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TUESDAY MORNING.

TOPEKA, KANSAS, JANUARY 19, 1897.

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HEAD OF THE ARMY

Gov. Leedy Makes Allen of Franklin County Adjutant General.

H. W. Boyd of Republic County Named as Assistant.

A STATE ACCOUNTANT

Also Named—It Is Joseph Riggs of Lawrence.

Warden Landis' Name Sent to the Senate for Confirmation.

After spending yesterday afternoon locked in his office conferring with legislators and other politicians, Governor Leedy today...

H. N. Boyd, editor of the Belleville Freeman, the second reform paper established in the state...

Mr. Allen is a Populist farmer who actually farms. He served in the union army as a member of the Twenty-fourth Indiana battery of field artillery.

Mr. Boyd is also an old soldier, having served in the Seventh Illinois.

The governor also appointed Joseph Riggs of Lawrence state accountant to succeed John England Challiner.

Mr. Riggs is a Democrat. He is a brother of Samuel A. Riggs, the noted Democratic politician.

This is the second good office the Democrats have secured.

There was a great crowd of applicants for these places, especially for that of adjutant general.

The above appointments were sent to the senate today.

Joint Convention Goes Through Form of Ratifying Caucus Nomination.

As the clock struck 12 today the members of the state senate were admitted to Representative hall to participate in the joint session for the election of a state printer.

Mr. Parks, editor of the Beloit Call, the Populist caucus nominee, was elected, receiving 103 votes.

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PRISONERS TO GO FREE.

Spanish Government to Release Political Cuban Prisoners on "Saint Day."

New York, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the World from Washington says: The amnesty proclamation to be issued by the Spanish government on the King's "saint day," January 25, is said, gives pardons in full to all political prisoners now confined in Cuban jails, and those to be released by its provisions are: The Competitor prisoners, Captain Alfredo Laborde, William Gildea, Mateo John Melton, Dr. Eras Baidia, and Teodoro Mata.

Julio Sanguligui, who has just been condemned to what is practically life imprisonment and whose case is now under appeal.

Henry Delgado, said to be the correspondent of a New York newspaper, who was captured in Cuba, and

Dr. Betancourt, who was arrested recently under suspicion of aiding the rebels.

Many other American citizens who are said to be in jail in various parts of the island are included in the general jail delivery, and those to be released by the amnesty proclamation will be set free.

A BAD MAN FROM TEXAS.

How He Tried to Bluff Conductor Donahue For a Free Ride.

Conductor R. B. Donahue had an exciting adventure with a man from Texas last evening on the west-bound Santa Fe train which leaves Kansas City at 9:30 o'clock.

Conductor Donahue had collected nearly all of the fares when he came to a man resembling the typical "cow boy," who refused to pay his fare or give a ticket.

In loud, defiant tones he informed the conductor that he was "a free man from Texas and would ride free."

The passengers became excited and several were heard from several women.

The cattlemen picked up a stove poker and brandished it over Conductor Donahue's head.

The conductor drew a revolver from his coat and presented it with the muzzle in the face of the man from Texas.

For a moment the man from Texas, who is a nephew of Gov. Leedy, was appointed secretary.

The governor said today that Mr. Horton is a Republican.

The politicians claim that Horton was an ardent McKinley man during the campaign of 1896.

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NAME FAIRBANKS

He Is Elected United States Senator From Indiana.

To Succeed Daniel W. Voorhees Democratic Candidate.

THE OTHER ELECTIONS

Vest Will Succeed Himself in Missouri.

The Legislature Will Elect Him Tomorrow.

Indianapolis, Jan. 19.—Charles Warren Fairbanks was elected United States senator to succeed Daniel W. Voorhees by the legislature at noon today.

In the senate Senator Hawkins made the principal nominating speech and Representative Francis T. Root placed Mr. Fairbanks in nomination in the house.

There were several seconding speeches. John R. East made the nominating speech for Mr. Fairbanks, who received the vote of the minority.

ALTBELD IS PRAISED. He Gets the Democratic Vote for Senator at Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 19.—Long before the hour set for the meeting of the joint assembly the galleries were packed with visitors who had come to hear the nominating speeches.

The first to take the floor was Representative O'Donnell of Bloomington. He placed in nomination for United States senator, in behalf of the Democratic members, ex-Governor Altbeld.

