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NEWS, NOTATIONS, NOTIONS

WRITTEN, CREDITED, STOLEN

Work on the sewerage system at Hartington has begun.

Randolph citizens are talking a little about street paving.

Laurel only has four graduates from its high school this year.

C. B. Case, of Wakefield, has leased a barber shop at Crofton.

Frank Salmon, of Stanton, has been appointed a railway mail clerk.

The American Land & Investment company has been formed at Hartington.

Winslow, says the News, is agitating the scheme to form a cemetery association.

The Methodists at Randolph are trying to raise money to build a new \$10,000 church.

W. J. Bryan was ordained an elder in the Presbyterian church at Lincoln last Sunday.

The Burlington railway lost \$200,000 by fire in their yards at Lincoln Thursday night.

For the first time in its history there was snow in April at Atlanta, Georgia, on the 25th.

The Cuming county teachers' association will hold its spring meeting at Beemer May 14.

Randolph had a "clean-up-day" recently, to the decided improvement in the appearance of the town.

C. B. Winger, of Coleridge, and Dr. Slack, of Hartington, have bought the Fair Cash store at the latter place.

Under the new management, the Carroll Index has been reduced to a five column quarto in size, four pages printed at home.

The result of a recent "tag day" at Wakefield to secure funds to build a cement sidewalk to the cemetery, realized \$215.

In Cuming county sixty-one rural students took the eighth grade examinations, of which fourteen passed in all branches.

The new Midway hotel at Wausa has raised the price of board to \$6 per week. Not many people will board there very long.

J. C. Waggoner, a resident of Randolph for thirteen years, died suddenly from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy, on the 21st.

Always stand up for the right, but do not wear yourself out with worry because you cannot turn the world and make it over in a day.

Frank Ballard, mail carrier on route one out of Randolph, sustained a broken leg and many other cuts and bruises in a runaway accident last Thursday evening.

Work on the water-works system for Carroll is soon to be commenced. If the town does not get a fire before the system is installed, it will have reason to rejoice.

The Belden Progress strikes the bull's eye when it says: "Many a young woman is willing to trust her heart with a man the butcher will not trust with a piece of liver."

She—How far can your ancestry be traced? He—Well, when my grandfather resigned his position as cashier of a country bank they traced him as far as China, but he got away.

Nothing like being a pedestrian or some other freak. It was noted in the daily papers Monday that Edward Weston, the aged pedestrian, had eaten eight pancakes for breakfast Sunday morning.

Comet watchers entertaining doubt as the location of the appendix will be comforted by the assurance of a writer that "the tail glows for miles and miles behind it." Rise early and watch it wag.

The teachers of the country schools in Pierce county receive all the way from \$35 to \$60 per month. There is only one as low as \$35 and only one gets \$60. The great majority of them get \$40 and \$45 per month.

Well, W. J. Bryan is home again, and the first issue of his Commoner declares against the open saloon, favors the 8 o'clock closing law for Nebraska, county option, and a congressional bill for the regulation of liquor shipments into dry states.

The Coleridge Blade says: "A man up in South Dakota advertises for a farm hand who doesn't smoke or use profanity. Evidently doesn't expect the hired man to teach the calves to drink for that would make a perfect saint both smoke and swear."

James J. Hill says that forty cents a day ought to furnish food enough for each member of a family—and intimates that ordinary people should be able to get along with that amount. James better try the result of his own recipe, and give some of his wealth to those who have not got any.

Every family and especially those who reside in the country should be provided at all times with a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. There is no telling when it may be wanted in case of an accident or emergency. It is most excellent in all cases of rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by all dealers.

Governor Chas. E. Hughes, of New York, has accepted the appointment of justice of the supreme court of the United States to succeed the late Justice David J. Brewer. He will take his seat in October.

An Omaha man just returned from the Pacific coast says that they are selling climate and air out there. That is nothing. They have been doing that for the past twenty-five years, and that is about all they have to sell.

There has never been a Republican president who served two terms but Henri Watterson, of the Louisville Courier Journal, warned the people against him as a dictator. Just now he has the Roosevelt bugaboo in his eye.

Thos. A. Edison—who is supposed to know more about electricity than anyone else—makes the assertion that no one knows a seven-billionth of one per cent. about anything. That per cent. is small enough to make a whole lot of know-nothings in the world.

Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) was born in the town of Florida, Monroe county, Missouri, November 30, 1834, and died at his home in Redding, Connecticut, on April 21, aged seventy-five years. This is a brief epitome of the life of the greatest American humorist.

The people of this country will wake up to the fact one of these fine days that they have killed the hen that laid the golden egg of prosperity. These insistent and pernicious attacks upon wealth are already beginning to bear fruit that will work to the detriment of the nation.

Those South Dakota farmers who were arrested three of them after making three different attempts to wreck passenger trains on the Milwaukee railway, simply because one of them had had a cow killed by the railway, are certainly not desirable citizens in any sense of the word.

George Andrew, Jr., came up from Wayne last week Friday and is laid up with a lame ankle. He was coming down stairs, at the college and caught his heel and fell, tearing loose the ligaments in the ankle. It is the same ankle that was hurt about two years ago. Randolph Times.

The Wausa Gazette philosopher says: "When young people go into an engagement for life as carefully as they go to a picnic, they must expect to pay for their folly with bitter experience. With thousands a marriage engagement is a matter of boyish or girlish caprice. The hasty loose selfish sort of marriages are of the devil."

A police judge at Waterloo, Iowa, has hit upon a unique scheme for dealing with cases of drunkenness brought before him. Instead of paying the fines to the city, men are compelled to give the money to their wives, who report to the judge when it has all been paid. Anyone not making payment has to work it out on the streets.

A whole lot of people harp about the freedom of thought and action but when they come to apply it they are so narrow they do not even have an understanding of the a b c of the subject. Because a drayman in one of the South Dakota towns saw fit to work for one ticket at the recent election when some of the business men thought he ought not to have done it, they threaten to destroy his business and drive him out of town.

The Omaha depot at Fordyce, the Roberts elevator, Louis Meyers livery barn and small barns belonging to Anton Hoelsing and John Meeke, were consumed early last Thursday morning by a fire which originated in the depot and is supposed to have been set by the morning train. The flames spread from the depot to the elevator and jumped clear across the town to the livery barn, which is on the south side of the town.

The Albion News remarks: "Conceding the fact that it would have better had the State capital been located nearer the geographical center of the state, it is a pity now attempt to move it. If this great United States will submit to the inconvenience of having its national capital located at one extreme edge, it is not likely that the people of Nebraska will ever be able to move the State capital a hundred miles."

A good many papers in the third district are giving congressman Latta a whole lot of bouzous on his work of getting pensions for the old soldiers. The fact of the matter is, unless it be a private pension bill, and they are few, he has nothing to do with the matter. After the pension has been allowed by the department, Latta, as well as every other congressman where pensions are allowed in their district, are informed of the fact, and they at once get busy with their press bureau to get credit for the act they had nothing to do with.

