

THE MCKINLEY FUNERAL.

President's Venerable Mother Laid in the Grave.

TOTAL SUSPENSION OF BUSINESS.

All the Inhabitants of Canton Assembled to Do Honor to the Dead, and While the Funeral Services Were in Progress Thieves Were Busy.

Canton, O., Dec. 13.—Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley, the aged mother of the president, died shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

Canton, O., Dec. 15.—Although it rained almost incessantly all day, the crowd attending the funeral of Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley was numbered by thousands.

THE WORK OF CONGRESS.

The House Passes the Pension Bill Without Amendment.

The only big measure that has passed the national house at the present session of congress was the pension appropriation bill, which went through last Friday without amendment.

On Monday there was introduced in the senate the bill to establish the National University, which was originally urged by President Washington and which has been repeatedly urged by succeeding presidents.

On Tuesday the senate was in session but 15 minutes and the house only two hours.

EX-MINISTER McDONALD DEAD.

Our Minister to Persia Under the Cleveland Administration.

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 15.—Alexander McDonald, ex-minister to Persia, died here yesterday afternoon.

He had been expected for several days. He was born in Lynchburg about 70 years ago, and had lived here nearly all his life.

Fatal Fire at Duryea, Pa.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 15.—Fire at Duryea destroyed 13 buildings and caused a loss of \$70,000 worth of property and probably two lives.

Reconstructed Bicycle Scores.

New York, Dec. 14.—The prizes won by the victorious cyclists were awarded yesterday. Two affidavits were handed to the managers regarding the much discussed measurement of the bicycle track.

Fifteen Years For Forgery.

Stroudsburg, Pa., Dec. 15.—T. C. Beatty, nephew of General Beatty, of Ohio, and at one time a well known attorney in a Michigan town, yesterday pleaded guilty to forgery.

Fall River's Reduced Wages.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 15.—Notices of the proposed reduction of wages have been mailed to the various cotton mills, and were distributed and posted yesterday.

Federation Opposes Annexation.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 15.—At yesterday's session of the American Federation of Labor resolutions were adopted urging congress to reject the proposed annexation of Hawaii.

Chile's Many Cabinets.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 15.—The entire Chilean cabinet has resigned. The event has caused a sensation.

Kidnaper Warner Captured.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Chief Willard last night received a message from Detective McCann announcing the capture of Albert S. Warner at Riley, Kan.

THE DEMOCRATS' CAUCUS

Minority Members of the National House Define Party Policy.

REPUBLICAN FINANCIAL PLANS

Will Meet With Determined Opposition on the Democratic Side—Caucus Unanimously Decides to Favor a Cuban Recognition Resolution.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The caucus of Democratic members of the house of representatives last night resulted in the adoption of resolutions defining the party policy on the questions of Cuba, finance and bankruptcy.

Resolved, That in the sense of this caucus that the Democratic members of the house of representatives ought to resist all efforts, direct or indirect, to retire the greenbacks and treasury notes.

Resolved, That we are opposed to and will resist all attempts to extend the privileges of the national banks, or to reduce the taxes which they now pay.

Resolved, That we favor the early consideration and passage of the senate resolution recognizing that a condition of war exists in the island of Cuba between the government of Spain and the Cuban people.

Resolved, That we favor the early enactment of a just and wise bankruptcy law.

The first three features of the resolutions, on finance and Cuba, were considered separately, the discussion being vigorous and unanimously favorable. Mr. Bailey made the main speech, urging that Democratic members should take their position promptly against those financial movements now assuming formidable dimensions.

The fourth feature of the resolutions, declaring for a just and wise bankruptcy law, met with some opposition. Mr. De Armond, of Missouri, argued that it was not expedient for the party to take a position favorable to a bankruptcy bill at this time.

A HAZARDOUS MARCH.

Incessant Fighting Marks the British Troops' Progress in Bara Valley.

Simla, Dec. 15.—According to official dispatches from the northwestern frontier, the march of General Westmacott's brigade from the camp at Sher-Khel into the Sturi-Khel country was one continuous action.

The Produce Markets

As Reflected by Dealings in Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Philadelphia, Dec. 14.—Flour slow; winter superfine, \$3.92.50; do, extra, \$3.25.00; do, straight, \$4.50.00; western winter, clear, \$4.50.00; do, straight, \$4.50.00.

Bram's Conviction Set Aside.