Speaking of the Altbeld nomination, he frequently interrupted by applause, but the concluding sentence of his speech brought forth a cheer from both sides.

Representative Hood, one of the Populist members, seconded the nomination of Altbeld.

A number of other addresses were made in praise of ex-Governor Altbeld. The Republicans refrained from speech-making and also refrained from voting, excepting that one vote was cast for each of the Republican candidates.

Governor Altbeld received the full Democratic vote. No quorum having voted, each house adjourned until tomorrow.

NEARLY ALL FOR TELLER. He is Re-Elected by Almost a Unanimous Vote.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 19.—Henry M. Teller was re-elected United States senator today by the almost unanimous vote of the Colorado legislature.

All the members, excepting the Populists, Democratic and Republican, voted for Teller. The Populists voted solidly for him.

Senator Carney (Pop.) who has been chosen by lot for the honor, made the principal nominating speech in the senate, and to W. O. Jenkins (Dem.) was accorded the same privilege in the house.

There were several seconding speeches. The members of the Populist party all endorsing the senator highly for his independent course in the late campaign and for his earnest efforts in behalf of the free coinage of silver.

VEST SUCCEEDS HIMSELF. He Has a Majority in Both Branches of the Legislature.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 19.—The formal ballot was taken in the legislature today which resulted in the re-election of George G. Vest to the United States senate.

The ballot stood as follows: In the house—Vest (Dem.), 85; Keenan (Rep.), 34; Jones (Pop.), 4. In the senate—Vest (Dem.), 19; Keenan (Rep.), 1; Jones (Pop.), 1.

PLATT IN NEW YORK. The Boss Receives a Majority in Each House.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 19.—The houses of the state legislature today voted separately for United States senator.

The vote in the senate was: Platt, 55; Hill, 11; George, 2. Senator Guy made a lengthy and eloquent speech in support of Henry George in behalf of the Democratic ticket nominated at Chicago.

In the assembly the vote was: Platt, 112; Hill, 31; George, 2. The two houses will vote in joint convention tomorrow.

ADDICKS HANGS ON. Instead of One Senator Delaware Will Now Have Three.

Dover, Del., Jan. 19.—The "regular" or Democratic house and senate met in joint session today and selected Richard Kenny, nominated at last night's caucus, as the choice of each.

They will meet in joint session tomorrow and elect Kenny. The "rump" legislature also met and ratified their caucus choice, J. Edward Addicks, for United States senator. The joint session will meet tomorrow.

Gallinger is Re-Elected. Concord, N. H., Jan. 19.—Jacob Gallinger, Senator from New Hampshire, was today unanimously nominated by acclamation and re-elected by the general court of this state to succeed himself in that office.

H. W. Parker of Claremont received the votes of the Democratic members.

THROWN OUT OF COURT. Judge Hazen Discharges Lindonmyer Who Threatened to Wreck a Train.

Judge Hazen this afternoon instructed the jury in the case of H. Lindonmyer, who was on trial for having sent threatening letters to the Union Pacific railroad company to bring in a verdict of no guilty. He said: "I think the railroad company owes this man something for the loss of his cow, but I think, however, there should be some law to punish men who threaten to wreck trains and to extort money. The defendant is discharged."

ARRESTED FOR BURGLARY.

Carl Schultz Offers to Sell Shoes For a Song and is Arrested.

A night of two ago the store of Davidson Bros. at 944 East Fourth street was burglarized and 20 pairs of fine shoes stolen.

Yesterday at ten o'clock Deputy Sheriff Larry Sheehan arrested a man at a boarding house at Jefferson and Fourth streets who is now in the county jail charged with the burglary of the store.

His name is Carl Schultz and he was in the city prison a few days ago on the charge of vagrancy.

Schultz has been doing a thriving business handling shoes.

Yesterday he approached Patrick Ryan, an employee of the Santa Fe and offered him a pair of fine shoes for 75 cents. Ryan bought them and the sale led to Schultz's arrest.

"I never did steal anything," said Schultz today when he was brought before his victims at the county jail. "I never saw those men before and know nothing about them."

He will be held to answer to the charge of burglary.

Speaking of the burglary that occurred in Topeka during the past two or three weeks this is the first offender who has been captured and he was not apprehended by the police.

