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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Count Leo Tolstoi died at Astapova. Doctor Makovetsky and other attending physicians and Countess Tolstoi and children were at his side when the end, which was peaceful, came. Efforts of the church to gather the famous reformer into its folds effected nothing, as neither side yielded.

Premier Briand, while attending the ceremonies in the Tuileries in Paris, in connection with the dedication of a monument erected to the memory of Jules Ferry, the French statesman, was assaulted by a Royalist, who struck him twice in the face with his fists. The premier was not seriously hurt.

Harry M. Hoyt, counsellor of the state department, died at Washington of peritonitis after an illness of only four days.

Mrs. James Mulholland of Point Pleasant, W. Va., confessed to the murder of her husband and cleared her father and mother, who had been placed under arrest, of the charge.

Prof. William Morris Davis, the geologist, of Harvard university, was elected a member of the Berlin Academy of Sciences.

State Curator Silas R. Morse of Atlantic City, N. J., has received a wallet containing $43 which he lost in Chicago at the world's fair. The conscience-stricken Chicagoan concealed his identity by sending the wallet by Rev. James J. Doherty of Chicago.

Mrs. Marion B. Baxter, widely known as a W. C. T. U. and woman suffrage lecturer and worker, died at her home in Seattle.

Prof. A. O. Leuschner of the University of California at Berkeley announced that the comet discovered by Dr. V. Corulli of Italy is identical with Faye's comet.

Joseph Gardner, charged with having absconded from his home in Seattle, Wash., leaving behind bad checks and debts to the amount of $54,700, was arrested at Norfolk, Va. He had planned to sail for Brazil.

Robert Toom, a labor leader and former president of the Scottish Clans of Boston, is dead at a hospital there as the result, the police say, of an assault on him at a meeting of the fathers' union.

Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens of Portland, Me., was enthusiastically and unanimously re-elected president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union at the annual convention of the union at Baltimore.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Isthmian Canal Commission's annual report shows that the canal is rapidly nearing completion and that the health and labor conditions in the zone are excellent.

A total of 14 dead and 43 seriously injured was the price paid for football by its followers during the season just closing, despite the use of the new rules, which were brought into being in an effort to reform the game and make it less perilous to the players.

Mistaking a package of headache tablets for candy, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Taylor ate 14 at Zanesville, O. The child died in convulsions.

It is rumored at Eagle Pass, Texas, that 400 persons were killed at Zacatecas, Mexico, in a pitched battle between the government and revolutionary forces. Railroad men who brought information declared that the revolutionists, following a plan adopted at Puebla, began a fusillade on the soldiers.

All cases against Gov. C. N. Haskell of Oklahoma have been nolle prossed. This action ends the legal fight against Haskell and others in connection with the Muskogee lot charges, which has been waged in the federal courts for several years.

Lewis Barton of Darke county, Ohio, was killed by his son Charles, aged twenty-four, while shooting rats. The young man fired at a rat and the bullet struck his father.

A special grand jury at Wheeling, W. Va., indicted Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenk on five counts for the attempted murder of her millionaire husband, John O. Schenk. Four of the indictments charge the actual act of administering poison and the other charges an attempt.

Sailors attached to the second division of the United States battleship fleet, now in the harbor at Cherbourg, France, and gendarmes clashed in the streets. Rioting continued for some time. Many of the gendarmes and sailors were injured, none seriously.

The first visit to Cuban soil of a president of the United States was made by President Taft, who arrived at Guantanamo from Colon and after inspecting the United States naval station departed for Hampton Roads.

Unable to move because of injuries sustained in a boiler explosion Thomas Kelly, a watchman, was compelled to remain seated in a chair ten feet away and look on while his wife, Mrs. Alice Kelly, forty-five years old, was burned to death. Their six-year-old boy accidentally droped a lighted candle, which ignited his mother's garments.

Although supposed to be well to do, James Mosher, a politician of Port Washington, N. Y., who died after eating a peck of clams and drinking six glasses of whisky while celebrating the Democratic victory in Maine, left only $150.

By a vote of 693 to 9, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in New York, adopted an amendment which will make it impossible for any adherent of Mrs. Augusta A. Stetson, the deposed first reader, to become an officer of the church.

