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CALENDAR FOR WEEK

Reunion of the G. A. R. at Minneapolis the Premier Event.

PHILIPPINE VETERANS AT DES MOINES

International Typographical Union in Session at Colorado Springs.

MANY OTHER CONVENTIONS SCHEDULED

Trial Heats to Select Competitors for International Yacht Race.

COLORED MEN MEET AT HARPER'S FERRY

Celebrate Hundredth Anniversary of Birth of John Brown and Jubilee of Battle of Ossawattamie.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Thousands of veterans of the civil war will [illegible] Minneapolis Monday to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. The encampment will continue through the entire week, and promises an elaborate program of social functions in addition to the many business affairs which will receive attention. The national convention of the Women's Press association also will be held in Minneapolis, beginning Monday, and the Union Veterans' union national encampment will begin at St. Paul the same day. This encampment will continue until Wednesday.

Political meetings during the week include the Texas republican convention at El Paso on Tuesday, the Nebraska Populist state convention at Lincoln on Wednesday and a meeting of the New York republican state committee in New York city on Wednesday.

Among other important conventions scheduled for the week are the following:

Monday—Convention National Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen

Colorado Springs—International convention Typographical union of America.

Buffalo—National Harness Manufacturers' and Dealers' Protective association.

Des Moines—National convention Society of the Army of the Philippines.

New York—Convention International Stereotypers' and Electrotypers' union.

Boston—National convention American Philatelic association.

St. Louis—National convention American Apple Growers' congress.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y.—Improved Order Red Men, Great council.

Ridgeway, Pa.—National convention Scandinavian Brotherhood of America.

Roanoke, Va.—National convention Firemen's association.

Put-in-Bay—National convention Metropolitan Philatelic association.

Wednesday:

New Haven—International convention Municipal Electricians' association.

Montreal—National Fraternal congress.

New York—National convention Universal Craftsmen's council engineers.

International Yacht Race.

This week also will witness an interesting series of races off Marblehead, Mass., between yachtsmen desirous of having the honor of representing the United States against the German yachts, which will contest for the Roosevelt cup. The German-American races will open September 8. Three of the nineteen boats entered for the preliminary competition will be selected to take part in the international races. The yachts are greatly diverse as regards [illegible] the smallest being only thirty-one feet, six inches over all and the largest forty feet over all. The boats entered represent the work of nine yacht designers. The trial races will open Monday and probably will continue through the week.

The Niagara movement, an organization composed of members of the negro race in the United States, will commemorate at Harpers Ferry, W. Va., August 15-19, the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of John Brown and the jubilee of the battle of Ossawattamie. The Niagara movement, which was organized at Niagara Falls, N. Y., in July 1905, is composed of negroes in eighteen states, among them being: John F. Cook of the District of Columbia; W. M. Trotter, editor of the Boston Guardian; William A. Sinclair, author; Rev. Charles S. Morris of New York; Dr. O. M. Waller of Brooklyn; C. G. Morgan of Cambridge, Mass., the first Harvard class day orator of his race; Dr. Henry L. Bailey, supervising principal of the colored schools in the District of Columbia; J. Max Barber of Atlanta, Ga., editor of The Voice of the Negroes, and W. H. Hart, attorney at law, of Washington, D. C.

The exercises will be held at Storer college and will include a number of addresses relating to the purposes of the organization and the future of the negro in America. During the meeting trips will be made to Charlestown, where John Brown was tried, and to the place where Brown made his defense, and where his sons were killed.

King Edward is to visit Emperor William this week, the official anouncement having been made that the meeting will occur at Friedrichskron castle, near Hamburg, August 15. Much importance is attached to the meeting between the two monarchs.

The British Motor Boat club is arranging a sweepstakes for auxiliaries and cruisers from Southampton to Dover on August 13, when the boats will be taken to Dover after racing in Southampton waters to be in readiness for the start of the Dover-Ostend races, August 20.

PRINTERS FLOCK TO COLORADO

Three Hundred Delegates to Convention Already on the Ground.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 12.—The fifty-second annual convention of the International Typographical union opens in Colorado Springs tomorrow. Three hundred delegates, 300 ex-delegates and several hundred members of the women's auxiliary are here to attend the sessions.

Consideration of the fight for the eight hour day now being waged, will be one of the principal topics before the convention. President J. M. Lynch expresses satisfaction with the progress already made by the printers and says there is no doubt that they will be victorious.

