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Prominent Writer Denounces Lawson.

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Raid on Stocks Said to Be Part of Conspiracy

PLANNED IN WALL STREET

C. W. Barron Goes On to Say Lawson Led His Own Lambs to Slaughter, and Was Part of "System" He Assails in Print.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) -Clarence W. Barron, the foremost financial writer in America, late today published a bitter denunciation and alleged exposure of the Lawson-Gates alleged secret alliance with the Standard Oil-Amaigamated Copper Insurance Combine which Lawson has termed "the system."

Barron declares that Lawson's great raid upon the market this week with Amaigamated Copper as a club to knock out weak holders of securities was part of great Wall street conspiracy, by means of which Lawson and his backers plundered the investors of the country out of millions of dollars. Mr. Barron flatly accuses Lawson of being an integral part of the "system" which the latter "affects to expose, but carefully conceals." He asserts that Lawson led his own enormous following gained by masterful publicity to slaughter by his four-column "warning" published as an advertisement throughout the country this week. Mr. Barron dates the stock manipulation of the week back to Lawson's Thanksgiving proclamation by means of which Lawson tested the market by creating a slight flurry the day This was assigned to enable the ring to take the measure of the lambs.

Then," says Barron, "the faker's bell was rung and the brokers' offices filled up. logical moment of the publication of the President's message the mine was prung. By Jaggling with Roosevelt's peculators, weak traders and small holders until they dropped everything and ran. The market had been measured up and okers' holdings tabulated through the banks and trust companies. Then Lawson was put forward to lead the lambs to slaughter. It was a killing, and it was blocks.

"Lawson exposed to view the highest art of the manipulating tipster during the days of his slaughter of his followers in Amalgamated. The mine under Amalgamated has been honeycombed with stop-loss orders, placed there by Lawson himself or his associates, who have told many brokers to sell on "stop" 5000 shares whenever a certain point in depression had been reached, and also to make excutions of other orders at certain times. These orders acted as battering rams in the market, multiplying in force as they came pounding one upon another, while Lawson fiddled upon the telegraph wires all over the country, yelling that his Amalgamated Rome was burning, but that he had nothing to do with applying the torch. He was Nero and fiddler and fireman and incendiary. And shame to tell it, he was only a part of a great Wall street conspiracy. Lawson in his operations was part of the great 'system' which he has been denouncing in his newspaper and magazine articles. But the end is not yet. It approaches.'

#### ENEMIES IN WAR FAST FRIENDS Kuropatkin and Japanese Minister of War Gave Each Other Swords.

TOKIO, Nov. 8 .- (Correspondence of the Associated Press.)-An interesting story of the great struggle at arms between Japan and Russia lies in a longfriendship between General Terauchi, Minister of War of Japan, and General Kuropat-kin, Commander-in-Chief of the Russian armies in Manchuria, and an exchange of swords as presents between them on the eve of war. Kuropatkin and Terauchi met in Paris 20 years ago. Terauchi, then a Major, was mili-tary attache to the Japanese Legation in the French capital, and Kuropatkin. France to observe the military man-The two soldiers met first icially and there soon sprang up beween them a feeling of warm friendship and regard. They parted in Paris and did not meet until Kuropatkin came to Japan last year. The lapse of years had brought increased rank and Cabinet portfolios to both, and their reunion was an interesting one. Events were then moving rapidly toward war, but the rupture had not come, and the two Ministers met as friends and freely enjoyed the reun-When Kuropatkin was about to Japan for home Terauchi preented to him a Japanese sword with a blade of the finest workmanship and ar Silver to the blest workmanship and an interesting history. When he reached St. Petersburg, Kurupatkin gave an order for the manufacture of a Russian sword for his friend, Terauchi, It was

on Port Arthur.

