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## WOLCOTT'S SPEECH!

Discusses the Work of the Bi-metallic Commission.

Crowded Floor and Galleries Accord Him Closest Attention.

President, John, Arrives on a Visit to This Country.

IMMIGRATION BILL PASSED.

Washington, Jan. 17.—In anticipation of an interesting session of the senate today, all the galleries were filled. Mrs. Wolcott, wife of Senator Wolcott, chairman of the bi-metallic commission, who was to deliver a speech upon the work of the commission, was in the diplomatic gallery with friends.

Foraker announced that the legislature of Ohio had chosen Marcus Alonzo Hanna as senator for the remainder of Sherman's term of six years ending March 4, 1899. He presented Hanna's credentials. Many senators hastened to extend congratulations to Hanna, after the administration of the oath.

Among the messages presented were remonstrances of 512 Roman Catholic societies in the United States, representing more than 50,000 members, offered by Murphy, of New York, against the enactment of the pending immigration bill.

Hale, of the appropriations committee, raised the urgency deficiency bill, passed last week by the house, and gave notice that he would call it up tomorrow.

Harris, of Kansas, presented a resolution, for which he asked immediate consideration, asking the secretary of the treasury why, since 1883, he had omitted from his statement an item of \$116,000,000 interest due to the United States from the Pacific railroads.

There was an objection by Thurston, of Nebraska, and the resolution went over till tomorrow.

Allen, of Nebraska, presented and asked immediate consideration for a resolution directing the committee on pensions to ascertain by what authority the commissioner of pensions refused to pass upon the applications for increase of pensions until twelve months after the elapsed since the last allowance made.

Gallinger, (N. H.), chairman of the pension committee, objected to the immediate consideration of the resolution. The resolution went over. Foraker reported from the committee on Pacific railroads, a bill authorizing the president, if necessary, for the protection of the government, to bid on the Kansas Pacific railroad at the coming sale. It went over until tomorrow.

**WOLCOTT'S SPEECH.**  
At 12:50 Wolcott (Colo.), chairman of the bi-metallic commission, took the floor for a speech. By this time the galleries and the floor were crowded. Wolcott was in the voice and spoke with only occasional reference to the subject. He was accorded the closest attention by his auditors, among whom were many members of the house.

Wolcott reviewed fully the work of the commission, already made public. He spoke of what he termed the "hostile and somewhat brutal utterances of the London press respecting the proposals of the French and American representatives." "Newspapers in London, like newspapers in many capitals of the world," he went on, "are dominated by and allied with the banking element and reflect their views and often their expressions. The business of money loaning is an engrossing pursuit, not to be wondered at that London newspapers, voicing that industry, should in their hostility to the policy which they disapprove, forget for a moment that courtesy, which is due to the stranger within the gates, especially when he comes on investment, and that should be let to characterize the proposals as impertinent which were made upon the request of their own government."

Wolcott spoke at some length upon the conditions in India. The closing of the mints, he said, created wide dissatisfaction, and there was a general impression that the Indian government would be glad to retract its steps.

**IMMIGRATION BILL PASSED.**  
At the conclusion of Wolcott's speech, Lodge (Mass.) demanded the regular order, which was the subject of the bill. Spooner (Wis.) while supporting the general character of the bill, said rather than support the provision requiring an immigrant to write as well as read he would vote against the bill.

The senate passed the immigration bill by a vote of 45 to 20.

**Grand Concert and Literary Entertainment.**  
A concert and literary entertainment will be given by the Philharmonic orchestra under the direction of Prof. Van Fenar at Grant's opera house on the evening of Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, 1898. Those who had the pleasure of listening to the matinee performance of the orchestra last spring were unbounded in their praises, and the fact that the coming entertainment will be under the supervision of Prof. Van Fenar gives assurance that it will be of special merit. The orchestra has been in training during the last four months, and a finished performance may be expected. Note announcements later.

**Death of George Butler.**  
George Butler, a fireman from Williams, Arizona, who came to this city a short time ago to be treated for pneumonia, died Saturday afternoon. His wife arrived from Williams last night and the funeral took place from Undertaker Strong's parlors at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Dr. A. C. Welch, of the Lead avenue Methodist church, conducting the funeral services.

**Leg Amputated.**  
Frank Gilmore had his foot amputated above the ankle yesterday by Dr. Corneil, who was assisted by Dr. J. S. Rasterday and Dr. Croson. The operation was in every way successful, and the patient seems to be progressing nicely. He has

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**LAWRENCE SILVA DEAD.**

One of the Old Timers of Albuquerque Passed Away Last Evening.

Lawrence Silva died at the Silva residence on north Arno street at 5:30 o'clock this morning. He returned to the city Friday night from Phoenix, and then a very sick man. He had been away from Albuquerque about two years, which he had spent in Mexico and Arizona. He had been suffering for years with stomach trouble which assumed an aggravated form about six months ago, since which time he has been falling rapidly.

The deceased was born in Italy about 24 years ago, and came to Albuquerque in the early eighties. He was a stone mason by trade, and a contractor in this city. Afterward he went into the liquor business on his own account.

