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NEW INDUSTRY HERE

WHOLESALE HOUSE AND CANDY FACTORY FOR NORFOLK.

FAUCETT, CARNEY, HAGER CO.

WILL EMPLOY FROM TWENTY-FIVE TO THIRTY PEOPLE.

HAVE LEASED EISELEY BLOCK

They Have Leased Big Building, Three Floors and Basement, for Five Years—Install Plant November 1. To Cover Large Field.

A large wholesale house, distributing confectionery, cigars, Cal. fruit juices and fancy groceries, will be established in the Eiseley block, corner Norfolk avenue and Second street, by the Faucett, Carney, Hager company. The institution will occupy four floors of the building—the basement and all three upper stories. Between twenty and thirty people will be employed in the institution the year around. The building has been leased for a term of five years, beginning November 1. The three men who have formed the partnership are commercial travelers well known in this territory, who have made Norfolk their home for three years and who own property here. Two of them are practical candy men. The territory which will be covered by the new industry will be bounded by Cheyenne, Wyo., on the main line of the Union Pacific; by Hastings, Superior and Lincoln on the South Platte branches of the Northwestern; all of which radiate from Norfolk; by the end of the Northwestern line in the Black Hills; by the Shoshoni and the Big Horn country in that direction; by the Rosebud reservation on the north; by the Missouri river on the east. All branches of all lines in this vast field will be covered. Five commercial travelers will be put in the field to solicit business for the firm. The firm has been incorporated under the state laws of Nebraska for twenty years. Norfolk's location and other advantages offered here are considered by the firm as offering advantages over Omaha, Sioux City or any other point for this institution. The machinery and fixtures of the plant will be immediately installed and active business will begin by January 1.

Will Manufacture Fine Candies. The new firm will, besides doing a wholesale business in all sorts of confections, cigars, California fruit juices and fancy groceries, will manufacture all of its own candies and this will be one of the most important features of the industry. Everything in the candy line will be made, and the product will be made so as to compete with the finest candies of all sorts on the American market. Stick candies, chocolates and bon-bons of all kinds will be made and it is said that the output will be the equal in quality of any confectionery product made anywhere—not barring Omaha, Chicago, New York or Boston. Only the finest of machinery and the very latest models for this work will be installed, and since two of the firm are experienced candy men, there is no reason why the quality will not at once become the standard for this territory.

Who the Men in the Firm Are. The following three commercial travelers, who have owned homes and lived in Norfolk for the past three years, are members of the new firm: M. M. Faucett, president; W. E. Hager, vice president; S. R. Carney, secretary and treasurer. Mr. Carney has for years been a representative of the Wright, Wilhelm company, hardware jobbers, of Omaha. Mr. Hager has been a representative for the Richardson dry goods company of St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Faucett has been with Palmer & Co., candy manufacturers in Sioux City.

Mr. Faucett and Mr. Hager are practical candy men, having had experience in this line, while Mr. Carney is a very thorough business man and one well acquainted with wholesale methods.

On January 1 the new firm will buy out the business of Faucett & Carney, and will still continue to distribute the California fruit juices which are now being handled in this territory by Mr. Faucett and Mr. Carney.

It is thought that it will take sixty days before the new plant can be got in shape to do active business.

All Wholesale, no Retail. The firm say that at every point of their preliminary transactions, such as getting the building, etc., they have been met with surprise at the fact that the firm will do all wholesale and no retail business. There will be nothing but wholesaling done by the institution and, as one of them puts it, it will be impossible to get even so much as a stick of candy at retail.

The five traveling men who will cover the territory will be placed, probably, at the following points, in order to best handle the business:

Two at Norfolk, one at Grand Island, one at Chadron and one at Fremont.

Building Being Remodeled. Preliminary steps have already been taken to remodel the Eiseley block for the start of the new enterprise. A freight elevator has been ordered to run from the basement to the third floor, for the purpose of transferring up and down the various cargoes which will be shipped out. An office will be prepared in the front end of the building, where the business matters will be attended to.

Employ Twenty-five to Thirty. "The plant will be complete and up-to-date in every detail," said one of the firm today, "and we will employ all the year around from twenty-five to thirty people to handle the wholesaling and the manufacturing departments."

Mr. Faucett will continue his old territory for the new firm for a time. The new industry, according to the plans, will be a thorough credit to Norfolk and will be a material addition to the city's industrial and commercial life. It will be a help in building up Norfolk.

