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Our Washington Letter.

Majority Leader Underwood of the House of Representatives characterizes the tariff and currency legislation under the present Congress as the greatest legislative progress of a decade. Secretary of the Navy Daniels adds to this legislative program of the present administration four all-important features of an executive program. He mentions President Wilson's epochal utterance at Mobile that this country will never again seek to obtain one additional foot of territory by conquest as a logical and necessary addition to the Monroe Doctrine. Continuing in an outline of these executive achievements, Secretary Daniels said:

"The first of these was the Mobile declaration; that this country would not voluntarily acquire another inch of territory. The second feature of the program was the recognition by this country of the Republic of China. America always has been a beacon for Republics and will assist any Republic founded upon constitutional liberty."

"A third feature of the administration's executive policy was the sending of Burton Harrison to the Philippines with instructions which showed it to be the policy of this country to go forward with Philippine independence as quickly as can wisely be done."

"The fourth feature was the proposition of Secretary of State Bryan, now accepted in principle by a score of nations, for the holding of conferences prior to a declaration of war, with no increase in armaments during the discussion of differences."

To this might be added President Wilson's strengthening of the diplomatic service by the appointment to the foreign embassies and legations of men of high intellectual attainments, without regard to the size of their purses, and of his application of the merit system to the consular service, so that trained men should remain in the consular positions and advance to the more important places where the nation would reap greater benefits from their experience and ability.

Mr. Wilson is working hard at his job of President. He gave up his vacation to work the summer through at his desk in the White House offices. Where in former years Oyster Bay and Beverly were made familiar places to newspaper readers by the frequency with which they appeared in the date lines, Cornish, N. H., and Windsor, Vt., the two towns near the place selected by President Wilson as the "summer White House," are little known, because President Wilson remained at his desk and still remains there long hours fulfilling the tasks which a less earnest and less conscientious executive would delegate to others.

The tone of newspaper comment over the country, and reports brought to Washington by Members of Congress who have been commingling with the people of their districts, prove that President Wilson's administration is growing in popular favor. The latest observer to bring reports to the White House of public approval of the administration's policies is Congressman Ben Johnson, of Kentucky, who has just returned from California and other western states. "I found President Wilson far stronger in California and in the western states than when he was elected President," said Congressman Johnson. "The people believe in him and lean on him. He is decidedly stronger than his party, people of all parties and political thought wish him well and express a purpose to stand by him."

Congressmen Pepper, Connolly and Kirkpatrick, the three Iowa Democratic members receive similar reports from home. Their mail has been flooded with letters commendatory of the administration's policies and of the constructive legislative program put through by Congress. The favorable tone of these advices from home is reassuring to the Congressmen, as it gives the strongest indication that they will have added strength when they go before the people next year for re-election. It indicates, too, that Iowa will increase its strength in the House at the next election, as is prophesied by State Chairman Reed, and send members to the House and Senate who will be in sympathy with the policies of the administration and in a position to render greater service to the people of the state by co-operating with the dominant party in carrying out the constructive legislative policies for which the Wilson administration is earnestly striving.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

OBITUARY

Chryst.

Mary Lettie Hall, eldest daughter of Samuel and Mary Hall, was born August 4th, 1846, in Rutland county, Vt. The family moved to Darlington, Wis., where the mother died, and Lettie took the mother's place in the home, caring for the younger brothers and sisters.

The family moved to Vernon Springs, Iowa, in 1874.

She was united in marriage to Geo. D. Chryst on June 14, 1885, in Cresco, where they have made their home since, with the exception of two years at Monroe, Wis.

Mrs. Chryst fell asleep at her home in Cresco on October 30th, 1913, after an illness of three days. She is survived by her husband, three brothers, George and Samuel Hall of Lime Springs, Iowa, and Ira Hall of Port Angeles, Wash., also one sister, Mrs. Milo Woodward of Cresco.

Mrs. Chryst has been a member of the Congregational church of Cresco since 1877, and was always active in the work of the church until her health compelled her to rest. She was a consistent Christian, who showed her faith by her works.

