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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

DIRECT VOTE FOR U. S. SENATORS.

In the North American Review for November Mr. Emmet O'Neal presents a very sane consideration of the question of the election of senators by direct vote of the people. He reviews briefly the steps which led to the adoption of the present system and declares that although the senate "has fulfilled the ardent hopes and verified the profound wisdom of its creators by its ability to check what has been termed the democratic recklessness of the house on the one hand and the tendency to executive usurpation on the other, yet in recent years a powerful movement has been growing to destroy the very feature which in the judgment of all former students and critics has been the chief cause of its excellence—the indirect election of its members."

Mr. O'Neal finds the first demand for the election of senators by direct vote in the platform of the so-called People's party in 1884. This was the organization which afterward became the Populist party, which was in effect absorbed by the Democratic party in 1896. The Democratic platform of that year declared for a constitutional amendment providing for the election of senators by direct vote. To the Populists belong the credit for the discovery that "the framers of the constitution made a serious error in committing the election of senators to the legislatures of the states." O'Neal recalls the fact that "the Populist party was composed of an amalgamation of Greenback, Socialist and other political organizations," and that "while its membership was largely composed of sincere and earnest men, its theories challenged every principle of sound economics and repudiated the fundamental doctrines on which our institutions were based."

The precise ground on which demand is made for this radical change in our system is exceedingly difficult of determination. The advantages which would accrue from such a change are at least obscure. Throughout all the proceedings of the constitutional framers of the constitution kept clearly in mind the grave danger of legislation responding to a temporary popular excitement or enthusiasm. The house, chosen by popular vote, is directly responsive to such movements. The senate, chosen by indirect vote, stands as a check and a restraint in times of popular impulse or passion. To put the senate upon the same footing as the house, with no difference except that of term of service, is to open the doors to endless evils resulting from hasty and ill considered action. The proposal is, says Mr. O'Neal, "the very first serious effort ever made to alter the very framework of the constitution, to break down the barriers which distinguish the senate from the house, and to create two legislative chambers whose only practical difference will be the tenure of its members." With such a change, how long would it be before the term of office was equalized? With the term of office equalized, all difference between the houses would practically disappear and no check whatever would remain in times of popular hysteria.

Such fault as there is does not lie in the present system and is not curable by the system proposed as a substitute. The fault lies with the electors themselves. They and they alone control the legislature, by which the senators are chosen. The test of the whole matter lies with the question whether the house, taken as a series of units, or in its history collectively displays or has ever displayed a higher order of intelligence, patriotism, sanity, ripe judgment or fidelity to the highest welfare of the public than has been shown by the senate.—New York Sun.

NEVADA SHOULD FOLLOW SUIT.

The people of South Dakota have just taken a long and a strong step toward the eradication of a great and growing evil in that state—the "divorce mill industry," that has for years past scandalized the entire country. To the electorate in the political contest of November 3 fell the duty of acting on a referendum in the matter of an act of the legislature very materially amending the state's divorce law so that the present abuses of the divorce system would be very largely prevented. The vote on the question was overwhelmingly in approval of the act. As soon as the canvassing board makes official announcement of the result—early in December—it will no longer be possible for discontented wives and husbands to go to Sioux Falls, spend six months, get freedom in a secret hearing and the right to engage in more marriages. The new statute is extremely short—only five sections and one hundred and fifty words in all—but it will wipe a foul blot from the good name of a great state. Its chief provision is the requirement of one full year's residence in the state in good faith before a divorce action can be begun there, besides a residence in the county of not less than three months preceding the suit. Star chamber or special session work—long one of the very worst features of the system—will be prevented through a provision that all hearings in divorce cases, except those relating to alimony or the granting of interlocutory decrees, must be held at regular terms of court. Sioux Falls alone will lose by this action of the people fully \$600,000 in revenue from outside divorce litigation. But the thing is worth a hundred times the money sacrifice.

Nevada is now the haven for those whom the marital bonds gall, and some of the recent divorces granted in this state have been attended by disgraceful developments. Actors and actresses use Nevada as a swapping place, evidently believing that variety is the spice of life, while members of the smart set who agree to disagree arrange a trip to Nevada, with divorce trimmings, much as they would a summer's outing. It is a state shame.

