

NEWSNOTES CONDENSED

A Boiling Down of the More Important Events Here and There

Washington.

The population of Detroit, Mich., is 466,766, an increase of 180,062, or 63 per cent, as compared with 286,704 in 1900.

Found guilty of leaving his post of duty before being relieved and of sleeping on watch, Lieutenant Grafton A. Beal, U. S. N., was reduced thirty-one numbers and publicly reprimanded by the secretary of state.

The population of Des Moines, Ia., is 86,368, compared with 61,129 in 1900. The population of Davenport, Ia., is 43,028, an increase of 7,774 or 22.1 per cent, as compared with 25,254 in 1900. The population of Milwaukee, Wis., is 373,857, an increase of 88,642, or 31 per cent, as compared with 285,215 in 1900.

Application for a writ of mandamus to compel Secretary of State Knox to submit state department records concerning the case of Dr. James E. Buckley of Chicago, who says he was refused help from the American embassy at Mexico City when he was threatened with imprisonment, was filed here in the district court.

Gifts of wine to warships of the American navy is not to be tabooed, despite the protests of the women's Christian temperance union, which recently protested to the navy against the presentation of 100 cases of California wine to the cruiser, California, to an association of California wine men. Acting Secretary Winthrop sent a telegram to the San Francisco branch of the women's Christian temperance union stating that he had been unable to find a regulation referred to by it as having been issued by former Secretary of the Navy John D. Long forbidding the use of wine on warships.

Foreign.

Reports are in circulation in the European press, emanating from Vienna, of a conference of the powers to determine the status of Crete. The Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung in a semi-official declaration expresses doubt of convocation of such a conference and holds that Turkey alone, as the owner of the island, could originate a proposal for such a conference which she has slight interest to do.

The text of the convention under which Korea is annexed to Japan was communicated to the representatives of the powers. The document, which was signed August 22, will be effective when officially promulgated. This will be, according to some of the ministers, August 29, or August 30, when the independent existence of the Hermit Kingdom, the struggle for whose control started the Russo-Japanese war, will cease.

Lisbon (Portugal) newspapers print alarming reports of an alleged plot of the clerical party for the overthrow of the Portuguese government and the establishment of a military dictatorship. The Seclo says the clerical party's strong and growing dissatisfaction with the liberal policy of the government has culminated in the organization of a revolution to overthrow the administration, seize its members and set up a military dictatorship, the first object of which will be to stamp out the republicans.

General.

Roosevelt declares the old guard will get all the fighting they want.

The revolutionary army in Nicaragua is close to the gates of the capital.

William J. Bryan will support G. M. Hitchcock of Omaha for election to the senate.

Mayor Gaynor, New York, shot by a would-be assassin, is now considered out of danger.

Speaker Cannon refuses to be dumped, and says he will continue as a candidate for speaker.

The British cruiser Benbow went on the rocks off the coast of Korea, and eighty-one lives were lost.

Eight Americans, names unknown, were arrested on the Isla of Pines on the charge of homicide and arson.

Nicholas Longworth came out plainly and strongly in opposition to the re-election of Cannon as Speaker.

Burlington sells bonds for the Colorado and Southern and will complete line between Denver and Cheyenne with the proceeds.

Crippen, alleged wife slayer, and Miss Leneve, his accomplice, are on the way back to London for trial.

The government of Ecuador issued a decree establishing a period of national mourning as a sign of sympathy with the people of Chile at the death of the late President Montt of Chile.

"Captain" Jack Castle, an aeronaut of Louisville, Ky., died in a hospital at Evansville, Ind., from injuries received at Mt. Vernon, Ill., when his balloon exploded at a height of 200 feet and he fell to the ground in front of an amphitheater.

Cholera in Italy is greatly on the increase.

The cholera situation in southern Italy is becoming alarming.

Alarming reports of a plot to overthrow the Portuguese government are printed in Lisbon.

Roosevelt will not take part in the campaign in New York.

Cannibalism played a strong part in the Georgia primaries.

The Estrada government in Nicaragua is tottering to a fall.

Senator La Follette is directing his campaign from his farm home.

The daughter of Governor Haskell of Oklahoma will study for the stage.

Forest fires are on the increase in the west, attended with much loss of life.

General Estrada will assume the post of provisional president of Nicaragua.

Banker Lillis says he will not marry former Mrs. Jack Cudahy—or any other woman.

The Ohio state fair will be held at Columbus, notwithstanding the street railway strike.

The constitutional amendment proposition was carried in the late Nebraska primary.

Ex-President Roosevelt is now on his 5,000 mile journey. He will be in Omaha September 2.

Many lives were lost and much property destroyed in the forest fires of Idaho and Montana.

Great Britain's new battleship, the Lion, is to be the biggest and fastest naval fighter in the world.

