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CUBA VASTLY PROSPEROUS

PRESIDENT GOMEZ GIVES THE FIGURES TO CONGRESS.

REVENUE RECEIPTS INDICATE A SURPLUS OF \$4,219,452 THIS YEAR—THE MAGOON OBLIGATIONS—IMMIGRATION JUMPS 72 PER CENT.—NEED OF A HOMESTEAD LAW.

Havana, Nov. 2.—Congress opened yesterday and the President's message was read. In it Gen. Gomez congratulated the country on the unprecedented economic conditions prevailed and that there was complete security for life and property.

The tariffs that had been adopted by foreign countries, he said, necessitated a revision of the Cuban tariff so that countries selling much to Cuba, but buying little from her, would pay the maximum rates. Railway subsidies, measures for the promotion of immigration and the establishment of agricultural banks were needed. Trade treaties with Uruguay, Venezuela and Spain were in course of preparation.

In treating of the finances of the country President Gomez said that the cash on hand on January 25, 1909, was \$2,655,228.74. The amount collected to September 30 was \$25,439,426.58. The amount expended was \$7,989,353.23, leaving a balance of \$1,655,302.28. The collections for eight months of 1909 exceeded those of the same period last year by \$1,578,298.29. If the collections continued for the year at this rate there would be a surplus of \$4,219,452.29.

The government, Gen. Gomez added, had been forced to make a loan in consequence of the obligations former Governor Magoon had bequeathed to it.

In six months immigration has increased 72 per cent. over 1908. The receipts from the National Lottery had exceeded expectation.

Many new roads have been finished and others were being built. The live stock in the country was worth \$122,124,150. There had been an increase of 2,211,791 head since 1902.

Homesteads ought to be sold on easy terms to colonists, the President urged. The mortality has been about one thousand during the year, showing a decrease.

FAMOUS BEAUTY'S TRIAL IN PARIS

Madame Steinhil Charged With Murder of Her Husband and Mother.

SHE HAS PROMISED A SENSATION

(Special from United Press.)

Paris, Nov. 2.—Madame Steinhil and social life in France are trembling to-day lest when the trial of Madame Steinhil, the famous beauty, is called tomorrow, they will know of the extraordinary woman. Madame Steinhil will be tried for the murder of her husband and mother at her home and she has promised a sensation, declaring that she may call as witnesses men whose names are household words in France.

Rumor and gossip are afloat everywhere and it is declared that more than one well known man has packed his trunk and decided that other places than Paris or even France, will benefit him. There seems to be a host of the widow's "friends" and a general crouching from a blow that might fall on one known where Madame Steinhil has been searching for those who were employed at the house of the late President Faure at the time of his death.

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"I know the assassin. I saw him

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kill my husband. I saw mother die of fright. But I am afraid to expose what I know. The assassin compelled me to write a confession against my self of the crime. He pointed a pistol at me and made me write. There is no proof against him, it is all against me. If I exposed him he would produce the letter he made me write."

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PEARY'S CLAIM IS RECOGNIZED

Opinion of Geographical Society's Committee That He Reached the Pole.

(Special from United Press.)

Washington, Nov. 2.—That Commander Robert E. Peary reached the North Pole is the unanimous opinion of the National Committee on the Geographical Society appointed to investigate his claims. The report of the sub-committee consisting of Honorable Henry Gannett, Professor O. H. Tittman and Rear Admiral Colby

SUPT. BARNES GETS DESERVED PAY INCREASE

After working for many years for a salary small for so important a position, Supt. W. A. Barnes of the fire alarm telegraph was voted an increase in pay from \$1,300 to \$1,600 last night by the aldermen. The increase will not take effect until April 1, 1910. Mr. Barnes built up the fire alarm system in this city from few alarm boxes, a few wet batteries, and a few miles of wire to be one of the largest automatic alarm systems in the country.

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PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Mr. Editor:—

Dear Sir:—

Regarding the "Rome case of scarlet fever" (note that it was not a case of diphtheria) it seems just the public should have information as to the true status of the case.

I was in the office of the Board of Health when the health officer returned from his first visit to the house, and consequently knew of the conditions as they were before the "notoriety."

Those who have had personal acquaintance with Dr. McLellan in the performance of his official duties will never entertain the thought that he could set in a "heartless or neglectful manner" twelve years of faithful performance of his multiple and arduous duties have neither hardened his heart or caused him to relinquish his careful attention to each individual case.

This case in a nutshell was:

(1) A case of scarlet fever reported for removal to the Isolation Hospital.

