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### PLANS TO PROTECT ZINC STOCKHOLDERS.

They Are to Be Asked to Subscribe \$15,000 to Pay Mortgage Notes by March 30.

### ALL WILL BE LOST OTHERWISE.

International Zinc Company's Assets Said to Be \$75,000, but Forced Sale Will Not Realize Anything Like It.

#### REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, March 18.—Strenuous efforts are being made by C. H. A. Dougherty of No. 68 Wall street, and other persons interested in the International Zinc Company to obtain a list of the stockholders, about 1,800 in all. Of this number Mr. Dougherty has only been able to ascertain the names and addresses of about 250.

An open circular is to be issued this week, addressed to the stockholders, asking them to join in taking steps to conserve their interests in the company, which is at present in the hands of W. K. Trimble, as receiver, in Joplin, Mo. Mr. Dougherty is advised that the company's books are missing. The Knickerbocker Trust Company admits having sent the books by express on February 24 to Cartersville, Mo., at which place they were received on February 11. All attempts to gain access to them since have been futile.

Mr. Dougherty Monday received a letter from Mr. Trimble, in which he said that the assets of the company were about \$75,000 and the liabilities \$80,000. Mr. Trimble added that a mortgage note in whose payment he had full confidence, had assured him that after this week the Free Coinage mine might be sold for \$100,000.

"This news is encouraging and sounds very hopeful," said Mr. Dougherty to-day, but unfortunately there is a great difference usually between the market value of a mine and its working value.

The property is advertised to be sold on March 20, and it will be disposed of at that time, if, suppose, unless we can get the mortgage notes, the holders of the mortgage notes demand their money. In order to make this matter more certain, I have sold to subscribe it. If the property is sold I believe it will be bid in by the holders of the mortgage notes, and then there will be nothing left for the stockholders."

John Grant Lyman, the promoter of the company, is said to have contracted for the erection of a residence to cost \$20,000 on East Sixty-third street, this city, for which he recently paid \$120,000.

#### Delegates to Judicial Convention.

Oleary, Ill., March 18.—The Richland County Democrats met in this city Monday in convention and selected Messrs. J. M. Prather and William Parker as delegates to the Judicial Convention to be held in Litchfield, April 19.

#### Sudden Death of James Slicker.

Murphysboro, Ill., March 18.—James Slicker died suddenly at his home south of here Sunday night. He had not been sick and went to bed Sunday in his usual healthy condition, but early Monday morning his wife observed his breathing was heavy, but could not arouse him. He died before help could be summoned.

#### Fire Threatened a Town.

Joliet, Ill., March 18.—The town of Mazon, Ill., was threatened by a fire which broke out at the Joliet Fire Department was sent on a special train in response to an appeal for help. The fire was extinguished and the Shipley house had been destroyed, causing a loss of \$5,000.

#### Southern Financier Dead.

Macoupin, Ill., March 18.—John H. Stetson, vice president of the American National Bank of this city and a prominent financier in the state, died to-day.

#### HE SAID IT.

And Every Word Was Worth a Gold Piece.

When an old, experienced druggist advises a man to throw medicine to the dogs and use good common sense and the right kind of food, the advice is worth heeding. "An old friend of mine whom I knew was not only a first-class druggist, but an honest man as well, advised me, in order to cure my dyspepsia, which I had suffered for twelve long years, and spent hundreds of dollars in order to get well, to quit most of all kinds of food, and eat only Grape-Nuts Food and cream, with cooked fruit and Postum Cereal Food." "I took his advice and in a few days a great change had taken place. I was no longer troubled with pain in the side, smothering spells, indigestion and pains about the heart, and when night came I looked forward to a good night's rest. I was also free from headaches and a sour stomach that had been with me for years before. In fact, I appeared to have improved so rapidly in health that I went up to 225 pounds.

"If an enjoying as good health as I ever did in my life, and no healthier man can be found, I firmly believe.

### STATE COMMITTEE MEETING CALLED.

Republican Organization Will Meddle in the Muddled Illinois Gerrymander.

### COOK COUNTY IS THE PIVOT.

Sherman Thinks Settlement of Chicago Trouble Would Break the Delay—Rumor Concerning Yates's Appointments.

#### REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., March 18.—Another day has passed and the Republicans of the Legislature have not earned their reputation. Mr. Jones of Cook introduced a bill to establish a State Board of Steam Boiler Inspectors.

Mr. Bowles introduced a bill to repeal the act to establish a branch Appellate Court in Chicago.

No business was transacted in the Senate. Only Senator Funderburk was present.

Fred H. Rowe, chairman of the Republican State Committee, has issued a call for a meeting of that body here at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The object of the meeting is to take action relative to the appointment bills.

Mr. Rowe said that on Saturday he advised Speaker Sherman to permit a postponement of the bills for one week, but that the Speaker would not consent to so long a delay; that the understanding now is that action on the bills by the House will be taken after the meeting of the State Committee.

