

HISTORY OF WEEK

Items of Interest from All Over the World.

PREPARED IN CONDENSED FORM.

Events Reported by Telegraph Given in Short Paragraphs—One Week's Happenings Chronologically to Suit the Busy Reader—Crimes, Casualties and Other Matters of Public Interest.

THE BOER WAR.

Lord Roberts reports the British force at Wepener still surrounded, but surrounded by a force of Boers and Boers may be unable to escape. Publication of Lord Roberts' criticisms has caused a loud demand in London for the resignation of Buller and other generals. It is reported Warren has been ordered home.

NOTABLE DEATHS.

Henry J. Stuyvesant, an old and wealthy resident of Waukegan, Ill., is dead. John J. Owsley, Sr., one of the foremost pioneers of western Wisconsin, as well as of South Dakota, is dead at Mendota, Wis.

THE WAR IN THE PHILIPPINES.

The American garrison at Batoc, in North Ilcos repulsed an attack of 800 insurgents killing 106. American had no casualties. A squadron of the Third cavalry surrounded a village in Luzon, Philippines, and 200 Filipinos killed 33 and captured 44. The village was burned.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The president has nominated Charles H. Allen of Massachusetts, to be governor of Porto Rico. The Kentucky governorship case will be heard by the United States supreme court April 30.

IN THE POLITICAL FIELD.

The circuit court at Newark, N. J., has decided the latest election contest—The minor state officers—in favor of the Democrats. The Democrats carried the election for city and town officers at New Haven, Conn.

THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

Jack Kimmel, James Heath and William Kishnend, well-known young men of Mount City, Ill., were arrested on charges of counterfeiting. During a dispute at Lexington, Ky., Dr. James K. Parker shot and killed V. A. Antonella, an Italian tailor.

PROTECTION FOR TAYLOR.

Governor of New York Will Not Honor Beckham Resignation. New York, April 23.—Governor W. G. Taylor, the Republican governor of Kentucky, is likely to remain in New York for some time. He is now with friends here. His friends have made the authorities an earnest appeal that Governor Roosevelt will not honor a resignation of Governor Beckham of Kentucky for extradition of Governor Taylor on the Kentucky indictment for complicity in the murder of Taylor.

TROOPS GUARDING A JAIL.

Fort Colborne Dynamiters Thought To Be Fenian Agents. Niagara Falls, Ont., April 23.—Dominion militia are guarding the jail in Clifton against a rumored attempt to be made by Buffalo grain shovellers to release the three men who were arrested for trying to dynamite lock 24 of the Welland canal at Port Colborne. They are believed to be Fenian agents. The prisoners have been positively identified by two witnesses as the men who ran away from the lock at the abortive explosion took place. They were run down, captured and lodged in jail here.

MISHAPS AND DISASTERS.

A through freight train on the Southern railway struck a mine near Huntsville, Ala., and was wrecked. The engineer, Percy Armstrong, and the fireman, Sandy Osborne, were killed.

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IOWA HAPPENINGS.

Shaw Will Sign Bill.

DES MOINES, April 17.—Governor Shaw states that he will sign the building and loan bill passed recently by the legislature. Managers of the loan associations have made strenuous efforts to have the bill vetoed, claiming that it is unconstitutional. The bill reduces the interest from 12 to 8 per cent and it is maintained by the association officials practically invalidates existing contracts.

Allison Knows Nothing of It.

DUBUQUE, April 18.—Senator Allison is home for a week. When seen by the Associated Press, he said, regarding the story of the probability of his being McKinley's running mate, that he had no knowledge whatever of such intention and that there was probably no foundation for the story. He says that legislation is in such condition now that congress will very likely adjourn about the middle of June.

Stock Men's Controversy.

STOUT CITY, April 17.—A litigation of much interest to live stock men was commenced here by William Thuet of a commission firm on the local yards. Thuet was charged last week with rebating commissions, and the live stock exchange suspended him, but Thuet maintains that the commission was split only with another firm on the yards, as allowed by the rules of the exchange. On this ground he secured an injunction restraining the exchange from excluding him from its privileges.

Cyclone Strikes Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Ia., April 17.—A cyclone did considerable damage in the north part of Hamburg, completely wrecking Fred Johnson's brickyard. All of his sheds, corncribs and windmill were piled in a heap in the middle of his lot. His stock was considerably injured by flying missiles and his house was moved from the foundation. The residences of Lark Miller and John Crane were completely wrecked. No one was injured. All the damage was done within a radius of one mile.

