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RICHARDSON OBJECTS

PRESIDENT OF ROSWELL COMMERCIAL CLUB IS NOT A JOINTURE MAN.

SEPARATE STATEHOOD

Considers New Mexico Entitled to it, and Presents His Reasons for Not Climbing into the Cannon-Beveridge Band Wagon.

The reporter of the Roswell Daily Record approached G. A. Richardson yesterday and asked him for his views and position upon the question of statehood under the "Jointure Bill." Mr. Richardson was reluctant to express himself as he had believed until recently that the voters of Chaves County and of the Territory of New Mexico knew, that he was in favor of separate statehood for New Mexico and for Arizona and opposed to the present proposition to join the two in one state under the name of Arizona. However, Mr. Richardson said it seems that the Roswell Record and some persons not connected with the Record were inclined to quote him as having abandoned his former position as opposed to joint statehood and had climbed into the Beveridge-Cannon band-wagon. That being untrue he felt that the misrepresentation should not go unchallenged.

In the very early stages of this contagion, Mr. Richardson continued, the germ of which seems to have been scattered among the people of New Mexico by that distinguished senator from Indiana known in the senate as the "senator of attitudes," aided by the distinguished senator from Iowa known as the "mud-senator," Mr. Dooliver, who is now struggling in his own state to secure his re-election to the senate, and other forces and influences directed by the President of the United States, although he, prior to his becoming President pledged to the people of New Mexico, his untiring efforts, to secure for them and for their Territory, its admission to the sisterhood of states; and, in this connection we ought not to overlook, the efforts to destroy our Territory and force us into an unlovely and unwilling union with another territory, of the distinguished speaker of the house, all of the efforts of whom have been against the interests of New Mexico and the people of this Territory, in the matter of statehood.

From the very first I criticized the actions of the Democratic Central Committee of New Mexico, who, at its meeting in Santa Fe some two or three years ago, passed resolutions, not in convention of the party, but in a meeting of committeemen, favoring the jointure idea. This criticism of mine the Las Vegas Optic termed "lunacy," but it was very pleasing to know that in a few brief months the Optic was also open to the same charge and had gotten around after some instruction as to the rights of the people of New Mexico, the best interests of the Territory, to advocating the very same proposition that I had advocated,—separate statehood for New Mexico—and in short had become somewhat of a "lunatic" itself. But I am sorry to say that the Optic has again changed front and is now trying to make the people of New Mexico believe that New Mexico must be joined with Arizona and the good citizens of that Territory in order to make New Mexico sufficiently respectable, to be even a part of a great state in the great union of states. The aforesaid Optic is not the only distinguished journal dishing out daily this new theory; the New Mexican at Santa Fe, which started right on the proposition and made

great and excellent arguments against joint statehood, has now climbed into the Beveridge-Cannon band-wagon and will have to spend the next three months in apologizing and trying to retract and destroy the force of arguments it made in favor of the interests of the people and of New Mexico. The only paper that I find in the Territory of importance and respectability at this date, or at least the only one which has fallen under my observation, willing to stand up for the interests of our people as against those who are trying to impose a condition upon New Mexico, which upon the face of every argument suggested or urged or every argument that could be made, is against every interest of every citizen and against every interest of New Mexico, and against the material development of the Southwest, is the well edited paper known as the Santa Fe Eagle, published at Santa Fe, New Mexico; and I find in its columns of recent date the following, which I commend to the voters of New Mexico:

"By voting for joint statehood they (New Mexico people) are admitting that they are unfit for single statehood, and that they need the citizenship of Arizona to qualify them for admission to the sisterhood of states, thereby giving indorsement to the statements made by Beveridge as to their illiteracy and general lack of qualifications." And again we find in the columns of the same paper,—"Joint statehood for New Mexico and Arizona means half the representation in the senate of the United States that the territories are entitled to when they become states. A far-reaching significance of cutting in two the representation from New Mexico and Arizona in the senate may not be fully realized now, but when it is considered that two senators would represent the joint state and that should each territory be admitted separately, there would be four senators to represent the same constituency, even the most obtuse will see the advantage (Continued Page 3, Third Col.)

