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## FOUR CAPINET POSTS THE CO

Bryan, McAdoo, Daniels and Burleson Four Known to Be Slated by Mr. Wilson.

PALMER AND HENRY ARE ELIMINATED

Chancellor Walker of New Jersey Considered for Attorney General - No Hold-Overs

By Associated Press, Washington, Feb. 26.-The personnel of the cabinet of President Wilson. as partially made known last night by information reaching congressional quarters, stood today practically unchanged, namely:

Bryan of Nebraska.

Secretary of the treasury-William G. Adoo of New York, Postmaster-General-Albert S. Bur-

leson of Texas. Secretary of the navy-Josephu Daniels of North Carolina.

Some published reports including the name of Chancellor E. R. Walker of New Jersey as attorney general were not confirmed.

The information on which the four portfolios were definitely designated n of a positive character, but it did not include the name of Chancellor Walker. The inclusion of his name in some of the lists made public is based upon conjecture, and is not in accord those in close communication with the new administration. Their advices are to the effect that while Chancel lor Walker was considered, circum stances arose which are likely to eliminste him from the lists.

The elimination of Representative Mitchell Paimer of Pennsylvania and Robert Ix Henry of Texas as cab inet possibilities also became definite-ly established during conferences at the capital early today. Mr. Palmer declined it. He had been prominently mentioned as attorney general. The tender, however, did not cover this portfollo, but another which he did not regard-as in line with his lines of work, so he concluded to remain in the house of representatives where he will represent to a large extent the desires and policies of the new admin-istration as affecting the tariff, cur-

rency and other legislation. As to the interior department, word reaching here today was that the secretary for this department also had been definitely determined upon early in the day it was said to be not Congress in the last sundry civil bill of those prominently mentioned in that connection. Secretary Fisher's name has been mentioned as a pos-sible cabinet hold-over but it is now stated that neither he nor any other member of the present cabinet will It will be a new cabinet from top to bottom.

Palmer Offered War Portfolio, It became known today that Mr. Palmer was offered the portfolio of secretary of war and based his de-Clination on the fact that he is of Quaker ancestry, and could not in keeping with the traditions of his blood become the head of a war establishment. It also became known that Mayor Newton D. Baker of Cleveland, O., also was offered one of the cabinet portfolios, but refused it because he has great projects in mind for the city of Cleveland and preferred to remain free for their development

Those best informed on the cabine situation said today that President elect Wilson has settled upon who would fill the posts of secretary of the interior, secretary of agriculture, sec-retary of commerce and labor, and attorney general, but that it had not been determined how the four port-folios would be distributed among

Should the senate pass and Presi dent Taft sign the bill creating a dethe cabinet, the president-elect would have one additional cabinet officer to

positively that while they expected Mr. Brandels would be in the cabinet he would not be attorney general. It was thought by most of them that the most likely place for Mr. Brandels was in the department of commerce and labor.

It was said that nothing definitely had been determined upon the attorney generalship but that the man most preminent in the president-elect's consideration was a democrat who had done some anti-trust work. His name was not mentioned, but it was said not to be former Bollettor General Fraderick W. Lehmann. It was also said (Continued on page 5)

### RATE CONCESSIONS PROMISED TODAY

Representatives of Railroads Operating in the State Again Assembled at Raleigh- Have Definite Propositions, They Declare This Morning.

Special to The Gazette-News. Raleigh, Feb. 26.—It seemed this morning that the rate conference this afternoon would result in definite concessions by the railroads to North Car-olina shippers. This was indicated by Captain Thom of the Southern. The officials held a conference among themselves and discussed a plan to follow this afternoon before the legisla-

President Finley and several officers committee and submit their proposals

of the Southern are among those here.

Raleigh, Feb. 26,-Representatives of railroads operating in this state, including President W. W. Finley and other officials of the Southern railway, met here today for the purpose of considering reductions on short hauls or intrastate traffic. they will meet with the legislative

#### PASS BILL FORMING LABOR DEPARTMENT

By Associated Press.

Washington Feb. 26.—The bill to today. reate a department of labor with a cabinet officer at its head passed the of the secretary of labor. The divisenate today after less than an hour's sion of immigration and naturalization previously passed the house mendments in the senate will require its perfection in conference before it statistics. is presented to President Taft.

