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SATURDAY, JAN. 2, 1904.

THE MAYOR'S INAUGURAL.

Recorder Bulger was not present at the installation ceremonies at the City Hall yesterday nor apparent in Mayor Mansfield's inaugural address, and the superficial evidences are that the doctor is trying to do the Mayor's act without the assistance of the dean of the Oswego Democracy.

The selection of Aldermen Earl, Smith and Chrystal for a Committee on Claims can not be the highly commended. It means that there will be no funny business in that part of the city's affairs in so far as these gentlemen can get the pace.

But the selection of Alderman Kane, otherwise known as "Con" Kane, to head the License Committee will not strike a non-verse chord outside the "Red Light" district and its allied interests and sympathizers.

As the Mayor truly, in effect, puts it, the new administration will be judged by its fruits rather than by words. May these fruits be all that he would like to see them.

ELECTRIC RAILWAYS.

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The Rome correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette says that those who follow Italian affairs are perfectly astonished at the statistics of emigration. In 1869 what was considered the immense number of 119,000 men left their native country, the emigrants oscillating between that and 185,000 up to 1881, until in 1887 those numbers were 215,000, rising to 290,000 the very next year.

PORTO RICO AND CONGRESS.

There is a great discussion going on in the papers as to whether Congress shall or shall not admit a delegate from Porto Rico. It is contended that the fundamental law of the Republic makes no provision for delegates from territories and that the whole question will again be raised

Representatives to accord Porto Rico a delegate or not whether that island is upon the same footing as Hawaii or Oklahoma. Delegates do not constitute a part of Congress. They sit in the House only by grace of the House, and have no voting privilege.

A MODEL FAREWELL ADDRESS.

For a statement free from verbosity, compact with information and full of telling suggestiveness—the result of his two years of faithful service in an honorable position—Mayor Baker's farewell address is nothing less than a model.

STANDARD OIL LUCK.

The Standard Oil Company certainly plays in great luck. It is probable that in so far as China, Japan and the Far East, are concerned it anticipates no interruption to its trade from what may follow the present strained relations between Russia and Japan.

IT IS DECLARED TO BE SIGNIFICANT THAT

none of the Standard Oil ships are being put out of commission or into other service because of the war scare. The company's boats go into little ports that are far out of the regular routes of trade in Korea and Japan and China.

CAMPAIGNING IN ENGLAND.

The present lively political campaign in England is productive of all sorts of stories, and among them is one to which the Boston Herald alludes: "Here's a brand-new parrot, sprouts of the great fiscalist campaign in England. A London editor, weary of the favorite slogan of the opponents of Mr. Chamberlain, organized a fiscal parrot competition in which the parrot which could most impressively say 'Your food will cost you more' would receive \$25.

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THE TIGER NOW RULES NEW YORK.

It is over—the old year, and the new one is here.

This sort of weather leaves no sort of excuse for high priced ice the coming summer.

Leap year, and the bachelors and widowers are again in danger and will have to be on the jump to save themselves.

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WHITE'S HORRID EXECUTION.

Like a horrid episode from one of Dunbar or Hugo's historical romances was the story flashed over the wires on Tuesday from Auburn, telling of the electrocution, in the name of the law, of one Frank White, a negro convicted of murder and sentenced to death with all due legal formality.

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Local Notes by the Scribbler.

Observing Leap Year's advent, the first in eight years, the Scribbler has yielded his space to a young woman to-day. The writer feels that she has something of interest to say to her friends, and the TIMES is glad to give her the opportunity.

There are a good many men still unmarried left in Oswego. Some are so from choice and some otherwise. But for both classes there is hope this year, and the women of Oswego are to blame if the wedding bells do not ring out often and merrily during the coming season.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Forecast till 8 P. M. Sunday: For Eastern New York—Snow or to-night, not so cold in the East central portion. Sunday clearing and much colder; breeze from westerly winds, becoming Northwesterly. For Western New York—Snow and continued cold to-night and Sunday; break Northwest to North winds.

Table with columns: PLACE OF OBSERVATION, Height of Barometer, Thermometer, Direction wind, Velocity wind, State of weather. Rows include New York, Albany, Buffalo, Toronto, Montreal, etc.

Local Weather Report. For 24 hours ending at 8 A. M. Jan. 2, 1904. Accumulated excess of deficiency in temperature since Jan. 1.—Total deficit 4.2° F. Total surplus 1.8° F. Net deficit 2.4° F. Maximum temperature 32° F. Minimum temperature 12° F. Mean temperature 22° F. Total precipitation 0.10 inch. Average daily deficiency since Jan. 1.—2.2 inches.

Monthly Meteorological Summary. U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU. OSWEGO, N. Y., December, 1903. AT AVERAGE. (Based on sea level, inches a hundredth.) Mean atmospheric pressure, 29.6; highest pressure, 30.0; lowest pressure, 29.2; direction, S.W. TEMPERATURE. Highest temperature, 42; date 20th; lowest temperature, 12; date 28th; mean temperature, 32.7; range of temperature for this month in inches, 30.0 to 42.0.

Number of clear days, 6; partly cloudy days, 2; cloudy days, 22; days on which 10 inch or more rain fell, 2. Mean dew point, 20. Mean relative humidity, 85. (Data of G. H. BINSLEY, Weather Bureau.) To California for the Winter via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

The Overland Limited and the California Express are daily trains from Chicago to Omaha and San Francisco via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and Union Pacific lines. There are no changes nor delays. Winter tourist rates now in effect. Descriptive booklets free. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., 200 Elicott Square, Buffalo, N. Y.

SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF MONROE. Madge Neville, plaintiff, against George W. Neville, defendant. To the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and, in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

TRIAL TO BE HELD IN THE COUNTY OF MONROE. Action for divorce. Dated this 25th day of October, 1903. T. F. McCARRICK, Plaintiff's Attorney and P. C. Address, 616 Powers Bldg. Rochester, N. Y. To George W. Neville, Defendant.

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. John M. Davy, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 4th day of November, 1903, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of Monroe at the County Court House in the City of Rochester, County of Monroe, State of New York. Dated Nov. 4, 1903. T. F. McCARRICK, Plaintiff's Attorney and P. C. Address, 616 Powers Bldg. Rochester, N. Y. nov14law

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