DELIVERY OF LABOR VOTE.

Perhaps it would be wrong to assume that Mr. Taft got the entire labor vote, much as it looks that way; but it is evidently proper to pay to labor the deserved compliment of saying that it has vindicated itself from the charge that it could be delivered by Mr. Gompers or by any other demagogue. The result speaks volumes for labor's independence and good sense, and justifies the belief that the Sun has so often expressed that in politics no one can lead it by the nose.

We have always held that Mr. Taft's decisions from the bench and his manly and courageous attitude toward labor would command its respect and confidence. The issue was long since presented between Taft and Debs, and Tuesday's figures tell the tale.—New York Sun.

GOODWIN—GOODRICH.

(Stolen.)
The fair Edna said she was willed
For Nat to be in at the kiln
There's a chance for the Stork
To visit New York.
But back to the mines for McMillan.

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◆ THE METAL MARKET. ◆
◆ NEW YORK, Nov. 14—Lead, ◆
◆ quiet, 4.35 @ 4.40; copper, ◆
◆ dull, 14 2-8 @ 14 5-8; silver, ◆
◆ 49 1-8. ◆
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THE CLIFFORD MAIL ROUTE STARTS TODAY

The Simplex Auto company has announced its intention to install a regular line of its autos on the Clifford run. This company has been operating machines in this district for some time and its reputation for getting to its destination without accident is world wide. The company was the first to operate a line to Manhattan and has kept up that line since the start. Last winter when it had the monopoly on the auto situation between here and the northern camps the company showed the mettle it was composed of, for with no competing line in the field it maintained the same scale of prices and this act is largely appreciated by many business men of both cities.

RICH PLACERS FOUND CLOSE TO ROUND MOUNTAIN

About half a mile to the eastward of the spot where Thomas Wilson made his now famous \$50,000 cleanup of gold on less than an acre of ground in six weeks by the process of dry washing, another rich area of auriferous soil has been found by Tom Gordon and C. A. Garrecht of this place, says the Round Mountain Nugget.

This placer ground is on the Sunnyside Extension claim which is a part of the Blue Jacket group of claims and it bids fair to rival the acreage worked by Tom Wilson.

Messrs. Gordon and Garrecht have acquired a lease on the ground and are now working it by the dry wash process. They modestly say that they are "making better than wages."

The acreage being worked by these men is only a short distance on the opposite side of the Antelope saddle from town and two Nugget representatives went over the ground during the week. It is fair to state at this point that the two leasers are entirely free from exaggeration in their statement. In fact their modesty is a little misleading as to the true facts.

The work is being done in a small gulch or draw. The top soil which carries little or no values for the depth of about a foot has been swept aside by means of ploughs and scrapers. Under this for a depth of about three feet is the pay dirt.

A number of pannings were made by both Gordon and Garrecht, the dirt being taken from different places and these, as clearly as could be estimated, showed a result of about 10 cents to the small egg pan.

VIENNA FACING WATER FAMINE

VIENNA (Austria), Nov. 14.—Long drought and unprecedented municipal procrastination have brought Vienna to the verge of a water famine which threatens serious consequences. The situation has become so alarming that the authorities have begun to cut off water from all residences in the city.

Since 1892 the work of providing an additional water supply has been slowly progressing, \$15,000,000 having been appropriated for the construction of an aqueduct from the Alps. Of this sum, \$9,000,000 has been diverted into other channels, with the result, it is declared, that the work can not be completed before the end of 1910. The residents of Vienna indignantly charge the city council with responsibility for endangering the health of 2,000,000 persons.

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MUST ANSWER TO GRAND JURY

T. M. Howell, charged with embezzlement, was yesterday bound over to appear before the grand jury, which convenes on Monday morning. Judge Brissell stated when he pronounced sentence that the circumstances were somewhat extenuating and that he felt it his duty to release Howell on his own recognizance until called before the inquisitorial body, which was done.

THOS. McMAHON WITH THE DEAD

Thomas J. McMahon died at the county hospital last evening, of consumption. The deceased was about 37 years of age and had lived a number of years in this city. He has a brother named J. F. McMahon living in Pioche, Nevada. The funeral will be under the auspices of the Fraternal Order of Eagle, of which he was a member, the date of which will be announced later.