The fillbuster carried on against the bill last night by Senators Guggen-

President Urges the Adaption

of System Relating Ex-

penditures to Revenues.

By Assclated Press.

Taft today sent to Congress his much

recommended the adoption of a bud-

get system of relating proposed ex-

greatly benefited by having before it such a statement before it began the

annual grind upon appropriation bills.

The United States, the president

wrote, was the only great nation in

the world which did not use the bud-

get system and in consequence it "may be said to be without plan or program." He indicated that owing to the late day at which he was able

to transmit his message he expect-

the present congress.

milty for

ed little legislation on the topic from

The president took full responsi-

directed the secretary of the treas-

ury to submit estimates hereafter in

the old way. Mr. Taft pointed out, however, that he had directed the

secretary of the treasury to agree with

the directions of congress and also to

send to him information for a budget

as he shall deem necessary and ex-

PROGRAM BEATEN

By Associated Press,

Washington, Feb. 26.—Two two battleships program favorably report-

ed by the house naval committee was

committee of the whole. An amend-

A majority of the democrats voted

for the amendment, while the repub-

licans were almost solidly against it.

defeated today in the house sitting as

ment to appropriate for one battleship

only went through, 144 to 133.

TWO BATTLESHIP

"budget"

penditures to expected revenue

declared that congress would

liscussed

Washington, Feb. 26.-President

message.

heim and Gronna was not resume...

children's bureau under the direction measure had would be separated into two bureaus but and the present bureau of labor would be known as the bureau of labor The division of information of the present department of commerce and labor also would go into the new department.

#### FRIEDMANN TO BEGIN **CURE DEMONSTRATION** BUDGET SYSTEN AT ONCE, HE ASSERTS

Treatment on Children with Tubercular Knees.

By Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 26,-Dr. Frederich '. Friedmann, who arrived here yeserday, heralded as the discoverer of a cure for tuberculosis, will begin treatment of patients as soon as he finds suitable iaboratory.

"Lwish to treat 50 or more children with tubercular knees," said the doctor, "for in such case. He results of my treatment are more quickly apparent than when applied to other forms of the disease

"The method I prefer is to have pa-tients brought to me. Where this is not possible, I would be glad to have the patient's physician work under m and see me treat a number of typical cases. I hope to be able to instruct physicians from various parts of the

country."
Among the doctor's callers today was Dr. Edwin T. Watkins of Memphis, Tenn., commissioned by the board of health of that city to investigate the treatment.

#### IDENTIFY THE WOMAN message. He reterred congress also to the portion of the constitution which requires him from time to time to recommend such measures WITH J. A. APPLEBAUM

Mrs. Callie S. Keller Continu Deny Part in Killing of Chicago Salesman,

By Associated Press. Atlanta, Ga., Feb 26 .- Despite the efforts of the woman posing as Mrs. J. A. Appelbaum, who is held by the police in connection with the mysterious killing of Appelbaum in a hotel yesterday, to conceal her identiher family connections became known today. According to the po-lice she has been identified as Mrs. Callie Scott Keller, formerly of Montgomery and Birmingham. Her parents, it is said, live in Brewton,

After a night spent in the county tall the woman continued today to deny any knowledge of the actual shooting of Appelbaum. She denied

herself to all callers, It is stated that Mrs. Keller, Mrs. Appelbaum as she is known here, formerly kept a rooming house in Montgomery where she was reported to have been worth between \$20,000 \$20,000 and \$30,000. According to information obtained, she married a man named Keller in Birmingham July 1, 1912.

Jealousy of two divorced wives and of a sweetheart in Saginaw, Mich., to

#### Pierces Heart With Lance; Hears Its Dying Beats By Stethoscope

By Associated Press.

Philadelphiss, Feb. 25.—With a store, was a piece of paper on which stethoscope applied to his ears. Karl W. Schneyder, a manufacturer of surplical instruments, yesterday listens, cord of the pulsarious Schneyder had ed to his heart record its dying bests, after he had pierced that organ with a steel lance. Noar the body, which poor health.

# PASS CORRUPT

Little Discussion as Members of House Put Through Justice Measure with Amendments.

