

NEW TYPE OF LOCOMOTIVE

THREE THOUSAND MILES WITHOUT A STOP, THE CAPACITY. WILL BURN OIL FOR FUEL

Technically Known as the Four-Stroke Cycle—Will Drive Over the Country at the Rate of 100 Miles an Hour and Break Other Records.

Chicago, Ill., March 21.—Three thousand miles without a stop, and at the rate of 100 miles or more an hour, is the capacity of a new type of locomotive which has been ordered by the Southern Pacific railroad.

The machine is what is known as the four stroke cycle. There is a compressed air reservoir, from which the power is obtained for starting.

SERMON BY REV. JOHN DOANE

Son of the Founder of Crete College Interests a Large Audience.

There was a good audience at the First Congregational church last night to hear Rev. John Doane of Fremont preach and the sermon was very well received and proved spiritually uplifting to the auditors.

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THURSDAY TIDINGS.

C. E. Burnham is in Omaha today. H. G. Bolmer was up from Hooper yesterday.

W. M. Robertson returned yesterday from Lincoln.

George Winters was over from Madison yesterday.

Fred H. Free was down from Plainview yesterday.

L. A. Fisher was in the city yesterday from Oakdale.

Martin Hendrix was in the city over night from Wayne.

A. J. Durland left last night for a trip to Wood Lake.

R. F. Crosby was in the city from Schuyler yesterday.

Otto Pierce was in Norfolk yesterday from Oakland.

Phillip Johnson and A. R. Davis were in the city yesterday.

Charles Rice returned yesterday morning from Omaha.

C. Tompson was a Norfolk visitor yesterday from Wayne.

G. M. Bolton of Bloomfield transacted business in Norfolk.

C. J. Hixson of Meadow Grove was a Norfolk guest yesterday.

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H. F. Barnhart and D. Cressler of Pierce were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crue of Tilden were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. F. Mitchell and Miss Myrtle Mitchell of Creighton were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Kiesau has taken rooms with her sister, Mrs. Marshal, on South Fourth street.

Thomas Knowles of Creighton, formerly in the livery business there, is in the city this week looking over the city and attending to business.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hasenpflug is very low but there were signs this morning which gave the family hope that he may yet recover.

H. M. Stockwell of Clearwater and Dr. McGill of Wisner were in the city

attending the meeting of the policy holders of the Elkhorn Life and Accident company.

H. B. Treat was here yesterday from Fremont.

Burt Mapes went to Madison today on business.

A. D. Wilberger was a Norfolk visitor from Anoka.

Geo. W. Lacey was down from Battle Creek yesterday.

Sheriff Clements was over from Madison yesterday.

J. E. Preuss was in the city yesterday from Bloomfield.

P. L. Hageman was in Norfolk yesterday from Niobrara.

Mrs. E. Tanner of Battle Creek visited in Norfolk yesterday.

M. J. Hughes was a Norfolk visitor yesterday from West Point.

F. J. Hale of Battle Creek was in the city yesterday on business.

Oscar Lambert of Fairfax, S. D., was a Norfolk visitor yesterday.

S. W. Deuel was a business visitor to Norfolk from Meadow Grove.

S. J. Simonson of Newman Grove was in the city yesterday on business.

Miss E. J. Bender left Norfolk at noon today for her home in Fremont.

Nelise Waters and J. R. Fuchers were Norfolk visitors yesterday from Randolph.

I. W. Alter was in the city yesterday on his way home to Wayne from Grand Island.

Miss Otella Wink and Miss Martha Wolf of Battle Creek are visiting Norfolk friends.

S. H. McCurdy of Emerson was in the city on business yesterday, returning home today.

Route Agent McDuffy, for the American Express company, will leave Norfolk April 1 for Fremont, his territory having been changed.

A dog poisoner is busy in Neligh. Several harmless pets and a few valuable dogs are dead.

Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Parker are now settled in their new home on Koenigstein avenue.

Bruno Hansen, a traveling man, has rented the house on the same street, vacated by Dr. and Mrs. Parker.

