



NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM OVER WORLD

HAPPENINGS IN OUR OWN AND OTHER COUNTRIES BRIEFLY TOLD.

SHORT ITEMS FOR BUSY MEN

Week's News Condensations Reviewed Without Comment—All Nations Find Something to Edify and Instruct.

One of the historic oaks under which the Republican party was born at Jackson, Mich., in 1854, has been seriously damaged by a storm.

Thomas Capello was found guilty by a jury in the Franklin county circuit court of the murder of Robert T. Hill, chief of police of Seneca, Ill., on July 12. He was sentenced to serve a life term in the Chester penitentiary.

T. C. Betterton, general manager of the Tennessee Coflin and Casket company at Chattanooga, was arrested, charged with violating the penal code of the United States by shipping whisky in caskets sent out from his factory without showing their contents.

For the first time in the history of the state, girl ughers served in the Washington Park Methodist Episcopal church, Bridgeport, Conn.

On plea of guilty under nine charges of embezzlement, Irving Hirsch of Little Rock, Ark., was sentenced to one minute of imprisonment in each case.

A verdict of \$4,000 was returned by a jury in the Christian county (Ill.) circuit court in favor of Frank J. Wotawa of Belleville against Mrs. Ora Belle Ridgley of Assumption and J. T. Long.

In the midst of a session of court devoted to hearing divorce cases, Judge Sellers at Conway, Ark., suspended business in that line to perform the ceremony uniting C. J. Yancey and Miss Lillie M. Roberts.

Elison Scott, a negro, was found guilty of the murder of his sister-in-law in circuit court at Murphysboro, Ill., and sentenced to be hanged. Immediately after being sentenced he escaped from jail, but was captured.

Dependent over the depression of his stock and bond business, C. C. McDonald, widely known Raleigh (N. C.) stock and bond broker, took his life at the Raleigh Country club.

The Lokal Anzeiger publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that the British consul and the consular guards at Ispahan have been killed by Persians.

Included in gifts announced by the Harvard college corporation was a letter written by Thomas Jefferson in 1819, in which it was stated that Harvard students of those days confined their drinking to water.

Mrs. Elsonor Elkins Widener of Philadelphia, widow of George D. Widener, who was lost on the Titanic, was married to Dr. Alexander Hamilton Rice.

Charles Flueter, night counter man in the railroad eating house at Missouri Valley, Ia., quit his job to be married in order to qualify for a legacy of \$17,000 left to him by an uncle in New York City on condition he should marry before Oct. 1.

The \$5,000,000 Arrow Rock dam, at Boise, Idaho, has been dedicated.

The Washington navy yard machinists have won their fight for increased wages. Beginning Oct. 9, a new scale of wages, with increases ranging from \$9 to 96 cents a day, goes into effect.

A series of earthquakes was experienced in Utah, Nevada, the northern part of California, Oregon and Idaho.

The German naval base at Zebrugo has been bombarded again. Five allied aeroplanes attacked Zebrugo, but only three returned. One was shot to earth by a German gun and another was forced to land on Dutch soil.

A federal indictment was returned against the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, charging it with rebating.

The Russian Red Cross society has published a list of 46 sisters of mercy who perished in the bombardment of a hospital by the Austrians and Germans.

The pension office mailed to Washington addresses hundreds of pension checks for civil war veterans who were attending the G. A. R. encampment.

British military authorities have recognized the importance of machine guns by the formation of a special machine gun corps.

Fire destroyed the Salisbury road military hospital at Plymouth, Eng., but all the patients were safely removed.

Word comes that the prince of Wales, at the headquarters of the staff officers near Ypres, became too familiar with a pretty waitress and a jealous husband shot him in the arm.

A banker named Hugnet, who was serving a sentence in Paris for embezzlement, was released and allowed to "atone for his offense" as a soldier at the front.

Twin girls born to Mrs. Andre Freeman at Lafayette, Ind., are joined together, head to head.