Special Notice.

Hats cleaned, blocked, renovated and made as good as new. Stetsons and Panamas a specialty. In Jewett & Burns Billiard Hall.

Big Bargains
IRON BEDS

Straight Car Just Received.

These beds were not packed properly in the car and a great many of them are slightly rubbed and scared.

We will sell the whole

Lot at a Sacrifice

See our Big Show Window.

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THE LEADERS.

NEW ICE COMPANY

TO BE ORGANIZED BY PROF. C. D. THOMPSON AND MR. HAROLD HURD.

THOMPSON BUYS PLANT

Pays the Secured Indebtedness of the Diamond Ice Company, and Judge Pope Issues an Order to Other Creditors to Show Cause if Any Why Sale Should Not Be Made.

Roswell is to have a new ice company that will take the old plant of the Diamond Ice Company, rebuild it and make ice for home consumption and sale up and down the Valley. The company is to be called The Citizens' Ice Company, and will be composed, as far as possible, of citizens of Roswell. All this depends on the action of Judge Wm. H. Pope, who made an order this morning confirming the sale of the Diamond Ice Company's property, returnable Monday, August 13, before Judge Mann, of Alamogordo when any creditors who may desire, may appear to show cause, if any there be, why the sale should not be made.

Harold Hurd, as receiver for the Diamond Ice Company, proposes to sell the plant and assets of the company to C. D. Thompson, the second mortgagee for \$9,675, which is the total amount of secured indebtedness against the company. If this sale goes through it means that the unsecured creditors will receive nothing. But this sale is considered the best thing the receiver can do, as no one has appeared to buy the plant, and the starting of other ice plants would depreciate its value. If none of the creditors stop this sale to Mr. Thompson, a new company will be organized immediately. In fact, all preparations for the new organization are under way. Mr. Thompson and Mr. Hurd will organize the company, and although they can get enough outside money to put the plant on a working basis, they desire to start with all home capital as nearly as possible. They will call upon the citizens for the purpose of getting them to take stock.

The plans for the new plant will call for new boilers and engine of sufficient size to run a thirty-ton plant, but the capacity will be limited at first to twenty tons, as that is ample to supply the market at present. The plant will be ready to put ice on the market by the first of the year. The local market and points up and down the Valley will be supplied at reasonable rates. Stock will probably be on sale by the first of September.

LOSS FROM STRIKE.

Seriously Affects Lithographing and Printing Establishments.

New York, Aug. 6.—Lithographers' work and printing representing thousands of dollars is tied up in this city as a consequence of the strike of lithographers and assistants. The employers do not conceal the fact that the strike is likely to cause them an immense monetary loss. The president of one of the largest lithograph-

ers firms in the city last night estimated the number of strikers here at 8,000 and the total in the country at 20,000, or about two-thirds of the whole number of men directly associated with this branch of the trade. The strikers insist that their only purpose is to obtain a shorter work day, but some of the employers say the real point at issue is the substitution of the open shop for closed shop.

Lodge Talk.

The Subordinate Lodge I. O. O. F. last night conferred the initiatory degree upon three candidates. Past Grand Patriarch C. L. Elder, of Texas, who is here visiting his daughter Mrs. W. A. Johnson, assisted in the ceremonies, delivering the Past Grand's charge in a most impressive manner. To say that his rendering of the charge was almost perfect will convey to members of the order at least an idea of what they missed by not being in attendance. Under the head, "Good of the Order" Mr. Elder also made a brief talk, referring especially to the importance of widows and orphans homes, telling of the pride Texas has in the home at Corsicana, and urging the local lodge to use all energy in taking advantage of the opportunity offered them to secure the location of the New Mexico Odd Fellows Home in Roswell. Mr. Elder thinks the best young men should all be urged to join some good order as soon as they are of age—say the Masons or the Odd Fellows or both, and then not join too many other organizations. It will require lots of time and attention to become a good Odd Fellow or a thorough Mason, and also belonging to some church should not be neglected, so that no man has time for joining everything. In other words he would seek workers, not merely "joiners."

