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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE TO BE CALLED

More in God We Trust to Appear on American Coins Says Teddy

EDDY TUMBLES AN IDOL

END OF DOLLAR

People to Become Irreverent These Days of Clearing House Tickets and Paper Money.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Nov. 13.—"In God we trust" will not appear upon any United States coin, despite all that President Roosevelt has said in a long letter in which he explains his reason. He says in part: "Feeling in the matter is due to a firm conviction that to put the motto on the coins does no good. It is in effect an irreverence which comes dangerously close to sacrilege. The sentiment in it should be treated and uttered with fine reverence, imparting an exaltation of spirit. It is inscribed on the great monuments, temples of justice

and legislative halls and buildings. It is unwise to cheapen the motto by its use on our coins. I never heard anybody speak reverently of the motto on coins. Hundreds of times I have heard it used as an occasion of sneering ridicule. I will order it put on our coins, if congress so orders."

THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL

Deal Is Being Investigated in the Federal Courts.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Nov. 13.—Before Judge Hough, of the U. S. circuit court, today, the Interstate Commerce Commission renewed its fight to make Harriman answer the questions regarding his alleged speculation in Union Pacific and Illinois Central stock. Harriman was not in court. The latest feature of the case was the appearance of former Senator Spooner as one of Harriman's counsel. United States District Attorney Stimson contended that the commission was really acting as a congressional committee, with power sufficiently broad to warrant the asking of the questions. In a brief filed this morning Harriman's attorneys held that the questions relate to the client's personal affairs.

Western Bank Clearings.
Portland, Nov. 13.—Clearings, \$879,679; balances \$50,462.
Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 13.—Clearings, \$798,830; balances, \$26,491.

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25c fleece lined Winter Coats, pair

15c

giving Table Linens,

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Children's \$3.95 Bear Skin Coats, special price now..... \$2.45
Misses' \$6.90 Coats now..... \$4.50
Ladies' \$3.95 Trimmed Hats now..... \$2.45



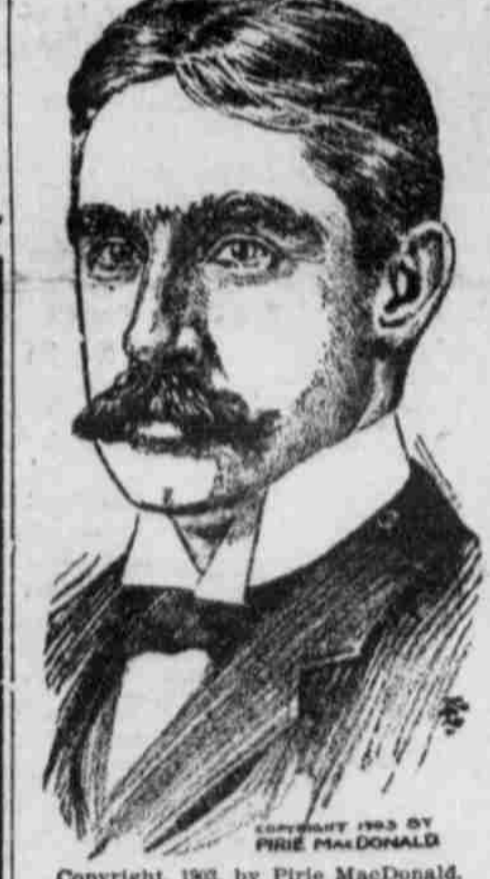
We show a grand selection of ladies' up-to-date Coats and Suits in all the new colors—cardinal, brown, navy and green. We can give you prices on ladies' Coats and suits that you will find mighty hard to beat in this part of the world.