Max Samfield, rabbi emeritus of the Congregation Children of Israel, Memphis, is dead, aged 71 years.

Three sons of Gen. Edouard de Coresses de Castelnaud have lost their lives at the front.

The first transactions in the \$500,000,000 Anglo-French five-year 5-per-cent bonds on the New York stock exchange was for the amount of \$10,000,000 at 98.

Alberto Garcia Grenados, former minister of the interior in the cabinet of Gen. Huerta, has been convicted of treason and sentenced to death.

The famous parish church at Lachine, Quebec, was destroyed by fire with a loss of \$250,000.

Henry Blandy Wren, aged 82, who died at his farm, Whitley Reading, England, had spent only one night away from his home at Whitley, where he was born.

At Conway, Ark., cottonseed sold this week at \$1.50 a ton, an advance within a week of \$18.

Warden J. K. Coddling of the Kansas penitentiary plans to have the prisoners eat from tables instead of benches. He has installed one table as an experiment.

All the passengers, estimated at 59, were killed in a train wreck on the railway between Vera Cruz and Mexico City.

Complete returns from 13 camps indicate the adoption of the Rockefeller industrial plan by employees of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company by a ratio of at least 8 to 1. The total vote recorded was: For, 1,939; against, 230.

Frank O. Lowden declares that he would exercise his authority to close saloons on Sunday throughout Illinois if he should be elected governor by the Republicans.

Official reports at Juarez state that Gen. Rosalio Hernandez, who was reported to have revolted against Villa, was shot by his own men.

It is reported from Bombay that a great fire occurred in cotton warehouses, causing a loss of \$10,000,000.

A bread knife thrown in a fit of anger by Frances Zimna, 6 years old, caused the death of her 5-month-old sister at Flintsville, Wis.

When the shovel he was carrying over his shoulder acted as a lightning rod, Angie Dell, 72 years old, was killed at Walla Walla, Wash., during an electrical storm.

While the main part of the Atlantic fleet is engaged in war maneuvers along the whole Atlantic coast, a detachment of torpedo boat destroyers was detailed to participate in a mimic attack on the coast defenses of Boston.

Prof. Sola, director of the observatory at Barcelona university, has announced that he discovered Sept. 15 a new planet in the Pisces constellation.

A vigorous campaign to defeat the proposed new constitution of New York state, declaring that it tends toward aristocracy, was decided upon by the executive council of the state federation of labor.

Mrs. Alice Hosmer was burned to death and her daughter, Mrs. Robert E. Preble, was so badly burned that she may die, when their home was destroyed by fire at Chicago.

Otto Buckner was killed at Benton, Ill., by a switch engine while attempting to board an Illinois Central train.

Three dwellings were destroyed and one side of a hill was washed away when one wall of the reservoir for the storage of the Portsmouth, O., water supply collapsed.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who left San Francisco in June to climb Mount Everest, in the Himalayas, was arrested in Rangoon, Burma, as a German spy.

President Wilson practically has decided not to call a special session of the senate before the meeting of congress.

Rev. J. W. D. Hunt, 85 years old, died at the home of his son, William Hunt, at Polo, Mo. He was a Baptist minister for 60 years.

Porter Charlton's attorney, McNeill Picardi, requested an adjournment of the wife murder trial. Baron Sciacca granted an adjournment to Oct. 18.

The first snow of the season fell at St. Paul Tuesday, Oct. 5, the light flurry continuing only a few minutes. Deadwood, S. D., had from three to six inches.

The Hungarian minister of national defense has ordered all classes between the ages of 19 and 42 to present themselves for enrollment.

MULE NO JOKE NOW

Missouri Took the Big Prizes Against World at Panama-Pacific Exposition.

WON A GRAND CHAMPIONSHIP

This State Also Captured Four Other Championships and Eight Firsts at San Francisco.