Why They Selected Norfolk. The new firm selected Norfolk as the place for several reasons. In the first place they consider its geographical location to be far superior to any other city. They will be able to reach towns over a large area twenty-four hours quicker than can Omaha or Sioux City. In the second place, they can transact their business more economically in Norfolk than in a city larger than this. Their rental here is much less than it would be for the same building in Sioux City or Omaha. They can get their raw materials here at a cost no greater than in other points. They say that the out-rate in freight tariffs is in their favor, as compared with Sioux City or Omaha, and that these considerations more than overbalance the advantages which might have been offered them by Sioux City or Omaha.

The members of the new firm are all well known among dealers in their lines of business all through the territory which they will cover with their new distributing plant. They stand high among all those in Norfolk who know them or who have done business with them during their residence in this city. The fact that they are all giving up good paying positions on the road for other firms, and are sinking their money into this plant, is in itself enough evidence of their faith in the success of the big venture, and Norfolk people will unquestionably be glad to co-operate with them in any way possible to help assure that success.

Norfolk to be Jobbing Center. "Norfolk is bound to be a jobbing and wholesale center just as sure as the sun rises and sets," said one of the members of this firm. "Within another year there will be a wholesale grocery house in Norfolk without a doubt."

Water works will be installed throughout the building, and all modern equipments.

WAS BIG CROWD AT TILDEN

CARNIVAL HAD A GALA TIME THERE YESTERDAY.

NELIGH WON THE BALL GAME

The Score Was 15 to 3—The Racing Was Fast—Genuine and Sagaline Were Winners in the Two Races of the Day—Other Events.

Tilden, Neb., Oct. 5.—Special to The News: A very large crowd of people thronged to Tilden yesterday for the second day of the annual carnival. The rain was slightly disagreeable for a few minutes but when the clouds cleared away the air was left pure and fresh and the laying of the dust helped to make it an ideal afternoon.

Neligh won the ball game over tanton, 15 to 3. The races were as follows: In the 2:25 trot or pace, purse \$200, Genuine won, White Wings second and Maxine third. In the 2:30 trot or pace, Sagaline won, Miss Gund second, George M. third.

In the pony race, Louis Mack first, Pearly C second and Baby Mine third. A big crowd is here today.

DOLLIVER HITS LAFOLLETTE

Iowa Senator Charges Wisconsin Man With Incorrectness in Speech.

Indianola, Ia., Oct. 5.—Senator Dolliver, in a speech here, caused a sensation by attacking Senator LaFollette. He did not refer to the Wisconsin leader by name, but attacked the speech which the latter made before Chautauqua assemblies in the state during the summer. Dolliver charged that LaFollette did not correctly quote authorities in his attempt to show that the politicians of the present day were much degenerated from those of the earlier times. He referred to LaFollette as a "traveling politician," and said that the people should support the institutions of the country. By being led to believe that all men at the head of the governmental affairs were unworthy, he said, the people came to disparage even the institutions themselves.

FOUR KILLED IN SUBWAY

FATAL EXPLOSION IN PHILADELPHIA THIS MORNING.

FIVE OTHERS ARE INJURED

An Explosion of Gas Occurred in the Market Square Subway of Philadelphia, Being Constructed by Rapid Transit Company of That City.

Philadelphia, Oct. 5.—Four men were killed today and five injured by a explosion of gas in Market Square subway, which is being constructed by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company.

BEVERIDGE SPEAKS AT LINCOLN

Indiana Senator Says Bryan is High-Minded, but an Impractical Idealist.

Lincoln, Oct. 5.—Senator Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana spoke last night to a crowd which filled the Oliver theater in the interest of Republican congressional and state tickets. He paid a tribute to William J. Bryan, saying he had no sympathy with those who abused the eloquent Democratic leader. Mr. Bryan he believed to be sincere and high-minded, but an impractical idealist. Senator Beveridge discussed tariff revision, government ownership of railroads and Cuban annexation along the lines of his previous speeches.

BRYAN DISCUSSES STATE ISSUES

Urges Election of Thompson to Senate and Shallenberger for Governor.

Geneva, Neb., Oct. 5.—William J. Bryan began here his three days of campaigning in Nebraska, speaking to a fair sized audience. Mr. Bryan discussed state issues largely, to the exclusion of national politics, and made an especial plea for the election of William H. Thompson as United States senator and Ashton C. Shallenberger as governor. Mr. Bryan left immediately after his speech was concluded for Hastings.

