

GOVERNOR SHAW WILL ACCEPT

Formal Offer and Acceptance of Treasury Portfolio is Considered Certain.

DATE OF CHANGE NOT KNOWN

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson Will Remain in Cabinet---Iowa People Pleased at Shaw's Selection.

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 25.—It was announced authoritatively this evening that Governor L. M. Shaw of Iowa, would be appointed secretary of the treasury to succeed Secretary Gage.

The date of transfer of the treasury department will depend on the mutual convenience of the outgoing and incoming secretary, Mr. Gage having signified an entire willingness to retire at the head of his department until such time as it may be agreeable to his successor to take hold.

It has been known for two or three days that Governor Shaw was slated for appointment to succeed Secretary Gage, but it was not until today that the Iowa executive accepted the tender made to him.

By Associated Press. Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 25.—Governor L. M. Shaw was seen again this evening with regard to his appointment as secretary of the United States treasury.

However, from the tone of the dispatches from Washington, he assumed that the president would appoint him and that to all intents and purposes the matter has been fully settled.

The legislature convenes January 13 and Governor Shaw will be very busy in the interim with the preparation of his annual message so that if the appointment by the president is made before January 16, the governor will be able to take up the duties of secretary of the treasury before January 20, and possibly earlier.

PAWNEE INDIANS EXCITED BY BUFFALO

By Associated Press. Guthrie, O., Dec. 25.—The Pawnee Indians are on the warpath. An immense buffalo herd was so injured in transferring from the Santa Fe stock yards to Pawnee Bill's ranch south of town that he had to be killed. The meat was given by Major Lillie to the Indians for a Buffalo dance.

MUST VACATE CLAIMS IN INDIAN ALLOTMENTS

By Associated Press. Guthrie, O., Dec. 25.—United States Indian Agent Randlett of the Kiowa and Comanche tribes, is sending out notice to all persons who have staked mining claims in Indian allotments, that they must vacate at once or they will be ejected.

SEWER PIPE MAKERS MAY ENTER COMBINE

By Associated Press. Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 25.—The manufacturers of sewer pipes have within the past week perfected an arrangement which will place the entire trade of the United States in the hands of a set of dealers who will be recognized as manufacturers' agencies and will sell their stock on the commission plan.

BLOODSHED AND FIRE IN A LOUISIANA CITY

By Associated Press. Shreveport, La., Dec. 25.—Christmas day had its trail of bloodshed and fire in Shreveport. There were three killings, all of the victims being negroes, and a fire which destroyed property valued at \$25,000.

DEFENDED HIS MOTHER

By Associated Press. Brazil, Ind., Dec. 25.—In defending his mother from an assault by her drunken husband, Theodore Watkins, colored, 12 years of age, shot and killed his father tonight.

SEAMAN IS VERY ILL

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 25.—The condition of Adjutant General Seaman of California, who is ill here, is reported as precarious, there having been no improvement during the past 24 hours.

COLORADO SPRINGS GAZETTE

Protocol Has Been Drawn Up and Signed by Argentina. WILL AVERT IMMEDIATE WAR

THE REMEDY IS NOT PERMANENT AND THE TWO COUNTRIES ARE CONTINUING THEIR WARLIKE PREPARATIONS.

By Associated Press. Buenos Ayres, Dec. 25.—A dispatch from Santiago de Chile says that after a fresh conference held this evening between President Belsos, Foreign Minister Yanez and Senor Portela, the Argentine minister, the new agreement was signed, the latest modification of the former proposals being accepted.

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AMERICANIZATION OF THE WORLD

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PRAYED FOR MISS STONE

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 25.—Letters were received in this city by Miss Stone, the missionary, and her Armenian and Turkish empire Christians have assembled daily in their places of worship since the abduction of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the missionary, and her Armenian and Turkish empire Christians have assembled daily in their places of worship since the abduction of Miss Ellen M. Stone.

CHILD BURNED IN A PHILADELPHIA FIRE

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Dec. 25.—One child was burned to death, its parents were seriously injured and another was slightly injured as a result of a fire at the home of James H. Connolly, 3676 Yonkers avenue, at midnight.

THOUSANDS WERE MADE HAPPY IN NEW YORK

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 25.—Public and patriotic organizations gave joyous greetings to the thousands of persons in this city today who in the outlying districts where the wealthy have their country seats, made happier than ever before.

HEBREWS WANT TO GO TO PALESTINE

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 25.—An enthusiastic meeting of Hebrews was held tonight at Cooper Union in celebration of the fifth international Zionists congress, which will open tomorrow at Basel, Switzerland.

DEATH OF AN INDIAN SURVIVOR OF INDIAN MASSACRE

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Dec. 25.—Dewitt Clinton House, who has died at his home in this city, aged 74 years was one of the oldest and best known traveling men in the United States.

ECHO OF SPANISH AMERICAN WAR

By Associated Press. London, Dec. 25.—The Times this morning publishes an editorial article on the pretensions of Continental newspapers that it was Russia, not England, that prevented European intervention in the Hispano-American war.

LANDS WITHDRAWN

By Associated Press. Kallispell, Mont., Dec. 25.—The register and receiver of the Kallispell Land office has received a letter from the interior department instructing the withdrawal of all lands from settlement in Montana north and west of the Kallispell river.

FATALITIES IN QUARREL

By Associated Press. Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 25.—Three negroes were killed near Wilnot yesterday as the result of a quarrel over a land sale.

TEXAS POLITICIAN DEAD

By Associated Press. San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 25.—Col. R. Benfro of Brownsville, a prominent Texas politician and one of the leading Republicans of this state, died at Corpus Christi last night.

CHRISTMAS AT WHITE HOUSE

President Roosevelt Devoted His Time Principally to the Children. STOCKINGS ALL WELL FILLED

FESTIVITIES ENDED WITH DANCE IN HONOR OF THEODORE, JR.—DAY QUIET IN WASHINGTON.

By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 25.—Washington has seldom celebrated Christmas more quietly than today. Owing to the police regulations there were no noisy demonstrations on the streets.

The departments were all closed, the officials generally spending the day with their respective families. The White House was closed to the public and a large part of the clerical force was excused for the day.

The president put in much of the time in the residence part of the building, giving his principal attention to the children of the household, who were the recipients of many presents both from their parents and from others.

UNITED STATES CONDEMNNS LAND FOR NAVAL STATION

By Associated Press. Honolulu, Dec. 18, via Victoria, B. C., Dec. 25.—The first of the suits brought on here against the Hawaiian lands needed for the naval station at Pearl Harbor was decided last week by a jury in the United States district court which has been sitting in Honolulu.

A RACE SKIRMISH DEVELOPED IN HARLEM

By Associated Press. New York, Dec. 25.—A race skirmish between whites and negroes developed today developed serious proportions and kept the police busy for a time.

GENERAL ALGER PAST MOST CRITICAL STAGE

By Associated Press. Detroit, Mich., Dec. 25.—Tonight C. G. Jennings, who is attending Gen. R. A. Alger, said to the Associated Press: "You may announce that General Alger has safely passed the first and most critical stage after the operation that was performed on him last Sunday."

SOLDIERS POISONED AT FORT RUSSELL

By Associated Press. Cheyenne, Wyo., Dec. 25.—Eighty soldiers of company F, Eighteenth infantry, were poisoned today at dinner. The men were seized with convulsions and several came near dying before they could be removed to the hospital.

PROBABLE CHANGES IN GERMAN TARIFF

By Associated Press. Berlin, Dec. 25.—The government yielding to Russian demands, an attitude regarding the tariff bill, will propose, when the committee having the matter in charge meets, that the matter be referred to the Reichstag.

CLEVELAND BETTER

By Associated Press. Princeton, N. J., Dec. 25.—Ex-President Cleveland's condition was if anything more favorable today. He showed a greater disposition to move about and while he did not come down stairs and take part in his children's Christmas, he showed much interest in the gifts.

JEFFRIES AND JEFFRIES

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Dec. 25.—James J. Jeffries and his brother, Jack Jeffries, gave a six-round boxing exhibition at the Convention hall in this city tonight.

BARRETT'S RETURN

By Associated Press. Mexico City, Dec. 25.—El Tiempo, a clerical organ, says that diplomatic circles and politicians are commenting on the return to the United States of Jack Beaschotte of Chicago.