(2) Patient found to be too ill for removal in the usual manner and the danger of contagion at this stage of the disease (first or second day) was slight.

(3) A trained nurse was obtained as quickly as possible and the attending physician notified that the patient would be transferred, as soon as in his judgment conditions would warrant.

(4) As soon as notice of death was received the premises were carefully and thoroughly disinfected.

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Misses' and Junior Suits, all wool cheviot, full length coats, velvet collar trimmed, satin lined, sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, \$10.00.

One Hundred Sample Suits for Misses, 12 to 14 year sizes. SPECIAL \$6.95 to \$15.00.

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Long graceful model in broadcloth, satin lined throughout, notch collar attractively finished with side strappings and soutache, in black, navy and gray, \$12.50.

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Chester, is being drawn up to-day and will be submitted to the full committee on research to-morrow. It will then be formally adopted by the society and published.

Commander Peary left last night for Boston having proven by means of his instruments and certain original field notes to the entire satisfaction of the three scientists that he stood on the top of the world April 6th, 1909. Immediately upon the official announcement of the society's action Commander Peary will begin arrangements for a lecture tour. He has already accepted an invitation from the Society to lecture here on Nov. 12.

The decision in the Peary case is independent of his controversy with Dr. Cook. The sub-committee was appointed merely to ascertain whether Peary had reached the Pole. No decision has been reached by the Society regarding an investigation of Dr. Cook's claims. Some members are waiting until Cook's data is passed upon by the University of Copenhagen.

CHAUFFEUR CHARGED WITH RECKLESS DRIVING.

Hartford, Nov. 2.—George A. Rich, chauffeur for D. E. Bradley of Berlin, was charged with reckless driving in the police court yesterday and the case was continued until Saturday under bonds of \$3,000. The car he was driving struck and fatally injured Jeremiah Crowley in this city on Saturday.

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TERMS OF 12 ALDERMEN OUT

Nine Democrats and Three Republicans Retire from Common Council Now

The aldermen whose terms expired at the meeting of the common council last night were Wilder, Cassidy, Mahoney, the second, Cassidy of the third, Near of the fourth, Wilson of the fifth, Griffin of the sixth, Carroll of the seventh, Thomas of the eighth, Hartley of the ninth, Brock of the tenth, Tague of the eleventh, and Comer of the twelfth.

Those who are candidates for re-election are Wilder, Cassidy, Mahoney, and Near. Not seeking re-election are Wilson, Carroll, Thomas, Hartley, Brock, Tague and Comer.

There are nine republican hold-over aldermen and three Democrats. The Republicans are Gould, Bertillon, Fletcher, Bullard, Pringle, Agin, Meyer, Meyer and Zink. The Democrats who have another year of their term to serve are John H. McMurray, John T. Wheaton, and Dennis P. Flynn. McMurray will undoubtedly be the Democratic leader in the next council.

ASK OF PHYSICIAN \$35,000 ALIMONY

Dr. J. W. Ives, the most prominent physician in the town of Milford, has been made the defendant in a divorce suit in which Mrs. Ives seeks not only a decree, but \$35,000 alimony. She has placed an attachment upon the handsome residence of Dr. Ives.

Mrs. Molly Wheaton, a wealthy resident of Milford who was divorced several months ago, is named as co-respondent.

Dr. Ives caused William Pinkney, father of Mrs. Wheaton, to be brought before the Probate judge in Milford, Friday, in an endeavor to have him committed to the State Asylum for the Insane in Middletown. Pinkney is a prosperous, was represented by an attorney named Fitzgerald, of New Haven.

The hearing was private, and only inklings of the proceedings became known. It is alleged Dr. Ives endeavored to furnish testimony to show Pinkney should be committed. The court ruled that there was a great lack of evidence, and therefore Pinkney should not be committed. Mrs. Ives and her child are now living with her sister in Central avenue, Milford, and through Mr. Fitzgerald has brought the divorce suit.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Mollie Daly, organist of Sacred Heart church, entertained the members of the choir at a Halloween party. The rooms were decorated with crepe paper and flowers, the prevailing colors being black and yellow. Many solo and piano selections were rendered by the different guests. Refreshments were served later in the evening, the table being tastefully ornamented with white crepe paper, witches, ghosts, black bats, cats and many other Halloween novelties. Each guest was provided with a favor, consisting of a lighted Jack O'Lantern, which cast a vivid light about the room, which was decorated with corn-stalks and autumn leaves. After the supper many games, suitable for the occasion were played and the guests departed at a late hour, voting Miss Daly a very charming hostess. Among those present were the Rev. Father Sweeney, the Misses Cummings, McCullough, Shanahan, Corbett, Junner, Lynch, Walsh, O'Hara, Clark, Dorr, O'Brien, Cremling, Mrs. Witterwall, Mrs. Lennon and Mrs. Serre. The gentlemen present were the Messrs. Chew, Shanley, Mahoney, Serre, Keegan, Dargan, Donnelly and Cassidy.

