

NEWS OF THE WEEK

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Table with columns for National League, American League, and various teams like Philadelphia Athletics, St. Louis Cardinals, etc.

That the final report of the federal tariff board of pulp and newsprint paper will be laid before the president for transmission to congress in two weeks, and that the board will be ready to report immediately in the next congress on its cotton and wool schedules of the tariff law has indicated by Henry S. Emery, chairman of the board.

J. B. Aweell, leading candidate for governor of Louisiana, yesterday announced to state-wide prohibition and favors local option.

The entire village of Linton, Indiana from Gutmann, Penna. was burned. The buildings destroyed included 50 houses and a hospital.

On March 22 deposits in the 25 postal savings banks throughout the country aggregated \$2,128,421, against \$1,735,876 on February 25, an increase of \$392,545.

Former Gov. G. W. Gilch of Kansas is dead. He had been ill more than a year and several times had become weak and his death expected, but had recovered. He broke his leg March 20, 1919, at Lakeland, Fla., and the wound eventually caused his death.

Causing partly by the violence of 15,000 troops and partly by the side of the French chamber of deputies, nullifying the action of the senate with reference to the delimitation of the champagne district comparative calm prevailed in department of Marne.

Engineer Henry Childs of Syracuse drove a New York Central fast train of seven all-steel cars and two Pullmans three miles between Delerwick and Landerston in 4 minutes 57 seconds.

Count von Bernstorff, German ambassador, has resigned his position because of ill health. The resignation was accepted immediately, according to a dispatch from Berlin.

Six burglars broke into the Winchester (N. H.) National bank and blew the outer door of the bank vault, but were frightened away before they had time to blow open the inner door, behind which was \$20,000.

Judge William R. Kenyon, Republican, was elected United States senator to succeed the late Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver on the sixty-seventh ballot in the Iowa legislature, following a stormy session.

Five hundred and sixty coke ovens built by the United States Steel corporation at a cost of \$5,000,000 have been put in operation at Gary, Ind. Besides the by-products the Gary ovens will produce 2,500,000 tons of coke a year.

The chairman of the nine committees on expenditures of the government have asked Speaker Clark to preside at a meeting they will hold. It is the purpose to make retrenchments that will save the government about \$2,500,000 annually.

Charged with having shot Miguel Morales, an Indian wood cutter, two enlisted men of Company H, Thirtieth Infantry, U. S. A., are in the county jail at San Diego, Cal. The prisoners are Robert James and Ernest Ferris.

With the precision of clockwork, a trained corps of rescuers brought steady stream of bodies from the banner mine of the Pratt Consolidated Coal company, near Littleton, Ala., in which the disastrous explosion occurred. It is believed that 127 is the number of victims.

About 75 negro laborers, brought to Evansville, Ind., by the Louisville and Nashville railroad company and quartered in houses owned by the company at Howell, Ind., were fired upon late at night. The fire was maintained for more than an hour and the buildings were riddled.

Eight persons were killed and 75 are known to have been injured by a tornado that swept Washington and Jefferson counties, Missouri. All telephone lines are down and exact toll of deaths and injured will not be known until country districts in path of storm are heard from.

George W. Jackson, incorporated, one of the biggest contracting concerns in the United States, and the largest in the west, capitalized at \$6,000,000, was taken over by a committee of Chicago creditors. The liabilities will amount to millions.

Members of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, who struck the name of their fellow townsman, Dr. Frederick A. Cook, from their roll a year and a half ago, have presented Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary with a certificate of honorary membership in the institute.

Fire in the Toledo (O.) Blade office did damage estimated at between \$150,000 and \$200,000. The entire building was gutted.

United States District Judge Frank Rudkin at Spokane, Wash., overruled the demurrer of the defendants in the Douglas, Alaska, land fraud case.

The presence of the state troops in Muskogee, Ok., has so far put an end to all disorder. No disturbances are believed likely until the button factories again open on their four-days-a-week schedule with nonunion workers.

