

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

Artus A. Henry of Des Moines, Ia., has been reinstated as an industrial teacher at the Fort Bathold Indian school, North Dakota.

E. W. Carleton, city editor of the Joplin (Mo.) Daily Globe, shot himself through the heart and died almost instantly. He was 42 years old.

A monument to commemorate the fifty-fifth anniversary of the peaceful annexation of New Mexico to the United States was unveiled at Santa Fe, N. M.

President Loubet of France has conferred upon President W. H. Harper, of the University of Chicago, the decoration of the French Order of the Legion of Honor.

Montana's auction sale of three million acres of state lands will commence in Carbon county, of which Red Lodge is the seat of government, on September 18.

Mrs. Louise Sheridan, better known as Louise Davenport, the actress, died in San Francisco from cirrhosis of the liver. She had lived in extreme poverty in that city for several years past.

Among the passengers arriving on the Hong Kong Maru from the orient was Rear Admiral L. A. Beardslee, U. S. N., retired, who has spent the past year in Japan and the Philippine islands.

The oil developers of Texas are confronted with rather a serious proposition in that the Texas legislature shows a marked disposition to tax them 2 per cent on their gross earnings.

B. F. Jossey, United States Chinese inspector, was accidentally killed at his home in Tucson, Arizona. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by the accidental discharge of a gun.

All the girls of the bookbinders' union employed by the W. B. Conkey company at Hammond, Ind., numbering about 250, struck because their officers who had been discharged were not reinstated.

The Oklahoma City club has raised the required bonus guaranteeing the building of the Oklahoma City & Western road. All papers have been signed and actual construction of the line will soon commence.

The board for the selection of four military instruction camps will not be chosen until after the return of General Miles from a trip through the west. General Miles left Washington last week for Buffalo, and a week later goes west on his annual inspection tour.

A dispatch received at the general land office reports that the total receipts from the sale of lots in the new towns in Oklahoma to and including August 24, aggregated \$659,427. The sales were distributed as follows: Lawton, 1,068 lots for \$351,895; Anadarko, 1,043 lots for \$179,245; Hobart, 1,123 lots for \$128,377.

Tax collectors for the city and state of New York and the state of New Jersey are closely watching the work of valuing the estate of the late Jacob S. Rogers, who left the greater part of his \$5,000,000 or \$6,000,000 to the Metropolitan Museum of Art. It is estimated that the tax on the estate will amount to \$1,000,000.

M. Loubet of Montellimar, France, addressed a deputation representing the municipality of Montellimar and in the course of his remarks referred to the forthcoming visit of the czar as proving that in both Russia and France the union of the two peoples was considered a powerful pledge for the security of peace.

On behalf of the British government the Rothschilds have just announced the payment of the coupons of the Transvaal 5 per cents, dating from the actual annexation.

Mrs. Amanda R. Rippey, one of the best known workers in the Methodist church in the United States, died of Bright's disease at Manitou, Colo. She was a co-worker with Susan B. Anthony and Frances Willard, and enjoyed a national reputation as a champion of woman's rights and of temperance.

United States Collector of Customs William Hoy was arrested at Nogales, Arizona, by a deputy United States marshal for conspiracy to smuggle Chinese from Mexico into the United States. His hearing has been set for Thursday.

The abstract of the condition of the national banks of Indian Territory, at the close of business on July 15, as reported to the comptroller of the currency, shows the average reserve to have been 32.39 per cent, against 41.51 per cent on April 24.

David Simon, father of United States Senator Simon, died at Portland, Ore., of old age. He was in his 82d year.

Robert R. Spencer of Mount Ayr has been elected chairman of the Iowa republican state central committee for the ensuing year.

STRIKERS WANT JOBS

Corporation Officials Claim to Hear from Many Asking Reinstatement.

MORE MILLS ARE NOW RUNNING

Non-Union Demonstration is a Bit Discouraging to the Strikers—They Claim, However, That Their Ranks Are Steady and Unbroken.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 30.—Officials of the mills of the United States Steel corporation that were closed by the strike of the Amalgamated association stated today that they are receiving many applications from former employes for work. The announcement that the company would start the mills nonunion has, the officials believe, caused a weakness in the ranks of the strikers. The strikers claim that their ranks are unbroken and strong as ever.