Why Syrup of Figs is the best family laxative

It is pure.
It is gentle.
It is pleasant.
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Its component parts are all wholesome. It acts gently without unpleasant after-effects. It is wholly free from objectionable substances. It contains the laxative principles of plants. It contains the carminative principles of plants. It contains wholesome aromatic liquids which are agreeable and refreshing to the taste. All are pure. All are delicately blended. All are skillfully and scientifically compounded. Its value is due to our method of manufacture and to the originality and simplicity of the combination. To get its beneficial effects—buy the genuine.

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NEWS NOTES FROM DENVER

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Denver Bureau Colorado Springs Gazette
Denver, Dec. 25.—Christmas day in Denver this year has been one of the most joyous in the city's history. The principal feature of the day was the entertainment prepared for the children to as many children as possible were remembered in some way. Simon Guggenheim, through the direction of Parsons Uzzell, fed 1,500 youngsters at the Brown hotel. The evening Times entertained 5,000 at one of the theaters and later fed 200 at the St. James hotel. The Evening Post distributed 8,000 newspapers and fed 300 newboys at the Brown hotel. At the state home for dependent children the 100 orphans were treated to a tree loaded down with toys. The combined charity organizations of the city brought cheer and happiness to all of the poor children who were kind and white as the inmates of their institution were treated to a turkey dinner. The Industrial School for Girls had a program rendered by the children. The Daughters of the Empire distributed 200 turkey pies and 600 loaves to the reading all who came to the Salvation Army shelter. The entire city and county on the day, and a little gain in the price of the turkey. Curtis, expressed the opinion of everyone tonight when he said, "We've all had a rattling good time and old Santa Claus has been around here."

The body of Miss Flora Elizabeth McDonald, who mysteriously disappeared last Monday afternoon from the home of Mr. Humphrey, at 49 South Broadway, was found in the small lake at the City park this morning. The find was made by John Fritz, a light trimmer for the electric light company. He was walking across the ice for the purpose of trimming the lights on the island in the lake when he stumbled over something. Turning around he was horrified to see a human hand protruding about six inches above the water. The authorities were notified and the coroner took care of the body. It required nearly an hour's work to break the ice and get the body out of the water. When it was removed to the coroner's office, they immediately recognized the body. The relation of the body to the idea of murder, but the police believe it is a case of suicide.

NEWS NOTES FROM PUEBLO

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Pueblo Bureau Colorado Springs Gazette
Pueblo, Dec. 25.—The receipts of yesterday issued in the land office on mineral claims are as follows: Morning Glory Nos. 1, 2 and 3 and Brown Nos. 1 and 2 lodes in the Cripple Creek mining district, Teller county, to J. Payne, Cripple Creek.
Baltimore lode, in Cripple Creek mining district, Teller county, Charles F. Gussaul, Cripple Creek.
Lucky Fraction lode, in the Cripple Creek mining district, Teller county, to M. Buck and Thomas S. Hallwell, Cripple Creek.
Big Beaver, West Beaver and Broadway lodes, in the Cripple Creek mining district, Teller county, to A. G. Burton, Cripple Creek.

In the land office yesterday a decision was handed down by the register and receiver involving the application of the Solomon Valley Gold Mining company for the Snow and Montezuma lodes in Cripple Creek mining district, Teller county. The decision rejects the application on the ground of laches at the instance of Joseph Parnell. The application was made for these lodes by the Solomon Valley Gold Mining company on August 1, 1897, and Parnell filed his protest August 1, 1897. Parnell filed application for the Prosperity lode, covering part of the same ground as the Snow and Montezuma. The decision filed in the land office yesterday denies the application of the Solomon Mining company merely upon the ground of laches.

Miss Jennie Haas of Bessemer went to Cripple Creek to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Waller.
R. V. Corwin spends his Christmas at Red Stone, one of a house party, the guests of A. C. Osgood.
Hallett Gallup has gone to Denver.
J. H. Woods has gone to Trinidad.
Thomas Halburton went to Denver yesterday.
N. L. Drew, city passenger agent of the Colorado and Santa Fe railway, went to Denver for Christmas.
Robert De Lo Court went to Chicago this morning.
Mrs. N. L. Swingley of 123 B street is spending Christmas with her parents at Fort Morgan.
H. M. Morgan, a clerk at Holmes' hardware store, will leave for his home at Brazil, Ind., the latter part of this week. He will return with a bride late in January and make Pueblo his permanent home.

NEWS NOTES FROM VICTOR

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Victor Bureau Colorado Springs Gazette
Victor, Dec. 25.—The Victor Orphans home were well taken care of today. The local lodge of Elks took upon themselves to see that the little ones received appropriate Christmas gifts and the other good things which little people look for at Christmas time. The appropriation of the Elks, a generous one, was sufficiently large to enable the trustees of the home to buy a fine heating stove, of which the home was greatly in need.

Work on the new opera house is progressing rapidly and it is estimated that within a couple of months it will be ready for use. The steel ceiling is being put in and the heating plant is being installed.

Word has been received here of one marriage in Denver yesterday of two well-known Victor people. They are J. F. Ertman and Miss Minnie Buckinson. They were married at the Albany hotel by Rev. J. J. G. Ertman. The happy couple will return to the district to make their future home.

NEWS NOTES FROM ANACONDA

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Anaconda Bureau Colorado Springs Gazette
Anaconda, Dec. 25.—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rinning last evening occurred the marriage of Miss Anna M. C. Rinning and Mr. J. W. Anderson of Victor. The Rev. Mr. Ray of the Congregational church of Cripple Creek performed the ceremony. The bride is one of the youngest girls of Anaconda. Her groom is a well-known business man of Victor. The evidence of the popularity of the young couple is attested by the fact that the first guests were present. These included the parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Anderson of Pittsburg, and the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson of Anaconda. The couple will be at home in Victor after January 1.

Hard frost met with an accident yesterday. The heavy iron door of the orphans home fell down on his right arm. The member of the board of trustees, Charles Halburton, was severely injured. It is stated that in a few days the Short Line people will commence building a spur which will connect the merchants of Anaconda to lead their wagons right near the trestle.

The masquerade ball given by members of the Victoria Lodge of Elks at the Macabees last evening in the Public hall proved a very enjoyable affair. Fully 50 couples participated and a pleasant evening was spent.

NEWS NOTES FROM ST. LOUIS FAIR

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Cripple Creek Bureau Colorado Springs Gazette
Cripple Creek, Dec. 25.—Jim Roberts, a miner known as "Silver," was killed in a drunken brawl in the Dawson club of Myers avenue early this morning. William Brooks, Jack Whiting and J. Yarnes, otherwise known as Jack Crowley, are in the city jail on suspicion of being implicated in the man's death.

There is more or less mystery surrounding the crime as the principals refuse to give statements sufficiently definite to fix the blame on any one of their number. There were several people in the saloon at the time of the killing, but most of them made their escape before the police appeared on the scene. It is understood, however, that the police have succeeded in locating some of them and also that they have witnesses who will testify that Brooks struck the fatal blow.

Brooks is the proprietor of the Dawson club, which is a notorious joint on Myers avenue. The other two men are both ex-policemen of Cripple Creek. Crowley is also an ex-fighter. All three are now in jail.

There is no question that the police in their respective places at the entrance to the cars. The trouble arose over a large fact that in unloading an express car the men were using a large wooden plank to reach the cars. The plank was broken and "The pride of the darky's heart" scattered all over the platform. The animals were very active and the men were soon out of their reach. The colored employes could not be restrained from assisting the expressmen in recapturing them. Only one man found their way back to the empty car.

Gus Peterson, a grocery clerk, living at 82 Marion street, had his left foot caught in a trap set by a street car on Eighteenth street this afternoon. He attempted to board the car while it was in motion and fell under the wheels. He was taken to the hospital and reported missing. When last seen he had checks for about \$200 in his pocket. His friends fear foul play.

An unknown man was thrown from a horse at Eighteenth and Lawrence streets this afternoon and received a compound fracture of the skull which was fatal. He was removed to the county hospital.

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Altman Bureau Colorado Springs Gazette
Altman, Dec. 25.—Among the enjoyable Christmas events the Christmas tree party given last night at the Methodist Episcopal church ranks high. The church was absolutely crowded. The entertainment was a fine one. The big chimney had been arranged for which came George McMillan dressed as Santa Claus. When the children saw him they gave a shout that shook the building. Popular George distributed candy, nuts and other good things to the little ones and few of them really guessed who Santa Claus was.

Reciprocate!

The balance of this week will afford you excellent opportunity to return the Xmas remembrances received from kind and thoughtful friends--surprise them with a New Year's gift--we have all kinds.

All that remains of Holiday goods will be sold out at almost your own price for the balance of this week.

