

Iron County Register

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BRANTON, MISSOURI

Marriage is a failure only when one or both parties to it are failures.

A man can quit any job he holds whenever he feels like it, except being married.

We seem to be on the verge of important discoveries in navigation among the clouds.

The trouble with the average man is he knows how to run every man's business but his own.

Evidently nature's scheme to save the sinner by making it both unassuming and repulsive is a failure.

The man who allowed a cheque for \$150 must have some personal knowledge of undigested securities.

France, as its families grow smaller, looks with increasing pleasure on a partnership with its old enemy, John Bull.

It is proposed to boost the pay of the kaiser without first advertising to see if any one will take the job for less money.

Prof. Lowell, the astronomer, believes the earth is drying up. It is evident he hasn't been in these parts in recent weeks.

A German scientist has discovered that women's feet are growing larger. Horrid man! What did he want to discover that for?

The czar of Russia at the age of 40 is said to be an old man. Being a czar is apparently about as hard as working for a living.

A Black Hand agent demanded \$5,000 from Hettie Green, but she refused to give up until she saw the nature of the securities.

You may have noticed how much easier it is to exchange your money for experience than it is to swap your experience for money.

It is a large question whether the suffragettes in England would be willing to surrender the privilege of rioting in exchange for the ballot.

Two more automobile demonstrators have been fined for scorching. Counter demonstrations by the courts are absolutely necessary to stop the practice.

The mikado's daughter has landed as a husband Prince Tsunesiwa Tsakada, thereby removing one more danger from the path of American heiresses.

Pittsburg declined an offer of the loan of \$1,000,000 from New York. The Smoky city wishes it distinctly understood that it has millionaires of its own to burn.

For the 12 months ended March 31, 1907, London's consumption of water amounted to 82,125,249,347 gallons, representing a daily average supply of 23 gallons a head.

Of the \$1,400,000 thus far raised for the construction of the Liverpool cathedral about \$825,000 remains unexpended; and probably will suffice for the next five years.

A man in Arkansas had to pay \$1,500 and costs for dynamiting fish. He should confine himself to the less expensive pastime of dynamiting street cars or burning tobacco barns.

Speaking of happiness in married life, the only sure way to secure it, no matter what the lecturers and magicians say, is to fall in love and remain that way all the rest of your life.

Perhaps what ailed the young man who lost 22 positions in five years was that no one hired him at a generous salary to watch the ball games in summer and take notes in winter on indoor sports.

One of our noble policemen, says the Chicago Daily News, has won the girl of his choice because he proved himself a hero. There are other men who consider the simple act of getting married exalted heroism.

The howery mission of New York has so far this year supplied 233,000 meals and nearly 11,000 lodgings to homeless men and boys, its early morning bread line being one of the most pathetic sights in the world.

Exports of iron and steel from the United Kingdom for the first three months of the current calendar year show a decline compared with the corresponding months of last year of 279,000 tons in volume and of \$9,195,251 in value.

One Atlantic steamer noticed a water spout that filled the air with a school of porpoises. It would have been great had some of our flying machines been there. The operators could have thrown out hook and line and gone fishing in the air.

There have been some exports of gold. But so is American wheat going abroad, large shipments having been made from New York. This is last year's grain, and the foreign demand at this season is somewhat exceptional. It shows that the old world is in need of food supplies and that the United States is the place to find most readily what is wanted. And while we are shipping food to other nations, remarks the Troy (N. Y.) Times, there is little danger of the export of gold attaining harmful proportions.

Writing her impressions of men in America, Elinor Glyn finds them not so well read as Englishmen or Frenchmen. They do not go out to dinners much, being too busy, and they do not generally go into politics, finding that occupation uninviting. From which we infer that Mrs. Glyn encountered chiefly men whose minds were largely engrossed in business during her sojourn over here, and that they talked shop to her. She would have done better to have made her field of observation somewhat wider and more comprehensive.

BELLS TOLL FOR CLEVELAND RITE

EX-PRESIDENT BURIED WITH SIMPLE CEREMONIES.

PRES. ROOSEVELT ATTENDS

Eulogy of the Dead and Song Service Dispensed With—Soldiers Guard President Roosevelt.