The funeral services were conducted in the Congregational church by her pastor, Dr. D. T. Robertson, on Saturday morning, Nov. 1st, and the body was laid to rest in Oak Lawn cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted me during the last illness and burial of my wife and for the beautiful floral offerings, also those who rendered the music at the church. The memory of these expressions of kindness will be remembered by me always.

Geo. D. Chryst.

Johnson.

Sara Severson Losen was born July 12, 1853 at Jefferson Prairie, Wis. While still an infant she moved with her parents to Hesper, Iowa, and at the age of twelve moved to a farm twelve miles north of Cresco. On May 20th, 1871, she was united in marriage to Andrew Johnson and moved to Cresco which has been her home until last August when she moved to St. Paul to make a home for her daughter Mathilda who teaches in the public schools there. Mrs. Johnson suffered a slight stroke about a year and a half ago from which she never fully recovered and on Oct. 26th was again stricken and passed away Friday morning Oct. 28th at 6 o'clock. She leaves to mourn her loss a daughter Mathilda, of St. Paul and son John, of Luther College, Decorah, Iowa. Her husband preceded her to his eternal rest in 1900. Bessie, the eldest daughter died in 1908 and one child died in infancy. She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Erickson, of Trent, S. Dak., Siri Losen, of Locust, Iowa, and two brothers L. J. Losen, of Harmony, Minn., and P. J. Losen, of Locust, Ia.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Lutheran church of Cresco, Monday, Nov. 3rd, 1913, Rev. Figenbaum, of Cresco, Rev. Ottensen, of West Salem, Wis., and Rev. S. T. Reque, of St. Paul officiating. She was laid to rest at Oak Lawn Cemetery. Relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Ellestad, Mrs. Ramsey and Mrs. Thompson from Decorah, Iowa, L. J. Losen and son Joseph and daughter Mrs. Scrabec, of Harmony, Minn.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all those who assisted at the funeral services of our dear mother.

Mathilda Johnson,
John Alfred Johnson.

BLACKBURN

Thomas Spence Blackburn was born May 5, 1830, at Bentham, Yorkshire, England, and came with the rest of the family to America in 1844 at the age of 14 years and located in Dane County, Wisconsin. On July 17, 1855, he was united in marriage to Jessie Stewart of Verona, Wis., and the first few years of their married life was spent on a farm near that town. In 1864 they moved to Winneshiek Co., Iowa, and settled on the farm which was his home until his death which occurred Oct 26, 1913, after an illness of only a few days.

He leaves to mourn his departure, his wife, two sons and four daughters, Robert, Mary Paley and Jessie Schorr, of Ridgeway, Iowa; James, of Royal, Neb.; Martha Jones, of Weyauwega, Wis., and Alice McQuatters, of Northwood, Iowa, also 24 grand-children and eight great-grand-children. One son, John, died in infancy. Two sisters also survive him, Margaret Mason, of Le Roy, Minn., and Mary Douglas, of Brodhead, Wis. Besides the family, a host of friends and neighbors will miss this kindly man in the old home.

The funeral was held at the old home on Thursday, Oct. 30, conducted by Dr. D. T. Robertson. Interment was made in New Oregon cemetery.

LEE.

G. A. Lee was born in Valdres, Norway, Dec. 13, 1848, and came to

America in 1877, locating at Decorah for two years. He returned to Norway in 1879 and was united in marriage to Marit Olson Norsween Dec. 11th of the same year, returning again to America in 1881 and has resided in Cresco ever since. To them 13 children were born all living but one who died in infancy.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who helped during the illness and bereavement of husband and father.

Mrs. G. A. Lee and Children.

Declare War on Colds.

A crusade of education which aims "that common colds may become uncommon within the next generation" has been begun by prominent New York physicians. Here is a list of "don'ts" which the doctors say will prevent the annual visitation of the cold:

"Don't sit in a draughty car."
"Don't sleep in hot rooms."
"Don't avoid the fresh air."
"Don't stuff yourself at meal time. Overeating reduces your resistance."
"To which we would add—when you take a cold get rid of it as quickly as possible. To accomplish that you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy most excellent. Sold by Fred Lowry."

A Consumptive Cough.

