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## THE WASHINGTON BUDGET

Senate Finance Committee Adjourned To-day Without Reaching Agreement on Financial Measures.

## SILVER MEN PRESENT UNITED FRONT

Monthly Treasury Statement Shows a Surplus for December—Conjectures Regarding Venezuela Commission.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The senate finance committee adjourned at 12 o'clock to-day. No action was taken and no vote was had. The bond bill was discussed, but the tariff bill was not taken up. Senators White, Wolcott and Vest were not present.

The free silver men and anti-silver men were tied.

After the regular meeting of the committee, the Republican members held a conference; so also did the Democrats. Senator Jones, of Nevada, went with the Democrats as the conference was called a silver conference more than anything else.

**THE SILVER MEN UNITED.**

The silver men unanimously decided to insist upon an amendment in the nature of an entire substitute, providing for the free coinage of silver and the elimination of all authority for the issuance of bonds.

Senator Jones, of Arkansas, was designated to prepare a measure in accordance with these views to be submitted to the full committee meeting as soon as it can be completed.

There is hope that the bill can receive final consideration at the hands of the committee in time to permit its being reported to the senate to-morrow, but this may not be accomplished.

The absentees will be paired when a vote is reached in the committee.

**A SURPLUS OF RECEIPTS IN DECEMBER.**

The monthly comparative statement of the receipts and expenditures of the United States shows that, during December, the receipts aggregated \$26,288,937, as follows: Customs, \$12,169,162; internal revenue, \$12,750,771; miscellaneous, \$1,368,998.

The expenditures amounted to \$25,814,315, leaving a surplus for the month of \$474,622.

The figures for the first half of the fiscal year, ended December 31, however show a deficit of \$15,894,707, as against a deficit of \$27,584,465 for the first half of last year.

For the last six months the receipts from customs alone increased over the corresponding period of last year amounting to \$12,377,000.

There was during the same months a loss in returns from internal revenue of about \$5,276,000.

**TO-DAY'S TREASURY BALANCE.**

To-day's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$178,027,200; gold reserve, \$63,262,268.

**A NEW SILVER BILL.**

The following has been introduced by Senator Pettigrew: A bill directing the secretary of the treasury to cancel and not reissue greenbacks heretofore redeemed by him, but to issue silver certificates in their place, the certificates to be redeemed with silver dollars. To meet the demand thus created, the secretary is directed to coin the silver now in the treasury, and if the amount is not sufficient for the purpose he is to purchase more silver bullion from time to time.

**STATUS OF VENEZUELAN COMMISSION.**

It is authoritatively stated in behalf of the administration that the Venezuelan commission will be the master of its own procedure, fixing the time and place of its meetings and determining for itself whether or not it shall visit foreign countries; what class of evidence may be taken into consideration and how the interested governments may be represented before the tribunal.

This independent action is deemed necessary to secure to the commission's findings that degree of weight and respect among other nations that can be attained only through a knowledge that the body is free from any restraint or obligation to the United States government.

Our government will occupy the status of an exact neutral in the proceedings.

**THE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM.**

Senator Jones, of Arkansas, one of the leading Democratic members of the finance committee, expresses the preference of prior consideration of the bond issue. "I am satisfied," he said, "it is the purpose of the Republicans to get a tariff bill through regardless of another measure, and have it go to the president, by whom they are convinced it will be vetoed."

They will then go to the country upon this as the only issue. I think this plan can be frustrated by considering and reporting the bond bill first and amending it so as to provide for the free coinage of silver. This would give us all the money necessary to meet current expenses, and tide us over the present emergency, if there is one, and avoid the issuance of bonds.

When asked if he thought the committee would adopt his proposed silver amendment to the bond bill, the senator replied he was unable to say, and added: "The principal complaint against the coinage of silver is the great profit it would give to silver miners. My bill gives this profit to the government, providing that the holder of the bullion shall receive only the market value, the difference between that value and the coinage value becoming seigniorage."

"This while silver dollars coined would have full legal tender value the public at large and not the miners, who would secure a large profit to be obtained from the free coinage of silver while the market is so depressed."

## VERY FRIGID WEATHER.

Excessively Cold Wave Sweeping Over the Northern Region East of the Rockies.

St. Paul, Jan. 2.—The temperature has been dropping rapidly in the region east of the Rockies as far as Albany, Minn. During the past twenty-four hours it has been excessively cold all over Montana, North Dakota, the Northwest Territory and Manitoba.

At Qu'Appelle, the thermometer registered 25 below zero.

At Manitoba points it is from 15 to 25 degrees below.

At Gladstone, 8 below at Helena, 5 below at Glendive, and 3 below at Bismarck.

## Shot and Killed a Robber.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Justice Jarvis Blume shot and killed a man who attacked him on the street at 1:30 this morning for the purpose of robbery. The dead robber has not been identified.

## FATAL EXPLOSION.

A Building in St. Louis Shattered—Several People Buried—Names of the Injured.

St. Louis, Jan. 2.—Just before 1 o'clock this afternoon the boiler in the basement of the building at 309 North Second street, occupied by the Anchor Pen and Pencil company and the agency of the Excelsior Fire Works company, exploded with terrific force, shattering the building and burying several people in the ruins.

The building was also set on fire. Those injured as far as known at this writing are:

Frank Heger, cut about the head and face.

