

# The Nappanee News

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## NEWS NOTES FOR THE BUSY MAN

Most Important Happenings of the World  
Told in Brief.

### POLITICAL.

Chairman Mack of the Democratic national committee attacked George R. Sheldon, Republican national treasurer, because of his alleged relations with the trusts, and it developed that he was preparing to open up on W. M. Cromwell, member of the Republican advisory committee, on the same grounds.

Edward W. Townsend of Monclair, N. J., author of the "Chimmie Fadden" stories, was nominated for congress by the Democratic convention of the Seventh district of New Jersey.

William H. Taft delivered several speeches in Lincoln, Neb., and William J. Bryan wound up a three weeks' tour with a big meeting at Creston, Ia.

### PERSONAL.

Lieut. Frank T. Evans, son of Admiral Evans, will be tried by court-martial at Manila on charges of being absent from his station while acting as chief of the deck, using profane and disrespectful language to a superior officer and intoxication.

James W. Quillan, owner of a private bank at Ipava, Ill., was indicted for receiving deposits after he knew the bank was insolvent.

A divorce was granted to Nat Goodwin, the actor, from Maxine Elliott at Reno, Nev.

Dr. Alexander Mann of Trinity Episcopal church, Boston, Mass., was elected bishop of the Protestant diocese of Washington.

W. D. Ryan, national secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America, tendered his resignation to accept the position of commissioner of arbitration of the Southwestern Coal Operators' association.

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., began work as office clerk at the plant of the Hartford Carpet Corporation, Thompsonville, Conn. Later he will go into the wool-sorting department.

Yancey Carter, the Independence party's candidate for governor of Georgia, was indicted for carrying concealed weapons.

Sir George Truscott was elected lord mayor of London.

Joseph Stewart of Missouri, superintendent of the division of railway adjustment in the post office department, was appointed second assistant postmaster general, succeeding James T. McCleary of Minnesota, who resigned.

Caleb Powers, the Keastuckian who spent eight years in a penitentiary in connection with the Goebel assassination case before being pardoned by Gov. Willson, was baptized in the Baptist church at Jellico, Tenn.

### GENERAL NEWS.

Rear Admiral Sperry decided not to give shore leave to any enlisted men at Manila because of the cholera. The fleet was given a joyful welcome by the people and there was a big marine parade in the harbor.

Foley, the county seat of Benson county, Minn., a village of 1,000 people, was practically destroyed by fire.

As the result of a report made by the civil service commission, President Roosevelt removed Lincoln Avery, collector of the port at Port Huron, Mich., and also directed the removal of Charles H. Dalley, special agent of the treasury at that place.

The State bank at Dewese, Neb., was dynamited and robbed of \$2,500.

Fire at Winthrop Beach, near Boston, Mass., destroyed Crest hall and the Oceanview house, summer hotels.

It is said the recent changes in the immigration department in California were the result of an investigation disclosing widespread corruption in the service along the Mexican border, by which hundreds of Chinese have gained illegal entrance to the United States.

The Turkish army was reported to be moving toward the Bulgarian frontier and Bulgaria to be hurriedly preparing for war.

Montreal was selected as the convention city of the League of American Municipalities for 1909. Silas Cook, mayor of East St. Louis, Ill., was elected president.

The Atlantic battleship fleet passed Zamboanga, where it was greeted by Gen. Bliss and swarms of natives.

Secretary Cortelyou opened the International Congress on Tuberculosis in Washington, a great assemblage of notable men from all civilized nations being present.

A Turkish steamship ran down the steam ferry boat Stambul outside the harbor of Smyrna. One hundred and forty persons were drowned.

The annual convention of the League of American Municipalities began its sessions in Omaha, Neb., with large attendance.

Jewels valued at \$50,000 are said to have been stolen from diamond dealers in New York.

Masked men held up an interurban car at Wellsville, O., and took \$21 from the conductor.

The post office at Franklin Grove, Ill., was robbed by safe-blowers.

Great damage was done by a hurricane that swept over the Bahamas.