Missouri came to the front at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, cleaning out all records for jacks and Jennets in the live stock contests against the world. Missouri won one grand championship, four championships, six reserve championships, eight first prizes, five second prizes, three third prizes, two fourth prizes, two fifth prizes. These awards include the best herd of jacks and Jennets; first prize for a set of a sire; first prize for produce of dam; first prize for champion Jennet.

The Belle of Limestone, one of the Jennets that won a prize, was champion at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. This Jennet is 19 years old. She was never beaten in her life until this show and her own daughter surpassed her.

Missouri has won \$1,500 of the exposition's money; \$1,500 of the Missouri commission's money, which duplicated the exposition awards, and \$260 of the National Jack Stock Association's money.

My Major Dare, the stallion owned by Miss Loula Long of Kansas City, won the championship for saddle stallions to halter. Colts sired by him won the majority of the money in the yearling classes and foal classes.

My Idol, owned by Col. Paul Brown of St. Louis, won championship for saddle mare to halter.

Send Library Books to Farms. E. E. Johnson, postmaster at Sedalia, recently began a plan whereby residents of the rural districts of Pettis county may derive benefits from the public library by means of parcel post. A list of five hundred books in the library has been sent to each of the 110 schools in rural Pettis county.

The teacher of each school serves as a sub-librarian. The pupils are given charts and any book on the list or which the pupils know to be contained in the library is sent by parcel post. This plan also includes the adult residents of the rural districts, but all books are sent through the schools.

Pork and Eggs for Gospel. The hardships of a Methodist circuit rider were brought forcefully to the attention of the city ministers attending the St. Louis conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, when a country preacher reported that in the last two months he had received half of a hog and a great many eggs, but no money. He had sent twelve dozen eggs to the district superintendent, he said. Another circuit rider said he had received \$18 in two months, and a third said he had received no money, but that his parishioners had promised to buy him a horse before winter and had entertained him liberally in their homes.

Proved Man Was Drunk. Three months of legal procedure in Boone county was necessary to prove to a farmer living near Columbia that he was drunk last Fourth of July when a policeman arrested him. A decision was handed down in the Boone County Circuit Court recently and the farmer will pay his fine of \$1 and costs amounting to about \$75. He was fined in a justice of the peace court July 13, but appealed the case.

Moberly to Vote November 9. The city council has designated November 9 as the date for the local option election to be held in Moberly. A petition bearing 461 signatures was presented to the council asking that a date be set for the election. Four years ago the "wets" carried the city by 800 votes.

Rusty Needle Kills Boy. Seven-year-old William Kimbrell of Sapulpa, Ok., died in a hospital at Springfield from blood poisoning that developed from a wound in his left knee caused by falling upon a rusty needle on July 19. His father is general car foreman for the Frisco at Sapulpa.

Appeal Campbell Will Case. Formal notice of an appeal from the decision of the judge and jury in the circuit court as to the validity of the will of James Campbell, railway promoter, and to the estate of Mrs. Lois Campbell Burkham, declared by the jury to be the daughter of Campbell, has been filed in St. Louis.

Explosion Kills Miner. Fred Willoughby, 20, a miner of Carthage, was instantly killed when, having set off a charge of dynamite and the explosion did not follow, went back to investigate. Just as he reached the spot the dynamite exploded.

Millionaire Veteran Dead. Charles E. Bailey, Civil War veteran, millionaire and for half a century one of the most successful real estate operators in St. Louis, died at his home there the other night.

SAVES NEGRO SECOND TIME

Wife of Pike County's Sheriff Parleys with Mob While Her Husband Summons a posse.

For the second time in a month, Mrs. W. B. Hawkins, wife of the sheriff of Pike county, has saved the life of Harrison Rose, a negro prisoner, charged with murder. She parleyed with a mob which invaded the Pike county jail at 1 o'clock in the morning while the sheriff formed a posse of citizens. Fifty men, some of them armed, led by Speaker Champ Clark of the national house of representatives and his son, Bennett, arrived at the jail a few minutes after the mob had fled.

