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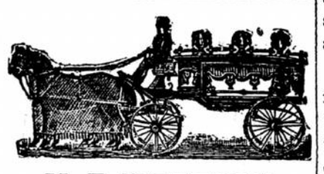

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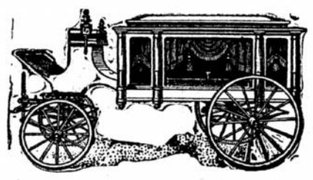

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

The Continued Story of Current Events.

One National Cash register for sale. Inquire at Palace Clothing Co.

Harry Mills, roadmaster for the M. & I. railroad, went to Brainerd this morning.

Charles Roman, clerk in the First National Bank, departed this morning for Brainerd on a business trip.

Fred Scott, who formerly conducted a restaurant at Kelliher, came down from that place this morning.

The Episcopal Guild will meet with Mrs. John Goodman Friday afternoon at 2:30. Note the change in the day.

Mrs. Henry Smith of Crookston is visiting in the city, being a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Peter Dell.

Fred Smith of International Falls came to the city last night and went over to Cass Lake this noon on a business trip.

C. P. Condon of Blackduck came to the city last evening and spent the night here, being a guest at the Hotel Markham.

The Anderson & Johnson Employment agency this afternoon shipped thirteen men to Glyndon to work for the G. N. at that point.

Mrs. Arthur Conger and son Lyle arrived in the city last evening for a visit at the home of J. J. Conger, brother of Arthur, for a fortnight or more.

John Gibson of Kelliher, who buys cedar for Page & Hill of Minneapolis, came to the city this morning and spent the day here on business.

J. H. Eddy of Grand Rapids was a visitor in Bemidji yesterday afternoon and last night, leaving this morning for a trip to the north country, above Funkley.

E. J. Lindquist of Ferris came to Bemidji yesterday afternoon and consulted Assistant Attorney General Smith concerning some business matters at Ferris in which he is interested.

W. H. Mantor, law partner of Senator Alderman ot Brainerd, came to the city last night and spent several hours here with his son, John Mantor, returning to his home this morning.

Harry Koors, one of the corps of local commercial travelers, came to the city last evening from Cass Lake, and spent today here. He will leave in the morning for International Falls on a business trip.

A. C. and C. H. Goddard, who live at the Red Lake Agency, came down from the agency yesterday and spent the night here. They left this morning for Seattle, where they will visit for two or three weeks.

A. C. Thomas of Blooming Prairie, the contractor who is erecting the the new Bemidji high school, came to the city last night from Blooming Prairie to note how the work on the school building is progressing.

Harry White, traveling representative for the Patten Carnival company, passed through the city last evening on his way to International Falls, where he intends to make arrangements for his shows to appear in the near future.

A. A. D. Rahan, the Crookston Lumber company's trusted lieutenant, left last night for his home in Minneapolis going by the M. & I. south-bound passenger train, after spending several days in Bemidji and vicinity.

Fred Baumgardner, local lineman for the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company, went to Walker this morning to make some repairs on lines at that place which have been "out of kilter" since the storm of Monday night. Fred has been "on the go," working on the lines leading into Bemidji for several days, the storm having done a lot of damage to the long distance lines of the telephone company.

Mrs. F. A. Mayo is acting as chaperone for a party of young ladies and young men who are stopping at the Mayo cottage at the head of Lake Bemidji for a week. The members of the party are the following: Misses Olive Miller, Dorothy Mayo, Gladys Kreatz, Lillian and Bessie Cochran; Messrs. Ralph Lycan, W. F. Marcum, Hallon Huffman, Ted Winebrenner and Mayne Stanton. The young men of the party go to the head of the lake every evening and spend the night there, returning to the city in the morning. They will undoubtedly have a delightful outing.

G. F. Ross, the logger and lumberman, was a visitor in Bemidji today from Duluth.

J. T. Ronning of Westhope, N. D., was a guest at the Hotel Markham yesterday afternoon and last night.

Lyndon A. Smith, assistant attorney general, departed last night for his home at St. Paul.

