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NEWS OF THE WEEK

In a Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

HAPPENINGS OF TWO CONTINENTS

A Resume of the Less Important but Not Less Interesting Events of the Past Week.

A split has occurred in the Russian cabinet.

Chinese viceroys are encouraging anti-foreign movement.

The British cabinet has announced a step toward Irish home rule.

Germany still refuses to make concessions to France in Morocco.

The Hungarian parliament was dissolved by force and will meet in defiance of the emperor.

The jury that acquitted Pat Cowe of kidnapping has received several anonymous letters warning them to leave Omaha.

Ex-Speaker Henderson has suffered another paralytic stroke, which has deprived him of his sight. It is believed the end is near.

Of the total fund of \$3,000,000 raised throughout the world for suffering Russians about \$2,000,000 has been thus far distributed.

The Interstate Commerce commission has begun an investigation of oil rates by railroads carrying oil from Kansas and Indian Territory.

The case of Missouri against Illinois, wherein the right of Chicago to divert its sewage into the Mississippi river through the Chicago canal and the Illinois river is questioned, has been decided in favor of Illinois by the Supreme court of the United States.

Fallieres has been inaugurated president of France.

John D. Rockefeller has purchased the Wisconsin Central railroad.

Several quite severe earthquakes have occurred in the West Indies.

One of the Rockefeller's has just bought a gold brick in the shape of a mine.

The Chinese minister to the United States denies that foreigners will be attacked by his people.

Fire among Duluth's elevators destroyed much property, including 1,000,000 bushels of wheat.

Castro is said to have all preparations completed for war with France or any other power that cares to show the Venezuelan president his shortcomings.

Two leaders of the miners' union have been arrested in Denver. It is believed they were connected with the murder of ex-Governor Steiensenberg of Idaho.

Pacific coast members of congress will introduce a bill to prevent the branding of salmon. It is not thought Heyburn's pure food bill will cover this point sufficiently.

Handite held up a party of American and Mexican miners near Thomas, Mexico. While they failed to get any money, the outlaws escaped after killing three of the miners' party.

Alexander, of Equitable fame, is seriously ill.

A Moroccan gunboat has fired on a French steamer.

It is now said that John D. Rockefeller is in Europe.

Pat Cowe has been acquitted of kidnapping and will now be tried for car robbery.

John A. McCall is slightly improved, but his physicians say he cannot stand many sinking spells.

Exports of American agricultural machinery to Russia this spring will amount to fully \$25,000,000.

The governor of West Virginia may call a special session of the legislature to consider the railroad rate problem.

The senate committee on territories has agreed on a bill prohibiting gambling in all territories, including Alaska.

The Iowa house has passed a bill prohibiting the discharge of revolvers, firecrackers and other explosives on July 4.

There is a movement for congress to demand reform in the Congo state.

The Philadelphia & Reading Coal company expects by April 1 to have enough coal on hand to last until next September.

There are rumors of mediation in the Moroccan dispute.

Great Britain may establish a national system of old age pensions.

The Austrian government will crush Hungarian liberty and a rebellion is sure to follow.

The Standard Oil company is soon to be prosecuted under the trust law.

Should serious trouble occur in China the government is almost sure to call for volunteers and the national guard of Oregon, Washington and California will likely have the first show. Present plans of the government contemplate placing 35,000 troops in the Philippines, and as our standing army is only a trifle over 60,000, including artillery, volunteers almost have to be asked for.

Russian Town Affair.

Kiel, Russia, Feb. 20.—An anti-Jewish riot broke out today at Vietka, a town of 6,000 inhabitants near Gomel. A large part of the town is in flames, and troops have been sent there from Gomel.

FRAUD IN INDIAN TERRITORY.

Roosevelt Forbids the Quashing of Indictments in Case.

Washington, Feb. 20.—President Roosevelt has taken a personal interest in the charges of fraud and corruption which are said to have occurred in connection with the affairs of the Five Civilized Tribes in the Indian Territory. But for his interference indictments against several persons alleged to have been engaged in illegal practices would have been quashed.

Now, however, under his orders, the Interior department is pushing its investigation with increased vigor, and it is reliably stated that in the near future a number of new indictments will be reported against not only several men already indicted, but they will also include a number of persons whose names have not heretofore been brought into the case, including a high government official in Washington.

When it became known to the president that the district attorney for Indian Territory had been instructed to quash some indictments already found, he immediately sent orders countermanding this proposed action. He was told to do this by information received by him that, after March 4, when the tribal relations of the Five Civilized Tribes ceased, certain facts would be put into his possession which would strengthen the hands of the government in its efforts to bring to trial a number of persons guilty of gross fraud perpetrated against the Indians.

