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FROM MANY PLACES

EVENTS OF THE DAY TOLD IN A FEW LINES.

THE DAY'S NEWS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Intelligence of Various Kinds, interesting to the General Reader Given in Condensed Form.

Washington.

Representative Latta of Nebraska is spoken of as a presidential possibility in 1912.

Justice White of the supreme court will probably be appointed chief justice of that body.

The Kentucky delegation in congress have formally endorsed Champ Clark for speaker of the house.

Attorney General Wickersham is pushing actions against the trusts and has secured several convictions.

The official census gives the population of the United States, including all of its possessions, at 101,100,000.

A board of naval physicians was appointed by the secretary of the navy to investigate the typhoid epidemic at Annapolis.

Postmaster General Hitchcock reports a reduction of \$11,500,000 in the deficit of that department in the twelve months past.

Juan Sanchez Azcona, a journalist and prominent Mexican, has been arrested on charges preferred by the Mexican government.

President Taft still has quite a task on his hands in the selection of candidates to fill a number of vacancies in the United States court.

The Interstate Commerce Commission have decided that railroads have the right to impose such demurrage charges on private cars as they see fit.

In the first tariff debate of congress Lodge and Aldrich signified their willingness to join with the other members in a piecemeal revision of the tariff.

Captain Peary has turned over to the national museum the gold and silver medals that have been awarded to him at various times by different societies.

A bill calling for an appropriation of \$100,000 to be used in a resurvey of all eligible public lands in Nebraska has been introduced in the house by Representative Kinkaid.

Domestic.

Senator Elkins is very ill at his home in West Virginia.

Inmates of a New York insane asylum are publishing a newspaper.

Navigation on the Ohio river has been suspended on account of ice.

Many new trees will be planted in the national forests of this country.

Tammany Hall in New York city was badly damaged by fire Monday. A writ of habeas corpus has been granted in the case of Porter Charlton.

Amelia Folsom Young, wife of the Mormon prophet and leader, died Sunday.

Friendly relations have been re-established between Bolivia and Argentina.

Sailors in the Brazilian navy who quitted recently have been imprisoned.

The New York board of trade wants the government to fortify the Panama canal.

Railroad train dispatchers are making an effort to secure a raise in salaries.

Bedouins raided Kerak, a Turkish village, and killed a hundred Christians.

The Mississippi river at St. Louis is four feet below the low water mark of 1863.

Oxford won the annual football game from Cambridge by a score of 23 to 18.

New York's new automobile law will net a revenue of \$750,000 a year for that state.

Two Syrians, who kidnaped two eight-year-old Brooklyn lads, have been indicted.

Mrs. Eddy willed a fortune for the promotion of Christian Science to the mother church in Boston.

Mrs. Susannah Cooper of Aberdeen, S. D., has just died at the age of 91, after a fast of two months.

S. W. Rose, a socialist, was elected to the city council of Boloxi, Miss., defeating the democratic nominee.

Dan McGann, former captain and first baseman of the New York Nationals, committed suicide Wednesday.

The naval battalion in the barracks on Combra island near Rio Janeiro have mutinied.

The will of the late Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy leaves about \$1,500,000 to the church of which she was the founder.

Jake Bauer, a Western league ballist, was seriously injured at St. Joseph, Mo., in a gasoline explosion. Several "night riders" on trial at Edyville, Ky., for the murder of Axlom Cooper have been declared not guilty.

The art school of the University of South Carolina has been destroyed by fire.

Ernest Williams, a prisoner in the Oklahoma penitentiary, has developed a case of leprosy.

In a fight at Cerro Prieta, Mexico sixty seditionists were killed and a number wounded.

Dr. Geo. Edgar Vincent of Chicago has been elected president of the university of Minnesota.

There is an agitation in the east for a one-cent letter postage and a bill will probably be presented to congress.

Presbyterians in session at Pittsburg refuse to endorse immersion, but pin their faith to the form of sprinkling.

An effort is being made to negotiate a settlement of the machinists' strike on the Missouri Pacific railroad system.

Quaster and Napier, on trial at Greensboro, N. C., for violation of the anti-white slave laws, were found not guilty.