For over fifty years
An Old and Well-Tried Remedy
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. It has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures whooping cough, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. AND TAKE NO OTHER KIND. Twenty-Five Cents a Bottle.

FARMER SHOT TO DEATH.
By Associated Press.
Hudson, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Peter A. Hallenbeck, a well-known farmer, was shot to death last night at his home near Greenport, Columbia county. Eleven shots were fired and all took effect.
Three men were seen later driving toward Catskill station and it was supposed Hallenbeck had been shot by robbers.
This afternoon five men were arrested at Kinderhook on suspicion of the murder. Three of them are nephews of the murdered man. They are Barton Von Wormer, Willis Von Wormer and Fred Von Wormer. The fourth man is Harvey Bruce.
An attractive woman thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. When troubled with a constipated habit, she takes a few doses of HEBLEY-ARCULARIUS to cleanse her system of all impurities. Price, 50 cents. Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

25c One Way, 40c Round Trip, 5-day limit to Cripple Creek via Colorado Midland Railway.

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Some goods we ordered in November just came in, and we haven't the time to dispose of them at regular prices.
Stag horn manure and desk articles, sterling silver mounted 50c
Sterling silver mounted ink stands 50c
Heavy Sterling Handled Manure and Desk Articles
2 pieces, salt and pepper shakers, silver plated 50c
Gold plated photo frames 25c and 50c
Sterling silver topped puff boxes \$1.00

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High-Class Furnishings, Hats, Suits & Overcoats
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PAID FOR JEWELRY WITH POSTAGE STAMPS
By Associated Press.
Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 25.—C. A. Young has been arrested at Potosi, N. T., on the charge of robbing a Texas postoffice last spring of \$500 in money and stamps. He paid \$100 in stamps to a jewelry firm for a diamond ring and this led to his arrest. He had over \$1,000 on him when arrested.

BOY SHOT BY BROTHER.
By Associated Press.
Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 25.—Charles Robb, an 11-year-old boy, was shot and instantly killed late this evening near his city. With his elder brother he was on a hunting trip. The gun was carried over the shoulder of the older brother and was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking the younger brother in the heart.
Disease and danger lurk in the vital organs. The blood becomes vitiated and the general health is undermined when ever the stomach and liver fail to perform their functions as nature intended. HEBLEY will tone up a jewelry firm, regulate the liver, where other preparations only relieve. Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

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Over the shoulder of the older brother. He paid \$100 in stamps to a jewelry firm for a diamond ring and this led to his arrest. He had over \$1,000 on him when arrested.
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Holiday Greeting To Our Friends and Patrons

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The year and season has been to us the most prosperous in the history of our establishment.

Our Christmas photos have been the BEST and most SATISFACTORY it has been our pleasure to deliver.

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Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and prosperous New Year, yours for the highest grade of Photographic work.

Chas. E. Emery
Corner Cascade and Kiowa

AMERICAN CHILDREN ENTERTAINED IN PARIS

By Associated Press.
Paris, Dec. 25.—The weather today was fine and the boulevards were thronged all day by animated crowds of promenaders visiting the toy factories. American children of the toy factories, American children of the toy factories, benefited by the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Michael De Young of San Francisco, who gave them this afternoon in their apartments at the Continental hotel. An immense Christmas tree, laden with glittering toys, had been erected in the room. Mrs. De Young, United States Ambassador Porter and Mrs. Porter and Consul General Gowdy and Mrs. Gowdy were present at the distribution of the toys. A constant stream of children left the hotel, carrying armfuls of toys which Mr. and Mrs. De Young had brought from America.

FOOTWEAR FOR FULL DRESS. The Season of Receptions, Balls, Parties and all other indoor functions is again upon us. These occasions demand special footwear for the Lady or Gentleman who will take part in the season's festivities. The smartness of our styles will appeal to all good dressers. We have shoes of exclusive styles, masterpieces of the shoemaker's art. More styles here than we could commence to tell you about. Gentlemen's Patent Kid and Patent Leather Dress Shoes at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00. Gentlemen's Pumps at \$2.50 to \$6.00. Ladies' Dress Shoes at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. Ladies' Dress Slippers at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00. Bring your swell footwear notions here and see how well we can satisfy them. FRANK A. VORHES 22 SOUTH TEJON STREET

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SPALDING BELIEVES THAT HE IS LEGALLY ELECTED. By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 25.—Mr. A. G. Spalding left here this evening for South Carolina, but before leaving gave out a statement relative to the communication given out by Andrew Freedman's attorney regarding Mr. Spalding's announcement that he would not act further as president-secretary-treasurer of the National Baseball League. Mr. Spalding says in part: "Mr. Freedman's attorney is at perfect liberty to make any deduction from that letter he pleases, but it speaks for itself. The quotation that this New York attorney makes from my letter is as misleading as everything else that man's attorney, I shall continue to believe myself the legally elected president of the National League until some court of competent jurisdiction shall decide otherwise. Pending this final decision and in accordance with the order of the supreme court of New York, I am temporarily restrained from acting as president-secretary-treasurer of the National League and I must bow to the majesty of the law and comply with the court's order. "I have instructed my attorney to do anything in his judgment he may deem necessary to make a proper answer at the proper time to any and all charges that may be preferred by Mr. Freedman and those who, for personal reasons,



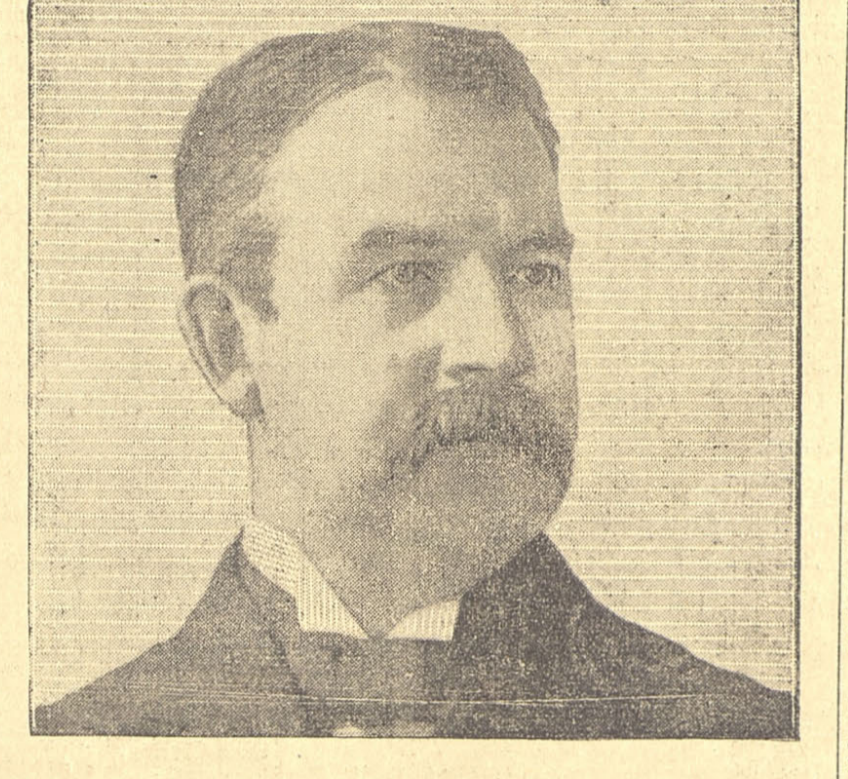
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Cash Bazaar THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON. To Every Body. WE WISH YOU ALL A Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. During holiday week we shall offer all the balance of our holiday goods, including dolls, at Big Discounts. Special prices. Lots of Goods. HOLIDAY PRESENTS at Prices to Suit Yourself. STORE CLOSED ALL DAY TODAY. HEATH & REINKEN, DRY GOODS 111 S. Tejon St.

CUBAN VETERANS GIVE BANQUET TO AMERICANS. By Associated Press. Havana, Dec. 25.—A banquet was given to the officers of the United States fleet today by the Cuban veterans. It was a grand demonstration of gratitude on the part of the Cubans toward the American navy. General Carlos Garcia presided. Governor General Wood in proposing a toast to the future of the republic said that when the fleet came again it would find a stable government in Cuba.

NEW BURGER CORPS ARE TO BE FORMED. By Associated Press. Pretoria, Dec. 25.—The formation of a new burger corps to be known as national scouts has aroused great interest among the surrendered burghers. In view of numerous meetings and applications General Lord Kitchener has authorized the creation of fresh wings to operate in the southern and eastern Transvaal under prominent Boer leaders elected by the burghers themselves.

