

TEN THOUSAND DOLLAR BED NOT YET OCCUPIED AT \$125 A DAY

St. Regis Hotel, J. J. Astor's \$4,000,000 Palace, Is Filling Up.

CHEAP BOARD \$15 A DAY

Clarence Mackay Rents a Suite for \$35,000 a Year, Without Meals—Sybaritic Luxury in Highest Priced Hotel.

The famous \$10,000 bed in the state chamber of the St. Regis hotel, New York. The suite of which this bedroom is one rents for \$125 a day without meals.

WHEAT JUMPS UP IN CHICAGO PIT

Shorts Rushing to Cover on Bullish Government Crop Report Force May Past \$1.14 a Bushel—Wild Excitement.

Table with 4 columns: Date, High, Low, Close. Shows wheat prices for Chicago from Sept 1 to 11.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Wheat closed today over 4 cents higher than at the close of Saturday. The rise was caused by the lower government estimate and the frost in Winnipeg and bad weather reports from other sections of the northwest.

The market today was in the hands of the "bulls" from the sound of the opening gong to the very last sale, and in point of interest today's market was the most sensational of the year.

Roosevelt Defends Policies in Letter of Acceptance.

HE FEARS ANY CHANGE

Declares That Democrats If Successful Would Have to Carry Out Republican Policies or Wreck the Country.

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.) Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 12.—President Roosevelt today sent to Speaker Cannon of Illinois, chairman of the notification committee, his formal letter of acceptance of his nomination for president by the Republican national convention. His letter in part follows:

"It is difficult to find out from the utterances from our opponents what are the real issues upon which they propose to wage this campaign. It is not unfair to say that, having abandoned most of the principles upon which they have insisted during the last eight years, they now seem at a loss to say what it is that they really believe, and as to how firmly they shall assert their belief in anything, in fact, it is doubtful if they venture resolutely to press a single issue, as soon as they realize one they shrink from it and seek to explain it away.

"The party now in control of the government is troubled by no such difficulties. We do not have to guess at our own convictions, and then correct the guess if it seems unpopular. The principles which we profess are those in which we believe with heart and soul and strength. Men may differ from us; but they cannot accuse us of inconsistency. The policies we have pursued are those which we earnestly hold as essential to the national welfare and repute. Our actions speak ever louder than our words for the government we intend in the future to carry on in the same way that we have carried it on in the past.

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BY WIRELESS FROM CHICAGO TO ST. LOUIS

(Journal Special Service.) St. Louis, Sept. 12.—Wireless communication between Chicago and St. Louis has been established. The first message was transmitted yesterday, when messages were transmitted from the tower of the world's fair to the grounds on the lake front at Chicago.

LEIBHARDT SUFFERED FROM INSANE MANIA

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, Sept. 12.—Capt. David Leibhardt, superintendent of the dead letter department, who shot himself in his office yesterday, left three letters on his desk addressed to friends and one to his wife.

FEMALE "RAFFLES" STEALS \$25,000

(Journal Special Service.) Newport, Sept. 12.—Society was again startled today by the news that a mysterious thief had robbed the beautiful Mrs. Flieger, the second of jewels and money to the value of \$25,000.

AN OUTRAGE UPON THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHILDREN

It is that the school board has allowed a condition to arise which has been so serious an annoyance in the past. For some of the school children of Portland the fall term of the public schools opened this morning.

FATHER SLAIN BY 15-YEAR OLD SON

(Journal Special Service.) Stockton, Cal., Sept. 12.—Leonard H. Buckland, a respected harness dealer, aged 56 years, was shot and killed by his own 15-year-old son this morning in his store, because the father had slapped the son's mother.

HAIR GROWS ON BALD HEAD IN OLD AGE

(Journal Special Service.) Milan, Sept. 12.—A perfectly healthy septuagenarian was admitted some weeks ago to the clinic at Padua as a subject for study. He had been until two months ago perfectly bald, when suddenly his hair began to grow again and became so thick and long that it had to be cut.

INSANE WOMAN IS CAPTURED AT LIND

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.) Lind, Wash., Sept. 12.—An insane woman was found in the brush near here by a box car tourist yesterday.

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