

OIL TRUST SEVERS LAST BINDING TIES

Public Gets Competition, but
Effect on Prices Is for
Future to Tell.

STOCK TO BE SCATTERED

Large Number of Men Connected
With New York Offices Will Be
Transferred—Final Change
Takes Place Today.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The career of the oil trust officially came to an end today. The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey will no longer control the affairs, as the holding company, of more than 30 corporations in various branches of the oil business. Beginning tomorrow, those subsidiaries which under the decree of the United States Supreme Court must conduct independently the various enterprises, will assume entire management of their own affairs.

The oil trust theoretically passed out of existence on August 31, when the stock transfer books were closed, but in the intervening period of readjustment it was necessary to preserve the old form to a large extent. Now the work of disintegration has been completed. The stock issues representing the subsidiaries will pass into the hands of owners of old Standard Oil stock tomorrow, and the threads that have long been under the old companies together will be severed.

Subsidiaries Are Preserved. The task of effecting dissolution was made less difficult by the fact that the subsidiary companies never had lost their identity. They retained their separate officers and boards of directors, and to a large extent conducted their own affairs from their home offices, in whatever states they were.

These companies, however, have had representation at 26 Broadway, the home of the New Jersey corporation, which acquired general direction over all their affairs. It is this connection which will end. Subsidiaries that have not already surrendered their offices at 26 Broadway will do so, and henceforth the affairs of each company will be conducted in its home state. The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey will continue to exist, as it owns several large plants.

Stock to Be Divided. To each stockholder will be forwarded tomorrow his proportionate share of stock in each of the subsidiaries, so that in place of one issue of stock he will have more than 30. The subsidiaries will continue to exist as heretofore, except that in cases where the same men have acted as officers or directors of more than one company changes will be made to avoid such duplication.

In the removal of officials of subsidiaries who have had their offices at 26 Broadway, a large number of men who for years have lived in New York will be affected. Scores of officials and clerks will be transferred to other cities.

The public's relations with Standard Oil will not be visibly affected, at least for the present. No one is able to forecast the ultimate effect of dissolution; whether it will have any bearing upon retail prices, or upon the relation of the companies to the Standard Oil group with independent producers. Increased competition is expected, but the public will be obliged to bide its time before finding out whether it is to have cheaper oil.

STEAMER WRECKED; 2 DEAD
One Man Still Alive on Lake Vessel
Fast Going to Pieces.

RUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 30.—The steamer Raleigh, Captain Beauvais, of Cleveland, was wrecked today, about five miles east of Port Colborne today and is reported to be rapidly going to pieces. Two members of the crew, Mr. and Mrs. Wise, the latter the steamer's cook, were drowned, and William Prichard, the engineer, is still on board the wreck. All are from Cleveland.

The Raleigh left Port Colborne last night with a cargo of pulpwood for Erie, Pa. There was a high wind and a heavy sea when the steamer put out from the Canadian shore, and conditions grew worse during the night. Early this morning the steamer's steering gear became disabled. Both anchors were lowered, but they failed to hold on the narrow bottom and the Raleigh was carried toward Point Albino by the stiff northwest wind.

Captain Beauvais and his crew fought desperately to keep the disabled steamer in midlake, but when the boiler-room became flooded they were helpless. At dawn the vessel crashed on the rocks.

Nine members of the crew of 12 succeeded in getting ashore.

EMBEZZLEMENT IS CHARGE
Assistant Postmaster at Cordova Is
Sent to Jail Under Bond.

CORDOVA, Alaska, Nov. 30.—John W. Foulkes, assistant postmaster under ex-Postmaster Joseph F. Dizer, was given a preliminary hearing today on a charge of embezzling \$4000 of postoffice funds and was bound over to the grand jury under \$6000 bonds. Pending the securing of bonds Foulkes was remanded to jail.

Postoffice Inspector Smith testified at the hearing that a shortage of \$4000 was not discovered by the inspectors when they examined the Cordova office, because of false reports. Foulkes denies taking the money, but said that he felt responsible when he discovered the shortage and endeavored to induce relatives in Canada to make good the amount.

Foulkes was arrested November 7, when the steamship Alameda, on which he was bound for Cordova to Seattle, put in at Ketchikan.

SIX YOUNG WOMEN SHOT
Farmer Trying to Bring Down Rabbit Rakes Front Porch.

McLOUTH, Kan., Nov. 30.—While hunting rabbits on his farm near here, John Clemm accidentally shot six young women who were standing on the front porch of his home. A rabbit ran around the house and Clemm fired at it with a shotgun. He missed the rabbit but the shot struck the women, all of whom were wounded in the legs.