Striking garment workers in Chicago turn down the plan suggested by the federation of labor to end the strike.

King Manuel, the deposed Portuguese, is said to be a financial wreck, dependent on the bounty of friends in England.

James Gallagher, who shot Mayor Gaynor of New York some time ago, is being examined by alienists as to his sanity.

Booker T. Washington has asked sheriffs of Alabama for statistics in regard to crime among the negroes of that state.

Prizes will be awarded by the French national congress of firemen for maxims to be taught school children so that they will realize the danger of fire.

Floods in Spain and Italy have destroyed crops, submerged bridges, cut out railway and telegraphic communication, and threaten the inhabitants with famine.

The Alaskan steamer Olympia, with over 100 persons aboard, is reported ashore on Sea Island, with a fierce storm raging.

Mrs. Amelia Folsom Young, widow of the famous Brigham Young, Mormon prophet and leader, is dead at Salt Lake City.

Dr. Koch of Philadelphia says the cocaine and morphine habits are increasing to an alarming extent in the United States.

"Jack" Abernathy, the wolf catcher of Oklahoma, has resigned as United States marshal after a session of about twenty minutes at the department of justice.

There is said to be an epidemic of suicides in Russian prisons, alleged to be due to brutal treatment on the part of prison keepers.

Andrew Carnegie has announced a gift of \$10,000,000 to trustees to be devoted to the establishment of universal peace between nations.

A resolution has been adopted by the Russian cabinet permitting Jewish merchants of the first guild to reside in the province of Warsaw.

Mayor Burrows of Painesville, Ohio, ran a moving picture show on Sunday for the local Salvation Army, and is likely to be prosecuted.

George B. Tschuck, treasurer of The Omaha Bee Publishing company for more than thirty years, died of heart disease Wednesday morning.

Frank W. Dowelle, a convict at the state prison at Lansing, Kna., was killed while working in the prison mine by a heavy timber falling on him.

Fifty young women escaped from a burning building in Chicago, clad only in gymnasium costumes. They were doing drills in a school of physical culture.

George W. Glover, son of Mrs. Eddy, the deceased Christian Science leader, has made a statement that he will make no effort to contest his mother's disposition of her estate.

While trying to extract a piece of wire that had caught in the foot of her pet collie, Miss Ellen E. Francis of East Quogue, L. I., was burned to death by her dress catching fire from an open grate.

Americans in Honduras are said to be under continuous espionage by the authorities there in the belief that they may be more or less inclined to take active part in the governmental troubles of that country.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad company has sent a notice to its officials throughout the system that the company does not care to have continued in its employ those persons who are persistent users of cigars.

The north shore of Halcyon lake, in an exclusive section of Mount Auburn cemetery, in Cambridge, will be the last resting place of Mary Baker Glover Eddy, founder and late head of the Christian Science church.

The gift of half a million dollars for the further enlargement and strengthening of the teaching force of Dartmouth college, from Edward Tuck of Paris, who was graduated in '62, has been announced by President Ernest Fox Nichols.

William Fliege was convicted of murder in the second degree at Ponca, Neb., on a charge of killing his sister, Louise, June 20, following a trial which lasted nine days.

Governor Haskell says he will continue calling extra sessions of the legislature until the capital removal bill of Oklahoma is settled.

MARRIED 50 YEARS

CELEBRATED ANNIVERSARY OF GOLDEN WEDDING.

HAPPENINGS OVER THE STATE

What is Going on Here and There That is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska and Vicinity.

Kearney.—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Smead celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday afternoon, assisted by fifty of their friends and all the immediate members of the family. Mr. and Mrs. Smead appeared in wedding garments similar to those they had worn at the wedding in Madison, Ohio, fifty years ago.

Church All Paid For.

Lexington.—Sunday was the biggest day ever known in Methodism in Lexington. The new \$30,000 church was dedicated free from all debt, as the members and friends not only raised the needed \$10,000 unpaid, but exceeded the amount by several thousand dollars in a few minutes time.

Scarlet Fever Closes Schools.