Paul Gracior, 37, serving a 10-year term in the Texas penitentiary for murder, has refused a pardon, believing he can do more good inside than outside the prison by teaching the prisoners stenography.

Though Roosevelt returned home from a several weeks' tour of the west and middle west. As he stepped off a train from Chicago he came into contact with a crowd of outgoing motor visitors, many of whom greeted him with flowers.

The United States soon will spend nearly \$200,000,000 in firing up officers' quarters and barracks along the Panama canal for housing 6,000 troops. That the war department will disburse the money outside the canal. This force will be known as the canal guard.

The Confederate veterans of central Kentucky will hold a reunion and banquet at Burlington, June 3. One of the principal speakers will be former United States Senator James B. McCreary.

King George has revived Queen Victoria's regulation excluding from royal patronage who have been divorced. The Victorian rule was somewhat relaxed in the reign of King Edward VII.

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George Toward and Peter Major were drowned while fishing in the St. Joseph river, near South Bend, Ind., their boat being carried over the dam at Mishawaka.

In New York Max Blank and Isaac Harris, the two members of the Triangle Shirt Waist company, 147 of whose employees met death in the 1911 building fire, were each twice indicted by the grand jury for manslaughter in the first degree.

The body of Minnie Donome, the 17-year-old fiancee of Edward J. Shultz, a mining engineer, who disappeared from home at Warren, O., February 14, was found in the Ohio river at Edinboro, two and a half miles below Warren.

As a climax to the headlines of suits on notes and several years of adversity, during which he lost several million dollars, E. G. Lewis, owner of the St. Louis Star, mayor of University City, Mo., and owner of a large part of that municipality, has arranged to transfer all his possessions, including \$1,000,000 worth of real estate in University City, to a board of trustees for the next five years.

A television Lum Madere's came west of Elkhart, Mexico, says peace overtures for the first time since the Mexican revolution began were paid before Francisco J. Madere, the insurgent leader, at his camp.

The relief fund for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the victims of the mine disaster at Turley, Pa., is growing rapidly and has reached the \$100,000 mark. It is hoped to raise \$50,000.

In an order served on 250 railroads the interstate commerce commission suspended scheduled granting through rates to tap lines until June 1. Most of the railroads affected operate in the southwest.

The body of Samuel J. Abbott of Syracuse, night watchman in the state library, who was killed in the 1909 fire which destroyed nearly all of the western portion of the New York state capitol, was found under a pile of debris by the wreckers who searched the ruins.

Representative Hardwick of Georgia has introduced a bill providing for disfranchisement of the negro. He proposes that the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States be repealed.

One man was killed and scores of girls had narrow escapes from death in a fire which partly destroyed the Essex building, St. Louis, entailing a loss of \$50,000. Robert Meyer was killed by suffocation.

Governor Johnson of California has signed the employers' liability bill, passed by the last legislature, providing for compensation of employees hurt in the course of their work, providing for the creation of an industrial accident board.

President Taft at Washington witnessed the drowning of a small negro boy and his mother, who threw the child into the tidal basin and jumped in after him. Both were drowned.

Eight persons were killed, 75 to 100 injured, many seriously, and the entire town of Big Heart, Ok., swept away by a tornado which struck there about 5 o'clock in the evening. Big Heart had a population of about 500.

Lost in the darkness, Munroe High, 222 years old, son of a wealthy business man of Clinton, Ky., fell 200 feet over a precipice to his death, according to information received at Lamar, Colo. The accident occurred near Two Buttes, 45 miles southwest of Lamar.

An English syndicate, represented in Memphis, Tenn., by L. K. Salisbury, has closed a deal for 50,000 acres of cotton producing lands in the delta sections along the Mississippi river in Bolivar country for half a million dollars.

DOUGLAS SWEEP BY MEXICAN BULLETS

SEVEN SHOT ON AMERICAN TERRITORY AT SECOND BATTLE OF AGUA PRIETA.

