

## TEXAS DELEGATES FOR THE COLONEL

National Committeeman Lyon of That State Informs T. R. Headquarters.

(National News Association) WASHINGTON, March 1.—Reports received at the headquarters of the National Roosevelt Committee in Washington, today, show a steady advance in Roosevelt sentiment in practically all of the states. California, Ohio, Louisiana, Texas are lining up for Colonel Roosevelt and the sentiment in these states, expressed in various ways, shows a decided tendency for the Progressive cause.

Colonel Cecil Lyon, national committeeman for Texas, telegraphed today stating his position. He expressed himself as being heartily in favor of Colonel Roosevelt for President, and said he would do all in his power to attain a delegation for him. Over 90 per cent of the Republicans in Texas, says Colonel Lyon, are for Roosevelt. He states that there is virtually no Taft sentiment except among office-holders and that he expects every delegate from the Lone Star state will be for Roosevelt, under absolute instructions. Louisiana Situation.

Paul Wight, Republican National Committeeman for Louisiana, states that if the state general committee of Colonel Roosevelt may count upon a solid delegation from that state.

M. Lissner, chairman of the State Central Committee of California, has telegraphed that out of 46 members of the committee asked for an expression of preference for Republican candidate for president, 34 have declared in favor of Roosevelt. Six have expressed a preference for La Follette, four for Taft and two for Cummins. Mr. Lissner states that in his opinion the Roosevelt sentiment in the State Central Committee prevails in the ration of ten to one, which he believes is the fair express of Republican sentiment in the state. "I feel confident and predict that the Roosevelt ticket of delegates to the National Convention will be endorsed by the Republicans of California at least two to one," says Mr. Lissner.

From Ohio, the President's home state, come advices showing that votes received from 85 out of the 88 counties given Colonel Roosevelt an overwhelming majority. Test votes have been taken by several Democratic and Independent newspapers and in practically every instance Mr. Taft has been soundly beaten by the adherents of Colonel Roosevelt.

Supporters of Colonel Roosevelt are working hard to capture the Tennessee delegation to the Chicago Convention. The leaders in this movement are optimistic and state that they have a good chance of downing the administration machine.

Plenty of nice, fresh oysters at Price's, cans and bulk.

## ADDITIONAL SOCIETY

ENTERTAINED CLUB. Mrs. George Schults entertained several guests informally Thursday afternoon at her home in South Eleventh street. The afternoon was spent socially and with cards. A luncheon was served.

SPREAD LAST EVENING. The members of the Richmond High school Senior class enjoyed a spread last evening at the High school. The hours were from five until seven o'clock. After the luncheon the Dramatic society held its meeting.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE. The social committee at the Country club for March is as follows: Miss Gwendolyn Pouke, chairman, Miss Juliet Swayne, Miss Esther Griffin White, Mrs. James Judson, Mrs. Paul Comstock, Mrs. W. C. Hibberd and Mrs. Edgar Hiatt. The first large affair to be given by the committee will be a vaudeville performance on the evening of Saturday, March the seventeenth. Several other parties will no doubt be given by the committee during the month.

## WORK NOW STARTED ON PARK ENTRANCE

The park entrance arch, planned to be completed this summer, has been started, although no money has been appropriated for this purpose. A park team has hauled several loads of large boulders from different sections of the Glen and the city, dumping them near the entrance where they will be handy when the board of works and the city council get together and decide to erect the arch. Several designs have been submitted. It is probable the arch, if constructed, will be of boulders with the name of the park in a brass plate over the archway.

## City Statistics

Births. To Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Weidner, 328 South Eighth street, fourth child, a son, Edward John Weidner, Jr.

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## AN ECONOMY POLICY

Has Been Decided on by the Board of Works.

Removal of all insurance from the municipal light plant, four hose houses and the city building, is the aim of the board of works, which it expects to accomplish soon. City engineer Charles with President Hammond of the board of works, and superintendent of the light plant, Nimrod Johnson, have arranged for a fire protection system at the light plant, which will fully protect the only vulnerable place, the room above the boiler room. A two inch hose always connected to a city main stand pipe in the boiler room, and a reel of hose connected to the force pump of the plant which gives about 225 pounds pressure, will be the means employed by the city in saving several hundred dollars per year on fire insurance policies on the plant. Experts agree that this plan will be absolutely safe, and the best protection which the city could install. A total of over \$400 has been paid out for insurance on the city plant in the last ten years.

The new water softener will be installed as soon as the weather moderates so that the foundation can be laid. The softener will be at the northeast corner of the present building and when the new building is erected will be midway between both the old and new buildings.

## INDIANA EXPRESS COMPANIES FIGHT

Show Teeth to State Railway Commission by Starting Suit in U. S. Court.

(National News Association) INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 1.—Six big express companies whose lines traverse Indiana have commenced action in the United States court against the Indiana railway commission to prevent it putting in effect a general reduction in rates on March 15. The Southern, American, Adams, National, United States and the Wells Fargo companies, are represented in the action by Attorneys Baker and Daniels. The suit prays for an injunction to prevent the commission putting into effect the objectionable rates, and court is also asked to enjoin the commission from entering any suit to compel the companies to comply with the rates. The petitioners say that the action of the commission is unjust, unreasonable and unlawful, and the order is not justified by the investigation made by the commission.