FOR INSURANCE REFORM

Commissioners Adopt Resolution Against Rebate Evil.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The National Association of Insurance Commissioners adopted a resolution against the so-called rebate evil, from which it was stated the public had suffered even at the hands of some of the biggest companies. It was explained that many insurance companies run regular get-rich-quick schemes under the guise of offering enormous dividends that are wholly impossible of realization. It was shown that frequently some wealthy and influential man in a community is offered a secret or special contract, reducing the cost of the insurance to him on the promise that he will work for the ends of the company in his locality. It was represented that many people who take the chance of getting large dividends are induced to insure beyond their capacity to pay, but that these dividends, which, it was stated, are really secret rebates, go to the richer members of the community, who, it was alleged, do not need them.

The convention already had adopted the standard blank for obtaining information from the various companies doing business in the several states. A motion was agreed to authorizing the secretary to collect enough from the states present to cover the expenses for this purpose, and then notify the states not present that they were expected to contribute.

CZAR RETURNS TO PETERHOF

Strict Supervision of All Strangers Has Been Instituted.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 5.—The emperor and members of the imperial family, who have been cruising in Finnish waters, on board the yacht Standart, returned to Peterhof. The emperor will move immediately to his winter residence at Tsarskoe Selo. The police are verifying the passports of all doubtful persons in the vicinity of Tsarskoe Selo and a most strict supervision of all strangers arriving there has been instituted.

The capture of bombs here is regarded of the utmost importance, as it apparently frustrated the designs of the revolutionists to convert St. Petersburg into a second Warsaw. Enough explosives to annihilate an entire regiment were seized. A band of Polish experts came here recently for the purpose of instructing the local terrorists in the best methods of using this material.

Amundsen Reaches Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 5.—Captain Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the Northwest passage, arrived from Sitka by the steamship Humboldt. He went to the Alaskan city to verify his calculations regarding the location of the magnetic pole, and his work was successful. He was entertained at a banquet, and will leave today to join his sloop, the Gjoa, at San Francisco.

Bomb Injures Governor.

Simbirsk, Russia, Oct. 5.—General Sternynich, governor of Simbirsk, had a narrow escape from assassination. A bomb was thrown at the governor, wounding him in the hand and leg. His injuries are not fatal.

BULGARIA MAY DECLARE WAR

Ultimatum Issued to Turkey Regarding Delimitation of Frontier.

Constantinople, Oct. 5.—The delay on the part of the Turkish commissioners to sign the report resulting from the inquiry into the frontier dispute regarding the delimitation of a portion of the vilayet of Adrianople, which led to a sharp fight recently between the soldiers guarding the Bulgarian post at Sujuk and the guard on duty at the Turkish post of Derwish Moglia, has brought out practically an ultimatum from Bulgaria, in which the country declares that unless the report is signed by Oct. 14 the Bulgarian troops will be ordered to immediately reoccupy Sujuk.

The inquiry was concluded three weeks ago and it is claimed that while the report is in favor of the principality, the Bulgarian commissioners have been unable to induce their Turkish colleagues to append their signatures.

MOVING FOR ANNEXATION

FOREIGN RESIDENTS OF CUBA EAGER FOR AMERICAN RULE.

DESIRE IS NOW VOICED OPENLY

Islanders Will Hold Meeting at Havana Sunday to Discuss Feasibility of Obtaining Vote of People on the Question—Taft Moves to Palace.

Havana, Oct. 5.—Now that the disarmament of the revolutionists and the government volunteers is progressing steadily, the thoughtful portions of the public of all nationalities are animatedly discussing the possibilities of Cuba's future form of government. The desire for annexation, which has been carefully concealed for the past four years, is now voiced openly and the wish that the United States retain some measure of actual control in Cuban affairs is heard more insistently than ever.

Representatives of leading elements, both Cuban and foreign, have been asked to attend a meeting Sunday to discuss the feasibility of holding some sort of plebiscite by which all classes of the population would be enabled to express their ideas on what the future form of government should be.

The idea of holding the next elections in January has been entirely abandoned, the general preference among Cubans appearing to favor the holding of elections in June. The question of the status of congress and whether senators and representatives are to receive their salaries after the establishment of the provisional government will be decided in Washington.

Reports of the disarmament operations show considerable delay and confusion, but no real opposition.

While on their way from Havana to Guines, General Funston and General Agramonte were halted by insurgent sentinels, who threatened to fire upon them in the belief that they belonged to the rural guards. The sentinels were profuse in their apologies when they learned who was in the automobile. The news that General Funston was passing through spread throughout the section, and on the return trip to Havana women along the route pelleted Funston's automobile with flowers.