Morning Talk at the Table SECURITY COFFEE Packed in One and Two Pound cans. For sale by JOYCE-PRUIT, COMPANY, Exclusive Agents

HALF A MILLION A YEAR FOR PROHIBITION CAUSE.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 7.—J. B. Martin, a Cincinnati hotel keeper, declares that he will devote the proceeds of his Alaska mining properties up to \$500,000 a year to the cause of prohibition in the United States. He says that eventually the Prohibition party will wipe out the liquor traffic in America. Mr. Martin is enroute to Alaska to start development work in his mines.

LADIES! AT LAST

You can get your summer hat re-trimmed so it will be just like new. If you have one you don't like bring it in. We are closing out our summer stock below cost. Come in and get acquainted.

WELCH MILLINERY CO.
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FRIED CHICKEN DINNER.
Fried chicken dinner tomorrow from 12 to 2 o'clock at Evans' Boarding House. To those not having tickets, 35c.

Wood work done at Tex. shop. If

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU. (Local Report.)

(Observation taken at 6 a. m.) Roswell, N. M., Aug. 7.—Temperature.—Max., 91; min., 64; mean, 78. Precipitation, 00; wind S., velocity 4 miles; weather clear.

Forecast, Roswell and Vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday with local thunder storms; stationary temperature.

M. WRIGHT, Official in Charge.

ST. PETERSBURG STRIKE IS OFF

More Than Half the Factories Resumed Work This Morning.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 7.—The Workmen's Council has decided to call off the strike in St. Petersburg. Formal announcement will be issued tonight or tomorrow. This action is not to apply to the provinces, but there is little doubt the workmen there will follow St. Petersburg's example.

More than half the factories here resumed work this morning. While the employees of some of the establishments at Moscow are still out, predictions that there would be no organized general strike seem fulfilled. The railroad men, whose co-operation was vital, could not be induced to give consent for the strike, owing to the fear that a majority of the men would not obey the strike order.

While the suppression of meetings and arrests of leaders were undoubtedly a great factor in bringing about the present situation, it is apparent that the moment was ill-chosen for a strike. The people were not in a temper to support it. Consequently the revolutionary leaders, who really inspired the movement with the intention of transforming it into an armed uprising, have suffered severe losses of prestige, and the proletariat organizations through which they worked have been weakened so that it is probable they will not recover. The government naturally is greatly rejoiced over its victory.

MORTON IN GERMANY.

Believes Foreign Campaign Against American Insurance Companies Has About Subsided.

Berlin, Aug. 7.—Paul Morton, president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, spent yesterday here, going over the records of the company's business. He left for Paris last night, and will sail for America on August 15th. Mr. Morton said: "My investigations in Europe justify me in believing the campaign against American insurance companies on this side of the Atlantic has practically subsided. I believe that all of us will shortly be doing our old time business here."

PREPARED FOR WAR.

Employers Declare Unanimously For the Open Shop.

New York, Aug. 7.—President Stecher, of the Employing Lithographers' Association, against which 30,000 men are out on a strike, issued the following statement today: "We are prepared to continue the fight six months, and if necessary a year. Our members are unanimously in favor of arbitration and the open shop."

President Hamilton, of the striking organization, said: "We have funds enough for an eight-months fight, and the men are all standing firm."

Abstracts on Short notice. Jos. F. Hunt. 34-12

RAID ON GAMBLERS.

Proprietors and Employees Arrested and Furniture Removed.

Saratoga N. Y., Aug. 7.—The first raid on the gambling houses of Saratoga, since the time of "Gale" Mitchell, was made last night, following receipt by Sheriff Cavanaugh of a communication from Governor Higgins regarding the enforcement of the law. The Bridge Whist Club house conducted by Joe Uilman was raided by the police. The proprietors and employees were arrested and the furniture removed. The players were not taken into custody.

PRESIDENT OF BANK WILL BE ARRESTED.

