## RAILROADS DESIRE HALF BILLION

Fortune Needed to Carry Out Extensions and Improvements Now Under Way.

WALL STREET INDIGNANT AT MUCK-RAKERS' ATTACKS

Loud Walling Over Attacks Upon Vested Interests Which Cause Public to Shy at Railroad Invest-

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, Feb. 16.—A conservative estimate of the amount required to carry out the railroad extensions and improveout the railroad extensions and improvements now begin or urgantly needed. fixes the sum at not less than \$500,000,100. And it is said that the expenditure of this money cannot be put off longer than next year. Where it is to come from, is the question now bothering railroad financiers, in view of the indisposition of capitalists to invest funds in colleged recurrities.

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Among items which go to make up
the total needed, is one from \$50,000,000
to \$60,000,000 to complete the Milwauksee
& St. Paul extension to the Pacific
coast. The Pennsylvanis will have to
raise \$70,000,000 to take care of obligations already outstanding. The Norfolk
& Western had advertized plans for the
expenditure of \$34,000,000 in needed improvements. Arrangements appear to
have been completed by J. J. Hill for
raising the amount necessary to conziruct 2,000 miles of new extensions.

Sonds Drug on Market.

Bends Drug on Market.

The Wall street bond-buyers are apparently ultra-conservative just now, and numerous powerful railway corporations are resorting to the expedient of negotiating short-term notes at rather high rates of interest, because they have found their bonds were somewhat of a drug on the market.

The Great Northern has been engineering such a deal during the past few days, and certain bankers are said to have offered to accommodate Mr.

to have offered to accommodate Mr. Hill, provided he will pay on the short time notes 6 per cent interest. Mr. Hill attempted to float \$60,000,000 of stock for the Great Northern, but the Minnesota courts declared that he must first go to the state railroad commission and procure from it authority for the desired flotation. The stock issue was thus suddenly stopped, and the whort time notes expedient was substi-

Wall Street Indignant.

In this, Mr. Hill was following the crampic set by the financiers of other roads, hotably the Pennsylvania, which has \$56,000,000 of them to pay next November; Quebec, Montreal & Northern for \$6,000,000, guaranteed by the Dela-

ware & Hudson, is another instance of recent flotation of that character.

Coincidently with these transactions, Wall street is fairly secturing with indignation at that to which the stock jobbers refer as the attack on vested interests. Allegations are made that the recent campaigns against the rail-



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Photo shows the house in Samoa once inhabited by Robert Louis Stevenson, which has been bought by the German governor. Dr. Solf, who intends to make it his official residence, a fact which has greatly angered many people in England, who cannot forget the famous author's implacable hatred of everything

road abuses have frightened capital, so that it is impossible to induce inves-tors to place their money in rail securi-

The Wall street journals are printing daily columns of "roasts" on President Roosevelt and other trust-busters, and which they aver will be the inevitable outcome of a continuation of the pres-

Experienced observers regard these incidents as part of the coming political campaign, the intention being to influence the public to accept as a Republican candidate a man of the conservative type. Those same observers believe that success of such a plan will mean that the long-time incumbency of power by the Republican party will end with March 4, 1999.

### PITCHFORK JABBED JAPANESE QUESTION

Tillman Militant in Midst of Members Who Would Play Smooth Game.

(Journal Special Service.)

Washington, Feb. 15.—In the course of the senate debate on the Japanese exclusion question Senator Tillman yesterday characterized the Japanese as "undestrable Mongolians."

Lodge announced that further discussion of that phase of the question would necessitate the closing of the doors.

Fiint of California opposed the dragging of the San Francisco situation into the debate. He said the Pacific slope was trying to adjust a trying situation in a diplomatic manner and deprecated its connection with the conditions in the south.

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Tillman with great warmth declared he objected to the pending amendment being rushed through "under orders from the White House." He regretted the conference of the president and the Californians and protested against the "attempt to make him knowtow and tiptoe about the senate while discussing the desirability of excluding the Japanese." He said he resented the "tendency of the man at the White House dency of the man at the White House to meddle with everything in the United

to meddle with everything in the United States." He declared the present was a grave situation, but there would have been none but for the president.

Bacon of Georgia declared it was proposed to deprive the south of the right to secure needed slien labor. Lodge denied this. Bacon resented the insinuation that his attitude was not assumed in good faith. He declared he was not in absolute sympathy with the Japanese coolle provision but said it could pass without his opposition if it stood alone. He exclaimed:

"There is no disposition here to add

"There is no disposition here to said to the tension on the Pacific coast but it would be wrong to combine that feat-

ure with an objectionable bill."

