GOVERNMENT SURPLUS FUNDS

Secy. Shaw's Views on Loaning Them to National Banks.

HE'S IN FAVOR OF THE PLAN

Would Add Millions to Treasury and Increase Credit Accommodations To the People.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Secy. Shaw's first communication on financial legislation is contained in a letter to Rep. Sulzer of New York concerning the latter's bill to deposit government funds at interest in national banks throughout the country. The letter says:

"I find on my desk awaiting my arrival, your letter of Jan. 17, referring to House joint resolution 112 and asking information as to the amount of interest which the government would have realized had the proposed law been adopted as a part of the national banking law.

"If the surplus money in excess of fifty millions working capital had been deposited in clearing house cities in proportion to the relative capital of each bank therein, with no other security than a prior lien upon the bank's assets; the government would have lost nothing, and if the government had realized 2 per cent upon the funds so deposited it would have received $22,000,000. Aided in this way, the banks referred to would have been able to increase credit accommodations to the people in the sum of $200,000,000.

"This computation was made at the instance of my predecessor (one year ago), and was based upon quarterly rather than daily balances.

"I think some provision for the deposit of surplus funds belonging to the United States government with national banks upon security other than government bonds would be wise, though I doubt the limitations as to the amount of capital and surplus contained in the bill. I also question the wisdom of mandatory provisions of law. On the contrary, I think there should generally be a fair latitude of discretion. Authority to act in a given line is generally sufficient.

(Signed.) "LESLIE M. SHAW."

Senator Carey's Son Married.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 5.—Charles D. Carey, son of Senator Carey of Cheyenne, Wyo., and Miss Maybelle Myers, daughter of J. A. Myers, a wealthy resident of this city, were married here by a justice of the peace and later the marriage ceremony was repeated by Rev. Geo. C. Rafter of the Episcopal church at Cheyenne. The marriage came as a surprise to the young lady's friends in this city, where she was a leader of society, and even her parents were not let into the secret until word came from Cheyenne from their daughter announcing her marriage.

Mr. Carey has charge of his father's immense cattle interests in Wyoming.

Gen. Wood Receives M. Cambon.

Havana, Feb. 5.—Gov.-Gen. Wood has formally received at the palace M. Cambon, French ambassador to the United States; M. D'Armond, naval attache, and Capt. West, of the French training ship Duguay Trouin, which is now in port, says the correspondent here of the New York Herald in a dispatch to his payer. As the party entered the palace, a salute of twenty-one guns was fired from the Cabanas fortress. The visit lasted less than half an hour.

The ambassador was escorted today to Matanzas by Adjt.-Gen. Scott and other officers of Gen. Wood's staff. He will be given Wednesday night a state dinner by Gen. Wood, which will be returned aboard the Duguay Trouin. MM. Cambon and D'Armond will return to Washington via Florida.

SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

British Ship Owners Watching It Very Closely.

New York, Feb. 5.—British ship owners have been watching with great interest the efforts of the United States to foster the growth of the merchant marine, says a London dispatch to the Herald. Particularly has their attention been devoted to the progress of the subsidy bill in Congress.

It is not too much to say that they believe, if this bill becomes a law, it will deal a severe blow to British shipping.

On Wednesday the chambers of shipping of the United Kingdom sometimes described as the "Shipowners' parliament," will meet. Col. Ropner, M. P., probably will be re-elected president. One of the chief subjects for discussion will be the outcome of the possible passage of the American subsidy bill.

Comment on Lansdowne's Reply.

London, Feb. 5.—The morning papers are unanimous in applauding Lord Lansdowne's dignified and courteous rejection of what is regarded as a rather ingenious attempt on the part of the Dutch government to draw Great Britain into making peace overtures to the Boers. The editorials are politely satirical that Dr. Kuyper should expect any result from such a proposal, which the Daily Mail declares would have placed Great Britain in the position of a suppliant to the Boer delegates in Europe.

The Chronicle believes that the government's non-vindictive rejection will command the respect of foreign nations.

The Standard says that Lord Lansdowne's words are unmistakably distinct and will be understood in other capitals besides The Hague.