Will Bondemeider, cut on head, face and body.

Christ Kraft, deep cut over right eye.

Honore Trort, cut about lower part of the face.

Diorth, cut about head and face.

Three others were turned in and the firemen.

Other willing workers are now subduing the flames and searching the ruins for the dead and wounded.

The business houses of the Little & Becker Printing company and Levison & Blythe, stationers, were involved, and some employees in these stores are supposed to be wounded.

Among the men in Little & Becker's place, Frank Samuels, Henry Green, James Hallowell and Hugh Allen are cut more or less badly about the head and face by flying glass.

At 1:30 two men were located in the ruins by the firemen and efforts are now being made to get them out.

## THE MARKET.

New York, Jan. 2.—Money on call to-day easy at 6 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 6 to 20 per cent. Silver 66 1/2; lead, \$3.00.

Kansas City—Cattle, receipts, 3,400; market to-day for the best grades is strong to 5 cents higher; Texas steers, \$2.80 to \$3.55; Texas cows, \$2.00 to \$3.65; beef steers, \$3.00 to \$4.25; native cows, \$1.40 to \$2.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 to \$3.40; bulls, \$1.75 to \$2.75. Sheep, receipts, 2,000; market, steady; lambs, \$3.15 to \$4.35; muttons, \$2.25 to \$3.45.

Chicago—Cattle, receipts to-day, 10,000; market for the best, steady to firm; beefsteers, \$3.15 to \$4.75; cows and heifers, \$1.70 to \$3.80; Texas, \$2.75 to \$3.70; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$3.65. Sheep receipts, 15,000; market, active and firm.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Wheat, 56; May, 58 1/2; 58 1/2. Corn, January, 24 1/2; 24 1/2; May, 27 1/2; 28. Oats, January, 16 1/2; May, 18 1/2.

## Murdered at a Dance.

Kansas City, Jan. 2.—A Star special from Fulton, Kas., says: At a dance in Prescott, Kas., John Messer, while intoxicated, quarreled with Sydney Stouffer, and shot the latter with a razor, almost severing the carotid artery. Messer then stole a team and started for the Missouri line. The sheriff and two deputies immediately started after him. If captured, he will probably be lynched.

## Leadville Ice Palace Finished.

Leadville, Colo., Jan. 2.—The great ice palace is finished and will be formally opened to the world on January 4. The completion of the work was celebrated with a parade and speeches by local men.

## NEAR CUBAN CAPITAL.

Spanish Troops and Insurgents Fighting Near Havana—Latter Apparently Gaining Ground.

Havana, Jan. 2.—An engagement between the Spanish troops and insurgents has taken place at El Estante, south of Alfonso XII, not far from the frontier of the province of Havana.

The official announcement says that the troops captured the insurgents' position, but the loss to the enemy is not known. It is admitted that two Spanish officers and four soldiers were killed and nineteen wounded.

The insurgents did not attempt a decisive engagement, but, after a skirmish, proceeded westward, devastating the country.

The authorities here, in announcing the skirmish, added the significant statement that the troops "were moved closer to the province of Havana," which would indicate that the Spanish forces are once more in retreat.

Later in the day it was announced here that further fighting between the Spaniards and Cubans is taking place in the vicinity of El Estante, which leads the people to believe that the insurgents have been in pursuit of the Spanish troops in that vicinity.

## Business Disaster in Illinois.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 2.—Peter Schorfer, in the banking and lumber business at Metamora, and the grain business at Metamora, Low Point and Quinsigami, made an assignment this morning. The liabilities are \$100,000; assets over \$150,000.

One Minute Cough Cure is highly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. Newton's drug store.

## Notice for Publication.

(Homestead Entry No. 5142.)  
LAND OFFICE AT SANTA FE, N. M.,  
Dec. 14, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and commits the same to a cash entry, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver, at Santa Fe, N. M., on January 25, 1896, to wit: Terrible Vigil, of San Miguel County, N. M., for the S. W. 1/4 of sec. 5, T. 16 N., R. 23 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Antonio Bolbal, Pedro Mesa, Hilario Bolbal, Victor Bolbal, all of Pecos, N. M. JAMES H. WALSH, Register.

## SAME GREED AND BAD FAITH

To-day Displayed in Africa: Yesterday Exhibited in South America.

## GERMANY DENOUNCES GREAT BRITAIN

Indications that Jameson's Warlike Demonstration in South Africa was a Serious Blunder—Badly Punished by the Boers.

London, Jan. 2.—The news from Pretoria, Transvaal republic yesterday, tends to confirm the gravity of the situation there, growing out of the invasion of the Boer territory by an armed force of the British South Africa company, led by Dr. Jameson, the British commissioner, who was so successful in his operations against King Lobengula.

A dispatch received here from the Transvaal financial committee says: "The Boer Jameson."

The Chronicle says: "If true, Dr. Jameson's action indicates a degree of political recklessness, which will go far to strip the organizer of the victory of Lobengula of the laurels he won in Matabeland. Our hands must not be forced by mere land piracy, which may bring upon us, without any fault of the imperial government, all the troubles and dangers of another Boer war."

The Daily News says: "It may give a death blow to British interests. It is a mad act, as well as a wrong one, and if the statement is not a mere stock market rumor, Dr. Jameson will be justly regarded as one of the worst blunders of modern times."