GIVING OF OFFICES AS REWARDS BARRED

Published Articles Derogatory to Candidates Be Signed.

Special to The Gazette-News.

Raleigh, Feb. 26 .- The house pas One amendment would put the new the Justice corrupt practice bill with little discussion. An amendment by Miller was adopted to punish as felony the promising of office as reward for political support; 2/30 a com-mittee amendment remaining signatures to all derogatory , ublished state ments. United States senator can spend only one year's salary in campaigning. Fifty per cent of the salaries attached to other offices sought can be spent in campaigning.

A new bill by Doughton would pro-vide for state inspection of liquors shipped into the state. The state de-partment of health would direct an inspector who is to receive a \$250 sal ary and fees ranging from five cent on packages of less than a gallon to cents for five gallons and large packages. The appropriations committee of the

nouse yesterday afternoon unanimous Wishes First to Show Result of Western Carolina Teachers Training

In the house Kellum introduced joint resolution for a commission of one senator and one representative and State Superintendent J. V. Joyner to investigate the practicability of the state publishing and furnishing to school children at actual cost all textbooks used in public schools and report to the 1915 legislature.

The house passed the Torrens land

title bill, making the system optional with counties as to adoption.

# TAFTS HAVE ARRANGED

President and Wife Will Leave Washington for Augusta

By Associated Press Washington, Feb. 26 .- Final rangements for the departure of President and Mrs. Taft for Augusta, Ga., March 4, were completed today. They will leave Washington in a private car and probably by special train over the Atlantic Coast Line railway shortly after 3 o'clock that day and are due in Augusta early March 5. A commiface of Augusta citizens is expected here to escort their guests south.

Aurous will stand the expense of Mr. Taft's trip and he will be a guest of the city at a winter resort hotel for three weeks, Miss Helen Taft, Mrs. Laughlin, Mrs. Taft's sister, Secretary Hilles and Mrs. Hilles probably will be in the party. Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Taft and their daughter, Louise, and John A Hammon are expected to join the Taft's later at Augusta.

go north to New Haven to take up his duties at Yale.

Nicaraguan Treaty Goes Over.

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 26.—A treaty rewith Nicaragua providing for the payment of \$3,000,000 by the United States in return for the exclusive right to build an inter-oceanic canal across the Micaraguan isthmus, was laid over by the foreign relations committee the senate today until the new adminletration has an opportunity to pass

\* \* \* "What the Raleigh News and Observer has cost North Carolina since 1907" is told by Col. S. A. Jones in an article on page

\* \* The western end of the State sorely needs an adequate training school for teachers, such as the east

\* \* \* That income and business tax—do they really mean to collect it?

## BLAST KILLS ANDWOUNDS 200 IN SPAIN

By Associated Press. Giljon, Spain, Feb. 26 .- Up- of the operation was to cut a Gwards of 200 people were roadway and thus avoid the killed or wounded by the ill-present long detour. timed explosion of a charge of At the hour fixed, the fuse 7000 pounds of black powder was lighted and the explosion which had been laid yesterday occurred. But instead of the by government engineers with rock being blasted, hundreds of

coaling harbor of Musel, a mile ficials were killed.

ous block of rock.

and a half distant. The object

Amendment Also Requires that the object of raising an enorm- tons of clay and small stones Division Is Considered to Have were hurled like artillery pro-An immense concoure of jectiles, among the assembled townspeople had gathered to spectators. While families witness the demolition of the were moved down. Many of hill separating Gijon from the the engineers and municipal of-

### WILSON MEASURE GIVEN A SETBACK

Assembly Seeks to Kill Jury Reform Bill After His Resignation.

By Associated Press.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 26.-Governor Woodrow Wilson warned members of the New Jersey legislature last night that as president of the United States he would feel privileged to come back even as early as next week to fight beore the people of the state for pendng reforms. Mr. Wilson resigned the governor

ship yesterday to take effect Saturday Both houses hardly had received his notice of resignation when the assembly went on record by an overwhelm ing vote against pushing the form bill from first to second reading This bill had been urged particularly by Mr. Wilson in his messages. I would take away the power to draw juries from sheriffs, ladging it with a commission appointed by the gov-

Mr. Wilson regards today's develop ments as a breach of party discipline He believes, however, that the principle of justice in this country is at stake and he considers the issue so vital that he declared that soon after his inauguration he might deliver several speeches on this subject before the people of northern New Jersey, most of whose assemblymen voted in effect against the governor.