Washington officials are convinced that incendiaries are responsible for the northwest forest fires.

It is likely that at least one hundred people have lost their lives in the forest fires of the west.

Colonel Roosevelt is expected to give voice to some burning thoughts on his trip through the west.

Mayor Gaynor of New York has now so far recovered from his wounds that he takes exercise daily.

Should the democrats control the next house they will have a taste of insurgency in their own ranks.

Moissant, the American aviator, made a daring flight across the English channel, carrying a passenger.

Gov. Shallenberger of Nebraska accepts Dahlman's plan to waive legal technicalities and recount entire state vote.

Captain, D. J. McGuire of the Lincoln (Neb.) police force died of heart failure while driving the patrol wagon.

The democratic primary vote for governor in Nebraska is so close that the official count will be required to determine.

On his own admission, Governor Campbell will not stand by the platform demands of the Galveston democratic state convention.

The independent democratic state committee of Tennessee has called a convention of the party to be held in Nashville on September 14.

According to a statement F. Augustus Heinze, the copper man, and Miss Bernice Henderson, an actress, will be married in New York this week.

The Nebraska primary vote shows a small majority for Dahlman, but his competitor, Gov. Shallenberger, desires a recount in a number of counties.

The postmaster general has accepted the proposal of Mrs. Lina P. Sawyer to lease present quarters of station C of Lincoln postoffice for ten years.

The bullet would in Mayor Gaynor's neck has healed on the outside and the irritation of the throat caused by granulation on the inside has ceased.

General George W. Gordon, commander-in-chief of the united Confederate veterans, has been renominated for congress by the democrats of the tenth district of Tennessee.

While plowing on his father's land at Spa, Ky., David Coursey dug up a box containing \$500 in gold and notes which were buried during the civil war. All were in good condition.

Workmen doing street work on Lake street in the very center of Reno, Nev., uncovered a ten-foot ledge of copper. Several hundred pounds of the metal was extracted.

In a midnight duel in a cottage in King City (Cal.) between Frederick W. Becker and N. F. Tognazzini, both residents of that town, Becker was killed and Mrs. Becker and her father, W. D. Fowler, were wounded.

The pope received in private audience in the hall of consistory a group of 150 Americans, including a delegation of fifty members of the Knights of Columbus. The delegation was conducted by Rev. M. J. McGivney of Middletown, Conn., national chaplain of the Knights of Columbus.

Personal.

President Taft will favor a further revision of the tariff.

Senator Warner of Missouri does not desire re-election.

President Roosevelt makes a speech in Omaha Sept. 2.

There is fear of great loss of life in the forest fires of the west.

The wife of Jack Cudahy, Kansas City, has been given a divorce.

Mr. and Mrs. "Jack" Cudahy have been legally separated by the courts.

Roosevelt delivered his first address on his western tour at Utica, N. Y.

The name of Senator Owen was brought into the Indian contract cases.

Congressman McKinley declares the next house will have a republican majority.

Wilkinson Call, former United States senator from Florida, died from cerebral hemorrhage.

POLICE CAPTAIN DIES

SUCCUMBS TO HEART FAILURE WHILE DRIVING PATROL.

HAPPENINGS OVER THE STATE

What is Going on Here and There That is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska and Vicinity.

Lincoln, Neb.—Captain Dominic J. McGuire of the police department fell dead while driving the police patrol wagon. The captain had left the station shortly before 7 o'clock en route for his residence at 139 North Eighteenth street. At Eighteenth and O streets the captain suddenly lurched forward, at the same time calling to Officer Lenz, who was with him, to catch him. Hans Boegh, who is an old friend of the captain's and who was standing nearby, rushed out to the wagon which the officer had stopped and took the unconscious captain in his lap. Officer Lenz then rushed the patrol to the captain's residence, but before they could arrive the captain was dead.

Methodist Church is Destroyed. Tecumseh, Neb.—The Methodist Episcopal church at Sterling burned to the ground Thursday morning. Fire was caused by painters at work on the exterior.

The chimney fell on Henry Delaney, a volunteer fire fighter, and fatally injured him. Both legs and an arm were broken and he suffered internal injuries. The church cost \$3,500; insurance, \$2,500.

Talk of Commissioner System. York, Neb.—The question of changing from the present board of twenty supervisors to the commissioner system of three or five is being agitated in the county and petitions will be circulated to secure the requisite number of electors so that the question can be submitted at the November election.

River Steamer at Nebraska City. Nebraska City, Neb.—The steamer City of Peoria is here operating with her barges as an excursion steamer, and will remain for some time.



The Lincoln Ad club will hold a corn carnival September 23d.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the hotel, butcher shop and a cream receiving station at Pauline.

William Bullard of Fremont, who was struck by a train at Omaha Friday night, died Sunday night. He had a broken back.

