

ROOSEVELT GIVEN RAP FOR EXAMPLE

Representative Mann Deplores Criticism From Executives Without Just Cause.

ECONOMY TO HIT DISTRICT

Officers to Get No Increased Salaries in Appropriation Bill Which Is Under Discussion—Children Will Have Playgrounds.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Denunciation of officials of the executive departments of the government who criticize without just cause was made in a speech by Representative Mann, of Illinois, and also another speech of similar tenor by Representative Fitzgerald, of New York, who said "a certain distinguished official" was responsible, therefore, because of the bad example he had set for his subordinates. This enhanced an otherwise dull session of the House today.

District Bill Discussed.

The District of Columbia appropriation bill was read, but was not put upon its passage, and will be taken up Monday again. Some saving was effected by reducing appropriations for increases in salaries for District officers by eliminating altogether paragraphs making provisions for new offices.

Children to Have Playgrounds.

Rather unexpectedly the House agreed to insert in the bill an amendment appropriating \$1,000,000 for playgrounds for children in the District.

WOOLLEY ANSWERS HAWAII

Anti-Saloon League Leader Blames Brewers for Stirring Trouble. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—John G. Woolley, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of the Hawaiian Islands, appeared today before the Senate committee on Pacific Islands and Porto Rico in support of a bill introduced by the late Senator Johnson, of North Dakota, to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in Hawaii.

HARDY CHARGES CORRUPTION

Press Subsidized in Ship Subsidy Campaign, Says Lawmaker. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Charges of corruption against members of Congress and of the subsidizing of newspapers for and against ship subsidy which have been made in various American newspapers and periodicals are rebutted by a resolution introduced in the House today by Representative Hardy, of Texas, who demands a Congressional investigation.

MONEY MADE WITH SHEARS

Clever Scheme Transmits \$200 in Notes into \$220. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 17.—A scheme by which \$200 is made out of ten \$20 bank notes has been brought to the attention of local banks by the St. Louis officers of the United States Secret Service. A dozen or more of the altered notes have been received at the sub-treasury here. This scheme, according to an employee of the sub-treasury:

COUNT BONI-LOSES FIGHT

Paris Court Decides Anna Gould Has Charge of Child's Tutoring. PARIS, Dec. 17.—The court today decided in favor of the Princess de Sagan in the suit instituted by her former husband, Count Boni de Castellane, who sought an order compelling the defendant to appoint for the youngest of their sons a tutor acceptable to the father and who should report to him of the boy's progress. Castellane was condemned to pay the costs.

STANDARD TAKES APPEAL

Exchange of Stock Legal. In finding that the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, has acquired a commanding volume of the trade by means of a trust. In finding that the seven individual defendants combined to suppress competition. In finding that the exchange of stock for interests in a single corporation is illegal. In finding that corporations are local entities distinct from stockholders. Assignments to the Sherman act do not differ between various forms of competition and that the court erred in finding that the transfer

of stock in the 19 companies to the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey increased in its power to prevent competition or vested in the larger company the control of the so-called "Potentially competitive" corporations. The next nine judgments deny the court's accuracy in finding that the transfer resulted in a combination and conspiracy in restraint of trade, that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey is dominated by the seven individual defendants, and that the big corporation has, since 1899, exercised unlawful power.

NEW DIPLOMACY ARISES

JAPANESE FRIENDSHIP EMBODIED IN LECTURE. Speech on Land of Mikado Will Be Delivered in Many Cities of This Country. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—New diplomacy was today inaugurated on the part of the Japanese people to dispel all thought of war between that nation and the United States.

ONE TERM ENOUGH FOR AVERY

Attorney and Land Official Not Seeking Reappointment. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 17.—Senators Jones and Piles will take no action looking to selection of a new United States attorney and marshal for the Eastern District of Washington until after the holiday recess. The terms of District Attorney A. G. Avery and Marshal George H. Baker are about to expire. Avery is not a candidate for reappointment and it is yet undetermined whether Baker will be recommended for another term. Many candidates are in the field.

WHITE HOUSE IN MOURNING

President Taft Goes to Connecticut, Where Sister-in-Law Died. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—President Taft left Washington this afternoon for Watertown, Connecticut, where tomorrow he will attend the funeral of Mrs. Horace B. Taft, wife of his brother, Horace B. Taft. Mrs. Taft died last night in a hospital in Baltimore. The President probably will return to Washington Sunday morning. It is probable that the President will attend the funeral of Mrs. Taft.

COURT HELD AT BEDSIDE

Los Angeles Rabbi, Robbed and Beaten, Unable to Leave Room. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 17.—Because David Cohen, an aged rabbi and jeweler who was assaulted and robbed several weeks ago in his place of business, was too ill from the effects of his injuries to appear today in the arraignment of the alleged robber, Justice Williams moved his court to the sick chamber. Stenographers, attorneys, the clerk, bailiffs and the prisoner took up their stations around the rabbi's bedside and the examination of witnesses was begun. Floren Franklin, Cohen's alleged assailant, was held for trial.

BABES LOCKED IN, BURN

Mother Goes Away, Leaving Children Alone in House. WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 17.—Two children of Sydney Masters, of Fort Rouge, were burned to death early today. Mrs. Masters locked the children in the house while she was away.

