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RED CLOUD - NEBRASKA

SAYS IT WILL REACT

CUMMINS FEARS SORRY TIMES IF RECIPROCITY PASSES.

NOT FAIR FOR THE FARMER

Politically Inexpedient and Improperly Drawn as a Tariff Law—Disputes a Claim of Inconsistency.

Washington, D. C.—Senator Cummins continued his arguments against Canadian reciprocity to the senate, but did not conclude. He attacked the measure from the standpoint not only of its alleged injustice and political inexpediency, but on the ground that it was not properly drawn as a tariff law. If passed in its present form, Senator Cummins said, the agreement would give Canada the option of recognizing one-half of it without accepting it all.

Senator Cummins said the passage of the bill would be followed by a storm of disapproval against which the republican party could not stand. He declared it would be accepted by the agricultural interests as notice that they were not entitled to the same consideration that is given to the other producers of the land.

"No self-respecting nation can accept without qualification the Canadian agreement in the text form proposed to us," declared the senator. Senator Cummins declared he believed in tariff revision, "but mark my words," he said, "the people of this country, in their own judgment will know who is responsible for putting the farmer into free and unlimited competition in what he sells, while still protecting the things that he buys."

Nebraskans at Amherst College.

Amherst, Mass.—In the announcement of prizes at Amherst college, Paul F. Good, '13, of Wahoo, Neb., won the second Billings prize in Latin. Thirty and twenty dollars are the prizes awarded. Young Mr. Good also won the first Walker prize, eighty dollars, in mathematics. Phillip W. Payne, '14, of Omaha captured the second Armstrong prize, thirty dollars, for excellency in composition for freshmen.

Centenary of Thackeray.

London.—Many persons of prominence in art and literary circles and in the official world attended a dinner given by the Titmarsh club at the Charterhouse in celebration of the centennial anniversary of the birth of William Makepeace Thackeray. The famous novelist was a student at the Charterhouse in his early youth and incorporated his experiences there in several of his novels.

Light on the Steel Trust.

Washington.—After two years' investigation of the steel trust, Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, has laid before President Taft an exhaustive report of his findings. The report soon will be made public at the president's direction, so the house committee investigating the steel trust may obtain the benefit of it.

Stanley Dam is Finished.

Denver.—The Stanley dam, the largest of its kind in the world, which will furnish water for 210,000 acres of land north and east of Denver, is finished and within sixty days water will be pouring into the ditches. To build the reservoir 3,000,000 cubic yards of earth were excavated.

Taft Approves Bonds.

Washington.—President Taft has approved an issue of \$1,500,000 Hawaiian bonds, the money to be used in public improvements in the islands. The bonds will be dated August 1, 1911, and will bear not to exceed 4 1/2 per cent. They are payable at the end of thirty years.

Forbid Castro's Landing.

St. Thomas, D. W. I.—In accordance with instructions from the government at Copenhagen all steamship agents of St. Thomas have been notified that the government forbids the landing on the island of General Castro, the deposed president of Venezuela, if he arrives there.

Diaz Arrives at Norheim.

Norheim, Germany.—General Porfirio Diaz has arrived here. He was accompanied by his family and will take the cure at this place.

Chicago.—The reclamation of 80,000,000 acres of swamp land in the Mississippi valley, 1,500,000 of which are located in the state of Illinois, is the object of a campaign started by the board of control of the national irrigation congress. Federal legislation will be sought in urging the swamp land reclamation bill introduced by Representative Dupre of Louisiana. The campaign also will be a crusade to have the \$20,000,000 asked for the Illinois deep waterway used, at least in part, for the draining of swamp lands.

EVENTS OF THE DAY

SOME PARAGRAPHS OF TIMELY INTEREST.

ARE BRIEF BUT TO THE POINT

Items of Events That Are Transpiring in Our Own as Well as in Foreign Lands—Washington Political News.

Washington

The date for the vote on the reciprocity bill seems rather remote.

President Taft has been assured that the Nebraska delegation to the next national convention would vote for his renomination.

Senator William E. Borah of Idaho as the running mate for President Taft in 1912 is the latest political ripple of the hour.

Norris Brown secured a victory in the senate committee when it was voted to report the Arizona New Mexico statehood bill back for the favorable consideration of the senate.

The Root amendment, proposing a modification of the wood pulp and print paper section of the reciprocity bill, was defeated, after seven hours of debate, by an overwhelming vote.

President Taft has accepted invitations to address the Christian Endeavor convention at Atlantic City, July 7, to visit the New York state fair at Syracuse in September and to stop at St. Louis later that month.

Speaker Champ Clark issued a deft when he heard that President Taft proposed to veto any tariff legislation that might be brought to his desk for approval. Speaker Clark asserted that the democratic party would rest its case with the people.

