

Gossip and Stories About Prominent People

Tact of the Czar. HAKLES S. CRAMP, the ship-builder, told an interesting story of the czar's tact and good nature.

When the autocrat of all the Russias made up his mind to have a warship built in the United States he sent word through the Russian ambassador at Washington that he would like to see Mr. Cramp.

Attracted by the stars of his ministers the czar noticed the incident. He promptly crossed the room and took a chair beside the American shipbuilder.

Presence of Mind. On one occasion a great public dinner was given to Isaac Hull by the town of Boston, and he was asked to sit for his picture to Gilbert Stuart, the celebrated artist.

The Last Volume. While the crown prince of Germany was a student at the gymnasium at Heidelberg he led heavily one evening at cards and on applying to his royal father for reimbursement he received the required amount.

Tom Taggart's Postscript. Some years ago "Tom" Taggart, of the democratic national committee had occasion to write to an active political worker in a distant part of Indiana, giving him timely directions concerning the campaign.

Needed a Change of Scenery. W. H. Crane, the actor, was feeling somewhat run down the other day and he consulted his physician as to the cause.

Cured of Chronic Kicks. An incident that greatly amused Thomas Taggart occurred at the French Lick Spring hotel, situated on property of which the democratic national chairman is part owner.

Costly Judicial Robes. Erskine, appointed lord chancellor of England, was offered at a low price the official robes of the retiring lord, but said: "No! It should not be said that I had adopted the alms of a beggar."

Justice Harlan's Humor. Justice Harlan has a queer humor of his own. He is a member of the faculty of the Columbia Law school and a night or two ago was talking at the school with Judge Peck of the district court of crimes.

Richard La Gallienne spends much of his time in New York. He effects a decidedly poetical fashion in hair, which calls for a sparing use of the shears.

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Senator Morgan's Delicacy. Senator Morgan of Alabama, while at a dinner one evening in a hotel at Hot Springs, Va., experienced considerable difficulty in separating from the plate passed him by the colored waiter what he thought was a chocolate éclair.

Drawings of the Line. During the trial of the postal grafters R. J. Wynne was violently attacked in court by the attorney general of Maryland, who said that the assistant postmaster general was a "high roller," who lived on canvasback duck and green peas.

Ducal Grafters. According to a story recently told in St. Petersburg even grand dukes are among the grafters in the czar's domain. Just off the Newski Prospekt in the capital a memorial church is being erected on the spot where Alexander II was assassinated.