BALLINGER URGES THOROUGH INQUIRY

Friends Meet Pinchot's Demands and Will Press Them Further.

RULING MOTIVE SOUGHT

Jones and Borah Determined to Get All Facts in Controversy That Has Stirred Administration Circles.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 17.—Several friends of Secretary Ballinger are pressing to introduce and pass a resolution authorizing sweeping Congressional investigation into conduct of the Interior Department. Secretary Ballinger is in hearty accord with this purpose and said today he would welcome such an investigation in his department, for he is satisfied that the fair and impartial investigation will bring forth satisfactory answer to every accusation that has been made against him and against other officials of his department.

COWLITZ DREDGING FAVORED

Engineers Recommend Appropriation of \$9600 for Channel. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 17.—Army engineers, in a report sent to Congress, recommend an appropriation of \$9600 for dredging a channel 40 feet wide and two and a half feet deep in the Cowlitz River, from Castle Rock to Tolovana. It is intended that the whole improvement for the distance of 26 miles shall be carried forward as one project.

ALASKA ROADS MAY GET \$150,000

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 17.—Appropriation of \$150,000 for the construction and repair of wagon roads in Alaska today was inserted in the Army appropriation bill.

JAPAN PLANS ECONOMY

Budget Reduces Expenses and Will Cut Down National Debt. TOKYO, Dec. 17.—The budget estimated for 1910-11, as given out today, decreases estimated receipts \$5,000,000. Extraordinary expenditures of the War Department are reduced \$40,000,000. Provision is made for the addition of \$2,750,000 to the consolidation fund, which totals \$88,600,000, of which \$60,500,000 is to be devoted to the repayment of the national debt. Estimated expenditures are announced at \$267,000,000, which includes \$42,000,000 for war and \$37,500,000 for the navy. Receipts are estimated at \$267,000,000, of which taxes will contribute \$181,000,000. The sum of \$17,000,000 will be devoted to the surplus.

WHITE SLAVE BILL OUT

IMMIGRATION COMMITTEE REPORTS SUBSTITUTE MEASURE. Covers Ground of Bill Prepared by Chairman Mann, of Interstate Commerce Commission. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—A bill aiming at the suppression of the white slave traffic and imprisonment and heavy fines for any person importing women into this country for immoral purposes, harboring them after their arrival here or sending them from state to state was reported out of the immigration committee today. The measure is a substitute for the two bills introduced by Representatives Bennett and Sabath, and is intended to cover the ground of the bill prepared by Chairman Mann, of the Interstate Commerce Commission. A maximum penalty of 10 years' imprisonment and a fine of \$500 is provided for violations. The white slave bill introduced by Chairman Mann of the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce was considered also at today's meeting of Mr. Mann's committee, but was not reported. The committee will meet again tomorrow. Advocates of the bill believe that one or two of the minority are weakening. Contentions of the immigration committee that it and not the Interstate Commerce Commission has jurisdiction was brought up at today's meeting of the commerce committee, but it was claimed that the bill in no way divested the immigration committee of its prerogatives. The report recommends additional legislation by states and territories and the District of Columbia along lines of the Illinois law. The substitute bill is changed from the original immigration committee's bill, so as to apply to "Persons who

Today Is Children's Day

Let their joy be unconfined. This is the time of the year when the little folks should have full sway. Every provision for their comfort and every opportunity for their shopping has been provided by this store. Let this Saturday be given over to making their hearts glad, with the rapid approach of the one day in the year when they rule the home—Let them visit Toyland

Olds, Wortman & King

Sale Decorated Semi-Porcelain At Holiday Prices SPECIAL PRICES AND DISPLAY SATURDAY



Table listing dinner sets and prices. Includes items like 'Regular \$5.68 value, 50-piece set, special \$4.50' and 'Regular \$13.00 value, each, only \$9.90'.

BIG SPECIALS IN READING LAMPS

EITHER GAS OR ELECTRIC LIGHT. Regular \$6.90 values, each, only \$5.00. Regular \$15.75 values, each, only \$12.25. Regular \$18.00 values, each, only \$14.35.

Children's Coats School Shoes at Special Prices For Today

Advertisement for children's coats and school shoes. Includes prices like '\$9.50 Values for \$4.89', '\$14.50 Values for \$6.79', '\$20.00 Values for \$9.99'. Also features 'Silk Robes \$4.98' and 'Girls' Sweaters \$1.98'.

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VICTIM'S MONEY MISSING

Coroner's Jury Investigating Robbery as Well as Wreck. FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Dec. 17.—After being in session all afternoon, the Coroner's jury investigating the case of the wreck on the Signa Fe Road at Winslow yesterday adjourned until tomorrow to secure the testimony of members of the train crew.

CORNELLS LIVING APART

CHAUFFEUR LEFT WITHOUT EXPECTED WITNESS. Telegram From Detroit First Word Defense Has of Woman's Whereabouts. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—A development in the opening of the trial of Carl Fisher, charged with the killing of Mrs. Dora Feller, July 15 last, in Judge Willis' court today, was a telegram from Mrs. Marie Cornell, wife of Fred Cornell, dated Detroit, Mich., saying that she had separated from her husband, a well-known automobile dealer in this city.

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