During the reciprocity debate Senator Cummins attacked its construction most vehemently and also criticized the power exercised by the president to negotiate it and to bring it to the point of a definite agreement between the two countries.

Representative Pepper of Iowa is responsible for a systematic effort being made to find out what candidate in the democratic party is preferred for the presidency. Having just completed a poll of his district it showed Speaker Clark far in the lead.

By the terms of an order issued by the commission, every common railway carrier will be required, after July 1, 1911, to report to the interstate commerce commission by telegraph, "any collision, derailment, or other accident," resulting in the death of one or more persons.

General News

A fire at Bordertown, Ohio, destroyed property to the amount of \$100,000. Lieutenant de Malherbe, a French military aviator, flew from Paris to Sedan.

The new census of Australia shows an increase of nearly a million in ten years.

The German Order of the Red Eagle has been conferred upon J. Pierpont Morgan.

The eighth annual convention of the Catholic Educational association is in session at Chicago.

Not less than 6,000 persons were in attendance at the coronation party in Buckingham palace.

Lake Superior steamers were delayed several hours Thursday on account of a severe snow storm.

The Oregon express, on the Southern Pacific railroad, was held up and robbed at West Fork, Oregon.

It is said the central passenger association will attack the 2-cent fare laws of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois.

The Philadelphia brokerage firm of Normal MacLoud & Co. has suspended with liabilities of over a million dollars.

Crop conditions in South Dakota are the worst in fifteen years. Wheat and other small grain are damaged beyond recovery.

A shortage of funds has been discovered in the Oklahoma state auditor's office, and an investigation will be made.

A severe wind, rain and hail storm swept over Washington Tuesday, causing such a disturbance that the senate adjourned.

Louisville has been chosen as the city to entertain the next saengerfest of the American saengerbund, to be held in 1914.

Farmers of Alberta have presented a memorial to the Canadian parliament saying feeling for reciprocity agreement is practically unanimous.

The Rt. Rev. Sidney C. Partridge, formerly bishop of Kyoto, Japan, has been enthroned bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Kansas City in succession to the late Bishop E. R. Atwill.

A body believed to be that of the Rev. Timothy Sullivan of Fort Dodge, Ia., was found in an overflowing bathtub in an apartment of a New York hotel, supposedly a victim of heart failure.

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Rebels in great force surprised and cut up a Turkish column commanded by Mahomed Ali Pasha outside Gheesran, a town on the Red sea. One hundred Turkish soldiers were killed. Mahomed Ali Pasha is missing.

Miss Florence R. Cushing of Boston jumped from the seventh story of a hotel in San Francisco and was instantly killed.

The Carnegie fund system has been scathingly attacked by the National Catholic Educational association in session at Chicago.

Four thousand additional dock hands have joined the sailors' strike at Liverpool and work at the docks is practically at a standstill.

Three boys, all under fourteen years of age, were drowned in the Mississippi river at Davenport while attending a Sunday school picnic.

Tipplers and brawlers will be barred from benefits in the new hospital department to be established by the Illinois Central railroad at Chicago.

The first championship tourney of the Western Archery association is being held at Chicago, and bowmen from all over the country are in attendance.

Colonel Harrison Power, an American oil promoter, is in London for the purpose of organizing a concern to consolidate the oil interests of Wyoming.

An explosion in the corning mill of the Western Powder company at Edwards, Ill., resulted in the death of two men and the demolishing of the plant.

Effective July 1, rates on grain and grain products from stations in the Dakotas will be advanced, the rise ranging from half a cent to 2c per hundred pounds.

The movement to have this year's camp of the Modern Woodmen of America increase the number of yearly assessments from ten to twelve was defeated.

Two thousand gallons of water, released by a break in the tank of the stage of a San Mateo, Cal., theater, nearly drowned the members of the orchestra.

An explosion on the oil barge Gumbie in the harbor at Port Arthur, Tex., caused the death of one man and the destruction by fire of property valued at \$200,000.

A civil anti-trust suit against the periodical publishers' association commonly called the magazine trust, will be filed in the United States circuit court in New York.

The Kansas City Navigation company's steamer Chester arrived, bringing the first cargo that has come to that city by river from New Orleans in twenty-five years.

Edward Valentine Lee, a paymaster clerk who is charged with taking \$48,000 from the battleship Georgia at Havana, was arrested at Buffalo, N. Y., by local detectives.

The shortage of butter, bacon and eggs, of which enormous continental supplies are held up at Hull by the seamen's strike, is affecting the prices of provisions in England.

The Spanish government has indicated to ex-President Diaz that it does not desire him to establish a residence in Spain until the popular feeling against him has subsided.

