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DURING THE PAST WEEK

RECORD OF IMPORTANT EVENTS
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WESTERN.

Temperatures dropped to 5 degrees above zero in many north Texas points Monday, a 50-degree fall in twenty-four hours.

At Los Angeles, ten guests at a dinner for Thomas Loyhed compiled an aggregate age of 833 years. The youngest was a youth of eighty-one.

The right of Miss Jeanette Morgan, Ohio's only woman tax assessor, to act as such will be decided by the courts, Attorney General Hogan ruled.

Cove, Ore., must clean up immediately or Miss Fern Hobbs, Governor West's secretary and official "cleaner" of the administration, will get it.

In love with the same woman, two Mexicans locked themselves in a room at Los Angeles and shot each other with the same revolver, after tossing a coin for first shot.

Although the Supreme Court has annulled the anti-smoke ordinance of Zion City, Ill., five smokers were arrested and Wilbur Voliva threatened to have the women drive the others into Lake Michigan.

One policeman and four firemen, the latter including Chief George Wallace and Assistant Chief S. D. Whyler, were injured when a terrific gas explosion wrecked a burning drug store at Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. James Lees Laidlow, chairman of the woman suffrage party, Manhattan borough, New York, and her husband, president of the national men's league for woman suffrage, were principal speakers at Reno, Nev., at the opening of the Nevada suffrage campaign.

Fifty thousand Chicago women voted in the primary election. It was their first chance to express themselves at the polls since the Legislature granted them the right to suffrage. Four of the eight women candidates for aldermanic nominations were successful.

Disappointed in love, Abraham Pepper of Tacoma, Wash., called Mrs. Dorothy Johnson, his former sweetheart and a bride of a week, into the hall of a hotel at San Francisco where she was spending her honeymoon, shot her dead at her husband's feet and then shot himself.

WASHINGTON.

Packing house products came up before the Interstate Commerce Commission as the subject for consideration in connection with the requested increase of freight rates for the Eastern railroads.

Hearings on the Walsh bill for government control of radium-bearing lands were concluded and it probably will be reported favorably. One amendment likely to be incorporated proposes that the government be required to buy the entire output of radium mines.

The Pennsylvania "mine safety" law requiring coal companies to leave pillars of coal to prevent cave-ins, was declared valid by the Supreme Court of the United States in a test case brought by the Plymouth Coal Company against David L. Davis, state mine inspector.

Colonel Goethals, Panama canal engineer, was invited before the House appropriations committee to discuss appropriations to finish the big ditch. Goethals will make his annual request for funds. For next year he estimates that \$23,770,000 will be needed, as compared with over \$16,000,000 provided this year.

To Senator Teller's pronounced views in opposition to a policy of "imperialism" is credited Cuba's independence, and the conspicuous part he took in the fight to amend the resolutions declaring war with Spain is remembered in Washington as one of the outstanding accomplishments of his career as a senator.

Formal dedication of the memorial blocks provided by the Legislature of Colorado, Idaho and Washington for the Washington monument will take place April 3, next, the 125th anniversary of George Washington's inauguration as President of the United States. This announcement was made by the Washington National Monument society after its annual meeting which reported that the memorial blocks had arrived.

Official count by treasury officials showed 7,465 national banks have applied for membership in the federal reserve system, that eighteen banks have notified the organization committee that will not apply, and ten have not been heard from. The capital of the banks applying amounts to \$1,054,533,554, which is 99.75 per cent. of the capital of all national banks in the country.

The constitutionality of the Federal White Slave law was again upheld by the Supreme Court in the Wilson case from Chicago.

FOREIGN.

The Prince Pignatelli, who committed suicide at Barcelona, Spain, was Prince José, twenty-one years old, who was serving his period in the army.

Italy, it was officially announced, will participate in the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco next year without placing any conditions on her exhibit.

Fifty thousand dollars in checks, drafts and money orders belonging to the Union Bank of Canada, stolen from the Ottawa postoffice on January 8th, was found in a bag hidden in a lavatory in an office building at Ottawa.

