoned to the other drug stores in the city, giving a description of the man, together with the advice not to sell him poison.

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Crisis Close in Mexico Says Arrival From Interior

Impending Hostilities in Chihuahua Will Decide Whether or Not Southern Republic Is to Be Torn by a Real War; Thousands of Men Massed by Diaz Government With Purpose of Scorching Serpent of Rebellion and Big Engagement Is Expected Soon.

"The next few days will see either the end of the Mexican rebellion or its real beginning," said a traveling man in this city yesterday, who recently arrived from the interior of Mexico, where he has been for some time past, mingling with the people and getting in close touch with the real situation. "There will be a battle," he said, "somewhere west of the city of Chihuahua in a very short time, which will either result in the entire and overwhelming defeat of the revolution and end it for the present, or which, if resulting in the defeat of the government forces, will be the signal for the uprising of thousands of more insurgents all through the country. This engagement which is bound to be a bloody one will be the crucial one of the revolution. Those first forces of some eight hundred men have been entirely wiped out, is again at the head of a strong detachment. The government is taking no chances. It recognizes that the crisis has arrived and is pouring troops into the section as fast as the railroads can carry them. I suppose at a rough estimate they have some ten thousand soldiers ready for the fray with more reinforcements arriving all the time and the forthcoming mixup will be a real battle. And if the insurgents gain any advantage it will mean real war in Mexico as sure as shooting. The situation at last is serious and the government recognizes the fact."

"So far, neither side is giving any trouble to Americans or American interests. There is no general anti-American sentiment anywhere so far as I have been able to see. But if the government fails to quell the revolt now, in my opinion, foreign intervention in six months is not at all unlikely, for in case of a general war the interests of Americans, Germans, English and others are sure to suffer. "The insurgents have control of the Sierra Madre railroad, I understand, and are strengthening their positions as much as possible. It will be a real fight when it comes off, depend upon it. And regardless of what reports come out of the republic, I want to tell you that this rebellion has got past the joke stage long ago."

CONSTITUTION WILL SAY CAPT. GEORGE CURRY

Former Governor Thinks, However, That Its Advocates Must Get Busy and Get Out the Vote If Majority Is Big.

"The constitution ought to carry by a big majority," said Captain George Curry, former governor of New Mexico in this city last night. Captain Curry, after spending a day or two here, leaves today for Roswell and his home at the end of the trip. He intends to take an active part in bringing about the ratification of the constitution which he believes is a good one, and has been working busily in his own locality for the purpose.

"I think it is important that the statehood boosters get organized and actively into the game at once," said the ex-governor. "In certain localities there is strong opposition, but I notice that it is dwindling. In my own section the opposition is not half as strong in my opinion as it was just after the convention finished its work, and I believe that many of those who are talking against the organic act will vote yes when it comes to the scratch. We have been fighting for statehood for a good many years, and with success right in sight. I think the average man prospective of politics will think a good while before he puts in a ballot against statehood. But as I said there is danger of the vote staying at home and it is highly important to begin an active campaign if we want a decisive majority."

ACCIDENT CLAIMS OF POSTMASTER ACTED ON BY HITCHCOCK

Morning Journal Bureau, 1413 Mueser Building, Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—Postmaster General Hitchcock has sent a letter to congress transmitting a report of action on claims of postmasters for credit or reimbursement on account of losses resulting from burglary, fire, or other unavoidable casualty, and for funds remitted to designated depositories and lost or stolen while in transit during the past year.

The report includes the readjustment of two claims of New Mexico postmasters, and four Arizona claims. Disposition of the various claims was made as follows:

C. W. Fisher, postmaster at Lapueta, N. M.—Loss by burglary: Postal funds, \$25.85; money order funds amounting to \$73.41. Claim allowed.

Carl Price, postmaster at Berlin, N. M.—Loss by burglary: Stamps, \$1.75. Disallowed.

James F. Miller, postmaster at Valley Ranch, N. M.—Burglary: Postal funds, \$2.98; stamps, \$14.70. Allowed.

W. G. MacArthur, postmaster at Monument, N. M.—Burglary: Postal funds, \$20.37. Disallowed.

J. A. Moore, postmaster at Moore, N. M.—Loss by fire: Postal funds, \$11.31; stamps, \$27.42. Allowed.

Betty Gunn, postmaster at Chaparral, N. M.—Burglary: Postal funds, \$18.13. Allowed.

E. A. Lippert, postmaster at Coffey, N. M.—Burglary: Stamps, \$9.10. Disallowed.

Frank W. Bemis, postmaster at

Thereau, N. M.—Loss by fire: Stamps, \$35.10. Allowed.

Walter M. Taber, postmaster at Glorieta, N. M.—Burglary: Postal funds, \$25.83; stamps, \$1.41; money order funds, \$10.58. Disallowed.

Joseph C. Jones, postmaster at Jonesville, N. M.—Burglary: Stamps, \$5.66. Allowed.

W. H. Knight, postmaster at Humboldt, Ariz.—Burglary: Postal funds, \$53.86; money order funds, \$58.95. Allowed.

Joseph H. Drew, postmaster at Jumper, Ariz.—Loss by fire: Postal funds, \$1.62; stamps, \$45.27. Allowed.

Joseph F. Raney, postmaster at Parker, Ariz.—Loss by fire: Postal funds, \$41.18; stamps, \$105.26. Allowed.

August E. Marden, postmaster at Sacaton, Ariz.—Lost in transit: Money order funds, \$21. Disallowed.

Deleante Andrews has introduced a bill granting increased pensions to Charles R. Genter, Benjamin W. Patterson, and Alvina McCabe.

Pugilist Evangelist Weds. Omaha, Neb., Dec. 18.—Rev. F. R. Wedge, formerly known in pugilistic circles as "Kid" Wedge, and now an evangelist at San Francisco, was married in Florence, Neb., last night to Miss Prudent Tracy of that village.

FINEST CANDIES AT MATSON'S FOR CHRISTMAS

Huyler's, Lowney's and Swell "Pin-Ton" Chocolates Prove Tempting to the Holiday Shopper.

The big attraction at the Christmas Gift Store this week is candies and Matson's stirring assortment of toothsome sweets, daintily and artistically boxed, has made an instantaneous and effective hit with the buying public of the holiday time. There is nothing quite so suitable for a Christmas gift to your best friend or even your wife—nothing more in keeping with the fitness and the sweetness of the season as Matson's very best Huyler's and Lowney's need no comment; but the very latest thing to date if you want the latest in chocolates and mixed candies is the "Pin-Ton" brand; go look at them if you want to be there with the goods.

Matson's Christmas Gift Store follows the lead and has a box of compounded sweets for the girl.

BILLION DOLLARS FOR CHRISTMAS IN NEW YORK

Amount Equal to Year's Expenses of Government to Be Spent to Fill Five Million Gotham Stockings.

