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FLOOD SITUATION BETTER

One Train for Chicago Sets Out from Kansas City.

MISSOURI IS STILL RISING

So is the Mississippi, but it is believed that Worst is Over—Train Service in Missouri Shot to Pieces.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 12.—Flood conditions in eastern Kansas and western Missouri were slightly changed for the better tonight, and train service, while still irregular, was improving. For the first time since last Saturday a train left here today for Chicago direct, the Rock Island having recovered its tracks recently put out of commission by high water. Other trains are being routed via St. Louis.

The Missouri river has risen half a foot here today, and tonight is at a stage of 25 and is expected to reach twenty-seven feet by morning. The Kansas river is also rising slowly, but points up stream report a slight fall, and the crest of the flood is believed to have been reached here.

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ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 12.—With the Mississippi river gauge reading 21 feet at 8 o'clock this morning, the government weather bureau predicted 23.5 feet for tomorrow and 24 feet for Wednesday. The water backed into the buildings along the levee, but no great damage was done. Across the river on the Illinois side, the lowlands were flooded and the rise Wednesday will destroy property.

The Missouri Pacific and Rock Island are the only roads operating in Missouri on their own tracks. Other roads are detouring their trains on the Missouri Pacific. The detoured trains are usually twelve hours late in crossing the state. Many trains enroute to Chicago from Kansas City passed through the city today.

Improving at St. Joseph.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 12.—Notwithstanding it has been raining hard all afternoon, the flood situation in northwest Missouri is improved. Platte river, east of here, which drove villagers and farmers to the highlands and swept away railroad bridges Friday and Saturday, is falling, and people soon will return to their homes. None of the railroads east of here are running trains yet, but they expect to have the lines open Tuesday.

Iowa Roads Crippled.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 12.—Although the Chicago Great Western has resumed service between Des Moines and Kansas City, other roads between the two cities are badly crippled. The Wabash from Kansas City, due at 8 Saturday night, reached Des Moines seventeen hours late. The Wash, due at 8 o'clock today, is expected in Des Moines tonight. The Rock Island and Burlington also report badly deranged service in southern Iowa.

Changes on Northwestern.

BOONE, Ia., July 12.—Former Assistant Superintendent John W. Doyle, assistant superintendent of the Iowa division of the Northwestern, has been appointed superintendent of the Pierre, Rapid City & Northwestern at Pierre, S. D., vice C. T. Dike, who goes into construction work. Former Trainmaster E. C. Boote at Council Bluffs becomes assistant superintendent at Boone.

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GIRL'S STORY IS ATTACKED

State is Trying to Puncture Tale Told by Miss Gingles.

SHE MAY HAVE CUT HERSELF

Women Forge Passes and Use Other Fraudulent Means to Get Into Salacious Trial—Testimony of the Day.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Ella Gingles continued to be a figure of particular interest today. Judge Brennan's court room, where the young Irish lace-maker is on trial for larceny—a charge which she declares was made only to cover attempts to lead her into "white slavery," was jammed with women, several of whom obtained entrance through trickery and forgery of passes.

The state during the day dealt the Gingles defense several telling blows. The story of the Wellington hotel bath room incident was impeached in many important features. Attempts of counsel for the defense to bring into the case the names of well known men as being behind the plot against the girl, met with failure.

Is Girl Hysteria Victim?

Dr. Arthur F. Price, one of the medical experts for the state gave testimony tending to support the theory that the girl is suffering a form of hysteria. Dr. Price saw the girl at the hospital after she was found injured in the bathroom. He said that besides a few scratches on her body, he found a small lump on the back of her head. When he pressed the lump, he said, she screamed, saying it pained her. Later while she was talking to Mr. Short he pressed the lump, but she paid no attention to it.

He said this was true of the other wounds on her. Those scratches, he said, were about one twentieth of an inch deep. Witness thought they were self inflicted.

After a brief cross examination by Attorney P. R. O'Donnell, Miss Gingles was called before Dr. Price and asked to bare her knee.

"I object to this half-drobing of this young woman," said Prosecutor Short. He was sustained.

Mr. O'Donnell then had the physician examine scars on the young woman's arms. Dr. Price said that these scars were more severe wounds than he had found on the girl.

Saw Girl Steal Goods.

Miss Anna Williams, house detective at a department store, testified that on January 3 she saw the Gingles girl take some goods, and that later the girl signed a confession.

Miss Mary Renick, chief maid at the Wellington hotel, told of going to the bath room the morning of February 16, and finding the door locked on the inside. She described what she saw when the door was finally opened by a porter.

"Miss Gingles was lying on the floor with her hands tied behind her back. There was a cord about one-eighth of an inch thick around her wrists, and her feet were tied with a stocking. I asked her who she was, and she did not reply. I asked her whom I should notify and she replied: 'Captain O'Brien.'