One of the steel officials said today that there was a general mistake being made regarding the time it would take to train inexperienced men and making them capable of operating mill machines. This has been believed to be the case so long that few have taken the trouble to prove it otherwise. It is now determined, he said, to have new men placed in positions that will give them a chance to learn the skilled work and many of the men who held menial positions in the Union mills are to be taught skilled work with which they are in a measure familiar through long association with the workings of the mills. It is confidently asserted that before many months pass it will be possible to produce many new men and plenty to man all the plants that are idle and which union men have refused to take hold of. The strikers say it will take years to accomplish this.

Reports from all the mills show that steady gains are being made in the force of nonunion men. The strikers claim to have induced six nonunion men to desert the Star mills today and to have shipped them back to Chicago, whence they came. On the other hand, Superintendent Piper of the Star plant announced that he is nearly ready to start up the other mills in the plant and the men are now waiting for the improvements to be completed in the mills. In the Painter mills the work is progressing smoothly and no desertions are reported. New men are being secured, though the company officials say that on Sundays the strikers make an active canvass of the homes of the men at work and seek to induce them to remain from the plant. The last two mills in the Painter plant were to have been started today, but it was found impossible to have them ready and the starting was postponed for a few days. Pickets about the Lindsay-McCutcheon plant in Allegheny claimed to have turned back a new man today who was bound for the mills. Other than this there was no change in the Allegheny plant. The only significant action in Lawrenceville today was the successful starting of the Guide mill in the lower union mills of the Carnegie company. The start was made according to the officials.

Secretary for Nebraska.

DENVER, Aug. 30.—The American Association for the Advancement of Science finished its business here tonight when the general committee, which is the governing body of the association, elected the following officers: President A. P. Hall, professor of astronomy, Harvard university; general secretary, D. T. McDougal, New York Botanical garden; secretary of the council, H. B. Ward, University of Nebraska.

Royalty to Be Fenced In.

BERLIN, Aug. 30.—The forthcoming meeting between Emperor Nicholas and Emperor William will occur at sea off Dantzic, Emperor William remaining on board the German imperial yacht Hohenzollern during the maneuvers. A special railway station has been built near the wharf, so that the kaiser's train may stop quite close to the bridge leading to the Hohenzollern. The grounds will be surrounded by a high fence.

All the Smiths to Be There.

GUTHRIE, Okl., Aug. 30.—Today a call was issued for a convention in Guthrie on October 21 of all persons in Oklahoma named Smith to effect arrangements for an annual reunion. There are 2,500 Smiths in the territory.

Taft Returns to Manila.

MANILA, Aug. 30.—The civil governor returned here today from the north. He is pleased with the condition of the parts of the country visited. During his trip he established civil governments at La Union, Ilocos (south and north), Abra, Cayanagan, Isabella, Zambales and Bacoat. He intends shortly to amalgamate the provincial governments, abolishing the cumbersome governmental machinery of the smaller provinces.

GREAT CHANGES IN ORIENT.

Congressman Hull of Iowa Gives Impressions of the Philippines.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Congressman Hull of Iowa, chairman of the house committee on military affairs, who has arrived here from a five months' tour of China, Japan and the Philippines, is deeply impressed with the possibilities of the new American possessions in the Orient. He says:

"If I was a young man I don't know where I would rather go than to the Philippines. For a man of brains and industry the islands open a vast prospect in most every line of business for one who has the grit to go there and stick to it.

"The mineral, agricultural and timber resources of these islands constitute a field of commercial enterprise that is practically unlimited. Of course the present conditions of brigandage make it exceedingly unsafe for people to settle in the islands away from the protection of the military posts. But the people, or the great majority, desire peace and safety and are doing all they can to help the troops attain this end.

"Of course, it is impossible to make an Anglo-Saxon out of an Oriental, therefore the Filipino will probably never be an American citizen in the broad sense that is understood by all that term conveys to the man born in the United States of white parents. But as soon as he gets a sufficient education and becomes a little more impregnated with our ideas and loses some of the ideas acquired by a 300 years' association with the Spaniards, the Filipino will be a citizen in spirit, patriotism, industry and education and will be worthy of participating to the fullest extent in all the benefits of this government.

