

LAST EDITION  
JOINT COMMISSION  
ON IMMIGRATION

Report of One Appointed by Congress Deals With Every Phase of Question.

EVASION OF EXCLUSION LAW.

In Theory Law is Exceptionally Strong, In Some Respects Very Weak.

Chinese Laborers Most Successful in Evasion—Dealing With Alien Criminals a Serious Problem.

Washington, March 1.—Some facts showing the far-reaching character of the work of the joint commission on immigration which was appointed by Congress on Feb. 20, 1907, were presented in a preliminary report by the commission. This report deals with practically every phase of the immigration question, including oriental aliens and other excluded classes, penance, charity among immigrants, white slave traffic, congestion in large cities, alien criminality, competition of immigrants, school inquiries, administration of the immigration laws, distribution of immigrants and other questions.

No conclusions have been reported by the commission, but the scope of the work is shown in a manner which presages extensive legislation in the future.

COMMISSIONS' PLANS.

It is stated that if the plans of the commission are realized the various lines of work outside Washington will be realized in the early fall, probably by the 15th of October. The investigation probably will be finished by the next fiscal year.

The report was printed and circulated today to show the necessity for appropriation of \$250,000 to carry on and complete the work. Thus far the expense of the commission from April 1, 1907, to Feb. 1, 1909, have been \$144,000. The commission has employed 32 men in Washington, two in New York, two in San Francisco, 32 are engaged in field work, and 32 are engaged in the investigation of the various lines of inquiry. The commission says it is generally admitted by those acquainted with the subject that notwithstanding the present law proposed to provide for the exclusion of every undesirable immigrant thousands of undeniably undesirable persons are admitted each year. It has been found that the law in theory is far as its exclusion provisions are concerned, is exceptionally strong, but in effect it is in some respects weak. The commission says it has discovered several sources of the weakness and it is its purpose to recommend some effective remedies.

One of the most important features of the work is connected with the enforcement of the law resulting in the importation of excluded classes. Notwithstanding the expenditure of about \$500,000 annually to enforce this law, the commission says it does not prevent the coming of Chinese laborers in considerable numbers.

WHITE SLAVES.

An extensive investigation is being made into the question of the importation and harboring of women for immoral purposes. The results show that many women are being constantly imported under conditions which amount to absolute slavery. As the result of its inquiries and the evidence it has gathered there have been a noteworthy attack upon this business which has resulted in a very marked decrease.

It has been found that in numerous instances persons afflicted with contagious diseases, and even criminals of a dangerous type, have been able to evade the immigration laws and come to this country under the pretense of being sailors.

ALIEN CRIMINALS.

The utmost importance is attached to the inquiry being made into the subject of alien criminals. In this city, criminal courts of New York City are at the request of the committee, keeping records in great detail of each person convicted of crime, and it is intended to make a study of the criminal records of the second generation shall be made in that city. The investigation, however, is not confined to the larger cities, but is being made in the smaller cities and industrial communities in various parts of the country.

COMPETITION OF IMMIGRANTS.

A careful inquiry among wage earners who are forced to compete with immigrant labor is being made among workers in the trades and occupations in which immigrants are largely engaged.

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“LUCKY” BALDWIN'S LAST RACE IS RUN

Famous Plunger and Turfman Died at His Residence in Arcadia on His Ranch.

HIS FAME WAS NATIONAL

Born in Illinois, Boyhood and Youth Spent in Indiana and Wisconsin, He Went to California in 1853.

Los Angeles, March 1.—J. J. Baldwin, famous plunger and turfman, known throughout the country and Europe as "Lucky" Baldwin, died at his residence in Arcadia on the celebrated Baldwin's ranch, 15 miles from Los Angeles at 7 o'clock this morning. He was 81 years old. The end came after a lingering illness of several weeks. He passed quietly away surrounded by his friends after having been unconscious most of the night. At his bedside this morning were Mrs. Baldwin, their daughter, a niece and other relatives.

The illness which finally resulted in the death of Baldwin began on Feb. 2. At that time he experienced a serious attack of pneumonia, which he finally rallied and made a gallant fight for life. Previous to this attack, he had been suffering from several weeks with influenza and had refused to be attended by a physician, and when Dr. J. W. Truworthy, of this city, was called on the night of Feb. 2, he found Baldwin in a very weak condition and in a highly nervous condition.

The wonderful vitality of the aged millionaire and his grim determination to set on his feet again after the attack of pneumonia, which he had been suffering from for several weeks, and his refusal to be attended by a physician, and when Dr. J. W. Truworthy, of this city, was called on the night of Feb. 2, he found Baldwin in a very weak condition and in a highly nervous condition.

Baldwin will be buried in San Francisco on the date of the funeral his last wish. A conference of relatives was held this morning at the residence of the late Baldwin, and the body will be taken to Los Angeles and taken to the city of San Francisco for burial.

The fortune left by "Lucky" Baldwin is estimated by H. A. Ulrich, his manager, at \$25,000,000. It may be a million or two on either side of this sum. Little is known of the details of the will left by the noted horseman, but the estate is estimated to be worth about \$25 million.

It is reported that the will contained a provision for the maintenance of a large number of horses, and that the estate was to be used for the purpose of maintaining a large number of horses.

WILKINSON'S ASSAULT, PAGES HIS CELL OVERLOOKED AS PROSPECT—WHISKY RESPONSIBLE.

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While Schrantz was at the hospital, he was visited by his friends and relatives, and he was reported to be in a fair condition.

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JEFFRIES AND JOHNSON. Ex-Champion Says No One Authorized To Make Statement About Fight.

Chicago, March 1.—James J. Jeffries, upon his arrival at Chicago today, declared that he authorized no one to announce that he would fight Johnson.

MACBETH STILL STIRRING UP IDAHO AFFAIRS

(Special to the "News.") Boise, Idaho, March 1.—Another probe into the state treasury was made this morning, instigated as usual by Macbeth.

He introduced a resolution demanding a full and complete investigation of the state treasury, and a committee on state affairs, State Bank Examiner Cheney to report on the investigation of the state treasury.

The bill compelling railroad companies to construct comfortable and adequate depots was passed by the senate this morning.

PITTSBURG GRAFTERS ARE FOUND GUILTY

Pittsburgh, March 1.—After deliberating over the case for several hours, the jury in the case of the Pittsburgh grafters found the defendants guilty.

The jury returned a verdict at 3:30 p. m. today, finding them guilty as indicted and recommending them to the mercy of the court.

W. W. Ramsey, the banker, was found not guilty on instructions from the court.

SCHRANTZ RECOVERING

Wilkinson, His Assault, Faces His Cell Overlooked As Prospect—Whisky Responsible.

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LONGER TO TENNIS CABINET

President Gives a Farewell Note To It And Some of His Official Associates.

A MEMORABLE OCCASION.

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No Administration Ever Had Finer Or More Loyal Service, and Country Never Had Able Servants.

Washington, March 1.—President Roosevelt today gave a farewell luncheon at the White House to the members of the famous "Tennis cabinet," and others who have been closely associated with him during the past seven years. Aside from the distinguished government officials who have served as among the president's chief aides during his administration, and also as his companions at sports of different kinds, there were present many of the president's friends and associates with whom he was roughing it in his youth days, and with whom he had been on numerous expeditions. The occasion was memorable today and the latter's farewell words were not entirely free from notes of regret, if not sadness.

The president's remarks were full of emphasis on the point that no administration has given its chief more loyal service than his own.

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