CARTER ASSAILS HITCHCOCK FOR CRY OF FRAUD

Secretary Has Deceived Roosevelt and the Country, Says Senator.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Severe criticism of Secretary Hitchcock was made in the Senate to-day by Senator Carter of Montana. The criticism was based on the order of the Secretary of last December, which prohibits the issuance of a patent to land under any of the land laws until after examination on the ground by a special agent. Senator Carter some time ago presented a resolution which denies the right of any executive officer to prevent the granting of a patent when the law under which it is claimed has been carried out.

Mr. Carter began by asserting that the order referred to expressed the final estimate of the Secretary as to the truth and veracity, the honor and integrity and the good faith of all settlers on the public domain of the United States.

"It likewise arraigns," he added, "all other persons seeking title to public land under existing laws.

"The order is without precedent in the history of the Government. It is without parallel in the history of any government, save as applied to provinces, classes of individuals suspected of treasonable designs. It is the culmination of a policy unwarranted in fact and founded only on baseless suspicion. The public records demonstrate that the order is not only needless, but harsh, cruel and oppressive.

"For the last six years sensational reports of evil doings in the public land States have been emanating from the Interior Department from day to day, so sweeping in their scope as to create the impression in other sections that the entire Western population is, and has been, engaged in a veritable saturnalia of criminal conspiracy, fraud and perjury over the whole broad surface of the public domain.

"Should some morbid, moral delinquent pay nightly visits to the dens of vice and make morning calls at the police courts in all your splendid Eastern cities, and then announce to the world from day to day, with loud acclaim that crime and moral leprosy overwhelmed you all, he would, at his outside best, play in your field the part the Secretary of the Interior has played as regards the people of the public land States.

"Unchecked by contradiction, emboldened by non-resistance from the West and unmerited applause from other quarters the Secretary finally violated the legal rights and assailed the veracity and integrity of hundreds of thousands of entrymen on the public domain by and through the brief order complained of.

"I fully realize that even the President of the United States has been deceived and alarmed by the current, oft-repeated and uncontradicted reports of the Secretary. The President has not been able to go through the records and into the details of the Interior Department and its operations.

"Burdened with more work than any of his predecessors have undertaken, the President must accept the statements of his subordinates as true. He cannot check and counter-check them all.

"He has relied on the reports of the Secretary of the Interior, as have the people generally, outside the States to which his accusations apply. The President and all others misled by the crusade of misrepresentation are clearly free from responsibility, except to hear the truth as told by the Government records, and then to do justice to an outraged people."

STOLE COLER'S FUR COAT WORTH $300

Burglars in the home of Borough President Bird S. Coler, of Brooklyn, at New York avenue and Prospect place, early to-day, got away with his fur overcoat valued at $300. They did not get silverware and bric-a-brac worth $10,000, because they were frightened away, the police think, when Mr. Coler closed a window they had left open.

Mr. and Mrs. Coler returned from an evening in Manhattan shortly after midnight. All the servants were asleep on the top floor. From tracks in the hall the police think that they passed almost within arm's length of a burglar as they went up the main stairway.

Mr. Coler, noticing a draught, went down stairs. He had no suspicion of danger and was unarmed. He found that a window in the kitchen had been forced open with a jimmy. Spots of candle grease were on the floor and ran in a zig zag line through the dining room and hall parlor to the hall.

Mr. Coler called up the police, and Capt. Wendel, of the Grand avenue station, with two detectives took up the case. They found tracks in the snow, showing that two men had made their way to and from the rear window on the Prospect place side of the lawn.

PRINCE OF "CON" MEN FELL FOR $15

Inspector McLaughlin's Round-Up Squad made another good showing today when they led out for inspection in the exhibition room in Police Headquarters forty-two crooks of major and minor degree. There was an even score of pickpockets, a dozen hotel thieves, several women whose features are familiar to students of the Rogues' Gallery portfolio and "Grand Central Pete."

The doyen of "con" men shook out his silvery locks as he was ranged in line with hoi polloi of the under world.

Several moons have filled out their quarters since the venerable crook fell into the toils, and his last offense was not of the epic sort that first made him famous. The harvest was a paltry $15, which he got from James Meehan, of No. 360 West End avenue, on the afternoon of Dec. 14 on a watch worth 18 cents.

Mr. Meehan was wroth and sought Inspector McLaughlin. He went over the Rogues' Gallery album and identified Peter Lake, seventy-two years old, No. 4802. Detectives sought the ancient "con" artist and found him last night at Thirty-seventh street and Eighth avenue. He was held in the Tombs court to-day on a short affidavit.

