

## SENATOR TELLER ON SILVER QUESTION

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OF WORLDWIDE IMPORTANCE.

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Washington, Dec. 22.—Referring to the publication of a letter written by him on the financial question to Sir Moreton Frewen, Senator Teller said today that he had no intention of reviving the silver question, but that his only purpose had been to call attention to the present conditions of exchange between Europe and America on one side and Asia on the other.

"The question of exchange," he said, "is one of world-wide importance, and there has come to be such a divergence between prices in the gold-using and the silver-using countries, that the situation is growing somewhat acute. It is so much in evidence that any one who gives the least attention to financial questions must observe it. Hence I make no apology for my reference to it in a personal letter to Mr. Frewen. 'I do not see,' he continued, 'why any of the members of the monetary commission should be astonished at my utterances, as some of them are represented by the newspapers to have been, as my letter did not purport to be written on behalf of or to express the opinion of the commission. For the last 12 years I have corresponded more or less with Mr. Frewen as to the monetary condition of exchange between Europe and the United States and Asia. He is a gentleman well informed on all these questions. When he visits the United States he always calls on me, and we have discussed these questions very freely.'

"I did say in my letter to him that the commission would hear him at the proper time, and I have no doubt it will. I was justified in this because the commission had sent a portion of its membership to Europe in search of information as to the monetary system of the world and the condition of commerce and finance of those countries.

## Little Folks Stuffed — LIKE TOADS

These holidays make a lot of sick folks—some of them awfully ill. In spite of all you can do the little folks will overeat Xmas times. Don't fail to give them a CASCARET at bed time and help nature get rid of the overload. It will keep them well and lively.

Buy a 10c box CASCARETS—week's treatment—and have it handy to use every night, Xmas week.

"The members who went to Europe certainly acquired a fund of information that will be useful not only to the commission, but to the country at large. I practically stated that I was speaking for myself as to what I supposed the commission would do. I have understood that the object of this commission is primarily to obtain information as to the monetary condition of the world, and ultimately present that information to Congress, with or without its recommendations, as it may deem proper.

"I did not indicate that the commission was considering or would consider the Goshen plan for small notes of the size of 10 or 20 shillings, nor that I was for it. Goshen was a monometallist of the extreme type. His proposition was based on the idea that the small notes, legal tender \$10 only, would make use of some silver, and that would enable the governments to accumulate gold. This was not accepted by the silver people, either in Europe or the United States. Personally, I think there is sufficient merit in the Goshen plan to justify the commission in considering it.

"As a member of the commission, I do not propose to attempt to interfere with the legislation since 1896, which established the gold standard in this country. I consider that question settled for at least a generation, but even though the finances of the United States be fixed, the question of exchange between this country and other countries is not settled, and I do not believe that the commission is barred from its consideration."

LIKE AMERICAN FLOUR IN THE NETHERLANDS

Washington, Dec. 22.—That American flour is welcome in the Netherlands because of its peculiar value for bread making in the home milled soft wheat flours, with which it is blended by the bakers in the bread making process, is the report made by M. H. Davis, special agent of the bureau of manufactures.

He says that the German flour, which possesses no such characteristic, is making headway in Holland as well as in other countries only because it is

cheap, the government bounty making it so. He says that the milling interests of Holland hitherto free traders because of their need of foreign wheat, will advocate this year a duty on flour to keep out the cheap German products and that, while this is not aimed at American mills, it would hit them far harder than those of Germany.

## BIG FIRE IN LITTLE ROCK.

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 22.—Fire early today destroyed the building of the board of trade, causing a total loss of approximately \$100,000, of which the board of trade sustained about \$50,000. On the second and third floors of the building were many cotton buying offices. The loss for all of these is total. The cause of the fire is unknown.

## INSANITY IN CALIFORNIA

Dr. F. W. Hatch Says Too Much Drink Is Chief Contributing Cause.

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 22.—Dr. F. W. Hatch, superintendent of state hospitals, in his biennial report, issued yesterday, says too much drink is the chief contributing cause to insanity in California. The proper remedy for this, he says, ought to be found in the proper education of youth as to the lack of necessity for alcoholic drinks.

June 30, 1908, there were 6,555 patients in the hospitals, an increase of 1,354 in 10 years. The cost for supporting the hospitals two years was \$1,339,773, for salaries \$95,904. Many new buildings have been constructed.