The Daily Telegraph dubs the action of Dr. Kuyper a "grotesque nursery extravaganza."

The Daily News, refreshing the proposition regretting that the offer of the Netherlands government was rejected, is fain to admit that the reply of Lord Lansdowne is irreproachable in style and temper, and congratulates him on the vindication of the "old diplomacy," and fervently prays that any further negotiations may remain in the same hands.

The Times in an editorial says that Lord Lansdowne has given the only possible answer to the curious Dutch proposal, which the paper declares to be probably without precedent in the annals of diplomacy.

BOER REPRESENTATIVE TALKS.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Montagu White, representative of the Boer republics in America, commenting upon the unfavorable action of the Boer government in the peace negotiations, said:

"The reply of Lord Lansdowne does not close the door to peace negotiations, but simply points out that these should be concluded in South Africa and not in Europe. It must, however, be understood that as a condition precedent to any effective negotiations the Boer authorities in Europe and the Boer leaders in the field must be placed in communication with one another. President Steyn will not be a party to a settlement without the consent of President Kruger and vice versa.

offer of the delegates to proceed to South Africa to confer there and then return, involving a delay of at least three months, is convincing evidence that the Boer situation is much better and more hopeful than the news from British sources would lead one to believe."

LOOKING FOR NEW PLANTS.

Wanted for Introduction into the United States.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Secy. Wilson has received a report from David G. Fairchild, the expert of the department of agriculture, who, with Mr. Lathrop, a wealthy New Yorker, is exploring the world for new plants for introduction into this country. The report is dated at Colombo, Ceylon, and discusses general conditions in China. He says the missionaries, frightened out by the recent troubles, are returning to their posts and that foreign merchants claim the outlook for trade improvement is very favorable in the region of Shanghai. American trade, he says, is more than holding its own against that of other countries, but adds:

"Japan's trade has greatly increased in China of late, and she is not only active, but may become a dangerous competitor."

Mr. Fairchild went to Canton in search of the South Chinese peaches and plums, scions and trees of which he announces he has shipped here together with some promising leitches, bamboos, and persimmons for California and Florida. He says producers and shippers in China and Japan are much interested in the final outcome of the experiments of this government in the home production of tea, but are apparently skeptical and believe the cost of picking is too great for the industry to succeed here.

The American occupation of Manila has led to a remarkable increase of prices of labor, hotel accommodations and food products in China. Coolies' wages have greatly increased in Hongkong since the Spanish-American war and important new enterprises complain of a scarcity of labor. Hotel prices are fifty per cent higher than before the war and residents claim the general cost of living has doubled in the last five years.

To Increase Judicial Salaries.

Washington, Feb. 4.—After brief discussion today the Senate passed the bill providing for a 25 per cent increase in the salaries of United States judges by a vote of 29 to 21. All amendments were voted down, including one to increase the salaries of cabinet officers from $8,000 to $12,000 a year. By the terms of the measure the following salaries are to be paid United States judges: Chief justice, Supreme Court of the United States, $13,000; each associate justice, $12,500; circuit court judges, $7,500; district judges, $6,250; chief justice, court of claims, $6,125; each associate justice, $5,625; chief justice, court of appeals, District of Columbia, $8,000; each associate justice, $7,500; chief justice, supreme court, District of Columbia, $6,750; each associate justice, $6,250.

AGAINST THE CONFESSIONAL.

United Protestant Demonstration Against it in Albert Hall.

London, Feb. 4.—At a great United Protestant demonstration held at Albert Hall tonight resolutions were passed against the confessional and the celebration of mass within the Church of England, the growth of which was alleged to be mainly due to the abuse of church patronage by the government and the episcopate.

The resolutions adopted at the meeting pledges resistance to attempts to change that portion of the royal declaration in which the sovereign pledges rejection of the so called "Distinctive Errors to the Church of Rome."

They also urge the government to enforce the law concerning the exclusion of monks and Jesuits from Great Britain.

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THE CONTINENT HATES ENGLAND

Count Adelbert Sternberg Gives The Reason for This.

