

Queen Elizabeth of Belgium Is Seriously Ill In Brussels Palace.



BIG CHANGES FOR HARRIMAN CHIEFS

Lovett Will Travel, Inspecting Lines, and Kruttschnitt Will Manage System—Seven Get a Shove Up the Ladder.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 7.—Local officials of the Southern Pacific have information of impending changes in the Harriman lines.

According to unofficial information from those who are on the inside in railroad affairs, the following is the list of important changes which will take place on January 1: Judge Lovett, present chief of the Harriman lines, will remain at the head of the railroad system, but will spend his time traveling and inspecting the roads.

Julius Kruttschnitt, head of the operating department at present, will succeed to the position of Judge Lovett as resident chief of the Harriman lines in New York.

H. J. Small, superintendent of motive power of the Southern Pacific, will succeed to the position left vacant by Kruttschnitt.

T. W. Heinzelman, superintendent of motive power of the Sacramento division, will be appointed to Small's present position.

L. S. Pratt, master mechanic at the local Southern Pacific shops, will succeed Heinzelman.

Deck Bear, foreman of road engines on the coast division, is slated to succeed Pratt.

TAFT NOW GOOD TO INSURGENTS

Consults With Progressives Regarding Appointment to the Supreme Bench—Cummins Called to White House for Second Time.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7.—A conference of the insurgents in the senate and a probable consultation between them and the leaders of the house progressives is expected today over the appointment of justices to the supreme court of the United States.

Senator Cummins of Iowa, leader of the senate progressives, who called a second time at the White House yesterday to confer with President Taft, was given a list of the men considered by the president for the positions. Cummins will consult the president if the list is considered acceptable by the progressives.

Taft's evident wish to allow the insurgents to have a voice in the selection means, according to the politicians, not only that he wishes to unite all factions of the party, but that he recognizes the strength of the insurgents and desires to avoid a clash in the senate, especially over the question of appointments. It is thought that the insurgents will exercise a vital influence in naming the justices.

The program on which the insurgents are said to have fixed is the elevation of Charles E. Hughes to the chief justiceship and the appointment of George Pepper, who was counsel for Clifford Pluchet before the congressional investigating committee, to the other vacancy on the supreme bench. While it is believed they have determined not to yield on the question of Pepper if the president wishes to appoint some other man whose affiliations they regard as satisfactory.

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GRAY HAIRS BANISHED.

The old idea of using sage for darkening the hair is again coming in vogue. Our grandmothers used to have dark, glossy hair at the age of seventy-five, while our mothers have white hair before they are fifty. Our grandmothers used to make a "sage tea" and apply it to their hair. The tea made their hair soft and glossy and gradually restored the natural color. One objection to using such a preparation was the trouble of making it, especially as it had to be made every two or three days on account of its scouring quality. This objection has been overcome and by asking almost any first-class druggist for Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur the public can get a superior preparation of sage, with the admixture of sulphur, another valuable remedy for hair and scalp troubles. Daily use of this preparation will not only quickly restore the color of the hair but will also stop the hair from falling out and make it grow. It is sold by all druggists for 50c and \$1.00 a bottle, or is sent direct by the Wyeth Chemical Company, 74 Cortlandt St., New York City, upon receipt of price.

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WOMEN VOTE; TOWN GOES DRY

Politicians Not Afraid of Suffrage Now—Third of Votes Polled Were Those of the Fair Sex—Many Voted for Saloons.

ANACORTES, Wash., Dec. 7.—Women's votes are not so feared by politicians in Anacortes today, following yesterday's city election in which the city went wet by a two to one vote. The dries had waged an interesting campaign and relied much upon the feminine vote to swing the city into the thirsty column.

Approximately 950 ballots were cast. Of this number 316 were polled by women, who were recently enfranchised by a proclamation of the governor. The election yesterday carried by a majority of over 200.

Watchers at the polls reported that a large number of women voted wet. It was expected that they would be almost unanimous for prohibition, so the result was surprising to wets and dries alike.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7.—If the California boosters are as successful with the old guard in congress as Governor-elect Hiram Johnson has been with the insurgents, there will be no question as to the selection of San Francisco as the site for the Panama exposition in 1915, according to the politicians here today.

Johnson has been working 24 hours a day rounding up the support of the insurgent senators and congressmen who hold the balance of power. The progressive senators arranged several informal meetings at which all the insurgents could

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In the course of the morning session of the congress the delegates were addressed by President Taft and by the ambassador from Mexico.

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