

The Tomahawk.

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A WEEK'S RECORD

All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

DOMESTIC.

During the fiscal year just closed 132,829 claims were allowed by the pension bureau and 113,720 rejected. The number of allowances exceeded those of last year to the extent of 13,005. The number of rejections in 1902 was 118,464.

In St. Louis the inquest into the supposed murder of James P. McCann was reopened and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of homicide, holding F. Seymour Barrington for the crime.

A Texas union has been sued by the state for alleged anti-trust law violation in boycotting a firm which employed nonunion workmen. A year's prison sentence or \$50 daily fine is provided.

The Oregon state constitution's initiative and referendum amendment has been declared invalid by the state circuit court.

Charges that Senator Proctor, of Vermont, has profited from army tombstone contracts is being investigated by the war department. The contract has been held by his marble company for several years.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 5th were: Pittsburgh, .697; New York, .639; Chicago, .591; Cincinnati, .508; Brooklyn, .508; Boston, .413; St. Louis, .333; Philadelphia, .306.

President Roosevelt delivered an address at the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Huntington, L. I., and urged his hearers not to rest on greatness achieved by our forefathers.

Dr. Wiley, of the agricultural department, denounced soda water and iced tea, declaring that use of the latter is simply suicide.

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Exports of the United States to Canada during the last fiscal year show an increase of \$13,000,000, while imports increase \$7,000,000.

Despondent over bad luck, John Donoghue, of Chicago, a sculptor, committed suicide at New Haven, Conn.

Four men walking from Alma to Leadville, Col., were caught in a blizzard and one of them had his face frozen.

Patrick Maher killed his wife and himself at Atlantic, Ia. He was temporarily insane.

The battleship Wisconsin and cruisers Albany, Cincinnati and Raleigh have been ordered to China by the navy department, to reinforce Rear Admiral Evans' squadron, now there.

Fourth of July accidents in Chicago and elsewhere, reported to date, resulted in 52 deaths and the injury of 3,665 persons.

Evansville, Ind., was terrorized by a mob that broke into jail to secure a negro and lynch him. Several negroes were killed in riots and a white boy was shot. The governor ordered out the militia.

Fifty persons were believed to have been drowned by the bursting of a dam at Oakford park, a pleasure resort near Greensburg, Pa., and buildings were swept away.

The Hammond Packing company's main building at St. Joseph, Mo., was burned with \$1,500,000 loss, and two men were killed and a dozen injured.

Changing of the Jewish Sabbath observance to Sunday was decided against by the American rabbis' convention at Detroit.

The first telegraph message around the world was sent by President Roosevelt to mark the completion of the Pacific cable between San Francisco and the Philippines.

Ex-Gov. Stevens, of Missouri, accused "Col." Ed. Butler with offering him \$20,000 for the appointment of the latter's son as excise commissioner.

Seven persons were killed, one fatally wounded and 20 others seriously hurt in a battle between the local militia company and the mob in a desperate assault by the latter on the county jail at Evansville, Ind.

Twenty bodies of victims of the Jeannette (Pa.) cloudburst have been found and it is known that 16 more persons are missing.

Wesleyan university at Middleton, Conn., conferred the honorary degree of doctor of laws upon Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury.

American relations with Russia are in a delicate state because of the Jewish massacre at Kishineff.

A joint committee of the Congregationalists, Methodist Protestants and United Brethren at Pittsburg agreed on a plan for the union of the three churches.

The village of Whitehouse, O., was nearly wiped out by fire.

Baron Speck von Sternburg has been definitely appointed ambassador of Germany at Washington.

The National Educational association's convention opened at Boston.

Admiral Dewey has resigned as president of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial association, and Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles has been elected to succeed him.

The fire losses in the United States and Canada in June amounted to \$14,684,350, against \$10,245,350 in the same month last year.

Three persons were killed and 13 injured by the explosion of paper cap compound in a factory in Chicago.

Rear Admiral Evans, commander of the Asiatic station, has been given 500 more marines at his request, to prepare for possible complications in China.

Senator Hanna denies that he has retired or will retire from business.

Joseph J. Gill, of Steubenville, member of congress from the Sixteenth Ohio district, has resigned because of ill health.

The Colorado legislature will meet in extra session July 20 to pass an appropriation bill for the support of state institutions.

William Rudolph, charged with murder and robbery, escaped from jail at St. Louis by sliding down an electric light wire.

Mabel Brown, daughter of a Chicagoan, and another woman were murdered by strangulation at Denver.

