

A DAZZLING FUTURE

RAILROAD CHIEFS PREDICT WONDERFUL PROGRESS FOR SIOUX CITY.

NEW LINES ARE DOUBTFUL

Presidents of Great Northern and Burlington Systems Principal Guests at Family Dinner of the Commercial Club.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Sloux City, Ia.—Sloux City must work out her own destiny in the securing of better terminal facilities, Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, told 350 members and guests of the Commercial club at a "family dinner," Monday night, where he was the guest of honor.

Mr. Hill was gracious in his praise of Sloux City as a business center, going so far as to say that it had such a wonderful territory that it would require a long time to develop it to its capacity.

Market conditions of Sloux City were rated above those of St. Paul and Minneapolis, and Sloux City citizens were pronounced better spenders and better livered than those of Mr. Hill's own community.

Hale Holden, president of the Burlington line, another of the railroad guests at the "family dinner," complimented Sloux City upon its spirit of co-operation, but like Mr. Hill, made no promises of anything material for the city in the line of railroad building.

ACT BARS IOWA SHIPMENTS.

Nebraska Stock Association Establishes Ban.

Omaha, Neb.—Fearing a spread of the foot and mouth disease to herds of this state, the Nebraska live stock sanitary board Monday issued a stringent quarantine against cattle shipments from every state east of the Mississippi river, including Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, South Dakota, and a number of other western states.

Smallpox Among Legislators. Phoenix, Ariz.—Wholesale vaccination of members of the Arizona legislature here is prescribed by the city health authorities as protection against an epidemic.

British Needs Enormous.

London.—The introduction of the largest military budget in the history of Great Britain shared the stage in the House of Commons with a discussion of military of the official press bureau.

Woman's Will Probated.

Chicago.—An estate of \$3,150,000 was disposed of in the will of Edward G. Bremer, banker, which was probated here Monday. The widow is to receive most of it.

Cattle Plague Renewed.

Washington, D. C.—While reappearance of the foot and mouth disease in stock yards of some cities admittedly is a menace, the campaign against the plague, department of agriculture officials said, the new outbreak did not present as grave a situation as the original infection because it did not attack held on farms.

Minnesota Foundation for Research.

St. Paul, Minn.—A plan of Dr. William J. and Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., to establish a \$1,000,000 foundation for medical research and to place the foundation under certain restrictions in the hands of the University of Minnesota board of regents, was approved by the university medical college advisory board.

Warfare via London.

London.—Military orders have been issued prohibiting speculation in food or other necessities of war, under penalty of court-martial.

Illinois, Utah.—Three Mexicans were arrested near Delta, Utah, and are held for the murder of E. Kihara, the Japanese cotton sown, who prevented a possible wreck on the Salt Lake road by showing a signal torpedo on the track after he had been fatally injured.

Illinois, Tex.—A resolution to create a committee of the Fairbanks of west Texas to be reported to the state senate, to be reported to the state senate, to be reported to the state senate.

NEWS OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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A lodge of the Daughters of Rebekah has been organized at Dupree. Chief Officers A. O. Craig of Cheyenne agency has been transferred to another post.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Creley of Sloux Falls just celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Sloux Falls sportsmen are working in favor of longer season for prairie chickens in South Dakota.

The total losses in the recent fire at Rapid City reached close to \$200,000. The total insurance paid was \$58,400.

A number of carloads of horses have been shipped from Miller and Westington recently, designed for the world war.

Christ Huff, at Bowdler hospital, is recovering from an operation necessitated by pneumonia. His home is near Roscoe.

The new electric light system in Hayti has been completed and placed in operation. It is giving very satisfactory service.

Harry E. Mosher has purchased the interest of Robert H. Leach in the Dupree Hardware and Automobile company, at Dupree, and is now sole proprietor.

At the annual banquet of the Edgemont chamber of commerce, Congressman-elect Harry L. Gandy was the principal speaker, and chose for his subject, "Home Building."

Fort Pierre people are kicking because Uncle Sam has abolished the custom of sending the afternoon mail across the river from Pierre since the ice stopped the ferry from running.

The county commissioners have been petitioned to enlarge the Hazel school district. When the petition is granted it is planned to erect a new \$20,000 public school building here.