Princeton, N. J.—Carrying out the wishes of her late husband, Mrs. Grover Cleveland insisted that his funeral Friday afternoon should be of the simplest possible character. Never before has a former President of the United States been laid to rest with such absence of pomp and ceremony.

No one was invited to attend except personal friends and former associates of the former President of the United States, and only those who requested it received an invitation.

Those who followed the hearse to the cemetery and the order of their carriages are:

Dr. Henry an Dyke, Dr. W. R. Richards, Rev. F. W. Beach, Rev. M. V. Bartlett, the clergy.

Mrs. Cleveland (wife), Richard Cleveland (son), Dr. Joseph Bryant (physician).

Miss Rose Cleveland (sister), Miss Esther Cleveland (daughter), Cleveland F. Bacon (nephew), Miss Mary Hastings (niece) of Hartford, Conn.; Prof. and Mrs. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Huddleston, Princeton, and Mrs. John F. Finley of New York, Mrs. Richard Watson Gilder, Mr. George Shipley, Miss Heckler (nurse), Charles Rogers.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt, Secretary Loeb.

Secret Service men (four), Chief Justice Fuller, Gov. Fort, Gov. Hughes, Secretary Cortelyou.

Ex-Secretary John G. Carlisle, ex-Secretary William F. Vilas, Mrs. Daniel S. Lamont, Mrs. John S. Hibben, Ex-Secretary Richard Olney, ex-Secretary Charles S. Fairchild, ex-Secretary David R. Francis, ex-Attorney Generaludson Harmon.

Ex-Secretary Hilary A. Herbert (Washington), ex-Secretary and Gov. Hoke Smith (Georgia), Senator Keen of New Jersey, Senator Griggs of New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hastings, New York; Mr. Joseph Bryant, Miss Florence Bryant.

Mrs. Wilson S. Bissell, Mrs. Daniel Manning, Mr. and Mrs. St. George Tucker.

Dr. and Mrs. Gibson (Princeton), Dr. George Carnochan (New York), Dr. Lockwood.

Mr. Charles Goodyear, Gen. Anson McCook, Dr. St. Clair McKelway (Brooklyn), Mr. Parquhar.

Dean Fine and trustees of university.

Bishop McFall, Trenton; Father Leahy, pastor St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church.

Representatives of Equitable Life.

Mrs. Junius Morgan, Miss Sarah Morgan, Mrs. George B. McClellan, Mrs. Henry Satterlee.

Randolph West, Mrs. A. D. Russell, Mrs. Howard McClellan, Albert D. Boyden.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armour, Mrs. Cleveland H. Dodge (New York), Mrs. Bayard Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Colgate (New York), Charles R. Crane, Roland Gilder.

T. F. Bissell, G. R. Bacon, H. H. Topkay, Pension Commissioner.

T. H. Harrison Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Garrett, Baltimore.

Scores of beautiful floral offerings and telegrams and cables of sympathy poured into the stricken Cleveland home Friday.

Mark Twain sent this: "He was a man I knew, loved and honored for 25 years. I mourn for you."

In the broad central hall of the Cleveland home the clergyman who officiated read the Presbyterian burial service. The hearse, followed by probably 50 carriages, then moved through the center of the town, and while from Princeton's ivy-clad tower is tolled the passing bell, the mortal remains of her greatest citizen were borne to the grave.

There the casket was placed in an unmarked plot shaded by spruce and maple, directly beside the ivy-covered grave of the former President's first daughter, Ruth.

There was no firing, no singing and no eulogy at the grave. Simplicity as great as possible was observed.

"It was Mr. Cleveland's wish," says Mrs. Cleveland, "and that is a sufficient reason."

Mrs. Cleveland opposed any military display, but as President Roosevelt had signified his wish to attend she agreed that there should be mounted troops and policemen along the line of march, as a measure of protection for the Chief Magistrate.

Ten, Ill and Crippled, Pardoned. Frankfort, Ky.—Acting Governor Cox Wednesday pardoned ten crippled and infirm convicts who have been charged on the state for years. They were released Thursday. This is the greatest number of prisoners discharged at one time in 30 years. Four are blind, three are dying from consumption, one with white swelling, one from an injury received on a machine in the prison, and one who has served 22 years for malicious cutting and flogging.

