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SENT TO PRISON

PRESIDENT RYAN RECEIVES SEVEN YEAR TERM, LONGEST IMPOSED BY COURT.

SENTENCE SUSPENDED ON SIX

Clark, Murphy, Cooney, Coughlan, Farrell and Gilne are freed—Others must serve from one to seven years.

Indianapolis, Dec. 31.—Sentences aggregating 13 years were imposed by Judge Anderson in federal court upon eight labor leaders found guilty in the national dynamite case. The heaviest sentence of 13 years, pronounced upon Frank J. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers. Judge Anderson suspended sentence on six of the convicted dynamiters.

Eight of the convicted men got sentences of six years, two of the men got four-year terms, twelve drew three-year sentences, four men got two-year terms and six got one year and a day.

All the prisoners who received prison terms were taken to Leavenworth.

United States Marshal Edward Schofield arranged for a special train to take the secret route for the federal prisoners. To prevent possible demonstrations on the way to Leavenworth no details as to the time of departure were announced.

Edward Clark, who pleaded guilty and turned state's evidence, received a suspended sentence.

Judge Anderson also suspended sentence of Frank J. Murphy of Detroit, James Conroy of Chicago, James Connelly of Chicago, P. F. Farrell of New York and Hiram Gilne of Chicago, former organizer of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners.

Underlying the cases of the men was the dynamite case, which was withheld from the public until the trial.

The judge's decision was a surprise to many because a mistake in the law had been made. He had shown leniency to the men.

The seven-year sentence was given to Ryan, there was a war of nerves throughout the room. Anderson's familiarity of the defendants in the case there was much evidence.

Clark's father of a golden-haired child of five years, staggered as he was led from the courtroom. He was visibly affected by the trial.

Herbert H. Hooper, the "double-dropper," called the "lago" of the courtroom and was suspended over the case. He was a great approval.

Clark's wife was filled with tears as he was led away. He leaves a wife and five children in Chicago who will miss his punishment in the courtroom.

Frank Murphy, whose sentence was suspended, walked straight to Judge Anderson and extended his hand, expressing his great appreciation. Judge Anderson, Murphy remarked.

"If all the judges were like that man, we would be a better country."

Hiram Kilne, of Chicago, Ind., whose sentence was suspended, cried like a baby as he kissed Judge Anderson's hand in appreciation. His attorney, Walter Bell of Muncie, also wept and begged to leave the courtroom.

Anna Held Asks Divorce. New York, Jan. 2.—Anna Held Ziegfeld, whose final separation from Florence Ziegfeld had been rumored applied to Supreme Court Justice Amend Monday to have a final decree of divorce granted to her.

Reports \$10,000 Fur Theft. La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 2.—Discovery was made of the theft of more than \$10,000 worth of furs from the store of the La Crosse Fur and Hide company Monday. There is no clue as to the robbers.

GUARDING NEW JERSEY RAILROAD YARDS



A group of armed deputy sheriffs overlooking the yards of the Susquehanna & Western railroad, and guarding the tunnel leading into Edgewater, N. J. Below can be seen the stalled coal cars. In a pitched battle between railroad detectives and strikers two of the former were killed and others seriously wounded.

GARMENT STRIKE ON

125,000 WORKERS IN THE EAST WALK OUT.

Increase in Wages, Eight-Hour Day and Abolishment of Child Labor is Demanded.

New York, Dec. 31.—The threatened strike of cutters, operators, pressers and tailors employed in the manufacture of men's and boys' clothing in factories of New York and vicinity, including Jersey City and Newark, began Monday. Officials of the United Garment Workers of America estimate that upwards of 125,000 workers in the industry will fill the ranks of the strikers. They include about 85,000 men and about 40,000 women.

"The object of the strike," said one of the organizers, "is to end the unsanitary conditions under which in many instances clothing is now being manufactured in this city and vicinity, to secure from 15 to 20 per cent increase in wages and have the men paid on a weekly basis; to reduce the working hours to eight hours a day and to abolish the system of tenement house work and incidentally child labor."

"The records show that the largest number of recruits to sanitariums and hospitals for tuberculosis in this city come from the ranks of the garment workers and this dread disease is contracted because of the long hours and conditions under which they are forced to labor."

ALLIES REJECT TURK'S TERMS

Declare Proposals Do Not Form Even the Basis for Peace Negotiations—Text of Offer.

London, Dec. 31.—"These terms do not form even the basis for negotiations," was the unanimous outcry of the peace envoys of the allied Balkan nations, after Rechad Pasha, the chief Turkish delegate, had read the reply he had received Saturday from Constantinople to his request for instructions.