The Standard says: "If it is true it is most regrettable, and it is a most serious aggravation of the complications which beset the home government."

## CHAMBERLAIN EXCITED.

London.—The secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, has issued the following statement on the Transvaal question:

"Having learned on Monday evening that Dr. Jameson had entered the Boer country, I have since been continuously engaged in an endeavor to avert the consequences of his extraordinary action. Sir Hercules Robinson has, by proclamation, publicly repudiated Dr. Jameson's act and has enjoined the British subjects to obey the law and remain quiet. Dr. Jameson and his officers have also been ordered to retire immediately. It is hoped that a collision will be averted, but Dr. Jameson cut the wires as he advanced."

"The British agent at Johannesburg," Mr. Chamberlain's statement continues, "is moving forward to meet Dr. Jameson and to order him, in the queen's name, to retire. I have called upon the Chartered company to repudiate Mr. Jameson's proceedings and to inform the company that it is entirely ignorant."

"Mr. Cecil Rhodes, premier of Cape Colony, has stated that Dr. Jameson acted without his authority. As soon as he heard that he contemplated entering the Transvaal, he endeavored to stop him, but found that the wires were cut."

## GERMANY'S IRISH JEY.

Berlin.—The news of the invasion of the Transvaal republic by an armed British force has created a decided sensation here. The Kreuz Zeitung, commenting on the news, says:

"Everywhere the same greed and bad faith. To-day it is Africa; yesterday it was South America."

In discussing the invasion of the Transvaal by Dr. Jameson and the forces of the British South Africa company, all the newspapers here declare that his action constitutes a serious and unjustifiable breach of the peace against which Germany must protest.

The National Zeitung remarks that German interests demand the maintenance of the independence of the South African republic, and it expects that the government will vigorously defend it and come to President Kruger's aid in case of necessity.

The Voelche Zeitung says: "The action of Dr. Jameson can not be tolerated. It is the duty of the German government to immediately take energetic steps to protect endangered German interests and at the same time those of our kinsmen, the Boers. It is impossible to protest too strongly against this act of violence upon the part of the British."

## THE KING KICKS.

London.—A dispatch received here from Berlin says it is stated at the German capital that Emperor William has promised his moral support to the Boers, and has indicated that he may take other measures if Great Britain persists in her present course.

DEPRESSED BY SOUTH AFRICAN NEWS.

London.—When business opened on the stock exchange to-day operators felt a decided uneasiness, owing to the serious news from the Transvaal republic. "Kaffirs" and securities of the British chartered companies opened 3 1/2 lower.

"Kaffirs" subsequently rallied on receipt of a Berlin dispatch saying that Dr. Jameson and his expeditionary force had arrived at Johannesburg and that he was in friendly communication with President Kruger.

The Times asserts that Queen Victoria has peremptorily ordered the Duke of Devonshire, husband of Princess Louise of Wales, to resign his directorship of the chartered British South Africa company.

Later.—The excitement on stock exchange, caused by recent events in the Transvaal republic, has subsided and "Kaffirs" have recovered to within one-fourth to three-fourths of Tuesday's prices. Two failures were announced.

## PREPARING TO BACK DOWN.

Secretary of State for the Colonies Chamberlain has issued the following statement:

"A high commissioner is leaving Cape town this afternoon for Pretoria to deal with the situation in furtherance of a peaceful and satisfactory settlement in accordance with my question."

(Signed) CHAMBERLAIN.

The Chartered company directors have telegraphed the managing director at Cape town, directing him immediately to inform Dr. Jameson that the company disavows from and objects to the action he has taken and requires him to return immediately to the company's lands.

## JAMESON BADLY FURNISHED.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company this evening says that Dr. Jameson has been severely defeated by the Boers before Johannesburg. The same agency adds that the news is confirmed and that the secretary of state for the colonies, Chamberlain, has been

## summoned to the colonial office, where a conference will be held to-night. It is added that the defeat of Jameson is such as to compel him to retreat across the frontier.

## GOLD AT A PREMIUM.

Bankers Forcing Panic Prices in Order to Insure an Issue of Government Bonds.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 1.—There was a sharp advance in the price of gold here yesterday, a premium of one-half of one per cent being offered, with no takers. One banking house was offered this premium for \$100,000 in gold, but would not accept. Banking houses and trust companies are anxious to get in as much gold as possible in order to take up some of the expected bond issues.

## 1 1/4 ABOVE IN NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 2.—Gold is now quoted 1 per cent bid. One and one-fourth per cent asked. One firm is alleged to have sold \$1,000,000 of the yellow metal in various parcels at the above quotations. It is reported that a leading bullion house has \$2,000,000 gold on the steamship Werra coming this way, and some firms, specially prominent as shippers of specie, have ordered gold from abroad.

## THE PITILESS FLAMES.

Six Members of a Wealthy Ohio Family Suffocated and Burned This Morning.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 2.—At 4 o'clock this morning the residence of John H. Hibbard, at 1898 East Long street was discovered on fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Hibbard, their son Allen, aged 5; a baby named Dorothy; Miss Fay Hibbard and Mrs. Grace Hibbard Lee, sisters of Mr. Hibbard, of Barnesville, Ohio, perished in the smoke.

