NO HOPE FOR **TERRITORIES**

Little Likelihood of Favorable Action Upon Statehood Bills.

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FAIRBANKS A CANDIDATE FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

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Postal Exhibit.

Knights of Pythias.

At the present time Pythianism in Salt Lake is making rapid strides. This may be said to be especially true of Myrtle lodge No. 1, which is having a large attendance and special work at every meeting. Tuesday evening next the third rank will be conferred on six candidates, the initiatory work being done by a special team organized for that purpose. Arrangements are practically completed for the consolidation of Myrtle lodge No. 1 and Calanthe lodge No. 5, the two leading Pythian lodges of the city, which will thus form the strongest lodge of the order in Utah. In the United States government building at the St. Louis exposition is to be exhibited a standard postal car showing the latest improved methods in handling the United States mails in the railway postal service. The car will contain charts and printed matter describing the services. ed matter describing the systems of the volunteer relief saving fund, and pension department of the Pennsylvania railroad system, which are looked upon as the most complete beneficial organization in railway methods. The Pennsylvania railroad system will also have a building of its own at the fair, which will contain a working locometive testing system will also have a building of its own at the fair, which will contain a working locomotive testing plant, for which the company has made an appropriation of \$100,000. There will also be a model of the system of tunnels under the North river and the East river, New York: also a model of the New York terminal station, and of the proposed station at Washington. The commissioners of the Lewis and Clarke exposition are making an effort to have the company remove its exhibits to Portland after the closing of the St. Louis fair.

Order of Washington.

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Fairbanks is Willing.

Senator Charles W. Fairbanks of vice president on the Republican ticket. Senator Fairbanks himself is non-commital when approached on the subject. He probably realizes that it would not be dignified for him to publicly declare his candidacy or urge his friends to work for his nomination, but the tip has gone out along the but the tip has gone out along the line of his followers that he will take the nomination and, in fact, desires it. Two candidates for the prospective vacancy in the senate are already in the field. They are Representative Hemenway and ex-Governor Durbin.

Irrigation Work. Chief Engineer F. H. Newell of the cerning the progress of the irrigation work in his charge. In the begin-ning of 1903 five projects were favor-ably reported, and recommended for ably reported, and recommended for first consideration. Careful work on several of these has developed points of weakness, so that the construction of all of them may not be carried out. Two of the projects—on the Truckee river in Nevada, and the Salt river in Arizona—are under construction. The Milk river project in Montana has been found to be surrounded with engineering difficulties and complications, so that progress is slow, and some other work in Montana may be taken up in place of it. In Wyoming the Sweetwater project has been found to be impracticable, but the Shoshone project, involving the expenditure of \$2,225,000, has been selected, and will be carried forward without delay, providing satisfactory arrange. Shoshone project, involving the expenditure of \$2,225,000, has been selected, and will be carried forward without delay, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made with the Wyoming state authorities. The Gunnison project in Colorado develops some project in Gulorado develops some project in Colorado develo project in Colorado develops some great engineering difficulties, and the attitude of the people to be benefited is lukewarm. At the present time a number of good projects are being considered, but every effort is being made by the department of the interior to prevent them being over-advertised until they have been more thoroughly considered. Disappointments are inevitable, and difficulties will always arise. These facts are overlooked, and impatient people, not seeing their early anticipations realized, are finding fault and criticising. The reclamation engineers are on trial before the whole country, and a single before the whole country, and a single failure on one of the great works might bring to an end the whole scheme of government reclamation. Every step is being carefully weighed and safeguarded, and every effort is being made to carry on the work along broad lines of safety, permanence and substantiality.

The New Secretary. The new secretary of war is without question the jolliest member of President Roosevelt's cabinet. He is mighty of stature and probably pulls down the beam at over 300 pounds. His good nature seems to be in proportion to his weight. A few days ago Secretary Taft visited the senate chamber and service. was immediately given an informal re-ception by his predecessors in the war office, Senators Elkins, Proctor and Alger, other senators joined the group and the "morning business" was interrupted while the reception was in progress. Senator Proctor, who is the tallest man in the senate, is not as tall as Secretary Taft, and Taft would make two of Proctor in weight.

"He is much broader than I am, as well as taller," mused Senator Proctor rather regretfully, as he looked at the magnificent proportions of Judge Taft.

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Cramped For Room. An effort is being made to provide a government building for the use of the geological survey. The survey is now cramped in a private building, without sufficient room or facilities to carry on the immense work in its charge. Representative Mondell in the house, and Senator Teller in the senate, have introduced bills appropriating \$1,150,000 for the purchase of a site and the erection of a suitable building for the survey. While it is not likely that the bill will become a law this session of congress, the advisability of the proposed building is admitted, and eventually it doubtless will be erected. But the building is admitted, and eventually it doubtless will be erected.

Work For Pinchot.

If the effort which is being made in congress to transfer the control of the forestry reserves from the department of the interior to the department of agriculture is successful, the enormous area of 62,354,965 acres now included in the reserves will be placed in charge of Gifford Pinchot, chief forester of the department of agriculture.

