NORRIS MAY WIN TOGA FOR MONTANA

Governor's Stock as Candidate for Senator Rising Fast in Helena.

ALL SPOILS ARE SECURED

Corporations Oppose Walsh and Courad Is Held Not Qualified. Republican Would Become Governor if Norris Wins.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 2 .- (Special.)-The Senatorial situation shows a de-cided tendency today toward the selec-tion of Governor Edwin L. Norris as Thomas H. Carter's successor. generally believed that neither Walsh nor Conrad will secure the toga, the former because of corporation opposition and the latter owing to the hellef that, while he has acquired a fortune, he is hardly what is desired respecting

senatorial qualifications.
In consequence, the stock of Norris as a dark horse is rising rapidly and. while not an avowed candidate, he would accept, if elected. The only ob-jection raised is that by vacating the Governorship he would turn the office over to a Republican, but, as all his appointments cover the period of two cears, little political capital would be

The Legislature was assembled here today, but, beyond perfecting an or-ganization with the election of Mc-Dowell, of Butte, as Speaker, and Donlan, of Mizsoula, as President pro tem of the Senate, no business was trans-The bodies will meet in joint assembly tomorrow, when Gov Norris will deliver his biennial

DIX TAKES NEW YORK'S REINS

Individual Liberty and Economy Form Burden for Address.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 2.-John Alden Dix, a Democrat, was inaugurated Gov-ernor of New York State at noon today. He is the first Democratic Governor to assume the office in 18 years. The Gov-ernor then delivered his inaugural ad-

dress. He said in part: "The end of all government should be the preservation of true liberty—that liberty which guarantees to every man the fullest measure of individual right consistent with a proper maintenance of the rights of all others and at the same time preserves and maintains the collective rights of all the members of

"Under our constitution such liberty we possess in New York. It must be our constant aim to so strengthen and extend the exercise of the personal and inalienable rights by the individual as to bring to the state the greatest growth and highest development of which our citizenship and resources are

I am succeding to the Governorship when business training and understanding seems absolutely essential to the proper administration of public affairs. "Great as are the public resources of our commonwealth, expenditures and outgo have grown in a measure out of all proportion to the revenue of the state and we seem committed to an out-lay which will not alone tax to its full-est extent our income but demand that we draw on the future in a way which, in my opinion is of very doubtful wisin my opinion, is of very doubtful wis-

LODGE WILL ADDRESS SOLONS

Bay State Senator Realizes Crisis of Career Has Come.

BOSTON, Jan. 2 .- An account of his 18 years' stewardship as one of the Massachusetts Republicans in the upper branch of Congress will be given temorrow night by Senator Henry Ca-bot Ledge, in an address in Symphony Hall to those members of the Legislature who favor his re-election for a

The friends of Senator Lodge assert his address will be the effort of his life. All agree that the senior Senator has reached the crisis in his political

The address comes on the eve of the convening of the Legislature, which two weeks from tomorrow will vote on the Senatorship.

While Senator Lodge is addressing the majority of the Republican members of the Legislature, the Democrats of the House will hold a caucus in the statehouse for the purpose of selecting a candidate for Speaker, and perhaps to plan a legislative campaign that may include the Senatorship.

OPENING SESSION IS LONG

California Legislature Crams Sever-

al Days' Business Into One. SACRAMENTO, Jan. 2 .- The Thirtyninth Legislature of the State of Calffornia began its sessions here today with a rush that augured well for an active session. Work frequently extended by legislative bodies over two days or more was jammed into the confines of this legal holiday.

Two sessions were held, and although at dinner-time tonight, organization in both houses had been effected and Governor Gillett's final message ceived, the legislators plunged into committee appointments, patronage distribution, and the United States Senatorship election muddle with a real which promised to last until the

In keeping with the hurry-up aspect of affairs, the inauguration ceremon-ies intended for Wednesday were set forward to tomorrow night.

DEMOCRATS TO HOLD CAUCUS

Colorado General Assembly Will Begin Session Wednesday.

DENVER, Jan. 2-Tomorrow evening at 7:00 o'clock Democratic members of the lower house of the General Assembly will caucus to agree upon a Speaker and other officers, as well as to parcel out patronage. At the same hour Democratic members of the Senate will meet to select a President pro tem.