The Franklin county fair will be held September 13 to 16.

The Free Methodists at Ainsworth are building a parsonage.

Reports from Johnson county corn fields are most encouraging. Some farmers are of the opinion the county will produce more corn than it did last year.

Alfred Fowler of Fremont claims the state record for long distance diving, having dived 129 feet in the Y. M. C. A. tank at that place in a recent contest.

A. H. Bartler has been elected secretary of the Stella Commercial club, and arrangements have been made for a one-day picnic in Nutter's grove on September 15.

While attempting to board a moving train at Lincoln, Frank Osborne, a member of the Burlington line gang, had his right leg amputated between the ankle and knee.

The state W. C. T. U. has arranged for a series of good citizenship meetings at the state fair, to be held in the auditorium immediately following the forenoon concerts.

A cut-off ditch 1,100 feet long is to be constructed at the Nickerson bridge over the Elkhorn river to keep the river from cutting around the bridge and into an old channel.

Fire which broke out in the building occupied by Nicholas Fritz at Pender spread to the Palace hotel and adjoining buildings, causing damage estimated at more than \$50,000.

The Watson hotel at Nebraska City was sold Monday at an administrator's sale for \$13,000 to the heirs of the late Jacob Siehl. They bid it in rather than see it go at that price.

Deputy United States Marshal Seth Bulluck is taking young Archibald Roosevelt over to see the Indians in their native grounds at Valentine, also to go on a hunting trip while there.

Ed. Kelley, a South Omaha boy, had two toes bitten off by a snapping turtle or some other marine monster, while he was bathing in a drainage ditch one day last week.

Hastings is planning to have a harvest home festival some time in October.

Through the efforts of the officers of the Gage County Agricultural society a government specialist on hog diseases will be at Beatrice during the county fair and give lectures on serum treatment for hog cholera.

The mill dam at Seward was partly swept out Saturday evening by the high water caused by the big rains west of Seward last week. A large amount of work and expense will be required to repair the damage.

Captain Arnt of Beatrice killed eleven young rattlesnakes one day last week. He made "the cleaning" in half an hour, and he considers it a pretty good piece of work.

Nearly a hundred dead sheep were taken from cars in the Fremont railroad yards in one day last week. The sheep were being taken to the markets at South Omaha and Chicago from the western plains.

C. J. Kavalec, aged 39 years, a prominent resident of Brainard, Neb., was crushed by the automatic elevator in the Alamo hotel at Denver, sustaining injuries from which he died half an hour later.

The state cases which have been pending against the baseball teams of Seward and Red Cloud for alleged violation of the state law by engaging in a game on Sunday, June 19, have been dismissed.

The Ingleside band, at Hastings, dedicated its handsome new bandstand Tuesday night by the rendition of a concert of eight numbers. A large crowd attended, there being thirty-five automobiles in the party.

The Platte river at Fremont is fully three feet higher than it usually is at this time of the year, the rise being due to the recent heavy rains. The Elkhorn is also close to bank-full and other minor streams are in like condition.

Chief R. Woelke of the Beatrice fire department has been appointed fire warden at a salary of \$100 a year. It will be his duty to inspect the alleys and cellars in the business section of the city and to report monthly to the city council.

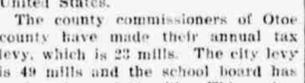
Charles K. Coutant, one of the pioneers of Nebraska and a prominent citizen of Omaha for over forty years, died at his home Tuesday morning. His illness was not of long duration, but his health had been failing for some time.

The Custer county fair of 1910 will open September 13. Large sums of money have been expended on improving the grounds, while the new \$2,000 stables have sheltered, for some time past, a line of fine running and trotting stock in training for the coming fair.

Following the report of a few days ago that a company of capitalists had been formed to build a railroad from Wichita, Kan., to Beatrice, making these two cities terminals, comes the report that surveys will be in the field early next month and make a technical survey.

The annual state meeting of the Adventists of Nebraska has opened at York and will continue until September 4. Over 150 tents have been erected. It is expected that more than 1,000 people will be in attendance and this will include many prominent Adventists from different parts of the United States.

The county commissioners of Otoe county have made their annual tax levy, which is 23 mills. The city levy is 49 mills and the school board has made a levy of 26 mills. This makes a total of 98 mills, which is the highest tax levy the city has had in years, while the county levy is one mill lower than last year.



Owing to the bad condition of his knee, which has given him no little amount of pain and annoyance of late, Governor Shallenberger has cancelled all of his speaking engagements.

The farmers' national congress, which will meet in Lincoln October 6, with an attendance of at least 2,000 delegates and possibly more, hopes to see following upon the heels of the postal savings bank bill a parcels post law.

