

M'KINLEY'S ANNUAL MESSAGE

President Transmits His First Formal Communication to Congress.

CURRENCY LEGISLATION IS IMPERATIVE: Condition in Cuba Reviewed—Present Spanish Ministry Entitled to Time to Test Efficiency of Its Plans.

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The secretary of the interior reports that leading Indians have absorbed great tracts of land in the United States...

NEGOTIATING A NEW TREATY.

By section 16 of the act of March 3, 1857, the president was authorized to appoint three commissioners to negotiate with the Indians...

SHOULD GET ITS DUE.

I believe that under the act of 1857 it has the authority to do this and in the absence of any action by congress I shall direct the secretary of the treasury to make the necessary deposit as required by the courts...

CIVIL SERVICE COMES TO STAY.

Properly Administered, Works for the Good of the Country. The important branch of our government known as the civil service, the practical improvement of which has long been a subject of earnest discussion...

NEW QUARANTINE LAWS NEEDED.

Present Machinery for Controlling Epidemics Faulty. The recent prevalence of yellow fever in a number of cities and towns throughout the south has resulted in much disturbance of commerce...

WILL BID ON KANSAS PACIFIC.

Determined to Get All that is Due the Government. The Union Pacific railway main line was sold under the decree of the United States court for the District of Nebraska on the 23d of November of this year...

TOILET AND BATH

requirements are perfectly met in Wool Soap. There may be more expensive soaps, but none better, for the bath it is pleasant, soothing and delightful.

OPINIONS ON THE MESSAGE

Members of Congress Pa's Judgment Upon the President's Effort.

REPUBLICANS GENERALLY ARE PLEASED: Jingo Element Finds More or Less to Criticize in the Pacific Treatment of the Cuban Question.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A number of members of congress have been interviewed in regard to the president's message...

Representative Dooliver of Iowa, republican, holds the president's message is a clear and conservative statement of the national situation...

DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH.

Representative Walker of Massachusetts, republican, chairman of the committee on currency and banking, says the president's message is not sufficiently specific and does not go far enough to relieve the situation...

RECOMMENDATIONS MODERATE.

Representative Hull of Iowa, republican, chairman of the committee on the currency, says the president's recommendations are more moderate than I expected...

NEEDS OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The library building, provided for by the act of congress, approved April 15, 1888, has been completed and opened to the public...

Adjusted to Keep Down Expenditures.

I am forced by the length of this message to omit many important references to affairs of the government, with which congress will have to deal at the present session...

Deaths of a Day.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—Hon. Michael Maher died at his residence near the village of Platte Center in this county Sunday morning, aged 75 years...

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NEBRASKA CITY, Dec. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—A large barn, the property of Calvin Chapman, was entirely destroyed by fire early this morning, together with its contents...

CONGRESS MEETS ONCE MORE

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Work for the appointment of a receiver for the General Electric Street Railway company, Judge Grosscup, however, ordered that the books of the corporation be brought into court...

SENATE ATTENDANCE IS LARGE.

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Many Members of Diplomatic Corps.

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Organization Called Upon to Send Protests to Congress.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—President Scholz and Secretary Palmer today issued a special address to the members of the American People, in which they announced the committee of the association to protest to the senate against Attorney General McKenna's elevation to the supreme court bench...

Pertaining to Postoffice.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—The following fourth-class postmasters were appointed today: John Letek, R. B. Bram, removed; Bloomfield, Knox county, W. A. Nedham, vice Z. Lauver, removed; Hubbell, Tinney, removed; Thomas, Clay county, W. A. Ledford, removed; Lamson, Dundee county, Meas, removed; vice W. H. Palmer, removed...

Representative Belden Introduced.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Representative Belden of New York, one of the veteran members of the house of representatives, was seen today in the senate chamber...

Will Protest Against Annexation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The delegation of native Hawaiians who have come to this country to present a protest against the ratification of the annexation treaty, reached Washington today. They are Colonel John Richardson, James H. Kaula, William Auld and D. Kalakaula.

Checks the Issue of Bonds.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—In the United States circuit court today Judge Grosscup denied the motion of Charles A. Bates of New York to set aside the order of the United States circuit court for the District of Columbia...

Nebraskans on Hand.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—With the exception of Representative Sutherland, who is en route to Washington, the Nebraska delegation was entirely represented today in the senate chamber...

Peru Cannot Come.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—A letter from Peru, received at the State department states that owing to financial depression that government will be unable to exhibit at Omaha.

WHAT IS LIFE?

A Discovery by Prof. Gates of Washington Which Answers the Question.

An Interesting Subject. "What is life?" This question has been asked during all ages, but it has never until now been successfully answered...