PORTLAND GETTING STEADY

WORST IS NOW OVER

Bank Examiner Gatch Declares There Are No Stronger Banks in the Country Than Those of Oregon

Portland, Or., Nov. 13.—Despite the temporary suspension of the Merchants' National yesterday, the financial situation in Portland is very steady, and depositors have accepted the situation with a sanity and calmness that is greatly to their credit. Yesterday the city was nervous and uncertain, but the prompt action of the suspended bank's officials in declaring the solvency of



OAKLEIGH THORNE.
President of the Trust Company of America, New York, which successfully resisted a run lasting several days, in the course of which the company paid out many millions of dollars to depositors.

the institution and mutual desire of all the depositors of the city to protect each other stifled any incipient run, and in the end deposits in many of the banks far exceeded the withdrawals. The resumption of wheat purchases by the Portland mills and the constant incoming flow of gold has also gone far toward relieving the anxiety of the people. Outside of Portland the suspension of the Merchants' National created no alarm.

Vancouver, Wash., banks had a quiet day, while the banks of Salem are in a position to meet anything.

Bank Examiner Claud Gatch left Medford last night for Portland. He reported the banks of Medford in excellent shape, and still doing business on a cash basis. Gatch declared in an interview that there were no stronger banks in the country at present than those of Oregon.

Los Angeles Issues Scrip.
Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 13.—Another \$1,000,000 of Los Angeles clearing house scrip was sent into circulation today by local clearing house banks, bringing the total of this money medium in local circulation up to \$2,000,000. However, the issuing of the second million is entirely for the purpose of immediately retiring the currency issue of \$1,000,000 because of the peculiar erroneous belief that the first issue of scrip can be easily counterfeited. The new scrip, which will appear today, is an interesting bit of lithographing

Killed by an Auto.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Sawtelle, Cal., Nov. 13.—Rodney P. Alger, aged 70, was struck and probably fatally injured last evening by an automobile driven by Mrs. A. K. Ternan, of Los Angeles. Alger was crossing the street and was run down by the automobile while the machine was being steered so as to escape striking a bicycle rider.

Lumber Workers Killed.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Los Angeles, Nov. 13.—M. G. Sheehan and Juan Narado were instantly killed about midnight at Arcadia while unloading a car of lumber to be used in the construction of "Lucky" Baldwin's race track grand stand. The men were pinned under a mass of lumber.

BEHEADS FAITHLESS COUPLE

Millionaire Banker Stumbles Upon An Idea Which Results In a Double Decapitation

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Rome, Nov. 13.—Banker Bertoni, many times a millionaire, was arrested here today charged with killing his wife and her rich admirer, Zerbati. The bodies were found in a road leading from Zerbati's villa, in the suburb of Albano, near Rome, both nearly beheaded.

Across the road and between the trees was stretched a wire, which the couple struck while dashing along in an automobile. The car was wrecked in the ditch. Bertoni admits the killing, and says that he is proud of his skill. Public opinion is on his side, and he will probably escape the penalty.

Last night he followed his wife to Zerbati's villa and heard them plan a trip to Rome. He first decided to shoot them, but had no weapon. His stumbling over a grape vine suggested the wire. The millionaire stretched the wire and waited, making sure that both were dead before returning to Rome.

FORMER CONVICT SUSPECTED

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 13.—The body of little 7-year-old Clementina Nahu, daughter of Captain Nahu, was found yesterday terribly cut and gashed, the victim of the foulest crime in the history of British Columbia. Her head had been crushed by a steel wedge and her body gashed with two razors, which were found near the corpse. The child had been missing since Saturday afternoon, when she left home to go into North Vancouver for some groceries. In the search for the body the entire provincial police and hundreds of citizens were engaged. A negro, a former convict, is suspected, but no arrests have been made so far.

Torpedo Factory Has Fatal Explosion
Brander, O., Nov. 13.—An employe named Washburn was blown to pieces. William Cisco and Hugh Easton were fatally injured today when the plant of the Hercules Torpedo Company, located a mile east of this city, was completely demolished by an explosion. The loss is heavy.

The Stork in Italy.
(United Press Leased Wire.)
Rome, Nov. 13.—The queen of Italy has given birth to a daughter. Both mother and child are doing well. The new princess will be named Giovanna.

GOLDEN STATE SOLONS

WILL BE CALLED ON

State Has Many Financial Institutions That Need Protection and Governor Gillette Feels Called Upon to Take Action.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Nov. 13.—"Unless some unforeseen change should occur within the next few days, materially relieving the financial stringency, I shall call a special session of the legislature to convene the first of next week."