## PAWNSHOPS AND BURGLARS.

In New York Many of Them Are Leagued Together.

New York, Dec. 22.—A bill which would, if passed, close the pawnshops of Greater New York virtually a part of the police department, will probably be introduced in the legislature when it convenes at Albany at the instance of Police Commissioner Dinkins. Although Mr. Dinkins has made no direct announcement about the matter, recent police investigations have shown, it is said, that so many pawn brokers are practically in league with burglars that stringent legislation to regulate them is necessary.

A daily report of each day's business at all pawnshops in the city by means of which detectives could lay their fingers almost immediately upon stolen articles will be the feature and principal clause in the proposed bill, it is said.

## MISS KATE GILMOUR GETS LIFE SAVING MEDAL

London, Dec. 22.—Lloyd's medal for saving life at sea goes to Miss Kate Gilmour, stewardess of the S.S. Albatross, who saved the lives of 11 passengers and crew by fire at Malta last month. Miss Gilmour refused to leave the ship until all the women and children were rescued. Her courage is held to have contributed to the saving of many lives.

## COL. TUCKER NOT RECALLED.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—According to advice received here, Col. Fred W. Tucker, who was recalled by the war department, is not being recalled.

Mrs. Dolly Logan Tucker, wife of the colonel, says, however, that if such orders of recall were issued she promptly would resume her prosecution. Her attorney says that when the war department does order Col. Tucker back to his post, Mrs. Tucker will be notified at once.

## NEW FASHION IN ROBBERY.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—A new fashion in robbery has been established by three men, and Mrs. Marie Nelson, the first victim, lost a \$50 fur muff.

The robbers set fire to a fence about her yard and ran to the front door to tell her of the blaze.

While she hurried out to fight the fire, the men entered the house and committed the theft.

## "BATHHOUSE JOHN" AND THE BROKEN CAMERA

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Garbed in faultless frock coat, white waistcoat, a lavender tie, patent leather shoes and illuminated with two diamond shirt studs, Alderman "Bathhouse" John Coughlin and a broken camera were centers of interest in Judge Newcomb's court today. Lyman Atwell, who accused the alderman of assault and battery committed at the First ward Democratic hall, told his story. He was the owner of the camera and that its battered condition was owing to the fact that it had acted as an "auxiliary receiver" for blows dealt at him by Coughlin and others. Atwell said he held the camera in front of his face to ward off blows aimed at him.

"Did anyone else besides the alderman strike you?" Atwell was asked.

"Yes, there were four or five men and they all punched me. King, the cartoonist, and myself were waiting on the sidewalk in front of the coliseum to get pictures. Coughlin and a half dozen others were standing at the entrance in full dress suits, receiving guests. Suddenly they made a rush. They knocked King down and turned their attention to me."

## NEW YORK TO HAVE THEATER FOR CHILDREN

New York, Dec. 22.—Details of a theater in New York designed exclusively for the entertainment of children are soon to be announced, according to L. Frank Baum, playwright and author of fairy tales. It is hoped to open the edifice by Oct. 1, next.

"We have \$150,000 in capital subscribed," said Mr. Baum. "All of this with the exception of the \$150,000 is New York capital. Mrs. Carter Harrison of Chicago is interested, as was the society women in New York."

"The plan is to have an octagonal theater with seats in the form of the old pews which will seat about 1,400. On weeks days there will be 4 o'clock matinees. On Fridays, Saturdays and holidays there will be evening performances and morning matinees at 11 o'clock in addition to the afternoon performances. It is planned to set aside Monday for the free patronage of orphan asylums and similar institutions. We have options on several sites and expect to take title to one on Saturday."

## GOV. HOCH PARDONS JOHN COLLINS, PARACIDE

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 22.—Gov. Hoch late this afternoon pardoned John Collins, now serving a life sentence in the Kansas state penitentiary for the murder of his father, Joseph Collins, a well-to-do real estate and insurance man in this city in May, 1898. Collins

will be free Christmas day. Gov. Hoch believes Collins innocent.

The Collins case was one of the most remarkable criminal cases in this part of the west. Young Collins was a student at Kansas university at the time of his father's death. He was convicted upon the testimony of three negroes, all of the testimony being circumstantial in character. At the trial the state set up the plea that Collins was in love with Miss Frances Babcock, a wealthy young society woman of Lawrence, Kan., and that Collins planned the killing of his father that he might gain life insurance, which the senior Collins carried upon his life. One of the negroes upon whose testimony Collins was convicted has since written a book asserting that the testimony of the three negroes at the trial was part of a plan of enemies of young Collins to ruin him by fixing the responsibility for his father's death upon him. The older Collins was found dead in bed one morning after a visit to his son at Lawrence.