Mr. Hibbard was secretary of the Central Ohio Natural Gas & Fuel company, and connected by marriage with the Dealers, Huntingtons and others of the wealthiest families in Columbus.

Four sons less than 15 years of age, and a colored servant, escaped by jumping from second story windows.

## OVERLAND LIMITED.

Magnificent Train Pulled Out of Omaha This Morning—Improved Service Results in Improved Business.

Omaha, Jan. 2.—The improvement in the Overland limited service was the occasion for a large gathering of railroad men this morning, when the California flyer, via the Union Pacific and North western, arrived at the Union depot at 10 o'clock.

Several hundred people inspected the new palace combination cars. It was the first trans-continental passenger which ever left Omaha without separate baggage car and smoker.

The elegant appointments of the new cars are expected to contribute largely to the comforts of the Overland limited.

The business of the Overland flyer has improved 70 per cent since this service was inaugurated.

## Death of a Banker.

New York, Jan. 2.—D. S. Forsyth, of the banking house of Zimmerman & Forsyth, died suddenly last night.

## Turkey will Arbitrate.

Constantinople, Jan. 2.—The Turkish government has accepted the offer of the representatives of the powers to mediate between the ports and the insurgents of Zeitoun, who are surrounded by Turkish troops.

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## GRAVEN SPIRIT OF MONEY

New York Chamber of Commerce Declares in Favor of Peace at Any Cost.

## THE NATIONAL HONOR NOT CONSIDERED

These Anglo-manics Proudly Proclaim the Opinion that the United States Can Not Successfully Cepe with Great Britain.

New York, Jan. 2.—At a meeting of the chamber of commerce to-day the committee on foreign commerce and revenue laws, consisting of Francis B. Thorber, Gustav H. Schawb, Stephen W. Carri and William H. Robertson, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Chamber of Commerce of the state of New York, being profoundly impressed with the gravity of a situation which threatens the peace, now and happily so long existing between Great Britain and the United States, appeals to the common sense and the common interests of the people of both countries to avert the calamity of war by a resort to arbitration or other friendly negotiation which has so often been found to be a sufficient and satisfactory mode of settling international disputes, and to which both governments stand committed by profession, precedent and the humanitarian spirit of the age.

Accompanying the resolution was an address in the same tenor as the resolution, which cited many instances in which controversies between the United States and foreign nations have been settled by arbitration.

Carl Schurz spoke in favor of the resolution and submitted a proposition for the appointment of a board of inquiry or an advisory council, to be composed of men of international renown, which was accepted as an addition to the original resolution.

Charles Stewart Smith read from the reports of Secretary of War Lamont and Gen. Miles to show that we are not in a position to resist the operations of a great navy like that of Great Britain.

After several others had spoken, the resolution and accompanying address were adopted with but six dissenting votes.

## Conduct Will Be Appointed.

New York, Jan. 2.—Frederick R. Condit, jr., said to-day that his father had formally accepted a Venezuelan commission tendered to him by President Cleveland.

## The Delegate at Work.

Delegate Catron has introduced a bill approving the acts of the legislative assembly of the territory of New Mexico authorizing the issue of bonds for the rebuilding of the territorial capital; for the maintenance of the military institute at Roswell; to enlarge the insane asylum, and for the completion of the normal schools at Las Vegas and Silver City, and for an addition to the College of Agriculture at Las Cruces. Also a bill to limit the operation of an act entitled, "An act to restrict the ownership of real estate in the territories to American citizens, etc.," approved March 3, 1887; also a bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a court of private land claims, and to provide for the settlement of private land claims in certain states and territories," also a bill to authorize irrigation and live stock corporations to hold land in the territories for other purposes.

## A Wild West Canard.

Is Billy the Kid alive? According to frontier history he was killed twelve years since by Pat Garrett, sheriff of Lincoln county, New Mexico, who collected the \$2,000 reward. In fact, the death of the Kid, or William Boney, was celebrated with fireworks and a general jubilation in more than one town in the southwest.

According to a man who knew him intimately, Billy the Kid is not only alive and well, but living right here in New York City under the name of McGuire.

The man who makes this statement is known as "Cottonwood" Wason, an old cattleman and well-known figure on the Mexican border in the early eighties. His story is directly in line with other stories told around the frontier posts and western cattle towns at the time of the Kid's reported demise. These were always to the effect that Billy the Kid was not dead at all, but living and ranching at Seven Rivers, a place of southeastern New Mexico, on the Rio Pecos. More than one cow pucker whiling away the evening in camp spoke of Billy the Kid as still alive. They made claim to having slept and supped with him since the day when the city of Albuquerque celebrated his alleged killing with brass bands and bonfires.—New York Journal

## NEW MEXICO NEWS.

The Episcopal fair at Gallup, the other evening, was a glittering success. The Eagle urges the formation of an Old Timers' association in Grant county.

W. P. Metcalf has bought out the business of Jesse M. Wheelock at Albuquerque.

More building has been done in Las Vegas in 1895, just closing, than in any one year for ten years back.—Las Vegas Optic.

Taxes to the amount of \$10,000 were paid into the treasury of Bernalillo county on the last day of 1895.

The shipments of cattle from Denning last month, most of which came from Mexico, reached 20,000 head.

## The Management of the

## PALACE HOTEL.

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# Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The commissioners of San Juan county have instructed the sheriff to force the payment of delinquent taxes.

