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It will be a long, long time before the Chadwick record will be broken in this or any other country.

The people have made it impossible for David B. Hill to go back on his promise to retire from politics at the end of the year.

If it be true that Mrs. Chadwick is a stockholder in a fish company, she must have gotten in on her ability to land "suckers."

The comptroller of the currency says there is a great demand for \$5 notes. Yes, we can use a few, though we much prefer the twenties.

It has been found necessary to suspend the Colorado election recount. The courts are only half through with it and the jails are full to overflowing.

Boss Murphy, of Tammany, declines to become the leader of the Democracy in New York State. When Murphy leads he wants something to lead.

Mrs. Chadwick now realizes that she has made a mistake somewhere. Yes, she should have gone over into New Jersey and had herself incorporated.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT has given the railroads of the country to understand that the Inter-State Commerce Commission is not to be used for ornamental purposes.

AFTER the 4th of March, Senator Allison will have served for a longer continuous term than any man now in the Senate. The Senior Senator from Iowa will, by 1908, be too big for anything short of the White House.

HEREAFTER the Society of Medical Jurisprudence will designate its medical members as "physicians" and not as "doctors." A doctor is in reality a teacher, while a man who practices medicine is a physician. This may result in much good, providing it assists in doing away with "Doc."—Blizzard. What's the difference? "Doc" will only be superseded by "Phys."

TO DATE it is known that nine men in Minnesota and forty-two in Wisconsin, out hunting deer, were mistaken by others, also hunting deer, for deer, and were shot at and killed. The list of wounded is not yet made up. This kind of "pleasure" is almost as serviceable as football in making contributions to the mortuary lists and in preventing the over population of the earth.

The decision of the United States Supreme Court that no debt created by fraud may be discharged by proceedings in bankruptcy will prove of great benefit. The particular case was that of a large loan secured by a mortgage on timbered lands in this State and New York. The land was found to be without timber, the borrower having misrepresented the facts. He has been prevented from getting discharged of his debt by bankruptcy proceedings. That will be a lesson to others engaging in such work.

THE question of a sea level canal on the Isthmus of Panama is considered favorably by some of the congressmen who recently visited that country, and Chief Engineer Wallace says that its construction would not consume much more time. The cost would be more, but if not too great the advantages would more than overcome the cost. Electricity can easily be generated from the abundance of water power so that night work can be made more effective, because of its relief from the heat, than that carried on in the day time.

DR. NATHAN C. SCHAEFFER, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, condemns the law which allows school directors to act as health officers when there is no local board of health. Dr. Schaeffer says it is a mistake to mix the administration of the schools with the functions of a board of health, and funds raised by taxation for school purposes should not be diverted from their legitimate use. He suggests that the law should specifically empower directors to haul children to school whenever they deem it expedient to do so, to provide a safe escort over streams and along railway tracks, and in other ways to bring the pupils to school when the school is situated too far from the pupils.

DELEGATE RODNEY, of New Mexico does not have a very exalted opinion of the Hon. "Bull" Andrews, the distinguished Pennsylvania politician who beat him out of his seat in Congress. "I had no intimation of what was going to happen," said Mr. Rodney. "Andrews said he was not a candidate and that he was for me. There was no talk of any other candidate, and all of the delegates were elected with the full understanding that they were to vote for me. But when the convention met it was different. Andrews had fixed it up with the Governor of the Territory, and when the vote was taken I was not in the running. Mr. Andrews seems to be a pastmaster in the arts of duplicity. Now that we know him and his Machiavellian methods we will know how to deal with him in the future. If he fools us the next time it will be our fault.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

SENATOR COLLUM, who was the author of the Interstate Commerce law, disagrees with those persons who assert that it was never intended to give the commission the power to fix rates. Asked if it was the intention in the original act to confer such power Mr. Collum said: "Beyond all doubt, we did not express that power in so many words in the law, but there was no difference of opinion among us. The commission, in fact, was created for that purpose." The Chicago Tribune calls attention to the fact that Thomas M. Cooley, an eminent jurist, was one of the original members of the commission, and he assumed that it had the power to fix rates. The Supreme Court decided otherwise. The President merely recommends a limited restoration of the original power. The expressed astonishment of some persons over that recommendation has nothing substantial to rest on.

OFFICIALS of the State Department at Harrisburg are preparing a supplement to the Ballot law to make easier the marking of the ballot and to obviate the mistakes in marking which occurred at the recent election. The proposed bill will be presented to the next Legislature.