SCENES OF CEREMONY AT ROME, POPE AND THREE NEW CARDINALS.



ABOVE, ST. PETER'S AND VIEW OF VATICAN—BELOW, LEFT, POPE PIUS X—CENTER, ABOVE, CARDINAL FARLEY—BELOW, CARDINAL O'CONNELL; RIGHT, CARDINAL FALCONIO.

CLIMAX IS REACHED

Pope Bestows Red Hats in
Final Ceremony.

BELLO CHOSEN IN SECRET

Added Honor Falls Upon Patriarch
of Lisbon—Pope Appears as
Sainted Vision to Reverent
Company of 3000.

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ing of awe fell upon all and some bent in reverence before the church's pontiff. Tears came to the eyes of many.

The ceremonies proceeded without delay and soon the Pope sent 11 cardinals to bring him the 15 new ones. Cardinal Falconio passed up with the same dignity that has impressed all during this week's ceremony. Then came Cardinal Farley, with his hands clasped together, truly saintly and in princely attire. Finally came Cardinal O'Connell.

After the various rites, the Pope gave the papal blessing to all, and descending slowly from the throne again took his place in the chair. The procession then passed out between the kneeling masses which lined the way, to his private apartments.

Lisbon Patriarch Named in Secret. Speculation has been rife regarding the name of the secretly appointed cardinal. The names most commonly put forward are Monsignor Giustini, secretary of the Congregation of the Sacraments; Monsignor Della Chiesa, archbishop of Bologna; and Monsignor Frutkin, the nuncio in Bavaria. All these rumors are without foundation, the real nominee being Monsignor Bello, the patriarch of Lisbon.

After the Pontiff had been conveyed to his apartments, the new cardinals formed a little procession of their own, proceeded to the Sistina Chapel to turn thanks for the honor accorded to them. There the Pontifical singers intoned the Ambrosian hymn, after which the dean of the cardinals recited the prayer of thanksgiving for the new creations, and on leaving the chapel all the new cardinals were embraced by their colleagues.

Titular Churches Assigned. Then all the cardinals joined the Pope in the Hall of the Consistory for a supplementary secret consistory, presided over by the head of the church, when he granted to the new cardinals the privilege of participating in and speaking at meetings of the congregations, placed the cardinal's ring on the finger of each and assigned to each the charge of a titular church in Rome.

The ring given by the Pope to each of the new cardinals is simple, consisting of a sapphire without other stones, set solidly in gold in such a way as to allow the Papal coat of arms to be engraved on the back. It is furnished by the Congregation of Propaganda,

which has had this privilege since the time of Pius VII.

The titular churches assigned to the new cardinals are for the purpose of having them with clergy to carry out religious ceremonies while they are in Rome and thus avoiding the necessity of bringing their large suites of ecclesiastics with them from abroad. The church allotted to Cardinal Falconio is the Church of Santa Maria Sopra Minerva and that of Cardinal O'Connell the Church of San Clemente.

Oath of Obedience Taken. The churches once formed little independent dioceses, which were ruled and administered according to the will of the titular cardinal, but now the cardinals possess only a kind of protectorate over their titular churches and the clergy attached to them.

Before the consistory all the new cardinals took the oath of fidelity and obedience to the Pope and to the church. Cardinal Farley pronounced the words of the oath in earnest manner and solemn tone. Cardinal O'Connell repeated it in an energetic and firm voice with a pure Roman accent.

Mrs. Flanagan, of Boston, gave a Thanksgiving dinner in the dining hall of the Quirinal Hotel for Cardinal O'Connell. Here the scheme of decoration included the American and Papal colors and red carnations. The orchestra played patriotic airs, enthusiastic speeches were made and toasts drunk to the new princes of the church.

Pope Pius has appointed Cardinal Farley a member of the consistorial and propaganda congregations. Cardinal O'Connell to the congregations of rites and studies and Cardinal Falconio to the congregations of propaganda and religion.

When the Pope made his appearance in the sedia gestatoria, he seemed to be suffering from fatigue. Some of those present suggested that this, perhaps, was partly caused by the motion of the sedia, it being known that when he was elected he had experienced some discomfort while being carried in the chair in the procession.

SUFFRAGE SPLITS HARVARD

Men's Pro-Pankhurst Party Promises to Involve Faculty.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 30.—The refusal of the Harvard corporation to allow Mrs. Pankhurst to address the students in a college building has caused a stir in undergraduate circles. The body of students is splitting into two camps, suffragists and anti-suffragists, and influential alumni are being asked to take a hand in the controversy.