He declared the bill could not pass under other circumstances and charged that many senators had been placed in an embarrassing position by the admin-

#### RAILWAY WILL HELP PAY FOR IMPROVEMENT

For the first time in the history of For the first time in the history of the city council a railway corporation has offered to pay a portion of the cost of the improvement of a street upon which it has no abutting property. Through Curtis G. Sutherland, confidential agent of the Harriman lines, the Southern Pacific yesterday proposed to the council committee on streets that East Twenty-first street be improved from Bush street to its car shops. The improvement would call for 30 feet of street work, and Mr. Sutherland said his company was willing to pay \$400 of the mpany was willing to pay \$400 of the

The company has no property along the street, but it degrees the improvement made so that the fire engines may be able to reach the shops in case of a fire. The committee recommended that the street be improved with macadam. The cost will be about \$500.

#### TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT Y. M. C. A. ROOMS

An interesting program has been planned for the Y. W. C. A. "at home" to be held tomorrow afternoon from \$ to 6 at the headquarters of the association, Sixth and Oak streets.

tion, Sixth and Oak streets.

The musical program will consist of a vocal solo by Mrs. Silas H. Soule and vocal solos by Mrs. Silas H. Soule and vocal solos by Mrs. Hal Dixon and Miss Delta Watson. Rev. D. H. Hare will give the address. Mrs. James MacKenzie will have charge of the "drop in" Bible class, Mrs. E. M. Bliss of the "little journey" room, and Miss Day of the story room. Mrs. David Dalgietsh will be the hostess of the afternoon. A cordial invitation is given to all young women.

February Atones for January.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

McMinnville, Or., Fab. 16.—For the past 10 days Yamhill has been enjoying some fine weather. The sky is bright and clear and the air balmy as spring. This is the longest stretch of clear weather so far in Pebruary since 1903, when February had the record of 26 clear days.

A STITCH IN TIME

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Announcement Made of Direct Wire Under Sea From New York to Havana.

ALSO OWN CONTROL OF BELL TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Prosperous Condition of Telegraph and Cable Companies Shown at Annual Meeting in Boston-No. Debts Outstanding.

(Journal Special Service.)
Boston, Feb. 16.—At the annual meet

ing of the shareholders of the Mackay companies the number of trustees was increased from five to seven. The present five trus-teec, Clarence H. Mackay, William teec, Clarence H. Mackay, William W. Cooks, George G. Ward, Dumont Clarke and Edward C. Platt, were re elected. The two new trustees elected are Mr. Pliny Fisk, who is at the head of banking houses of Harvey Fisk Sons, New York, and R. A. Smith, who is imber of the banking house of Os-

The annual report of the trustees of the Mackay companies was issued today. Its essential features are as follows: Its essential features are as follows:

The Mackay companies own the whole or part of the capital stock of 102 prosperous cable, telephone and telegraph companies in the United States, Canada and Europe including the entire capital stock of the Commercial Cable company and the various companies constituting the land line system known as the Postal Telegraph. The purpose is to make the basis of the Mackay companies so broad and diversified as to reader impossible any fundamental impairment of the value of the preferred or common shares, accordingly the inor common shares, accordingly the investments include stocks in submarine cable companies in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans and in the Postal Tele-graph land line system and in dividend paying stocks in the best telephone

Control Bell Telephone The Mackay company is by far the largest stockholder in the American Telegraph & Telegraph company, commonly known as the Bell Telephone company. Its holdings being more than four times those of any other stockholdthat the present friendly relations should be cemented in the interest of shareholders of both companies and also of the public at large.

They trust and state that notwith-standing these days of money borrowstanding these days of money borrow-ing and mortgage giving they are again able to announce that the Mackay com-panies have no debts. The outstanding shares are \$50,000,000 preferred and \$41,380,400 common. During the past year \$9,354,400 preferred shares have been issued in exchange for stocks of corporations which in addition to strengthening the position of the Mack-ay companies pay this much or more dividends than the corresponding dividends pald on the Mackay companies preferred shares.

graph, is being constantly extended, and also shows substantial increased gross receipts and net profits over the pre-vious year. On December 6, 1906, the 40-year monopoly of all telegraphic and cable business between Cuba and the United States, granted by the Span-ish government in 1868, to the International Ocean Telegraph company and later acquired by the Western Union Tolegraph company, came to an end by the expiration of the 40 years. The trustees applied to the American

The trustees applied to the American governor in charge of the provisional government of Cuba for the usual permit for the landing and operation of a submarine cable between the two countries and such permit has just been granted. The first plan was to pursue the same route as that of the Western Union Telegraph company, namely a land line system from New York City to Florida and a submarine cable system from Florida to Havana, but the trustees decided to lay a submarine cable direct from New York to Havana, thereby giving a three-minute service thereby giving a three-minute service as against an average thirty-minute service. The entire cost of this important extension to Cuba will be paid out of current profits.