"The secret of the destruction of the battleship Maine will never be known," says General W. H. Bixby, chief of engineers in charge of the work of raising the Maine.

An elaborate banquet in honor of John Hays Hammond, the special American ambassador to the coronation, was given in London under the auspices of the Pilgrim club.

Disturbances about the plant of the Baldwin locomotive works at Philadelphia, where a strike of more than 5,000 men has been in progress for three weeks, are becoming more frequent.

The grand jury is having hard work to induce Mrs. McManigal to testify against John and James B. McNamara on the charges of murder in connection with the Los Angeles explosion.

Jefferson City, Mo.—Many letters are being received daily by Governor Hadley asking that a day be set aside by proclamation for rain to break the drought which is threatening the crops.

J. Pierpont Morgan has presented Emperor William of Germany with the autograph letter written by Martin Luther to Emperor Charles V. and for which the American lately paid \$25,000.

The famous Cuninghame-Alaska coal land claims, through which it has been alleged that the Morgan-Guggenheim syndicate had planned to control one of the most valuable fields in the world, have been disallowed.

Mrs. Laura Alsip's contest of the will of John "Lucky" Baldwin, alleging that he was her father, and asking a daughter's share of his \$11,000,000 estate, has been dismissed by Judge Rivers of the superior court.

Iowa farmers on the Missouri bottoms complain that green-head flies are the most numerous ever known.

There are now 14,946,504 Sunday school pupils in this country, according to the report of General Secretary Marion Lawrence, read in the international Sunday school convention at San Francisco.

Approximately 20,000,000 gallons of liquors are shipped by express, principally from mail order houses direct to consumers in prohibition states. This was developed in an inquiry conducted by the interstate commerce commission.

The worst cyclone known in years struck the coast of Chile, wrecking ships, boats and buildings and causing panics in many places.

A massive chorus of 3,400 voices rendering German folk songs and other compositions was the big feature of the festival of the thirty-third saengerfest of the North American Saengerbund at Milwaukee.

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MARRIED 60 YEARS

MR. AND MRS. W. H. PARIS CELEBRATED ANNIVERSARY.

NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

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

Auburn.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Paris celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary with a family gathering at their home in Auburn this week. Mr. Paris and Miss Alvian Fraser were married in Iowa in 1851. Forty-seven years ago this couple came to Nebraska and located in Nemaha county, near Auburn.

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Partial Failure of Suicide Pact.

Fairbury.—"Teddy" Brown and Miss Emma Cook, both of Endicott, swallowed doses of strychnine, the former with fatal effect, but the latter apparently regretting her act, saved her life by swallowing a quantity of soda, this being wash day and plenty of the antidote being at hand. The young people, who were supposed to be lovers, evidently intended to end their lives together.

Arrested in Russia.

Lincoln, Neb.—Denounced by the widow of his alleged victim, Max Kalowoff is under arrest in a village of southern Russia. He is accused of killing John Kurichick in this city July 8, 1910. It is said that Mrs. Kurichick discovered Max visiting his relatives and immediately notified the local police. Kurichick was brutally stabbed to death near his home in the bottoms west of Lincoln.

"Horned" by Catfish.

Fairbury.—Jack Cutbirth is confined to his home with a serious case of blood poisoning. He was fishing on the Little Blue river and landed a large yellow catfish. The fish "horned" him on the right hand and blood poisoning set in.

Received Electric Shock.

Kearney.—Ruth, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scout, is in a critical condition, the result of an electric shock received from a vibrator while standing in a bath tub. The child remained unconscious for six hours after the accident.

NEBRASKA

Friend will celebrate on the Fourth. Neligh has voted \$10,000 for sewerage.

Two girls were drowned in Carter lake near Omaha while in wading. Sterling is worrying about burglars who are getting in their work there.

A fund is being raised with which to advertise the town of Broken Bow. Carl Atwood, a York boy, was seriously injured in an auto accident at Kansas City.

Lightning caused the death of Joe Alex, Sunday evening, near Champlin, in Chase county.

The poisoning of three horses on a farm near Jamestown in Dodge county is being investigated by officials of that county.

An electrical parade on the order of the parade of the Ak-Sar-Ben pageant will be one of the features of the German day celebration to be held in Lincoln, probably September 27 and 28.

Bethany citizens have organized a commercial club to promote the growth of the Cotner college town.

A. R. Talbot of Lincoln was re-elected head consul of the Modern Woodmen at the recent session in Buffalo. During a light shower lightning struck on the Elsmann farm in Nemaha county, killing a colt and slivering a number of telephone poles in the vicinity.

J. C. Fowler, an aged resident of Lincoln, committed suicide by shooting. He was eighty-two years of age, and was formerly United States marshal at Peoria, Ill.