[Special Correspondence to Morning Journal] New York, Dec. 18.—That one billion dollars, or an amount equal to the annual expenses of the national government, will be spent here this year to fill Father Knickerbocker's five million Christmas stockings and those of relatives and friends of residents in his domain, is the estimate of experts who have carefully followed one of the most remarkable holiday seasons in the history of the country. Reports from other parts of the country reflect similar conditions, and indicate a holiday business of ten billion dollars or more for the country at large. In spite of the alleged unsatisfactory business situation, Santa Claus has been patronized in a most lavish manner this year. Particularly heavy has been the buying here by out-of-town visitors, a feature which is attributed to the abundant crops and the generous prices which retailers have charged every year. The stores and shops report this season that in spite of the billion dollar Christmas the greater part of the money has been spent for useful articles, such as automobiles, expensive jewelry and high priced decorations generally have given way to articles of more general use. In a word, Santa Claus is becoming more of a business man every year. The stores and shops report this season that in spite of the billion dollar Christmas the greater part of the money has been spent for useful articles, such as automobiles, expensive jewelry and high priced decorations generally have given way to articles of more general use. In a word, Santa Claus is becoming more of a business man every year. The stores and shops report this season that in spite of the billion dollar Christmas the greater part of the money has been spent for useful articles, such as automobiles, expensive jewelry and high priced decorations generally have given way to articles of more general use. In a word, Santa Claus is becoming more of a business man every year.

For in spite of the great advances which have recently been made in the conquest of the air, "sky signs" are not yet at a premium. Incidentally several western capitalists are said to be out of pocket something like half a million dollars as a result of the failure of their electrical advertising tower to catch on. Every night with numerous and surprising electric displays, which have helped to give it its most familiar nickname. These, however, have been confined either to the first floor of buildings or to choice locations higher in the air, and it was only recently that the idea was conceived of erecting a special structure on upper Broadway to carry such signs exclusively.

A six-story steel frame costing about \$400,000 designed only to afford space for display electric advertisements. It was thought that such a novelty in the form of a veritable tower of light would draw a crowd of sightseers and that the structure could not fail to bring attractive returns. Unfortunately when it came to disposing of space the theory proved to be all wrong and the first five stories of the building were left empty. The structure of the building will not miss the lights, but it is a sad blow to the persons who believed that the aerial had developed so far as to include aerial advertising.

New York to London or Paris in two hours, and a trip around the world in two days. That is the claim of a local inventor just made public by which he expects to revolutionize existing methods of aquatic travel to the scrap heap just as soon as the company which he is forming can get under way to carry out his idea in the shape of an actual vessel. Moreover he claims that the fare for the first mentioned trip will be only five dollars, while twenty-five dollars will buy a ticket for the latter. One thousand miles an hour, it is claimed will be the maximum speed which is to be attained by the new method of transmitting power by a method which in experiments on a small scale has shown astonishing results. It is not proposed, however, to travel at more than half the rate of speed, since the problem of the pressure will be difficult. The machine in which the inventor expects to accomplish such record-breaking time is a mixture of hydroplane and aerial monoplane and will be operated by a single pilot.

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Murder in New York as a result of a judicial decision rendered this week by the supreme court of that state, rendered the first offense, and imprisonment for thirty days, and a second offense, however, instead of indicating that human life is held cheaply here, established a crime heretofore unknown—that is, pictorial murder. Hereafter, as a result of the ruling just made, it will be illegal even to portray murder scenes in public places, thus making it difficult for the country to establish such a law. Curiously enough, the poster which led to this strange decision was one depicting the murder scene in Macbeth in which Duncan is killed. Since Macbeth is a natural scene for the stage, the manager could not be expected to remove the scene from the stage, and the poster was promptly taken into custody as being an accessory after the fact, and fined. The defense was made that the poster was not a picture of a crime, but a picture of a crime, and the court decided in favor of the prosecution. The poster was not allowed, so that hereafter the wielders of the pencil who specialize in depicting murder and sudden death will have to be extremely careful lest they find themselves jailed for committing the new artistic crime of pictorial murder.

Whatever other customs may change, there is one Christmas practice which goes on, apparently, forever. Santa Claus may come by reindeer-drawn sleigh, accompanied by a host of helpers, but the Christmas tree, on which his packages are hung, continue to increase in popularity. This year in New York is setting a new record in this respect, since over 600 Christmas trees have been imported to meet local needs. Figuring five members to the average family this means that at least one-half the homes in the city will have a tree this winter. The great part of the decorations come from the Canadian forests through the medium of what may be called the Christmas tree trust. But in spite of the enormous cutting to meet the increasing demand, this northern district finds no fault for Christmas tree conservation. Four years is the length of time necessary to grow the average tree and it is estimated that the crop is three times greater than the demand. So whatever the customs, it seems certain that the Christmas tree will escape the high cost of living clause, and continue indefinitely.

ROBBERY SUSPECTS ARE RELEASED

Three Men Discharged From Custody at Belen and Two at Vaughn After Preliminaries

[Special Dispatch to the Morning Journal] Belen, N. M., Dec. 15.—Three men, arrested as suspected of complicity in the robbery of John Becker Mercantile company store last Thursday, when two safes were opened and a large vault dynamited, were given a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Jaramillo here today and were released. The justice decided the evidence presented was not sufficient to hold the men. One of the three was arrested at Las Vegas and the other two at Albuquerque by Santa Fe detectives.

It is also understood that two suspects arrested at Vaughn have been given a preliminary hearing in that town and released, as there was insufficient evidence to hold them.

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SPECIAL MEETING TO CONSIDER PAVING

City Attorney H. J. Collins Submits Detailed Opinion to City Council on Much Discussed Civic Improvement.

Complying with the request of the city council at a former session, City Attorney H. J. Collins last night presented to the council a detailed opinion with reference to the right of the city of Albuquerque to have paved streets. The opinion goes into the matter quite extensively and discusses the different phases of the question from both a legal and practical standpoint.

It is understood that the proposed paving district will include all property abutting First street between Coal and Tijeras avenues; on Second street between Silver and Copper; on Fourth street between Silver and Tijeras; on Fifth street between Silver and Copper; on Gold avenue between First and Fifth; on Central avenue between Broadway and Sixth; and on Copper avenue between First and Fifth.

Mayor F. H. Lester suggested last night that the paving question was one of such magnitude that it should be considered at a special meeting of the council. This was agreed to and after Mr. Collins' report had been read for the information of the aldermen, it went over until the special meeting.

The opinion by Mr. Collins, which is worthy of the careful perusal of all property owners and others interested in paving, is in full as follows:

To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Albuquerque, N. M.: Gentlemen: During the year 1908 the city council, of this city, called upon me to act as city attorney, for an opinion relative to the right of the city to pave its streets under the then existing laws, and I, at that time, furnished the council with a written opinion, a copy of which is hereto attached, advising them this could not be done and setting forth briefly the methods for doing it.

Just subsequent to the delivering of this opinion to the city council our territorial legislature, then in session, passed another and different law providing methods for paving and other street improvement. I was then asked by the city council for an opinion as to whether or not that law repealed or abrogated the law existing prior to the passage of the new law.

At that time in an oral opinion I stated to the city council that I did not believe that the act of 1909 in any way affected the powers of the city council to proceed with paving and street improvement under the laws before existing, and I later put this opinion in writing. I am now asked by the city council to give an opinion as to whether or not that law repealed or abrogated the law existing prior to the passage of the new law.