ENGLISHMEN RESPECTED.

Hatred Arises from a Sense of Moral And Mental Injury—Britain's Policy is to Promote Complications.

New York, Feb. 5.—Count Adelbert Sternberg, who took part in the Boer campaign, and who declares that the British press and official and non-official Englishmen leave him no cause to be an anglophile, has written a letter to the London Times, says the London correspondent of the New York Times, in which he says that while England is hated, the Englishman is respected and loved. The hatred always arises from a sense of moral and mental injury and to this extent the continent has a right to hate England, because her policy is at all times directed to promoting continental complications. The continent does not understand the Boer war and attacks England's political morality because it misunderstands the political principle which made England's greatness political egotism.

The economic advantages to be derived from the gold fields, says Count Sternberg, were merely a contributory cause of the South African war. The real cause, making action imperative, was the English principle, the essence of which is free trade and straightforward competition. On the continent this feeling is not understood, because the continent does not enjoy the blessings of a civilization and a government based on the word "straight."

Count Sternberg says he has always thought England was the enemy of the continent until he visited the United States and studied the economic conditions there. He now believes that the continent's hatred of England is ungrateful, and that the continent ought to awake and recognize that its true enemy is rising in the west, like a great sun of gold whose first rays already have been projected across the Atlantic. Germany and all Europe should join with England.

Removal of Sheriff Guden.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Gov. Odell has begun a hearing of the charge upon which the removal from office of Sheriff Guden of King's county is asked. The allegation is that Guden entered into a bargain with Michael J. Dady, a leader in the Republican organization in Brooklyn, and a member of the board of election on commissioners of the city of New York, to the effect that if nominated for sheriff and elected he would have as his subordinates only such persons as Dady named and that officials' expenses of the office in excess of $12,000 per annum should be paid to Dady. The alegations were first given publicity in a speech made last month by Bert Beiss, who was the Republican nominee for Congress in the Sixth district election in 1900 and who attributed his defeat to the alleged hostility of Dady.

Clemency for Lieut. J. P. Howell.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The President has exercised clemency in the case of Lieut. James P. Howell, Sixth artillery, convicted in the Philipines of drunkenness on duty and sentenced to be dismissed. In view of certain extenuating circumstances the President has set aside the sentence and ordered the officer's restoration to duty.

Corbin on Lee's Disclosures.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Adjt.-Gen. Corbin was questioned today in regard to Col. Lee's statement in parliament about having been offered the services of the chief horse expert of the United States army in securing horses in this country for South Africa, and said that this was the first that he (Corbin) had heard of it. What he did know as a fact was that there had been no correspondence on the part of the adjutant-general's office with Col. Lee or anyone else to warrant the statement that the United States had assisted the British operations in South Africa by the shipment of horses or any other way. Moreover, Gen. Corbin said he did not know what was meant by the expression "chief horse expert," there being no such office in the United States military service. It is suggested that Col. Lee referred to one of the large army contractors who supply the United States cavalry with mounts.

KANSAS VS. COLORADO.

Former Seeks to Restrain Latter From Using Arkansas River Water.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The brief of the state of Kansas in the proceedings of that state against the state of Colorado to restrain the later in the use of water from the Arkansas river, was filed in the U. S. Supreme Court today. The document covers 150 printed pages. It is asserted that the diversion of the waters of the Arkansas affects 2,500,000 acres of land in Kansas worth $50,00,000, and that much of this land is owned by the state itself.

It is set forth that the action is not brought for the purpose of having existing irrigation ditches destroyed, but to prevent the state of Colorado from granting authority for the construction of others.

EDWARD'S CORONATION.

Whitelaw Reid Invites Alice Roosevelt to Visit London.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Whitelaw Reid has invited Miss Alice Roosevelt, eldest daughter of the President, to accompany him to London as his guest when he goes to attend the coronation of King Edward. It is the present expectation of Miss Roosevelt to avail herself of this oportunity to see London, but if she does so she will have no status save that simply of a young American girl, and will not figure in the coronation ceremonies in any manner.

