

## GOLDFIELD FEARS THE TROOPS GO

Governor Sparks Will Appeal to President to Retain the Soldiers.

## SHERIFF JOINS REQUEST

Declares Authorities Will Be Unable to Cope With Situation Should Trouble Arise. Deputies Increased.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 22.—Governor Sparks, it is understood, is preparing a statement of present conditions in Goldfield, to be telegraphed to President Roosevelt. The Governor is not satisfied that the President yet has the true light on the situation, notwithstanding the report of the commission and the order of the War Department for withdrawal of the troops. The communication to the President will also, it is said, contain a request for the retention of at least a portion of the troops now here after the date set for their going. The order for the movement of the troops back to their permanent quarters came from General Funston to Colonel Reynolds, in command of the troops here, today.

To supplement the request of the Governor, a communication has come to him from Sheriff Ingalls of this county, B. Rosenthal, chairman of the County Commissioners, and Commissioner Spiker. The statement of the Sheriff asserts that the county officials will be unable to handle the situation after the departure of the troops, should trouble arise.

The Sheriff is reorganizing his force of deputies and adding thereto. The newly appointed deputies are in the pay of the Goldfield Miners' Association and have begun already to patrol the principal streets in the vicinity of the mines, armed with shotguns and automatic revolvers.

Acting President Mahoney of the Western Federation of Miners, said, after going over the situation with officers of the local miners' union, that the Western Federation of Miners would uphold the local in all that it had previously done, and will stand squarely behind it in its future actions. He says there can be with the Goldfield mineowners no compromise which discards or eliminates the Western Federation, and he is not optimistic of any speedy settlement. He will remain some time.

The union pickets surround the mines again today while the guard of the mineowners' private army, around the property of the Consolidated Company, a high barred wire fence is being built.

## APPEALS REACH PRESIDENT

Goldfield Urges That Portion of Federal Troops Be Retained.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—It was stated at the White House tonight that telegraphic appeals sent by civic bodies, mineowners and individuals of Goldfield to President Roosevelt, urging upon him the necessity for retaining a portion of the Federal troops at Goldfield indefinitely, had been received, but that no action had been decided upon.

Adjutant-General Ainsworth stated tonight that the order signed by Secretary Taft yesterday directed to General Funston for the withdrawal of the Federal troops at Goldfield on December 30, was forwarded today.

## Neill on His Way East

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22.—United States Commissioner Charles P. Neill and two officials who assisted him in investigating conditions at Goldfield, left for the East at 10 o'clock tonight, two hours after their arrival.

## STOCK MARKET IS SLOW

Return of Normal Conditions Not Expected Before January.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The financial markets last week were largely concerned with preparations for the coming annual settlements and operations in securities were for the most part in abeyance or under some preparation. Transactions in stocks were to a great extent in professional hands, and the pressure on the market was not acute.

With the premium on currency persisting in New York and the outflow of cash to the interior still going on, in spite of the period of unusual return flow of funds which go out to move the crops, the conviction was brought home to bankers that the return of normal banking conditions was not to be looked for before the turn of the year.

Since the clearing-house banks have made up but a part of the deficit below the legal reserve held and still have a large volume of clearing-house certificates outstanding, the imperative call to proceed with the work of recapitalization was recognized. The heavy demands to be faced for the year-end settlements emphasized this call. The money market was affected in consequence, call loan rates ruling higher. The time loan market continued almost normal, the supply of funds in that department being of the scantiest, and there was no effective demand for mercantile paper, of which an absorption is relied upon to carry over commercial affairs through approaching maturities of large obligations.

## RIFT IN THE SUNDAY LAW

Theatricals With Limitations Permitted in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—With police-men as monitors to stop performances that exceeded the sacred rule, the Sunday promoters generally resumed business today. With few exceptions the entertainments were passed under the strict interpretation of Justice O'Gorman of the Sunday law, and after two "blue Sundays," the law resulted in the adoption by the Aldermen of a more liberal ordinance. The exceptions were the moving picture shows of the East Side, which were not allowed to open, though proprietors of some promised to picture only Holy Bible scenes. The peep shows of the penny arcades, however, were held permissible, a line of easy distinction being drawn between views that moved and those that stood still.

The theaters, opera-houses and higher class music halls continued closed, as before. The vaudeville houses confined their programmes to sketches, monologues, stereopticon ex-

hibitions and singing. The only departure from the weekday presentation was that stage "business" was eliminated. Costumes, scene-shifting and make-ups were barred. Dancing was also prohibited on the stage, but for those who would dance for their own entertainment the dancing academies were open. Skating rinks, too, were again in full swing.

The freedom from arrest of the day convinced police headquarters that theatrical performances, both the spirit and the letter of the law.