Thomas Cannon, an expert machinist from Kansas City, who was burned by ammonia at the plant of the Beatrice Poultry & Cold Storage company Saturday, died of his injuries.

J. F. Losch, a prominent attorney and capitalist of West Point, is seriously ill with a mysterious malady which baffles the medical men and which they appear unable to diagnose.

Aurora is suffering from a scourge of tramps. They may be found in the railroad yards by the dozens and scores, and pester the citizens by appearing at back doors and asking for food.

Calvin Gray, the twelve-year-old son of C. W. Gray of Callaway, was accidentally shot in the leg by some companions who were shooting at a target with a .22 rifle.

"Tom" Carr, convicted of the illicit sale of liquor at Lincoln, has been taken to Fremont to serve sixty days in the Dodge county jail. He was convicted in the federal court.

Arrangements are being made by the Commercial club at Cedar Bluffs to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of that place on July 26 instead of the usual Fourth of July celebration.

Congressman J. A. Maguire has nominated Colgrove Reynolds of Johnson county for a cadetship at West Point. Mr. Reynolds will accept and will go to Fort Leavenworth for examination on July 5.

George Geisler, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Geisler, at Lyons, died as a result of injuries he had received Monday while riding a pony which ran into a barbed wire fence.

Mrs. Henry Stokesbary of the vicinity of Aurora dropped dead from heart failure Tuesday afternoon as she was carrying a lunch to her little boy who was working in the field. Three small children are left motherless.

Three bars of silver and lead bullion weighing 100 pounds each was discovered lying along the Burlington tracks recently by a brakeman of a passing train near Burnham. They had been lost in transit from the smelting works.

John Friday is undisputed mayor of Norfolk. Counsel for E. E. Coleman the rival candidate, dropped the legal contest against Friday's election. On account in court they found Friday had fairly won by a majority of three to five votes.

Conductor A. E. Pounds of the Northwestern is lying at the Fremont hospital with a bullet wound in his leg as a result of being shot by Sherman Richardson of Blair. Physicians say that unless looked for complications set in he will recover.

A demand for \$10,000, accompanied by a threat to blow the place into smithereens by a stranger who walked into the First National bank at Omaha, momentarily disturbed the routine of that establishment, but the stranger made his departure without making good on either item.

Edward Warnes, 92 years of age, and one of the first settlers of Lincoln, died Saturday night at his home, 701 A street. Extreme heat brought on a sinking spell which resulted in his death. He was the first man to build a log house in Lincoln and was the oldest man in the city.

STATE CAPITAL LINCOLN

Twenty-five hundred quarts of cherries were picked from fifty-eight trees on the Union college farm near Lincoln. This makes an average yield of almost a bushel and a half to the tree. The trees are ten years old, and this is said to be an exceptionally good yield for trees of that age.

Reformed spelling will be recognized as correct in the state superintendent's department, and teachers using reformed orthography will not be graded down or criticised, according to a letter written by State Superintendent Crabtree to E. Benjamin Andrews, chancellor emeritus of the University of Nebraska. Dr. Andrews has long been a champion of reformed spelling.

After August 1 the selling of colored distilled vinegar in Nebraska will be considered a violation of the law. The pure food department is now sending out notices to dealers stating that the time between now and then will be allowed them in which to sell off the goods they have on hand which do not conform to the new law.

State Chemist Redfern, after analyzing samples of a patent medicine advertised to cure rheumatism, has found it to consist of two cheap ingredients, sugar and chlorate of potash. The directions instructed the user to dissolve it in whisky or in cherry wine. The dose was put up in small packages in powder form and sold at the rate of about \$8 per pound.

The Platte Shirt company of Chicago, which had a contract for convict labor at the Nebraska state penitentiary and which is said to be delinquent in the sum of \$1,700 in payments to the state, has telegraphed Secretary of State Wait that it will pay. The message also asks the state board to cancel its contract for convict labor. The telegram asks the board to release the Platte Shirt company from its contract "as per information we get from newspapers that you had agreed to the proposition of our release."

In a letter given to the press, Attorney General Martin defends the action of the state board of public lands and buildings in locating the agricultural school at Curtis. He claims that the town is the logical place for the new school, is not inaccessible, and four kinds of soil are available for experiments.

Father Thien, the successor of the late Bishop Bonacum, will arrive in Lincoln July 19. A religious ceremony will be held at St. Theresa's pro-cathedral and a civic reception will take place the same day.

AN INVITATION.



Harry Nort—I'm going up in an air ship tomorrow.
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Awful!

Mrs. Willis—Isn't it awful the way people paw over goods in a store?
Mrs. Gillis—Shocking. I went over to the waist counter this morning and picked up every single garment and there wasn't one that didn't have the marks where somebody had been handling it.

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