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RED CLOUD - NEBRASKA

MUST FIGHT TO STAY

ROCKY ROAD PREDICTED FOR SENATOR BROWN.

THE SENATE MAY BE DEMOCRATIC

Gamble, in South Dakota, and Kenyon in Iowa, Are Not Assured of Return, But May Manage to Pull Through.

Washington.—The probable political complexion of the United States senate in 1913 was fully discussed in an article which appeared in the Washington Times Thursday. The Times writer's conclusions are that the senate after the presidential election will be democratic. The article also states that Senator Brown of Nebraska will probably be defeated and replaced by a democrat. In this connection, however, there is a strong feeling here amongst the friends and admirers of George W. Norris that if he should go into the race the senatorship would be saved for the republicans. The article also discusses the situations in Iowa and South Dakota and places Gamble in the doubtful list.

In part the article says: "Norris Brown of Nebraska confronts the probability of one fight for his nomination, and a still more dangerous one for election, with chances in favor of the democrats making a gain."

A \$50,000,000 Bond Issue.

Washington.—Secretary MacVeagh has invited popular subscriptions to a \$50,000,000 issue of government bonds to reimburse the treasury general fund for expenditure on account of the Panama canal. Treasury officials expect the loan will be largely over-subscribed and in distributing new securities the government's announced intention is to give preference to smaller bidders.

Pays \$1,000 for a State Song.

Jefferson City.—The state song committee which met at Columbia Friday, selected words for the state song, but did not find suitable music, according to Governor Hadley, who has received the committee's report. The governor expects to announce the award of \$500 for words agreed upon and offers another \$500 for music to fit the song. There were 1,013 songs submitted.

To Change Inauguration Day.

Washington.—A revised draft of the proposed constitutional amendment, changing the date of the president's inauguration to the last Thursday in April, providing for the convening of congress the second Tuesday of each January and eliminating the biennial short session of that body has been presented to the house by Chairman Henry of the committee on rules.

Odd Fellows Dedicate.

Grand Rapids, S. D.—The South Dakota state Odd Fellows' home, erected at a cost of \$75,000 was dedicated free of debt when 5,000 Odd Fellows from all parts of the state gathered here. The dedicatory address was delivered by F. D. Raymond of Aberdeen, acting grand master.

Oklahoma G. A. R.

Blackwell.—This city is entertaining the annual state encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps and other auxiliary bodies. Visitors from all parts of Oklahoma are in attendance.

Southampton, England.

The long threatened international strike of sailors and firemen, it is reported, has been fixed for May 25, with the object of dislocating traffic during the coronation of King George.

Waupun, Wis.

The case of John F. Dietz, who was found guilty last week of killing Deputy Sheriff Oscar Harp on October 8, during a raid on the Dietz cabin at Cameron dam, will be appealed to the superior court.

Death of Mark Twain Character.

St. Joseph, Mo.—Rev. Henry Bulford, for forty-three years pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church here, one of the heroes of Mark Twain's "Innocents Abroad," died here Tuesday night. He was prominent in the affairs of his church, having been moderator of the synod of Missouri.

National Rejoicing upon an Unusually Extensive Scale.

Wednesday marked the twenty-fifth birthday anniversary of Alfonso XIII, king of Spain and the youngest of all European monarchs.

To Oust Lumber Companies.

Jefferson City.—Testimony in the proceedings instituted in the supreme court by the attorney general against more than forty lumber companies in Missouri alleging that they are in a combination in restraint of trade was taken in St. Louis Wednesday.

Frank N. Hoffstot, the banker-manufacturer of New York city, was acquitted at Pittsburgh of the charge of bribery in connection with the bank depository ordinance exposed in the councilman graft crusade.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

ITEMS OF INTEREST PERTAINING TO VARIOUS LOCALITIES.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANT

The News of Many Climes Told in Short and Pithy Paragraphs, Written Expressly for the Busy Man's Perusal.

