

# WORKERS AND WORKINGS OF THE DEPARTMENTS

### Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes to Make a Tour of Kentucky—Assistant Secretary Ryan, of the Interior, in Kansas to Vote.

#### TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes will leave this city for Kentucky soon to make eight or ten speeches in the political campaign in that State. Mr. Yerkes will not return until after the election.

Mark B. Hatch, for some years attached to the appointment division of the Treasury Department, has been appointed an immigrant inspector, and will shortly leave Washington for temporary duty at the Ellis Island immigrant station, New York, after which he will sail for Porto Rico, his official station being designated as Ponce. Mr. Hatch will be charged with assisting Commissioner of Immigration Martin with the important duty of registering the Chinese of Porto Rico under the act approved April 29, 1902.

Mr. Foree, chief clerk of the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, and Miss Clare Graeven, law clerk of the same office are confined to their homes by illness. Mr. Kilgore is acting in Mr. Foree's place during the latter's absence.

#### INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

Thomas Ryan, First Assistant Secretary of the Interior Department, with his private secretary, Mr. Tufts, has gone to Kansas to register. He will remain there until after the November election.

J. W. Howell has gone to his home in Macon, Minn., to take the bar examination for the supreme court.

George W. Watson, of the Interior Department, has gone to his home in Indiana to spend his vacation.

#### PATENT OFFICE.

Patent Commissioner Frederick I. Allen has returned from New York.

Gen. Frank D. Sloan, financial clerk of the Patent Office, is on a three weeks' leave of absence. He has returned to his former home in Connecticut.

D. P. Cole, application clerk at the Patent Office, is unable to be at his work on account of illness.

Miss Elizabeth Simms, of the chief clerk's room at the Patent Office, is spending her vacation in her old home in Macon, Ga.

Miss Alice Simons, of division A of the Patent Office, has returned from a pleasant vacation spent at her old home in Detroit, Mich.

The work of the Patent Office has been unusually heavy this week—particularly heavy for this time of the year. About 1,000 applications for patents have been received during the past week, and between 5,000 and 6,000 letters of inquiry also have been received in the same period. The work has been kept well in hand and has been dispatched with considerable celerity. The letters of inquiry in practically every case have been answered in full within two days of their receipt.

Mrs. Etta L. Chapman, second assistant examiner in the Patent Office, who has been away for over a year on account of poor health, will shortly return to resume her duties.

Herbert Wilson, fourth assistant examiner in the Patent Office, with his brother, of the same office, left Washington Saturday for Utica, N. Y., where they will register and vote.

Col. Juan Lewis, third assistant examiner in the Patent Office, recently attended the unveiling of the Slocum monument at Gettysburg, where he read an original poem. Colonel Lewis will go to his home in Connecticut on November 10.

F. L. Pitman, first assistant examiner in the Patent Office, who left Washington for his vacation nearly two months ago, has been seriously ill in Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Pitman is now on the road to recovery and will soon be at his desk again in the optical division.

#### PENSION OFFICE.

J. E. Hart, of the western division of the Pension Office, has lost a pay envelope containing a sum of money. The envelope, it is thought, was lost somewhere in the office.

Leopold Burger, of the old war and navy division of the Pension Office, is visiting friends and relatives in Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Burger will return to this city about November 1.

A letter has been received by the chief clerk of the Pension Office from

#### TEACHER ARRESTED FOR CHASTISING SCHOLAR

Miss Olive Grass, Young and Pretty, Instructor in Primary School, Landed in the Town Lock-Up.

YORK, Pa., Oct. 22.—A sensation has been created here by the arrest of Miss Olive G. Grass, a pretty and popular teacher in the East York primary school on a charge of assault and battery growing out of the infliction of corporal punishment upon a small boy pupil named Munds.

The information was made by the lad's parents before Alderman Zinn and ball was promptly furnished by Miss Grass, who claims that she was justified in punishing the pupil. The parents alleged that Miss Grass, after having used up a reed on their son's back, seized a window stick, with which she rained blows upon him and also struck him with her hand, badly contusing his eye and causing other injuries. The boy, so the parents say, had been given permission to come home during recess. When he availed himself of this privilege and returned to his desk Miss Grass, so it is alleged, demanded a written excuse. When this was not produced she inflicted the punishment. It is probable that the school board, with City Superintendent Wanzler, will inquire into the case.

J. P. Kennedy, a clerk in the United States Indian School at Phoenix, Ariz., stating that the writer would greatly like to exchange positions with some clerk in the Pension Office who feels in need of the healthful climate of Arizona.

Eden P. Clayton, of the old war and navy division, will leave in a few days for his former home, Dayton, Ohio, where he will spend his vacation.

Frederick A. Penning, who for many years has been one of the head clerks of the Washington Pension Agency, has resigned his position to enter the practice of law with Fred G. Colburn, of this city.