The time was in this country when parties stood for principle, and on the platform and in the political arena, men stood forth and fearlessly advocated the principle upon which their party faith was based. Now-a-days while there are nominal parties, they are so full of what is termed "insurgency," that neither party knows where it is at. Principles are forgotten or overlooked. "Insurgency," at least by its so-called leaders, is nothing more than an effort to get into office. And that is the trouble, in the main, with the whole school of politics today. The ins want to stay in and the outs want to get in, and either do not care how it is done so it is done.

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Terrible Calamity Near Ponca, Neb

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With her babes around her Mrs. Minor rushed for the south door of the house, but it was locked and barred. Nervously she fumbled to get the lock thrown back, but the fire had been creeping nearer and nearer, and in her agony she failed. The last thing that little Elizabeth saw when she was thrown from the home by her father was her mother wreathed in flames fighting to get that door open. In the corner, when the ruins were in condition for exploration, the headless, armless trunks of the mother and three of her children were found.

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One son, standing near the river bank, saw the terrible catastrophe but was unable to render any assistance, but help his father from the stream, and an elder daughter, who was working at a home across the river, and knew nothing of the awful calamity, was driven nearly insane, when, later in the day, she crossed the river in a row boat to visit her parents, and learned of the fate that had befallen the household.

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Watch For the Comet

The Red Dragon of the sky. Watch the children for spring coughs and colds. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. It is the best and safest prevention and cure for croup when the need is urgent and immediate relief a vital necessity. Contains no opiates or harmful drugs. Refuse substitutes. Feibel's Pharmacy.

Norfolk seems to have some fire fiends in its midst boys at that.

There have been fifteen fires started in the last four weeks, all of which have been discovered before they had gained much headway. The last one was the Grant school house Monday afternoon. The steps in the basement were saturated with kerosene and a match applied but the janitor chanced to discover the flames in time to put them out.

There are none so blind as those who will not see. The Norfolk News says that it does not think it has used imtemperate language regarding the Northwestern railway about running its trains up town. We do not know what it would be called we are sure, if it was not imtemperate. We know that if we were a member of the Northwestern official and thought that the paper represented the sentiment of the town, that we would never vote to run the trains up town there, not in a million years.

The foreign trade of the country for March, 1910, shows a balance against us of \$19,254,000. This is the first unfavorable March balance in fifteen years. It is the heaviest unfavorable balance in that month since 1893, just before a bad financial break, and 1869, when reassured foreign capital was still rushing in to finance industries after the war. Only once in forty-seven years has an entire calendar year shown an excess of imports. Never before now has a flood of imports overbearing the natural export balance consisted so largely of imported luxuries.

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George A. Leonard, of Pawnee City, is the superintendent of the State Fair department at the coming State Fair, September 5 to 9. The name Leonard is a familiar one with old exhibitors and a guarantee of fair, courteous treatment. Nebraska enjoys the distinction of annually holding the second largest showing of hogs to be found in the country. What a value will be represented at the 1910 fair, when a hog is worth more than a native horse used to be.

Randolph Man Is Killed by Auto
Randolph, Neb., April 26.—Gilton Webber, a real estate man, aged about forty years, was instantly killed at noon today twelve miles west of here near Osmond, when his automobile turned turtle and he was caught under the machine. A hole was crushed in his head.

He was out with two men from Harlan, Iowa, showing them land, when the accident occurred. Both of the men were injured, but not dangerously. The automobile was being driven at a rate of about thirty-five miles an hour, when Webber turned aside to avoid a rut in the road and the machine turned over.

Webber had amassed a fortune of over \$100,000 here in business and leaves a wife and family. His father, one of the representative business men of the community, lives a short distance southeast of the city.

Wheat and oats in Nebraska were damaged by the windstorm of last Saturday and Saturday, which grain men pronounce the worst of the season. The crops were already beginning to feel the effects of the dry weather, and the strong wind blew the dirt away from the roots of the plants. Where oats had not progressed beyond the sprouting stage, much of the seed was uncovered and blown away and where the plants were formed the wind tore the soil away, leaving the roots exposed without moisture. Wheat received the same treatment, and its leaves were whipped around in the terrific gale until they were badly broken or bruised. The amount of injury done to the young grain is not estimated with any degree of accuracy. If a good rain should come within a day or two, part of the damage might be repaired, grain dealers think. The continuance of present conditions for another week, however, will cut the wheat and oats crop to one-half of a normal field, in the opinion of experts.

Free Land Grants

Yes, a few more elegant Free Land Grants can still be had in Mexico, where many Americans are now locating. You do not even have to go to Mexico, but are required to have five acres of fruit trees planted within five years. For information printed in English regarding Mexican homesteads, address The Jantha Plantation Company, Block 670, Pittsburgh, Pa. You can have your trees planted and your land worked on shares, so as to bring you a thousand dollars a year. The health conditions are perfect and the climate grand. It is never hot, never cold.

Left Out in the Weather

Marshalltown Times Republican: Farmer Thompson leaves his machinery out in the weather. A new harvester, bought last summer, stands in the rain today and every man who passes the field where it stands forlorn and rusty, notices it and comments on the farmer of this day and age who would leave a valuable machine out in the rain. They generally predict that he will move off the farm with the aid of the sheriff. They agree that such a man ought not to have good machinery.

But some of the men who criticized Thompson leave their boys out nights in the muck. They don't know where they are. They don't seem to care. Some of the boys are in town and some of them are in saloons and worse, though kindred places. Now honest injun, which man has the best right to criticize and condemn the other; the one who wastes his machine or the other who wastes his sons.

Blank, the drayman, had an old horse. It was hard worked and ill fed. He beat it on the street and for so doing the humane society took him in charge and saw that he was fined and the old horse was put mercifully out of the way. It was a shame that a dumb animal should be thus neglected and uncared for. We, all of us, commended the humane society.

Another man had three girls. They were ill fed and beaten too. They had no clothes fit to attend school in, a school too where foolish mothers permitted their daughters to wear silks daily. These children had not even shoes. When they got old enough to run the streets they went there. They got clothes but you won't want to be told how they got them. Sometimes they met the girls who had always had clothes and a comfortable home but whose parents didn't know or seem to care where they were at nights. They all stayed out in the weather. They were stained with stains that water cannot wash off or paint cover. Honestly, candidly, which man needed fining most? Which man could point with greater assurance at the other?

"Bullhead" Rafferty got drunk, threw a stone through a plate glass window, stole the first thing he could reach and was arrested. The stuff he got was valued at more than \$20 and "Bullhead" took three years in the stir. But another man who had been bred with a chance in life, who had been fairly educated and had had the advantages of decent companionship and the boost that well-known and wealthy parents give their sons, got drunk, threw the burden of his drunkenness and profligacy upon a woman's heart and broke it, forged and stole and was helped out by those who would have otherwise shared his disgrace as they shared his name. He is still on the outside; but he is infinitely lower than "Bullhead" and belongs in the penitentiary more than "Bullhead" ever did—and "Bullhead" isn't in the wrong place by any means.