Prouty Refuses to Give Up. Des Moines, Iowa.—Notwithstanding the fact that the practically complete official count of the ballots cast for congressman in the Seventh Iowa district give Congressman J. A. T. Hull a majority of 46 votes, Judge S. F. Prouty does not concede his defeat.

TO END TURK'S RULE

ENGLAND TO PUT A STOP TO REIGN OF MURDER.

MAY RESULT IN A BLOODY WAR

Outrages and Misrule in Macedonia Call for Action of the Powers.

London—That England plans to end of Turkish misrule in Macedonia with its long record of murder and outrages is the information dropped by a member of the foreign office. While the information is in the nature of a "leak," its reliability cannot be questioned.

In the recent meeting between King Edward and Emperor Nicholas, at Reval, this subject was discussed, and it was agreed that international understanding with regard to Macedonia, similar to the Algeiras agreement in respect to Morocco, was imperative.

The United States will be invited to join with Russia in dominating the international conference on the Macedonian situation.

It is believed that England wishes to join with Russia in dominating the Balkans as France dominates Morocco. The admitted misrule of Turkey will be urged in favor of the new plan. It is certain that Germany will oppose the proposed plan.

The German Empire is none too friendly to England and Russia, owing to her belief that the recent meeting between the rulers of these nations had the further isolation of Germany as one of its subjects.

Hints at Bloody War.

Berlin—Information received here shows that Turkey will resist with all her might the plan of England and Russia to wrest control of Macedonia from her. Turkey believes that France will join actively in support of the Anglo-Russia scheme, and she is fearful that the influence of these three will be powerful enough to win.

An article appearing in the Taglihernschan, apparently voicing the sentiments of the Turkish embassy, hints at a bloody war should the proposed issue be forced upon Turkey.

As a check to the designs of England and Russia, the Porte proposes a system of reforms in Macedonia and the suppression of the warring bands that have created so much disorder and distress in that country.

FIRE VICTIMS MEMORIAL.

Hospital in Chicago to Commemorate Iroquois Disaster.

Chicago, Ill.—An emergency hospital as a memorial to the victims of the Iroquois theater fire is to be given to the city. The building will be located at 87 Market street, for which the city will sign a 99-year lease.

According to present plans, the first floor will be occupied as an ambulance station, the dispensary will be on the second floor, and the operating room and beds will be on the third.

The furnishing will be done by the Iroquois Memorial Association, under the supervision of Health Commissioner Evans, but the hospital will be operated by the city.

To Swim 60-Mile River Race.

Lawrence, Kas.—To prove their prowess as swimmers and settle the disputed point as to their respective abilities, Carl Kurz of this city and Charles R. Harling of Sedgewick will swim a 60-mile race down the Kaw river, from here to Kansas City, on July 4. Kurz, who did some daring swimming during the recent flood, issued the challenge and Harling accepted it Saturday.

Asleep, Jumps From Train.

Savannah, Ia.—Miss Jessie Schilling, 20 years old, en route from Chicago to her home in Washington state, jumped from a Burlington train window while asleep near here Friday. The train was stopped and the girl, unconscious, was picked up and brought to Savannah, where she is in a serious condition. Miss Schilling is a somnambulist.

Engineer Killed; Eight Hurt.

Hazleton, Pa.—A Pennsylvania railroad passenger train from Pottstown for Nescopee, Pa., was wrecked at Lofty on the mountains near here at 6:30 a. m. Saturday and the engineer is reported to have been killed and eight passengers hurt. The wrecked train was running on the tracks of the Lehigh Valley railroad.

Mob Gathers at Jail.

Omaha, Neb.—A crowd gathered around the county jail late Friday night with the announced intention to lynch James Bond, convicted of the murder of a South Omaha saloonkeeper named John Wrede. The crowd gathered quietly and at midnight there was a mob of 200 in the vicinity of the jail. They were most-ly packing house men from South Omaha.

Takes Two Poisons, Shoots Self.

Yonkers, N. J.—"Thirty days and a bath every day" was the sentence in court here for Jacob Dash, 16 years old. The boy's father said he was so lazy he wouldn't undress or bathe and had been wearing a shirt six months.

