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## TWENTY YEARS AGO

Items of News Found in the Chief of Twenty Years Ago This Week

L. H. Wallace has gone to New York. George Holland was in Denver this week.

The sidewalk to the depot is nearing completion.

Miner Bros. are fencing their ranch west of town.

Miss Cook of Iowa is a guest of Mrs. M. R. Bentley.

A. J. Kenney has added a new porch to his residence.

Born, Monday, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Highland, a boy.

Geo. Newhouse has returned from the academy at Franklin.

The masonry work on C. Wiener's new building has been begun.

C. Bu chow, secretary of the railway commission, is in Lincoln.

"Dick" Gray is now holding down a position in the Burlington yards.

Red Cloud has gained nearly 400 in population in the last ten months.

Henry Poor had a set of harness stolen from his stable Friday night.

Al Aultz is acting as under secretary to the Lutz street sprinkling legation.

Al Galusha's family will be here this week. We welcome them to Red Cloud.

We are indebted to J. B. Stanser for a fine piece of cheese from his Hicks factory.

Henry Ehler's home was made happy Tuesday, by the advent of a daughter.

John Garber has opened a jewelry store on Fourth avenue near the Gardner House.

The Inavale cheese factory is running again, under the supervision of E. H. Jones.

Morhart & Fulton and B. F. Mizer have begun work on their new opera house block.

"Cash" L. Mather, founder of THE CHIEF, is now a compositor on the Atchison Globe.

Child en's day was celebrated with appropriate exercises at the M. E. church Sunday, June 14.

Belva Lockwood, the famous female lawyer of Washington, will deliver a lecture here next month.

R. D. Carrier of Cowles has presented this office with a hen egg, which measures 7 7/8 x 8 1/2 inches.

Ludlow & Co. are furnishing the brick for the new buildings. They have 125,000 in one kiln at present.

Alonzo Cure and Wm. Britton of Catherton have taken the prairie schooner route for Oberlin, Kansas.

M. S. Ballard and David Lutz made an exchange of business, and the latter is now driving the street sprinkler.

Dr. Patten's barn at Guide Rock was burned, consuming two fine teams of horses and a large quantity of other valuable stuff. The fire was the work of an incendiary.

W. N. Richard-on shipped a thousand head of cattle this week, or about sixty carloads. The cattle will bring in the neighborhood of \$50,000 and the freight will amount to over \$5000.

The following was furnished by D. Lutz: "David Lutz may be an alliteration fiend, finds funny feasting fancying fellow feelings, and, care fully considering characters, concludes Case can cut quite a figure in another's 'Helm et'."

The Red Cloud Helmet made its first appearance this week. We extend its editor the right hand of fellowship and wish him success. [Six weeks later, as old subscribers will remember, the battle was "on" and the "right hand of fellowship" was engaged in slinging mud.—Ed.]

PLEASANT HILL—Last Monday Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Richardson celebrated

## The Cause of Many

### Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

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their twentieth wedding anniversary with a supper and party in the evening. John Miller of Indiana is visiting his brother Samuel.

PLEASANT HOME—C. P. Norris is putting out about seven acres of fruit trees on his farm. A. C. Hagan and brother have bought a new twine binder. Thomas Thorne is still breaking prairie for his neighbors. Father Norris says that if we do not stop breaking prairie we will not have enough grass to pasture a goose.

STILLWATER—D. M. Hunter has had a well put down on his farm. J. McIntyre has a new windmill. Stillwater precinct has three base ball clubs. Robert Crozier of Allegheny, Pa., is visiting his brother Samuel. Mrs. Ida M. Wells died on the evening of May 30. The tree agents are abroad in the land.

GUIDE ROCK—Dean Smith has returned from Lincoln, where he has been attending school. We will have a new street sprinkler soon.

A. O. Berg expects to move to Red Cloud soon. W. S. Knapp has moved into his new store. Dr. Moranville has several fine horses in his new barn. J. Garber and family visited at A. Garber's Sunday.

### Elsam Held for Wife Murder.

Minden, Neb., June 19.—A large crowd, testing the capacity of the court room, was present at the preliminary hearing in the case against George W. Elsam charged with killing his wife at their home on a farm near Axtell, June 6. He was held without bail to the district court, which will sit in September.