The thirty-fourth annual convention of the American Bankers' association at Denver came to an end with the election of George M. Reynolds of Chicago, president, and Lewis E. Pierson of New York, first vice-president. The convention placed itself squarely on record as against both the proposition to guarantee bank deposits and that to establish postal savings banks.

The Atlantic battleship fleet arrived at Manila and prepared to take part in a water fete.

Two lives were lost and 20 or more persons were injured in Spencer, N. C., by the explosion of a powder storage house on the yards of the Southern Railway Company.

Over a score of men, women and children were injured during the great historical and industrial pageant in celebration of Pittsburgh's sesquicentennial anniversary.

Six boys were killed at Sugar Ridge, O., when a freight train on the Toledo & Ohio Central railroad crashed into a heavily laden excursion train returning from a fair at Bowling Green.

Eight firemen were carried down with the falling floors of a burning building in Youngstown, O., and three, including Chief Reilly, were believed to be dead in the ruins.

An African lion escaped from the winter quarters of a circus near New Brunswick, N. J., and, after killing two cows and a calf, was shot to death.

Mrs. Hattie Demer of Kalamazoo, Mich., was instantly killed and Louis J. Feys of Detroit was probably fatally injured when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a street car.

Sheriff Lane of Westchester county, New York, on advice of Attorney General Jackson, refused to take Harry Thaw to Pittsburgh in compliance with a writ of habeas corpus issued by Federal District Judge Archibald.

At Freeport, Ill., Salvatore Campagna was found guilty of the murder of Felix Cassato, and was sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment.

M. M. Vaughn, editor of the Californian, committed suicide in his editorial rooms at Eureka, Cal.

Mrs. Roselle Borgman was shot and killed in her home at Corona, L. I., by her brother, William Rattes, 18 years old, who is attached to the schoolship Newport. He says the shooting was accidental.

Six members of the crew of a logging train were killed and eight injured in a collision at Seapooose, Ore., on the Northern Pacific road.

The castaways from the British steamer Aeon, who spent nearly two months on Christmas Island, arrived at Suva, Fiji, on the steamer Manuka, all well and increased by one in number. A daughter was born to the wife of Captain B. R. Patrick, U. S. N., 24 hours before the Manuka was sighted.

Dr. Robert Koch stirred up a renewal of the old discussion on the sources of pulmonary tuberculosis in the congress on tuberculosis at Washington, when he repeated his opinion, stated in 1901 in London, that "human beings may be infected by bovine tubercle bacilli, but serious diseases from this cause occur very rarely."

Robbers dynamited the safe of a bank in Cogswell, N. D., but fled without getting any plunder.

Lazare Weiller, a prominent French financier and aeroplane promoter, announced that he had ordered the construction of 50 aeroplanes on the Wright model.

The legislative inquiry into the bribery charges made against Gov. Hanly and Senator Wickwire of Indiana by Representative Knisely ended in a complete vindication for the governor, a finding that Knisely would not have accepted a bribe if tendered, and the making of a scapegoat of Wickwire by the house.

The American battleships Alabama and Maine arrived at Gibraltar. Manufacturers of railroad material, representing hundreds of millions of dollars in capital, met at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York, to form an organization to combat the attacks on railroads from legislative and other sources.

The United States steamer Tarlack was caught in a gale and driven ashore on Borongan island, one of the Samar group. It is thought the vessel will be a total loss.

Charles Edward Davis was bound over to the district court at Omaha to answer the charge of murder in the first degree for the killing of Dr. Frederick Rustin.

Ninety-three heroes who within the last year have saved the lives of drowning persons in the waters around New York were presented with medals or certificates of honor by the United States Volunteer Life-Saving corps.

Lord Rosslyn "went broke" in the test of his roulette system against Sir Hiram Maxim, losing \$50,000 in "dummy" money.

The business section of Michel, B. C., was almost wholly destroyed by fire.

While playing with the scrub team against the Yale varsity football team, Lewis Baker Warren of New York, a member of the class of 1910, Sheffield Scientific school, was kicked on the head and rendered unconscious.