Mrs. A. E. Chambers of this city passed through a very successful surgical operation yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in Clarkson hospital.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected by the Wednesday club yesterday afternoon at the meeting held in the home of Mrs. Haggard.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. George D. Butterfield, president; Mrs. W. H. Hagey, vice president; Mrs. A. Bear, secretary and treasurer; program committee, Mrs. Sol. G. Mayer, Mrs. J. S. Mathewson, Mrs. J. C. S. Wells.

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SUICIDES OVER DANCER

FRENCH MINISTER OF FINE ARTS ENDS HIS OWN LIFE.

TWO BULLETS INTO HIS BRAIN

Antonia Proust, Minister of Fine Arts in the Galbetta Cabinet, Tragically Dies Over Quarrel With Famous Dancer, Rosita Mauri.

Paris, March 22.—Antonia Proust, minister of fine arts in the Galbetta cabinet, died today as the result of two shots in the head, self inflicted. The tragedy is believed to be the result of a difference with Rosita Mauri, the celebrated dancer with whom he was closely associated.

If anybody has any harness repairing to do, let him bring it in before the spring season begins. Paul Nordwig.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN from Madison county to prepare for desirable position in Govt. Mail service. Salary \$800. Rapid promotion to \$1500. Splendid opportunity. Address Box One, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

A GREAT NIGHT OF OPERA.

Sembrich and Caruso in Lucia di Lammermoor at Omaha Auditorium.

Mr. Clement Chase, editor of the Omaha Excelsior, who has charge of the appearance in Omaha of the Conried Metropolitan Opera company on the 29th and 30th, predicts that the performance of the opera of Lucia di Lammermoor will be the greatest night of music that Omaha has ever known.

Wherever the new tenor has appeared he has taken his audiences off their feet, and in the great sextet with Mme. Sembrich, if they do what they have done elsewhere, there will be a scene of wildest enthusiasm.

The audience will number five thousand, and this of itself is enough to put any singers, even the greatest, on their mettle.

The Conried Metropolitan Opera company of New York city began their trans-continental tour last week in Boston, and will be in Chicago next week, having had very successful engagements at Pittsburg and Cincinnati en route.

They will be in Minneapolis on the 27th and reach Omaha next, where they are to give two performances, Parsifal on the 29th and Lucia di Lammermoor on the 30th.

PATIENTS IN ANOTHER WEEK

Superintendent Alden Expects to be Ready in That Time.

"Things are progressing very satisfactorily at the Norfolk hospital for the insane," said Superintendent J. M. Alden to The News this morning, "and it is hoped to have the institution in readiness for the reception of patients inside of a week."

The electric lights and the heating plant have now been placed in condition for use and the other work is well in hand.

The beds and bedding are not yet ready for the accommodation of patients. Much cleaning in the dormitories is required and there is an insufficiency of bed clothes and other necessary supplies which the doctor intends to have remedied and has planned a trip to Lincoln today for that purpose.

SURPRISE MINISTER.

Presbyterians Visit Sharpless Home. Leave in a Week.

Presbyterian church people last night gave a surprise party at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Sharpless, who are soon to leave Norfolk for their new home in Duluth, Minn.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by the many friends present, who attested the esteem with which they regard the departing family by presenting Mrs. Sharpless with a very handsome souvenir spoon, engraved with the Norfolk government building, the state capitol and the state university.

Mr. Sharpless expects to leave a week from today.

A dinner party in honor of Miss Sharpless will be given tonight by Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Gentle.

MRS. ABRAM WHITE IS DEAD

Rare Old Dancerwoman Passes Away After Brief Illness.

Mrs. Abram White, for a quarter of a century a resident of Norfolk and just entering her seventy-fifth year of life after having lived fifteen years as an invalid succumbed yesterday afternoon to an illness which came upon her only last Saturday and which was in form, merely the ebbing out of her vitality.