Keep your eye on Gallup and our back country—the Carrizo Mountain mining district, significantly remarks the Gleaner.

R. P. Hart, for seventeen years engaged in the mining and cattle business in Grant county, has taken up his residence in New York.

A building at Central, owned by Mrs. Carey and occupied as a saloon by George Parker, was burned on Sunday. Loss, \$1,000, without insurance.

The coal companies at Gallup paid off all their black diamond diggers just before the beginning of 1896 that all might enjoy "A happy New Year."

Billy Green has secured good and sufficient bond over at Las Vegas in the sum of \$5,000, and his brother, Eli, will probably soon have his bond of \$4,000 raised.

L. W. Coe, of Farmington, has 4,600 boxes of apples stored in the warehouse awaiting shipment. The above boxes represent over 200,000 pounds, or ten carloads.

The Silver City Eagle says there is no truth in the report that the Mogollon stage has stopped running because of the Indian scare. Not a trip has been missed and no one now feels that there is any danger in passing over that road.

The other afternoon, up in Denver, Capt. Jack Crawford was the guest of Mrs. Cap. W. A. Crawford, a New Mexico lady, at her home in the



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## Notice.

Requests for back numbers of the New Mexican, must state date wanted, or they will receive no attention.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 2.

## Democratic Territorial Central Committee.

OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.  
J. H. Crist, chairman, Rafael Romero, secretary, W. T. Thornton, treasurer, H. B. Ferguson, A. B. Fall, F. A. Manzanares.

## MEMBERS AT LARGE.

H. B. Ferguson, Albuquerque, Felipe Chavez, Belen, F. A. Manzanares, Las Vegas, J. H. Crist, Santa Fe, C. H. Gilderleeve, Santa Fe, A. B. Fall, Las Cruces.

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A PROSPEROUS YEAR for New Mexico will be 1896.

HILLSBORO boasts the production of \$400,000 in the gold for the year 1895.

So it appears that McKinley's growing prospects have rendered some of the Republican colonels very nervous. However, it seems that McKinley has a man on guard whom he can trust.

UNDER the Wilson tariff bill the advance in wages of workmen goes steadily on. The coal and iron manufacturers, even the tin plate people, seem to regard the Wilson bill as good enough.

It begins to look as if there was just one thing left for Salisbury to do—to forward his resignation and regrets to Queen Victoria without an hour's delay. He made a bold bluff, but was unable to make it stick.

THE Denver Times' New Year edition is a marvel of journalistic enterprise. There is so much greatness in the Rocky mountains at present, however that we doubt the utility of going ahead 100 years to see resourceful matters to write about.

THE Albuquerque Citizen has been caught, cornered and convicted in so many senseless falsehoods that it is no wonder Delegate Catron now looks upon the Las Vegas Optic as his "authoritative" mouthpiece. The Optic at least has some discretion.

Four out of five of the Democratic voters of New Mexico are for statehood, and all they ask is a fair chance and a reasonable apportionment. If Delegate Catron is sincere in his advocacy of statehood he should make a note of this and act accordingly, otherwise he may hear something drop.

ATTORNEY GENERAL HARMON has now two wars against combines on his hands, and the country will watch the result with some interest. His opponents are the beef trust, and the gigantic railroad trust, which has entered into a combination to fix rates for the west and east. It is a wise move on the part of the administration.

ACCORDING to the official statement the available cash balance in the U. S. treasury to-day is \$177,093,054, with a gold reserve of \$68,675,948. From this it is pretty clear that the demand for an issue of bonds comes exclusively from the goldists. It is a final struggle to cinch and fasten the gold standard on the people of this country. That's the secret of the whole transaction, and Reed stands in with it.

For the year 1895 Colorado mines produced: Gold, \$17,940,495; silver, \$14,289,049; lead, \$2,955,114; copper, \$877,

192; total, \$35,432,150. An increase of \$5,438,860 over 1894, and yet not so many years ago a great many people expressed grave fears about the admission of Colorado as a state. New Mexico is richer in natural resources than Colorado. Let us into the Union!

## REPUBLICANS HEDGING.

The revenue bill passed by the lower house of congress, on last Thursday afternoon, is rendered particularly interesting, from a political standpoint, by the fact that it was unquestionably dictated by Spenser Reed with the deliberate intent of casting merited reproach upon the prohibitive and hence non-revenue producing protective tariff schedules of the McKinley law and thereby covertly turning down the alleged Ohio statesman as a presidential possibility. Before the passage of the measure by the house, Chairman Dingler, of the ways and means committee, who is notoriously one of Reed's most pliant and serviceable tools, took particular pains to explain that it was a revenue bill rather than a tariff bill, and an examination of the telegraphic outline of the measure, already printed in these columns, proves that such, to a large degree, is the fact. It is an unmistakable admission that the McKinley schedules, under whose operation the foundation for the present deplorable condition of the treasury was laid, were fundamentally wrong, and that a restoration of them would exaggerate rather than correct present difficulties. Perhaps it may be described as a transparent and somewhat awkward effort to straddle the protective tariff dogma supported by Republicans and the "tariff for revenue only" doctrine advocated by many Democrats. While we would much prefer to see the treasury deficit, occasioned by the loss of the income tax, supplied by means of direct taxes on whisky, beer, tobacco and other luxuries, without disturbing existing tariff schedules, we recognize an encouraging sign of progress in the fact that the overwhelming Republican majority in the house has practically acknowledged that a tariff for revenue is the only form of tariff just. It sounds the death knell of McKinleyism.