Illinois Central's fast Diamond Special, south-bound, ran into an open switch at Divernon, 20 miles south of Springfield, and was derailed. A little girl near the tracks was killed, by fragments and the engineer and fireman were injured.

## SOLUNS GO HOME; EXONERATE HANLY

CHARGE AGAINST GOVERNOR IS  
DECLARED BASELESS.

EXTRA SESSION AT END

Summary of What Special Meeting of  
the Legislature Accomplished  
—Other News of  
Indiana.

What legislature did:

County local option law.  
Appropriations continued and made for state institutions.

Allowing 3/4-inch drill bits to be used by miners in making blasts, instead of 1/2-inch drills.

Preservation of army flags by commission consisting of civil war, Mexican war and Spanish war veterans, all to serve without pay, but handle an appropriation of \$12,000.

Bills that died in committee were: Representative Newton F. Watson's automobile bill.

Representative Miles Furnas' three-mile gravel road bill.

Representative John F. Joyce's weekly wage payment bill.

Representative Coble's bank guarantee bill.

Representative Burton Green's bill to abolish the state tax board.

Representative Henry M. Caylor's bill reducing the salaries of superior and circuit judges from \$3,500 to \$2,500.

The house passed a state-wide prohibition resolution, but the senate killed it.

The senate passed the night rider bill, but the house killed it.

The session cost approximately \$30,000, so \$10,000 of the sum appropriated early in the session will revert to the treasury.

Indianapolis.—The special session of the Indiana legislature came to an end after the committee appointed by the house to investigate charges of attempted bribery of Representative Knisely by Gov. Hanly and Senator Wickwire had reported. The committee exonerated the governor, but did not deal as leniently with Senator Wickwire, saying that if he did what Knisely charged in his affidavit he was without any authority for pledging an appointment for Knisely's vote.

After setting out the manner in which the committee had discharged its duties, the report concludes: "We further find that there is no evidence in said record that Hon. J. Frank Hanly, governor of the state of Indiana, offered or tendered Representative Knisely any position, official or otherwise, or any consideration to influence his vote on the county local option bill, nor did he authorize any other person to make any such offer."

"We further find that Senator Wickwire and Representative Knisely had certain conversations prior to the passage of said county local option bill, relative to his vote upon said measure (the evidence as to what was said at said times and places being conflicting), from which Representative Knisely inferred that certain improper inducements were being tendered him to influence his vote on said local option bill, but from all the evidence we find that Representative Knisely did not intend to accept any position, if any were tendered, and that Senator Wickwire, if he tendered or offered any position, had none at his disposal, nor did he have authority from any other person to make any such offer or tender."

"Your committee deprecates the making of affidavits such as the one involved in this investigation, from which inferences of improper conduct might be drawn."

Robber Kills Agent.

Greencastle.—Otis Hendren, night agent at the interurban station in this city, was murdered by an unknown man. Although no one witnessed the crime, it is thought the assassin entered the ticket office for the purpose of robbery. He ordered Hendren to open the money drawer, and on his refusal promptly shot the agent through the heart.

Arrested as Forger.

South Bend.—Harry Gross, son of a South Bend wholesale grocer, was arrested at St. Joseph, Mich., on a charge of passing forged checks. It is charged Gross obtained the checks while in the employ of the Golden Hill Liquor Company of South Bend, in which concern his cousin was interested.

Seek Wounded Man's Wife.

Evansville.—In a quarrel with his wife, Alva Pryor is said to have struck her, knocking her to the floor. She regained her feet and grabbing a pistol is alleged to have shot Pryor in the forehead, inflicting a dangerous wound. The police hunted for Mrs. Pryor. The husband was under arrest.

Tries Italian for Murder.

Marion.—Pasquale Trotta, an Italian, was placed on trial for the murder of his fellow countryman, Erigo Quarasta. A number of the witnesses were unable to speak English and it was necessary to use an interpreter to take the testimony.

Corn Stalks Cause Death.

Banta.—Joseph Baker, a farmer living five miles south of Banta, died as the result of a peculiar accident. He was tying a shock of fodder, when the rope on which he was pulling broke and he fell backward upon stubs of the corn stalks. The stubs pierced his body.