The sentence of John Hart, a Detroit business man, to ten days in the house of correction and to pay fines aggregating $2,400 for alleged violation of the oleomargarine law, was affirmed in the United States district court at Cincinnati.

One hundred and sixteen of the 1,000 militant suffragettes who marched on the British parliament building were arrested after a lively fight with the police. Led by Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the women made a determined but unsuccessful attempt to force the police cordon about the house of commons and, reaching Premier Asquith, to insist upon the introduction of a woman's suffrage bill.

Judge Kenesaw M. Landis will not try the beef trust cases. He announced to attorneys appearing before him in the United States district court who sought a change of venue in the case against Chicago meat packers, that he would be unable to hear the case in any event, and irrespective of argument for or against such a course.

After a revolt at Pueblo, Mexico, in which forty were killed and three wounded, troops fought their way into the houses in which the women leaders of the rioters were intrenched and forced them to surrender. Three of the rebels were slain, one of whom killed the chief of police.

Premier Asquith presented his program in the British house of commons. It is now settled that in the event of the rejection of the veto bill by the lords the government will pass the essential features of the budget, remove the pauper disqualification for old age pensions and dissolve parliament on November 25.

With one wing tip of his machine crumpled like a piece of paper Ralph Johnstone, the brilliant young aviator, holder of the world's altitude record, dropped like a plummet from a height of 500 feet into the inclosure at Overland park aviation field, Denver, Col., and was instantly killed. Nearly every bone in his body was broken.

The government will use a camera to get evidence against "mashers" who frequent the post office at Denver, Col. After two warnings offenders will be jailed.

The result of a strike vote taken by boilermakers in the Cleveland shops of the New York Central lines was announced, 95 per cent of the men voting in favor of a strike. The immediate cause of the trouble is the employment of six nonunion men.

The Women's Homestead association, a Boston organization, passed resolutions addressed to political leaders, virtually demanding, among other radical things, that single women who have passed their youth be pensioned or shot.

The first absolutely noiseless hospital in the world will be the new Harper at Detroit. All the calls and signals will be by means of an elaborate system of lights.

Charles Orrin Breed, formerly world's amateur champion strong man, and one of the most prominent Methodist-Episcopal laymen in New England, dropped dead from heart disease at Lynn, Mass.

Prince Henry of Prussia made several flights alone in a military aeroplane at Darmstadt. Prince Henry has been devoting considerable time to learning to operate a machine.

Federal Judge J. McCall at Jackson, Tenn., instructed the jury in the case of the government against the Standard Oil company of Indiana to return a verdict of not guilty, and sustained the contention of counsel for the defendant that the United States had failed to prove the allegations set forth in the indictment that the company had received freight rate concessions in violation of the Elkins law.

The woolen duty frauds against which the federal authorities began a campaign are declared by the government attorney to involve the greatest swindle enearthed since Collector Loeb, Jr., began his house cleaning at the port of New York. It is said that the losses in duties claimed by the government will amount to upward of $10,000,000.

Aroused by the report that the Imperial Window Glass company of Pittsburg, Pa., whose officers were recently fined $1,000 for alleged violation of the anti-trust law, intends to reduce wages of employes to regain the amount of the fine, Attorney General Wickersham has determined to urge prison sentences instead of fines for convicted corporation officials.

Andrew Carnegie has decided to resume the building of his great technical school at Pittsburg and the people of that city were notified that he has contributed another $1,500,000 toward it, the money to be available at once.

CHILDREN'S BUREAU PREPARES CAMPAIGN

IMPROVEMENT AIMED AT A YEAR AGO NOT OBTAINED.

FOR MORE BINDING MEASURE

Closer Relation Between the Working Paper Proposition and the School System Desired for Safeguarding of Children.

Lansing.—The new children's bureau of Detroit is preparing to inaugurate a vigorous campaign for a new child labor law in Michigan. At the meeting of the bureau at Detroit, Chairman Fred M. Butzel was empowered to appoint a committee to draft either a new law or an amendment to the present one so that alleged laxity whereby many children who ought to be in school are now granted working papers, shall be eliminated and the authority of the board of education to conduct the preliminary investigations restored.

