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CONGRESS IS TO KNOCK OUT "RULE OF REASON"

Representative Stanley Offers Amendment to Sherman Anti-Trust Law

Measure Would Prohibit Restraint of Trade in Any Degree

Bill Is the Opening Gun of Administration's War on Monopoly

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Representative Stanley of Kentucky, after a conference with President Wilson, introduced late Friday an amendment to the Sherman law, which would make illegal monopolization or restraint of trade, "in any degree."

It is designed to eliminate the "rule of reason," laid down by the supreme court in the standard oil case.

The amendment also would invest circuit courts of the United States with the jurisdiction to restrain and prevent violations of the act, irrespective of the attorney general.

It was drawn to meet the wish of the president, expressed in his message to congress to reduce the debatable area surrounding the Sherman act. Stanley discussed the measure with the president Friday and had previously corresponded with him on the subject. Stanley, who was chairman of the special committee which investigated the United States Steel Corporation does not offer the measure as an administration amendment but believes it will be of service to the committee of congress which will draft the anti-trust legislation after the president's special trust message is delivered next week.

The Stanley bill would amend the second and fourth section of the Sherman law, in section two, in which the supreme court injected the "rule of reason," the words "in any degree," are inserted.

"A provision in section four of the present act requiring all actions be brought by attorney general," said Stanley, "has done more to render the Sherman act in effective than almost any other thing. The act at times has been a dead letter because some attorney general happened to regard it with indifference or hostility."

The amendment will be taken up by the judiciary committee when it begins the work of drafting the anti-trust bill after the president delivers his message.

CREW PERISH IN SUBMARINE

Two Officers and Nine Men Trapped to Death in Boat

Plymouth, England, Jan. 16.—Two officers and nine men, comprising the crew of the British submarine boat "A 7," were trapped last night in their craft beneath waters whites and the bay, about five miles southwest of Plymouth.

Whether the men were dead or alive has not been established but navy officials expressed the opinion that all perished.

"A 7," in company with two sister boats, was engaged in maneuvers and made the plunge about noon, failing to return to the surface.

The exact spot where she went down is unknown, and the bay was dragged until darkness without success. The cause of the accident is unknown.

Attorney Flays Judge For Finding Thaw Sane

Albany, Jan. 16.—In a communication to the legislature next week Attorney General Carmody will declare that United States District Judge Aldrich of New Hampshire was without authority to entertain the sanity proceedings recently instituted by the attorneys for Harry Thaw.

KILLED, SHOOTING CAT. Spring Valley, Minn., Jan. 17.—When the sleep of Peter Schnell, a well to do farmer, was disturbed by a howling cat, he seized his shotgun and started in pursuit. The gun missed fire and while examining it, it discharged, killing Schnell instantly.

LOCAL GIRL WROTE BEST EDITORIAL

Miss Bessie Doran Wins Honors at the Valley City Chautauqua

Vanquished Some of State's Oldest Newspaper Men in Contest

It is with no little pride that the Tribune announces that Miss Bessie Doran, who has been one of the staff writers of this paper at different periods during the past two years, has won the first prize, \$100, in the Valley City chautauqua editorial contest, which was started last summer, in which the young lady competed with some of the most able editors and writers of the state, the decision of the judges have just been rendered. Editor Lum, of the Kearsal Journal, was awarded the second prize, \$60, and Scitt Swisher, of Williston, was the third winner, which prize was (Continued on Page 3)

WOOLMEN MINGLE GLOOMS AND JOYS

Speeches at Wool Growers Convention Echo Opposing Sentiments

Salt Lake City, Jan. 16.—Speeches in which low ebb for the wool growing industry prophesies mingled on the program of the National Wool Growers' convention with addresses in which it was declared that flockmasters would rise to a greater era of prosperity by adopting more scientific methods to compete in an open market.

PHONE GIRLS HEROINES IN FLOOD RESCUE

Cumberland, Mr., Jan. 16.—The breaking of the great dam of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper company at Dobbin, W. Va., sending a wall of water down the Potomac River valley, resulted in no loss of life and only a small property damage. This was attributed to the signal brigade of telephone girls, organized by the residents of the river towns and to the fact that the wall gave way only in sections. Wire communication is restored and the people of the lowlands are returning to their homes.

