



Stephen R. Mallory, United States senator from Florida, died at his home in Pensacola.

An Associated Press dispatch under date of Denver, December 24, follows: "The baggage car and first coach of train No. 25, north-bound on the Colorado & Southern railroad which left Denver at 10 o'clock this morning, was blown from the track and overturned in the ditch a quarter of a mile north of Marshall, a coal camp ten miles south of Boulder, about noon today. One person was killed, five were seriously injured and a number of others slightly hurt."

This cablegram from St. Petersburg was carried by the Associated Press: "The trial of 169 members of the first douma who signed the Viborg manifesto about eighteen months ago, calling upon the citizens of Russia to stand up for their rights, for popular representation and for an imperial parliament, will begin tomorrow before the court of appeals. The former douma members are charged with high treason and the promulgation of an appeal to the people, calling upon them to refuse to pay taxes or serve in the army and navy. The verdict of guilty is anticipated, as the gist of the accusation is established by the text of the manifesto and only a technical defense can be interposed. But there is no reason to anticipate the infliction of the maximum penalty, which is death. The majority of the defendants have abandoned all hope of acquittal, but are looking forward to a light sentence, such as a year's imprisonment, or some similar punishment. The prominence of the accused, however, among whom are Prof. Serge Mourmstoff, former president of the lower house, Petrunkevitch and many other leaders, and the total ineffectiveness of the Viborg appeal may induce the government to favor leniency. Seven of the leading lawyers of Russia, headed by Vasill Maklakoff, the leader of the constitutional democrats in the second douma, and M. Talenko will appear for the defense. The prosecution will be conducted by Crown Attorney Ebert. The trial is expected to last ten days."

An Associated Press dispatch from New York follows: "The Republican club tonight indorsed Governor Hughes as a candidate for the republican presidential nomination and called upon the republican organizations throughout the country to cooperate in securing his nomination and election. There were over three hundred members of the club present and all but nine voted for the resolution, which was as follows: 'Resolved, That the Republican club of the city of New York indorses Governor Charles Evans Hughes as the republican candidate for the presidency of the United States of America in 1908 and invites the co-operation of kindred organizations and of the people generally throughout the city, state and nation to secure his nomination and election.' The meeting was an extra one, called to act on the indorsing of Governor Hughes for president. The secretary said there never had been so large an attendance at a club meeting. The meeting was secret. After some debate the resolution indorsing Governor Hughes was adopted with only nine members voting against it. The nine members who voted against the

resolution, it is stated, declared they were for Governor Hughes, but thought it unwise to pass the resolution at this time."

Governor Broward has appointed William James Bryan of Jacksonville to succeed the late Stephen R. Mallory as United States senator from Florida. A Jacksonville dispatch says: "Mr. Bryan is a prominent young attorney, only thirty-one years of age, and now holds the position of county solicitor for this (Duval) county. He was born in Orange county, Florida, October 10, 1876. He is the son of John M. Bryan, who served fourteen years as state senator and afterwards as a member of the state railroad commission. Mr. Bryan was reared in the vicinity of his birthplace and attended the local schools. Later he attended Emory college, where he graduated with the degree of bachelor of arts in 1896. Three years later he graduated professionally at Washington and Lee university and at once began to practice law in Jacksonville. In 1902 he was nominated

for county solicitor of the criminal court of record of Duval county and still holds that office. Mr. Bryan is a member of the law firm of Bryan & Bryan, his partner being Nathan P. Bryan, chairman of the state educational board of control. He has always been active in politics and at present is a member of the democratic executive committee of which Duncan U. Fletcher is chairman. About two months ago Mr. Bryan announced his candidacy for the United States senatorship to succeed Senator Mallory. He is not related to William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska."

THINKS IT IS NEWS

On the bulletin board of a large brokerage house in New York on Saturday, the following notice was posted, and it attracted a great deal of attention:

Five thousand years ago Moses came down from the Mount and brought with him a tablet on which was written, "Thou shalt not steal."

Two thousand years ago the same advice was preached to mankind.

Today President Roosevelt is giving the same advice, and Wall Street thinks it is news.—The Monitor.

NO TIME TO CELEBRATE

The brave ship was wallowing in the waves that threatened to engulf her at any moment.

Hastily the captain ordered a box of rockets and flares brought to the

rail, and with his own hands ignited a number of them in the hope that they would be seen and the passengers and crew rescued.

"Mid the rockets' red glare, a tall, thin, austere individual found his way with difficulty to the rail and spoke to the captain.

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