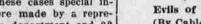


That President Taft deemed the "insubordination" of Pinchot of sufficient importance to consult his cabinet adds to the significance of his says under the law requiring the act, for it is construed by many mem- commissioner to have all suspicious bers of the house and senate to mean fires investigated, there have been that the Ballinger-Pinchot controver- investigated during the past year 135 sy has now assumed the importance of a national issue. Many competent vestigations were made by a repre-



found by Buist. A friend of De Janon who is devoting his entire time to the case, de- North Carolina Historical Commisclared at Philadelphia today that a sion, which had the bust erected and woman had aided Roberta to carry set up. The following program will

out her plan to elope with Cohen. Evils of Six Day Races.

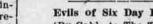
Address-William A. Graham, by

ous conferences on the subject of rail- the law every fire is required to be completed, under the auspices of the road legislation and while the hill is reported to this department by either probably not exactly what he desires, the building inspector or the Chief he will doubtless father it in the of Fire Department or Chief of Po-

send act, although it was drawn by cur outside of cities and towns it is determined to "make haste slowly," Attorney General Wickersham. Mr. made the duty of the sheriff to re- it is equally certain that there will

dent of the United States, Mr. Pinchot and his friends who have wide experience in matters of political importance do not intend to be hurried

Insurance Commissioner Young fires. In all these cases special in-



senate. If the measure passes, it will lice in every city or incorporated in the matter of publicly setting forth mose likely be known as the Town- town of the state, and where fires oc- his position, and while they are thus

to judge profess to see in the dra- sentative of the department and 22 matic climax the shadow of Roosevelt prosecutions were commenced. There and the entering wedge of a split in were 9 convictions during the year, the administration forces in congress. the combined sentences of which ag-With hardly an exception it is agreed gregated about fifty years. Five suson all sides that the president could pects left the state pending investinot have acted otherwise, if admin- gations. In thirty cases no clues istration discipline was to be pre- could be obtained. In thirteen cases served, for it is admitted by Mr. Pin- there were strong suspicions and chot's friends that he violated the such as to satisfy the officer in re-1909, which forbids subordinates the evidence was not sufficientn upon physical examinations. from furnishing information to con- which to justify convictions. gressmen without consent of the head Commissioner Young says it was of the department.

The president, having had the ex- fires were the results of over-insurperience of a federal judge, could ance. Ten were accidents, four were not brook the violation of an order caused by boys with cigarettes, one any more than he could have con- by a crazy woman, one by carelesadoned a gross contempt of court. ness of a housekeeper and the burn-

The . only criticism heard today ing of three school houses were rewas that the president delayed action sults of factional fights in regard too long. The opposition to the Pin- either to the location or management chot forest reserve policy yay that of the schools. In one case the fire after the chief fofester delivered his was caused by the carelessness of New York address, which got into carpenters. In the trials one case was not

the papers before its official release some days ago at New York, the presprossed, six were found not guilty ident would have been fully justiand four are still on the docket for fied in asking Pinchot's resignation, trial. Commissioner Young says that and if it had been requested it would under the law requiring the putting have been tendered without delay. in of fire escapes and the proper

The whole matter has now assum-ed an entirely different aspect, how-halfs, he had sixty-two towns inever. Congress has taken the initial spected and is very much gratified at steps for an investigation that prom- the manuer in which the citizens and ises to lay bare the inside workings officers of the towns have complied of the general land office patents. with the requirements of the law.

Witnesses, many of whom are ployes in the land office and the forest service may be influenced in their testimony by what has happened to Glavis, Pinchot, Price and Shaw. This is the comment heard at the

capital today. Friends of Secretary Ballinger say that employes who may be called as witnesses have been assured that they will be required to tell all they know and that no one will be disturbed in their positions because of testimony they may give before the investiga-

A report was circulated today that of her daughter. President Taft might veto the joint resolution to investigate Secretary Ballinger and the forestry bureau, has been made by Dr. J. R. Biggs and Bailinger and the forestry bureau, but inquiry among the leaders in con-gress shows the report to be with-out foundation. The resolution to investigate Mr. Bailinger was not onsidered by congress until after Mr. Bailinger had appealed to the pres-Sterling, who is recovering, does held in the military camps and the bot y congress until after Mr.

(Continued on Page Two.)