"A number of those who voted against the senatorial appointment bill," said Mr. Rowe, "have stated to me that if the bill is not passed, they will not vote for it. In other words, they will submit their case to the State Committee. I do not believe that the State Committee will take an arbitrary position in the matter. Its attitude will be conciliatory rather than mandatory or dictatorial. I am of the opinion that the appointment bills will be passed through in some form. What action the committee will take I, of course, do not know."

Action May Be Postponed. In view of the fact that the State Committee is in session, it is probable that the bill will be considered the vote by which the bills failed last week will not be taken until after the House to-morrow morning, but will be reserved for Wednesday morning.

Gov. Yates had not yet returned from Indianapolis, but as Chairman Rowe is his close friend and private secretary, it is believed that the Governor will be able to attend the session.

Mr. Sherman stated that he had no new information to report. He said that the action of the members who had voted yesterday, he said, had not been determined upon. He thought, however, that if the country members would see that both bills went through without further delay, it has been reported.

Representative Barnes of Lawrenceville told me last week he would not return to Springfield until the bills passed the House. He was requested to bring the letter or telegram. "And I won't go then," he replied. "I will not go until the bills are passed."

"There will be no strict search and due inquiry made by Mr. Barnes," said the Speaker to-night. "Until we know a fatal accident has befallen him, we will not permit to remain in the bosom of his constituents."

Rumored Appointments. It is rumored that Governor Yates will send a mortar full of appointments into the Senate to-morrow. No clue to the identity of any of the favorites is obtainable to date. Indeed, the first intimation I had of a distribution of prizes was near the apparition of Judge Dillon of Benton in the Leland corridor after supper. He was accompanied by a dead ringer for the player-actor and another friend, evidently a farmer and an honest man. Franklin County Republicans have extraordinary officers.

Yates. Henry H. Hosmer of Nashville is here, and if there is a man in Illinois deserving a decent treatment from the Governor it is Hosmer. He beat to a standstill the two best horses in the world, the Nestles and Krugher—and got instructions from Yates.

Yates reaches me from Jacksonville to the effect that there is a rupture between Governor Yates and his friend Andrew Russell. It appears that Governor Russell appointed Russell to the Parson and then sent him to the Parson and then sent him to the Parson and then sent him to the Parson.

Russell wanted to be Insurance Superintendent and I was told he couldn't have it. The other job was to be a member of the board of directors of the State Bank. The story is that Russell doesn't want the job and that Governor Yates is offering it to him. He is too big a man to give him. As a matter of fact, Russell had more to do with making Richard Yates Governor than any other one man, and this time he is not going to let him have it.

Young John Robertson was made chairman of the House. Elegance of style, diversity of style, and a long range of prices to suit the slimmest and most bulging purses are the chief aims of the head of this department.

## RANCHMAN MARSTON WILL WED MISS SYLVIA LYNDEN, ACTRESS.

The Young Lady Played "Sapho" in St. Louis and Mr. Marston Fell in Love With Her Here.



SYLVIA LYNDEN, Who Will Wed a Wealthy Ranchman of Texas.

#### REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, March 18.—Miss Sylvia Lynden busily, but happily, announces her engagement to Frank J. Marston.

Being an actress, Miss Lynden is averse to publicity. Yet she admits she was wooed under romantic circumstances and that the marriage is to occur just as soon as she can prepare a suitable trousseau.

Miss Lynden is a "Sapho" and Mr. Marston is a ranchman, big, sturdy, handsome and capable of carrying her up the spiral staircase of the Washington Monument, if necessary.

#### Saw Her in St. Louis.

He is 52 years old, she but 23; but the heart knows no law, and when the ranchman saw her mounting higher and higher in the arms of Jean Gausman at a theater in St. Louis a month ago he fell very violently in love with her.

He adopted all sorts of expedients to form his acquaintance, but Miss Lynden was coy, as all stage Fanny Le Grand's are, and refused all offers of introduction, saying she knew quite enough men as it was without going to Texas for recruits.

#### Met on the Prairie.

But Marston was not to be rebuffed. When the "Sapho" company closed its season at St. Louis and took a train for the East, Mr. Marston was on the train, occupying a section opposite Miss Lynden. For 500 miles he traveled, gazing at her from beneath the shade of his spreading sombrero, and then an accident occurred.

#### It was nothing more serious than a hot-box or something, but it enabled the passengers to leave the cars and stroll about the prairie; and thus it was that Marston got presented to Miss Lynden by the advance agent of the Frank Daniels opera company.

#### Proposed Nine Times.

Upon reaching New York Mr. Marston went to the Waldorf-Astoria, while Miss Lynden, not being a ranch owner, went to the theatrical boarding-house at No. 20 West Twenty-sixth street. But she ate but few meals at the boarding-house as the theatricals, the Arena—none is too good for her.

Five times, so runs the tale, Marston proposed marriage, but was rejected until he was accepted, and departed for the cattleman's convention at San Antonio last Friday after having placed a Marquisette on the third finger of Miss Lynden's left hand. The marriage will be celebrated about Easter time.

#### Marston Has Money.

Mr. Marston is said to be very wealthy. He owns many cattle in Texas and has a large ranch near Fort Hill, L. T.