A somewhat peculiar thing about the Russian sword is that it reached Tokio with the blade keenly sharpened, a custem followed by officers as a rule only in time of war, and among the few who knew of the existence of the

finished and dispatched in December

reck before Togo's guns opened fire

and reached the Japanese capital

bard in which it rests is tipped with gold. Despite the gulf that divides the two peoples, despite the fact that their soldiers and skill are pitted in a gigantic struggle. Terauchl speaks fondly and spectfully of his old soldier friend. Indeed throughout all longer friend. Indeed, throughout all Japan Kuropatkin is held in distinct respec by the people at large, many of whom believe if he had been at home in Rus-sia last year the men who made the war would never have gained the as-

#### PLACED ON THE GRIDIRON.

Noted Club of This Name Has Fun at Expense of Prominent Men.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 .- The first dinr of the Gridiron Club for the seaso was given at the Arlington Hotel tonight and the beautifully decorated dining-room rang with merriment for more than four hours greatly to the delight of the 200 persons present. The recent election af-forded the famous club of Washington correspondents an opportunity to make mirth at the expense of both the successful and the defeated parties, prominent representatives of both being present to enjoy the quips and burlesque which were presented with gridiron humor and pleasantry. Cabinet officers, Senators and Representatives and other diplomatic officers were there to be put on the gridiron, and also to appreciate the clever schemes which had been concocted for their especial benefit.

An attempt to recognize the Democratic party, in which Cleveland, Bryan, Watson, Debs, Davis, Taggart and others were personated by members of the club, and into which a fortune-teller, full of wit and allve to the general situation injected himself, made the bit of the acceptor. himself, made the hit of the evening.

The dead-letter office, to which a member of the club had recently been appointed chief, was opened, and some curious and unheard-of letters relating to

prominent guests were unearthed. The musicale feature was one of the best, and topical songs, choruses and solos dedicated especially to those who sat at tables were enjoyed during the

Among the guests present were: Speaker Cannon. Vice-President-Elect Pairer Cannon. Vice-President-Elect Pair-banks, Secretary Morton, Secretary Met-calf, Senators Aldrich, Allison, Beveridge, Cockrell, Dietrich, Dolliver, Elkins, Fora-ker, Gorman, Newlands, Piatt (Conn.), and Scott: Representatives Cowberd and Hemenway, George B. Cortelyou, chair-man of the Republican National Commit-tee: Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, West Virginia: Elmer Dover, secretary of the Republican National Committee; J. Pier-pont Morgan and E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchlson, Topeka & Santa Fe

# CHAFFEE ARRESTS LIEUTENANT

McDonald Goes in to Resign, but Is Told He Must Meet Charges.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 10.-Lieutenant P. H. McDon-aid had the unique distinction of being made a prisoner by General Chaffee, chief of staff, today. He recently came to the of staff, today. He recently came to the War Department to urge that his resignation be accepted and gained admittance to the office of the Chief of Staff. General Chaffee heard the officer's appeal through to the end and then rose from his chair and said: "I have heard geveral serious charges against you from the regimental commander at Fort Lawton. You are accused of duplication of pay accounts and obtaining money under false presense."

The Lieutenant was almost overcome with confusion at the unexpected outcome. with confusion at the unexpected outcome of his visit, and the explanation that he stammered out was evidently not satis-

"I hereby declare you under arrest," an-General Chaffee then summoned Captain Alvord, Secretary of the Staff, from the other room, and the officer was detailed to take Lieutenant McDonald to Fort Meyer. From Fort Meyer the Lieutenant will be taken to his old post for court-

## Career in Seattle Sensational.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 10.-As the rewilt of a sensational career in this city. nd Lieutenant Paul H. McDonald the Tenth Infantry, now stationed at Fort Lawton, in this county, is on his way here from Washington, D. C., under guard. When he arrives he will be placed under arrest and held to answer before a courtmartial to the charge of conduct unbecoming a gentleman and an officer.

### DECREASE IN WHEAT ACREAGE Department of Agriculture Also Re-

ports on Condition of Crops.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.-The crop report issued today by the Department of Agriculture says: Returns to the Chief of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture indicate that the newly-seeded area

Winter wheat is about 31,155,000 acres, a decrease of 1.6 per cent from the area sown in the Fall of 1992, as finally esti-mated. The condition of Winter wheat on December 1 was 82.9, as compared with 86.8 in 1908, 36.8 in 1902, and a 10-year aver-age of 82.1. The acreage as compared with estimated at 96.7 per cent of the area nown in the Fall of 1963. The condition of Winter rye on December 1 was 96.6, as com-pared with 92.7 on December 1, 1968, 98.1 at the corresponding date in 1902, and 96.2 the mean of the December averages of the

last ten years. The percentage of acreage sown to Winter rye this Fail as compared with that sown last year is \$6.7, the average condition December 1, 1904, was 90.5. Cor-responding averages for 1902 and 1902 were 92.7 and 98.1, respectively, and the mean of the December average of the last ten

The final estimates of the total acreage production and farm values of the prin-cipal crops for 1904 will be issued on De-cember 25 at 4 o'clock P. M.

