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VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS.

—D. A. Davidson of New York is registered at the St. Nicholas.

—Mrs. A. Dameri of Texarkana, Tex., is a guest at the Moser.

—William McBride of Portland, Me., spent yesterday at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ross of Great Falls, Minn., are at the Planters.

—F. I. Summers of Pittsburg, Pa., has rooms at the Southern.

—Karl R. Wundt of Burlington, Ia., is stopping at the Laclede.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lobert of Fairfield, Ill., are at the Moser.

—Henry Cooper of Springfield, Mo., arrived at the St. Nicholas yesterday.

—M. Sharp of Topeka, Kas., is at the Lindell with Mrs. Sharp.

—D. A. Van Winkle of Chillicothe, Ill., is stopping at the Planters.

—J. A. Gordon of Janesville, Minn., has rooms at the Southern.

—John L. Bogy, Jr., of Atchison, Kas., is registered at the Laclede.

—George W. Hillenbrand of Batesville, Ind., spent yesterday at the Moser.

—J. E. Brown of Boston, Mass., is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

—A. W. Taun of Jackson, Mich., was among yesterday's arrivals at the Lindell.

—Fred A. Tanner of San Francisco, Cal., is stopping at the Planters.

—McK. Looney of Sedalia, Mo., has rooms at the Southern.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Alson of Sedalia, Mo., are at the Laclede.

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—C. Fleisch of New York was among yesterday's arrivals at the St. Nicholas.

—C. R. Bennett of Providence, R. I., is a guest at the Lindell.

—Miss Florence Hill of Emporia, Kas., is a guest at the Planters.

—Charles Berry of Anderson, Ind., is stopping at the Southern.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hubbard of New Orleans, La., are at the Laclede.

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FUTILE ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.

Victim Fought Assailants and They Fled—Suspect Arrested.

Two highwaymen early yesterday morning made an unsuccessful attempt to hold up William C. Hoch, a contractor, working at Washington University. Hoch was walking west on Market street and when between Sixth and Seventh streets, two highwaymen grabbed him and attempted to go through his clothing. Hoch showed fight and screamed. The robbers ran down Market street.

Hoch's screams attracted the attention of Officers Schleifstein, O'Connor and McCormack, and after a chase of several blocks they overtook one of the men, who has been identified by Hoch. He gave the name of Harry Martin. He is held at the Four Courts pending application for a warrant. The highwaymen got nothing from their victim.

Lovers of fine brandy invariably order Otard's, the standard of excellence.

Call for Texas County Convention.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Hartville, Mo., Feb. 9.—Chairman Maier has issued a call for the Democrats of the several townships of Texas County to hold mass meetings in their respective townships on February 14 and elect three delegates to meet in Houston on February 17 and choose the eleven delegates from Texas County to the Democratic Congressional Nominating Convention of the Sixteenth District. These delegates will be for Bob-

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SENATE HOSTILE TO STATEHOOD PLANS.

Even if Committee Should Make a Favorable Report, Territories Have Little Hope.

POLITICS CUTS LARGE FIGURE.

Opposition Is Based on Unwillingness to Increase the Democratic Membership in Upper House.

The Republic Bureau,
14th St. and Pennsylvania Ave.

Washington, Feb. 9.—A Republican Senator said to-day:

"Advocates of statehood for the Territories are losing hope of favorable action from Congress at this session. Few of them expect a favorable report from the committee which has been holding hearings for a month past.

"It might be possible to secure favorable action from the House if there was any hope of the Senate yielding to the demand of the Western people, but the Senate as it now stands is unalterably opposed to increasing the membership from the smaller Western States with their leanings toward the Democratic party.

"If Indian Territory and Oklahoma had appeared before Congress united and enthusiastic for single statehood for both Territories it might have been difficult for Congress to have ignored the appeal. There would have been no really good reason for turning down the application for admission made by 1,000,000 people of a stable and wealthy community.

"Indian Territory and Oklahoma, however, are fighting each other. Indian Territory fears its absorption by Oklahoma and the Indian element in Indian Territory also realizes that if it was governed by a vote of the people the 300,000 whites would concede little authority to the 75,000 Indians who now really control the situation. This war between the people of two sections of practically one Territory is sufficient excuse to prevent serious consideration of the claims for statehood for a community which would at once send two Senators and five members of the House to Washington as its delegation in the national councils.

Two Territories Are Democratic.