AT KEARNS' EXPENSE.

When Senator Kearns of Utah was elected to the Senate, many of the voters wondered how it happened.

"How was he ever elected?" asked a constituent.

"Because he's got horse sense," replied one of the senator's admirers.

"Well, the Senate ain't a livery stable," suggested the questioner.—Indianapolis News.

NOW THEY ARE TO FIGHT IN CHICAGO

Another Story of Meeting Between Jeffries and Fitzsimmons.

SHARKEY MAY TAKE CHANCE

Scheme to Have Them Meet in Tract Known as the District of Lake Michigan.

A dispatch from Chicago makes the following announcement relative to a fight in which Jeffries will be a principal: "If the plans now being discussed by a coterie of Illinois sporting men are carried out James J. Jeffries will fight an opponent for the world's pugilistic championship within what are generally regarded as the corporate limits of Chicago. Either Thomas Sharkey or Robert Fitzsimmons is to be his adversary.

The men who form the syndicate which intends to arrange the fight are: John Lewis, proprietor of the Nelson hotel and the Rockford opera house of Rockford, Ill., County Commissioner James F. Daley and John E. Fleming, a local sporting man.

The syndicate represents a capitalization of $100,000, one-half of which has been pledged by Mr. Lewis. Their plans contemplate the erection of an arena capable of seating 15,000 people within the tract known as the "District of Lake Michigan." In case the state or county officials make trouble the syndicate is prepared to stand on the claim that the Captain Streeter tract does not lie within the sate of Illinois or Cook county. If these contentions are well grounded only the federal government can interfere and the promoters claim that it will not be able to do so unless Congress passes special legislation.

The plans of the promoters are well under way. They expect to spend $10,000 in the erection of the enormous arena. Another $10,000 of the money raised by the sportsmen will be posted as a forfeit to secure the fight. The other $80,000 will make up the purse and pay for incidental expenses. Today the promoters will arrange to secure the fighters.

The above is probably another of those "hot air" stories which have been floating around of late, but if there is really anything to it, the place, known as the "District of Lake Michigan," is decidedly convenient for a "go." This "syndicate" claims to be free from interference as the arena will be erected on this tract.

The spot is about ten minutes ride from the heart of Chicago. It is on the north side at the foot of Superior street, and suits in relation to it have been in the courts for years and all manner of decisions have been rendered in the same. There is a story that Captain Streeter, a sailor, was wrecked on the shores of Lake Michigan and his vessel was driven ashore at this spot. He took advantage of the law which, it is said, permits a man to claim any and all land that may for around his ship after being wrecked. A number of prominent people, including N. K. Fairbank and Potter Palmer, have had the gallant captain in the courts many times, but all to no purpose, for he still hangs on to the old scow and the land formed around it.

A nice place to bring off a championship battle.

SAYS HE WILL WIN.

Frank Erne Talks of His Coming Go With Gans.

In reference to his coming fight with Joe Gans, Frank Erne, the clever little fighter, has the following to say:

"I'll knock Gans out this time. He'll never get a chance to quit as he did in our meeting in New York about a year ago. The only thing I hope for is that Gans is in the best possible condition when we meet. If he is, then those who witness the contest will see one of the fastest fights on record. I mean to force the going from the sound of the gong in the first round up to the time I stop him. I won't give him a chance to set himself and in this way I hope to beat him quick. Of course there is always a chance for a fellow to sneak over a punch that will do the business, but I guess I will be on my guard this time and not do as when I fought Ferns.

"If I beat Gans, and I surely will, I will fight any man of my weight in the world. I mean to fight every two weeks if I can possibly secure the matches and will continue along these lines until I am beat at the lightweight limit. After losing the title I'll never fight again. That's final. Ferns will probably be the next after Gans. If Ferns won't give me a bout I will take on Lavigne or any other boxer in the world. I only wish McGovern was heavy enough to fight me at my weight. I think I can beat that fellow and would bet some money that way if Harris would only give me the chance. Watch me when I meet Gans."

NO LEAGUE ORGANIZED.

Indoor Baseball Stock Seems to Have Taken a Tumble.

