

STATE NEWS.

NEBRASKA.

Sidney's creamery is again in working order.

Stella is trying to enlarge her incorporation limits.

The ladies of Chadron have organized a branch of the W. R. C.

The clerk of Cass county is doing a lively business in wolf scalps.

St. John is billed to deliver ten prohibition lectures in this state.

The new creamery at Tobias commenced running yesterday.

Bloomington's creamery will commence to manufacture cheese this week.

Cozad is to have another newspaper published by O. E. Vessels and M. A. Scott.

Freemont's street railway company will extend its lines to the assembly grounds.

An Illinois man proposes to move his large paper mill to Indianola for a bonus of \$10,000.

Henry Gall, living near Verdon was struck and killed by lightning one day last week.

Yesterday a party of Kearney sportsmen started overland route for Yellow Stone Park.

Freemont has secured a tub factory to take the place of its lately defunct "bucket shop."

A young son of E. E. Brower, living south of Sidney died last week from the effects of a rattlesnake bite.

It is reported that B. & M. surveyors are again in the field between Hemingford and Chamberlain, S. D.

Charles Ellis escaped from the Plattsmouth jail by the aid of a pickaxe which had been smuggled in to him.

The business men of Fullerton have organized a club to be known as the Fullerton Improvement company.

Beatrice has let the contract for paving districts four and five, work to be done with home manufactured brick.

The proposition to vote \$15,000 funding bonds was voted down in Sioux county by a majority of seventy-nine.

Two Franklin county boys were given a \$6 fine and thirty days in the county jail for stealing two halters worth about 40 cents.

The public school house at the town of Pleasanton, Buffalo county, was burned last week. It is supposed to be the work of tramps.

The eighth scientific expedition from Princeton, university, N. J., will spend the latter part of the summer in southwestern Nebraska.

Hon. L. D. Richards is ill at his home in Fremont. His physicians give the opinion that his ailment is only of a temporary nature.

Springview and vicinity is much disturbed over the depredation of a band of stock thieves near the state line in South Dakota.

Nebraska mortgage statistics preparatory can now rest on their oars. A Nuckolls county man recently packed up and moved to Missouri.

At the spring election the town of Coleridge went dry by a vote of 2 to 1, but under the original package decision a saloon opened up Monday.

The recent purchase of 20,000 sheep by Cash Reynolds makes the Dodge county herd reach the 150,000 notch that was set for the sheep feeders to reach.

The boys of Curtis are shocking the people of that town by going in swimming without any protecting garments, and the law is being laid down to them.

Some one saturated a bunch of rags and set fire to Mrs. S. J. Dunn's residence at Dewitt, but the flames were discovered in time to prevent much damage.

At Fairbury a mad dog recently bit several cattle which after exhibiting symptoms of hydrophobia were killed and now the city marshal is out gunning for unsexed dogs.

The dairy interests of Beaver City are flourishing. The output of butter at the creamery this season promises to be much larger than that of last year and more than double that of the year before.

A special bulletin issued from the department of agriculture at Washington, says that Nebraska soil and climate have already proven that the state can produce sugar beets as successfully as France and Germany.

The Sioux county Journal is keeping it before the public, that Harrison wants a flouring mill ready for operation by the time the growing wheat is ready to be made into flour. It is an excellent opening for a miller.

Hot Pines, mail agent on the run from Long Pine to Whitewood, was caught in the act of opening a registered package and placed under arrest by a government agent. For several months valuable packages and letters have been disappearing on this route.

The little town of Yorkgrove is in a state of turmoil over a middle of municipal officers, the principle cause being a disagreement between the business men and the citizens in an effort to amend the constitution of the village and re-organize their plans of local government.

KANSAS. The country around Spearville is booming.

Topeka is to have a musical festival June 5, 6 and 7.

Miltonville has organized a cornet band composed of ladies.

A permanent organization has been effected by the democratic editors of the state.

Topeka will test the efficiency of the public drinking fountain as against the "original package" shop.

John and Henry Palmer, in jail at Atchison, made their escape yesterday, and have not yet been recaptured.