A month ago the sheriff's wife similarly held off a mob until the mayor and prosecuting attorney arrived and persuaded them to depart. Rose, the negro, is charged with stabbing a Clarksville, Mo., farmer to death with a pitchfork.

At midnight the mob from Clarksville called on Sheriff Hawkins to surrender Rose, and when he refused, they battered down the outer doors of the jail. While two held the sheriff, others held revolvers to his forehead and commanded him to tell where he had hidden the keys to Rose's cell.

The sheriff told the mob they would have to break down the jail to get the negro and while they were pounding on the inner jail door with sledgehammers the sheriff escaped and gave the alarm.

Meanwhile other members of the mob first begged and then commanded the sheriff's wife to produce the keys, but their revolvers brought no more terror to her than they had to the sheriff. The mob fled in automobiles when lookouts gave alarm of the posse's coming. Tonight Sheriff Hawkins swore in several deputies to help guard the jail.

Rose, until very recently, had been kept in some other jail, the location of which has not been made public. He was brought back to Bowling Green to be arraigned, but because of the possibility of further violence, the hearing was postponed indefinitely.

HAVE NO LEGAL STANDING

State Board of Health Makes Ruling Against Chiropractors—May Appeal to Courts.

The state board of health of Missouri, in session at the Hotel Muehlebach in Kansas City, gave an opinion that chiropractic practitioners have no legal standing in the state of Missouri. The opinion was announced to Dr. Paul Paquin, director of public health of Kansas City, and to a committee of the chiropractic practitioners, who had been invited by Doctor Paquin to attend the hearing. Doctor Paquin had asked the opinion of the state board in order that he can proceed legally against chiropractic practitioners in Kansas City.

One hundred and twenty-five chiropractors from Missouri and neighboring states were in Kansas City at the time and appointed the following committee to appear before the state board: Sol Long, Kansas City; William Carver, Oklahoma City; B. J. Palmer, Davenport, Ia. The latter declared after the hearing that the state board was in no position to interpret the law and that it was charged merely with enforcing it. "The question is a legal and not a professional one," he concluded.

There is talk of taking the matter to the courts for a ruling.

Mrs. Hudson Heads Eastern Star. Mrs. Ida M. Hudson of Chillicothe was chosen worthy grand matron of the grand chapter of Missouri of the order of the Eastern Star at the recent meeting in St. Louis.

Caldwell County Pioneer Dead. The Rev. J. W. D. Hunt, 85 years old, is dead at the home of his son, William Hunt, at Polo. He became a Baptist minister in 1874 and was an active preacher thirty years. He was baptized by Robert James, the father of Frank and Jesse James.

No Estate to Slayer. Probate Judge Holtecamp of St. Louis, ruled recently that a wife loses all interest in her husband's estate if she is convicted of killing him. The decision was given in the case of Mrs. Ada B. Owsley, who shot and killed her husband last March.

Acquit a Missouri Mayor. J. M. Bryant, merchant and mayor of Turkey, was acquitted recently of a charge of murder for the killing of James Mullinix, May 31.

Killed by Dynamite. Ben Cunningham, 80 years old, a coal miner who lives four miles north of Columbia, was killed recently while unpacking dynamite at his home. The house in which he lived was almost demolished.

Former Conductor Dead. Thomas A. Gee, a deputy marshal of Hannibal, is dead. He was 67 years old and was a passenger conductor on the Burlington Railroad between Kansas City and Quincy for twenty-three years.

The Wise One.

"He is a perfect disciplinarian." "Yes; never gives an order unless he is dead sure it will be obeyed."—Judge.

SOAP IS STRONGLY ALKALINE

and constant use will burn out the scalp. Cleanse the scalp by shampooing with "La Creole" Hair Dressing, and darken, in the natural way, those ugly, grizzly hairs. Price, \$1.00.—Adv.

