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MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 13, 1905.

12 PAGES—FIVE O'CLOCK.

ENTIRE COUNTRY IN GRIP OF COLD; RECORDS BROKEN

MINIMUM OF 23 BELOW HERE... Entire Northwest Shivers—Much Suffering and Many Frozen Pipes in the City.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES table with columns for time and temperature readings.

BELOW ZERO ELSEWHERE... Janesville, Wis., -34; Peoria, Ill., -34; Lincoln, Neb., -26; Central Nebraska, -32; Kansas, -32; Oklahoma, -40; Kansas City, Mo., -22; St. Joseph, Mo., -17; St. Louis, -18; Sioux Falls, S. D., -22; Keokuk, Iowa, -27; Burlington, Iowa, -32; Superior, Wis., -31; La Crosse, Wis., -28; Duluth, -38; Milwaukee, -18.

Ninety-six hours of shivering temperatures and the backbone of the weather is not broken, altho the weather man holds out a ray of hope for Tuesday.

Suffer in Silence... City Poor Superintendent W. P. Barton says that there is a great deal of suffering among the better class of poor people in the city, who are too proud to ask for charity.

A School Closed... A slight break in the steepness caused by the extreme cold weather made it impossible to conduct classes in the clay school building.

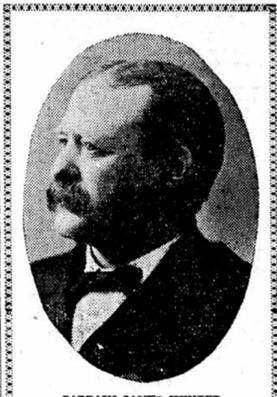
RECORD-BREAKING COLD... All Parts of the United States Report Suffering.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Record-breaking cold is reported from all parts of the country today. Train service and telegraphic communication are generally demoralized.

COAL FAMINE FELT IN IOWA... Clarion Has No "Diamonds" at All, and Other Towns Are Short.

Special to The Journal... Marshalltown, Iowa, Feb. 13.—The coldest weather in many years prevails here.

THE DE SOTO VENTURE; CLEMENT BOND DOUBLED



CAPTAIN JAMES HUNTER, Chairman Committee of Depositors of De Soto Fruit, Agricultural & Manufacturing Company.

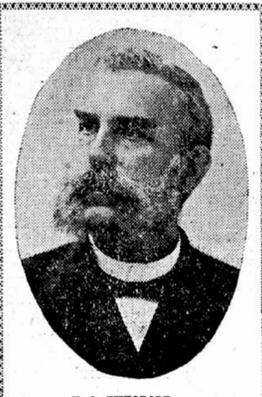
CLAIM OF BANK IS IN DISPUTE

Big Discrepancy Between Figures of Faribault Bank and De Soto Company.

LATTER LIKELY TO MAKE GOOD IN THE SOUTH

Character and Extent of Holdings Give Promise It Will Pay All It Owes.

Special to The Journal. Faribault, Minn., Feb. 13.—Investigation has shown that there is a discrepancy between the amount claimed by the First National bank of this city from the De Soto Fruit, Agricultural & Manufacturing company of Georgia and what the books of the company show that it owes the bank.



F. A. THEOPOLD, Director of First National Bank of Faribault.

CLEMENT'S BOND RAISED TO \$10,000

Tottering Old Man Waives Examination Before Court Commissioner at St. Paul.

Thomas B. Clement, president of the First National bank of Faribault, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Charles L. Spencer at St. Paul this morning.

Company Was Square. But whether the company owes the banks \$66,000 or \$111,000, the obligations were incurred in a perfectly honorable and upright way so far as the company is concerned.

Another Story. How they acquired the title to the plantation which they subsequently bonded for \$100,000, and Mr. Clement's connection with the matter, is a story by itself which involves several complicated transactions.

"PERSONAL" ADS CAUSE ARRESTS

Federal Officers Answer Tribune "Ads" and Arrest the Advertisers.

In its warfare upon flagrant indecency, the federal government finds a starting point in the advertising columns of the Minneapolis Tribune.

Leo Williams, colored, employed as elevator boy in the Morgan Post hall, on Jan. 4 sent a letter in response to a request for information from "Mrs. H. A. R." St. Paul, who said that she had seen his advertisement in the Sunday Tribune.

Hearst an Unknown Man. Mr. Sullivan referred to Mr. Hearst as the "unknown man or political novice whose only recommendation is his inherited wealth."

Reply by Hearst. As soon as Mr. Sullivan concluded, Mr. Hearst rose in reply. He denied that he either inspired or suggested the publication referred to, but said he assumed all responsibility for it.