He said out and went to Winslow, where he engaged in the contracting business. The deceased leaves a wife, who is now in Winslow, and a son about 15 years old; also an old father and a brother, Giacomo, who lives in this city, one brother in Old Mexico and one brother and two sisters in Italy. One of his brothers, Ignacio, was shot about six months ago. Ferdinand, another brother, died here about five years ago.

The wife of the deceased has been telegraphed to from her home in Italy, and will be completed by Undertaker Mortfort.

**TUNNEL ON FIRE.**

Ten Miles East of Ash Fork—Now Under Construction.

Special to The Citizen.

Ash Fork, Arizona, Jan. 17.—Yesterday at about 2 p. m. the timbers in the roof of the tunnel on the Santa Fe Pacific railroad, ten miles east of here, were found by the watchman to be on fire, and the company soon had its engines at both ends of the tunnel lighting it, but the timbers are covered with sheet iron and they could not get water to the fire.

The timbers have been burning twenty hours. The fire is now under control and is expected to have the track clear by 5 p. m. today.

No trains can pass. Both overland passenger trains are being held, the east-bound train at Ash Fork and the west-bound train at Williams.

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**PLUMBING.**  
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The funeral of Samuel Dunlap has been postponed. As they have no family burial place, Isaac Dunlap, the brother, who arrived from Redlands, Cal., Saturday night, thought he would bury the body here unless the deceased left some request to the contrary. As they could not secure his papers yesterday, which were locked up in the bank, it was considered advisable to postpone the funeral until the papers could be examined. The deceased brother was introduced at this office this afternoon by Undertaker Montfort and they have set the funeral at the undertaking parlors tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

Delegate Ferguson has sent J. W. Hall a letter notifying the latter that F. M. Sims, formerly of this city but for the past three or four years residing at Washington, had been promoted from stenographer and typewriter in the bureau of steam engineering, navy department, to the same position in the same bureau at an increase in salary \$1,000 instead of \$800 per annum, vice J. E. Chase, transferred.

A. M. Swan's lecture on the evidences that man appeared first on the western hemisphere, to be given at the Methodist hall on Lead avenue this evening at 8 o'clock, will interest all thinking people. Those who heard Mr. Swan's first lecture will not miss this one. While many who were not able to attend on that occasion are anxious to hear him on this interesting occasion.

The commissioned and non-commissioned officers of company G are requested to meet at Arsenal at this evening at 8 o'clock, for instructions in the new manual of arms, as adopted by the National Guards of New Mexico, and in pursuance of circular No. 16, issued by the war department. By order of C. D. Rogers, captain command company G.

Mrs. A. H. Dixon, residing at 1215 south Second street, presented her husband, a popular engineer on the Santa Fe Pacific, with a young engineer, and the little chap commenced whistling "down brakes" early Sunday morning. Mother and child reported doing nicely today.

THE CITIZEN mentioned last Saturday afternoon the death of Leon Heyman, well-known here, at El Paso last Thursday night. The father of the deceased was arrived at El Paso, and the body will be shipped to New Orleans for burial.

Mrs. Frank Bowden returned from Lawrence, Kansas, last Saturday night, where she had been called by the sickness and subsequent death of her mother, Mrs. Coltrane.

Jose L. Perea, the well-known and faithful deputy county collector, visited relatives at Bernillo yesterday, returning to his duties at the court house this morning.

W. J. and L. K. Hanna, gentlemen who keep the water service of the Rio Grande division in excellent order, spent last night in the city.

## DESTRUCTIVE FIRES!

Many Persons Perish in the Flames in Germany.

Eight Chicago Business Houses Sustain Loss of \$200,000.

Two Fires in Pennsylvania Towns Cause a Loss of \$136,000.

**CHICAGO FIRESMEN INJURED.**

**District of Columbia Day.**

Washington, Jan. 17.—This was the District of Columbia day in the house, and the house proceeded to the consideration of district business.

**Belleville Disaster Dead.**  
Thomasville, Ga., Jan. 17.—Benjamin Butterworth, United States commissioner of patents, who has been very ill for some time, died yesterday afternoon.

**THE SURVEYING STOPPED.**  
Settlers Compeel Canal Surveyors to Quit—Injunction Issued.

The owners of the property, over which the surveying party of the canal company were to proceed, particularly in large numbers to-day at the place where the crew was about to commence their work and commanded them not to trespass on their land. The surveying party, under Engineer Harroun numbered 100 men, and, as they were greatly outnumbered, no resistance was made and there was not a sign of violence.

Judge T. C. Gutierrez acted as spokesman for the assembled farmers and simply stated that it was their land, and that they had come to see that others did not trespass on it.

With this the surveyors beat a retreat back to the city, and Sheriff Hubbell was notified, who immediately proceeded to the place where the opposition to the ditch was gathered from all sides. He said there were then about 300 men there assembled on horseback.

This afternoon, in the case of the Albuquerque Land and Irrigation company vs. Tomas C. Gutierrez, Pedro Grigoriy Apolonia, Jesus Saborra, Devito Jimeno and confederates and assistants, the defendants were enjoined to hereafter refrain from hindering, obstructing and delaying the plaintiffs in their work as employees from proceeding with the examination and surveying by preventing their entrance upon and along the land lying between the ditch and the canal, and the canal, ditch and pipe line beginning at a point on the east side of the Rio Grande and extending south to the Indian village of San Felipe.