Chicken thieves in Aberdeen have been getting in their good work for the past several months. Many owners of fine flocks have reported to the authorities that some of the fine fowls have been lifted from their roost during the hours of darkness and thus far no person has been apprehended as the thief.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Spink County Pioneers' association it was decided to hold the annual meeting and banquet at Redfield on Thursday, February 25, and committees were named to prepare for the event. F. M. Crain is president of the association and A. F. La Brie is secretary.

At a meeting of the business men of Centerville, the Commercial club was reorganized and the following officers and directors elected: President, Hugh Langan; vice president, J. Haisler; secretary, Louis Berven; treasurer, Adam Volker; directors, C. M. Morgan, Oscar Johnson, W. J. Henrich, J. B. Lockhart, Dr. Svorstrom, M. K. Alexander, Robert Peterson, F. W. Fomnes, and the officers.

Druggist Levey, a prominent citizen of Brandt, was arrested on the charge of selling liquor in violation of the law, and when taken before Judge Sherwood entered a plea of guilty to the charge. He was fined \$300, which he paid. It was intimated that if he again violated the law in this respect his license as a pharmacist will be revoked and that a heavier penalty would be imposed.

Woonsocket is becoming one of the greatest poultry markets in the state or northwest. In one day recently local buyers purchased an aggregate of 25,000 pounds of poultry, which was shipped to the Chicago and other markets. A number of carloads of live and dressed poultry left Woonsocket earlier in the season. In the course of a year the aggregate shipments of poultry run into the hundreds of thousands of pounds.

Unanimous endorsement of the federal campaign for the eradication of hog cholera in Davison county was voted by the Davison County Hog Protective association, with 108 members present. It was voted in a set of resolutions that the disease is greatly being stamped out of the county. In 1913 the disease claimed 63 per cent of the swine in the county, and this year the loss is said to be about 18 per cent of infected herds.

Accused of forgery and check raising, W. C. Gilmore, said to be a well known dope fiend and crook of the eastern part of the state, was returned to Corson county by the sheriff of that county after his arrest at Rapid City on telegraphic authority. Gilmore is charged with forging the name of his father, who resides at Wapaha, this state, to a deed covering 120 acres in Stanley county to his wife. It is charged that he previously raised \$1,300 on the same land by a different transaction and was seeking to transfer it to his wife to check her suit for non-support.

The Florence law enforcement league has offered a standing reward of \$50 for evidence that will lead to the conviction of any person or persons violating the law by selling liquor illegally within the boundaries of Florence.

At a meeting at Webster of Sunday school workers it was decided to hold a convention of the Sunday schools of Day county in Webster on March 12. Among the prominent speakers will be General Secretary Miller of Huron, representing the state Sunday School association.

Former Sheriff Eugene Reilly, of Sloux Falls, is having more than his share of troubles. His mother died at her home at Burlington, Ia., but his two daughters were seriously ill and Mr. Reilly could not attend the funeral.

Nearly 300 people at Mandank hall have organized a Scandinavian society to fight the liquor traffic at Sloux Falls. A temporary organization was effected by Rev. Sylvester M. Orwell, pastor of St. Olaf Lutheran church, as president, and Professor G. C. Christopherson as secretary.

A "BLUE SKY" BILL

MEASURE WILL PROVIDE FOR DIFFERENT METHOD OF CHECKING.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

From the Capital City, the Various State Institutions and from Many Different Parts of the Sunshine State.

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Pierre.—The new bill which is being worked out to prevent the selling of "blue sky" in South Dakota provides for a different method of checking the vendors in the unstable commodity. Whereas under the old law it was left to the securities commission to determine whether or not investment companies seeking reasonable chance for investors to earn interest on their money, the plan now is merely to provide severe punishment for frauds in investment offerings. It is alleged that no commission can determine certainly the value of an investment. Instead of passing on investments they are now to enforce fraud laws, and it is believed the heavy penalties provided for fraud will check the disposition of fraudulent companies to operate in this state.

"Bunny Hug" Law O. K. The "bunny hug" law which gave South Dakota some notoriety in the freak legislation line two years ago, is not freak legislation at all, according to the sober judgment of the house, which by a decisive vote refused to take favorable action on the bill to repeal the act. One member went so far as to say it was the best law passed by the 1913 session. It prohibits the "grizzly bear," "snake wrestle," "turkey trot," "bunny hug" and all suggestive and immoral dances. The committee that had the bill to repeal the law under consideration thought best to leave it on the statute books and the house voted to sustain this decision 81 to 19.