DR. NATHAN C. SCHAEFFER, State Superintendent of education, in his annual report for the current year, says there has been a great increase of education along all lines in Pennsylvania during the last decade. Agitation for increasing the salaries of teachers is general, and this is taken to be an encouraging sign by Dr. Schaeffer. He suggests that the increase of teachers' salaries in the rural districts, as the result of a minimum salary act enacted by the last legislature, emphasize the need of similar increase in the cities, where the cost of living is much higher. The report states that the annual appropriation to public schools should not be reduced below \$5,750,000, otherwise the amount awarded to the several school districts must be diminished. He recommends the creation of an inspector of high schools clothed with the powers of visitation.

THE CASUALTIES on American railways for the year ending on March 3, '04, numbered 54,337, including 3906 persons killed and 51,031 injured. These figures lead Congressman John J. Esch to ask in the North American Review for November: "Can this casualty list be reduced by legislation?"

Mr. Esch points out that 104 trainmen were killed and 1,338 injured in coupling and uncoupling cars in the year ending March 31, 1904, mainly because of lax compliance with the safety appliance law. Therefore he recommends legislation extending additional protection to all classes of railway employes.

For example, in the last year nine collisions with a total of thirty-eight killed and thirty-five injured were caused by excessive hours of employes on duty; twelve collisions were caused by the misreading of train orders by engine men and conductors, and thirteen collisions were caused by the ignoring of signals and disobedience of orders.

All these, Mr. Esch believes, might have been prevented by laws prohibiting excessive hours on duty, prohibiting the employment of boys, ignorant men as operators, flagmen, engine men, or brakemen, and making the misreading or ignoring of orders a punishable offense.

To prevent other accidents in which hundreds of passengers have lost their lives the extension of the double track and block system is urged, and to protect passengers in unavoidable collisions the construction of stronger and heavier cars is recommended.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Public Concert at Wilson College.

The Musical Department of Wilson College gave its annual Christmas recital in the auditorium of Thomson hall, Chambersburg, Pa., at 4 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon. A varied program, drawn from both classical and modern composers was presented. The interest of the occasion was increased by the fact that it placed before the public for the first time the results of the work of the re-organized music faculty. The teachers of this department are very strong, taken as they are from the best talent in this country and Europe, consisting of students from Vienna, Berlin, Florence and the leading conservatories here.

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THE INAUGURATION BALL.

House Voted Down Proposition to Hold it in the Capitol.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The house of representatives emphatically disapproved the proposition to hold the inaugural ball in the Capitol building. The committee having the matter in charge had substituted for the pension building, as provided for by Senate resolution, the congressional library, but Mr. Morrell, who called the matter up, announced that the opposition to the latter building was so great the committee had concluded to substitute the Capitol building.

The storm of protests came from both sides of the chamber. The resolution offered by Mr. Morrell was voted down, the result being to delay action until the next District of Columbia day in January.

The house also voted down a resolution by Mr. Lacey making the bill to restore three midshipmen, John Henry Lofland, Earl Warden Chaffee and Joseph Drummond Little, members of the first class, United States naval academy, who were dismissed for having a special order after Jan. 5.

Mr. Lacey sought to pass the resolution under a suspension of the rules and Messrs. Mann, Fitzgerald and Williams contended that the case of these midshipmen could not be given preference when there were so many matters of vast public importance which could not get time for consideration.

The practice of hazing was severely condemned by Mr. Payne, who said it was neither manly nor decent. The bill had hoped, was finally put to rest at the last session.

Appeal From Missionaries in Japan.

New York Dec. 20.—In response to appeals from missionaries of the Christian churches in Japan a committee has been organized in the United States to secure contributions in aid of sick and wounded of both Japanese and Russian armies and of widows and orphans in Japan.

Bishop M. C. Harris, Methodist Episcopal bishop in Japan and Corea, had much to do with the movement and he has gone to Japan to organize a relief committee for the distribution of the anticipated funds. The movement is not, however, confined to the Methodist church. The Franklin Trust company of this city is to be treasurer of the proposed fund. Among those who have signed an appeal just issued are Jacob Gould Seligman, president of Cornell university; William Elliott Griffis, Ithaca, and many other prominent men.

Will Not Agree to Arbitration.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 20.—The indications here are that the manufacturers will not agree to submit the strike issue to arbitration as proposed, but no official statement was made by them. The textile unions received a check for \$2,000 today from the American Federation of Labor, making a total of \$20,000 so far received as a result of the assessment levied by the San Francisco convention. The strike has now been on 22 weeks.

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