Shaw Will Make Appointments.

DES MOINES, April 20.—Governor Shaw will announce his appointments to the various offices of the executive department, just adjourned. The latter is the more important of the two commissions, as it has charge of the location and direction of monuments, involving an outlay of \$50,000, while the Vicksburg commission will simply locate the positions of Iowa troops for monuments it is expected to erect in the future. The Vicksburg commission has from 30 to 40 members, while the Shiloh commission has a dozen.

Decision in Waterworks Case.

DUBUQUE, Ia., April 17.—Judge Shiras in the federal court overruled the decision of Kimball et al. vs. Cedar Rapids, on the ground that though the 25-year contract between the city and the water company had terminated on April 19 by lapse of time, the water company was entitled to benefits of the contract for the full term of 25 years, which had not terminated when the city council adopted the ordinance of January 5, 1900. The council adopted an ordinance to reduce the rates in violation of the contract. The plaintiffs asked for an injunction to prevent the reduction, which is granted.

Waterman's Candidate.

OSKAHOOSA, Ia., April 19.—It is announced at Ottumwa that ex-State Senator Waterman of that city is a candidate for nomination to congress in this district. Mr. Waterman is the present member, serving his fourth term and announced for reelection. Captain John W. Carr of Montezuma is also announced and it is expected that N. E. Kendall of Albia will also be a candidate.

Populist Convention.

Bryan is Endorsed Strongly, but Silver is Scouted in the Resolutions. DES MOINES, April 18.—The People's Party state convention, held here yesterday, adopted a long platform, which was entirely in favor of the protection of the 16 to 1 ratio. The declaration of the national platform for four and eight years ago are declared reaffirmed, imperialism is denounced, the Porto Rican policy is declared a betrayal of the people of that island, the initiative and referendum is demanded, with popular election of senators, the recent financial legislation is denounced and Bryan is enthusiastically endorsed for president.

High Water at Mobile.

MOBILE, Ala., April 23.—The flood situation around Mobile shows a more desperate condition and every hour the loss is growing greater. The Louisville and Nashville railroad which has been heavily damaged by the flood, is now a sufferer also. The bridge over the Pascagoula river, four miles from Scranton, was washed away by the high water. The bridge over the Pascagoula river has received from thousands of logs washing against it. General Manager J. G. Metcalf of the Louisville and Nashville railroad is unable in a special train and left immediately for the scene of the break.

Officers for New College.

LEMARS, Ia., April 17.—Rev. H. H. Thoren of Hopewell has been elected president of the Western Union college, and has been elected to the faculty. The faculty will be chosen before the end of June, when the trustees of the institution will take possession.

Smallpox is Spreading.

DES MOINES, Ia., April 17.—Today Dr. J. F. Kennedy of the state board of health was notified that there are 21 cases of smallpox at Oskaloosa, where it is spreading rapidly. The smallpox in Des Moines is spreading, if anything, and the city today began the construction of an isolated camp.

Herriot Arraigns Shaw.

DES MOINES, April 20.—State Treasurer John Herriot yesterday issued a statement concerning his differences with his colleagues of the executive council in relation to railway assessments. He charges that in a statement some time ago defending a majority of the council, Governor Shaw misrepresented him. Picking out several statements of the governor, Mr. Herriot adds that he has a statement that it is false. He proceeds with a detailed argument to show that for a series of years the council, in assessing the railroads, has favored the Chicago and Northwestern. He states that that system pays about \$10,000 less tax annually in Iowa than it would if assessed at the same average rate as the other roads of the state, and charges that this is because of political influences.

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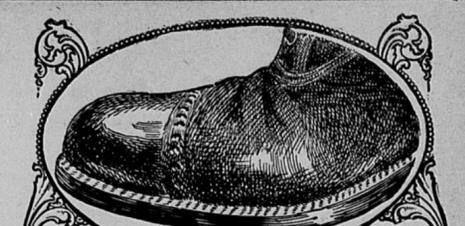
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GEORGE NO. 23,383. Black Percheron no markings, foaled April 10, 1882; recorded in the Percheron stud book.

GRANDINA 21,988 42,783. Dark steel gray percheron, foaled May 4, 1895, imported in 1897 by M. W. Dunham.

BRILLIANT. Dark dapple gray Percheron, coming 9 years old, weight 1750 lbs.

BASHAW WILKES. Trotting brood stallion, dark brown, coming 4 years old, weight 1200 lbs.

JEFF ROY. Spotted pony stallion, black and white, weight 60 lbs, 8 years old.

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