Swapping Law Repealed.

South Dakota must get along without its famous "swapping law." In order to get rid of it as quickly as possible the house had passed an amendment and the law, one of the products of the legislative instincts of R. O. Richards of Huron, will be repealed as soon as the governor signs the bill. Incidentally the several counties of the state will have on hand some expensive 17-column blank filing books in which it was hoped by the author of the bill that laboring men would record their need of work and employers their need of labor with the result that the jobs and jobless would be brought together. The law never fulfilled its purpose, and so few made use of it that it was practically a dead letter.

Convict Labor Doomed.

Another important recommendation of Gov. Byrne in his annual message was emphatically endorsed when the senate, without a dissenting vote, passed McLean's bill abolishing the contract labor system for the work of convicts at the state penitentiary. As soon as existing contracts have expired the system will be abandoned, if the bill becomes a law, and measures are under way to employ the prisoners by doubling the capacity of the twine plant and providing more farm work.

Salaries of Officials.

The proposed constitutional amendment giving the legislature power to fix the salaries of state officials was amended by the senate on a previous day requiring a three-fourths vote to change salaries instead of two-thirds majority, which was provided in the bill as it came from committee. The margin by which this amendment was put in was very narrow, but it was confirmed by a much larger vote on a motion to reconsider, and the indications are that if the resolution passes it will contain this provision. It will not go far toward securing adequate salaries for South Dakota officials. The resolution is in the formative stage and will be badly mangled by the time it gets through both houses.

Senate.

On motion of Howell, the senate concurred in the house amendment adding the emergency clause to the bill repealing the Richards information bureau law. This clears the way for this bill to become a law and immediately effective.

McLean's bill to abolish the system of contracting convict labor passed the senate without a single dissenting vote. Senator Whittemore moved a reconsideration of the vote of the day previous by which the bill giving the legislature power to fix salaries of state officials was amended to make the necessary majority three-fourths instead of two-thirds. He said a three-fourths vote of the senate was 34. The Cherokee strip might defeat any proposal by the legislature to fix a salary. Sturges.

Among those who recently secured marriage licenses at Martin were well known members of the Brule Sloux tribe from the Rosebud reservation, bearing the unique names of Patrick Bitters and Emma Six Feathers.

The boys who were expelled from the public school at Gary have all been taken back on probation. It was later discovered that one of them had nothing to do with the harm wrought. Apparently the lesson has been well learned and it is hoped that they will profit by the experience.

D. L. Watson, editor of the Pierpont Signal and Adolph Wickre, of Langford, have decided to establish a weekly newspaper in Eden, which is one of the thriving new towns of that part of the state. The first number will be issued in the near future.

Aberdeen bakers have expressed their opinion that the price of bread in the city would be forced up immediately unless there was a sudden decline in the wheat market. The recent sudden rise in wheat has put the bakers in "hot water."

It is expected that F. C. Falkinburg, who at a postmaster election held at Scotland, received the highest number of votes, will in due season be appointed to the position. There were five other candidates for the place, and all agreed to submit the matter to a vote.

WILSON WARNS U. S.

PRESIDENT SAYS THERE IS A FOOD SHORTAGE IN THE WORLD.

AMERICA MUST FEED ALL

Urges More Grain Be Planted and Yield Per Acre Also Be Increased—Address Made Before Business Men of the Nation.

Washington, Feb. 5.—"There is a shortage of food in the world now. That shortage will be more serious a few months from now than it is now. It is necessary that we should plant a great deal more. It is necessary that our land should yield more per acre than it does now."

"It is necessary that there should not be a plow or a spade idle in this country if the world is to be fed."

In these words President Wilson addressed the people of the nation on Wednesday night through several hundred representative business men attending the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

The president declared that "we must all pool our interests" in order to discover the best means of handling public problems.

The creation of a spade idle in this country is in the United States in time of peace of the same kind of untied spirit which moves nations during war was advocated by the president, who remarked that "when peace is as handsome as war there will be no wars," and "when men engage in the pursuits of peace in the same spirit of self-sacrifice as they engage in war, wars will disappear."

