

SIXTY-SIXTH CONGRESS

Opening Session of the National Legislative Body Today.

COMMITTEENOTIFY TAFT

President's Message Will be Read, But no Important Work Will be Undertaken Until After the Holidays

(Special to The Evening News.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—With a gentle tapping of the ivory knob in the Senate, and a resounding thump of the Speaker's gavel in the House, the session of the Sixty-Sixth

Congress opened this morning. The session is expected to last until last of May or first of June, and some lively and intensely interesting legislative tilts are sure to be witnessed at the Capital, and it will perhaps be as exciting a session as has been witnessed at the Capitol in several years. The work following the opening exercises was brief, merely consisting of the appointment of committee to formally notify President Taft that Congress was in session. As is customary the first day was set aside as a memorial day in honor of those members who have passed from this life during the vacation period. Tomorrow the President's message will be read, but no really important work will be undertaken until after the Holiday week.

Dillard & Clayton, the real estate men, are busy shelling young fruit trees to different parts of the county. Out of the carload recently received by them but a few trees remain un-sold, showing in a measure, that the farmers are engaging in the raising of commercial fruit as fast as possible.

REDFIELD FORTUNATE

Glendale Man to Make \$1000 Per Month

PERFECTS A PATENT

Eastern Capitalists Purchase Patent In Consideration of Substantial Royalty—Redfield Talks at Portland

E. E. Redfield, a Southern Oregon capitalist, is in Portland, on his return from Massachusetts, where he disposed of an invention to prominent gun manufacturers on a royalty that already nets him \$1000 a month, says the Evening Telegram. The invention makes the breech-loading

rifle work with more direct action than formerly, and his royalty is at the rate of 25 cents on each gun having the new improvement. Mr. Redfield's home is at Glendale, in Douglas county, where he worked on the invention while pursuing his occupation as a jeweler and watch-maker.

"I had been told that the inventor himself made no money out of the improvements he had conceived, but I was determined that this should not be true in my case," said Mr. Redfield. "I had some difficulty in getting the royalty I demanded, as the agents of the big gun factories tried to convince me the improvement was of little account, and offered me a pitiful sum for it outright. However, I camped right with them and worked on the officers of the corporation for three months before I succeeded in getting them to accede to my terms. Now they are getting out 4000 rifles a month, and I draw 25 cents on each of them."

Mr. Redfield has been a successful speculator in Portland property within the last few years. He now owns the Auditorium building, on Third street, adjoining Taylor street Methodist church.

GUNBOAT FOR TIBURAN

Eight Americans Thought to Have Been Murdered.

ALSO FIFTY MEXICANS

It is Feared That the Entire Party of Fifty-Eight Men May Have Been Captured by the Cannibals.—Petition Governor

(Special to The Evening News.)

EL PASO, Dec. 5.—Americans at Nogales are preparing a petition to the governor of Sonora in which it is requested that a regiment from the regular army be sent to the Tiburan Island in the Gulf of California to rescue a party of eight Americans and fifty Mexican Soldiers, who, it is believed have been captured by cannibals. These ferocious natives are the same lot who killed Prof. Thomas Grindell several years ago, at which time the professor was leading an exploring party to their islands in the interest of scientific research. These cannibals are a remnant of the Seri Indian renegades who were formerly driven from the mainland. The present expedition, concerning which grave apprehension is felt, left Blue-bee, Mexico, over a month ago and carried provisions for only 20 days, and went with the expectation of discovering rich mines. Since the weather has been almost a calm it is deemed that there is no possible chance for the party to have perished in a storm, therefore the only logical conclusion is that the cannibals have captured the men.

MANY LOST IN BRITISH CHANNEL

(Special to The Evening News.)

London, Dec. 6.—The terrific gale and storm that has swept the North Sea and British Channel for the past three days has subsided sufficiently so that communication has been restored. From reports all along the coast of England and the Continent it is now believed that fully 400 were drowned during the storm. Advice from Denmark today state that out of a fleet of 200 Esbjerg fishing vessels only three rode out the gale and returned to port.

CORN IS KING AT OMAHA SHOW

(Special to The Evening News.)

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 6.—The Third Annual National Corn Show opened in this city today, and will continue through the week. In many respects the exhibition is the largest and most notable affair of its kind ever held in the United States, and more than 30 states are represented. While corn is the principle part of the exhibition, there is also an elaborate display of oats, wheat, barley, rye and cereals of all kinds. Prominent farmers from the Middle West are in attendance in large numbers.

SUPREME COURT WILL REVIEW CASE

(Special to The Evening News.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison, the eminent labor leaders under sentence for contempt of court, will not now go to jail without a rehearing, since the Supreme Court has today decided to review the case. This fact may be considered a victory for the union labor.