The proposals presented by the Ottoman delegate were:

1. The province of Adrianople to remain under the direct administration of Turkey.
2. Macedonia to be converted into a principality, with Salonika as its capital, the principality to be under the suzerainty of the sultan of Turkey.
3. Albania to be autonomous under the sovereignty of the sultan and governed by a prince of the imperial Ottoman family.
4. All the islands in the Aegean sea to remain Turkish.
5. The Cretan question not to be one for the decision of the conference.

Five of Family of Six Die

Gary, Ind., Dec. 28.—Black diphtheria has wiped out all but one of the lives of a family of six persons at Hobart, eight miles east of Gary. Last week the two children of P. F. Hardesty, a farmer, were stricken with the disease. Later Mr. and Mrs. Hardesty and another child died. Ten hours after the first symptoms appeared death occurred.

Indicted for Killing Guide

Skowhegan, Me., Dec. 31.—An indictment against William Wilding of Indianapolis, charging him with "negligently shooting and killing" Warren Holden, a guide, was returned Saturday. Holden was mistaken for a deer.

Kills Wife and Her Mother

Lagrange, Ind., Dec. 31.—Edward Hart shot and killed his wife, Mrs. Rena Hart, from whom he was separated, and her mother, Mrs. Sarah McElride Sunday. After the shooting Hart ran into the country.

BIG EVENTS IN 1912

NOTABLE HISTORICAL HAPPENINGS DURING THE LAST TWELVE MONTHS.

BALKAN WAR THE GREATEST

Loss of Titanic and Deaths of Aviators—Manchu Dynasty Overthrown in China—Victory of the Democratic Party.

New York, Dec. 31.—Much notable history was written in the year of 1912. Events of vast importance and of world-wide interest followed each other in the quick march of the past twelve months.

The most significant of these, doubtless, was the war of the Balkans states against the Turkish empire, which put a period to the sultan's ancient supremacy in southeastern Europe. The sudden rise of the minor states which comprised the Balkan allies is one of the marvels of the age. No less miraculous was the swift and decisive way in which they swept the Turks across the plains of Thrace and forced them back almost to the banks of the Dardanelles.

The most grievous occurrence of the year, especially to America, was the sinking of the Titanic on April 14. The loss of this, greatest of all ocean liners, with over 1,500 people, was the greatest marine tragedy of all time.

Death seemed to reign in the air as well as on the water, during the year 1912. The number of airmen who lost their lives was unprecedented. And one American woman is numbered among the victims—Miss Quimby, who fell into the ocean from the height of a thousand feet. The year claimed 30 airmen, bringing the total of all up to 217.

In the political realm the year 1912 witnessed many remarkable things. Perhaps the most significant was the completion of the overthrow of the Manchu dynasty in China and the installation of the Chinese republic, with Dr. Sun, a Harvard graduate, as president.

In America, of course, the most important political event was the overwhelming defeat of the Republican party, and the return of the Democratic party to power after sixteen years, with Woodrow Wilson as the new president.

An interesting feature of the political movements in this country was the birth of the Progressive party, with former President Theodore Roosevelt as its godfather.

Another event which stirred the heart of the nation was the attempt to assassinate Theodore Roosevelt at Milwaukee by John Schrank, a New York crank, who is now in an insane asylum.

In the matter of legislation, perhaps the most important features were the veto of the Democratic house's tariff bills relating to wool, cotton and iron, and the farmers' free list, by President Taft; and the defeat in Canada of the reciprocity agreement.

Several important opinions were handed down by the United States Supreme court, the chief of these being the opinion touching the Union Pacific merger. The action taken by the court resulted in the dissolving of the great railroad combination which had been effected by the late E. H. Harriman.

Flames Explode Cartridges. Troy, Ala., Dec. 31.—Loss of \$55,000 was caused Sunday by fire here. Fifteen hundred bales of cotton were destroyed. The flames reached an arsenal and thousands of cartridges exploded.

Eugene Alanzo Pools Dies. Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 31.—Eugene Alanzo Pools, aged seventy-one years, and one of the leading landscape artists of the world, died in the Mercy hospital here on Sunday last of pneumonia.

SENTENCED TO PRISON

SEVEN YEARS.

FRANK M. RYAN, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

SIX YEARS.

MICHAEL J. YOUNG, Boston. JOHN T. BUTLER, Buffalo, vice-president of iron workers' union. HERBERT S. HOOKIN, former secretary and treasurer of Detroit. OLAF A. TVEITMOE, secretary of California Building Trades council. J. E. MUNSBY, Salt Lake City, Utah. EUGENE A. CLANCY, San Francisco. PHILIP A. COOLEY, New Orleans. FRANK C. WEBB, New York.

