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MUCH IN SMALL SPACE FOR THE HURRYING READER.

EVENTS COVERING WIDE FIELD

Something of Congress, Political Gossip Here and There, and News and Notes of General Character.

Political.

With the return of Secretary Taft to Washington, politics has taken on renewed interest in view of the extreme difficulty Mr. Taft Is having in settling the national chairmanship. It is widely asserted that neither Hitchcock nor Vorys is likely now to get the chairmanship and that a third man will be picked.

The fight over the anti-injunction plank in the democratic platform is not the only struggle in which the committee on resolutions, and possibly the convention itself, may be involved. It developed that the prohibition question is to be brought to the front, and that a desperate effort will be made to have a plank declaring in its favor placed in the platform. The prohibition movement will be headed by Gen. James B. Weaver of Iowa.

"I have nothing to add about politics," said Senator Foraker, "to what I already have said, except that there is no foundation whatever for the stories that have been appearing in the news papers about negotiations on the part. of our mutual friends to secure Secretary Taft's support of me for my return to the senate in return for my support for him as the republican candidate. It will be time enough to consider the senatorial question after we have secured the republican legislature of Ohio. I am not bothering about that question now."

Mayor McClellan of New York won out in the recount of votes in New York. It cost him \$40,000 to defend his tite to the mayoralty,

It is said Judge Gray of Delaware can have second place on the democratic ticket if he so desires.

Indications are at this writing that the democratic national convention at Denver will have some difficulty in framing a suitable injunction plank.

General.

Bryan men at Denver say that Judge Parker's resolutions lauding the record of Mr. Cleveland are in tended as a direct slap at Mr. Bryan and they have taken steps to prevent their introduction.

State Treasurer Brian of Nebraska has bought \$500,000 worth of Califords for the school

Allegations made that a bargain verdict was reached in the land fraud trial at Washington.

Washington.

The navy department opened bids for the purchase of three steam colliers of American registry, 7,200 tons lead weight, maximum cost, \$525,000. Of the four blds received the Massachusetts Steamship company of Boson offered to sell its colliers, the Everett, Maiden and Melrose, for \$325,000, and the New York Ship building company of Camden, N. J., to construct three vesnels, 7,450 tonnage, at \$439,000 each.

After July 4 flags made for the use of the government will contain forty six stars in the field or union, to conform in number to the tates. The additional star follows the admision of Oklahoma to the family of states, an act of congress in the early part of the eighteenth century requiring that on the admission of a state one star is to be added to the union of the flag. to take effect on the fourth of July next succeeding such admission, Oklahoma came into the union Nov. 16.

It has been recided that the committee appointed at the Chicago convention to notify Judge Taft of his nomination for the presidency will meet him in Cincinnati on Tuesday, July 28. Judge Taft will go to Cincinnati from Hot Springs, Va., for the purpose of receiving the committee's notification and will return directly to Hot Springs.

Mr. Taft received a cable announcement of the death in London, England of William T. Gilbert of Brooklyn, N. Y., a member of Judge Taft's class of '78 of Yale.

There is a possibility that United States troops may be called on to arrest any of the Mexican revolutionists who may cross the border in the effort to escape from the Mexican author Hes

Senator Foraker left on Tuesday for Cincinnati, where he will remain probably about ten days and then return to this city. Before leaving the senator denied reports regarding negotiations he is said to have made with Taft.

Ambassador Thompson, at the City of Mexico, informed the department of state that the supreme court of that country held for extradition William F. Walker, the New Britain banker who absconded almost a year ago and was captured in a mining camp while in disguise

The United States will do whatever is its duty in suppressing the Mexican border troubles.

There is much talk of the selection of Frank B. Kellogg for chairman of the republican national committee.

Foreign.

Dr. David Jayne Hill, the Ambassador to Germany, gave his first reception in honor of the diplomatic corps at Berlin. The reception was largely attended

The mobilization of al British warships in home waters available for immediate service was completed for Bryan into something like a definite the prevailing not of the discussion the annual naval maneuvers, and .Ad- and formidable movement. But their of the democratic national platform. miral Lord Charles Beresford finds himself in supreme command of a total of not less than 301 ships, with an aggregate of 68,000 officers and men. The French Journal Des Debas this afternoon says that the Wright brothers of Dayton, O., have signed a contract with Lazare Weiller, who is acting for a syndicate which offers the Wrights \$100,000 for their patents provided, first, that the arcoplane, with two persons on board, files thirty-one miles in an enclosed circuit, and second, that it repeats this performance within eight days in the presence of a committee.