Stock Sold to Employes. Attention is called to the fact that on January 1, 1907, all free passes were abolished on the Postal Telegraph system and that during the past year there has been inaugurated and put into successful operation a plan whereby the employes of the organization are given an opportunity to purchase preferred shares in the Mackay companies and to make payments therefor by inand to make payments therefor by in-stallments. A large number of the em-ployes have availed themselves of this opportunity and the plan has been so successful that arrangements have been made to continue it.

BISHOP SCADDING TO GIVE CHURCH LECTURES

Right Rev. Charles Scadding, D. D. tishop of Oregon, will deliver during the Lenten season five illustrated lectures on church history, at St. David's shurch, East Twelfth and Belmont

streets. The lectures will be delivered on five Wednesday evenings, beginning Pebruary 20, at 8 o'clock. The first lecture will embrace that period of church history from the Roperiod of church history from the Ro-man conquest to the mission of St. Au-gustine, B. C. 55, to A. D. 597. Others in order ase: "The Conversion of Eng-land to the Roman Conquest," A. D. 597 to A. D. 1090; "Papai Aggression and the Reformation," A. D. 1098 to A. D. 1555; "The Reformation to the Land-ing of the Frince of Orange," A. D. 1553 to A. D. 1688; "The Church in Modern Days."

Bishop Scadding will illustrate his lec-tures with lantern sildes, 46 interesting pictures being used with each lecture.

## LINCOLN'S LIFE A MODEL FOR EVERY BOY

Rabbi Jonah Wise Calls Martyred President First and Noblest Son of Liberty.

"Abraham Lincoln" was the subject of a lecture delivered last night by Rabbi Jonah B. Wise before a congregation at Temple Beth Israel. Rabbi Wise reviewed the blography of the great emancipator and held him up as a shining example for the children of the land. Closing, he said:

"He was of the truly great. He came prepared and none knew him. He came armed and they thought that those about him must bear the burden. But his him must bear the burden. But his mind and soul were greater than theirs and led them all. They were not envious, for they had learned to admire his keen and unerring judgment, which solved great problems as if by intuition. His death-bed eulogy was from Stanton's lips: He belongs to history. So indeed he does, to history and to us. His life, his character are American; his manners should six us to better things. life, his character are American; his memory should stir us to better things. Near us should be his monument, his picture should be before us, his life a model for boy and man.

model for boy and man.

He knew great happiness in that he had high ambitions, but he knew the greatest sorrows, for he was true to his people and his trust. The man child of Democracy, the first and noblest son of liberty, the leader of men, the man of sorrows—peace be on him and his memory, a blessing to the thousandth generation of those that love him. God grant we shall always know him and in time of our country's need may our common father raise up another like un-to Abraham Lincoln."

#### WILL HANDLE FREIGHT FOR THE EAST SIDE

Freight traffic of the Southern Pacific and the O. R. & N. companies in East Portland, heretofore under joint super-William Merriman and J. B. Glover, local freight agents of the respective systems, has been segregated and will be placed in charge of George F. Egan. His office will be that of freight agent for allied Harriman lines on the east side. He was formerly O. R. & N. agent at Huntington, and the ew position is a decided promotion. East Portland freight traffic, which

is absolutely controlled by the Harriman lines, has grown very heavy, and is said to be almost equal to that of the west As both roads enter East Portdends paid on the Mackay companies land before reaching the west side of the river, a large amount of freight remains there, since it costs the shipper as in the river, a large amount of freight remains there, since it costs the shipper as in the river, a large amount of freight remains there, since it costs the shipper as in the river, a large amount of freight remains there, since it costs the shipper as in the river, a large amount of freight remains there, since it costs the shipper as in the river, a large amount of freight remains there, is not a since it costs the shipper as in the river, a large amount of freight remains the river.

#### BROKE LAW BY GETTING OFF ON WRONG SIDE

Holding that Miss Emma Sheman was herself responsible for being knocked down and dragged by a Montgomery street car. Circuit Judge Gantenbein granted a nonsuit in Miss Sheman's 5,000 damage suit against the company yesterday afternoon. By getting off the wrong side of the car she was guilty of contributory negligence, the court held. Insamuch as there is a city ordinance requiring that passengers be dinance requiring that passengers be prevented by a metal gate from alight-ing in this manner. Miss Sheman will try to bring her suit again, basing it on pleadings specifying this phase of the

#### JUDGE M'BRIDE ILL -CLELAND TO PRESIDE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Astoria, Or., Feb. 16.—Judge T. A.
McBride has informed County Clerk
Clinton that on account of his filness
he will be unable to come to Astoria
Monday to open court. Judge Cleland
of Portland has consented to open court
and preside until Judge McBride is able
to attend.