### KRUGER'S BODY AT PRETORIA Imposing Ceremony Attends Remov-

al of Casket From Train.

PRETORIA. Dec. 16.-The funeral train bearing the remains of Ex-President of the Transvaal Republic Kruger arrived here this afternoon and an imposing ceremony attended the removal of the cusket from the train to the hall, where the body will lie in state. The hearse ich had been specially constructed for formed bodyguard composed of members of the Boer artillery and police Preceding the cortege were Generals Preceding the Botha, Smuts, Delarsy, Dewet and other

Pope to Receive Bishops All at Once. ROME. Dec. 18.-The foreign bishops weapon there has been much discussion as to why it was sharpened. The sword is a handsome weapon. It is shaped more like a saber than the conventional sword of the time. It has a handle of gold, and the black scab-matters to discuss with the pontiff

Portland Club War Rests Until Monday.

# CAME OF LEGAL CHECKERS

Trial of Special-Deputy Wise Does Not Come Off.

**GORMAN SHOWS HIS WOUNDS** 

Judge McGinn Gets Busy With Writ. of Habeas Corpus, While Champions Gather in Lists at Justice Reid's Court.

Proprietors of the Portland Club, Proprietors of the Portland Club, through their attorneys, Mendenhall and Spencer, and the Sheriff's office, through its attorney, Henry E. McGinn, played a game of legal checkers yesterday, and now both sides will rest on their arms until Monday. The trial of Special Deputy Wise, which was first set for \$230 and later channel to 2 circle the state. later changed to 2 o'clock did not come off at all. William Gorman, who was arrested and charged with burglary by Dep-uty Morden, appeared before Justice of the Peace William Reid, while the Justice was waiting for Wise to appear, and swore to complaints, charging Deputies Morden, Cordano and Hollingsworth with assault and battery, alleging he was bot-tered and beaten by the county officials. While Attorneys Mendenhall and Spen-cer were busy preparing the legal papers in the Gorman case. Judge McGinn was also busy. He had obtained earlier in the day copies of the complaints charging Morden and Wise with assault and bat-tery, trespass and other offenses, for the purpose of petitioning the Circuit Court for writs of habeas corpus. Just as he had about completed his labors, he learned of the additional warrants which had been sworn out. Judge McGinn hurried Chief Deputy Morden down to Justice Reid's Court for copies of the new complaints. There was no attempt to serve any of the warrants on Morden, although Aftorney Spencer, when he saw Deputy Morden present, said to the clerk: "Appoint me as a special officer, and let me serve the warrant on Morden." The clerk grinned, and Deputy Morden also smiled broadly.

Crowd of Legal Lig'its. All the time Justice Reid, Attorneys Mendenhall and Spencer, the Grants, Nato-Solomon, Put Powers J. A. Morris and a large sprinkling of Portland's sporting gentry waited about the Justice Court for the case to begin. District Attorney John Manning was also present. Mr. Manning was requested to eigh the complaints which had been sworn to by Gorman, but

delving deep into the law on the case, that the only thing the District Attorney had to do in such a case was to attend to the prosecution when the time came. It was almost 4 o'clock when the attorneys for the prosecution made up their minds that Judge McGinn was not going to appear. Attorney Spencer in the mean-time had drawn up a bench warrant, which was to be served on Special Deputy

The Sheriff's office was advise the purposed action. Judge McGinn's aton was also called to the existen of the bench warrant by telephone, and after a brief talk with Justice Reid, Judge McGinn accepted service, and a rec was made in the Justice Court docket.