## PRESS COMMENT.

A Pertinent Inquiry.—Delegate Catron's statehood bill has incurred some expressions of hostility owing to the extremely obnoxious and partisan apportionment of delegates to the constitutional convention. Is Mr. Catron willing to lead a statehood bill to an anticipated slaughter?—Albuquerque Democrat.

## A Question of Majorities.

The total vote of Valencia county for 1894 was 1,831. Under Mr. Catron's statehood bill Valencia county has seven delegates in the constitutional convention. Valencia county is sure Republican. The combined vote of Lincoln, Chavez and Eddy counties was 3,514; the bill authorizes these three counties a representation in the convention of four delegates. These counties are sure Democratic.

It is now a question as to whether the constitution framed by a convention under such an apportionment will be defeated by 8,000 majority or by one much larger than that. This subject is open for discussion, and at a time please, the statehood papers, comprising all in the territory, except the Eagle, have the floor. White Oaks Eagle.

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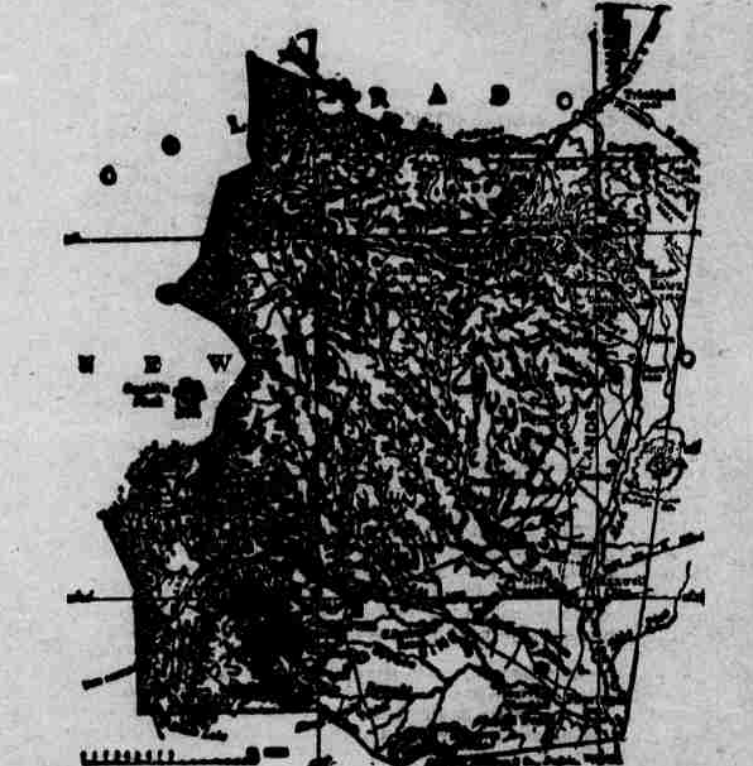
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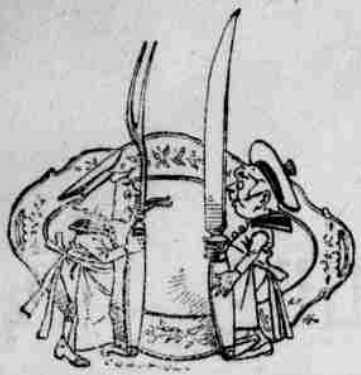
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## POINTED OBSERVATIONS.

**Hon. Geo. Curry Talks of Statehood  
Sentiment—That Apportionment  
—Democratic Committee  
Meeting.**

Hon. Geo. Curry, clerk of the 5th judicial district, is visiting the capital to-day. Mr. Curry is one of the most ubiquitous of individuals, his official duties and private business interests requiring him to travel a great deal, and no man, perhaps, is in closer touch with the people or so well advised as to public sentiment than he. This fact makes Mr. Curry's utterances always of public interest. Speaking to a representative of the New Mexican at the Palace to-day Mr. Curry said he regarded the subject of statehood as the all-important topic of the hour and he finds this sentiment uppermost

IN THE MINDS OF THE PEOPLE of both the Rio Grande and Pecos valleys. They feel that with Delegate Catron in the house and his old time colleague, Senator Elkins, in the senate, with the obstinate Senator Platt of Connecticut, who has always been stubbornly against us off the committee on territories, the conditions are most favorable for results, provided there is reasonable fair play as regards the apportionment. Public sentiment in southern and southeastern New Mexico, Mr. Curry says, is

AGAINST THE APPOINTMENT as now set forth in Mr. Catron's bill.

