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5,801 IMMIGRANTS MAKE NEW YEAR'S RECORD

They Arrive on Five Liners After Being Held Up by the Fog.

New York, Feb. 17.—A new immigration record for the year was established yesterday as soon as the fog lifted enough to permit the transatlantic liners to get to their docks from their enforced anchorages off Sandy Hook.

The largest number came on the Amerika of the Hamburg-American line, the steamer passengers on her being 1,841. The Cedric from Naples brought in 1,600; the Brandenburg of the North German Lloyd line 1,400; the Statendam of the Hamburg-American line 610, and the Korea of the Russian-East Asiatic line from Libau, 450.

ON THE VERGE OF WAR.

Trouble Was Near with a Power of the Orient, Frisco Senator Says.

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—That this country was on the verge of a war with a naval power of the orient recently was the assertion of State Senator Richard J. Welch, who in a legislative committee which is investigating the Isla Creek project.

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NARROW ESCAPE.

John Wesley Gaines's Gesture Nearly Fells a Texan.

Washington, Feb. 17.—With no malice aforethought, Representative John Wesley Gaines of Tennessee came near landing on the Roman nose of Representative James L. Slayden of Texas in the House yesterday.

Mr. Gaines had worked himself into a fury over the iniquities of the Republican party, and his arms were moving through the air at a frightful velocity, when Mr. Slayden moved gracefully down the aisle. He was paying no heed to the gentleman from Tennessee, who was taking advantage of an opportunity to make a speech.

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A BATTLE OF GIANTS

In Which Second Place Men Won a Handy Victory

CRESCENTS VS. CALUMETS

The Former Tock Five Straight Strings from the Leaders and Boosted Their Chances for the Championship.

The two Barre teams in the state bowling league, the Calumets and the Crescents, met in Buzzell's alleys last evening and the Crescent trio showed the league leaders that they were not all there was to the league by handing them a lemon in the shape of a genuine "white-wash," which got them back five straight games.

To show them that it was not all luck the Crescents took all the games by a good wide margin and let it be known that others could roll over 2,700 by bringing their game total up to 2,719, over 200 pins better than the "best three."

D. Smithie was responsible for no small part of the Calumets' defeat by rolling up a five game total that lacked only one pin of the 1,000 mark, 990, the best total of the evening, and he also took the single total honor with 213.

The scores:

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Score. Includes Crescents and Calumets.

Smithie 206 184 178 213 208—999
Trenoweth 141 140 181 190 161—813
Nute 177 200 176 187 167—807

Totals 524 524 535 590 636—2719

Averill 169 155 152 188 150—805
Douglass 143 141 173 137 123—817
Walsh 188 190 180 137 198—884

Totals 491 428 503 465 471—2516

HOLY CROSS BASE BALL.

Candidates For 1909 Team Will Start Work Soon.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 17.—Candidates for the Holy Cross baseball team will start work in the cage soon under the direction of Dr. P. J. Carney, the old Boston National league player, who has coached the Holy Cross team for the past two years.

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ACTUAL STARVATION

Rickett & Wells Give Facts Regarding Dyspepsia.

Although indigestion and dyspepsia are so prevalent, most people do not thoroughly understand their cause and cure. There is no reason why people should not eat anything they desire—

if they will only chew it carefully and thoroughly. Many actually starve themselves into sickness through fear of eating every good looking, good smelling and good tasting food, because it does not agree with them.

Dieting cannot cure Dyspepsia. If we refuse every article of food that disagrees with us, before long we have nothing left, and find ourselves chronic dyspeptics.

We can cure Dyspepsia. We are so confident of this fact that we guarantee a cure, and promise to supply the medicine free of all cost to everyone who will use it, who is not perfectly satisfied with the results which it produces. We exact no promises, and put no one under any obligation whatever. Surely, nothing could be fairer. We are located right here in Barre, and our reputation should be sufficient assurance of the genuineness of our offer.

We want everyone in Barre who is troubled with indigestion or dyspepsia in any form to come to our store and get a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. Take them home and give them a reasonable trial, according to directions. They are very pleasant to take; they soothe the irritable stomach, strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, promote a healthy and natural bowel action, immediately relieve nausea and all stomach irritation, produce perfect and healthy digestion and assimilation, and promote nutrition.

A 25c package of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets furnishes 15 days' treatment. In ordinary cases, this is sufficient to produce a cure. In more chronic cases, a longer treatment, of course, is necessary, and depends upon the severity of the trouble. For such cases, we have two larger sizes which sell for 45c and 80c. Rickett & Wells, The Red Cross Pharmacy, Miles Granite Block.