Trolley Car Jumps Into Pond.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 12.—A car containing fifty persons on the Cleveland & Eastern traction line jumped the track tonight eight miles southwest of Chardon, O., injuring eight, some of them seriously, and nearly drowning a dozen others in a large stagnant pool into which the car plunged. The car was headed towards this city and going at moderate speed, but the accident happened so quickly that none of the passengers realized what had happened until they were immersed in the water. The passengers and crew of a car following close behind went quickly to the rescue and saved a dozen or more from death.

BONAPARTE TALKS ON ANARCHY

Some Measures Advanced for the Suppression of the Evil.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Aug. 12.—Secretary of the Navy Charles J. Bonaparte delivered an address this evening at the Allegheny Chautauqua, near Cumberland, before a large gathering, his subject being: "Anarchism and Its Remedy." He said, in part:

There was and is much to be said in favor of those restrictions on immigration which are intended to shut out foreign anarchists from our shores, and it was undoubtedly well to arm the federal executive with wider powers to deport or otherwise rid the country of disloyal or turbulent aliens, whether these call themselves "anarchists" or not. The fewer of such people we have in our midst the better, and, although I do not believe it will ever prove practicable to slam the door in the face of anything like all of them, all that we can bar out will be so much gain. But, while we may thus reduce the number of our anarchists, it is sadly certain that we cannot thus get rid of anarchism. We have now a home-made brand of the article, and, although the original "plant" of this "infant industry" was undoubtedly imported, the domestic product is large enough to gravely trouble us.

It is sometimes said that anarchism and socialism, as systems, are mutually antipodal and destructive. I should be very sorry to diminish whatever hostility the adherents of either "system" may feel for the other, for the old adage as to the consequences of such strife to honest men applies no small measure of truth; but, in my mind, this view of their relations is rather superficial. They are two distinct systems growing from the same root, namely, the doctrine that all men of right are to be, and should therefore be made, to some extent, precisely equal.

So much of the evil: How can it be cured? If we mean cured in a day, a month, a year, a decade, I answer unhesitatingly, not at all. Anarchy will not be removed within a given time, or through a special measure or set of measures, perhaps it will not be wholly removed in any time or by any means.

In the first place, the unlawful acts prompted by anarchism should be made crimes, insofar as they are not, strictly speaking, crimes already, and, as crimes, they should be visited with such penalties as are particularly distasteful to the criminals and therefore the most ineffective deterrants to crime. In dealing with a convicted anarchist two facts may well be remembered, the chances of his real reformation are so small that they may be safely neglected, and we can appeal, for practical purposes, to but one motive on his part to discourage a repetition of his offence, namely, the fear of physical pain and death.

On anarchists the death penalty should be unequivocally imposed by law and inflexibly executed whenever the prisoner has sought directly or indirectly, to take life; for offences of less gravity, I advise a comparatively brief, but very rigorous imprisonment, characterized by complete seclusion, deprivation of all comfort and denial of any form of distraction, and which could be, to my mind, advantageously supplemented by a severe, but not a public whipping; the lash, of all punishments, most clearly shows the culprit that he suffers for what his fellow men hold odious and disgraceful, and not merely for reasons of public policy.

An abridgment from fear of the anarchists of that freedom of speech and of the press guaranteed us by our state and federal constitutions would be neither a wise nor a worthy policy; but these privileges in nowise shield councilors of crime nor instigators of disorder and rebellion.

TWO TROLLEY CARS COLLIDE

Number of People Injured, Among Them Members of Ball Team.

OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 12.—A Telegraph avenue trolley car packed with pleasure crowds from Berkeley and Idora park crashed into a Key Route electric train, bound from Piedmont to the ferry mole, at Fortieth street crossing this afternoon, and a score of persons were badly injured, at least two of whom are so severely hurt that they may die. The injured were nearly all riding in the street car. On this car were most of the members of the San Francisco and Los Angeles ball teams, who had just finished a game at the park.

Among the injured are:

James St. Johns, Oakland, pinned under car, left arm broken, ribs broken, ankle crushed.

L. Bloom, Oakland, ribs fractured, left side, internal injuries.

F. F. Dillon, Los Angeles ball team, deep gash over eye, contusion on body.

George Hodson, base ball umpire, thrown twenty feet through car window, scalp wounds.

G. L. Wheeler, San Francisco ball team, contusions on body.

Albert Sauberg, Alameda, ribs broken.

Mrs. Margaret Welch, Oakland, ear torn off, face gashed.

Edith Parker, Oakland, arm torn.

Mrs. Henry Dismall, Oakland, arm broken.

T. C. Cheney, Point Richmond, nose torn off.

William Pittman, motorman of wrecked street car, deep scalp wound, leg crushed.

A defective air brake on the street car is said to have caused the accident.