The open field is not the place for the harvester; the open street is not the place for boys and girls at night; a drunken brute who abuses a woman and neglects children is worse than a man who beats a horse or starves a cow; and the scoundrel who snaps at the hands which have aided him, who chooses to riot over the feelings and destruction of the hopes of those who are bound to him is worst and meanest and most dangerous of all.

We are leaving too much that is valuable out in the weather. Let's take in our girls and boys. Let's look after the inestimable things we are leaving out to stain and rust and decay.

Remember the Shorthorn cattle sale at Thompson's feed yard next Saturday, the 30th.

Seed Corn For Sale

The Goldmine variety. \$1.25 per bushel. Call at farm near LaPorte to see the corn. J. P. LARSEN.

This is 1908-year corn and samples may be seen at P. H. Kohl's office for First National Bank.

Aged Woman Ends Her Life

Pilger, Neb., April 26.—Mrs. Pauline Marquardt, aged seventy, one of the respected residents of the county, five miles from Pilger, ended her own life yesterday by hanging. Using a bit of binding twine, she hanged herself to a tree near her home. Despondency was the cause. Mrs. Marquardt's husband met a violent death in a runaway accident twelve years ago. Three daughters survived: Mrs. Herman Sasse, Miss Minnie Marquardt, and Miss Anna Marquardt. The latter was at home. The aged mother said she was going out to gather eggs, and she never returned. Miss Minnie Marquardt is a prominent teacher in Stanton county.

Teachers' Institute

Arrangements are completed for this year's teachers' institute. It will be held in this city the week commencing August 22. The instructors will be A. H. Dixon, superintendent of the public schools at Tekamah, J. H. Kemp, superintendent at Wayne, Fred M. Hunter, superintendent of the schools at Norfolk, and Miss Mary Strickland, of Fremont. There will be a lecture one evening at the court house by Superintendent Dixon, and another lecture date will be arranged later. —Hartington News.

Council Proceedings

Minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of Wayne, Nebraska, held on April 25, 1910. The meeting was called to order by the Mayor with the following members present: Mayor Ley, Councilmen Stringer, Strahan, Jones, Kingsbury, Lamberson and Gildersleeve. Minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read. Motion made and seconded that the minutes be approved. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that the resignation of Will Morris as a member of the Public Library Board of Wayne be accepted. Motion carried. Motion made and seconded that Dr. Green be appointed to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Morris on Library Board. Motion carried.

The following bills were then allowed:
Ray Perdue, cement crossings & Welch, drinking fountain, 28 30
Geo Stringer, labor, 72 00
Geo Heady, labor, 4 35
Geo Griffith labor & material 12 00
Gust Newman, labor, 51 00
Orr & Morris Co., arch lamp 10 00
H Bodenstedt, labor, 31 25
Henry Foltz, labor, 3 00
Jack Liveringhouse, labor, 30 00
H A Moler, salary, 100 00
Ed Merrill, labor, 60 00
Interstate Supply Co supplies 29 25
Sunderland Machinery & Supply Co 40 39
Johnson Electric Co, supplies 18 70
Nebr. Electric Co, supplies 31 36
A A Wollert, labor, 16 25
C A Chase, supplies, 50 75
Phil H Kohl, insurance 105 00
John Short, drayage, 4 50
Ray Reynolds, labor, 7 50
H S Ringland, salary & post 40 00
W M Lana, outfit, 71 15
H W Barnett, drayage, 3 75
The Lytle Construction Co., 45 00
Geo L Miner, salary, 75 00
Nellie Gillespie, collecting, 25 00
F A Berry, salary, 31 25
Martin L Ringer, salary, 120 00
Henry Ley, 100 00
W W Kingsbury, 50 00
F E Strahan, 50 00
J W Jones, 50 00
Geo Stringer, 50 00
L W Neely, 20 00
A M Jacobs, 26 00
Geo Lamberson, 4 00
L C Gildersleeve, 4 00

Motion made and seconded that the City Clerk turn over the warrant for \$500 issued to W. M. Lana, which warrant was to be held by City until completion of sewer. Motion carried.

The report of H. S. Ringland on sewer assessment payments was given. Moved and seconded that the report be approved and the clerk be instructed to complete the transcript of Sewer Assessment and certify same to the County Clerk. Motion carried.

Mr. Wm. Hoguewood being present, stated that he desired to publicly thank the City Council and Mayor for road work they had ordered done. Councilmen then expressed their pleasure that at least one party appreciated something the Council had done.

It then appearing that the sidewalk along Lot 4 Block 21, original town of Wayne, said lot belonging to Wm. Sonneken, had not been paid for by the owner and which lot had been ordered in by the City, a motion was made and seconded that an assessment of \$39.00 be made on said lot and said assessment transcribed to the County Clerk by the City Clerk, to be entered by him on the Tax list, said assessment to stand as a lien on the property until paid. Motion carried.

It then appearing that the sidewalk along Lot 10 in Block 23, Original town of Wayne, Nebraska, said lot belonging to Julia Rich, had not been paid for by the owner and which walk had been ordered in by the City, a motion was made and seconded that an assessment of \$39 be made on said lot and said assessment transcribed to the County Clerk by the City Clerk, to be entered by him on the tax list, said assessment to stand as a lien on the property. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that Clerk issue a warrant for \$1.25 in favor of Chet Witter, and to be delivered to him on his payment of his March light bill in full. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that warrant for \$1.00 for overcharge for lights be issued to John Harrington. Motion carried.

State Fair

The management of the State Fair recognizing the value of new attractions for the week, September 5 to 9, are figuring on securing an aeroplane. There are several companies who are endeavoring to close contracts, but owing to the fact that the patentee of some parts of the aeroplane has secured a temporary injunction against their use by some of the most successful aviators, which, if sustained by the courts, will practically result in a monopoly for the Wrights, thereby placing the expense of such an exhibit so high as to prevent its general use this year.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of Wayne, Nebraska, held on April 25, 1910. The meeting was called to order by the Mayor with the following members present: Mayor Ley, Councilmen Stringer, Strahan, Jones, Kingsbury, Lamberson and Gildersleeve. Minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read. Motion made and seconded that the minutes be approved. Motion carried.

Moved and seconded that the resignation of Will Morris as a member of the Public Library Board of Wayne be accepted. Motion carried. Motion made and seconded that Dr. Green be appointed to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Morris on Library Board. Motion carried.