"Unquestionably the administration of the child labor law in Detroit today is better than the law itself," declared Fred M. Butzel. "A closer relation between the working paper proposition and the school system is very much desired for the safeguarding of children."

"The improvement aimed at in the amendment of the child labor law of Michigan a year ago were not obtained for the reason that those pushing the amendment failed to work in harmony with the employers of labor in the state," said Rev. Myron Adams. "The result is that the amended law as it stands today is worse than the original enactment. The old law provided that the preliminary investigation on which working permits were to be issued should be conducted by the educational authorities. The new law is so worded that the preliminary investigation is now conducted by factory inspectors. That this is unwise and positively harmful is shown by the recent revelations of factory conditions in this city as regards child labor and sanitary regulations.

"One weakness of the law in Michigan lies in a clause which permits under-age children to go to work if their work is necessary for the support of the family. Here is where much laxity creeps in."

It is likely that the findings of the special child labor law committee of the children's bureau, will be turned over to the special legislation committee of the Central Council of Charities of Detroit, which is soon to be created to "lobby" for up-to-date social legislation at Lansing.

In addition to overhauling the child labor law, the children's bureau is preparing to investigate the administration of the municipal ordinance relating to the age and condition of newsboys. Complaints have come into the bureau from many quarters that this ordinance is not being properly enforced.

State in Panic Over Smallpox.

"I think the smallpox situation is much improved," said Dr. F. W. Shumway, secretary of the state board of health. "There has been one death and one new case in Saginaw, and a similar report comes from the Lapeer home, but I believe the preventive measures at those points are successful and that they have the epidemic in hand.

"There will be more or less cases throughout the winter, but if the people vaccinate as ordered and enforce quarantine regulations, I do not look for any more serious outbreaks anywhere.

"The people are in a panic now, but if they will take the necessary precautions I think we shall be able to protect all localities from any such sieges as Saginaw and Lapeer are undergoing."

At the request of President Hutchins of the university Doctor Shumway is notifying the railroads not to bring passengers from Saginaw, Lapeer and Flint to Ann Arbor to the football games.

"I am informed that the electric car service between Saginaw and Bay City has been abandoned," said Doctor Shumway. "The city of Saginaw is taking every precaution and I am in hopes we are through the worst of it, if people will take hold and help protect themselves, rather than indulge in wild fright."

At Battle Creek Doctor Shumway was reported to have declared his belief that smallpox is menacing the entire state and that the epidemic is spreading from the cities of Saginaw, Flint and Lapeer to southern Michigan. Doctor Shumway declared there must have been a misunderstanding in the food city as to what he said, and that he does not expect a statewide epidemic.

Association Elects Officers.

At the closing session of the Michigan Forestry association the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Charles W. Garfield, Grand Rapids; vice-president, John H. Bissell, Detroit; secretary, Filibert Roth, Ann Arbor; assistant secretary, Henry G. Stevens, Detroit; treasurer, W. B. Mershon, Saginaw; board of directors, J. E. Beal, Ann Arbor; J. J. Hubbell, Manistee; Mrs. Lena E. Mautner, Saginaw; James Satterlee, Lansing; W. E. Williams, Pittsford; Mrs. L. Hubbard, Houghton.

To Spend Xmas in Plague Camp.

In a report received by Dr. Shumway, secretary of the state board of health, Dr. Frazer, health officer in Lapeer, states that there are now 15 cases of smallpox in the state home for the feeble-minded. To date there have been nine deaths. None of those now sick are expected to die.

Supplementary to the report, Dr. Frazer stated that he will ask that the troops be kept on quarantine guard duty as long as the disease is prevalent in the home, "even if it takes a year."

There are 42 members of the Flint company on duty in Lapeer. This includes officers and enlisted men, and their services are costing, it is estimated, the county of Lapeer about $100 a day.

There is not a possibility of the soldiers being ordered out of Lapeer before January 1, and the guardsmen are preparing to spend Christmas in camp.

At a special meeting of the board of health and the city school board in Mayor Bennett's office it was decided that, owing to the outbreak of five new cases of smallpox in one family in the city, a general compulsory vaccination of all school children in the city should be ordered. The order was put into the form of a resolution and adopted.