Logical. "Do you know, I think Dick acts rather bashful when he's with you?" "Maybe so, but you should see him when we are where no one can see us."

IMITATION IS SINCEREST FLATTERY but like counterfeit money the imitation has not the worth of the original. Insist on "La Creole" Hair Dressing—it's the original. Darkens your hair in the natural way, but contains no dye. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

No Optimist. "I'm sorry, ma'am, but I've got to give you my week's notice." "Why, Mary, you surprise me. Do you expect to better yourself?" "Well, not exactly, ma'am, but I'm going to get married."

Looking Ahead. "How do you think the war in Europe is going to end?" "The same as about everything else ends," replied Mr. Growcher. "The people who didn't start it or participate in the excitement will be called on to economize and try to pay up for it."

Where War is Not Hell. Chatty Neighbor—I suppose you don't stand for any war arguments among your boarders? Boarding-House Mistress—Oh, yes. You see, our biggest eater gets so interested that he forgets to eat and our next biggest eater gets so mad that he leaves before the meal is half over.—Puck.

His Chief End in Life. There was once a rich but very mean old lady, says Answers, who paid her servants as little as possible, and kept very few.

One of her staff was a thin, miserable-looking lad of twelve, who answered the door, did the knives and the windows, waited at table, weeded the garden, washed the puddle, and had the rest of the time to himself.

One visitor asked him: "Well, my boy, and what do you do here?" "I do a butler and a gardener out of a job!" snapped the lad sourly.

Well Put. Once in a while, when small children are witnesses in court, they have an original way of framing their answers to questions put to them by the attorneys, says the Boston Post.

The other day a little girl in the divorce court was asked: "How do you know that this statement is true?" "Why, my papa told me so," instantly replied the little girl.

"And do you always answer your stepmother politely, no matter what she says to you, as your father told you to do?" "No," said the small witness, and after a brief pause she added: "My heart did not bring forth the words."

An Application.

"You'll excuse me, captain," said O'Harrity, addressing the commander of the battleship, "but is it true that at costs seven hundred dollars to fire wan o' them big guns?" "Yes, O'Harrity," said the captain. "Why do you ask?" "O'Harrity might save yer some money, sorr," said O'Harrity. "Sure, and O'H'll fire 'em for yer for tin."—New York Times.

Friend Wife's Idea.

"What's the pitcher doing now?" "He's warming up for the game!" "But he's throwing the ball!" "Well! Well! That's warming up." "Oh, dear! I thought a pitcher had to keep cool to win a game."

One Species. "What fruits have we ever evolved from this agitation over our feet?" "Well, there is the navel orange."

Evidently Well Cared For. During the progress of the morning bath of a few months' old infant a neighbor's little girl came into the room carrying a doll, and stood watching the operation for some time. The little girl's doll was much the worse for hard usage, being minus an arm and a leg. Finally she said to the mother of the child: "How long have you had your baby?"

The child was informed, and, looking from her doll to the baby, she said: "My, but you have kept it nice!"

The One. "Do you know any class which approves the recent?" "Oh, yes; act. a."

If a man is afraid to say it himself, he nearly always asks a newspaper to do it for him.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

THIS is the caution applied to the public announcement of Castoria that has been manufactured under the supervision of Chas. H. Fletcher for over 30 years—the genuine Castoria. We respectfully call the attention of fathers and mothers when purchasing Castoria to see that the wrapper bears his signature in black. When the wrapper is removed the same signature appears on both sides of the bottle in red. Parents who have used Castoria for their little ones in the past years need no warning against counterfeits and imitations, but our present duty is to call the attention of the younger generation to the great danger of introducing into their families spurious medicines.