KILLED BY MISTAKE. By Associated Press. London, Dec. 25.—Christmas in London was fairly fine, but the heavy snow returned from Scotland. The king, with the Princess Victoria, attended service in the morning at the Chapel Royal in St. James Palace and later dined quietly with the Duke and Duchess of Connaught. The queen sent an enormous quantity of toys, with autograph cards, to the children's hospitals in London and the entire land made generous gifts to other hospitals. King Edward sent contributions to the dinners of all regiments of the household troops.



A. G. SPALDING.

Mr. Freedman has done since this controversy commenced. If he had preceded his quotation "that I must refuse to act further as president-secretary-treasurer of the National League" with the words "Pending the decision of the court," he would have shown a stronger disposition to quote my letter correctly. "Early as December 14, I was informed by a committee of the National League that I had been unanimously elected president of that organization on that date. Col. John J. Rogers, a prominent attorney of Philadelphia, assured me that that election was regular and legal. A similar opinion has been expressed by my personal attorney, Alfred W. Kiddle, of New York. I believe I am the legally elected president of the National League and as I consider the quotations as quoted above as good as the opinion of Mr. Freed-

SHOOTING AT HOT SPRINGS. By Associated Press. Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 25.—Frank Mallory, proprietor of a restaurant, was shot and killed today by Frank Chilcutt, a saloon keeper. It is claimed that the killing was in self-defense. Chilcutt is in jail.

NEW IRISH LAND BILL. By Associated Press. London, Dec. 25.—The Daily News gives it as a rumor that the government is preparing an Irish land bill providing an equivalent to compulsory purchase. It is believed that the measure provides that the tenant may buy at 17 and the landlord sell at 20 years' purchase, the state providing the payment for three years' difference.

ELKS DISTRIBUTE SILVER. By Associated Press. Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 25.—The Elks of Birmingham presented to the poor people of this city a Christmas tree

loaded with gifts tonight and 2,000 children took part in the festivities. Every poor child or woman who went to the theater where the celebration took place was given a silver quarter as a present.

SENATOR SEWELL. By Associated Press. Cass Lake, Minn., Dec. 25.—Senator Sewell was reported tonight as slightly weaker than on yesterday. However, he is taking nourishment and the doctors apprehend no serious turn in his condition during the night.

TEXAS AND PACIFIC WRECK. By Associated Press. Grand Saline, Texas, Dec. 25.—In a freight wreck near Silver Lake today 15 cars were derailed and five persons more or less injured. The Texas and Pacific "Cannonball" engine which had been detached and sent on with a wrecking crew was derailed while returning from the freight wreck and four men were injured, none fatally.

OPPOSE NATIONAL PARK. By Associated Press. Cass Lake, Minn., Dec. 25.—The village council has appropriated \$500 to send a delegation to Washington to oppose the creation of a national park in northern Minnesota. The people here want the Chippewa reservation opened to settlement.

FIRST AWARD OF THE NOBEL PRIZES. By Associated Press. Washington, Dec. 25.—United States Minister Thomas has reported to the state department that events of unusual importance and interest took place December 10 at Stockholm and Christiania in connection with the first award of the Nobel prizes. Alfred Nobel, the discoverer of dynamite, who died five years ago, left the whole of his vast fortune for the benefit of mankind and in his will directed that it be divided into prizes without regard to nation, to be awarded to the person who should be considered the most worthy in each of five categories: physics, chemistry, medicine, literature and peace.

SERIOUS WRECK ON A TEXAS RAILROAD. By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, Dec. 25.—The north-bound Texas, Kansas & Pacific freight train at 11 o'clock p. m. ran into a burned bridge five miles south of this city just before midnight. Last night there was loss of life, but five persons were injured, four cars were destroyed, only the Pullman being saved. The injured—J. S. Clark, engineer, Dennison, St. Louis, and ankle broken; Fireman William Kearney, Dennison, out on head and severely bruised; John Henry, colored, internally injured; Lull, colored, Waco, slight; unknown, colored woman, slight.

ESTHER MARRIED. By Associated Press. Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 25.—Miss Ellen Mortimer, who takes the character of Esther in Ben Hur, now playing at the Alvin theater, was married today to Claude A. Cunningham, a music teacher of Chicago. The ceremony was witnessed only by close friends and members of the company.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA. By Associated Press. London, Dec. 25.—Queen Alexandra is making excellent progress toward recovery, but will not be able to be out for several days.

JOCKEY MARRIED. By Associated Press. San Francisco, Dec. 25.—Miss Fannie Russell and Jockey George White were married yesterday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Rowell in Golden Gate.

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PROMISCUOUS SHOOTING. By Associated Press. Nacogdoches, Texas, Dec. 25.—While a crowd of men were gathered at a party in celebrating Christmas a stray bullet struck Mitch Bird, aged 15, inflicting a mortal wound. The boy's father then fired into the crowd with a shotgun seriously wounding Ed Lee, Ruben Chandler and Edgar Moore, all negroes. The boy is dead and one of the negroes is dying.

KILLED BY ELECTRICITY. By Associated Press. Akron, Ohio, Dec. 25.—D. P. Wheeler, cashier of the Citizens National bank, was found dead in front of the vault in the bank this afternoon. He had been killed by an electric shock through handling a socket of an incandescent lamp and opening the vault door at the same time, thus forming a fatal current.

KILLED IN A DUEL. By Associated Press. Lockhart, Texas, Dec. 25.—As the result of a duel near Coxville, Lon Baker was killed and Jim Caffey was badly wounded. Caffey was brought here and is in jail.

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SUFFOCATED BY GAS. By Associated Press. Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 25.—A chimney flue obstructed with soot which caused a tightly closed house to fill with a crew of six men and one passenger, Lawrence McDonald of this city. The boat carried a cargo of herring. A gale sprang up November 25 and in it the Parkhurst is believed to have foundered.

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CANNOT AFFECT THE EXCHANGES.

THERE was much comment in this city yesterday regarding the announced intention of the sheriff of Arapahoe county to close the mining stock exchange at that place as a gambling house.

The buying and selling of mining stock cannot be rated as gambling any more than the buying and selling of real estate. A corporation like a mining company has property, or is supposed to have, and the stock certificate is a token of ownership in that property.

No reasonable court would construe the laws to interfere with a legitimate business, and undoubtedly Judge Johnson will not permit the stock business to be interfered with.

ENTERPRISING KANSANS.

THERE has been a very interesting conference in the city of Topeka, Kan., the past week. It was a conference of business men of that state called together by Governor Stanley.

During the meeting a gentleman now residing in Mexico made the following statement:

The peon of Mexico is gradually becoming a consumer. The old peonage system is being wiped out. Mexico can never get along on the wheat and corn which is raised down there, for those crops depend on irrigation in the high altitudes and they can never be raised in sufficient quantities to supply the demand.

ADOPTING AMERICAN REFORMS.

THE ENGLISH prisons have long borne a reputation for severity of discipline, and many are the gruesome tales that have been told. It is encouraging to know that there are symptoms of marked reforms. It is announced that they have decided to adopt the Massachusetts plan of caring for juvenile offenders.

The extension of trade relations with Mexico should not be a difficult matter. In fact, a bit of reciprocity would accomplish it, and it would not be Kansas alone that would benefit, but the entire west.

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The Massachusetts plan places the prisoner in the hands of probationary officers. In Illinois they have taken a step recently in the handling of juvenile prisoners that is a great advance.

In New York state they have cut out the lock step and no longer shave the head. Modern penology seeks not to mark a man who is unfortunate enough to reach a prison but to elevate him if possible.

A presidential boom has been launched for David R. Francis of St. Louis to secure him the Democratic nomination in 1904. Ex-Governor Francis is now the president of the Louisiana Purchase exposition and has been the chief promoter of that affair.

The dismissal of Maclay and the reprimand given General Miles, who had to toss his sword and epaulets into the side of the scales which he thought the most popular, will certainly have a good effect in the army and navy.

If every John Smith in the country will agree to visit the Founding of Jamestown exposition in Virginia and take a Pocahontas along with him the exposition will not fail for want of patronage.

DIFFICULTIES OF PHILANTHROPY.

SOMEHOW the general public has not been stirred to any great enthusiasm over Andrew Carnegie's offer to spend ten millions of dollars in founding a national university.

It is really a strange situation when a philanthropist finds his gifts unappreciated, but something of this same spirit was shown last year when he gave to the Scottish universities.