Miss Lynden was born in San Francisco and has been on the stage three years. She played the leading role in "The Turtle," and was the original Fanny Le Grand in "Sapho" company. She is tall, blond and accounted beautiful.

## SPRING BONNETS IN GREAT DEMAND.

Store Openings Drew Crowds and Half the Stocks Were Sold Out Long Before Night.

### ROLLING BRIMS LIKE FLOWER

Tuscan Braid the Real Think—Sailor Hats No Longer Plain.

Hats and bonnets had a jolly time of it yesterday. They sunned themselves in the various show windows about the city on the first ideal spring day and long before evening, when Doctor Hyatt's prediction of more winter weather was made, they were safely stowed away in many ladies' bonnet boxes. Before night the stocks were half depleted and for to-day's and to-morrow's continuation of the openings the reserve stocks will have to be depended upon.

The heads of the various millinery stores and departments now holding their opening season report the best business done in many years. Every woman wanted a hat, and some of them wanted more. They got them and paid good prices for them. Such daily goods as silks, chiffons, nets and laces are the prevailing modes, and as for the flowers, they look real enough to be taken for nature's handwork. The new hat modes are so varied that every face in the universe can be suited.

Strauss & Sumner. At 8 o'clock yesterday morning the firm of Strauss & Sumner, which is almost exclusively a hat house, had more than 6,000 model hats in stock. By noon 500 of them had been sold. The firm had been preparing for a month for this opening. The entire basement was converted into an immense warehouse for hats, with a dozen tables, with a dozen trimmers to each table, were nightly filled with the creations for which they are now having a jolly market. The leading style is the rolling hat, which is made of a soft material, and is very light and comfortable. It is made of a soft material, and is very light and comfortable. It is made of a soft material, and is very light and comfortable.

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ment. One of the swiftest hats in an immense array is a rolling hat of yellow Tuscan braid, trimmed in violet foliage and black veils. Its outline makes its style. In fact, black veils have been largely imported by this house as novelties that will hold the fancy of many. A specimen of this all-black idea is a large hat of Tuscan braid, covered with fine black chiffon, black roses and elegant trim.

The L'Alouette is a dainty creation of handsome tulle, a sort of gold cloth, which is very expensive, and horsehair, Tuscan, edged with black and gold applique, and a large white ostrich pompon at the top.

The owl hat is a quaint novelty for slender faces and stylish women. It is made of black velvet, edged with velvet ribbon, two rosettes, which are placed at the centers of which are set with brilliants. The hat is covered with fine black chiffon, black roses and elegant trim.

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**IF** you bought a yard of flannel at a dry goods store and they sent you unbleached muslin instead, you'd very quickly send it back. On the same principle of getting what you pay for, when your grocer gives you any other than

# McKINNEY BREAD

send it back and tell him you want the BEST, which is made only

## By

# McKINNEY

#### Bar's.

At Barr's the regular millinery opening display was the most elaborate of many seasons. The house always has in a leader of its hats and bonnets and been famed for the excellence which characterized its styles and selections. Black and white, pink and white, blue and white and green and white are favorite color combinations, made up into some very dainty creations. The hat hat turned up at the side, is manifestly the popular style here, and black braid of elaborate pattern the well-known material out of which the hats are shaped. The prices ranged from \$2.98 to \$30 and can be obtained an exact copy of every imported model hat, which costs six times more money than the article built up from it. Of the many millinery openings this house has held in the past, none has been more successful than the present one. The sale of goods was very large yesterday, and promises to out-distance the figures to-day. The capacity for getting out good and cheap millinery is greater than ever, and the department has a magnificent stock, which is being constantly replenished by left and able hands. The Parisian models from which the home productions are being copied were purchased in Paris a month ago, and are the latest specimens of high priced millinery. The most elaborate preparations have been made by this house to take care of its patrons during the late opening days. Every comfort is assured them for double allotment of space has been given to the hat and bonnet department, which will remain so during the height of the season.

Green's. The spring opening of Green's Millinery Emporium was the most auspicious of many seasons. Green's hats and bonnets have always been noted for their exclusiveness of styles, and with opportunities such as are furnished with this year's enormous variety of material and color sense, the difficult trimmers of this house have filled the shelves with beauties from which it is difficult to make a choice.

From the simplest to the most gorgeous, from the chic and the stylish, to the most naturally becoming, Mohair is the most popular fiber of the season. It comes in all sorts of braiding. While delicate to look upon and light of weight, each fiber is so resilient that it does not break and is not subject to wear and tear. This mohair braid is shown at Green's in every possible color, from the most delicate shades of pink and gray, to the most brilliant colors. Some striking hats are in all red, red and black, and some in gold and black. Some hats are shown in gold and black, with spangled effects and folds of gold. A complete line of hats and bonnets is shown in all day.

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gler, to adjust them having proved ineffective.

Under these circumstances, a special mission, following in this respect the practice of other Governments, seemed necessary.

Instructions for the purpose were given to Mr. Gunner, as well as a further instruction to demand an apology for an apparent disregard of the honor of the Grand Vizier and the Minister of Foreign Affairs.