There was a slump in the indoor baseball market last evening. As yet the fans are no nearer organizing the proposed league than they were ten days ago. The meeting called for eight o'clock at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. was poorly attended, and little enthusiasm was shown. It was finally decided to postpone the organization of the league to a later date and in the meantime to stir up interest in the scheme and try to induce the High school and L. D. S. to join the league.

COUNTRY CLUB MEEEING.

Officers Are Elected—Club Arranges For An Instructor.

Yesterday afternoon members of the Country club met in annual session and elected officers for the ensuing year. The new board of directors elected is composed of W. F. Colton, F. E. McGurrin, D. J. Sharp, George K. Fischer, R. H. Officer and W. B. Sprague. The new board will meet next week to select its officers.

Plans for the coming year were discussed thoroughly and it was decided to have an instructor for the club as it was thought by this means many would join the organization if they knew that there was some one to teach them golf.

Sporting Notes.

Young Phil Green is still pegging away over at the club getting in shape for his coming boxing exhibition with "Silent" Rowan, and he says he will be in proper shape when he steps into the ring. The silent man is training at Anaconda, and from all accounts will enter the roped arena in fine physical condition. It is expected that the Rowans will reach here about Saturday and "Silent" will finish off his training with light work until he faces the local lad.

It is understood that Roy Condie has signified his willingness to meet Jack Wade, the clever Montana boy who is styled up there as the "Little Demon." Condie can enter the ring at 133 pounds and Wade can fight handily at that weight. If it is necessary, Condie could come down a little more without doing himself any damage. He has plenty of friends here who are willing to back him against the Montana wonder in a contest of twenty rounds and it is now up to Wade to accept the defi.

The organization of an indoor baseball league with from three to six teams was looked for as the outcome of the meeting called for last night at the Y. M. C. A. It seems the meeting was poorly attended and that there is not as much enthusiasm in the project as was first supposed. The matter has been laid on the shelf for a few days and in the meantime the boys who are anxious for a league will try to drum up interest among others.

The Y. M. C. A. and Company C basket ball teams of the city league are scheduled to meet in the regular weekly contests tomorrow, but it is said there is a likelihood that the teams will not meet on account of some trouble over the rent of the L. D. S. hall.

On Saturday the Y. M. C. A. team will go to Logan to play the B. Y. C. team.

The Butte Intermountain says: The prize fight case in which Jack Wade and "Kid" Ople are charged with having fought for money instead of participating in a boxing match was to have come up before Judge Clancy this morning, when the court was expected to pass on the demurrer filed by the defendants' attorneys. The matter was postponed owing to the court adjournment out of respect to the memory of the late Judge DeWitt.

If the Mellens and Heaths hockey teams meet in a match game next Sunday for a purse of $50, it will be at Mellen's ice rink. They say that they played the Heaths on their own grounds last Sunday and if the latter cares to play they will have to come to Mellen's. It has not been decided definitely yet whether the teams will play.

Champion Jeffries used to be a hunter and a trapper, so it was not unnatural for him to visit the arena in Boston the other day and pass an hour among the beasts there caged for exhibition. The bears seemed to please him most, and he put in most of his time inspecting them. There is an unusual number of these creatures, some of them above ordinary size. Jeffries in his admiration for a big black fellow, ventured to pat him, whereupon bruin bit him. Jim was quick, but not quick enough, for the animal succeeded in getting his teeth into his right hand before he could pull it through the bars. The wound is not deep, and no serious result is anticipated.

OUTSIDE EVENTS.

NOW THEY'LL GO AT 'FRISCO.

Another Conference Between Fritz And Jeff This Afternoon.

New York, Feb. 5.—Another conference probably will be held this afternoon between representatives of Jeffries and Fitzsimmons, the pugilists, with a view to finally coming to terms for a fight at San Francisco. Most of the difficulties in the way of signing articles are understood to have been overcome.

THREW HAMMER 187 FEET.

Alfred D. Plaw Breaks the World's Record in Practice.