An "original package" shop is to be opened in Leavenworth today. Whiskey and wine in quarts will be the only articles of traffic.

Topeka now has as many congressional candidates announced as all the rest of the district, and election time is yet a long way off.

Southwestern Rooks county was visited by a severe hail storm Saturday, which killed small animals and seriously injured the growing crops.

The Newton Republican makes the astonishing statement that "Kansas is not heaven," and the state editorial association will investigate his case.

Jack Williams, a negro employed on the statehouse at Topeka, lost his footing and fell from the base of the dome to the ground, a distance of 130 feet. He was instantly killed.

Arrangements have been completed for still further developing the natural gas fields at Cherryvale, and the inhabitants seem to think that city is on the verge of another boom.

A portion of the meteorite recently found in Kansas, weighing 125 pounds, together with an eight pound specimen, has been shipped to Harvard college, which paid \$925 for the two.

Yesterday morning the dam of the Hydraulic mills across Chrischam creek at Wichita was torn away by order of the mayor and city council because it obstructed the sewerage outlet.

George Payne of North Topeka has an interesting relic in a title deed from Patrick Henry to one of his ancestors for some land in Kentucky. It must date back almost to Sol. Miller's youth.

At Oswego Saturday Dr. H. A. Eberle was examined on the charge of obtaining \$270 on a fraudulent promissory note and bound over to the district court in the sum of \$1,000. He went to jail.

COLORADO.

Grass on the cattle ranges has never been better.

A branch of the Salvation army has been started at Salida.

At Alamosa the Rio Grande is up within two feet of the banks and still rising.

There are a large number of cattle carcasses floating down the Grand river these days.

At an enthusiastic meeting held at Holyoke the Phillips county fair association was organized.

Barley in some parts of the San Luis valley is twenty-eight inches high.

The Gunnison river is reported as unusually high at Gunnison City.

According to the Holyoke News a great many Nebraska people are buying land in Phillips county.

The woman's club of Fort Collins, which was organized two years ago, closed for the summer last week by giving its second annual reception.

While trying to settle a fight between amateur ball players at Denver John Rillemeier was probably fatally stabbed by a boy named Billy McNamara.

Jack rabbits are said to be numerous in Baca county as a consequence of so many coyotes having been killed off the past winter. Greyhounds are in demand.

Congratulatory telegrams continue to pour in upon Secretary of State Rice, expressing the general sentiment of the people of the state upon his acquittal of the political charges brought against him.

Mrs. Anna of Trinidad has not been seen for several days, and a visit to her dwelling indicates that she has been made away with. She was a widow and was supposed to have considerable money.

It is probable that the best crops per acre that will be raised in the San Luis valley will be by the Mormons. They never encourage a man to cultivate but a small acreage and he is induced to do that thoroughly.

A Maricopa named Seromino Romero in attempting to cross Conejos river a few miles west of Antonio was washed down the stream. He succeeded in saving himself, but both horses were drowned and the wagon wrecked.

Superintendent Graves and a force of men are doing some work on the Rio Grande near the mouth of Pinos creek, near Del Norte. They will spend some \$1,500 in rip-rapping and other work to prevent tramping away the river banks.

A Delta special says: The breaking of the surface creek reservoir has resulted in great damage to the ranchmen down on that creek, and if the company fails to come to the scratch there will be many suits commenced at once against it to recover the damage. It cannot be fully estimated at yet, but will reach a considerable high sum by the time it is all summed up, probably \$20,000.

TRANSMITTED TO CONGRESS

The International American Bank Scheme.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The president transmitted to congress a letter from the secretary of state inclosing the report of the international American bank scheme.

In the letter the president says it is not proposed to involve the United States in any financial responsibility, but only to give the proposed bank a corporate franchise and to promote public confidence by requiring that its condition and transactions be submitted to a scrutiny similar to that exercised over our domestic banking system.

The subject is submitted for the consideration of congress in the belief that it will be found possible to promote the end desired with legislation so guided as to avoid unjust criticism.