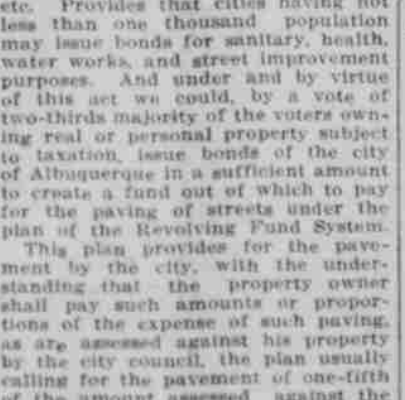
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ORDINANCES ARE READ TWICE

Ban Placed on Distribution of Medicines and Nostrums About the Streets; Limit on Booze Wholesaler May Sell.

An ordinance prohibiting the distribution of pills, drugs, medicines, physics, and other like articles, about the streets, or placing them in residences, or in yards; and an ordinance prohibiting wholesale liquor dealers from selling less than one gallon of whiskey, wine, brandy, and less than three gallons of beer, were read twice at the meeting of the city council last night. Both ordinances are to become effective January 1, 1911.

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Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 4 pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2½ ounces of Pinex (fifty cents worth) in a pint bottle; then add the Sugar Syrup. It has a pleasant taste and lasts a family a long time. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

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club, assisted by well known local talent. The mandolin club, though of recent organization, has in several prior appearances demonstrated its right to be classed among the leading musical organizations of the city. Besides the selections by the mandolin club there will be splendid numbers by other well known soloists, including solo work by Mrs. Charles Frank.

The program is full follows: Repass Band March.....Sweetie Elite Mandolin Club. Violin solo—Lueretha Borgum.....Miss Selke. First Movement. Cradle Song—A Lullaby.....Stauffer Elite Mandolin Club. Vocal solo—Sunbeam.....Round. Reading—How Christmas Came to the Poor House.....Rixford Mrs. J. H. Heald. Flute solo—Silver Threads Among the Gold.....Anagnod. Vocal solo—L'Arlette.....Ardita Mrs. Charles Frank. Waltzes—Life Is But a Dream.....Marsh Elite Mandolin Club.

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BIG IRRIGATION JOURNAL BOOSTS NEW MEXICO

Chicago Irrigation Exposition and This Territory in Particular Splendidly Featured in Current Number.

Some of the most beautiful and valuable advertising ever received by New Mexico appears in the December number of the National Land and Irrigation Journal, now the leading publication devoted to the progress of irrigated farming in the west. The number is chiefly devoted to the Chicago Irrigation Exposition, recently closed, and carries dozens of handsome illustrations of the various exhibits at the Coliseum, notably views of the New Mexico booth and the Santa Fe Indian display. The thing about this issue, however, which has especially pleased New Mexicans, is the front cover of the magazine, which has a large, beautifully colored reproduction of a photograph of a scene at H. J. Parnham's well and ditch near Portales, N. M., the district now coming to the front by reason of the pumping for irrigation plan. This picture, alone will be worth thousands of dollars of real money to the Portales valley and to New Mexico's irrigated lands in general.

New Mexico at the Land Show.

The following from the article descriptive of the land show will be of particular interest in New Mexico: The representatives of New Mexico are unanimous in the conviction that never in the history of New Mexico has her products been so widely advertised, her possibilities and her opportunities been placed so forcibly before the public as at the land and irrigation exposition, just closed in the city of Chicago. Several things account for this splendid result, but all are agreed that the largest share of the credit is due to H. B. Hening of the bureau of immigration, who not only planned every detail of New Mexico's part in the exposition, but who did much in organizing and arranging the several parts of this exhibit into one forcible presentation of New Mexico's agricultural progress. A word of credit is also due to the representatives of the several sections of the new state, Carlsbad sent up E. E. Hartshorn, with her cotton, potatoes, alfalfa seed and what not; Roswell sent Messrs. Messers, with an exhibit of alfalfa seed and what not; Artesia had A. C. Keimath with more apples, alfalfa, etc.; Portales had Messrs. Bon Smith and E. A. Group, while the exhibit of all general farming products and truck gardening products and alfalfa and dry farming forage crops; Deming brought Messrs. Ralf, C. Ely, H. H. Newton and James W. Dymond, with plenty of alfalfa, truck gardening and general farming products; Santa Fe had Albert H. Thorpe and Ira R. Chase of Chicago, with fruits and alfalfa, while Las Cruces had Prof. Fabian Garcia and J. D. Tinsley, the former being with the A. & M. college of New Mexico; while the latter is now with the Santa Fe railway; Albuquerque had Messrs. H. B. Hening and A. R. Group, while the Chama valley, Springer, Elizabethtown and Maxwell City, from Colfax county, came with Messrs. C. O. Fisher, R. W. Ellis, J. McIntyre, A. E. Ballinger, George W. Ellis, and more, and with a large mineral exhibit, as well as one of the best apple and general farming exhibits in the entire exposition. The New Mexico exhibit was especially fortunate in securing two unusual and therefore especially attractive features, viz., the automatic motion picture machine, which handled about eighty slides at a time and which was kept going day and night, and always held a crowd. Then some friend sent a burned owl to Mr. Hening, and nothing on the grounds claimed more undivided attention than this wise looking fellow, who perched upon the "Oriental" exhibit. Still another paying feature was the guessing contest and the giving away to the best guesser each day for eight days one of the handsome Navajo rugs; this feature satisfied the exhibitors in that the people drew an immense crowd, all of whom, in this way, registered at the New Mexico booth. New Mexico day was another special mark of distinction and recognition of the new state, which was marked upon the map to good advantage. Besides these things, the daily hour given to some lecturer on some phase of New Mexico was exceedingly helpful to all the forward movements now being pushed in the newest state.

FAST RING BATTLE AT SILVER CITY

Sensational Account of Recent Draw at Democratic Convention in Silver City Paper.

[Special Correspondence to Morning Journal] Silver City, N. M., Dec. 17.—A sensational account of one of the most spectacular ring battles ever witnessed in Grant county is given by the Silver City Enterprise in its story of the recent democratic convention which resulted so favorably for statehood. In depicting the contest between Van T. Mansville and W. B. Walton this paper has the following: The Fight By Rounds Taken at the Ringside.

Van seconded by Bob Steele advanced to center of ring and is introduced as the man-eating slugger of Borneo. (Great cheering.)

Van looks peat and trim in his red fighting trunks and wears skin-tight gloves. A commotion is heard and out steps Willie, the champion fight weight self-same slugger of Grant county. He is closely followed by his second, Colin Nebbett, and is applauded as he steps gingerly into the ring and glances fearfully at his opponent. Time-keeper, J. L. Barnard.

Round One—The bell rings and both advance to center and shake paws. Van leads a vicious slap with right which nearly takes Willie off his pins as he playfully fans the air with his left. They clinch, but Referee McGrath interferes. Time. Both men appear slightly flushed.