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 5.—In a practice throw on the campus, Alfred D. Plaw of the university of California hurled the sixteen-pound hammer 187 feet and 4 inches, from a seven-foot circle. The world's record, held by Flanigan of New York, is 171 feet 5 inches, and the American intercollegiate record, held by Plaw himself, and made in 1900, is 165 feet 9 inches. Plaw will go east with the university track team this spring.

BILLIARD CONTESTS.

Mial Defeats Conklin and Morris Wins from Hendrick.

New York, Feb. 4.—Dr. L. L. Mial of this city defeated C. F. Conklin of Chicago, the winner of the A. A. U. C. class A billiard tournament of last year tonight in the class A tournament, which is now in progress at the Knickerbocker Athletic club. Conklin played a beautifully judged, uphill game, but towards the end was rather unfortunate, making no less than five consecutive misses. Score of tonight's game:

Mial, 400; average, 8 32-46. Conklin, 335; average, 7 13-46.

The second game of the tournament, which was played this afternoon, resulted in an easy victory for Charles S. Morris, formerly champion of the Chicago Athletic association, but now a resident of this city, by a score of 400 points against 199 points made by John A. Hendrick, also of this city, formerly the amateur champion of the state of Connecticut. Mr. Morris made an excellent showing, his average of 8 40-45 beating any single average made in the class A tournament last year. Score:

Morris, 400; average, 8 40-45; Hendrick, 199; average, 4 23-24.

SEILOFF DEFEATED.

Kid McPartland Lands on Otto's Solar Plexus.

Milwaukee, Feb. 4.—Kid McPartland of New York, knocked out Otto Selloff of Chicago in the first round of what was to have been a six-round go before the Milwaukee Boxing club at the Panorama club this evening. The blow that did the trick was a stiff right-hand punch, which landed on the solar plexus. It was after two minutes of fast fighting, during a breakaway, that the knockout blow was delivered. Selloff was reeclved in a few minutes and was able to return to his dressing room unassisted.

SHARKEY IS ANGRY.

Does Not Like "Roasts" He Has Been Given.

Sailor Tom Sharkey is sore. Way down deep the ex-man-o' warsman is pining to get even with some of his critics. All has wrath is being bottled up and he intends in the near future to allow an explosion to take place in the neighborhood of his New York cafe. It is all on account of the press and public calling him a fakir owing to his recent tat-a-tat with one Peter Maher in Philadelphia. Recently Sharkey expressed himself as follows to a New York exchange:

"I do not like to be classed as a fakir, and you can bet all the money you have that I'll get back on the fellows who are now using their hammers."

And then the editor of the said exchange comments on Sharkey's objection in the following terse style:

In order to be certain as to the exact definition of the term to which the able seaman objects I consulted the Century dictionary and learned that faker is a slang word meaning trickster or swindler. It should not be confounded with the word fakir, meaning a religious mendicant. The latter asks for alms and the former sells gold bricks, pugilistic or otherwise.

Sharkey cannot be blamed for not wanting to be classed as a faker, yet it would be difficult to name any other classification which yould be more appropriate. Sharkey and Maher took the money of Philadelphia patrons of boxing, when they knew that they could not give in return what they had promised—an honest boxing bout. Having secured the money of the victims, Maher and Sharkey went into the ring and boxed a fake bout. The enraged spectators classified the fake as "highway robbery" and "grand larceny," and expressed their views to the fakers in loud emphatic tones of voice. In spite of that vigorous classification, Maher and Sharkey completed the fake by failing to return to the people one cent of the money wrongfully taken.

At the same time Sharkey's wishes in the matter should not be ignored. If he will designate some term other than faker which fitly characterizes his action at Philadelphia we will cheerfully, in future, apply it to the gallant sailor.

His threat against those who refer to him as faker may have a tendency to frighten the sporting editor of the West Jamaica Clairon, but in this immediate vicinity the opinion is quite general that the sailor would do well to retire to the forecastle and sequester himself in one of the lower bunks.

DIED AFTER A FIGHT.

