

HONORS TO LINCOLN

Omaha Celebration of Century on Big Scale.

CLIMAX WILL COME THIS EV.

School Children Hold Forth in Morning and at Noon.

TWENTY THOUSAND IN EXERCISES

Will Recite Gettysburg Address in Concert at 12 M.

MONUMENT SCENE OF CEREMONY

Public Meetings Afternoon and Evening at Auditorium Will Be Principal Public Observations of Anniversary.

PROCLAMATION.

To the People of Omaha: Tomorrow, Friday, February 12, 1909, will be the 100th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, the great defender of human rights and liberty, a man whose name and deeds will live forever.

LINCOLN DAY PROGRAM.

10:30 A. M.—Address by prominent citizens in all public and parochial schools. 10:30 A. M.—High school exercises at First Methodist church.

LOCAL.

Omaha will thus pay tribute to the man who paid his life for the cause of freedom today. Public business will be generally suspended and private enterprise will to some extent observe the holiday.

BILL FOR JAPANESE CENSUS

California Legislature Passes Measure and Sidetracks Other Anti-Asian Proposals.

COUNTY OPTION LAW REPEALED

Indiana House Passes Proctor-Tomlinson Measure by Vote of 52 to 44.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN DENVER

J. F. McCarty, Contractor of Martin's Ferry, Ohio, Kills His Wife and Himself.

THOMAS BISHOP OF WYOMING

Philadelphia Clergyman Elected to Western Charge—Brewster in Western Colorado.

KANSAS COUNCIL MAN DEAD.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Feb. 11.—John G. Carr, the founder of the coal industry throughout Missouri and Illinois, died here last night, aged 64 years.

SUMMARY OF THE BEE

Friday, February 12, 1909.

Table with 7 columns: Day, Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat. Values: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28.

THE WEATHER.

FOR OMAHA, COUNCIL BLUFFS AND VICINITY—Friday. Partly cloudy Friday; warmer in east and central portions Friday. Temperature at Omaha yesterday: High, 41; low, 28.

DOMESTIC.

William H. Taft reaches New Orleans and is received by committees with much ceremony when he lands.

LEGISLATIVE.

State senate disregards Bryan's wishes and votes to accept Carnegie pension fund for university professors.

WASHINGTON.

Bill to permit Omaha and Winnebago Indians to drain their lands passes both houses of the legislature.

NEBRASKA.

Platsmouth man has a letter written by Lincoln in which the latter deprecated the mention of his name for the presidential nomination.

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EXERCISES AT LINCOLN FARM

Elaborate Program at Birthplace of Dead Emancipator in Kentucky.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT SPEAKS

Other Addresses Will Be by Generals Wright and Wilson, Governor Willson and Ex-Governor Folger.

HOGENVILLE, Ky., Feb. 11.

The centenary address on this occasion will be delivered by President Roosevelt. General Luke E. Wright, the secretary of war will speak on behalf of the confederate soldiers.

PLAYGROUNDS OF ABE LINCOLN.

It was in 1806 that Thomas Lincoln brought his bride, Nancy Hanks, and established the rude little home that three years later was to welcome into the world the president.

LOCAL.

Young Women's Christian association receives \$5,000 donation from California couple for furnishing one floor of the new building.

STATE RECORDS.

State records and defense takes an inning in the Goddard murder case.

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PREPARE TO WELCOME FLEET

Washington Officials and Friends Charter Vessels to Attend Home Coming.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.

In point of public interest the home-coming of the great battleship fleet promises to exceed the notable departure of the same vessels. Already Washington officials and others who intend to go to Old Point on Washington's birthday to see the ships come in are finding difficulty in securing accommodations.

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I F THIS country cannot be saved without giving up the principle of liberty, I was about to say I would rather be assassinated on this spot than surrender it.—Speech at Independence Hall, Philadelphia, February 21, 1861.

I am exceedingly anxious that this union, the constitution and the liberties of the people shall be perpetuated in accordance with the original idea for which the revolution was made.—Speech at Trenton, N. J., February 21, 1861.

Having thus chosen our course, without guile and with pure purpose, let us renew our trust in God and go forward without fear and with many hearts.—Message, December 1, 1862.

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