

Pennsylvania a Horrible Example.

Pennsylvania is a convincing argument against the practice of keeping the same political party in power for a long term of years.

For the past forty years Pennsylvania has been an overwhelmingly republican as its public officials have been brazenly dishonest and corrupt.

"The Keystone Crime," by Owen Wister, in Everybody's Magazine for October, is a brief history of official dishonesty in Pennsylvania without a parallel in any state or country.

"The Government of Pennsylvania," says Mr. Wister, "has been, since the civil war, a monopoly, an enormous trust, almost without competition, like Standard Oil, but inferior, because Standard Oil gives good oil, while the Pennsylvania machine gives bad government. But, continues Mr. Wister, "Do not pity them. They deserve everything they get, for Pennsylvania is today, a government by knaves at the expense of fools."

A List that would Startle the Nation.

In the action now being tried for the purpose of dissolving the Standard Oil company, it has been shown that many millions have been annually "loaned" by the big trust to parties who were never expected to repay the sums received by them. Who received these millions? Lawyer Kellogg who is conducting the case for the government is going to call William G. Rockefeller and ask him to explain why and to whom these so-called loans were made. A true list of the men to whom the Standard Oil Co. gave these millions would, without doubt, startle the nation and destroy the faith of the public in dozens of men high in the councils of the government.

Naval Wireless Telegraphy.

From the Electrician.

The Navy Department is supplementing wireless telegraphy on warships with wireless telephony; it is hoped that all the battleships which are to start in December for the Pacific will be equipped. Telephones have been installed on the "Connecticut" and "Virginia" and communications have passed between them at a distance of twenty-two miles. Ships which were equipped with wireless telephony but not wireless telephony could distinctly hear through an ordinary telephone receiver what was said in the transmitter aboard another ship. Mr. De Forest, who is overseeing the installation, when on the "Connecticut" talked into the transmitter of the wireless telephony, and the operators on the "Kentucky" and "Illinois" although those ships were not equipped with wireless telephones, attached telephone receivers to the wireless telegraph instrument and heard distinctly conversational tones of Mr. De Forest. The "Kentucky" and "Illinois" were eleven miles from the "Connecticut."

The Hearst-Republican Alliance in New York

Hearst is a reformer, perhaps the most radical reformer and condemner of public and corporate dishonesty in this country. He was elected mayor of New York city about two years ago and counted out by the plunderbund of that big metropolis. And that plunderbund has been strong enough ever since to keep the ballot boxes closed and the details of their work from being made public. This could not have been done if the judiciary of Empire state had not lent its aid. And again last fall, when Hearst was a candidate for governor, the plunderbund made the fight of its life against him. This plunderbund has, strictly speaking, no politics, nor any reason for its existence, except the protection of the big criminals of high finance. McCarren, the Standard Oil man and boss of the so-called democrats of Brooklyn, and Secretary Root, the corporations' representative in Roosevelt's cabinet, joined forces and succeeded in defeating Mr. Hearst for Governor, while every other candidate on the ticket with Mr. Hearst was elected. Under such conditions Mr. Hearst may feel more than justified in forming an alliance with the republicans, or with some republican faction in New York for the election of new men for the judiciary in that state. Mr. Hearst's friends will justify him in doing anything which will tend to break up the gang that has no religion, except dollars, and no politics, except greed.

The public thieves who have been robbing Pennsylvania for many years took upwards of \$9,000,000 out of the state treasury for the ostensible purpose of furnishing the state capitol with tables, chairs, etc., but for the actual purpose of "addition, division and silence." No such robbery would have been possible if that state had not kept the same political party in power for so many successive years.

Away up in Kennebec County, in Maine, it is reported that 1200 persons have revolted against the beef trust, and will abstain from eating meat for ten days. Nearly two years ago we were assured that the Beef Combine had disbanded by order of the court and our strenuous Republican Administration. Is the Beef Trust a "good trust" that it is still allowed to plunder people, or is Republican trust busting a flat failure?

According to the U. S. Agricultural department report of the oats crop for the present year, although the quantity and quality grown this year in Iowa, is way below its average, yet there were more oats raised this year in this state than in any other state in the union, and the yield, per acre, was but a trifle less than that of any other state. As an agricultural state Iowa leads them all.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Happenings of the Week Given in Condensed Form.

