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COMPLETE CONSERVATION.

"Heretofore, the only thing that has not been utilized by the packers has been the sequel; in this age of conservation, President Taft is making them use that." Thus tersely and wittily does a correspondent of The Missoulian size up the prosecution of the meat trust by the administration in the endeavor to correct the abuses which have developed through the operations of this great combination.

INSPECTION IS NECESSARY.

In the high wind of last Sunday night a structure was wrecked in Missoula which had been intended for use as a roller skating rink. It is said that the building was not strong enough; that its framework was of four-by-fours, placed four feet apart. If this is the case, it is fortunate that the test of the building's strength came before it was occupied by a crowd of skaters; had the collapse come when a throng was upon the floor, the results would have been terrible.

TARIFF REGULATION.

Writing in the current number of the North American Review, Judge Grosscup under the caption, "Prosperity with Justice—Working Toward a Solution," in an earnest way discusses some of our present-day problems. Suggestive remedies are offered for some existing evils; the following which have bearing upon the tariff regulation, are especially interesting: "First—Let there be a valuation of each of the railway properties (I take the railway properties as an illustration only), rejecting the cost of reproduction as the measure, but taking as the measure what it fairly cost to bring these railroads to their present condition. Add to this, as time goes on, the cost of extensions and such improvements as ought to go to a capital account; and upon the capital that the two thus constitute—a capital that is definite—allow returns at a definite given rate, after making provision for depreciation, maintenance and the improvements that are rightly chargeable to operation and not to capital account."

percentage of such savings (the maximum to be definite), as also possibly for a security fund against the "lean years," this maximum also to be definitely fixed; allow the employee's insurance and the old-age pension fund another percentage; and the employee's investment account another percentage, to be invested for them and as their property (the apportionment to be according to age and length of service) in any authorized future issues of securities of the carrier for extensions or improvements.

A GOOD OUTLOOK.

Henry Clews, in his weekly letter under date of last Saturday, finds much in the business outlook that is encouraging. Summing up the situation, Mr. Clews says: "General business, though quiet as usual at this season, is fairly active. A much more conservative tone prevails than existed at the opening of the year, and both jobbers and retailers are conducting their operations upon a hand-to-mouth basis, fearing to carry large stocks under present conditions. This is wholesome, although it leaves manufacturers in a somewhat perplexed state of mind. Labor troubles are more or less unsettling, and sometimes embarrassing, but must be considered as part of the process of readjustment which is steadily going on. The better compensation to labor is not begrudged by those able to afford it, but is, nevertheless, recognized as placing the country more firmly upon a high-price level, from which it will be the more difficult to recede when reaction arrives. Clearing house returns are running 20 to 25 per cent ahead of last year, and part of this increase must be attributed to the higher level of prices. Railroad earnings, both gross and net, showed some shrinkage in December and also in January. This, however, was largely due to the interruption of traffic by bad weather conditions and a consequent increase in expenditures. In the iron trade there is some improvement, and with the approach of spring, which is not far distant, there will unquestionably be a resumption of constructive work. There is much activity in the real estate field, especially near the great cities, and this is likely to keep many industries well employed for some time to come. Altogether, the outlook is favorable, though not without its uncertainties and pitfalls."

Butte is much obliged that her list of troubles does not include snowslides; though she has had some political landslides that are memorable. Missoula's reputation for making good is so well established that her real estate sells rapidly, even when there is snow on the ground. During centuries past, some big men have navigated the Nile, but none bigger than the great American who is now sailing down to Khartoum. Walking is disagreeable these days. A Missoulian class ad will save you many steps and much discomfort. The wind which wrecked the roller skating rink doubtless prevented a serious disaster by doing it now. Local patriotism should prompt a willingness on the part of outlying additions to come into the city. The bigger the city gets, the more schools she needs. Money placed in schoolhouses is well invested. It is a good thing for Missoula to get these emphatic outside views of the university situation. While we all crave stirring times, none of us yearn to have the stir made by an avalanche. Snowslides differ from lightning in that they strike more than once in the same place. The wise merchant makes dull days unknown by persistent advertising in The Missoulian. Missoula is pleased to report that a large portion of her slush has run down the river. Whatever helps the city helps its individuals. Annexation would benefit all. The Red Apple stands for excellence and Missoula stands for the Red Apple. Any building intended for public use should be thoroughly inspected. More schools mean a better city and that is what we all want. No city ever suffered from its school investments. Pinchot certainly has a great short-arm punch.

