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THURSDAY, DEC 5, 1901.

Congress convened Monday.

The president in his message shows his interest and knowledge of the west.

President Roosevelt's first message was read in the House and Senate Tuesday. It is an able document.

Ed Sizer, chief oil inspector has been, indorsed for postmaster at Lincoln by Senators Dietrich and Millard.

R. J. Clancey of Omaha has been appointed private Secretary of Gov. Savage to succeed C. H. Lindsay, resigned.

Aguinaldo has been detected with carrying on correspondence of a treasonable nature. He will be sentenced to prison life for a term of years in the government prison at Leavenworth Kansas.

President Roosevelt's prompt removal of Gov. Jenkins of Oklahoma, on satisfactory proof of improper deal with the Sanitorium Co. of Oklahoma, would indicate that those who want to hold onto their offices will have to keep their hands clean.

The Bee continues to insist that State Treasurer Stuefer's connection with the Burt county bond deal was of a shady nature. Whether Stuefer personally profited by the transaction in question, we are inclined to question. But the exposing of the deal by the Bee will doubtless have good effect on future actions of Mr. Stuefer or his successors in office. It is better to have the barn door locked before the horse is stolen.

"Ideals" is the name of a new magazine that will soon be started at Albion, Nebraska. As there is no high class magazine published anywhere in the west, the promoters hope to make the "Ideals" meet the long felt want. The promoters have put in a new plant of the latest machinery and the magazine will be richly illustrated. Some of the best writers of the country have been secured as contributors. It is to be a monthly, and the price is \$1.00 a year. The first issue will appear April 1, 1902.

State Treasurer Stuefer has made his semi-annual report of the receipts and disbursements of his office, with a specific exhibit of the funds deposited in the various banks and the cash on hand, in compliance with the resolution adopted by the republican state convention. He concludes his report with the following statement:

"I desire to state there is nothing covered up or hidden in this office and that I am perfectly willing to submit every transaction to the most thorough examination and the most searching scrutiny by the proper authority."

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This paper is on file at the office of The Chicago Inter Ocean, 106-108-110 East Monroe street, Chicago, where our readers will be courteously greeted who may care to call upon The Inter Ocean for a tour of inspection and sight-seeing through its magnificent building.

ECHOES FROM TEXAS.

BY W. S. WESCOTT.

Beaumont, Texas, Nov. 28, 1901.
—EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I received a letter from a friend in Custer county last week in which it was stated that Custer county and the old gentleman had his sleeves rolled

whole state had gone republican. This was a glad surprise to me. It was also a surprise to the people of this city, who had imbibed the idea that because Nebraska was Bryan's home, his influence was supreme, and controlling them. While this state gave Bryan a majority at the last presidential election, the democrats of this do not endorse his free silver theories. They are as emphatic and pronounced in that proposition as the people of Iowa or Illinois, and they don't care who knows it.

The death of McKinley was deeply and sincerely mourned by the people of this state, who, notwithstanding their intense partisan spirit, still had great respect for his absolute fairness, and his great administrative ability, particularly in the financial affairs of the government. A majority of the people favored his Philippine policy, notwithstanding whatever the papers may say about it. All the prominent buildings in this city were draped in mourning at the time of his death, and services were held in all the churches the day of his funeral. This generation will not see another like him. I note in a late paper that the Chinese are building a monument to the memory of McKinley, something that was never done before in that empire.

All the nations of the earth are viewing with each other in giving testimonials of their appreciation of his great statesmanship and the embodiment of all the great qualities of a great man.

Perhaps I ought not to say that I am surprised at the result of the election in Custer county. After the experience of the last ten long years, (it seems like twenty), when precept has been piled upon precept and example upon example, showing the utter want of foundation for their claims, until now, when the last plank, upon which they could stand has been washed away, they must be surprised.

This is a delightful climate. The sun shines with a warm mellow light, and it seems more like Sept. than like Thanksgiving day. The flowers are in bloom in all the yards and the leaves are green on the trees, but after all I miss the cheerful faces of my friends in Custer county and I can hardly wait to get back to greet them.