FIGHT IS A DAY OF TERROR

Leaders of Both Sides Ignore Warnings and Leaden Missiles Pour Over City—Federals Regain Ground, Reaching Suburbs.

Agua Prieta, Mexico.—At 10:45 p. m. the battle between the Mexican federales and insurgents, which began at dawn, came to an end.

After seventeen hours of almost incessant fighting that hour found the rebels holding almost every position they had at daylight, although after midnight the federales carried the battle to the borders of the town.

From the beginning of the battle, regardless of the warning given by the United States government to the leaders of both forces, a rain of bullets poured into the American town of Douglas, and when the day was over it was found that seven non-combatant residents of that city had been wounded. It was a day of terror in Douglas.

The federales, by a desperate night attack, regained the ground lost during the day.

Federals Make Daring Move.

Just before midnight the federal cavalry, each lance with two or three men, flung to it, made its way up a narrow ravine, which extends to within 100 yards of Agua Prieta.

The extra men dismounted and the lances were taken back for many until several hundred infantrymen had gathered close to the beleaguered town. Then darkness came.

This force crept up to the crest of the embankment and opened a heavy fire upon Agua Prieta, shooting into every building within range of their guns, the bullets ripping from the pen and every available cover. The federales also brought to their aid a second piece stationed to the southeast and were pouring shells into the city.

Following the onslaught on the town, the rebel forces, commander in chief of the rebel forces, crossed the line alone and surrendered himself to the American officer, Captain Ganget, who was on the line at the time. He surrendered not as commander of the Agua Prieta forces, but as an individual. The loss of their commander had no apparent effect upon the determination of his forces, who kept up the fight with the same courage that had characterized their action during the day.

Shortly after midnight the force in the ravine crept up to the crest of the embankment and opened a terrific fire upon Agua Prieta, shooting promiscuously into every building within range of their guns.

People stood at the telephones in Agua Prieta and reported to Douglas the passage of steel bullets through the adobe walls of their homes, through windows, through doors and through the splintered roofs.

"We are ready for them," came the laconic message from the rebel forces waiting the onslaught at the bull pen and behind every cover.

At 9:30 p. m. a terrific explosion shook the entire town. It occurred near the bull ring and is believed to have been a mine placed there by the rebels immediately after they captured Agua Prieta.

About 9 o'clock a rebel message was carried to the American army officers at the line imploring them to prevent the federal force from fighting from the adobe slaughter house immediately to the east of Douglas. This slaughter house is directly on the line, but with the exception of one small wing wall, it is all on the American side.

Zero and Foot of Snow.

Monticello, N. Y.—A cold wave and snow storm have this section in their grip. The mercury is close to zero and nearly a foot of snow covers the ground. The lakes are covered with ice and in some localities five feet of frost is in the ground. The season is the most backward in a quarter of a century.

Japan's Envoy Coming.

Washington, D. C.—Prince Fushimi, General Nogi and Admiral Togo, the latter two heroes of the Russo-Japanese war, are planning to make their return trip from the coronation, where they have been accredited special ambassadors of Japan, by way of the United States.

Boy Fires Bomb by Sun.

Cleveland, O.—Peter Nieweroski, 9 years old, lost his left hand when a bomb which he found on a garbage pile exploded as he held a magnifying glass between it and the sun. His home was partially wrecked.

Woman on Police Board.

Boston, Mass.—There is a concerted movement by clergymen of Boston to ask for the removal of Police Commissioner O'Meara. Governor Foss will be urged to appoint Mrs. Frank W. Page.

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Body Found in Mill Race.

Carthage.—With the throat cut from ear to ear, the body of an unidentified man, about 45 years old, was taken from the mill race of the Cowgill & Hill mill. An employe of the mill, while raking debris from the channel, drew the body to the surface. Life had been extinct about ten hours. It is believed the body floated a distance downstream to the mill.