The defendants are to make answer back Judge Cromback at the court house, Jan. 25, at 10 a. m., why a permanent injunction should not be issued against them.

Mr. Harroun was seen this afternoon and gave the following account of the events which transpired at the east of operations:

"On last Saturday, about 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, T. C. Gutierrez and party of about twelve men, came up to the surveying party, as they were about to enter what he (Gutierrez) said was his land, and prevented the surveyors from proceeding their work by placing themselves in front of the instruments. Seeing that we would not be allowed to continue, work was stopped for that day. Mr. Gutierrez pursued the same course this morning, there being in the party about twenty-five men, and knowing that it was useless to attempt to do any surveying, I stopped work and with my corps came back to the city."

Miss Carrie Smith was tendered a birthday surprise party at her father's residence Saturday evening by Miss Mamie Shoup and Miss Minnie Flaher. A number of young people were in attendance and the evening was very pleasantly spent in dancing. Refreshments were also served during the evening.

Messrs. Lowenthal & Meyers have appointed sole distributors of the products of the Italian Swiss Agricultural company of Asti, Sonoma county, California. This colony is known as the producers of the highest grades of wines and brandies made, their vineyards being first rank in the state of California.

J. C. Martin, editor and proprietor of the Prescott Journal-Miner, came in from the west last night and has his name on the Sturges-Karoppan register. Mr. Martin is here to consult with Karl A. Snyder, assistant counselor for the Santa Fe Pacific. He expects to return to Prescott this evening.

Mrs. P. K. Harroun left Saturday night last for Santa Fe, to superintend the packing of her furniture for removal to this city. She is the wife of the chief engineer of the Santa Fe Pacific, who was murdered on Columbus avenue this morning. It is supposed that Matthews murdered his wife and children and then committed suicide by shooting.

From a letter left by Mrs. Matthews to a friend, it was gathered that she was a party to the suicide agreement.

Mrs. Matthews left instructions as to the clothes in which the dead children should be buried.

**CURRENCY REFORM.**  
Gage and Fairchild Appear Before Congressional Committee to Advise.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Secretary Gage and ex-Secretary Fairchild were before the house committee on banking and currency to-day for the further discussion of pending plans of currency reform. Gage presented to Chairman Walker's suggestion that he appear as a banker and a financier of long experience to aid the committee. The chairman asked if it were possible to keep the paper money at equality with coin in purchasing power, without the coin on hand. Gage answered that he thought not.

**Chicago Stock Market.**  
Chicago, Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000; best steady, others weak to low.

Hogs—Receipts, 39,000; steady, others weak to low.

Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; market steady.

Native sheep, \$3.00@4.00; westerns, \$2.50@4.40; lambs, \$4.00@5.75.

**Virginia Congressman Dead.**  
Richmond, Va., Jan. 17.—Ex-Congressman Benjamin S. Harper died suddenly at Saratoga, this morning.

**Money Market.**  
New York, Jan. 17.—Money on call, steady at 2 1/2@ 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@6.

**Excitement in France.**  
Paris, Jan. 17.—There was great excitement in the chamber of deputies to-day when M. Cavaignac, republican, demanded the dissolution of a semi-official note issued to-day in which the government declined to make public an alleged

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**BARGAIN NO. 3.....**  
One lot Fine Cloakings, worth up to \$3.50 a yard, on bargain table at, per yard..... \$1.00

**BARGAIN NO. 4.....**  
One lot Linen Towels, worth 15c to 35c each, on bargain tables at, 9c, 15c and..... 19c

**BARGAIN NO. 5.....**  
One lot of Woolen Dress Goods in Beautiful Plaids, Lovely Brocades, Handsome Plain Colors and Fancy Weaves, worth up to \$1.00 per Yard, on bargain tables at 25c, 30c, 40c and..... 50c

**BARGAIN NO. 6.....**  
One lot Men's Linen Standing Collars, worth 15c, on bargain tables at..... 5c

**BARGAIN NO. 7.....**  
One lot Outing Flannel Shirtwaists, on bargain tables at 25c, 50c and..... 75c

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LOT NO. 2... Ladies' full size night dresses... Beautiful styles in fine Embroidered Corset Covers...	25c	LOT NO. 5... Embroidered Night Gowns, Lace Umbrella Skirts and Embroidered Umbrella Drawers...	59c
LOT NO. 3... Novelties in Ladies' extra fine Corset covers... Ladies' full size Embroidered Night Gowns... Ladies' wide and ruffled and tucked skirts and Umbrella Drawers...	39c	LOT NO. 6... Exceptional values in Embroidered Gowns, Drawers, Skirts and Ladies' Embroidered extra long Marguerites...	75c

Lot 7 at 9c, Lot 8 at \$1.40 and Lot 9 at \$1.98 consist of copies from the French of Fine Umbrella Drawers, high grade French Night Gowns, Lace Embroidered Skirts.

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