Yes, it looks as if the bill were beaten, said Mr. Wilson, "but it is It is perfectly well known that the persons who are exerting pressure on the legislature to defeat this bill are those who wish to control grand juries because they want to break the law, and the people of the state will understand that abundantly before I get through with it."

The president-elect said if the jur

reform bill were defeated he would consider that he was booked to speak in the primary campaign next fall ination who had voted against the The governor's declarations caused

flurry of excitement in political

### ONE KILLED, OTHERS HURT WHEN BUILDING FALLS

Causes Runaway of Fire Horses.

By Asscrated Press.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 26.-James I lillespie, a fireman, was killed and a Gillespie, a fireman, was killed and a dozen others narrowly escaped death when a building at 140-142 Whitehall street, collapsed early today. The six inmates of the building warned by several shocks, find found refuge on the roof of an adjoining building or had been rescued by firemen when the structure fell.

The resounding crash of the col-lapse frightened the horses attached to five pieces of fire apparatus, causone truck wagon striking Policeman James Chapman, causing serious in-juries. Another truck collided with a juries. Another truck collided with a fire plug in the downtown district, smashing the truck and killing one of the horses.

The buildings, which were old, were being remodelled for stores. An investigation is under way.

John Q. Thompson

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Peb. 16.—John Q. Thompson, assistant attorney general of the United States, who was stricken several days ago with acute urasmia, disk early today. Mr. Thompson arrived in Chicago last Friday from Washington for a short stay, on his way to his home in Canton, Kan.

# Efforts to Bring Peace in Bal-

kans Fail-Winter Checks Fighting.

By Associated Press Constantinople, Feb. 26,-The misdon to London of Ibrabim Kakki rnment has failed. His object was to

claim of Turkey to the retention of Adrianople He was, moreover, unable to prevail pon the powers to accept the porte's ote as a basis for fresh peace negotiations and he had no authority to to beyond the proposals contained in that document. Although some menubers of the Turkish cabinet are in

favor of peace, the war element shows no tendency to weaken its attitude. Military operations are still confinto skirmishes at various points along the front. Fighting on any extended scale is improbable for the present, owing to the inclemency of the

# MARCH FROM CAPITAL

Column of Petticoat Cavalry to Leave Washington for Laurel, Md.

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 26,-A small army

livision of "petticoat cavalry" and feminine infantry will march out to greet the suffragist hikers who today will leave Baltimore for on the last lap of their tramp from New York. The welcoming "army" will be under the protection of a detail of police. "Colonel" Genevieve Wimsatt will

be in command of the cavalry which will lead the column. The cavalry will be followed by the Tramping club, an organization of girls from a fashionable seminary of the capital, and a force of between 200 and 200 suffragists under the command of Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, jr., of Philadelphia. Collapse of Atlanta Structure There also will be a number of leading suffragists in automobiles. "General" Jones and her band will

e welcomed at Laurel, Md., tomorrow morning. The pilgrims will be taken directly to national suffragist headquarters where speeches will be made by General Jones, members of her 1 ty and suffragists who have been conducting the crusade here. The tivities today and the leaders claimed to have made many converts in their

"I have talked with 60 or 70 men who are prominent in the affairs of the nation," said Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, president of the anti-suffragists organization, "and not one of them as in sympathy with the suffragists nators, representatives and memberof the judiciary are nearly all opposed o women having the vote."

#### STRONGBOX DEPLETED

Only \$92,000 in the Mexican Treasury. Hurried Count by Huerta Gov-erument Shows.

By Associated Press.

Mexico City, Feb. 28.—The departure from Mexico of Ernesto Madero, former minister of finance, was followed immediately by a hurried counting of the cash in the government treasury. The regult showed a balance of \$92,000. This amount, however, does not represent all immediate available resources of the new administration, as there are various deposits in both local and foreign tanks which can be drawn on by the government.

# TROOPS MERELY **DRILLING NOW**

Movement to Texas Nothing More than a Try-out of New Army Organization.