Mrs. James J. Brown and Mabel Brown of St. Paul came to the city last evening and were registered as guests at the Hotel Markham last night.

S. C. Bailey, state game warden for this district, returned home last evening from an official visit to Walker to look after the fishermen at that point.

Mrs. O. S. Hanson and two sons came to the city from Lavinia yesterday afternoon and departed this morning for their home at Grand Forks, N. D.

A. W. Douglas of Crookston, traveling auditor for the Great Northern Railway company, spent yesterday in the city, checking the books at the local depot.

C. W. Vandersluis departed last evening for a trip up north along the line of the M. & I., in the interest of the wholesale house which he represents "on the road."

George Moody of Brainerd, the very popular court reporter for Judge McClenahan, was a visitor in the city yesterday afternoon and last night and renewed acquaintance with his many local friends.

Theodore Gullickson, general agent for the Hamm Brewing company, went to Blackduck last evening in the interest of his company. They know and like the Hamm brew, up north—that is, those of 'em who indulge in the amber fluid.

T. Leet, a resident of Spokane, came to the city yesterday for the purpose of having a visit with his brother, Richard Leet. The brothers have not met for ten years, and it is a foregone conclusion that they will have a pleasant visit together.

R. E. Fisher, the attenuated day operator at the M. & I. depot, returned to the city last evening, having spent the past two months visiting points in Utah. He didn't bring any wives back with him, and we opine that he neglected his opportunities while away.

Bert McCauley of Brainerd, paymaster for the M. & I. Railway company, came to the city last evening and handed out a nice "bunch" of checks for employes of the M. & I., yesterday being "pay day" on that road. Mr. McCauley left this morning for International Falls to continue his good work of distributing the monthly "per diem" of the M. & I. men.

Thomas Ward of Grand Rapids, state fire ranger for Itasca county, came to the city yesterday afternoon and remained in the city until the M. & I. passenger train departed for the north, when he left for Houpt to investigate the cause of aud amount of damage done by fires which were prevalent in that vicinity prior to the recent copious downfall of celestial aqua pura.

George Trent, the traveling representative for the Remington Arms company, passed through the city last evening on his way from his home at Brainerd to International Falls on a business visit. Mr. Trent is a skilled trap shot and will undoubtedly give an exhibition of his prowess with the gun, when the local gun club is fully organized and ready to shoot birds from the trap.

William Hudoff, a linotype operator from Dayton, Ohio, spent yesterday in the city. Mr. Hudoff came to the city yesterday morning on the Duluth-Grand Forks G. N. train, which was held here for several hours on account of the wreck at Lengby, and he decided to remain here until this morning, which he did. He departed this morning for Seattle, Washington, where he will visit at the exposition for several weeks.

E. J. Ferrell, the Grand Rapids land dealer and lumberman, spent yesterday in Bemidji. He came over from the "Rapids" on the Tuesday morning's train, with the ntention of going on west to Lengby, but owing to the wreck which would not allow the westbound train to go farther west than Shevlin, yesterday, Mr. Farrell remained here yesterday and last night, continuing his trip to Lengby this morning, whither he went on some business matters.

Show cases for sale. Inquire Schneider Bros.

J. W. Smith, the Turtle River hustler, spent yesterday in Bemidji, returning to his home last evening.

J. T. Dolan, the Superior commercial traveler, came to the city yesterday afternoon and left last evening for points along the north line of the M. & I. railway, on a business trip.

MANY SCHEDULES STILL IN DISPUTE

Tariff Conferees Far Apart on Important Sections.

OUTLOOK NOT SO HOPEFUL

Stubborn Fight Expected on Wood Pulp, Print Paper, Lumber, Hides, Iron Ore and Other So Called Raw Materials—Many Provisions of the Cotton and Metal Schedules Remain Unsettled.

Washington, July 21.—Heretofore the conferees on the tariff have been putting aside the hard problems, but now they have started with the intention of settling disputes promptly in so far as such a course is possible. Some of the conferees, however, are in a far from hopeful mood.

No votes have yet been taken, but it is understood that that stage must soon be reached. Most of the differences left to be arranged are fundamental in character and it is believed can only be settled by the ballot.