The following bills were then allowed:
Ray Perdue, cement crossings & Welch, drinking fountain, 28 30
Geo Stringer, labor, 72 00
Geo Heady, labor, 4 35
Geo Griffith labor & material 12 00
Gust Newman, labor, 51 00
Orr & Morris Co., arch lamp 10 00
H Bodenstedt, labor, 31 25
Henry Foltz, labor, 3 00
Jack Liveringhouse, labor, 30 00
H A Moler, salary, 100 00
Ed Merrill, labor, 60 00
Interstate Supply Co supplies 29 25
Sunderland Machinery & Supply Co 40 39
Johnson Electric Co, supplies 18 70
Nebr. Electric Co, supplies 31 36
A A Wollert, labor, 16 25
C A Chase, supplies, 50 75
Phil H Kohl, insurance 105 00
John Short, drayage, 4 50
Ray Reynolds, labor, 7 50
H S Ringland, salary & post 40 00
W M Lana, outfit, 71 15
H W Barnett, drayage, 3 75
The Lytle Construction Co., 45 00
Geo L Miner, salary, 75 00
Nellie Gillespie, collecting, 25 00
F A Berry, salary, 31 25
Martin L Ringer, salary, 120 00
Henry Ley, 100 00
W W Kingsbury, 50 00
F E Strahan, 50 00
J W Jones, 50 00
Geo Stringer, 50 00
L W Neely, 20 00
A M Jacobs, 26 00
Geo Lamberson, 4 00
L C Gildersleeve, 4 00

Motion made and seconded that the City Clerk turn over the warrant for \$500 issued to W. M. Lana, which warrant was to be held by City until completion of sewer. Motion carried.

The report of H. S. Ringland on sewer assessment payments was given. Moved and seconded that the report be approved and the clerk be instructed to complete the transcript of Sewer Assessment and certify same to the County Clerk. Motion carried.

Mr. Wm. Hoguewood being present, stated that he desired to publicly thank the City Council and Mayor for road work they had ordered done. Councilmen then expressed their pleasure that at least one party appreciated something the Council had done.

It then appearing that the sidewalk along Lot 4 Block 21, original town of Wayne, said lot belonging to Wm. Sonneken, had not been paid for by the owner and which lot had been ordered in by the City, a motion was made and seconded that an assessment of \$39.00 be made on said lot and said assessment transcribed to the County Clerk by the City Clerk, to be entered by him on the Tax list, said assessment to stand as a lien on the property until paid. Motion carried.

It then appearing that the sidewalk along Lot 10 in Block 23, Original town of Wayne, Nebraska, said lot belonging to Julia Rich, had not been paid for by the owner and which walk had been ordered in by the City, a motion was made and seconded that an assessment of \$39 be made on said lot and said assessment transcribed to the County Clerk by the City Clerk, to be entered by him on the tax list, said assessment to stand as a lien on the property. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that Clerk issue a warrant for \$1.25 in favor of Chet Witter, and to be delivered to him on his payment of his March light bill in full. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that warrant for \$1.00 for overcharge for lights be issued to John Harrington. Motion carried.

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We've been selling clothes day after day, for your fathers; we've been selling them for your young brothers. We want to see more of you young chaps of college age and those beginning business and professional life.

This is the store for you Young Men. We like to see every customer who comes in; but we feel worse to miss you than any one else. And, besides, we've made special preparation for you. These

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we are showing for young men are worthy of you. Lots of clothing isn't up to standard. This make we have is. you miss the best clothes from the leading makers if you miss getting your Spring Suit here.

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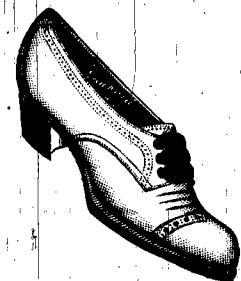
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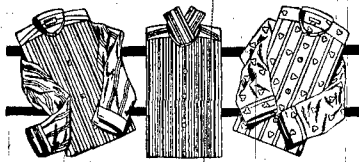
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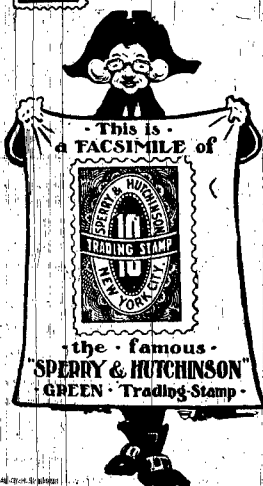
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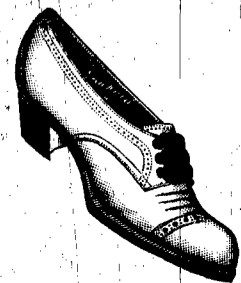
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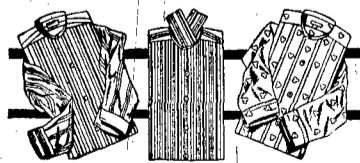
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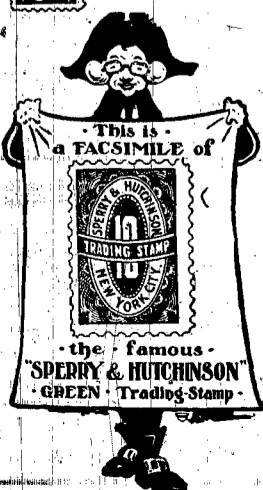
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ELECTRIC CHAIR FOR MURDERER OF MISS WHEELER

Remains Stolid and Indifferent to Last and Refuses to Comment Found Asleep in His Cell When Called Upon to Hear Fate.

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Secretary Bullinger of the Department of the Interior has withdrawn from entry at approximately fifteen and a half million acres of coal lands in southeastern Montana...

ANTelope Is New Specimen

Edmund Heller, the zoologist of Riverside, Cal., who accompanied Mr. Roosevelt on his African hunting trip, has decided that the sable antelope killed by Kermit Roosevelt is a new species peculiar to the Mombasa region and not heretofore described. It will be named the Roosevelt.

PHYSICS FOR OMAHA

President Johnson of the American Baseball League Thursday announced the following releases: By St. Louis to Omaha, B. E. Shotten, J. M. Corridon.

SHOOTING WIFE AND SELF

Phillip Berry, of Bloomington, Ill., aged 43, shot his 21-year-old wife and himself Thursday. Both will die. Recently the couple quarreled and separated.

DIAMOND ORNAMENT SPOILS

During Wednesday night's diamond ornament was stolen from the recently received image of the Virgin in the Uspenski cathedral in the Kremlin, at Moscow, Russia, and many precious stones were cut out of the frames of the pictures of the saints.

MARK TWAIN IS DEAD.

Career of Samuel L. Clemens Comes to an End.

Samuel Langhorne Clemens (Mark Twain) died peacefully at 6:30 o'clock Thursday night at Redding, Conn., of angina pectoris. He lapsed into coma at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon and never recovered consciousness. It was the end of a man worn out by grief and acute agony of body.

Wednesday was a bad day for the little knot of anxious watchers at the bedside. For long hours the gray, aquiline features lay molded in the stertor of death, while the pulse sank steadily, but late at night Mark Twain passed from a stupor into the first natural sleep he had known since he returned from Bermuda, and Thursday morning he awoke refreshed, even faintly cheerful, and in full possession of his faculties.

