Christmas! Christmas! Just Six Days to Do Your Holiday Shopping

Nearer and nearer we are approaching that great day, and busier and busier we continue to grow. There were many inroads made into our holiday stocks, but these have all been strengthened by the addition of new goods for this last week of Christmas shopping. There is splendid choosing now.

an opportune time. Right now, when all are pondering over the perplexing question

of what to give, we suggest two things

that would be most welcome and appreciative on miffer Handsome Net Waists, at \$5.00, \$5.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, up to \$18.00 each. The Elegant Black Silk Waists, at \$5.00,

\$6.00 and \$7.00 each. What woman wouldn't welcome a pretty piece of fur on Xmas morning?. Many new and styllish scarfs are here, such as Genuine Minks, Ermines, Martens, Fox.

Gifts for Men.

priced for this great holiday season.

TICAL THINGS. In our men's store you will find just now only many things that are entirely exclu- Initial Handkerchiefs, all linen, \$1.40 and sive, but many values that are out of the \$2.00 per box. fancy, such as pretty mufflers, fancy hose, may be a help to you.

Furs and Waists for Xmas, | silk suspenders, neckwear, gloves, shirts, Our Cloak Department suggests itself at our main entrance, to the left. Prices are etc. Our men's store is but a step inside right, too.

A gift that will please the most particular man-a bath or lounging robe. Ask to see our special Terry Cloth Robe, with hood, priced at \$4.00 each. Pretty Blanket Robes at \$5.00, \$6.50 and

\$8.00 ench. The Finest Imported Wool Robes, patterns that are exclusive here, prices \$11.00 and \$13.50 each.

Neckwear in abundance, the kind that will please the particular man. All the newest novelties are shown in our men's Holiday Umbrella, handles of gold, sliver, Squirrel, Astrakhans, etc., all modestly store. The popular prices, 25c and 50c each. Better ones at \$1.00 and \$1.50 each. Gloves-Every man must wear gloves-an

BE SENSIBLE THIS YEAR-GIVE PRAC- Ideal gift If you don't know the size, buy him a glove certificate and let him pick out his own gloves before or after Xmas. not only the broadest and finest collection. A great many are doing this. Prices are of holiday furnishings we over had; not \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per pair.

ordinary. Just now there are hundreds of See display of men's fixings in 16th street make a beautiful Xmas gift. wearables that appeal to men's vanity and window, just routh of main entrance. It

Gift Umbrellas.

One can never make a mistake if the gift is an umbrella. So many styles in handles are here that we can mention only a few-gold, sliver, gun metal, ivory, horn, best made and the coverings are the finest, black and colors, and the price range is so wide that any pocketbook can be accom-

Our \$2.00 special, good quality, with fancy wood, gold or silver or gun metal handles. \$4.00 each, with finest of natural stocks. either plain or silver trimmed. Worthy of special mention is our \$5.00

gun metal or natural wood, best of frames and coverings. Our novelty line is really handsome. Never have we shown such exclusive novel-

ties, finest imported handles, prices, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 up to \$25.00 each. Ask to see the Tourist's Umbrella Case We have them for nien or women, made of finest seal leather, in black or tan pigskin. lined with silk velvet. One of these would Buy the Xmas Umbrella now.

Main floor, left of main entrance.

Open evenings until Xmas.



NAVAL LAWS ARE ARCHAIC

President Sends Message to Congress Urging New rersonnel Bill.