There are other features of the measure which Democrats regard as arbitrary and as giving Republicans an undue advantage, but these will all be waived in the interest of progress and statehood should the apportionment feature be adjusted. There is neither

REASON NOR REASON NOR COMMON SENSE in the apportionment, for it gives to Valencia county one delegate in the constitutional convention for every 263 voters, whereas Mora county is given one delegate for every 354 voters. Dona Ana county, for instance, is provided with one delegate for every 437 voters, while Chaves county has but one delegate for its 609 voters. This is manifestly unfair and will serve to retard the statehood movement if insisted upon, for Democratic members of the senate will surely defeat the bill when it comes to a vote. "I think, however," said Mr. Curry, "that this can all be

AMICABLY ARRANGED and the bill shaped up so that it shall have the united support of Democrats and Republicans alike in congress who are friendly to New Mexico's admission. "As one of the first steps toward this end," continued Mr. Curry "I think there should be called at any early date a meeting of the territorial Democratic central committee. We ought to discuss the matter and place ourselves squarely on record as favorable to statehood under a reasonable apportionment."

Mr. Curry said that he felt that Delegate Catron's failure to incorporate in his statehood act the necessary land indemnity for the territorial military school at Roswell, and which has brought up such universal condemnation for the bill in Lincoln, Chaves and Eddy counties, was purely an unintentional oversight and would be remedied upon the delegate having his intention called to the attention.

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## ROUND ABOUT TOWN.

The ice harvest is in full swing. The new year came in like a lamb; the weather was delightfully pleasant.

U. S. weather bureau forecast for New Mexico: Fair weather to-morrow, except light snow in east portion; decidedly colder.

A good many New Year callers were out and around yesterday despite the fact that none of the ladies formally kept "open house."

The guild will meet to-morrow, January 3, at 2:30 o'clock at Mrs. W. T. Thornton's. All members are especially urged to be present.

The hearing before Judge Laughlin of the alternative writ of mandamus on the territorial auditor, commanding him to show cause why warrants should not issue for certain sheriff's fees claimed by the estate of the late Jose D. Sosa, has been postponed until Monday.

The dramatic entertainment and dance given by the members of St. Francis band last night was a delightful success. Another one is promised for Monday night, when the beautiful drama, "La Vuelta del Cruzado," will be presented.

The members of the Young Men's Literary and Debating society and their friends had a most pleasurable time at the dance on Tuesday night. A good crowd was in attendance and the event proved both a social and a financial success.

The territorial board of equalization met at the governor's office this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The board is composed as follows: 1st district, R. Martinez; 2d district, C. W. Kennedy; 3d district, D. C. Hobart; secretary, 4th district, W. R. Tipton; 5th district, G. L. Ulrick. The board will be in session for two or three days.

Francis Schlatter, the healer, spent yesterday at a ranch four miles east of Gal-

lop. He is going into Arizona, he says, and may cross Mexico and go into South America before his present "mission" is concluded. Postmaster Gable still has here several hundred letters addressed to the healer. He may send them to Gallup.

## PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ireland have returned from the east.

Mr. A. B. Laird, the bustling collector for Grant county, is in the city on official business.

U. S. Attorney Hemingway and wife have returned from Socorro. They have quarters at the Olivas.

Hon. J. E. Lacombe, formerly of Taos, new of Cripple Creek, and his brother John M. Lacombe, of Taos, are visiting among capital city friends.

At the Exchange: James Davis, Del Norte; W. J. Carter, Chicago; G. H. Roberts, Deming; J. N. Carroll, Alamosa; S. H. Newman, Albuquerque.

Hon. Henry J. Young, of Taos, and Col. Richard Hudson, of Silver City, are in the capital to attend a meeting of the penitentiary board which convenes to-morrow. Other members of the board will arrive to-night.

Major Elias Brevoort leaves to-night for a visit to the City of Mexico to take a vacation, which he has not enjoyed for twenty years. He will make a tour of southern Mexico, returning here in the early summer.

Arrivals at the Bon Ton: Frank Ryerson, Pueblo; Thos. Curtis, Harry Curtis, Durango; Frank Girard, Cripple Creek; George H. West, Springer; J. C. Provender, Blue Water; Thos. Stewart, A. J. Stewart, J. C. James, Pecos; Olivas Casius, Rio Arriba; Frank Martin, Tres Piedras.

At the Palace: Jim Curry, Espanola; E. M. Brown, wife and child, Durango; George Curry, Roswell; Richard Hudson, Elmo Cleveland, Silver City; Jno. Fisk, St. Louis; Geo. L. Ulrick, White Oaks; Mrs. Nettie Love Hill, Clayton; E. T. Parsons, Chicago; Venecelade Jaramillo, Annette Jaramillo, Marie Jaramillo, El Rito; Frank Springer, Las Vegas; T. A. Schomburg, Raton; C. W. Kennedy, Albuquerque.

Mr. T. A. Schomburg, the efficient superintendent of the Maxwell grant, is in the city on a visit. He is one of the solid young men of northeastern New Mexico. Mr. Schomburg modestly admits that he is a direct descendant of the noted explorer and botanist, Schomburg, whose name is so much in evidence just now as the locator of the Venezuelan line, and says his branch of the family dropped the final "k" a generation ago as an altogether useless appendage.

**Bishop Kendrick's Plans.**  
The Rt. Rev. J. M. Kendrick, Episcopal bishop of New Mexico, Arizona and western Texas, accompanied by his wife, has been in the city several days the guests of the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. M. Cabell Martin at St. Clement's rectory. Bishop Kendrick is favorably impressed with El Paso and is seriously considering the establishment of his official headquarters here. If this were decided upon it would mean the addition to El Paso's church edifices of a grand cathedral and its requisite staff and appointments and the holding of daily services. If the project is decided upon a handsome cathedral will be erected upon the present site occupied by St. Clement's church and rectory, which is considered large enough for the requirements. The cathedral would contain a grand pipe organ and would necessitate a large choir.—El Paso Times.