Round Two—Each steps up lively and this time Willie is laying for Van. When the heavy right swoops down Willie dodges (the crowd applauded as they recognize the old time tactics that have won him so many fights) and comes back with feint to Van's jaw which lands squarely and nearly puts him out of business. Both men breathing heavily at end of round, and Neb applies smelling salts.

Round Three—Each advances heavily this time as they are on the each other's nerves and they spar for wind. Van lands a good one just over the solar plexus and Willie gets wise that this is no kindergarten game and lays low. Van, seeing an opening rushes in wildly and receives one of Willie's famous left-and-right in the same place as the previous one. Referee McGrath at this point steps in and announces time and declares the fight a draw, much to the disappointment of the fight fans, each of whom has his winner picked.

Harley at this point steps in and with a few well directed blows lays out Van—who fails to get up at the count. Bob tenderly carries him out and applies the needed restoration. Neb with old-time Virginia hospitality, applies balm to Van's wounds and names him one of the committee to select the fourteen delegates, after which the crowd silently walks out of the gates.

Rule laying J. L. Barnard, the Enterprise desires to congratulate the democrats of Grant county in the stand they took with regard to the constitution. Their attitude is both wise and patriotic and shows them to be sincere in their advocacy of statehood.

LIVE CAMPAIGN TO GET GOOD ROADS

People of El Paso, Las Cruces and Dona Ana County Holding Series of Meetings.

[Special Dispatch to the Morning Journal] Las Cruces, N. M., Dec. 17.—A start has been made for a systematic campaign in the interest of good roads in Dona Ana county, and more especially for the district and road improvement of the El Paso-Las Cruces road. The meeting held in this city yesterday was attended by delegates from every town between Las Cruces and Anthony. Much enthusiasm was shown and the representatives from the different localities assured the county good roads committee of the support of all the people of their respective sections.

In order to avoid all the trouble possible and to be able to present to the people the plan of the proposed El Paso road it has been decided to have a series of good roads meetings in each town, these meetings to be addressed by the local people of the respective towns and also by members of the county committee. The program is as follows:

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ENTERTAINMENT BY OLD TOWN SCHOOLS

Christmas Tree for Children at Affair to Be Given in Society Hall Next Friday Afternoon.

The teachers of the Old Albuquerque public schools have prepared an entertainment for the pupils for Friday afternoon, December 23rd, to be held at the Old Town Society Hall, at 2 p. m. The school board, Messrs. Jones, Romero, Thomas, Wernick and A. Albers will provide a Christmas tree for the children. All parents of the children and friends of the schools are cordially invited to be present.

Program:

Song, "A Christmas Carol".....Polliciano Zamora
Intermediate and Grammar Grade
"The Toys He Doesn't Like".....Prospero Jaramillo
"Christmas at the North Pole".....Jesus Garcia
"Overheard at Christmas".....Jewey Mann
"A Christmas Secret".....Jehanne Mann
Two Primary Girls
"Kris Kringle".....Mauricio Ruiz
"Christmas".....Lola Zamora
"Christmas Bell Drill".....Jewey Mann
Eight Second Grade Girls
"My Stocking".....Boledad Flores
"Hilda's Christmas".....Tillie Lopez
"A Little Boy's Christmas Wish".....David Anzurea
"A Message of Christmas".....Jewey Mann
"The Coming of Santa Claus".....William Ashley
"Christmas Lullaby".....Eight Girls (grades 3 and 4)
"When Jane Fixes the Kneek".....Knocks at Christmas Cartwright
"Christmas Belle".....Jose Carreana
"The Shortest Route".....Josephine Thidhoff
"A Queer Christmas Tree".....Jewey Mann
"A Christmas Song".....Four Primary Girls
"A Birthday Gift".....Pablo Montoya
"The First Christmas".....Juan Jose Armijo
"Merry Christmas Time".....First and Second Grades
"Santa Claus".....Ten First Grade Children


ZERMA BOUND OVER TO GRAND JURY

Man Charged With Attempting to Murder Pedro Zamora, Held in Default of \$2,000 Bail.

Justice of the Peace David Perez yesterday morning bound Encarnacion Zerma over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$2,000. Zerma was given a preliminary hearing on a charge of attempting to murder Pedro Zamora. The trouble occurred last Saturday night at a dance in Martinestown. Zerma was there with the son when the fracas started, and instead of shooting out the lights as he should have done, took two shots at Zamora, one taking effect in the left side, the other in the arm. Zerma is in jail, no one has come forward with security for his freedom. He is from Old Mexico. Zamora, who is a native of Albuquerque, has been in trouble before and it is said Zerma is not wholly to blame for the shooting.

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MURDER CASE TO BE TAKEN UP TODAY

Margarito Candelaria Will Be Tried on Charge of Killing Feliciano Altavarré With a Track Wrench.

The case of the Territory vs. Margarito Candelaria, indicted by the last grand jury for murder in the first degree, will be taken up before Judge Ira A. Abbott in the district court today. Candelaria is alleged to have murdered Altavarré, smothering him over the head with a heavy track wrench, on October 29th, 1910. The trouble occurred at Ajaio, south of Albuquerque, where both men were employed by the Santa Fe as section hands.

Licero Is Discharged.

Upon motion of District Attorney E. A. Mann yesterday morning, the case of the Territory vs. Tranquillo Licero, a Pueblo Indian, charging assault with intent to kill, was dismissed. The district attorney said that he believed the evidence against Licero was insufficient to secure a conviction. Licero was indicted at a session of the grand jury several months ago.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

CASE AGAINST KING IS DISMISSED

Man Who Is Said to Have Posed as Owner of Automobile and a Brother of Texas Banker, Goes Free.

The major portion of the time of the district court yesterday was devoted to the hearing of the case of the Territory vs. E. R. King, indicted on a charge of obtaining a suit of clothes from Green and Gasot, tailors, under false pretenses.

District Attorney E. A. Mann requested the dismissal of the case, believing that King could not be convicted on the strength of the evidence submitted by the prosecution.

In the course of the trial yesterday, it developed that King had posed as the owner of a handsome touring car, upon which he had secured, it was alleged, considerable credit. It was also alleged that King had said that he was a brother of a Texas banker.

On the witness stand in his own defense yesterday, King said that he paid Green and Gasot, "in a way," for the suit of clothes which he secured from them. King explained that by "in a way," he meant that he had sold, or contracted, some stock to Miss Gasot, of the tailoring firm, which, "he believed, guaranteed payment for the suit."

Attorney Isaac Barth defended King.

BARTOLO BACA IS FOUND GUILTY

Jury Convicts Man Charged With Assault on Girl Under Fifteen Years of Age; Sentenced Later.

When court convened at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, Judge Ira A. Abbott received the sealed verdict returned by the jury Saturday night in the case of the Territory vs. Bartolo Baca, indicted in charge of assaulting a girl under fifteen years of age. The verdict, when read, proved to be one of guilty. Baca will be sentenced when all the criminal cases for this term are disposed of. Baca was convicted of a detestable crime, that of holding a girl for purposes of prostitution, and the jury's verdict is a well-deserved punishment for his crime.

The L. J. Smith Construction company was fortunate last Friday night

ACCIDENT RESULTING IN CASHMAN'S HURT WAS BAD SMASHUP

James Cashman Recently Brought to the Local Santa Fe Hospital with a Crushed Leg, Is Reported Settling Along Nicely.

