

NEWSNOTES CONDENSED

A Boiling Down of the More Important Events Here and There

Washington.

The Spanish senate passed the bill prohibiting the creation of further religious establishments.

Captain Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, returns to active duty in the navy department on November 9 as engineer expert of the department of justice in cases before the bureau of claims involving construction work for the naval bureau of yards and docks.

A long line of detailed questions to answer in connection with the investigation of the general increases in railroad rates has been forwarded by the interstate commerce commission to all the railroads in the official classification, western trunk line, trans-Missouri and Illinois freight territories.

The establishment of through routes and joint rates from Chicago, St. Louis and other Mississippi river points and from Denver and Pueblo, covering the shipment of all commodities and classes of freight moving to points on the Nevada Southern railroad from Chicago and Eastern points through Chicago is asked in a petition filed with the interstate commerce commission.

Some idea of the vast amount of work that is done in the government printing office annually can be gained from the figures just completed from the type composition for last year. More than 3,000 tons of type metal were used in making 1,963,899,000 ems of type of every description. If the individual lines of type were placed end to end they would stretch out over a distance of 31,000 miles.

Foreign.

A dispatch from Paris to the London Daily Telegraph says a rumor is current that a revolution has broken out in Madrid. No confirmation of this rumor has reached London.

The first case of yellow fever ever known in Honolulu has been discovered aboard the Japanese liner Hong Kong Maru, which arrived there October 30 from Manzanillo, Mexico.

The new republic of Portugal is threatened with a military revolution. The Second and Fifth regiments addressed a round robin to Provisional President Braga declaring that they were not granted the promised promotions and pensions for helping overthrow the monarchy.

It is understood that the new French cabinet, although it does not oppose the principles of trades unionism, will propose a law for enactment, declaring strikes by employees in the public service and by state employees to be illegal and providing a penalty for persons engaged in such movements.

A dispatch to the Paris Petit Journal from Cerbere, near the Spanish frontier, says that a general strike has been declared in Catalonia and will be proclaimed throughout the whole of Spain within a week.

A party of fifty Jesuits, the last of the members of the religious orders, were expelled from Portugal.

General.

General Allen laments the lack of aeroplanes for the army.

There was an increase of 10 per cent in the postal revenue for the fiscal year ending in June.

Anton Schwartz, the millionaire brewer and president of the firm of Bernheimer & Schwartz, shot and killed himself in his apartments in Central Park, West, New York.

By order of President Taft all the Alaska oil lands were withdrawn from settlement, thus putting them on the same footing with the coal lands of Alaska, all of which have been withdrawn.

The federal government through the Department of Justice has inaugurated a movement to procure from the supreme court of the United States an authentic definition of "What is Conspiracy," as it relates to offenses against the government.

The state game warden of Texas has issued a license to hunt in Texas to William J. Bryan, who will arrive at his farm near Mission in the lower Rio Grande valley November 22. Mr. Bryan will spend several weeks there, cultivating the land and shooting the ducks.

Iowa farms in the last decade have decreased in number, but their value has enormously increased.

According to Chicago testimony there is the closest kind of a combine in the bathtub business of the country.

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

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

Secretary Hallinger blames his opponents for the unsettled conditions regarding the Alaska coal lands. The main building of the Ontario Wheel company works, with all its contents, was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$75,000.

Mr. Bryan has been making some speeches in Speaker Cannon's Illinois district.

Fourteen deaths due to smallpox having occurred at Saginaw, Mich., within a month.

Fire at Alexandria, Egypt, destroyed several large cotton sheds and 6,000 bales of cotton. The loss was \$1,000,000.

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.

John J. Smythe was sentenced to death in Norfolk, Va., for the murder of his wife. Bullets intended for Mrs. Smythe also killed a 12-year-old daughter.

The financial panic in China continues to spread, according to advices brought by the steamship Seattle Maru. Twenty-seven of Shanghai's foremost Chinese banks have closed.

Following an investigation begun in St. Louis the interstate commerce commission suspended until March 1 next the date of putting in effect the advance in the rates of transportation.

B. P. Conger of Detroit, son of the head of the United States weather bureau station there, was placed under arrest in Denver on the charge of forgery and working a confidence game.

