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Bernard Baker of Baltimore **Gets Proposal From Director** General Ballin of Hamburg-American for Canal Route.

HALF \$15,000,000 STOCK OFFERED AMERICANS

Steamships to Be Built in This Two Dead in Minneapolis; Country and Run Under U. S. Laws.

Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Feb. 22.—As a matter of deep interest to Portland it N. Baker of Baltimore has another plan for a great steamship line to connect the Atlantic and the Pacific coasts of the United 3 ates via the Panama canal. He met Joseph N. Teal of Portland, Or., today in this city. Baker told Teal that he has hopes of aiding in establishing a greater steamship line than he had ever dreamed of.

Last fall Herr Ballin, director general of the Hamburg-American line, cabled to Hake to meet him. At the meeting Ballin placed before Baker a proposal to incorporate in this country a steamship company amenable to all its laws and regulations, with a capital of \$15,000,000. The Hamburg-American, said Ballin, stood ready to subscribe for one half of the capital stock, leaving the other half for subscription by Americans, or if American capital was not forthcoming Germany would take the whole amount. The plans included the building of the steamships in this

Presented to Congress,

Ballin said he desired to see enforced the laws against railroad ownership of shipping lines. That he preferred to have the regulation of the business placed in the hands of the Interstate Commerce commission, and that he was willing to file rates and to subscribe in every respect to the laws. He asserted his entire confidence in the result of the operation of the proposed line from a business point of view.

This proposal has been pi ongress to ascertain if there be any objections, and Baker presented Teal with a copy duly attested.

cannot see," said Teal tonight. "why the proposed arrangement should not be carried out. I suggested to Mr. Baker that there should be a local directorate on the Pacific coast and they concurred. I insisted that the Columbia river shall be a regular port of call

Royal Mail in Pield.

"I have heard that the Royal Mail. which is the great English rival of the Hamburg-American, is likely to estab lish a service between the coasts. There is no question but that steamship men are looking with great interest on the effect of the opening of the canal, and it will not be long after the canal is opened before there would be ample service between the coasts. "It is perfectly apparent that the

city having the traffic and the facilities for handling the traffic to the best advantage will be the one that will so cure the business. 'The water terminal question is the one salient feature dwelt on both in congress and by the steamship men.

The necessity for municipally owned terminals, at which freight can be han dled cheaply, expeditiously and certain is becoming paramount. The question is not one of steamships, but it is one of service at the terminals. This fact must not be lost sight of."

Teal and Baker will meet the steamship people in New York next Monday; after that it is possible that the details of the plan will be more fully revealed

## CONFEREES AGREE ON COMPROMISE '15 FAIR ALLOWANCE, \$175,000

Senate Had Suggested \$200,

(Staff Correspondence.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 22.—A compromise appropriation of \$175,000 for the Sau Francisco fair was agreed to by a conference committee from house and sente at 1:15 o'clock this afternoon. The house last night voted \$150,-000, while the senate has stood out for

The conferees were Smith of Klamath Abbott, Carkin, from the house; Butler, Bean, Moser, from the senate. "We feel certain that both houses will accept our report and make the appropriation \$175,000," said Representative

### WILSON PREPARING TO GO TO WASHINGTON

New York, Feb. 22.—President-elect planned to spend the afternoon sorting Rose society and Floral society. out papers and books which he intends

ship to Washington

Turkish Advance Reported.

Blizzard Centers in Southwestern Wisconsin, Reaches as Far West as Rockies: Extreme Weather Follows.

CHICAGO PRACTICALLY ISOLATED BY STORM

Wind Accompanies Snow in Minnesota.

Chicago, Feb. 22.-Heavy snowfall and temperatures far below zero are is told to The Journal that Bernard predicted for tonight as a development of a great blizzard which is raging today all over the middle west. The storm, which has almost isolated Chicago, telegraphically, is centered in southwestern Wisconsin.

