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### WHIP WALL STREET

John Wesley Gaines Would Punish Financiers.

SAYS THEY STARTED PANIC

Thinks Congress Should Remain in Session Till Punishment Is Meted Out to Those Guilty of Causing the Recent Flurry.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—"We should have gone to Wall Street and throttled the thieves and returned to the honest people their hard earnings."

So John Wesley Gaines proclaimed in the House of Representatives today by way of protest against the adjournment of the House for the holidays.

Mr. Payne, of New York, laughingly inquired what subject was before the House.

"Oh," replied Mr. Gaines, "I expect more than the gentleman from New York will laugh in Wall Street at what I say, but that does not deter me from condemning their imposition and outrage upon the plain people of this country, who are not responsible for this high way act of imposing an unnecessary panic upon the defenseless people. I say that we should stay here through the holidays and ratchet down these vultures who have forced this condition."

It was the duty of every member, he said, to stay here and attend to business. "Not as Democrats, not as Republicans, but as Americans, representing the American people."

After being in session 30 minutes the House adjourned until January 8.

NEW BILLS IN THE SENATE

Owen Proposes Guarantee of Deposits—Burkett's Grazing Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—A bill providing security to depositors of banks and for the prevention of hoarding of currency, was introduced today by Senator Owen, of Oklahoma. It fixes a tax upon all deposits and from the fund thus created provides for the payment in full of all depositors when a bank is declared insolvent. The Secretary of the Treasury is directed to maintain a fund of \$100,000,000 in Treasury notes, which may be loaned on bonds to 50 per cent of their value. The bill provides that advances from it shall be enlarged for at the rate of 5 per cent for the first four months and thereafter at the rate of 3 per cent.

Senator Burkett reintroduced his grazing bill of last session. It provides for the leasing of the public domain to cattle owners for the maintenance of their stock, giving, however, settlers the right to enter and to locate upon land at any time.

WOULD HAVE A VICE-ADMIRAL

Senator Warner Introduces Bill Establishing That Rank.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Senator Warner, of Missouri, today introduced a bill creating the rank of Vice-Admiral in the Navy.

the proposed rank, but the measure is not intended to accomplish that alone, its purpose being to provide for a rank, that when the Navy is represented abroad does not render it necessary for the commander to allow officers of other countries whose navies are of less importance to take precedence over him.

BRIEF BUT LIVELY SESSION

Gaines' Outburst Preceded by Hepburn's Protest Against Shirking.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—After being in session about 20 minutes, the House of Representatives today adjourned until January 8. The proceedings were enlivened by a brief but fierce speech by Gaines of Tennessee who criticized the House for its inaction and for taking such a long recess at a time "when we should have gone to Wall Street and throttled the thieves and returned to the honest people their hard earnings."

Gaines was preceded by Hepburn of Iowa, who protested against what he said was the indiscriminate way in which committees were given authority to sit during the session of the House, thereby causing members to be immune from arrest in case it became necessary to secure a quorum.

Both Williams and De Armond were upon the floor, but took no notice of each other.

GRANTS RELIEF TO MINERS

Senate Passes Suspension of Assessment Work on Claims.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The Senate today passed a bill suspending during the year 1907 the requirement that miners shall do at least \$100 of work annually during the period in which their claims are being perfected.

Custom introduced a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution, limiting the terms of the President and Vice President to six years and prohibiting re-election for a second term.

A number of other bills and resolutions were introduced. After being in session 45 minutes, the Senate today adjourned until January 8.

FIVE JURORS ASKED CASH

Doney Named Others Who Would Sell Their Verdict.

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 21.—Five members of the jury panel in Judge Lynch's department of the District Court are implicated in an attempted bribery, according to affidavits charging Juror Amos Doney with bribery, which were read to the court yesterday. Detectives Larkin and Morrillsey with James V. Collins, president of the Olympia Brewing Company, declared that Doney stated while seeking a bribe of Collins to give him a verdict in a damage suit pending, that Jurors Hugh Wright, J. Doyle, Harry Richards and George Tippet were ones who could be fixed with him. The officers were secreted in Collins' office when Doney was trapped into repeating his offer to arrange a verdict. The affidavits also stated that Doney declared that Maury and Hogewell, a well-known firm of lawyers, had a list of those jurors of the panel with whom verdicts could be arranged. Doney advised Collins of their ability to secure verdicts for their clients, "as they had a cinch." The affidavits have caused a sensation.

Schooner Puts Back for Shelter.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The schooner Metha Nelson, which sailed December 18 for Everett, returned to port yesterday seeking shelter from the gale outside and to replace some sails which were blown away off Point Reyes last Thursday.

SCENIC PHOTOS FOR CHRISTMAS.

Kler's make fine presents. 248 Alder.

### ACTIVITY OF THE SERVICE

RECLAMATION WORK CARRIED ON ON LARGE SCALE.

Summation Shows Equipment Is Valued at \$1,000,000 and 16,383 Men Have Been Engaged.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 21.—A summation of the work of the Reclamation Service for 1907 shows that it has dug 1316 miles of canals, or nearly the distance from Washington to Idaho. Some of these canals carry whole rivers, like the Truckee River in Nevada and the North Platte in Wyoming. The tunnels excavated are 56 in number, and have an aggregate length of ten and three-fourths miles. The Service has erected 214 large structures, including the great dam in Nevada and the Minidoka dam in Idaho, 80 feet high and 530 feet long. It has completed 570 headworks, flumes, etc. It has built 61 miles of wagon road in mountainous country and into heretofore inaccessible regions. It has erected 15,900 linear miles while the level lines run amount to 24,215 miles, nearly sufficient to go around the earth.