Case Taken From Justice Court. The determination to accept service in

all of the cases against the employes of the Sheriff's office was resolved upon by Judge McGinn in order to take the cases, at least temporarily, out of the Justice Court and place them before the Circult Court. In his petition to Judge George, Judge McGinn sets forth that the action of the proprietors of the Portin taken to harrass the Sheriff's office in the performance of its duties. The petition also sets forth that some time in November the Sheriff learned that the Portland Club was secretly running gambling games, but that on December 4 the proprietors openly conducted gambling, and for that reason were arrested and the

#### house taken in charge by the Sheriff. Judge George Grants Petition.

The petition for habeas corpus was presented to Judge George at 8 o'clock last night. Judge George granted the petition. which is returnable at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The attorneys for the Portland Club were exceedingly wrought up by the refusal of Judge McGinn to appear in the Justice Court, and were in the act of de-termining upon the proper person to serve the bench warrant on Wise when the mesmentioned was received from Judge inn. They had decided that either Coroner J. P. Finley or Chief Hunt should be called upon to serve the paper. Coroner Pinley was out when called by telephone, and the attorneys were about to The Simple Life Page 43, appeal to the Chief of Police when Judge Peck's Bad Boy. Page 36. McGinn's message came.

Gorman Shows His Wounds. Peter Grant insisted that District Attorney Manning and Justice Reld hear William Gorman's account of the alleged assault upon him while in Grant's office. Gorman exhibited his swollen lips and the patch on his neck, which a doctor had treated. His neck, he stated to Mr. Man-ning, was so stiff that he could not (wist it, and he said that he was suffering from brulses about his abdomen. Mr. Manning noted Gorman's wounds, and asked if he Gorman, had resisted the deputies, but made no comment. This was left to Peter

Grant, who expressed himself in emphatic language his opinion of the three officials who had arrested Gorman. Trouble Narrowly Averted.

The fact that Judge McGinn accepted services in all of the cases against Morden and the rest of the deputies is re-garded by Attorneys Mendenhall and Spencer as a victory for their clients. On the other hand, it is regarded as a simindication that Judge McGinn is alarmed as to the outcome of the cases. On the statements of Chief Deputy Mor-den and his deputies, that under no conon would they submit to arrest the Portland Club attorneys expected trouble. For a time, even while Morden was in Justice Reid's Court, copying the complaints, the air was charged with excite-

Had an attempt been made to arrest

Morden, undoubtedly there would have been trouble. It was also learned that the deputies in charge of the Portland Club pramises had been instructed to re-tain possession of the property even at the cost of human life if necessary. Perhaps there would have been bloodshed had an attempt been made to arrest Wise on a bench warrant. bench warrant.

## FLESHMAN IS ARRESTED.

Employe of Warwick Poolroom Taken Into Custody.

J. N. Fleshman, the only employe of the Warwick poolroom in the city, last night gave himself up to Chief Deputy Morder Fleshman was indicted along with the other employes of the Warwick. He read the account of his indictment in The Ore gonian and yesterday afternoon, while Morden was at Justice Reld's court, he inpulred of Morden whether there was a warrant for his arrest. Deputy Morden stated that at that time no warrant had been placed in his hands. Pleshman scented an arrest late last night and a Sunday in jall, so he had a bondsman on

hand.

Late yesterday afternoon Fleshman received word from the Sheriff's office that he was wanted, and with his bondsman he appeared at the jail. When a cash bond was demanded, Judge George was appealed to and ordered Fleshman re-leased on his own recognizance and to appear in court on Monday. Fleshman was happy at his release, but highly in-dignant at the action of the Sheriff's office.

#### SNOW FALLING IN NEW YORK High Wind Accompanies Storm Which Begins Early in the Day.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- A snow storm. accompanied by a high wind, descended upon New York early today and still continues. Nearly two inches has fallen, Traffic in the city has not been seriously impeded, but craft of all kinds have been

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# Why Hitchcock Sees Only Oregon Frauds.

### HERMANN MAN HE WANTS

Secretary Is Determined to Involve Congressman.

CROOKED WORK FLSEWHERE

Information of Great Steals in Colorado and Montana Has Long Been in Possession of the Department.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 16.-To clear away all doubt as to why Oregon is being held up before untry as the hotbed of land thieves, similar and undoubtedly greater frauds in other states are being overooked, this statement, confirmed by an official familiar with the inside facts, is made. The campaign against land-fraud operators was initiated by Secretary Hitchcock, and has been carried on entirely under his direction. So anxious has he been to get all the credit for any convictions that may be secured that he has not allowed land officials to co-operate with him either in running down fraud or gathering evidence, but has kept everything in his own hands, at all times per-

sonally directing his own inspectors.