In this city a heavy sleet storm has weighted the wires and is making the operation of streetcars difficult. weather is most disagreeable. Weather bureau predictions, however,

are that tomorrow will be fair. Minneapolis, Feb. 22.-August Linton 60, and Clara Oplo, 50, are believed to

gripped this city today. The two have been missing for many hours. The storm is sweeping the state from end to end, demoralizing railroad and ade, with headquarters at Omaha, were telegraph communication. South Minnesota has been almost isolated, and the

blizzard there is doing untold damage night, accompanied by a high wind. Several trains are stalled in the hill fatalities in different parts of the state troops will be drawn from Forts Crook, are being received almost hourly, and Nebraska; Leavenworth, Kan.; McKenit is feared the elements will reap a zie, Wyo.; Sheridan, Ill., and D. A. Rusheavy toll of lives and property.

Traffic Badly Blocked.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 22.—Railroad on the ground and all talegraph and tel ephone wires are crippled.

Seven Below, With Snow.

(United Press Lessed Wire.) Denver, Feb. 22.—It was seven de rees below zero here today and a foot and a half of snow covers the ground The weather is the most severe since the beginning of the winter, and much (Continued on Page Five.)

## CORDIAL GREETING FOR J. N. TEAL ON ARRIVAL IN NATIONAL CAPITAL

Much Talk Aroused Concernin Wilson Cabinet.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Feb. 22.—The presence of J. N. Teal in town has set many people to discussing his chances for a place in Wilson's cabinet. Teal himself had the least to say of anyone, but he was greeted everywhere most enthusiastically by such men as Borah, La Follette, Newlands and many others whose names are known in every hamlet.

As an instance of the gossip his com ng aroused, John Barrett remarked to a bunch of friends that while he was attending a dinner in New York someone mentioned Teal's name and a prominent man turned to Barrett and said: "Teal, Teal! Do you know, it is said that there are more pigeonholes filled with Teal indorsements at Trenton than for any other man."

Someone at the capitol asked Teal if he had heard King was in the city. "I life was by an operation. Late today haven't met him," replied Teal, "but I the patient was progressing favorably

President and Secretary of War Hold Midnight Conference; 5000 Troops Ordered to Prepare for Embarkation

HUERTA OPPOSED BY A REBEL ARMY OF 10,000

Nine Mexican States Reported to Have Renounced Provisional President

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Feb. 22.-The war partment this afternoon ordered the mobilization of the Fifth brigade of the army at Galveston for possible embarka. tion on transports. The order is the resuit of a minnight conference here last

night between President Taft and Sec-retary of War Stimson. Although it was emphasized that the government contemplated no change in its non-intervention policy, it was admitted that nearly \$000 troops would be held in Galveston in case of untoward

developments. Despite assurances from various American consuls in Mexico that the governors of Mexican states are rapidly declaring their loyalty to Provisional have succumbed to the blizzard that has President Huerta, Secretary of State Knox believes the present quiet is only the calm before a storm,

The troops comprising the Fifth brigordered to entrain for Galveston and the first contingent was expected to move this afternoon. The full brigade At Winona a foot of snow fell last consists of the Fourth, Seventh, Ninth and Twenty-eighth infantry; the Fourth mountain battery; the Fourth and Ninth regions, and all regular schedules are companies of the signal corps, and the demoralized. Unconfirmed reports of entire Fifth brigade hospital corps. The sell, Wyoming.

Two officers of the quartermaster's department left last night for Galveston to make all camp arrangements. Supplies for a 60 day expedition will be and street traffic here is almost com- placed on the transports Meade, Sumpletely blocked through a terrific bliz- ner, Kilpatrick and McClellan. The polzard which swept this part of the state icy of the "war college" already is last night. There is a foot of snow mapped out and will be followed in the will take on coal at Galveston and will be prepared to sail for Vera Cruz on a (Continued on Page Five.)

# FAVORABLE REPORT ON INNOCENT PURCHASERS

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Feb. 22.—The attorney reneral is understood to have reported avorably on the "innocent purchasers" applications with the exception of two three which are still being looked

The so-called "innocent purchasers" ire Oregon timbermen who bought land from the Southern Pacific, title to questioned by the United States in its suit to recover the Oregon & California land grants.

The Oregon delegation in congress in ing His Chances for Place troduced a bill permitting the purchasers of such lands to compromise suits brought against them by the United States upon the payment to the United States of \$2.25 an acre.