Washington

Attorney General Wickersham may consider criminal prosecutions for the officials of the Standard Oil Co.

The supreme court of the United States has ordered the dissolution of the oil trust to take place within six months.

Congress is wary about tackling the free wool schedule as it will mean the cutting out of nearly forty millions of revenue.

Much interest centers on Nebraska in regard to its position in Senator La Follette's candidacy for the presidency in 1912.

Although the special session of congress is but little more than a month old, talk of adjournment has already become general.

Material growth in the popularity of the postal savings bank system is indicated by a statement by Postmaster General Hitchcock.

The United States government has announced its intention of prosecuting Seattle enumerators who are accused of padding the census returns.

There seems to be a diversity of opinion among the members of congress in regard to the decision of the supreme court in the Standard Oil case.

Exports from the United States for the first time in any twelve months period passed the two billion dollar mark, being \$2,012,749,505 for the year ending with April.

Investigation of the United States Steel trust has been ordered by the house, when it passed without opposition the Stanley resolution providing for such an inquiry.

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and its nineteen subsidiary corporations have been declared by the supreme court of the United States a conspiracy and combination in restraint of trade.

The supreme court of the District of Columbia on its own initiative has reinstated proceedings for alleged contempt against President Gompers, Vice-president John Mitchell and Secretary Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor.

Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, president, vice-president and secretary of the American Federation of Labor, respectively, have been purged of contempt by the U. S. supreme court at Washington, in cases growing out of the litigation between the Bucks Stove and Range company of St. Louis and the federation.

General News

The Nova Scotia legislature has dissolved.

The provisional government is making progress in Mexico.

Boy scouts of America want a sane Fourth of July at Spokane.

A treaty between Japan and Spain has been signed at Madrid.

The Victoria memorial monument was unveiled in London Tuesday.

A petition for the admission of Hawaii as a state has been received by the senate.

The Gambler, Ohio, State bank has been closed and a receiver appointed by the state examiner.

The new roadway to the top of the Royal gorge of the Arkansas river was formally opened Friday.

The general synod of the Reformed church of the United States elected Dr. James I. Good of Dayton, Ohio, president.

Delegates from forty countries are in Rome, taking part in the conference of the International Institute of Agriculture.

Former Congressman William B. Baker, known as the father of the rural free delivery system, died at Aberdeen, Mr., aged seventy-one.

Decapitations of rebels and suspects occur daily in Canton. The relatives of those executed do not dare remove the bodies from the streets.

It begins to look like the Mexican federal government is inclined to accept the peace overtures of the rebels.

W. J. Bryan, who is in Toronto, Can., in speaking of the Standard Oil decision, said that it was likely to revive the entire trust question again.

The resolution for the federal income tax amendment has been concurred in by the Wisconsin senate. It has already passed the house.

Eighty students of the University of Missouri occupying the Y. M. C. A. building, were placed under quarantine when it was discovered that one of their number had smallpox.

D. E. Howard, formerly secretary of the treasury of Liberia, has been elected president of the republic.

A poll of the democratic editors of Missouri by the Republic shows that fifty of the 100 editors who replied favor Champ Clark, speaker of the national house of representatives, as the presidential nominee.

The Boston board of health has offered the position of secretary of that body to Dr. Francis H. Slack of the University of Kansas. He will receive a salary of \$3,300 the first year. The present secretary, Charles E. Davis, is to be retired under the veteran act.

Suits brought to test the validity of the Southern Pacific oil and mineral land patents in North Dakota are being pushed.

One is dead and ten injured as the result of the derailment of an interurban car at Oklahoma City.

The forest fires in Pennsylvania, checked last week by rain, have begun to burn with renewed vigor.

Canadian reciprocity will cost the farmers of the northwest \$40,000,000 annually, according to A. H. Wilkin son, a Minnesota farmer.