It is known that Secretary Hitchcock has submitted to the president and Attorney General Moore a special report dealing with the whole situation, which gives such details as to make it imperative for the government to act.

GERMANY FEELS INSULTED.

Chinese Minister at Washington Said to Have Talked Too Freely.

Berlin, Feb. 20.—A sensation has resulted in diplomatic circles here from the cabling of what purports to be an interview at Washington with the Chinese minister to the United States, Sir Chenung Liang Cheng, in which the latter is quoted as saying:

"Since the dawn of your civilization the Germans have been disturbers of the peace and repose of other people and nations within what is now the Christian domain. They seem always discontented with what they have. Their energy appears to demand the whole world in which to baste."

The Chinese minister is then said to have intimated that the present discontent in China is due to German measures and German plots, and is alleged to have further intimated that the German government would discuss the matter until the authenticity of the alleged interview could be substantiated.

It is understood that a long cable dispatch was received from Baron von Sternberg, German ambassador to the United States, Sunday, bearing on the subject. If it should prove that the statement of Sir Liang Cheng can be substantiated, there is a possibility that China will be asked to disavow his remarks.

WILL SHOW HOW AFFAIRS GOVERNED.

McMinville.—H. E. Lonsbury, traveling freight agent of the Southern Pacific company, has purchased for the company five acres near McMinville, to be used as an experiment for growing alfalfa, with the hope of promoting dairying interests. Numerous other tracts of land throughout the valley have been purchased by the Southern Pacific for the same purpose.

The company will furnish the seed together with a supply of land plaster and inoculated soil from successful alfalfa fields in other parts of the state.

Cost for Month \$654.

Portland.—It cost \$654.29 to conduct the Boy's and Girls' Aid society in January, and the bills were ordered paid at the February meeting of the board of trustees. Superintendent Gardner reported that 26 children were received during the month of January. The number of children in the society's care February 1 was 46. One family living in Tillamook county took three children, brothers and sister. The family is well to do.

Will Start in 60 Days.

Eugene.—The deeds transferring the Eugene Woolen mill from Willbur & Wright of Union, Or., to the Salem company, headed by T. B. Kay, which recently acquired the property, have been signed in Salem and Emil Koppe, who is to be the resident manager of the plant, has arrived. Manager Koppe has already begun to make improvements at the mill, and expects to have it in operation in 60 days. A new brick and concrete picker house will be constructed immediately.

To Develop Coal Mines.

Eugene.—The Spencer Estate Coal & Petroleum company has been incorporated here, with \$100,000 capital. The incorporators are: J. W. Zimmerman, C. E. Mitchell, W. J. Williams and S. E. Stevens, of Eugene, and I. W. Love, of Portland. The company has a coal prospect ten miles southwest of Eugene, which it will at once begin to develop on an extensive scale. Later on oil prospects will be bored.

Appropriations for Chemawa.

Washington.—The Indian appropriation bill about to be reported will carry \$116,200 for the Chemawa Indian school, including \$4,000 for a new bakery and \$10,000 for a viaduct to cross the railroad tracks, which run through the school grounds. The latter improvement is intended to insure the safety of pupils in passing the railroad.

OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST

LAW WILL NOT STAND.

Bill to Restrict Giving of Free Rides by Railroads Not Properly Drawn.

Salem.—The anti-pass law initiated by the People's Power league is minus an enacting clause, and is therefore void.

The constitution expressly provides that all laws initiated by the people shall contain the enacting clause, "Be it enacted by the people of the state of Oregon." The copy of the bill filed with the secretary of state has no such clause.

The discovery was made when Secretary Dunbar sent the bill to the state printer, preparatory to having 100,000 copies printed for distribution among the voters of the state.

Attorney General Crawford says the secretary of state cannot permit any one to correct this defect, because each of the 8,000 or more petitioners signed the bill in its present form. He rules that the secretary has no authority to change it or to allow any one else to amend it, but that he must submit it as it came to him from the petitioners.

The supreme court has held in the case of the state vs. Wright, 14th Oregon, page 375, that the deliberate omission of an enacting clause is a fatal defect.

The discovery of this error brought to light the fact that there is no enacting clause or formal declaration of any kind on any of the bills for amendments to the state constitution, for which petitions are on file. This applies to the woman's suffrage amendment, as well as to the amendments submitted by the People's Power league. It has not been determined whether this omission makes the amendments void or not.

The officials are looking up authorities. No authority has been found to allow the secretary of state to refuse to submit a measure to a vote of the people, even though it may contain defects which make it void on its face, provided the bill or amendment comes to him with the proper number of signatures.

Land for Reservoir Site.