OFFICERS TOO LONG IN LOWER RANKS

Almost to the Retiring Age When They Reach Fing Rank Under Existing Law-Grade of Vice Admiral Suggested.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 .- The president ment to congress today the following message, accompanying a draft of a new naval personnel bill; To the Senate and House of Representa-

tives: In my last three annual messages I have in my last three annual messages I have invited the attention of the congress to the urgent necessity of such legislation as will cause officers of the line of the navy to reach the grades of captain and rear admirsi at less advanced ages and will give them more experience and training in the Important auties of those grades. Under the present archaic system of promotion, without parameted in the navy of any other first-class power, captains are commiswithout parameters of the navy of any other first-class power, captains are commissioned at the average age of 56 and rear admirals at the average of 60. This system is the result of a long continued prejudice in favor of a method of promotion by which all ileutenants, in order of senierity, pass through the several grades until they eventually become rear admirals, a method which sacrifices the good of the service to the interest of individual medicericity. As a direct consequence of the existing method naval officers obtain more than ample service in subordinate positions, but have a limited and inadequate experience as captains in command of freelred list. I am firmly of the opinion that unless the present condition of the higher commissioned personnel is rectified the future of our navy will be gravely compromised.

I forward herewith a letter of the secretary of the navy enclosing duplicate drafts of the proposed bill. I also forward a copy of the report of the personnel board of the navy. THEODORE ROOSEVELT. The White House, December 17, 1906.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. Se.

HOWE'S TITLE NOW CLEAR (Continued from First Page.)

Falls, S. D.; an appropriation of \$25,000 for the important duties of high commands pertaining to such rank. no opportunity to perfect themselves to the important duties of high commands pertaining to such rank.

System invites Disaster.

History, modern and ancient, has invariably shown that an efficient personnel is the greatest factor toward an effective navy. No matter how well equipped in other respects a navy may be, though its fleet may be composed of powerful, high meet may be composed of powerful, high speed battleships, manoeuvered by compinated tactics based on the latest development of naval science, yet it is grievously hundicapped if directed by admirals and captains who lack experience in their duties and are hampered by long deprivation of independent action and respondent. To oppose such a fleet to one equally good, led by officers more active and more experienced in their duties, is to invite disaster.

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The following table gives the ages of the youngest captains and flag officers with the average years in grade, in the navies of Great Britain, France, Germany, Japan and the United States;

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Captains. As	pė.	in grade
Great Britain	35	11.
France	47	9.
Germany	42	6.
Japan	38	8
United States	55	4.
Sea-going Fing Officers:		
Great Britain	45	- 8.
France	53	14.
Germany	61	- 6.
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United States		
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ago convened a board of six representative line officers, with the assistant secretary of the navy as president, to consider and recommend such changes in existing law relative to the commissioned personnel of the line of the navy as would tend to promote efficiency and economy. The essential tecommendations of the board have been conditive, at \$2,500.

The bill herewith transmitted to the congress has been formulated by the accreating and is based, except in a few details, upon the recommendations of the board. I extrestly recommend its early consideration. Should it be enacted into law it will cause officers on the seagoing list to reach the grade of captain at 43 and rear admirals at 55 and will assure their serving seven years in the grade of captain and accent years in the grade of captain and the enabling them to become thoroughly skillful and efficient in these grades. The accompanying bill also establishes the Establishes New Rank.

grade of vice admiral. This grade has long existed in all other principal navies of the world in order to obtain a selected grade of skilled commanders-in-chief. The commander-in-chief of a fleet, with one or more rear admirals serving under him, is subordinates because of his greater authority and responsibility. On occasions of official importance, of international council or of combined naval action (as, for instance, the Boxer troubles in China) the interests of this great nation demand that our naval representatives shall rank as the equal of the naval representatives of other powers. Moreover, under the accompanying bill, which is the result of recommendations made by a board principally composed of naval officers, a large percentage of the officers are eliminated from the seagoing list and never reach the grade of rear admiral. When it is considered that the naval officers themselves recommend, in order to increase the efficiency of their service, that many be denied their existing privilege of reaching flag rank, it is only just to them that we should place their highest officers on a plane of equal rank with their colleagues of other nations, with whom they are so frequently brought in Official contact.

whom they are so frequently brought in official contact.

