Market News

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—The short session of the stock exchange today was a traders' affair, the week-end and impending holidays combining to reduce dealings to slender proportions.

So far as the list showed a definite trend, price changes mainly were toward higher levels. Oils, metals and miscellaneous issues, including rubbers and tobacco, supplanted the usual leaders of the industrial division. Many of the popular rails were entirely ignored for specialties controlled by pools. New Haven repeated its low quotation of the year, but Chicago and Northwestern recovered part of its decline. Sales amounted to 275,000 shares.

Business in foreign exchanges was little more than nominal, but the principal remittances were distinctly firm. The London rate was higher by one per cent and allied quotations rose five to 20 points, strength also being shown by Dutch, Swiss, Norwegian and Spanish bills.

The bond list retained its recent uncertain characteristics, liberty issues and the domestic division almost as a whole closing at mixed changes. Total sales, par value, $5,775,000.

Changes in the weekly clearing house statement were slight, considering the heavy transfer of funds in connection with new underwritings. Actual loans and discounts decreased $14,255,000 and the cash loss of about $8,656,000 was barely one-third of the previous week's gain, leaving excess reserves of approximately $28,400,000.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—As the year draws to a close surveys of competent authorities regarding the outlook in finance, trade and commerce were noteworthy because with scarcely an exception they sound a note of optimism.

The work of the arms conference at Washington, resumption of dividends by railroads and industrial companies recently inarrears, the decrease of unemployment and general enhancement of bond values are some of the substantial or constructive incidents of the past few weeks.

These are offset or neutralized in a measure by reduced expenditure a marked increase of business failures and the slackening of production in steel and iron with further price reductions. Fully one-third of the recent mercantile embarrassment occurred in the south, but last week's reduction of rediscounts by the Atlanta reserve bank was accepted as proof that financial tension in that section is gradually relaxing.

In the share list the most significant feature was the fact that stocks were most active when strong and very apathetic when the forces of reaction were in control. Dealings in stocks were subordinated to the steady inquiry for bonds. Although liberty issues and some of the foreign war bonds occasionally were heavy the ease with which new underwritings were disposed of suggested that January interest and dividend payments were confidently anticipating new channels of investment.

Negotiations now in progress point to numerous mergers by secondary industrial interests in the early months of the new year. Acquisition of American Brass by Anaconda Copper is likely to be followed by amalgation in the steel and motor trades where conditions are at low ebb. In the oil industry consolidations of various minor companies are under discussion.

Bankers believe the turn in 1922 will be accomplished without serious disturbance to domestic credits. They are less hopeful, however as to foreign exchanges, which in their opinion will be largely influenced by the attitude of the allied powers toward Germany's January and February reparations payments.

CHICAGO BOARD

CHICAGO, Dec. 24—Prices were on the upgrade in the early trading on the Chicago board of trade. Trade was light and was interrupted by the visit of Santa Claus to the pit traders but the undertone was firm.

Wheat started quarter to half cent higher with December, $1.13½; May, $1.17 to $1.17⅛ and July $1.04¾ to $1.05. Every sign of a dip brought out some scattered buying and there was a general advance until resting orders came out from commission houses and checked the upward movement when May reached $1.17½.

Corn futures broke into new ground for the present upturn. The start was ¼ to ⅜c higher with December 49⅝, May, 55¼ to 55⅜ and July, 56¾. The purchase of five cargoes of corn by the Russian relief yesterday with prospects that western stocks would be in demand soon helped the upward movement. May was 55⅝ and July 57⅛ at the end of the first hour.

Oats started steady to ¼c higher and moved up with other grains, May being 39½ after an hour's dealings.

In provisions first trading in May pork with an initial price of $13.05 upset the January option which showed 35c liver at $14.50.

Other products were about five points higher on light transactions.

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Live Stock

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CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—CATTLE: Receipts 200; compared with week ago: Beef steers mostly 25c to 50c lower; plain to medium grades showing full decline; she stock generally 25c to 50c lower; veal calves $1 to $1.50 off; stockers and feeders 25c to 40c lower; bulls 50c lower.

HOGS—Receipts 8,000; active and strong to 15c higher than yesterday's average with lights up most; shippers bought about 7,500; good clearances; top 7.80 for 160 pound average; 7.50 for 180 to 190 average; bulk 7.00@7.40; pigs 10c to 15c higher.