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Their action has caused 100 girls to be thrown out of work, as there will be nothing for them to do, with the men out, and it is also said that the men employed in the night shift in the enameling department will go out on strike in sympathy with the day men. The shop is an open one, and there will be no appealing to any unions to help them. The men say there will be no evidence unless some effort is made to bring in new men to replace them.

The cause of the strike is explained by the fact that discrimination was used against them.

In all there are about 2,000 men and women employed by the concern, and it is said by the men that unless the concern agrees to their terms and takes them back, all these employees will be thrown out of work.

ENGINEERS FINISH REPORT.

The Canal Statement Delivered to Taft.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The commission of engineers headed by Frederick P. Stearns of Boston, which accompanied Mr. Taft to the Isthmus of Panama to look into the question of canal construction, finished its report yesterday. They then went in a body to call on Mr. Taft. The final report is to be made to the President.

After a consultation with the board of engineers, Mr. Taft took their report to the White House. He and the president took up the subject matter of the report. Senator Lodge was a caller upon the president-elect yesterday.

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FOUND ARSENIC IN FOUR BODIES.

Unofficial Report in Kelleher Case Explains Renewed Activity of Police.

Boston, Feb. 17.—Arsenic is said to have been found in the viscera of the four bodies examined by Professor William Whitney of Harvard, in the Kelleher case. The bodies are those of Catherine M. Kelleher, twelve years old; Annie T. Kelleher, thirteen years of age; and Mary Kelleher, six years old, all daughters of the woman; and William Kelleher, two years old, a son.

ACCUSE HIM OF DECEIT

J. Frank Sunderland, Providence Banker, Arrested

ON WOMAN'S COMPLAINT

She Says That She Advanced \$40,000 Upon False Representations Made by the Banker—Ball Furnished Yesterday Afternoon.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 17.—Unable to secure bail of \$50,000, J. Frank Sunderland, president of the Central Trust company, the Providence banking institution now in the hands of a receiver, was held yesterday in the custody of a deputy sheriff, having been arrested on a writ charging deceit in connection with financial proceedings. At the same time a temporary injunction was granted by the superior court against the Standard Mutual Fire Insurance company, of which Sunderland was the underwriter, and which, it is said, was allied with the New England Fire Insurance company, now in the hands of a receiver, and of which Sunderland was president. The receiver for the New England company was appointed after the embarrassment of the Central Trust company, which held a majority of its stock, several months ago.

The complainant against Sunderland is Mrs. Marietta M. Newell, who alleges that she advanced \$40,000 to Sunderland upon false representations made by the banker for investment in his insurance projects. Insurance Commissioner Charles C. Graw is the petitioner against the insurance company. He asks for the forfeiture of the Standard's charter and for the appointment of a permanent receiver. A citation issued yesterday is returnable tomorrow when the matter of a permanent receivership will be taken up.

The Standard company, since the New England company became involved has cancelled as much of its outstanding insurance as possible. There remains, it is said, thirty policies that have not been cancelled. Sunderland was arrested by deputy sheriffs at his home.

Yesterday afternoon bail was furnished by John Nelson and Sigmund Rosen of this city and Sunderland was released from the custody of the deputy sheriffs.

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Advertisement for Washburn-Crosby's Gold Medal Flour. Includes image of a man holding a flour bag and text: "Before you say flour say GOLD MEDAL—Always. Its your say Now. WASHBURN-CROSBY'S GOLD MEDAL FLOUR THE VERY HIGHEST QUALITY"

STATEHOOD STRUGGLE FINALLY REWARDED

House Yesterday Passed Bill Granting Statehood to Arizona and New Mexico—Harbor Bill to Carry \$10,000,000.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The long struggle of Arizona and New Mexico was rewarded yesterday so far as the House of Representatives is concerned when that body under suspension of the rules unanimously passed the bill granting separate statehood to the two territories. Mr. Hamilton of Michigan, having the measure in charge, spoke briefly in support of it. He said it was not a party question. Both sides, he declared, were now fairly to fulfill party pledges.

Mr. Smith, Arizona's delegate, pleaded for the passage of the bill. That such a bill had not been passed before, he said, was a shame against the record of Congress.

HARBOR BILL TO CARRY \$10,000,000.

It Provides for Purchase of Power Plants Along St. Mary's Rapids.

With the adoption of the sub-committee's recommendation regarding the power plants on the St. Mary's river, the House committee on rivers and harbors has practically completed its consideration of the emergency and maintenance bill carrying nearly \$10,000,000, which it is proposed to report to the House today. By the committee's action, the bill will provide for the purchase, by condemnation proceedings, of the power plants operating along St. Mary's rapids, and also for the leasing of power privileges by the war department after the requirements of navigation are fulfilled by the waters of the river. The bill will also recommend that negotiations be entered into with Canada for the purpose of reaching an international agreement by which the establishment of controlling works for the Great Lakes will be accomplished.