Hidden Sacks Yield \$1,393.

Fulton.—A search of the home of John J. Clatterback, near Earl, who died April 3, revealed \$1,393 in small sacks secreted about the place. All of the money, with the exception of about \$3 in small change, was in the form of currency of large denomination. The discovery was made by J. T. Carr, administrator, and B. B. Kimbrell, Charles Minker and Noah Bedworth, who had gone to the place to make an appraisal.

Columbia Company Is Finest.

Columbia.—Company G, National Guard of Missouri, is the best-drilled company in the state, its equipment and camp utensils are in better shape and the men themselves average better physically than any company in Missouri. This is the gist of a report received from the regular army officer who inspected Company G.

Woman Pleads Not Guilty.

Joplin.—Dolly Mason, dressed in black from tip of the toe to the veil that crowned a willow-plumed Merry Widow hat, stepped up to the desk of Judge David E. Blair of Division No. 2 of the circuit court and in a clear tone answered "Not guilty" to a charge of murder in the first degree. Her case was set for May 8.

University Men Produce Play.

Columbia.—The Quadrangle club, an organization of university students, presented "Hundred Dollar Bill," an original comedy, at the Columbia theater. Original in every detail, music, plot and jokes, clean and wholesome in its humor, it caught the approval of the audience that packed the playhouse.

Chinaman Heads M. S. U. Club.

Columbia.—The Cosmopolitan club of the University of Missouri elected these officers: President, Hsu Wong, Shanghai; vice-president, S. T. Chang, Honolulu; secretary, E. A. Halter, De Soto, Mo.; treasurer, Sammie Ho, Washington, D. C.; assistant secretary, Miss Sophia Hirsch, New York.

Former Illinois Senator Injured.

Chicago.—James B. Craig, 55 years old, of Mattoon, a former state senator, was severely injured when he stepped in front of a car at Clark and Randolph streets. Craig's right shoulder bone was broken and he suffered a scalp wound and body bruises. The fender pushed him from the track.

Justified in Killing Brother.

Springfield.—Nicholas Pio of Riverton was liberated by authorities when a coroner's jury decided that the slaying of his brother, Constantino Pio, was in self-defense. The brothers engaged in a fight at Riverton and Constantino Pio was stabbed with an umbrella.

Cummings Succeeds Blair.

Jefferson City.—Campbell Cummings of St. Louis has been appointed by Attorney General Major to succeed James T. Blair as assistant attorney general. Blair tendered his resignation and was appointed a member of the supreme court commission.

Twin Agents in Fake Risk Net.

St. Joseph.—Manley Cox of Pattonsburg is in jail in St. Joseph and officers are endeavoring to find L. L. Cox, a twin brother, who is supposed to be in Kansas City. Warrants are out charging them with fraudulently selling accident insurance.

Teacher Is Appointed.

Columbia.—Miss Ellen Goebel of St. Charles, a junior in the college of arts and science of the University of Missouri, has been given the position of instructor in German in first and second year classes at Christian college.

Negro Convict Paroled.

Jefferson City.—Jeff Cannon, a negro convicted in Lincoln county, March, 1910, for burglary, was released from the penitentiary on a parole by Governor Hadley. Cannon was paroled to R. H. Norton of Troy.

Methodist Laymen to Meet.

Columbia.—The Fayette District Methodist laymen in Boone, Howard, Chariton and Randolph counties will meet at New Franklin April 20. Two hundred men are expected. A banquet will be given.

Postmaster Gets Jail Term.

Cape Girardeau.—Former Postmaster John P. Matthews of Steele received a sentence of nine months in the Cape Girardeau jail for misappropriating postal funds. He was sentenced by Federal Judge Dyer.

Two Ministers Are Mayors.

Columbia.—Two Boone county towns now have preaching mayors. The Rev. W. S. St. Clair was sworn in as mayor of Columbia. The new mayor of Ashland is the Rev. C. L. Bullard.

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