

Have Reason to be Proud.

There are figures at hand to prove that Nebraskans have much to be proud of in the state's prosperity as attested by the item of exports for instance:

In 1904 Nebraska's exports totaled \$208,110,576.95, or an increase of \$34,261,309.95, over the shipments of 1901, a growth of \$11,420,456.63 annually in the state's exports. By way of comparison: In 1903 the total exports of Japan were only \$144,751,000; Mexico's exports in 1901 only totaled \$79,003,412; Sweden's in 1900 were \$104,869,313; Spain's in 1900, \$115,818,900 or \$92,000,000 less than Nebraska's in 1904. Our exports equaled three-fifths that of all the Russias, big and little; and were eleven times those of Greece in 1900. And marvelous to state our exports in 1904 were equal to one-seventh of the total value of the merchandise exports of the United States in 1904.

The principal items are: Packing house products, \$60,453,795.94; cattle, \$43,010,595; hogs \$31,543,453.50; corn, \$22,966,018.59; wheat, \$15,741,769.60.

Nebraska's total productions in 1904 were \$501,582,190.63 and her shipments out of the state show that we export 40 per cent of our products. And still there are \$120,000,000 on deposit in the banks of the state, or a per capital deposit of \$116.16 for the entire state.

Which shows conclusively that Nebraska is going some.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass, 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:00 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday. J. J. LOUGHRAN, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL. Morning service at 11 a. m. Sermon, subject "The Holiness of God". Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Evening, preaching at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 8 p. m. GEORGE B. HAWKES, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. subject "Procrastination". Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:15 p. m. Preaching at 8:15 p. m. subject, "Temptation". All are welcome. L. F. SANFORD, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Services in St. Alban's church as follows: Every Sunday in the month, Sunday-school at 10 o'clock a. m. Morning-prayer at 11 a. m. and evening prayer and sermon at 8. The third Sunday in the month Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. All are welcome. E. R. EARLE, Rector.

BAPTIST—The usual services next Sunday. In the morning the pastor will preach on the theme, "The Increasing Light and the Decreasing Light;" in the evening "Watchers at the Cross." At 3 p. m. the pastor will speak at Pickens' school house. A. B. CARSON, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday-school at 10. Sermon 11 and 8. Class at 12. Junior League at 3. Elworth League at 7, Miss Gertrude Storer, leader. The last Sunday before the annual conference. Everybody invited. Good music. M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN Alvin Brown, Beulah Brown and John M. Evans, non-resident defendants, will take notice that on the 25th day of August, 1905, Edward B. Cowles plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Red Willow county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a tax purchaser's lien upon the north half of the northwest quarter of section 14, in town 1, north range 30, west of the 6th principal meridian, for the taxes for the years 1901, 1902 and 1903, that there was due to plaintiff at the time of filing said petition the sum of \$15.80 for the payment of which sum together with costs, accruing interest and attorney's fee, plaintiff prays a decree of foreclosure and a sale of said premises. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 3rd day of October, 1905.—Edw. B. Cowles, Plaintiff.

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In the Limelight Of Publicity

Sculptor Elwell's Quarrel With J. P. Morgan—M. Carey Thomas—Henry James' Wit—Governor Hanly's Work—Miss Van Alen's Dog Caddy



FRANK EDWIN ELWELL.

FRANK EDWIN ELWELL, who was recently suspended from his duties as curator of sculpture at the Metropolitan museum because of a difference of opinion between him and J. Pierpont Morgan, the foremost patron of the institution, is one of the best known of American sculptors. His artistic genius has been recognized in the bestowal upon him of important commissions and by the award of medals and other tokens of honor. Among those conversant with matters of art Mr. Elwell has long been known as an independent thinker who cannot brook the imposition of authority that might in any way fetter the spontaneous development of the various branches of art in this country. It is supposed by his friends that his fighting spirit was aroused by real or fancied dictation of the multimillionaire and art connoisseur in the affairs of the museum, and thus an acrimonious discussion arose in connection with the placing of a statue of ancient origin which recently arrived from Europe. This led to a request for Mr. Elwell's resignation, and the curator replied that he would not tender it until the request was preferred through the proper channels. The acting director of the museum, aware that Mr. Morgan's blood was up in the matter, decided to cut red tape, with the result that some slight force was used in the ejection of Mr. Elwell from the temple of art. He has not said the last word, however, and is expected to bring his case before the full museum board of directors.

Mr. Elwell was born in Concord, Mass., in 1858 and studied sculpture in Paris at the Ecole des Beaux Arts under Falguiere. He was the first American sculptor to model a statue in America that was erected in Europe. One of his most popular works is "Dickens and Little Nell," in Fairmount park, Philadelphia. The monument at Edam, Holland, entitled "Death of Strength" and the statue in Paris called "Awakening of Egypt" are his works.

In the current discussion about the college bred woman and the marriage question Miss M. Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr college, takes the position that a woman who possesses a diploma stands just as good a chance of a happy marriage as a man who wins a sheepskin from a higher institution of learning. "College," says Miss Thomas, "has nothing whatever to do with it, except perhaps to give college women the intelligence to select their husbands a trifle more sensibly."



MISS M. CAREY THOMAS.

Miss Thomas was the first woman elected a trustee of Cornell university and is one of the few American women who hold a degree from a German university. Zurich gave her a doctorate of philosophy in 1883. She was chosen president of Bryn Mawr in 1895.