WASHINGTON BUREAU

CARRIE NATION HALTED AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Denied Admission, She Relieved Her Feelings Before a Crowd, Then Faded Away.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Carrie Nation, attended by two friends, called at the executive offices of the White House to-day. She was denied admission, and then began to harangue the crowd which had gathered regarding the treatment offered her.

After speaking about a minute she voluntarily retired.

MORE MONEY TO WATCH THE INSECT PESTS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—By a vote of 75 to 136 the House, in committee of the whole, to-day on the Agricultural Appropriation bill increased the appropriation for the Bureau of Entomology from $75,000 to $118,800 in order that scientific investigations may be made of the white fly pest of Florida, the gypsy moth of Massachusetts, thrips that attack the cherry trees of California and the tobacco insect which devastates the dark tobacco regions of Kentucky and Tennessee.

SENATORS ARRANGE FOR NEGRO INQUIRY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Senator Warren, chairman of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs; Senator Foraker and Secretary of War Taft today conferred in regard to the investigation of the Brownsville affair, which will begin next Monday. The conference was for the purpose of coming to an agreement so that the demand for certain witnesses would not conflict with a similar demand for the same witnesses at a court-martial of officers of the battalion discharged, which court will be in session at the same time.

$10,000,000 FOR PUBLIC SITES IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—A bill appropriating $10,000,000 to purchase all of the property on the south side of Pennsylvania avenue, between the United States Treasury and Capitol Buildings, and south to the Mall in Washington, was ordered favorably reported to-day by the Senate Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. It is proposed to use these grounds for sites for buildings for the executive departments and to park the portions not needed.

FLORIDA PEONAGE CASES REPORTED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—A report concerning an alleged peonage case in the vicinity of Arcadia, Fla., involving six Greeks, who charge that they had been held in a state of bondage while working on railroad construction, has been received at the Department of Justice and will be thoroughly investigated by Special Agents.

BOMB DRIVES 200 FAMILIES FROM HOMES

Half-Clad Women and Children Huddle Shivering in Show.

The 200 families living in the f story tenements at Nos. 331 to 341 Twenty-fourth street were thrown panic shortly before last midnigh the explosion of a bomb in the yar the rear of No. 341.

Half-clad women carrying babies leading children ran to the street, they stood shivering in the snow, the men carried household goods pavement.

The explosion shook the entire borhood. Capt. McDermott, of the Twenty-second Street Station, he six blocks away. He called out t serves. When they arrived more 500 men, women and children w the street. Those living in the at the rear of the tenements rushed out, most of them in their clothes. It was half an hour the police could drive the frigh crowd back into the houses.

A tenant named Schminger, who at No. 343, received some "Black H letters recently. The police think bomb was thrown from a windo the yard.

SALVADOR TROOPS AFTER OUTLAW BAND

SAN SALVADOR, Republic of Sa dor, Jan. 30.—The Government of vador, it is announced, is dispatc troops to suppress "the outlaws have been committing murders in s of the country districts." The gov ment officials add that the outbrea not of a revolutionary character, the country generally is quiet and business is continuing its nor course.

MACY MUTUAL AID TO ENTERTAIN.

The twentieth annual entertainm and reception of the Macy Mutual Association will be held at the Gra Central Palace, Lexington avenue a Forty-third street, Saturday evenin Feb. 2. After the entertainment, f which an interesting programme ha been arranged, the floor will be cleare for dancing. As this year's entertainment probably marks the retirement o Mr. Daniel McGann, who has been press agent for the Mutual Aiders for a number of years, it is not unlikely that he will lead the grand march.

LONDON BUREAU

CHILE WILL BUILD $37,500,000 RAILWAY.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 30.—Congress has approved the bill providing for the construction of the proposed longitudinal railway, which will cost $37,500,000, five per cent. interest being guaranteed by the Government on the capital. The representatives here of Belgian, German and native syndicates are preparing to bid for the whole or part of the work. Congress gave the President authority to enter into contracts for the construction of the road, subject only to the approval of the Senate.

AMBASSADOR FRANCIS MEETS VIENNA NOTABLES

VIENNA, Jan. 30.—The customary court reception for the official introduction of the new American Ambassador to Austria, Charles Spencer Francis, and his family, to Viennese society, was held last night. The function was attended by the members of the Diplomatic Corps, the highest court dignitaries and the leading members of society.

