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With Approval of the President Secretary Cortelyou Makes the Announcement That He Will Issue \$50,000,000 in Panama Bonds and \$100,000,000 in Certificates of Indebtedness.

A Washington dispatch of the 17th states that on Sunday night Secretary Cortelyou made the important announcement that as a means of affording relief to the financial situation, the Treasury would issue \$50,000,000 of Panama bonds and \$100,000,000 certificates of indebtedness, or so much thereof as may be necessary. The certificates will run for one year and bear 3 per cent interest.

The Secretary's action in coming to the relief of the financial situation meets with President Roosevelt's hearty approval, and the plan is the outcome of the several White House conferences which have been held within the past few days when the financial situation was under consideration.

Secretary Cortelyou says that the Panama bonds will afford the most substantial relief, as the law provides that they may be used as a basis for additional national bank circulation. He also states that the proceeds from the sale of certificates can be made directly available at points where the need is most urgent, and especially for the movement of the crops which he says "if properly accelerated will give the greatest relief and result in the most immediate financial returns." The Secretary calls attention to the attractiveness of the bonds and certificates as absolutely safe investments.

THE PRESIDENT'S LETTER.

"The following is the President's letter to Secretary Cortelyou approving the Treasury plans:

Washington, Nov. 17, 1907.

"My Dear Mr. Cortelyou:

"I have considered your proposal. I approve the issue of the fifty millions of Panama bonds, which will be immediately available as the basis for additional currency. I also approve the issue of \$100,000,000 or so much as you may find necessary of 5 per cent interest bearing government notes, the proceeds of the sale of which can be at once deposited by you where the greatest need exists, and especially in the West and South, where the crops have to be moved. I have assurance that the leaders of Congress are considering a currency bill which will meet in permanent fashion the needs of the situation and which I believe will be passed at an early date after Congress convenes two weeks hence.

"What is most needed just at present is that our citizens should realize how fundamentally sound business conditions in this country are, and how absurd it is to permit themselves to get into a panic and create a stringency by hoarding their savings instead of trusting perfectly sound banks. There is no particle of risk involved in letting business take its natural course, and the people can help themselves and the country most by putting back into active circulation the money they are hoarding. The banks and trust companies are solvent. There is more currency in the country today than there was a month ago, when the supply was ample. Fifty-five million dollars in gold have been imported and the government has deposited another \$60,000,000. These are facts; and I appeal to the public to co-operate with us in restoring normal business conditions. The government will see that the people do not suffer if only the people themselves will act in a normal way. Crops are good and business conditions are sound; and we should put the money we have into circulation in order to meet the needs of our abounding prosperity. There is no analogy at all with the way things were in 1893. On November 30th of that year, there was in the Treasury but \$161,000,000 in gold. On November 16th of this year there was in the Treasury \$304,000,000 of gold. Ten years ago the circulation per capita was \$23.23. It is now \$38.22. The steps that you now take, the ability of the government to back them up, and the fact that not a particle of risk is involved therein, give the full guarantee of the sound condition of our people and the condition of our Treasury. All we ask of you is to go ahead with the normal business in a normal fashion, and the whole incident disappears and this end will be achieved at once if each man will act as he normally does, and as the real condition of the country's business fully warrants his acting.

"Sincerely yours,
Theodore Roosevelt."
Hon. George B. Cortelyou,
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Politicians are also interested in the State. It is now Democratic, but the Federal government has much new patronage in it. Federal judges and United States marshals and also 1,500 postmasters are to be appointed.

The Chimax Chair Factory at Thomasville was destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon. The loss is about \$18,000, with about \$5,000 insurance. This is the second time this company has been burned out within six years.

Wonderful Remedy Cured. "Our little boy had worms for five years," writes N. A. Adams, Henrietta, Pa. "Two of our home doctors said the case was hopeless, his lungs being affected. We then employed other doctors, but no benefit resulted. By a most wonderful cure about Electric Bitters, bought a bottle and soon noticed improvement. We continued this medicine until several bottles were used, when our boy was completely cured." Best of all blood medicine and body building health tonic. Guaranteed by All Drug stores. 50c.

THE FORTY-SIXTH STATE.

Proponents of Oklahoma's Constitution That Safeguard People's Interests.

From the Boston Globe.

Oklahoma becomes the forty-sixth State in the Union this week. This event is being discussed with much interest throughout the West. The past and present conditions in this new Commonwealth are being contrasted in many quarters, and politicians, manufacturers, cattlemen, farmers and miners are each interested in some phase of its affairs.

The new State, which is made up of the Territory of Oklahoma and the Indian Territory, contains an area of 70,430 square miles. It is, therefore, larger than the States of Ohio and Indiana combined, and will have an estimated population of 1,500,000, which is greater than that of any one of twenty-three of the States of the Union.

The residents of Oklahoma have desired to enter the combination of States with a constitution that would be not only unlike many others, but also one that would properly safeguard their interests. They have been holding a constitutional convention with that purpose in view, and the constitution they agreed on has been accepted by the President.

There have been humorous comments because the people of Oklahoma discussed so many topics in their constitutional convention and desired to incorporate so many "planks" in it. Nevertheless, the general opinion will be that they showed excellent judgment.

The inhabitants of Oklahoma have learned much from the experience of other States. If they, therefore, decide that they want sober communities and require prohibition, which was put into the constitution, that is their business. Besides, they have many thousand Indians to whom they do not care to give the privilege of buying liquor. The State is, therefore, supposed to be a "dry" one for twenty-one years.

Eight per cent of the legal voters have the right to propose any legislative measure, and 15 per cent may propose amendments to the constitution by petition.

The referendum may be ordered, except as to laws necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety, by 5 per cent of the legal voters or by the legislature. Referendum petitions must be filed with the secretary of state not more than ninety days after the adjournment of the legislature. This provision is also extended to cover municipalities as well as the State.

This referendum clause in a constitution may sometimes prove of great value. In times of popular excitement over grave problems which arise in state or municipal affairs, the referendum, if it can be invoked, gives the citizens an opportunity to express their views. Many very objectionable laws would never have been placed on the statute book if the taxpayers could have had a voice in the matter through the referendum.

Manufacturers and miners will become more interested in this new State now because it is rich in natural resources and is destined to become a very wealthy Commonwealth. The farming lands in some portions are worth \$75 per acre, and all the products of the temperate zone flourish in every county. The State is full of mineral wealth.

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