People Pouring Into Denver by Thousands from All Quarters

NOISY SUNDAY IN THE CITY OF THE PLAINS

Bands, Marching Clubs, Streamers and Stirring Enthusiasm for Bryan Features that Characterized the Entire Day.

Denver-The convention throngs crime and which is not committed in have been pouring into the city by the presence of the court, the defendevery train. It has been a noisy, beis, ant shall be entitled to a jury trial upon the issue of fact as to whether or terous Sunday, with bands escorting not he has committed such crime, and arriving delegations through the

streets, with steadily swelling crowds in the hotel lobbies and with leaders and delegates botton-holing the new to secure these results." nrrivals and holding private conferences on candidates and measures.

Most of the leaders and more than half of the delegates are now here and

the tide of humanity which comes to look on and cheer is now in ful movement toward the city. The weather is

almost perfect, warm, but not unweather to bring comfort to a conemraced the opportunity of a Sunday full for a trip to the nearby Rockies, others have enjoyed the more exciting diversion of tournaments where the broncho busters are presenting a

picture of real western life. Tonight the crowds are turning to the splendid auditorium where the turbed Lincoln's peaceful streets. convention will be held. The vast

amphitheater is lighted and open to democrats whirled along avenues the public for the first time for a band adorned with hundreds of Bryan pictures. Not a sound escaped their lips concert and the brilliant scene within which was not in keeping with the the enclosure hung with flags and Sabbath. packed to its full capacity suggests the

W. J. Bryan is uncompromising in throughs which will soon gather for his religion. He will not talk politics the convention. A feature of the on Sunday. Visiting delegations evening is the appearance of Charles ceased their demonstrations as soon A. Towne of New York, one of the as they entered the city limits and releading vice presidential candidates. frained from further outcry until Lin-While these outward evidences of ac- coin was left in the distance. The pertivities have been going on the lead- sonality of the great leader seemed to ers who have been shaping the affairs dominate them.

of the coming convention have been holding meetings in the upper cham- PLATFORM TALK CONSERVATIVE.

final plans.

centered in the movement of the allies to galvanize the opposition to

stairs at her residence and sustained serious injuries. "Fitz," the police dog, who for nearthus violated such injunction.

"We favor the passage of, a law amending the chancery practise so as

dock hotel and opera house at Beat-AT FAIRVIEW ON SUNDAY. rice from John Telford and John Watson of Chicago for \$150,000

No Banners Displayed and No Note From Brass Band.

ly twenty years has done police duty in company with the various officers of McCook, has been killed for biting several children Mrs. Marie Colby, wife of General L. W. Colby, has purchased the Pad-

The state rallway commission has granted the Missourl Pacific railroad Lincoln, Neb. - William Jennings a further extension of time of one Bryan, at Fairview, Sunday received week in the settlement of the Waa personal compliment more flattering bash telegraph service complaint. hearable, with a clear sky and a brisk than the gift of official power, a com-The death list as a result of the mountain breeze, just the sort of pliment unspoken and unpremeditated. Northwestern freight wreck near Delegation after delegation advanced Chadron now reaches ten. Three vention. Many of the delegates have on Fairview, shook hands with the trainmen and seven tramps were kill commoner and went on their way ed, and two trainmen and three Banners they carried, but they were tramps injured. not flaunted in the sight of men. Pen-A heavy hall storm struck north

nants were numerous, but they were of Schuyler and caused much damage not unfurled. Uniformed hands accom to the corn and small grain. It covpanied the travelers, but no instruered a strip more than two miles wide ment was heard. Enthusiastic were and moved eastward. the democrats, but not a cheer dis

Mrs. Jane D. English Smith, a true daughter of the revolution, died at Street cars packed with optimistis the home of her daughter , Mrs. C. F.

Seward, in Tecumseh. Had Mrs. Smith lived until winter she would have been 92 years of age. The greatest event in that part of the state during the summer will be

the second annual incoming and old settlers' picnic at Alexandria on August 1. Base ball will be one of the leading features of the sports.

NEBRASKA NEWS AND LOTES.

Items of Greater or Lesser Impor

tance Over the State.

Lightning struck the Dodge county

court house without doing material

At Saronville Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Danley Freeman, Nebraska's first

The wagon bridge across the Blue

Congressman G. W. Norris arrived

home last week from Washington and

Farmers have been working over-

time in the fields to make up for

rainy days when no man could work.

ucators went to Cleveland to attend

the meetings of the National Educa-

Mrs. E. M. Munger, proprietor of

the Leader general merchandise store

in Beaver city, fell down a flight of

More than a hundred Nebraska ed-

has taken up affairs in his district.

river between Beatrice and Holmes-

ville went out from high water.