SHORTAGE ABOUT A MILLION

Inspector Completes Work of Checking Up Failed Chicago Bank.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—State Bank Examiner C. C. Jones completed his inspection of the affairs of the defunct Milwaukee Avenue State bank today and will forward his report on it to the authorities at Springfield tomorrow. The official was reticent concerning the exact results of his investigations, but intimated that the total shortage discovered is between $800,000 and $1,000,000.

The local police and the state's attorney's office continued their inquisitions. Inspector Shippy questioned more than a dozen institution employes, seeking information from watchmen, bookkeepers, assistant tellers and other minor officials. One bookkeeper was positive that President Stensland's son was cognizant of the shaky condition of the bank previous to July 14, the date on which young Stensland claims he first suspected irregularities on the part of his father. Other employes told the inspector of midnight trips to the bank by President Stensland and Cashier Hering.

EAGLES FLY INTO MILWAUKEE

Kansas City Delegation the First One to Reach the Cream City.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 12.—Large delegations to the national convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, which will open in this city on Tuesday, began to arrive in Milwaukee today. The first delegation to reach the city came from Kansas City. Twenty-five thousand visitors are expected. The city has put on a gala appearance for the occasion.

Fight for Governor in Texas.

HOUSTON, Texas, Aug. 12.—The democratic state convention will assemble at Dallas Tuesday to nominate a full ticket, nominating being equivalent to election. The only contest is over the gubernatorial nomination, all others having been settled in the primaries two weeks ago. The primary vote for governor, which will officially be declared by the state chairman, was: T. M. Campbell, 50,345; O. B. Colquitt, 68,529; M. M. Brooks, 70,084; C. K. Bell, 65,168. There having been no selection, the choice of a candidate lies with the convention. They are bound by their instruction on the first ballot, which will be as follows: Campbell, 212.40; Colquitt, 189.30; Bell, 194.58; Brooks, 194.15.

NICHOLAS DECLINES PLACE

Grand Duke Does Not Desire to Be Commander of the Army.

SVEABORG MUTINEERS ARE CONVICTED

Two Officers and Five Privates Sentenced to Be Shot at the First Sitting of the Court-Martial.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievitch, the Associated Press is informed by a member of his entourage, has declined to accept the post of commander-in-chief of all the troops of the empire, "where martial law exists," which was tendered to him August 4.

Whether this was decided before or after the attempt on the life of the grand duke at Krasnoyae-Selo on August 10 is not known, but the ostensible reason is that Grand Duke Nicholas believes such a post should not be given to a grand duke but to a purely military man. He advocates the appointment of General Linevitch, formerly commander-in-chief of the Manchurian army, but the emperor has not finally decided the matter.

Today, the second birthday of the czarevitch, was observed with the usual display of flags and illuminations, but there was no enthusiasm in the celebration. In fact few persons seemed even to know what was the occasion of the decorations.

The day was quiet in the capital. The activity of the terrorists in the provinces include, besides the usual harvest of assassinations in Warsaw, an attempt on the life of eGneral Karateieff, chief of the gendarmeries of Samara province, and the wounding of Captain of Police Ivanoff of Libau by a youth who fired thrice at him in the street. The assailant of General Karateieff mounted the stairs of the general's chancellery and threw a bomb at random. The missile failed to explode and the miscreant escaped in spite of hot pursuit.

Governor of Warsaw Relieved.

General Strijoff, acting governor general of Warsaw city and province, has been relieved of his office and will be succeeded by General Von Larsky. It is conjectured that the change is due to General Strijoff's order with reference to the responsibility of towns, which General Skallon, before his transfer to Helsingfors as governor general of Finland, was obliged to cancel.

The police today surprised thieves as they were entering a priest's house in Dolgoroukoffsky street, a fight ensued, and the thieves escaped after killing two policemen and wounding a passerby.

Sveaborg Mutineers Sentenced.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Aug. 12.—The trial by court martial of the Sveaborg mutineers commenced Saturday and Lieutenant Kochanovsky and Emilianoff, aged respectively 20 and 21 years, and five soldiers were at the first sitting found guilty and condemned to death. All were shot and buried in a common grave without ceremony. Kochanoxsky's father is a colonel of the Guards at St. Petersburg.

Emilianoff's mother appealed to the emperor for a reprieve, but unsuccessfully, Emilianoff's fiance's arrest compromising his case.

Drawing Lines Tighter.

KIEV, Aug. 12.—The governor general here has issued an order transferring from the civil jurisdiction all offenses in connection with the promulgation or publication of false reports with reference to the government, its officials or troops, as news tending to excite a hostile sentiment against them, or to cause general alarm, which hereafter shall be judged and punished by administrative order. The same treatment is to be accorded to speakers exciting one class of the population against another.