Found Dead Near Evansville, Ind.

Evansville, Ind.—The dead body of Kasper Promme, once a prominent business man of this city, was found in the woods near here and indications point to suicide.

Street is Named After Taft.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—A street in this city has been named after the Republican presidential nominee, Taft street, and so proud are the residents that it is placarded from end to end with pictures of W. H. Taft and announcements that it is Taft street.

Built Grant's Tomb; Dead.

New York—Charles Bolles Canfield, builder of the Grant sarcophagus on Riverside drive, died of heart failure at his home, 2523 Broadway. He was born in 1830 in Hartford, Conn.

GOMPERS IN SEARCH OF A PLATFORM.



INSULTS ENGLAND

SHAH'S TROOPS ORDERED FROM BRITISH LEGATION.

RESENT PRESENCE OF TROOPS

Refugees Are Protected There and Action of Cossacks Taken as Insult.

Teheran—The British legation has demanded the withdrawal of the Shah's Cossacks from the legation grounds by 6 p. m.

Several of the Constitutional party leaders took refuge within the British legation following Tuesday's battle. Since then the Shah's soldiers have been keeping watch over the legation to prevent the escape of these men.

England considers this a rank insult, and unless her order is obeyed the most serious consequences are expected.

Shah's Life in Jeopardy.

St. Petersburg—The latest dispatches from Teheran indicate that the Shah is suppressing the rebellion in the capital. Reports from the provinces indicate a widespread revolution with the reformers generally successful.

TO WELCOME LEITERS.

Elaborate Preparations Are Being Made at Zeigler, Ill.

Duquoin, Ill.—Elaborate preparations are being made by the people of Zeigler, the well-known mining town southeast of Duquoin, to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter of Washington on their bridal trip to that place. It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Leiter, with a party of friends, will come down by automobile from Chicago.

As a mark of appreciation for the gift presented Mr. and Mrs. Leiter by the residents of Zeigler, Mr. Leiter reciprocated by remembering each of the 300 families in his town with a gift.

MOTHER DROWNS CHILDREN.

Mrs. Johnson of Ida Grove, Ia., Then Attempts to Kill Herself.

Ida Grove, Iowa—While temporarily insane, Mrs. August P. Johnson drowned her four little children in the cistern at their farm home, a mile south of town, Thursday. The youngest was about one year old and the eldest about six. There were two boys and two girls. Her husband was in the field at the time. After she had drowned the four children she tried to drown herself, but neighbors and people from town came running in and rescued her.

Spanish Naval Vessel at Havana.

Havana, Cuba—The schooner Nautilus, the first Spanish naval vessel to enter a Cuban port since the relinquishment of Spanish sovereignty over the island, came into the harbor of Havana Wednesday and was hailed with enthusiastic expression of delight by the entire Spanish colony of the city, many thousands of Cubans joining in the demonstration.

Drowned in Salt Creek.

Lincoln, Neb.—Frederick H. Matteson, a student of the Ames (Ia.) agricultural college, was drowned in Salt creek, near Lincoln, Wednesday evening. The body was recovered.

Seventy-Three Saved Off Steamer.

Corunna, Spain—It develops that 111 persons were aboard the steamer Laroche when it sank near Muros. All but 38 have been accounted for. The captain was among the victims.

Japanese Exposition Rules Ready.

Tokyo—General rules, regulations and classification for the Japanese exposition of 1912 were decided upon and will be promulgated within a few days.

Haskell Pardons Sick Man.

Guthrie, Okla.—Gov. Haskell pardoned W. O. Collins, serving fourteen years in the penitentiary for the murder of Nathan Marshall near Choctaw City in 1902. Collins is in poor health and it is charged that continued confinement would kill him.

Official Killed by Sunstroke.

Creeleman, Saskatchewan—A. P. Ketcher, deputy minister of agriculture of this province, died as the result of a sunstroke received while judging a plowing match.

Kansas Needs No Harvest Hands.

Topeka, Kas.—Kansas does not need any more harvest hands. A notice to this effect was wired to the agents of the state free employment bureau in St. Louis, Chicago, New York, Pittsburg and other large cities.