FOUR YEARS.

JOHN H. BARRY, St. Louis. PETER J. SMITH, Cleveland.

THREE YEARS.

MURRAY L. PENNELL, Springfield, Ill. WILFORD BERT BROWN, Kansas City. PAUL J. MORRIS, St. Louis. HENRY W. LEGLEITNER, Denver. CHARLES N. BEUM, Minneapolis. MICHAEL J. CUNNANE, Philadelphia. EDWARD SMYTHE, Peoria. GEORGE ANDERSON, Cleveland. MICHAEL J. HANNON, Scranton, Pa.

ERNEST G. W. BASEL. WILLIAM J. MCANIN, Kansas City. WILLIAM E. REDDIN, Milwaukee.

TWO YEARS.

RICHARD H. HOULIHAN, Chicago. FRANK J. HIGGINS, Boston. FRANK K. PAINTER, Omaha. FRED SHERMAN, Indianapolis.

ONE YEAR AND ONE DAY.

WILLIAM S. SHUPE, Chicago. JAMES E. RAY, Peoria. WILLIAM C. BERNHARDT, Cincinnati. FRANK E. PHILLIPS, Syracuse, N. Y. CHARLES WACHMEISTER, Detroit. FRED J. MOONEY, Duluth.

SENTENCE SUSPENDED.

JAMES COONEY, Chicago. JAMES COUGHLIN, Chicago. PATRICK F. FARRELL, New York. HIRAM R. KLINE, Muncie, Ind. FRANK J. MURPHY, Detroit. EDWARD CLARK, Cincinnati (contested and testified for prosecution; Judgment deferred at request of government).

SEES BIG SURPLUS IN JUNE

Prosperity to Reach a High Mark Next Summer, Says Secretary MacVeagh.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The prosperity of the country is reflected in the condition of the United States treasury at the close of the calendar year 1912, which also marks the end of the first half of the fiscal year 1913. Secretary MacVeagh estimates that on June 30 next there will be a surplus of \$40,000,000 in the ordinary receipts of the government.

Snowslide Blocks Alaskan Road

Cordova, Alaska, Dec. 31.—A snowslide on the Copper River & North-western blocked traffic Sunday and there is little likelihood of the line being cleared before the latter part of next week.

Accepts Offer on Mining. Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 31.—The Oil-iron Mining company will not appeal from the order of Judge Hughes, restraining the company from carrying on mining operations in the Sellers pit here.

AS TO LEGISLATURE

NAME AND RESIDENCE OF THOSE CHOSEN TO MAKE LAWS.

SENATE IS 18 REP. AND 15 DEM.

In the Lower Branch There Are Fifty-four Democrats and Fifty-six Republicans Named.

The Senate, (18 rep., 15 dem.)

- 1—Walter Kiesel (r.), Johnson.
- 2—H. H. Bunting (r.), Nebraska City.
- 3—E. E. Placock (d.), Wallowa.
- 4—L. Saunders (r.), Omaha.
- 5—N. P. Beck (r.), Omaha.
- 6—J. H. Crossman (d.), Omaha.
- 7—H. McFarland (r.), Omaha.
- 8—Fred Eastman (r.), Omaha.
- 9—Geo. P. Wolf (r.), Fremont.
- 10—H. P. Stinson (r.), Wakefield.
- 11—P. H. Kohl (d.), Wayne.
- 12—J. M. Talbot (d.), Crofton.
- 13—W. H. Reynolds (r.), Kearney.
- 14—P. J. Hite (d.), Norfolk.
- 15—Chas. Krumboltz (d.), Shelby.
- 16—W. H. Boyd (r.), Kearney.
- 17—H. V. Hoagland (r.), Lincoln.
- 18—J. T. Marshall (r.), Panama.
- 19—Jacob Kiehl (d.), Beatrice.
- 20—John Hearty (r.), Fairbury.
- 21—G. H. Spink (r.), Wilber.
- 22—F. Cox (d.), Omaha.
- 23—R. H. West (d.), Wood River.
- 24—W. H. Hummel (d.), Red Cloud.
- 25—J. M. Grace (d.), Mason.
- 26—Peter Wink (d.), Kearney.
- 27—J. A. Ollis (d.), Ord.
- 28—J. A. Robertson (d.), Toy.
- 29—W. V. Hoagland (r.), North Platte.
- 30—John Cordell (r.), McCook.
- 31—R. K. Bussler (r.), Kimball.
- 32—W. H. Reynolds (r.), Chadron.

The House, (54 dem., 46 rep.)