Speaking of the foreign trade of the United States the president asked that leaving exporters in the United States to combine to secure common selling agencies and to give long-time credits in such a way that these co-operative devices may be open to the use of all.

He declared that apparently the antitrust laws prohibited such combinations now, but that he would favor a change if a method fair to all could be found. He spoke of the work being done by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce in "surveying the world" for the benefit of all business men.

Business men themselves are to blame if intelligent laws affecting them are not framed, the president asserted. He added that they should come out into the open and use their knowledge of conditions to bring about fair laws to prevent business evils.

The Mexican question was mentioned by Mr. Wilson as an example of the difficulty he had in getting accurate information.

RUSS WIN IN CARPATHIANS

Wounded Officer Asserts Czar's Troops Seized Pass-Germans Capture Town.

Lemberg, Galicia (via Petrograd), Feb. 5.—The snow-covered slopes of Dukla pass in the Carpathians were drenched in blood in the hand-to-hand fighting when the Russians for two days drove the Austro-German forces up the slippery paths and seized the pass, according to a Russian officer wounded in the battle, who arrived here on Wednesday.

Capture of the village of Humlin, east of Boffinow, and the taking of 4,000 prisoners mark the latest successes of General von Mackenzien's new advance upon Warsaw.

TEUTONS TO INVADE ENGLAND

German Emperor Arrives at Wilhelmshaven to Inspect Warships and Transports.

Copenhagen, Feb. 5.—The visit of Emperor William to Wilhelmshaven to inspect the German fleet, announced from Berlin on Wednesday, is thought to mean that the long-awaited naval battle in the North sea and a serious attempt to land a great army on the shores of England are at hand.

Enormous forces of troops are said to have been massed at Wilhelmshaven and scores of liners—idle since the war started—are lying in the harbor with a steam up ready to act as transports.

NINE KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Blast in Pennsylvania Town Wrecks Boarding House—Due to Leaking Gas.

Kane, Pa., Feb. 5.—Nine persons were killed and at least twenty-five injured, six fatally, in an explosion that completely wrecked a tenement boarding house at Mayburg, Pa., near Kane, on Wednesday. Several other persons were injured. Explosion caused by gas.

Flood Damage Is Severe.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—The passing of the general storm left the West and central West with crippled wire and railroad service and loss from floods which altogether will amount to several million dollars.

W. P. Wilson Is Dead.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 5.—W. P. Wilson, president of the Peeries Woolen mills of this city and a prominent figure in southern textile circles for years, died at Athens, Tenn., on Wednesday.

Increase in Rates Not Allowed.

Washington, Feb. 4.—A proposed increase from 9 1/2 to 11 cents on nails and wire from Kokomo, Ind., to Ohio river crossings over the St. Louis Southwestern, was denied by the Interstate body.

Charge Bore With Treason.

Pretoria, via London, Feb. 4.—Piet Grobler, a member of the parliament of the Union of South Africa, and a grandson of Paul Kruger, has been committed for trial on a charge of treason.

BRITISH SHIPS SUNK

FOUR STEAMERS TORPEDOED BY GERMAN SUBMARINES.

Persons on Board Forced to Take to Small Craft, but Given Time to Get Belongings.

London, Feb. 2.—Four British merchantmen, one of them the Ben Cruachan, have been torpedoed and sunk by the German submarine U-21 off Fleetwood, in the Irish sea. Their crews, compelled to take to the boats, were rescued by trawlers. One of the other steamers sunk was the Linda Blanche. The British steamer Killcoan and the Tokomaru were also reported sunk.

A German submarine torpedoed and sank the British steamer Kilcoan 18 miles northwest of Liverpool bar in the Irish sea. A dispatch from Havre tells of the sinking in the channel of the British steamer Tokomaru, carrying food supplies to Belgium, from a mysterious explosion which is believed here to have been caused by another submarine. The crew of 57 men were rescued by the trawler Hooper and taken to Havre, where they were landed.

The steamer Graphic, reaching the Mersey, reported that it had been chased by a submarine, but owing to superior speed it had managed to escape. The passengers and crew were panic-stricken. Fortunately, however, the Graphic was able to outsteam the hostile craft, which gave up the chase once the mouth of the Mersey was reached.