The William News has the following details of the accident in which Cashman was hurt:

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Theo. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by all dealers.

GOVERNOR'S REPORTS.

The office of the governor's executive office is making out today the thousand copies of the annual report of Governor Mills, which is chock full of interesting and accurate statistics of New Mexico conditions.

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ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

They are watching that gunboat again. There seems to be a suspicion that the hornet's sting has not been extracted.

Arizona mines yielded forty-two millions last year. It isn't a starter to what New Mexico mines will produce when once we get started.

Here is a point to the democrats from the democratic Roosevelt Record. "The constitution could not have been so bad, when twenty-two out of twenty-nine democrats in the convention signed it. And really it can hardly have been changed since then."

The Mexican minister of foreign relations declares that his country is peaceful. This being so, we may conclude that those trainloads of government troops being sent into the interior are going to hold an informal picnic to celebrate the close of the year.

The report on the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy, it is said, is still slumbering in the house committee on agriculture. There is grave doubt whether it will ever sprout forth and bear fruit unless liberally irrigated. We suggest it be turned over to a subcommittee on "grafting."

The state of Washington demands one thousand cats to kill its gophers. Albuquerque ought to be able to make a pretty substantial contribution toward the total. The conservation of cats has been carried on with great success in this city, and if we could get rid of the matured product at a fair profit it ought to be good business.

THE GOOD ROADS BUG.

The good roads bug is running the ginger fern a close second in New Mexico. The Socorro Chief says: "Now that there is a chance for Socorro county to get a good road from Socorro to Magdalena and on to the Magdalena district, let everybody be ready to lend a hand. The building of the road will be a good thing for the county and for every man, woman and child that dwells therein. It will make every part of the county much more accessible in every other part and will thus add greatly to the convenience, comfort and prosperity of the county's inhabitants. Boost for the project."

THE NEW WEST.

New Mexico has at least hung the Indian sign on Vermont. Says the Chicago Record Herald: "Colorado 60.1 per cent, Colorado 43 per cent, Arizona 42.2 per cent, New Mexico 67.8 per cent. Those are the grateful increases in population for the states named during the last decade. California has passed Alabama and Texas, Michigan and Florida have passed Delaware, New Mexico, whose population was 125,519 in 1900 against Vermont's 142,641, now has 257,384 inhabitants, while Vermont has 255,448. Oregon has passed Maine, and though Nevada is the tail ender its gain has been a remarkable one. Evidently there is something in the mountain states and the states of the Pacific coast. And, however, it may affect the vexed question of town and country growth it is clear that irrigated lands and climate and mining are attractions of no little importance. We now are sure that if the cities have grown as well as the country districts the growth of the latter has been extraordinary. Thousands have traveled many miles from the east to get back to the soil in the west. It is to be hoped that their experiences may be such that it will count for more than homes and exhortations in the back-to-the-soil campaign."

THE DIFFERENCE.

"Six of one to half a dozen of the other," said an Albuquerque man yesterday. "In New Mexico the democrats are fighting a republican constitution and in Arizona the republicans are fighting a democratic constitution."

Missed the mark by about a thousand miles. The dwindling opposition to the New Mexico constitution is not identified with the democratic party as clearly shown by the recent polls. Fe now-crow.

There are undoubtedly a few republicans and there are certainly prohibitionists and socialists, who will vote against it, as well as other disgruntled individuals who would vote against anything. In Arizona the opposition is not confined to the republicans. Expressions of the Arizona press show that a large percentage of democrats are going to fight the red-tinted initiative-revival constitution both and.

When it comes to voting on the two constitutions, the issue, it appears, is

finally going to get pretty well out of politics. People are showing a distinct disposition to vote as they think best. The difference between the situation here and that in Arizona is that the Arizona convention has turned out a violently radical document which will be too much, even for the people to swallow, let alone the president and the congress. In New Mexico the delegates had sense enough to see that in compromise alone lay success. As a result, they took from all the varying ideas brought forward the best of each making concessions to all reasonable demands. Every sane man may find in it, therefore, much that he wants and fell to find all that he wants. The impossibility of putting into it everything wanted by everybody is too glaring to need further discussion.

It looks as if Arizona would reject her constitution, and as if New Mexico would adopt hers by a handsome majority. Arizona contains several provisions that are absolutely vicious and subversive of well regulated government. New Mexico contains nothing to which the fair minded may object. It has stuck to the safe path between extremes, and it will win.

AN ALARMING PROSPECT.

There are startling possibilities involved in the resolution introduced in the senate by Mr. Culberson of Texas, demanding that the 103rd meridian, as surveyed by Clark in 1880 or thereabouts, be declared by congress the eastern boundary of New Mexico, and re-marked as such by a boundary commission.

Mr. Culberson, it will be noted, sticks to the 103rd meridian, but wants it to conform to the erroneous survey of Clark, so that Texas will acquire some 600,000 acres of land.

This means nothing less revolutionary than moving the 103rd meridian.

The results, as one goes into the matter, are likely to be disastrous and it fills us with apprehension to contemplate them. The 103rd meridian west from Greenwich is to be moved. Senator Culberson probably recognized that a proposition to move Greenwich further west would lead to serious international complications. Greenwich is something of an institution over in England, and any proposed transfer of the town would undoubtedly stir up a ruction with the red coats. The average reader might think that Texas wouldn't care a hoot if it did; but, in any event, there would be a long wrangle with King George, the suffragettes and the house of commons, and the delay would be indefinite in length. So Texas chooses the alternative of having congress move the meridian.

If you took at this proposition a moment you will see its alarming possibilities. If the meridian is moved in New Mexico, it will move it in constantly increasing ratio as it goes north until, by reason of the earth's curvature, it will miss the north pole and go off into space. The corresponding meridian east from Greenwich will, of course, be jarred loose and moved over and following it on down we find that it will also miss the south pole. Here, then, is a meridian slipping around the earth like a loose hoop on a barrel, getting mixed up with other meridians until there will be a tangle to give the geographers nervous prostration. It may be necessary, to make things conform, to move all the rest of the meridians and the chaos which yawns before us is appalling.

Next thing Texas, for the benefit of polar explorers, will come forth with a proposal to move the equator a few thousand miles north. Then it wouldn't fit, and once clear of the earth, there is no telling where the blamed thing would go to. Following that we may expect the Tehuana to introduce a bill to revise the earth's orbit and put Saturn's rings on the handle of the Great Dipper.

There is nothing that Texas fears to tackle.

HUNTING FATALITIES.

At the close of the hunting season in many of the states the mortality reports show that there was no improvement in the conduct of those handling firearms over previous seasons. Lessons of the past apparently have had little effect. Scores of deaths and many scores of permanently injured hunters and their human victims make up the disconcerting list. The Kansas City Journal says: "In one state alone, Pennsylvania, there were more deaths due to hunting accidents than there were fatalities on the football gridirons of the entire country this season."