There is a story of a very good man who spent his life in philanthropic works. He made many personal sacrifices, and always declared that if he became rich he would do certain things. He had the plans outlined for extensive philanthropic work that would be far reaching in its beneficial aspects.

Without discussing the story or the man's ultimate conclusions, the fact remains that a person with very great wealth can well consider the various aspects of philanthropy before making extensive donations.

The Topeka Capital suggests that Mr. Carnegie may find a safe outlet for his philanthropy in assisting the agricultural schools rather than in founding a national university. There is something in that. A gentleman of this city suggests that even a greater monument might be built in Mr. Carnegie's name if he could be induced to join the good roads movement.

UNIFORM FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

THE SCHOOL BOARDS and teachers have something new to discuss now at their various meetings. The school inspector in Detroit, Mich., has proposed that all pupils in the high schools of the city be uniformed.

Undoubtedly the children of the poor feel the disparagements of dress. There is a good deal in a uniform that is inexplicable. A uniformed policeman holds back a mob every day at street corners who would crush him if he attempted it without the uniform.

We have not considered the matter sufficiently to advocate or oppose it, but the theory of the public school is democracy, and in the cities it fails in that at present.

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The extension of trade relations with Mexico should not be a difficult matter. In fact, a bit of reciprocity would accomplish it, and it would not be Kansas alone that would benefit, but the entire west.

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The Massachusetts plan places the prisoner in the hands of probationary officers. In Illinois they have taken a step recently in the handling of juvenile prisoners that is a great advance.

In New York state they have cut out the lock step and no longer shave the head. Modern penology seeks not to mark a man who is unfortunate enough to reach a prison but to elevate him if possible.

A presidential boom has been launched for David R. Francis of St. Louis to secure him the Democratic nomination in 1904. Ex-Governor Francis is now the president of the Louisiana Purchase exposition and has been the chief promoter of that affair.

The dismissal of Maclay and the reprimand given General Miles, who had to toss his sword and epaulets into the side of the scales which he thought the most popular, will certainly have a good effect in the army and navy.

If every John Smith in the country will agree to visit the Founding of Jamestown exposition in Virginia and take a Pocahontas along with him the exposition will not fail for want of patronage.

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Manager Burns on Western League Status

Mr. Thomas F. Burns, the well-known manager of the Colorado Springs Millionaires of the Western baseball league has returned to Colorado Springs. Mr. Burns is not depressed by the newspaper reports to the effect that Mr. Tebeau, otherwise known as "White Wings," had called by the present manager of the Western league a co-traitor with one Thomas Jefferson Hickey, is getting the best of the league. When asked what he thought of what he thought about these stories Mr. Burns smiled and said: "There is one man running this league this year."

Cigar Makers Union Formed Yesterday

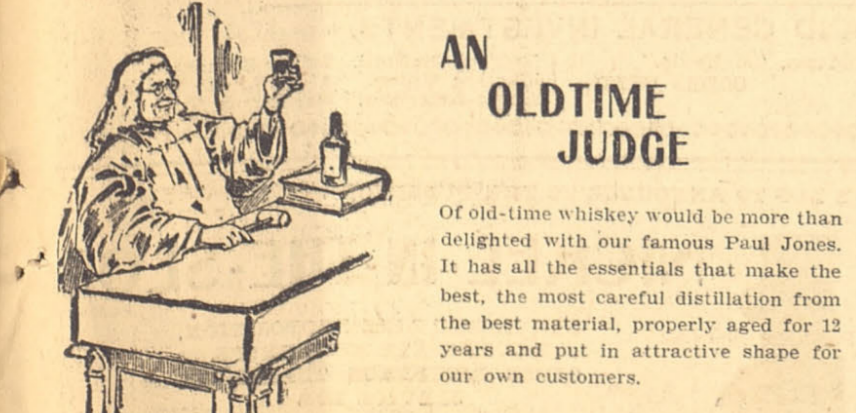
With a membership of 45, a local branch of the Cigar Makers International Union of America was organized yesterday at Union Labor hall. The organization is the result of the growth of the cigar manufacturing business in this city, as heretofore, there were not enough cigar makers in town to form a strong union. Recently, however, new factories have been established, and the capacity of the old ones increased, and their products are finding extensive sales.

Utes Paid a Visit to Former Agent

Five Ute Indians from the Utah reservation, in the northern part of Utah, paid a short visit yesterday to Robert Waugh, former government agent at the reservation. The Indians spent an hour at Mr. Waugh's residence, No. 28 Boulder Crescent, and then left for home.

Santa Claus at First Presbyterian

Over 600 people were in attendance at the first Presbyterian church Sabbath school entertainment last evening. A short program in which members of the school and the Rena Strong string orchestra had part prepared the way for the introduction of Santa. A splendidly decorated tree, illuminated by 50 colored electric lights, stood to the left side of the pulpit. Four hundred and fifty cases of candy were piled up at its feet. Santa Claus in a fine coat of fur was greeted by Superintendent Seldomridge and immediately proceeded to read letters and dispense presents.



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Four Weddings Were Solemnized Yesterday

A quartet of weddings entered into the sum of yesterday's Christmas festivities. It is the time-honored saying, "Happy is the bride that the sun shines upon," can be relied upon, then these lucky brides are destined to be superlatively happy, for there could not have been a more beautiful day.

AMUSEMENTS

HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS. George Wilson, who heads the Haverly Minstrel company, announced to appear at the Opera house tomorrow evening. Has for years been a figure as conspicuous in American minstrelsy as Nat Goodwin in comedy or Francis Wilson in comic opera.

CHRISTMAS DAY AT THE PRINTERS' HOME

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SAD AND TRAGIC DEATH OF IRVING LACEY AT WASCOS, CALIF. The Two Men Were Engaged in a Target Practice—Death was Instantaneous.

The death of Irving W. Lacey of Wasco, Calif., son-in-law of Dr. T. G. Horn and brother of Mrs. G. M. Jacobs of this city, which was announced in the Gazette yesterday morning, was one of the circumstances of which were particularly sad and tragic.

ANTLERS HOTEL GUESTS HAD HAPPY CHRISTMAS

The New-Century Christmas at the Antlers was certainly a very merry one. If anybody had awakened from a Rip Van Winkle-like sleep yesterday and strolled in there they would have known at once that it was Christmas day for there were many signs and sounds which gave evidence of merriment and good cheer.

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State Mining News

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Table with 2 columns: Mine Name and Value. Includes Georgetown, Silver Plume, Empire, Lawson, Dumont, Yankee and Alice, Idaho Springs.

Howard District. George W. Cooper, superintendent of the Cooper Mining company and of the Cooper Gold and Copper company, was in Salida Tuesday and reports some very interesting developments in the copper properties in the vicinity of Howard.

MONARCH TUNNEL—At the McClelland, three shifts are at work, although but one shift of drillmen are employed. The tunnel is eating its way into the mountain with no noise is being made.

GILPIN COUNTY. At the California mine, the Quartz hill drifting work is being carried on in the 2,100 and 2,300-foot levels, the deepest workings in the state of Colorado.

OURAY DISTRICT. Development in the Still continues on the Camp Bird Extension group up in the Sneffels district, and from present appearances there will be no abatement during the winter.

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Rate of Dividends. As there has been a misconception of the recommendation I made to increase the rate of dividends, I beg leave to insert the full text of my cable report of June 9.