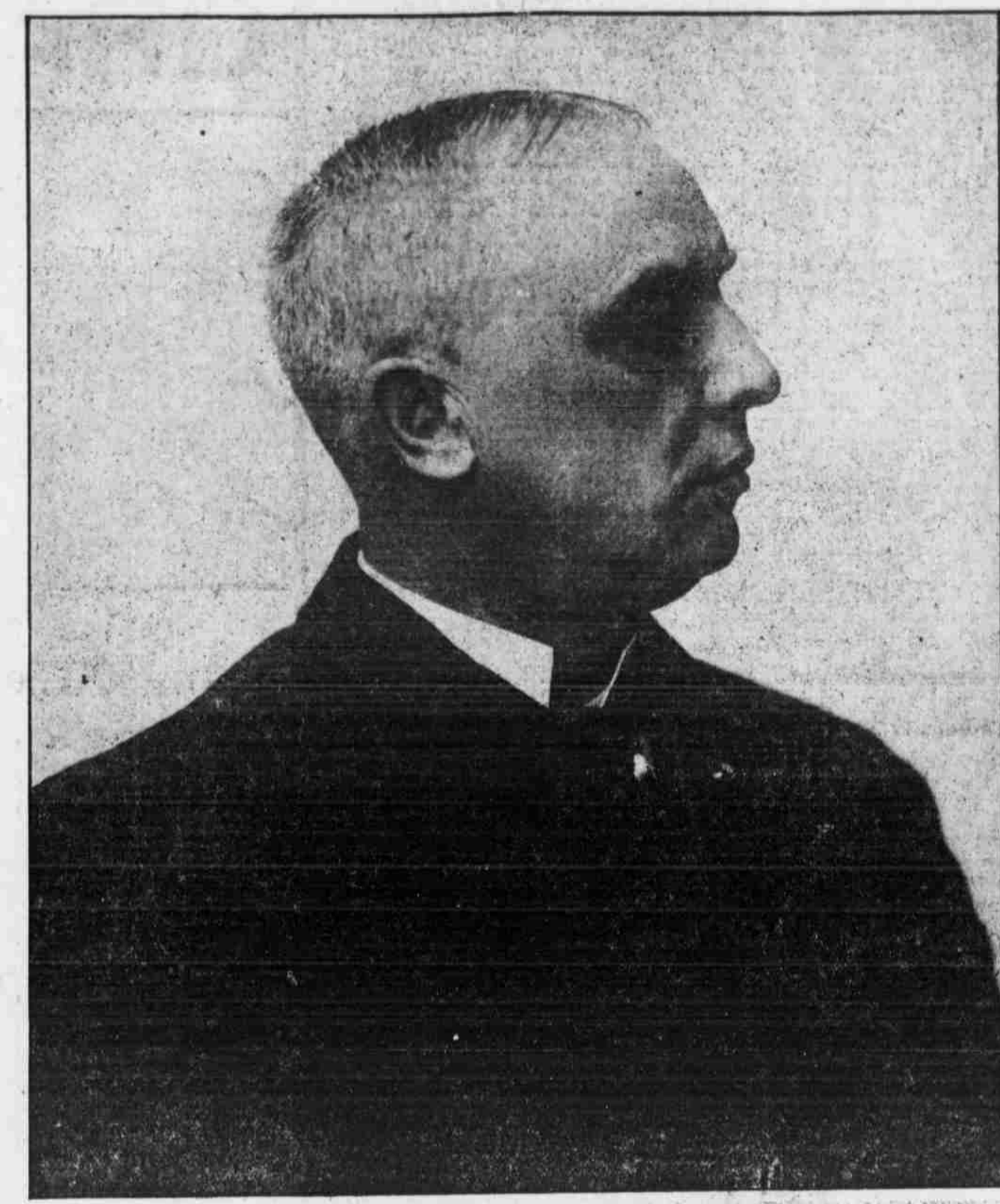
Couldn't Hurt Tillman. In Columbia, S. C., Senator Tillman is so popular as he is in other parts of the Palmetto state, reports the New York Times.

A Short Finger. AT a big, burly fellow, had occasion to pay a visit to the parish priest. The host brought forth a bottle of benedictine and, filling a cordial glass, reminded his guest that the liquor was made by the holy monks.

No God in Washington. This story, told by a Tennessee congressman, the reinter says, taught him a lesson he will never forget.

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Newly Elected President National Association of State Universities



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Latest High Honors Given Dr. E. B. Andrews

CHANCELLOR E. BENJAMIN ANDREWS of the University of Nebraska, who has recently been elected president of the Association of State Universities, is a great, big, broad-minded, dignified gentleman.

He possesses a brain capable of promulgating good, strong, wholesome thought and a big, strong, broad capacity of putting into action any thought he might conceive. His dignity is not of that character which operates as a "crust" to repel people.

Andrews as a Huntsman. Chancellor Andrews has only been in this state a few days and he continues to grow in the love and admiration of the people in the future as he has in the past.

Recently the millionaire had his portrait painted by Henri. Bishop Olmsted met him the other day, and said: "I saw this morning your admirable portrait by Henri."

Without Alternative. Senator Lindsay of Kentucky has a story of a judge in that state who, by reason of his own ill temper, found considerable difficulty in controlling individuals in the court room.

Author of Many Books. Chancellor Andrews has contributed much to the literary world, among his principal works being "Brief Institutes of Constitutional History, English and American,"

Andrews and the Book Agent. Dr. Andrews is an authority in history and economics and an author of note. He recently figured in a humorous incident illustrating the quick repartee bred by experience in a veteran book agent.

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Tersely Told Tales Both Grim and Gay

When we returned home I began those family services. One day my little six-year-old child was found engaged in prayer.

Objections to Trousers. One of "Joe" Blackburn's friends tells a story which dates back to the time when that distinguished gentleman was rather a faddy in the fashion of a forgotten period.

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