It is to be regretted that there are people who are now engaged in the nefarious business of putting up and selling all sorts of substitutes, or what should more properly be termed counterfeits, for medicinal preparations not on the mother to scrutinize closely what she gives her child. Adults can do that for themselves, but the child has to rely on the mother's watchfulness.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

On the Water Wagon. The alfalfa delegate was paying his first visit to a city of any size. Standing on the sidewalk he chanced to see a sprinkling cart coming down the street, and no sooner had he set eyes on the thing than he began to laugh like a boy at a minstrel show.

"Say, old pal," he remarked hilariously, punching a cop in the ribs, "don't that just beat all?" "Don't that beat all?" responded the wondering cop. "What's the joke?" "Just look at that fellow on that wagon!" replied the alfalfa party, pointing to the sprinkler. "That durned clump won't have a drop of water left by the time he gets home!"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Noble Sentiment. Sunday School Teacher—Did you ever forgive an enemy? Tommy Tuffnut—Once.

Sunday School Teacher—And what noble sentiment prompted you to do it? Tommy Tuffnut—He was bigger dan me.—Life.

Young Doctor Broke Precedents. "That young doctor is queer." "In what way?" "He admitted that he didn't know anything about my case."

"A lot of doctors do that nowadays." "I know, but this fellow also admitted that he didn't know another doctor he could turn me over to."

Its Nature. "I hear a queer noise in this room like a muffled clock." "Maybe it's the bed ticking."

EVIDENTLY HAD LOST SAVOR

Soldier's Insinuation Was That Meat Had Been Long in British Army Commissariat.

"Any complaint?" asked the British orderly officer of some men who were about to begin dinner in a certain barrack room.

"Yes, sir," instantly exclaimed a raw recruit; "the beef an' bacon in this ere Irish ash ain't fit for the likes of us to eat, an' I wish to report it."

The doctor was sent for to inspect the food. "So you think this meat isn't fit for a man in your position to eat?" said he. "Allow me to tell you that greater men than ever you will be have eaten it. Even the commander in chief wasn't above eating it in the Crimea, and made many a hearty meal of it."

"Oh, did 'e?" said our over-nice recruit. "Yes, he did," replied the surgeon. "Oh, well," retorted the man. "It was all very well for the commander in chief, 'cause the meat would be fresh an' good then. You see, sir, it's a long time since that 'ere Crimea job, and it can't be expected to keep good all these years."

He and She. She—Have you ever read "Lives of the Hunted"? He—No; what's it about—bachelors?—New York Post.

And some married men believe that they should be allowed to spend part of the money they earn.

Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the U. S. Public Health Service Says: "I WANT TO WARN YOU AGAINST THE CRAZE PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY HAVE FOR WHITE FLOUR. THE WHITEST FLOUR IS NOT THE BEST; IT IS NOT THE PUREST; IT IS ONLY THE DEAREST, AND WHEN YOU BUY IT YOU BUY LOOKS AND NOT NOURISHMENT. IN ORDER TO MAKE IT WHITE, SOME OF THE MOST NOURISHING AND ESSENTIAL COMPONENTS OF THE NATURAL WHEAT HAVE BEEN TAKEN AWAY." These "nourishing and essential components" are the priceless mineral phosphates of the grain, known as the "tissue salts," indispensable for perfect health of body, brain and nerves. Everywhere food scientists and physicians are sounding a like note of warning, for a host of ills is following the pernicious practice of casting out these elements in the milling process, and that, simply to make the flour look white and pretty. Neurasthenia, anemia, Bright's disease, constipation, rickets, and a lowered resistance against disease in general, are some of these ills. More and more thinking people are waking up to this evil. There's a way out. Grape-Nuts FOOD made of whole wheat and barley, retains all the nutriment of the grains and those "essential components"—the mineral elements. This splendid food was devised years ago to supply this very lack in ordinary food and fortify the system against the onslaughts of disease. It does it wonderfully well. Grape-Nuts comes ready to eat, convenient, economical and nourishing, and has become a household word in thousands of homes for its sterling food values and delicious flavor. "There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts —sold by Grocers everywhere.