

PRESIDENT-ELECT PALMA OF CUBA

Receives Many Congratulations on His Election.

PREFERRED PRIVATE LIFE.

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A dispatch from Dr. D. M. Sables, at Havana, a veteran of the Ten Years war in Cuba, sent a message of congratulation. From Neuvitas, Puerto Principe, came the following dispatch: "Happy New Year, triumph in Neuvitas, hundred congratulations." (Signed.) Miguel Boura.

San Juan, Jan. 2.—A dispatch from the late Jose Marti, said in a message from Mexico City: "I am particularly delighted at your success, as I was one of the first to advise your candidacy. I am pleased too, because you have been an immaculate patriot all your life."

Gen. Palma was particularly pleased with a cable message from Gila, Arizona province, which is native. This dispatch reads: "Oriental patriots salute you as the first president of Cuba."

Amelio Agramont telegraphed this from New York: "Hurrah for the Hon. President of our country, in whose hands the prosperity and happiness will be safe."

The Cuban president-elect was as reticent as ever regarding the policy of his administration. He said in an interview:

"I have not had the least ambition to fill any public office; in fact I am alone refused to allow my name to be put forward as a presidential candidate. I am disappointed that there should have been any dissatisfaction over the election. I consented to the use of my name only at the last minute, when it was too late to withdraw it, but I thought that absolute harmony prevailed, and that Gen. Maso had consented to accept the vice presidency. I really would have preferred to have been allowed to stay out of politics and attend to my private affairs."

PALMA TICKET WINS.
Havana, Jan. 1.—The indications are that the entire Palma ticket will be elected and that Thomas Estrada Palma the nationalist candidate for the presidency of Cuba, will receive the unanimous vote of the electoral college. The adherents of Bartolome Maso, the democratic candidate, who recently withdrew from the campaign, not only withdrew their candidate, but refused to go to the polls.

A remarkably light vote was polled throughout the island. La Discusion describes this indifference to the certainty on the part of the Palmists of being victorious, and that consequently a majority of them stayed home and did not vote. La Discusion says that the vote may be taken as a protest by



Nobility Recommends Nervine.

The above portrait is that of Countess Mogelstul, of Chicago, Ill., whose gratitude for the benefit received from the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine prompted her to make this statement:

"It affords me great pleasure to add my testimony to the very excellent merits of Dr. Miles' Nervine. Although I am past 50 years of age I find it soothes the tired brain, quiets the irritated nerves and insures restful sleep. I never feel contented without a bottle of it in the house." Gratefully yours, CHRISTIANA MARIA, Countess Mogelstul.

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The Cuban people against the imposition of official candidates.

The Diario de la Marina says that the result is an indication that the Cuban demonstrators may look upon American policies as inevitable.

CELEBRATING THE VICTORY.
San Juan, Jan. 1.—The municipal government of this city celebrated the victory of the nationalist party at the polls yesterday and the inauguration of the new year by raising a silk Cuban flag forty feet long over the City end of the palace at midnight.

Colored fire, Roman candles and rockets set off from the roof of the palace made a fine display. A band played the national hymn and the plaza in front of the palace was crowded.

A brilliant ball was also given at the San Carlos club. Here the festivities were suspended during the ceremony of raising the Cuban flag, and the guests of the club, including many American officers, witnessed the spectacle.

FAILURES IN 1901.
They Compare Very Favorably With Those of Previous Year.

New York, Jan. 1.—Reports to R. G. Dun & Co. show that the failures for the year 1901 were 11,007 in number and \$11,082,276 in amount of liabilities, while in banking and other financial institutions there were 74 insolvencies, involving \$10,018,744, a total of 11,076 defaults and \$12,111,150 liabilities.

These figures compare favorably with the 10,333 failures in 1890, with liabilities of \$17,113,236, of which 59 were banks, for \$2,617,563.

Manufacturing disasters in 1901 numbered 2,441, with an indebtedness of \$4,990,282, compared with 2,409 in the previous year owing \$3,702,142, while there were 7,965 suspensions of traders for \$52,000,610, against 7,814 in 1900, with liabilities of \$39,415,592. The defaulted liabilities were 96 cents to each \$1,000 of bank exchanges.

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A ratio to the number of firms in business shows that the entire amount of defaulted indebtedness averaged less than such concern. The amount compares with \$10,000 in 1900, while going back to 1893, the average was \$200,000.

In many ways the prosperous conditions of the United States were shown across the northern boundary and the commercial failures in the Dominion of Canada were fewer in number and smaller in amount of liabilities than in two of the preceding years. As to banking insolvencies, the statement was even more favorable, no one of the earlier years making as good an exhibit. All commercial defaults numbered 1,341, with liabilities of \$10,011,474, which compares with 1,355 in 1900, paying \$10,015,298. In manufacturing, there were 289 failures for \$2,595,095, against 308 in the previous year, with liabilities of \$3,301,655. Trading failures numbered 1,029, with liabilities of \$10,011,474, compared with 1,010 in the previous year, for \$7,232,340.