Charles E. Magoon, acting chief of the bureau of insular affairs, sent the first government commercial cable message over the new Pacific cable to Manila.

John Crowley, aged 16, cried himself to death in New York upon hearing of the death by accident of his uncle.

The Colorado river broke through the levee near Yuma, Ariz., and flooded a large fertile valley.

Shamrock III. sailed over the 30-mile windward and leeward course off Sandy Hook in 2 hours 58 minutes and 37 seconds, making a new record.

E. I. Hammond and L. L. Whitman, of Pasadena, Cal., left for a trip to New York in an automobile.

Five hundred militiamen with a Gatling gun battery are in control of Evansville, Ind. Nine persons are dead and 35 injured as a result of rioting, and negroes are fleeing in large numbers to Kentucky for safety.

According to an opinion by Attorney General Knox, Secretary Wilson may seize and confiscate adulterated imported food products.

David Schaud, who shot and killed Mrs. Ida Becker and Policeman Cyrus Shaeffer, was hanged in the jail yard at Lebanon, Pa.

It is announced that anthracite coal has been discovered in Routt county, Col., and the fields are believed to be as extensive as those of Pennsylvania.

Cato Garrett, a negro who stabbed Harry Stout to death, was hanged by a mob near the scene of his crime at Vicksburg, Miss.

J. Marshall Funck, city solicitor of Lebanon, Pa., and one of the best-known lawyers in that section, committed suicide in his office by hanging himself.

The government's weekly crop report shows most favorable weather of the season and corn greatly improved and growing fast.

William O'Connor was electrocuted at Clinton, N. Y., prison for the murder of Matthew Wilson, at Cobleskill, in November, 1900.

A B. Young, a Pittsburg attorney, murdered his wife and committed suicide at a Washington (Pa.) hotel.

The United States battleship Kearsarge broke all ocean records for speed in the battleship class in its voyage to Kiel, making the distance of 3,345 miles from New York to the Needles at the average speed of 16.62 miles an hour.

The first election in the United States for Cecil Rhodes scholarships will take place between February and May, 1904, qualifying examination to be held in each state and territory.

Twenty-four persons were killed near Charlottesville, Va., by a head-on collision between a passenger and freight train, and 13 others were injured.

A big slump in cotton on the New York market is said to have wiped out \$3,000,000 of the paper profits of the New Orleans bull clique.

The United States, Great Britain and Japan are maintaining an independent attitude concerning Manchuria pending the conference of Russian officials at Port Arthur.

In Brooklyn, N. Y., M. J. Sheridan, of the Pastime Athletic club, hurled the discus 133 feet, breaking the world's record (his own) by five feet two inches.

Representatives of all creeds and callings have signed a petition to the czar requesting that he lead the way to religious liberty.

President Eliot, of Harvard, in an address to the National Educational association in Boston, declared preparatory training for professions should end at 21 years.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Iowa socialists are planning an automobile campaign through that state to secure 12,000 votes.

James S. Hambaugh, a veteran newspaper publisher and editor, died in Springfield, Ill., aged 62 years.

Dr. Charles Lancaster, author of several medical books and high school grammars, died at Plainfield, N. J., in his ninety-sixth year.

FOREIGN.

Badges inscribed "Liberty or death" were worn by Bulgarians killed in a battle with Turks.

Official notice has been issued by the Russian foreign office that the United States will invite rebuff if the Jewish petition is forwarded.

The German foreign office denies a report of intention to file claims for indemnity against Cuba.

President Loubet, of France, was welcomed in London by King Edward and cheered by crowds.

A curt demand has been made on China by the British and Japanese ministers for the immediate evacuation of Manchuria by Russia.

United States transport Sumner, with the Twenty-fourth infantry on board, was wrecked off the Island of Luzon, but no lives were lost.

Twenty thousand Bulgarian reserves have been called out and started toward the Turkish frontier.

The United States European squadron, under Rear Admiral Cotton, entered the harbor of Portsmouth and was greeted by the British channel fleet.

Foreign legations in Peking are reported to be preparing for a Chinese outbreak.

The Chinese government has paid the third installment on account of the Boxer indemnity.

President Loubet visited public buildings in London and dined with King Edward at the French embassy, where the lord mayor in an address declared wars between England and France have ended.

LATER.

Gov. Durbin, of Indiana, forbids the immediate trial of Lee Brown, murderer of Patrolman Massey at Evansville, declaring that he would not be sure of a fair hearing at the present time.

