

# ANALYSIS OF CURRENT EVENTS

Classified, Explained, No Sensationalism or Partisanship

## COMMERCE and INDUSTRY

### Industrial.

#### To Curtail Cloth Output.

Twenty of the big print cloth manufacturers at Fall River, Mass., controlling sixty-five mills, have agreed to curtail production by shutting down two days a week on account of the unsettled condition of the cotton and cloth markets. The labor unions appear to have acquiesced.

#### An International Daily.

A new international daily newspaper is to be published simultaneously on the transatlantic steamers equipped with the Marconi apparatus after May 15. The editor on each ship will be supplied before sailing with sheets on which advertising matter has already been printed, so that only the news need be printed while at sea. It is estimated that 20,000 to 30,000 passengers will thus have the news spread before them at breakfast every day. Each ship will have a complete typesetting, stereotyping and printing press plant. On the first three days of an eastward journey the dispatches will be sent from New York. After that London will be the source. The paper is to have the service of the big press associations.

#### South After White Labor.

E. J. Watson of Columbia, S. C., is planning a trip to Denmark, Norway, Sweden and Germany as commissioner of the new department of agriculture, commerce and immigration which has just been created in his state. The object of his visit will be to present the advantages of South Carolina as a field for the desirable class of immigrants. In an interview at New York Mr. Watson said that new conditions had arisen in the south. The growth of manufacturing was robbing the fields of the white tenant farmer. Besides this, the negro element was rapidly seeking the larger centers of population. The great need is white settlers from this country and abroad.

### Labor.

#### Building Arbitration Wins.

Pending the submission of all points in dispute to a board of arbitration the striking bricklayers and mason laborers of New York city decided April 6 to go back to work. The arbitration board will be constituted under the agreement existing between the builders' association and the bricklayers' unions.

#### Strike of Asphalt Workers.

With the past week a general strike of the asphalt workers in and around New York has gone into effect. The engineers decided that they would not work with nonunion men, and the pavers, rammers and curbstone setters will be asked to strike in sympathy. The companies affected have promptly engaged Irishmen to succeed the Italian and negro help heretofore employed.

### Commercial.

#### All Salt Out of Same Kettle.

Some interesting light is thrown on the tricks of the salt trust by the testimony of Nathan S. Beardslee, one of the receivers of the National Salt Company, in a case before the supreme court at New York. The case grew out of the auction sale of the salt plant at Ithaca, N. Y., as decreed by the directors July 28, 1903. The receiver said that the property sold included valuable brands and trademarks, such as "The Purity Salt." When asked if this brand of salt was different from the other cheaper brands Mr. Beardslee said, "They all come out of the same kettle." The high price, he said, was justified by the extensive advertising the brand got.

#### Wisconsin Central Boom.

It was reported at St. Paul on Wednesday that the Rockefeller interests had secured control of the Wisconsin Central and that many improvements were now in prospect. By a new cut-off line from Marshfield to Milwaukee, which has just been surveyed, the Wisconsin Central is to have the shortest

route from Chicago to St. Paul by twenty-eight miles.

#### Largest Life Policy.

The Mutual Life Insurance company has just issued to James C. Colgate, banker and financier at New York, the largest life insurance policy ever taken out by an individual—for \$1,500,000. This company has a number of policies for a million or more outstanding.

#### Rogers in Locomotive Trust.

The American Locomotive company, known as the trust, at last has got control of the Rogers Locomotive works at Paterson, N. J., one of the largest independent concerns in the country, valued at \$3,000,000. Control was secured by the secret purchase of small blocks of stock.

#### Notes.

The expected stream of gold from this country to Europe began to flow April 5, when \$600,000 left New York for Paris. This was followed by other larger shipments. \* \* \* The steel trust has declared its regular dividend of 1 1/4 per cent on preferred stock. \* \* \* The lower east side of New York is opposing by process and by boycott the sudden advance of 20 per cent in flat rents. \* \* \* The asphalt trust receiver has decided not to waste time and money trying to collect assessments on stock of the original company because most of it is held by its insolvent successor. \* \* \* Two Iowa banks at Dow City and Buck Grove failed April 7 for \$500,000.

## RELIGIOUS

#### Universal Religion.

"Religion and Religions" is the suggestive title of an article by the Rev. Dr. R. Heber Newton in the April North American Review which is likely to create discussion. Dr. Newton assumes that while the religions of man are many the religion of man is one. In other words, all are "but variations of the one true religion, the life of God in the soul of man." He contends that the church was an institution of Chaldea, India and Egypt millenniums ago, as it is of Italy, England and America of today, and he finds prototypes of the Christian communion in the sacred meals of the secret societies of paganism, collegia of Roman and the labor unions of Greece. He finds that, though outer forms of human prayer may differ, their inner substance is one—"the desire for the knowledge of God, the longing for the forgiveness of sins and peace with God, the realization of the oneness of man with his source and spring." Dr. Newton reaches the conclusion that foreign missionary work is folly and crime, proceeding on the theory that Christianity holds a monopoly of all religion and that there are "no plants of the Heavenly Father's planting in the soil of India."

#### Mormons Against Polygamy.

At the final session of the semiannual conference of the Mormon church at Salt Lake City April 6 President Smith read a manifesto repudiating plural marriages, announcing that all such marriages were prohibited and that any one performing them would be excommunicated. This statement was later indorsed by the church members assembled, on motion of Apostle Lyman.

#### Bowne Not a Heretic.

A serious schism in the Methodist Episcopal church of the United States was threatened by the trial of Borden P. Bowne of the Boston university, which was begun before the New York east conference at Brooklyn last week on charges preferred by the Rev. George A. Cook. Professor Bowne is a scholar

and writer who has a large following among the liberal party in the Methodist church. According to the charges made, he denies the Trinity, rationalizes the miracles, denies the atonement doctrine, undermines the teaching about hell fire and otherwise misrepresents his church. The conference promptly acquitted him of all charges.

## SCIENTIFIC

#### Explorer Scott's Return.

The return of the British antarctic expedition, under Captain R. F. Scott, to New Zealand, after being in the ice pack with the steamer Discovery for two years, adds much to the knowledge of the south polar region. Two relief ships had been sent to aid the Discovery, which they found Feb. 14 fast in the ice with all hands well. The report brought a year ago that Captain Scott on a sledge trip had reached 82 degrees 17 minutes, the farthest south recorded, is now confirmed officially. Their journey was begun March 24, 1902, from Mount Erebus, where the Discovery was icebound. The trip lasted six weeks. The party had a narrow escape from death by falling into the crevice of a great glacier. One important result of the expedition was the taking of observations which indicate that the great ice barrier is stationary. A new route to the westward was discovered, and the point where the ice field and the land join was definitely located. Some plant remains were discovered in the glacier valley of South Victoria Land.

#### Finger Grafted For Nose.

The critical stage of the nose grafting operation on the face of Oscar Leonard in the University hospital at Philadelphia was passed successfully April 2. His finger, held in a vise to his face, where a nose had been lacking from birth, had grown into the tissue, and the end had been severed from his hand, thus leaving a bony base on which to graft a new organ. The patient was nearly crazed by the pain while the flesh was knitting. By using silver tubes parallel to the finger bone a series of skin graftings is expected to give the patient a complete nose of normal size and shape.

#### Soil Microbes For All.

The process discovered by Dr. George T. Moore of the department of agriculture for the production of bacterial cultures employed in inoculating soils for the successful cultivation of clovers, alfalfa and the legumes was patented and dedicated to the public, the object being to forestall any effort to monopolize such a process to the disadvantage of the farmers. For some time the department has been distributing these soil cultures to farmers.

#### Social Uplift of Cities.

William A. Hoy, writing in the Outlook, advances a plan for the social uplifting of American cities. It is to have the various charity and reform societies organize a conference league "for the purpose of systematically considering needs and methods and for correlating private agencies among themselves and with public agencies." This would be a sort of clearing house of philanthropy. A special feature is to establish clubs for the Americanizing of immigrants by teaching them our language and political principles.

## SOCIOLOGICAL

#### Against Kansas Beauty Show.

The idea advanced by Mrs. Noble Prentiss that the pretty girls of Kansas should be selected to entertain visitors in the Kansas section at the world's fair as a sort of beauty show is meeting with much disapproval, as many mothers object to having their daughters make a show of for the gaze of the public.

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## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

### COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, the Honorable J. G. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 15th Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1904, to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Orphans' Court and Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre and to commence on the 4th day of April, 1904, and to continue two weeks. Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 25th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as they shall see fit.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 2nd day of March in the year of our Lord, 1904, and the one and twenty-seventh year of the independence of the United States.  
H. S. TAYLOR, Sheriff.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of the goods and chattels set apart to widows under the provisions of the act of the 14th of April 1851 have been confirmed No. 21, by the Court and filed in the office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Centre County, and if no exceptions be filed on or before the first day of next term, the same will be confirmed absolutely.

1. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of H. B. Yarnell late of Ferguson township, deceased as the same was set apart to his widow Sarah J. Yarnell.  
2. The inventory and appraisement of the personal property of Cornelius Dale late of College township deceased as the same was set apart to his widow Georgiana Dale.  
3. The inventory and appraisement of the personal estate of Henry Zeigler late of Gregg township deceased as the same was set apart to his widow Lydia Zeigler.  
4. The inventory and appraisement of the personal estate of Benjamin Corl late of Ferguson township, deceased as the same was set apart to his widow Kate Corl.  
5. The inventory and appraisement of the personal estate of William Gray late of Phillipsburg borough deceased as the same was set apart to his widow Mary J. Gray.  
6. The inventory and appraisement of the personal estate of Calvin M. Bower late of the Borough of Bellefonte deceased as the same was set apart to his widow Ellen E. Bower.  
7. The inventory and appraisement of the real estate and personal property of Jacob Kern, late of Miles township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Anna M. Kern.  
Bellefonte, Pa. A. G. ARCHET, C. O. C. April 6th, 1904.

By virtue of writs of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, in the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, on SATURDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate to-wit:

1. All that certain tract of land surveyed upon a warrant in the name of Hugh Hamilton, situate in Rush township, Centre County, Penna., bounded on the North by tract in the name of John Hartig, on the east by tract in the name of Hanna Turner, on the South by tract in the name of Joshua Williams; and on the West by tract in the name of Joshua Williams. Containing 433 acres and 153 perches and allowance.  
2. All that certain tract of land surveyed in the warrant name of Benjamin Jordan, situate in Rush township, Centre County, Penna., bounded on the North by lands known as London & Co. lands on the East by tract in the name of Thomas Miller; on the South by Richard & Co.'s lands, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a Pine Tree, thence along London & Co.'s lands North 50 degrees, East 32 perches; thence by Thomas Miller tract South 20 degrees East 173 perches; thence along Richardson & Co.'s lands South 50 degrees West 62 perches to same place; thence North 20 degrees West 73 perches to the place of beginning, containing 296 acres, 12 perches and allowance.  
3. One other tract in the warrant name of Alexander McDowell, situate in Gregg township, containing 30 acres.  
4. One other tract in the warrant name of Bernard Hubley, situate in Gregg township, containing 390 acres.  
5. One other tract in the warrant name of Daniel Levy, situate in Potter township, containing 90 acres.  
6. One other tract in the warrant name of John Copenhagen, situate in Rush township, containing 100 acres.  
7. One other tract in the warrant name unknown, situate in Rush township, containing 80 acres.  
8. One other tract in the warrant name of Daniel Beck, situate in Taylor township, containing 100 acres.  
9. One other tract in the warrant name of P. B. Gray, situate in Worth township, containing 250 acres.  
10. One other tract in the warrant name of John House, situate in Miles township, containing 250 acres.  
11. One other tract in the warrant name of John Irwin, situate in Harris township, containing 50 acres.  
12. One other tract in the warrant name of Frank McCoy, situate in Boggs township, containing 50 acres.  
13. One other tract in the warrant name of J. N. Packer, situate in Curtin township, containing 150 acres, 80 perches.  
14. One other tract in the warrant name unknown, situate in Ferguson township, containing 10 acres.  
15. One other tract in the warrant name of Unknown, situate in Gregg township, containing 51 acres.  
16. One other tract in the warrant name of Unknown, situate in Haines township, containing 100 acres.  
17. One other tract in the warrant name of James Fowler, situate in Rush township, containing 433 acres 153 perches.  
18. One other tract in the warrant name of John Copenhagen, situate in Rush township, containing 250 acres.  
19. One other tract in the warrant name of Andrew Bayard, situate in Snow shoe township, containing 433 acres 153 perches.  
20. One other tract in the warrant name of John Heckel, situate in Taylor township, containing 50 acres.  
21. One other tract in the warrant name of William Brown, situate in Union township, containing 100 acres.  
22. One other tract in the warrant name of Samuel Phelps, situate in Union township, containing 100 acres.  
23. One other tract in the warrant name of William Packer, situate in Miles township, containing 50 acres.  
24. One other tract in the warrant name of Job Riley, situate in Snow shoe township, containing 50 acres.  
25. One other tract in execution, and to be sold as the property of Henry G. Mackaye, Charles E. Mackaye and James S. Laing.

TERMS.—No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money is paid in full.  
H. S. TAYLOR, Sheriff.  
Bellefonte, Pa. March 28th, 1904.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To the Democratic Voters of Centre County: At the coming Democratic Primary Election to be held in Centre county, I will be a candidate for the nomination for the primary, and I hereby respectfully request your votes.  
ARTHUR S. KIMBERT, Linden Hall, Pa., Jan. 21, 1904.

I am a candidate for the office of District Attorney of Centre county, and respectfully solicit your vote and support at the Democratic Primaries, Saturday, May 29th, 1904.  
WM. GROH RUNKLE, Bellefonte, Pa., February 1st, 1904.

I will be a candidate for the Legislature this year. Believing that my record in the last session meets your approval, according to the usages of the party, I would respectfully solicit your support for a re-nomination.  
J. W. KEPLER, Pine Grove Mills, Feb. 9, 1904.

I will be a candidate for the Legislature at the next general election, subject to the decision of the democratic county convention.  
JOHN F. POTTER, Boggs Twp.

Please announce my name as a candidate for the nomination of Legislature, on the Democratic ticket, this year.  
JOHN NOLL, Bellefonte, Pa.

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The cure that is guaranteed by your druggist.  
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Style 821 is a favorite design, intended for dress, house or street wear. The vamp is of Ideal Patent Kid, quarter of dull kid. It is a graceful, narrow toe, high curved heel and a light weight sole. The three large eyelets are laced with silk ribbon.  
The price is . . . \$3.00  
Style 776 is a shoe made of Russia calfskin, with a light weight welted sole. It has a handsome new toe, and an extra high military heel, the three large eyelets laced with broad silk ribbon, makes it a strikingly handsome shoe.  
We sell this shoe for . . . \$3.00  
Style 835 is an extremely modish walking Oxford of light weight. It is made in the blucher cut, of bright kid with patent tip. It has a handsome new toe, high colonial heel, and is fitted with fast color eyelets.  
We sell this shoe for . . . \$2.50  
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**The Democracy's Candidate Chase**  
The silent sage of Esopus appears to be making headway along the smooth highway of least resistance. In other words, the boom for Chief Judge Alton B. Parker of New York has served as a convenient nucleus for the conservative Democrats, east, west and south. Those Democrats opposed to his nomination are making the most of his silence on political issues, claiming that on this account he could not be expected to arouse much enthusiasm. The statement has been made by Mr. Parker's friends, however, that he will consistently decline to express any views unless he is nominated. They say that he has no desire to make a platform for the Democratic party, but is willing to have the party make a platform for him. They think that his principal strength lies in his having been out of active politics for eighteen years, while serving in his judicial capacity.  
Former President Cleveland is out for Parker, and Gorman is said to be friendly, but Bryan continues to fight shy of any "hill man." Both Hearst and Parker claim a majority of the Kansas delegation, but the platform distinctly commended Hearst, Bryan and the Kansas City platform.



Judge Alton B. Parker.