

CASTRO ATTEMPTS TO INTIMIDATE CASTRO

Dec. 11.—It was officially announced today that the president has warned President Castro that he would be exiled from the country if he made any manifestations calculated to bring public order or should give interviews to journalists, or inaugurate a press campaign against France or in violation of his own attitude or that of the Venezuelan

received the statement quietly and only smiled in his usual manner. Some of his friends said there would be no further news.

Dec. 11.—President Castro left for Paris today. Before his departure he will proceed to Berlin, where he will discuss his grievances against his country.

FIRM IN VENEZUELAN BLOCKADE

Dec. 11.—The Netherlands government has announced its intention of abandoning the blockade of the Venezuelan coast, inaugurated by the three nations last week. The battleship "Albatross" and the cruiser "Albatross" left here today for Venezuela. They have been cleared for action, ready to take part in any hostilities.

WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Dec. 11.—Dec. \$1.00 5-8; May \$1.05 7-8; July 96 1-8.
Portland, Dec. 11.—Wheat unchanged.
Tacoma, Dec. 11.—Wheat unchanged.
The tidal rise and fall on the Pacific side of the Isthmus of Panama is about ten times as much as on the Atlantic side.

RUDEF WILL PROBABLY APPEAL FROM VERDICT

Chief Counsellor Ach May Stave Off Judgment Tomorrow

San Francisco, Dec. 11.—It is certain from the expressions of Henry Ach, Rudef's chief counsel, that an appeal will be taken in the case of Rudef, who yesterday was convicted of bribery of Former Supervisor Pury. Rudef will be arraigned for judgment tomorrow, but whether sentence will be pronounced depends largely upon the action of Rudef's counsel. Prosecution has intimated that Rudef will be tried again in a short time on one of the scores of indictments against him.

PENNSYLVANIA CAPITAL GRAFTERS REFUSED TRIAL

Prayer for New Trial Denied Four Prominent Men

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 11.—A new trial was refused John H. Sanderson, a contractor in the capital conspiracy case, who was convicted of conspiracy with James S. Shoemaker, superintendent of the board of public grounds and buildings, William P. Snyder, former auditor-general of the state, and William L. Mathews, former state treasurer, who were co-defendants with Sanderson, are also refused new trials.

IDAHO SHEEP EARN TEN PER CENT A YEAR

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11.—The wool growers only witness in the tariff hearing today was R. G. Johnson, of Blackfoot, Idaho, who testified that the profit on a flock of sheep in Idaho was 10 per cent, on the average.

ROOSEVELT'S ACTIONS BROUGHT BEFORE CONGRESS

Washington, Dec. 11.—The sub-committee of the committee on appropriations has instituted an inquiry in the matter of raising the old Pennsylvania depot, located on the Mall until last summer, when President Roosevelt ordered it torn down. Colonel Charles S. Bromwell, military aide to the president, when asked, said he had torn the building down on instructions from the president. He stated that he had called the attention of "the higher authorities" to the fact that there was no law to provide for the sale of property of the United States, but that he was ordered to tear down the building. Bromwell stated there was no reason for its removal except to improve the landscape.

The committee also went into the appointment of a commission on country life, "as created without authority of law."

CRITICISM OF PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Washington, Dec. 11.—Representative Perkins, of New York, introduced a resolution that had heretofore been agreed upon, providing for a special committee of five members to consider the proper means of dealing with that portion of the president's message which criticizes the action of congress in prohibiting the detail of secret service men to do duty outside of their own bureaus.

The resolution was adopted and Messrs. Perkins, Denby, Weeks, Williams (Mississippi) and Lloyd were appointed as the committee.

STANDARD OIL ATTORNEYS TIRED OF DEFENSE

May Not Submit Any More Evidence in Government Suit at New York

New York, Dec. 11.—It developed today that the Standard Oil Company may not submit further evidence in its defense to the government suit to have the so-called trust dissolved. The court adjourned abruptly at noon to permit counsel for the defense to determine its course of action before Monday.