Governor Gillette made this statement yesterday afternoon before he left for Sacramento.

"Nearly everyone whom I have yet seen has urged the calling of the special session," the governor said.



OSCAR ERBSBLOEH.
German aviator, who won the James Gordon Bennett cup in the international balloon races at St. Louis by his flight of 8700 miles in the balloon Pommern.

"The commercial bankers are anxious to have it, and the savings banks, while they do not feel the same immediate necessity, yet many of them, as the Hibernian, have large amounts of taxes to pay on the property they hold, and they are of the same mind with the other bankers as to the advisability of taking this action before the 25th.

"If the legislature were to convene on the first of the week—and it would certainly be before Wednesday—it should be finished with all the special business before Saturday night."

Extend Tax Collection.
Probably the only matters included in the call, and consequently the only ones on which the legislature could act at the special session will be the extension of the delinquent tax period of 60 or 90 days, the amendment of the codes permitting the courts to try certain cases during the holidays; the amendments to the charter of this city permitting the city and county treasurer to deposit public funds in the banks, and providing for a new bond issue, bearing a rate of interest not to exceed 5 per cent, and the impeachment of Railroad Commissioner Andrew Wilson.

San Francisco Recovers.
It was prophesied by a leading local banker last night that San Francisco would emerge from the present flurry with flying colors, even before New York gets back to normal business. This outcome is made prob-

able by the fact that men who have been hoarding money in safe deposit vaults are now seeking investments that will return them interest on their gold. In order to do this they have been obliged to take their coin from the hiding places, and some of it has already reached the banks in the course of the transactions.

'Frisco Nearly Normal.
Advices from the East are that the amounts due San Francisco are being reduced by transfer and otherwise, and it is estimated that the gold due San Francisco does not exceed one-half the figure of ten days ago. What with the loosening up of the New York money market and the bringing out of the gold hidden in the local safe deposit vaults, the banking business of San Francisco has taken on a most encouraging aspect within the past three days. So great has been the improvement in the financial status that some of the leading bankers are already earnestly discussing the advisability of proceeding on a perfectly normal basis at an early date.

Bluebacks and Graybacks.
The clearing house certificates of deposit are still in good demand. The bluebacks in denominations of \$20, \$10 and \$5, are in use in the larger trade.

The \$1 grayback is popular in the smaller transactions and in the meeting of payrolls. As these issues of paper certificates are backed by gilt-edged securities, deposited with the clearing house to insure their redemption by the banks using them, their stability is such that there is even a demand for them for use of payrolls in the mines of Nevada.

VICTIMS OF HIGH FINANCE

Banker Walsh Being Hauled Over the Coals—What Is Doing in Other Celebrated Cases

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Chicago, Nov. 13.—Prosecutor Childs today outlined the government's charges of "high finance," to be made against Banker Walsh. He will charge Walsh, through Frederick McLean, former assistant cashier of the Chicago National Bank, who obtained \$2,900,000 from his three banks, with accepting McLean's notes for as much as \$150,000 in one day. McLean's salary was less than \$5000, and the money obtained in most cases was in notes of \$75,000 each, and were turned over to Walsh, who used it in building his railroads. Walsh accepted McLean's notes as collateral. It is further charged that the insolvency of one bank was concealed by the shifting of the assets of the other two. This was discovered by the simultaneous examination made by national and state examiners.

Killed by an Engine.
(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Dimas, Cal., Nov. 13.—Fred E. Krohn was run down and instantly killed and his remains were horribly mutilated last night by a wild engine which was running at a terrific speed without any headlight.

Krohn was engineer on a steam shovel two miles east of San Dimas. He was returning from town on a speeder, when the engine ran him down.

Stranger Found Dead.
Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 13.—With an ugly bullet wound through his temple and a revolver clutched in his right hand, the body of a well-dressed man apparently 30 years old, was found in a box car on the Santa Fe tracks yesterday afternoon. He had been dead probably eight hours when discovered, and had no mark to show who he was or where he came from.