Only the Republican members of the two houses are sitting and the representatives of each of the branches vote separately. As there are five senators and six representatives on the conference the votes of three senators and four members of the house will be necessary to carry any proposition. The disposition on the part of the conferees of each house is to allow the majority to rule and it is apprehended that there may not be so much difficulty in reaching a conclusion in either branch as there may be in bringing the two branches together.

Wood pulp, print paper and lumber, to say nothing of hides, iron ore and other so called raw materials, are receiving the most serious attention from the conferees. The paper and pulp fight bids fair to be especially stubborn.

Differences on Cotton Schedule.

Considerable progress has been made on the cotton schedule, but hosiery and a number of other leading items of cotton manufacture are causing the tariff arbitrators concern. The drawback provision is practically the only important administrative feature that remains unsettled.

Although the rates of duty have been fixed on practically all of the steel products there has been a protest against the increased rate on structural steel punched for use. It was thought that a compromise on lead and its products was in view, but this schedule has also proven difficult of adjustment. The duties on zinc in blocks and pigs, which were increased by the senate over the house rates, is another matter which is delaying the settlement of the metal schedule.

An agreement as to whether there should be a reciprocity provision for the free entry of agricultural machinery does not seem to be near at hand and the same may be said with regard to the differences existing between the house and senate regarding the rates on window glass, the increased rates on gloves made by the house bill and the rates on barley and barley malt.

Wide differences of opinion were encountered in the day's deliberations and little progress was made, although several minor paragraphs were disposed of.

MEETS MANY PARTY LEADERS

President Continues Conferences on Tariff Bill.

Washington, July 21.—Cabinet day at the White House found the president busy in consultations with congressional leaders regarding the tariff bill. For an hour before the meeting of his official family Mr. Taft had conferences with Senator Crane, Vice President Sherman, who is coming to take a more and more active part as a conciliator; Representative Dwight, the party whip in the house, who reported good progress in lining up the members to vote for the bill the president wants; Senator Root of New York and Senator Curtis of Kansas. After the cabinet meeting the president saw Senator Warren and later was closeted with Senator Aldrich and Speaker Cannon.

There is a strong impression at the White House that matters are shaping themselves satisfactorily and that the fight will end within ten days with all the party leaders, including the titular head himself, in a happy frame of mind.

PREPARE TO LYNCH NEGRO

Armed Men in Autos in Pursuit of Woman's Assailant.

Vinings Station, Ga., July 21.—Automobiles and bloodhounds have started in pursuit of a negro who criminally assaulted Miss Humphreys near here. The automobiles were filled with a posse of excited and heavily armed men determined to lynch the negro if they catch him.

Bust of Hill Completed.

New York, July 21.—A bronze bust of James J. Hill has been completed in Brooklyn and will be shipped at once to the Seattle exposition, where it will be unveiled on Aug. 3, Minnesota day. The bust is said to be the largest of its kind in the world, weighing 1,700 pounds.

HOUSE ISSUES AN ULTIMATUM

Bonding Companies Must Return to Old Rates.

HARD FIGHT ON QUESTION

Friends of Concerns Involved Sought to Prevent Action on a Point of Order, but the Committee on Rules Gets Busy and Brings in a Resolution, Which is Adopted, Making the Prohibition in Order.

Washington, July 21.—Bonding companies must return to rates of 1908 if they hope to get any business from officers of the government occupying positions of trust. The urgent deficiency bill contains an express prohibition against the payment of the higher premiums determined upon last year by the companies.

The friends of the bonding companies, however, sought in the house to have the prohibition removed on a point of order. Their efforts were fruitless, for the committee on rules got busy and brought in a resolution making the prohibition in order. The resolution was adopted by a goodly majority.

Bitter denunciation was heaped by Mr. Smith (Ia.) upon the bonding companies, which, he said, had entered into a combination to raise their premiums 300 per cent.

Opposing the provision A. M. Palmer (Pa.) declared the proposition was one simply to legalize a boycott against the strongest companies in the country and compel officers of the government to go back to the weaker surety companies or else the notoriously bad and inefficient individual surety.