Items of General Interest Concerning Our Own and Foreign Countries—Crimes, Casualties, Etc.

Tuesday, Oct. 8. Pittsburgh men who were delegates to the deep waterway convention at Memphis, and who were on the Hartweg, state that there never at any time was danger of any collision, and that the president is mistaken.

At the conference of the Evangelical church in session at Milwaukee, a proposition has been made and referred to change the name to Evangelical Episcopal.

The airship and landing stage belonging to Count Zeppelin on the Lake of Constance have been bought by the German government for \$500,000.

W. J. Bryan made brief addresses at Elizabethtown, Mumfordsville, Russellville, Bowling Green and Central City, Ky., yesterday.

Sir Anthony Patrick MacDonnell, under-secretary to the lord lieutenant of Ireland, will leave Dublin Oct. 16 on a visit to the United States.

Wednesday, Oct. 9. At the meeting at Salt Lake City of the stockholders of the Union Pacific railway the Harriman regime was overwhelmingly indorsed.

The battleship Kentucky was grounded for several hours on the mud of Lambert's point, near Norfolk, Va. She was pulled off without injury.

A resolution requiring preachers to quit smoking, and refusing hereafter to license to preach any who use tobacco was introduced and referred in the Evangelical general conference at Milwaukee.

Nearly every state in the Union is represented in the annual convention of the Knights of the Ancient Egyptian Order, in session at Cincinnati.

At the annual conference of the anti-railway legislation of various states of the A. T. and S. F., Chesapeake and Ohio and Washburn railways.

Thursday, Oct. 10. In an operation for cancer, at the Hahnemann hospital, New York city, six organs were partly removed from the abdomen and the patient looks like recovering.

No action bearing upon the telegraphers' strike was taken at the annual meeting of stockholders of the Western Union Telegraph company.

Another report from the plague has been received from Oran, Algeria, and a new case of the disease has been taken to the hospital.

George F. Nintner, ex-member of the Springfield (O.) board of public service, has been sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for making a false report.

The Lusitania on its western run this trip has made two records for one day's run—608 and 617 miles.

Friday, Oct. 11. France has decided to summon an international congress next year to discuss the question of the protection of the automobile from deterioration by automobile traffic.

Kemp V. Bigelow, the Denver dynamitar, has now confessed sending numerous letters breathing death and destruction to various corporations and individuals if they did not send him sums amounting to \$100,000.

Captain Lill was shot and killed by an unknown man as he was leaving his home at Sevastopol, Russia.

The Spanish parliament has resumed its sitting.

Herbert Fletcher de Bon, of Chicago, attempted to sink his life by jumping into the sea in midocean from the steamer Moltke, just arrived at New York.

Saturday, Oct. 12. Mrs. Cassie Chadwick's body has been sent to her old home, Woodstock, Ont., for burial, her son and one of her sisters being charged on the remains.

Two elephants from Bombay, India, are helping to build a new Atlantic City at Long Beach, L. I.

The situation in the flooded regions of France is slightly better. The waters are either stationary or falling.

The registration at Pierre, S. D., for the Lower Brule land drawing is now 3,400.

Ex-President Cleveland has arrived home at Princeton, N. J., from a visit to New York on business. His wife accompanied him.

The steamers Lake Shore and Fred Fabst will collide in the St. Clair river between Fort Gratiot light and Point Edward. The Gratiot was sunk.

Monday, Oct. 14. In a speech to 750 members of the Chicago Association of Commerce Robert Mather, of the Rock Island railway, declared for "same" and effective national regulation of the railways.

In case of war the new Cunarders Lusitania and Mauretania could stow away 20,000 troops between them on one trip.

The slump in the price of copper has closed a large number of mines in the southern portion of Mexico.

An equestrian statue of General Franz Sigel will be unveiled at Riverside Drive and One Hundred and Sixth street, New York city, next Saturday.

Any daughter of the late Senator McMillan, of Michigan, was married in her mother's home at Manchester, Mass., to Colonel Sir John Lane Harrington, British minister to Abyssinia.

There were five deaths at Chicago Saturday from accidents.