## DIVORCE COMPLAINT

The first divorce complaint to be filed in the Wayne circuit court for the month of March was that of Marie Goodwin versus George Goodwin. The grounds upon which the plaintiff desires to secure divorce are habitual drunkenness and failure to support. According to the complaint they were married November 30, 1907, and separated February 5 of last year. The complainant also asks the restoration of her maiden name.

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## REFUSAL TO ACCEPT A PEACE PROPOSAL

Negotiations Fail, Although the Mine Owners Will Accept Them.

(National News Association) LONDON, March 1.—Complete failure of the coal strike peace negotiations was announced by Premier Asquith in the House of Commons this afternoon. He placed the responsibility on the miners. The premier said that practically all the mine owners had agreed to accept the government's peace proposal. However, in view of the attitude of the miners, he said, there was no further use of holding conferences at this time. "I hope to have another settlement to make Monday," the premier said. "The miners have refused to accept a partial agreement."

Only 10,000 miners remained at work today. They are employed in the Warwickshire coal fields and are under orders so that the foundation can be laid. The softener will be at the northeast corner of the present building and when the new building is erected will be midway between both the old and new buildings.

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(National News Association) INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 1.—Private detective Bert Franklin, who confessed to the bribing of one juror and one venireman chosen to try the McNamara brothers, was given a fine of \$4,000 in court today.

## WHEN BUYING STOCKS.

Do as the Successful Wall Street Speculator Does.

If you want to speculate buy stocks that Wall street speculators buy. Don't buy things offered by smooth tongued agents working for a handsome commission. Don't buy stocks that are guaranteed to have a big advance.

The successful Wall street speculator never tries to make money in these sort of things. He buys stocks that have passed muster and been listed on the exchange. Before they can be listed the company must make a report that will justify listing. While this report is not as complete as it should be, it bars out all the wildcat propositions by which the people are being swindled.

It is just as easy to buy listed stocks as any other. Brokers of good standing in the stock exchange are advertising in reputable publications, and one can always open up a correspondence with a broker and have his questions freely and fully answered. The broker likes nothing better than to answer letters from a customer or from a prospective customer.

If any one is timid about dealing with a broker he can always deal through his bank or get a reference to some broker from his banker.—Jasper, in Leslie's.

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## OVER ONE HUNDRED NEW CLUB MEMBERS

Campaign of the Commercial Club Yesterday Meets With Success.

(National News Association) PORT LIMON, COSTA RICA, March 1.—Secretary Knox arrived here today on board the cruiser Washington for his second state visit in the interests of closer bonds of friendship between the United States and the Latin-American governments. Representatives of the Costa Rican government met the cruiser here and there was a cordial exchange of greetings.

Before leaving this republic the Knox party goes to Cartago, San Jose, and Punta Arenas. All members of the party are well and are enjoying the trip to the fullest.

Anxious.

Old Jones—Can you give my daughter the luxuries to which she has been accustomed?

Cholly (engaged)—Not much longer. That's why I want to get married.

Chicago News.

At six o'clock last evening, when the final report for the day was received, three teams, headed by R. B. Jones, W. H. Roney and J. F. Hornaday, were in the lead with eight credited to each. P. A. Reid and W. N. Bailey were tied for secondary honors with seven each. No squad turned in a blank report.

This campaign boosts the membership of the Commercial Club to approximately 375, the highest mark in the history of the organization. The club today started a new fiscal year with a roll of members, which includes most of the leading business men of the city and can easily carry out the elaborate plans for civic reforms in 1912.

## PELTZ'S STATEMENT

According to an itemized statement filed with the county clerk, George Matthews, this morning, John E. Peltz, who was a candidate for the Republican nomination for recorder of this county, expended \$145.23 in the campaign.

## A SMALL WRECK

One of the cars in a Pennsylvania road train jumped the tracks at Olive Hill shortly before noon today and the wreck train stationed in this city was called to that place to replace the car. No one was injured by the accident.

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The Janesville Corn Planter meets all conditions of seed and soil. That's good news, of course, but here's better: Its variable drop device enables the operator to plant two, three or four kernels to the hill, and is operated by a small lever within easy reach of his hand.

"Here's how simple and positive that operation is: On our No. 5 Planter, the operator simply sets the clutch so as to turn the seed shaft one-sixth, one-fourth, or one-third of a revolution, giving two, three or four kernels to the hill. It cannot fail. Every hill is insured by this reliability of drop. Now this quick change device on the Janesville is a part of the clutch construction, not a separate device and extra complication as on other planters. The partial revolution makes a great saving on journals over the old style full revolution for every drop."

"Now this convertible drop permits thirty variations in planting with five pairs of plates, (furnished with each machine).

"Let's talk about the plates for a minute because we want to tell you that you get the flat drop as well as edge drop plates with your Janesville Planter. You have the advantage, we might say, of two machines in one; because by merely changing the plates, the Janesville Corn Planter is converted from an edge drop to a flat drop machine. You have in one machine two devices to meet varying conditions.

"But, just a minute, there's something else we want to tell you about Janesville Plates. Here it is:

"You see, the Janesville edge drop plate is so constructed as to permit of the planting of round kernels and to prevent their accumulating in the bottom of the seed cans. In all other styles of edge drop planters these round kernels accumulate and interfere with the accuracy of the drop. Now, in the Janesville our designers and experimenters have shown their ingenuity by enlarging the opening where the seed is discharged from the plate. So the round kernels lodge in the cells and when they come around to the opening they drop through. In other edge drops they prevent the cells from filling but cannot themselves pass through.

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