In Maine, it is proverbial that a certain number of guides and innocent farmers must be mistaken for deer each year. The guides look on this dispensation of providence as a matter of course, but the innocent farmers appear rather reluctant to yield up their lives on the altar of ignorance or carelessness. We have no statistics to tell how many peaceful cattle and inoffensive horses were killed by near-sighted nincompoops. But five men were mistaken for deer and killed, five hunters died because of their own carelessness in handling their guns and three were drowned by the breaking of thin ice. The fatalities for Maine this year are eighteen, and the season is not over.

Of the thirteen hunters killed in Pennsylvania this year, seven were shot by weapons in their own hands and six by guns in the hands of others. Dispatches say that the games were stumbling, fence climbing, careless loading, stacking of guns against trees, heedless aiming and ignorance that guns were loaded. The catalogue practically covers all of the other cases in the United States, except in countries where there is larger game and human be-

haves are mistaken for animals. Pulling a loaded gun through a fence is one of the commonest forms of suicide in the hunting fields.

Apparently we must pass laws compelling all hunters to carry a large United States flag and red lights on the front and rear, with a steam siren to be blown every few minutes.

DR. WILEY, BENEVOLENT.

Dr. Wiley, the government pure food expert, will soon marry "one of the most scientific cooks in the country." That is the news from Washington. The Chicago Inter-Ocean comments on this real sensation as follows:

The telegraphic description of the bridegroom as a "superb cook" is certainly a young woman who did not feel herself up to a high mark in the science of food would hardly have the courage to marry so redoubtable and unerring a pure food scientist as Dr. Wiley.

But we are not so certain that even under such favorable circumstances her way will be free from difficulties. No matter how great a cook she may be, it is likely to get on her nerves to feel that her arrangements are always under the cold and critical eye of science.

And the suspicion that were she a less capable pure food artist, perhaps the scientist might not be so devoted, may grow and grow until the desire to learn the truth, to test his affection to the limit, even leads her to serve him with something that has been boiled in soda in it.

Would the doctor stand the test? Perhaps. But we may confidently assume that if he did it would be at the end of a struggle in which the cold and unerring instinct of the scientist would prove no mean antagonist to the warmer domestic feelings. We need only look to his record to justify the assumption.

But even were no such crisis precipitated by the natural desire of a woman to be sure that the husband has no stronger sentiment than his affection for her, there is still a long series of annoying possibilities to be considered.

How would the wife of a government pure food scientist feel, for instance, if she knew that her husband was sneaking off every little while right after a meal in order to get into a calomel and compare the heat produced by the digestion of her cooking with the best records in the statistical tables?

It may also be asked if she could long preserve an untroubled mind if he should drop into the habit of checking up the food values of each of the various viands at the end of every meal, just to see whether the proper proportions of protein, carbohydrates and fats had been preserved in the menu.

The mistress of the household would, of course, be free from one of the burdens of the average young wife's existence—the constant reference to the cooking that mother used to turn out. But it is greatly to be doubted whether this is much worse than a continual comparison with the results of the government pure food expert.

We trust the doctor will not think we have discussed this approaching event with too great candor. If, however, we have erred in that direction, we have only to say that the attitude of our most confirmed scientific food expert to the wife's cooking is a subject of such a wide human interest that it really compels comment.

What They Are Saying About the Two Constitutions

Retrospective.
The name Progressive, adopted by a Las Cruces paper, is a misnomer. Retrospective would have been more appropriate. It is making poor progress. Fighting—progression.—Fort Sumner Republican.

A Liberal Estimate.
Newspapers are supposed to mould public opinion. Barely twenty per cent of the New Mexico papers are opposed to the adoption of the constitution. About the same proportion prevails among the voters.—Fort Sumner Republican.

Stop and Consider.
When you consider your attitude towards the adoption or rejection of the constitution, just sit down and remember what happened to Oklahoma after statehood was recorded: how the people and capital poured into the new state, and what a state it is now. Its worth thinking about.—Rowell Record.

Tired of It.
The people of New Mexico have had a territorial form of government back beyond the memory of but very few of our citizens, and they are tired of it. They have long been tired of it. Now that there is a good chance to get rid of it, and will not reject it because the constitution was made by men and not archangels.—Rowell Record.

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The host (at the musicale)—Miss Schreiner will sing "Only Once More." The guest—That's pleasant news.

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A NATIONAL HEALTH BOARD Its Advocates and Opponents

From the New York Evening Post

It will be recalled that several bills made their appearance in congress last spring, all of them designed in one way or another to nationalize the medical system of the country. Of these the most important was the one introduced by Senator Owen, which provided for a national department of health. In the house there was also the Mann bill, providing for "the enlargement of the public health and marine hospital service." In addition to the clause quoted above, this bill called for conventions of government and state doctors at Washington, such conventions to be held at the government expense. It is considered probable that bills of a similar nature will be introduced at the next session, and that the controversy stirred up last year by their perambulations may be renewed.

Simultaneously with the introduction of the bills, the League for Medical Freedom sprang into existence. To a certain extent, to a rather large extent, indeed, its members were drawn from the branches of the medical profession opposed to the allopathy—the homeopaths, eclectics, osteopaths, and a few of the so-called "regulars" who resented the national health department as a usurpation of the rights of the American Medical Association, not to speak of many lay persons, generally interested in the controversy. The American Medical Association, it may be said, is not a body of allopaths, and is dominated by physicians of that professional faith, at any rate.

Now, concerning the points at issue, there are two of them, in many varied views. Unfortunately, the contest between the opposing parties has become so bitter that it is difficult to get unbiased material from which to construct the rights and wrongs of the so-called "health bills." To be found in the doctrines of either side. The most interesting phase of the whole dispute, however, is probably the fact that it is a contest between two groups of men, each of whom are practicing physicians. Thanks to the scores of medical schools and colleges in every state, large and small, there are so many doctors that they are cutting into each other's fees.

Regulation Demanded.
At least that is the viewpoint of numbers of doctors, including many in favor of the proposed bills. And there seems little reason to doubt the correctness of the viewpoint. Abram Flexner's recent study of medical conditions under the auspices of the Carnegie Foundation, apparently established the fact that the medical profession, the allopaths say, they would not mind so much if the superfluous physicians were of their own kind. They would like to see something done to regulate those who are considered as quacks or little better.

One also faces the fact that the doctors have become tired of working for people who never pay their bills. There seems little reason to doubt the correctness of the viewpoint. Abram Flexner's recent study of medical conditions under the auspices of the Carnegie Foundation, apparently established the fact that the medical profession, the allopaths say, they would not mind so much if the superfluous physicians were of their own kind. They would like to see something done to regulate those who are considered as quacks or little better.

Doctors Urged Into Politics.
Doctors in every locality were urged to get into politics. Many a doctor who had a chance of running for state office was helped by the association, by his state and county bodies, and by other doctors in his home town. Doctors with the health of men's bodies, as the clergy are charged with the health of their souls, he said, "And whoever has watched how infestations grow—how by little and little a very innocent-looking infestation unfolds into a formidable maturity, with vested interests, political influence, and a strong instinct of self-preservation—will see that the germs here develop forth are quite capable, under favorable circumstances, of developing into such an organization."