INGALLS WAS SURPRISED. He Would Not Have Guessed Sherman for Secretary of State.

Atlanta, Jan. 19.—Before leaving Atlanta ex-Senator John J. Ingalls of Kansas talked with a reporter about recent politics.

He said he was surprised at Mayor McKinley's selection of Senator Sherman for secretary of state. "It must have been necessitated by the exigencies of Ohio politics," he remarked.

Mr. Ingalls would not have been surprised had the treasury portfolio been offered to Mr. Sherman.

The distinguished lecturer does not think that the secretary of the treasury will come from a state so far west as Iowa.

Speaking of the Atlanta lecture association, he said that it deserved the patronage of every man and woman in the city.

"These courses have a strong influence on the culture of a community," he remarked. "Yours is broad in scope I see, and its membership is made up of the best of the city."

It has a large membership, but it should have double the number of members. The association has a set of enthusiastic lecturers, and it is doing a good thing for the city.

The members themselves are doing a good thing for the city. If they will help it along a little, Atlanta is large enough to give a membership which would enable the course to be given more frequently.

There are twenty entertainments, embracing representative exponents of literature, science and music."

CROWDED TO THE DOORS. The Paiges Play to a Packed House at Crawford's Last Night.

The Paiges, a popular price company, played at Crawford's last night. The standing room only sign went up long before the performance began.

The company presented an old English play, "The Merchant of Venice," which was well received.

The individual parts filled by Miss Lauderbach, Miss Edna Paige, Miss Frances Florida, in fancy dancing, and Miss Lauderbach, in the part of the girl who is so carefully costumed.

The singing and dancing specialties were first-class. As a whole the piece was satisfactory and the company will undoubtedly become popular favorites before the week ends.

Tonight the company will present a "Romance of the East," which is a story of love and acting in this are especially meritorious and the advance sale of seats has been very large.

STEAMERS STRIKE HEAD ON. One is Badly Damaged While the Other is Uninjured.

New York, Jan. 19.—A collision occurred this afternoon at the junction of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans between the Wilson line steamer British Queen, bound from Antwerp, and the Atlas line steamer Alvina, bound from this port to London.

The damage has not been ascertained. After the steamers separated the Alvina continued on her way apparently undamaged.

The British Queen is now under way, while her bow is well out. The British Queen did not show any injury or damage.

The Queen struck the Alvina bow on. As well as was to be seen by the observer at Sandy Hook, the Alvina has lowered one of her boats and her passengers are being taken off the Ordnance steamer which started for the Alvina about 3 o'clock.

LONDON HAS ITS SCANDAL. Countess Cowley Sues the Earl for a Divorce.

London, Jan. 19.—The divorce suit brought by Violet against Earl Cowley, was opened today in the divorce division of the high court of justice.

The respondent is a Mrs. Charrington. Answers were filed by the earl and Mrs. Charrington denying the allegations.

The earl when visited Danegaw was the defendant in a breach of promise action brought against him by a well known actress, Mrs. Thorne.

IN SECRET.

The Suit of Prince de Chimay For Divorce Is Being Conducted Behind Closed Doors.

FOR SAKE OF DECENCY Reporters and the Public Are Excluded.

Twenty-two Acts Justifying the Suit Are Alleged.

FOUR TIMES AS MANY Can Be Proven If Necessary Says Prince's Counsel.

Charleroi, Jan. 19.—The action for divorce brought against the Princess de Chimay who eloped last summer with a gypsy, opened here today.

The Princess de Chimay was in attendance accompanied by his cousin, Prince Joseph.

At the opening proceedings the public prosecutor asked that the case be tried in camera. So much publicity he said, had already been given to the world that it could not be further outraged by the proceedings, but in the interest of public decency, he asked that newspaper men and the public be excluded.

The judge acceded to the public prosecutor's request and therefore the hearing was in secret.

Consul for the prince asked the court to grant his client a divorce on admission of the fact that she had been visited for a month to her children she paying them 75,000 francs yearly.

If necessary the petitioner would produce twenty-two acts justifying the suit and he further alleged that number of acts in justification of the proceedings.

PRICE OF THE A. & P. What the Santa Fe Will Pay for the Western Division.