CARLISTS HOLD SECRET MEETING IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Jan. 30.—The authorities here have learned that in spite of all their precautions, Don Jaime, son of the Spanish Pretender, Don Carlos, recently paid a surreptitious visit to the Carlist leaders at Barcelona.

DUTCH SUPPRESS REVOLT IN JAVA.

AMSTERDAM, Holland, Jan. 30.—A brief encounter with the troops sent to the scene of the native revolt in the Island of Java, Dutch East Indies, sufficed to suppress the rebels, whose ringleader and fifteen of his followers were killed and many wounded.

KAISER SENDS THANKS TO FRENCH PRESIDENT.

PARIS, Jan. 30.—President Fallieres has received from Emperor William a cordial telegram of thanks for the former's expression of sympathy with Germany as a result of the Reden mine disaster.

STATE OF SIEGE TO HALT LABOR RIOTS.

MADRID, Jan. 30.—A state of siege has been declared at Valencia owing to the labor agitation in that city.

RESCUERS WORK IN MINE WHERE 91 ARE BURIED

Gas in West Virginia Colliery Impedes Efforts to Save Men.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 30.—Rescuers are working hard to-day at the Stuart mine, near Thurmond, W. Va., in which ninety-one miners are believed to have lost their lives. The Stuart adjoins the Paral colliery, in which an explosion caused the death of twenty-two men last February, and an attempt to connect the workings of the two mines was under way when the explosion occurred.

Three men were overcome in the air shaft last night on the first attempt at rescue, but they revived when brought into the open air. The air pumps have since been put in shape for effective service for the rescue party now at work.

The fact that part of the work was being done by contract and new men have been recently secured by the contractors, adds to the difficulty of learning just how many men were in the mine at the time of the disaster.

As the work of the rescuers is necessarily slow, the full loss of life will hardly be known before to-night, and probably not for two or three days.

The Stuart Colliery Company has already received sixty coffins and has ordered twenty-five more. It is thought that the mine is on fire, but this cannot be determined until later. The heat and smoke from the shaft is intense.

THIEF STEALS GEMS OF MAKAROFF'S WIDOW.

Diamonds, Rubies, Pearls and Decoration of Russian Emperor Taken from Room in Hotel.

NICE, Jan. 30.—Mme. Makaroff, widow of the Admiral of Port Arthur fame, who has been passing a month here and was to return to Russia Monday, was robbed at her hotel on the Promenade des Anglais.

Her case of jewels, containing all her diamonds, rubies and pearls, valued at many thousand francs, have been taken, also a decoration given her by the Emperor of Russia. Mme. Makaroff left for Berlin yesterday, leaving the investigation in the hands of the Commissaire de Police, who, with detectives, is working on the case.

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Last Day for These Values in Women's Underwear.

Cambric and Muslin DRAWERS—H. S. hem and cluster tucks or wide ruffle with spaced tucks—reg. .69...18
Others at .39 to .98—worth .59 to $1.25.
Cambric and Nainsook CORSET COVERS—emb'y or lace yokes front and back—ribbon finish—reg. .49...29
Others at .39 to 1.00—worth .59 to $1.49.
Muslin NIGHT DRESSES—four effective models, with emb'y and tuck trim'd yokes—reg. .65...49
Others at .69 to 4.00—worth .89 to $6.98.
Muslin SKIRTS—deep ruffle of H. S. tucks and lace inserts or Emb'y—worth .89...64
Others at .98 to 5.00—worth $1.29 to $7.98.
Muslin CHEMISES—yoke of emb'y inserts and fifty pin tucks divided into clusters—regularly .49...28
Others at .59 and 2.00—worth .79 and $3.25.

Last Day for These Values in Women's Corsets

Women's Coutil Corsets—deep hip—some have spoon steels—with and without hose supporters—value $1.50 to $2.25...95
Brocaded and Fine White Coutil—high or medium bust—specially good for Princess and other close fitting gowns—value $2.75 to $3.50...1.98

Last Day for These Values in Babies' Wear

Long Nainsook Slips—value .59...18
Trim'd Nainsook Slips—value .59...34
Nainsook and Lawn Slips—reg. .80...56
Short Skirts—ruffled—reg. .35...18
Nainsook and Cambric Short Skirts—with waists—sizes to 3 yrs.—reg. .59...38
Short Nainsook and Lawn Dresses—trim'd yoke, French waists—regularly .89...44
Fine Nainsook Long Dresses—daintiest yoke and bishop styles—regularly .69...44
Dotted Swiss and fine lawn Caps—Fey trim—sizes to 3 yrs.—reg. .69...37
Babies' Short and Long Coats—all wool Bedford Cord and Cashmere—sizes to 3 yrs.—reg. $3.98...2.00