NORRIS & ROWE'S CIRCUS BANKRUPT AT SAN FRANCISCO

Norris & Rowe, the circus people so well known in Eugene are bumping the bumps financially, but it is not believed they will abandon the circus business on that account.

Creditors of Clarence I. Norris and Hutton S. Rowe, with headquarters in Santa Clara, Cal., have filed a petition in the United States court at San Francisco asking that the circus be adjudged bankrupt, for the reason that they have admitted their inability to pay their debts and admitted their willingness to be adjudged bankrupt.

Claims of the petitioning creditors are: The Donaldson Lithograph Co., of Newport, Ky., \$4,700 for printing and lithographing; W. P. Fuller & Co., \$170.38 for supplies furnished and the California Baking Co., \$33 for bread furnished. It is stated there are thirty additional creditors whose claims are not represented.

The Norris & Rowe Co. and the Sells-Floto aggregation had it hot and heavy in the Northwest last year and each spent a great sum of money. The rivalry became very bitter and the shows played dates very close to gether, sometimes appearing almost together. Some sort of reorganization will probably be made.

HALF A BILLION FOR IMPROVEMENT OF WATERWAYS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11.—The rivers and harbors committee of congress adjourned finally today, after an adoption of a series of resolutions, the most important of which provided for the issuance of \$500,000,000 bonds by congress for financing of waterway improvements.

OVER 2300 SCHOOL CHILDREN IN EUGENE

The enumerators have finished their work of taking the school census, but their report is not yet ready to hand in, for the reason that some of the schools will have to be checked up. Last year's enumeration showed that there were 2175 school children in Eugene. This year the figure will be over 2300, a good increase for the year.

MARVELOUS ESCAPE OF PASSENGERS

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 10.—The wreck of the westbound North Coast Limited, wrecked at MacKintosh last night, was one of the most marvellous wrecks in railroad annals. Running at fifty miles per hour, the entire train, carrying more than two hundred passengers, turned over and went down a ten-foot embankment, but no one was killed, only a small number being injured. The most seriously hurt were Mrs. H. W. Cullimore, of Seattle, leg injured; Rev. Lavolette, of Aberdeen, Wash., back injured; William Faxon, of Oshkosh, Wis., injured internally; Eugene Aaron Heuser, of Colgate, N. D., ribs broken.

LINE-UP FOR BASKET-BALL GAME TONIGHT

The lineup for the basketball game at the Armory tonight between the Eugene High school and their opponent will be as follows: Eugene—White, Rogers, Adams, and Green; Opponent—Forsythe, Watson and Harbour; Guards, Wood and Cockerill; Center, Home. After the game, which begins sharply at 7:30, there will be a social dance.

YOU KNOW WHAT Hampton's After Supper Sale Means

Going to hold another Whirlwind After Supper Sale, Saturday Evening from 7 till 9 o'clock. Christmas presents at cut prices, just when you want them and expect to pay the regular price. The sale is decisive. Come early, the most desirable is always selected first.

STREET GLOVES \$2.50 Street Gloves, 16 button, undressed kid, in tan, colors, for two hours, 7 to 9, the pair \$1.50 \$1.50 8-button Street Gloves, undressed kid, for two hours, 7 to 9, the pair 90c	BATH ROBES \$15.00 quilted silk Bathrobes—silk lined; a suitable present for Xmas; 7 to 9 price, each \$11.50	BOYS' OVERCOATS \$5.00 and \$6.00 Overcoats for boys; good materials and warm, well-made; 7 to 9 price, each \$3.50
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- EMBROIDERED LINENS**
These are appropriate for the season and moderate in price.
12x12 embroidered Linen Doily, each 75c
18x18 embroidered Linen Centre-piece, each \$1.40
22x32 embroidered Linen Centre-piece, each \$2.00
- ROUND DOILIES AND CENTREPIECES**
6x6 scalloped edge, drawn work border, each 10c
9x9, scalloped edge, drawn work border, each 20c
11x11, scalloped edge, embroidered centres, each \$1.25
- SCARFS**
Embroidered scarfs, hemstitched edges.
18x36, each \$1.40
18x54, each \$3.50
Linen scarf, drawn work and insertion in centre, wide cluny lace edge, 16x45, each \$4.50
Centre-piece to match, 30x30, each \$1.50