Prince Ladjl Jessau, grandson of Emperor Menelik, has been proclaimed emperor of Abyssinia. The coronation ceremonies will take place later.

There are alarming rumors of a revolutionary uprising in China. Europeans in Shanghai, the foreign district of Canton, are preparing to leave.

Despite the attorney general's orders to sheriffs to arrest any violators of the Sunday law in Kansas, places of amusement generally ran as usual.

The Brazilian treasure seeking expedition, which set forth from here on April 26, has returned to Rio Janeiro, having failed in its mission.

The provincial governor of Yekaterinoslov, Russia, has given orders for the expulsion of all Jews who are not possessed of permits of residence.

Work was resumed at Sedalia, Mo., in the freight car repair shops of the Missouri Pacific Railroad company, after being closed down four months.

President Diaz and Vice-president Carral will resign before June 1, and Minister of Foreign Relations de la Barra will become president ad interim.

A round-up of 60,000 cattle on ranches in the vicinity of Cananea, Nogales and Naco, Mexico, has been ordered for shipment into the United States.

Thousands of Confederate veterans with throngs of sons of veterans are pouring into Little Rock, Ark., for the twenty-first annual reunion of southern soldiers.

Judge S. B. Pound, a Nebraska pioneer and a leading member of the Nebraska bar, died at his home in Lincoln Sunday morning. He was 78 years old.

Forty thousand persons at Kirin, Manchuria, are homeless as a consequence of the recent conflagration in that city. The money loss is estimated at \$2,000,000.

Carrie Nation, now in a sanitarium in Kansas, has notified parties interested that she will be in Spokane with her little hatchet on the 16th of May, health permitting.

After taking 130 ballots, W. R. Greene of Audubon was nominated by the Iowa Ninth congressional district convention to succeed former Congressman Walter I. Smith.

A pool of the Nebraska delegation shows three of its members opposed to the wording of the decision handed down by Chief Justice White dissolving the Standard Oil company.

Oklahoma City has two sets of contending municipal officers as a result of the refusal of the mayor and city council to turn over the city offices to the newly elected mayor and commissioners.

A cloudburst at Boryslew, an Austrian town of 11,000 inhabitants, important for its petroleum deposits, flooded the place, inundated the houses and shops and caused great damage at the oil works.

King Henry VIII and Edward VI of England were repudiated as the founders of the Anglican church, and school histories recording such as the truth were scored at the session of the Episcopal diocese of Ohio.

After a career of six weeks, the Deutschland, the latest model of Count Zeppelin's ill-fated dirigible balloons, was stranded on the roof of its shed at Dasselendorf a total wreck. The crew and passengers escaped injury.

An investigation at Kiev of the mysterious murder of a Christian boy, Yuschinsky by name, whose death has caused threats to be made of a massacre of Jews in that city, is being made by the Russian government.

One thousand persons are without shelter as the result of a fire which destroyed twenty houses and two large "bull pens" in which men, working at the Hale lock and dam on the Tennessee river near Chattanooga, Tenn., were housed.

The high school building at Portland, Maine, valued with its contents at upwards of \$100,000, was practically destroyed by fire Tuesday morning and many other structures in the business section of the city were for a time threatened.

General Lonell, provisional governor of Sonora, is sending rebel troops from Agua Prieta westward and southward as fast as they can be armed and equipped.

The annual Roman Catholic pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady of Consolation church at Carey, Ohio, began Sunday. The shrine is one of the most famous in the country.

At least a score of members of a mob of 2,000 striking furniture-workers and sympathizers were hurt in a riot at the plant of the Widdicomb Furniture company at Grand Rapids, Mich. Several of the injured may die.

Queen Alexandra has taken up a residence at Sandringham palace, in London, where she will remain until after the coronation.

John Dietz of Cameron Dam was found guilty of murder in the first degree by the jury in the circuit court at Hayward, Wis., and sentenced to life imprisonment.