The Assembly convenes for the 18th general session on Wednesday at noon. On Thursday the Legislature will meet in joint session to canvass the vote for state

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Maine Will Elect Democrat

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 2.-The Democratic Legislature, which convenes this afternoon, will have the distinction of beginning its deliberation in a statehouse remodeled and enlarged at a cost DEMOCRAT INAUGURATED GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK AND HIS WIFE.



ABOVE, SNAPSHOT OF JOHN A. DIX -BELOW, PORTRAIT OF GOVERNOR DIX AND SNAPSHOT OF MRS. DIX.

urated at Boise.

LEGISLATURE IS CONVENED

Eleventh Session of Lawmaking

Body Opens Amid Cheers-C. H. Storey Is House Speaker;

James Wallis Chief Clerk.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 2.-(Special.)-Amid

initial joint session of the Eleventh Idaho Legislature, James H. Hawley (Dem.), eighth Governor of the State of Idaho, was inaugurated with the simplest of ceremonies today, the oath of office being

administered by Chief Justice Stewart, of the Supreme Court of the state in the hall of the House of Representatives.

The state officials-elect accompanied

by the outgoing state officials and beaded by ex-Governor Brady and Governor Hawley, marched into the House at 11

o'clock this morning and were greeted by thunderous applause. Without cere-mony Chief Justice Stewart mounted to the Speaker's chair and administered the

The 11th Legislature went into initial

Perfect organization of both the ma-

jority and minority wings of the Senate, with Senator Gooding, President pro-tem, and Republican whip, and Ravenal Mac-Beth, chosen leaders of the minority, marked the opening of the Senate when Lieutenant-Governor Sweeteer dropped

the gavel.

There was a note of sorrow apparent in the Senate, because of the unfortunate

death of the daughter of John Hart, ex-Senator of Fremont County, due to a runaway, and the death of the son of

Senator Pugmyer, of Bear Lake. Resolu-tions of condolences expressing the deep sorrow of the Senate were forwarded

the bereaved Senators.

The House organized by carrying out the Republican caucus pledge and electing

Charles D. Storey, of Boise, Speaker, and James H. Wallis, chief clerk. Storey's election scouted the report that the Republican caucus would boit and refuse him support on the grounds that his selection was made possible by the liquor

TRAIN COLLISION KILLS SIX

Four Passengers, Two Trainmer

Meet Death in Kentucky.

ASHLAND, Ky., Jan. 2.—Six persons were killed in a wreck on Miller Creek Raliroad, near Van Lear, a few miles from Paintsville, Ky., last night.

Of the victims four were passengers and the other trainmen. The latter were different the pilot of a locomotive.

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of croup and prevent all danger and cause of anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by all deal-

of \$350,000 by the last Republican Legislature. This is the first Maine Legislature to be Democratic in both branches since that of 1847, which chose James W. Bradbury United States Sen-ator. A Democratic caucus for the se-lection of a successor to United States Senator Eugene Hale, has been called for next Wednesday evening. Idaho's New Governor Inaug-

SPALDING WRITES TO SOLONS

He Opposes Candidacy of Works for Senator From California.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 2.-A. G. Spaiding the millionaire manufacturer, who claims the advisory vote for United States Senator to succeed Frank J. Flint, under the direct primary law, to-day issued a circular letter to members of the Legislature, opposing the candidacy of John D. Works, of Los Angeles, who is backed by the incoming admin-istration. He says, in part:

istration. He says, in part:
"It is not my intention to visit Sacramento during balloting for United
States Senator because I have no reason
to question the integrity of members to question the integrity of members of the Legislature, who are instructed to vote for me, and I have no hesitation in stating that I do not believe one legally elected as a candidate for the United States Senatorship at the primaries should be expected to be present at a session of the Legislature where his own indorsement by the people un-der the law is up for ratification by

West Virginia Fight Five-Cornered.

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 2.- The con-WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 2.—The contest among Democrats for the seat now held in the United States Senate by Nathan B. Scott, Republican, is now considered as five-cornered, with the enrollmen of John J. Cornwall, of Hampshire County, this week, as a receptive candidate. The contest, however, appeared to be between Clarence Watson, the Fairmont coal operator, and John T. McGraw, of Grafton. The Legislature meets on January 11, and the Senatorial election is slated for January 24.