He recognized his daughter, Clara (Mrs. Osa Gabriellowitch), spoke a national word or two, and feeling himself unusual to conversation, wrote out in pencil: Give me my glasses. They were his last words. Lying there aside he sank first into a reverie and later into final unconsciousness. Angina pectoris is a proxymal affection of the chest of baffling and obscure origin, characterized by severe pain, faintness and depression of the spirits. The pain is severe and of an oppressive, crushing or stabbing character. The attacks progress in frequency and severity, with uncertain intermissions, sometimes of long duration, to a fatal termination.

Mark Twain did not die in anguish. Sometimes soother his pain, but his moments of consciousness aggravated the mental depression. On the way up from Bermuda he said to Albert Bigelow Paine, who had been his constant companion in illness: "This is a bad job; we'll never pull through with it."

RIOTS RECURRING IN CHINA

Lawless Natives Engage in Serious Disturbances.

The lawlessness of the natives which began at Chang Sha, the capital of Hunan province, China, is reported to be spreading. Advice received at Peking state that riots have occurred at Ning Shiang, the site of a Protestant mission, about thirty miles west of Chang Sha. A mission school at Yi Yang, twenty miles north of Ning Shiang, has been burned. The foreigners are said to have escaped harm.

HEIRS LOSE THEIR SUIT

Chicago Doctor Awarded \$100,000 of the McVicker Estate.

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SITS UNMOVED AND CALM

Hostile Array of Facts are Faced by Wolfer.

No prisoner on trial for his life in the New York courts is ever remembered to have faced such an array of hostile facts and heartrending testimony with stolid indifference as did Albert Wolfer Wednesday when confronted with the charged fragments of the body that once was Ruth Wheeler whom he is charged with luring to her death in his flat not a month ago.

Philip O'Hanlon, a coroner's physician, testified that Ruth Wheeler had been attacked before she was murdered and that there was still life in her body when it was soaked with kerosene, jammed up the chimney of Wolfer's flat and set afire. He had found human hair not her own adhering to the burned fingers. Therefore he knew she had fought for her honor. There was soot in the lungs. A corpse does not breathe. Therefore he knew a living and still sentient body had inhaled smoke, and flames.

During this inhaled, which made the jurors edged in their chairs, Wolfer sat listlessly scanning the jurors the gruesome exhibits themselves and his lawyers. He gave no sign of emotion when Adelaide Wheeler, 19 years old, and said to be an extraordinary resemblance to her sister, took the stand.

With perfect poise the girl identified a braided artificial hair that had been her sister's, bits of underclothing that she knew by their texture, jewelry Ruth had worn, and lastly, which came as a surprise to the defense, a seal ring engraved with Ruth Wheeler's initials and which was found in the body. The prosecution will contend that this clinches beyond doubt the previous identification which it had been thought the defense would attempt to overthrow.

ART SWINDLE UNCOVERED

Hundreds of Americans Have Been Duped.

The revelations made in the case of Count de Gatinxi, who, with the countess, is being examined at Tours, France, on a charge of having misrepresented the origin of paintings and the authenticity of furniture purchased by Mrs. Ches. H. Paine, of Paris, but formerly of Boston, have caused a profound impression in the world of art and served to open up the whole question of the many sold traffic in sham paintings, other works of art and antique furniture.

Although the declarations of Henri Rochefort, editor of the Patrie, regarding the Rembrandts may constitute a satirical exaggeration, it is the general opinion that there is some truth in his assertion that celebrated collections in hundreds of homes in America and elsewhere contain spurious Rembrandts, as well as copies of other masters.

M. Rochefort has said that 80 per cent of the "Rembrandts" owned in America were forgeries. "I have seen so many 'Turners,'" said M. Rochefort, "that I have almost decided that 'Turner' never existed. He had not have turned out the works attributed to him, if he had lived 200 years." It is the same with the Rembrandts.

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The first National Congress of the Laymen's Missionary Movement will be held in the Chicago Auditorium May 3, when plans will be discussed for the carrying on of a world-wide movement against heathenism. Some 4,500 representative men from every State in the Union will attend, and for three days the matter will be discussed from every viewpoint.

This movement of the Protestant churches of the world is the greatest propaganda for Christianity that the world has ever known. Its inspiration and backbone are the laymen of the churches. Its keynote is based on the belief that if the successful business men of this country were to apply their time, business ability and professional experience to a movement to evangelize the world, the purpose of this mission could be accomplished. So for the first time in history the twentieth century will witness the spectacle of this great combination of power with the added strength of the allied churches arraying itself against the heathen world.

The figures that deal with this proposed movement are something that even the lay mind will stop a bit to ponder. To begin with, the Laymen's Missionary Movement proposes to evangelize the world within this generation. In other words, those in the work expect to carry the "gospel" to every non-Christian in the world within the next thirty-five years. That this will be no small undertaking, one need only consider the statistics gathered by the Laymen's Missionary Movement. Of the world's entire population of 1,500,000,000, only 500,000,000, or one-third, are Christians. Now to fulfill the vow taken by the movement will require money and much of it. The statistics of the movement have figured that it will require about \$55,000,000 annually to do the work. This means that \$1,225,000,000 is to be spent in the next thirty-five years to evangelize the world!

ONCE SENTENCED TO DEATH

Now Caleb Powers May Be Sent to Congress.

Caleb Powers, who was four times tried for murder and who was once sentenced to be hanged, is now a candidate for Congress in the Eleventh Congressional District of Kentucky. Powers is the young mountain lawyer who was elected Secretary of State on the ticket with W. S. Taylor, who, on the face of the returns, defeated William Goebel for Governor in November, 1893. Goebel, who was contesting Taylor's election, was wounded by a shot from Powers' rifle in the old capital.



ODDS & ENDS OF SPORT

Montreal is to have a \$100,000 riding school. Jim Driscoll will give the Londoners another example of pretty boxing when he faces Spike Robson at the National Sporting Club.

WORK OF POLICE RULE COPS

Cleveland's police stations turned into ethical culture clubs. Such is a sense is the plea of which Chief of Police Kohler of that city has been working for long enough to provide some figures with convincing effect. In the period of two years and three months he says that not less than 50,000 minor violators have been spared the humiliation of the police court and publicity and have not become second offenders. In the first quarter of 1917, under the old system, the police had made 7,126 arrests. In the same quarter of 1918 they arrested 2,679. In the first quarter of last year 1,405, and so for this year, 1,233. Kohler says they have made the police stations "not places where punishment hardens the heart of repentant violators, making it easy for them to become second offenders, but we have made them what might be termed moral hospitals, where advice, good will, protection and correction, and if possible, reformation is the watchword."

A NEW ELIXIR OF LIFE

Dr. Doyen's famous French surpurg, in a recent Paris lecture, claimed to have discovered a liquid which he calls mycolysine, which will dissolve disease germs and greatly increase the resistance of the human body. He claims that if used rationally mycolysine will abolish the majority of infectious diseases.