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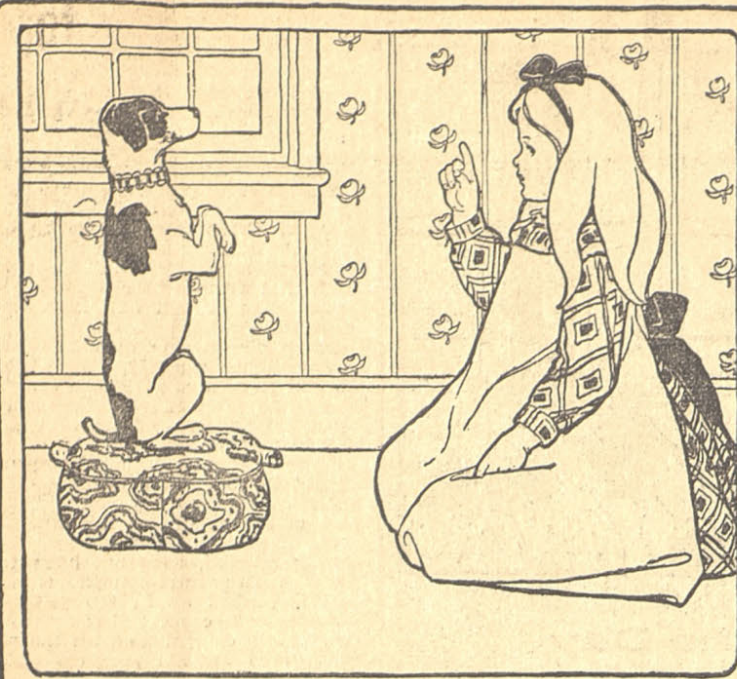
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mounted. Mr. James' work as Cardinal Wolsey was so finished that it defies criticism. In stature, voice and manner, he is finely fitted for the part. His great speech beginning "A long farewell to all my greatness" was rendered with such real feeling, such vibrant sadness and manly seriousness of tone that the artist was eclipsed by the cardinal who lived again. What praise is not due to an actor who is so complete a master of his art that one year he can come here and play "Wolsey" in "A Midsummer Night's Dream" and the next assume that of England's greatest cardinal? As in "Mary Stuart," Modjeska enlisted the complete sympathy of the audience from her first entrance. Her womanliness, her majesty, her superb reading of Shakespeare's lines, especially her refusal to stand trial before Wolsey; her unflattering love for Henry, and her overpowering grief were emotions which commanded all hearts to beat in kinship with hers, and which brought tears to the eyes even as they were shed from hers. It was quiet acting, no uncontrolled passion, no hysterics, but what could have sunk deeper into the feelings of the audience? When Modjeska assumes such a part as this, one feels as if she felt every phase of the role, completely surrendering her own personality and living the woman and the character.

The supporting company was very even. There were no sticks, and very little mouthing of the stately lines of either play. Shakespeare's lines, especially, were read in an understanding way, with very careful heed for shades of meaning, and the subtleties of the text which often require much study if one does not hear an artist render them. Norman Hackett as Henry, was especially pleasing in this respect. Standing next to the two stars in his intelligent reading of the poet; and Mr. Cooke as Buckingham was polished to a degree and very satisfactory. Mr. Hackett's impersonation of Henry, it was complete in its blustering temper and despotic vanity. He assumed the role with a spirit which was a little too free, perhaps, but which was one of the most pleasing features of his acting. His promises much for the future of one who is so earnest and so endowed.

Altogether, the two plays were a treat to local theater-goers. They are by no means ideal tragedies, but they are not want to have a succession of them. But they strike a chord in the scale of sympathy with suffering and the nobility with which justice can be borne, one is made to feel deeply, sensations which are among the most potent of those which enrich and ennoble life.

ON ALLEYS AND LINES

BOWLERS AND GOLFERS AT TOWN AND GOWN.

A. L. Gardner Won the Bowlers' Trophy With a Score of 488—Singles and Foursomes at Golf.

Yesterday was a big day for the lovers of bowling and golf in the Town and Gown club. There was sport all day and there were some fairly good records made. In the rolling game there were eight contestants to compete the play, eight withdrawing. The trophy, a silver cup, was won by A. L. Gardner, the second prize going to Walter Scott. Following was the score: A. L. Gardner... 191 162 152 160-688. Walter Scott... 137 162 131 0-430. H. B. Davis... 131 170 111-411. F. M. Taylor... 119 118 82-319. J. O. Fine... 101 120 115 155-351. F. Carpenter... 105 104 132 8-349. Mrs. H. B. Davis... 88 91 102 82-298. In the handicap golf tournament in singles the following was the score: H. B. Davis... 43 6-37. W. K. Taylor... 43 6-39. H. R. Wray... 53 13-41. F. Carpenter... 50 9-41. J. E. McIntyre... 49 8-41. W. W. Hayden... 51 10-41. L. A. Chase... 51 10-41. H. E. Armstrong... 53 10-43. W. K. Taylor... 49 10-43. F. Sanger... 56 12-44. S. F. Hamp... 55 10-45. S. F. Tucker... 58 13-45. E. P. Shore... 62 16-45. C. W. Davis, T. O. Fine, W. Scott and W. R. Stark withdrew. The foursome play the score was as follows: J. M. Mottos and J. M. Allen... 55 18-37. H. R. Wray and W. E. Frenage... 54 18-38. W. K. Taylor and W. Scott... 48 18-40. F. M. Taylor and B. C. Allen... 49 18-40. Mrs. Farnsworth and W. K. Taylor... 52 19-43. J. E. McIntyre... 52 19-43. F. P. Shore and J. O. Fine... 61 18-43. Mrs. Curtis and H. J. Tucker... 64 18-43. S. F. Hamp and H. Hine... 65 18-49. D. F. Carpenter and W. R. Stark... 69 20-51.

The Fine Points

About Elite work can be seen at a glance. A delicate satin finish that adds as much refinement to a man's dress as fine clothes. The collars are not mashed as thin as paper. Each collar has a good thickness that shows the life was not crushed out of it when it was ironed. Every shirt is ironed to fit and lays perfectly flat on the chest, instead of bulging up as many laundries iron them. We could name dozens of fine points but we think you could get a much better idea by sending a trial package. May we have one this week?

Elite Laundry, 117 N. Tejon St., Phone 82.

PERSONAL MENTION

A. J. Wilson, of Chicago, is at the Antlers. Adam S. Wagner of Denver, was at the Alamo yesterday. F. H. Bidor, of Denver, was at the Alta Vista yesterday. Frank S. Whitford of Alfred, N. Y., is at the Alta Vista. L. W. Vidler of Idaho Springs, was at the Alamo yesterday. B. B. Morse of Kansas City, registered at the Antlers yesterday. William J. Dinsmoor was a Denverite at the Antlers yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Homer of Wyoming, are at the Antlers. J. E. Spruce and wife of White Oaks, New Mexico, are at the Alamo. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Armstein of New York, are late arrivals at the Antlers. Charles I. Cunningham registered at the Antlers from New York yesterday. George C. Cochrane was a Cripple Creek guest at the Alta Vista yesterday. H. C. Casner, employed by the Clough Hardware company, is reported seriously ill. Frank M. Paine and Scott, Ashton were Victor guests at the Alamo yesterday. J. F. McFarland of Grand Junction, was in the city. He registered at the Alamo. Mrs. W. P. Sheets of La Junta, Colo., is the guest of Mrs. Graham at 812 North Cascade avenue. Hugh McKinnie, who is ill with typhoid at Beards, Tex., is reported as somewhat improved. S. B. Scholz, Jr., who is continuing his medical course at Ann Arbor, Mich., is spending the holidays at home. Miss D. A. Warren, Miss G. W. Robinson and H. Comrie of Rochester, N. Y., were among yesterday's guests at the Alta Vista. Don and Art McKeehan, now located in Cripple Creek, are spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. W. F. McKeehan. E. C. Haas, G. W. Miller, C. C. Miller, Moss Trout, Miss M. Mick and Miss M. Mick were Cripple Creek guests at the Alamo yesterday. Mr. Arthur Spicer, who is now located in Pueblo and Dr. H. W. Spicer came up yesterday to spend Christmas with their father. They were accompanied by Judge C. Gibson, clerk of the county court of Pueblo county.

LUCIUS LAWTON PROVES A PHENOM

Went Before the Traps Yesterday and Gave Garrett a Hard Run.

HAD SECOND HIGH AVERAGE And It Was His First Appearance in a Contest—"Bud" Lawton Took the Best Assortment of Poultry.

When the Pastimes Gun club of Colorado City, announced a turkey shoot for yesterday and invited the shots of Colorado Springs to participate, it was preparing for one of the best days of sport that the club has ever had.

L. P. Lawton, brother of A. J. Lawton, who long ago was recognized as one of the best shots in the state, went in shooting clothes yesterday for the first time in a competition at the traps and proved by several odds the feature of the day. He ran up a high average percentage that was only two points behind John Garrett, leaving his brother, and Shemwell and Sheldon, in a three-cornered even break for third. He has had plenty of experience shooting rabbits and deer and all other kinds of game known to this section of the country, but it is evident that he is going to be very much in the game at the blue rock birds as well. The day was raw and became decidedly more so before the shoot was over. He had plenty of experience shooting rabbits and deer and all other kinds of game known to this section of the country, but it is evident that he is going to be very much in the game at the blue rock birds as well.

Table listing names and scores for the turkey shoot, including Garrett, Lawton, Shemwell, Sheldon, Fisher, Smith, Nicolai, Diltz, Curry, Porter, McFarland, Watson, Ferris, Gadsby, Adams, and Rimmer.

