

Daily Eagle

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The Orient Road to Wichita.

The tying up, by the federal courts, of the affairs of the trust company of which Mr. Stillwell was president, no doubt, for the time being embarrassed the Kansas City and Orient railway enterprise, in which Wichita has taken such a lively interest...

The announcement is now made by men closely allied with the affairs of the Orient that arrangements have been practically completed for the immediate construction of the line between Wichita and Kansas City, to be followed by rapid work between this city and the Red river.

President Stillwell is in Monterey, Mexico, where he is in conference with parties interested in that section of the road, and to which point he had gone direct from New York.

Fails of Official Endorsement.

The mob methods of the Nation women are not endorsed by any one, a few local and other extremists excepted. The state president of the W. C. T. U., Mrs. Hutchinson, most emphatically and publicly denounces the unwarranted and unlawful raids of the Medicine Lodge smasher.

Joseph R. Burton, Senator.

Being the majority choice, and having received the unanimous vote of the Republican members of the Kansas legislature, the opportunities of a great future open up to J. R. Burton. A born orator and an expert politician there should follow statesmanship, popularity and usefulness.

Wichita Wants an Insane Asylum.

It is a fact that the world has held, at every stage of its age, fool fanatics, and that no fanatic ever proved so fanatical as to want followers in vain. The husband of one of Mrs. Nation's adherents informs the editor of the Eagle that his wife has been neglecting her home and children in her solicitude for others in whom she has nothing more than a sentimental or imaginary interest.

Mark Hanna a Union Soldier.

The announcement that Senator Mark Hanna is to join the G. A. R. and participate in the next national reunion comes as a surprise to most people. But it develops that Mr. Hanna did not enter the service till toward the close of the war because of religious scruples.

The Ubiquitous Pat Crowe Still at Large.

Public interest in the kidnappers of young Cudaby seems on the wane. The \$25,000 reward offered by the father and a like additional sum by the authorities, has failed totally of its aim. It was concluded that one Pat Crowe, a well known Chicago character, had a hand in the affair, but even he has neither been located nor captured.

of these unscrupulous scoundrels, who would not have hesitated to maliciously put out the boy's eyes, had the ransom not been forthcoming, than that they in escaping scot free should encourage a thousand repetitions of crime.

Repeat That Stamp Act.

Congress is making lavish appropriations, scattering millions upon millions, among the other wild extravaganzas being a \$50,000,000 appropriation for rivers and harbors, half or more of which is downright robbery and jobbery, and all because of the vast surpluses which find their way into the treasury through a war tax.

Uncle Sam's Big New Army.

Comparatively estimated the big standing army provided for in the new bill, which fixes the possible maximum of 102,000 men, is not big at all. It is a small standing army compared to the present population. The anti-imperialists who think they see danger to the republic in the increase of the military establishment are borrowing unnecessary alarm.

Panama and the Sierras.

Of Central and South America, our next-door neighbors, how little is actually known. These regions are a wonderland, a terra incognita to even the average American. The Riverside Press has just issued a book entitled "Panama and the Sierras," containing a hundred full-page illustrations, more or less, written by Dr. G. Frank Lyonston, a celebrated wanderer and traveler.

California the Greatest Fruit State.

Last year's crop of California raisins is estimated at about 57,000 tons. The prunes grown in the same state weighed about 60,000 tons. The oranges and lemons made 22,000 car-loads. They may have weighed 200,000 tons.

The mistress of the last George was corrupt beyond belief. All the rest of the princesses were not numbered. England was aimed heading for a French revolution. William IV. was unspokeably bad and dangerous. To all the perils a pure little woman succeeded and cleared away the storm with no other weapon than virtue and a love of the virtuous.

Public men do not do all the things dispatches make them do. The dispatches say that President McKinley was shocked when he heard of the queen's death. No one in all the world was shocked.

Every child of the English tongue, American and English, has heard his mother speak kindly of Queen Victoria. To that most the good old queen owed her rich fame.