An armored train filled with federal troops which went south to open the Mexican railroad near Jimenez, returned with the report that the enemy was in overwhelming numbers ready to attack and the battle would have meant annihilation.

IS FATALLY BURNED

COMPANION INJURED TRYING TO SMOTHER FLAMES.

NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

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

Broken Bow.—Miss Fannie Ross, living near Broken Bow, was fatally burned Saturday morning. Mrs. Knoell was also burned but not seriously. A can of paint setting on a hot stove exploded, throwing the blazing contents over the person of Miss Ross. The women were ironing at the time and as the paint began to boil Miss Ross reached for it to set it off and as she touched the can, the explosion occurred.

Loses Part of Hand in Explosion.

Auburn.—The 3-year-old son of Mrs. Rose McKee lost the ends of three of his fingers and the other hand was so badly lacerated that it will be hardly possible to save the index finger, and the palm of the hand is badly cut. He was picking the insides out of a dynamite cartridge while sitting at his desk in the school room.

Dedicate M. E. Church.

David City.—St. Luke's Methodist Episcopal church of this city was formally dedicated Sunday. The principal services were a sermon by Bishop McIntyre, reminiscences led by the Rev. B. W. Marsh of York, sermon by the Rev. G. W. Abbott of Omaha and special music by the choir.

Lyons.—John Craig and his mother, Mrs. A. L. Craig, of this place were killed and several injured, two probably fatally, when a passenger train struck a wagon in which they were riding at a crossing near town. Parts of the wrecked wagon lodged in a switch and derailed the train.

Will Raise Frogs for Market.

Nebraska City.—William Liebold is home from Langdon, Mo., where he was receiving instructions regarding the raising of frogs, an industry he expects to start at once. It is the first venture of this kind in this part of the country.

Is Badly Fractured at Any Rate.

Lincoln.—Probably the record for assignments has been broken in the appeal of William J. Ainley to the supreme court. Eight hundred and eighty assignments of error are made by his attorneys.

Drowned While Fishing.

West Point.—Thomas M. Prantz, the oldest practicing member of the Cumming county bar and a former member of the legislature, was accidentally drowned while fishing at a mill pond.

NEBRASKA

Deshler will have a ball team this season.

Four conventions opened at Lincoln in one day last week.

The Methodists of North Loup are building a new church.

B. C. Ratho, a Sterling shoemaker, suicided by shooting himself Tuesday.

Fremont will have a holiday when the State ball league opens the season there.

A well organized movement for paving the public square is under way at Aurora.

A civil service examination will be held June 3 for rural carrier at Comstock and Lynch, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hayward of Nebraska City have returned from their trip around the world.

The Nebraska Press association will hold its thirty-ninth annual session at Omaha, June 5, 6 and 7.

Benjamin Voight, who was injured in an auto accident several days ago, at Aurora died as a result.

The annual convention of the postmasters of Nebraska will be held at York June 13, 14 and 15. Instead of at Omaha as at first arranged.

Deshler has sent a car load of brooms to Boston.

Kearney is sore afflicted with dandelions, and has started a movement for their extinction.

Andrew J. Minor of Lincoln, a member of the house of representatives during the recent session, died Wednesday of heart failure. He was 68 years old.

Thomas C. Kelsey, a prominent labor leader and a general of a division of the Coxe industrial army of the early nineties, died at Lincoln on Tuesday morning at the age of sixty-six years.

Ernest Hunger, familiarly known as "Dutch" Hunger, was appointed chief of police by the new excise board of Lincoln.

Charles Tuck of Scottsbluff had his head caught between a heavy wheel and the body of a traction engine, and is in the sanitarium with a badly crushed skull. It is quite doubtful if he recovers.

Democratic State Chairman John C. Gyynes of Columbus was stricken with appendicitis Wednesday and his condition became so critical that he was taken to a hospital for an operation at once.

The Fairmont Methodists will erect a \$10,000 pressed brick house of worship.