All school children will be vaccinated at the expense of the city in cases where the parents are unable to pay the required amount. Schools will not be closed unless the epidemic breaks out in other parts of the city. Strict enforcement of the quarantine and vaccination orders will be made, and it is thought that with the co-operation of the citizens of Lansing the epidemic will not obtain a greater foothold here.

The members of the Ingham County Medical society met to discuss the price for vaccination, the point being raised by Doctor Shumway of the state board of health. After an executive session the physicians said they had decided to leave the charge as before.

"We have always had a sliding scale," said Secretary Samuel Osborn, of the society. "Our regular price has always been one dollar, and this price will be maintained. If some one comes in who is unable to pay that amount we will not charge them for the operation, for we are willing to work for the city's welfare.

"It is not fair to say that the members of this society are trying to rob the public at this critical time."

Hot Race Is On in National Guard.

Who will be the next adjutant general of the Michigan National Guard? This question is being asked with a good deal of interest in every city where there is a National Guard company, and from appearances it is believed that Gen. William T. McGurrin of Grand Rapids will succeed himself.

The Second Infantry, which General McGurrin formerly commanded, has indorsed him solidly, as has the Third Infantry, commanded by Col. George B. McCaughna of Owosso. Of the First Infantry, the two companies located in Jackson and the companies in Ann Arbor and Monroe, comprising the Second battalion, have also petitioned the governor-elect for the retention of the present adjutant general; so has battery A of Lansing, and the signal corps located in Ypsilanti.

Gen. Robert J. Hates of Sault Ste. Marie, whose three-year term as commander of the Michigan brigade ends January 1, is still apparently confident that he will be the next adjutant-general, and is said to be collecting indorsements, but these are mostly of a political and business character.

Smallpox Cases Still Increase.

The smallpox situation at Saginaw continues to be most favorable, reports of three new cases being given the board of health. Two of these cases have been under quarantine, and in one instance the patient has practically recovered. In the other two the attack is very mild.

Local health officers declare that never in the history of the world has smallpox been combatted as strenuously as in this city, and in this claim they have the backing of President McLean of the state board of health and Dr. F. W. Shumway, its secretary.

'Kazoo Officials Look for Clash.

There is going to be a hot clash when members of the state railroad commission come to Kalamazoo to meet with Kalamazoo city officials. City officials of Kalamazoo accuse the commission of attempting to shift the responsibility for not protecting the East Main street crossing. Press dispatches from Lansing say that members of the commission were told by the city officials to let the crossing alone.

Appointed Assitant Geologist.

The state geological survey has appointed Reginald E. Hore of the Michigan college of mines to the position of assistant geologist in charge of the Houghton office. Mr. Hore has had long experience in the Lake Superior region, both in Canada and the upper peninsula of Michigan. The appointment takes effect December 1.

Livingstone Is Delegate.

Governor Warner appointed as delegates to represent Michigan at the convention of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterways association, to be held in St. Louis, November 22-26: Fr. M. J. Crowley, Monroe; Otto C. Davidson, Iron Mountain; W. C. Durant, Flint; Charles A. Floyd, Holland; William Forbes, Port Huron; E. B. Foss, Bay City; Fred W. Gage, Battle Creek; William Livingstone, Detroit; Stanley Morton, Benton Harbor; Extra Rust, Saginaw; John Sherman, Ludington.

MICHIGAN BREVITIES

Cadillac.—The largest Wexford county inheritance tax was paid by the administrator of the estate of Nellington W. Cammer. It amounts to $9,503.63.—The local Carnegie library will have expended on it $6,000. The citizens of this city raise $3,000 to put with a like sum given by W. W. Mitchell.

Lansing.—Enough signatures have been obtained to insure the submission of the question of a commission form of government to the voters next spring.

Cadillac.—At the funeral of Mrs. Martha Clark, ninety-one, of Shepherd, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren acted as pallbearers. Three of ten children survive, also 20 grandchildren.—Rev. S. E. Kelley, pastor of the Congregational church in Reed City, has accepted a call to Allegan, leaving December 4.

Calumet.—The two-year-old daughter of John Mauretta of Calumet died as the result of being scalded by boiling coffee.