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KING OPENS PARLIAMENT

Big Crowd Sees Formal State Exercises

POLICE OUT IN FORCE

King Edward Alluded to the Recent Visit to Berlin, Stating His Belief That It Would Strengthen Their Friendship.

London, Feb. 17.—A greater crowd than usual gathered at Westminster yesterday for the state opening of Parliament by King Edward, who was accompanied to the function by Queen Alexandra, the Prince and Princess of Wales and other members of the royal family. A day of bright sunshine and the fact that this was the first public appearance of their majesties since their return from Berlin were largely responsible for the outpouring of the people who lined the route to Buckingham palace and cheered the sovereigns as they passed in procession, with an escort of the guards, to the House of Parliament. Another and a greater crowd had assembled near St. Stephen's. These people were curious to see what would be the outcome of the threats made by the unemployed and the women suffragists to indulge in demonstrations. The police were out in force and ready to deal with any disturbance.

Within the chamber, the members of the two houses and a select few who had been invited to witness the actual ceremony expectantly awaited the reading of the king's speech. The attendance of members was unusually large. The House of Lords, when their majesties appeared, was filled with peers and peeresses, members of the House of Commons, diplomats and other representatives of the official and social life of London. Ambassador Reid and J. Ridley Carter, secretary of the American embassy, were in the diplomatic section. In the royal gallery were Rear Admiral Charles H. Stockton, Professor George Grafton Wilson and Commander John H. Gibbons, the naval attaché here. The three were present in their capacity as delegates to the International Naval conference now in session in London and the courtesy of attendance was also extended to their wives.

King Edward's speech from the throne opened with a graceful allusion to his recent visit to Berlin, declaring that it "will tend to strengthen those amicable feelings between the two countries that are essential to their mutual welfare and the maintenance of peace."

The king spoke of the waterways and fisheries agreements with America. "Satisfactory progress has been made," he said, "in the negotiations on outstanding questions with the United States. A treaty to regulate the use of waterways adjacent to the international boundary between Canada and the United States has been arranged, and this question being one of special Canadian interest, the advice of the Dominion government was sought and followed throughout."

"My ambassador at Washington has negotiated also, with the co-operation of the Canadian and Newfoundland ministers of justice, an agreement for reference to arbitration of the North American fisheries question, and I trust that this agreement will be the means of affecting a final and friendly settlement of matters which have been long under discussion between this country and the United States."

After mentioning the "imperative demand" for the introduction of representative institutions in Persia, the king said: "I am happy to think that there is now an improved prospect for a solution of the difficulties that have arisen in the Balkans and it is my earnest hope that a settlement may be arrived at satisfactory to all the states whose interests are concerned."

His majesty in referring to the budget declared that "in consequence of the old age pensions and the increase which has become necessary in the cost of my navy, the expenditures this year will be considerably in excess of those of the past twelve months."

The legislation forecast by the king was largely domestic and social in character. At the conclusion of the ceremonies, their majesties drove back to Buckingham palace. Neither the unemployed nor the suffragists attempted to molest the royal procession either going to or returning from Westminster.

BARRE OPERA HOUSE.

The Great Albini a Big Success, Shows Some Marvelous Work.

A great deal was said about Albini, the Great before he came but now that we have seen him, we can positively say that not one half enough had been said about him. Albini is certainly an artist as a magician, mimic, illusionist and laughter producer. As a telepathist, he has no equal. He keeps his audience spell-bound with amazement. His illusions are the greatest ever seen in this city. The trunk trick called transparent is a wonderful mystery. Albini clears the stage, leaves no scenery—just bare walls—shows an empty trunk, then lines it all over with plate glass and without any cover whatever or without extinguishing the lights, he produces in full view of the public, his assistant, La Petite Allen. His illusions entitled the Japanese Mystery or Ishma and also Princess Allego, where he raised Princess Allego in the air—both of these illusions are marvelous. His telepathy surpasses anything seen on any stage. He answers all questions. Albini announced that he changes his program every night and on Friday, he gives an expose of Anna Eva Fay, Mrs. Pepper, Dr. Slade, Dr. Melvor Tindel and others who term themselves spiritualists, mind-readers, clairvoyants. He will show how tables rapping, slate writing, spirit clock of Bright Eyes are all accomplished. Miss Bessie Allen gives a singing and dancing specialty very clever. In fact, the whole performance is clever and will pack the house nightly. Matinee daily at 2:30. Admission, 10 cents. At the evening performance there will be a few reserved seats at 20 cents on sale at Kendrick's drug store.

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