SHE WILL REMEMBER THIS CHRISTMAS IF IT BRINGS HER A GORDON FUR

These Gordon Furs are not only up-to-date, but they are a date ahead. In purchasing this make you are assured of quality. We have known them ten years—they are the best. We have furs for \$1.50, or better and larger ones up to, each \$35.00



- UMBRELLAS FOR MEN OR WOMEN ARE HERE BRIGHT TAND NEW**
What could you give that would be more useful? No matter what you pay you will get the very highest quality right here in this big, well-stocked store. We can sell you one for 50c or up to \$10 or \$20.
- SILK WAIST PATTERNS**
There is an advantage of exclusiveness in purchasing these new arrivals. They come in 5-yard lengths, stripes and several colors; the pattern \$6.00
- PRETTY WHITE APRONS**
Made of fine lawn or dotted Swiss; others fine cambric; useful present for any woman. Round afternoon apron, ruffled lace edge, each, 25c, 35c, 50c and 60c
Long wide apron, bib straps over shoulders, ea. 35c, 60c

Nothing With Quality in Every Garment---Style in Every Seam

If you wear this kind of goods you are sure to be a well-dressed man. Look just as well as anybody, anywhere. Any store for clothing, but this store for good clothing. You'll find this true in every garment on our counters. Clothing like a good Xmas present, either a suit for \$6.50 or ones up to the top notchers at \$30.00. But we have a store full of men's furnishings.

- Gordon**
Put a Gordon hat on your head and you have reached the limit of hat goodness. Each \$3.00
- Coats**
If you wear a sweater there is comfort in every motion. Each 75c to \$5.00
- Boys' Clothing**
Indispensable to solid comfort: how about one for Christmas? Each \$4.50 to \$6.00
- Men's Sox**
A heavy pair of wool socks is a good gift for Christmas. Each \$1.00 to \$2.00
- Combinations**
We sell rain coats that will shed rain; that's the kind you want. Each \$12 to \$25
- Boys' Clothing**
Among the good makes of boys' clothing will be found Mrs. Jane Hopkins' Boy-Proof kind; suit, \$2.50 to \$6
- Men's Sox**
Fancy wool, plain sock, wool sock; see our sock every man in Eugene will stock. In our larger prices, 42 1/2c, 25c, 50c
- Combinations**
A set consisting of pattern suspenders and arm band, all made in U.S.A. 75c and \$1.50
- Golf Gloves**
No set is a good pair of golf gloves for \$5.00, the pair 25c and 50c
- Ties for Everybody**
Ties, Four-in-hand ties, new shades, few patterns, new goods, crisp and snappy. Each 25c and 50c
- Silk Handkerchiefs**
The fine washable kind, with wide, hemstitched borders; each 50c, 75c and \$1
- Silk Umbrellas**
Fine silk Umbrellas; fancy handles, no better goods made; each \$1.00 to \$2.00
- Fancy Shirts**
Large assortment from which in person; you can be fitted here; each \$1 to \$2.50
- Stetson Hats**
A Stetson hat is the well-known hat description; we have them \$4 to \$8

Hampton Bros.
558-564 Willamette St.
WHERE CASH BEATS CREDIT

- BOYS' CLOTHING**
If the boy needs a suit, why not buy it for Xmas \$1.50 to \$10.00
- NIGHT ROBES**
Make useful presents. Buy one for them from 50c to \$1.25