The Land Office has had nothing to do with the campaign now in progress. Several years ago Secretary Hitchcock began to show hostility toward Binger Hermann, then Commissioner of the General Land Office, having early conceived the idea that Hermann was conspiring with speculators on the Pacific Coast to defraud the Government out of large areas of public lands. It was largely because of this friction that Hermann eventually resigned the Commissionership. Ever since he forced Hermann out of office. Hitchcock has concentrated his inspectors on the Pacific Coast, mostly in Oregon, giving them instructions to bring to light the frauds which he had reason to believe were being perform the simplest counting perpetrated. Every investigation which has been conducted by Hitchcock's inspectors, while ostensibly aimed at securing the conviction of men like Puter and Mc-

#### that he was a party to the frauds. Other Frauds.

There is high authority for the state- pression invisible to others and of ment that Secretary Hitchcock's chief aim and hope in the prosecution of land frauds is to be able to confirm his suspicion in regard to ex-Land Commissioner Hermann, and he is still persistently working this and Schillings agreed with him. to attain that end. The Secretary is confident he will be vindicated, and it is be cause of his intense desire to accomplish this, his highest purpose, that he has consented to overlook frauds which he has been informed were perpetrated in Montana and Colorado, for example, in order that he might bring his entire influence to bear in Oregon.

It will be recalled even in the Be Hyde-Diamond-Schneider cases that Hermann's name was frequently mentioned before the grand jury which indicted the land ring in this city a year ago. It is known that Secretary Hitchcock desires to connect Hermann with the operations of the San Francisco ring, as well as with operations solely in Oregon. Were it not for Secretary Hitchcock's extreme hatred of Hermann, land-fraud investigations would be under way in all Western States. and not confined to Oregon. There was, at the time the land frauds were first investigated, as much evidence of fraud in other states as in Oregon, but for the reasons stated Oregon has for fully two years been held up before the country and widely advertised as the center of fraudulent operations.

Other states have so far escaped, not because of any influence they or their citizens have brought to bear, but because Secretary Hitchcock is looking for "big game," as he says, in Oregon,

### TO RUSH LAND-FRAUD CASES Nation Asks Appeals of Hyde, Benson and Dimond Be Heard Soon.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 10 .- Solicitor-General Hoyt, on behalf of the Government. SCHOOL TO TEACH SOCIALISM today filed a motion asking the Supreme Court to advance for hearing the appeal taken by Frederick A. Hyde and Henry P. Dimond from the decision of Judge Morrow, of San Francisco, who directed that they be brought Washington for trial on indictments for conspiracy to defraud the Government out of large tracts of public lands. In his petition the Solicitor-General states that the appeals were "taken for purposes of delay and to prevent the appellants from being removed to the District of Columbia for A similar motion was also filed in

regard to the appeal of John A. Benson, also alleged to be a member of the San Francisco land ring, who was arrested in New York on a Washington indictment charging him with bribing officials in the General Land Benson is out on \$10,000 bail and trying to escape trial in Washington. The Solicitor-General expects to be given a hearing Monday in support of his motion, and if the court advances the cases there is every prospect that the famous San Francisco land ring will be placed on trial in this city during the present Winter.

Postmaeter at Blaine. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 11.-Representative Humphrey | Embassy at Washington during 1903,

LONG, HARD TRIP OF SCHOONER Coquille Back in San Francisco Afte Being Out 50 Days.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10 .- Fifty days ago today the schooner Coquil Captain H. C. Spring, left this port for Coquille, and yesterday she put back without having made land since the beginning of her long trip. Stress of weather, threatened mutiny and hortage of water and provisions made up her story. Sailing from here on October 22 in ballast for Coquille, the schooner went along for a few days under a fair wind and was then over-

under a fair wind and was then overtaken by a succession of southeast
gales that huried her along through the
seas far past her port of destination.
The gales took the schooner to a
point off Coquilie by November 1, but
Captain Spring decided that it would
be suicidal to try to make the landing.
The crew thought differently and they
became mutinous when he gave orders became mutinous, when he gave orders to steer to the northward. The men to steer to the northward. The men were afraid of running out of water, for only half a barrel remained. Cap-tain Spring reassured them and the Coquille was sent ahead of the gales. always beating to the northward, past the mouth of the Columbia, where the

the mouth of the Columbia, where the crew wanted to put in, and as far as the latitude of Gray's Harbor.