Carey Not Out for Senator.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 2.—Joseph M. Carey, elected on the Democratic ticket to succeed Governor B. B. Brooks was inaugurated Governor of Wyom-ing at noon today. Intense cold made necessary the abandonment of ceremonies arranged to take place in the open air. In his inaugural address Carey indicated he was not a candi-date for United States Senator.

Ohio to Fill Dick's Seat.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 2.—Chief interest in the seasion of Ohio General Assembly, which convenes today, rests in the election of a United States Senator to succeed Charles Dick. The new Sen-ator will be a Democrat. The two leading candidates are Atlee Pomerene, of Canton, and D. E. W. Hanley, of Dayton, although there are upwards of a dozen receptive candidates.

Oddie Takes Office in Nevada.

RENO, Nev., Jan. 2-Tasker L. Oddie was inaugurated Governor of Nevada at Carson City today. He is the first Re-publican to occupy the position since the early 20s. Governor Oddle announced the appointment of L. F. Adamson, of Goldfield, as State License and Bullion Tax Collector, and C. A. Norcross, of Reno. and the other trainmen. The latter were riding on the pilot of a locomotive.

The accident was caused by a collision between a locomotive and three coal cars of a mixed train which broke away while the accommodation was coming down the branch line to connect with the Chesapeake & Ohio passenger train at Van Lear. On the return trip the mixed train collided with these cars.

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Dr. Hull Also Released From Charge of Murder.

STATE'S WITNESS FAILS

Judge Denies Continuance Asked by Prosecution Because Poison Expert's Inability to Be Present, So Case Dropped.

LANCASTER. Mo., Jan. 2.—Mrs. Alma H. Vaughn and Dr. James R. Hull, ac-cused of the murder of Professor John T. Vaughn nearly a year ago, today were freed of the charges against them

in the Circuit Court here.

Their cases were nolle prossed by Prosecuting Attorney Reiger, of Adair County, after Judge Shelton had refused to grant the further continuance asked

by the state. The announcement was greeted with applause by the friends of Mrs. Vaughn and Dr. Hull, who crowded the courtroom. The widow appeared unconcerned when she understood that she was no longer

Polson Expert Absent.

The inability of Dr. Paul Schweitser, of the State University, the prosecution's poison expert to be present, was the reason for the reuest for a continuance. Prosecutor Delger introduced affidavits to Prosecutor Deiger introduced affidavits to this effect, and Dr. E. B. Clements, of Macon, who was a member of the medical commission appointed in November to examine Dr. Schweitser, testified that in his judgment the expert never would be in condition to take the stand.

In refusing the continuance, Judge Shel. In refusing the continuance, Judge Shelton said he believed Dr. Schweitser, who is more than 80 years old, never would be able to appear in court. Reiger's term as prosecutor expired today and it is likely that nothing more will be done in

Vaughn's Death Sudden.

Mrs. Vaughn was accompanied to the courtroom by her mother, her sister, Mrs. James Johnson, and Mrs. Alice Blodgett, of St. Louis.

Professor Vaughn died in Kirksville, Mo., suddenly, on October 14, 1909, after an interesting career as an educator.

In December of the same year, a number of his friends obtained an investigation and in January, 1910, his body was exhumed. Then followed a bitter legal fight made by the widow upon Dr. Schweitser's report that he had found strychnine in the deceased educator's stomach. Indictments were returned by a grand jury at Kirksville, a few days a grand jury at Kirksville, a few days later and the case was brought to Lan-caster on a change of venue.

IOWA CUTS EXPRESS RATES

Commission Says Companies Make Unconscionable Profit.

DES MOINES, Jan. 2.—The Iowa Railroad Commission ordered today a reduction of from 5 to 20 cents per 100 pounds in maximum express rates for interstate shipments by the Adams, American, Great Northern, Pacific, American, Great Northern, Pacific, United States and Wells Fargo Express night by slashing his throat with a ra-in the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church:

The Commission holds that the ex-

S TART the new year out right this morning by giving our big Pure Food Grocery a chance at supplying your peeds. Visit this big production of the control of the chance at supplying your peeds. a chance at supplying your needs. Visit this big, modern, ever-helpful Grocery Store, where high qualities, large assortments and prompt service go hand-inhand with lowest possible prices. Our great January Sale of Pure Food Groceries starts this morning with hundreds of items at splendid savings. Read every one.