DUQUESNE COUNCIL'S CHRISTMAS BALL

Over 500 people attended the eighth annual ball of the Duquesne council, Jr. O. U. A. M., at the Temple theater last night. It was one of the social events of Christmas day. The dancing began about 9 o'clock and continued until 2:30 of the morning. Fink's orchestra furnished the music. The committees in charge of the ball were: Arrangement—T. L. Stanley, W. H. Stanton and O. E. Rickerson, Jr. Reception—W. J. Jackson, A. O. Taylor, C. W. Hart, James A. Hopkins and S. A. Spencer. Floor—C. P. Darr, Charles Bee, Will J. Matthews, E. F. McCoombs and Al Wyatt. Door—H. W. Rousseau.

Advertisement for Herpicide hair treatment, featuring an illustration of a woman's face and text describing the product's benefits for dandruff and hair loss.

GAZETTE WAS WELL REMEMBERED YESTERDAY

The friends of the Gazette boys remembered them yesterday in a substantial manner. This A. F. Burns, as for several years past, sent in several boxes of cigars which were distributed among the members of all departments of the paper. Mr. C. C. McCullough, the well-known tinsmith, sent in cigars. Mr. E. T. Massey of the firm of Cochran and Massey, sent in a plentiful supply of milk at the homes of several of the employees of the paper.

IN RICH PERSIAN COLORS.

CALIFORNIA LIMITED TRAIN.

Runs daily via the Santa Fe—only 44 hours to Los Angeles—no extra cost for tickets on this train.

A Plucky Conductor.

"Those," said the ranchman, "who blame their failures to Providence or fate are cowards, and I'll tell you a story to prove it. It happened some years since, before the Northern Pacific had crossed the Rockies. The terms of the contract leading from the throat to the middle ear, in both cases the corner's jury decided that they came to their death because of inability to hear and heed signals that were intended for them. What happened to them?"



Impairment of hearing robs one of many of the joys of life, exposes to danger, interferes with capacity for usefulness, limits ability to transact business and earn a living. Many annually abandon their plans, ambitions and hope on account of loss of hearing. In nearly every case of partial or complete deafness there is another feature that to many is more troublesome than the difficulty of hearing—the distracting head noises. These make such an impression on some as to almost drive them insane. The everlasting buzzing, ringing, snapping, rumble or roar, distracts them by day and prevents rest at night. Nine cases out of ten of head noises and progressive hardness of hearing are due to catarrh of the middle ear or of the tube leading from it to the throat.

It should be understood and constantly borne in mind that to restore the hearing and silence the distracting noises a treatment is required that will allow inflammation in the eustachian tubes, reduce the congestion and swelling and stop the secretion of mucus so that the tubes will be kept open for the free passage of air into the middle ear. No locally applied medicine will effectually do this; only a searching constitutional alternative and solvent will cure catarrh in the deep recesses of the head. Two acquaintances of the writer were run down and killed by the cars in one year. Both had catarrh of the head, which had extended up to the eustachian tubes, leading from the throat to the middle ear, in both cases the corner's jury decided that they came to their death because of inability to hear and heed signals that were intended for them. What happened to them?"



Waist of silky panne velvet in Persian colorings. It is worn with a black and white stock. From Jno. Forsythe. The train which started from Zenith City one November morning was made up as usual of a passenger car, a box car, and the locomotive, with a quite small number of travelers. It was composed entirely of a party of 20 cowboys. They meant to go east for such a length of time as their cash would endure, and though it was burning in their pockets to be spent, they were resolved not to waste a ray of it in railway tickets—a resolve of which they informed the conductor when he came to them about half an hour out of Zenith City. "He was a young fellow, as were the cowboys. Everything was young in Montana in those days. This chap, Lloyd, however, with a color that changed like a girl's, and a very queer he looked among the big, brown, brawny roustes who left their card playing in the saloons, or lean over the seats nearest those of their comrades who had answered to his request for tickets that they had none."

"The company will take money for fares also," said Lloyd, without glancing at the gathering around him. "When the company can get it, somebody chucked. "Invariably," Lloyd asserted, "or the passenger who refuses to pay is put off the train." "You don't say? Suppose you try. Here are Tom and me to begin with, and the whole carful after us, for not one cent of our earnings is going into the moneybags of your—swindling company." "You will hurt me much more than the company," he said, when he could get a hearing. "I shall lose my place if I don't collect your fare." "We ain't going to tell your boss if you keep quiet." "There is a greed for torturing animals which distinguishes most human beings, from Spanish bull baiters to fast rat fighters down east. So those bright eyes of Lloyd's didn't seem to be discouraged when he took a squint at the flood through one of the port-holes of the car. "Without speaking, he stood very pale and still for a moment, looking at the open pocketbook in his hand, while they all stared at him, grinning and jeering. Presently the color rushed back over his face, and, shutting his book with a snap, he went out of the car. "He was followed by a roar of laughter and facetious yells. "Then the crowd returned to poker-playing, some of them a bit discontent with their victory and muttering that 20 to 1 was too big odds for any chap, especially a slim little chap with his eyes which couldn't hold their own against a kid's." "A quarter of an hour later the train stopped, not gradually, but with a jerk. Lloyd's hand went to his pocket, and there was a cowboy half out of every window in the car quicker than you could have cooked a pistol. For they were sold down within 100 miles of each other in those days, and they all knew that this stop wasn't regular. "He and before them the track stretched as far as they could see, while on both sides the prairie spread away to the low edge of the gray sky. Not a house or a movement except that of the locomotive moving at full speed. "In came the cowboys' heads with a volley of hard swearing, and there stood Lloyd in the doorway, cooler than I am in this instant, but holding a six-shooter. "You have just five minutes to make up your minds," he said, and his eyes were steady as steel. "Will you pay your fares as honest men or get out and tramp to the next settlement, 40 miles from here? Our engineer is within half an hour, and he will not come back unless I give him the order. Oh you

Advertisement for COKE SHAMPOO & TOILET SOAP by A.R. BREMER CO., Chicago. Includes text about hair care and contact information.

Advertisement for DANVILLE COAL. Features the slogan "DON'T FREEZE!" and describes the coal as "The Best Grade of Lignite Good for Furnace or Range." Includes contact information for Danville-Pikeview-Williamsville.

Advertisement for THE SMITH PREMIER TYPEWRITER. Claims it occupies an imperishable position in the business world and is unquestionably superior merit. Includes an illustration of the typewriter.

Advertisement for Dollinger & Harrison, Successors to WM. LENOX. Promotes their HAPPY NEW YEAR goods and offers a catalog for \$1.00.

Advertisement for MISSOURI DENTISTS. Promotes their Double Suction Chamber and claims "GOOD WORK PAYS."

Advertisement for OPERA HOUSE FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27th. Features HAVERLY'S MASTODON MINSTRELS and GEORGE WILSON SOUSA.

Advertisement for The Smith-Brooks Company PRINTERS. Promotes their "The Pacific Grove" publication and offers printing services.

GAZETTE WARRANTED WANTED ADS PREPAYMENT INVARIABLY REQUIRED

ANSWERS TO ADS. TO RENT-FURNISHED ROOMS.

WANTED-HELP. H-O-M-E-S. Remember you live in your home...

GOOD AGENTS WANTED TO WORK FOR US NOW. WANTED-Young people to know that the Gunn County...

WANTED-Ladies to learn hairdressing trade. WANTED-Young girl to care for two children...

WANTED-SITUATIONS. WANTED-Position with mining company in Mexico...

WANTED-MISCELLANEOUS. TEN TEAMS TO HAUL COAL-STEADY WORK AT ONCE...

WANTED-HOUSES & ROOMS. WANTED-3 or 4 furnished rooms for light housekeeping...

TO RENT-BUSINESS. TO RENT-Shop shop, furnished, cheap; good trade...

FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS. A 5-ROOM AND BATH HOME ON EASY EASY...

FOR SALE-Light runabout and harness. Monarch 8-ton wagon scale. The Rugby Fuel and Feed Co...

FOR SALE-Wash stand, carpet, bedroom china, man's overcoat. W. P. Coats, etc.; must be sold this week...

FOR SALE-Large furnace out of old stock of light and gas heat; reasonable. Miss Jackson, 23 S. Tejon.

FOR SALE-2nd-hand upright grand piano. Address H. W. McDaniel, 103 E. Cheyenne road...

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A MODERN FABLE. The Bug and the Grasshopper met on the path one day, and after reluctantly recognizing each other's presence...



TO LOAN. Real estate money to loan on first-class real estate...

FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE. \$17,500-16x100-foot Nevada ave. corner, south of college...