"Of course, we will have to govern them with firmness as well as with kindness. I think that 40,000 troops is about the right number to keep there for some years to come."

ELECT GRAND COMMANDER.

Knights Templars Select Henry Bates Stoddard of Texas.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 30.—Today for the first time since the conclave of the grand encampment of the Knights Templar began here the visitors were able to take full advantage of the pleasure and sight-seeing excursions which have been on the program every day. With no all-absorbing feature to occupy their time, the knights and their women went for rides on the Ohio river, took excursions into the country to see the home of Kentucky farms, the battlefields of Tennessee, Mammoth Cave and Cumberland Gap. These excursions to Tennessee were made inviting by the low rates of railroads and many people took advantage of them.

The grand encampment today elected Henry Bates Stoddard of Bryan, Tex., grand commander, to succeed Reuben H. Lloyd of California.

Colonel George M. Moulton of Chicago was elected to succeed Mr. Stoddard as deputy grand master.

Rev. W. H. Rugg of Rhode Island was advanced one rank to the office of grand generalissimo, made vacant by the election of Colonel Moulton.

William B. Melish of Cincinnati was elected to succeed Rugg as captain general, while Joseph A. Locke of Portland, Me., the junior grand warden, was made senior grand warden.

THIRTY PLOWMAKERS IN TRUST

Fifty Million Dollars to Be Represented in the Deal.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Nearly thirty plow manufacturers of the United States were in session all of today in the Auditorium Annex, discussing plans for a consolidation of all of the plow interests in the country. After the meeting it was given out that the proposed consolidation was practically a sure thing and that \$50,000,000 would be represented in the organization when it was completed.

The New York Guarantee and Trust company has made a proposition to the plow manufacturers to engineer the deal, and a large majority of them, it is said, has signified a willingness to enter the combine. It is understood that when its charter is secured the headquarters will be in New York.

Objects to Being Adjudged Insane.

ONAWA, Ia., Aug. 30.—Victor Dubois, a wealthy farmer who has lived in Fairview township, Monona county, for over thirty years, was adjudged insane by the commissioners of insanity and sent to Clarinda. Through his attorney, W. L. Smith, he has taken an appeal to the district court of Monona county.

Fort Leavenworth Deserters Caught.

FORT LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 30.—George H. Peters and Maurice Shaughnessy, deserters from the United States army post at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., were arrested at Cascade this morning by Deputy United States Marshal G. F. Gustafson of this city. The two deserted together August 10 and were caught working on a farm of Peters' aunt near Cascade. They were taken back to Fort Leavenworth this afternoon.

SEDGWICK IS NOMINEE

Nebraska Republicans at Lincoln Nominate Him on Fifth Ballot.

FIVE BALLOTS TO MAKE A CHOICE

Mr. Sedgwick of York County Will Lead the Ticket for Supreme Judge—The Nominees for Regenia of the State University.

For Supreme Judge—S. H. SEDGWICK, of York. For Regents—H. R. GOULD, of Ogallala. C. J. ERNST, of Lincoln.

LINCOLN, Aug. 29.—The republican state convention, held yesterday, placed in nomination the above ticket.

State Chairman Lindsay lowered the gavel at 2:25 and the delegates came to order promptly. The official call was read by L. P. Ludden, acting assistant secretary, and Chairman Lindsay then introduced Judge Baker, who had been selected by the state committee for temporary chairman of the convention.

Judge Baker addressed the convention at considerable length. There being no contests, the lists of delegates as submitted to Chairman Lindsay were accepted as the accredited lists of delegates. L. P. Ludden, John T. Mallahan and W. S. Haller of Washington were elected assistant secretaries. On motion of John C. F. McKesson, Chief Justice Norval was made permanent chairman.

On assuming the chair Judge Norval said: "I appreciate more than I can explain the high compliment you have paid me and I thank you for it from the bottom of my heart. You do not want me to make a speech; what you want is to nominate our candidates and formulate our platform. I am personally acquainted with all of the candidates now before this convention and I am confident that whichever one your name will be elected, I thank you again and ask your further pleasure."