The members of the crew of the Ben Cruachan were able to save only a small portion of their belongings. The Linda Blanche's complement were more fortunate. They were permitted to get all their personal effects and to carry them with them into the boats.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES

Taylor, Mo., Feb. 1.—The body of a well-dressed man found on a farm near here furnished the sheriff with a mystery. A note on the body said the man's name was Herman Huenipohl of Quincy, Ill., and that he had "committed a terrible crime which sooner or later would be discovered."

London, Feb. 1.—Lionel Macklinas, a well-known English comedian, who was one of the first of a group of London actors who volunteered for service at the beginning of the war, has been killed at the front.

New York, Feb. 1.—Three thousand persons left the Academy of Music in two and one-half minutes when fire was discovered under the stage.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 3.—Five men were killed and several other persons injured by a falling wall on Monday at the ruins of the Brown & Sepler Implement Manufacturing plant.

London, England, Feb. 4.—The Italian reservists living in England have been warned to prepare to respond to a call to the colors.

Advices from Berlin are to the effect that the German government has abandoned all hope of keeping Italy and Roumania out of the war.

Washington, Feb. 3.—President Wilson told Chairman Tillman of the senate naval committee on Monday he believed congress should provide for two battleships this year and that he disagreed with Mr. Tillman's contention that none should be built this year but that four should be constructed next year on lessons of the European war.

MRS. ROGERS IS INDICTED

New York Grand Jury Returns Indictment Charging Murder on Two Counts Against "Love Wife."

New York, Feb. 1.—The Bronx county grand jury returned an indictment on Friday charging murder on two counts against Mrs. Ida Sniffen Rogers, the "love wife" of Lorry Elton Rogers. Mrs. Rogers caused the death of her two children by giving them bichloride of mercury. She is in Lebanon hospital suffering from the effects of the same drug and could not be removed, although a bench warrant was issued for her arrest.

27 TO FACE TRIAL MARCH 8

Judge Anderson Overrules Motion to Quash Indictments Against Terre Haute Men.

Indianapolis, Feb. 3.—Judge Anderson on Monday overruled motions to quash indictments against 27 accused vote traffickers and ordered them to trial on March 8. Congressman A. O. Stanley of Henderson, Ky., chief counsel for the defense, asked that the trial be set after the adjournment of congress.

Louisville "Cleaning Up."

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 4.—A "clean up" of Louisville, ordered by Mayor Buechemeyer to give work for the unemployed, was started and hundreds of men were sent out cleaning the streets. The men get \$1.75 a day.

Fined \$750 for Riding on Rail Pass.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Federal Judge Carpenter fined Abraham D. Rothchild \$750 for violating the interstate commerce law by riding on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway on an employee's pass.

Want Harvester Case Advanced.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The government moved in the Supreme court to advance for final hearing the appeal of the International Harvester company from the judgment of dissolution entered against it in Minnesota.

Raid Effects Cotton Market.

New York, Feb. 3.—The fact that Germany has started a campaign against British shipping caused an unfavorable effect on the local sentiment in the cotton market here. The local market was quiet.

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Simple Truth.

urate Editor (to reporter)—What do you mean by writing "Among the prettiest girls at the dance was captain Fitzball?" The captain is a man. I presume.

Reporter—Yes, but he was among the prettiest girls there the whole time!

WHEN KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE GLASS OF SALTS

Eat Less Meat if Kidneys Hurt or You Have Backache or Bladder Misery—Meat Forms Uric Acid.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. Nearly all salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

"Stonewall" Jackson.

Thomas Jonathan Jackson was born January 21, 1824, at Clarksville, Va., now West Virginia. His baptismal names have been almost forgotten in the greater fame of the name he won by his stout defense of a position at the first battle of Bull Run—"Stonewall." He was a graduate of West Point and served in the Mexican war of 1846, returning home as a major. In February, 1852, he resigned from the army and became professor in Lexington (Va.) Military Institute. Although at first opposing secession he was a champion of the Southern state's rights theory and in 1861 became colonel in the army of Virginia and subsequently was promoted to be major general in the Confederate army. His record in the war is familiar, as is his death through the error of his own men while making a reconnaissance May 2, 1863.

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The Requirement.

"There are many methods of punishing naughty children."

"Yes; but spanking takes the palm."