## TRANSATLANTIC BALLOON TRIP.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 22.—A balloon trip that will attract general attention is being arranged here by George Fisher and George L. Bumbagh. The proposed flight will be across the Atlantic ocean.

The plan is to make the trip in a gigantic balloon attached to which will be twenty smaller supply balloons, the gas from which may be fed into the large balloon as the leakage makes necessary. Instead of a basket to carry the passengers a specially built boat will be used.

## IT IS A WONDER.

Chamberlain's Liniment is one of the most remarkable preparations yet produced for the relief of rheumatic pains, and for lame back, sprains and bruises. The quick relief from pain which it affords in case of rheumatism is almost worth many times its cost. Price, 5 cents; large size 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

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Via D. & R. G. R. R.

One single fare for the round trip between all points in Utah, Dec. 18, 19, 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1st. All tickets good returning until Jan. 4th.

## Christmas Pictures.

Midgley-Bodel Co. 33 east First South.

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## Daniels' Daily Talk—No. 115.



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## Here are a few ideas that are timely:

### FOR A LADY:

After dinner coffee set  
Bracelet  
Barrette or brooch  
Belt pin  
Comb  
Cuff pins or links  
Dress pin sets  
Hat pin, rose or gold  
Card case and purse

### FOR A GENTLEMAN:

Jewel box,  
Lavalliere  
Opera glasses  
Pendant  
Purse  
Rings, diamond or fancy stone  
Vanity case  
Wrist bag  
Address book  
Cigar cutter or holder  
Cigarette case  
Card Case  
Cane or umbrella  
Corkscrew  
Cuff links  
Charm  
Fob  
Fountain pen  
Brushes  
Key chains and ring  
Match box  
Ring  
Studs  
Scarf pin  
Thermos bottle  
Tie clasp  
Vest buttons

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THIS OFFER IS FOR TODAY AND TOMORROW ONLY. Come early and make sure of the bargain.

## CLAYTON-DAYNES MUSIC CO.

109-11-13 MAIN STREET.

All Small Musical Instruments are selling this week at about HALF PRICE.

## A Few Suggestions for Xmas Gifts

### Slippers, etc.

Men's House Slippers, \$1.25 values 85c  
Men's Opera House Slippers, \$1.50 values for \$1.00  
Men's Felt, Leather Sole, Slippers, values \$1.75, for \$1.25  
Ladies' Felt, Fur Trimmed, Leather Sole, Slippers, \$1.00 values for 75c  
Ladies' Kid Slippers, Fur Trimmed, Plain Toe, Leather Soles, \$2.00 values, for \$1.50  
Ladies' Felt, Leather Sole, Slippers, \$1.50 values for \$1.00  
Child's or Misses' Rubber Boots, Lamb Wool Lined, \$2.00 values for \$1.50

### Furnishings

Men's President Style Suspenders in individual boxes, 50c values for 25c  
Men's Silk Reversible Ties, 50c values for 25c  
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs, large size, 75c values for 50c  
Men's Jersey Knit Gloves, 50c values for 25c  
Boys' Suspenders 15c  
Men's Fleeced Underwear, 75c values 50c  
Men's Home Made Wool Socks, 30c values 19c

### Clothing Department

We have added a new store to our floor space. Call and see us in our new clothing and furnishing department.  
Men's Blue Serge All Wool Suits, \$15 values for \$9.95  
Men's Suits, a large assortment of fancy patterns, single or double breasted, \$8 and \$10 values \$4.95  
Men's Overcoats, \$10.00 values \$4.95  
Men's Overcoats, \$15.00 values \$7.50  
Men's Corduroy Suits, \$15.00 values \$10.95  
Boys' Two Piece Suits, up from \$1.50  
We have tons and tons of fine candy, other people's price 50c, our price per pound 10c

### Ladies and Children's Coats

We have placed on sale about 300 Coats for Ladies, Misses and Children at less than half price.  
\$2.50 to \$3.00 values 98c  
\$3.50 to \$5.00 values \$1.98  
\$5.00 to \$6.00 values \$2.98  
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