"Then I asked her what was the matter, and she started to scream that a man had poisoned her, and that a woman was with him. I asked her how they had poisoned her, and she said that she had been drinking wine. Then the doctor came."

Witness said the girl was not gagged, but that a towel was around her face.

WILL REDUCE EARNINGS TAX

(Continued from First Page.)

two-thirds, the house today passed the senate joint resolution providing for the submission of the income tax amendment to the states. The negative votes were all cast by republicans. The resolution now goes to the president for his signature.

The debate lasted about four hours and this afforded many members, mostly democrats, an opportunity to air their views. Chairman Payne of the committee on ways and means voiced the sentiment that such a tax would make "a nation of liars," although he said it was well that such power should be given congress, especially in times of war.

The burden of the democratic speeches was that it was simply a case of being democratic thunder, although some of the remarks on that side incidentally touched upon the tariff and the corporation tax, with no little amount of castigation of the republicans for falling, as was alleged, to keep party pledges.

The republicans who voted against the income tax resolution were: Allen, Malne; Barfield, Dalsell, McCreey and Wheeler, Pennsylvania; Fordney, Michigan; Gardner, McCall and Weeks, Massachusetts; Hill and Henry, Connecticut; Olcott and Southwick, New York; Calderhead, Kansas.

The house at 5:35 p. m. adjourned until Thursday.

DEATH RECORD.

August Neitsel.

FALLS CITY, Neb., July 12.—(Special.)—August Neitsel, died at his home in this city on Monday morning from a complication of diseases. Mr. Neitsel had not been well for several months, and had been confined to his home for four or five weeks, growing rapidly weaker during the last week. Mr. Neitsel was the owner of the Falls City Marble works, and was well known throughout the county. His wife and several children survive him.

Mrs. Sarah C. Dillon.

GRINNELL, Ia., July 12.—(Special.)—Mrs. Sarah C. Dillon died at her home in this city on the night of Friday, July 9, at the age of 80 years, after a lingering illness. She was one of the early settlers in Grinnell, having come here from Dyersville, Ia., over forty years ago. Her son, Mr. Arthur Dillon, and his wife, Mrs. Mary Dillon, and her daughter, Mrs. Jacob Stacker, and husband of Sioux City, were present at the funeral this afternoon.

Mrs. Jennie Hicks.

Mrs. Jennie Hicks, an aged worker of the Volunteers of America, died Saturday night of old age. She was 81 years old. The funeral will take place at the hall of the Volunteers on Fifteenth street this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Burial will be in Laurel Hill cemetery.

John L. Badgley.

WEEPING WATER, Neb., July 12.—(Special.)—John L. Badgley died today after an illness of about three months of heart trouble and Bright's disease, aged 48 years. He came to Weeping Water in 1887, being in Weeping Water since that time, except one year. He leaves a wife.

C. H. Jackson.

PLATTSBURGH, Neb., July 12.—(Special.)—C. H. Jackson, aged 78 years, passed away in his home in this city. The body was taken to Nebraska, Ia., today for interment. Deceased had resided in this city for a number of years, and is survived by a wife and five children.

E. V. Johnson.

E. V. Johnson, 30 years of age, died of lung trouble Sunday morning at his home, 1222 Georgia avenue. He has been living with his mother, his father being in California on business.

Charles City After Y. M. C. A.

CHARLES CITY, Ia., July 12.—(Special.)—A big banquet was held at the Elks auditorium, which Senator Gilliland of Mills county was the principal speaker. It is the starting of a movement for a \$50,000 Young Men's Christian association building. George E. May was chairman and addresses were made by Dr. Seymour, Melvin Ellis and Carl H. Smith.

Nebraska Can Have the Ship's Shield

Frontispiece from the Battleship Now Awaits Advice from the Governor.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, July 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Representative Kinkaid today received the following letter in response to his request made last week that the figurehead of the Nebraska be loaned to the state and placed either in the capitol or in the State university at Lincoln:

"The department takes pleasure in advising you that it has authorized the bureau of armaments and repair to issue suitable instructions to the commandant of the navy yard, New York, to prepare for shipment to the proper state authorities the above noted figurehead of the battleship Nebraska on receipt of address where same should be delivered. Transportation charges cannot be borne by the United States, and arrangements for defraying the same should therefore be made by the state authorities. In view of the provisions of the statute law prohibiting the actual transfer of government property, delivery of the figurehead in question will be regarded as a loan, subject to recall by the Navy department at any time such recall should be necessary."

Congressman Kinkaid has written to Governor Shalenger, with reference to making arrangements for accepting the figurehead upon the conditions named by the secretary of the navy and providing transportation from New York to Lincoln.