SULTAN'S HEALTH IMPROVES

No Foundation for Sensational Stories Circulated Regarding Him.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 12.—The officials inform callers at the palace that the sultan was suffering from the effects of a chill during the last week, but that he has now completely recovered. His physicians, however, advised his majesty not to risk exposure to the open air, and hence the abandonment of the Selamlik Friday.

Today his majesty's condition was improved sufficiently to enable him to attend to various affairs.

The local press is forbidden to publish anything concerning the state of the sultan's health or of the abandonment of the Selamlik.

Sensational stories of the sultan's illness are in circulation here, but in best informed circles confirmation is given the statement that there is a slight improvement in his condition and that he is in no immediate danger.

PARIS, Aug. 12.—The Temps' Constantinople correspondent reports that the sultan is suffering from hemorrhages. Government affairs, he adds, are at a complete standstill and the ambassadors are inquiring at the palace daily regarding his majesty's condition.

ENTERTAINMENTS FOR ROOT

Secretary of State Makes Good Impression in South America.

MONTEVIDEO, Aug. 12.—With a general desire to make the entertainments in honor of Secretary Root as numerous and varied as possible during his brief visit here there was an incessant round of functions today, at each of which cordial speeches were heard. The entertainments were brought to a close tonight by a banquet given by Mr. O'Brien, the American minister, and a grand ball at the Uruguay club, both of which were highly successful. The guests at the banquet, which was on a magnificent scale, included President Ordonez and all the cabinet ministers and their wives, the leading citizens of Montevideo and officials.

Mr. Root's speeches here have won the sympathies of the people and the principal newspapers express their gratification at the secretary's visit and frank declaration of the true policy of the United States toward the Latin American republic.

Wonderful Mirage at Cleveland

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 12.—Residents of the heights in the eastern part of the city today witnessed the most remarkable mirage of which there is any record in any record in this part of the country. Wonderfully clear and distinct, the Canadian shore of Lake Erie, sixty miles distant, was spread out before them in the sky. The phenomenon lasted for more than hour and attracted the notice of people before it faded. The inverted atmospheric picture was so clear that the city of Rondeau could be plainly seen, the church spires and principal business houses standing out in bold relief. Tall trees and a river emptying into the lake could also be seen.

MISS ESAC CREATES SCENE

Goes to Church and Insists Upon Talking with President Roosevelt.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Miss Asi L. Case, who is summering in Oyster Bay for the purpose of interviewing the president, or Mrs. Roosevelt on what she declares is "a matter of life and death," created a scene during the service in Christ's Episcopal church today. Miss Esac or Miss Case, as her name is supposed to be, has attended every church meeting the president has, since his arrival here in July. She has climbed Sagamore hill on foot several times only to be turned away by the secret service men. She presented herself early at the church today and took a seat directly behind the pew usually occupied by the Roosevelt family. When usher James Duffy requested her to relinquish this seat she refused. Duffy forcibly removed her to the rear of the church and Miss Esac says he tore her gown in so doing. For this act she later applied for a warrant for Duffy but was refused. In the rear of the church Miss Eacs refused to sit down. A secret service agent stood behind her and during the service she made no less than a dozen attempts to get past him. As the president was leaving the church three secret service men surrounded Miss Esac but she shouted:

"Mr. President, Mr. President, President Roosevelt, wont you speak to me a moment."

The president turned his head as he passed but he did not pause. Miss Esac says her watch chain was broken in this scrimmage with the secret service men and her watch fell to the floor.

The president was accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and Quentin and Representative and Mrs. Longworth.

Miss Esac has stated to acquaintances she has made while here, she was to have been married in the White House at the time Miss Alice Roosevelt became Mrs. Longworth; that she was to have married a high government official and that it was this worng she seeks to redress. When the president's carriage had departed Miss Esac was allowed to go. It was then she sought a warrant for Duffy. She says she will stay in Oystaer Bay until she accomplishes her purpose.

Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth expect to leave for Washington and Cincinnati tomorrow.

HOW "G. M. H." IS FOR BRYAN

Prominent Democrat Reveals Hitchcock-Tibbles Alliance to Knock the Peerless Leader.

MAY GO TO CONGRESS.

Gilbert M. Hitchcock, editor of the Omaha World Herald and for years an associate of William Jennings Bryan, has been elected a member of the committee in charge of the reception to be tendered to Mr. Bryan at the Madison Square Garden, New York, on his return from Europe. Mr. Hitchcock says he cannot attend the reception, because he desires to be present at the congressional convention of the Second Nebraska district August 30. It is possible that Mr. Hitchcock will be nominated to Congress.