JAPANESE PRESENT REPLY

GOVERNMENT CLAIMS JOINT RESPONSIBILITY IN TIBET AFFAIRS.

Peking, March 1.—Following China's reply to Great Britain, which the British legation characterizes as extremely friendly and appreciative of Great Britain's interest in the government's action in Tibet, Japan yesterday made strong representations to the Chinese foreign board on the basis of the Anglo-Japanese alliance under the terms of which it claims joint responsibility with Great Britain for the tranquility of the Anglo-Tibetan frontier. Japan declared China had made a grave political mistake in degrading the Dalai Lama and that its action should not have been taken without consultation with Great Britain, Russia and Japan. The Dalai Lama, through an envoy who arrived in Peking a fortnight ago, appealed to the powers against China's encouragement in Tibet. An appeal to the United States was made to W. W. Rockhill, formerly American minister to China, but now ambassador at St. Petersburg. Only Great Britain and Japan acted. Russia has held aloof although the views of the Russian legation here are understood to coincide with those of the Japanese government.

PLANS ARE LAID FOR ENTERTAINMENT

Paris, March 1.—The program adopted by the council of the University of Paris for the entertainment on April 16 of Theodore Roosevelt, former president of the United States, subject to the subsequent approval of the guest is as follows: At 1 p. m. Colonel Roosevelt will be officially received; at 2 o'clock he will deliver his lecture in the Grand Amphitheater at Sorbonne; at 7 o'clock he will be the guest at dinner of the rector and faculty of the University of Paris, and this will be followed at 10 o'clock by a reception at which he will meet those best known in the scientific, literary and artistic world of Paris. As Mr. Roosevelt has requested specifically that he be permitted to speak to the young men of France, admission to his lecture at Sorbonne will be restricted to students and professors.

MILLS TAKES OATH AS NEW GOVERNOR

Santa Fe, N. M., March 1.—During the noon hour today William J. Mills took the oath of office on the capitol steps as governor of New Mexico. A great crowd was in attendance from all parts of the territory. Chief Justice William H. Pope, who had been sworn in during the forenoon by the then Chief Justice Mills, administered the oath to the new governor. Following the inauguration address a military and civil parade preceded the unveiling of a portrait of Governor Bent, the first civil governor of the territory, who was assassinated more than 60 years ago. Former Governor L. Bradford Prince delivered the historical address and the unveiling was by Tessie Berry of Taos, a granddaughter of Governor Bent.

KILLS SWEETHEART THEN SHOTS SELF

Kansas City, March 1.—Mrs. Grace Gayou, aged 19, was shot and killed at a store in this city last night by Louis Hillson, who then killed himself after he had assaulted and severely beaten Jack Doyle, a rival for Mrs. Gayou's affections. Mrs. Gayou was employed in the store which was closed for the night. She was entertaining Doyle and Hillson forced an entrance. He clubbed Doyle with a revolver and shot the girl. He then walked to the sidewalk and killed himself.

BRONCHIAL TUBES ALL STUFFED UP

"While a resident of Washington, D. C., I suffered continually and intensely with a bronchial trouble that was simply terrible to endure. I would have sworn that I could hardly breathe. I would choke up, fill up in my throat and bronchial tubes, and the doctoring that I did and the remedies used were of no benefit to me whatever. I heard about Booth's Hyomei being so beneficial in catarrhal and bronchial affections and procured an outfit. I received relief from the first by its use. I continued with it and received a cure. It is about two years since I have suffered at all from my former trouble."—Mrs. R. L. Fannell, 404 N. Augusta street, Staunton, Va., March 26, 1909. Hyomei is guaranteed by George Freishelmer to cure catarrh, croup, bronchitis, coughs, colds and sore throat or money back. A complete Hyomei (pronounced High-o-mei) outfit costs \$1 at drug-gists everywhere. This includes a hard rubber pocket inhaler and bottle of Hyomei; extra bottle Hyomei cost 50c.