# **BULLET IN HEART CUT** OUT; PATIENT LIVES

(United Press Leased Wire.) toria hospital yesterday, Dr. George Armstrong performed the rare and remarkable operation of removing a bullet from the pericardum, or outer mem-brane, of G. Colangelo's heart. Colangelo was shot by his son during a quarrel last Sunday. The bullet was located by means of an X-ray photograph, and the only hope of saving the patient's have nothing but the best wishes for and his ultimate recovery is looked for him."

# 000 While House Voted Only \$150,000 for State Exhibit. CHILDREN IN SUMMER ATTIRE PLANT ROSES IN THE OPEN AIR, APPLAUDED BY HUNDREDS

Dr. Emmett Drake, Chairman of the Day, Was All Ready to Issue Straw Hat Proclamation When Clouds Shut Out the Sun.

Little girls and boys in summery summer's blooming, in earth made mel- gram is unchanged. low by recent sunshiny days. The pro-Wilson returned to Princeton today. He gram is in charge of the Rose Festival,

Dr. Emmett Drake, chairman of the day, had reserved issuing the straw hat edict until he should learn definitely from the weather man whether the day would be consistent with such head-(United Press Lessed Wire.) would be consistent with such head-Constantinople, Feb. 22.—The Jeune gear. With a spring-like air yesterday Tere, a newspaper, published a dispatch and a sun unflecked by cloud all day, here today that Turkish forces have he decided the straw hats should come he decided the straw hats should come Monastir. do are advancing on out. He was up early this morning to see that the sun again rose clear. He

Proof that Portland has a climate had just finished the proclamation permitting the planting of roses before reading; "All loyal subjects of the ate general in London, there was nothwinter ends is in the ceremonials of rose will wear today their straw hats ing to indicate to the foreigner that Rose Planting day at Sunnyside and and plant roses, each of them," and this was an especially significant date Rose City Park club house this after- was preparing to add his signature in American history, but there were noon. when the wind brought the clouds and many informal gatherings of Americans the edict went into the waste paper residing in or passing through the Britdresses are planting roses for next basket. Otherwise, however, the pro-

Blesses the Roses.

The automobile parade with the functionaries of the day, the rose girls and boys, left the city hall at 1:30 o'clock, The first stop was at Sunnyside Park, where Rev. William H. Fry, paster of Sunnyside Methodist church, blessed the roses as they were being planted. At Rose City Park clubhouse music is being furnished by De Caprio's band. Acting Mayor Baker represents the city; (Continued on Page Five.)

## AUTOMOBILE HIT GOVERNOR RETIRES INTO HIS HOLE AN ELECTRIC TRAIN IN OAKLAND; 2 KILLED

**NEW JERSEY** 

WILSON'S

ANTI-TRUST

Occupants Dashed to Pavement and Machine Is Carried a Block.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Cakland, Cal., Feb. 22 .- Two men are dead, a third is dying and a 4-year-old o'clock this afternoon until Monday. girl is badly bruised as the result of a collision between an automobile and a Clairmont electric Key Route train bound for San Francisco here today, The dead: A. F. Holton, Will R. Gar-

The injured: A. G. Smith and Sylvia Smith, his 4-year-old daughter. The accident occurred when the train going to San Francisco, crashed into the automobile when the latter attempted to cross Fifty-fifth street. The automobile was struck full sided and carried for about a block. The occupants were thrown out of the machine, landing on the pavement. The train

was driven by Motorman B. Vose. As soon as the train could be stopped aid was given the injured. A call was sent for an ambulane and they were rushed to the hospital. Garrison and Holton died en route. Smith is seriousis hurt and probably will die. The girl is badly bruised but her injuries are no

Smith is an automobile dealer of

# KNOX OBJECTS TO BILL AIMED AT ASIATICS

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Feb. 22.—Representative Warburton of Washington has been inormed that Secretary of State Knox has written Governor Lister regarding a law already passed by the Washington nouse, proposing a constitutional amendment to remove restrictions of land ownership from all aliens eligible to citizenship. Knox believes this would be construed as intentional discrimination against Asiatics and he therefore asks that such a law be not passed. Action of the state department is understood to have been taken at the instance of China or Japan,