The diamond drillings for dam sites and canals amount to 66,748 feet, or more than 12 miles. Today the Service owns and has at work 1500 horses and mules. It operates nine locomotives, 61 cars and 21 miles of railroad, 34 gasoline engines and steam engines, and 16,000 people have taken up their residence in the desert.

MEXICANS TO FACE COURT

Charge of Instigating Revolution Contrary to Neutrality Laws.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—The three Mexican revolutionists, Ricardo Flores Magon, Antonio Villarreal and Librado Rivera, who have been in jail here since August 23, were today held by United States Commissioner Van Dyke to answer to the Territorial Court at Tombstone, Ariz., on the charge of instigating a military movement against the Government of Mexico, in violation of the neutrality laws of the United States. Each was held in bail of \$5000, which was not furnished, and they were remanded to jail.

Five Tons of Bullion.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Packages of bullion weighing five tons and representing £500,000, were dispatched this morning to Liverpool for shipment to New York on the Campania, which sails today.

### TOM ATKINS MUST BATHE

CARBOLIC BATH AND DISGRACE FOR THE UNWASHED.

Regulations Require Cold Plunge Once a Week All the Year. Soldiers Are Objecting.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Mingled amusement and indignation has been caused among the men of the First South Staffordshire regiment at some extraordinary instructions in regard to baths which recently appeared in the battalion orders.

The instructions state: "Every man in the battalion is to have a bath at least once a week. The quartermaster will allot one bathroom for the use of each company. When a man has a bath he will be given a ticket by the man in charge of the bathroom, which he will hand to the color sergeant of his company the same day."

"In each company a roll is to be kept showing the days on which men have baths. Any man who is not recorded on his company roll as having had a bath on or before Thursday in each week will be paraded on Friday or Saturday afternoon and washed by a fatigue party under the superintendence of the color sergeant and his section commander. Men who have to be paraded for washing will not be granted furloughs or passes. The punishment prescribed for the refractory soldier who has conscientious objections at this time of the year to the cold baths generously provided for by the regimental authorities is not the most drastic provided for in the instructions. "Any man found in a dirty condition will be at once washed in a carbolic bath, made a prisoner, and severely punished." He will be charged 12 cents for the carbolic bath.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends who extended their sympathy and kindness during our recent bereavement. We are especially grateful for the many beautiful floral pieces.

MRS. KUERTEN AND FAMILY.

### VOLCANO ON THREE SHIFTS

Savali's Eruption May Destroy Whole Samoan Island.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Advice from Tutuila, Samoa, state that the volcano in the Island Savali, in German Samoa, is working with greater activity than it has done since the first outbreak, and that the eruptions are submarine. "Lava is flowing into the sea at the rate of 3000 tons a minute. Dr. Fjeldander, a German professor of geology, says other portions of the island may be destroyed. He has traveled through American Samoa and declares that district will be free from any volcanic action.

The rainfall for the present year will exceed all records since the American flag was raised, as it now amounts to almost 200 inches.

Gathering of Cupid's Victims.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Judge Carpenter yesterday granted legal separation to Mrs. Antonio Uhlir from Joseph Uhlir on the ground of cruelty, but made her sign a waiver to all claims for alimony and relinquish her dower rights in his property. Uhlir is 64 years old and the woman is 42.

It was the third matrimonial venture for both, and the woman's second husband, John Cerveny, was one of the principal witnesses against her. She was Cerveny's second wife, and, while he was disgusted with that match, he, according to a statement made to Mrs. Uhlir's attorney, proposed marriage to one of the witnesses, who herself is a "grass widow." This woman, whose first husband is dead, asked the lawyer what he thought about it, and he advised both to sit down and not again go out to dinner together. Nearly every witness called had been married two or three times.

Strangely enough, Mrs. Uhlir sought and secured the right to take the name of her first husband, Albert Sotek, the only one of the trio she buried.

Glannone May Get New Trial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—When Pietro Glannone was called in the Supreme Court for sentence on conviction of attempted murder yesterday his attorney's request for a stay of judgment was allowed. The court will investigate the alleged confession of Bruno Cordes, that he committed perjury when he told on the stand that Glannone employed him to kill Luigi Favati. Cordes has been ordered before the court from Sing Sing, where he is serving a five-year sentence for an assault upon Favati, and if he tells the same story that he tells in the affidavit now in the possession of Glannone's lawyers, Glannone will doubtless be granted a new trial.

Black Hand Blows Up Tenement.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A five-story tenement house on First avenue was shaken from basement to roof early today by the explosion of a dynamite bomb, meant, the police believe, for Angelo Trafficanti, a barber who lives with his wife and four children on the first floor. Every window in the building was blown out and the doors on the first floor were torn from their hinges, but no one was hurt. The authorities think the explosion was the work of the Black Hand, but Trafficanti, who is a Sicilian, says he has received no warnings of any sort and does not believe he has incurred the enmity of any organization.

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### JURY OF EXPERTS DECIDES

SIX WOMEN PRONOUNCE WOMAN'S SUIT LOVELY FIT.

First Female Jury in World's History Reaches Verdict in Favor of Tailor.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 21.—(Special.)—It took six good women and true just ten minutes in Justice Carlson's court to find for plaintiff in the now celebrated case of Victor Porel against Mrs. James W. Wallwork. Besides being the first case ever tried before a woman jury, first in all the history of the world, the action had other highly interesting features. The case was a suit case, Victor Porel, "tailor to gentlemen," as his sign says, made a \$50 suit for Mrs. Wallwork, which, she alleged, did not fit and refused to pay for. He sued for his money and when the jury pronounced it a "lovely fit."

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