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## THE CITY IN BRIEF

The theatres of the city did an unusually large business yesterday.

Telephone the Richmond Steam Laundry to get your laundry.

Miss Bernina Crater has returned to her home in Greensburg, after several days' visit with friends in this city.

Business men's luncheon served in the Cafe of the Westcott Hotel every day from 11:30 to 2:00 o'clock. Price 35 cents.

There was an unusual quietness about the city hall yesterday. The lid is reported to have been on tight everywhere in the city.

The Chandee homestead, corner West 3rd and National Avenue, is offered at private sale. Bids received up to 10 o'clock a. m., Thursday, January 3rd, 1907, by Mrs. Chandee at her residence.

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The entrance to the Pennsylvania station are still draped in mourning, as a tribute to President Cassett, the late president of the road.

"SLEUTH'S BIG NIGHT."

Party of Richmond Young Men Had Merry Time at Annual Banquet at the Westcott.

The "Sleuths," a party of well known young men of the city, gave their third annual banquet in the cafe of the Westcott Hotel last evening. Judging from the shouts of laughter and songs which filled the hotel frequently throughout the evening, they must have had a very enjoyable time.

The "Sleuths" were: Raymond Mendenhall, Edwin Wilson, John Smithmeyer, Clarence Worrall, George Bayler, Dean Jacques, Ray Newman, Fred Fromme, Clamor Bartel, S. D. Romeo, and Roy Compton.

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## CHANGES IN BUDGET CAUSE OF DISCORD

Strained Relations Have Arisen Between Cabinet and Senate in France.

## LOOK INTO THE FUTURE.

IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS ARE PROMISED FOR THE COMING YEAR—STORMY DAYS FOR THE OLD REGIME.

[Publishers' Press]

Paris, Jan. 1.—Strained relations have arisen between M. Callaux, the minister of finance, and the senate committee on financial affairs. The minister disapproves the committee having changed the budget bill after it passed the chamber and the discord probably will lead to a lively debate in the senate.

The cabinet stands committed to supplement the weekly rest-day law and the employers' liability law with an eight-hour labor law, old-age pensions, the gradual purchase of railroads by the state and the transfer of the heaviest burdens of taxation upon the rich by the imposition of income and inheritance taxes, and as a result even the government bonds in which French savings are largely invested are threatened.

The Clemenceau cabinet draws a sharp line at what is attainable. Premier Clemenceau has abandoned many of the old ideas for the regeneration of the state on the socialistic basis he formerly entertained and now stands firmly for individualism, tempered by every measure possible for amelioration of the condition of the workingman.

Writers reviewing events of 1906 and making forecasts of the future unite in anticipating that 1907 will witness the most important developments in the continuation of the struggle which the French democracy is waging against the old regime. The end of clericalism, with the separation of church and state, is an accomplished fact and no longer an issue, although echoes of this conflict probably will be heard for a long time to come and the extreme Socialists are anxious to press the war against capitalism. Led by M. Jaurès, the aim of the Socialists is distinctly the expropriation of property, but no one imagines there will in the near future be a regime of pure Socialism in France.

## Negro Beat Policeman.

[Publishers' Press]

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 1.—While taking Alfred Clay to prison Arthur Burke, a policeman, was set upon by the negro and beaten into insensibility. He was found unconscious on the street and the negro had escaped. As soon as the news of the assault spread a large body of armed citizens started in pursuit of the negro, and if he is captured he will be—

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## A WAVE OF UNIONISM TO SWEEP OVER CITY.

Richmond Musicians will Probably Reorganize Their Union in Near Future—Several Trades Are to be Much Strengthened.

Richmond's musicians probably will reorganize the local union within the near future, the preliminary steps being under consideration just at this time. It is understood also that there is a wave of unionism to sweep over Richmond to a considerable degree within the next six months. Several trades not now organized and several others whose union organizations are not on a firm footing will be looked after.

## TWO-CENT FARES TO BE PROPOSED

Senator Springer, of Bartholomew County, Frames up Bill for Assembly.

## FEATURES ARE OUTLINED.

MILEAGE BOOKS WITHOUT REBATES ONE OF THE THINGS WHICH SENATOR SPRINGER WILL STAND FOR.

Columbus, Ind., Jan. 1, (Spl)—Senator William E. Springer, of Elizabethtown, who will represent Bartholomew and Decatur counties in the coming session of the General Assembly, has decided to introduce a railroad rate bill. The bill will provide for a two cent a mile rate on all steam roads operating within the boundaries of the State; for a 1,000-mile ticket that any one can use, and for a rebate check system by which the railroad companies may protect themselves and still charge no more than 2 cents a mile where passengers have not bought tickets before getting on trains.

Senator Springer returned from Indianapolis last night, where he has been in consultation with several people relative to his bill, and he has most of it already framed in his mind. The bill primarily will provide for a flat rate of 2 cents a mile on all steam roads. If the distance is eight miles it will not be 20 cents fare, but instead it will be 16 cents, and if the distance between stations is only two miles the fare will be 4 cents and not 5 cents. Senator Springer believes a law of this kind is needed in the State and he is confident there is enough sentiment for it to put it through in a hurry. He does not believe the 2 cent rate will work any hardship on the railroad companies, and he will have evidence to back his side of the argument when the proper time comes.