If the proposed plan of promotion is carried out it will, as compared with existing law, make a saving of more than \$5,000,000 during the next seven years. The principal part of this saving is made by stopping the voluntary retirement of young licutentant commanders with the rank and pay of commanders on the retired list. I am firmly of the opinion that unless the present condition of the higher commissioned personnel is rectified the future of our navy will be gravely compromised. n they are so frequently brought in

the establishment of a fish culture station at Dell Rapids, S. D.; to pay \$1,000 to Rathbun, Beachery & Co., Webster, S. D. in full compensation for loss in the sale of cattle illegally placed in quarantine by the government inspector at the stock yards t Chicago in 1905; to increase the pension f George W. Cook of Huren, S. D., to

Senator Gamble today introduced bills ncrease the pensions of Justus B. Coomof Beadle county, to \$30 per month, an the pension of Jessie Sharp Pettit, widow of Lieutenant Colonel James S. Pettit, to \$50 per month.

Governor Cummins in Washington. Governor Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, who arrived in Washington tonight, says that he will send a special message to the lowa legislature in January recommending an appropriation for a suitable exhibit as the Jamestown exposition next year.

Minor Matters at Capital. Representative Hull today introduced bill authorizing the secretary of the treas ury to accept from the park commis of Des Molnes, a strip of ground lying between the Des Molnes river and the site purchased by the government for the United States postoffice building, said piec of ground being bounded on the west b First street, on the north by Walnut and on the south by Court avenue, on the cas

The postmaster general has awarded the

grade of vice admiral. This grade has long sion examining surgeon at Albion, Neb., on the recommendation of Congressman McCarthy, vice Dr. W. L. Manchester, re-

Rural carriers appointed for Nebraska routes: Alda, route I, John R. Brown, carrier; Isabell Brown, substitute. Grand Island, route 3, William Schwartz, carrier; John Bussinger, substitute. Rural route No. 2 has been ordered es-

'tablished February 16, at Wheatland, Laramie county, Wyoming, serving 437 people and 155 families

Sebastian B. Hamand has been appointed postmaster at East Peru, Madison county, Iowa, vice F. M. Greene, resigned. The application of C. C. Maryott, D. Mathewson, Harry L. Keefe, C. P. Mathew son and C. M. Mathewson to organize the First National bank of Walthill, Neb., with a \$25,000 capital, has been approved by the mptroller of the currency. The corporate existence of the South

Omaha National bank of South Omaha has been extended twenty years.

RAILROADS WILL MOVE COAL

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week or more. In some towns schools and lighting and manufacturing plants have

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—Cotton mill operatives, numbering about \$2,000, employed in different sections of New England, received an advance in wages today, or a promise of an advance at an early date. In Lowell about 17,000 operatives received an increase of 5 per cent. About 1,900 hands employed by the Dwight Manufacturing company at Chicopes received an advance foday, the amount of which was not aunounced. The Arlington mills in Lawrence announced an increase of 7½ per cent in the wages of 11s 6,000 employes, beginning December 24.

At Nashua, N. H., the mills of the Juckson company posted a notice of an increase of 5 per cent, affecting several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred men. Beginning the first of the year, the wages of the several hundred in the production. This want cannot be supplied from the appropriation for running expenses. The need is urgent. Accordingly I recommend that the secretary of the standing the first an advance to the forest service, upon the security of the standing the first an advance to the forest service, upon the security of the standing the first an advance to the forest service, upon the security of the standing transfer to provide a reasonable working expenses. The need is urgent. Accordingly I recommend that the secretary of the surface and they like with the matter to the form the national forests and greatly limits their from the appropriation cannot be supplied from the hatlonal press and greatly limits their from the appropriation cannot be supplied from the national forests and greatly limits their from the approp

wages of the several hundred employes at the Salmon Falls Manufacturing company's

mills will be increased. It is estimated that by January 1, 150,000 otton mill operatives in various sections of New England will receive an advance in wages ranging from 5 to 10 per cent.

Plumbers, Notice. Meet at Labor Temple at 1 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, December 18, 1996, to attend the funeral of Brother H. M. Burstall. D. P. CLIFTON, President.