Secretary Root has taken steps to prevent the use of "influence" in the awarding of army contracts.

Twenty-nine officers of American warships now at Portsmouth were received by King Edward and Queen Alexandra at Buckingham palace.

Howard county, Mo., has put an end to all "Uncle Tom's Cabin" shows in the county.

The Georgia legislature killed the child labor bill, which prevented employment of children in cotton mills under a certain age limit.

The danger of war between Russia and Japan is believed by Port Arthur officials to be increasing.

Moses Blewett and George Rabischund, an expert electrician, were killed by a live wire while at work in Duluth, Minn.

The thirteenth annual convention of the International Baptist Young People's Union began in Atlanta, Ga.

Warren P. Noble, a pioneer member of the bar and one of the Ohio civil war congressmen, dropped dead of heart disease at Tiffin, O., aged 83 years.

Over 5,000 men are yet needed in the Kansas harvest fields to save the great wheat crop.

Educators in convention at Boston discussed manners and morals of modern college life and favored some direct influence to guide the students.

Ara Cushman & Co., shoe manufacturers in Boston, failed for \$500,000.

Troops are in control of Evansville, Ind., and no further riots have occurred.

At Idaho Falls, Idaho, James Stewart shot his wife, and then committed suicide.

A steam carriage for the emperor of Japan has just been completed at Toledo, O.

The warship Bancroft has been ordered to Venezuela by Secretary Moody to release by force if needed five American steamers detained by revolutionary forces.

The last link of the United States government telegraph system connecting St. Michael with Seattle has been connected.

"Yellow" journalism and the libel law of Pennsylvania were denounced by President Harry A. Willard at the National Editorial association's convention in Omaha.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

The bubonic plague, which has now been in India more than six years, shows no sign of abating.

The thirty-third annual convention of the German-American teachers of the United States was held at Erie, Pa.

Rev. J. W. Cross, of Lawrence, Mass., the oldest living Harvard graduate, has just celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday.

President Diaz has inaugurated the work upon the Pantheon, intended as a monument to the illustrious men of Mexico.

Postmaster General Payne has awarded the contract for printing the money order blanks of the government to Paul Herman, of Rutherford, N. J.

Recorder Brown, of Pittsburg, who died mysteriously on March 15, is believed to have been murdered. Poison was found in the stomach by a chemist.

John Barrett, commissioner general of the St. Louis exposition to Asia and Australasia, has been appointed United States minister to Argentina, vice W. P. Lord.

Senator Hanna, in a speech at the dedication of the Salvation Army barracks in Cleveland, O., declared he would join that organization if he had time to preach.

Plans for a gigantic city office building and terminal for railways and bridges are being perfected in New York. The building is to be 45 stories high, and its ultimate cost \$50,000,000.

The Chinese director of commerce has been notified by the powers, except the United States, that silver will not be accepted for indemnity, and that Tientsin will be seized unless gold is paid.

Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador to the United States, has gone home, and it is said to be doubtful if he will return on account of the friction between him and the state department at Washington.

Technically trained engineers are in greater demand than ever in the history of industrial enterprises, and supply is far too small to meet it. All the countries of the world are calling for engineers.

Marshall Field, of Chicago, before sailing for Europe, discussed the business situation, with especial reference to the west. He said the chief danger comes from organized labor, and described the situation as precarious.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Stabbed.

James Mackie, proprietor of the Mackie barber shop, was probably fatally stabbed in the right breast by one of the proprietors of a skin game which was operated at Luverne during the celebration of the Fourth.

Mackie had watched the game for some time, and after seeing a farmer drop about \$30 he asked the man running it why he did not give the man a chance for his money. Hot words followed, and one of the men on the outside, who was capping for the concern, pushed through the crowd to Mackie and, drawing a dagger, deliberately plunged it into his breast.

He then attempted to escape in the crowd, but was grabbed by bystanders and arrested by Officer Bert Benton. The knife entered the right breast, penetrating the lung and inflicting a serious wound.

Owing to the serious condition of the injured man, his assailant will not be given a hearing until there is decided change in his condition.

The prisoner gave his name as G. Wright, and stated that he lived in Minneapolis. Further than this he refused to talk. When he was searched, something over \$2,000 in bills were found upon him.

Will Help the State.

Federal authorities will co-operate with the Minnesota dairy and food commission in preventing the practice of misbranding Minnesota butter and cheese. The attention of the secretary of agriculture has been called to this, and he has informed Commissioner McConnell that any such cases will be prosecuted by the department of justice under the law of 1902, which imposes a fine of \$500 to \$2,000 for introducing in any state or territory dairy or food products falsely labeled as to state or territory in which they are produced.

