The Times-Lerald.

WEDNESDAY MARCH, 10 1897

Extra Session Called.

Washington, Mach 6 .- The president has issued the following proc-

States of America - A proclamation:

quire that the congress of the Unit- they write. The article in the ed Sates should be convened in March Cosmopolitan on "The extra session at 12 o'clock on the 15th day of March, 1896, to receive dent of one of the largest banks of such cammunication as may be New York -- a man of widest busimade by the executive.

States of America, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary occasion requires the congress of the United States to con vene ia extra session at the capitol in the city of Washington on the 15th day of March, 1996, at 12 o'cleck noon, of which all persons at that time entitled to act as members thereof are hereby required to take notice.

Given under my hand and the seal of the United States at Washington the 6th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety senven and of the independence of the United States the one hunnred and twenty-first.

WILLIAM M'KINLEY. By the president:

JOHN SHERMAN, Secretary of State.

Fone-Legged Traders.

There is a mouse in Florida locally known as the trading mouse. It is commonly a wood mouse, but it quiekly adapts itself to human habitation. A colony of such mice carried two bushels of shelled bear s 30 feet during six nigh s recently, and replaced the beans with seed pods of a weed. Jewelry, too, has been taken by these little traders. O e woman on the east cost of Florida at an Indian river winter re ort found a number of seeds instead of a pair of earrings that she LOWEST RATES had left on the bureau. A search in the place where the seeds had | ban kapt disclosed the earrings

A man who had a box of poker chips in his room in an open topped box, was surprised to find in their stead a string of prayer beads, a small crucifix and a number of shells. He started an investigation immediately. A priest who had roomed near by was equally puzzled by finding the poker chips in his room

It is generally believed that the trading mouse learns its curious & N. agent, at Baker City, or ad ways by robling squirrels and blue dress, jays of nuts laid by for future use.

Literary Notes.

The most intensely interesting E McNEIL, President and Mangr. peopleof the world just at this moment are the millions of famine ane plague stsicken Indir. But little is known of this region by the people of the United States. Such reports as come to us are the things s en through 3 itssh glasses. What has been the effect of British rule in India? Why these terrible famines? Why plagues? Julian Hawthorne has been sent by THE COSMOPOLITAN MAGAZINE to India

to obtain answers to these questions at first hand and depict the situa- by local applications, as they cantion as it appears to an American. The March Cosmopolitan contains the first of what is probably the most important series of articles ever presented in this magazine. Nothing has been published which gives an adequate idea of the larger operations of business -- at least By the president of the United nothing by the class of men fitted for such work by thorough famili-Whereas, Public interests re- arity with the subjects of which Method of Banking," by the Presiness experience--former Postmast-Now, therefere, I, William Mc er-General James-is one which Kinley, president of the United every person, however humble his clerkship or high his place in the constitute a very complete course circulars, free. of business training, and every young man just entaring business life and every old man will alike find it of immense value.

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