

WILSON ACCEPTS STUDENTS' ESCORT

More Than Thousand Tigers to Attend Governor on Journey to Washington.

13 FIGURES TWICE MORE

Each of Special Trains Will Consist of Cars to Number Which President-elect Has Come to Regard as Lucky.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Woodrow Wilson accepted today the offer of the students of Princeton University to escort him from his home in Princeton to the White House on the day he is inaugurated.

Just a century ago Princeton gave its last President to the Nation—James Madison. The centenary will be celebrated in a unique programme, to which Mr. Wilson gave his consent today.

The Princeton youths will charter two special trains, of 12 cars each, on March 3. One car will be put at the disposal of the President-elect and his family and accompanying newspaper men.

The students, more than 1900 strong, will take Mr. Wilson direct to his hotel on arrival at Washington, and will attend the smoker given that night by the Princeton Alumni Association.

Arrangement is Pending. "I will be delighted. That will be fine," exclaimed Mr. Wilson enthusiastically when the plans of the students were explained to him.

Mr. Wilson came to New York for his usual week-end of diversion from official activity. He attended a private dinner of the Round Table Club, of which he is a member.

Cabinet Choice Not Circumvented. The Governor intimated today while on his way to Washington that he might not limit himself, in choosing his Cabinet, to the names that had been suggested to him.

"There is absolutely no justification for that inference," declared Wilson. "I could not call the names which have been suggested for other portfolios, either."

The Round Table Club, whose dinner Mr. Wilson attended tonight, has been in existence for more than 50 years but Professor Brander Matthews, one of its members, said tonight that not a line had ever appeared in print about it.

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC GAINS

All Departments Show Increase as Compared With Year Ago.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Southern Pacific December earnings were:

Table with 2 columns: 1912, 1911. Rows include Average mileage, December gross, December net, Taxes, Operating increase, Six months gross, Six months net, Taxes, Operating increase.

Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman of the Southern Pacific said today that no agreement had been reached in the dissolution of the Union and Southern Pacific roads.

The Gould railroad officials denied absolutely that there was any truth in reports that the Hill and Gould interests had made an agreement whereby the former would secure an entrance into San Francisco and the latter access to Northern coast points.

TAFT GIVES LAST DINNER

President Is Host to Leaders in Congress at Farewell Function.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The President and Mrs. Taft gave the last set dinner of their four years in the White House tonight, in honor of Speaker Clark. More than two score Senators and members of the House, including most of the leading figures on the Republican and Democratic sides in both houses, were invited to break bread with the President.

ACTRESS GETS DECREE AGAINST AUTHOR HUSBAND WITHOUT GIVING ANY NAMES.



FRITZI SCHEFF.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Jan. 31.—Papers granting an interlocutory decree of divorce to Miss Fritzi Scheff, the actress, from her husband, John Fox, Jr., the author, were filed with the County Clerk here today.

The divorce was granted without the names of the parties being mentioned in the case. The decree was granted by Judge Van Brunt.

LAND QUESTION UP

Lloyd George Revives Issue of Rural Tenantry.

CABINET HAS BIG TASK

Chancellor's Announcement That Government Will Grapple With Problem Regarded as Momentous in Britain.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—"The foremost task of Liberalism in the near future is the regeneration of rural life—the emancipation of the land of this country from the paralyzing grip of a rusty, sterile and unprofitable system."

David Lloyd-George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, made this momentous declaration tonight at the annual meeting of the National Liberal Club.

The official commission Mr. Lloyd-George selected to investigate the relations between landlords and tenants has been attacked bitterly by the Conservative party, which is the party of the country gentry.

Speaking of the agricultural laborers, the Chancellor said: "When these reports are published they will prove conclusively that there are hundreds of thousands of men, women and children living under conditions with regard to wages, housing and the rest of labor conditions, which ought to make this great empire hang its head with shame."

Mr. Lloyd-George also denounced what he called the land monopoly of towns.

DIRECT ELECTION BEATEN

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"No, we are not afraid of a despot," retorted Senator Williams, "neither was any other nation that ever existed until after they had got him."

The debate today centered about the declaration by Senator Williams, Democrat, that unless such amendments were adopted as to make Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson eligible for another term, the friends of Roosevelt and others might oppose ratification of the constitutional amendment by the states.

"Whatever might be the motives of those who oppose the amendment," Senator Williams said, "they would be able to say to the people: 'They are after one man's scalp; he received more than 2,000,000 votes of the American people and now they are trying to make him ineligible.'"

Hitecock Limitation Defeated. Republican and Democratic Senators who urged that Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson all be made eligible for one more elective term met the opposition of the Progressives and of some of their own party members.

prohibition were made it should apply to all men equally.

The amendment by Senator Hitchcock to make the proposed restriction apply only to persons who have "held the office by election after March 4, 1917, or discharged its duties for two years or more," after that time, were defeated, 32 to 27.

The success of Napoleon and Caesar in establishing dictatorships gave the Senate a busy half hour of debate, Senator Williams insisting that the United States might confront such a situation in the future unless the extent of a President's service were limited.

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STOCK EXCHANGE FEARS DISASTER

Sulzer Told Present Disciplinary Methods Should Not Be Disturbed.

RESORT TO COURT TEDIOUS

When Member Is Suspended Under Present Rules His Vocation Is Gone—Incorporation Would Make Things Different.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 21.—The New York Stock Exchange put itself on record today as opposed to incorporation, and as against the enactment of a maximum rate of interest on call loans.

John G. Milburn, counsel for the Exchange, declared that the incorporation of the Stock Exchange would be fraught with disaster, and would seriously interfere with its disciplinary powers.

He pointed out that the Exchange is a voluntary organization, and its members are bound by its disciplinary powers. "Its punishments are tremendously effective now," he said.

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BIG OIL COMBINE MADE

CONTRACT SIGNED FOR CALIFORNIA PROPERTIES. Principals in Buying Concern Are Veiled, but Are Said to Be Strong Financially.

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OFFICIALS SHUN TASK

WAR DEPARTMENT DOES NOT WANT TO MANAGE HOME. Jones of Washington, However, Will Press Bill for New Deal at Santa Monica.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—No time will be lost in calling up in the Senate the report of the subcommittee of the Senate military affairs committee in its investigation of the Pacific branch of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers at Santa Monica.

GREAT TRADE INDICATED

(Continued From First Page.) chants' Exchange records show the total number of cars received last month to have been 1873, as against 1618 cars delivered in January, 1912.

The growth of the livestock trade of Portland is clearly shown by the great increase in the number of head of stock received in the past month. A total of 45,549 head of all kinds was handled in January, which is an increase of 21,319 head over the receipts of the same month last year.

Gain in Hog Run Big. The greatest gain was in the hog run. With receipts of 21,952 head of swine, all monthly records for this department were broken. In spite of the heavy marketing, hog prices at the stockyards have held remarkably steady.

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Santa Monica, filed with the Senate by Senator Jones, of Washington. The report, together with the bill taking the management away from the National board of managers in New York City and giving it to the War Department, is now on the Senate calendar.

Senator Jones said today he intended to call it up at the first opportunity and Senator Works, author of the resolution which resulted in disclosing the conditions at Santa Monica, is also ready to hasten consideration.

It developed today that the War Department does not want to take over the management of the home and opposition to the bill will be backed by War Department influences. Department officials say they have enough to do running the military without bothering with homes for volunteer soldiers.

Because of this opposition and the fact that the inmates of many of the other homes for disabled volunteer soldiers throughout the country do not wish the management to change, the military affairs committee will make no effort toward putting any of these homes under the War Department except the Santa Monica institution.

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