In a letter to the president, Secretary Blaine sets forth the advantages to be derived from such a project, and says in part: "The merchants of this country are as dependent upon the bankers of Europe for their financial transactions with their American neighbors as they are upon the ship owners of Great Britain for transportation facilities, and will continue to labor under those embarrassments until direct banking systems are established. The report of the committee (Pan-American conference) presents a simple and easy method of relief and the enactment of the measure recommended will, in the judgement of the conference result in the establishment of proper facilities for an inter-American banking."

A bill has been prepared at the state department to carry into effect the recommendations of the committee. The bill designates the United States delegates to the Pan-American conference commissioners to receive subscriptions to the capital stock of the "International American bank," books for which purpose may be opened in Washington, New York and other principal cities in the American republics.

As soon as 50,000 shares are subscribed the subscribers shall have the powers to organize a corporation which shall have the same privileges now enjoyed by banks generally. Its acquisition of real estate however, is limited to 15 per cent of the capital stock paid in. The corporation may be designated to the secretary of the treasury as a depository for public money and may be employed as a financial agent of the government.

The principal offices shall be in Washington and New York with power to open offices in the United States, Mexico, South and Central America. The capital stock is fixed at \$10,000,000 in \$100 shares, which may be increased by a two-thirds vote to not exceed \$25,000,000. Business may be begun as soon as 25 per cent of the subscription is paid in cash, but at least \$5,000,000 must be paid within two years.

The board of directors shall consist of twenty-five persons, not less than fifteen citizens of the United States. Stockholders are made liable to the amount of their subscriptions, but no more. The corporation shall file semi-annually with the secretary of the treasury a report on the financial condition, and the affairs shall at all times be open to examination by the officers of the treasury department. Provision is made for the appointment of a receiver and for the winding up of affairs in case the capital stock is impaired more than 20 per cent of the amount of the capital stock actually paid in and the directors fail to make such impairment good.

HOUSE.

In the house the credentials of Vaux, Randall's successor were presented and read, and he qualified.

A bill was passed appropriating \$125,000 for the establishment of a national military park on the battlefield of Chickamauga.

The pending question was on the point of order raised by Mr. McCrory against the clause prescribing penalties upon the owners of bridges which obstruct navigation. The chair overruled the point of order.

On motion of Mr. Dannel the section declaring that it shall not be lawful to construct a bridge over any navigable waterway of the United States without obtaining the approval of the secretary of war, was stricken out.

On motion a post survey was authorized of the Illinois river from LaSalle to the Mississippi river, with a view of ascertaining what lands would be subject to overflow by the construction of a navigable waterway between Lake Michigan and the Mississippi river. The committee then rose and reported the bill to the house.

Mr. Dockery moved to recommit the bill with instructions to the committee on rivers and harbors to report it back with Hennessee canal clause stricken out. The motion was lost. The bill was then passed without division. The house adjourned until Monday.

SENATE.

In the senate Mr. Sherman, from the committee on foreign affairs, reported an amendment to be offered to the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill authorizing the president to carry into effect the recommendations of the international conference by appointment (by and with the advice and consent of the senate) of three commissioners to represent the United States on the intercontinental railway commission, whose compensation is to be paid from the committee on funds, to be distributed by the several nations interested; also to detail from the army and navy such officers as may be spared without detriment to the service to serve as engineers under such commission in making the survey, their expenses to be paid by the commission, and appropriate \$50,000 as the share of the United States of the expense of such commission and survey.

Bishop O'Connor's Funeral.

The funeral of Bishop O'Connor will not take place until next Wednesday. It is expected that the event will attract a number of the Catholic hierarchy of the country, among whom will be the leading clergy of both this and the diocese of Lincoln. Bishop Boncompagni of the latter place arrived last night. It is expected that Bishop Ryan of Philadelphia will sing the requiem mass on the occasion.

Shortly before dying Bishop O'Connor thanked his non-Catholic friends for the kindness they had shown him and suggested that no flowers be used at his funeral. Those who felt disposed to offer such tributes he recommended to expend the amount involved in aiding the poor.