At Debreczin, Hungary, five priests were killed by a bomb explosion in the office of Bishop Miklossy, a prelate of the Greek Catholic Church. The bishop, who is supposed to have been the object of the outrage, had a narrow escape.

A government troop train carrying a company of infantry from Mexico City, destined for Jalapa, was blown up by rebels. The wreck took place near the Lima station of the Inter-Oceanic railway, 140 miles from Vera Cruz.

Sentiment is growing among Mexican rebel leaders that if the attack on Torreón is delayed much longer, or if the federal army succeeds in holding that city, northern Mexico will detach itself from the rest of the country and become an independent republic.

General Villa continued his attitude toward the American government by refusing to give up the body of William S. Benton. Villa's attitude, and the murder of an American citizen who was lured over the border and hanged by Mexican federales has aroused intense feeling throughout southwest Texas against both sides in Mexico.

SPORT.

Mike Gibbons of St. Paul easily outpointed Al McCoy of Brooklyn in a ten-round bout in Brooklyn. Each man weighed 153 pounds.

With 3,095 entries and 1,912 dogs benched, the annual show of the Westminster Kennel club opened at Grand Central place in New York.

The Seventy-first regiment, N. Y. N. G., won the military hike, the feature event in the games of the Royal Arcanum and the Thirteenth regiment, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Billy Murray of Sacramento defeated the veteran middleweight, Leo Houck of Philadelphia, in the fourteenth round of what was to have been a twenty-round bout, at San Francisco.

"I started in baseball with a shoestring and I am worth more than a million dollars," Charles Murphy, who sold under pressure the controlling interest in the Chicago National League Club, declared in Chicago.

The Giants and White Sox round-the-world-baseball players who arrived in London, caused all the London newspapers to air their knowledge of the American game. They printed elaborate explanations of the fine points of baseball, and carried diagrams illustrating the game.

John H. Scott of Philadelphia, a veteran amateur pedestrian, started over snow-packed roads and in a freezing temperature to break the records for a walk from Boston to Washington. The time he aims to better is 208 hours, made in 1860 by Edward Payson Weston. Scott is 48 years old.

GENERAL.

Dr. Cyrus Adler, Philadelphia, was elected president of the American Jewish Historical Society at the final session of the twenty-second annual meeting of the organization at Philadelphia.

Harry T. Edwards, twenty-six, night clerk of the Wells-Fargo Express Company at Corning, N. Y., was shot and killed by David Dunn, thirty-nine, when he refused to hand over money demanded by Dunn.

Rescued alive after having been entombed in the Cañon coal mine near Franklin, Wash., for seven days, Michael Vabeanick is recovering at his home. He owes his life, he declares, to a presentiment of his wife.

Three members of the Western Federation of Miners were shot, one seriously, by Leonard Meola, employment agent for the mining companies in the Calumet strike district, at Crystal Falls, Mich., according to word received at Marquette.

Three masked robbers entered the Academy of Music in North Howard street at Baltimore, Md., overpowered the watchman, blew open the office safe and got away with between \$5,000 and \$6,000, leaving the watchman tied to a post in the auditorium.

Railway detectives with blood hounds began a search for three robbers who held up the Queen and Crescent's southbound "New Orleans limited," twelve miles north of Birmingham, Ala., and rifled mail pouches of registered mail said to contain more than \$40,000. In their haste the robbers overlooked a sack containing \$10,000, consigned to New Orleans, and a big consignment of stamps.

A new trial was granted Charles Becker, former New York police lieutenant, under death sentence for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, by the Court of Appeals.

The fight between Leach Cross and Johnny Dundee, to be held in Madison Square Garden March 9, is practically assured, according to Promoter Billy Gibson of New York.

The union station of the New Haven railroad at Hartford, Conn., was wrecked by fire. A large amount of baggage and express was destroyed. The station was built in 1889.

WEEK'S EVENTS IN COLORADO

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DATES FOR COMING EVENTS.

March 10-11.—Eleventh annual conference, Colorado Daughters of American Revolution at Colorado Springs.
July 13-14.—Grand Lodge Session, B. P. O. Elks at Denver.
Sept. 7.—Colorado State Fair at Pueblo.
1915.—Last Grand Council of North American Indians at Denver.

Petitions to submit to the voters at the November election the question of state-wide prohibition are being circulated.

Hundreds of people inspected the exhibits on the Agricultural College demonstration train at La Junta and listened to lectures on expert farming.

Walter Anderson, seventy-eight, a veteran of the Crimean war and for over thirty years janitor of the Broadway school, died at his late home in Denver.

Justice of the Peace M. E. Corson of Pueblo deplors the fact that whipping posts are not in vogue. He advocates lashing for men who show their pugilistic tendencies at the expense of women.

Colorado farmers and millers won a big victory when the United States Supreme Court held that flour made from Colorado wheat and bleached white by an electrical process was not injurious to health.

The force in the office of the collector of internal revenue in Denver is taxed to its utmost. For the last few days there have been more returns received than at any time since the 28,000 notices were sent out.

James F. Bellew, brother of the South Platte stage driver who was killed after a shooting affray a year ago, is being sought by the sheriff as the result of the disappearance of a liverman's saddle horse at Littleton.

March 15, on which date the cruiser Denver will pass through the Panama canal, marking the opening of that wonderful waterway to navigation, is pledged the support of Governor Ammons as a day for celebration in Denver.

There were 19,329 votes cast on the Moffat tunnel bond issue in Denver, according to the official returns from the canvass made by the election commission. Of this number, 12,659 were in favor of the \$3,000,000 bond issue and 6,670 against.

Judge George W. Allen of the Denver District Court refused to grant an injunction against the city and county of Denver on the application of Daniel A. Lord to restrain the city from issuing the bonds for the building of the Moffat tunnel.

Joseph Zobasky, a Windsor junk dealer, is held on a charge of stealing six miles of copper wire from the telephone company. The wire had been laid low by the storm early in December. Part of it was found at Zobasky's place and 500 pounds was fished out of an irrigation ditch.

Destitute and friendless, Thomas William Neehan died at the county hospital in Denver of pneumonia. About a week ago Neehan became ill on the street, and as no relatives could be located he was taken to the city jail. The following morning he was transferred to the county hospital.

All the colleges in the state will be asked by the University of Colorado to send teams to Boulder or to Denver to compete in an intercollegiate tennis tournament in May. The Colorado tennis devotees are enthusiastic about the meet and do not care particularly where it is held just so long as they have a contest of some kind with other state college players.

Charles Gavin, sixty-two, who according to police calculators has stolen more than \$10,000,000, is in the city jail in Denver while the authorities are investigating his recent movements. He says he came to Denver a few days ago from Cheyenne for the purpose of making a short friendly visit, but the police believe that his arrest prevented him from cracking several safes.

That proceedings on contempt of court charges will be instituted at once in the Supreme Court of Colorado against State Auditor Rody Kenehan to compel him to comply with the mandate of the Supreme Court relative to auditing the bills incurred by the state troops in the strike zone was the announcement at Trinidad by Brigadier-General John Chase, commander-in-chief of the National guard in southern Colorado.

News of the death of Mrs. Virginia W. Duer of Baltimore, mother of N. Walter Dixon of Denver and of former County Judge John R. Dixon, was received in Denver. Mrs. Duer died of apoplexy at her home in Baltimore, where she was born eighty-two years ago and where she had spent her entire life. She was a descendant of Col. William Stevens, who established the first Presbyterian church in America, and was a granddaughter of Capt. William White of Revolutionary fame.

Plans to double Denver's livestock business and make that city the stock and wholesale supply center for the Big Horn basin area in Wyoming were discussed by a score of Colorado's largest livestock dealers and packing house representatives at a luncheon at the Denver Union stockyards.

The new American flag which Congress will be asked to substitute for the present national colors was exhibited by its designer, Prof. Wilber F. Steele of Denver university, at the banquet of the Colorado society, Sons of the American Revolution.

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Central City, Colo.—A carload of uranium ore, weighing eight and one-half tons and worth about \$75,000, was shipped by freight from this city recently to parties in Denver. The ore came from the Sherman-Belcher properties on Quartz hill, which have been operated for many years by Mr. Dupont, the powder manufacturer of New Jersey.

The ore had been crushed, assayed and sacked, each sack showing its weight and assay value in uranium. There were 115 sacks in the shipment, averaging 150 pounds each, the assay values showing between 30 and 60 per cent uranium to the ton, the latter figure being about as high as it is possible to obtain in the crude ore.

Besides this shipment of high grade ore there was shipped to Denver 125 tons of second class or concentrating ore, carrying about 5 per cent uranium to the ton, this last load being worth at least \$50,000.

This shipment of uranium ore is about the largest ever made at one time from any mine in the world, showing that the mines in Gilpin county, if necessary, can furnish all the uranium ores that the world may demand for the extraction of radium and its products.

Big Crop of Beets Predicted.

Greeley, Colo.—"I feel optimistic over the outlook for acreage in the Greeley district and northern Colorado," declared Manager A. V. Officer of the sugar industry here. He expressed the belief that all three factories would get enough beets to last an average campaign.

This in spite of the fact that the Farmers' union has gone on record as saying that its members cannot raise beets at a profit at the figure offered them by the Great Western Sugar Company.

The scale provides that the minimum amount shall be \$4.75. The figure heretofore has been not less than \$5, except in the early days of the industry, and the farmers demanded that not less than this sum be paid.

It has been learned that more than 9,000 acres have been contracted for the 1914-15 crop. Many who declared early in the year that they would not raise beets have changed their minds and will do so for the last time.

Teller for Hall of Fame.

Denver.—Governor Ammons is at the head of a movement to have the name of Senator Teller, who died Monday, morning, represent Colorado in the national hall of fame. Everywhere, in the deep sorrow aroused by the passing out of life of this great, helpful man, not only to Colorado but to the nation, a statesman of the great line of senators—wherever this proposal was made it received the sincerest endorsement.

Believe Prospector Died in Snow.

Central City.—Somewhere under the deep drifts between the Twelve Mile mining camp and Tolland, on the Moffat road, lies the body of Jacob Jenkins, an old soldier and prospector, is the belief of members of searching parties from Tolland and Apex, which have scoured the hills without finding a trace of him.

Pitchblende Strike Reported.

Victor.—Reports of rich finds of pitchblende ores near Canon City caused a party of local mining men, including Jack Price of Cripple Creek and Joe Page, a local assayer, to leave for the scene, and others are going. The discoverers of the radium ores are keeping the location a secret.

Denver Pythians Celebrate.

Denver.—The Denver lodges of the Knights of Pythias participated in a nation-wide commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the order. The celebration of the Denver lodges was held in El Jebel temple. More than 2,000 persons attended the jubilee.

Mrs. Brown After Seat in Senate.

Denver.—Mrs. James J. Brown, survivor of the Titanic disaster and wealthy leader of Denver and Newport society, is reported to be after Senator Helen Ring Robinson's seat in the State Senate and is said to have already made plans for a campaign for the office.

College Gets Income from \$100,000. Colorado Springs.—The income from \$100,000 for five years has been donated to Colorado College to endow a department of business and banking. This fact was announced by the college officials, who refuse to give the name of the donor.

Appointees to Hold Positions.

Denver.—Governor Ammons' appointees, and not the men appointed by the commissioners, are the legal holders of the offices of Alamosa county, according to a decision handed down by the Supreme Court. This decision denied the writ of supersedeas asked for by the appointees of the county commissioners, who were defeated in the District Court, and will make Oscar Lord county judge, Ernest Kilpatrick, county clerk, and Albert E. Datzel county treasurer.

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