

Many Buffalo in Canada.
A gentleman of Winnipeg, Canada, who has just been on a business trip into the Northern wilderness of that country, says that there are great numbers of buffalo still alive there. They are wood buffalo, but it is said that they are at all appearance the same as the animals once so numerous on our Western plains. It is said that more than 200 of them were killed by the Indians in the Slave Lake district this season. They are slaughtered for their hides.

The question, where did these wood buffalo so suddenly come from, now naturally suggests itself. The Indians and traders had long given up hope of ever seeing any again. The theory—and a plausible one it is—which is advanced by the traders, is that the remnant of the large herds that once roamed through the prairies and forests of the far west, had been scattered and secluded from the customary haunts of the Indians and safe from the Winchester of the hunters, and rapidly repopulated their decimated numbers. Last winter the weather was unusually severe, and thus the animals were driven southward in search of food, and wandered into the track of the Indians, who only too eagerly rushed among them and slaughtered them right and left.

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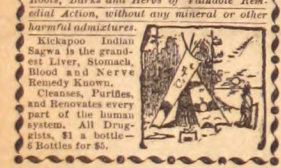
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REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

He Offers Defense for His Course in Pension Matters—Starvation Stalks Abroad in Michigan and Wisconsin—Comptroller of Currency Makes Report.

Interior Department Report.
Washington dispatch: Hoke Smith, Secretary of the Interior, in his annual report reviews the work of all executive branches of the department during the last year. He comments on the inadequacy of legislation that has been enacted to provide for the legitimate procurement of public timber to supply the actual necessities of the people dependent upon it, to promote settlement and develop the natural resources of the public lands. Legislation providing for a wise and comprehensive forestry system is recommended. The Secretary discusses at length the opening of the Cherokee outlet. He says the hardships incurred by applicant was an unavoidable result when so large a crowd, far in excess of the land to be obtained, was pressing to get madly upon it. Referring to the Cherokee Indian allotments, the Secretary states that he sought unsuccessfully to dissuade those representing the Indians from seeking to select town sites for speculative purposes. In order to defeat the plans of the Indian speculators he approved the allotments made, but fixed town sites in such a way as to thwart their schemes. The Secretary recommends the passage of legislation to protect the people not settled in these towns from their unscrupulous speculators. The work of the Indian Bureau shows that they are steadily advancing in civilization. Tribal wars and wars with the whites having ceased, they are increasing, and there are now more than 250,000.



HOKE SMITH.

The payment of Indian Dependent claims is deemed a subject of grave consideration. Under the existing laws the appropriations intended for the support of these Indians will be consumed by the payment of these claims, and a second appropriation will be required to meet their needs. It is estimated that these claims will absorb many millions of dollars, and the policy of subjecting the Treasury to this strain is questioned. The recent hardy men were left destitute when the mine superintendents announced that the pits would not be worked for an indefinite period.

It is no exaggeration to state that 1,000 children on the Gobege range are to-day without food, clothing or shelter. The little children running about the bare floors cannot answer the question, for the cold wind from the broken windows drives them into corners and makes them talk about the stockings they should be wearing and the shoes father can not buy.

Relief committees in Ironwood, Hurley, Bessemer and Ashland are doing all in their power to relieve the distress, but they are scarcely able to take care of so great a charge. It is not probable that the mines on the range will be opened this winter. This means that 2,000 people must be taken care of in the graveyards in that storm-swept section of Wisconsin and Michigan are not to be crossed and recrossed by the black hearses of the village livery. Then, too, the doctors say that typhoid fever has broken out in settlements along the snow-capped ranges and that the broken picket fences of the graveyards must be drawn farther away if the dead are to be kept within the inclosures.

ECKELS MAKES REPORT.

That the Comptroller of the Currency says to Congress.
The annual report of the Comptroller of the Currency, which is submitted to Congress more briefly than the report usually made by that officer, differs from former reports in that no tables appear in the body of the text. It shows 3,796 national banks to have been in operation at the close of the year, with a total amount of circulation was Oct. 31, \$209,311,993, a net increase during the year of \$36,886,972. During the year 119 banks were organized in thirty-two States and Territories, with a capital stock of \$11,200,000, distributed as follows: Forty-two in the capital stock of \$5,135,000, in the eastern States; forty-one, with a capital stock of \$2,340,000, west of the Mississippi River, and thirty-four, with a capital stock of \$3,725,000, in the central and southern States.

While the same period 158 banks suspended, with a capital stock of \$30,300,000. Of this number eighty-six, with a capital stock of \$18,200,000, resumed, and sixty-five passed into the hands of receivers, with a capital stock of \$19,885,000. At the close of the year seven remained in the charge of examiners pending resumption. The aggregate liabilities Oct. 31, 1893, the date of the last report of condition, compared with those of Sept. 30, 1892, were \$400,571,615 less. The shrinkage in liabilities is accounted for by a decrease between the dates mentioned in the following: Capital stock, \$8,032,677; individual deposits, \$314,298,585; and bank and bankers' deposits, \$181,338,743. The increase in resources is as follows: Loans and discounts, \$2,406,926; stocks, etc., \$5,995,564, and due from banks and bankers, \$132,654,654. Cash of all kinds increased \$36,908,600, including \$8,410,815 in gold.

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