Nebraska is a grand and good state; with corn at 50 cents a bushel and advancing you don't need to have a very big crop to prosper. One can better measure the advantages of the state when 1500 miles away. The oil business is booming yet; new wells are being struck every day. The town is full of strangers from the north who are organizing new companies every day.

Yours,
W. S. WESCOTT.

HE KILLED HIS SON-IN-LAW.

J. C. Hunter, Formerly Deputy Sheriff, Charged By His Daughter, Of Killing His Son-in-Law, in Montana.

J. C. Hunter, who was at one time deputy sheriff under Tom Holiday, of this county, is under arrest in Montana, on the charge of killing his son-in-law, Hiram O. Walbridge, near Phillipsburg, Montana, April 29, 1901. The following we take from the St. Paul (Minn.) Weekly Dispatch, of Nov. 21, 1901:

"Phillipsburg, Mont., November 20.—The skeleton found near here about two weeks ago was last night declared by a coroner's jury to be that of Hiram O. Walbridge, whom the jury also declared to have been killed by Joseph Carlyle Hunter, his father-in-law.

"The statement of Hunter's daughter is the first authentic information bearing on the crime that has been made public.

"I married Walbridge," although father was responsible for the long-continued absence of her husband that finally caused his arrest.

"She and her husband were married in April, 1900 she said:

"I married Walbridge, which father bitterly opposed it, but apparently became reconciled. On April 29 father and my husband started hunting. Father returned in an hour or so without him. The old gentleman had his sleeves rolled

up, and there was blood on his arm on his sleeves and undershirt, on his pants and the stock of his gun.

"I did not see any knife with him. I accused him of murdering my husband and he said, 'Hush up or I will kill you too.' Those were his exact words. I began to cry, and he struck me with the gun or with his fist, and I was insensible for some time. When I came to he was burning my husband's clothes. Father never affirmed or denied that he had killed my husband, but I am positive that he killed him. He would never let me mention his name after we left Phillipsburg. After that he went by the name of Frank Meyer, but he had different names. We broke camp that night, and never stopped long enough in Butte to feed the horses.

"I had heard my father threaten my husband's life on several occasions. Just before we reached Phillipsburg they had a dispute, and father said he would kill him at the first good opportunity he got. I told my husband what he said." Asked why she had not told of the murder sooner, she said her father watched her closely, and that he always stopped at places remote from any habitation until they reached the Crow reservation, where she gave the officials information, leading to Hunter's arrest. Her testimony created a sensation, sealing apparently, her father's doom."

PIONEER WOMAN PASSES AWAY.

Widow of the late T. Q. George is called to Her Rest.

Mrs. Abbie M. George died at her home in this city on Friday, November 22, of inflammation of the bowels after a short illness, aged sixty-four years, six months and twenty days. Her husband, T. Q. George, was laid away one year ago, and it has been her one desire to be with him.

Mrs. George was one of the pioneers of Buffalo county, coming here with her husband in 1872 and locating at Gibbon, where they resided for nine years and then removed to Primrose, Iowa. After spending a year in Iowa they returned to Kearney in 1885 where they have resided up to the present time. Mrs. George was born May 2, 1836, at Danvers, Mass., and was married to Truman Q. George May 14, 1854. Six children came to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. George, two sons and four daughters—Etta M. Wheeler, of Cumro; Clara J. Tulietson, of Kearney; Emma H. Kneper, of Gibbon; Walter A. of Georgetown; William D. Denha, Cali.; Hattie A. Pigman, of Georgetown, all of whom are living to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother. Seventeen grand children and two great grand children will ever have fresh in their memory the sweet face of their patient grandparent.

Mrs. George was a member of the United Brethren church and always lived a good Christian life. Words cannot express the sweetness of the disposition of this grand woman who was fairly worshipped by her children. Her life was spent in a continued effort to make others happy.

The funeral service will be held at the United Brethren church at 10:30 Sunday and the remains will be interred in the Gibbon cemetery beside the remains of her husband—Kearney Hub.

The attention of our readers is called to our special offer of the life of William McKinley, by Murat Halsted, and other prominent men, and the REPUBLICAN for \$1.50. We furnish both for the retail price of the book. Send in your order at once.

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