Name Cox for Congress.

North Vernon.—Republicans of the Fourth-Indiana district nominated James A. Cox of Crothersville for congress.

## DOG SAVES MASTER'S LIFE.

Jacob Wilson Buried in Old Well by Cave-In.

Nashville.—Jacob Wilson, farmer near Story, finding that an old well in a field near his house had gone dry, and without notifying the family, attempted to dig it deeper, and he descended to the bottom by means of a ladder and began work. Almost the first blow jarred the walls, and there was a cave-in, burying him underneath the debris. Failing to report when it began to get dark, his wife and son, accompanied by Shep, the family dog, started on a hunt for the missing man, and he was traced to the well by the faithful dog, and rescued by the son scarcely in time to prevent death from suffocation. Wilson's hand was found clasping a round of the ladder, but his head was barely perceptible. Only the ladder had prevented him from being crushed to death. He was brought to the surface with difficulty, where it was found that he had escaped with unbroken bones, but was suffering from nervous prostration. Mr. Wilson says that he called for help till he was exhausted, and that he was held so tightly that he was unable to extricate himself. Shep, the family dog, followed his master's scent to the old well, and stood wagging his tail and barking till the attention of the family was called in that direction.

## METHODISTS NAME MINISTERS.

Appointments for Districts of Knox, Fort Wayne and Muncie Made.

Laporte.—Bishop Jones, presiding at the Northern Indiana Conference of the Free Methodist Church, announced the following appointments for the districts of Knox, Fort Wayne and Muncie:

District elder, D. D. Marston; Knox and Toto, J. A. J. Tannehill; Medaryville, Carson Moore; Springfield and Laporte, R. C. Johnson; South Bend, T. J. Russell; Mishawaka and Riverpark, J. R. Robinson; Elkhart, Miss Bertha Reinbolt; Granger, M. Williams.

Fort Wayne district—W. T. Loring, district elder; Columbia City and Larwill, C. S. Houston; Forest Chapel and Sugar Grove, S. H. Matthews; Bluffton, College Corners and Upland, T. J. Loring; Muncie and Desoto, A. D. Shady; Union City, T. Melotte; Redkey, Miss Nellie Mulholand.

## Bank Failure Causes Suits.

Warsaw.—Two suits growing out of the recent closing of the Kosciusko County bank by the auditor of state were filed in the Kosciusko circuit court, one by the Indiana Loan & Trust Company of Warsaw against the complainant, demanding the foreclosure of a mortgage and judgment for \$6,000. The second is against Abe Brubaker, cashier of the Kosciusko County bank at the time it was closed, and the Kosciusko County bank and is for \$4,000. Other similar cases have been prepared.

## Rain Prevents Milk Famine.

South Bend.—The threatened milk famine in St. Joseph county has been averted. The heavy rains came in time to save the cities of South Bend, Mishawaka, Walkerton and a dozen small towns from experiencing a situation in which the dairy men and farms would be compelled to cease the delivery of milk except on every other day.

## Boy "Bandits" Captured.

Evansville.—An hour after they had ordered Mr. and Mrs. George Bell to hold up their hands and fired a revolver when Bell whipped up his horse and drove by them, Harry Moore and John Oran, young mounted "bandits," were captured by Detective Peck.

## Two Shot During Quarrel.

Franklin.—During a fight on the public square Hilary Clark, a young colored man, was shot in the mouth, and Albert Lampkins (white) was shot in the foot. Clark's injuries may prove fatal, the bullet passing through his tongue and lodging in his throat.

## Army Store to Aid Poor.

Anderson.—A novel plan to meet the needs of the poor people of this city is being developed by Capt. Bouterse of the Salvation Army. A large storeroom is to be equipped to provide temporary work and accommodations for needy persons.

## Miss Hemenway to Wed.

Indianapolis.—United States Senator James A. Hemenway and wife Wednesday announced the engagement of their daughter Lena to Bennett Gath, son of Harry B. Gath, a capitalist of this city. The wedding will take place in January.

## Dollar Bill Slump Ends.

South Bend.—A noticeable scarcity of one-dollar bills in South Bend during the last six months is fast fading. Normal conditions will probably be restored in October.