Chairman Norval announced the appointment of the following for the resolutions committee: J. C. F. McKesson of Lancaster, A. E. Cady of Howard, E. Rosewater of Douglas, W. T. Thompson of Merrick, Ross Hammond of Dodge, T. O. C. Harrison of Hall, J. F. Presson of Seward, Francis Martin of Richardson and C. B. Lutton of Jefferson.

On motion of N. D. Jackson of Neligh the convention proceeded to vote formally for a nominee for supreme judge. The first ballot disclosed five candidates—Barnes, Calkins, Davidson, Keyser and Sedgwick. The result of the first ballot was: Davidson, 352; Keyser, 301½; Barnes, 243; Sedgwick, 206½; Calkins, 171. Necessary for a choice, 640. Judge Dickinson, notwithstanding his withdrawal, received four votes, these coming from Adams county.

The second ballot also failed to nominate, the vote being: Davidson, 387; Keyser, 312; Barnes, 221; Sedgwick, 196; Calkins, 148. On this ballot Davidson gained thirty-five votes and Keyser increased his strength by eleven votes. Sedgwick lost ten votes, Calkins twenty-three and Barnes twenty-two.

On the third ballot Madison county from Barnes to Sedgwick. Boone county's twenty-two votes were changed by also transferred eighteen votes from Barnes to Sedgwick. Antelope and Dodge made similar changes. The vote was: Keyser, 408; Davidson, 403; Sedgwick, 329; Calkins, 124; Barnes, 14. Necessary for a choice, 640.

On the fifth ballot Judge Sedgwick was nominated.

Judge Sedgwick addressed the convention as follows: "The court of last resort is of high importance in a free state. It is independent of either branch of government. No man is too capable for such a position. No one could hope or expect to perform the duties of judge of the supreme court perfectly. If the people of this state ratify your action I will certainly appreciate the responsibility of the position and do all that I can to justify you in nominating me. Gentlemen of this convention, I sincerely thank you for the high compliment of this nomination."

The roll was then called for two regents of the University of Nebraska, resulting as follows: F. L. Gould, Ogallala, 1,130; C. J. Ernst, Lincoln, 1,027; Rising, Ainsworth, 505. Ernst and Gould were declared elected.

J. C. F. McKesson, chairman, reported for the platform committee, and after debate the resolutions were adopted by a vote of 998 to 168.

Poses at War Department.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Director General Fossils, in charge of the Department of Posts in Cuba, was at the War department today. He stated that it was expected the trial of Charles W. Neeley, charged with the misappropriation of Cuban postal funds, would begin at Havana about October 1. Mr. Fossils is here on a vacation, but is consulting with the authorities on affairs pertaining to the postoffice department of Cuba.

POWERS MUST BE UNANIMOUS

Check to Any Nation Securing an Advantage in Chinese Trade.

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May Now Sign Protocol.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—"Li Hung Chang has notified the minister of the powers that the Chinese plenipotentiaries are now authorized to sign the protocol," says a dispatch to the Times from Peking, dated yesterday, "and has requested them to fix a date for the signing."

"An edict concerning the importation of arms was circulated among the ministers today. The other edicts are required to complete the protocol."

To Let Cuba Do It.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 28.—It is probable that there will be no change in the Cuban tariff. The commission which has been revising the present tariff has not yet reported and it was stated at the war department that such good progress is being made on the formation of a Cuban government that the revision of the tariff for Cuba probably will await action by that government.

Terrorized a Woman.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Aug. 28.—A tramp entered the house of John Hartnett during his absence in the hay field and terrorized Mrs. Hartnett with a revolver. After ransacking the house he disappeared, threatening Mrs. Hartnett with death if she made an outcry. When Mr. Hartnett returned home he found his wife in an unconscious condition, suffering from the shock.

After Nebraska Sheep Man.

DOUGLAS, Wyo., Aug. 28.—C. W. Barney, a Nebraska sheep man, has been arrested for not complying with the state quarantine laws. His sheep have been placed in quarantine and an effort will be made to make an example of Barney. It is alleged that Barney instructed his herders to pay no attention to the Wyoming officials.