Joe Bartos, a banker of Wilber and a brother of Senator F. W. Bartos, has been appointed state bank examiner. The banking board comprises Auditor Barton, Treasurer Brian and Attorney General Thompson. The board appointed Mr. Bartos by unanimous vote.

The state board has decided to buy some more goods for the state and run a deficiency bill, depending upon the next legislature to pay the cost. It will ask for bids for a new boiler at the state penitentiary, an engine at the industrial home for women at Milford and a boiler for the home for feeble minded youth, at Beatrice.

An opinion has been rendered by an attorney general which validates certain ballots over which there had been some discussion. This is in cases where the markings had all been made in one column, but names of candidates on another ticket had been written in. The advice of the attorney general is that such ballots are perfectly valid, but that the names of the candidates written in cannot be counted.

Senator Burket has received an invitation to attend a banquet of the business men of St. Louis and the Missouri republican editorial association in that city September 23.

The Germans of the state of Nebraska will celebrate what they call "German day" in Lincoln on the 5th and 6th of October next. This is in memory of the landing of the first German settlers in this country. The annual convention will be held there and will consist of delegates from all the German societies of all kinds in the state.

GLAD TO STEP DOWN

EMPEROR OF KOREA SHOULDERS TROUBLES ON JAPAN.

HERMIT KINGDOM IS NO MORE

Treaty Between the Two Empires is Made Public at Washington—Existing Treaties Will Be Extended.

Washington.—A treaty between Japan and Korea, by which the "hermit kingdom" was annexed as a sovereign part of Japan, has been made public at the state department. A declaration of the Japanese government concerning the effect of the annexation upon powers enjoying treaties with Japan is also made public.

Existing Korean schedules covering imports from foreign countries, and regulations governing coasting trade, will continue fourteen years. The United States specifically is acquainted with the fact that the copyright and patent laws of Japan will be extended to Korea.

The declaration of the Japanese government follows in part:

Notwithstanding the earnest and laborious work of reform in the administration of Korea, in which the governments of Japan and Korea have been engaged for more than four years, since the conclusion of the agreement of 1905, the existing system of government in that country has not proved entirely equal to the duty of preserving public order and tranquility, and, in addition, the spirit of suspicion and misgiving dominates the whole peninsula.

In order to maintain peace and stability in Korea, to promote the prosperity and welfare of the Koreans, and at the same time to insure the safety and repose of the foreign residents, it has been made abundantly clear that fundamental changes in the actual regime of government are absolutely essential. The governments of Japan and Korea, being convinced of the urgent necessity of introducing reforms responsive to the requirements of the situation and of furnishing sufficient guarantee of the future, have, with the approval of his majesty the emperor of Japan, and his majesty the emperor of Korea, concluded through their respective plenipotentiaries a treaty providing for the complete annexation of Korea to the empire of Japan.

By virtue of that important act, which shall take effect on its promulgation on the 29th of August, 1910, the imperial government of Japan undertakes the entire government and administration of Korea.

A receipt by the Japanese emperor says that in 1905 Korea was placed under the protectorate of Japan, but that notwithstanding the partial success of the existing government, Korea was unable to preserve order. Suspicion and misgiving permeated the peninsula, and therefore, in concert with the emperor of Korea, he arrived at a plan for the permanent annexation of Korea.

The emperor expresses the belief that the Korean in the future will enjoy prosperity and that the new status will serve as a fresh guarantee for the enduring policy of the orient.

Managua is Formally Surrendered. Washington.—A telegram announcing the formal surrender of Managua was received here. It said that Acting President Estrada had delivered to General Mena, one of the insurgent leaders, the palace fortress, prisons, and all other government property. Generals Juan Estrada and Chamorro were reported by the telegram to be on the way from Granada to Managua.

Gaynor is Himself Again. New York.—Mayor Gaynor was taken from St. Mary's hospital at Hoboken Sunday to "Deep Wells," his country place at St. James, L. I. He bore the trip well, but his insistent plea to be allowed to walk unaided resulted in three distressing incidents. Once he sank to his knees as he tried to enter an automobile, and in ascending the steps of his house he fell on all fours from over-exertion.

Socialistic Congress. Copenhagen.—The international congress has opened here with 900 delegates and 700 guests in attendance. Among the delegates are thirty Americans.

Rain Checks the Fires. Seattle.—Rain has come to the aid of the fire-fighters. If the showers continue danger of the forest fires that have been raging in western Washington is past.

Montenegro is a Kingdom. Cetinje.—Montenegro has been formally elevated to the status of a kingdom with King Nicholas I. as its ruler. The members of parliament gathered in parliament house, where the te deum was sung and proclamations were sent throughout the country announcing the event. From early morning deputations from all parts of the country and from Dalmatia, Albania, old Serbia and Italy, many in their national costumes, marched past the palace singing and cheering.

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