In a talk at a luncheon recently Dr. Thomas related an incident showing the whimsicalities of children.

"A friend of mine," she said, "once showed me a letter that her little son had written her from Andover. The letter ran like this:

"Dear Mother—I am well, and I hope you are well. Will you please send me \$2? I know the last did not last long, but it is all spent now, and I need \$2 badly. I hope you are well. I am well. Please do not forget \$2.

"Then there was this postscript: "I was so ashamed to ask for money so soon after the last you sent that I sent after the postman to get this letter back, but it was too late; he had gone."

It is only a short time since James J. Hill, as president of the Great Northern railroad, went up against the authority of the national government in connection with the formation of the Northern Securities company. Now the interstate commerce commission makes the assertion that he and his railroad have violated the antitrust provisions of the interstate commerce law. Whether in pushing with characteristic energy his various enterprises Mr. Hill has at any time overstepped the bounds of the law or not, it is generally conceded that he is a man of remarkable genius in his chosen field.



JAMES J. HILL.

Though he has been such a success as a railroad man, Mr. Hill began business life in the steamboat system of transportation. He was not long in deserting it for railroading. The road which he has since made so widely known was at that time considered the slowest in the country. Mr. Hill listened good naturedly to the fun that was naturally poked at his road and worked the harder to improve it.

Meeting Mr. Hill one day in the street in St. Paul, "Diamond Joe" Reynolds,

of upper Mississippi river steamboat fame, said: "Jim, I'll match one of my steamboats against one of your trains in a fair race for \$500 a side."

"Well, I don't know," hesitated Mr. Hill. "Some of your boats are pretty fast."

"Come, I'll race you up stream," urged Reynolds.

"Oh, thunder!" returned Mr. Hill in a disgusted tone. "If you're going to stick to the river then you might as well drop the notion of a race. I thought you meant you'd bring your boat out on the prairie alongside the track and give me some show."

Henry James, who is now in America, lived in England so long that when he recently returned to New York he asked for an old fashioned three cent stamp, as he did in days long gone by, when every letter bore one of that denomination. Mr. James is a true cosmopolite. He was born in New York in 1843, was educated in the United States, France and Switzerland, and from 1869 to 1905 made his home in England. His novels, "The Bostonians," "The Portrait of a Lady," "The Ambassadors," "The Bostonians" and "The Portrait of a Lady," attracted much attention years ago, and he has written forty books since 1875, one of the latest being "The Ambassadors."



HENRY JAMES.

According to the New York Times, Mr. James was recently discussing American writers with a literary acquaintance when he took occasion to bestow warm praise upon the work of a certain American author of the younger school.

"But," interposed his friend, "the man you are admiring is, by the way, one of your severest critics."

"Perhaps," mused the distinguished novelist, "perhaps we are both mistaken."

A highly respected negro lawyer of Cleveland once asked Thomas Dixon, the author, his solution of the negro question.

"Colonization," Dixon replied. "But what about good negroes like Bishop Turner and myself?" "You've got to go and keep the others good," was the rejoinder.

In the hunt for grafters which has been pursued so strenuously of late one of the foremost in the chase is Governor J. Frank Hanly of Indiana. Governor Hanly is not only hot on the trail of race track gamblers and similar offenders, but he is warring against the cigarette. He has determined to break up the practice, so far as Indiana is concerned, of acceptance of railroad passes by public officials. He is also trying to establish a temperance standard in the public service by refusing appointment to office to persons known to use intoxicating beverages.



GOVERNOR HANLY.

In asking for the resignation of the police commissioner of Michigan City recently Governor Hanly said: "Under the present administration there are no 'privileges.' Disregard of official obligation will insure removal in every instance as soon as I learn of such disregard and as quickly as electricity can carry the order. No executive officer has any right to do any 'thinking' as to the propriety or wisdom of existing laws. The general assembly of the state has already done that for him. The people of no city in the state of Indiana have the right to say that the laws of the state, duly and solemnly enacted by the representatives of the whole people of the state, shall be suspended or violated."

Governor Hanly was born in a log cabin in Illinois in 1863, and in traveling up the hill of life he has encountered a good many obstacles. Energy and ambition have overcome them all. Scarcely more than twenty years ago he was a ditch digger, but even then he had a local reputation as an orator. He has served in the Indiana legislature and in congress.

Canine caddies are the latest in the game of golf. They have been introduced at Newport by Miss May Van Alen, daughter of J. J. Van Alen, minister to Italy under Grover Cleveland. Banishing the small boy who formerly carried her golf sticks, she has installed a Scotch collie as caddy. When dressed for the game the dog wears a light leather harness, corresponding in color to his mistress' costume. To the straps across his back are attached a bag large enough to contain six or eight clubs, and from his neck is suspended a pouch for the balls. It is only natural a Scotch dog should be filled with the spirit of the game. The collie follows at Miss Van Alen's heels, ready to provide putter, driver or clegg, as needed. He has also been trained to retrieve. At times he shows an intelligence which is a reproach to his predecessor, and Miss Van Alen avers he is a fine companion. His sense of duty is of the keenest. So is his loyalty, for it is gravely declared that he waves his tail in pride whenever his owner makes a good stroke.



MISS MAY VAN ALEN.

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