Minnesota cheese is fully equal in quality to the best of New York or Wisconsin, but is not so well known, and the product of Minnesota factories is often displayed for sale with the New York or Wisconsin label. The law furnishes protection against such a deceit, which works injury to the Minnesota dairymen.

Kills the Law.

The state supreme court decided that the inheritance tax law passed at the special session of 1902 is unconstitutional. The decision was handed down in the case of Alice Adams Russell, executrix of the estate of Sol Smith Russell, respondent, vs. Frederick C. Harvey, probate judge of Hennepin county, appellant.

The court held that the law, since it fixes the rate of taxation at 10 per cent, is a violation of article 9, section 1, of the Constitution which provides that the rate on inheritances, devises, bequests and gifts shall not exceed 5 per cent. The decision is in accordance with an opinion rendered by the attorney general and also with the ruling of the Hennepin county district court.

Chance for West Point.

A competitive examination for the selection of a candidate for West Point will be held July 30 at the custom house, 5th and Wabasha, St. Paul. Young men between the ages of seventeen and twenty-two years and residents of the state are eligible to take the examination. The person receiving the highest average will be nominated. The person with the next average will be selected as first alternate and the third man for second alternate. The examination committee will consist of Dr. G. H. Bridgman, Gen. R. M. Adams and Dr. Henry M. Hutchinson.

News Notes.

Owing to the fact that an immense amount of coal is being shipped into Duluth early in the season, that the boats may rush the wheat in the fall, a blockade has resulted and the coal docks are unable to handle all the fuel that is being received.

St. Paul is pushing Minneapolis hard for honor along the divorce line. Seven divorce cases were called before Judge Jaggard in the district court. The calendar has had 40 divorce cases on this month, and 20 new cases have been filed for the October term.

Edward Clark, alias Phol and Henry Sounders, wanted at Bemidji for safe blowing, were arrested in South St. Paul. The robbery was committed June 8.

The state auditor received the following vessel tonnage taxes: Peavey Steamship company, four large grain ships, \$449; American Navigation company, \$231; Lake Superior Contracting and Dredging company \$230; other companies \$225.84.

William Nyhart, 168 Fillmore avenue, St. Paul, is suffering from blood poisoning caused by the bite of a rat, which his dog had caught.

The Duluth & Iron Range has filed with the Minnesota railroad commission a new tariff, naming reduced rates on general merchandise to all stations on its line, in accordance with the order recently made by the commission.

The ore shipments from Minnesota are now 279,034 gross tons greater than they were on the same date one year ago and the heaviest for any corresponding period in the history of iron mining in this state.

Andrew Manning, while stringing electric wires at Faribault from a pole, narrowly escaped decapitation. The end of the wire on the ground had formed a loop and encircled Manning about the neck. A passing engine struck the wire, which jerked him up the pole several feet, causing severe bruises about the head and shoulders.

ROUND ABOUT THE STATE.

The body of Fred Keefe of Bloomington was found in Cedar river in the heart of Austin.

David Brice, well known among Minneapolis sportsmen, committed suicide in his rooms in the Hotel Cecil.

A young man giving his name as John Burns of Cincinnati, Ohio, aged twenty-three, was run over at Awatonna.

Ex-Congressman Page Morris, of Duluth, the newly appointed United States district judge, was sworn in in St. Paul.

Authority has been granted for the organization of the First National bank of Hallock, Minn., with a capital of \$25,000.

The state's loans from the permanent school fund on June 29, for the first time in the history of Minnesota, reached the \$2,000,000 mark.

Richard Kallusky committed suicide at Stewart by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. Business troubles are responsible for the deed.

Fred Johnson, who lives four miles southeast of Bertha, lost his barn containing horses, calves, oats and grain, by fire. Nothing was saved.

Seventeen shovellers employed on an extension to the Hennepin pulp mill at Little Falls struck for more pay. They were getting \$1.65. A new crew went to work.

A carload of oranges has arrived in St. Paul from California under a new system of transportation. It was the first carload of fruit sent across the country without ice.

A large barn belonging to Casper Taubert at Luverne was struck by lightning and burned. Eleven head of horses were either killed by the lightning or burned.

Miss Hilda Sneve and Miss Lizzie Hanson of Rollag were drowned in Pelican Lake while bathing. The bodies were recovered in an hour in about eight feet of water.