Condition of Milwaukee Avenue Bank Worse Than Reported Yesterday.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—President Paul G. Stensland, of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, will probably be arrested as soon as he enters Chicago or can be found. Bank Examiner Jones, who closed the bank yesterday, said today that Stensland surely had guilty knowledge of the looting of the bank. The 22,000 depositors are losing hope of recovering the \$4,200,000 they had entrusted to Stensland's care. Detectives are seeking Cashier Henry W. Herring, the alleged embezzler, who is said to have left Chicago for Detroit Saturday night, and he is supposed to have gone to Cau-

ada. A message was sent broadcast over the country asking for the arrest of Herring. He is described as 40 to 45 years old, six feet two inches tall, weight 275 pounds, stout build, dark complexion, chestnut hair, dark brown mustache, light suit. He is a good dresser.

It is learned today that peculation of the bank's funds began before the year 1901. At the beginning of that year a shortage of \$250,000 is said to have existed. It was also learned that Theodore Stensland now holds a power of attorney from his father. The son is said to have been further authorized by Stensland to dispose of all property, including real estate belonging to him (the father) in order to make good as far as possible the peculation. Members of the clearing house committee expressed the belief today that both Cashier Herring and President Stensland are in Canada. A rumor today that Theodore Stensland had also disappeared grew out of his failure to keep an appointment with the police department, and search for him began. Judge Brentano, of the Superior Court, today appointed John C. Fetzer receiver for the closed bank. The bill of complaint filed in court alleges mismanagement by the bank officials.

Assistant Chief of Police Shuettler today personally took charge of the police guarding the bank. He soon sent a requisition to Chief Collins for more policemen. A large number of additional men were promptly ordered to the vicinity. A message giving description of Cashier Herring has been sent broadcast asking that he be arrested for embezzlement.

The call for extra police was caused by the fear that the depositors and their friends would form at the bank and cause a riot, when there were rumors that some of the contents of safety deposit boxes had been tampered with. Persons with money in the safety vaults were said to have found their savings gone. It was later discovered that these rumors originated in a butcher shop on Marshfield avenue. The proprietor of the shop said his sister had \$200 in the vaults, and that when she went to get the money it was gone. Other stories of alleged tampering with the contents of the boxes circulated through the crowd and helped to excite the bank's patrons.

Later Assistant Chief of Police Shuettler with Inspector Shippy and Examiner Jones went to Justice Severson and asked him to issue a warrant for the arrest of President Stensland. Justice Severson was not inclined to issue the writ on the charge of fraud, but it was said that a writ would be issued later in the day. Examiner Jones reiterated his statement that he could give no estimate of the amount of shortage.

Live Stock Market.

Kansas City, Aug. 7.—Cattle receipts 6,000. Market strong to 10 cts. higher. Native steers, 4.00@6.20; southern steers, 2.75@4.50; southern cows, 2.00@3.25; native cows and heifers, 2.00@5.25; stockers and feeders, 2.25@4.50; bulls, 2.00@3.50; calves, 2.50@5.50; western fed steers, 3.75@6.00; western fed cows, 2.50@4.25. Sheep receipts, 5,000. Market 10c higher. Top lambs, 7.60; muttons, 4.00@5.50; lambs, 5.50@7.60; range wethers, 4.00@5.75; fed ewes, 4.00@5.25.

Why Wait?

It is dangerous to procrastinate. Don't hesitate. Investigate. I'll be prepared to elucidate. It THE KEY RING MAN.

W. E. Winston is daily bringing in from his peach orchard one mile east of the Military Institute as fine peaches as were ever grown in California or elsewhere. They are better even than are usually grown in the Pecos Valley, and taste just as good as they look. We've tried 'em.

Woman Suffragists in Convention.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Aug. 7.—The third annual conference of the International League of Woman Suffragists opened here today under the chairmanship of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, of New York, president of the League, and will hold daily sessions until August 22. Twelve countries are represented.

FOR SALE.—At a bargain, cow and calf. Inquire at Record office.