9-Year-Old Slay Playmate.

Des Moines, Ia.—Cecil Jenkins, 13 years old, lies dead with a fracture in the skull at the coroner's morgue. Kenneth Reeves, 9 years old, is in prison. This is the result of a quarrel between the two boys.

17 REPORTED LGST

SPANISH STEAMER GOES ON ROCK IN FOG.

SHIP CARRIED 97 PASSENGERS

Up to the Time of Filing of These Dispatches Only Forty-Seven Had Landed.

Paris—A special dispatch received here Thursday from Corunna, Spain, says the Spanish steamer La Rache went on the rocks in a fog near Muros, where the cruiser Cardinal Cisneros was wrecked in 1905.

The La Rache sank rapidly and a panic followed.

There were 97 passengers and 54 members of the crew aboard. These took to the boats, but up to the filing of the dispatch only 47 had landed.

Defective communication makes it impossible to obtain complete details, but the latest reports state that 17 women were drowned. It is known that 47 survivors were landed at Muros, but that two of them have since died. Fifteen others were landed at Lon. According to the official lists, the La Rache carried 98 in her crew, including stewards, waiters, etc., and 97 passengers.

Hits Uncharted Rock.

The La Rache came from Cadiz, where she had landed part of her passengers. She was on her way to Muros when, on account of the fog, she headed for Corunna. Suddenly she ran upon a rock, but her captain, who knew the coast well, got his vessel off. Almost immediately she ran upon another rock, which was uncharted.

The steamer, according to a survivor of the crew, sank within a few minutes. The heavy sea, which was running at the time, destroyed two of the lifeboats. Boats from the neighboring fishing villages went to the rescue, but were able to do but little for a time, owing to the weather conditions. They succeeded eventually in picking up a large number of men and women who were floating on pieces of wreckage.

MINE BURNING NINETEEN YEARS

Blaze Started in Montana Mines by Miner's Candle in 1899.

Butte, Mont.—General Manager Gille of the Amalgamated Copper Co. properties Tuesday issued an official statement concerning the fires in the Anaconda & St. Lawrence mines, misleading statements concerning which sent out of this city Monday night. Mr. Gille says that the blaze, which has been raging continuously since 1899, is no worse than it has been several times before and that there is nothing alarming in the situation.

The fire is supposed to have been started from a miner's candle. For 19 years it has fed on the timbers of that part to which it has been confined, spreading slowly. The sulphur in the ore also lends fuel to the smoldering flames.

Cashier Dead; Accounts Short.

Columbus, Ohio—Harry Hught, cashier of the People's bank of the East Side, was found dead in an open field in Bullitt Park, a suburb, Tuesday, with a bullet hole in his head. Indications pointed to suicide. Hught was last seen at the bank Saturday night when he said he was ill and was going home. Investigation has developed an alleged shortage of about \$5,000 in his accounts at the bank. Hught was about 46 years old and married.

Windstorm at Council Bluffs.

Council Bluffs, Iowa—A terrific windstorm, which struck this city at about 1:30 Monday morning, did tremendous damage at Lake Manawa, a summer resort just south of the city. Electric light service was cut off and the resort was left in darkness. Accurate estimates of the damage are impossible; but bulkheads and docks were destroyed, and a number of yachts and launches are reported to have been broken and sunk.

President Overlooks Haymaking.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—The sun shone at Oyster Bay and the president made hay. During the mowing, Mr. Roosevelt was content to supervise the work, but Wednesday morning, when the sizable crop that covers the hillside in front of the president's home has ripened, the chief executive will take a hand in the work.

McKinley Home to Be Hospital.

Canton, Ohio—It has been definitely decided that the former McKinley home shall be a Catholic hospital. Tuesday official statement was made that Felix M. Bopp, administrator of the Cleveland diocese, has ordered the remodeling of the building.

Judge Upholds Snell Decision.

Bloomington, Ill.—Judge Solon Philbrick overruled the motion for a new trial in the Col. Tom Snell will case, after hearing a lengthy argument by the lawyers representing the executor. The arguments were based upon improper instructions and other technical points.

