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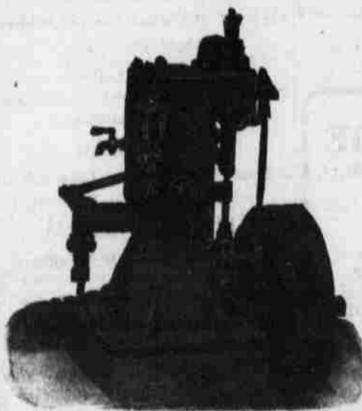
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PRESIDENT GUEST OF HONOR

Roosevelt and Fairbanks Jubilee Banqueters Will Use Entire First Floor of Waldorf Astoria November 30.

New York, Nov. 18.—At the dinner at which 1200 of the men who made speeches for the republican candidates in the recent campaign are to give at the Waldorf-Astoria on the night of Nov. 30, President Roosevelt is expected to be the guest of honor. The entire first floor of the hotel has been engaged. Secretary of State John Hay, Senator C. W. Fairbanks, Chairman Cortelyou, Governor Odell, Governor-elect Higgins and a score of republican statesmen of national reputation have been invited.

President Roosevelt has not indicated whether he will attend or not. He is going to St. Louis just before the date set, but as he will remain only one day at the exposition, according to present arrangements, the committee in charge of the dinner hope to prevail upon him to accept.

The affair is to be known as the Roosevelt and Fairbanks Jubilee banquet. It will be the biggest political dinner held in this city for many years. Scores of the famous professional speakers will be called on, it is said, for one or two minute speeches.

THE BATTLE AT LARGE.

One of Mrs. Beatty's Jewels Found on Clothing Cutter.

New York, Nov. 18.—Although the butler who is believed to have stolen \$3000 worth of jewels from Mrs. Lorraine Beatty of Pittsburg and this city, has thus far eluded the police, he is thought to have been located on the passenger list of a steamer bound for Europe and instructions have been cabled for his arrest.

The trace of some of the stolen jewelry has been found through the arrest of a clothing cutter in whose possession was found a diamond brooch. The man said he advanced \$30 to the butler on the article. He was arrested and a modiste for whom he works was compelled to suspend operations on the costumes for a large operative production, her 60 sewing girls being unable to proceed without the help of the cutter.

CONFLICT OF UNIONS.

Bricklayers Should Not Lay Tiles—11,000 Men May Walk Out.

New York, Nov. 18.—The bricklayers unions, which are working under the building trades arbitration agreement, have become involved in the building trades trouble and strikes or a lockout involving 11,000 bricklayers in this city may be ordered. Bricklayers are laying tiles in a new abattoir at Eleventh avenue and 39th street, and a strike was ordered on the protest of the tile layers union. The contractor took the matter before the arbitration board and the master builders association ordered the men back to work. The bricklayers and tile layers are dissatisfied with the decision.

NEGROES MUST LEAVE.

Crimes in Reno Lead to Order From Chief of Police.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Reno, Nev., says: The chief of police has issued an order that all negroes must leave town within 24 hours.

Already over a dozen negroes have obeyed the command and more are leaving by every train. This order is the result of a number of depredations committed by negroes in Reno during the last few weeks.

George Burns was the first offender. He attempted to assault a white girl and narrowly escaped lynching. He was sentenced to 13 years in the penitentiary.

ANOTHER DEMAND ON PORTE.

Reparation Asked for Attack on Caravan of an American Firm.

Constantinople, Nov. 17.—The American legation here has addressed a note to the porte demanding reparation for the recent attack, near Aleppo, by brigands upon a caravan belonging to the American house of Mac-

Andrews & Fobes, of Smyrna. The raid resulted in the killing of six of the caravan's camels and the carrying off by the bandits of 60 camels and a considerable sum of money. The legation insists upon the arrest and punishment of the outlaws, the restitution of the camels and money and the adoption of firm measures to prevent a recurrence of the outrage.

MAY CAUSE A SUIT.

North Yakima Shippers to Bring Action Against Northern Pacific.

North Yakima, Nov. 18.—Several shippers of produce of this city are making an effort to get together on some kind of a proposition to sue the Northern Pacific Railway company for \$50,000 damages for its failure to furnish sufficient care during the summer and fall months. They claim that they have lost thousands of dollars by this negligence.

The company claims that it furnished over 200 more cars this year for the month of October than for the same month a year ago. At present not enough cars can be secured by from twenty to thirty a day to send the produce out of this place.

REFUSES FRENCH AID.

China Prefer to Keep Finances in Her Own Hands.

Shanghai, Nov. 18.—The Chinese government has refused the offer of the banque d'Paris to advance money towards the establishment of an imperial bank of China in return for the control of the same.

A dispatch from Shanghai Nov. 19 said that the representative of the Banque d'Paris had offered to start a bank with a capital of ten million taels provided that the manager and chief accountant should be French.

SUICIDE BECAUSE OF HIS BETS.

Tallor Wagered All His Savings on Parker, It is Said.

New York, Nov. 17.—Because he had lost his election bets, it is said, Frederick Griebel, 76 years old, of Ridgewood Heights, L. I., committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the right temple. He was found dead in the rear of No. 755 Cornelia street. Griebel was a tailor. He was a native of Germany. He made his home at a hotel in Prospect avenue. It is said that he had wagered all his savings on the election of Parker and Herrick, and that despondency over the loss of his money drove him to suicide.

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Santa Fe to Invade Louisiana.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 18.E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, is at the head of the Jasper and Eastern Railway company, which has filed its charter for record in the secretary of state's office here. The object of the new company is to build and operate as a part of the Santa Fe system more than 150 miles of railroad in Texas and Louisiana. The proposed road is to run from Kirbyville, Tex., where it will connect with the Texas system of the Santa Fe to Alexandria, La. Several branch lines are proposed. This winter will be the Santa Fe's first invasion of Louisiana.

NEWS OF NORTHWEST.

Boat War Expected.

Vancouver, Wash., Nov. 18.—It is currently reported that the White Collar boat line of Portland has purchased the old Undine dock and that a new and modern dock will soon be put up on the property. There are rumors of a boat war on the river. The Northern Pacific lines are said to be backing the steamer Charles R. Spencer and the White Collar line will have opposition.

Big Pier Destroyed.

Boston, Nov. 17.—The London pier and shed of the Warren line, in Charleston, was destroyed by fire tonight. Only by the utmost exertion was the firemen able to save the adjoining property. Loss is \$600,000.

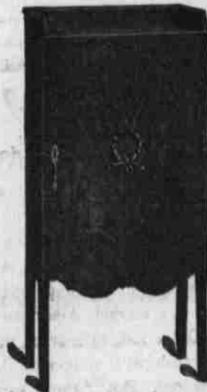
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