The National City Evangelical union of the Methodist Episcopal church, holding its eighteenth annual convention in Pittsburg, elected Hanford Crawford of St. Louis as president.

Charles Webb Murphy, the president of the Chicago National League Baseball club, says he stands ready to give John T. Brush \$30,000 for Christy Mathewson, the star pitcher of the Giants.

After an illness of less than four days, George A. Rasmussen, an instructor in the Sioux City high school, died of infantile paralysis. He was the third adult to die in Iowa of that disease.

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It is feared that Solomon, a settlement of a dozen houses on the beach of Norton sound, twenty-three miles east of Nome, was wiped out by the unusual tidal disturbance which sent a flood in from the Bering sea.

The hearing by the London criminal court of appeals of the appeal of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, under sentence of death for the murder of his actress wife, Belle Elmore, was postponed to November 5.

Assistant postmasters who hope to be transferred into the permanent service of the government under the civil service recently issued by President Taft must first stand a rigid examination as to their efficiency.

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A formal request from Washington for the detention of Harry Ham, O. Caralson and Dan Archer, in custody at Acapulco and first believed to be the Los Angeles dynamiters was transmitted to the Mexican foreign office.

Vital questions concerning the issues of stocks and bonds by the railroads engaged in interstate commerce will be investigated by the Railroads Securities commission, which will begin public hearings probably on November 28.

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

The Northern Central railway stockholders have approved of a lease of their road to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for 999 years.

Americans who land cars in England for a four months' tour or less will no longer be subject to the payment of a license fee, and those from whom fees may have been exacted since May 1 last are likely to have these amounts refunded.

Application was made to the superior court in Seattle by State Food Commissioner Davies for an order to destroy a ton of turkeys and five tons of smelts, salmon, crab and lobsters, received last May from a California firm to be placed in cold storage for the fall trade.

Personal.

Many new names have been added to the Carnegie hero list.

In a speech at Cincinnati Congressman Longworth proclaimed himself a progressive.

President James of the University of Illinois complained that educational methods were lagging.

Robert Pettit, aged 48, a former National league baseball player, died at his home at Derby, Conn.

Six prominent Pacific coast men were indicted for an alleged attempt to steal Pacific coast lands.

New England capitalists will invest \$800,000 to \$900,000 in a fine goods cotton mill in Greenville, S. C.

Municipal elections throughout England and Wales show a considerable growth in the labor and socialist parties.

William Smith, 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 91 years.

ALDRICH GOVERNOR

INCOMPLETE RETURNS INSURE ELECTION OF ALDRICH.

HITCHCOCK THE NEXT SENATOR

Democrats Make Sufficient Gains to Insure Control of Lower House of Congress—Result Conceded by McKinley.



CHESTER H. ALDRICH. Elected Governor of Nebraska.

DEMOCRATS CONTROL HOUSE.

Will Have Working Majority of Twenty-nine Members.

Democrats elected.....225 Republicans elected.....164 Socialists elected.....1 Doubtful district.....1

Total.....391 Necessary for majority.....196 Democratic majority in house.....29

The returns from sixty-three counties including Lancaster and Douglas, give Aldrich 86,619, Dahiman 79,471, a lead of 7,148 for Aldrich. In fifty-nine counties including Lancaster and Douglas, Burkett has 71,468 and Hitchcock 90,009, giving Hitchcock a lead of 18,533.

THE COUNTRY AT LARGE.

John A. Dix, (dem.) is elected governor of New York by about 55,000.

Woodrow Wilson, (dem) is elected governor of New Jersey by about 15,000.

Massachusetts has gone democratic on governor by about 30,000.

In Ohio, Judge Harmon, (dem.) appears to have a majority of about 15,000.

In Wisconsin the return of Senator LaFollette to the U. S. senate seems assured.

In Pennsylvania republicans claim the election of Tenor for governor by a large plurality.

Lincoln—The election of Chester A. Aldrich over James A. Dahiman is now beyond doubt, the only question being the size of the republican candidate's majority.

Allowing Dahiman 8,500 majority in Douglas county, and subtracting from that the Aldrich majority of 2,106 in Lancaster county Aldrich is in the lead 5,769 votes counting in both Lancaster and Douglas.