SHEEP—Receipts 4,500; practically all packers direct and all on shipper account; compared with week ago: Fat lambs and yearlings about $1 higher; fat sheep and feeder lambs steady to 25c higher.

Other Markets Closed Saturday

PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.— Butter unsettled, creamery extras 42@42½; firsts 33@40½; seconds 30@32½; standards 37. Eggs: Unsettled; receipts 4,962 cases; firsts 50; ordinary firsts 43@45; miscellaneous 47@49; refrigerator firsts 38@40. Poultry: Alive unchanged.

Potatoes: Receipts 22 cars; total United States shipments 270 cars; market firm; sacked northern whites 1.80@2.00; Minnesota Red Rivers sacked 1.85.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 24.— Eggs: Firm, unchanged. Butter unchanged. Poultry: Hens and springs unchanged; turkeys 50c today, quoted nominally for next week.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Foreign exchange steady: Great Britain demand 418¾; cables 4.19¼; France demand 7.98½; cables 7.99; Italy demand 4.43½; cables 4.44; Belgium demand, 7.62½; cables 7.63; Germany demand 53½ cables 54; Holland demand 36.58; cables 36.64; Norway demand 15.65; Sweden demand 24.85; Denmark demand 20.15; Switzerland demand 19.53; Spain demand 14.88; Greece demand 4.14; Argentine demand 33.37; Brazil demand 12.87; Montreal 93½.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The actual condition of the clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $28,282,690 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $8,655,710 from last week.

COTTON EXCHANGE CLOSED DEC. 24

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The coffee, and sugar, cotton and produce exchanges are closed today.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.— Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 94.30; first 4s 96.10; second 4s 95.60 bid; first 4¼s 96.52; second 4¼s 95.90; third 4¼s 97.40; fourth 4¼s 96.28; Victory 3¾s 100.04; Victory 4¾s 100.04.

BAR SILVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.— Foreign bar silver 64¾; Mexican dollars 49¾.

New Orleans is raising a $20,000 fund to combat the Argentine ant which has invaded the city.

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VETERAN ENGROSSES $250 LICENSE FOR PRINCESS

PRINCESS MARY, VISCOUNT LASCELLES, AND WILLIAM BULL ENGROSSING THEIR MARRIAGE LICENSE.

By MILTON BRONNER

LONDON.—Behind the locked doors of his musty workroom, William Bull, 75, is engrossing the license that will legalize the marriage of Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles.

He's doing the job just as he engrossed the license of Princess Mary's parents years ago—with a score of antique quill pens and special inks.

The license is on a big sheet of parchment and looks like a treaty. The characters are in Old English "black letter."

Bull's been making licenses for nobility and royalty all his life. He's attached to the faculty office of the archbishop of Canterbury. He engrossed the license of "Princess Pat," idol of Canada.

The license will cost $250.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE
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American Beet Sugar	27½
American Can	33⅝
American International	40⅝
American Locomotive	105¼
American Smelting & Refining	45
American Tel. & Tel. Co.	113½
American Woolen	79⅝
Atchison	91½
Baldwin Locomotive	96¼
Baltimore & Ohio	35
Bethlehem Steel (B)	56⅛
Canadian Pacific	119½
Central Leather	30⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	55¼
Chandler Motor	47
Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	39½
Chi., R. I. & Pac. Ry.	22
Corn Products	96⅝
Crucible Steel	66½
Cuba Cane Sugar	6⅞
Erie	10
General Motors	10½
Great Northern pfd.	74½
Great Northern Ore	32
Haskell & Barker	79⅛
International Paper	52
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	63⅝
Invincible Oil	14⅛
Island Oil	2⅝
Lackawanna Steel	44⅛
Mexican Petroleum	114⅛
Midvale Steel	26⅝
Missouri Pacific	17¾
New York Central	72⅝
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	12
Norfolk & Western	97
Northern Pacific	78⅝
Pan American Petroleum	52
Pan American "B"	46¼
Pennsylvania	33¼
Pierce Arrow	13⅛
Reading	72¼
Rep. Iron & Steel	51
Retail Stores	53⅛
Royal Dutch	49⅝
Sinclair Cons.	22⅛
Southern Railway	18⅝
Southern Pacific	79
Studebaker Co.	78⅞
Texas Co.	45⅛
Tobacco Products	63⅞
United Food	9⅞
United States Rubber	53⅝
United States Steel	83⅝
United States Industrial Alcohol	39
Union Oil-Delaware	18⅞
Union Pacific	135
Vanadium Corp.	31⅝
Virginia-Carolina Chem.	27⅞
Western Union	91
Westinghouse Electric	50¼
Willys Overland	5⅝
M. S. O.	12⅞
Sugar	51½
Pac. Oil	47⅞