Platt Must File His Reply. New York, Oct. 12.—Supreme Court Justice Blanchard has signed an order directing counsel for Senator Platt to file with the county clerk within ten days the senator's answer in the action brought by Mae C. Wood for a divorce.

Mrs. Minor Morris Is Inane. St. Louis, Oct. 14.—Mrs. Minor Morris, whose ejection from the White House a year and a half ago caused considerable discussion, has been pronounced hopelessly insane and committed to the state insane asylum at Farmington.

MRS. CHADWICK DEAD

Queen of Confidence Crooks Passes Away in the Buckeye State Pen.

WAS UNCONSCIOUS AT DEATH

Had a National Reputation as a Very Bad Citizeness.

Two Terms in Prison for Crookiness—How She Got There the Last Time by Bankroting Bankers.

Columbus, O., Oct. 11.—Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, whose amazing financial transactions culminated in the wrecking of an Oberlin bank, died in the women's ward at the Ohio penitentiary at 10:15 p. m. yesterday. Mrs. Chadwick had been in a comatose condition for some hours previous to her death, and the end came peacefully. No friends or relatives waited at her bedside, only the prison physician and hospital attendants. Her son, Emil Hoover, had been summoned from Cleveland, but arrived fifteen minutes after his mother had expired.

Had a Criminal Record. Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Bigley, was a native of Woodstock, Canada. She first came into public notice in Toledo, O., about twenty years ago, when she told fortunes under the name of Madame Deviere. While in that city she forged the name of Richard Brown, Youngstown, O., and for this crime was sent to the penitentiary at Columbus for nine months. She served the full term, and then located in Cleveland, where she was married to a man named Hoover. Her second husband was Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, of Cleveland, a man of good family and excellent standing in his profession.

Her Scandalous Career. In the latter part of 1902, or early in 1903, Mrs. Chadwick, in the presence of her husband, gave to Iri Reynolds, the cashier of the Wade Park bank, of Cleveland, a box containing notes signed with the name of Andrew Carnegie. These forged notes are alleged to have amounted to \$7,500,000. Reynolds gave to Mrs. Chadwick a receipt for the papers, which described the notes and the signatures upon them. Mrs. Chadwick left with Reynolds an explanation of the existence of the notes the statement that she was a natural daughter of Carnegie.

THEN SHE BEGAN WORK. Used Her Receipt to Obtain Loans from Many Banks.

With the receipt of Reynolds in her possession Mrs. Chadwick went to different banks and many capitalists making loans, and paying not only high interest to the banks but heavy bonuses to the bank officials who had been hersed by her.

Black Hands Sent to Prison. Newcastle, Pa., Oct. 12.—Twenty-three Italians recently arrested for Black Hand crimes and who had been convicted or pleaded guilty were sentenced by Judge William E. Porter. The highest sentence was ten years. Seven men were given five years each, eight others received three years and two years. They were taken to the Western Pennsylvania penitentiary at Pittsburgh.

Revenue Officer Shot in Fight. St. Louis, Oct. 12.—In a battle with revolutionaries shortly after midnight with Charles Beckwith, the president, and A. B. Spear, of a national bank at Oberlin, O., which had been substantially looted. Mrs. Chadwick had obtained from the institution such large sums of money that it was compelled to close its doors, causing heavy losses to the depositors and ruining many of them.

Corn Growers Form Organization. Chicago, Oct. 12.—The National Corn Growers' association was organized at the Corn exposition at the Coliseum and is expected to form the nucleus for an organization of not less than 10,000 members. Officers were elected as follows: President, Eugene H. Bunshley, 1122 secretary treasurer, J. W. Jones, Ames, Ia.

CONTROL FAVORED. Railway Commissioners Sby of Federal Domination of the Country's Railways.

Washington, Oct. 12.—After a four session the nineteenth annual convention of the National Association of State Railway Commissioners has adjourned. A report was submitted by Commissioner Staples, of Minnesota, on "Rates and Rate Making," that antagonized federal control of railroads to some extent, expressing the belief that it would be better to lodge that control "as near home as possible."

Female College Destroyed. Lexington, Ky., Oct. 10.—Millersburg Female college at Millersburg, in Bourbon county, was totally destroyed by fire. Seventy girl students, mostly from the southern states, had most of their apparel burned, but none was hurt. The loss was about \$25,000.