Chaltberg celebrated their golden

homesteader, has recovered from a

damage

wedding.

very serious illness

tional association.

Charles Burroughs, a well known farmer residing north of Hastings. lost a valuable team of matched driving horses from the streets in Doniphan, and there is evidence that they were stolen by thieves who made good their escape.

Ernest S. Kennison, sentenced to wenty-three years in the penitentiary for the murder of Sam Cox, has been received at the penitentiary. His term, full time, will end May 18, 1931, and if given good time he will have served his sentence February 18,



STATE NEWS AND NOTES IN CON-DENSED FORM.

THE PRESS, PULPIT AND PUBLIC

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

Many bridges in Otoe county are out because of high water.

The Paddock hotel at Beatrice has been purchased by Mrs. Colby, wife of Gen. Colby, the consideration being \$150,000.

The Red Willow county court had a narrow escape from fire, which originated in the court room and partially destroyed the second floor.

The Nebraska state band is planning to hold a large convention of bands in Creighton some time in the near future and expects about six to ten bands from the state to participate,

Little Emma, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hubbard, who live seventeen miles south of Rushville, wandered away from home and her body was found two hours later in the Niobrara river, where she had fallen in and drowned. A man, giving the name Charles Murphy, who is a hostler and roust-

about with one of the race horses there, was arrested at Tecumseh on a serious charge. Murphy had been treating little girls during the day and it is said he altempted to assault the 6-year-old daughter of Emil Pfeifer.

George McAuliffe, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McAuliffe, the family home being near St. Mary, in Johnson county, attempted sulcide. In a fit of despondency he took a razor and cut a gash in his throat almost from ear to ear. It was not deep enough to sever the jugular veln. McAuliffe is aged about 30 years and has a wife and child. He had lost his crop in the flood along the Nemaha river.

Clinton R. Lee of the Lee Broom and Duster company, Lincoln, submitted an amended proposal for convict labor to the state board of public lands and buildings. He offers to pay about \$2,400 per annum, plus the cost of light. This is in addition to his offer of 50 cents a day for convict labor. The state board has insisted on 75 cents a day. When the members made this demand Lee turned the convicts off and they have been idle ever since.

Farmers who were in Fairbury told of the havoc wrought by the storm of Saturday night in various parts of the county. In many section the wind seemed to assume the form of a cyclone and great damage was done, buildings being blown down, and many movable things carried for considerable distances before the force of the wind. J. F. Lasleur says the path of

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bers of the hotels, arranging their

Injunction Plank Said to Be Only The chief interest of the day has Denver .--- Conservatism has been

Eighty men were killed and many

more wounded during the fighting yesterday at Tabriz, Persia, New York City has experienced

very warm weather and records many fatalities.

The Santa Fe Railway company let contracts for terminal buildings at Canadion, Tex., in the sum of \$150,000,

In order to test the right of Dr. R. L. Coffer, who is in charge of the marine hospital service at Honolulu, to act as president of the territorial board of health, it is probable that a suit will be brought.

Two fast Missouri Pacific trains met in a fog near Knobnoster, Mo., and seven were killed and many injured. Murat Halstead, former proprietor

of the Cincinnati Commercial, died last week, aged 79. A call for \$45,000,000 of money in

depository banks has been made by the treasury department. The Missouri Pacific railway applied

to the Nebraska railway commission for authority to put into force a 3-cent passenger rate. The company also asks permission to install a 15 per cent advance on freight rates.

At Portsmouth, N. H., life long literary friends of the late Thomas Balley Aldrich took part in the dedication of the former home there of the poet and author as a memorial museum.

A great business revival is to begin with July 1, according to forecasts of commercial experts. In one day (the 1st), there will be distributed throughout the United States a total of \$195,000,000, made up largely of semi-annual payments by public corporations, such as railroads, large industrial companies and banks.

At Chicago Birch F. Rhodus, Edward F. Rhodus and Thomas Rhodus. organizers of the Central Life Securities company and a half dozen subsidiary concerns, were arrested, charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud.

Seven persons were killed and twenty-five seriously injured by a tornado at Clinton, Minn.

War vessels are kept busy in preparation for the long journey ahead soon be made.

Gen. David Vickers, a veteran of the civil and Spanish-American wars, and adjutant general of the Idaho national for the presidency, but he will vote guard, died last week.

The plant of the St. Louis Plate Glass company at Valley Park, Mo., employing 1,000 men, suspended operations for two weeks.

A tornado struck the town of Pukwana, S. D., and practically wiped it out. Property loss was great, but no people were killed.