- 1—G. H. Eastwood (d.), Brownville.
- 2—W. M. Kaufman (d.), Brownville.
- 3—O. A. Ayres (r.), Humboldt.
- 4—G. W. Porter (d.), Vesta.
- 5—E. A. Corbin (r.), Vesta.
- 6—F. A. Bates (r.), Fairbury.
- 7—J. J. Gustin (d.), Murdock.
- 8—C. H. Busch (d.), Nebraska City.
- 9—W. H. H. Boyd (r.), Kearney.
- 10—E. A. Flanagan (r.), Omaha.
- 11—Ed A. Smith (r.), Omaha.
- 12—J. A. Davis (r.), Omaha.
- 13—Edward Simon (r.), Omaha.
- 14—M. L. Sugarman (r.), Omaha.
- 15—Michael Lee (r.), Omaha.
- 16—H. A. Foster (r.), Omaha.
- 17—J. Anderson (r.), Omaha.
- 18—F. C. Yates (r.), Omaha.
- 19—C. S. Drieslow (r.), Omaha.
- 20—H. H. H. Boyd (r.), Kearney.
- 21—S. C. Holt (r.), Florence.
- 22—C. C. VanVelsken (d.), Kennard.
- 23—C. W. Orr (d.), York.
- 24—J. J. McAllister (d.), Dakota City.
- 25—G. L. Wood (r.), Ponca.
- 26—H. H. H. Boyd (r.), Kearney.
- 27—George Fox (d.), Omond.
- 28—H. H. H. Boyd (r.), Kearney.
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STATE'S STATISTICS.

Standing of Nebraska Compared With Older Commonwealths.

Though tenth in population among the twelve states of the middle west, which include Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, the Dakotas, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Wisconsin and Minnesota, Nebraska is third in number of cattle, fifth in number of swine, fourth in wheat production, fifth in corn production and sixth in oat production. These facts were made public by S. C. Bassett of Gibbon, in an address on Nebraska's rank, made before the Nebraska Farmers' congress in Omaha last week.

In comparison with the United States in total population, rural population and area, Mr. Bassett offered these figures:

Nebraska has 1.3% of total population, 1.7% of the rural population and 2.5% of the land area, yet Nebraska produces 7% of the corn, 7% of the wheat and 5% of the oats.

Nebraska produced five per cent of the entire corn crop of North America, South America, Europe, Africa and Australia. A very remarkable showing, asserted Mr. Bassett.

That Omaha makes possible the marketing of these crops is urged in favor of the co-operation of the state and metropolis. On account of this gigantic production, Omaha is the second live stock market of the world, the fifth primary grain market and the fifth primary grain market for corn. And Omaha ranks first as a creamery butter producing center, more than 20,000,000 pounds annually being shipped from Omaha.

State School Funds.

Nebraska's temporary school fund apportioned for the last six months of 1912, amounting to \$28,104, will be distributed on the basis of slightly over 87 cents to each child of school age enrolled in the state. The aggregate number of pupils in the state is 375,476. Lancaster county has 21,222 school children and will get \$18,544 of the fund. Douglas, with 42,236 pupils, will receive \$36,907. Gage is the third county in school population, having 9,232 pupils, and will be entitled to \$8,067.

For Referendum Vote.

At the session of the executive committee of the teachers' association in Lincoln, it was decided to send ballots for the referendum vote to teachers qualified to vote, on January 15, to require that they be returned by February 3 and to canvass them in Lincoln on February 9. No ballots post-marked after February 3 will be counted.

Lincoln Firemen Elected.

Lincoln firemen are elated over the prospects of getting a double shift system for the department. For several years the men have been working to get the single shift system. The new arrangement is a feature of the charter to be submitted to the city council.

New Pierce Bank.

The Farmers and Merchants bank is a new institution filing with the secretary of the banking board. The bank is situated in Pierce and is incorporated with a capital stock of \$25,000. The officers are M. Inhelder, president; Charles Schram, vice president, and B. J. Inhelder, cashier.

New Statutes Ready.

The new statutes prepared by the codification committee and sent out in advance of the regular edition are being delivered, a copy being received at the office of the supreme court clerk. The volume contains 2,156 pages. The introduction shows that since 1886 2,476 laws of a general nature have been published in the different statutes. It will now be up to the legislature to accept in whole or part the work of the committee.

To Investigate School Children.

Because, as they complain in their letter, the heads of several children attending school at the present time resemble "moving picture shows" one district of the state has asked the state superintendent to send a health inspector there at once to make investigation of the matter.

Milford Soldiers' Home.