Washington, Dec. 14.—In the United States supreme court yesterday an opinion was handed down by Justice White in the case of Thomas Bram, under sentence of death by the United States circuit court for the Massachusetts district for the murder of Captain Charles I. Nash, of the bark Herbert Fuller, at sea in July, 1896.

Hayti's New Ministry.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 14.—A proclamation was published here yesterday announcing the composition of the new Haytian ministry as follows: Minister of the interior, M. Auguste Tancredi; commerce and finance, M. Plaisance; exterior relations and worship, M. Brutus St. Victor; war and marine, M. Guillaume Velbrun (who is now president of the chamber); public works and agriculture, M. Cincinatus Leconte; justice and public instruction, M. Antoine Carmeluz.

Historic Dover Castle Burned.

Dover, Eng., Dec. 15.—Historic Dover Castle was a victim to the flames yesterday. The offices were completely gutted soon after the fire started, and in a short time the main block was attacked.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Thursday, Dec. 9. The cultivation of grain being more profitable, Bohemia next year will curtail her best sugar area.

Friday, Dec. 10.

Hereafter all new revenue cutters will be named after tribes of Indians. The Georgia legislature failed to pass the anti-football bill over Governor Atkinson's veto.

Saturday, Dec. 11.

Thousands of Cuban refugees are said to be starting in New York city. A curfew order has been made by a Mount Vernon (N. Y.) judge for the benefit of a wayward girl.

Sunday, Dec. 12.

Residents of Cliffside, N. J., complain that outrages have been committed by roughs unchecked by the authorities. Mrs. Rebecca Carlton, an elderly woman, was murdered in her home at Denton's Valley, Pa., by an unknown assassin.

Tuesday, Dec. 14.

Two large sales of California petroleum have just been made at \$1 per barrel. The second trial of Luetgert, the alleged wife murderer, was begun in Chicago.

Wednesday, Dec. 15.

Frank Hunt, aged 11 years, died at Akron, O., from brain fever, due to a game of football. It is said the Cuban Reformists will demand General Weyler's trial at the reopening of the cortes.

Thursday, Dec. 16.

At Chicago Commander and Mrs. Booth-Tucker raised \$10,000 for the colonization scheme in Arkansas. Jimmy Considine was sentenced to three years' imprisonment for snatching \$3,000 worth of diamonds from a Kansas City (Mo.) jewelry store.

Friday, Dec. 17.

Premier Rudini has resigned in reorganizing the Italian cabinet, appointing five new ministers, among them Signor Zanardelli, one of Crispi's former lieutenants. Mrs. Lawton, wife of a farmer living near Watertown, N. Y., was brutally beaten by two masked burglars. The sons of a neighboring farmer have been arrested on suspicion.

Saturday, Dec. 18.

The disaster to General Kempster's rear guard, that was cut off by the tribesmen on Saturday near Sher-Khel, was due to the animals becoming entangled in the rice fields at dusk. To increase the difficulty the drivers and carriers opened kegs of rum and became hopelessly drunk.

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Friday, Dec. 24.

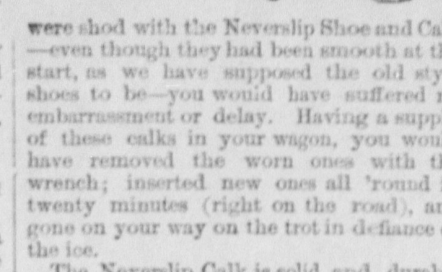
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Trouble on the Road.

You start on a journey in winter with team and wagon. Your horses' shoes are smooth to be sure but the weather is mild and the roads soft. No need to bother with a sharpening job, you will take the chances.

But on route comes a sudden freeze-up common in our climate. The mud is an iron hard stubble, every puddle a glare of ice. Your team begins to slip and slide.

On sliding places you risk going down the bank, wagon and all, with you on top of the wreck. This may happen between villages, and what will you do then? If your team



were shod with the Neverslip Shoe and Calk—even though they had been smooth at the start, we have supposed the old style shoes to be—you would have suffered no embarrassment or delay.

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RAILROAD SCHEDULES

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES. In effect on and after May 17, 1897. VIA TYONE-WESTWARD.

Leave Bellefonte 9:53 a.m. arrive at Tyone 11:30 a.m. at Altoona 1:00 p.m. at Philipsburg 1:45 p.m. Leave Bellefonte 1:05 p.m. arrive at Tyone 2:40 p.m. at Altoona 3:25 p.m. at Philipsburg 4:10 p.m.

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