New York, Jan. 19.—The term of the proposition that has been made by the Atchison road to the holders of the 4 per cent bonds of the Santa Fe, Atlantic & Pacific railroad to purchase the \$16,000,000 first mortgage 6 per cent bonds of the Santa Fe, Atlantic & Pacific railroad.

The Atchison will give 52 1/2 per cent of the par value of the bonds in Atchison general mortgage 4 1/2 per cent, the April, 1897 coupon, and 57 1/2 per cent in Atchison preferred stock in all.

The purchaser also assumes the net floating debt of the receivership amounting to about \$1,200,000, will pay the expenses of foreclosure and reorganization and will assist the reorganization of the Santa Fe.

In return the Atchison receives the Central division bonds and is to be released from all liability upon the guaranteed trust bonds the pending suits before the court.

The Atchison will probably be completed tomorrow and the formal order issued to file cross bills in pending foreclosure proceedings.

This move is a stab at the Huntington scheme for a commission to settle the Central division indebtedness.

COMMISSIONERS STRENGTH. They Have Gained a Firm Footing in Four Hundred Cities.

New York, Jan. 19.—Booth-Tucker, commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, and Mrs. Booth-Tucker will depart this evening for St. Louis. No time has been fixed for their return.

It is said they go on a long tour of the west and east. Ballington Booth, now in California.

An officer of the local department is responsible for the statement that the commander's departure is of the most significant nature and pertains in a particular manner to a letter received several weeks ago from General Booth, president of the American Volunteers.

The latter organization has attained a strength not only in the city of New York and vicinity as in such cities as St. Louis and the important cities in the west.

Some idea of the strength of the Volunteers can be gained from a statement made by a Salvation Army officer. "The American Volunteers," he said, "have made wonderful progress in the west. They have established themselves strongly in no less than four hundred cities."

LAUTERBACH SEES MAC. He is Accompanied by Members of "Judges' Staff."

Canton, O., Jan. 19.—Edward Lauterbach, president of the Republican county committee of New York and an intimate associate of Hon. Thomas C. Cantor, came to Canton this morning to confer with Maj. McKinley.

On the train with him were Abner McKinley and J. W. Fleming of Columbus, O., assistant secretary of the Ohio State Agricultural society.

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Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 19.—No election for United States senator today, but there seems little doubt of Richards' election tomorrow.

Roy Stokes desires to say that he was not knocked down or pummeled in front of the city building yesterday.

MAY BE TWO POPULISTS.

Executive Council to Hear Applicants for Railroad Commissioners Tomorrow.

At 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the executive council will convene and give each applicant for a place on the state board of railroad commissioners twenty minutes to present his claims.

It is said today that the board will be composed of two Populists, the third member to be a silver Republican or Democrat.

However, it has been suggested that Webb McNeill be given the position on the railroad board as a representative of silver men and that E. Dillard, Democrat, of Port Scott be appointed superintendent of insurance.

It is claimed that the appointment of George R. Snelling as assistant attorney general by Mr. Boyle was made upon the request of State Superintendent Stricker, who in exchange for the favor will vote for Mr. Dillard as railroad commissioner.

It is also said that the southern and southwest part of the state will be recognized. At the present there are five candidates from Sedgwick county, who have thus far failed to reach an agreement, although a period of three weeks has been made since yesterday afternoon to unite upon one man.

Webb McNeill, Great Bend, Sedgwick county, is one of the candidates. Leavelle compose the list of Wichita candidates. Some of the Populists assert that Leavelle will finally secure the place.

The appointment would place one of the Populist members in the Seventh district. Then the question as to the location of the other Populist member arises.

This is believed to be favorable to J. M. Allen of Erie or Senator W. H. Ryan of Crawford county. Should but one Populist be chosen and the Democrats recognized the politicians today expect that the place will go to Mr. Dillard.

However, the situation is greatly complicated today and the work of the candidates tonight may produce important changes.

Those who are candidates for the places are as follows: J. G. Lowe, the present Democratic member of the board, known as the "old man"; W. L. Aaron, Democrat, Hays City; P. E. Elder, Olatava; C. H. Lovett, Salina; Fred Foster, Populist, Emporia; H. P. Furbeck, Kansas City, Kan.; D. V. Vrooman and E. G. Edwards, Parsons.

A STAB AT HUNTINGTON. Government Will Head Off Any Pacific Railroad Legislation.

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