Battle Creek.—Grand Trunk firemen has asked for an increase in wages and think it will be granted. The firemen average from $2.50 to $3.05, and want $3.10 per hundred miles.

Cadillac.—"All right, doctor; I have everything ready," said Louis Sable when told that he could not live long. In a moment he fell over dead. Sable was a Lake City business man who was here for treatment. He was resting in the Y. M. C. A. building and, finding difficulty in breathing, he called a doctor. He was 55 years old and was one of the best known Jews in northern Michigan.

Chesaning.—Russell Fuller, 7 years old, died as a result of internal injuries sustained by being run over by a wagon. The family live seven miles from here and the lad fell from the wagon as it was moving. At the time his injury was not considered serious.

Owosso.—While working on a hay press near Owosso, Irving Root was arrested and turned over to the sheriff of Bay county. He is charged with the theft of 40 bushels of oat from his former employer, living near Bay City.

Cadillac.—Robert Weeks of Missaukee count has been convicted in the circuit court of a statutory offense on complaint of Anna Dodd, the jury in the case taking six hours for deliberation. Weeks expects to take an appeal. James Suttle, also of Missaukee, was tried twice for the same crime of which Weeks was convicted, the jury in each case disagreeing, and he was then discharged.

Flint.—Frank Walker, the 17-year-old, $7-a-week messenger boy, who is accused of having stolen $179 from the postoffice sub-station, will be tried before a grand jury in the United States circuit court at Detroit December 1. United States Marshal Campbell was in the city today in connection with the case. Walker has had his preliminary examination in justice court.

Bay City.—A big white swan which was killed on the bay shore a few days ago is in the possession of Deputy State Game Warden Trudell of this city. Mr. Trudell found the bird packed in a box with a consignment of perch which was being shipped at Longeville by M. C. Miller to a Chicago house and he promptly confiscated the whole outfit. Swans are seldom found along the lakes here, but occasionally in the fall a small flock stops over for a rest while on the way south.

Hillsdale.—A year ago Arthur McDaniels met death by grabbing a live electric wire that fed an arc lamp. His wife is now suing for $20,000 damages.

Saginaw.—The General Motors company has taken over the Jackson-Church-Wilcox and the Marquette Motor Car companies.

Marshall.—Mr. and Mrs. John Thunder escaped with serious bruises and their two children with no injuries when their auto was hit by a M. C. R. limited and hurled 20 feet.—A warrant charging assault and battery has been issued for Jay Hatch, a young lawyer. The complainant is Sydney Henry of Marengo, who says he had trouble with Hatch in the latter's office.

Lansing.—Bronze tablets bearing the names of the Michigan companies that participated in the civil and Spanish-American wars are being placed between the cases containing the battle flags in the capitol. The tablets give the death list and the original enrollment of each company.—The supreme court heard the following cases: Holley vs. Ridgeway, Barnes vs. Tibbets, Detroit Savings Bank vs. Loveland, Macatawa Transportation company vs. Fireman's Fund Insurance company. Order to show cause was granted in Mikkola vs. Houghton Circuit Judge, and denied in Sewell vs. Hosmer and in McCready vs. McDonald. Motion for continuance and for leave to move for new trial denied. Call: 36, 52, 61, 88, 98, 102, 54.

Port Huron.—James A. Mackay of this city, a chicken fancier, known as the "Wyandotte King," has sold his entire stock of white Wyandottes to a Pittsburg breeder.

Cadillac.—John A. Gunderman, sixty-three, of Alma, while visiting his sister at Antrim, dropped dead from heart failure after playing horse with his nephew.

Traverse City.—Louis Lautner, a bear hunter, shot a bear cub and was chased up a tree by the mother bear. At dark he slid down and started for home, reaching there a few feet ahead of the bear.

All in Good Time.

Seven-year-old William had become the proud owner of a pet pig, and insisted upon having all the care of it himself. After a few weeks, as the pig did not seem to thrive, his father said to him:

"William, I'm afraid you are not feeding your pig enough. It does not seem to be fattening at all."

"I don't want him to fatten yet," William replied, knowingly. "I'm waiting until he gets to be as long as I want him, then I'll begin to widen him out."—Tit-Bits.

Home Vaudeville.

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