The race meet which was scheduled for Broken Bow during June has been declared off.

Dr. J. M. Carr of Fairmont lost a foot when a gun supposed to be un-loaded exploded in his auto.

Six horses were burned to death when the barn of Jack Hillyer at Beatrice was destroyed by fire.

Marvin Pape, a Hooper boy, was instantly killed when he fell from a tree while hunting birds' nests.

The village board of Chappell has let the contract for the construction of a water and electric light system.

John Barrett has carried the mail from the Surprise postoffice for twenty-one years. He has never missed a train.

Dr. J. L. Webb, a pioneer resident of Beatrice, died suddenly after an illness of a few hours. Death was caused from acute gastritis.

J. P. McRea of Bloomington dreamed the house was on fire, and jumped out of a hotel window at St. Joseph, breaking a leg.

Robert Murray of Silver Creek fell from the roof of a barn to a cement walk eighteen feet below, and was fatally injured.

William Leiboldt has stocked his farm near Nebraska City with frogs and tadpoles, and he will endeavor to raise frogs for table use.

Bert Greenwood, living near Diller, plowed out and killed eleven rattlesnakes in two days last week while breaking up a piece of new ground.

Henry Palmer, who killed his wife at Hastings some time ago, plead guilty and received a sentence of twenty-two years in the penitentiary.

A junior band has been organized in Tecumseh. The band includes thirty-five boys and will be conducted under the direction of the Tecumseh military band.

Charles F. Bryant, an inmate of the hospital for insane at Ingleside, near Hastings, hanged himself with a piece of barbed wire and was dead when found shortly afterward.

The son of Frank Gandy, 7 years of age, residing near Broken Bow, was burned in a horrible manner, when an older brother playfully shoved him into a smoldering strawstack.

During a thunder shower Saturday evening lightning struck a barn on Lee Huston's farm near Geneva. One horse and a colt, with feed and harness were burned with the building.

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilms was celebrated with appropriate ceremony at the First German Lutheran church at Hastings. Rev. L. Frank, the pastor, officiating.

STATE CAPITAL

LINCOLN CHAT.

Major Penn to Instruct Guard.

Major Julius A. Penn of the Twelfth infantry, United States army, now with his regiment in the Philippines, has been assigned by the war department for duty at Lincoln in connection with the Nebraska national guard.

His assignment is under a new act of congress which permits officers on the active list to be assigned as advisors of the guard in the various states.

Morefield Asks for Tuberculars.

Moorefield, Frontier county, is the fourth town in the state that has asked the state board for the proposed state hospital for tubercular patients.

Governor Aldrich has given T. E. Stewart, former bookkeeper at the institute for the feeble minded at Beatrice, the alternative of making up the entire amount of the shortage revealed on the books of the institution or stand prosecution. The governor says he does not want to be captious about the matter, but that if Stewart does not make restitution an action will be begun.

Adjutant General Ernest H. Phelps is preparing an order notifying the Nebraska national guard that the annual encampment will be held from September 27 to October 6. The camp will be near Omaha, but the grounds have not been selected. The guard will spend two days in Omaha and participate in street parades.

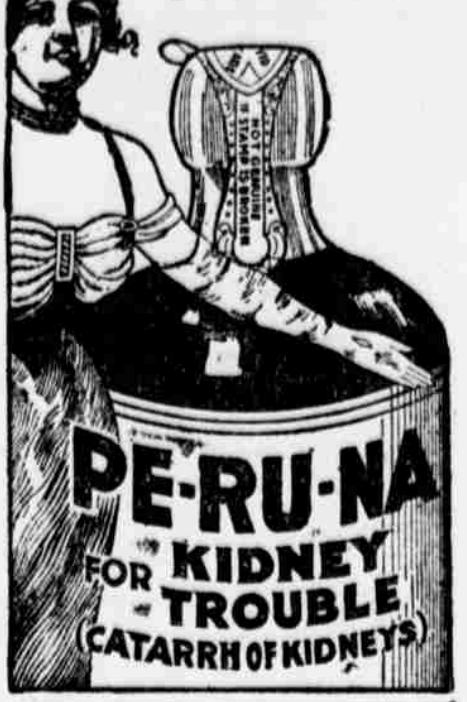
Assistant Adjutant General Scothern of the G. A. R. has compiled a consolidated report showing that there were 4,540 members of the G. A. R. in the department of Nebraska January 1, 1910, and that at the close of the year the number had diminished to 4,226, a net loss of 314. More than 200 of the loss was caused by death.