### Lambert is Found Guilty.

Omaha, June 21.—Logan Lambert of Homer was found guilty of taking liquor onto the Omaha Indian reservation. Lambert also was indicted for selling liquor without a license from the government. To this count of the indictment he withdrew his former plea of not guilty, changing it to a plea of guilty. The change of plea was admitted because it was shown that while he had a license to sell liquor in the village of Homer up to the end of the fiscal year, he was not entitled to dispose of intoxicants elsewhere than at Homer. Lambert was sentenced to one year in the Sioux Falls penitentiary and fined \$100.

### Land Fence Trials Stop.

Omaha, June 21.—It now begins to look as if there will not be any more trials for illegal fencing of the public lands at this term of the federal court. The reasons given are that the indictments of 1903 are defective under new conditions, resulting from the Kinkaid law. It is held by Deputy District Attorney Rush that the moral effect of the conviction of John and Herman Krause of illegal fencing will have a deterrent influence upon other cattlemen charged with the violation of the law, and that the fences will be taken down. But should they show an indisposition to take down their fences on government lands, prosecution will follow.

### NEBRASKA CROP CONDITIONS.

Hessian Fly Falling Away and Wheat Ready for Harvest.

Lincoln, June 21.—Winter wheat has continued to grow well generally. The damage caused by the Hessian fly does not seem to be materially increasing. In a few counties considerable wheat was injured by hail. The

crop is ripening in southeastern counties and will be ready for harvest in a week or ten days. Spring wheat is doing well, but the acreage is less than last year. Potatoes continue very promising. Oats are heading with very short straw.

Corn is small but healthy and growing nicely. Cultivation has progressed rapidly and a large portion of the crop in southern counties has received the second cultivation. Corn is generally free of weeds. Apples continue to drop badly and will be a very light crop in most places.

### GOMEZ LAID TO REST.

Funeral Replete With Demonstrations in Honor of Dead General.

Havana, June 20.—The body of General Maximo Gomez was interred after a funeral service so replete with demonstrations in honor of the dead general as to lead in several instances to scenes of disorder. The most serious trouble occurred while the great procession was passing Central park, when some reckless young Cubans rushed toward the field gun caisson, on which the general's remains were borne, demanding permission to carry the body. They were thrust back and then a bigger crowd rushed forward and swayed back and forth across the broad street temporarily disorganizing the procession.

At the cemetery there was considerable disorder. The bulk of the great crowd was restrained from passing through the cemetery gates until the arrival of the procession, and this resulted in much crowding and pushing and in several sharp charges by mounted police with no worse result, however, than some bruised heads and bodies. The arrival of big forces of rural guards soon resulted in the restoration of order, and the burial of the remains of General Gomez was accomplished just before sunset in the presence of a great, but quiet and reverent, crowd.

### Weaver Rescinds Big Contract.

Philadelphia, June 21.—The arrest of John W. Hill, who resigned last week as chief of the bureau of filtration, on the charge of forgery and falsifying certain books and papers belonging to the city, and the annulment of a \$700,000 contract held by D. J. McNichol & Co., were the dramatic developments in Philadelphia's sensational upheaval. The arrest of Hill is the third that has occurred in connection with city contracts since the mayor began his fight for municipal reform.

### DEADLOCK ON ASSESSMENT.

Agreement is Reached on All but the Union Pacific.

Lincoln, June 20.—With Galusha absent the state board of assessment fixed the valuation of the Burlington, finally and irrevocably, at the same figures as last year, \$38,750 a mile, or an assessed valuation of \$7,750 a mile. A final assessment was also made on the Rock Island, Missouri Pacific, Northwestern, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha and the Great Northern. All of these roads were increased over the figures of last year. Two attempts were made to assess the Union Pacific, but both failed. Mortensen moved as a compromise to assess the Union Pacific at \$12,500 a mile. This motion was lost, with Searle and Eaton voting in the negative. Eaton then moved to assess the road at \$11,600 a mile, but this was lost, with Mickey and Mortensen voting in the negative.

### Killed by Trolley Car.

New York, June 13.—In a trolley car collision Miss Sadie Michaels was almost instantly killed, her sister Essie badly bruised, her father injured about the face and back and her mother so seriously injured that she may die at any moment. They were run down by the car while returning from Gravesend in an open carriage at a crossing.

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