Manuel Quezon, the Filipino assemblyman, his secretary, Mr. Rogers, and Mr. Kalaw, editor of the Manila Renacinimento, have finished their study of the Duma and have left St. Petersburg for Berlin and Paris.

Irishmen in England resisted the attitude of the clergy on political matters.

The uprising in northern Mexico has become an international incident, part of the alleged bandits having escaped into Texas.

The trial of Prince Philip Zu Eulenburg began on Monday. He is charged with perjury and inciting another person to commit perjury. The public interest in the case is very keen.

The Shah of Persla is forcing his subjects into submission. Light penalties only were imposed upon the participants in the Jewish massacre at Blalystok.

Personal

Secretary Taft turned his office over to Governor Wright and received a delegation of Ohio politicians. He announced that the new republican chairman will be selected at a meeting of the subcommittee at Hot Springs, Va., July 8.

At White Plains, New York, Elihu Root, secretary of state, began at Muldoon's sanitarium a course of physical physical condition for another year of hard work in Washington.

At Omaha three old comrades greeted General Carrington, of the Fort from San Francisco. The start will Phil Kearney massacre over forty rears ago.

Chancellor Andrews of the Nebrasthe democratic ticket.

Bishop Henry C. Potter of New York is regarded by his physicians as being in a critical state of health. The prison. All of the prisoners, who inhishop has been ill for some time with stomach and liver trouble.

Mrs. Taft is making arrangements for the breaking up of housekcoping ried to the arsonal, which was also kidnaped his three children from Verin Washington. burned.

best efforts, begun yesterday, have This discussion has been indulged in not been entirely successful. Chief freely among prospective members of Murphy of Tammany, on whom the the resolutions committee and among hopes of the "allies" have been cen- leaders of the party generally and Mr. tered, will give on sign committing, Bryan has been quoted as being in his forces against Bryan. He is too harmony with the idea. The one radishrewd a politician for that when the cal plank which seems to be conceded tide seems to be setting toward Bry- will go into the document will be the an. On the contrary, his lieutenants expression on the subject of injuncare passing the word around today tion as applied in labor disputes. Those that New York's vote will be for Bry. who oppose strong language on this an. However, the allied opposition subject are conceding that their instill contends that the fight will be fluence will not be potent to prevent continued. The Bryan managers have the adoption of a plank which will at no time shown any nervousness plege the party to an amendment of over the renewed activity of the al- the law which will make notice of the Hes.

AN INJUNCTION PLANK.

It is Drawn by Former Mayor Dunne of Chicago.

Denver .- Here is a plank drawn by former Mayor Dunne of Chicago and | INDIANA WILL PRESENT KERN. which he will present to the Denver convention. He says Bryan requests his membership on the committee of resolutions. It is believed, therefore, his plank meets Bryan's approval:

"The right of a court of chancery where property rights are involved to intervene and protect the statu quo between litigants is unquestioned, but no such writ should issue ex-parte, and without notice, except where it is day morning enroute to Denver with clearly made to appear that irrepar- the avowed intention of placing his able injury will result unless the writ issue immediately and without notice, and in such case the motion to dissolve such injunction shall take precedence of all other legal business in the court issuing such injunction and shall be heard and determined before any other business is considered in such court. In all cases where injunctions are issued, with or without notice, an ample bond shall be exacted of complainant sufficient to cover all damages resulting to defendant from the issuance of such a writ, including reasonable attorney's fees incurred in moving to dissolve said writ. In all lly were guests Saturday of Ambassa-

Four Hundred Buildings Burn. Port Au Prince, Hayti-A serious in the vicinity of the palace and sen-Four hundred buildings were burned, much hope. including the court house and the cluded a number of women, were taken to other quarters before the building took fire. Sparks were car-

issuance of a preliminary injunction imperative, also that provision will be made for the hearing of the case before a different judge than the one is-

Radical One Contemplated.

suing the injunction and for a hearing of the facts in the case before a jury.

Delegation Disregards His Rejection

of Second Place Offer.

Omaha-Notwithstanding the positive assertions of John W. Kern of Indiana that he will not be a candidate for vice president under any consideration, the Indiana delegaton. 150 strong, went through Omaha Sunname before the convention for the nomination for the second place on the ticket.

Orchard's Sentence Commuted.

Boise, Ida .- The state board of par dons commuted the sentence of Harry Orchard, who was under sentence to hang next Friday for the murder of former Governor frank Steunenberg, to imprisonment for life.

Pickens at Reid Reception.

London-Charles Pickens and fam-

Bishop Potter May Yet Recover. Cooperstown, N. Y .- With each suc con reached alarming proportions. trouble, this physicians now have

Boni's Boy Sees Grandma.