Mr. Aldrich still claims the state by 30,000 majority. He says that he has heard from almost every county in the state and the majorities bear out his claim. He says he has carried every congressional district in the state with the exception of the Second.

Chicago.—Incomplete returns on the election of representatives in congress indicate that the democrats will have a working majority of twenty-nine in the next house. The number of democrats elected to congress, according to the latest returns, which are of an unofficial character, is 225. The republican representation will be 164 or 165, or eight seats less than the democrats now have in the Sixty-first congress.

The Legislature.

Lincoln.—It is yet impossible to give a correct personnel of either branch of the state legislature, but the democrats are claiming a working majority in both houses.

Rome.—The results in the American elections were learned here with keen interest. Cardinal Merry Del Val, the papal secretary, has a message from New York which he took personally to the pope to whom he said the democratic victory meant a defeat of Col. Roosevelt generally.

Colonel Has Nothing to Say.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—"Absolutely nothing to say," was the word that came from Sagamore Hill, Theodore Roosevelt was at home all Tuesday evening, but he declined even to receive interviewers.

The probable attitude of Colonel Roosevelt, in view of the result of the election, can be judged only by what he has said the last few days. In his speech at Davenport, Ia., he said if the republicans were beaten this time they would win next time, and that, win or lose, the fight would go on.

The Legislature.

From returns at hand the following estimate has been made on the legislature:

In the senate: For county option..... 15 1 Against..... 14 In the house: For county option..... 34 8 Against..... 3 35 Non-committal..... 4 4

Official returns may change the result announced in a number of districts. Three senatorial and ten representative districts are not accounted for.

Returns from legislative districts are coming in slowly, but enough counties have reported the vote of legislative candidates to enable a partial list of members of both house and senate to be made out.

In the senate, with thirty members out of thirty-three known almost to a certainty, the republicans control fifteen and the democrats a like number. On the county option question, the issue on which the election this year hung almost altogether, a poll of these thirty members indicates sixteen in favor of such a law and fourteen opposed to it.

Democrats Carry Ohio.

Cleveland, O.—The democrats swept Ohio, and in addition to electing Judson Harmon for a second term as governor, have undoubtedly elected the remainder of their state ticket and a majority of the legislature. In consequence, Senator Charles Dick, republican, will be succeeded in 1911 by a democrat.

Harmon's majority over Harding is still in doubt, but sufficient returns are in to show that it is the largest ever given by Ohio to a democrat. The latest estimates give Harmon's a margin of 60,000 over Harding.

Congress—Third District.

Fremont.—Congressman Latta has been elected. He carried Fremont by 184 and has increased his majority in every one of the seventy scattering precincts in Colfax, Stanton, Madison, Cumling, Knox, Dodge, Cedar and Platte counties, Dan V. Stephens, Latta's campaign manager, says a majority of 5,000 in the district is a conservative estimate.

On State Officers.

Lincoln.—Reports from a very few counties on state officers indicate that republicans are keeping well up with the head of the ticket and that they will be elected along with the governor. In the wet sections the other republican candidates seem to be running ahead of Aldrich.

The First District.

Will Hayward has conceded Maguire's election. He said: "Mr. Maguire has apparently carried Lancaster county by four or five hundred votes which is more than I can possibly overcome in the country counties. I am naturally disappointed.



JOHN A. MAGUIRE Congressman from First District of Nebraska.

I put in every hour of my time after the primary on the job in an effort to redeem the First district. In a campaign including seven thousand miles of travel and ninety-three meetings I had the pleasure of speaking for the state ticket and platform and the local ticket in every case."

Comment of Chairman Lloyd.

James T. Lloyd, chairman of the democratic national congressional committee, issued the following statement:

"Present indications are that congress will be democratic by about thirty-five majority. Thus far returns indicate that our pre-election estimates were about correct."

He says further, "It is a serious rebuke to the republican party for its failure to reduce the tariff as the people believed the party had promised. The high cost of protected manufactured articles which has resulted in greatly increased cost of living has had very much to do with producing this result."

Trouble at Tulsa.