Mr. Pinchot was deliberately educated for the career of a forester. He grad-

uated from Yale in 1889, then studied forestry in France, Germany, Switzerland and Austrie. He worked as a practical forester on the Vanderbilt estate at Blumore, N. C. and became forester in the department of agriculture in 1898. Mr. Pinchot is a wealthy man, with ample means to live in idleness. ith ample means to live in idleness, ut he works harder than any clerk in is bureau, and spends his vacations examining personally the forest re-serves of the country. Last summer, with pack outfit, he spent a month in the wildest portion of the Yellowstone reserve in Wyoming, gathering infor-mation concerning actual conditions in that immense reserve. Mr. Picako is

Order of Washington.

I. O. O. F.

Golden Rule encampment No. 2 last Tuesday night conferred the royal purple degree on eight patriarchs. This encamp-ment is receiving large accessions to its ranks

Oquirrh encampment No. 1 will hold a

visiting sick Odd Fellows of eastern

G. A. R.

George R. Maxwell post No. 5 will meet at its new hall in the Federation of Labor building, Fourth South and State streets, at 7:30 p. m. next Thursday, All members are requested to attend, as there is business of importance to transact. All visiting comrades are cordially invited. The ladles of the Grand Army will meet at Federation of Labor hall, Fourth South and State streets, at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday. Visiting members are invited.

The J. B. McKean W. R. C. will hold its regular meeting in the hall at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, Feb. 24, and will give a card party at 2:30.

Ladies of the Maccabses.

Women of Woodcraft.

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Silver Maple circle No. 168 held its regular weekly meeting Friday evening. Feb. 19. There was no work to be done, and the circle took a recess for twenty minutes to get acquainted with the many members present. There were visiting members from Butte Mont.; Woodbine and Sait Lake circles. During the recess a head-rest for a rocking chair was raffiled off. It was won by Miss Marian McDonald.

Improved Order of Red Men.

Mashakie tribe No. 1 met Monday evenng in regular session. The organization
of "The Haymakers," a side degree, was
sommenced, and it is expected that this
syening sufficient names will be procured
to obtain a charter. This is purely a social degree and is intended to furnish
considerable amusement. The warrior's
legree will be conferred this evening. The
members are notified that the usual counfil fire will be kindled, notwithstanding
the fact that this is a holiday.

A. O. U. W.

Salt Lake Valley lodge No. 12. at its meeting last Thursday night, decided to give a smoker next Thursday evening in conjunction with Earle Gate lodge No. 10, at which time it will have the company of Grand Master Workman Henry H. Rolapp of Ogden. who will make a short address to the members and their friends. There is a further programme provided for the occasion. Refreshments will be served. It is expected that each member will invite one or more friends to be present at this entertainment.

Fraternal Brotherhood.

Degree of Honor.

Tuesday evening promises something new in the social line for Star of the West lodge. After the regular order of business is completed it is on the programme that a masket card social will be held, to which everybody is invited. The social stated to begin at 8:3%, and all officers and members are requested to be promotive.

Brotherhood of American Yeomen.

that immense reserve. Mr. Pinchot is under 40 years of age and has entered upon forestry as a life's work. LEAVES NOTE TELLING OF HIS On Their Dignity.

VICE PRESIDENT.

The recent scrap between the supreme court and the diplomatic corps in reference to precedents at President Roosevelt's receptions, has given the ambassadors an opportunity to urge a greater degree of formality in dealing with them then has heretofore been block about 1 o'clock yesterday after-

TAKES TOO MUCH

Jesse A. Shafer Dies From Ef-

fects of Overdose.

USED IT TO RELIEVE PAIN

CARBOLIC ACID

was caused by an attack of appendi-itle. The young man went to his oom in the Fritsch block late Satur-iay night and retired. This was the last time he was seen alive.

About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon a young woman called at the room to find out how he was. She found him lying in his bed as though asteep, but a second glance showed that he was dead. His body was still warm and from the appearance of the corpse shafer did not suffer much pain during his last hours. On a chair near the bed was found a note and the bottle containing carbolic acid. The young man's clothing was carefully hung up in a clothes closet and the room was in perfect order.

TWELFTH LEAVES

HERE WEDNESDAY

There is a possibility of the Twenty-eighth at there is a possibility of the Twenty-eighth at the latter earning the Twenty-eighth at San Francisco and the latter earning the marriage fleenses have been instances it is easily to sold the companies at fort burchessne, G, and H, coming up from Price. They are to leave that city and Francisco March 1.

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Silk Embroidered Collars.

for one hourly only, 10 to 11 a.m. Tuesday, we will sell see embroidered chiffon stocks and top collars in black or white, at only—

29c



KID GLOVES. \$1.50 real kid gloves, all colors, broken sizes, for 1 hour only, from 11 to 12 Tuesday, per pair—

69c



HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA.

SPECIAL

For Tuesday Morning, 8 a. m. to 12

O'clock Only

55c

New 1904 Silk Crepes de Chine.