A petition has been started praying the corporation to reverse its judgment and the "pro-Pankhurst" party is enrolling itself under the banner of an organization known as the Harvard Men's Equal Suffrage League, of which William T. Fisher, a junior from Chicago, is president.

ITALIANS BURIED ALIVE

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Interior of the city, the body of an Italian gunner was found with many dagger wounds. The murderers were many and among them there was a local policeman, who is now under arrest. From other sources it is reported that the murder was committed by the aforesaid policeman (Zapite) with the passive assistance of others, who concealed the crime.

The dispatch also confirms the withdrawal of the Italian troops from Horni. This, it is said, was necessary because the Turks had polluted the wells.

RIPLEY IS FRANK

Santa Fe Chief Throws Cold
Water on Los Angeles.

FACTORY HOPES DIMMED

Railroad President Says City's Hope
of Great Trade With Orient Is
Like Bubble—Pretty but
Nothing in It.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—E. F. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe system, can see no future for Los Angeles as a manufacturing or great commercial center. Its possibilities are great, he declared today, but not as far as building up a large harbor commerce is concerned. It was a blow to Los Angeles' conceits.

"I see no smoke on the horizon," he said, "and I take it that means there is never to be much manufacturing in this neighborhood."

"We might as well take the worst first and get it out of the way, so let me say that as I glanced down toward San Pedro I did not view a second New York. This talk about trade with the Orient is quite inspiring, but I'm afraid it's like a bubble, beautiful in the sunlight but nothing in it."

"The fact remains that with a few exceptions, the Orient has got nothing we want and we have little that the Orient wants. Under such conditions, how is a vast freight commerce to be built up? There is not a steamship company in the Oriental business that is making a cent of money. Of course, there must be a reason. The reason lies in the fact that there is not the business to be moved."

"After the completion of the canal you may find some things in Europe that you want and Europe may find some things here that she wants. There, then, is room for some business, but its scope is exceedingly limited."

TAFT QUALIFIES SPEECH

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opening of your campaign for re-election."

"Certainly, as is the case with all Administrations. Much of what I have done since I have been in office has had some political color put upon it by those who were inclined to be critical. The truth is, however, that political considerations have not weighed heavily with me. I have tried to do in each case what seemed

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New Town Grows.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The little town of East Side, which was incorporated a few years ago, shows such a big increase in population according to the school census

that it will vote a bond issue of \$9500 to raise funds for a new school. The school census shows an increase of 132 pupils, or 25 per cent. The figures for Marshfield show a school population of 804, compared to 782 last year, an increase of 24.

WINTER BRINGS SUFFERING

Salvation Army Finds Demands on Charity Increasing.

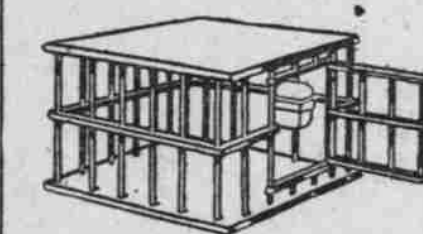
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The National organization of the Salvation Army, which has been gathering reports from

its charity relief officials in all parts of the United States, announces that the approaching winter will be a period of great suffering for the very poor people, especially in the larger cities.

More than ever before, the high and rising cost of food-stuffs, clothing, fuel and shelter and the sickness of operations in many of the big industries are causing the poor to look toward the winter with apprehension.

The demands for charity relief this year, according to Salvation Army officials, will be 15 per cent greater than a year ago.

A Munich medical journal reports great success in treating pneumonia cases with camphor. Camphorated oil is injected under the skin, and so far every case has been cured.



Andy Toth

ANDY TOTH was sentenced to imprisonment for life on a false charge of murder, which was found out to be false only after he had served twenty years of his sentence. When you read Andy Toth's story, as told by Madge C. Jensen, you will not know which is the most heartbreaking—when he released the little bird that was the companion of his solitude, because he could not bear to think of it as a prisoner, or, when after being out of prison for two or three months, he went to the keeper and asked to be taken back.

This is one of those pages from life where a fact is not only stranger but more dramatic and more intense than fiction.

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Capital Punishment

is a serious affair, from the editorials we have been reading. We infer a man might be pardoned if he slaughtered hardware prices, and we have run the risk. The clean-up sale of the Colman Hardware stock has the floor with us and it makes an eloquent speech on reduced hardware prices. None such prevail in town today, and we invite your attention to our capital punishment of high hardware prices. Look over these:

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Pair Bird Carvers, silver plated.....	2.50	Jobbers' Drill Sets, Withen's Drills.....	2.50
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