## Divorce Suit Causes Deed.

Elkhart.—Despondent because his wife brought suit for divorce in the superior court, James Richard Cook, 36 years old, took a dose of morphine, causing his death.

## Fined for Wild West Act.

Danville.—A youth giving the name of William Ard and claiming Rockville as his home was brought before Justice Kennedy on charges of carrying concealed weapons and malicious trespass. On pleas of guilty he was fined ten dollars and costs in each case.

## Man's Body Found in Well.

New Albany.—News reached this city of the death of Richard Shea, a farmer, near Leavenworth, who perished in a well on his farm.

## WAR CLOUDS HEAVY

INDEPENDENCE OF BULGARIA TO  
BE PROCLAIMED.

FERDINAND WILL BE CZAR

Armed Conflict with Turkey Seems  
Certain to Follow—Austria Practically Annexes Bosnia and Herzegovina.

London.—Events which threaten to change the political face of Europe are crystallizing with lightning rapidity. Almost over night the horizon of the near east, which seemed gradually to be assuming a peaceful appearance, has become crowded with war clouds.

News has reached here from several sources that two definite strokes are impending which cannot fail to bring matters to a crisis, and perhaps force an immediate war. One is the proclamation by Prince Ferdinand of the independence of Bulgaria, which will include Roumelia, taking for himself the title of "Czar." The other is an announcement of Austria-Hungary of the practical annexation of the provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina as appanages of the Austro-Hungarian crown.

Either action will be equivalent to the tearing up of the treaty of Berlin, while Prince Ferdinand's course seems almost certain to precipitate a war between Bulgaria and Turkey. Before these possibilities, the quarrel over the East Roumelian section of the Orient railway sinks into insignificance. Both armies are reported to be quietly and swiftly mobilizing near the borders. Bulgaria is said to be buying up munitions and horses on an extensive scale.

The emperor of Austria, it is understood, has dispatched a letter to the president of France, setting forth his intentions regarding Bosnia and Herzegovina, although the contents of the letter are kept secret, and he is sending similar notes to the other powers.

While Austria's action with regard to the two provinces may not technically be called annexation, it is believed it will amount to that, whatever it may be called. Apparently the emperor is determined that the destiny of these provinces shall be Austrian, not Turkish. For 30 years they have been administered by Austria-Hungary, but they have always remained theoretically Turkish.

## HURRICANE IN MANILA BAY.

Battleships of Atlantic Fleet Safely  
Outride Tremendous Storm.

Manila.—The Atlantic battleship fleet has safely outridden a hurricane which swept Manila bay for 12 hours and did much damage ashore.

Typhoon signals were displayed early Sunday morning, but the storm broke over the bay suddenly and unexpectedly at noon. It was impossible to hoist the cutters and launches belonging to the fleet because of the danger of smashing them against the steel sides of the battleships, and the little craft were sent scurrying inside the breakwater into the Pasig river, where they remained all night.

## CAR UPSETS; MAN IS KILLED.

Dick Brink of Grand Rapids. Meets  
Death in Auto Accident.

Holland, Mich.—While on an automobile trip from Grand Rapids to Holland Sunday night Dick Brink, Grand Rapids, a prominent merchant, was accidentally killed. While driving down a hill near Vriesland the steering gear broke and the automobile turned bottom side up in a ditch. The other members of the party, Mrs. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. Bush and Mrs. Tenbroeck, all of Grand Rapids, escaped with slight injuries.

## PITTSBURG HAS \$500,000 FIRE.

Gas Explosion Starts Blaze in Plate  
Glass Company's Works.

Pittsburg.—An explosion of gas at the plant of the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company's works, No. 2, at Tarentum, a suburb, early Sunday resulted in a loss by fire of \$500,000 and threw 800 men out of employment. W. A. Long, a watchman, was knocked down by the explosion, bruised and internally injured. Half of the plant is in ruins and the flames were only checked by a large steel building recently erected by the company.