## Mileage Books Without Rebate.

Another important provision in the bill will retain to mileage books. In Senator Springer's bill there will be a provision that any person may purchase a 1,000-mile ticket for \$20 and no more or less. This will be a flat rate of 2 cents a mile. The purchaser will not be required to pay \$5 or \$10 additional for his mileage with a rebate when he returns the back of the book. Instead he will pay what the mileage is worth and then be through paying until he gets ready to buy another book. The holder of a mileage ticket will not have to sign it before boarding the train, if Senator Springer's bill becomes a law. This, Senator Springer says, is a great nuisance and that many times people who are in a hurry have to wait around ticket office windows to sign their mileage when they could have been aboard their trains and had their seats. So the Springer bill will contain a clause which will not only make the mileage book good for any member of the purchaser's family, but it will be good for the use of any person who happens to hold it.

## REPORT BY DR. MARKLEY

## HE HELD 47 INQUESTS.

Coroner's Report for the Past Year Shows That There Were Eight Suicides, Equally Divided Between the Two Sexes.

Dr. S. A. Markley, who yesterday retired as coroner of Wayne county, has filed his final report of inquests held. There was a total of 47 for the year ending December 31. There were eight suicides during the period, the cases being equally divided between men and women. Carbolic acid was the favorite method of slaying this mortal coil. There were two homicides. Two violent deaths were laid at the doors of railroads; one person was killed by an interurban car and eight other deaths were due to accidents of various kinds. In twenty-nine cases in which the coroner was called, death was due to natural causes.

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## LEGISLATURE TO OPEN NEXT WEEK

Senator Kirkman and Representative Ratliff Will Leave Next Monday.

## MANY BILLS COMING UP.

AGREED THAT TWO QUESTIONS, PUBLIC DEPOSITORY AND HIGH LIQUOR LICENSE WILL BE PARAMOUNT.

R. E. Kirkman, State Senator, and Walter S. Ratliff, Representative, will go to Indianapolis next Monday or Tuesday to take part in the preliminary skirmishes incident to the opening of the General Assembly. Thursday, January 10, is the date upon which the legislature wheels will begin to grind and for a period of sixty days, the laws will be ground out or ground up as the case may be.

However, there appears at this early day every indication that the hopper will be filled with bills presented by ambitious legislators, but it is another matter to predict just what per centage of these will come forth from the intricate meshes of the law-making machinery as actual statutes.

The manner in which many promising bills will be mangled, torn limb from limb, as it were, will be appalling, though not more so than in past years. It is known that Senator Kirkman and Representative Ratliff both have measures which they will present to the General Assembly, but neither, up to this time, has deemed it incumbent to divulge the nature of the bills which they will advocate. Senator Kirkman will enter the Senate for the second time and as a member of the General Assembly, the fourth time, for he has served two terms in the House. It is understood that Senator Kirkman is slated for the chairmanship of an important committee in the Senate and he will be a member of one or two others that will play important roles in affairs of this branch of the Assembly.

Representative Ratliff will make his debut as a statesman when he enters the House, but there will be "others" for more than three-fourths of the one hundred members of the lower branch will be new to their duties. Representative Ratliff, however, is now new to State affairs, for in the pursuit of agricultural and horticultural work he has been identified with State organizations for several years and he goes into the General Assembly splendidly equipped to represent Wayne county in a manner that will reflect credit upon the choice of the voters.

According to the views of those persons in a position to know the sentiment of legislature and the people, two questions will be paramount—public depositories and high liquor license.

C. B. Lester, the assistant librarian at the State House, Indianapolis, who looks after the legislative reference work said yesterday:

"The interest that the legislature manifests in the public depository question exceeds that in any other subject," said Mr. Lester. "At least, I find this true, judging from the number of inquiries that come to this office. The legislators ask about almost every phase of the question, and about two in particular.

"The matter of interest concerns most of those who inquire. Questions as to whether a maximum or a minimum rate shall be fixed by the law for the depositories are most frequent. In favor of the establishment, by law, or a maximum interest rate in the argument that, that will prevent an unsafe bank from getting the deposits by making a high bid for them.

## To Prevent Collusion.

"In favor of the minimum rate to be established by law is the argument that this will prevent collusion among the banks that would result in a low rate being offered.

"Then, too, the legislators are interested in the question of security that the banks are to furnish to obtain the public funds. Sentiment seems to be divided between a surety bond and commercial collateral. Generally speaking, good collateral is counted as being better than a surety bond, but the trouble seems to be that banks are opposed to putting up collateral.

"Interest in the liquor legislation comes second only to that in the public depositories," concluded Mr. Lester. "We are asked for information on all phases of the higher license question. As we have collected all the data obtainable as to the workings of such a law, we are able to help the legislators in a practical way."

## Liberal Gift For Art.

[Publishers' Press]

New York, Jan. 1.—The complaint against Miss Anna Robinson, bookkeeper for the Art Students' league, who was arrested several weeks ago after Anthony Comstock seized thousands of the catalogues, was dismissed by the court of special sessions. The action was taken on motion of an assistant district attorney, who informed the court that Miss Robinson was in no way accountable for the make-up of the catalogue. The district attorney continued: "The magazines have been withdrawn from circulation and superseded by new catalogues; therefore the question of their conformity with legal standards becomes purely academic and public justice requires no further prosecution of this against any defendant."

## Deaths and Funerals.

KIELHORN—The funeral of August Kielhorn will be held from the home this afternoon at two o'clock. The burial will be in Earlham cemetery. Please omit flowers.

## JANUARY

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