Augustana Honor's Gov. Johnson.

St. Paul, Minn.—Gov. John A. Johnson was notified that Augustana college, Rock Island, Ill., had conferred on him the degree of doctor of laws.

Cleveland's Cousin Found Dead.

Amelia, O.—Aaron D. Cleveland, 84 years old, was found dead in his bed as a result of paralysis. Mr. Cleveland was a cousin of the late President Grover Cleveland, and was the president's guest when he was inaugurated both times.

Gallor Succeeds Capers.

Nashville, Tenn.—Bishop Thomas F. Gallor of Tennessee was elected chancellor of the University of the South at Sewanee, Tenn., to succeed the late Bishop Capers of South Carolina.

MISSOURI NEWS

Filley is Found Guilty.

Kingston—Albert Filley, who has been on trial here for the last three days on the charge of a triple murder, was found guilty of murder in the first degree and his punishment fixed at death by the jury under the new law. Filley was convicted of killing his wife, brother and 9-year-old daughter Dollie. Filley, when the verdict was announced, showed no emotion. His attitude was in keeping with that of the entire trial, when he early expressed the hope there would be no hung jury. The jurors disregarded the insanity plea.

Requisition for Fetter.

Jefferson City—Gov. Folk has issued a requisition upon the governor of Oklahoma for the return to St. Charles county, this state, of Frank Fetter, in custody in Kingfisher, Okla. Fetter is wanted to answer to a charge of disposing of mortgaged chattels. The governor also issued a requisition upon the governor of Kansas for "Bud" Sheridan, who is wanted in Jasper county to answer to a charge of assault. He is in Wichita, Kas.

Women Working in Fields.

Chillicothe—Farmers of Livingston county are several weeks behind on their work on account of wet weather and inability to get farm hands. They had about given up hope of saving the wheat crop. Their wives and daughters came to their assistance and are taking the place of men in the wheat fields. They are also assisting in the long-delayed work in the corn fields.

Court Sustains Wilder.

Jefferson City—The Missouri state supreme court sustained the contention of Auditor Wilder that appropriations made for one biennial period can not be paid from the anticipated revenues of another biennial period. It did so in denying the application for an alternative writ of mandamus against the auditor.

Southeast Missouri Lins.

Bismarck—A party of St. Louis capitalists met the Business Men's club of Irondale at that town and completed the preliminary arrangements for an electric railroad to extend from Belgrade, in Washington county, to Perryville, in Perry county. A dam across Big river, near Irondale, will furnish the motive power.

Outlives His Sentencer.

Jackson—City Marshal Henry Wagner shot and instantly killed Clay Kinder, a negro, here. The marshal had trouble with Kinder earlier in the day, and the negro said he would kill him within five hours. When Wagner saw the negro make a move as if he intended to shoot, he killed him.

Folk Issues Requisition.

Jefferson City—Gov. Folk has issued a requisition on the governor of Kansas for the extradition of Logan H. Sloan, who is wanted in Jackson county for trial on a charge of grand larceny. Sloan is in custody at Wichita, Kas., and will be held pending the arrival of the Missouri officers.

Bank Examiner Resigns.

St. Joseph—Walter Head, state bank examiner, has tendered his resignation. He has accepted the position of cashier of the German-American bank of this city, succeeding R. R. Calkins, who has been formerly vice-president. Head was formerly cashier of a bank at De Kalb.

Despondent Woman Takes Acid.

St. Louis—Mrs. Lizzie Parry, aged 39 years, despondent because separated from her husband, drank carbolic acid in her room at 1004 Chestnut street. She was taken to the city hospital in an ambulance, and physicians there said she would die.

Veteran Railroad Man Stricken.

Centralia—Robert Sadder, aged 75 years, many years yardmaster on the Wabash, was stricken with apoplexy here and is in a critical condition. Mr. Sadder has been a railroad man for 55 years, and superintended the building of the Wabash.

Spare This Tree, Sure.

Kirksville—J. B. Caldwell of Kirksville has the record bearing cherry tree. It took 10 boys four hours to gather the fruit. There were exactly 40 gallons. Mr. Caldwell says that he has no idea how much the boys ate.

Dies While Shaking Hands.