When her strength and energy finally gave out Mrs. White peacefully and quietly fell into a sleep yesterday afternoon from which there is no waking.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence, corner Prospect avenue and Eleventh street, and Rev. J. C. S. Wells will conduct the services. Interment will be in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Abigale Leaming was born May 19, 1850, in Wood county, Ohio. She was married November 25, 1849, to Stephen A. Crook, three children being born to this union, William T. of Fremont, Estella A., now Mrs. Bishop of Los Angeles, and Arthur, who died in in-

fancy. She was left a widow at the age of twenty-seven and married Abram White April 1, 1858, at Cleveland, Ohio. They moved to Wisconsin in 1858 when six children were born: Lloyd B., now of Fremont; Clara E., now Mrs. LaFarge; Harry F., Bell V., Fred C., Edna B., now Mrs. Stitt. Five of these children survive her.

In 1882 she removed to Norfolk, living on a farm two miles southeast of town until two years ago. She was a member of the Trinity Episcopal church. All of the children are to be here except Mrs. Bishop.

Fred White from Missouri Valley came this morning. W. T. Crook of Fremont; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. White of Fremont; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellick of Omaha are expected today for the funeral.

Mrs. White was a rare gentlewoman, of the old school, whose kindness and love endeared her to all who knew her. Hundreds of friends in Norfolk who knew her well in the early days, mourn her death.

Mrs. Chadwick to Tell All. Cleveland, March 22.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick stated she would go on the witness stand in the bankruptcy proceedings against her today and make known all the facts in her possession that will aid her creditors.

Some of her disclosures, she says, may not be pleasant, but she will not say anything that cannot be backed up by documentary evidence.

Alleged Embezzler Arrested. Lawton, Okla., March 22.—B. H. McDuffie, a broker of New York who is vice president of the defunct Bank of Lawton, was arrested here on the charge of having embezzled \$12,000 of the funds of that institution.

Collision on Subway. New York, March 22.—During the rush hour on the West Farms branch of the subway, one train crashed into another.

Then a third train hit the second train with terrific force, throwing one car from the track and smashing every window in two cars. Four persons were injured. Slippery tracks are blamed for the accident.

Eight Injured by Bomb Explosion. Warsaw, March 22.—A bomb thrown from the window of a house in Volsk street at 9 o'clock in the evening exploded in the midst of a passing patrol, composed of police and infantry. Six soldiers and two policemen were dangerously wounded. They were removed to the military hospital. The assailant escaped.

SENSATIONAL KENTUCKY CASE

Grand Jury at Lexington is Probing Into Charges Against Hargises.

Lexington, Ky., March 22.—The inquiry into the case of the Hargises and Callahan, charged with complicity in the murder of Cockrill, for the purpose of deciding the question of admitting them to bail was resumed.

A sensational story was told by A. O. Bowman, foreman of the Breathitt county grand jury. He testified that when the grand jury was investigating the case against Will Britton for killing Cockrill, for which he afterward got a life sentence, Riley Coldiron had just given sensational testimony against Britton when Alex Hargis rushed into the grand jury room and by threats and angry attitude compelled the grand jury to adjourn.

After vain efforts on the part of Britton's friends to get the jury to investigate a charge of perjury brought by Britton's friends against Coldiron, Bowman said the case was dropped and never resumed by them through fear.

HIGH WATER AT PITTSBURG

Rapidly Rising Rivers Put Out Fires in Many Mill Furnaces.

Pittsburg, March 22.—Pittsburg is threatened with one of the worst floods in years. The water began to recede from the rise in the Allegheny, but a fresh impetus was given to the rushing torrents by a rainfall of nearly two inches over the entire watershed of the Monongahela river.

Already a number of mills have shut down as a result of the water putting out the fires. From three to five feet more of water is expected up the valley and a total of 20,000 men are likely to be idle. Hundreds of houses in Allegheny and in McKeesport and other suburbs are surrounded by from two to eight feet of water, the occupants living in the second stories. In some places the water has entered the upper rooms and homes are being abandoned for the time being.

Tried to Wreck Passenger Train. Findlay, O., March 22.—Unknown parties attempted to wreck No. 2, the eastbound limited passenger train on the Pennsylvania, about three miles east of Ada.

A large number of ties were found on the road near the end of a long grade. The obstruction was discovered by a farmer, who ran up the track and with a lantern succeeded in stopping the train a few yards from the obstruction. It is not known whether the motive was robbery or revenge. The matter will be thoroughly investigated by the officials of the road.

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