This clipping is from the Fourth Estate of New York. It was shown to a prominent democrat of Omaha yesterday and he smiled and said:

"Yes, but those people are fooled if they think the only thing that keeps Hitchcock from going to New York and siding in the reception to Bryan is his desire to attend the congressional convention. He is anxious enough to attend that convention, of course, but Hitchcock is always looking out for Hitchcock—and nobody else—but welcoming Bryan is the last thing in the world he wants to do and this convention furnishes a fine excuse. They never heard of that immortal 'Sting of Ingratitude,' I reckon. They never heard that while pretending to support Bryan through the columns of his paper, Hitchcock is furnishing transportation to Tom Tibbles to go down to Topeka and urge the populist convention in Kansas to stick to the middle of the road and not be led off by Bryan. You see, those fellows in the east don't know so much about these things as we do at home. We know that Tibbles, who is railing against Bryan, has his office in the World-Herald office and has been editing some sort of pop sheet which Hitchcock is back of and we also know that June 23, Tibbles got transportation from a certain road in Omaha on 'account of the World-Herald' and went to St. Louis and also to Topeka and made speeches against Bryan.

"Oh, yes, we know these things. We know, you bet, that Hitchcock is lying awake nights trying to figure out new ways to boost Mr. Bryan. Mr. Bryan knows it."

CHINESE TO BE PROTECTED

Government to Supervise the Contracts Between Agents and the Laborers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 12.—Care will be taken by the United States government to prevent contractors from doing injustice to the Chinese laborers employed for work on the Panama canal. The specifications advertising for proposals to supply 2,500 Chinese to the canal commission will stipulate that the secretary of war shall have the privilege of passing on contracts which labor agents make with Chinese who are to be sent to the isthmus. This provision will make it possible for Secretary Taft to prevent discrimination against the coolies by unscrupulous contractors. Under this arrangement the United States will know exactly what the Chinese are paid by the labor agents and the Chinese government will be able to afford its subjects protection on the isthmus because of the ease with which this government will be able to regulate the relations between the Chinese laborers and the contractors.

Some labor agents believe that with the many restrictions the canal commission purposes placing on contractors, it will not be able to supply the Chinamen at less than $1 a day. Other agents are of the opinion that the coolies can be supplied for 50 or 60 cents a day with a fair margin of profit to the contractors.

Suicide Due to Financial Trouble.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 12.—W. H. Hyers, whose dead body was found in a field here Saturday afternoon, and who was reported from papers found in his pocket to have been a resident of St. Paul, was secretary of the National Board of Trade of Kansas City. His suicide is said to have been due to financial difficulties.

Killed by Trolley Car.

TAMAQUA, Pa., Aug. 12.—Milton Whetstone, aged 22, cashier of the Citizens' National bank of Lansford, and Daniel McGeehan, aged 27, assistant cashier of the same institution, was fatally injured late last night by their carriage being struck by a trolley car. Whetstone was terribly crushed and McGeehan's back was broken.

Farmer Kills His Wife.

SHERMAN, Texas, Aug. 12.—J. C. W. Wilder, a farmer residing near Tom Bean, a small town six miles from Sherman, beat out his wife's brains with a flatiron this afternoon and then shot himself fatally with a shotgun. Three small children of the couple witnessed the deed.

PROGRESS OF THE CAMPAIGN

Review of Republican Conventions and Calendar of Those to Come.

BROWN LEADS, ROSEWATER CLOSE SECOND

Several New Names Are Entered for Various Places to Be Filled at the Meeting at Lincoln Next Week.

Republican Instructions to Date.

Total delegates in state convention	867
Total delegates already elected	691
Total delegates still to be elected	168
FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR.	
Delegates instructed for senator	385
Delegates uninstructed for senator	306
Instructed for Brown	213
Uninstructed for Brown (estimated)	53
Total for Brown	266
Instructed for Rosewater	113½
Uninstructed for Rosewater (estimated)	124
Total for Rosewater	237½
Instructed for Currie	19
Instructed for Millard	19½
Instructed for Evans	12
Instructed for Crounse	11
Uninstructed preference still unknown	129
Instructed for Sheldon	107
Instructed for Conaway	16
Instructed for Rouse	15
Instructed for Steele	14
Instructed for Wall	14
Instructed for Miles	13
Instructed for Harsh	9
Instructed for Weston	5
FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.	
Instructed for Wilsey	7
FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.	
Instructed for Winnett	24
Instructed for Sadilek	14
Instructed for Caldwell	14
FOR TREASURER.	
Instructed for Kyd	28
Instructed for Good	23
Instructed for Bothwell	12
Instructed for Brian	11
FOR LAND COMMISSIONER.	
Instructed for Linn	8
FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.	
Instructed for Galusha	11
FOR STATE SUPERINTENDENT.	
Instructed for McBrien	10
No instructions on candidates	127

The table here given shows the line up of the delegates to the coming republican state convention so far and by comparison with the table printed a week ago, tells the story of the week's changes. The close approach of the convention, now only ten days off, is indicated by the fact that 691 delegates, out of the total of 867, have already been chosen, leaving only 168 still to be elected.