DELAY AMENDMENTS TO BE BARRED

LEADERS OF CONGRESS WILL OPPOSE ALL EFFORTS TO HINDER LEGISLATION.

Washington, March 1.—After a two-hour conference with President Taft today leaders of congress announced they would oppose all amendments to the several administration bills when it became apparent that the amendments were offered in a spirit hostile to the main purpose of the proposed legislation. Senators Aldrich and Crane and Speaker Cannon were present. The discussion had special reference to the interstate commerce bill. The president was disturbed by reports that efforts would be made in the senate to amend the bill in such manner as to destroy the administration's main ideas and that there was danger of adoption in the house committee of some of the amendments advocated by Chairman Mann, which Attorney General Wickersham has said would be inimical to the measure. It was stated positive assurances could not be given that no amendments would be adopted, but that a determined contest would be waged against the proposition advocated by "insurgent" members and that administration senators would oppose practically the ideas advocated by Senators Cummins and Clapp, the only republicans voting against the bill in committee. The disposition to weigh the purpose of any member of congress who seeks to amend the railroad bill is to be applied also to the consideration of the postal savings bank bill, the conservation measures, most urged by the president, and court injunction bill and any others of the Taft measures.

AMERICAN EXPOSITION TO BE HELD IN BERLIN

Berlin, March 1.—The American exposition will be held here during the coming summer as originally planned. General Manager Wilmer was authorized to cable to the American committee the decision of the directors, and in doing so explain that the recent statement authorized by the ministry of the interior explaining the government's attitude toward the American exhibitors was considered satisfactory, and that in the light of all the circumstances any obstacle to holding the exposition as recently planned had been removed.

ANOTHER MOVE MADE.

Washington, March 1.—A new move to reinstate the seven West Point cadets dismissed last September for hazing was made before the house committee on military affairs today. Representative Borland of Missouri and others appeared to urge an amendment to the resolution recently adopted empowering the president again to parole upon the cases of three so as to include all seven.

WIDOW BRINGS SUIT FOR HEAVY DAMAGES

Denver, March 1.—An echo of the Peabody war in the Cripple Creek district in 1904 was heard in the federal court in Denver today with the opening of the trial of the suit of Mrs. Mary C. Carley for \$5,000 damages against General Sherman Bell and others on the claim that her husband was shot and killed by the order of General Bell. Mrs. Carley lives at Joplin, Mo. Her attorney claims that her husband was a prospector and knew nothing of the uprising that led to his death until a few minutes before he was shot. The attorney also alleges that the miners of the Western Federation of Miners were surprised and fired upon without warning. About 50 men are named in the suit, including Sheriff Bell of Cripple Creek.

MRS. ASTOR WANTS A FINAL DECREE

New York, March 1.—Counsel for Mrs. Ava Willing Astor today filed in White Plains a note of issue for a motion to make permanent the interlocutory decree of divorce she obtained from Colonel John Jacob Astor granted by Justice Mills at New York city more than three months ago. The application sets forth that Mrs. Astor will appear before Justice Mills next Friday and ask that the final decree be granted in her behalf.

AFTER BEEF TRUST.

Trenton, N. J., March 1.—Prosecutor Garvan of Hudson county, has asked the state supreme court to compel the big beef companies to bring the minutes of the directors' meetings within the jurisdiction of New Jersey. Cincinnati, Ohio, March 1.—The price of hogs went to \$10.95 a hundred pounds today. This is an advance of 15 cents over the price recorded yesterday and is the highest since the civil war.

ROCKEFELLER OUTS STEEL TRUST

SON OF OIL MAGNATE RESIGNS AS DIRECTOR OF THE BIG CORPORATION.