### AMERICANS CELEBRATE THE DAY IN EUROPE

# (United Press Leased Wire.) London, Feb. 22.—Washington's birthday was celebrated unostentatiously by Americans all over Europe today. As the Stars and Stripes fly daily over the United States embassy and consulish capital. The most important function of th

day will be the annual dinner of the London section of the Navy league of the United States at the Hyde Park hotel tonight. About 100 members and guests will participate, Chairman F. C. Vandusser, who is also secretary of the American society in London, presid- her entire supply of bunker coal was of moving the Portland consulate, that ing. Irwin B. Laughlin, who has been consumed in mid-ocean, and to save the British government fully realizes ing. Irwin B. Laughlin, who has been charge d'affaires since the death of the late Ambassador Whitelaw Reid; Sec-ond Secretary W. P. Cresson, Military Attache Major George O. Squier, and Naval Attache Commander E. Simpson, will represent the embassy.

# WHICH PUTS HIS FOES INTO ONE, TOO

Since They Can't Find Him, They Can't Give Him Bills-Without the Bills, Expected Vetoes Are Delayed-Without the Vetoes, Steam Roller of Legislature Must Wait Two Weeks More if It Wants Action Upon Them.

Salem, Or., Feb. 22.-According to present plans both houses will adjourn at 5

Salem, Or., Feb. 22 .- Where is Governor West? And where is Ralph A. Watson, secretary to the governor? ~A distressed and bewildered legislature would like to have definite information, so a few handsful of bills could be

thrust into their keeping. Governor West has not been at the executive office since yesterday afternoon, nor has Watson been there since that time. Today, Washington's birthday, the office is locked and inquiry by telephone at the homes of the governor and his secretary brought the information that both are out of town. The governor's whereabouts were not

evealed, but Watson is said to be in Portland for medical treatment, The significant part of all this is that either the governor or his secre tary are the ones to receipt for bills passed by the legislature when the measures are ready for signature, and governor has five days from the time bills are received to approve, file or veto. Until they are received the fiveday period, of course, does not begin. in the governor's and Watson's absence the other office help has instruc-

tions not to sign for bills. Now He's in It, Now He Ain't. Once more it is demonstrated that nore than one can play at the game of "putting in the hole." Yesterday Speaker McArthur and the organization leaders generally were exulting over

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# COLUMBIA RIVER BRIDGE PASSES SENATE; BOTH OREGON HOUSES HAVE INDORSED HUGE PROJECT

Twenty-four of 28 Vote for Interstate Span, Upstate Senators Uniting With Those From Multnomah County in Heralding Great Acomplishments.

terstate bridge to link the highways of the sister states of Oregon and Washington between Portland and Vancouver.

vote was a love feast, in which the men from Multuomah and the men from far off in other parts of the state pledged themselves allke to a project that they equally recognized as of state importance and one of the great forward steps in the development of Oregon.

Chairman Moser, as chairman of the Multnomah delegation, had the opening of the debate and told the outside senators Multnomah is not asking of them anything unusual and that Multnomah has always been broad enough to deal fairly with other parts of the state in the past.

"This is not a Multnomah measure, he said. "It is for the benefit of the

# WOODWORK OF VESSEL FED TO THE FURNACES

(United Press Leased Wire.) Halifax, N. S., Feb. 22.—So fierce and continuous were the gales encountered by the steamer Basiscan on her three weeks voyage from Antwerp that consumed in mid-ocean, and to save the British government fully realizes for said they might yet used to be fed with timber chopped from and will continue the consulate there. many letters of explanation to the woodwork of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the light of the ship by the core in the consulate there. had to be fed with timber chopped from the woodwork of the ship by the crew. By using this fuel they succeeded in hringing the Basiscan to safe anchorage in Halifax harbor last night.

The commercial importance of Portland and will continue the consulate there. Incidentally he expressed his appreciation of assurances conveyed by the sentence in Halifax harbor last night.

whole state. It is an enabling act and Saiem, Or., Feb. 22.-With an over- it is eminently fair. All we are asking whelming voice the senate last night is that Multnomah may retain from her added its indorsement to the great in- share of taxes due the state an amount necessary to meet the deficiency be tween the revenue produced by bridge and the yearly interest on the bonds. The interest will not be more The speechmaking that preceded the than \$70,000 a year at the most, and of that sum, \$25,000 will be paid by Multnomah county anyway.'