It is the very fact that so many Americans have watched the illustration of this principle carried out by so many different professions and industries that has given rise to the movement directed at the passage of the "health bills."

It is probable, congress will have further opportunities to thresh out the matter at the coming session. The country seems to need information on the subject, and in the opinion of the writer, the passage of the bill to withhold one's opinion until more light has been cast into the cracks and crannies of the controversy.

CAUSE OF BALDNESS.

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He—Well, it may in babies.

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The staff will have to do many other things in the community. If a school house, a dwelling house, an open house, or a factory is to be built, the plans must be submitted to this

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IN WOMAN'S REALM

Artificial Flowers as Christmas Gifts.
One of the newest fads of the ultra-fashionable is the wearing of artificial flowers. A single artificial flower will offer valuable suggestion as a Christmas gift for the girl who goes out often in the evening. A gardenia is a good choice because it goes so well with many colors, and can be worn to equal advantage on the evening gown or on the tailored coat, or even pinned among the lustrous fur of the muff. There are shown in the shops also wonderful large flowers in Roman gold velvet against a spray of green leaves, which can be worn with almost any gown, but especially with a black one. The scarlet poinsettia is another choice and the bunches of violets made of satin ribbon and perfumed with the violet are so natural and artistic that any woman would be enchanted to wear them.

Fur on Cloth Suits.
There is a happy fashion this season of using fur bands as trimming for the street suits. It is not strictly new but the original use of the bands of short smooth fur is assuredly very good looking and adds the desired winter touch. The fur cloth which is being sold for trimming purposes is a frankly manufactured, woven stuff not grown by animals but treated in such a way that it gives the appearance of a smooth fur. It is not expensive, and it is a durable and pretty trimming for rough cloth suits which are so widely worn this winter.

The Crush Fur Hat.
In keeping with this plentiful use of inexpensive fur on the rough coat of the day is the widely adopted fashion of fur hats that cover the forehead and that are practically untrimmed. These are of plush, seal-skin, moleskin and all the other soft, smooth surfaced furs.

One does not have to be in fox and in minor pelts that are long haired, but the smart ones have a closely cut surface. They are newer than the others, and as a rule they are more becoming. One of the fallacies among a good many people is that long haired fur is becoming. One always hears the expression, "It softens the face." This opinion is also attached to marten, to leathers, and to fur coats.

The truth of it is that many of these fluffy things are most unbecoming to the majority of women. The usual American face needs smooth chin against it, that is, over the chin, and even age itself is often softened by flying tendrils that often look disorderly.

The Narrow Skirt.
It is said that a garment is never fashionable to a woman when it becomes too fashionable. From this argument is predicted the downfall of the narrow skirt. It is even hinted that this is the psychological moment for the appearance again of the crinoline.

But even if this disaster does not descend upon fashionable woman, it is argued that a reaction in the form of a more capacious skirt is inevitable. All these agitators forget the fact that woman is not always, though often, swayed by whims and the comfort and hygiene of the moderately narrow, short skirt is too pronounced to be quickly discarded, by even the most fickle.

Ways to Serve Oysters on Christmas.
Scalloped oysters should not be a peasy make. Do not use too soft bread in crumb, nor too much liquid. Butter over each layer and a few tablespoonsful of cream poured in at the last are enough.

The shallow earthenware dish that holds not more than two layers of oysters makes better scallop than the deep, old-fashioned pudding dish. If more than one portion is needed there can be a second plateful in the oven ready to be slipped into the silver rim.

Individual scallop dishes, or four or five large oyster shells filled with oysters and covered with bread crumbs and butter, are preferred by many.

Frying Oysters.
Fried oysters for home use are more delicate when done in bread crumbs than in cracker dust. They should only be dipped once in the egg and crumb, otherwise they are too stiff and crusty. Butter is a better frying medium than deep fat. For fried oysters do not cook them too long in the mixture or they will be tough. The edges should just survive. These can be served in rummikin or pate shell, and they are excellent when creamed in a chafin dish.

Raw Oysters.
Raw oysters are most palatable on their own shell than on handsome oyster plates. They must be thoroughly

chilled, and preferably should rest on a bed of shaved ice.

The lemon with raw oysters should be cut in quarters in the rind. Or in the center of the shell circle have half a lemon with the center partially filled with horseradish.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Wall Street

New York, Dec. 19.—Greater activity and higher prices characterized today's movement in the stock market with the receipt of betterment in bonds well sustained. The advance in stocks resulted largely from extensive short covering by traders, although commission houses reported a moderate investment demand. Much of this came from Boston, Chicago and southwestern points. The coal stocks were especially strong during the greater part of the day, although Lehigh Valley subsequently lost all its gain.

The strength of the Harriman issue seemed to come from the buying by interests commonly recognized as substantial and many have had its origin in the excellent statement set forth by the Southern Pacific company last week.

The heaviness of United States Steel was in marked contrast to the tone of the general list and by common consent was ascribed to the prevailing conditions in the steel and iron industries. There was, however, a good demand for steel sinking fund bonds.

Western railroad officials reported a heavier movement in merchandise and the eastern roads made a better showing in the way of increased tonnage.

Transactions for London's account in this market were estimated at 25,000 shares with a fairly large balance on the buying side. London's own markets were featureless.

Local monetary conditions are unchanged while greater ease shown at western reserve centers and all fears of a stringency, however, temporary, are now set at rest. Closing stocks:

Alla Chalmers pfd. 29
American Cotton Oil 34
American Hide and Leather pfd. 15
American Ice Securities 17
American Lined 11
American Locomotive 27
American Smelting and Refining 74
do pfd. 103
American Steel Foundries 42
American Sugar Refining 114
American Tel. and Tel. 44
American Tobacco pfd. 31
Anaconda Mining Co. 39
Atchafalpa 101
do pfd. 102
Atlantic Coast Line 15
Hartford and Ohio 106
Bethlehem Steel 29
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 73
Canadian Pacific 135
Central Leather 103
do pfd. 104
Central of New Jersey 260
Chesapeake and Ohio 81
Chicago and Alton 28
Chicago Great Western 45
do pfd. 46
Chicago and Northwestern 142
C. C. and St. Paul 123
C. C. and St. Louis 65
Colorado Fuel and Iron 31
Colorado and Southern 134
Consolidated Gas 134
Corn Products 15
Delaware and Hudson 163
Denver and Rio Grande 29
do pfd. 30
Distillers' Securities 24
Erie 28
do 1st pfd. 46
do 2nd pfd. 46
General Electric 118
Great Northern pfd. 124
Great Northern Ore Cts. 57
Illinois Central 130
Interborough-Met. 20
do pfd. 111
Inter-Harvester 111
Inter-Marine pfd. 164
International Paper 125
International Pump 40
Iowa Central 114
Kansas City Southern 114
do pfd. 64
Laclede Gas 105
Louisville and Nashville 144
Mississippi and St. Louis 27
Minn. St. P. and Sault St. M. 130
Missouri, Kansas and Texas 23
do pfd. 62
Missouri Pacific 47
National Biscuit 116
National Lead 153
Nat'l Ry. of Mexico 2nd pfd. 24
New York Central 112
New York, Ontario and Western 108
Norfolk and Western 164
North American 116
Northern Pacific 116
Pacific Mail 28
Pennsylvania 129
People's Gas 105
Pittsburgh, C. C. and St. Louis 93
Pittsburgh Coal 105
Pressed Steel Car 30
Pulman Palace Car 159
Railway Steel Spring 31
Reading 30
Republic Steel 150
do pfd. 92
Rock Island Co. 80
do pfd. 61
St. Louis and San Fran. 2nd pfd. 39
St. Louis Southwestern 65
do pfd. 61
Slow Sheffield Steel and Iron 48
Southern Pacific 115
Southern Railway 25
do pfd. 25
Tennessee Copper 35
Texas and Pacific 26
Toledo, St. Louis and West. 22
do pfd. 111
Union Pacific 117
do pfd. 92
United States Realty 84
United States Rubber 24
United States Steel 73
do pfd. 103
Utah Copper 42
Virginia Carolina Chemical 42
Wallace 16
do pfd. 24
Western Maryland 42
Westinghouse Electric 67
Western Union 94
Wheeling and Lake Erie 5
Lehigh Valley 180
Total sales for the day, 422,980 shares.