A cough that bothers you continually is one of the danger signals which warns of consumption. Dr. King's New Discovery stops the cough, loosens the chest, banish fever, and lets you sleep peacefully. The first dose checks the symptoms and gives prompt relief. Mrs. A. F. Mertz, of Glen Ellyn, Iowa, writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery cured a stubborn cough after six weeks' doctoring failed to help." Try it, as it will do the same for you. Best medicine for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. Money back if it fails. Price 50c and \$1.00. All druggists, by mail. H. E. Bucklin & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 1, 1913.

M. D. Reynolds says:—
This is to certify that I have been a great sufferer from Rheumatism since 1894. Contracted the disease while working with a snow plow on the railroad. For several years I have been obliged to use crutches a great part of the time. Having used three boxes of the Meritol Rheumatism Powders, I have thrown away the crutches and am now almost fully recovered. It certainly has done wonders for me and I heartily recommend it.—M. D. Reynolds. Fred B. Lowry, Cresco, Iowa.

Assessment Notice.

To Whom It May Concern:
Notice is hereby given that a plat and schedule have been prepared by the direction of the city council of the City of Cresco, Iowa, showing the assessments proposed to be made for and on account of the cost of construction of an extension of Lateral sewer No. 5, against the property abutting on and adjacent to said improvement, the said plat and schedule showing the separate lots and parcels of ground proposed to be assessed for the cost of said improvement, and the names of the owner thereof, so far as known, and the amount to be assessed against each lot or parcel of ground, and the said plat and schedule are now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Cresco, Iowa, and that within twenty days after the first publication of this notice all objections to such assessments, or to the prior proceedings on account of errors, irregularities or inequalities, must be made in writing and filed with the said Clerk. Any objection not so made will be deemed waived.

Date of the first publication November 7, 1913

A. W. GILLET, City Clerk.

Hunter Shot in Ankle.

S. W. Swimka, a Bohemian boy employed at the nursery, was shot in the ankle Sunday with a shotgun while hunting with two companions. The three boys were hunting north of Orchard and had decided to return home. One of them broke his shotgun to extract the shell. At the same moment young Swimka walked past him. As the gun was opened the shell caught on the firing pan and was discharged, the heavy load striking Swimka in the ankle. As he was only eight feet away from the gun the force was terrible, his ankle being torn to shreds.—Osage News.

Tonight.

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"Gentlemen: For five or six years I was troubled with cough and expectoration. I also had a high fever. My case was declared Lung Trouble by my physician. I was given Cod Liver Oil, Creosote and other medicines, all without benefit. At Christmas time, 1906, I was not expected to live. Calling Dr. R. H. McCarthy, he advised the use of Eckman's Alternative, which I took with excellent results. I have gained in weight. I go out in all weathers and have had no cough or cold whatever. I give these facts to encourage others to use Eckman's Alternative." (Affidavit.)

JAS. W. KANALY. (Above abbreviated; more on request.) Eckman's Alternative has been proven by many years' test to be most efficacious for severe throat and lung affections, Bronchitis, Bronchial Asthma, Stubborn Colds and in upbuilding the system. Contains no narcotics, poisons or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet telling of recoveries and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for evidence. For sale by all leading druggists. P. A. Clemmer, Cresco

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12 Steers. 4 Calves

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3-section Drag
Wagon and double top box
Pair Trucks. 2 Surreys
Single Buggy
Fencing Machine
Shot Gun Seeder
Dain Hay Loader
Hay Rake. 2 Mowers
2 Bob Sleighs

10 HORSES
Black Mare 4 years old, weight 1550
Bay Mare 6 years old, weight 1445
Brown Mare
Black Mare 9 years old
Bay Gelding 3 years old, weight 1400
Black Mare 2 years old
Brown Mare 7 years old, weight 1150
Brown Mare 6 years old, weight 1100
Bay Gelding 4 years old, weight 1100
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2 Sets of Double Harness
Set of Light Harness
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2 Heating Stoves
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TERMS:—Sums of \$10 or under cash. Over that amount one year's time on bankable notes bearing 8 per cent. interest. All articles must be settled for before leaving the premises.

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