A clerk of class I in the land office at Woodward, Okla., has written the chief clerk of the Pension Office to the effect that he is desirous of exchanging positions with some clerk in the same class at the Pension Bureau.

S. E. Conley, of the Pension Bureau, left a few days ago for a trip to the lower South. He is doing field work for the Bureau.

Capt. J. F. Caslow, of the Southern division of the Pension Office, is sick.

#### POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT.

John Howley, chief clerk of the office of the First Assistant Postmaster General, who went to Brooklyn, N. Y., last Saturday to register for the coming election, returned to his desk at the department this morning.

#### WAR DEPARTMENT.

Charles E. Dole, of the record division of the office of the Secretary of War, is spending his vacation in Chicago. He will go to Mattoon, Ill., to vote.

First Lieuts. William Kelly, John R. Slattery, and Paul S. Bond, all of the Corps of Engineers of the army, have been ordered to this city for duty with the Third Battalion of Engineers at the Engineer School of Application at Washington Barracks.

J. Morgan Coffin, of Pennsylvania, and Samuel J. Morris, of Ohio, have qualified for appointment as assistant surgeons in the army with rank of first lieutenants.

Major William C. Gorgas, surgeon, United States Army, was detailed today by the Secretary of War to represent the medical department of the army at the first Egyptian medical congress, to be convened at Cairo, Egypt, in December, 1902. Major Gorgas is ordered to proceed to Cairo by the way of London, England.

#### NAVY DEPARTMENT.

Rear Admiral Henry Glass, commanding the naval training station at San Francisco, Cal., has been selected as the next commander-in-chief of the Pacific station. He will succeed Rear Admiral Silas Casey, now at Panama. Admiral Glass' last tour of sea duty was in command of the Charleston during the Spanish war.

#### CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

The Civil Service Commission is having trouble in finding room in which to hold its examinations. A hundred competitors in technical examinations were carried to the Law School Building of Georgetown University today, all the available room at the Civil Service Commission Building being taken up by competitors in various branches. The Georgetown authorities have tendered the use of their law school hall free while the rush lasts. An official of the civil service said today that but for the timely aid of the university the Commissioners would be seriously embarrassed in regard to room for holding examinations. The appropriation of Congress does not provide for rent for additional buildings and on several occasions the kindness of neighbors has been accepted.

#### INTERSTATE COMMERCE.

Edward A. Mosley, secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission, is in Boston as a delegate to the United Irish League. He is expected to return to this city by the end of this week.

#### GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

H. M. Wilson, of the Geological Survey, is directing the topographic survey of North Carolina. He is working in conjunction with J. A. Holmes, State geologist of North Carolina. Maps of parts of the State have already been printed.

#### CHICAGO COAL DEALERS FEAR SCARCITY OF FUEL

Expect No Immediate Relief for at Least Sixty Days Yet—Prices Still High.

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—Coal dealers of Chicago do not look for any immediate supply of anthracite for the West, notwithstanding the decision of the miners to return to work tomorrow. It was pointed out by representative dealers that it would be two weeks before the collieries turned out enough coal for shipments, and that the East, as being without soft coal would doubtless be supplied first.

The opinions advanced on Monday—that at least sixty days would elapse before Chicago received any hard coal—were substantiated by inquiry among the trade. The local dealers and agents have no advices from their principals as to how shipments may be expected, or what the prices will be.

#### OFFERS FOOTBALL CUP.

It is said that Mr. John R. McLean will offer a cup to be contested for by football teams of local private schools. Mr. McLean's son is a pupil of one of these schools.

## WILL BUILD ITS OWN RAILROAD TO LAKE ERIE

### Jones & Laughlin Company's New Move.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 22.—The Jones & Laughlin Steel Company following the example of Andrew Carnegie, intends to build its own railroad to Lake Erie to haul its own iron from its mines in the iron region.

It was learned that the purchase of property at Elk Harbor, near Girard, Pa. on Lake Erie, by the Mellons, of Pittsburgh, was not for the Erie Railroad, but for speculation, because of the Jones & Laughlin scheme. Surveys were begun early last summer, many routes were mapped and every device was tried to mislead to the Pennsylvania Railroad which had parties following the surveys.

Meantime the Jones & Laughlin Company bought all the land it needed near Elk Harbor, and the Mellons, learning of the scheme bought land for themselves for speculation and chartered a terminal railroad, which they expect to connect with the new road proposed by the steel company. The steel company's railroad is to be called the Pittsburgh, Niles, and Western.

## E. E. CLARK FORMALLY ACCEPTS COMMISSION

### Wires President Roosevelt to That Effect.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Oct. 22.—E. E. Clark, grand chief of the Railway Conductors' Order, returned home yesterday from the East. He found in his mail President Roosevelt's communication appointing him as a member of the coal strike arbitration board, to which he immediately replied by wire, formally accepting the appointment.