The bond market reflected the general improvement shown in that class

of securities. Total sales, par value, \$2,840,000.

United States bonds unchanged.

New York Exchange.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Exchange on New York, 15c premium.

Boston Closing Stocks

Aluminum 39
Amalgamated Copper 64
Am. Zinc, Lead and Sm. 26
Arizona Commercial 14
Atlantic 14
Bos. and Corb. Cop. and Sm. 12
Butte 19
Columbia and Arizona 19
Columbia and Hecla 15
Columbia 15
Copper Range Cop. Co. 67
East Butte Cop. Mine 12
Franklin 93
Granby Consolidated 64
Greene Cananea 39
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Inle Royals (copper) 16
Kerr Lake 6
Lake Copper 35
La Salle Copper 19
Mammoth 19
Mohawk 45
Nevada Consolidated 18
Nipissing Mines 10
North Butte 29
Old Dominion (ex-div.) 37
Old Dominion 127
Parrott (silver and cop.) 12
Quincy 71
Superior 42
Superior and Boston Min. 58
Tamarack 51
U. S. Sm. Ref. and Min. 46
Utah Consolidated 12
Utah Copper Co. 45
Winona 94
Wolverine 118

St. Louis Wool.

St. Louis, Dec. 19.—Wool, unchanged; medium grades, combing and spinning, 22c; light, fine, 20c; 22c; heavy, fine, 18c; tub washed, 20c; 22c.

The Metal Markets

New York, Dec. 19.—Standard copper, spot and December, \$12.20; January, \$12.25; February, \$12.30; March, \$12.35; April, \$12.40; May, \$12.45; June, \$12.50; July, \$12.55; August, \$12.60; September, \$12.65; October, \$12.70; November, \$12.75; December, \$12.80; January, \$12.85; February, \$12.90; March, \$12.95; April, \$13.00; May, \$13.05; June, \$13.10; July, \$13.15; August, \$13.20; September, \$13.25; October, \$13.30; November, \$13.35; December, \$13.40; January, \$13.45; February, \$13.50; March, \$13.55; April, \$13.60; May, \$13.65; June, \$13.70; July, \$13.75; August, \$13.80; September, \$13.85; October, \$13.90; November, \$13.95; December, \$14.00; January, \$14.05; February, \$14.10; March, \$14.15; April, \$14.20; May, \$14.25; June, \$14.30; July, \$14.35; August, \$14.40; September, \$14.45; October, \$14.50; November, \$14.55; December, \$14.60; January, \$14.65; February, \$14.70; March, \$14.75; April, \$14.80; May, \$14.85; June, \$14.90; July, \$14.95; 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Washington, Dec. 19.—New Mexico:
Snow in north, rain or snow in south
portion Tuesday; Wednesday fair.
Arizona: Snow in north; fair in
south portion Tuesday; colder; Wed-
nesday fair.
West Texas: Cloudy Tuesday with
faint rain; extreme west and rain or snow
in north portion; slightly colder in
north portion; Wednesday generally
fair.

Dr. Shadrach: Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.

E. H. Bickford of Deming, N. M.,
arrived from the east yesterday and
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members of the degree team are ur-
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lows' hall Wednesday afternoon, De-
cember 21st at 3 o'clock sharp. It is
very necessary that every one be pre-
sent at this first practice. By order
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A kid asked his father the differ-
ence between the North and the South
pole. The old man answered, "There
is all the difference in the world."

There's a big difference in lots of
things. Count up a few of them and
you'll realize the truth of this trite
saying. An American of Spanish de-
scent has broken the record by fly-
ing from Paris to Dover in a mono-
plane with one passenger. A Texas
negro beat up a California giant but
a California man recently outpointed
the champion heavyweight boxer of
Australia. Ex-President Roosevelt can
make a new speech in every town he
goes to and doesn't have to write it
out the day before or hire a smart
fellow to copy it off for him. There's
a big difference in people and in the
various articles of merchandise that
are offered for sale—"all the differ-
ence in the world," altho the price
may be no higher for the best. I
heard of a sale in a large city where
the store offered every article in
stock for one dollar—"values up to
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facilities enables us to meet the holiday de-
mands. A few hours spent in viewing our compre-
hensive lines of Christmas merchandise will afford
suggestions that will enable every one to make the
best selections for those to be remembered.

Linens for Christmas

There is no gift more acceptable for Christmas than Linens and
nothing gives more pleasure, and no gift could be possibly more
useful than Table Linens. Why not choose while stocks are
complete, fresh and spotless?

If you have in mind a set of Table Linen, a separate cloth
or Napkins, you will find the best assortment here, no matter
what price you wish to pay.

Hand Bags

We always carry the newest shapes, sizes and colors in Hand
Bags. We also make a specialty of featuring new designs, ex-
clusively our own.

A Black Walrus Bag, leather lined and fitted, we have
specially priced at \$5.00; ordinarily would sell at \$7.50.

Handkerchiefs

There is nothing more acceptable than fine Linen Handkerchiefs
for Christmas gifts. In our assortment—complete in every de-
tail—whether in the hand wrought, lace, initialed, or plain
sheer qualities, we have striven for that mark of individuality
so dear to the woman of discriminating taste.

We especially emphasize the exceptional value of two num-
bers of Irish Hand Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs at 35c
and 65c.

Gloves for Christmas

Everyone appreciates gloves—they are practical and express the
Christmas spirit perfectly. The Glove Section is one of the
busiest in our shop at this season of the year, yet we will be able
to take care of our trade because all our salespeople are ex-
perienced Glove fitters. Our stock is complete, fresh from the
importers, showing the season's latest colorings to match any
shade of gown.

Gift Certificates

There always comes a time at this particular season of gift
giving, when one is puzzled as to what to give. There are some
people who are seemingly hard to buy for. When such a diffi-
culty arises it is easily overcome by purchasing a Gift Certificate.
They make suitable presents and are redeemable in any section
of our shop. We make them out for any amount from 25c up.

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