

PLAN RAILROAD FROM BOISE, IDAHO TO SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—A complete right of way to this city for the Butte, Boise & San Francisco Railway company has been obtained, according to a statement of L. O. Leonard, president of the company, made public here today.

The surmise is offered by local financiers and railroad men that Leonard's backers are backing the option, announced this week, on the controlling stock of the Ocean Shore railroad that runs out of San Francisco thirty-four miles south along the shore.

This Leonard refused to discuss, but said he expected to make San Francisco one end of a railroad, the complete right of way for which had been obtained.

"Our original estimate," said Leonard in discussing the matter late yesterday, "were for a steam railroad. They called for an expenditure of \$20,000,000 to build from Boise, Idaho, to Butte, Mont., and \$27,000,000 to extend the line from Butte to San Francisco. It may be that we will decide to electrify the road, which would require new estimates. Whether we do will depend largely upon the result of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul's experiment with an electrified division.

"There are no grades of more than 2 per cent, and I believe that with electric help at the base of these grades the problem of electrically driven locomotives would not be difficult."

The Butte, Boise & San Francisco railroad is incorporated in Montana for \$125,000,000.

"THE LABYRINTH" AT PAGE THEATER TONIGHT



GAIL KANE IN "THE LABYRINTH"

Gail Kane, the late star of "Seven Keys to Baldpate," will be presented here tonight and tomorrow at the Page in the most fascinating character she has ever played in "The Labyrinth," a visualization of Henry Chaudler's tale of an actress and the life she lives and molds.

STEVENSON'S LETTERS SELL FOR \$83,116

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—If Robert Louis Stevenson could have sold his letters in his lifetime at such prices as they brought at their sale here, he could have spent his later years in comfort without having to depend upon his literary efforts. The total sum derived from the sale of Stevenson's letters, books, manuscripts and paintings was \$83,116. They were the property of Mrs. Salisbury Field, of Santa Barbara, Cal. One letter describing Stevenson's visit to the Shetland islands, written when he was 19 years old, brought \$287.

BEDOUINS SEEKING BRITISH PROTECTION

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Reuter's Cairo correspondent says that many eastern tribes of Bedouins are seeking protection of the British authorities owing to a violent dispute between the western and eastern tribes, which are hereditary enemies. Both joined in the recent fighting against the British, in which the eastern tribes suffered severe losses. Subsequently the conflict among the tribes arose and the easterners are now flocking to the Egyptian refuge camps.

Why Smoke Bit Cigars When La Gondas are only 10c.

AUSTRALIANS DUELL MUTING OF HINDU TROOPS IN EGYPT

BRITON, Feb. 18.—A mutiny of Hindu troops in Egypt is reported by the Cologne Volks Zeitung as quoted by the Overseas News agency. It is said an entire regiment mutinied, killing twelve officers, including a major, and that other Hindu troops went over to the mutineers. After a battle of two hours, it is said, the mutinous troops were routed. The news agency statement follows:

"The Cologne Volks Zeitung publishes a report received from reliable sources in Cairo that strong opposition has developed among the Hindu troops to the British. A captain of the Australian troops named Brown on January 10 shot two Mohammedan servants, who had made a mistake, the Gazette says. Two Hindus who witnessed the incident, killed the captain with a bayonet.

"The whole regiment then mutinied. A majority of the officers saved themselves by flight, but twelve of them, including the commander of the regiment and a major, were killed.

"Other Hindu troops were sent to suppress the uprising, but refused to fire on the mutineers, to whom part of them went over. After two hours of fighting with Australian regiments, part of the mutineers fled into the desert. The others were killed or wounded.

"There have been other cases of mutiny, but the British have prevented publication of the details."

BERLIN, Feb. 18.—The Cologne Volks Zeitung says that Major General Sir John Maxwell, commander of the British forces in Egypt, has ordered the withdrawal of Mohammed-

an troops from the Suez canal and their transportation to another war theater where they will not fight against other Mohammedans. It is said there have been frequent desertions among these troops.

WANT MILLIONS FOR RUSSIAN RELIEF WORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—An appeal was issued here today by the American hospital and ambulance in Russia for \$2,250,000 for the equipment of a ship for the Russian army. Among the signers of the appeal are Robert L. Bacon, Nicholas Murray Butler, Robert McCormick, Alton B. Parker and Theodore Roosevelt, Jr.

HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED FROM COLD

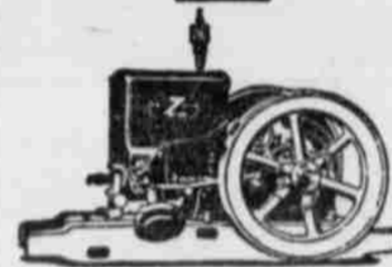
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MANY APPLES STILL IN COLD STORAGE

The office of markets and rural organization of the United States department of agriculture, in a report just distributed, shows that there are yet held in cold storage 75,981 boxes of apples of the Oregon crop of 1915, up to February 1, this year. This is 28.3 per cent of the entire crop, so far as reports received enabled the department to form the estimate. In Washington the per cent is much greater, 361,365 boxes being held in cold storage on February 1, or 77.8 per cent of the entire crop of that state for 1915.

Of the entire apple crop of the country for 1915, the report states that 14.8 per cent more of apples are held in cold storage on February 1, this year, than on the same date last year. The barreled apple holdings this year show an excess of 33.6 over those of last year, while the boxed apple holdings are 25.2 per cent below those of last year.

The eagerness for data concerning the apple holdings of the country is shown in the fact that the number of responses to the department's inquiry this year is 136 over the number reporting on February 1, 1915.

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