The figurehead of the Nebraska weighs 378 pounds, and is made of bronze; the centerpiece is a shield of the coat of arms of the United States, with filigree work on either side to hold it to the prow of the ship.

Senators Burkett and Brown have succeeded in abolishing the United States consulate at Mauritius. P. E. Taylor, who has been appointed to this consulate, will secure a better position by the abandonment.

Representative Norris this morning accompanied Judge of Valente to the White House, and they had audience with the president. Mr. Quigley is in Washington on business before the Indian bureau, having a desire to perfect a lease for certain grazing privileges in the Rosebud Indian reservation.

R. O. Higgins of Omaha is today appointed stenographer in the land office at O'Neill.

Congressman Wood has secured the appointment of Dr. J. J. Moehan as pension examining surgeon at Euston, Ia., vice Dr. W. B. Evans, deceased.

Elks Begin With Big Barbecue and Athletic Sports

Thousands of Members of the Order Through Los Angeles—Stage Holdup on Program.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 12.—Elks by the thousands flocked to Pasadena at an early hour, the first entertainment provided for the members of the antlered herd now gathered in this city for the annual reunion of the grand lodge, taking place there this morning. The grand lodge members and their escorts were provided with automobiles, and after a trip over the city, were deposited at Tournament park, where athletic sports, chariot races and feats of horsemanship were provided for their entertainment. At noon a monster barbecue was served and following this there was a realistic stage hold up enacted. This afternoon a number of athletic events, some of them for the amateur championships of the Pacific coast, are being held at Ascot park in this city, and thousands of the visitors were attracted there, while others are enjoying themselves at the seashore.

Tonight the opening public ceremonies of the reunion of the grand lodge will be held at the Auditorium theater. Governor James N. Gillett of California, Mayor George Alexander of Los Angeles and Motley Flint, postmaster and a member of the Los Angeles lodge of Elks, will deliver addresses of welcome to the visitors, and Grand Exalted Ruler Rush L. Holland will respond on behalf of the Elks. A special musical program, in addition to the entertainment, has been arranged.

The first meeting of the grand lodge, when new officers will be elected, will take place tomorrow.

The battle for votes of members of the grand lodge for the office of grand exalted ruler has become a merry one. The two leading candidates are J. U. Sammis of Lemars, Ia., and August Hermann, Sammis claims to have the endorsement of more Elks lodges than any one candidate for the office of grand exalted ruler has ever had. Hermann, however, evidences great confidence in his cause, and is entertaining lavishly. William H. Atwood of Dallas is regarded as the one dangerous dark horse in the race. There is no contest for the other grand lodge offices. For the honor of entertaining the next annual convention the contest has narrowed down to two cities—Detroit and Portland, Ore., with Detroit perceptibly in the lead.

Many Wounded in Fight with Bandit

Additional List of Casualties in Philippine Battle is Given

Out.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—An additional list of casualties in connection with the fight of the combined force of the army and navy against Jakiri, the Philippine outlaw, and his followers, on the island of Patutu, received from General Duval, commanding the Philippine division.

John Hauser, Troop A, Sixth regiment United States cavalry, died from wounds received in action, July 10.

Additional names of the wounded follow: Edward Paraglieri, Troop A, Sixth regiment United States cavalry.

John Martin, Frank L. Purdue, William A. Mitchell, and George E. Troop E, Sixth regiment United States cavalry.

William B. Fraley, Grover Steel and Fred M. Trippe, Troop C, Sixth regiment United States cavalry.

James W. McLaughlin, Troop K, Sixth regiment United States cavalry.

Louis McClelland, George E. Van Fleet, John C. Scott, Anatol Charnicki and Alex. Chabatsky, Company B, Second Artillery.

Dies on Way to the Hospital

Norvey Norville Drops from Exhaustion While at Work and is Dead in a Little While.

Norvey Norville, 27 years of age, who was stricken by the heat and an epileptic attack Monday afternoon while at work, died on the way to St. Joseph's hospital in the police auto later in the afternoon.

While the auto was passing Eleventh and pierce streets a tire went flat and during the delay of four or five minutes necessary to fix the tire the Norville died. The physicians who were present say he would have expired before reaching the hospital even if the tire accident had not occurred.

Croner Healey took charge of the body, which will be taken to Plattsmouth for interment. An autopsy may be held, but an inquest probably will be dispensed with.

Norville was a coal driver for J. I. Kemp. He was engaged in shoveling coal from a pile in the Havens-White coal yards, Sixteenth and Marcy streets into his wagon, when he suddenly dropped to the ground. The police ambulance was hurried to the yards and Norville was given emergency treatment by Police Surgeon Harris and Dr. Barbour, after which the men were started to the hospital.

He lived at 232 St. Mary's avenue and had been employed by the Kemp firm for some time. He leaves a wife and little son.

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