Kirk B. Armour is Better.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 28.—K. B. Armour, who arrived home yesterday from Watkins Glen, N. Y., seriously ill, passed a good night and was reported much improved today. Although Mr. Armour is not considered out of danger his physician is much encouraged.

Lady Smith Found Dead.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Lady Smith, wife of Sir Archibald Levin Smith, master of the rolls since 1900, was found dead today, floating in the river Spey. It is not known how she was drowned.

British Warships for Panama.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 28.—H. M. S. Amphion has taken on board three scow loads of ammunition and the report is current, although no confirmation can be obtained, that it has been ordered to proceed to Panama, and the torpedo boats Virago and Sparrow Hawk are to go with it. The Virago's boilers have been taken apart and orders give for work night and day to hurry the repairs and have the boat ready.

A BREAK WITH TURKEY

French Ambassador at Constantinople Ordered to Withdraw.

GENERAL DISRUPTION MAY FOLLOW

European Powers' Concert Threatened With Quick Dissolution—The Porte Has Not Carried Out Undertakings in Disputed Questions.

PARIS, Aug. 28.—A semi-official note has been issued, announcing that the porte, not having carried out its undertakings with regard to the disputed questions between the French and Ottoman governments, M. Constans, the French ambassador, acting under instructions from the foreign minister of France, left Constantinople August 26, the date named in his last communication to the porte on the subject.

An arrangement had been effected August 17, and its terms drafted by the Ottoman foreign minister, with the approval of the sultan, who had promised M. Constans that the text should be handed to him August 18.

M. Constans telegraphed to Paris August 19 that none of the promises had been fulfilled, and M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs, August 28 telegraphed M. Constans that, in view of so flagrant a disregard of the understanding, the negotiations could no longer be continued, and asked M. Constans to inform the porte that he had received orders to leave Constantinople.

On August 23 M. Constans communicated with the porte, fixing August 26 as the date for his departure, and as the engagements were still unkept, M. Constans left Constantinople August 26.

With the departure of M. Constans the relations between France and Turkey may be regarded as broken off. Munir Bey, the Turkish ambassador to France, has been telegraphed not to return to Paris.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The French ambassador has withdrawn from Constantinople because the sultan has attempted further delay of the settlement which the ambassador, M. Constans, urged.

In official circles here this announcement, received today, is feared to portend the dissolution of the concert of European powers under which the integrity of Turkey was guaranteed. By the treaty of Berlin all the great powers of Europe subscribed to an agreement to refrain from any act that would tend to the destruction of the Ottoman empire. This action was taken to forestall what was conceived to be the designs of Russia to seize on Turkish territory and Russia itself was led to subscribe to the agreement by force of circumstances. Although several times severely strained, notably by such events as the last war between Turkey and Greece, this pact has so far endured without amendment, but it is apprehended now that if the action of France is carried out to the extreme condition each of the other signatory powers will feel obliged in self-protection to disregard the agreement and press upon Turkey the vast financial and other claims that have accumulated in the past quarter of a century, with a result of disrupting the present Turkish government.

PRICE OF PLOWS GOES HIGHER.

Manufacturers Decide on Raise of Ten Per Cent to Begin in October.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Plow manufacturers of the United States, a large number of whom have been in conference at the Auditorium the past few days, have decided upon an advance of 10 per cent in the price of plows and all plow repairs during the coming year. The present strike of the steel workers is given as the cause.

In addition the manufacturers claim that the cost of production in every way is much greater at present than it was a year ago. The manufacturers, it is said, are obliged to have 10 per cent more for their material than a year ago. Besides it is claimed higher wages are being paid to the men employed in the works.

The increase in price will go into effect when the sales for next year are begun in October.

New Revolution Springs Up.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 28.—

The steamer San Jose from Central America reports that at Acajutla it was said that another revolution for the purpose of overthrowing the government of Salvador was imminent, though no outbreak had yet taken place.

Increase to Philippine Revenues.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—A statement of the customs revenues in the Philippine islands for the months ended May 31, 1901, as compared with the same period of 1900 and 1899, prepared in the division of insular affairs of the War department, shows that the total revenues for the five months ended May 31, 1901, were \$3,095,695; same period of 1900, \$2,408,137, and 1899, \$1,706,214. These figures indicate an increase over 1900 of \$1,187,577.