

LAWSON ON STUMP

Organizing Committee to Vote His Proxies.

WILL HEAD REVOLUTION

Perfecting Plans to Capture Control of Big Insurance Companies for Policy-Holders—Governor Hanley Will Help.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Thomas W. Lawson spent today in this city and left tonight in his private car for Baltimore. Mr. Lawson had a talk with Senator La Follette, of Wisconsin, to obtain his consent to act as a member of the committee to vote at the coming annual meeting the proxies of the policy-holders of several of the life insurance companies of New York, which Mr. Lawson has collected as a trustee of the committee.

HAS CONGRESS THE POWER?

House Committee Hears Diverse Opinions on Insurance Control.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Acting under instruction of the House, the judiciary committee today began an investigation into the power of Congress to regulate the business of insurance.

NEED NOT GIVE THE NAMES

New York Life Wins Appeal on Verner's Suit.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—A petition asking that the names and addresses of 25,000 policy-holders of the New York Life insurance company be made known to Clarence H. Verner and others was today denied by the appellate division of the supreme court.

Happy McCurdy Going to Paris.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—A special to the Tribune from Morristown, N. J., says: Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCurdy are going to Paris to live, and will live up their home in South street.

McCall's Illness Serious.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—John Vanderpool, family physician to John A. McCall, the former president of the New York Life insurance company, said last night:

BOXERS WRECK MISSIONS

English Alone Suffer, Americans Escaping Scot Free.

PRINCE, Feb. 9.—A dispatch from Amoy today confirms the report of the destruction of the English Presbyterian and Roman Catholic missions at Changan, 20 miles from Amoy, by a mob described as having been composed of boxers.

SCHURMAN'S PRAISE OF CHINA

Cornell President Entertains Imperial Commission at Banquet.

I THACA, N. Y., Feb. 9.—The Chinese Imperial Commission, Viceroy Tuan Tang and Tai Hing Chi who will spend today visiting Cornell University, arrived in Ithaca last night and were driven to the home of President J. G. Schurman, where they were received by him and entertained at dinner.

marked by sincere friendship and cordiality.

President Schurman referred to the Chinese visitors as the representatives of the oldest civilization in the world, and continued: "In no other government in the world do scholars receive such recognition as in yours. A nation which selects wise men and scholars for its highest offices and champions the cause and practices the policies of peace, is for those things entitled to the respect and admiration of educated and humane men the world over."

TROOPS NEEDED FOR CHINA

Taft's Argument for More Barracks in Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—When Secretary Taft was before the Senate committee on appropriations, which was considering the urgent deficiency bill, he requested an appropriation of \$100,000 to be expended for the additional barracks and quarters for the army at near Manila.

BAY CITY JUDGES CROOKED

F. J. Heney Electrifies Bench and Bar by Statement at Banquet.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Francis J. Heney has stirred the bar and bench, and the public generally, by a declaration that "a majority of the judges on the Superior bench of the City and County of San Francisco are crooked."

BEST ATHLETES FOR ATHENS

Winners of Portland Games Not Favored by Athletic Union.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—(Special)—New York has the honor of being selected to send a team of American athletes to Athens in April, the athletes are wonderful and there does not seem to be any doubt about the necessary amount being raised to send a team of American athletes to Athens in April.

WALLOWA TO RAISE POLITY.

WALLOWA, Feb. 9.—Demand for poultry brought buyers here from La Grande and other points recently.

Cheaper Freight on Auto Parts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The transcontinental freight committee, which has just closed its meeting at Los Angeles, has, according to an announcement made here, reduced the freight rates on automobile parts by 20 per cent west of the Mississippi River to the coast.

Treasurer in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Charles H. Treat, Treasurer of the United States, arrived here today and visited the Sub-Treasurer. He said that his trip across the continent was made solely for pleasure.

Federal Court in Yakima.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 9.—(Special)—A session of the Federal Court has been called for North Yakima February 29. There are a number of cases to come before the court here.

"Booster" Club in Hoquiam.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Feb. 9.—Hoquiam has formed a "Boosters" Club with 40 members. Business officers have not yet been chosen.

Bankrupt Accused of Fraud.

On a motion alleging that George Anzore, a bankrupt wholesale fancy notions dealer, had practiced fraud and deceit in procuring his discharge from bankruptcy, Judge Wolverton yesterday issued an order directing that the books and records kept by Anzore be taken away from the law firm of Gamman & Maloney and turned over to Special Master Henry M. Eyster. The order was obtained by Attorney W. H. Fowler.

Change in Racing Dates.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—An important change was announced today in the arrangement of the dates allotted by the Jockey Club for the Spring meetings at the Belmont Park and Gravesend race tracks.

FIGHT TO DRAW

"Kid" Hermann and Herrera Give Splendid Exhibition.

TWENTY LIVELY ROUNDS

Chicago Man Displays Greater Cleverness, but the Bakerfield Boy Is There with the Harder Punch.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 9.—"Kid" Hermann, of Chicago, and Aurelio Herrera, of Bakerfield, Cal., fought 20 rounds in a draw before the Pacific Athletic Club tonight. The fight was an interesting one, a splendid exhibition of cleverness on Hermann's part and aggressiveness on Herrera's with disadvantages in height, weight and reach to overcome.

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SPECIAL SALE OF PARLOR TABLES

Ends today. This will be the last opportunity of making a selection from this special sale lot at such pleasing special prices.

LUCAS IS SEEKING A MOSES

Good Man Wanted to Head Tacoma Baseball Club.

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 9.—(Special)—President Lucas is looking for a Moses to lead the Tacoma fans out of the wilderness. Since coming to this city, the Northwestern baseball magnate has received hearty encouragement from both fans and business men, and every promise has been made that if the Northwestern League succeeds in placing a club in Tigertown, the fans will support it. Offers to subscribe for stock in the new club have also been generous.

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Advertisement for GHIRARDELLI'S GROUND CHOCOLATE, featuring a large illustration of a chocolate bar and text describing its benefits for children and adults. Includes the slogan 'A Drink Delicious, A Food Nutritious, A Builder of Brain and Brawn.'

Advertisement for CASTORIA for Infants and Children, featuring a large illustration of the product name and text describing its benefits for infants and children. Includes the slogan 'The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of' and a portrait of Charles H. Fletcher.