ELECTRIC CANCER CURE

London physicians have been much interested in the demonstration made by Dr. Massey of Chicago with his electrical treatment for cancer. The main features of the treatment here first to place the cancerous tissue with three fine needles connected with mercury and then turn on an electric current of a thousand mill amperes. Soon the cancer bleached and then shriveled. The same treatment was then given to the human figure surrounding the cancer to destroy the outlying colonies of germs.

CUBA FEARS UPRISING; RUSH MACHINE GUNS

Troops Dispatched to Santa Clara Province, Where Negroes Are Reported in Excited State.

The other night a special train carrying a battalion of infantry and a battery of machine guns under command of General Linares left Camp Columbia, near Havana, Cuba, bound for Santa Clara. A rumor is current that an uprising is in progress in Santa Clara province, but this the government denies.

The United States is to make provision for carrying the gospel to 600,000,000 people. Canada has already assumed her share in the responsibility of carrying on the work of evangelization and will reach 400,000,000 people to be evangelized by Great Britain, Germany, Australia and other countries.

GOVERNMENT MAKES A DENIAL

Promises Impossible of Fulfillment Said to Be Cause of Agitation—Rumors of More Trouble.

There has been great unrest in the country recently because of the agitation of the negroes. The newspaper La Lucha, which was the most influential instigator and supporter of the August revolution, but which is now a Zayista organ, commenting on a recent meeting of the negro members of congress, says the government is responsible for having before the election promised the negroes things impossible of fulfillment. The paper adds that it is now incumbent on the government to check the race agitation energetically.

DEMOCRAT WINS IN LANDSLIDE

James S. Havens Elected to Congress in New York State. In the Congressional election at Rochester, N. Y., the other day Republican standstillism was dealt a blow as terrific in its effect as that which it sustained a few weeks ago in the Fourteenth Massachusetts District, where Eugene N. Poss, running as a Democrat, reversed the traditional majority in a district supposed to be rock-ribbed Republican.

NEW YORK PROVISION MEN LOOK FOR DECLINE IN BEEF AND PORK VALUES

Closely observers of the food products markets in New York expressed expectation of an era of low prices for foodstuffs. "The wish in some degree may be fulfilled," the "Lower Prices" said once again, as well as the consumer, but the tendency of prices now is unmistakably downward. It seems to me reasonable for people to look for a decrease in the retail prices of beef and pork in a short time. The plentitude of grain has compelled the farmer to feed it to his cattle, which are waxing fat, and which must be put on the market. Other provision men expressed similar views, based largely upon the decline in the grain markets and predictions of bountiful crops, both here and abroad.

FIRE SWEEPS WRECKED TRAIN

Thriller Forms Relief Corps Which Saves Passengers in Dixie Crash. Four mail clerks are dead and three trainmen and a mail clerk injured as a result of the wreck and burning of the through flyer No. 2, north-bound on the Illinois Central Railroad, five miles north of Jackson, Miss.

MINNEHABA GOES ON ROCKS, BUT PASSENGERS AND CREW ARE SAFE

The Atlantic transport steamer Minnehaha, which sailed from New York on April 9 for London, is ashore on the south coast of the Scilly Islands, near Tishob's reef, according to a wireless message received at Lloyd's signal station at the Lizard. The wreck was caused by a dense fog. The passengers and crew of the liner landed on Bryher Island, one of the Scilly group.

ODD FELLOWS ARE TO BUILD

The Odd Fellows have taken out a permit to erect an Odd Fellows home at a cost of \$300,000 in Kansas City, Mo.

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The Week in Congress

After devoting two hours to the rail road bill the Senate Thursday laid aside that measure until Monday. The only amendment adopted was one providing for the Interstate Commerce Commission to be organized by legislation. The Senate passed the Warren bill authorizing the government to dispose of surplus irrigation water. The bill was reported by the House. The Senate passed any bills in his possession which might make inadvisable investigation of the sugar trust. The bill was reported by the House. The Senate passed any bills in his possession which might make inadvisable investigation of the sugar trust. The bill was reported by the House.

U. S. CONVICTS MAKE MAD TRY FOR LIBERTY

Five Flee the Federal Prison at Leavenworth, but Two Are Recaptured.

STEAL AN ENGINE TO ESCAPE.

After Wild Run Three Are Surrounded in the Woods—Siren Calls Aid from Many Farms.

Five train robbers, serving life sentences, escaped from the federal prison near Leavenworth, Kan., early the other day. Within a short time two were recaptured. At 11 o'clock the three others were surrounded in the brush within a short distance of the prison and it was believed all would be taken. The men recaptured were Bob Clark, sent up from Tyler, Texas, and John Gilson, of Moscow. The three others were Thomas A. Kitting, from Alton, Okla.; Arthur Hewett, from Caddo, Okla.; and Frank Grigware, one of the men who held up a Union Pacific mail near Omaha last fall.

The break for liberty was made about 8 o'clock and was the result of a clever plot on the part of the convicts. The execution was most daring. Two men were at work in the carpenter shop and the others were in the tailor shop. A Union Pacific switch engine had backed into the prison yard, and at the sound of the whistle the men dashed into the yard and made for the engine. Lying in wait were the men who had been sent to the engine by the engineer. They climbed into the cab and compelled him to reverse his engine. The engine, with the convicts aboard, rushed through the west gate into the open country and was speeding toward the woods.

When the escape became known a few minutes later the siren whistle at the prison was sounded as a warning to farmers to be on the lookout. The whistle can be heard for miles and its sound caused consternation. At the time heavily armed guards were thrown around the gates to prevent any further attempt to escape, while others started in pursuit. When the engine had reached about half a mile from the prison the five men jumped to the ground and made for the woods. Clark and Gilson separated from the others and soon were captured. Then every available guard, led by Deputy Lemon, started after the other three men. Half a mile farther on they were surrounded in the woods.

THE PRESIDENT IS HISSED.

Women Disapprove of Speech by Taft at Suffrage Meet.

President Taft was hissed while delivering an address of welcome at the convention of the American Woman Suffrage Association in Washington. The manifestation of disapproval was not unanimous, but it was pronounced. It interrupted the President's speech, but did not disconcert him. He waited a few seconds for the feminine hail of reproach to subside and then finished what he had to say. The President was describing the two conditions he would impose in granting suffrage to any class. "One is," he said, "that the class should be intelligent enough to know its own interests. The theory that illiterate or any uneducated, altogether unintelligent class is prepared for self-government at once, or should immediately take part in self-government, is a theory I wholly dissent from—but that is not applicable to the present situation. The other qualification is that the class should care enough for their own interests to take part in the exercise of political power if it is conferred upon them. If they do not, then it seems to me that the danger is that the power conferred may be exercised by that part of the class least desirable."