MUSICAL. Gentlemen, London Royal Academy of Music, wish violin pupils...

MISCELLANEOUS. REPAIRS for any stove or furnace. W. S. Russell, 108 E. Hufrano st.

FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE. 4-room house, lot 50x150. \$1,500. 2-room house, lot 100x250. \$1,000.

FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE. DEWESE & TURNBULL, at Canon City, Colo. will offer you descriptive and illustrative circulars...

FOR SALE-HORSES, BICYCLES. CHRISTMAS PRESENT-Beautiful Shetland pony; \$40; 531 E. Platte.

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Table with 2 columns: Train No., Destination. RAND-MENALLY OFFICIAL RAILWAY GUIDE. 25 CENTS.

DELIGHTFUL WINTER TRIPS to all resort points in the South and Southeast at attractively low rates...

THE PEOPLE'S RAILROAD THE SHORT LINE LOW RATES TO THE GOLD CAMP. 50 cents one way, 80 cents round trip...

COLORADO MIDLAND RAILWAY. WEST BOUND. No. 3-Salt Lake and San Francisco Limited leaves...

BRIEF CITY ITEMS.

DAILY WEATHER RECORD. The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado college weather bureau. Observations recorded in local time:

Dec. 24, 6 p. m. to Dec. 25, 6 p. m. Temperature at 4 p. m. 29. Temperature at 12 m. 29. Temperature at 6 p. m. 29. Maximum temperature 29. Minimum temperature 29. Mean temperature 29.

WEATHER FORECAST. Washington, Dec. 23.—Forecast for Colorado: Fair, Thursday, warmer in eastern portion; Friday fair, variable winds.

Satisfied people wear Ashby's spectacles. Dust proof rooms for storage. Furniture packed. Padded moving vans.

DIED—Charles A. Wiley, 1210 North Weber street, suddenly, last night.

BIBLE CLASS—Secretary Day of the Y. M. C. A. will meet the men's bible class tonight at 7:30 as usual.

ANOTHER GIFT—Capt. William French of this city made a Christmas gift of \$25 to the Y. M. C. A. yesterday. It is to be applied to the building fund.

DIED—Mrs. Lizzie Stafford, aged 29 years, died Tuesday afternoon in this city. The remains will be taken to Eastonville, where the burial will occur today.

ALL BUSINESS OFF—Yesterday was devoid of business of all kinds in the city. The barber shops were open until noon, but in the afternoon everything was closed.

RECEIVED A BROOCH—Miss Cora McDonald, who is the head of the Tuesday Browning class, was the recipient of a handsome opal and pearl brooch yesterday, the gift of the members of her class.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of Mrs. Emeline Rose was held yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 314 South Nevada avenue. The service was conducted by Rev. C. W. Cunningham.

FUNERAL OF CHARLES WATSON—The funeral of Charles Watson was held this morning at 11 o'clock from the late family residence, 704 South Tejon street. The interment will be at Evergreen.

RAILROAD BUSINESS HEAVY—The Short Line had a tremendous business both to and from Cripple Creek yesterday. The excellent weather and the rare opportunity to see the sights of the line were doubtless responsible for the big crowds.

WANTS SPRINGS' SCALP—The Manitou indoor baseball team, managed by Charles Lea, wants a game and is willing to meet any team in Colorado Springs, time and place of the game to be set by the team that accepts the challenge from Manitou.

HUNT YESTERDAY—The hunt of the El Paso Hunt club yesterday was an enjoyable one for the dozen or more who participated. They did not succeed in getting any game, but a only enough of the day's access to please them in about 20 minutes. They returned to Colorado Springs about 4 o'clock.

MISS STRATTON SPEAKS—Miss Stratton, dean of women at the state university, will address the meeting of the Women's union of the First Congregational church tomorrow afternoon in the church at 3 o'clock. Her subject will be: "The Women of the Orient."

FOR BOYS CLUB—Elaborate preparations have been made for the entertainment to be given next Saturday evening at the M. E. church, South, by the Boys club. The program will be the most pretentious that this organization has yet attempted and all who attend will be well repaid for the effort.

AT CHELTON INN—Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Steifel, proprietors of Ye Chelton Inn, had a pleasant gathering at their home last evening. There were about 30 couples present, including guests of the inn and invited guests. Santa Claus was there, a Christmas tree and everything necessary to a pleasant occasion. Dancing was included in the evening's pleasure.

WIDENING THE STREET—A gang of men has been set at work on Manitou avenue in Manitou widening the street to accommodate the double tracks that will be put in as a result of the awarding of the street railway franchise to Mr. Stratton on Monday night. The street in front of the Barker house, where this work is being done, has never conformed to the real property lines.

Worms take refuge in the small intestine, where they can easily multiply. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE will destroy these parasites. The verdict of the people tells plainly how well it has succeeded. Price, 25 cents. Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

50 CENTS ONE WAY. 80 CENTS ROUND TRIP. CRIPPLE CREEK AND VICTOR, VIA THE SHORT LINE.

Enjoy the rare scenic grandeur over Colorado's best railroad at nominal expense. Trains leave Colorado Springs 10:37 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Four elegantly equipped passenger trains daily via THE SHORT LINE to Cripple Creek District, and tickets now cost only 50 cents one way, 80 cent round trip, limit five days from date of sale.

HENRY LEB. WILLS, ELLIS L. SPACKMAN.

HENRY LEB. WILLS & CO. GAZETTE BUILDING.

SOLE AGENTS FOR

Tornado Insurance

Protect your property from loss due to HIGH WINDS. Costs one-sixth to one-half as much as fire insurance.

FURNISHED: N. Cascade ave., 14 rooms. N. Cascade ave., 12 rooms. E. Willamette ave., 7 room. E. Willamette ave., 5 room.

UNFURNISHED: N. Cascade ave., 10 rooms and bath. P. n. st., 9 rooms and bath. Mrs. F. ton st., 5 rooms and bath. D. F. El Paso block.

DR. Cole has associated himself with Dr. Chamberlin, dentists. Phone 556-A.

Dr. Grannis, dentist, 1st Nat. Bank blk.

We do thorough work at fair prices. Colorado Springs Dye & Cleaning Works, 13 E. Kiowa. Phone 542.

Come quick and get Douglas shoes at half price. Sale soon closes. Nesbitt, 12 East Huertano.

TABLET'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT has been thoroughly tested for many years, and is a positive cure for this most distressing and embarrassing of troubles. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

For only a few days you can get Douglas shoes at half price. Nesbitt, 12 East Huertano.

GROWING OLD GRACEFULLY. Nothing is so interesting, nothing so restful and refreshing, as to see a man and woman who have lived together for a quarter of a century, starting down the shady slope of life, hand in hand, and happy or they were when she, with flushed face, heard love's old, sweet song: Marriage is often a failure, because people marry without even giving the future a thought—marry and go to work and work without recreation till they are ready to die. I once heard a lady telling her daughter what to do when she was married. "Take a trip," she said; "get married in winter time when the world is cheerless and you are short on sunshine; take a trip to the southern states and turn winter into summer again; go to Little Rock, Hot Springs, or San Antonio, and get acquainted with your husband; watch him at the hotel, and see what he likes to eat, and how and when he likes it. It won't hurt you to study his comfort a little; it would make him love you more. But you must know something of him before you are married. Never marry a man who will laugh at the jokes on mothers-in-law at the minstrel show, or who will not buy his wedding tour tickets over the Missouri Pacific Railway."

RATES FOR HOLIDAYS. The Santa Fe will make usual holiday rates to all points in Colorado. Selling Dec. 24, 25, 26, 31, Jan. 1, and Jan. 1, 1902. Return limit Jan. 2. Tickets at City Office, 16 N. Tejon.

25 cents to Cripple Creek by the Colorado Midland railway.

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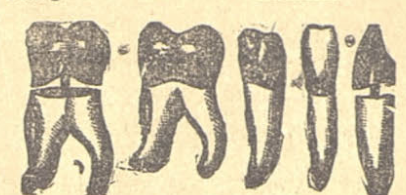
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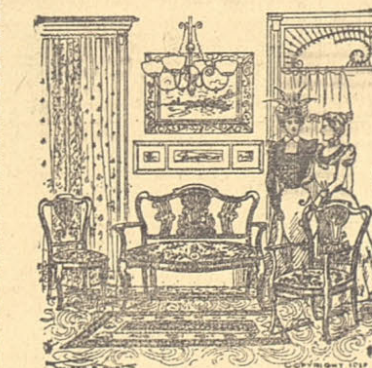
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