Concerning his appointment, he said: "Of course, I esteem it an honor to be selected, not only a personal honor, but an honor to the order I represent. The work will entail a great amount of labor and also of responsibility, but it would not be pardonable to decline such an appointment, coming from such a source and under such circumstances." Mr. Clark left last night for Washington, where the commission will meet Friday morning.

## UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO TO HAVE NEW BUILDING

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—Plans are now being prepared for a great downtown building for the University of Chicago, wherein will be located the city business offices of that institution, the proposed musical college of the university, central church and Theodore Thomas' Orchestra. Aside from these main tenants and their large space requirements it is proposed that the structure shall partake largely of the features of a general office building. The estimated cost of the structure is \$2,000,000.

## KILLED BY CAT RIFLE.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Oct. 22.—Louis McCullough, son of Washington McCullough, one of the weigh bosses of the Consolidation Coal Company, accidentally shot and killed James Jackson, colored, aged fifteen years, at Frostburg yesterday. McCullough was shooting a cat rifle in the rear of the office of Dr. J. Marshall Price, by whom Jackson was employed, when the latter got in range and was struck in the head by a bullet and instantly killed. Young McCullough is overcome by grief.

## MINERAL PRODUCTION OF YEAR A BILLION DOLLARS

### Geological Survey Figures Show Large Increases.

The volume of Mineral Resources of the United States for 1901, compiled by Dr. David T. Day, of the Geological Survey, shows that during the year the total value of our mineral production exceeded the enormous sum of one billion dollars, and a gain of 2.15 per cent over 1900, and of 11.77 per cent over 1899.

As heretofore, coal and iron proved to be the most important products. The value of iron was \$242,174,000 as compared with \$259,944,000 in 1900, and coal, \$348,910,469, as compared with \$306,671,364 in 1900.

It is noted that the total number of working days in the coal industry lost on account of the strike this year has been about 20,000,000 as compared with only 733,802 from similar causes in 1901, and 4,578,102 in 1900. All of the important metals decreased in both output and value during 1901, the gain of total mineral production over 1900 being due to the increase in non-metallic products.

## "FOR EQUAL SUFFRAGE AND MANHOOD RIGHTS"

### Platform Adopted by North Carolina Negroes.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 22.—Scotland Harris, who was elected chairman of the State Committee by the negro convention held here last Friday, has issued an address "To the Republican Voters of North Carolina," in which he declares that the negroes in national politics "will stand by General Payne, General Clarkson, Senator Hanna, and others, in their efforts to perpetuate equal suffrage and manhood rights." He refers to Senator Pritchard as the "arch-enemy of the negro," and predicts that he will meet with one of the most overwhelming defeats on record in November.

Harris, who was a member of the Legislature in 1897, recalls one night when he and the other negro members were aroused from their sleep and called to Senator Pritchard's room, when he told them that certain white Republicans were conspiring with the Populists to defeat him, and said he wanted them to sign a statement that they would not desert his cause. They complied with the request, and, as Harris states in his address, Senator Pritchard was elected to the Senate with the aid of the negro votes, and could not have been elected without them.

When the negro delegates were excluded from the Republican State convention, August, Harris was one of those who were denied seats though they held credentials as delegates from their party. Referring to this act of alleged injustice, he declaims loudly against the boast of the white Republicans that the party had been delivered from the body of death. Harris refers to Pritchard as a "viper with poisonous fangs," and makes use of other figures equally as strong. He closes his address with the statement that if the Administration, after Pritchard's certain defeat in November, provides a place for him in the Federal service, it will be "over the protest of two million negro voters."

## WELCOME, BRISTOL CITY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The steamer Bristol City, which arrived last night from Bristol and Swansea, brought 1,500 tons of anthracite coal.

## OLD GUNBOAT MONOCACY CONDEMNED TO BE SOLD

### Only Vessel Struck at Taku in 1900.

The Navy Department has condemned and will sell the old war-time sidewheel gunboat Monocacy, which for many years has been on duty in Chinese waters. She was built in Baltimore in 1863.

The Monocacy was the only vessel struck in the attack of the allied fleet of the Powers on the Chinese forts at Taku in the spring of 1900. She did not take part in the action, Rear Admiral Kempf, the American commander, having forbidden his vessels to participate. She got within range of the Chinese guns, however, and was hit twice, but not badly damaged.

## ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE TO FIGHT GROCERY SALES

### Meetings in Progress to Attract New Members—Sharp Practices Alleged in License Notices.

The Anti-Saloon League will continue its seventh annual convention tonight with a meeting in the First Congregational Church, Tenth and G Streets northwest. The present series of meetings is being devoted to the work of increasing the league membership in order to exert greater vigilance in the fight against the sale of liquor in grocery stores.

It was asserted at the meeting of the league in the Marvin Methodist Episcopal Church last night that some grocers who have applied for license to sell liquor have obscured the notice to the public, which they are required to display conspicuously on the front of their establishment, as to permit the license to go through without attracting the attention of the residents in the vicinity.

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