Water was turned into the new bass pond at the state fish hatchery, St. Paul. The new pond is 400 by 500 feet, and will greatly increase the facilities of that institution.

The monthly report issued by State Treasurer Julius H. Block shows that there is in the treasury a balance of \$1,562,812.72. There is a deficit of \$17,446.84 in the general university fund.

The premature explosion of a giant firecracker in the fireworks warehouse of the Paris Merton company, Minneapolis, started a fire which destroyed nearly \$20,000 worth of fireworks.

The building owned and occupied by S. J. Murray as a drug store at Rockford burned, and the postoffice building adjoining was damaged. The fire was undoubtedly of incendiary origin.

The public examiner authorized two state banks, the Nicollet State Bank at Nicollet with a capital stock of \$10,000 and the state bank of Parker's Prairie with a capital stock of \$10,000.

State Superintendent of Instruction J. W. Olsen, has been requested by the similar official of the state of Missouri to forward plans and particulars of the best high schools in Minnesota.

A. B. Sage of Eyota, who disappeared on Jan. 27 of this year, and was thought by some to have drowned himself in the Zumbro river, has been found at Oelwein, Iowa, in a demented condition.

Nathaniel Case Rail, aged sixty-six, for twenty-three years a resident of Fair Prairie, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a Winchester. Despondency over lingering illness was the cause.

A drive of 23,000,000 feet of logs is held at Red Lake Falls by low water and unless heavy rains come will not be moved this summer. The logs are the property of the Crookston and Grand Forks Lumber company.

The body of an unidentified man was found in the river at South St. Paul. The only articles in the clothes were two keys and a jackknife. The body is that of a laborer aged about 45 years and of a sandy complexion.

The 11-year-old son of James Gray was drowned in the Clearwater at Red Lake Falls. He was playing on some logs and fell in. His body was recovered in a short time, but all attempts to revive him were unavailing.

St. Paul osteopaths have opened a free dispensary at 138 W Sixth street, St. Paul. On Mondays and Fridays from 8 to 10 a. m. and from 7 to 8 p. m., one or more practitioners will be present and treat patients free of charge.

The bankers of the state, through their state association, have just closed arrangements with the Soo line for their annual outing, which will take them down the lakes this year as far east as Collingwood and Parry Sound.

John Reidelberger, a farmer living near Perham, was brought to the hospital with both legs badly broken. He was operating a stump puller, when the whiffletree broke and the sweep hit him on the legs, fracturing both below the knees.

The railroad commission has issued a circular providing that after Sept. 1, 1903, all freight tariffs issued in Minnesota must bear a serial number for file with the Minnesota commission, the same as will the interstate commerce commission. Under the old practice, the roads have been able to publish and maintain rates that were, for some time at least, unknown to the commission.

Beginning July 1, the new law governing judgments went into effect. Hereafter no clerk of courts will file a judgment against anyone except it be a personal property tax judgment, unless the applicant files with him a record of the place of residence of the person and the full name, the number of the house and the street.

A fire, presumed to be of incendiary origin, destroyed the frame building occupied by the meat market of Glann & Hintz at Mankato. Some miscreant had removed the bolt securing the cap to the street hydrant in front of the burning building, making the hydrant useless.

For Aged People.

Belldflower, Mo., July 6th.—Mr. G. V. Bohrer, of this place, has written an open letter to the old men and women of the country, advising them to use Dodd's Kidney Pills as a remedy for those forms of kidney trouble so common among the aged. Mr. Bohrer says: "I suffered myself for years with my kidneys and urinary organs. I was obliged to get up as many as seven or eight times during the night. "I tried many things with no success, till I saw one of Dodd's Almanacs, and read of what Dodd's Kidney Pills were doing for old people.

"I bought two boxes from one druggist, and began to use them at once. In a very short time I was well. This is over a year ago, and my trouble has not returned, so that I know my cure was a good, genuine, permanent one.

"I believe Dodd's Kidney Pills are a splendid medicine for old people or anyone suffering with kidney and urinary troubles, for although I am 84 years of age, they have made me well."

The more conspicuously the jewel of consistency is worn the more likely it is to be paste.—Indianapolis News.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

Some things seem easy till you try to do them.—Washington (Ia.) Democrat.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c

If a man is old, don't call him "old man."—Atchison Globe.



Mrs. Anderson, a prominent society woman of Jacksonville, Fla., daughter of Recorder of Deeds, West, says:

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