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Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The vigorous growth and progress of the country as reflected by the records of population and harvests and the general conditions of international peace are things for which thanksgiving is principally due for the year 1910 according to the annual Thanksgiving day proclamation issued by President Taft

CLASSIFICATION OF INDIANS

Board Makes Rules for Santee and Ponca Tribes.

Niobrara, Neb., Nov. 7.—F. H. Abbott, assistant commissioner of Indian affairs, was here consulting the competency board regarding the Santee and Ponca Indians. This board, comprising Superintendent F. E. McIntyre, Chief Clerk A. G. Follock and H. P. Marble, has decided to classify the Indians thus: First, all restrictions removed as to his ability to manage his estate, when found competent; second, those deemed capable of making their own lease and attending to their own business to a limited extent, and third, those considered incompetent and will have the same government protection as heretofore. Commissioner Abbott is also considering the advisability of bringing the trust lands of the Indians under the Erown law, which taxes them, but does not serve as a lien on the lands. The government will protect counties in this where Indian lands have been leased and will hold the individual Indian responsible pending the issuance of his patent.

RAILWAY MAGNATES ON TRIP

Big Stockholders of Harriman Lines Impressed With West.

Omaha, Nov. 5.—Nine millionaires and directors of the Union Pacific railroad passed a short visit in Omaha while their special car was being switched for the journey eastward. The capitalists were returning from a lengthy trip over the Union Pacific lines in the west and were on their way to Chicago.

Following were those who composed the party: Otto H. Kahn, member of the Kuhn-Loeb company; L. F. Loree, president of the Delaware and Hudson railroad; Alvin W. Peck, president of the Mercantile Trust company; Frank B. Keech, Eugene Kahn, Martin Erdman, William Whitehouse, Henry R. Winthrop and Dr. Joseph Frankel.

All of the party were greatly impressed with the phenomenal growth of the west.

BANDITS CONFESS TO GUILT

Disgusted Over Comrade's Treachery, Three Admit Guilt.

Omaha, Nov. 5.—As the perpetrators of an appalling number of highway robberies and burglaries, four men acknowledged their guilt to Chief of Detectives Savage, after being identified by two of their victims.

They gave their names as Fred Sledge, Frank Truman, Tony Pasha and Joe Trimble.

In their confessions the highwaymen said that Truman, the prize fighter, always did the searching of the victim's pockets and on nearly all of the "jobs" he held out the larger part of the booty.

FIRE DAY WIDELY OBSERVED

All Schools of State Have Drills and Ceremony.

Omaha, Nov. 5.—Fire day as set by the state superintendent of instruction was observed in every school in the state with appropriate exercises and drills. In Omaha the drills were given indoors in most schools, because of the inclement weather. At the Comenius school all the entrances were closed but one and it was planned to get the children all out by that one exit so that they would not get into the habit of rushing about the building in all directions and increasing their own danger.

Miss Shallenberger Named Bookkeeper

Lincoln, Nov. 4.—The governor's daughter, Miss Grace Shallenberger, has been appointed to the position of bookkeeper in the governor's office, the appointment taking effect at once. C. C. Husted, who has been bookkeeper, resigned and was at once appointed chief clerk to the governor, to take the place vacated by Leo Matthews, who, it is understood, will be named to take the vacant place of oil inspector.

Hanging Pays Stryker.

Lincoln, Nov. 7.—George Stryker has filed his bill with the state for \$143.50, which is the amount he charged for superintending the execution of Bert Taylor at the state penitentiary. Of this amount, \$43.40 is for expenses and the \$100 is his fee. The expenses were divided as follows: Railroad fare, \$2.70; battery and express, \$12.50; day's work on scaffold, \$17.20; rope and express, \$11.

Wilson Appeal Next Week.

Tecumseh, Neb., Nov. 4.—The district court for Johnson county will convene in adjourned session in Tecumseh on Nov. 8. Judge Pemberton will preside. It is expected that the case of Duncan Kinneburg, on appeal from the findings of the county court in the John Wilson matter, will come up for trial next week.

Child Dies From Burns.

Omaha, Nov. 5.—As the result of fearful burns about the body, little Mary Hults, one year old, died at St. Joseph's hospital. The child received her injuries at the home of her parents at Louisville, Neb. She was rushed to Omaha immediately, but she died within half an hour after arriving here.

Money for Soldiers.