Brought Murder Charge. "But, Mr. Speaker," said Mr. Butler, "he has inferentially charged the gentleman with murder."

Oh, Come Off! The senate "On His Dignity."

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TREATY FIGHT IS SENATE'S PLOT TO BLOCK RATE BILL

DRASTIC REBUKE FOR ROOSEVELT

Elder Statesmen on High Horses—Situation as to Arbitration Intense.

SENATORS FIND CHANCE TO BREAK

Seize on Arbitration Facts in Hope to Win Approval of Public.

New York Sun Special Service. Washington, Feb. 13.—Other presidents have been requested by the senate, but no president in this generation, the wise men of the upper house say, has ever been rebuked as President Roosevelt was Saturday, in the amendment of the arbitration treaties.

Many features are now manifest that have to emphasize the firm determination of the senate to force the president a lesson. The executive sessions preceding the final vote are described as the most dramatic in the memory of those who have been senators for twenty years.

President's Friends Against Him. The action of Senators Lodge, Spooner and Foraker, all close friends of the president, attracted unusual attention.

Santo Domingo Not Involved. It is said today by those in close touch with all public events that the agreement for the president to vote in accordance with the president's wishes, at the same time speaking with sincere regret of the affection which under ordinary circumstances would dictate that he act otherwise.

Effect of the Rebuke. There is a division of sentiment as to the future effect of the rebuke administered to the president.

Situation is Critical. The action in the senate means much and its effects will not pass away in a day.

Unfortunate Phase. The unfortunate phase of the affair, as viewed by the president's friends, is the harm that is likely to come to the administration plans for railway regulation.

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PRESIDENT HOLDS BACK THE TREATIES

Washington, Feb. 13.—President Roosevelt will not present the arbitration treaties, as amended by the senate, to the countries with which they were negotiated.

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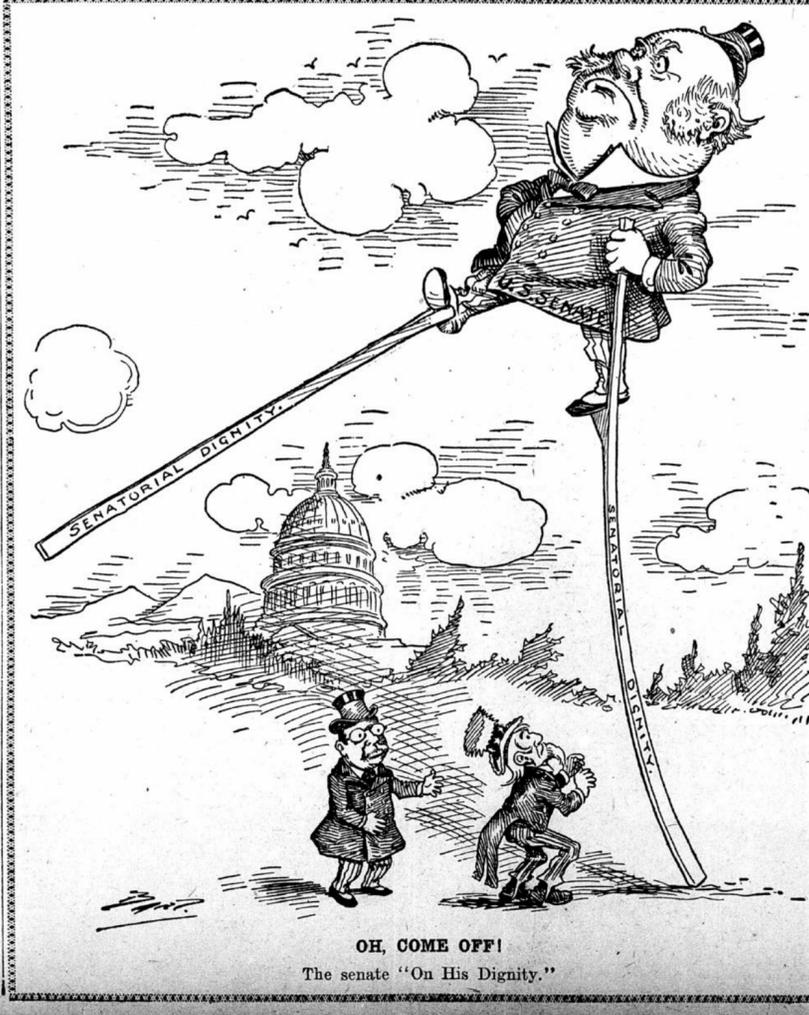
New Alignment Possible. A new alignment of public opinion is possibly in sight owing to this sudden switching of the issue.

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