At \$1.00 Per Yard.

We offer one of the best grades from a leading silk manufacturer, 24 inches wide, in all the leading shades, black white and cream included, guaranteed all pure silk and a regular \$1.35 qual-

Exclusive Dress Goods Novelties.

Beautiful high-fiuished English mo-balrs, in plain and fancy effects, es-pecially adapted for shirt waist suits, priced from \$2.00 650 65c Fine black Twine Boutonne, 40 inches wide, per yard 90c

New Paris Volle, a fine wiry fabric, in plain and noppe effects, \$1.35

Great Advance Offer of Beautiful New 1904 Waists, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Values,

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Ladies' Gowns.

Ladies' flannelette gowns, made of the very best of outing flannel, in the plnk and blue stripes, all good sizes, for—

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Suits. Fancy mixtures, shoulder capes collar, cuffs and front braid trimmed,

\$20.00 for New Collarless Eton Suit. Cheviot, etamine, jacket is pro-fusely trimmed with fanc-braid and taffeta folds.

\$25.00 for New Run-

about Eton Blouse

\$16.95 for New Eton 25c Suits.

Cheviet, granite cloth, broad cloth and fancy mixtures; fiv styles, beautifully trimmed, a very attractive and service able garments. \$11.95 for New Walking Suits.

Cheviot serge, navy, black and brown, shoulder capes and en tire jacket and skirt trimmed with taffeta bands and small brass buttons. \$2.95 for Misses' New

Walking Skirts. Cheviot, gray mixtures, stra

\$14.00 for New Olive Covert Jackets.

\$14.50 for New Collar. less Kersey Jacket.

Black and castor, tight back, box front, 3-inch stitched taf-feta strap trimmed. \$18.00 for New Silk

Eton Jacket. Vest front effect of colored brold, nearly trimmed with self straps and buttons, IMPORTED SPRING WASH

45c

EXTRA VALUES IN NOTTING-

HOSIERY BARGAINS.

Per pair for ladies' fine quality fleeced hose, re-inforced heel and toe. 20c

25c Per pair for children's cashmere ribbed hose. good winter weight. Kegular 35c Per pair for men's fine worsted half hose. 25c

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Everything for Milliners, Dressmakers and Fancy Workers.

bons for corset covers and fancy work, per yard 3c 20c

30c 5-inch extra quality soft finished taf-feta ribbons, all the delicate color-ings for 1984. Per 50c 50c



BLACK TAFFETA.

55c



ALL FLANNELETTES.

81/3C



DRAWERS.

29c



PERCALES.

10c



WASH SILKS.

33c

Work For Pinchot.

Sait Lake homestead 1.122, B. of A. Y., will give another of its regular social dances tonight at its homestead hall, Jennings block. Knights of the Maccabees. Sait Lake tent No. 2 will hold a review next Thursday evening. All sir knights are invited.

The initial exhibit of the exclusive novelties in dress fabrics for spring 1904 must appeal to all smart dressers who are looking for the latest European ideas for this coming season. The prices, as well as the immense variety, will create special interest.

sinch French Batistes, in all the new desirable colorings and black, an ex-cellent new sheer hovelty, \$1.00 per yard

50 Cents.

Jackets.

FOR SPRING AND SUMMER WEAR. OUR SHOWING OF WOOL AND COTTON DRESS FABRICS IS PERHAPS THE MOST COM-PLETE GATHERING TO BE SEEN ANYWHERE IN SALT LAKE CITY AND THE SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY PRICES WILL SURE-LY SAVE YOU MONEY OVER QUOTATIONS LATER IN THE SEA-SON. THE BARGAIN SUPREMACY OF COHN'S IS UNQUESTION-ABLY SUSTAINED IN THE VALUES WE PUT FORTH THIS 1904 Spring Suits,

Skirts and Jackets. The items we quote will reveal to you in a measure only the full story of the bargat goodness of this introductory sale. Don't let the littleness of the pricing prejudice you against the lower priced garments we describe today You'll marvel at their richness when you see them.

\$4.95 for Ladies' New Dress Skirts. Cheviot, black and brown, taf-feta band trimmed. \$6.95 for Ladies' New

Dress Skirts.

Cheviot, canvas cloth, two styles, taffeta or self cloth strap trimmed. \$11.00 for Ladies' Walking Skirts. Fine broadcloth, tan, castor and black, side pleated and self strap trimmed. \$12.50 for New Silk

Peau de sole, loose, pleated Monte Carlo style, triple shoulder capes, tailor stitched,

40c to \$5.00.

(URTAIN SWISS.

Replenish at these prices. They are cheaper than present wholesale quotation for fall delivery. It will

Per pair for ladies' fine cashmere hose, good cold weather weight. 35c

Per pair for heavyweight cotton half hose in black, gray and natural. 15c

No. 12 high-grade satin taffe bons all colors. Per yard 25c

All kinds of fancy bows, suitable for all purposes, will be made free of charge by expert bowmakers.