NIGHT WATCHMAN POISONED BY PIE

(Special to The Evening News.)

TACOMA, Dec. 6.—Some unknown person left a nice-looking coconut pie at the government dock last night. It was an inviting piece of culinary effort, and so night watchman McCully ate it. In a short time McCully was taken with symptoms of severe poisoning, and now lies dangerously ill at one of the city hospitals.

FATHER KIDNAPS HIS OWN CHILD

(Special to The Evening News.)

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 5.—Harold Warnock who kidnaped the two-year old child from its mother in Portland, Friday night, was arrested in Washougal, yesterday, and brought to this city this morning. Warnock was walking the streets of Washougal with the child, which

was coatless and shivering from the cold. The condition of the child excited suspicion and Warnock's arrest followed. At the station house the prisoner admitted his identity. Warnock has been separated from his wife for the last eighteen months. Friday night he returned to his family, and in the talk with the wife concerning a reconciliation lulled her suspicions and finally fled, taking the child with him. An automobile was in waiting, and in the machine he made good his escape.

COMMERCIAL CONGRESS IN SESSION

(Special to The Evening News.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5.—The Second Southern Commercial Congress, composed of representatives from all the southern states, opened this morning in the large assembly rooms of the New Willard Hotel. At tomorrow's session will be a discussion of the colonization, agricultural, manufacturing, good roads and other subjects of vital importance relating to the development, resources and industries of the south. With this object in view, nearly 500 delegates, a majority of whom have been appointed by the governors of the Southern States because of their individual fitness for the work in hand, were present when the opening exercises of the convention began.

TWO-CENT FARE CASE TOMORROW

(Special to The Evening News.)

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—The cases brought by various railroads to test the validity of the two-cent fare passenger law will be called in the United States Court for trial here tomorrow, but it is quite likely that a postponement will be asked for by the counsel for the State of Oklahoma in order to obtain more time for preparation.

SNOW AND BLIZZARD IN THE DAKOTAS

(Special to The Evening News.)

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—The terrific snow storm and blizzard which has swept across the Dakotas clear to the Montana line in the last 24 hours is lessening today. Wire communication, however, is badly demoralized throughout the entire Northwest.

SULZER DON'T WANT SCRAP

(Special to The Evening News.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—Representative Sulzer today declared war on the Nicaragua resolution introduced into the House proposing that the President use the land and naval forces to restore order and protect American life and property in Nicaragua, and which also demands the arrest, trial and punishment of Zelaya for murdering American prisoners. No action was taken on the resolution today.

CALHOUN NEW CHINESE MINISTER

(Special to The Evening News.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6.—According to an announcement from the State Department today, Wm. J. Calhoun, a Chicago attorney, has accepted the Chinese Ministryship.

St. Joseph's Pro-Church

Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Wednesday, December 8, Wednesday, the 8th, is a holiday of obligation for all Catholics. Mass will be celebrated in the new pro-church at 9 in the morning. St. Joseph's school will enjoy a holiday on that day.

The city council will meet in regular semi-annual session this evening, and from indications the meeting will consume several hours. Tonight's meeting is the first held by the municipal body for three weeks, therefore the business will be quite extensive.

AT THE STAR

The Millionaire Cow Boy
A Laugh Every Minute

A NIGHT IN OLD HEIDELBERG
A comedy Dutch Sketch by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace.

THE ROSE OF THE TENDERLOIN
This is a beautiful story.

A GOOD PROGRAM AT THE NOVELTY

Big Reduction on all Ladies' and Children's Suits and Coats

ALL THIS WEEK

Every garment in this "Mark Down Sale" is strictly new, stylish and splendidly tailored. A fact that should make this sale wonderfully attractive to careful buyers.

And we want to impress upon you that this Great Sale includes every coat, cape, and suit in our entire stock.

You know what this means---an opportunity to choose from the largest assortment in Roseburg.

But we'll just ask you to come and see these superb garments. That's the best way to have you fully appreciate these remarkable values.



SUITS

All \$20 Suits	\$15.00
All \$25 Suits	18.75
All \$27.50 Suits	20.25
All \$30 Suits	22.50
All \$35 Suits	26.25

CHILDREN'S COATS

All \$2.50 Coats	\$1.90
All \$3.00 Coats	2.25
All \$4.00 Coats	3.00
All \$5.00 Coats	3.75
All \$6.00 Coats	4.50

Coats and Capes and Silk Raincoats

All \$8 Values	\$ 6.00
All \$10 Values	7.50
All \$12 Values	9.00
All \$15 Values	11.25
All \$18 Values	13.50
All \$20 Values	15.00
All \$25 Values	18.75

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SINCE 1877 WE'VE BEEN TREATING PEOPLE SQUARE