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Washington News

By C. H. TAVENNER special Washington correspondent.

Washington, Sept. 13.—On the tenth day of May, 1902, the government filed a petition for an injunction against the beef trust in the federal court at Chicago. On July 5, 1911, the packers, after having obtained forty-two delays and postponements in the intervening nine years, again pleaded not guilty, and for the forty-third time their trial was postponed, this time until November 20th of this year. The status of the beef trust prosecution, therefore, is exactly where it was the day the first papers were filed nearly a decade ago. The much-heralded "prosecution" of this gigantic trust—a prosecution which has been directed by one republican attorney general after another has amounted to nothing.

Every man, woman and child in the country is convinced that the trust operates in violation of the law, both statute and moral, and yet nothing has been accomplished in the alleged campaign to stop these violations except the disbursement of thousands of dollars in fees for special "trust busting" attorneys.

What the people of Arizona really have to do to obtain statehood, is a story that the American people have never fully heard. Information has gone out over the wires from Washington that President Taft will permit Arizona to enter the union by simply striking the "recall of the judiciary" provision from its constitution. But only when the following facts are considered can the full significance of the president's action be grasped:

First, that the people of Arizona by a vote of three to one declared in favor of the recall.

Second, that in order to obtain statehood the people of Arizona must go back to the polls and vote against a principle of government which they have already voted in favor of, and which they believe to be right.

By thus coercing the people to vote against a thing which their best judgement tells them to be wise, threatening to withhold from that people unless they vote as the chief executive dictates, rights to which they are justly entitled under the constitution. President Taft has committed himself to an action which is without precedent in the history of the American government.

The President has said to the people of Arizona, in effect: "No matter whether the majority believe that the recall of judges is wise or not; unless that majority goes to the polls and pretends that it is against the recall, I will deprive the people of Arizona of statehood. Yes I will deprive the people of Arizona of statehood whether they are entitled to it under the constitution or not, unless they vote not the way they may desire, but as I command them to vote."

While this method of forcing the people to vote against their will may be perfectly compatible to the mental workings of an executive with a "judicial temperament," isn't it after all making a farce out of representative government?

Strayed or Stolen.

One gray horse, weight about 1,000 pounds, branded —X on left thigh, also SF on left thigh; one sorrel horse branded —X on left thigh, weight about 950 lbs. Liberal reward for information leading to their recovery. Chas. M. Shepard, Valentine, Nebr.

Improvement Club Meeting.

The Ladies Improvement club will hold a business meeting at the court house Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. All the women of Valentine are urged to be present on that date and take active part in the arrangements for a better town. Remember, Tuesday afternoon.

Nebraska bankers will hold their annual convention in Omaha on Sept. 18-19. A fine program of addresses and entertainment has been provided. Bankers from all parts of the country will talk on subjects of vital interest. Col. E. Farnsworth, general secretary of the American Bankers association, will speak upon the work of that organization. Many other men well known in the banking world will make addresses.

The following letter from C. P. Jordan of White River, S. D., gives more inside history on the killing of Crazy Horse.

"Referring to your article on Turning Bear of the 7th Inst. I desire to state that I was acting Agent at Red Cloud Agency when Crazy Horse was bayoneted by a soldier at Fort Robinson 14 miles distant.

"Spotted Tail was not there, but at Camp Sheridan when Crazy Horse and band left Red Cloud Agency. Chief Swift Bear, Capt. J. M. Lee and Louis Bordeaux, with Crazy Horse came to Robinson in an ambulance from Sheridan, followed by a large number of Indian scouts who had gone to Sheridan in pursuit of Crazy Horse and his band after they stampeded from Red Cloud. That night of the killing I had all the white employees, residents and mixed bloods confined inside the Agency stockade. You state Custer lost 700 men; about 300 including the heroic commander (my cousin), his two brothers and a brother-in-law were killed."

"Crazy Horse was persuaded to return to Robinson and was informed that he would not be punished for his conduct. The attempt to imprison him was a violation of the promises made him and when he realized that he was to be imprisoned he sprang at the officer of the day, Capt. Kennington, 14th Infantry, with a knife in his hand, when he was seized by Little Big Man another Indian, and in the melee was quickly and dexterously bayoneted by the soldier on post 1. There was much doubt on the part of the Indians as to the manner in which he was fatally wounded. Some thought Little Big Man stabbed him as he threw his arms about him. Had the Indians known he was bayoneted at the time a fearful killing would have resulted, as the Sioux there and at the agency, greatly outnumbered the soldiers. Capt. Lee (now retired Major General U. S. A.) has expressed to me the indignation he felt at being made an innocent party to the treacherous treatment accorded Crazy Horse."

St. Nicholas' Church.

Services will be held in the Catholic church as follows:

In Nenzel on Sunday, Sept. 10th, at 9 a. m. In Valentine on Sunday, Sept. 17th; 1st Mass at 8 a. m., 2nd Mass at 10 a. m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass. Instructions for the children at 3 p. m.

LEO M. BLAERE, Rector

Found—Between the Christensen place and Niobrara, two sacks buggy repairs. Owner can have same by calling at the Democrat office and paying for this notice.

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I. M. Rice, tf

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Valentine

Mrs. David Hanna and Mr. Johnson visited friends here this week.

B. I. Johnson resigned his position as assistant postmaster this morning.

Mrs. B. F. Elmore of Gordon has been visiting friends here the past week.