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ry of Osteopathy room 12 Grand The atre building, Wash ington and Park. Dr. Sommer, gradunte in medicine and osteopathy and formerly professor at the Still College of Osteopathy, n

# HAPPY IN EXILE

Daughter Is Born to Czar's Kinsman and Princess Victoria of Saxe-Coburg.

WORLD WELL LOST . FOR WOMAN HE LOVED

Marriage Resulted in Forfeiture of Rank, Title and Honors in Russia but He Does Not Care-Living Quietly at Coburg.

(Journal Special Service.)
Berlin, Feb. 16.—Stripped of rank,
titles and honors by his cousin, the
cear, and marked for death by the Russian revolutionaries, there is no happier or more contented man in all Europe today than the Grand Duke Cyril Vladimirovitch of Russia. Living a secluded but contented life at Coburg, happy in the love of the woman whom he married in defiance of the wishes of his imperial

the love of the woman whom he married in defiance of the wishes of his imperial relatives, the grand duke has this week had his cup of biles filled to overflowing by the birth of a daughter.

It will be remembered that the marriage a year ago of the Grand Duke Cyril to the divorced wife of the Grand Duke of Hesse terminated a love match of many years duration. The two were boy and girl lovers at a period when both of them were in their teems. There were unfortunate political objections to their marriage and the Princess Victoria of Saxo-Coburg, as she then was, became the wife of Grand Duke Ernest Louis of Hesse. The marriage turned out extremely unhappy and ended in divorce. As soon as the divorce had been announced Grand Duke Cyril immediately appeared at Coburg and renewed his ardent declarations of love. The grand duchess hesitated to marry again because this step would have made it impossible for her, under the terms of her divorce, ever to see her only child, the little Princess Elizabeth, to whom she was passionately attached. Princess Elizabeth, however, who lived with her father, was poisoned while visiting the emperor and empress of

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Her tragic death removed the scruples of the grand duchess regarding marriage, and she consented to become Cyril's wire. The coar prohibited the marriage for various reasons, but Grand Duke Cyril ignored the wishes of his imperial relative and he and the grand duchess were married at Munich. The coar retaliated by expelling him from the Russian army and navy and by ordering him never again to appear at the Russian court. The couple paid little attention to the caar's displeasure and ever since their marriage have been living a happy, retired life at the royal palace in Coburg.

#### M'MINNVILLE COLLEGE **GLEE CLUB'S CONCERTS**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
McMinville College, Feb. 15.—The two
glee clubs are now putting on the finishing touches preparatory to giving
their home concerts. The girls' club
will sing February 22. This is the first
regular girls' club the college has ever
put out. Miss Grace Henderson is man-

ager.
The boys' club has set the date for The boys' club has set the date for its concert as March 15. There are 17 in the boys' and 14 in the girls' glee club. Professor F. G. Boughton is man-ager of the boys' club. Both are under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Potter,

#### KLYVER LOSES FINGERS AND POSSIBLY THE HAND

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
McMinnville, Or., Feb. 16.—Carl Klyhad his left hand frightfully mangled in the gearing of the machinery. He was olling the gearing that runs the brick machine, and the cogs caught the fingers of his glove and drew his hand into the machine. The accident will cause the loss of all his fingers and pos-The accident will sibly the entire hand.

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When a doctor gives a prescription to relieve pain or some chronic trouble he always puts in a little poison to deaden or stupefy the nerves. That's killing pain, or, rather, killing the nerves. Of course, if your aliment is of a chronic nature, the pain will come back and you must keep on taking the same drug or suffer. It stops the pain for a short time, but it is breaking down your nervous system and ruining your stomach.

The poisons that are used most frequently by the doctors are morphine, cocaine, mercury, arsehic and potash. The first two the doctors are morphipe, cocaine, mercury, arsehic and potash. The first two are used to stupefy the nerves and are responsible for thousands of drug flends who got the habit through the use of drugs containing dope for the relief of some chronic disease. Nature may core the disease, but the drug habit stays with you always.

The last three poisons—
mercury, areenic and potash—are used in treating
nearly all disorders and
diseases of the blood,
stomach and digestive or-

You know mercury is quicksilver, and when it gets into the body it stays there. It destroys the digestive juices and eats out the lining of the stomach.

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