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THE MOHAWK CO. WILL RECOVER STOLEN ORE

DENVER, Nov. 14.—By a decision just rendered by Judge Robert E. Lewis in the federal court, the Goldfield Mohawk Mining company recovers about \$20,000, the value of gold ore said to have been stolen from its mines in Goldfield and vicinity by high graders. The decision was the final adjudication of the suit of the mining company against Wells Fargo Express company by which the ore was shipped from a station near Goldfield to Pueblo, and there replevined by a United States marshal on behalf of the mining company.

STOCK MARKET

The following quotations are furnished by the reliable brokerage firms of Kenneth Donnellan & Co.:

Saturday, November 14.

Tonopah District.	
Tonopah Nevada	\$7.00 \$7.20
Montana	.61 . . .
Tonopah Ex.	.59 .61
MacNamara	.53 .54
Midway	.26 .27
Belmont	1.15 1.17 1/2
North Star	.06 .08
West End	.50 .51
Rescue	.05 .06
Jim Butler	.23 .24
Goldfield District.	
Sandstorm	.21 .25
Columbia Mt.	.18 .20
Jumbo Ex.	.32 .34
Booth	.33 .34
Atlanta	.24 .25
Great Bend	.35 .37
Florence	4.25 4.30
Diamondfield Con.	.14 .15
Daisy	.99 1.00
Fraction	1.35 1.37 1/2
Kewanas	.27 .29
Consolidated	6.72 1/2 6.77 1/2
Red Hills	.22 .23
Florence Ex.	.12 .13
Bullfrog District.	
Homestake Con.	.18 .20
Tramp Con.	.15 .17
Other Districts.	
Pitts. Sil. Pk.	.90 .95

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ASKS RECOUNT OF BALLOT ON ASSEMBLYMAN

A petition asking for a recount of the ballots cast for candidates to the office of assemblyman was filed yesterday at the county clerk's office by Branch Smith. Mr. Smith was on the Democratic ticket and was defeated by one vote, according to the official count, by Matt Kane. In the petition Mr. Smith asks that the assembly vote of Tonopah precinct No. 1, Tonopah precinct No. 2, Rhyolite, Beatty, Duckwater, Clifford and Belmont be recounted, as he avers a mistake might easily have been made by the election officials of those precincts.

The election laws of the state of Nevada read that any person who has been defeated by a vote of ten or less, may ask for a recount, and it is under this section that the petition is filed.

TAFT IS WANTED

IN CALIFORNIA
SACRAMENTO, Nov. 13.—A telegram extending a most cordial invitation to Judge Taft to visit California and spend as much time here as possible prior to his inauguration has been sent to the president-elect at Hot Springs, Virginia, by Governor Gillette.

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Weather Report.

The following is the report of the Tonopah weather station for the week ending November 13, 1908:
Highest barometer, Nov. 7... 30.21
Lowest barometer, Nov. 9... 29.84
Highest temperature, Nov. 7... 59
Lowest temperature, Nov. 10... 37
Mean temperature... 48
Average dew point... 18
Average humidity... 30
Number of clear days... 7
J. C. PIERCY,
Official in Charge.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Tonopah Lumber Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Geo. A. Bartlett and Pearl Bartlett, his wife, Defendants.
Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Nye, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1908, in the above entitled action, wherein Tonopah Lumber Company, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Geo. A. Bartlett and Pearl Bartlett, his wife, defendants, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1908, \$5238.52, in United States gold coin, besides interest, costs, and counsel fees, which said decree was, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1908, recorded in Judgment Book "C," at page 41, I am commanded to sell that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Tonopah, County of Nye, State of Nevada, and bounded and described as follows:
All the defendants' right, title and interest in and to Lot (1) one, in Block four (4), West End Addition to the town of Tonopah, and the stone and frame house situated thereon; together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 30th day of November, A. D. 1908, at 3:00 p. m. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Nye, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.
Dated, October 15th, 1908.

J. J. OWENS, Sheriff.
By Vail Pittman, Deputy.
11-8 11-15 11-22 11-29.

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