Lincoln, Nov. 7.—Governor Shallenberger has received \$4,952.54 for the soldiers' home at Grand Island and \$2,100 for the home at Milford. The money was sent by the government as a quarterly payment on the \$100 per member of the soldiers' homes, which it pays annually.

CONDENSED NEWS

The directors of the Pennsylvania railroad company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent.

The negotiations by a syndicate to secure the controlling stock of the Cramp Shipbuilding company have been declared off.

Carrying nearly a thousand passengers, military and civil, the United States army transport Sheridan has departed for Manila.

The main building of the Ontario Wheel company works at Gananogue, with all its contents, was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$175,000.

Four miners, all Finns, were killed by an explosion in the Leonard mine at Butte, one of the properties of the Boston and Montana company.

Carl Rohr, a defaulting bank clerk of the National Union bank of Watertown, N. Y., whose alleged shortage is \$13,000, was arrested at Seattle.

The Uruguay revolutionary leaders have agreed to disperse and disarm, provided the candidacy of Ordomez for the presidency is withdrawn.

Charles Ritch and George Oviatt were killed and John Gordon was fatally injured when a threshing engine boiler exploded near Lapeer, Mich.

Municipal elections throughout England and Wales show a considerable growth in the labor and socialist parties. The women candidates fare badly.

The Standard Oil company has taken over the holdings of the J. C. Trees Oil company of Pittsburgh in Carro parish, Louisiana, paying \$6,000,000.

The Jewish quarters in Shiraz, the capital of the province of Fars, Persia, have been sacked by Khasgais. Eleven Jews were killed and 5,000 are destitute.

John J. Smythe was sentenced to death in Norfolk, Va., for the murder of his wife. Bullets intended for Mrs. Smythe also killed a thirteen-year-old daughter.

J. M. Studebaker, president and one of the founders of the Studebaker Brothers Manufacturing company, is seriously ill at his home in South Bend, Ind.

Albert Lee and Samuel Watson were killed and Jefferson Davis was perhaps fatally injured when the boiler of a traction engine exploded at Greencastle, Ind.

Emperor Nicholas of Russia, attended by Sergius Sazonoff, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, and a suite of fifty, arrived in Potsdam for a visit to Emperor William.

The first case of yellow fever ever known in Honolulu has been discovered aboard the Japanese liner Hong Kong Maru, which arrived there from Mazatlan, Mexico.

An effort to restrict the use of injunction by the courts of Arizona, especially in industrial disputes, was defeated in the constitutional convention after a heated debate.

Arguments on the petition of defendants for writs of habeas corpus in the Illinois Central graft cases were begun in Chicago before Judge Chetlain in the superior court.

Helen Starr, sixteen years old, was killed, her sister, Anna, fourteen, slightly hurt, and Laura Waldkirch, fifteen, seriously injured in an automobile accident at Akron, O.

Asbury Spicer, who has figured conspicuously in the Breathitt county, Kentucky, feuds for many years, was given a life sentence for the murder of Asbury Fugate last spring.

John Sakanina of Chicago, who deserted his wife a year ago, entered the little grocery kept by her, shot and killed her, wounded the baby in her arms and then killed himself.

George B. Clows, head of the firm of George B. Clows & Co., publishers in Philadelphia, was arrested to answer an indictment filed at Kansas City, charging that he used the mails to defraud.

William H. Hoffman, a chauffeur, was arrested and charged with murder in New Orleans, following the death of John Kelly as the result of injuries inflicted when Hoffman's machine struck him.

William Mith, a native of New York, famed as an impersonator of the character of Uncle Sam from his remarkable likeness to cartoons, died in a hospital in Tucson, Ariz., at the age of ninety-one years.

A Barton Hepburn, president of the Chase National bank, New York, and former controller of the currency, was elected president of the chamber of commerce, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of J. Edward Simmons.

In compliance with an imperial edict Chinese Consul General Ly Yung Tew and the entire staff of the San Francisco consulate appeared without queues and attired as Americans, causing a mild sensation in the oriental quarter.

W. R. Allen, president of the First National bank at Enloe, Tex., and E. T. Cook, president of the First National bank at Saway, Tex., convicted at Paris, Tex., on the charge of violating the banking laws, began serving sentences of five years each in the penitentiary at Leavenworth.

John A. Dix, Democratic candidate for governor of New York, while en route from Albany to Troy, figured in an automobile accident when his machine ran into a street excavation at Watervliet and was badly damaged. Mr. Dix and the members of his party escaped with a severe shaking up.

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