Peru.—The public schools have been closed for a short time on account of scarlet fever. A few mild cases are under physicians' care, properly quarantined and it is thought all will be well in a few days.

Big Artesian Well Flow.

Columbus.—At the farm of Henry Buse, an artesian well was located at the depth of 240 feet. The well is now flowing at the rate of 1,350 gallons per hour.

The Midwest Life.

On December 1st of this year The Midwest Life had written as much insurance as it did in the year 1909. The gain over last year, therefore, will be the amount placed in December. The Midwest Life now has over two and one-half millions of insurance in force on the lives of Nebraska men and women and an income amounting to one hundred thousand dollars a year. This has been accomplished in less than five years. When solicited by an agent of an eastern company for life insurance stop and think the situation over. Weigh the advantages and disadvantages of the transaction. See if it does not appeal to you as a rational business proposition to patronize a Nebraska company. You know the reason why. The money stays in Nebraska not only in good times, but in panics and financial depressions as well. The Midwest Life issues all the standard forms of life insurance policies at reasonable rates. Call or write the home office, 119 South Tenth street, Lincoln, for an agency, or a sample policy.



Chicken thieves are worrying the people at Cortland.

Hastings college will establish systematic gymnastic training.

The churches at Fairbury will hold a series of union revival meetings, beginning January 8.

While cranking his automobile, Vern Christopher, a Hastings man, sustained a broken wrist.

The school board of Kearney has begun a campaign to abolish the use of cigarettes by school boys.

The Elks at Nebraska City will have a Christmas tree and feed for their less fortunate citizens.

York is making an effort to hold a state meeting of real estate men in that city during the holidays.

Loren Caley of Sterling attempted to separate a pair of youthful pugilists and was hit with a brick, sustaining a fracture of the skull.

Samuel Scott, aged 69 years, was stricken with paralysis while on a Lincoln street car and died next day. He leaves a wife and eight children.

Former Chancellor of the University E. Benjamin Andrews, who has been resting at a Lincoln sanitarium for several weeks, is reported as rapidly improving.

The corn contest that has been running for several weeks at Fairbury has closed, and all entries will be placed on exhibition at the Jefferson county farmers' institute. A \$35 piano will be awarded to the party raising the ten best ears of corn.

Burglars surprised in their depredations Sunday night robbed the residence of Bishop George A. Beecher at Omaha of the bishop's ring and seal recently bestowed upon the churchman at his consecration. Valuable sterling tableware and other jewelry was taken.

R. E. Climer and wife of Greenwood were nearly smothered to death by fumes from a new coal stove that refused to work properly.

Currency demands in Nebraska have been so light this fall that one Lincoln bank reports the shipment of about \$100,000, accumulated in the course of its business during November to one of the money centers.

A state wide campaign for the introduction of the German language into grade schools as a part of the regular curriculum has been commenced by the German-American League of Nebraska.

Lincoln has a health club called the One Hundred Year club.

Burglars entered Will Allen's confectionery store at Hildreth and got \$65.

The Grand Island commercial club is making an effort to secure motor car service.

Farmers around Juniata are rejoicing that they have their corn all out of the field.

Hastings will levy a tax of \$20 a day upon itinerant merchants who drift into town.

Fire at Falls City destroyed the building and stock of goods belonging to Samuel Wahl.

The postmaster general has ordered the establishing of Union depot postal station at Omaha.

Business men at Auburn have raised \$2,500 to maintain the baseball club at that place next season.

Dudley Wilcox, aged 22, accidentally shot himself at Elwood Tuesday morning and died in a few minutes.

Applications for nearly 300 saloons have been filed with the fire and police commissioners at Omaha.

Four sisters of the Ursuline school at York, have gone to Edgar and will open, in a short time, a school in that city.

Jefferson county wheat growers are rejoicing over the big fall of snow that visited this vicinity Sunday and Monday.

Grand Island will raise \$100,000 to establish a college at that place. Andrew Carnegie has promised \$20,000 conditionally.

That it might be dedicated free from debt, \$5,000 was raised in the Presbyterian church at Fremont in less than half an hour.