Tulsa, Okla.—Serious trouble was narrowly averted here when C. W. Nelsons, a negro and a Methodist minister, was refused the right to vote at one of the precincts. A large crowd of negroes gathered around the voting booth and threatened trouble, when officers appearing on the scene dispersed them.

Nelsons later caused the United States commissioner to swear out a warrant for the election officials who denied him the right to vote.

Norris Wins by Big Margin.

McCook.—Congressman George W. Norris, whose canvass received national attention, has scored a notable triumph in the Fifth district. His majority over Sutherland, democrat, will be from 1,200 to 2,000, as at present estimated, and may go higher. Norris carried at least two-thirds of the counties in the district and in



GEORGE W. NORRIS Congressman from Fifth District of Nebraska.

many precincts which went democratic on other offices he was given a larger vote than his opponent.

What Figures Show.

In 333 precincts outside of Douglas, Lancaster and Custer counties the vote on governor stands: Aldrich 27,639, Dahiman 21,348, a lead for Aldrich of 6,291. Compared with the vote of 1908 on governor, Aldrich is gaining 22 votes to the precinct. The 1908 vote on these 333 precincts was: Sheldon 26,677, Shallenberger 27,769, a lead for Shallenberger of 1,092 votes.

Hitchcock for Senator.

Senator Burkett has been defeated by Congressman Hitchcock by a decisive majority of fifty-three counties complete give Burkett 51,944 and Hitchcock 61,188, making Hitchcock's majority in these counties, 9,244 over Burkett. From the returns from these fifty-three counties Hitchcock's lead over Burkett is 174 votes per county. With these fifty-three counties giving



GILBERT M. HITCHCOCK Elected to Succeed Elmer J. Burkett in United States Senate

the democratic candidate such a lead it is probable that he will increase it to 15,000 or more when he goes down to Douglas county. This would make his final majority fully as large as that of the republican candidate for governor. This is a change in the vote on these two offices of about 50,000 votes.

New Comer in Politics.

New York—John Alden Dix, governor-elect of New York, is a nephew of the famous John A. Dix, who sent the stirring message of 1861: "If any man attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot."

A new comer in politics, he was first heard of six years ago when he went to the democratic national convention in St. Louis as a delegate. Two years later he was a candidate for governor in the Buffalo convention that nominated William H. Hearst. This party irregularity did not prevent the democrats of Washington, his home county, from electing him their chairman, and when the next convention came two years later he was nominated for lieutenant governor and defeated.

Champ Clark Happy.

Bowling Green.—Champ Clark, minority leader in the house of representatives, when advised that democrats probably would control the next house of representatives, expressed his gratification and predicted that the majority would be fifty democratic members.

"The landslide," said Mr. Clark, "is attributed directly to the tariff and the fight on the rules in the house. The rules split the republican party, and the tariff coming so soon after, caused dissatisfaction throughout the country."

Cannon is Re-elected.

Danville, Ill.—Joseph G. Cannon, speaker of the house of representatives, was re-elected to congress from the Eighteenth Illinois congressional district by a reduced plurality.

Legislature in Doubt.

New York.—The complexion of the legislature which will select a successor to Senator Chauncey M. Depew will be settled only by more complete returns, although it seems probable that the republicans will hold a working majority.

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Strong Preaching.

The minister's eight-year-old daughter was returning with her parents from church, where the district superintendent had that morning occupied the pulpit.

"Oh, father," asked the little girl, her face alight with enthusiasm, "Don't you think Brother C. is a very strong preacher? I do."

"Gratified by this evidence of unusual intelligence on the part of his offspring, the minister eagerly inquired into her reasons for her statement.

"Oh," replied the little miss, artlessly, "didn't you see how the dust rose when he stamped his feet?"—Judge.

On Authority of Teacher.

A quick-witted boy, asking food at a farmhouse too recently ravaged by other hungry fishing trunks, was told that he was big enough to wait until he got home.

"Of course, if you have children with you—" hesitated the kindly woman of the house, and was immediately informed that there were six children in the party.

"No, I don't tell a fib, neither," was the indignant protest later drawn forth by the condemnation of one who had shared the good bread and butter thus secured. "Fib nothin'. We're children six times over. We're children of our father and mother, children of God, children of our country, children of the church an' children of grace. Teacher said so last Thursday, and I guess she ought to know."

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