Of the delegates so far commissioned 385 have been instructed as to the preference of their constituents for United States senator, while 306 are uninstructed on senator although of these all but 127 are instructed for candidates for some other office. The results of what has been called Norris Brown's field day last Monday brought him into the lead in point of support, raising his list of instructions from 110 to 213. The Rosewater column was carried up during the week by instructions in Knox for half the delegation, with the rest of it to follow, and second choice instructions in Washington county. The Indian land ring in Thurston county came out for Millard, while Currie also secured two votes in one of the smaller counties. D. Crounse was injected as a stalking horse for Millard in Washington county.

Outside of the senatorship, Sheldon for governor has gone to 107. Weston made his debut with the five votes of his home county. Frontier county brought out Senator Wilsey for lieutenant governor, and Clay county introduced Representative Caldwell for railway commissioner.

Railroads Against Nomination.

The maneuvers in a number of the county conventions showed that the railroad politicians are still clinging to the plan of preventing instructions and using the uninstructed delegates to vote down the whole proposition for convention nomination of a candidate for senator. The railroad cohorts have been playing for uninstructed delegations wherever possible, and where unable to avoid instructions, they have been trying to pack the delegations with men who can be used for other purposes and voted to down action by the convention on the senatorship altogether. To combat the railroad program, resolutions have been adopted in a large number of counties not instructing for a preferred candidate for senator, binding the delegates not only to vote for the nomination of a senator in convention, but also to vote against any change in the order of nominations as provided for in the call, or any other sleight-of-hand trick by which the senatorship might be sidetracked. It is essential to protect the right of the people to a voice in the selection of their senator that resolutions of similar import be adopted by all the county conventions yet to be held, irrespective of their action instructing for some particular candidate. The activity of agents of Senator Millard in connection with the railroad runners indicates that concerted work is being done to carry out this part of the corporation program, and that extra vigilance is necessary on the part of the people to prevent its consummation.

The Convention Calendar.

The list of convention dates for the period remaining, prior to the meeting in Lincoln, is as follows, embracing all the counties that have not yet spoken, with the exception of Blaine, Hooker, Logan and Wheeler, each having two delegates, which have not called formal conventions:

August 13—	Pierce at Plainview	7
	Nance at Fullerton	5
August 14—	Burt at Decatur	10
	Greeley at Greeley	6
	Dodge at Fremont	16
	Colfax at Schuyler	7
	Merrick at Central City	9
August 15—	Brown at Ainsworth	4
	Dawes at Crawford	5
August 17—	Hitchcock at Trenton	5
August 18—	Lincoln at North Platte	9
	Sarpy at Papillion	7
	Box Butte at Alliance	5
	Howard at St. Paul	7
	Chase at Imperial	3
	Dawson at Lexington	11
	Holt at O'Neill	12
	Dundy at Benkleman	3
	Keya Paha at Springview	4
	Keith at Ogallala	3
	Rock at Newport	4
August 20—	Fillmore at Geneva	13

Only One Congressional Fight.

In most of these counties the primaries have already been held, several of them precipitating sharp factional fights, the closest lineup is in Dodge county, where both sides are claiming to have the controlling majority, and the actual masters of the situation will not be disclosed until after the convention has been called to order tomorrow. The last convention of the season to select delegates to the state convention will be that of Fillmore county, scheduled for next week, Monday.