Then the stiff gales gave the schooner a surcease of trouble. She was haded back for Coquille, and on the way spoke the steamer Whittler, bound hence for Astoria. At that time the crew was living on crackers, beans and coffee, with only a small quantity and coffee, with only a small quantity of water left in the dirty barrel. The Whittier supplied flour, sugar, potatoes and other provisions, and the captain decided to make another effort to reach Coquille. He appeared off that port on December 2, flying the flag at half-mast as a signal of distress, but no assistance was sent out to him, though he was lying within 206 or 300 yards of the beach. When he saw that assistance was withheld he steered a course for this port.

#### HOW NOTED HORSE COUNTS. Secret of "Hans'" Replies in His Powers of Observation.

BERLIN, Dec. 10 .- Dr. Carl Stumpf, professor of psychology at the University of Berlin and a member of the Royal Academy of Science, and two colleagues, Dr. C. von Hornbostel and Dr. O. Pfungst, have ended months of experiments with Von Osten's horse. Hans. They find that the secre of the animal's replies is in his powers of observation, which enable him to perceive while he looks at his questioner the instant he has reached a correct answer. Thus they found the horse was unable to tap out a correct answer to a question when the person putting it did not know it, for example, how many persons are in the group behind me? The questioner did not look behind and Hans did not give a correct reply, nor was he able when wearing blinkers to

Stumpf does not doubt the good faith f Von Osten, but he concluded that the horse's long training had taught him to detect the eyesight changes in him to detect the eyesight changes in the bearing of his questioner as he reached the right number of hoof-beats in spelling or in using the counting up-

itself is most remarkable, as the horse notes movements or changes in exwhich the questioner is unconscious. This conception of the horse's abilities stances. Dr. Stumpf says he talked with the naturalist, Schillings,

REMOVED BY PRESIDENT. Judge Baker, of New Mexico, Neither Vigorous nor Strict Enough.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.-Judge B. Baker, of New Mexico, has been removed by the President as the result of a series of complaints filed with the President regarding affairs in Bernardillo County. The President decided that a more vigorous and strict Judge was needed remedy the evils complained of. The lowing official statement of the case was given at the Department of Justice to-

The President has removed from office Judge B. S. Baker, of New Mexico. Nu-merous complaints were presented, and thorough investigation was made by

Department of Justice.
"It was found that in Bernardilio County, in which Albuquerque is situated po-litical and official affairs are in a bad condition; that improper Jury Commisstoners were being appointed; that selection of jurogs was tampered with, the Sunday law was not enforced against gambling and saloons, and that Judge Ba-ker was not doing what a Judge should do to remedy the evils.

"It was considered that a more vigor-ous and strict Judges was imperatively needed in his place.

'It was for these reasons that a change In the Judgeship was concluded upon and not because Judge Baker was deemed dishonest or corrupt. Judge Baker was fully examined and his statements taken down for the information of the President, but so far as the reasons for his removal are concerned, his explanations were not deemed sufficient to prevent a change of Judges."

# New York Section of Party Inspired Gould Will Extend Western Pacific by Big Vote Given Debs.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.-Inspired by the National vote of 600,000 for Debs at the for the definite extension of the Gould last election, the New York section of the system from ocean to ocean were com-Socialist party issued a statement today to the effect that it has laid plans for establishing a school of socialism. board of instructors has been appointed. Western Pacific Railway, at a meeting of consisting of Marris Hilquist, Algernan the directorate of that road in this city. Lee, Henry L. Slobodin and John sparge. After the meeting, President W. J. Bar-The school term is to extend from the first week in January to the last week in arrangements were being made to let im-May, and there will be one lesson each week, or 21 lessons in all. There will be five courses, beginning with a course on the history of socialism, and ending with

# MISS NEWLANDS TO WED.

Daughter of Nevada Senator Is Engaged to German Lieutenant.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Senator New-lands, of Nevada, today announced the engagement of his youngest daughter, Prances to Lieutenant Lecpoid von Bre-dow, of the German army. Lieutenant con Bredow is an officer of the Cuirasster Regiment of the Guard, stationed at Ber-lin. He was an attache of the German

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

# South Is Anxious to Greet Roosevelt.

# INVITATIONS POURING IN

Many Cities Send Delegates to Speak For Them.