The supreme court held several months ago that another woman, Gertrude Johnson, was qualified to hold the office of county superintendent in Cherry county.

J. H. Broady of the state commission to codify the Nebraska statutes has returned from a trip of inspection in Ohio, Wisconsin and Minnesota, where similar work has been done. The information he obtained in other states will be made use of by the Nebraska commission.

Minature, Scotts Bluff county, proposes to bid for the state hospital for tubercular patients. I. L. Lyman, editor of the Minature Free Press, has written Land Commissioner Cowles a letter asking for information in regard to the form of the bid which the state board requires.

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR KIDNEYS.



The Army of Constipation

Is Growing Smaller Every Day. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible—they not only give relief—they permanently cure Constipation. Millions use them for Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature.

LOST FAITH IN WHITE MAN

Eskimo Tested Efficacy of Telephone Scheme, and Realized He Had Been Deceived.

An interesting story is told regarding the efforts of an Eskimo to construct a telephone line. The Eskimo came into possession of a piece of wire of considerable length and never having seen wire before he asked Professor McMillan of the Peary north pole expedition what it was and what it was for. He was told that the white man strung it on poles stuck in the ground and a voice talking to an instrument at one end could be heard at the other end. After some search the next morning the Eskimo was found to be engaged in telephone construction work of his own. He stuck some sticks in the ground and hung his wire on them. He held one end of the wire to his mouth and talked to it at the top of his voice. Then he ran as fast as he could to the other end and held the wire to his ear with the expectation of hearing his own words repeated.

When he failed to hear any sounds the expression on his face revealed his opinion of his white friend.

Too Much Like Work.

"The boss's son is kicking."

"Why?"

"Says he's overworked. All he used to do was tear the pages off the office calendars once a month. Now he has to wind the eight-day clock, too."

A Strong Preference.

"She is literary, isn't she?"

"Yes, indeed; she'd rather read than do housework any day."

FEED YOUNG GIRLS Must Have Right Food While Growing.

Great care should be taken at the critical period when the young girl is just merging into womanhood that the diet shall contain that which is up-building and nothing harmful.

At that age the structure is being formed and if formed of a healthy, sturdy character, health and happiness will follow; on the other hand unhealthy cells may be built in and a sick condition slowly supervene which, if not checked, may ripen into a chronic condition and cause life-long suffering.

A young lady says:

"Coffee began to have such an effect on my stomach a few years ago that I finally quit using it. It brought on headaches, pains in my muscles, and nervousness."

"I tried to use tea in its stead, but found its effects even worse than those I suffered from coffee. Then for a long time I drank milk at my meals, but at last it palled on me. A friend came to the rescue with the suggestion that I try Postum."

"I did so, only to find at first, that I didn't fancy it. But I had heard of so many persons who had been benefited by its use that I persevered, and when I had it made right—according to directions on the package—I found it grateful in flavour and soothing and strengthening to my stomach. I can find no words to express my feeling of what I owe to Postum!"

"In every respect it has worked a wonderful improvement—the headaches, nervousness, the pains in my side and back, all the distressing symptoms yielded to the magic power of Postum. My brain seems also to share in the betterment of my physical condition; it seems keener, more alert and brighter. I am, in short, in better health now than for a long while before, and I am sure I owe it to the use of your Postum." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason."

"Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest."