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WEATHER FORECAST Friday Rain or Snow Saturday Colder

NEW SYSTEM NO OVERSIGHT

Liquidation of a National Bank in Texas Causes Comptroller of the Currency Murray to Take Immediate Action.

BOOKS MUST BE KEPT IN PROPER MANNER

Intention Is to Make It Impossible for the Banks to Hoodwink the Examiners Who Investigate the Business.

HOW NEW RULE WILL WORK

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—The liquidation of the Quinn National bank of Quinn, Tex., ten days ago caused the comptroller of the currency today to issue an order directing every one of the 7,100 national banks in the United States to install what practically amounts to a uniform system of bookkeeping.

Cudahys Not to Forget Trouble and Make Peace



MRS. JACK CUDAHY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 29.—A recent report that J. P. "Jack" Cudahy and his divorced wife, Mrs. Edna Cudahy, had met in Pasadena, Cal., and were about to effect a reconciliation was denied today emphatically by Mrs. Cudahy, who is here.

COAL CUT COMING FROM THE DEALERS

Surplus of Summer Storage Supply May Mean Reduction of Fifty Cents.

Announcement of another reduction of fifty cents per ton by the Western Fuel company, the Martin-Coal company and other dealers was received yesterday by the management of each disclaimed all knowledge of any prospective reduction, each claiming they knew nothing about it, but declaring that if such a reduction were made by others, they would necessarily be compelled to fall into line to compete with them.

GOOD REASON FOR HASTE

Washington, Dec. 29.—If a Canadian reciprocity treaty is to be concluded during the present session of Congress all records in the matter of speed of negotiation must be broken.

Mexican Insurrectos Have Avoided a Pitched Battle

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Dec. 29. (Via El Paso.)—Official reports today, which seem to be confirmed by developments, indicate that the first stage of the revolution in northern Chihuahua is over and the second has begun. The government believes that insurrectos got wounded two weeks ago and that they have split into small bands, which it will take months to catch and destroy.

THE SALT LAKE TRIBUNE

THE Salt Lake Tribune added to the gayety and jollity of the Christmas season yesterday morning by making one of its customary attacks upon "the federal bunch."

Shades of decency and honor, can one imagine Tom Kearns, owner of the Salt Lake Tribune, talking about "honest and fair standards of business," a man who has been accused of every crime in the calendar from murder to robbery of a mine, a man whose morals are said to be of the lowest, a man to whom the word virtue has absolutely no meaning, a man who has done more to cause turmoil and strife in Utah than any other person, a man who certainly knows he has the respect of no one, not even himself?

Imagine Tom Kearns, ignorant, uncouth, so lacking in intelligence that he does not know his newspaper is so inconceivably vile in policy and amateur in output that anybody else would be ashamed to own it, talking of the methods used by any set of men.

And as to William Nelson, the cringing, noisome receptacle of Tribune venom, the red-eyed spider who sits in the editorial rooms of the Tribune and hisses like a python, breathing poison, and spreading slander, it is easy enough to understand why the Tribune amounts to nothing as a newspaper, and never can so long as he has anything to do with it.

The men who comprise "the federal bunch," according to the Tribune, the men whose methods are of a sort that "no clean man can afford to be identified with" them, are Senator Reed Smoot, Senator George Sutherland, Congressman Joseph Howell, Governor William Spry, Revenue Collector E. H. Callister, United States Attorney H. E. Booth, United States Marshal James H. Anderson, Postmaster Arthur L. Thomas and Surveyor General Thomas Hull.

Can as much be said for Tom Kearns? Can any of these statements be applied to Tom Kearns? None of these men has ever been accused of murder, none of them has ever been accused of robbing a mine, none of them has ever been accused of living unclean lives.

There was some hope that the Tribune might reform under its new management, but there seems to be no ground for the hope. So long as Tom Kearns owns that paper, it will be indecent, it will vilify and slander any person in the community who earns the Kearns dislike, and it will continue to damage Utah by continually defaming the state.

It is said that age improves morals, but it is not noticeable that age is improving the morals of either Kearns or the Tribune. Eternally engaged in muckraking, the Tribune is steadily going down hill, its prestige, circulation and business rapidly deserting it.

The Tribune will continue until the end of the chapter, reactionary, slanderous and worthless, until Kearns releases his grip on it. And even then, such is the influence of past associations, that years of good behavior will be necessary before the people will trust it.

SERVES IN UTAH PRISON FOR CRIME HE DID NOT COMMIT

If the story told to a Chicago policeman last night by Edward Hoeven, who insisted upon surrendering himself to the officer, is true, George Smith, who is now serving an eight-year term in the Utah state penitentiary for robbing the Ogden house, near Twenty-fifth street and Lincoln avenue, is paying the penalty for another man's crime.

VICTIM OF MOB UNKNOWN

Rodriguez, Supposed to Have Been Burned at the Stake in Texas, Alive and Well in Mexico. Guadalupe, Mex., Dec. 29.—Antonio Rodriguez, supposed to have been burned at the stake at Rock Springs, Texas, is in Guadalupe, Jalisco, and hearty. Dispatches from Rock Springs at the time of the lynching made reasonable certain the identity of the man as the resident of this city, and as an aftermath to the killing, anti-American demonstrations in Mexico were started.

Sheehan Making Effort for the Place of Depew



WM SHEEHAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—William F. Sheehan made formal announcement of his candidacy for the United States Senate tonight in a letter addressed to Mayor Puckett of Buffalo, who, with other leading Buffalo Democrats, recently endorsed him for the seat to become vacant when the term of Senator Depew expires on March 1.

He declares himself in favor of a broadened and revised view of the tariff and continues: "Trusts and combinations that control the necessities of life and increase the cost of living are largely the result of excessive protective duties. For the immediate present, that is the most serious question in the domain of politics."

STEEL MEN TO MEET

New York, Dec. 29.—A conference of the steel manufacturers of the United States has been called to meet here today at the residence of Judge Callahan to discuss prices and conditions. Whether concerted action will be taken looking toward a readjustment of prices, or several other purposes of revising the slackening demand in the steel trade, is not known.

THREAT OF ARSON

Enid, Okla., Dec. 29.—S. C. Campbell, sheriff of this county, received a letter today containing threats to burn county headquarters and the residence of Judge Callahan if William Coyle and his son, convicted of violating the liquor law, are not released.

Award of the James Gordon Bennett Cup to Hawley Cause of Discontent

Berlin, Dec. 29.—The Lower Rhine Aero-nautic association today announced its decision to protest the award of the James Gordon Bennett cup to Alan R. Hawley, winner of the last international balloon race.

Arch Hoxsey Makes Flight Over Mountain in Biplane

AVIATION FIELD, Los Angeles, Dec. 29.—Arch Hoxsey of Pasadena, Cal., holder of the present world's altitude record of 11,477 feet, today flew over Mount Wilson, the highest peak of the mountain range which rims the valley in which Los Angeles, Pasadena and the towns of the oranges belt, lie. Under ideal weather conditions he soared 19,000 feet into the sky and cleared the crest of Mount Wilson with 4200 feet to spare.

EXPLOITS UTAH THROUGH THE PUBLICITY BUREAU

Commercial Club's Advertising Wing Completes the First Step in Setting the State Right Before the World.

BIG WORK ACCOMPLISHED SINCE BUREAU FORMATION

Secretary Caine's Report Shows That Advertising in East in Various Ways Has Already Begun to Bear Fruit

CAMPAIGN WILL GO ON

THE first annual report of the work accomplished by the publicity bureau of the Commercial club was submitted to the governing committee of the bureau yesterday by Secretary J. E. Caine. The report tells in detail of the tremendous advertising effort made by the bureau since its formation in the fall of 1909.

Thousands of pamphlets, books and leaflets have been distributed, and a mailing list of 2,500 persons who are directly interested in Utah has been compiled. In addition, numerous articles have appeared in newspapers all over the country, and arrangements have been made for a series of lectures on the history of Utah that will appear in a number of journals.

The publicity bureau was organized in April, 1910, by the board of directors of the Commercial club, and began its career with the following officers and directors: J. H. Johnson, president; George E. Caine, secretary and manager; J. H. Johnson, George E. Caine, William Spry, Mayor John S. Bradford, W. T. Benson, W. W. Armstrong, H. G. Whitney, H. V. Vane, John P. Egan, George L. Merrill, John S. Critchlow, T. H. Cutler, S. V. Derrah, J. H. Manderson, A. A. Rose, E. J. Seifert, E. C. Howard, G. C. Beebe, A. W. Carlson, H. W. Walker, C. W. Johnson, M. E. Linnam, George A. Auerbach, C. W. Nibley, W. H. Shearman.

BRYAN WILL NOT ATTEND

Democratic Celebration at Baltimore Will Have to Get Along Without the Nebraskan.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 29.—W. J. Bryan has informed Albert J. Almonsey of Baltimore, Md., that he cannot attend the Jackson day celebration, January 14, Mr. Bryan says: "It will be impossible for me to be present and I hesitate to send a letter to be read at the celebration, lest it might prove a discordant note, if, as I would infer from the preliminary arrangement, those who originated it are dissatisfied with the last Democratic national platform. The platform was satisfactory to the party two years ago and is satisfactory to the rank and file of the party. The victory of last month was, in my judgment, largely due to the fact that several planks of the platform had already been vindicated by events, and hence the election vindicated other planks."

Lutham's Brave Act

Hoxsey's performance was the only interesting feat accomplished today, but just before the close of the day's events the crowd got a thrill in an accident which nearly resulted in the death of Hubert Lutham, the French biplane expert, who made the attempt to save Glenn Martin, the California aviator, from the latter lost condition until he had reached his maximum height before he pointed the nose of his machine toward the range. He was out of the crowd before he had made the attempt, as to the peak.