"Arizona is Democratic, as also is New Mexico. Neither of these Territories possesses the claims to consideration possessed by Oklahoma, and while the people of those Territories are making a brave and strenuous fight for statehood, they have little show of securing it.

"Another phase of the question which has been taken into consideration, especially in the Senate, in regard to Oklahoma is the shifting character of the majority vote in that section of the United States. Should industrial depression come once more to the West, it is said, Oklahoma would follow the trend so noticeable through that entire belt. Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma are settled by practically the same class of people and their political tendencies are agrarian or, as is more commonly called, Populistic. It will be a long time and conditions will have to change materially before the Senate will agree to increase its membership from Territories of this political character.

"The admission of Montana, Utah, Idaho and the Dakotas has served the purpose of bringing about an ultraconservative attitude toward the admission of any more States, and while Oklahoma can show greater reason for consideration than any Territory which has yet been made a State, it will probably be some time before even that community receives the privilege of a commonwealth."

Note Change—City ticket and freight office of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway now located at 520 Olive street.

ARREST FOLLOWS ROMANTIC MARRIAGE

Wrathful Father Objects to Marriage of Cousins, Who Are Said to Be Under Age.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 9.—Because he married his cousin and because she is said to be under age, Charles Hendren is a prisoner in the McLean County Jail. He was arrested last night, a day after the wedding.

His bride was Frances March, the pretty daughter of John March, a farmer of the southern part of the county, who has decided ideas about romantic matrimony.

Hendren is a young farmer, whose home adjoins that of March. Both families formerly resided in Kentucky, where the laws do not forbid marriage of first cousins. Farmer March sent his daughter to college in this city, but this separation was no bar to courtship.

Hendren came to the city Friday afternoon and gave the age of the bride as 18 and his own as 21, although it is claimed neither is of legal age. That evening the couple were married and went home to receive the parental blessing.

The reception was not cordial. The bride was taken in charge by the father, who also hastened after a warrant and a Deputy Sheriff. He got both and Hendren, after soliloquizing over the uncertainties of married life to-day, will learn his fate to-morrow, when a preliminary hearing will be given his case.

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TENNESSEE LICENSE LAWS.

Temperance and Liquor Interests Striving to Control Legislation.

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Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 9.—Wholesale liquor men and saloonists in Tennessee are worried. They have a right to be. The anti-liquor element is hard at work and going to make a showing when the Tennessee General Assembly meets. This element will undoubtedly control the General Assembly, unless all present signs fail. At the last session of the Legislature a special effort was made to restrict the sale of liquor in the small towns of Tennessee. This was about to succeed when votes changed all of a sudden in the Senate.

Since the last Assembly met the temperance people have organized sixty-eight anti-saloon leagues in Tennessee, with a membership of about 10,000 qualified voters. These men pledged to support this crusade.

"Boro-Formalin" (Elmer & Amend), antiseptic dressing for burns, sores, cuts, bruises or any similar accident or affliction.

SCHROEDER—PHELPS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 9.—John Schroeder and Miss Maud Phelps, a popular couple of this city, were married this afternoon by the Reverend Father Jansen. They left for the Mardi Gras on a bridal trip.

Note Change—City ticket and freight office of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway now located at 520 Olive street.

WILLIAM LITTLE.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

O'Fallon, Ill., Feb. 9.—William Little, a prominent and well-known resident of Southern Illinois, and father of Mrs. Charles T. Smiley of this city, died to-day at his home in East St. Louis. He was formerly a resident of this city for many years.

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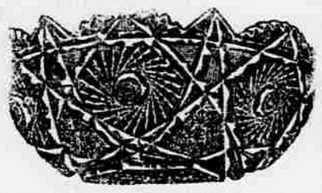

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Cut Glass Bowls, each.....$5, $5.50, $6.50 and up to $38
Cut Glass Lemonade Jugs, each...$6, $9.50, $13.50 and up to $30
Cut Glass Lemonade Cups, dozen...$3, $4.50, $5.50 and up to $44
Cut Glass Olive Dishes, each.....$1, $1.50, $1 and up to $14.50
Cut Glass Bon-Bon Dishes, each.....$2, $2.50, $2.75 and up to $15
Cut Glass Celery Trays, each.....$5, $5.50, $6.50 and up to $28
Cut Glass Vases, each.....$2.75, $3, $3.50 and up to $38
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JEFFERSON PICTURES IN PORTO RICO.

President Hawes Tells Why Lithographs Were Distributed in the Public Schools of That Island.

The Jefferson Club has been advised of the receipt in Porto Rico of several hundred lithographs of Thomas Jefferson, which were mailed from St. Louis about a month ago. They are being distributed among the schools, where the young idea is taught to shoot, not at Spaniards, but for real American citizenship, the kind that knows and appreciates.

President Hawes of the Jefferson Club, when asked why the association had gone to the expense and trouble of sending the lithographs, said:

"The Porto Ricans are now part and parcel of the citizenship of this country. After centuries of political bondage they are to be given a taste of the sweets of political liberty. Thomas Jefferson, among all the great American statesmen, stands at the very front rank as an advocate of human liberty. The Declaration of Independence, which was the creation of his majestic intellect, has formed the framework upon which all peoples seeking liberty since its adoption have builded their own declarations of political principles. The school children of Porto Rico, under the tutelage of good American schoolmarms, will hear and read much about Jefferson and his works. They will also be advised of the fact that he was the first Democrat and the founder of that party. Our club members believed that it would increase the interest of the youth of Porto Rico in Jefferson to have a likeness of him before them in the schoolroom. It should early set them on the correct political path and make them all good Democrats.

O. M. Wood, formerly of St. Louis, who is now Superintendent of Schools at Bayamon, Porto Rico, sends the following account of the distribution of the Jefferson lithographs:

Down the Carretera runs a peon by the side of my pony, proudly bearing on his head a package containing lithographs. He will accept no pay for his day's work, for somewhere in the mountains little "Pablo," with his sister, "Maria," are sitting on a rough bench singing "My Country, 'Tis of Thee." And the lowly son of toil before me bows profusely, as he says, "I, too, give help to the schools, maybe some day God make little Pablo big man, like him I carry."

We ford rivers, plow through bogs and seemingly never ending mudholes, climb mountains, scramble down hills, and finally pull up at the door of a palm-thatched building, over which proudly waves Old Glory, set with a background of broad banana and plantain leaves and feathery cocoa palms. As we enter, the master, a young native girl, comes to the door with a cheery "Good day, Senor Inspector," and the children finish the last strain of "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." The interior—just a rough floor with wide cracks, rude benches and desks made by unpractical hands, a rickety table, maps on the walls, books on the desks and fifty or more bright-eyed future citizens of all sizes and colors, who rise decorously. I unroll Pablo's burden, select a picture, produce a hammer and tacks and proceed to place the benign face of the writer of the Declaration of Independence in the place of honor above the teacher's desk. The children are ready for a talk, and, from a rapid discussion of Jefferson, his life, his principles, his work, I most naturally drift to the Louisiana Purchase, the city of St. Louis and the World's Fair, its representative men and, at last, to the donors of our generous gift and the Jefferson Club. The teacher calls for a rising vote of thanks, as she quaintly puts it, "to that society of far-away Americans who love us much;" the children respond not only by a change of position, but the exercise of that inherent right of the free American youth—to be heard. The little ones sing the "Star-Spangled Banner" and repeat the allegiance to the flag.

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INJURED IN SALOON FIGHT.

Serious Ending of a Dispute Over Pool Game.

As the result of a quarrel over a game of pool, which occurred Saturday night in the saloon of Frank Schoenborn, at No. 3454 Louisiana avenue, Schoenborn is confined to his home, suffering from injuries which are considered of a serious nature. George Veirheilig, a carpenter, of No. 3856 Tennessee avenue, is locked up at the Seventh District Station pending the result of Schoenborn's injuries. He is charged with having committed the assault.

There was a dispute between the men as to who had won the game, and several blows were exchanged. Veirheilig left the saloon, and, when he reached the street, Schoenborn says, he threw a rock through the window. Schoenborn ran out of the saloon and grabbed Veirheilig. The proprietor says his adversary turned on him with a knife and cut him twice.

Schoenborn's injuries consist of a deep cut on the right arm, a cut over the right eye and three scalp wounds.

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SUFFOCATED BY FIRE IN HOME.

Two Little Girls Perish Before Aid Arrives.

New York, Feb. 9.—Jennie and Elsie Berlinger, aged 8 and 6 years respectively, children of Doctor R. Berlinger, were suffocated and died while a fire was in progress at their father's residence in this city to-day.

The children were in a room on the top floor when the fire was discovered, and all efforts to reach the room were unavailing, as the fire had broken out in a connecting room, through which it was necessary to pass before the children could be reached. After the fire was extinguished the bodies of the children were found lying near the door.

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Mrs. Clark Moss Corum.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 9.—The body of Mrs. Clark Moss Corum was brought here today from Boonville for burial. Her mother, a brother and sister and husband, C. D. Corum, Prosecuting Attorney of Cooper County, survive her. She was a member of one of Central Missouri's oldest families. She was 28 years of age.

Residence Burned.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Conway, Ark., Feb. 9.—E. W. Gantt's residence and contents were burned this morning. Loss about $4,000 and insurance $2,100. The fire originated from a defective flue.

DELAY IN GIVING AID TO CUBA CREATES GRAVE FEARS.

Senor Palma May Refuse to Serve as President if Conditions Are Permitted to Be Such That a Permanent Government Cannot Be Established—Congress Waiting to Get War Revenue Reduction Out of the Way.

ROOSEVELT IS SAID TO BE ANXIOUS FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Feb. 9.—While the administration is bound to accept the assurances which have been given it by a majority of the Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee, that they will in time report a bill granting concessions to Cuba, the effect that this delay will have upon the new Government of Cuba, is, nevertheless, causing grave apprehension in Washington.

If Congress does not act promptly will the conditions in Cuba become so bad that Senor Tomas Estrada Palma will decline to serve as President? Should Senor Palma decline to accept the presidency, what would follow—anarchy, annexation or merely continued military occupation by the United States?

These questions deal with contingencies that President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Root are anxious to avoid.

In a letter from one of the best authorities on Cuban politics, now on the island, is this startling statement:

PEOPLE TOO POOR TO STOCK THEIR FARMS.

"Trouble is brewing here and will develop later. The annexation sentiment is strongly on the increase, and will, I think, come to the front in case we fail at Washington, or the matter is long delayed. I recently took a trip to the mountain districts and found the potreros absolutely bare of cattle, the inhabitants almost too poor to obtain the bare necessities of life and utterly discouraged over the situation. While many of them have large tracts of land, they cannot raise a dollar to stock them, or for any other purpose, and never taste a morsel of meat.

"The tobacco plantings have very generally been injured by the drought, and the few pigs in the country all died from some epidemic last summer. These conditions are sure to tell as soon as the sugar estates stop work, and, at the best, the crop will be over very early.

"Shipments have been very light from Cienfuegos, but the warehouses are all filled, and everybody is so short of money that sales will be forced within a few days."

ANARCHY OR ANNEXATION UNLESS RELIEF IS GIVEN.

This letter is a sample of hundreds received at the Bureau of Insular Affairs. All indicate trouble unless relief is afforded by Congress. Members of the Ways and Means Committee have been blind to the moral obligation of the United States to the Cubans, and have been deaf to warnings in the press of the grave danger that America's refusal to act may cause Senor Palma to decline to become President, and set up a permanent government on the island, which would undoubtedly mean either anarchy or annexation.

An important official of the Government, who is in a position to know the exact attitude of the President and Secretary Root, said to-day:

"We hope to avoid such a grave contingency as Senor Palma's refusal to assume office. It has been explained to the President and Secretary Root that the only reason for delay is that the general tariff revisers are waiting for a chance to spring the Babcock bill and other propositions. Members of the Ways and Means Committee think they can stave off this danger when the war revenue reduction bill is passed. Then we expect to see the committee act for Cuba.

WHAT MAY FOLLOW CONTINUED DELAY.

"If the present delay of two months is extended to two weeks more, when the time comes for the Cuban electoral college to meet, and Senor Palma should, as intimated, decline to be a candidate for the presidency on the ground that the failure of the United States to help Cuba had made it impossible for a stable government to be maintained by the Cubans, that would be a very great calamity. Should Palma decline, the scheme of giving Cuba a constitution and government of her own would fall to the ground. We would have to assume the responsibility for everything that goes on in the island, just as we are assuming it now. That is the plain, blunt truth of it.

"The stupendous question of annexation cannot be answered off-hand. We are now pledged to guarantee the independence of Cuba and to give the Cubans a government. Should conditions arise through the neglect of Congress which makes that government impossible, we would be answerable.

"Of course, the annexation of Cuba to the United States in the future is inevitable. It is absolutely certain that, in time, all of the West Indian islands will be annexed to the United States. But to give Cuba annexation now under those circumstances would be particularly unfortunate. We would be charged with bad faith.

PRESIDENT WANTS CONCESSIONS MADE.

"The Cubans want to see their flag fly over the island. They want to have a try at a government of their own. To give Cuba a government under conditions that will make it a failure, even while it is being inaugurated, and then to annex her, would be like marrying a girl off before she has been allowed to go to a ball. She would regret that she had never had her fling.

"I do not think the President wants to send a special message to Congress. Congress knows his position. He thinks the concessions to Cuba should be made now. He has been told by the members of the Ways and Means Committee that the matter must be handled delicately. He will certainly wait a reasonable time before taking any further steps. But he will continue to insist on relief to Cuba until it is granted."

This statement of the views of the President and Secretary Root regarding the needs of Cuba and the perplexities that may be in store for Congress, as well as the administration, can be further supplemented by the statement that the President is devoting a great deal of his time discussing this question with members of Congress in both houses. A member of the Senate, who was present at the White House dinner given to Governor Taft the other night, which was attended by a dozen prominent members of Congress, said today that the President talked of little else. He impressed on everybody present his earnestness for the cause and his sincere belief that trouble would follow any delay.

SENATOR JONES ON PARAMOUNT ISSUE.

Says He Cannot Now Outline With Accuracy the Policy of Any Party.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Senator Jones of Arkansas, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, in conversation to-day relative to the future policy of his party, declared that while anti-imperialism might not be the paramount issue of the next national campaign, he believed it would be a most prominent one.

"No one can, at this time," he remarked, "predict absolutely and actually what the future policy of any party will be. It may be that the Democratic party will find it advisable to eliminate certain policies of the past. If so, it will be done. I have authorized no one to define my belief as to what action will be taken."

This assertion was in response to an interview given out in Boston by Irving Winslow, president of the New England Anti-Imperialistic League. Mr. Winslow gives Mr. Jones as his authority for the assertion that imperialism will be made the paramount issue, and a campaign of such aggression conducted as will lead the Democratic party to victory.

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ST. JOSEPH HAS A LAND BOOM.

Electric Line to Be Built at Once Opens New District.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 9.—There is considerable activity in real estate in the southern part of the city, through which the Kansas City, Parkville and St. Joseph Electric Railroad will pass.

The granting of the franchise a few days ago by the Platte County Circuit Court to the company named assures the construction of the road and work will begin in the early spring. Bonds are being filed with the courts in the counties through which the road will be built guaranteeing its completion by October 1. It is claimed the line will be in operation by that time.

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PRESIDENT TO STAY WITH INVALID SON.

Probably Will Not Return to Capital for Several Days—Boy's Condition Unchanged.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The condition of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., shows no change of any importance, and as it is probable, in the nature of the illness, that it will be several days or more before the outcome will be apparent, the President is not likely to return to Washington from Groton, Mass., until at least the end of the week.

This evening the White House made public the following message received from Groton:

"The President saw his son shortly after arrival here. Boy's condition is unchanged, but he is holding his own well."

Winter Cruise to Havana.

Why not try a journey to Havana and the "Pearl of the Antilles" as a change? Havana is the most quaintly attractive city of the New World. Its winter climate is superb, its other attractions unsurpassed. It is reached easily by the ships of the Southern Pacific Company, which operate out of New Orleans, leaving each Saturday, making the trip in forty-eight hours. The new steamers Chalmette and Excelsior are splendidly equipped with all modern improvements and offer a delightful method of making a pleasant winter voyage. Send 4 cents for our Havana booklet, with rates and descriptive account of Cuba. Address any agent of the Southern Pacific Company, or J. H. Lothrop, G. A., St. Louis, Mo.

Wright County for Mansfield.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Hartville, Mo., February 9.—The eight delegates from Wright County to the Sixteenth District Congressional Convention at Salem May 14 will be elected at a mass meeting held in Hartville February 17, and will support F. M. Mansfield of this county, who is one of the leading candidates for the congressional nomination.

Valentines, 5 Cents to $10.

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Stone Spoke at Doniphan.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Doniphan, Mo., Feb. 9.—Ex-Governor Stone spoke to a large audience in the Courthouse here last night. He discussed national issues and incidentally his candidacy for the United States Senate. The Ripley County primaries will be held March 15.

Tender Feet

Omega Oil

People with tender, sore, itching, tired, swollen feet ought to know that there is no excuse for them at all. They can rub Omega Oil on the feet each night for a week or so, and then they won't suffer any more. Omega Oil is now used by the very best foot doctors in New York, and they say it is just wonderful how the Oil takes the pain out of the feet. Bathe the feet in warm water, wipe dry, and then rub on the Oil. This treatment is particularly recommended to men and women who have to stand up or walk a good deal. Farmers, clerks, mechanics or women who do housework will find Omega Oil the best foot cure they ever tried.

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SENATE TO CONSIDER THE PHILIPPINE BILL.

Consideration of the War Tax Measure Will Be Deferred, Owing to Absent Republicans.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The Philippine question will continue to hold foremost place on the Senate calendar during the present week, but there is little probability that the Philippine bill will be disposed of before the close of the week. Democratic Senators say they will require several weeks' more time in which to consider the measure. Senator Lodge, as chairman of the committee having the bill in charge, has not failed to impress upon them his intention of pressing it with the utmost dispatch consistent with due consideration of so important a measure. There are several Democratic Senators prepared to speak on the bill.

Senator Quarles will report the permanent census bill to-morrow before the Philippine bill is taken up and will make an effort to secure immediate consideration. If he succeeds the census bill probably will alternate with the Philippine bill for a few days. Senator Quarles hopes that the census bill may be passed without much delay. The irrigation bill also occupies a place of vantage on the Senate calendar, and with the other bills mentioned out of the way, will be pressed to the front.

On Friday Senator Penrose will ask the Senate to listen to eulogies on the late Representative Brosius of Pennsylvania.

A varied programme confronts the House for the coming week. Owing to the absence of a large number of Republicans, who will go to different points of the country to participate in the celebration of Lincoln's birthday on Wednesday, consideration of the bill to repeal the war taxes will be postponed until next week.

To-morrow is District of Columbia day. On Tuesday consideration of the oleomargine bill will be resumed under the agreement made last week, to devote another day to general debate, followed by a day of debate under the five-minute rule. The passage of the bill by a good majority is considered assured, although the substitute proposition will probably command a larger vote than it did in the last Congress.

The Committee on War Claims will have a day following the disposition of the oleomargine bill, and the latter part of the week will probably be devoted to consideration of Indian, post office or army appropriation bills, all of which are expected to be reported earlier in the week.

Note Change—City ticket and freight office of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway now located at 520 Olive street.

SENATOR MASON HAS AN ABSENT-MINDED MOMENT.

Is Obliged to Ask a Clerk Whether It Is the Fifty Sixth Congress Now in Session.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Senator Mason of Illinois was seen to approach a Western woman in the famous Marble Room the other day with a "reserved gallery" card in his hand, and, drawing his little gold pencil, which is attached to a fine gold chain, from his pocket, he looked at her and scrawled her name upon it, then, in an easy, cross-questioning manner, asked:

"What session is this?"

The woman was astonished and showed it, but asked in turn: "Why, Mr. Mason, don't you know?"

"No," he gravely replied, and, turning to a clerk who was standing near, again asked: "What session is this? The fifty-sixth?"

"It is the fifty-seventh, Senator," answered the clerk, who was evidently in the Marble Room for just such information. The woman remarked, as she watched the Senator write the time on her card: "If I were in Congress I would know what session I served."

"Then is when you would forget," the genial Senator replied, "and this is for the fifty-seventh Congress and I am glad to give it to you."

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MEETING OF CENTRAL TRADES.

Ex-President Cleveland and Samuel Gompers Criticised.

In a resolution adopted by the Central Trades and Labor Union yesterday at Walhalla Hall, ex-President Grover Cleveland was denounced as an enemy to organized labor, and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, criticised for attending the Peace Conference held in New York in December last. The resolution further provides for the calling of a mass meeting in St. Louis to define the attitude of the rank and file of union labor toward the conference.

The following fraternal delegates to the different local trades councils affiliated with the body were elected: Building Trades Council, Charles Kassell of the Cigarmakers, James Johnson of the Waiters and Robert Alexander of the Machinists. To the Metal Trades Council, J. G. M. Currelly of the Shoe Workers, Michael Nolan of the Stove Molders and N. B. Dunn of the Federal Labor Union.

After the election Horace M. Eaton of Boston, Mass., general secretary and treasurer of the National Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, delivered an address upon the union label.

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