The Shelton gas well is down over 1,300 feet, and gas enough has been found to light with a match. The men who are boring say they will go 4,000 feet if necessary.

Mrs. Amanda Crandall died at her home at Leroy from the effects of wounds sustained about two months ago in a gasoline explosion while preparing a meal.

The Nye-Schneider-Powder company has platted ground at Creighton and is making plans for the erection of an elevator and also coal and lumber yards as soon as weather conditions permit.

Fire Commissioner Johnson has just issued a neat little circular warning prospective users of Christmas trees of the danger from fire connected therewith and taboos the use of tissue paper festoons and cotton bating.



The women's ward at the state penitentiary resembles a large doll shop while the female convicts are making dresses for several dozen dolls which will adorn the W. C. T. U. Christmas tree.

The semi-annual report of the state university to the governor has been filed. It shows that in the six months ending November 30 the receipts of the university from sources independent of taxation were \$76,545.95. The total expenditures during this same period were \$265,093.69.

The appointment of W. R. Jackson of University Place for deputy food commissioner has been announced by Governor-elect Chester H. Aldrich.

Mr. Jackson was a candidate on the democratic ticket at the recent election for the office of state superintendent of public instruction, for which place he was defeated by J. W. Crabtree.

Congressman J. A. Maguire has invited C. G. Elliott, chief of the drainage bureau of the department of agriculture, to Lincoln to deliver a lecture before the state conservation convention, which will be held there the latter part of January. Mr. Elliott has not yet definitely accepted the invitation, but Mr. Maguire is confident that he will do so.

Governor Shallenberger has received notice from the federal treasury department that a warrant has been drawn in favor of the state for \$2,820.25, representing the state's 25 per cent share of the revenue from the forest reserve lands within this state. This money may be applied to public roads or public schools, as the state legislature directs, in the counties in which the forest reserves lie.

The Union Pacific has been permitted to put into effect a new weighing rule on live stock destined for the South Omaha market similar to the rule permitted the Burlington a few days ago. The new rule, which allows unevenly filled cars to be averaged in weight, instead of charging each car separately, will go into effect January 10. The change amounts to a reduction of rates in the cases to which it will specifically apply.

The resignation of First Lieutenant E. J. Shinn of the machine gun battery, N. N. G., has been received and accepted.

The application of the Independent Telephone system of Nebraska to reduce its time limit from five to three minutes will be heard by the railway commission on December 21 at 2 o'clock.

More national guards turned out to inspection this fall than were on the rolls of the guard a year ago; that is, the national guard minus absentees is stronger now than it was a year ago, absentees included.

SHOULD QUIET DOWN

LAFE YOUNG SAYS COUNTRY IS TIRED OF TURMOIL.

BURY THE TARIFF QUESTION

Will be Better off if Congress Shut Up Shop for Two Years—Maiden Speech of Iowan at Attack on Cummins.

Washington.—Senator Lafayette Young of Iowa Friday gave the legislative body of which he been a member exactly ten days the surprise of its existence. He had prepared to make an attack on his colleague, Senator Cummins, who seeks the passage of a concurrent resolution changing the rules of the senate and house so as to permit piecemeal revision of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law. This he did, and more. Doffing his toga, when he arose, he lectured the grave and dignified senators from a standpoint of an editor, which he is in private life.

The senate gasped and then laughed when Mr. Young told it that the country would feel relieved were congress to adjourn altogether for two "solid" years. It gasped again when he alluded to its members in breezy fashion as "boys," and when he declared that the editors of the country and not congress ruled the country the galleries joined with senators in general hilarity.

Senator Young's speech, which occupied less than an hour, commanded the strictest attention. The senator had prepared an address, which was before him on his desk, but he seldom consulted the printed manuscript. He warmed as he proceeded and apparently realizing that it might be at once his salutatory and his swan song, spoke his real thoughts on legislation and on the national legislature.

Convention of Women Voters. Tacoma, Wash.—The first national convention of women voters will be held here January 14, according to plans perfected. The convention was called by Governor Brady of Idaho. Four other equal suffrage states—Utah, Wyoming, Colorado and Washington—representing about 270,000 women voters, will participate. The promoters of the new organization propose calling it the national council of women voters.

