

CONVENTION OF UNION PACKED

President of Miners Brings in His Salaried Organizers to Help Vote.

CAUSES A BIG STIR OF MINERS

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 19.—The charge that the national administration of the United Mine Workers, headed by president Lewis, had attempted to "back" the convention now in session here so that certain policies or interests could be forwarded, brought on a bitter factional fight on the floor of the convention today.

ASSAIL CHARACTER OF MRS. CHRISTY

Father of Artist Testifies Against the Wife, Who Is Suing.

Zanesville, O., Jan. 19.—That Mrs. Howard Chandler Christy often became intoxicated and that she drank with her chauffeur was the testimony of Frank M. Christy, the artist's father, in Mrs. Christy's suit to gain the custody of her daughter, Natalie.

PINKERTONS TRACE TWO TRAIN ROBBERS

Say They Have Located Them at Dalhart by a Suitcase.

Dalhart, Texas, Jan. 19.—Pinkerton men have traced to Dalhart two men alleged by the Pinkertons to have been engaged in an express robbery on a Northwestern road some weeks ago, in which several thousand dollars were secured.

GOVERNORS AS PATRONS OF TEXAS FAT STOCK SHOW

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 19.—It is announced here today that governor Campbell is invited to respond to the address of governor Shallenberger, of Nebraska, when the latter opens the Fort Worth fat stock show March 14. The governors of all states in the southwest will be asked to attend.

TWO STOCK BROKERS FAIL IN NEW YORK

New York, N. Y., Jan. 19.—The failure of the important house of Lathrop, Haskins & Co. was announced on the stock exchange this morning.

CRACKSMEN BLOW SAFE IN TEXAS POSTOFFICE

Baillinger, Tex., Jan. 19.—Burglars entered the postoffice at Rowena last night and dynamited the safe. They escaped after securing over \$100 and left no clue.

TUSKISH PARLIAMENT HOUSE IS DESTROYED

Constantinople, Turkey, Jan. 19.—The palace of Cherragan, where parliament sits, was practically destroyed by fire of accidental origin today.

HUDSPETH IS CAUSE OF A STIR

Austin Somewhat Excited Over El Paso's Inter-view of Tuesday.

GOV. CAMPBELL IS INTERESTED

Austin, Tex., Jan. 19.—Quite a stir was caused here by the statement issued by senator Claude Hudspeth, chairman of the subcommittee investigating the penitentiaries, at El Paso yesterday.

GERMAN TARIFF WAR MAY COME

It Is Not Certain as Yet However, and May Be Staved Off.

Berlin, Germany, Jan. 19.—The government has decided that in the event that an agreement on reciprocal tariffs between the United States and Germany is not reached by February 27th, when the present arrangements expire, Germany's general tariff rates must under the law be applied to American imports at present coming in under the conventional tariff.

INSURANCE MEN WANT NEW LAWS

Ask for Uniformity in the Laws of the Different States.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—The executive officers of the principal life insurance companies of the United States, representing 26,000,000 policy holders and nearly \$4,000,000,000 assets, began a conference here today at the third annual meeting of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents.

HIT BY ENGINE AND TONSED THIRTY FEET

Temple, Tex., Jan. 19.—Henry Joslyn, an aged white man, was struck by a switch engine in the local yards today and seriously injured.

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R. BALLINGER IS ON THE CARPET

Investigation of Charges of Extravagance Against the Secretary Is Begun.

SECRETARY SAYS HE WILL FIGHT

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—Investigation of the charges made against secretary Ballinger by representative Hitchcock, of Nebraska, alleging extravagance in the interior department, including charges affecting the secretary and his cousin, Jack Ballinger, was begun before the house committee on expenditures in the interior department today.

BANKER WALSH BEHIND BARS

Man Breaks Camera When Photographer Points It at His Father.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 19.—The arrival here this morning of John R. Walsh, the former Chicago banker, on his way to Fort Leavenworth prison to serve a sentence of five years, was enlivened by a disaster that overtook a newspaper photographer who was attempting to take a snap shot of the aged financier as he stepped from the train.

LONDON VOTING IS CONTINUING

The Unionists Hope to Win Some of the Members Now Being Voted Upon.

London, Eng., Jan. 19.—Eighty constituents returning 81 members voted members of the new parliament today.

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STATEHOOD MUST BE POSTPONED

PET DEER FOR WASHINGTON PARK

J. L. Vaughn, of Moctezuma, Mexico, Donates Animals to the City.

El Paso is to have a zoo filled with real live animals within a short time. It will be located at Washington Park, which is owned by the city and where the animals can be caged and well cared for by a man who will probably be appointed for this special purpose.

J. L. Vaughn, who for more than 25 years has been agent of the Mexican Central railroad at Moctezuma, Chihuahua, Mexico, has agreed to present five tame deer to the city provided El Paso will care for them.

The oldest of the animals is 10 years of age; there is another eight years old and three younger ones. All have been raised since babyhood by Mr. Vaughn and are perfectly tame.

PHILADELPHIA MAY HAVE A CAR STRIKE

Men Vote to Walk Out—Allege Bad Faith of Employers.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 19.—Philadelphia is threatened with another great street railway strike. As a result of a disagreement between the grievance committee of the local union and the management of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company 600 motormen and conductors early this morning voted to strike at the call of the executive board of the union.