Thaw Case Postponed, NEW YORK, Dec. II.—Arguments on the motion of Harry K. Thaw's attorney for a speedy trial of a dismissal of the indictment charging him with the murder of Stanford White, were postponed today until

CUT GLASS-Frenger, 18th and Dodge,

Bee, Dec. 17, '08 MESSAGE ON PUBLIC LANDS

> President (alls Attention of Congress to Much Needed Legislation.

QUESTION IS IMPORTANT AND URGENT

Laws at Present on Statute Books in Many Instances Open the Door to Fraud and Waste of Resources.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.-The president day sent to congress the following mas sage dealing with public land questions: To the Senate and House of Representa-tives: The developments of the last year rephasize with increasing force the need

radical amendment. That provision which permits assignment before patent should be repealed and the entrymin should be required to live for not less than two years at home on the land before patent issues. Otherwise the desert land law will continue to sasist specialtors and other large noise.

in the report of the Public Lands commission, to which I again call your attention. Laws Resonsible for Frauds.

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Laws Resonsible for Frauds.

I am gravely concerned at the extremely unsatisfactory condition of the public land laws and at the prevalence of fraud under their present provisions. For much of this fraud the present laws are chiefly responsible. There is but one way by which the fraudulent acquisition of these lands can be definitely stopped, and therefore I have directed the secretary of the interior in allow no patent to be issued to public lands to their present directed the secretary of the interior will be put to grave inconvenience, or else the fraudulent will in large part go on.

Further, the secretary of the interior will be put to grave inconvenience, or else the fraud will in large part go on.

Further, the secretary of the interior should be enabled to employ enough mining experts to examine the validity of all immeral land claims and to undertake the supervision and control of the use of the individual entry to yn maxing it impossible that the proper government regulation and control (the details of which I shall not at present discuss) the right to work bodies of coal land large enough for profitable development. My own belief is that there should be provision (or leasing oad, oil and gas girlls unsed for present provided and well used, the result will be not only to stop the land fraude, but to prevent delays in patenting land claims and to conserve the indispensable fuel resources of the nation.

Rights-of-Way and Privileges.

Many of the existing laws affecting the form of the existing laws affecting that work. Such a bill should insure to the full resources of the nation.

cal agents and mining experts I recome (Continued from First Page.)

To much fuel in a very short time and in part to an increase in the consumption of fuel that is greater than the increase in the consumption of fuel that is greater than the increase in the consumption of fuel that is greater than the increase in the movement of misscellaneous commodities which cannot be ignored without commodities with the commodities with t

fuel for days, and in some cases for a Working Capital for National Porests, end several small bills were passed under ighting and manufacturing plants have closed and individuals are sharing their small fuel supplies with neighbors.

In Line with the Pure Food Law. The National Food and Drug act which takes effect January 1, 1907, does not affect Chamberiain's Cough Remedy in any manner. No special labels are required on this remedy under that Act, as it is free from oplates and narcotics of every charthis remedy under that Act, as it is free from oplates and narcotics of every character, making it a safe remedy for mothers to use with their children. This remedy has been in use for so many years, and its good qualities are so well known, that no one need hesitate to use it when troubled with a cough or cold.

TEXTILE WORKERS GET RAISE

Thirty Thousand Persons Given Higher Wages in the Mills of New Eugland.

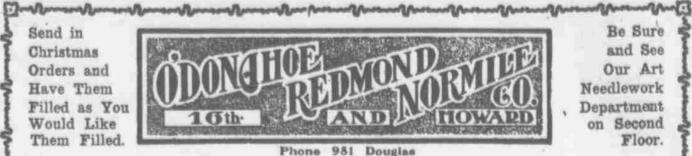
Of New Eugland.