President Malarkey followed, taking the floor for a convincing talk along the same line, in which he reminded his include all the private stenographers of colleagues from over the state that Multnomah deals fairly and expects to be dealt with fairly in return Next came Thompson of Lake, who

gained a round of applause by declaring (Continued on Page Five.)

# BRITISH CONSULATE TO REMAIN IN PORTLAND

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Feb. 22.-British Am bassador Bryce bas set at rest rumors that Great Britain would remove the consulate vacant by the recent death of Consul Laidlaw from Portland to Seattle. Responding to an inquiry made at the instance of the Portland Chamber of Commerce Bryce informs - Senator Chamberlain that there is no

Best Pacific Coast Penitentiary" Found by Committee After Examination of All Funds and Departments.

PRISONERS ARE SATISFIED: PAROLE PLAN IS PRAISED

Even Much Criticized Brickyard Is Found to Redound to Credit of Governor.

(Staff Correspondence.)
Salem, Or., Feb. 22.—A majority report signed by three of the five members of the legislative committee to investigate the penitentiary, in which Governor West's policy at the prison is upheld in every respect, including the expenditures of the so-called revolving fund and the operation of the prison brickyard, was filed in both house and

senate this morning. The report is made by Representa-tive Sam. Laughlin and Senators Hollis and Ragsdale, who refused absolutely yesterday to concur in the report made by the minority of the committee Representatives Lewelling and Smith. The latters' minority report, while upholding the governor's policy with regard to prisoners, sought to hold him up to censure in connection with the revolving fund and prison brickyard.

All Investigated Together. Both majority and minority members made the same investigation at the same time. Lewelling, one of the minority members and a former penitentiary guard, while disclaiming any per feeling against the governor, has consistently opposed him in the house throughout the session, and in speeches has attacked his prison ideas. Smith, the other minority member, is in the steam roller faction, which has tried consistently to put the governor "in the hole," all through the session.

A fight on purely factional issues is likely over the adoption of majority or minority reports. As the organization controls the house, the adoption of the minority report is considered likely

The majority report follows in full: "The undersigned members of the ttee appointed by the pres dent of the senate and speaker of the house, under joint resolution No. 8, for the purpose of investigating and inq ing into the condition of the Oregon state penitentiary, beg leave to submit

"We desire to say in the beginning that owing to the unusual press of the business of the house and the senate during the past 40 days it has been impossible for us to give the time and attention to the investigation of the condition and affairs of said prison that should be given to it by any committee to make a thorough and careful investigation. We appreciate the fact that, it is due to the senate and the house of representatives, to the governor, treasurer and secretary, and to the people of this state that a thorough, careful and conscientious investigation be made in order that a comprehensive and thorough report should be presented of the condition as found.

Prisoners Have Little Complaint. "Your committee as a whole made one visit to the institution and spent a part of one day. A part of the committee made a second visit and spent s part of another day. On the occasion of the first vist a cursory examination was made into the books and account of the office of the warden of said

LEGAL HOLIDAY BRINGS KEENEST DISTRESS TO BEVY OF BUSTED ONES

Fired, Broke and Unable to Cash Appropriation Bill-Well, It Is Awful, Mabel.

Salem. Or., Feb. 22.—Fired, broke, no pay-ain't it awful? That is the situation, the condition and the feelings of the three score more of house stenographers and clerks

who were dismissed last night. They the 60 representatives and three super fluous clerks in the various committees. An appropriation bill providing for the pay of the stenographers and clerks of the house and senate was rushed through yesterday, and last night an effort was made to deliver it to the governor for his immediate signature. But it was after office hours and the governor and his private secretary were

not in. There was no one there who would receipt for the bill. This is a legal hollday. The governor's office is closed. The appropria-The stenographers and clerks are still going around with empty pockets and collapsed pocketbooks. They are be-sieging and beseething the secretary of state's office, but without financial results. Some of them had to leave for home and will send back for their pay,

A resolution was in the senate to dis-miss its needless stonographers and clerks tonight, but when it was disered that there was no pay in sight and that horrible complications might area

resolution was laid un the table. the folia at home. The amaches are to be