## ORDERLY DAY IN CLEVELAND

Scarcely an Arrest to Disturb Repose of the Police Force.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22.—Today was the most orderly Sunday Cleveland has experienced in a year or more. Saloons were dark and the theaters closed. The police had no excitement and the police blotter was practically clear. Officer Burke had no bodies to view and only two persons were arrested for intoxication.

The police explain the sudden observance of the law as a possible precaution on the part of the saloons to avoid exciting a local crusade against them in sympathy with the Sunday observance movement in other cities.

## Blue Sunday in Omaha.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 22.—Omaha experienced another "blue" Sunday, with the police on the alert for violators of the law. About 20 arrests were made and the names of 50 other persons against whom information will be filed were taken.

## SHAH OF PERSIA YIELDS

Gives In to Demands of the Constitutionalists.

TEHERAN, Persia, Dec. 22.—The Shah has yielded in the struggle between him and Parliament. Today he signed and sealed a declaration on the Koran accepting the demands of the Constitutionalists, which include the punishment of the leaders in the riots and the dissolution of the court clique. This declaration he sent to the Assembly as a mark of his determination to adhere to the constitution.

The Shah today gave an audience to the British and Russian Ministers. He solemnly assured them that he did not intend to abolish the constitutional regime, but would strive to work in co-operation with the parliament.

The immediate causes of the Persian crisis are to be found in the indignation of the people at the delay of execution of certain soldiers who recently murdered two shopkeepers. Last Sunday this developed into hostile demonstration with shooting in the streets of Teheran and later the opposing factions in large numbers gathered in the vicinity of the parliament buildings and erected a barricade. The Shah's army, however, was not in a position to take action against the Shah and Constitutionalists loudly demanded his abdication. Troops had difficulty in preventing clashes. There has been considerable talk about intervention by the powers, but no active measures in that direction were taken as far as is known.

## FIGHT A BLOODLESS DUEL

Hungarian Premier and Ex-Minister of Justice Become Reconciled.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 22.—Dr. Wokier, the Hungarian Premier, and ex-Minister of Justice Polonyi, fought a duel today with swords as a result of an allegation of political dishonesty made against the premier by the ex-Minister at a sitting of parliament a few days ago. The meeting took place at a restaurant and was bloodless. Neither man was in any way injured, and the two became reconciled.

## Forecast a Republic.

LISBON, Dec. 22.—The result of the present political crisis here may not only determine whether a new and better order of public administration is to prevail in Portugal, but, remote as such a change appears to the ordinary observers, whether the whole monarchical regime should give way to a republic or to a government. The Republicans, small as their influence exercises at present under the restricted suffrage which the people enjoy, believe that France by expelling the practices of the monarchist parties, has administered a blow to the prestige of the King and the monarchy from which it can never recover and made a republic a nearby possibility.

## Seven Robbers Executed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 22.—Seven men convicted of robbery were executed today at Ekaterinovsk. Four of the robbers had been sentenced to death at Sevastopol in connection with the recent mutiny of the Brest regiment, and two death sentences have been ordered for the two each at Moscow, Kostroma and Riga.

## COLORADO BANK DEFUNCT

Insolvent Institutions Will Not Reopen, Says Examiner.

DENVER, Dec. 22.—Neither the Colorado State Bank of Durango and its branch bank at Pagosa Springs, nor the Smelter City State bank, also at Durango, both of which closed their doors week before last, will be able to reorganize and reopen, according to H. M. Beatty, State Bank Commissioner, who returned from Durango yesterday, after placing the institutions in the hands of receivers to wind up their affairs.

The liabilities of the Colorado State and its Pagosa branch are \$300,000, which do not include a capital stock of \$150,000. The assets have a face value of \$450,000, but are of such character as to fall very far short of meeting the indebtedness.

The liabilities of the Smelter City State are \$120,000; assets, \$172,000; capital stock, \$30,000. The assets are also of such character as not to meet the indebtedness of the institutions.

## STATE NATIONAL IS SOLVENT

New Orleans Clearing-House Reports on Institution.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 22.—At a late hour tonight the New Orleans Clearing-House Association issued an announcement that a committee from that organization, which had made a thorough examination of the resources of the State National Bank of this city had found the bank absolutely solvent and the New Orleans Clearing-House would render the bank any assistance it might need. The examination was issued at the request of the officers of the State Bank, who said that they wished the condition of the institution officially passed on.

The State National Bank has a capital stock paid in of \$300,000, a surplus of \$300,000 and undivided profits of \$64,000.

State to Take Over Bank.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 22.—The State Banking Department will take charge of the National Bank Company, a state institution, tomorrow, according to announcement tonight. The bank has deposits of over \$2,000,000.

## SCHUEBEL AFTER BRISTOL'S SHOES

Ex-Populist of Meteoric Career Thinks His Chances Are Very Good.

## DESCENDS ON WASHINGTON

Political Chameleon Besieging the Powers for Indorsement—Bourne Feels Bound to Stand by Him, but Others Are Doubtful.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Back in Washington, at the National capital, Christian Schuebel is endeavoring to wear an indorsement of himself for the office of United States District Attorney for Oregon from a delegation that has gone on record as favoring the appointment of Federal jobs of men who are tried and true Republicans. More than a week ago he strapped on his gum shoes and hit the long wall.

Schuebel's prospects for landing the place that W. C. Bristol still occupies, in spite of strenuous efforts to dislodge him, may be fair. He is known to have the support of Senator Bourne for whom he labored in Clackamas County at both the primary and general elections. Mr. Schuebel and his law partner, W. S. U'Ren, boomed Senator Bourne as the right man for the place, on account of his stated position on Statement No. 1, and ever since the Senator went to Washington, the Clackamas County Republican chairman has had his eye on the District Attorney's office. The day before he left for Washington, he said that he believed his chances for appointment were better than those of any other man.

## Populism His Fulcrum.

Mr. Schuebel is a self-made man. It was only a little more than 10 years ago that he was working as a laborer in the paper mills here, and the hot wave of Populism that swept over the country gave him his chance to get away from the dreary drudgery of everyday toil, and he sought and obtained the nomination on the Populist ticket for Justice of the Peace.

He asked his fellow workers to pull for him, so that he might have the opportunity to study law, and they responded nobly and elected him for a two-year term, and then re-elected him.

So Mr. Schuebel rode into office on the crest of Populism and denounced the Republican party with bitterness on the stump. He studied law, was admitted to the bar and formed a partnership with Mr. U'Ren, who was also an ardent disciple of the People's party and all that it stood for.

His term of office expired, Mr. Schuebel again felt the beckoning hand of office, and made the run for District Attorney on the Fifth Judicial Circuit, but was unsuccessful. Populism had lost its short grip, and its advocates deserted the falling banner as rats leave a sinking ship. Among them was Schuebel.

## Enters Republican Camp.

In 1902 he was among the boosters of George C. Brownell, when the latter was a candidate for a third term in the State Senate. He took the stump for Brownell and people stood about with mouths agape, wondering what the Clackamas sage had promised Schuebel. Brownell says he offered the ex-Populist a law partnership and chances at political preferment. He laughed when he told the story.

"George W. Grace was my opponent on a fusion ticket made up of Democrats and Populists," said Brownell. "He looked rather formidable, and I feared defeat. Schuebel was strong among the Germans of Clackamas, so I went to him and told him that I intended moving to Portland after my election, but that I would retain an office in Oregon City, and Brownell & Schuebel would lead me to the platform. I did not believe that he would take the bait, but he did. I also told Schuebel that in the event of my election he would be the next United States Senator."

The Republicans were on top of the political heap in Clackamas County. Schuebel stayed with them. Last year he was rewarded with the election of chairman of the county central committee. He worked unceasingly during the campaign for the success of the state and county ticket, and the Democrats won only the office of Sheriff and State Senator.

But at least 75 per cent of the rank and file of Clackamas Republicans are watching the fight of Schuebel for appointment to a Federal position, with the expressed hope that the job will go to a man who has shown a faithful and consistent member of the party.

## FOUR INJURED IN WRECK

Fast Mail Hits Freight Which Had Piled Up in Ditch.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Four persons were injured, heavy property loss was sustained and three tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad were blocked for the night by two wrecks near Bolivar, Pa., 35 miles east of here tonight. An extra freight train left the rails of track No. 1 because of a break in the rail, it is believed, and 30 cars were smashed and piled up over tracks 2 and 3.

Almost immediately after the accident to the freight the Chicago Mail, running at high speed to make up lost time, crashed into the debris with terrific force. Every one on the train was badly jolted and shaken up, many of the passengers being thrown from their seats. None of the passenger cars left the track, but a number of windows were broken and several persons were cut by flying glass.

At the office of the company here it is stated that one mail clerk has severely bruised his back, and three passengers were more or less bruised. No one on the freight train was injured.

The mail train was drawn by two locomotives. The front locomotive was almost completely demolished.

## Japanese Charity Fund.

SEATTLE, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Japanese have raised by subscription among their people of this city a fund of \$100, which will be given to the authorities of Western Washington Hospital for the insane at Seilacoom. The Japs raised a like sum last year and the money was expended in gifts and little comforts for the insane at the asylum.

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While the Christmas business has proved by far the greatest ever experienced, our selections still offer a wide range for satisfactory choosing. Special Values in All Departments.

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Fancy Silks, values to \$1.50 at 89c	Feather Bos, special lot, 1-3 Off	\$5.00 Silk Umbrellas reduced to \$3.25
Solid Gold Jewelry, about 1-3 Off	La Valliere Necklaces at special prices	\$12.00 Silk Umbrellas reduced to \$8.50
Sterling Silver Toilet Sets, special sale	Post Card Albums, about 1-3 Off	Reg. \$22.50 Plain Tailored Suits \$13.85
Silver Plated Toilet Sets much Reduced	Holiday Stationery in holly boxes, reduced	\$8.50 Silk Petticoats, all colors, \$4.95
Gold Signet Rings at nearly Half	19c Holly Sprays 15c, Millinery Dept.	Special Fur Sale \$3.45 to \$123
Men's \$5.50 Bath Robes at \$3.95	Delineator Subscriptions for Xmas \$1.00	\$15 Real Horn Alligator Bags \$9.00
All Teddy Bears greatly Reduced	Fancy Workboxes at sale prices	\$1.50 Bill Books, Card Cases, 49c
\$3.50 Framed Etchings on sale \$1.95	Fancy Jeweled Top Bags reduced	\$3.50 Battenberg Scarfs and Squares \$1.29
Fancy Drawnwork Linens, very low priced	25c Sheet Music, five for \$1.00	50c Alger and Henty Books 25c
Embroidered Sheets and Pillow Cases	\$1.00 Children's Comic Books at 35c	\$1.10 Recent Fiction reduced to 50c
Real Lace Handkerchiefs about 1-3 Off	25c Children's Books reduced to 9c	75c Standard Classics on sale 29c
Xmas Sales of Fancy Ribbons	Ormolu Gold Clocks about 1-4 Off	Marion Harland Cook Book and the
Xmas Sale of Boxed Handkerchiefs	\$6.50 Buffed Alligator Handbags \$3.98	Home Magazine, \$3 value \$1.00
Fancy Hose Supporters at about 1-2	\$18-\$24 Handbags all at \$10.50	Owl Drug Store, everything reduced

## EDITOR IN TROUBLE

George Putnam, of Medford Tribune, Arrested.

## SPENDS NIGHT IN JAIL

Ex-Representative Vawter Comes to Relief Next Day and Goes on His Bond—Action Said to Be Libelous Articles in the Paper.

## Funeral of Man Who Feared Burial

Alive Will Be Held.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—The funeral of the late William B. Shively, who died here last Monday evening, will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Portland Crematorium, Rev. J. R. Landsborough, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. The services will be private.

Mrs. Shively this afternoon became convinced that her husband was dead. According to the oft-expressed wish of Mr. Shively that their knowledge of his death should be certain, the body was kept longer than is customary before burial. He had a fear that he might be buried alive.

Putnam was let out of jail and took the night train for Portland.

## SAMLLPOX AT OREGON CITY

One Case Appears in a Boarding-House—Place Is Quarantined.

OREGON CITY, Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Joseph Warner, who lives at the Monture House, on Fourth street, has contracted a case of smallpox, which the doctors say is of a serious nature. Warner has been ill for several days, but did not become alarmed till last night, when eruptions began to appear on his body. J. W. Norris, the County Physician, was summoned and pronounced the disease to be smallpox. To strengthen this, he also consulted with Drs. Carr and Melander, who formed the same diagnosis. This afternoon the house was placed under quarantine. Many of the

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## WOMAN IS HIS DOWNFALL

ABERDEEN MAN CONVICTED OF HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

Leads Double Life and When Woman of Demimonde Tires of Him, Robs Her of Her Jewels.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—Louis Fogel, who has been in the clothing business here for years and whose family is prominent in Jewish social circles, was convicted in Superior Court of highway robbery by a jury that came in this morning at 5 o'clock after being out 20 hours.

Fogel has been living a double life, paying attention to a woman of the underworld. When she refused to receive further attentions from him he forced her into a room, held her up and took from her person diamonds valued at \$600.

He was held for trial a month ago in justice court and the testimony at that time was of a highly sensational character. He has appealed his case to the Supreme Court. Hitherto Fogel has held a good reputation.

## BROWNSVILLE WINS CONTEST

High School Debating Team Defeats Silverton by Few Points.

BROWNSVILLE, Or., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The Brownsville High School team was victorious in the preliminary debate with the Silverton High School team at the M. E. Church in this city Friday night.

## Columbia Life Preserver.

ASTORIA, Or., Dec. 22.—(Special.)—A few days ago a cork life-preserver belonging to the wrecked steamer Columbia, was found by Sam Maxwell in the log boom at Ilwaco. It was turned over to the Cape Disappointment life-saving crew. Whether the life-preserver was lost overboard from the Columbia when she was in the river or floated up the Coast from the scene of the wreck will never be known.

## SEND SCENIC PHOTOS EAST.

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