E. F. Padmore Engages in a Bout With Jack Slavin.

Yokohama, Jan. 24, (via Victoria, B. C., Feb. 4.—An unfortunate incident occurred here in connection with the visit of Jack Slavin, a middleweight pugilist from Australia, who is well known in the United States and South Africa. Slavin gave an exhibition, one of his opponents being a colored man named E. F. Padmore. This man put up a very tame fight and the sports present were inclined to resent the easy way Slavin let him off. No evil results of his bout were apparent to him after the contest.

At about midnight, however, Padmore, who was attached to the United States hospital corps here, sent for Mr. Slick, of the hospital, saying that his feet were cold and numb and that his left side in the vicinity of his heart was causing much uneasiness. Dr. Taylor, attached to the hospital, promptly attended the patient, accompanied by two other physicians, but they were unable to render any effectual assistance, and he died at 1:30 a. m.

The three doctors, who also witnessed the fight, held a post mortem examination and stated that death was the result of what is popularly termed athlete's heart. The affair created a sensation, but no blame is attached to Slavin. The latter is to fight William Lucifer, the strong man and contortionist, for a purse of $500 and the gate money next week. J. McAuliffe, another Australian pugilist, who has been several months in Shanghai, writes that he will shortly visit Yokohama, when more boxing bouts will be in order, en route for San Francisco. Slavin claims to be a brother of Slavin who was once a claimant of the heavyweight championship of the United States.

THE OAKLAND RACES.

Jockey Owen Mounce Was Indefinitely Suspended from Track.

San Francisco, Feb. 4.—Jockey Owen Mounce was indefinitely suspended at Oakland today as a result of the improved showing made by Kenilworth in the Kearney handicap. Last Friday the horse was a favorite in the San Ramon handicap, but Mounce took him back and he failed to get any of the money. Today he took up 120 pounds and, leading most of the way, won from Rollick, covering the distance in 1:42¾. Lee Jackson had the mount. The riding of Mounce has caused much unfavorable comment.

Favorites fared badly, Kenilworth being the only one to land during the afternoon. The closest finish of the day occurred in the last race, when Joe Ripley, ridden by Brodein won by a nose from Dunblane with Burns in the saddle. John Peters was considered a good thing for the first race, but Wyoming received the best of the start and won by a head. Summary:

First race, six furlongs, selling—Wyoming won, John Peters second, Arigato third. Time, 1:17.

Second race, Futurity course, selling—Jingler won, The Weaver second, Imp. Pussin Boots third. Time, :44.

Fourth race, one mile, Kearney handicap—Kenilworth won, Rollick second, Frangible third. Time, 1:42¾.

Fifth race, six furlongs, selling—Evander won, Maraschino second, Baldo third. Time, 1:17¾.

Sixth race, one mile and fifty yards, selling—Joe Ripley won, Dunblane second, Galanthus third. Time 1:47¾.

Young Griffo's Misfortunes.

Some one has surely cast an "evil eye" on Young Griffo, and he is held by its spell. Never in the history of pugilism in this country has a fighter met with so many reverses. He has not only met with all sorts of misfortune, but every kind of accident has also been his lot. He has spent time in jail, as well as the instane asylum, and now comes the news from Chicago that he was found frozen and it may become necessary to amputate his hands. What a blessing it would have been had a collection been raised about a year ago and the unfortunate fellow put on a steamer bound for Australia. That is his home, and that is where all his friends live. He would have better care than in this country, and it is a certainty he would never have been found frozen over there. With all his faults, the poor fellow was certainly crazy, so we will have to overlook many of them. He was the cleverest man that ever put his hands up in the ring.

Eight Clubs Votes.

New York, Feb. 5.—There will be no large increase in the board of managers of the Metropolitan association of the Amateur Athletic union during the coming year. The result of the mail vote, which was called for a month ago, has been announced by John J. Dixon, secretary of the local association and it shows that only eight clubs voted for the individual club representation out of a total of 35.

A two-thirds vote is necessary to carry the point.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The assembly ball took place at Christensen's last night, and there was the usual large number present and the usual enjoyment that make the features of these pleasant affairs. The orchestra was enlarged for the evening and delicious refreshments were served.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Naylor and Miss Jacketta McCune left yesterday for Peru to visit with Mr. A. W. McCune.