Butternut Butter Victor Catsup, 20c Bottle, at 17e Victor Guaranteed Flour, barrel, We've built up an enormous \$5.37; 49-lb. bag, now \$1.42 Fancy Large Ripe Olives, qt., 60¢ business on this famous Butter-Choice Ripe Olives, quart at 35¢ nut Butter. Made of pure pas-Fancy Queen Olives, quart at 50¢ Oregon Italian Prunes, steamteurized cream. Fresh every day. This sale, 2-lb. 71c cured: 25-pound box at \$2.65: 2 pounds 25c pound, now at 15c Fancy Italian Prunes, box, 95¢ Fancy French Prunes, box, 95¢

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Frou Frou, imported cakes, 50¢ Huntley & Palmer's Breakfast Biscuits, on sale, the pound 50¢ Dr. Johnson's Toasterettes, 25¢ Dr. Johnson's Educator Biscuits, come in 1 and 2-pound boxes.

Specials in Hams

Small Smoked Hams, hickory smoked and sugar cured, 181/2¢ Medium Sized Hams, hickory smoked and sugar cured, 161/2¢ Small Calirnia Picnic Hams, mild sugar-cured shoulders, lb., 14¢

Olive Oil, Etc.

Lucca Olive Oil, Cross & Blackwell's, on sale now, bottle, 75¢ Lea & Perrin's Worcester Sauce, on sale now, the bottle, only 25¢ Touranedas Kitchen Bouquet 25¢ Hazard's Burnt Onion Sauce 25¢

Baker's Cocoa, 1/2-pound at 20¢ Baker's Premium Chocolate, 1/2pound box, now on sale at 20¢ Huyler's Cocoa, 1/2-lb. box, at 23¢

Figs and Fancy Fruits

Cresca Pulled Figs, 25¢-50¢ Cresca Preserved Figs, now on sale, the jar, at only 35¢-65¢ Cresca Stuffed Figs and Dates, now on sale, the jar, only 60¢ Large Fancy Florida Grape Fruit, \$3.50 the box; three for 25¢ Imported French Prunes, \$1.15 Cresca Pot-Pourri jar. 30c-45c Imported Weisbaden Fruits, now on sale, the jar, at only \$1.25 Fancy New Walnuts, 5 pounds, \$1,15; the pound at only 22¢ New Hickory Nuts, pound, 176 New Black Walnuts, pound, 10¢ Small White Beans, 100-pound bag \$4.50; six pounds at only 29¢

The Bakery

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press companies doing business in Iowa Judge Adams was chairman of the Reare taking "an excessive and uncon-scionable profit." It holds that 80 per-cent of the sum of local charges of express companies is a fair and reason-able charge for a joint rate and that after March 30 such shall be the basis of joint rates in Jowa

Vicot Pickles, 25c bottle, at 21¢ Victor Pickles, 15c bottle, at 12¢

Fancy Evaporated Apples, 12¢ Japan Style Rice, 100-lbs., \$4.40

6 pounds now on sale at only 27¢

Fancy Evap. Cherries, pound, 12¢

Fancy Evap. Peaches, pound, 10¢

Fancy Evap. Apricots, pound 18¢

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The Commission holds there are many discriminations in the express many discriminations in business. The decision follows complaints by Attorney-General Byers, the Iowa Manufacturers' Association and E. B. Higley, a Northwestern Iowa

Ex-Judge Attempts Suicide.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Jan. 2.—Ex-Judge Spencer B. Adams, of Greensboro, N. C., attempted to commit suicide here last

publican State Committee for several years and was at one time a member of the Indian Claims Commission of Okla-homa. His health has been bad for several years.

JOHN D. GIVES AWAY ADVICE

Oil King Says Use Mistake as Foundation for Success.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2-"Forget your mistakes and failures of the old year and start the new year anew."

This was the New Year's counsel of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., to his Bible class

begin 1911 with hope and courage. The beautiful prayer of the Episcopal Church says we are all miserable sinners, but let us ask for forgiveness and forget when we have once recognized our sins, them. I can see no good in citting in sackcloth and ashes and brooding over

"As for our failures, let us turn them

into the foundation for our success. The dividing line between failure and sucees may often be simply the width of a "Have a definite purpose and stick to it.

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