Chinese Loan Hangs Fire. Peking.—The government has not yet come to terms with the American financial syndicate over the proposal of the loan of \$50,000,000 to be used by China in furthering currency reforms and other interests of the empire. The final difficulty in the way appears to be in the matter of an appointment of a financial adviser to China, who will be in a position to influence the expenditures.

Appeal to Commissioner Neill. Chicago.—The western railroads have appealed to United States Commissioner of Labor Charles P. Neill and to Chairman Martin Knapp of the interstate commerce commission, to act as mediators in the wage controversy between the railroads and the brotherhood of locomotive engineers.

Mine Explosion Cost Twelve Lives. Norton, Va.—An explosion in the mine of the Bond Coal company at Greeno cost the lives of twelve of the fourteen men in the workings at the time. Only two escaped, one of whom died shortly after being taken out.

Raid on a Bucket Shop. Chicago.—United States secret service officials have raided the offices of the Capital Investment company as a bucketshop.

Fight Fire With Weather 50 Below. Fairbanks, Alaska.—Fire destroyed nine buildings here, entailing a loss in excess of \$120,000. For a time the flames threatened to destroy the entire city. The mercury hovered close to fifty degrees below zero and the suffering of the fire fighters was pitiful.

Candy for the Coke Workers. Uniontown, Pa.—Fifty thousand pounds of candy have been purchased by the Frick Coal & Coke company, a subsidiary of the United States Steel corporation for distribution among the 30,000 children of its employees in the Connellsville and Klondyke regions.

To Start for South Pole. New Haven.—Definite assurance that Harry Whitney of this city intends to start next year, if possible, in search of the south pole is contained in a telegram sent by Mr. Whitney from New Orleans to the Journal-Courier.

Saved From a Massacre. Washington, D. C.—American missionaries at Lienchow probably were saved from a massacre during the riots several weeks ago, in the north-eastern part of Kuantung province, China, by the prompt protective measures adopted by Colonel Lui, commander of the small Chinese military force stationed there, according to details of the disturbance made public at the state department. No Americans were killed, but considerable missionary property at Sam Kwong was destroyed.

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TWO WORLD FAMED GRANNIES

One of These Talented Women is Sarah Bernhardt and the Other Ellen Terry.

Two famous grandmothers are distinguished visitors of this country. Referring to these talented ladies The Rochester Post Express says: "One of the grandmothers is Mme. Sarah Bernhardt; the other is Ellen Terry. Both actresses have reached an age when it is permissible to retire from active life; but the French actress is said to be as energetic as a woman half her age, while Ellen Terry is declared to be as young as ever she was in the palmy days when she and Henry Irving ruled the theatrical world of England. Miss Terry has retired from the stage so far as acting is concerned, and has taken to lecturing on Shakespeare's heroines. And who could do better than she who has played so many of the womanly women of the great dramatist? Readers of her breezy biography know what she thinks of Portia, Beatrice, Volia, Rosalind and other famous women of the tragedies and comedies, but no printed page could charm as does the wonderfully expressive features and the velvet voice of the greatest living English-speaking actress."

Does Your Cat Cough? Poor pussy! As if the immemorial charges against her of keeping us awake o' nights and of eating canary birds whenever she gets the chance were not enough, the doctors have just discovered that for years she has been responsible for the spread of diphtheria. Dr. G. J. Awburn of Manchester, England, having traced an epidemic of this disease in a suburb of that city to a pet cat belonging to one of his patients, has found, after much clever investigation, that all cats are peculiarly susceptible to diphtheritic affections of the throat. He has therefore recently been warning all families who own cats to watch them carefully, and, if they develop coughs, to forbid their being hugged and petted. Dr. Awburn further recommends that if the cough persists and the cat begins to grow thin to have the animal destroyed at once. The only really safe way, he says, is to let the first wheeze be pussy's death warrant.

The great pleasure of life is love; the greatest treasure is contentment; the greatest possession is health; the greatest ease is sleep, and the greatest medicine a true friend.—Temple.

Perhaps our clouds have a silver lining, but it generally takes other people to see it.

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