Last Day for These Values in Women's Lingerie Waists

LAWN AND DOTTED SWISS WAISTS—natty tailored styles or fancy trim of lace and medallions—regular value $1.98...1.49
FINE WHITE LAWN WAISTS—dainty bolero effects of medallion emb'y with lace outlining and tucks, also fronts of allover French emb'y and fine tucks—reg. $1.25...75
FINE LAWN AND BATISTE WAISTS—great variety of charming models with lace, emb'y, tucks, h. s. pleats, etc.—regularly $2.98...2.98

Last Day for These Values in Men's Dress and Night Shirts

DRESS SHIRTS—Good Muslin bodies—Union linen bosoms—double attached seams—all sizes—regularly .49...29
DRESS SHIRTS—Strong Muslin bodies—pure linen bosoms—three ply reinforced back and front—all sizes—reg. .75...39
DRESS SHIRTS—Laundered—coat style—cuffs attached—fine linen bosoms—for full dress—sizes 14 to 18½—all sleeve lengths—reg. $1.50...1.00
DRESS SHIRTS—Fine white Cambric—soft bosoms—wide or narrow pleated—regularly .98...70
NIGHT SHIRTS—Good, Strong Muslin—full emb'y trim—regularly .50...29
regular .65 .80 regularly $1...69

Last Day for These Values in Table Linens

58-INCH MERCERIZED DAMASKS—high satin lustre—variety of new patterns—regularly .39...27
ALL LINEN DAMASKS—extra heavy—65 and 70 inch—cream and pure white—regularly .69...46
Special in 70 inch, .69—worth .98.
ALL LINEN NAPKINS—full bleached—
18 inch...worth $1.29...dozen...95
19½ inch...worth $1.79...dozen...1.19
21 inch...worth $1.98...dozen...1.29
ALL LINEN TABLE CLOTHS—2½ yds. long—fringed—white or colored borders—were $1.29...79
AUSTRIAN LINEN TABLE CLOTHS—full bleached—8-10 size—Hemstitched—usually $2.49...1.69
ALL LINEN TABLE SETS—8-10 Cloth—dozen Napkins—regularly $4.98...2.98

Last Day for These Values in Towels and Towellings

Damask Huck Towels—18x39—regularly .12½...8½
Full Bleached Huck Towels—20x38—hem'd—damask borders—reg. .22...15
All Linen Twill, Damask and Check Glass Towellings—reg. .14...9½
Plain Twill and Check Glass Towellings—18 inch—reg. .19...12½

Last Day for These Values in Muslins, Sheets, etc.

YARD WIDE MUSLINS—
Bleached—wholesale price 11 cts...6¾
Unbleached—wholesale price 9 cts...5½
Mill lengths of above, Unbleached...4½
SHEETING AND PILLOW CASINGS, by yard—

Bleached—	Yard.	Unbleached—	Yard.
6-4, val. .19	16½	6-4, val. .16	14½
8-4, val. .25	19½	8-4, val. 22c.	15½
9-4, val. .27	21½	9-4, val. .23	19½
10-4, val. .29	22½	10-4, val. .27	21½

PILLOW CASES—

	Mohawks Will Wash Heavier	Utica Dwight Anchors
42x36	12 cts.	14 cts.
45x36	14 cts.	16 cts.
50x36	15 cts.	17 cts.
45x38	17 cts.	19 cts.

SHEETS—

	Mohawks Will Wash Heavier	Utica Dwight Anchors
54x90	42 cts.	49 cts.
63x90	45 cts.	55 cts.
72x90	49 cts.	59 cts.
81x90	55 cts.	65 cts.
90x90	59 cts.	69 cts.

Last Day for These Values in Scarfs Squares, Centres

Applique Scarfs and Shams—Swiss and Cambric—reg. .50...34
More elaborate designs—reg. .98...74
Renaissance Centre Pieces—round and square—
20 inch—usually .59...39
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Last Day for These Values in White Goods

India Linons—dainty for Children's Dresses, Lingerie Waists, etc.—regularly .12...11
Fancy White Goods—lace effects—regularly 12½ ct...7½
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