New York, March 1.—Announcement was made today that John D. Rockefeller, Jr., had resigned as director of the United States Steel corporation and had been succeeded by Henry Walters of Baltimore, chairman of directors of the Louisville & Nashville and the Atlantic Coast line railroads. Mr. Walters is a close personal friend of J. P. Morgan. According to common belief, the Rockefeller holdings of United States Steel were at one time very large; so large, in fact, as to make them a factor in the affairs of the corporation. It is denied, however, that Mr. Rockefeller's resignation was due to friction or differences of opinion with the Morgan interests. A statement issued by Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation, explains the change as follows: "Mr. Rockefeller states that the only reason for his resignation is that the holding of stocks in the company by the members of his family is not sufficiently large to justify his giving any time or attention to the affairs of the corporation."

HIGH FREIGHT RATE ON TIES QUESTIONED

New York, March 1.—Why the Southern Pacific should maintain a \$5 rate on railway ties and reduce that rate to \$3.10 on other rough lumber from the Willamette valley to San Francisco bay points was a subject of inquiry today by the government attorneys in the suit to dissolve the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific merger. Counsel for the government wanted to know from George W. Luce, general freight agent of the Southern Pacific, if the rate on ties was not due to the building of the Western Pacific line into Oakland, for which ties were supplied from the Willamette valley. Luce denied that his road had any intention of hindering the new road in getting ties. He said that the rate on all rough lumber had been raised to \$5 and then lowered to \$3.30 on complaint of millmen.

FLOODS CONTINUE.

New York, March 1.—Floods continued along the valleys of the Mohawk and upper Hudson rivers today with rains still falling. The Hudson at Albany was only five feet below its 21-foot record rise. There was an ice gorge just below the city. Nearly every street in Herkimer was flooded by the Mohawk and transportation was possible only in boats. Not a manufacturing plant or school and only a few stores were open.

TO VISIT RUSSIA.

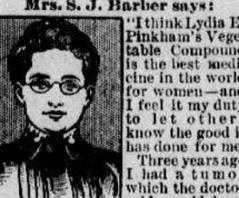
St. Petersburg, March 1.—The Novoye Vremya announces today that King Peter of Serbia will visit St. Petersburg this spring. This will be his first reception by foreign sovereigns since his accession and probably will lead to a general lifting of the ban by European courts from which King Peter has been excluded because of the circumstances attending his elevation to the throne.

SENT TO PRISON.

New York, March 1.—"Red" Adams, the swindler, convicted yesterday of using the mails to collect funds for publishing imaginary claims to the estate of Sir Francis Drake, was today sentenced by United States Judge Tilton to four and one-half years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta and to pay a fine of \$1,500.

CONVINCING PROOF OF THE VIRTUE OF Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

What is the use of procrastinating in the face of such evidence as the following letters represent? If you are a sick woman or know one who is, what sensible reason have you for not giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial? For 30 years we have been publishing such testimonial letters as these—thousands of them—they are genuine and honest, too, every one of them.



Mrs. S. J. Barber says: "I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best medicine in the world for women—and I feel it my duty to let others know the good it has done for me. Three years ago I had a tumor which the doctor said would have to be removed by an operation or I could not live more than a year, or two, at most. I wrote Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for advice, and took 14 bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and today the tumor is gone and I am a perfectly well woman. I hope my testimonial will be of benefit to others."—Mrs. S. J. BARBER, Scott, N. Y.



Mrs. George May says: "No one knows what I have suffered from female troubles, neuralgia pains, and backache. My doctor said he could not give me anything to cure it. Through the advice of a friend I began to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and the pain soon disappeared. I continued its use, and am now in perfect health. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been a God-send to me as I believe I should have been in my grave if it had not been for Mrs. Pinkham's advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. GEORGE MAY, 86 4th Ave., Paterson, N. J.



Mrs. E. F. Hayes says: "I was under the doctor's treatment for a fibroid tumor. I suffered with pain, soreness, bloating, and could not walk or stand on my feet any length of time. I wrote to Mrs. Pinkham for advice, followed her directions and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Today I am a well woman, the tumor was expelled and my whole system strengthened. I advise all women who are afflicted with tumors or female troubles to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. E. F. HAYES, 1800 Washington St., Boston, Mass.



Mrs. W. K. Housh says: "I have been completely cured of a severe female trouble by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and want to recommend it to all suffering women."—Mrs. W. K. HOUSH, 7 Eastview Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

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