SECRETARY STIMSON PROUD OF RECORD

Responded to His Orders with Remarkable celerity.

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 26.—With the

utlook of armed opposition to the new provisional government in Mexico reduced to a few small threatened uprisings by followers of the late President Madero, it is the opinion of administration officials here that chances for the use of the military urm to protect American interests have greatly diminished.

Concentration of troops at Galves ton will continue, but admittedly the purpose now is principally to test the working of the new system of arm) reorganization. Major General Carter, commander of the second division, due to arrive in Galveston within the next 24 hours, will take the opportunity afforded by the assembly of a com-Pasha on behalf of the Ottoman gov- plete division of troops to put them through their paces, thus affording to persuade the powers to support the the various regimental and brigade commanders their first opportunity to direct the movements bodies of men that would fall to their

command in time of war.

If the complete division is bled in Galveston, at Texas City, about seven miles distant, and in the camp just opened near Houston before the experts feel that they will have ac complished a creditable feat. true that the movement appears to be very slow in comparison with the remarkable mobilization of the allies in the Balkans. But as a matter of fact. such distances as that from Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., and Fort Snelling, Minn., to Galveston, would have

greatly taxed the resources of the best European quartermaster department. On the whole, Secretary Stimson feels very proud of the record made up to this point, when by the issue of single order to Major General Carter, the second division commanders, the entire body of men was set in motion, whereas under the old plan the adjutant general's department was obliged to send hundreds of telegrams to as many individual commanding officers, all the way from major general's down to a captain, to begin the mobilization. Under the new system, mobilization. too, the quartermaster general had already assembled at the proper point of embarkation all the supplies need-

ed for a campaign.

Conditions in the north and central sections of Mexico are reported today not so satisfactory. A report from Saltillo indicates that the governor of Caohula has gone to resist federal troops approaching from Munterey. Reports from Monterey say that the situation is less encouraging in the

northern states and the rebels are active in Conore, Coahulla and San Luis Potosi. Consul-General Shanking reports that Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McLaren are safe at Mexico City and that L. H. Coeley is reported safe at Tampico.

Mr. Shanklin reports also that the following are safe: Captain and Mrs. Fannie J. Darr, Charles E. Scalante, Mrs. Charles Petren, Ff. Alberg and family, G. W. Simms and son, and Mr. Howland and family Lower California Quiet San Diego, Cal.; Feb. 26,—Danger of rebellion anywhere in Lower Call-

fornia was denied today by Mexican Consul Gomez. His reports are that existing border patrols are insufficient and that the troops are loyal and will abide by the result in Mexico City. Mexican State in Revolt. Eagle Pass., Tex., Feb. 28.—The

stage is completely set today on the Mexican border opposite this section of Texas for a new Mexican revolt, that of Governor V. Carranza of the state of Coabulla. He has officially proclaimed the Huerta government

Unrest in Hidalgo State. Vera Cruz, Mex., Feb. 26.— state of Hidalgo is an unsettled co tion. The governor has dissolved the legislature and will hold a referendum election to decide whether he shall recognize the new administration in Mexico City. Provisional President Huerta has sent a detachment of treases there.

troops there.

It was learned here today that Senora Madero, wife of the deposed president holds life insurance policies amounting to several hundred thourand dollars with American companies.

American-Hallan Trenty Ratified.

#### Minstrel Show at Canton. It is not known here how far sug Correspondence of The Gazette-News. Canton, Feb. 26.—The Dramatic stions for filling that additional post club of Waynesville presented their second annual minstrel show in the Canton school auditorium last even-Brandels in Cabinet? It was said here today that there as a possibility that Mr. Palmer's Canton school auditorium last evening. The show was well presented, Quite a nice sized crowd witnessed the production, and the boys received many rounds of applause. Some good local hits were also gotten off. Harvey Fisher and Thomas Davis were easily the stars of the evening, they both getting in some good singing and lokes. declination of the post of secretary of war might, at the last moment, cause a shift to put Mr. Daniels in that place. He had definitely been stated for secretary of the anvy. Talk of a cabinet place for Louis D. Franceis, the Boston lawyer, was revived in more than a casual way and some of those in the confidence of the president-elect went so far as to say