EDITORS OF NORTH DAKOTA DIVIDE BUSY DAY BETWEEN WORK AND BANQUET BOARD

G. D. COLCORD, MINOT, ELECTED PRESIDENT

FIRST DAY'S MEETING OF THE NORTH DAKOTA PRESS ASSOCIATION WAS ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL IN ORGANIZATION'S HISTORY

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED AT BUSINESS MEETINGS AND MANY POINTS OF NEWSPAPER INTEREST DISCUSSED; BANQUET AND BALL IN EVENING

The first day of the winter meeting of the North Dakota Press association was a great success. The weather was fine and there were about 150 of the fraternity, many with their wives, were present to enjoy the program of the day.

The meeting is a most successful one and is marked with exceptional interest. There seems to be an awakening among the members of the association and they are alive to the needs of the business. This is not a social session, but strictly one of business and the boys have turned into the work with a will which has been

- OFFICERS ELECTED.
- President—G. D. Colcord, Minot.
- First Vice President—E. L. Richter, Larimore.
- Second Vice President—R. J. Hughes, Wahpeton.
- Third Vice President—John T. Charnley, Mott.
- Secretary—Will Holbein, Lansford.
- Treasurer—Harry W. Case, McVie.
- Executive Committee: Chairman—W. H. Francis, Velva; G. A. Monteith, Finley; J. H. McGarry, Alexander. Valley City—Summer meeting. Fargo—Winter meeting.

Republican read a paper on "The Raising of Subscription Rates." An adjournment was then taken for dinner.

The afternoon session opened with the usual preliminaries. The first address of the afternoon was that by Editor David Larin of the Ryder Journal, "The Evil of Fee Splitting." It was an excellent effort and was well received by the members.

J. T. Charnley of the Mott Spotlight, et al. made a big hit with his address, "The Resurrection of the Dead." The convention demonstrated its approval by applause.

This closing program so far as addresses were concerned, John M. Baer, postmaster at Beach, and the well-known "cartoonist laureate" of

listened to the cordial address of welcome by Hon. L. B. Hanna, governor of North Dakota, and we admire highly the practical and business-like suggestions made by him in that address.

We note with gratification that the efforts put forth for years for the betterment of newspaper conditions and the elevation of newspaper standards in North Dakota are bearing good fruit in abundance, and we urge the continuance of these efforts, to the end that our profession may merit, attain and hold its rightful place among the honorable activities of our commonwealth.



NORMAN BLACK
Grand Forks Times-Herald.
Ex-President several times of the association, the Sweet Singer of the association and really the corner stone of the institution.

highly satisfactory and pleasing in every respect.

The morning session was convened at 10 o'clock by President Trubshaw, there being a full attendance. Invocation by Rev. C. W. Harris.

Governor Hanna was present and delivered a ringing address of welcome in his usual polished and eloquent style. This was responded to by G. D. Colcord, of the Minot Independent.

President P. R. Trubshaw then delivered his annual address, after which committees were appointed.



ERNEST L. PETERSON
Milton Globe.
One of North Dakota's big boosters in the national association.



HON. D. R. STREETER
For thirty years publisher of the Record, now printed at Linton, and who has just laid down the pen and retired to enjoy his hard earned rest.

North Dakota, entertained the convention with a series of chalk talk which made a great hit. Mr. Baer is very clever, and has sprung into prominence through his excellent work on Jim Jam Jems. His efforts were real entertaining and enthusiastically received.

The convention then entered into discussions of various subjects of interest to the association. It was a free-for-all and proved highly beneficial. Officers were elected just before the committee reported as follows:

Resolutions.
The North Dakota Press association at its annual winter meeting of January, 1914, desires to express in a formal manner the sentiment which exists in the minds of its members beyond power of adequate expression, of appreciation of the splendid hospitality of the Bismarck people, and of the careful and thorough preparation made by local newspaper men, by the Commercial club, and by citizens generally, for the comfort, convenience and entertainment of the members of the association.
We esteem it a privilege to have



J. W. BRINTON
Beach Chronicle.
Hustling editor from the Golden Valley county, who is making a great success of the newspaper game and giving his readers a good service.

We urge upon all newspaper men in the state, not now members, the importance of joining our association, that they may share its benefits and aid in increasing those benefits to others.

We learn with deep regret of the sorrow which has come to two of our members, C. A. Bowden, of Lisbon, in the death of his brother and associate, Thomas A. Boyden, and Geo. W. Tilton, of Center, in the death of his wife, and we direct that the secretary communicate to these bereaved members assurance of our profound sympathy.

We commend most heartily our retiring president, Percy R. Trubshaw, for his long, unflagging and effective work for the upbuilding of his profession through this association, and his associates in official positions for

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J. KENNETH McLEOD
Fischer Hustler.
One of the most wide awake members of the association, but who ran away to a wedding in Iowa and couldn't be here.