The renomination of Congressman Pollard in the First district and Congressman Norris in the Fifth district has left the only contest in sight for congressional honors in the Third district. Here Judge Boyd still leads, having added instructions from Knox county to his list, while McCarthy came out with his own, Dixon county, and Thurston county, while Cuming and Dakota, also in the Third district, left the congressional delegations unin-

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NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and Warmer Monday. Showers and Cooler Tuesday.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday:

Hour.	Deg.	Hour.	Deg.
5 a. m.	62	1 p. m.	78
6 a. m.	61	2 p. m.	79
7 a. m.	61	3 p. m.	81
8 a. m.	63	4 p. m.	82
9 a. m.	68	5 p. m.	81
10 a. m.	72	6 p. m.	81
11 a. m.	76	7 p. m.	80
12 m.	77	8 p. m.	78
		9 p. m.	75

TROUBLE WITH TELEGRAPHERS

Secretary Marr Issues Statement Concerning Cause of His Suspension.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—Lewis K. Marr, the suspended secretary of the International Order of Railroad Telegraphers, who yesterday secured a temporary injunction in the St. Louis courts restraining the order from proceeding with the trial of the charges against him, tonight made a statement explaining his action. A number of the officials of the order conferred with Mr. Marr at his home here today and after the meeting it was stated to be the intention to carry the controversy into the next annual convention of the order.

Mr. Marr asserts that his suspension was illegal and was caused by the dominant faction of the board of directors in an effort to prevent him from presenting at the next convention a minority report criticising what he termed improper manipulation of the organization's "funds."

The statement issued tonight says that when in April of the present year, Mr. Marr went to St. Louis, the headquarters of the order, to audit the accounts of L. W. Quick, treasurer, he found Mr. Quick to be vice president and director of a bank in that city in which $50,000 of the organization's money is deposited. He called the attention of the directors of the order to the fact that Treasurer Quick is receiving $3,000 a year from the union and should devote his entire services to the organization.

"Scarcely had he voiced this protest," the statement proceeds, "when he was confronted with the accusation that he opposed the passage of the railroad telegraphers' eight-hour law at the last session of the Maryland legislature and that he offered a bribe to have it withdrawn.

"The suspension of Mr. Marr has been made on charges which have only a shred of fact for their basis, which have been improperly tried and have been prosecuted from no desire for the welfare of the order."

Mr. Marr has been train dispatcher for the Pennsylvania Railroad company since 1888.

FLOODS REACH LOWER RIVER

Great Damage to Crops Anticipated in Vicinity of Austin, Texas.

HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 12.—The flood in the Colorado river, which started from the torrential rains in the San Angelo country a week ago, is now reaching the lower valleys, and the farmers are endeavoring to save what they can of their crops. Despite every effort, the loss will be heavy, as there are many farms in the bottoms from Austin to the river's mouth.

Additional rains around Austin make it certain that the flood period will last for at least two weeks and that the river will leave its banks at many points.

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 12.—Torrential rains in the mountains east of here and north of the Southern Pacific track in the vicinity of Sanderson have washed out twenty miles of track and trains will not be able to get through for several days. Trains are being detoured from San Antonio by way of Dallas and into El Paso over the Texas & Pacific road. This is the most serious washout on the Southern Pacific in this section for many years.

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 12.—A terrific rain storm visited this section this morning, badly wrecking the federal military camp at Camp Mabry. High wind attended the rain and blew down many tents. Captain Walker Ellis of the Fourth Texas infantry was stunned by lightning while crossing the review ground.

TROUBLE OVER TROLLEY FARES

Those Who Refuse to Pay Ten Cents Ejected from the Cars.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Scenes of disorder were witnessed on a number of the trolley and elevated roads leading to Coney Island today when passengers, guided by an opinion handed down by Supreme Court Justice Gaynor yesterday, refused to pay a second fare. At one period during the afternoon the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company refused to convey its passengers beyond Neck road, the second fare boundary, so long as any of the passengers refused to pay the additional 5 cents. The result was a blockade of cars and trains a mile long. Great crowds of ejected passengers gathered at these condensed points, held indignation meetings and promised to bring many suits for damages against the company. The police authorities had taken precautions to prevent serious trouble at the place, although the police were instructed not to interfere in disputes between passengers and employes on the second fare question. Several passengers were injured today in being thrown from the cars.

DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. S. A. Emerson.

Mrs. S. A. Emerson, widow of Thomas Emerson, died Sunday morning at her home, 2005 Dodge street, from heart disease. Although Mrs. Emerson had been afflicted with heart trouble for some time, the end came suddenly, in her sixtieth year. The funeral service will be held at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning at the residence, Rev. Bryon H. Stauffer, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. Mrs. Emerson was for years closely identified with that church. The mother is survived by three daughters, Mrs. G. B. Welty, Mrs. David Trail and Miss Nora Emerson, and two sons, Wilber and George. Mrs. Emerson lived in Omaha twenty-five years. Burial will be private at Forest Lawn cemetery.