Queen Victoria's greatest good remains the carrying of the virtue and demerit of the poor into the circles of royalty and stamping it there.

The thing to do with Laustak Meiko, the half-breed Creek, if he is really on the warpath, is to squat on him, and squat on him quickly.

Among Germans, English and Americans there is no nationality when it comes to doing honor to an exemplar of domesticity.

The Snake Indians will find that the United States is quite large, and then come.

There was no cry of: "The Queen is dead; long live the King!" in England.

No grief was ever great enough to suspend the kitchen work.

How sweet the death that follows a gentle life.

The Romance of Maurice Cohen

A big, square room, with the mental atmosphere that is diffused by many books. Maurice Cohen walked up and down his study and dictated to his secretary: "And peace and truth will work out in the end. Men and women, too, will have justice shown to them; only we must wait for these as for other things and possess our souls in patience."

"Maurice Cohen was not at all the Jew of the city or the Jew of the law. In fact, he had the broad white hair of a Jew, with the little hollow in the palm that doesn't easily let go that which it once possesses, but his eyes had the inherited pathos of centuries of suffering—the hopeless regret perhaps of that cry: "But zu would not!"

"Don't," she said, smiling at him. "It's horrid. When you talk like that you make things feel so 'glary,' as if you had avoided the electric light on life in general, and to more pungent than possible. 'And pink hazes are much more comfortable to live in.'" she finished.

"I'm not that rather a backneyed saint from a Christian Jew?" and she had the grace to look a little confused. Talking to her she always felt that there were a number of small points, edged round by little fences, into which it was best not to intrude.

"An author," he said, sententiously, "is like a spider; he spins his web of life out of his own soul." "Only we don't know that a spider has a soul," she objected. "Every one knows that a spider has a soul," he said, "but it is not so with us."

"I haven't written a decent line now for a week," he said. "I couldn't because—" "Web given out," she asked, "or soul?" "Both," he said, gravely, "I love you, dear."

"I love you," he said again, and took her hand as he said so. "You are a Jew," she said. "Yes," he answered, "but I am a man first. I believe as my fathers believed. Surely to you, too, it means something to think as your father did."

"My dear," he said, gently, and held her tightly. "Think what it means. It's your life and mine." "Yes, yes, I know," she said. "Oh, let me go. Let me go. Let me think." And with a little moan she broke away from him.

"Refections of a Spinster." (From the New York Journal.) If love's straight were good, pyramids would never have been invented. Good men are products of the imagination of religious women who have never married.

"One-Cent Egg." (From the Washington Post.) "Could you tell me the meaning of the word 'staidly'?" he asked of the street car passenger who was folding up his newspaper.

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Outlines of Oklahoma.

There is in territorial banks on deposit the considerable sum of \$1,700,000. Miss Emma Knous, of Stillwater, will soon leave for Africa to serve as a missionary.

The Creek Indians are a mixed Indian-negro race for the most part. Meiko, this rebel leader, contains in excess of one per cent of the total assessed property value, and inasmuch as the indebtedness of the territory is already nearly that much, no building can be provided for.

Noah Hardy has been appointed to a position in the school land office at Guthrie. The appointment came without solicitation to Mr. Hardy at Tonkawa, and at first he could not believe his eyes.

Charles Curtis thinks that in a very few years the free human provision will be extended to the land in the Kiowa and Wichita countries. But the free homes law does not now apply to them.

Those opposed to new legislation for the territory in Oklahoma say that the federal statute plainly provides against a territorial indebtedness in excess of one per cent of the total assessed property value.

The Atchison Globe refers to her as Helen D. Nation. Jacob Stotler, the veteran editor, is very ill at the home in Emporia.

There is considerable indignation at Atchison because a husband has taught his young wife how to smoke cigars. A Leavenworth minister by the name of Newman has got himself in trouble by nominating the state of his city.

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