At the Milford soldiers' home, from which the biennial report has been received, there are 148 inmates. Twenty-eight died during the two-year period just ended. A total of \$66,900 is asked for the coming two years, or an increase of about \$10,000 over the cost of operation for the two years previous.

County Superintendents Meeting.

County superintendents of the state will hold their annual meeting in Lincoln January 7 and 8. Matters in connection with the work of these officials will be discussed at the gathering.

Finances of State

Deposits in state banks decreased in 1912 more than \$2,000,000 from September 4 to November 26, reserves fell off about 6 per cent, and loans and discounts increased upwards of \$4,200,000 in the same period. Despite the fact, however, according to Secretary Royce of the state banking board, the record for the entire year shows the bank rolls of the state were showed upward perceptibly. Deposits of the state aggregated \$2,347,594 on November 26, or about \$4,238,000 more than a year previous.

HEALTH OF NEBRASKA

State Board of Health Compiles Some Statistics That Furnish Interesting Information.

OTHER NEBRASKA MATTERS.

The State Board of Health has prepared a statement of the vital statistics of Nebraska, which shows some interesting figures.

In the matter of divorces, 1,862 were granted in the state during the year 1912; of this number Douglas county contributed 549; Lancaster, 277; Gage, 50; Adams, 48; Buffalo, 53; Dodge, 38, and Hall, 39. Every county in the state had its divorce except one, Perkins.

There were 10,402 deaths reported to the state board, of which tuberculosis of the lungs contributed 360; cancer, 663; hemorrhage, 515; heart disease, 866; pneumonia, 726; Bright's disease, 536; and congenital debility, leterus, sclerosis, etc., 1,138. One hundred and sixty-one people committed suicide in the following manner: Poison, 56; hanging, 31; firearms, 44, and other means, 30. There were thirty-eight cases of accidental poisoning and fifty-seven of accidental drowning.

Only three people were killed by lightning, while one died by starvation. One died by being stung by a swarm of bees, while thirty-nine were burned to death. There were 438 cases of stillborn, while seven people died from excessive cold and six from excessive heat. One hundred and sixty-one died from the popular disease, appendicitis, and forty-five from alcoholism. Four died from measles and one from smallpox.

There were 26,697 births reported to the board during the year, against 10,402 deaths, showing that Nebraska is gaining in population from natural causes. Of these 13,783 were male and 12,914 female. The number shows 26,543 as being white and 134 colored. The Americans take the lead with 21,869, the Germans second with 2,040, the Scandinavians with 818, the British with 375 and the Bohemians 612.

Following is a summary of the report, which shows some interesting figures on marriage and divorce: Total number of marriages, 11,400. Total number of divorce suits, 1,862. Cause of Divorce—

Cruelty 821. Drunkenness 159. Non-support 367. Desertion 381. Adultery 153.

For Settlement of Farming.

Gage County.—A permanent organization of the Gage County Crop Improvement association was formed at the Commercial club rooms in Beatrice. The officers chosen were: President, A. H. Kidd, Beatrice; vice president, W. C. Huntington, Liberty; secretary, Fred Nickole, Beatrice; treasurer, W. W. Black, Beatrice. The organization now has a membership of 500 and an active campaign will be carried on to increase this number to 1,500. An expert farmer will be hired to devote his entire time instructing farmers in the most improved methods of agriculture.

Beaver Crossing Has Fire.

Seward County.—The business portion of Beaver Crossing was visited by a serious fire, which destroyed one business block occupied by Thomas Forster with groceries and a general stock of merchandise and gutted the building next to it, which was occupied by Mrs. Anna March's millinery, stock.

Wolf Hunt in Jefferson County.

Jefferson County.—The first wolf hunt of the season took place west of Fairbury, when several hundred farmers circled the country for six miles square west of Fairbury and closed up on the Carmichael pasture west of Fairbury. No captures were made.

State Poultry Show.

Hall County.—Arrangements have been made by the Commercial club for holding the Nebraska State Poultry Breeders' association's annual poultry show January 20 to 25 in the new Liederkranz auditorium, enabling the association to have its exhibit and business meetings in one building.

Omaha Man Gets Job.

I. F. Chestnut of Omaha will pull down one of the insurance examinations under the Incoming State Auditor W. B. Howard, according to announcement made in Lincoln by the latter.

The Coming Fruit Show.

More than 1,000 boxes of Nebraska grown apples have been received in Lincoln for the fruit show to be held in connection with the organized agriculture meetings, January 20 to 24.

School Apportionment.

The state school apportionment, as made out by State Superintendent Delsel, totals \$28,104.48.

Wants a Wireless Permit.

Douglas County.—The Union Pacific railway made application on the department of commerce and