

ANNUAL HALF-PRICE SALE

POWERS' Our Annual HALF-PRICE Sale is now in full swing. Our store is full of tempting bargains, scores of odd pieces in Mission Furniture, if you have a liking for it, and plenty of other kinds if your taste is in another direction. These goods are marked at ONE-HALF regular price regardless of what they cost us.

- \$16.50 Mahogany Dressing Table.....**\$8.25**
- \$33.00 Mahogany Dressing Table.....**\$16.50**
- \$20.00 Mahogany Dressing Table.....**\$10.00**
- \$25.00 Mahogany Dressing Table.....**\$12.50**

- \$26.50 Mahogany Princess Dresser.....**\$13.25**
- \$28.50 Golden Oak Princess Dresser.....**\$14.25**
- \$60 Birdseye Maple Princess Dresser.....**\$30.00**

- \$36.00 Golden Oak Roman Rocker.....**\$18.00**
- \$17.50 Weathered Oak Roman Chair.....**\$8.75**
- \$25.00 Mahogany Roman Chair.....**\$12.50**

- \$55.00 Golden Oak Gents' Wardrobe.....**\$27.50**
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- \$26.00 Birdseye Maple Napoleon Bed.....**\$13.00**
- \$40 Mahogany Napoleon Bed.....**\$20.00**
- \$77.50 Birdseye Maple Napoleon Bed.....**\$38.75**
- \$60 Golden Oak Napoleon Bed.....**\$30.00**

- \$48 Mahogany Chair, leather seat.....**\$24.00**
- \$65.00 Solid Mahogany Parlor Chair, upholstered in green panne.....**\$32.50**

- \$122.50 Golden Oak Sideboard.....**\$61.25**
- \$62 Golden Oak Sideboard.....**\$31.00**
- \$115 Weathered Oak Sideboard.....**\$57.50**
- \$120.00 Golden Oak Sideboard.....**\$60.00**
- \$82.50 Golden Oak Sideboard.....**\$41.25**

- \$7.50 Tuna Mahogany Reception Chair.....**\$3.75**
- \$12.50 Weathered Oak Reception Chair.....**\$6.25**

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THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY
DIGNIFIED CREDIT FOR ALL FIRST AND TAYLOR

WOODRUFF WOULD ACCEPT HONOR

No Objection to New York Senatorship, but Chances Are Slim.

ROOSEVELT TO SAY WORD

Root and Choate Logical Candidates With Everything Favorable to Former—President's Backing Alone Needed.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—(Special.)—Little Tim Woodruff is off the reservation and believes that he is a candidate for United States Senator. Ex-Governor Frank S. Black has been quietly at work gathering up delegates. His friends say he has 40. All the other little candidates, Herbert Parsons, J. Sloat Fassett, William Barnes and ex-Congressman Litchner, have withdrawn their names. They believe that they are for Root, but will not be sure until they receive the proper tip from Washington.

Keep Up Appearances.

Strange as it may seem the Republican leaders are pleased because Woodruff is keeping up his fight. Some of them intimate that it also pleases President Roosevelt. It is desirable that there should be the form of a contest for the Senatorship, to keep up appearances, and if Woodruff will continue to run around the stage and utter loud cries, the people may believe that the whole matter is not cut and dried.

Woodruff is securing lots of sympathy, but mighty little assistance. The big man in the organization realizes that the state chairman will be sidetracked at the proper moment, and they do not care to involve themselves in a losing campaign.

"Why the President hasn't even told Tim yet," said one leader today, "When the time comes it will be about like this: Monday, Little Tim lunches at the White House, Tuesday Little Tim gives out a statement in New York saying that it is very kind of his friends to have offered him support for Senator, but that Elihu Root or Joseph H. Choate was really his original choice, and he congratulates the people of the state on the opportunity to honor Mr. Root or Mr. Choate, or whoever the man may be."

Woodruff's Strength Weak.

In the Legislature for 1907, which will convene on the first Wednesday in January, there will be 35 Republican Senators out of a total of 54. As 24 Republicans will participate in the caucus, it will take 28 votes to nominate.

Woodruff's strength without White House backing, is put at 24, and he could not control over half that number if the screws were put on. Consider the extreme claims of Black's friends, 40 votes, it will be seen that the two combined would fall short of the necessary majority.

Parsons, Barnes, Fassett and the other "September candidates" all have a certain following, and their strength will not go to either Black or Woodruff. They are for Root now, but reserve the right to change their choice, if such is the wish of the President.

Whether Woodruff's army will stay in the field until January is a matter to be decided later. He may withdraw to-

tomorrow, he may wait until Christmas, and he may show up at Albany in full regalia. But one fact is clear. He will not succeed. Thomas C. Platt as United States Senator from New York.

I talked the other day with one of the Republican Assemblymen from Brooklyn. He is loyal to Woodruff, but thoroughly realizes that the state chairman is engaged in a battle that is bound to end in defeat.

"Woodruff is our county leader," he said, "and every Brooklyn member-elect has pledged his vote. It is the proper thing to do, and besides, I for one would be glad to see him elected Senator."

"Woodruff has worked early and late for the party. He has spent his money and devoted many days of his valuable time to building up the organization."

"Not even his worst enemies have hinted that he makes a cent out of politics. He is a rich man, and has made his millions himself, and made them honestly. I understand that politics cost him \$100,000 a year."

"Why shouldn't he be rewarded with a seat in the Senate? Tim is a successful business man, just the kind we need in public life. If the wishes of the rank and file, the men who do the real work, were consulted, Woodruff would have a big majority."

"But I know the cards are stacked against him. For my part I will stand by Tim as long as he wants me, but a mere whisper from Washington would split our Kings County delegation in half. The reason? Woodruff has never lost a political fight, and President Taft will have a lot of patronage to distribute during the coming year. He will give a man his seat to look out for himself."

Ex-Governor Black has no expectation of landing the prize. He realizes that the majority of the legislators oppose Root; they will get in line when the bell sounds.

Black Guessed Right.

Before the last state convention, Black announced that he favored the renomination of Governor Hughes. When he reached Saratoga the other leaders found fault with him because he refused to join in their fight on the Executive.

"You will not fool me this time," was Black's smiling reply. "I am for Hughes, and you fellows will be for Hughes in the end, because the bell will ring from Oyster Bay. You are not for Hughes, but it will be necessary for you to take your medicine, and I will have the pleasure of watching you." And he did.

Black is making his battle on a long chance, and he admits that the prospects are much against him. Here is the inside Black view of it.

"Woodruff is really fighting mad, and can hold enough men in line with what we have to make a majority. Black may win. For Woodruff may throw his votes to us, to get even with Roosevelt. The probabilities are that Roosevelt will kneel down in the end. He always does."

As a matter of history, it might be interesting to recount Woodruff's political failures. He was elected Lieutenant-Governor in 1896, and served three terms of two years each. In 1899 he blossomed out as a candidate for Vice-President, but despite campaign buttons and an official headquarters, his name was not presented. Woodruff, then Governor, was nominated, and Woodruff expected to be promoted. The Vice-Presidential boom was transferred into a gubernatorial boom, but the only result was a third term as Lieutenant Governor.

Four years later Woodruff carried the fight into the courts, but was bowled over by Hughes. The following year he wanted Dewey's seat in the United States Senate, but didn't get it.

In 1906 Woodruff supported Lieutenant-Governor Bruce for promotion, but Hughes carried off the prize. He opposed Presidential instructions for Hughes this year up to the time the delegates met. Similarly he fought the Governor's nomination last September, but got in line when the roll was called. It will thus be seen that Woodruff and defeat are old friends.

Root declares he is a candidate. The Union League Club has unanimously endorsed the Secretary of State, Joseph H. Choate made a speech in his favor, and a number of members went on record as saying that Choate would make fully as strong a candidate as Root, and that there was little to choose between them.

ASKS \$1,000,000 FOR CELILO WORK

Chief Also Recommends \$450,000 for Dredging at Columbia's Mouth.

OTHER POINTS INCLUDED

Willamette, Coos Bay, Tillamook and Other Oregon and Washington Streams and Harbors to Be Provided For.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 18.—The annual report of the Chief of Army Engineers, made public today, recommends a liberal appropriation for the waterways of the Pacific Northwest, and these estimates will form the basis of appropriations to be made in the forthcoming river and harbor bill. Among the appropriations recommended are the following: Columbia and Willamette Rivers from Portland to the sea, \$300,000; mouth of Columbia, \$450,000; Celilo Canal, \$1,000,000 in addition to \$140,000, which was authorized last session; Willamette River above Portland, \$400,000; Columbia between Vancouver and the mouth of the Willamette, \$100,000; canal of Cascades, \$100,000; Columbia River between Celilo Falls and the mouth of the Snake River, \$5,000,000; Snake River, \$10,000; Tillamook Harbor to Tillamook City, \$15,000; Coos River, \$150; Clatskanie River, \$60; Cowitz and Lewis Rivers, \$750. The Chief of Engineers says it is advisable to place the Celilo canal under a continuing contract system, with the understanding that \$1,000,000 be appropriated annually until work is completed. If this cannot be done, at least \$1,000,000 in new appropriations is necessary next year to enable work to proceed expeditiously.

He calls attention to the fact that the improvement of the channel from Portland to the sea, as it is now progressing, is necessarily of a temporary character, and no lasting benefit is being received from dredging. Ultimately this channel will be permanently improved by the construction of an elaborate system of revetments to confine the channel. While expensive work is in progress at the mouth of the Columbia and at Celilo, he deems it inadvisable to ask for sufficient money to build these revetments now, especially as continued dredging afforded a sufficient channel for present commerce. In addition to the foregoing estimate, it is recommended that \$11,000,000 be appropriated for maintaining the dredges, recently built for use in the Harbors along the Oregon and Washington Coast.

General W. L. Marshall, Chief of Engineers, U. S. A., also makes a strong appeal for an increase in the corps of engineers.

Among other improvements of rivers and harbors for which an estimate is made for the next fiscal year are the following: California—San Pedro Bay, \$100,000; San Luis Obispo Harbor, \$100,000; Oakland, \$521,000. Washington—Grays Harbor, \$100,000; Puget Sound, \$129,000. Hawaii, Honolulu harbor, \$500,000; harbor at Hilo, \$600,000. Porto Rico—San Juan, \$350,000. The present authorized engineering corps, General Marshall stated, consists

of 159 officers. He recommends an increase of 123 officers, 60 to be employed on military works of construction, 57 to be employed in three additional battalions and 15 for regimental organization. General Marshall says that while the number of officers is decreasing, the reverse is true of the work.

The Chief of Engineers submits estimates of appropriations for the fiscal year 1909-10 for fortifications, aggregating \$7,732,233. Included in this amount are the following:

Money for Batteries.

Seacoast batteries, Honolulu and Pearl Harbor, \$440,000; Manila, \$2,230,000; installation of electric plants, Honolulu and Pearl Harbor, \$14,000; Philippine Islands, \$81,000; electrical installation at seacoast fortifications, \$84,233.

For river and harbor work, these estimates are submitted for the fiscal year ending June 30.

Under continuing contracts, \$30,479,667; rivers and harbors (general), including examinations, surveys and contingencies, \$21,564,418; under California Debris Commission, \$15,000.

The Chief of Engineers also recommends the following appropriations for Washington watersheds: Puwllup waterway, Tacoma harbor, \$40,000; Puget Sound and tributaries, \$10,000; Grays Harbor, north jetty, \$100,000; Inner Grays Harbor, \$51,000; and same to Chicago, \$100,000; Sardinia Slough, \$10,000; Willapa River, \$50,000.

THEN SALLIE WENT HOME

Parents' Blessing Ends Elopement of Heir and Southern Beauty.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—A son of a Pittsburgh millionaire and a girl known in the South for beauty, eloped from the Pennsylvania city, were married in Dixie land and came to Chicago yesterday to break the news to the young man's parents over the long-distance telephone. This they did last night, and after receiving the parental blessing the husband, William B. Scaife, heir of C. C. Scaife, was told by his mother to "bring Sallie home." Sallie is the former Miss Sallie Hill, of Bolivar, Tenn. The telephoning was done about 11:00. Sardinia Slough, \$10,000; Willapa River, \$50,000.

"Recent events have made it certain that there will be no slaughtering of interests. Necessarily there will be some alterations, some readjustments, but to general tearing down and building up. It is clear that the country does not expect nor court such a course, and Congress will not enter upon it."

"We learned a number of interesting facts during our visit to Europe last Summer, and have done much work in this country," he said, "but it will necessarily be some time before we shall be in position to make any definite suggestions for the modification of the monetary system of the United States. It is a big subject and will require careful attention. It is possible that we may ask to have some changes in the law regulating the inspecting of banks, but if that is done, it will be merely incidental."

"The Senator's return has revived the suggestion so frequently heard since Senator Allison's death, that he (Mr. Hale) will succeed Mr. Allison as chairman of the Senate committee on appropriations, but he was evidently not inclined to look with favor upon it. He would only say that there would be plenty of time to settle that question after Congress meets three weeks hence."

May Reorganize A. Booth & Co.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The Booth family and other stockholders in A. Booth & Company, are trying to raise \$200,000 cash necessary to re-organize the company. Nearly 50 per cent is favorable and an underwriting syndicate may take care of assessments on minority stockholders who are unwilling to pay. The floating debt is \$5,000,000 and the assets, if sold, are estimated at only \$1,750,000.

Target Record Broken.

MANILA, Nov. 18.—It is unofficially stated that the battleship Nebraska, during the target practice now in progress, broke all records established by any navy in the world for marksmanship with her 12-inch guns. While the figures are not obtainable, it is believed that the Nebraska's crew will gain all records for both speed and accuracy.

NO RADICAL CHANGE

Hale Says Tariff Revision Will Be Readjustment.

SLAUGHTER NO INTERESTS

Nothing Done Till Extra Session. Monetary Commission's Report Not Ready, but Much Information Gained on Trip Abroad.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Senator Hale does not anticipate any effort to change the tariff law during the present session of Congress.

"Once in a while," he said today, "you will hear such a suggestion, but it is clearly out of the question, and it will not be undertaken, and," he added, "it is safe to say there will not be any radical changes when the most-talked-of revision is made."

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