FEDERAL CONVICTS TO BUILD COUNTY ROADS

SUICIDE PACT.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 16.—Earle S. Bostwick and E. A. Buchanan, apprenticed scamen at the Lake Bluff training station, committed suicide after agreeing to die together according to the coroner. They were found dead with bullet holes in their temples.

Members of Commercial Club and County Board Cooperate on Plan

Would Use Colored Federal Prisoners Now Held in Minnesota Pen

County Auditor Instructed to Requisition Board of Control

A good roads movement that is likely to result in the improvement of every road in Burleigh county by the use of convict labor next summer, was inaugurated yesterday by the county commissioners and the Commercial club.

During the lunch hour the board met with members of the club and it was proposed during the conference that 150 federal convicts, who are now serving their terms in the Minnesota state penitentiary should be brought back and put to work on the county roads. The plan is to have North Dakota take these prisoners away from the crowded Minnesota pen.

Members, both of the club and the board, approved this idea and the county auditor was instructed to make a request from the board of control for a number of convicts from the state penitentiary to work on the roads during the coming summer.

Practically all the convicts now in the state prison are being employed in the different plants at the institution and cannot be spared for county work but the contemplated plan is to have the federal prisoners returned to the state through the action of the board of control.

In case the request is granted the commissioners believe that a vast amount of county road work can be done and at a greatly reduced cost to the taxpayers.

The matter of salaries for clerks and deputies for the various county offices occupied a great portion of the day for the county commissioners at their meeting yesterday.

The offices of the county treasurer, register of deeds and county superintendent were examined by the board during the forenoon, and as a result the board felt that there should be at least some changes made during the coming year.

Commissioner Sandry took an active part in the discussion favoring a reduction of the help and also some (Continued on Page 3.)

FEDERALS NAB REBEL LEADER GEN. SALAZAR

Refugee Officer Was Wanted in United States for Conspiracy

Huerta's Friends Believe Another Chief Is Plotting Treason

Presidio, Texas, Jan. 16.—Efforts of the border authorities to round up the Mexican federal's generals who escaped from Ojinaga, resulted in the arrest at Sanderson of the Texas general Jose Ynez Salazar.

He was taken from the train en route to join the federal garrison in Mexico opposite Eagle Pass.

Salazar was the seventh Mexican general to come into the custody of the United States. Salazar is wanted at Santa Fe, N. M., where he is in (Continued on page three.)

LONE BANDIT LOOTS TRAIN

Then Escapes After Gun Duel With a Deputy Sheriff

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 16.—A bandit boarded the Western and Atlantic passenger No. 1 at Vinnes, Ga., robbed the passengers of one coach of several hundred dollars and engaged in a pistol duel with Deputy Sheriff Heard, who was aboard the train; then leaped from the train at Bolton, Ga.

Authorities there arrested a man answering his description. Heard was slightly injured by the bullet.

TWO STATES IN QUARREL OVER GATES PROPERTY

Beaumont, Texas, Jan. 16.—The will of the late Chas. G. Gates was admitted to probate Friday and appraisers appointed for the estate.

While Attorney General Smith and his assistant in Minnesota, attended to proceedings, to look after the interests of Minnesota's connection in the payment of the inheritance tax on the estate, they entered into no formal appearance at the proceedings.

Witnesses testified that Gates had stated that he considered Beaumont his home.

WILLIAMS' NAME GOES TO SENATE

Committee Approves Wilson's Appointment to Reserve Board

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—The nomination of John Skelton Williams to be comptroller of the currency was ordered favorably reported to the senate Friday by the committee on banking and currency.

The office carries with it a place on the newly created federal reserve board and on the organization committee of which the secretary of treasury and the secretary of agriculture are the other members.

Senator Reed will report the committee's decision to the senate Saturday in the absence of Senator Owen. "If a man ever proved a clean bill of health, Williams did so," said Reed after the committee inquiry into Williams' conduct as assistant secretary of treasury, in connection with the recent financial flurry in Washington.

Houghton Wroth At Lawlessness Charge

Houghton, Mich., Jan. 16.—A telegram, signed by 14 members of the progressive party, including several county committeemen, was sent last night to Congressman W. J. MacDonald at Washington, demanding that he retract the statement attributed to him, "that the constitutional rights of citizens and the laws had been overthrown in this district."

His resolution urging an inquiry into conditions in the copper country was made in the senate Friday and included the authorized statement of MacDonald that his district, embracing Houghton county, was part of the United States "where the constitutional government no longer exists." Other arrests were made under the indictments returned by the special Houghton county grand jury.