**Carlton Post Installation.**  
At the regular meeting of Carlton post, G. A. R., last night the installation ceremonies of the officers elect (with the exception of Col. Bergmann, who was unavoidably absent) were performed by Col. George W. Knebel, past department commander, in a very impressive manner. This is Judge Dowal's ninth year in the office as post commander, having in the meantime served one year as department commander. It is safe to say that he will be re-elected every year as long as he lives in Santa Fe. Col. Knebel, who is also a past post commander, was duly installed as quartermaster, and will carefully after the financial matters of the post. Capt. Henry M. Davis, another past commander, who has served the post faithfully as adjutant for several years, declined a reappointment owing to defective eyesight at night, and is succeeded by W. B. Fletcher.

The post starts off for the year 1898 with fifty-four members in good standing and will as usual continue as the banner post of New Mexico.

**Mr. Dow Out of Politics.**

To the Editor of the New Mexican.  
Tallique, Valencia county, N. M., Dec. 29.—After having taken a somewhat active and aggressive part for several years in the politics of Valencia county, and having narrowly escaped the loss of both my life and property in consequence thereof, I have deliberately concluded to give notice through your columns to all whom it may concern in this county that they need not expect me to take part in politics during the coming campaign. While I do not wish to discourage the honest people of this county from working for a change of existing conditions here, I have determined that it is best for me to confine my efforts solely to voting. I feel that my first and highest obligation is to protect and care for my wife and eleven children, and that this solemn duty is not consistent with my taking the risks I have in the past as an active participant in politics. Owing to anger at me for my work in politics members of the cowardly gang have made efforts to burn my hay barn, and after having been warned that it had been decided to get me out of the way, an attempt to assassinate me was actually made on the evening of March 24, 1895. Under these circumstances I don't think anyone can blame me for saying "adieu politics in Valencia county." E. A. Dow.

**National Committee.**  
Messrs. H. B. Ferguson and C. M. Shannon, members of the Democratic national committee for New Mexico and Arizona respectively, are receiving numerous letters and telegrams these days soliciting their support for St. Louis, Chicago, Buffalo, Denver, San Francisco and other aspirants for the location of the Democratic national convention. The committee will meet in Washington on the 16th instant. Mr. Shannon expects to leave Santa Fe for the national capital on Tuesday. He favors a western city and declares his intention to cast his first vote for Denver. As between St. Louis and Chicago he inclines to favor the latter city. It is understood that Mr. Ferguson, who is now in Denver, will support either St. Louis or Chicago.

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The next meeting of the association will be held at Raton.

## The Taos County Gold Camp.

The board of trade of La Balle has issued an interesting and instructive pamphlet descriptive of the great gold camp comprised within the limits of the Key-stone and La Balle mining districts of Taos county. The neat and timely little volume was written and compiled by Mr. E. C. van Diest, E. M., and was printed by the Cresset. The New Mexican has filed away a copy of it for ready reference.

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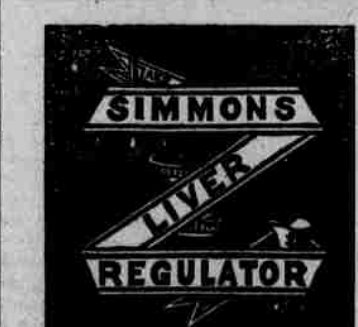
John McCullough Havana cigars at Colorado saloon.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.  
WEATHER BUREAU OFFICE OF OBSERVERS.  
Santa Fe, January 1, 1898.

Time of day.	Temperature.	Relative humidity.	Direction of wind.	Force of wind.	State of sky.	Amount of precipitation.
5:00 a. m.	23.32	13	NE	9	Clear	0.00
10:00 a. m.	23.19	14	NE	8	Clear	0.00
5:00 p. m.	23.32	13	NE	9	Clear	0.00
10:00 p. m.	23.19	14	NE	8	Clear	0.00
Maximum Temperature.....	23					
Minimum Temperature.....	11					
Total Precipitation.....	0.00					

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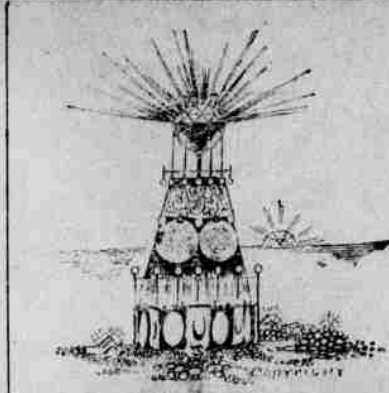
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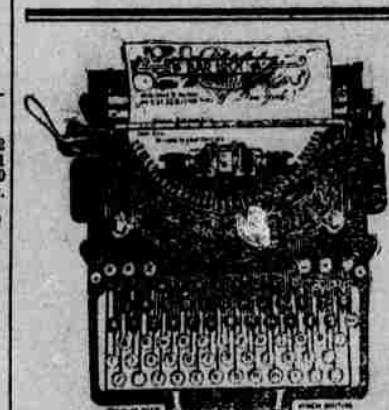
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