Mrs. George Nichols returned to her home in Greenwood, Neb., Sunday night.

Miss Ethel Estes is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. I. M. Rice, and family.

Miss Carrie Harris of Manhattan, Kas., is visiting her aunt, Miss Cora Thackrey.

Mrs. W. E. Haley has returned from a delightful visit with her brother in Salt Lake City.

A. M. Beals of Gooby, S. D., was in town the first of the week having dental work done.

Charles Austin now has charge of the suitorium on Main street formerly conducted by R. H. Robertson.

Mrs. Elsie Bennett went to Pierpont, S. D., Thursday for a three weeks' visit with her mother.

P. H. Young and family were up from Simeon during the picnic and visited with friends for several days.

Miss Mabel Alderman of Newport and Miss Alma Nelson of Witten, S. D., are new operators at the telephone office. Miss Alderman worked here for two months, early in the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Mason of St. Joseph, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Young of Beaver Dam, Ohio, who were here for the Cramer golden wedding, returned to their homes last week.

Mrs. Frank Meidle, aged 42 years, died Tuesday evening at Nenzel. Mrs. Meidle leaves a husband and five children to mourn her loss. The funeral was held from the Catholic church at Nenzel on Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Ray Barnes and family came up from their ranch last week to take in the Fraternal Picnic and carnival. Mr. Barnes was a pleasant caller at this office Friday morning. Mr. Barnes intends to go to Sioux City next week and exhibit a load of black cattle at the Interstate Fair.

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Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the county court of Cherry county, Nebraska. State of Nebraska, ss. Cherry County. To the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of John B. Seadore, deceased: On reading the petition of W. E. Haley praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this court on the 28th day of Aug. 1911, and for a decree of final account: It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the county court to be held in and for said county on the 28th day of Sept. A. D. 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in this court on the 28th day of August 1911, and for a final distribution of said estate: It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the county court to be held in and for said county on the 28th day of Sept. A. D. 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in this court on the 28th day of August 1911, and for a final distribution of said estate: JAMES C. QUIGLEY, County Judge.

Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.

In the county court of Cherry county, Nebraska. STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. County of Cherry. To the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of Ludwig Bock, deceased: On reading the petition of Mina Palmer praying a final settlement and allowance of her account filed in this court on the 28th day of August 1911, and for a final distribution of said estate: It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the county court to be held in and for said county on the 28th day of Sept. A. D. 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in this court on the 28th day of August 1911, and for a final distribution of said estate: JAMES C. QUIGLEY, County Judge.

Contest Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Broken Bow, Nebraska, August 30, 1911. To Anna M. Kunke of Brownlee, Nebraska. You are hereby notified that Clarence Rogers who gives St. Paul, Nebraska, as his post-office address, on Aug. 8, 1911, to this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead, Entry No. 127, serial No. 0187 made August 1, 1901, for N1 section 20 and W1 Section 21, Township 25, Range 28, 6 Principle Meridian, and as grounds for his contest alleges that claimant has failed to establish and maintain a legal and bona fide residence on this land in controversy. That the claimant has failed to improve the land as required by law. That the claimant has abandoned the land for at least six months last past, and that these conditions exist at this time and have never been cured. You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said entry will be canceled hereunder without your further right to be heard therein, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the fourth publication of this notice as shown below your answer, under oath, specifically meeting and responding to these allegations of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the delivery was made of this date and where the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed, stating when and the post office to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the mail. You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices to be sent. DARIUS M. AMESBERRY, Receiver. Date of first publication Sept. 7, 1911. Date of second publication Sept. 14, 1911. Date of third publication Sept. 21, 1911. Date of fourth publication Sept. 28, 1911.

Non-resistant sightseers in Sioux City Fair week are not in danger of being lost. The boy scouts will act as guides and escorts to all persons wishing to go about the city. The services of the scouts will be free. The Y. M. C. A. has been given full charge of the securing of private rooms for Fair visitors.

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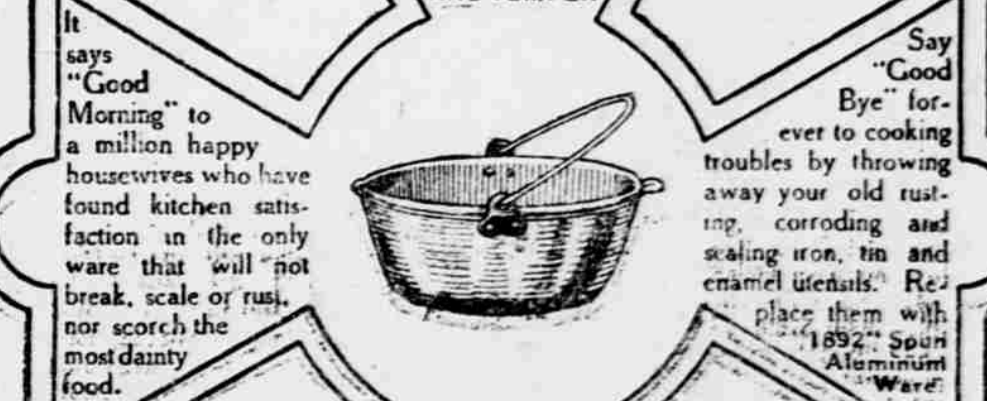
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