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The Salt Lake Business college will give a reception and ball at Christensen's tomorrow night.

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Mrs. Harold E. Schiller and children left today for several weeks' stay in California and Oregon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mahnken gave a pleasant evening party at their residence on Monday night, the prize winners being Mrs. Conkling, Mr. Halladay, Mamie Wolcott and George Halladay, Jr. Delicious refreshments were served by Misses Mary Halladay, Ella Murphy, Gertie Miller and Mamie Wolcott.

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Mrs. Mary Burton entertained at cards this afternoon.

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Col. and Mrs. Holmes have issued invitations for a musicale to be given next Tuesday evening at their home.

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Mrs. J. C. Griffiths and daughter have gone to California.

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Mrs. P. S. Keogh leaves shortly for a trip to Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cross have removed to their new home, 144 south Eleventh East.

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The Woman's auxiliary met today in St. Mark's guild room at 3 o'clock. Chaplain Marrin will give a lecture on China.

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Mrs. Eldridge L. Thomas is visiting in Denver.

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Mr. Joseph Lippman entertained Mrs. Sara Lilley-Lunking at supper at the "Bearsley Tavern" last evening.

STRIKE SITUATION.

Failure Comes When Victory Appears Close at Hand—Stone Cutters.

The strike of the electrical workers has apparently resolved itself into a little game of "now you see it, and now you don't." The strikers were jubilant yesterday afternoon when it was announced that the Intermountain company had agreed to yield to the demand for a four-bit raise of pay per day; but their hopes fell like a wood struck by lightning when in the evening it was announced that Manager Sam Fenton of the Intermountain company had reconsidered the matter, and with that same off hand and happy smile he was once wont to decline to honor requisitions for passes when general passenger and ticket agent of the Utah & Nevada road, he declined to grant the advance asked for.

The contractors met last night, and after calling Mr. Fenton's attention to the proposed contract, showed that there were terms stated there which were even more objectionable from a contractor's standpoint than the proposed advance in wages. Mr. Fenton then with that astuteness which years ago made him famous in railroad circles, concluded to sink or swim, live or die, survive or perish with his contracting brethren. Hence these tears from the strikers. The men resent the allegation made that any of them are scabs, and defy the alligator, and though somewhat battered are still in the ring, with hopes of eventual victory. They allege that the contractors are trying to pull along with incompetent men and boys. The contractors per contra, allege they have all the help they need, and that it is competent help.

STONE CUTTERS.

The non-union stone cutters at the McCune residence are organizing themselves into a union to hold down their jobs, and are working for the old standby price of $4 per day. In the meantime the stone cutters who thought they were striking for a four-bit advance, find that they have been discharged, and are trying to learn where they are at. Some of the men claim that according to orders from the Union last fall, the wages of stone cutters were to be raised at the first of the year, and that they were for just one week, when the scheme fell by the wayside, and the contractors then let the men go rather than pay the extra stipend, and hired non-union men. The arbitration committee will digest the matter tomorrow night.

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On account of Mayor Moores' great popularity and well known standing, the publication of his card in the Bee instigated the Omaha News, the Bee's principal competitor, to make a canvass of druggists and physicians in that city to find out their experience with this and other remedies. A few days later the News published almost a page of the opinions it had gathered. The physicians and druggists interviewed were absolutely unanimous in saying that, of all prepared remedies, the one that had undoubtedly, in their experience, accomplished more than all others in curing disease was Paine's Celery Compound; and about 50 cases in all were mentioned where prominent citizens or members of their families had been cured within a short time by this remedy, of serious ailments resulting from impaired nerves. Among these was the Chief of Police of that city, whose office was in the same building with the Mayor.

The publication of many of these examples of what Paine's Celery Compound had done for others naturally led those who were sick—and in every community there are thousands of people who, having the symptoms of nervous break-down, put off the cure in the vain hope that the nerves will resuscitate themselves—hundreds of those who were sick were thus informed of the one true remedy for their relief.

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