Paris-The statement given publicity that Count Boni de Castellane, the former husband of Mme. Auna Gould. sallies is inaccurate.

1924:A cablegram from Prof. Delzell at.

Liverpool, announces the safe arrival at that place of the Nebraska European party which left Peru two weeks ago. The cablegram states that all are well and enjoying themselves. Prof. Delzeil of Peru is in charge of the party.

In an address at the University of Nebraska Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews reaffirmed his allegiance to the democratic party. He predicted that the election this year will turn on issues rather than men, the leaders of the two parties being men without reproach.

A stranger driving a automobile passing throug West Point frightened the team of Louis Zeplin, a dray man, who was in the act of loading cream cans. The team ran away, with the result that one valuable horse was killed and the cream spilled and lost.

Rev. L. J. Medlin, for two years the pastor of the Methodist church at North Platte, has resigned and removed to Lincoln where he has accepted the position or superintendent of agencies for a life insurance company. Mr. Medin retires from the ministry because of throat affection. Newport (R i.) dispatch: Mrs. Henry Winn of Malden, Mass., who was injured by the overturning of a tallyho coach while on a pleasure excursion here with delegates to the convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in Boston, died of her injuries. Mrs. Helen C. Sundean of Lincoln, Neb., who was injured at the same time will recover.

Insurance Deputy Pierce has just finished a tabulation of farm mortgages held by the old-line insurance companies in Nebraska. The total value of farm mortgages held in the state by twenty-three of the fortytwo licensed to do business is \$29,-000,100. The Union Central of Cincinnati has loaned \$6.852.232 in the state, and is the largest owner of Nebraska farm mortgages. Next comes the Mutual Benefit of Newark with \$5,151,350, and the Aetna company of Hartford ranks third.

While Edgar Manning, a 16-year old boy of Schuyler, was emptying the Chamber of a 22-caliber rifle at the slough where more than a dozen boys had gone to spend the afternoon, a shot got caught in the barrel and while he was extricating the shot the trigger went off. The gun was pointed at the back of Frank Schley, who was undressing to go in swimming. The bullet entered the boy's back and went straig't through his body, cutting the main artery. He died before a physician could arrive

the storm in his neighborhood was several rods wide and that everything in the path of the storm was wrecked.

The qualifying examination for the Rhodes scholars to be elected for 1910 will be held toward the end of October, 1909, instead of in the month of January as heretofore. It is believed that an examination held in October will interfere less than one held in January with the regular work of American university students, and that the earlier election will give better opportunity for the selected scholars to direct their work on lines most advantageous for their course at Oxford.

The Jenkins mill at Steele City was compelled to shut down on account of high water. The shutting down of this mill closes one of the historical business enterprises of that section of Nebraska, which has been identified with the growth of the country from a time dating back to the advent of civ-'ilization into Nebraska. Jenkins' mill was one of the supply stations on the old overland trail, and all the early ploneers who traveled that route in the search of new homes and fortunes secured their supplies for the continuance of the trip at that place. The mill has been in constant operation from that time until it was closed down after the recent flood.

The weekly crop report says: The week averaged, for the state as a whole, just about normal for temperature, rainfall and cloudiness. The dally mean temperature was between 70 and 74 degrees in the central and castern counties, which is just about the seasonal average. It was between 66 to 69 degrees in the western counties, which is about three degrees below the normal. Monday and Saturday were generally the warmest days, with a maximum temperature near 90 degrees. The rainfall was above normal in most of the state. It exceeded one inch in most of the central and eastern sections, except in some northeastern countles, where it was about one-half an inch.

Mrs. John Lenners, living six miles north of Beatrice, gave birth to triplets, one boy and two girls. One of the girl babies died soon after birth, but the other two are strong and healthy.

A telegram received by Dr. S. W. Dodge of Fairbury, stated that his son, Dr. G. L. Dodge had been accidentally shot at his home in Basin, Wyo., and was not expected to live. The Fairbury man started at once for the bedside of his son, he having been gone but a few hours when the second telegram came stating that his son was dead.

proceedings for contempt for violation dor Reid at Marlborough House. It training intended to put him in a of an injunction, enjoining the com- was the annual Fourth of July recepmission of any act, which at the com- tion and drew many distinguished recovery of Bishop Henry Codman

fire broke out here Sunday afternoon ceeding hour hope brightens for the ka university praises both candidates ate building. The flames spread Potter, who is seriously ill here from quickly, there bing a high wind, and a complication of stomach and liver

mon law, or by statute is amed a Americans to the London home