TWO PERSONS KILLED.

Result of a B. & O. Passenger Train Jumping the Track.

Pittsburg, Jan. 1.—As a result of a through passenger train on the Baltimore & Ohio railway jumping the track today, two men are dead and seventeen injured, five of whom are considered seriously hurt. Through the courtesy of General Superintendent W. R. Woodford, of the Pittsburg division, the following official list of dead and injured is given:

DEAD.
John Collins, Connelisville, Pa., engineer.
McGue, Connelisville, fireman.

INJURED.

D. J. Partella, mail clerk, Washington, D. C., seriously.
William Avery, engineer, seriously.
G. W. Ryan, Baltimore, seriously.
E. A. Young, mail clerk, seriously.
R. R. Souser, Napier, Pa., seriously.
Charles Henry, Philadelphia, slightly.
C. B. Smith, Allegheny, Pa., slightly.
J. S. Matthews, Cheyenne, Wyo., slightly.
J. R. Waters, Huttonville, W. Va., slightly.
M. R. McKinley, Rock Island, Ill., slightly.
H. A. Hall, Gainesville, W. Va., slightly.
F. J. Lasey, Chicago, badly bruised.
Frank W. Brenner, head cut.
S. J. Jones, Sumner, Md., slightly.
E. J. Lehman, Washington, D. C., slightly.
J. A. Barton, Chicago, slightly.
I. N. Hayes, Meyersdale, Pa., slightly.

PLENTY OF WORK AHEAD.
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Gave Spread to His Men and Press Last Night.

Officers of the fire department and representatives of the press were given a pleasant surprise by Chief Devine last evening.

The chief requested the newspaper men to meet with him in his private office with the officers of the department. When all were present the chief made a happy little speech in which he thanked his men and the press for the support they had given him during the past year. He said he prepared a little treat for those present as a mark of his appreciation of the support he had received and he hoped the same happy state of affairs would continue during the year now begun. After partaking of refreshments and telling stories all present wished Chief Devine a happy and prosperous New Year, extended the same greetings to each other, and dispersed.

THE CAPITOL NOW IN RECESS.

Washington Not Wholly Deserted During the Holidays.

WHERE SOME MEMBERS ARE

Congress Will Have Lots of Work Ready For It When Lawmakers Return—Allen's Latest Year.

Special Correspondence.

Washington, Dec. 28.—There has been a more general exodus of senators and representatives to their homes for the holiday recess than is usual. It is perhaps owing to the fact that the recess is longer, which gives men an opportunity to spend more time at home. Besides, this is a long session, and it was not necessary to prepare the legislation which must be pushed through in two months before the Congress expired by constitutional limitation. None of the committees is at work during the recess, although some chairmen are giving attention to the measures which they must consider as soon as Congress reassembles. Members of the big committees showed no disposition to rush business during the holiday time, save the sub-committees on two appropriation bills in the House committee. These bills will be ready to present early in January. And so the capitol is almost deserted. At the same time there is a goodly number of congressmen found about the department clearing up business for their constituents.

SOME WHO USUALLY STAY.
President Pro Tem. Frye of the Senate, for the first time in many long holiday recesses, has been seen in the city. He has heretofore been so comfortably fixed in Washington that he preferred to remain here rather than go home. This holiday time, however, has sad memories for Senator Frye, as it was just a year ago that he lost his wife, who had been his devoted companion of many years. Senator Allison does not often go to Iowa during a holiday recess, but there is to be something of a home celebration in January, and he will remain until after the senatorial election. Senator Simon and Representative Moody made the trip across the continent to Oregon and, considering it takes five days to go and five to return, it is evidence of important business for them to make such a long journey.

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MICHIGAN WINS FROM STANFORD.

California Team Defeated by a Score of 49 to 0.

ATTENDED BY 7 THOUSAND.

Michigan's Superior Knowledge of the Game Shown in Every Play—Stanford Made a Game Fight.

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 1.—By the decisive score of 49 to 0 the Michigan University football team today defeated Stanford University. The score is quite in proportion to the general superiority of the Eastern men at the game of football. It does not, however, tell the story of Stanford's desperate but futile efforts against defeat. Michigan's superior knowledge of the game showed in every play. At kicking, general team work, running, tackling and bucking the line the Michigan men excelled. Perhaps the strongest feature of their playing was the phenomenal punting by Sweely, Michigan's right half. In every exchange of punts Stanford lost ground, which he could not regain.