Washington.—The secretary of the interior has finally withdrawn land for the Cold Spring reservoir site in connection with the Umatilla irrigation project in Eastern Oregon, the land lying in townships 4 and 5 north, ranges 29 and 30 east. Persons who have made entry of any land embraced in this reservoir site prior to the preliminary withdrawal, August 16 last, and have not acquired vested rights, will lose their land through the cancellation of their entries. The government, however, will pay for any improvements they may have made.

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MISS ROOSEVELT A WIFE.

White House Wedding Takes Place as Scheduled.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Alice Lee Roosevelt, daughter of the president of the United States, was married in the white house at 12:15 o'clock yesterday to Hon. Nicholas Longworth, representative in congress from the First Ohio district.

The wedding was the largest and most important ever celebrated in America, a most distinguished assembly of guests being present.

The ceremony was performed by Rt. Rev. Henry Yates Satterlee, bishop of Washington, according to the rites of the Protestant Episcopal church, of which the bride is a member.

The bride was unattended excepting by her young sister, Ethel Roosevelt, who held the bridal bouquet of orchids during the ceremony. Mr. Longworth had as his best man Mr. Thomas Nelson Perkins, of Boston, a life long friend and college mate. The ushers were also his personal friends.

The bridal gown was one of the most beautiful ever worn by an American bride, and was entirely of American manufacture. The material was of exquisite brocade satin, made princess style, with long court train of silver and white brocade. Bare point lace was used as trimming and soft effects were obtained by the use of chiffon and tulle. A long tulle veil completely enveloped the slight figure of the youthful bride. The veil was fastened with a wreath of orange blossoms and the brocade slippers had tulle bows caught with orange blossom clusters. She wore her only jewelry the groom's gift, a diamond necklace.

The ceremony and all events connected with it transpired exactly as planned, the only incident which happened out of the ordinary being the temporary indisposition of Mrs. Mary McVeigh, one of the distinguished guests, who fainted just before the wedding party appeared.

No ceremony of a similar kind was ever witnessed by so distinguished an assembly. Personal representatives of powers of the world and the most eminent representatives of America's government, high officials in every walk of life, literary artists and social lights, captains of industry and many plain, stalwart American citizens were present as guests. The brilliant uniforms of the foreign ambassadors and ministers mingled with the gorgeous gowns of the women and the delicate colors of the floral decorations made the scene an memorable one.

Nellie Grant Sartoris was the one guest in whom greatest interest centered, she having been a white house bride herself 32 years ago.

A buffet wedding breakfast was served to the 1,100 guests and the bride's health drunk in wine a century old, made by the groom's great grandfather, whose name he bears.

Late in the afternoon the bride and groom entered an automobile and were driven to the country home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. McLean, "Friendship," a few miles out of Washington.

Over 1,000 wedding gifts were showered on the fortunate young bride. While their value has been greatly exaggerated, the fact remains that a small fortune was expended in them. Tiffany, the New York jeweler, is said to have filled more than 100,000 of orders for the occasion, and the Washington jeweler had to send rush orders to New York a week before the wedding to replenish their stocks.

No bride of royalty has ever received presents from so many crowned heads or notable personages. The king of Spain, king of Italy, emperor of Germany, emperor of Austria, president of France, empress of China, mikado of Japan, republic of Cuba and Pope Pius X all remembered the young daughter of the president, sending her rare wedding gifts through their representatives at the capital, and with them their best wishes for the happy life that will surely be hers.

A private car awaits orders to carry the couple south after their honeymoon at "Friendship." The wedding trip will not be a lengthy one, the groom's duties in congress necessitating an early return, but later in the year a trip abroad is planned.

Beet Sugar Industry.

Washington, Feb. 19.—A preliminary statistical report of the beet sugar industry for the year ending December 31, 1904, issued today by the Census bureau, shows that industry has increased 225.6 per cent in the number of pounds of sugar produced and 231.2 in the value of the products increase since the census of 1900. The total number of pounds of sugar, granulated and raw, produced in 1904 was 531,235,294, and the value of this product was \$23,924,602. In 1904 there were 51 sugar beet factories, and 31 in 1900.

Famine Fund Cabled to Japan.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Up to noon today Charles Hallam Keck, treasurer of the American National Red Cross, had received, in response to President Roosevelt's appeal, contributions amounting to \$11,421, to be expended for the relief of the famine stricken provinces of Japan. Ten thousand dollars collected by the Christian Herald, of New York, was cabled February 15 by the State department to Japan, to be used immediately.

Stevens Ends Blockade.

Panama, Feb. 19.—Efforts to relieve congestion of the Panama railroad have apparently succeeded. Chief Engineer Stevens informed the Associated Press yesterday that no through freight was delayed on the isthmus during the last 24 hours. Dockage facilities at LaBoca are being improved, and it is expected present wharfage capacity will be doubled within the next four months.