## Col. Marcy Burned to Death.

Minot, N. D.—Col. J. C. Marcy, aged 77 years, once one of the most prominent attorneys in the northwest, was burned to death at his home in this city early Sunday. The fire was caused by the upsetting of a lamp, which set fire to the bed clothing.

## Winnipeg Cathedral Dedicated.

Winnipeg, Man.—The new St. Boniface cathedral, erected at a cost of \$600,000, was dedicated Sunday afternoon in the presence of a great array of prelates and clergy.

## Mormons for "Dry" Legislation.

Salt Lake City.—Having heard their president expound the revelation of the words of wisdom which prohibits the use of all intoxicants by the faithful, 15,000 members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Sunday proclaimed their faith in the practical application of the ecclesiastical law by voting unanimously approval of a resolution pledging the entire membership of the church to support prohibition legislation. The occasion was the opening of the seventy-ninth semi-annual conference.

## RAISED FROM SICK BED.

After All Hope Had Vanished.

Mrs. J. H. Bennett, 59 Fountain St., Gardiner, Me., says: "My back used to trouble me so severely that at last I had to give up. I took to my bed and stayed there four months, suffering intense pain, dizziness, headache and inflammation of the bladder. Though without hope, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and in three months was completely cured. The trouble has never returned."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## HE REMEMBERED.



"And did your uncle remember you in his will?"  
"Well, he remembered me, all right, but that was why he didn't mention me in it."

## SKIN TROUBLES CURED.

First Had Itching Rash—Threatened  
Later With Blood-Poison in Leg—  
Relied on Cuticura Remedies.

"About twelve or fifteen years ago I had a breaking-out, and it itched, and stung so badly that I could not have any peace because of it. Three doctors did not help me. Then I used some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent and began to get better right away. They cured me and I have not been bothered with the itching since, to amount to anything. About two years ago I had a gripe and pneumonia which left me with a pain in my side. Treatment ran it into my leg, which then swelled and began to break out. The doctor was afraid it would turn to blood-poison. I used his medicine but it did no good, then I used the Cuticura Remedies three times and cured the breaking-out on my leg. J. F. Hennen, Milan, Mo., May 13, 1907."

## Arrange for Pure Milk.

Chicago has a medical cow. She was bought by a woman health department inspector. Dr. Caroline Hedger, to produce pure milk for desperately sick babies in a crowded tenement district, and, according to reports, this latest Chicago experiment in municipal ownership has been a great success. "I purchased the cow for the department," said Dr. Hedger. "I told Commissioner Evans I needed a cow to save the lives of the sick babies out my way, and he told me to buy one; so I did. Some friends of mine are taking care of her, milking her and taking the milk direct to the sick infants. It doesn't go through a dozen hands before it reaches the babies. We get enough milk to supply the babies of 14 families."

## Immunity.

Satan had just ordered more coal thrown on the fire.  
"By Tumious!" he cursed, "but that last arrival is a tough proposition. The more I try to roast him the more he smiles."

He called the chief stoker.  
"Well, what luck?" asked Satan.  
The stoker shook his head.  
"He's still smiling," he answered.  
"Where's he from?" cried old Nick, out of patience.

"New York. He used to be a baseball umpire in—"

"Sulphurous serpents! Why didn't you say so before? Take him down; we can't feast him."—Bohemian Magazine.

## NO GUSHER

But Tells Facts About Postum.

"We have used Postum for the past eight years," writes a Wis. lady, "and drink it three times a day. We never tire of it."

"For several years I could scarcely eat anything on account of dyspepsia, bloating after meals, palpitation, sick headache—in fact was in such misery and distress I tried living on hot water and toast for nearly a year."

"I had quit coffee, the cause of my trouble, and was using hot water, but this was not nourishing."

"Hearing of Postum I began drinking it and my ailments disappeared, and now I can eat anything I want without trouble."

"My parents and husband had about the same experience. Mother would often suffer after eating, while yet drinking coffee. My husband was a great coffee drinker and suffered from indigestion and headache."

"After he stopped coffee and began Postum both ailments left him. He will not drink anything else now and we have it three times a day. I could write more but am no gusher—only state plain facts."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.