Bishop O'Connor's body will be brought to St. Philomena's cathedral on Monday evening. The funeral will leave the residence at 6:30. All the Catholic societies are invited to accompany the remains. On Tuesday at 9 o'clock solemn requiem mass in St. Philomena's, at which all the school children will attend. On Wednesday at 10 o'clock solemn office of the dead and requiem mass in St. Philomena's. After the absolution the remains of Bishop O'Connor will be placed in the vault under the sacristy of the cathedral.

Not At An End.

DEADWOOD, S. D., May 28.—The miners' strike is not at an end, and serious results are feared. They went to work as usual on Sunday thing, but have decided to reject Superintendent Grier's proposition to go to work at 7 o'clock and come off at 5 o'clock. Committees from the Central and Terryville unions went to Lead last night to attend the meeting. Some of the men said: "We intend to submit a proposition to Mr. Grier to either permit us to retain our present shift or to reduce the work to eight hours a day and make three shifts of it, and we will demand that our pay remain the same. This proposition will hardly be accepted by Mr. Grier, and will probably result in all the miners going out, necessitating a closing of operations at the mines."

A Missing Boy.

BEATRICE, NEB., May 30.—Willie Werner, aged 11 years, son of G. C. Werner of this city, disappeared from his home a week ago and has not been heard of since. His parents are nearly crazed over his disappearance.

Without Foundation.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Mr. Schufeldt of the distillery firm of Henry P. Schufeldt & Co., says the persistent rumors being that they had joined the distillery and cattle feeding trust (generally known as the whiskey trust), or entered into any sort of combination with them, are simply sent out for the purpose of effecting the stocks in New York and are without a particle of foundation.

"We have from the first declined all overtures from the trust," said Mr. Schufeldt "and are far from making any agreement to restrict our output. The latter is larger now than ever before and we are making arrangements to increase it. In spite of our denials on Saturday and yesterday, New York brokers' offices have been flooded with dispatches, some saying that we had joined the trust and others that we had contracted to restrict our output by not maintaining prices. As I said before there is no truth whatever in these reports and we are going ahead independently of the trust."

The Lee Monument Dedicated.

RICHMOND, VA., May 30.—The Lee monument was unveiled yesterday by General Joseph E. Johnson in the presence of a vast assemblage and amid the most unbounded enthusiasm. The principal address was delivered by Colonel Archer Anderson. The monument is situated at the intersection of two broad streets in the fashionable residence section. It consists of a white granite pedestal forty feet high, with six pedestals for the statues of Lee's generals to be placed hereafter. Upon the pedestal stands the bronze equestrian statue of Lee, twenty feet high. It represents Lee upon the battlefield of Gettysburg. While the figure, both of horse and man, is in repose, all the actual effect being avoided, it is full of life and spirit. It is the work of Mercie, the French sculptor.

Sick of his Bargain.

NEW YORK, May 30.—A special to the Herald from Philadelphia says that John Wanamaker, who about two years ago bought the wholesale dry goods business of the well known firm of Hood, Bonbright & Co., is now anxious to get out of his bargain, and that negotiations are pending whereby the old firm may regain control of the business.

Fire at Mount Pleasant.

MOUNT PLEASANT, ILL., May 30.—Fire yesterday afternoon damaged the Mount Pleasant manufacturing company's works to a considerable extent. While attempting to save the books and papers of the firm, Captain J. T. Drummond was struck with paralysis of the heart and died instantly. He was an old resident of this county widely known and much respected.

Destroyed by Fire.

CHICAGO, May 30.—Lyman A. Snelson's pickle works at Bowmanville, near Ross Hill cemetery, were destroyed by fire last night. The loss is \$50,000. The factory was one of the largest of its kind in the west.

MURDERED BY INDIANS.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—In regard to the murder of Attorney Henry Hardie a couple of days ago by hostile Indians near Tombstone, Ariz., General Miles issued orders to pursue the Indians and use the same tactics as in the pursuit of Geronimo. The hostile band consists of Kid and his party, who are sentenced to ten years in military prison, but after serving a few years were pardoned by President Cleveland and returned to their reservation. The civil authorities then tried them and sentenced them to be hanged. While being taken to Yuma penitentiary they murdered the sheriff and escaped.