NEGRO ARRESTED AT ALBUQUERQUE

Is Held on a Charge of Making Improper Advances to White Girl.

Albuquerque, N. M., Jan. 19.—Frank Brooks, a negro bootblack, 35 years old, is under arrest, charged with making improper advances to Grace Bouquet, the 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bouquet.

ARIZONIAN IN FORESTRY DEPT.

A. F. Potter, of the forest service, recently put in charge of the bureau until Mr. Pinchot's successor could



A. F. POTTER, an Arizona cattleman, who has been in the service some time and has "made good."

Visitors Welcome!

The Herald has provided a visitors' gallery especially for the pleasure and interest of its patrons. Come in any time between 12:30 p. m. and 4:30 p. m. and see the best equipped newspaper plant in the southwest.

The Big Press Runs Between 3:30 and 4:30

No Press Room Secrets About Herald Circulation.



RESERVATION MUST MOVE SAYS MAYOR

That the reservation must move from Broadway is the emphatic declaration of mayor Joseph E. Sweeney.

Only recently a business man expressed the opinion that El Chamizal titles in the southern portion of the city would prevent the reservation being moved from Broadway.

CAN CHAMIZAL RESIDENTS VOTE?

Report That Residents of Disputed Territory May Be Ruled Out.

That the white man will have a show in the next election; people in El Chamizal zone will not be allowed to vote, was the declaration of a real estate man today, who expressed his pleasure when he said it.

HIGH TAX ON JUAREZ BOOZE

It Is Calculated That It Will Drive Out Many of the Saloons.

It is not a prohibition move on the part of the Mexican authorities, yet the increase in saloon licenses may have some good effect in that regard.

ATTEMPT TO ROB A JUAREZ BANK

Door Broken But Robbers Are Evidently Frightened Away

An attempt to rob the Banco Minero in Juarez was made some time Monday night. Nothing is missing.

Boosting El Paso

Says The Las Cruces Citizen: Wednesday's "Sky-scraper" edition of The El Paso Herald is a concise and comprehensive history of the great southwest and a credit to that paper which exceeds dailies in cities of three times the population.

Says The Beaumont Enterprise: The El Paso Herald recently issued a special edition that it designated as a "sky-scraper." The edition itself towers far above the ordinary newspaper edition as a piece of enterprise and should prove a good bit of advertising for the El Paso country.

SENATE SITS ON HOUSE MEASURE

Finds Fault With Several Provisions and Will Draft New Bill Entirely.

NO STATEHOOD BEFORE 1911

Senate Will Make It Impossible for Territories to Get Statehood Soon.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19.—No new stars will be added to the American flag before the summer of 1911, according to the plan under consideration in the senate committee on territories.

The program is said to have the endorsement of President Taft.

It provides for reporting an entirely new statehood bill for New Mexico and Arizona. The Hamilton bill passed by the house is declared to be objectionable to the senate committee on two grounds, first because it does not provide for a sufficient elapsed time for the adoption of a constitution and the election of state officers and the members of the senate and house of representatives.

The other objection relates to the protection of public interests in relation to existing and proposed land grants. The new bill will authorize New Mexico and Arizona to hold elections for the adoption of constitutions, but no election for state officers and members of congress could be held until after the constitutions have been approved by the president and congress.

The effect of this provision is to permit the territories to hold constitutional conventions and elections for adopting the constitutions during the present year, but the constitutions could not be ratified until congress meets next December. Then after the ratification, the state elections could be held.

Under the terms proposed in the senate bill, the two territories could not possibly be admitted before the summer of 1911.

To Change Inauguration. Representative Henry today introduced two joint resolutions amending the federal constitution. One provides that the term of the president shall begin the last Thursday in April. The other resolution provides that the terms of representatives and senators begin the second Thursday of January.

Anti-Gambling Bills.

Representatives Smith, Beall, Burleson, Garner and Henry announced that they will make a determined effort next week before the house agriculture committee to obtain a favorable report on the bill preventing gambling in futures on farm products. All have bills covering the subject. It is expected that the committee will recommend the bill.

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GRAND JURY PROBES TEXAS PRISON CAMPS

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 19.—The Tarrant county grand jury today commenced a tour of convict camps in the county, to investigate the charges that the guards have been beating the prisoners and giving other cruel treatment. Judge Simmons ordered an inspection six weeks ago.

ICE AND FLOOD IN OHIO THREATENING

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 19.—Tons upon tons of water and ice are pouring into the Ohio river from the Alleghany river as a result of the breaking of an enormous gorge in that stream at Freeport last night. The Alleghany isbank full of soft, spongy ice, and it is foraging the Ohio up at the rate of two feet per hour.

It is expected that two feet above the danger mark will be reached here by afternoon and business houses downtown are hastily moving goods to the upper stories.

From all Monongahela river points some reports of flooded streets in the river bottoms. A number of mills are shut down but no serious losses are yet reported.

URUGUAY IS IN REVOLT

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 19.—A revolution is reported to have broken out in Uruguay against the government of president Claudio Willman.

It is impossible to confirm this as a rigorous censorship has been established at Montevideo.