FRANK KELLOGG IS AIMING HIGH

Notifies William G. Rockefeller to Give Testimony in the Standard Oil Hearing.

New York, Oct. 14.—The announcement that William G. Rockefeller, assistant treasurer of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, has been notified by Frank B. Kellogg, special assistant attorney general, to be in readiness to testify before Examiner Ferries in the government's suit seeking to dissolve the New Jersey corporation under the Sherman anti-trust law, has been received with interest.

The appearance of Mr. Rockefeller as a witness will mark the initial appearance of any member of the Rockefeller family on the witness stand in this city since the taking of testimony began in the federal building. He will be asked to explain why and to whom more than \$32,000,000 was lent by the Standard Oil Company of New York last year, and above all money loaned or transferred to Standard Oil interests.

STRIKE IS TO CONTINUE

Telegraphers Decline to Take Advice of National League and Suspend Him.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the national telegraphers' union President Samuel J. Small was suspended. The following message was sent to President Small by the executive committee: "Under article 18, section 7, of the constitution of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America you are hereby suspended from the office of president to take effect immediately."

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FOUR STRAIGHT FOR CHICAGO

Cubs Will Fly the World's Base Ball Championship Pennant for a Year at Least.

Chicago, Oct. 14.—The world's base ball championship was clinched Saturday by the Chicago League club, which defeated the American "Tigers" in the game at Detroit 2 to 0. That was the fifth game, the first being a tie and the other four going to Chicago, one after another. The total attendance at the five games was 78,086, and the gross receipts \$101,728.50.

This will be divided as follows: Chicago League players, \$32,900.03; Detroit Americans, \$21,973.36; national commission, \$10,172.85; Chicago League club, \$18,311.13. The "Tigers" players' share is increased to \$36,073.36 by a gift of \$15,000 from W. H. Yawkey, president of the Detroit club, who would have made his gift \$30,000 if the Tigers had won the world's championship.

HEARD SOUNDS OF BATTLE

Passed Near the President's Hunting Ground and Says the Shooting Was Very Rapid.

Lake Providence, La., Oct. 10.—Louis Isaac, of this place, who passed close to the president's hunting grounds, said that an exciting chase of some sort was in progress. He said the shooting at times was very rapid.

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Only One of the Boat Saved. The boat sank about 7 in the evening, and until 2 a. m. the four men clinging to their raft support, while the waves drove them towards shore. Five times in the angry surf of the rocky shore the men were tossed about, the time having to fight the heavy undertow for their lives. Each fight weakened the hunched and disheartened sailors, and after the fifth battle with the surf only one of the quartette remained on the raft. But the next time the raft was caught upon the surf it was thrown upon the beach. Mate Fitz had just strength enough left to crawl out of reach of the waves before he fell exhausted where he was later found by the patrol of the life-saving station.

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O'Leary Is "Getting There."

Cincinnati, Oct. 12.—Dan O'Leary, the famous pedestrian who is walking a mile each hour at Norwood, Pa. here in an attempt to establish a record for 1,000 miles, at 11 p. m. yesterday covered his 800th mile. O'Leary is 65 years of age.

The Executive Committee of the Iowa State Teachers' Association of which Professor Frederick E. Bolton of the State University, is Chairman, has announced that the next meeting of the state association will be held in Des Moines, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 31 and January 1, 2, 3.

The council will hold its first meeting on Tuesday evening, while the meetings of the general association will begin on Wednesday. The headquarters of the meeting will be this year at the Savery Hotel, and the various section meetings will be held in the West Des Moines high school building.

The committee have already secured a splendid array of talent for the general meetings of the association. The list of speakers includes President G. Stanley Hall of Clark University, Hon. Elmer E. Brown, U. S. Commissioner of Education, Superintendent Cooley of Chicago, Dr. Thos. H. Balliet, Dean of the New York University School of Pedagogy, and Dr. James P. Haney, Director of Manual Training in the New York City schools. County Superintendent F. E. Lark of Onawa is president of the association and will present his inaugural address on the evening of January 1. Hon. J. F. Riggs, State Superintendent of Public Instruction will give his annual address on the morning of January 3. Final plans for the talent from the state have not been concluded but will be arranged soon.

The various section leaders have well under way all of the department program and it is expected that a banner meeting will be provided.

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