Afraid to Remain in Town.

TRIP, S. D., May 28.—Mrs. Mary Seymour Howell of New York, who, in company with Susan B. Anthony, is working in the interest of equal suffrage, was here with the expectation of delivering a lecture last evening. On her arrival she was met by a delegation, mostly Russians, and told that they did not want to hear any women preachers, and she would not be allowed to speak in the school house. This aroused the indignation of other citizens, and they determined to open the school house to her. The situation, however, became so threatening as evening approached that she was afraid to remain in town, and she departed for Parkston. Feeling runs very high.

Went Insane Over His Trouble.

DETROIT, MICH., May 29.—Alvis Miesch brooded so much over his wife's running away with Adam Bloch, a supposed friend, that he went insane yesterday and had to be locked up to prevent him from murdering his seven children. He is raving mad, and spends his time cursing Bloch and threatening to kill his children. The police are looking for Bloch.

A Brakeman Fatally Injured.

TABLE ROCK, May 30.—During the high wind which prevailed yesterday a brakeman of the fast 6 o'clock freight from the west, was blown off the train near here and was picked up unconscious. He was removed to his home at Wymore. His injuries are thought to be fatal.

Base Ball Leads to Murder.

JOLIET, ILL., May 30.—The base ball craze in Joliet produced a riot which ended last night in the murder of Dennis Comiskey, a brother of the superintendent of the chemical works. The murdered man and his brother James were returning from the league ball game when they saw an amateur club playing near the Rock Island track. James wanted to show the young fellows how to play ball, so he took the bat away from the batter and a general fight ensued. Dennis interfered and was hit on the head with a bat. It was a crushing blow, which produced instant death. Jimmy Golden, one of the players, is supposed to have struck the fatal blow.

Want the Call Revoked.

LINCOLN, NEB., A petition with over twenty-five hundred names, signed by prominent Lincoln citizens, was handed to the governor last evening, asking for a revocation of the call for special session.

A Tour to the Far West.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—First Assistant Postmaster General Clarkson leaves tomorrow for an extended official tour of the far west. At Des Moines he will be joined by his family and will at once proceed to Seattle, Wash. From that point diverging tours will be made through Washington and Oregon. Later he will visit San Francisco and other leading cities and towns in California. The prime object of the tour is to obtain thorough knowledge of the postal needs for the Pacific slope. Mr. Clarkson is of the opinion that the far west is entitled to better facilities and believes that a western man acquainted with the peculiarities and rapidly of western development would be best able to judge of its postal needs. He will make close inspection of the service at all important centres, and on his return in about a month or six weeks will make such recommendations as the situation demands. On Clarkson's return to Washington he will tender his resignation to take effect immediately.

Prince Louis Philippe Robert, Duc d'Orleans, son and heir of the Comte de Paris, the pretender to the throne of France, who violated the Exile law by visiting Paris and demanding admission to the French army, is in prison, and it is said that the Government will enforce the provisions of the law against him. He is liable to imprisonment for a period of two to five years.

Douglas Green, reported to have been married recently to Mrs. Alice Small-McCrea, of Chicago, was on Wednesday compelled to withdraw from the firm of Green & Bateman, and later in the day sailed for Europe on the steamship Lahn, accompanied by Mrs. McCrea. Green's first wife, from whom he has not been divorced, is living at New York. Green's mind is said to be unsteady. Mrs. McCrea asserts that the marriage ceremony was simply performed as a job.

The British Parliament was opened Tuesday, and Queen Victoria's speech read. The document was of the usual promise nature, and contained nothing very startling. Brief reference was made to the late dispute with Portugal to Roman matters and to the proposed extradition treaty with the United States. Parliament was adjourned on the "Improvements" of officers in England, and advised that a measure looking to local self-government in that country would be submitted to it.