DEATH ENTERS DR. HYDR TRIAL

G. T. Twyman, Important Witness for State Passes Away Suddenly.

Death has entered the trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, who is charged with having by the use of poison killed Colonel Thomas Swain in Kansas City. It was just after City Attorney James A. Reed had concluded the opening statement for the State when the announcement was made that Dr. G. T. Twyman, one of the principal witnesses for the prosecution, had died. Dr. Twyman was taken ill Saturday and it has been announced that he probably would be the first witness to be called by the State. His death was attributed to acute diverticulitis. The opening of the case was marked by a sharp clash between counsel for the State and defense, the latter objecting strenuously to Mr. Reed, as special counsel, making the opening statement. The objection was overruled.

Drexel-Gould Wedding.

In St. Bartholomew's Church, New York, Miss Marjorie Gwynne Gould, daughter of George J. Gould, and Anthony J. Drexel, Jr., of Philadelphia were married Tuesday.

Fire Sentries Wipe Out Hamlet.

The hamlet of Orleans, N. Y., was nearly wiped out by fire. Twenty-two buildings, including the church and schoolhouse, were destroyed.

Dynamite Kills Five, Injures Seven.

Five Slav laborers were killed and seven others seriously injured when thirty-five pounds of dynamite exploded prematurely near Rossville, N. J., on the new cut-off of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad.

Broken Neck Is Cured.

Ralph Owens, 27 years old, of Memphis, Tenn., who was taken to a St. Louis hospital four months ago with a broken neck, of which he was unawake, was discharged the other night as cured.



BASEBALL SEASON BEGINS.

Opening League Games Are Played in Eight Cities.

The opening of the baseball season on the ball lots of the National and American leagues. (Smiling smiles prevailed elsewhere, eight umpires each "passed out a new white ball" eight umpires each in his finest pose cried "play ball" and in eight cities the sporting writers chattered that "the game was on." At least those quotations have done service from time immemorial and there is no reason why they should be discarded at this late date. It was the day when all the teams were equal and that marked the initial picture of the initial impetus to the hopes of several million fans. What will the end be? Call around in October and the answer will probably be ready.)

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Progress of the Pennant Race in Base Ball Leagues.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.		W. L.	
Philadelphia	3	Cincinnati	2
Pittsburgh	2	Boston	2
Chicago	3	St. Louis	1
New York	2	Brooklyn	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.		W. L.	
Cleveland	4	Detroit	2
Boston	3	St. Louis	2
Washington	3	New York	1
Philadelphia	2	Chicago	1

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.		W. L.	
Toledo	5	Kansas City	3
Minneapolis	5	Indianapolis	3
Columbus	4	Louisville	3
St. Paul	3	Milwaukee	3

ACTIVE LAKE NAVIGATION OPEN

First Boat Passes the Soo and Excursion Steamers Make Ready.

Reports to the effect that the first boat has gone through the Soo, coupled with the opening of Chicago's excursion steamers and the issuing of new pilot charts of the great lakes by the Hydrographic Department of the United States yesterday, signified the active opening of navigation on the great lakes. The first boat to enter the Chicago harbor was the City of Traverse, on March 23. On March 6 the boat had disappeared from Lake Michigan, according to reports in the weather bureau. The average closed season of navigation about the Chicago harbor is from Jan. 7 to Feb. 27, and the closed season in Sault Ste. Marie usually is from the middle of December to April 30. A report from Sault Ste. Marie stated that the steamer J. E. Upson, in charge of Captain J. B. Wood, the first up-bound boat to pass through the Soo this season, had signaled for landing.

MILLIONS LOST THROUGH FROST

Heavy Damage in Iowa, Where Temperature Drops to 22 Degrees.

Secretary Wesley Greene of the Iowa State Horticultural Department estimated that the damage to the Iowa fruit and vegetable crop from the freezing weather will be between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000. He asserts that early fruit, cherries and plums in particular, have been destroyed, but vegetables may be replanted, thus retaining a part of the loss. Snow has been falling in many parts of Iowa. A temperature of 22 above zero was reported from the southern part of the State. Temperatures ranging from 27 to 33 above zero, accompanied by flurries of snow, represented the weather in Western Missouri, Eastern Kansas and Southern Nebraska. In Illinois frost has greatly damaged fruit at Galesburg, Springfield and Central Illinois were visited by a heavy snowfall and budding fruits were killed by frost. A cold, drizzling rain fell throughout Southern Illinois and hard rains fell in Southern Indiana and Western Kentucky, washing away many bridges.

ROB FAST MAIL TRAIN.

Two Bandits Hold Up China-Japan Fast Mail in California.

The China-Japan mail, which left San Francisco over the Southern Pacific Railway for the East at 9 o'clock Saturday night, was held up by two masked men at Spring, two miles east of Bonita, Cal., at 12:30 o'clock the other morning and robbed of nine pouches of registered mail. The train carried no express matter. Four of the pouches have been recovered, but the robbers rifled the others and now are hiding in the hills and canyons between Martinez and Oakland. Sheriff's posse from two counties, detectives and postoffice inspectors on horses and in automobiles are engaged in the man hunt. The robbers were well armed and a battle is anticipated.

VOICE TO END STRIKE.

Philadelphia Committee Reported to Have Accepted Company's Terms.

The committee of nineteen, composed of representatives of striking, unorganized and conductors from each of the terms of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, met the other night and voted in favor of accepting a settlement offered by the company through representatives of the American Federation of Labor. The terms of the settlement have not yet been made public, but it is said they include many of the features of the proposal made through Mayor Ryan on March 20, when the company agreed to take back all the strikers and to guarantee them \$2 a day until regular runs could be secured for them. The cases of the 174 men whose discharge precipitated the strike on Feb. 19 will be submitted to arbitration.

Girl Strangled by Her Hair.

Ella Pohl, of Berlin, a student in the New Mexico Agricultural College, while picknicking climbed a cliff, lost her hair and plunged over. She was caught in a crevice. Her hair acted as a noose and she died in a few hours.

Five Dead, Five Hurt, in Wreck.

As the result of a wreck on the Great Northern three miles east of Spokane at least three men are dead, five injured, and two thought to be dead are missing.

WASHINGTON CROSS

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

CHICAGO.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade Says:

Some increase in trading defaults this week is mainly due to the adverse effects of high costs, but consumers derive benefit from the falling prices of primary products. Heavy payments through the banks reflect improved activity in business generally, and a firmer tone in the borrowing market. Conditions that capital funds profitable use. Weather conditions continued unusually favorable to agriculture, manufacturing and construction. The evidence militates to more widespread extension of business operations. Many of the business men are seeking possible gains in cross and life insurance, and are appearing in movements of heavy trading. General merchandise, lumber, hides and factory outputs. New demands for a letter exhibit in iron, steel, machinery and wood working, their being more numerous orders entered and inquiries for future execution.