Governor Aleman telegraphed Governor Taft that disarmament in Santa Clara province was going on steadily and quietly. Senator Aleman has consented to remain as governor of the province.

The latest dispatch received by Governor Taft from Santiago, Guantanamo and Baracoa have laid down their arms. Government volunteers mustered out 400 of Pino Guerra's men, who had been sent into Pinar del Rio from Santiago de las Vegas. This operation passed without incident.

Coincident with the occupation of the palace by Governor Taft, the garrison of rural guardsmen which has been maintained since the beginning of the trouble, was sent elsewhere. The palace is guarded now by only half a dozen policemen. The previous atmosphere of formality at the palace disappeared with the departure of President Palma. The American authorities are quite accessible to visitors.

FOOTBALL PLAYER WILL DIE.

First Fatal Accident of Year in Kentucky, Editor's Son Being Victim.

Mount Sterling, Ky., Oct. 5.—What probably will prove the first football tragedy of the year in this state occurred here when Roger Heddon, in attempting to make a tackle, sustained concussion of the brain and internal injuries. Roger Heddon is the son of J. W. Heddon, editor of the Mount Sterling Advocate.

Murphy Will Support Hearst.

New York, Oct. 5.—"No matter what Mr. Hearst does, we are going to support him," said Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, when asked in the course of an interview what attitude Tammany Hall will assume in case the Independence League nominated candidates in this city for the various judicial, senatorial and assembly offices.

TORNADO AT NEW ORLEANS

STORM PASSED OVER RESIDENCE PORTION TODAY.

TORE ROOFS OFF OF HOUSES

Fences Were Torn Down and Damage Done to Property—Nobody Has Thus Far Been Reported Injured in the Storm—Diagonally Over City.

New Orleans, Oct. 5.—A small tornado passed diagonally across the residential portion of New Orleans at 8 o'clock this morning.

The storm took off roofs, tore down fences and did other damage. No one is reported injured.

ASK EIGHT HOURS AS DAY'S WORK

Railway Mail Clerks Seek Better Conditions—Elect Officers.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—With a firm belief and a declaration that eight hours is a day's work, the American Railway Mail Clerks' association, at its closing session here, adopted a resolution asking the postoffice department at Washington for a ruling on the question. This matter occupied the closing hours of the convention and the resolution was adopted by an almost unanimous vote.

Another resolution adopted was one commending the Harriman system of railroads for its postal car service.

Officers were elected as follows: President, D. E. Barnes, re-elected; vice president, John Hogan of Atlanta, and secretary-treasurer, George A. Wood of Portsmouth, N. H.

THIRTY-NINE KNOWN DEAD

THAT MANY BODIES RECOVERED FROM POCAHONTAS MINE.

CARLOAD OF COFFINS ORDERED

Twenty to Thirty More Men Are Still Entombed and Doubtless Are Dead. Two Rescuers Lose Their Lives—Entire Town is in Grief.

Pocahontas, Va., Oct. 5.—Thirty-nine known dead and from twenty to thirty more men entombed, and doubtless all dead, is the situation at the West Fork mines of the Pocahontas Coalfields company where the explosion occurred.

The dead: B. Hall, R. Richards, B. C. Henry, Henry Green, George Radford, J. A. Dancy, John Davis, John Cumbee, Paul Valke, Joe Elask, Bert Estony, Henry Ward, Dick Mooman, Lightburn Woody, Ben Perry, John Green, John Odham of rescuing party, Ed Brown of rescuing party, Jay Palmer, twenty unidentified.

The bodies of these men were recovered from the mines as the result of the heroic work of a band of thirty-five men, constituting a rescue party that worked incessantly through the hours of the night and day. The authorities anticipated the fearful extent of the casualties by ordering a carload of coffins and burial supplies, which now are on the way.

Many of the victims are negroes and Hungarians, but a large number of citizens of Pocahontas were killed, leaving widows and orphans. The entire town is in grief. The work of rescue continued through the night and the bodies were brought to the town. A large force of men has been at work on the little cemetery on the hillside, adjacent to the town, digging graves for the unfortunate victims. The work of rescue was retarded by dangers that beset the rescuers on account of ventilation of the mines having been entirely destroyed in the section as the result of the terrific force of the explosion. This condition was met by temporary brattices in places.

The scenes around the mine were pitiful. Relatives and friends gathered in groups at the entrances and elsewhere, awaiting tidings of the victims, and gave vent to their grief as the bodies one by one were brought out.