Of Capital to develop it. The yearly running expenses are sufficiently met by the annual appropriation and the proceeds of the forest. Under the care of the forest service the latter are increasing at the rate of more than \$500,000 a year; the estimate of an appropriation for the present year is less than for last year and it is confidently expected that by 1910 the forest service will be entirely self-supporting. In the meantime there is the most urgent need for trails, fences, cabins for the rangers, bridges, telephone lines and the other terms of equipment, without which the reserves cannot be handled to advantage, cannot be protected properly and cannot contribute as they should to the general welfare. Expenditures for such permanent improvements are properly chargeable to capital account. The lack of reasonable working equipment weakens the protection of the national forests and greatly limits their

Indian Lands.

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fleeced quality, all sizes, up to

Special in Our Lace Department

Real imported Spanish Lace Scarfs and head throws, in black and cream, bought at prices that enable us to offer you most remarkable values, ranging from \$7.50

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onsiderable areas of Indian lands of more texamination Mr. Hall, for the defense

Dolls Dolls One entire side of our immense bazaar is all dolls. for Tuesday. A large assortment of dolls,

ues up to \$1.48 at 95¢ China Department

GREAT CHANCE FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS AT SMALL COST Everything in stock under \$2.50 is piled out on bargain tables at 10e-25e-48e-95e and 1.95 Everything over \$2.50, 10% dis-

ALL FANCY CHINA-ALL CUT GLASS-ALL DINNERWARE, in 100-piece sets or open stock patterns, 10% off.

The Great 25% Discount Sale

Is certainly creating a stir in our Cloak department. People are taking advantage of a sale now that is usually held months later, and now at the very time you need and want these garments you can get them at this big discount of 25% off.

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Cloth Coats, from ... \$4.47 up Don't miss this great opportu-

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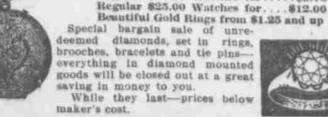
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replaying with increasing force the need tylogorous and immediate a tion to recast the public land laws and adapt them to be actual situation. The timber and stone to has demonstrated conclusively that its feet is to turn over the public timber ands to great corporations. It has done hormous harm, it is no longer needed and should be repeated.

The desert land act results so frequently i fraud and so comparatively seldom in taking homes on the land that it demands allows amendment. That provision which

Otherwise the desert land law will continue to assist speculators and other large nolucers to get control of land and water on the public demain by indefensible means. The commutation clause of the homestead act serves, in a majority of cases, to defeat the purpose of the homestead act itself, which is to facilitate settlement and create homes. In theory the commutation clause should assist the honest settler and doubtless in some cases it does. Far more often it supplies the means by which speculators and toan and mortgage companies secure possession of the land. Actual—not constructive—living at home on the land for three years should be required before commutation, unless it should appear wiser to repeal the commutation clause altogether.

These matters are more fully discussed

The money value of the national forests now reserved for the use and benefit of the people exceeds considerably the sum of

Within or adjoining national forests are

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Spade ranch and the Spade range?" "It is all the same, I suppose." The witness was further examined as to his knowledge of the cattle on what is

known as the Spade range. ne by the secretary of state." strike the testimony of this witness from the record was overruled by the court.

Some More Letters. Joseph A. Walker of the secret service department testified to procuring certain etters from Ami B. Todd in Denver in November, 1905. These letters were signed by C. C. Jameson and Bartlett Richards and related to numerous filing transactions within the Spade range secured through the agency of Todd. All of the letters were written on the letter heads of the Nebraska Land and Feeding company. Notwithstanding the objections of counsel for the dedence. The letters were read to the jury by Mr. Rush and all were of a generally incriminating character, pertaining to filings made by old soldiers at Milford and one or two parties from Plattsmouth. One

ameson, said: ook after them. I would sooner have yo ome with them and have them file south. son take the Milford men out."

in readiness to take them out." Another letter by Mr. Richards said:

will make it as comfortable for them as possible. His land is right near the Spade anch house. His house was struck by Another letter by Richards said:

tion of the letters by the jury, the government at 11:57 a. m. announced that it rested The Indian appropriation bill was taken up and fifteen of the fifty-seven pages com-2 o'clock.

rom a court room bard Monday morning: sages from the president on public lands and the naval personnel were read. The house at 4:30 adjourned until noo-

(Continued from First Page) pasture for a Shorthorn bull.

to be secured by any one or all of the par-I ties to the conspiracy. Every movement of the defendants in this conspiracy looked forward to final proof and every condition to that end was provided for. One of the vital conditions of the homestead law is that actual residence is precedent to the The names of some fifteen or twenty entrymen appearing in certain counts of

indictment on motion of the government Burnham Gets Two Years. During the discussion of Judge Crites demurrer the jury was excused until 9:30 'clock Tuesday morning. Upon the conclusion of the arguments on the demurrer as adjournment was taken until 9:30 o'clock this morning, when Judge

moned ra witnesses, were stricken from the RINGS-Frenzer, 15th and Dodge

Munger will give his decision upon the uestions in controversy. The trial was resumed Monday morning om the adjournment of Saturday morning ecasioned by the death of the infant aughter of Will G. Comstock. The first tness examined was Mrs. Lydia Green Alliance, who testified to having been given to understand by Aquilla Triplett that she would be paid \$500 for her claim on final proof if she was disposed to sell-

accon:plishment of final proof."

attorneys.

the indictment, who had not been sum-

suspension of the rules.

Outlines of Banches. The next witness was E. H. Nixon, special agent of the land department, who testified as to the outlines of the Spade ranch, Overton ranch and C-Bar ranch enlosures, as well as those of what was Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder Co. known as the Spade range. In his cross-

LAWN-CHMETERY asked the witness: 'Don't you know that the Nebraska Land nd Feeding company does not own a foot of land in Sheridan and Cherry counties?" "They claim it," "What is the difference between the ANCHOR FENCE COMPANY,

"I had with me a certified copy of the rands of cattle on those ranges, furnished The motion of counsel for the defense to

etter, written in May, 1965, and signed by

"The Milford men need some manager to In July of the same year Jameson again wrote to Todd: "Better leave the Milford nen until Mr. Richards comes. I hope arrangements will be made to have Fergu-

Want Widows Also. A letter from Mr. Richards to Todd said: 'We want the Milford men to come up October and have the widows come a the same time. We will have everything "If Thresher comes up with his wife he an prove up in a couple of months. We

lightning, but not burned, just crushed in. "I note you went east to see if any intimidation had been made against the widows to persuade them not to prove up. Do not quote me in this matter." The letters were then handed to the jury for examination. Following the examina

its case and an adjournment was taken to The frequent reference to the "Spade" president's message concerning the Panama ranch, range and brand during the trial has been the subject of considerable confusion among the witnesses. The Spade brand is an ace of spades, and by this brand are all the cattle of the Nebraska Land and Feeding company known in that section. This confusion of the Spade nomenclature brought forth the following

To call a spade a spade depends
Upon the lawyer who defends,
And tries a witness to confuse,
By questions strangely weird, obtuse.
A spade may mean an implement,
For agriculture work intent;
Or it may be needed in a place
To take a "pot"—a single see.
So when you "csil" a spade a spade,
Depends when and how the "csil" is n
It may be needed for a "fulf,"
Or passure for a Shorthorn buil.

fraud the government out of title to the Piles Curea in 0 to 14 Days. land, and it was to these defendants that Pazo Ointment is guaranteed to cure any ase of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protrudthe title would ultimately rest when the ng Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded conspiracy was completed. It was by false, fraudulent practices that this title was

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 17.—H. A. Hillman, a young white man, led a successfulati delivery here yesterday, and with two negro prisoners escaped. The men dug a large hole through the outer wall of the jail, the negroes being released from their cells by Hilman, who was allowed the freedom of the corridor. Hilman was employed in one of the large clothing stores here and was arrested yesterday on the charge of selling clothing and never turncharge of selling clothing and never turning in the money.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—George Burnham, ir., general counsel for the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company, recently convicted of larceny, today was sentenced to serve two years in state prison. NOW IS THE TIME TO TAKE

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