In the last half Stanford showed well for the first twenty minutes, forcing Michigan's line for small gains and holding her opponents when they went against her line. Gradually the Michigan boys forced the ball down the field for steady gains through runner and around the left end. By a series of brilliant plays that never failed to score, and again by the most superb team work ever shown on a football field in California, Michigan took the ball to Stanford's three-yard line, where the Californians made a desperate stand, and, encouraged by the shouts of their partisans, withstood the terrific onslaught of their nine until they secured the ball on downs.

Then began a systematic and determined assault on Michigan's invulnerable line. Stanford tried every trick known to their men to advance, only to resort to punting, with consequent loss of ground. Again Michigan hammered the line for steady gains. Clark, Stanford's left end, was disabled in a fierce scrimmage and was replaced by Preston. Michigan's star fullback, Snow, scored the first touchdown and Shortt kicked goal. Score: Michigan, 6; Stanford, 0. Three times in the first half Michigan succeeded in sending a man over the line, only once failing to add a goal. The first half ended with the score: Michigan, 17; Stanford, 0.

The second half was an exhibition of fast football. Michigan went at their opponents with all the knowledge of the game and the weight of their players. They hit Stanford's line in the middle, and they went around the ends. They advanced ten, fifteen and twenty yards on a play, on fake passes, fake kicks and every other known football device. In fact, so fast and fierce was their play that Stanford was bewildered and knew not how to stop the encroachment on her goal.

Once or twice again the Californians held the conquerors for downs, but the arrested progress of the Arbor men was extremely brief. Again and again Snow of Michigan went over the line for touchdowns and Shortt kicked goal until 49 points had been scored. The high-point of the game was reached in the brightest star in Michigan's ranks was Snow at fullback, though he scarcely eclipsed Sweely and Herntsen. Tragger for Stanford played a brilliant game, his tackling being one of the features.

The day was perfect, though possibly a trifle warm for football. The field upon which the teams met was as level as a floor and very dry. The crowd, which that ever attended an athletic event in southern California, numbered about 7,000. It presented all the animation and much more of color than the average football crowd.

The teams lined up as follows:

Michigan. Position. Stanford.
Hedeen c. Clark, Preston
Tudor l. Traeger
McGugin g. Roosevelt
Gregory g. Lee
Wilson g. Thompson
Shortt l. Cooper
Sweely c. Fisher
Herntsen r. Fisher
Heston l. Stacker
Snow f. McEliver
Weeks q. Tarpey

Umpire—W. K. Peaseley of Williams. Referee—David Brown of Stanford.

HELENA AND BUTTE IS IN.

Secure Berths in the Pacific Northwest League.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 1.—Definite advice were received here today that Helena and Butte had been admitted to the league.

The question of rates has not been settled to the entire satisfaction of the league managers, there is some prospect that it will be. The Helena club was organized by Charles S. Per of St. Paul, general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific that he would endeavor to give a rate that would be satisfactory.

SIX DAY RACE SCORE.

King and Sammelson Still Keep Even With the Leaders.

Boston, Jan. 1.—McLean of Chelsea was the fortunate sprinter to cross the tape first at the end of today's work in the six-day bicycle race at Park Square Garden. It was a dull day. The score of the six leaders is 607 miles, 2 laps for the thirty hours. One team withdrew through injuries to Carmi, the Worcester man, who had barely yet a season's professional. Following is the score at the end of the thirtieth hour:

Miles. Laps.
Butler and McLean 607 2
McFarland and May 607 2
Freeman and Munro 607 2
Goplen and Sinar 607 2
King and Sammelson 607 2
Lander and Rutz 607 2
Fisher and Chevallier 607 2
Krebs and Keegan 607 2
Muller and Jank 607 2

WALKING MATCH.

Go-As-You-Please Contest Started at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Jan. 1.—Fully 1,600 people saw the start of the go-as-you-please race at the West End Coliseum tonight. Representative pedestrians from all over the country are entered. The Coliseum track is sixteen laps to the mile. Fifteen men took the word at 10 o'clock tonight and began their long journey. At the end of the first hour Peter Hegelman of New York led the bunch by three laps, with George Tracey, also of New York, second.

Will Care for King's Horses.

New York, Jan. 2.—According to the London correspondent of the Tribune, the appointment of Lord Marcus Horsford to care for the king's thoroughbred is extremely popular. The royal mares stables, after a period of forced rest will, it is expected, now resume their active life. The king takes the keenest interest in racing and the recent sale of his backlogs at Wolferton was probably arranged to make room for breeding thoroughbreds. Lord Marcus Horsford will have the management of the Wolferton stud farm as well as the Newmarket training stables.

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ENTRIES FOR SPRING STAKES.