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Your stocking will last longer and wear better. Some dealers advise against hot water, I advise boiling—Para Rubber—the best quality, that is the reason.

Senator Chatfield Gives New Haven Large Hall

New Haven is soon to have a splendid and commodious exposition and dance hall. Ex-Senator Minot E. Chatfield has purchased the property belonging formerly to the Dorman Lithographing Co., in Chapel street, just below State street, and will transform it into a large hall capable of seating 4,000 people. It will be splendidly adapted for big conventions, political meetings and large religious gatherings, such as a large hall can be used for. It is something which the Elm city has needed for many years. The hall will be nearly as large as the armory in Meadow street. A force of men was set to work and it is expected that the new hall will be ready for opening by Thanksgiving.

ROAD CONTRACTS AWARDED

Highway Commissioner Macdonald has awarded contracts for the construction of new roads in Goshen and Bethelam as follows:

To Joseph Mascetti of Torrington, the contract for the construction of one section of the 8.50 near foot of gravel road in Goshen at \$2,470 and to Goodman & Trumbull of Litchfield, the contract for the construction of the other section at \$2,765.

To Edward Tracy of Bethelam, the contract for the construction of 7,587 near feet of roadway at \$5,875.

TAMMANY'S WIN GAME

The Tammany Juniors defeated the Crescents at Steeplechase Island on Sunday, last, by the score of 11 to 9.

Edwin A. Treat Seeks to Save His Mother's Money from Her Youthful Husband.

Hartford, Nov. 2.—"I don't want this kid to set the upper hand of my mother and take her property," said Edwin A. Treat in the Probate Court yesterday, testifying in his application for a conservator for Mrs. Lucinda M. Cushman Treat-Goddard, who is seventy-four years old. Mrs. Goddard laughed. She was seated beside the youth who married last September. Charles Goddard, recently a messenger boy here, but now a student at the Yale Law School, who first met her while peddling East Hartford. He is just twenty-one, and previous testimony was that he had boasted how he would marry, get money and then be free to do as he chose.

"My father died three years ago last March," said the son, who is an insurance agent in Hartford. "He was eighty-four years old and left my mother considerable property, about \$35,000. She had property of her own. She has two brothers in the town house. One has been there thirty-three years. He is a cripple."

"Did your mother show idiosyncrasies while your father was alive?" was asked.

"Nothing special," was the reply, "until she bought a house in Hartford and moved here. Then she began to paint her face, dye her hair and wear girlish dresses. She did not dye her hair evenly and persons talking about it. But she kept saying she was going to marry some nice young man. One time she boasted that she had cut out Maudie Welch when Mr. Chamberlain walked home with her. Again she told me how she and Will Smith had kissed so hard that their teeth touched."

At this juncture Judge Marvin had to threaten to clear the court room. Continuing, Treat related how his mother went to Savin Rock with him and flirted desperately, with a trolley conductor from whom she begged a part of his chewing gum.

"What did she do with it?" was asked.

"Chewed it," was the reply.

"At Savin Rock, as everywhere, she indulged in drinking after her new husband Goddard till last August, when he was sitting on the piazza with her in the winter and mother was very spongy with him. I don't want her money, but I want her to save it for herself."

Treat's wife, who had been actively coaching the lawyers, testified to the same effect.

"I came from Alabama," she said. "And she was crazy to have me marry Edwin who then was going with Sally Prebble, eight years older than he—'old Sal Prebble,' his mother called her. Treat gave elaborate details of the costumes Mrs. Goddard wore. Merry Widow hats, lumpers and the like. The aged woman made love to the hired man, calling him sweetest before everybody, and tried to fascinate painters, bakers and trolley conductors."

Henry C. Roberts, a prominent citizen of East Hartford, who had known Mrs. Goddard for forty years, said she appeared well enough until after her first husband died, and then she seemed to be bewitched. After she came to Hartford she acted and dressed unusually.

"Last summer she went around made up like a girl," he said, "and she told me recently that she refused six offers of marriage and finally had married the man she loved."