John Lovett.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 12.—John Lovett, known to every Harvard man and throughout the college world generally as "John the Orangeman," died at the Massachusetts general hospital today. At the first of the present month he was taken seriously sick and an operation was performed. Lovett was born in Ireland and came to this country when a lad. He became a peddler of fruit among the Harvard students. He began with a basket but in later years peddled his wares from a donkey cart, the gift of the students. For years he was Harvard's favorite mascot at intercollegiate athletic events.

VETERANS LINING UP

Railroads Estimate Fifty Thousand Visitors Are Already in Minneapolis.

MONDAY WILL ADD LARGELY TO CROWDS

Fortieth Annual Encampment of the G. A. R. Opens Today.

REAL PROGRAM TO BE TAKEN UP TUESDAY

Lively Contest in Sight for the Position of Commander-in-Chief.

HALF DOZEN CANDIDATES FOR PLACE

Survivors of First Minnesota to Hold the First Formal Reunion of the Encampment—Concert in Evening.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 12.—Fully 50,000 people, according to railroad estimates, have poured into this city during the last forty-eight hours for the fortieth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which will commence tomorrow. It is believed that by Monday night the visitors will reach a total of 75,000.

Although the encampment officially commences tomorrow, the program will not become really active until Tuesday morning and from that time until the close of the week it promises to be one of the most stirring encampments ever held by the grand army. There are at least a half dozen candidates for the honor of being the next commander of the organization and the contest promises to become warm before it is decided.

Aside from the work of the encampment, there will be many social functions, and these will continue throughout the week. The first of this kind will be held tomorrow night, when Mrs. H. H. Kimball will give a reception in honor of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The first reunion of the veterans of the civil war will be that of the survivors of the First Minnesota volunteers, who assert that they were the first troops to offer their services for the civil war. They will meet tomorrow morning. In the evening a grand patriotic concert will be given in the auditorium.

Kansas Boomers Enroute.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 12.—A special train carrying Department Commander P. H. Coney and 400 Coney "boomers" left Topeka over the Rock Island railroad this morning for Minneapolis, where the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will take place this week. Commander Coney is a candidate for national commander of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Nebraska Delegates Start.

AINSWORTH, Neb., Aug. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Hon. J. G. Ackerman and his estimable wife, Nella Ackerman, and Miss Stella M. Daniels left here this morning to go to Minneapolis, Minn., to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Woman's Relief Corps of the Nation. Mrs. Nella Ackerman is senior vice president of the Woman's Relief Corps of Nebraska, and has gone there to represent Nebraska in the national encampment of Nebraska Woman's Relief Corps. Miss Daniels is county superintendent of Brown county and has gone for her health.

NEBRASKANS START FOR HOME

Guardsmen Break Camp at Fort Riley Encampment Sunday Evening.

FORT RILEY, Kan., Aug. 12.—The eleventh battery of field artillery arrived at the camp of instruction today with its big five inch siege guns. It came here under the command of Captain Clint C. Hearn, by marching from Fort Leavenworth, making the trip in ten days. There are now ten batteries of field artillery at the camp, and this number represents one-third of all the United States field batteries.

The Nebraska National Guard brigade break camp here this evening after a week's instruction and left for home by rail. The last train bringing in the Arkansas regiment arrived at the camp this morning. The Arkansans will commence their work at the camp tomorrow.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 12.—The first week of joint maneuvers between the regular and state militiamen ended yesterday with the departure of the Michigan troops. The Michigan men made a very good impression, and Brigade General Carter in command of Fort Benjamin Harrison said it was his opinion that the "Michigan National guard could easily take the field as a very effective body along with the regulars."

The Indiana National guard will go into camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison tomorrow for ten days instruction with the regulars.

RELIEVES FREIGHT CONGESTION

Southern Pacific to Take Drastic Measures to Help Out Situation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—The officials of the Southern Pacific will issue tomorrow morning a statement to the consignees having freight on the tracks of the company that it will be unloaded at once and stored at the cost of the consignees. This action has been decided upon after a long conference among the local officials. If the goods are not taken from the warehouse within a reasonable time they will be sold to pay the expenses incurred by the railroad. Every method tried up to date to relieve the freight congestion has either proved a failure or works with painful slowness.

CHRISTIAN WORKERS CONFER

Largest Attendance in the History of the Meetings at Northfield.

NORTHFIELD, Mass., Aug. 12.—The second Sunday of the conference for Christian workers which is now in session here, was marked by the largest attendance in the history of Northfield conferences.

Rev. R. H. Torrey of Chicago, president of the Moody Bible Institute, delivered an address this morning and the evening service was conducted by the Rev. Charles R. Erdmand, of Germantown, Pa. The evening meeting at Round Top was in charge of Rev. Mr. Totter of Grand Rapids, Mich.