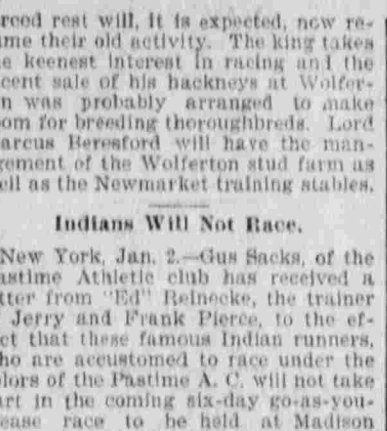
San Francisco, Jan. 2.—The entries for the spring stakes of the new California jockey club have been announced. All the stakes filed beyond the expectations of the racing officials. The \$10,000 Burns handicap, to be run on Feb. 15, attracted seventy-four nominations. The Thornton stake, at four miles, to be run on March 15, has thirty-two nominations. For the California Derby, to be run on March 1, there are no less than fifty-three entries.

LOCAL EVENTS.

SKATING CONTESTS YESTERDAY
Bert Margetts, Competing Against Himself, Wins the Medal.

A large crowd of skating enthusiasts was on hand at Mellen's ice rink yesterday afternoon to witness the program prepared for them.

The games and contests did not begin until about 4 o'clock. In the fancy skating contest for a gold medal, Bert Margetts had a walk-away. He was the only fancy skater entered for the contest, and in competing against himself, he had a walk-away. His exhibition was very interesting, and for fully half an hour he kept the spectators spellbound with his marvelous twisting and turning and flying around



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on one foot. Bert was awarded the medal.

James Dunlop won the boys' race of one mile by a big margin. The one mile race for amateurs was postponed on account of the unsteady condition of the ice.

HOCKEY CONTEST.

Tingles Easily Defeat the Highlands in the Popular Game.

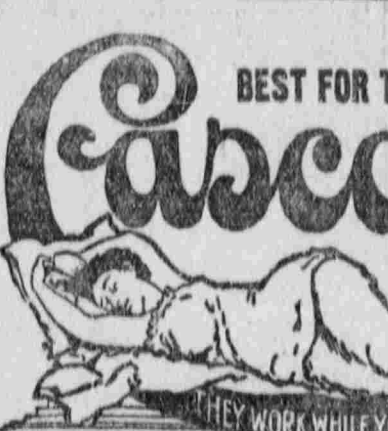
In a game of hockey played at the Tenth South rink between the Tingles and Highlands yesterday the former won by a score of 8 to nothing. The teams lined-up as follows:

Highlands. Tingles.
Holmes F. Fred Foulger
Hendrickson F. Frank Foulger
Ellerbeck F. Hadley
Thayne F. E. M. Teter
Manning C. P. Smith
Sproul P. Les Teter
Dyer G. T. Erickson

ATHLETICS AT Y. M. C. A.

Fine Exhibition and an Interesting Basket Ball Game.

At the Y. M. C. A. last evening there was a most interesting exhibition of athletics, one of the best, in fact, ever given in the gymnasium. John Beau and D. Acree performed on the mat,



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seen here for a long time. Hugh Rippe did some high kicking that brought forth great applause. The parallel and horizontal bar work was done by R. Richardson, Hugh Rippe, Charles Deitz, John Bean, D. Acree, Charles Bowles, E. Smith and Ben Harris.

After this number there was a basketball game between the Reds and the Blues. The former defeated the latter by a score of 15 to 9 in twenty minute halves. The line-up of the teams was as follows:

Reds. Blues.
Steward L. F. Dean
Richardson R. F. Nadel
Smith L. C. Rippe
Bowles L. B. Deitz
Harris R. B. Acree

A Reliable Remedy for Bowel Troubles

Rev. J. M. Yindling, pastor of the Bedford St. M. E. Church, Cumberland, Md., says: "It affords me great pleasure to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used it and know others who have never known it to fail." For sale by all druggists.

Whosoever has suffered from piles knows how painful and troublesome they are. TABLET'S HUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure piles. Price 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. Z. C. M. I.

WALKER'S STORE.

Friday and Saturday.

THE SILK WAIST LENGTHS AT--\$3.00.

Decisively reduced prices, and we certainly know of no better bargain that could come to you in the way of a pretty silk waist pattern. Many enthusiastic women came during the week and made quick selections, but there are plenty left, for hundreds of lengths were cut from whole pieces to make a magnificent holiday showing; many the prettiest fancy waist silks of the season, kinds from \$1.25 up to \$1.75 a yard. Friday and Saturday only, enough for an entire waist--\$3.00.

GOLFINGS REDUCED.

Every woman wants a golf skirt now if never before, and for that very reason we want to take advantage of desire and sell three splendid lines before inventory time. Friday and Saturday--

\$2.00 a yard Golfings--\$1.00. \$2.50 a yard Golfings--\$