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HONEYMOON IN THE CLOUDS IS THEIR PLAN

Chicago, Dec. 28.—A honeymoon in the clouds, says the Record-Herald today, is the remarkable arrangement for a wedding trip made by Charles A. Coey, prominent in automobile circles and an enthusiastic aeronaut. His marriage with Miss Carrie Hume Lewis, of Kansas City, Mo., will take place in that city next Saturday morning. Mr. Coey shipped his immense balloon, the Chicago, and his de luxe automobile, to Los Angeles a week ago. Immediately after the marriage ceremony, Mr. Coey and his bride will start for California, where they will spend two months in motoring and making balloon ascensions.

CASE AGAINST PUTER IS DISMISSED

Salem, Dec. 28.—The three state land fraud cases pending against S. A. D. Puter were dismissed today on motion of District Attorney McNary. The statute provides that applications for the purchase of state land must be sworn to before a notary public or a County Clerk. The applications which were fraudulent which were alleged to be of the clerk of the State Land Board.

Mr. McNary said that after investigating the question thoroughly he is convinced that this affidavit does not constitute perjury, and therefore he would dismiss the case.

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Politics and Politicians

Speakers of national reputation will address the Lincoln Republican Club of St. Paul at its annual banquet in February.

Warre Gust, the new governor of Iowa, a native of Ohio. He began life being a general merchandise store and afterward was a farmer and later.

The election of Theodore E. Burton appears to leave Myron T. Merrick of Ohio and Postmaster-General Meyerje most promising possibilities for the Treasury portfolio.

In New Hampshire, as a result of the November elections, there will be but 25 "towns, out of a total of 230 after N 1 of next year.

The Senrrial contests to be decided by the State legislature meeting in Jansy have narrowed down to the open Ohio, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Indiana.

Representive James F. Burke of Pittsburg, one of the prominent candidates for seat of Senator Knox in 41 years, a graduate of the University Michigan and a lawyer by profession.

This year, 554 women registered in Boston vote for school committee. Twenty-nine years ago, when the plea of voting at these election was granted to women, only 900 voted, and for the following years the average was only 1000.

George Wickersham, who has been mentid for the position of Attorney-General in the Taft cabinet, is a prominent New York lawyer. His most recent connection of public interest was work as counsel for the receivers of the Knickerbocker Trust Company.

The six Democrats of Indiana who aspire to that of United States Senator Highway are John W. Kern, late cldate for Vice-President; State ator T. E. Black of Franklin, for Congressman Benjamin F. Shif of South Bend, John E. Lamb of Elletts, Major G. V. Menzies of St. Vernon and Edward G. Hoff of Fort Wayne.

While the is of thirty-one Senators, more one-third of the entire body, who are on March 4 next, eighteenth number already have been elected or assured of reelection, or by primary contests or by pea of a majority of the members of the several state legislatures led with the duty of electing sens before the beginning of the Congress.

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NIGHT RIDERS CASE NEARING END

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 28.—After a three day's adjournment, the trial of the eight alleged Night Riders indicted for the murder of Captain Rankin, was resumed today. The state completed its evidence today. All of the witnesses for the defense are in the city and the courtroom was crowded with men from the Lake region. The defense asked that the witness, Thomas Cloar, who was on the stand last week, be recalled, as some valuable information had been learned in regard to his testimony.

Walter Hoyt, a fisherman from near Samburg, told of Ed Burton receiving a letter from the Night Riders telling him to attend a meeting that night or they would hang him. The Night Riders paid Hoyt a visit on the night of May 23 and he recognized Garrett Johnson as the leader.

Will Rogers, from near Clayton, was introduced to corroborate the story told by Fehringer, detailing the route taken by him in assembling the band for the Walnut Long Raid.

After the defense had rested the defense asked that the court withdraw all of the evidence from the jury pertaining to other raids than the killing of Captain Rankin. Judge Jones expressed his doubt on the matter and stated that he would render his decision later.

LAST CIVIL WAR VETERAN WILL DIE IN 1950

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Veterans of the Civil War will become extinct in 1950, according to Past Commander G. F. Bassett.

"There will be 347 veterans alive in 1940," he says, "and two years later the number will be reduced to 23. The last survivor will die in 1950. This is the conclusion of men who are competent to estimate the length of human life."

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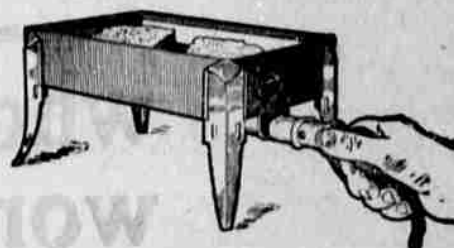
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