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NO INAUGURAL BALL.

Time-Honored Climax to Inauguration Ceremonies Will Give Place to a General Reception.

Washington Dispatch, 20th. The time-honored inaugural ball, the climax of ceremonies incident to the inauguration of Presidents of the United States, will not be given this year-. In compliance with Presidentelect Wilson's wishes, the inaugural committee at a special meting to-day, unanimously decided to eliminate

The committee also decided a public reception at the capitol or elsewhere, suggested by Governor Wilson as a not within its jurisdiction and if one is held Congress must appropriate and make necessary arrangements for it. The committee took the position that the proposed reception would be purely a governmental function, under control of the joint Congressional inaugural committee. In a resolution adopted, however, the committee announced that it would co-operate in every way possible with all arrange-ments for the successful inauguration of the President-elect.

Governor Wilson's wish, in the event of there being a public reception on March 4th, is that Mrs. Wilson and the Misses Wilson should not be expected to attend. This information was conveyed to the inaugural committee having in charge the inaugural ceremonies.

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mally suggested to William E. Eustis, chairman of the inaugural committee, that a popular reception in the Capi-tol building at Washington be substi-tuted for the inaugural ball.

Mr. Wilson this morning had re-ceived a telegram from Mr. Eustis assuring him that the inaugural committee would comply with his wishes with respect to the abandonment of the inaugural ball. A letter also came asking the President-elect for suggestions.

"I suggested for their considera-tion," said Mr. Wilson, "a general re-ception in the rotunda of the Capitol." Mr. Wilson said he expected the details to be worked out by the comcommittee, but reiterated that the en-

To Put An End to Trusts and Monopolies Under New Jersey Laws.

Trenton, N. J., Dispatch, 20th. President-elect Wilson today reached what he considers the climax of his programme of reform as Governor of New Jersey. Seven bills, making for the most extensive revision of the corporation laws in the history of the State, were introduced tonight in the State Legislature.

"These acts are designed to put an end to trusts and monopolies under the laws of New Jersey," declared Governor Wilson in a prepared statement describing the measures, "and I confidently predict that they will ac-complish that much-desired result."

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the existence of holding companies, and the issuance of watered stock, is one which the Governor has advocated repeatedly during the National campaign, the Governor declared to-night that the proposed legislation had been withdrawn the conditions in the State of New Jersey alone in

mind. "These bills embody my ideas of the way New Jersey should deal with the question," he said. "National legislation might have to be different."

Electoral Returns Slow Coming in-Must be in by January 27.

Washington Dispatch, 10th.

To comply with the law it will be necessary for all the States to get all their electoral returns to Washington by the beginning of next week. The requirement is that all the re-

turns shall be in the hands of the president of the Senate by Monday, January 27, and a warning was sent out from the offices of the president of the Senate that if the reports were not received by that date the States failing would be in danger of losing their votes.

Up to the close of business last night only 15 States had reported by messenger and 35 by mail. States are required to report their votes by both methods.

Not only does the law provide that States failing to get in their votes on time may be deprived of their votes, but it operates so as to cause messengers to lose the mileage pay allowed them for bringing the votes to Washington. This is 25 cents a mile, one way, and is a considerable item in cases of men coming from far distant States.

The imposition of penalties is op-tional with the presiding officer of the Senate and never has been exercised but ordinarily the returns have come in more promptly than in the present year.

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How to Teach a Child to Be Truthful.

In the February Woman's Home Companion appears, in the "House-hold Problem" department, the fol-lowing letter from a subscriber:---

"My little Marie, five years old, tells me remarkable stories, which are evidently untrue. How shall I teach her the difference between truth and falshood?"

The editor of the department makes the following answer:-

"The line between truth and falsehood is not an obvious one at all times when people are fifty, and a child of five should be pardoned if she does not see it plainly. Little children live in a wonder-world. They have vivid imaginations. Half the time they are dwelling in a fairy-story. Pay no attention to extraordinary statements made by Marie, if they have nothing to do with ill temper or naughtiness. The way to make a child truthful is always to speak the truth to the child Added to this it is well never to doubt a child, but to accept whatever the child may tell you as perfectly true. A child should not know that there is

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