Mr. Gill (Md.) attacked the paragraph on practically similar grounds. As to the prohibition itself he said it would produce the direst confusion.

Sixteen Prussian Miners Killed.

Langendreer, Prussia, July 21.—Sixteen miners were killed by an explosion of fire damp in a mine at Mansfield. Many other workmen were taken from the mine unconscious and conveyed to a hospital for treatment.

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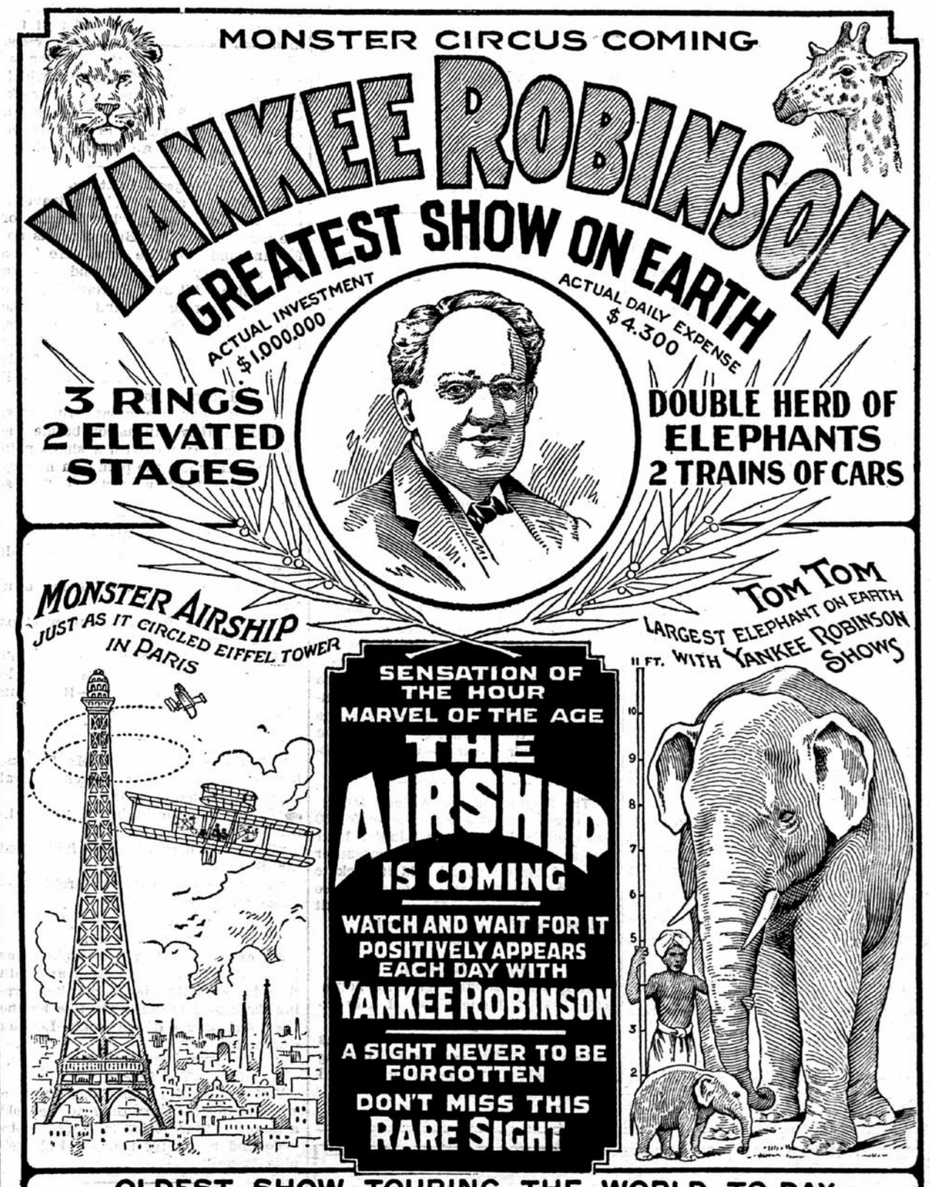

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