Rapid transit, as it perhaps had never been dreamed of by any other man, has been offered to the Postoffice Department by an Edgerton, Ill., inventor. This inventor had a scheme to run a railroad train at the rate of eighty miles an hour for 500 miles without stopping, which he claimed would unload passengers, mail and baggage meanwhile. His device would consist of the most delicate passenger out of the car and into the station without lessening the speed of the train or injuring the passenger. It would do the same with mails, he said.

Phenomenal increases have been noted in the last twenty years in the wealth that is produced on farms in the United States. Figures prepared by the statisticians of the Department of Agriculture show this increase to have been \$3,300,000,000 in the period from 1880 to the close of last year. In 1889 the value of the wealth produced on farms of the United States was \$2,400,000,000; ten years later it was \$4,717,000,000; and last year, according to the preliminary estimate just issued, it was \$8,760,000,000.

Colonel Roosevelt's African hunt trophies are intended for the Smithsonian Institution, for exhibition in the National Museum, and will not be distributed among the museums of the country. Officials of the institution have just made such an announcement to correct an impression which is prevalent throughout the country that the specimens sent home by the expedition of which the former President was the head would be for general distribution.

The work of revetting the Missouri River near Williston, N. D., going on the last two years, is almost completed. It is being done through the Federal government on an appropriation of \$10,000,000 for the operations. The government is joined by the Great Northern Railroad and the city of Williston. The railroad is furnishing all of the material required except the willows used, which are being furnished by the city of Williston.

Emphasizing the rights of railroads the Supreme Court of the United States declared unconstitutional the law of Nebraska requiring railroads to build switches to let all grain elevators along their tracks upon request, and called a halt in the attempt of the state of Arkansas to penalize an interstate rail for failure to supply cars enough to accommodate intra-state traffic.

The Senate passed a bill appropriating \$2,600,000 for the enlargement of the Capitol grounds. It authorizes the purchase of twelve blocks of ground and looks forward to the creation of an avenue 150 feet wide, extending from the union station to the Peace monument at the west side of Capitol park.

War on "blind users" and on "hootleggers" has been declared by the administration. This stand of the government has particular reference to violations of the internal revenue laws in "dry" country, where local enactment prohibits dealing in liquor.

Beef trust matters and other questions in which the Attorney General is interested were the subjects of a conference at the department of justice regarding the results of which none of those present were willing to say anything.

In constructing the law admitting to free entry household effects, the treasury department today ruled that automobiles, carriages, sleighs, harness and stables are not entitled to come in without charge.

Following the proclamation of a complete tariff agreement with Canada, it was announced that President Taft has invited Dominion government officials to a conference looking to closer trade relations between the two countries and to a general readjustment of duties.

Montana and Wyoming have been designated for settlement under the enlarged homestead act by Secretary of the Interior Ballinger.

Harley H. T. Jackson has resigned his assistantship in the zoology department of the University of Wisconsin to accept appointment to the Bureau of Biological Survey at Washington, D. C., where he will continue his work as an expert on mammals.

Approximately 25,000 acres of public lands in Montana were recently designated by Secretary of the Interior Ballinger for settlement under the enlarged homestead act, making a total area of 13,895,850 acres so designated in that state.

NEW YORK.

Crop, trade and industrial reports are rather more cheerful this week. This does not apply so much to actual immediate conditions as it does to great basic factors, likely to be effective in the future, and yet it may be said that the improvement is one of tone or sentiment rather than of actual expansion in demand or distribution. Indeed, except at a few markets, there is little apparent expansion to be chronicled, and on a basis of business done the turnover is probably little different from a week ago.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending with April 14 were 207, as against 210 last week, 201 in the like week of 1909, 261 in 1908, 167 in 1907 and 107 in 1906. Failures in Canada for the week numbered twenty-seven, which compared with twenty-six last week and twenty-seven in the corresponding week of 1909.—Branstreet's.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, 4.00 to 8.60; hogs, prime heavy, 7.00 to 8.15; sheep, fair to choice, 4.50 to 8.20; wheat, No. 2, \$1.00 to \$1.10; corn, No. 2, 56c to 57c; oats, standard, 40c to 42c; rye, No. 2, 77c to 78c; hay, timothy, \$10.00 to \$18.00; prairie, \$8.00 to \$14.50; butter, choice creamery, 27c to 32c; eggs, fresh, 18c to 21c; potatoes, new, 15c to 25c.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$8.25; hogs, good to choice heavy, \$7.00 to \$10.00; sheep, good to choice, \$3.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, \$1.06 to \$1.07; corn, No. 2 white, 58c to 60c; oats, No. 2 white, 42c to 43c.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$8.60; hogs, \$7.00 to \$9.25; sheep, \$4.50 to \$8.00; wheat, No. 2, \$1.06 to \$1.07; corn, No. 2, 58c to 59c; oats, No. 2, 40c to 41c; rye, No. 2, 78c to 79c.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$7.75; hogs, \$7.00 to \$9.90; sheep, \$3.00 to \$8.50; wheat, No. 2, \$1.12 to \$1.13; corn, No. 2 mixed, 58c to 60c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 42c to 43c; rye, No. 2, 84c to 86c.

Detroit—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$7.00; hogs, \$7.00 to \$10.85; sheep, \$3.50 to \$8.00; wheat, No. 2, \$1.08 to \$1.09; corn, No. 3 yellow, 58c to 60c; oats, standard, 44c to 45c; rye, No. 1, 79c to 80c.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 northern, \$1.06 to \$1.07; corn, No. 2, 59c to 60c; oats, standard, 42c to 43c; rye, No. 1, 78c to 80c; barley, standard, 60c to 67c; pork, mess, \$21.50.

Buffalo—Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$4.00 to \$8.65; hogs, fair to choice, \$8.00 to \$10.30; sheep, common to good mixed, \$4.00 to \$7.40; lambs, fair to choice, \$5.00 to \$9.35.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 mixed, \$1.07 to \$1.08; corn, No. 2 mixed, 58c to 59c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 43c to 44c; rye, No. 2, 78c to 79c; clover seed, \$7.25.

New York—Cattle, \$1.00 to \$9.00; hogs, \$8.00 to \$11.25; sheep, \$4.00 to \$7.50; wheat, No. 2 red, \$1.13 to \$1.14; corn, No. 2, 61c to 62c; oats, natural, white, 45c to 48c; butter, creamery, 28c to 31c; eggs, western, 19c to 23c.

State Fish and Game Warden George Lindholm of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, has been asked to suggest or propose some means of disposing of the herd of 200 red-tailed deer overrunning the farms of Potawatamie and Shelby Counties and doing great damage to farm crops.

The control of the Hocking Valley Railroad passed to the Chesapeake and Ohio, which Chairman Stephens and Chairman Trumbull of the Chesapeake were elected to similar offices in the Hocking board. The board issued for the purchase of Hocking are to be taken up by Morgan and other banking interests. At the same time the Toledo and Ohio passes to the control of the Lake Shore.

Through the mediation of Labor Commissioner Neill at Chicago there was a good prospect of peace being reached up between the firmen's union and the Western railroads.

THE MARKETS