Rock Island's Excursions.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company has arranged for a number of winter car parties for excursions to run weekly, beginning January 6, 1898, from Boston via Chicago, Omaha, Denver, Salt Lake and over the Oregon Short Line and Oregon Railway and Navigation company's line to Portland, Ore.

Money on Union Pacific Sale.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—United States Treasurer Roberts has received a telegram stating that the reorganization committee had deposited \$5,500,000 in New York to the credit of the Union Pacific railway.

Forecast for Today's Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Forecast for Tuesday: For Nebraska and Kansas—Fair and warmer; winds shifting to southerly. For Iowa—Fair; light variable winds. For Dakota—Fair and warmer; southerly winds. For Missouri—Fair Tuesday; warmer in southern portions; south to west winds. For Wyoming—Increasing cloudiness; probably local showers; warmer; southerly winds.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.

Table with 2 columns: Station and State of Weather. Includes locations like Omaha, St. Paul, Chicago, etc.

Bills Introduced.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Among the more important bills introduced in the house today were: To prohibit further coinage of silver dollars, except at commercial ratio; to relieve the president of the appointment of third class postmasters; to increase the pay of letter carriers; to grant a service pension to honorably discharged soldiers; to provide representation by commissioners at any international monetary conference; to reduce internal revenue tax on distilled spirits to 75 cents a gallon; to establish a uniform postal savings bank.

An Elgin's Usefulness

extends beyond the present generation. Its marvelous durability makes it an heirloom—always accurate. Elgin Full Ruby Jeweled movements represent the best in time-keeping machinery. In sizes for ladies and gentlemen. Approved Holiday gifts.

Creditors' Sale of Men's Suits

Creditors' Sale of Boy's Suits

Creditors' Sale of Men's Overcoats

Creditors' Sale of Boy's Overcoats

Creditors' and receiver's sale of the entire National Clothing Co.'s stock—every thing must go—in a short space of time anticipate—Everything at less than cost.

CREDITORS' SALE OF THE TOTAL CLOTHING STOCK

CORNER 14TH AND DOUGLAS STS.

AMUSEMENTS

BOYD'S Pantomime & Burlesque Managers. Telephone 1919. ONLY ONE MORE PERFORMANCE TOMORROW.

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Supported by Mrs. Robinson and an excellent company. Lower Box, \$1.00; Balcony, \$1.00; Seats, 50c.

The Creighton Pantomime & Burlesque Managers. Telephone 1915.

TONIGHT 8:15. Matinee Wednesday. Special engagement of the Comedy Cyclopedia which has kept New York laughing 102—GILMORE & LEONARDS.

Hogan's Alley Co. Prices 25c—50c—75c—\$1.00. Matinee Prices 25c—50c—75c—\$1.00.

BOYD'S PANTOMIME & BURLESQUE. Mgrs. Tel. 1919.

2 Nights Commencing Friday, Dec. 10. MATINEE SATURDAY.

A SOUTHERN ROMANCE. BEAUTIFUL CAST. INTERESTING STORY.

IN GOD'S COUNTRY. Entire production direct from Fifth Avenue Theater, New York.

Boyd's Pantomime & Burlesque Managers. Telephone 1919.

W. C. A. BENEFIT TO BUILD CHILDREN'S ORPHANAGE HOME.

Thursday night, Dec. 9th ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Some 50 or 60 of Omaha's fair ladies have been rehearsing for three weeks for the LADY MISTREL SHOW, the first of its kind ever given in Omaha.

Creighton Hall. GRAND - CONCERT. Tuesday Eve. Dec. 7, 1897.

SCHUBERT QUARTET. SOLOISTS: Mrs. Cameron, Soprano; Mrs. King, Alto; Mr. Hans Albert, Violin; and Hayden String Quartet.

The Creighton Pantomime & Burlesque Managers. Tel. 15.

3 NIGHTS COMMENCING THURSDAY, DEC. 9th MATINEE SATURDAY.

THE BROADWAY GIRL introducing DELMORE ANN WILSON and other favorites.

An Avalanche of Fun—A Whirlwind of Mirth, Music and Beauty. Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Matinee prices—25c, 50c.

THE GARDEN Concert Garden. S. E. Cor. 14th and Davenport Sts. Col. GARDNER'S Orchestra. 10c. Matinee Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 25c. THIS WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS: Wrothe and Moore, Irish Comedians and Purita and George, Lilliputian Sketch. Helen Sloan. Bezie Raymond. Ella Kirchner, Soloist. KIRCHNER'S LADY ORCHESTRA.

HOTELS. THE MILLARD. 13th and Douglas Sts., Omaha. CENTRALLY LOCATED. American plan, \$1.00 per day up. J. E. MARKEE & SON, Props.

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