BACON IS MUCH INTERESTED

Georgia Senator Has It Figured Out President Will Be His Guest One Night-Vardaman in a Class by Himself.

WASHINGTON. Dec. 10 -(Special)-Since the publication of the news of the fixed purpose of President Roosevelt to visit the South in the Spring, enough invitations from the states of the South have been received at the White House to make it seem that the doors of all the Southern homes have awang inward and the heads of homes are standing outside with a welcome ready. The South has not been content with sending letters of nvitation. It is sending daily delegation of citizens, and the newspapers are writ-

ing "please-come" editorials. Senator Augustus Octavus Bacon, o Georgia, whose name one likes to write it full, is the director-in-chief of all the Georgian invitation parties. Senator Bacon is so afraid the President will change his mind about his Southern journeying that he is a constant visitor at the White House with a stock of new reasons to advance why the jaunt southward would be the best thing in the world for the North, for the South, for President Roosevelt, and for the State of Georgia in par ticular.

Senator Bacon is so worried about # mistaken newspaper report touching a carriage drive that the President Intenda to take in the South that he sent half s dozen telegrams and consulted severa county maps to collect evidence that I the President took the drive he must perforce remain over night as the guest o the Georgia Senator at his home. The report was to the effect that if the President took the contempliaed drive, which was to Senator Bacon's home, he could return to his starting point the same day Senator Bucon was worried for fear the people would think he did not want the President to stay over night with him and so he has proved that if the drive be This sharpness of observation in taken Mr. Roosevelt cannot possibly reself is most remarkable, as the horse turn the same day, and must be entortained at the Georgian's residence, where tained at the Georgian's residence, where he will be given an example of the warmth of true Southern hospitality.

### asked Theodore Roosevelt to stop over HOLDS ROOSEVELT ERRED.

Before another week passes it may ap-

pear that the Governor of Mississippi is the only man in the South who has not

Ex-Minister White Blames Him for Having Mercy Shown Criminal.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- "Much as I ad mire President Roosevelt as a true man, we have seen today the sorry example of the mistake a strong man can make. The President was appealed to by Bantlet minister to save the latter's son saved from the gallows for the murder of a farmer in Canada. The President listened to the appeal, and has succe-ded in securing a commutation of sentence. I do not admire the President for that."

This statement was made today by Andrew D. White, ex-United States Ambassador to Germany, in the course of an address on "Evolution vs. Revolution in Pol-itics." before the League for Political Mr. White had declared that high crime

is more frequent in this country then anywhere else in the world, save Sicily, and that there is a widespread superstition here that it is the duty of the people It was calling attention to wnat he

Ambassador referred to the President as quoted. "Crime is crime," said Mr. White, "and "Crime is crime, said prosecution more it is our duty to make its prosecution more it is our duty to make its prosecution more it is our duty to make its prosecution more it is our duty to make its prosecution more stand together to exterminate criminals," Present American methods, Mr. White icclared are leading to catastrophes and filling hinatic asylums and poor-houses. He predicted that, if better methods are adopted, Anglo-Saxons will die out

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NEW YORK, Dec. 10.-Arrangements pleted today, when E. T. Jeffrey, president of the Denver & Rio Grande Railway, was elected vice-president of the nett, of the Western Pacific, stated that arrangements were being made to let immediate contracts for the construction of the Western Pacific Rallroad from Salt Lake to San Francisco. He said that in a short time construction forces will be placed in the field. The Western Pacific Railway has a capital of \$50,000,000

### CROWN PRINCE TO WED IN MAY Son of Kaiser and Duchess Cecilia

Definitely Fix the Time.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.-The wedding of Crown Prince Frederick William and the Duchess Cecilia of Mecklenberg-Schwerin has been definitely fixed for the latter half of May. Emperor William Intends to cruise in the Mediterranean in the Spring and return to Germany in time for