(By Cable to The Times) Berlin, Jan. 8-Proof of the evils of six-day bicycle racing was given today when it was learned that Walter Rutt, one of the team which won the races here and in New York, is suffering from enlargement of the ineligible to service in the German executive order of November 26, gard to the causes of the fires, but all six-day races or compel complete

found that in twenty-six cases the

MEDAL FOR NURSE.

Sacrificed Her Life for Sick Patient

and Mother May Get Carnegie Medal.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

of Miss Mary R. Brown, the nurse

who died Thursday as a result of be-

ing shot by Martin L. Sterling, a de-

Washington, Jan. 8-The mother

**EFFORTS AT PEACE BEEN ABANDONED** 

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Bluefields, Jan. 8-Peace negotiations between the forces of General Estrada and President Madriz have been postponed as a result of the death of General Fornos Diaz, the insurgent

leader, who was drowned off the coast near Greytown while on his way to confer with the peace representatives of Zelaya's successor. There is now it is eminently fitting that the first tonight. on prospect that a decisive battle at Acoyaha can be averted, with probable heavy loss of life. The death of General Diaz who was

generally beloved has cost the United States many more friends here. It is understood that appeal was made to the commander of the American war vessel to take him to Greytown but the request was refused and he

swamped by the heavy seas Although Diaz was politically a bitter enemy of President Madriz, the personal relations between the two personal relations between the were close. General Diaz toop up the task of bringing about an agreement

between the opposing forces against the advice of his friends, and his in-Managua over the route by which one

lirious patient, may receive a Carne- of the two divisions of General Estragie hero medal and a reward of da's army is advancing on the capi-\$1,000 as a memento of the bravery tal-by the sea, the San Juan River from Greytown, and Lake Nicarague He was one of the foramost of the rebels and probably the most power-fut next to Estrada. He left a sick bed Requests for the blanks necessary to make application for the medals

not yet know of Miss Brown's death. churches,

Address-Memorials in a Democratic State. by Thomas W. Mason.

be observed:

Frank Nash.

Presentation of the Bust, by the chairman of the Historical Commission, J. Bryan Grimes.

heart and defective hearing. He is Acceptance by the governor of North Carolina, William W. Kitchin. army. The authorities will forbid Unveiling by William A. Graham, Jr. the Fourth.

> The bust is the work of the wellknown sculptor, F. W. Ruckstuhl, of New York, and was carved by him BANQUET TO STEEL last summer in Italy. It is of the BANQUET TO STEEL finest Carrara marble, and is a beautiful work of art and a speaking likeness of the great with Carolinian whose memory designed to hon-or. It has been placed in the north-

western niche of the rotunda of the capitol, and makes a beautiful ornament to what travelers pronounce to be one of the most impressive rotundas in the country.

hundreds of dollars, than the annual Perhaaps no other man in the history of the state served her longer banquet of the Carnegie Steel Comor better than Governor Graham, and pany, officials at the Fort Pitt Hote

bust to be erected in the capitol, the \$100 a plate. The officials, inscene of his splendid achievements, should be his. The occasion of the cluding department heads and supunveiling promises to be one of great enintendents of plants and guests, will be seated in a beautiful garden in interest, and a large and representad the center of which will be a large terests of New Jersey, New York and tive audience from all over the state artificial lake with real birds and the south are planning a central nawill be present.

ova, recently recovered by the Histor- for the annual meet of the steel mag- president of the Cotton Growers' Asstarted out in a small boat that was ical Commission after more than nates will be far surpassed by the socitaion of Atlanta. three-quarters of a century, will also display tonight.

be on exhibition that evening in the An army of workmen has been enbe on exhibition that evening in the guged for a week preparing the fairy-east corridar on the second floor of land spot for tonight, with all doors "When Secretary Cortelyou caused

The North Carolina Historical S. Noble, Chapel Hill, and D. H. Hill, Raleigh.

## COAL BATES LOWERED.

**Corporation Reduces Coal Freight** Rates About 33 1-8 Per Cent.

The corporation commission has isof course, only applies to intra-state the murder of Clarence Glover, who realty building for \$250,000 has been sured. The owners of the mill to shipments.

and Barnet

Same.

-The Value of Historical Townsend, however, was one of the port fires. These fires are required be fireworks enough very soon, to members of the commission appoint- to be reported whether there is any satisfy the curiosity of the most exed by the president several months insurance property burned or not.

ago to study the railroad question Commissioner Young says from and report recommendations for July 1st to January 1st 1910, 2,033 legislation. He is one of the best au- fires were reported to the depart- throwing their hats into the air and thorities on the subject in the house, ment with causes as follows: 480 and was the only member of either unknown: 1.167 cause not given; 49

house on the president's commission. exposure: 12 incendiary internal: 30 He assisted the attorney general in incendiary external; 32 lightning; 5 the preparation of the bill which is ashes: I chimney; 7 carelessness of adults; 3 carlessness of children; 5 carelessness with matches; 70 defective flues: 5 electricity; 22 ex-

plosion: 5 fireworks: 4 friction: 4 gas: 4 gasoline: 1 kerosene: 8 rats: 104 sparks; 11 stove pipes; 4 spontaneous combustion, total 2,033. Commissioner Young says it will be

a large number of the fires came from preventable causes and that the history of this city has a more ex- zens of the state in preventing these pensive dinner been arranged, including causes would lead to a very decided dainties and delicacies which have cost reduction of the fire waste.

WANT & CENTRAL BANK.

One hundren plates will be set at To be Located at Washington Says Harvie Jordan.

> (By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, Jan. 8-Banking in- porary successor.

fishes. The Grecian Garden reproduced tional bank to be located in Washing-The statue of Washington by Can- in the Hotel Schenley a few years ago ton, according to Harvie Jordan,

and entrances kept closed and guarded the United States treasury to come to The North Carolina Historical day and night by Carnegie Steel Com. the United States (reasury to come to pany detectives to prevent anyone not last panic, he established a precedent which must hereafter the precedent which must hereafter the followed in the prevent anyone of the banks during the sauls, seventeen-year-old son of J. M. Sauls, night watchman at the postofof Raleigh; R. D. W. Connor, secre- nessing the beautiful garden which is which must hereafter be followed. the causion was the last hope of a for Raleigh; R. D. W. Connor, secre-tary, of Raleigh; W. J. Peele, Ral-being prepared for the eyes of the Steel Therefore, the financial institutions General Dias undertook to reach eigh; Thos. W. Blount, Roper; M. C. are expected to arrive this afternoov Washington instead of to Wall street Young Sauls was slightly injured. "The act of congress known as 'the

Disrict Sales Agents of the company urgent currency bill,' authorizing the from all parts of the country here to- secretary of the treasury to loan day and are conferring with depart- money on approved securities, practically makes Washington the financial center of the country.

and the state of the

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) made. was shot recently.

acting.

Meanwhile the insurgents in the senate and the house are figuratively shouting, "Good-bye, Gifford."

## Pinchot Cheered.

Washington, Jan. 8-George P. McCabe, solicitor of the United States Agricultural Department, acting under orders from Secretary Wilson, today took charge of the forest service. This was made necessary owing to the fact that Albert F. Potter, an assistant forester, who was designated yesterday by Secretary Wilson to temporarily take over the office of seen from the causes as reported that Chief Forester Pinchot, is at present in Denver Col. Mr. Potter is expected to return to Washington at once. Mr. Pinchot, Mr. Price and Mr.

Show were at their offices this morning soon after 9 o'clock. Mr. Pinchot conferred behind closed doors with the heads in charge of the various divisions of the service. An outbreak of applause from his former subordinates greeted Mr. Pinchot when he bade them official farewell and greeted Mr. McCabe as his tem-

Albert F. Potter is a Californian. who has been several years in the forestry service. He has a reputation for "doing things."

Following the example of Mr. Pinchot, neither Mr. Price nor Mr. Shaw "Washington will be the financial would today comment on their dis-

## Boy Kills Cracksmen.

Tallahassee, Fla., Jan. 8-Paul fice, killed two cracksmen early this Both burglars were white but bave not yet been identified.

## Fire Destroys Saw Mill.

Wadesboro, Jan. 8-Fire destroyed the Hartsell & Fetzer saw mill with

"The plan is to make the Central lumber stacked on the yard some National Bank of Washington the de-time during last night. The mill has sued a circular reducing mileage Cambridge, Mass, Jan. 8—Hattie pository for the reserve fund of the been closed down for some time and freight rates on coal 38 1-3 per cent. Le Blanche, 16 years old was indicted many banks interested in the central This will be effective February 1, and, by the grand jury this afternoon for bank. An offer for the United States machinery and lumber was not in-

side at Concord.

and will be entertained at the Fort to prevent panics. Pitt Hotel and the Duquesne Club. "The act of congo ment heads. , Indicted for Murder.



to bear his name.