Rlv. Swengel Elected Secretary.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Oct. 5.—Rev. R. F. Swengel of York, Pa., was elected secretary of the central conference of the United Evangelical church. The presentation of a gavel to Bishop Hartaer completed the first session.

Snow at Colorado Springs.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Oct. 5.—Colorado Springs experienced its first snowstorm of the season. Reports from the mountains indicate a snowfall of several inches.

EMIGRANT STEAMER IS LOST.

Charterhouse Founders in Chinese Waters and Sixty Passengers Drown. Hong Kong, Oct. 5.—The emigrant steamer Charterhouse, voyaging between Hoihow and Hong Kong, foundered off Hainan Head. Captain Clifton and sixty passengers were lost.

The North German Lloyd steamer Kohsichang has picked up a raft belonging to the Charterhouse, on which were Chief Engineer Dowse, twenty three of the crew and two women, after they had been drifting for forty-three hours.

THE CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Temperature for Twenty-four Hours. Forecast for Nebraska.

Conditions of the weather as recorded for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. today:

Maximum, 57
Minimum, 37
Average, 47
Barometer, 30.00

Chicago, Oct. 5.—The bulletin, issued by the Chicago station of the United States weather bureau this morning gives the following forecast for Nebraska:

Fair tonight and Saturday. Cooler southeast portion tonight. Rising temperature Saturday.

BOYD IS WITH ROOSEVELT

CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE IN THIS DISTRICT SPEAKS.

MEETING IS HELD AT ALBION

George L. Sheldon, Candidate for Governor, With Other Republican Candidates, Opened North Nebraska Series in Boone County.

Albion, Neb., Oct. 5.—Special to The News: The political campaign in northern Nebraska began here with a rally and a number of speeches. George L. Sheldon, republican candidate for governor, George Junkin, candidate for secretary of state, Judge J. F. Boyd, candidate for congress, L. G. Brian, candidate for treasurer, A. A. Smith, for representative from this district, O. M. Needham, for county attorney, made speeches.

Judge Boyd told the people where he stands. He is with the republican administration. He is for protective tariff which will protect American labor. He is not for the radical idea of government ownership of railroads.

FIVE KILLED IN A WRECK

Troop Train Crashes Into Passenger at Lansingburgh, N. Y.

Lansingburgh, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Five passengers were killed outright and a score were injured in a rear end collision between a regular passenger train and a military special on the Boston and Maine railroad, directly in front of the depot here.

The dead are: F. L. Block of Peoria, Mrs. Wallace E. Shaw of Bath, Me.; Mrs. Stevens of Boston; Mrs. J. W. Deary of Arlington, Mass.; Mrs. H. S. Poole of Concord, N. H.

The collision took place on a heavy grade and sharp curve. The passenger train was waiting here for a chance to get into the Troy depot. Without apparently any warning, the special came thundering along with eighteen cars and crashed into the passenger train, smashing the last two cars, which were Pullmans, like eggshells.

The special was drawing four troops of the Fourteenth United States cavalry from Fort Ethan Allen to Newport News, where they are to embark for Cuba. The soldiers quickly got to work to rescue the injured.

PRESIDENT AT HARRISBURG

DELIVERS ADDRESS AT DEDICATION OF NEW CAPITOL.

MAKES SECOND SPEECH AT YORK

Talks in Drenching Rain at Both Places—Streets Crowded With People and Chief Executive is Given Continuous Ovation.

Washington, Oct. 5.—President Roosevelt made a flying trip to Harrisburg and York and in each city he made a speech in the rain. At both places he wore a dark raincoat and light rubbers while speaking, to protect him from the storm. The president left Washington on a special train in company with Senators Penrose and Knox of Pennsylvania. He enjoyed the trip immensely, and except for a slight hoarseness, he did not suffer from the rain. He was in good spirits when he returned and said he had spent a most pleasant day.

At Harrisburg the president delivered the oration at the dedication of the beautiful new state capitol, which has just been completed at a cost of \$13,000,000, to take the place of the old state house destroyed by fire in 1897. After his speech there the president was entertained at luncheon by Governor Pennypacker.

The president was then driven to the Union station, where he boarded his special car for York. There he visited the county fair grounds and was driven around the race track. The rain fell during the drive and the president's face was bespattered with mud when he left his carriage and mounted a small platform in the center of the grounds, from which he made the second speech.

The streets of York over which the party passed were crowded with people and the president was given a continuous ovation. At the conclusion of his speech he was driven to a station, at which he boarded the train for Washington.