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Chile	15⅞	..
Chino	28	..
Greene-Cananea	27⅛	..
Inspiration	40	..
Kennecott	26⅝	..
Miami	26⅝	..
Nevada Cons.	15	..
Ray Cons.	15	..
Utah	62⅝	..
Big Ledge	26	28
Calumet & Jerome	13	15
Dundee	50	70
Goodyear Tire	11⅝	12¼
Goodyear Tire pfd.	26	27
Green Monster	6	12
Jerome Verde	28	32
Magma	25	28
Magma Chief	4	6
Ray Hercules	15	15⅛
United Eastern	2¼	..
Verde Extension	28½	29

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE
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NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—So this is Christmas. It might have been a better year and it might have been worse. There has been a hard stock market to make money in. Early in the year, with the market starting upward, it was obvious that without deflation in steel, there was no good reason for expecting general business to do better. Yet, even the short seller had a hard road to travel. Premiums and upward bidding of prices made the maintenance of the position difficult and expensive. When the tide finally turned in September, despite the fact that the tide of easier money which had been expected had made itself felt, the thing looked like a rally rather than a real turn. It is only in the last couple of months that it has been possible to make real money and as usual the job required nerve. It has been a hard wearing year all around. We look for a very different situation in 1922. We are entering into a period where common sense and practical analysis will once again yield rewards. The cataclysm which was bound to follow the terrific bull market of 1919 is now over. We have really entered on a reconstruction era which is sure to hold rich results for people who correctly gauge the tide and its effect on individual properties and companies. We hope to be of some assistance to correspondents in appraising the opportunities which 1922 undoubtedly holds in store.

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British Delegate Sends Message To American People

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British arms conference delegation tonight issued the following Christmas message to the American people:

"I welcome the opportunity which has been granted me of sending Christmas greetings to my American friends, known and unknown.

"If this be the season which above all others, suggests thoughts of peace on earth and good will towards men, surely there are no nations between whom that peace should be more secure and that good will more ardent than the two great peoples of English speech. Such has always been my faith; and never did it seem nearer complete of realization than at a moment when under American leadership, so much is being done towards diminishing armaments and removing causes of international offense.

"Christmas tide so spent should be the surest preclude to a happy New Year."

Secretary Hughes Makes Public Text Of Briand's Note

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The text of the communication sent by Secretary of State Hughes to Premier Briand in acknowledgment of the receipt of M. Briand's message of December 18, in which the premier announced acceptance of the American capital ship ratio plan, was made public yesterday by the state department. It follows:

"My Dear M. Briand: M. Jusserand has handed me your message and I am highly gratified at your prompt response which again evinced your deep interest in our efforts to reduce the burden of naval armament. I trust that we may make still further progress until a satisfactory settlement is assured on all points.

"Allow me again to express my most cordial appreciation of your cooperation and the assurances of my highest esteem.

"Charles E. Hughes."

RAPID CHILD.

Proud Mother—Uncle John, don't you think my new baby is fine?

Uncle John—Yes, for a newborn, I even think he's ahead of his time.

Proud Mother—What do you mean?

Uncle John—Why he's already more bald than his father.

SOUTHSIDE NEWS

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XMAS PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT BY CHURCH CHOIRS

MESA, Dec. 24.— The combined choirs of the Mesa Baptist, Christian and Methodist churches will give a Christmas musicale in the Methodist church Sunday night, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. About 30 singers, among them some of Mesa's best vocalists, will be on the platform. The music will be of the same high order as was that of the Methodist Easter cantata last spring. Following is the program to be given, to which the public is invited:

Hymn ..... Congregation
Anthem—
"The Heavenly Sign"..... Lovery
Choir
Scripture reading....Rev. B. S. Davis
(pastor Christian church)
Vocal solo—
"The Angel's Message".....Dressler
J. C. Raymond
Anthem—
"Through the Silent Starry Night"
(Wilson)
Choir
Reading—
"Heap o' Living"..... Guest
Miss Thelma Hopkins
Octette—
"And There Were Shepherds," Wilson
Anthem—
"What Mean These Holy Voices?"
(Adams)
Choir
Mixed quartet—
"Calm on the Night"..... Parks
Mrs. M. V. Blakley, Miss Ruby Golden
Messrs. Anderson and Golden
Violin solo ..... Selected
Mr. Dinginan
Male quartet—
"The Guiding Star"
Hymn ..... Congregation
Anthem—
"Joy to the World"..... Wilson
Choir
Benediction ..... Rev. R. C. Lord
(pastor M. E. church)
Pianists: Mrs. W. C. Helm.
Mrs. W. G. Anderson.
Director: Wesley G. Anderson.

Christmas Boxes Sent to Poor

More than 50 baskets laden with good things to eat and other articles were distributed Saturday morning and afternoon to the homes of Mesa's poor by the Mesa Welfare league. The committee of women composed of Mrs. E. J. Warren as chairman; Mrs. Harry Bland, Mrs. Emma Rollins, Mrs. N. P. Eulfson and others, spent both Friday and Saturday in preparing the baskets and completed their task shortly after noon Saturday. All of the homes to which the boxes were sent were deserving cases, members of the league's investigating committee ascertained, and a real Christmas dinner was provided for them. Included in each box was a sack of flour, loaf of bread, pound of butter, several pounds of sugar, oranges, canned corn and milk, sweet and Irish potatoes and in many instances other special articles to suit the particular family to which they were sent.

P. O. to Work on Monday

While Monday will be generally observed in Mesa as a holiday, employes of the post office will observe their annual custom of working on the Christmas holiday. No work will be done at the office on Sunday, Christmas day, authorities stated, but all of the routes, both city and rural free delivery, will be carried on Monday. The general delivery window will be open Monday morning from 10 to 12. Practically all of the stores in Mesa have agreed to observe Monday as a holiday, remaining closed from Saturday night until Tuesday morning.

Gins Close for Christmas

The Mesa gins are taking the longest lay-off over Christmas they have had since the season opened in the early fall. Both gins were closed Saturday and will remain closed until Tuesday morning it is understood.

Sunday Services in Mesa Churches

St. Mark's Episcopal Church: Holy communion, 8 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Christmas hymns and carols 10:45 a. . Morning service and address 11 a. m. Special Christmas music will be the feature of this service including a solo by Mr. L. E. Dingman and an anthem by the choir entitled "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing." Celebration of the Holy Communion at the close of the morning services at 12 p. m. Public is cordially invited. Francis Bloy, rector.

Methodist Episcopal church, Roy Conley Lord, pastor: 9:45 Sunday school; T. C. Love(superintendent; subject of lesson: "Visit of the Wise Men." Math. 2:1-12. 11 a. m. Congregational hour: "Christmas Message." Junior Epworth League will be omitted. 6:30, no Epworth League. 6:30, Class meeting, S. S. Williams, leader. 7:30 Christmas program of music. The choirs from the Baptist, Christian and Methodist churches participating under the leadership of Prof. Anderson. Silver offering will be taken at this service. All come and enjoy this crowning Christmas service. One of the best church night services we have yet had were those of last Wednesday night, when the Rev. A. L. Hawley gave an excellent address and Miss Mary Kingsbury gave a much enjoyed piano solo. The entertainment committee, consisting of Mesdames Porter, Bradstreet and Lord outdid themselves. The junior department of the Sunday school served a magnificent supper to 150 people. All vowed they certainly would come again.

First Baptist church: Rev. F. E. Hawes, pastor. The services for Sunday are as follows: Bible school 9:45 a. m., T. B. Croswell is the superintendent. There are classes for all. Public worship and sermon, 11 a. m.: subject, "The Xmas Guest." At this service Miss May Parkes will sing: "O, Little Town of Bethlehem." There will be no evening service at this church, but the combined choirs from M. E., Christian and Baptist churches will render a program at the M. E. church at the hour for the Sunday evening service.

White Cross Gospel Mission: F. E. Hawes, superintendent. Open air services at 2:30. Services in the mission will follow with a praise and preaching service. Sermon subject: "God's Great Gift to Sinful Men." All are welcome.

FORMER TEMPE GIRL CATTLEMAN'S BRIDE

TEMPE Dec. 24—A wedding of interest to Tempe people took place in Jerome December 17, when Miss Ruth Gaut, formerly of Tempe, became the bride of Hadee Lane, a prominent cattleman of that section. After a short honeymoon in Deaver Mr. and Mrs. Lane will make their home on the coast.

Interest In Production

Quite a bit of interest is manifasted in the annual mother's and children's matinee which will be given next Saturday afternoon at the Columbia theater in Phoenix. Two charming little Tempe girls will take part, Mary Louise Hight and Jean Frances Clary. Yua Sonstegard King, who gives the annual affair, will open a class in aesthetic dancing in Tempe January 5.

Teachers Home for Holidays

Misses Zella Austin, Vivian Mouer, Gussie Harris and Ada Turner, all teachers in the Jerome schools, arrived Friday night to spend the holidays with relatives. Miss Katherine Quinn came in from Ajo, Saturday morning.

Here From Tucson

Paul H. Arnold of Tucson is a holiday guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. G. R. Finch.

Go To Yuma

Mrs. Lyle E. Weir and son Elmo, left Saturday morning for Yuma, where they will be guests at the M. C. Browning home for a couple of weeks.

Churches Give Programs

Interesting programs were given at the Methodist and Christian churches Friday night. There was a large tree and a treat for the children at each.

Christian Church

Bible school at 10 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon by the pastor on "Gifts To Our King." Young people's meeting at 6:45 o'clock. The subject for the address Wednesday night is "Church History."

Methodist Episcopal Church

Sunday will be Christmas at the Methodist church from the opening of the Sunday school program at 10 a. m., until the closing of the special program at the evening service. The Sunday school will study the Christmas lesson. The sermon by the pastor will be on the Christmas theme. Special numbers by the choir will be Christmas music. The hymns for all the services will be nativity hymns. The Epworth league program at 6:45 o'clock will be the story of the wise men. The evening church service will have several readings by young women in addition to the sermon on "The Origin of Christmas."

The Christmas program Friday night was pronounced good by the 300 people who attended. The decorations will be left up over Sunday.

Congregational Church

Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Special Christmas service of worphil at 11 o'clock. Music by a double quartet conducted by Miss Gerrish. Sermon by the pastor on "The Sacred Hour of a Beginning."

At 7:30 the Christmas pageant: "When the Star Shone" will be presented by a group of 30 actors and singers rendering in dramatic form the Christmas story.

GILBERT PEOPLE LEAVE FOR COAST

GILBERT, Dec. 24. — Kenneth Northroup left today for Alhambra, California, where his parents are located. He expects to remain in California. Mrs. E. R. Stoner and children also left on Friday afternoon for the coast, where Mr. Stoner has been located for some time past.

Surprised by Friends

Several friends of Miss Hazel Williams met at her home Friday night and enjoyed a pleasant evening. The event was a surprise in honor of Miss Williams.

Arrives Here

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lines and son, previously located in California, arrived here on Friday morning. They expect to remain indefinitely. They were accompanied by Miss Lavon Rust, sister of Mrs. Lines. Mr. and Mrs. Ariel Brown of Santa Barbara, California, also arrived Friday morning to spend the holidays. They later will return to the coast. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Betty Ware, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ware.

Church Notes

The Methodist Sunday School arranged again this year an entertainment and Christmas tree for the children. An entertaining program was given and later many gifts, with which the beautifully decorated tree was laden, were presented by Santa. The program for Christmas day is as follows: 10 a. m. Sunday School; 11 a. m., morning worship: special Christmas music by the choir; Christmas sermon by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Imel: 7 p. m., a Christmas service, with Mrs. Lena Johnson as leader: special music and The Christmas Story in pantomime.

Spend Winter Season Here

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Cornell of New Castle, Ohio, parents of Mrs. S. D. Workman, arrived Friday morning. They will spend the winter in the Workman home.

FARMERS ATTENTION

We have a complete line of recleaned seed barley, Early Bart, Club, Sonora and Turkey Red wheats, Texas Red oats, common and Hairy Peruvian alfalfa, winter rye and sweet clover. Phoenix Flour Mills, Tempe branch, E. 8th St., at R. R. crossing. Phone 84. 1t

The first copyright law existing on the North American continent is that relating to the totem poles of British Columbia and Alaska. The totem pole is a symbol of wealth, power, position, commanding the respect of all members of the tribes. There poles are carved from huge cedar logs. Intricate design relating the tradition of the family are carved into the pole, and the artist must not in any way duplicate anything carved on any pole existing in the region.

CHANDLER DRESSED IN GAY BUNTING FOR PROGRESS CARNIVAL

CHANDLER, Dec. 24—Chandler is beginning to take on a festive appearance in preparation for the Progress carnival Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 28 and 29. The streets are being decorated with flags and banners, the stores are being bedecked with bunting, while the posts supporting the pergolas are festooned with gay drapings. Every business house in town is co-operating with the committee in carrying out a harmonious color scheme that is pleasing to the eye and decidedly effective in giving that touch of color so necessary in affairs of this kind.

The completion of the town paving, for which the celebration is being given, has been accomplished at a cost of $97,000 and is the only entirely concrete pavement in the Salt River valley. The work was done under the direction of Twohy Brothers, and has been pronounced by experts one of the best jobs of its kind ever done. There are eight solid blocks of pavement, taking in the business section of the town. It is said that this is the first time a community the size of Chandler has ever completed such a pretentious program of paving at one time.

Many Attractions

The list of attractions is large and varied. There will be something doing every minute of the two days and nights and General Chairman James E. DeSouza modestly claims that this will be the "grandest and most stupendous show of its kind ever pulled off in the great and untrammeled southwest." Free open air vaudeville stunts by real vaudevillians, with black-face minstrels and real Spanish dancers, are just a few of the live features on the bill of fare. Of course there will be music, heaps of gobs of it, by bands, orchestras and individuals. There will be a hippodrome show that will be a scream in fun and acrobatic features. There will be a solid block of side shows from the tatooed lady to the beautiful bathing girls.

And of course there will be sports of all sorts, such as football and basketball and races, etc. The fat men of Phoenix will compete with the fat men of Mesa in a free-for-all that should lend zest and delight to the spectators. Even the peace officers of the valley will race. This means that the cops of Glendale and Phoenix and the town marshals of Mesa and Tempe can prove how nimble they are in flinging the light fantastic toe.

The Indian School band of Sacaton will be on the job during the whole show, while a grand ball will be held each night in the Monroe building, in addition to a mask dance and carnival.

The speakers will be Gov. Thomas E. Campbell and Judge John Twohy. They will deliver addresses the second day of the carnival at 2:30 in the afternoon, while Mayor D. A. Jacobson will give the address of welcome. In addition to this there will be a short program of music and comedy.

Secretary Lush of the Mesa Commercial club has notified the committee that the business men of Mesa will attend in a body on one day of the carnival and advices have been received from Phoenix to the effect that hundreds of cars will take advantage of the paved roads and motor over for the day and evening. The concessions will furnish food of all kinds. It will be home-cooked and visitors can come over in the afternoon and secure their meals here and stay for the night show.

Adjutant General Ingalls and his staff will attend the celebration, accompanying the governor and making a ceremonial of the occasion. No doubt many of the state officials will come at the same time.

There is considerable discussion as to who will be queen of the carnival. The contest is being conducted by Goodyear. Miss Belva Winn, Miss Alice Carew, Mrs. J. D. Thorn and Miss Eva Cox, with Mrs. Meason slightly in the lead. The decision will be made at noon of the second day of the carnival and the queen will be crowned and will lead the grand march with the most handsome man in the crowd. This without question will be Governor Campbell.

The carnival is being given under the auspices of the Schuaro post of the American legion and the Chandler chamber of commerce and will commemorate the first important step in the progress and development of the community.

Southside Theaters Today

Majestic, Mesa— "In Search of a Sinner," starring Constance Talmadge. Western drama: "Mother O' Dreams."

Gilbert—Charlie Chaplin In "The Kid." Comedy: "Society Dogs."

Tempe—"Burglar Proof," starring Bryant Washburn. Comedy: "Late Hours."

Chandler—Wallace Reid In "Always Audicious." Mutt and Jeff comedy.

The United States has no fewer than 566,000 pensioners of the Civil war, War of 1812, Mexican, Indian and Spanish wars.

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