



DAY'S RECORD IN CONGRESS

Mr. Quay Presents Resolutions of the Manufacturers' Club.

THE DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE

Proposition to Suspend Work Upon the Structure Is Warmly Contested--A Twelve Hour Session in the House of Representatives.

By the United Press. Washington, Feb. 22.—Washington's birthday being the staple of the day today, his petition was that the influence of that noble character should transmute the life and character of every American boy and man in this and all future times.

AN OBLIGING HUSBAND.

Commits Suicide in Order That His Wife May Be Relieved of Charge of Bigamy.

By the United Press. St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 22.—B. J. Millhouse, a stock raiser living near here, yesterday had his wife arrested on a charge of bigamy.

SUCCESS OF THE LOAN.

Dun & Company Believe That It Is the Beginning of a Real Recovery in Business.

By the United Press. New York, Feb. 22.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: The surprising success of the new loan and the great confidence it has given to investors on both sides of the Atlantic...

Mr. Quay moved to take up the motion made by Mr. McPherson, New Jersey, about a week ago, to reconsider the vote by which the joint resolution suspending work on the proposed bridge across the Delaware river at Philadelphia...

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Mr. Gorman (Maryland) appealed to senators to let the matter go over till tomorrow...

House Celebrates the Day. George Washington's birthday was celebrated by the house today by sitting twelve hours with a recess from 5 to 8 o'clock this evening.

NEW POPLIST PAPER.

National Organ of the Party Will Be Established at Kansas City.

By the United Press. Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 22.—The National Reform association in annual session today decided to establish a new daily paper in this city to be the national organ of Populism.

FOUR BLACK EYES.

Result of a Disgraceful Row in the Colorado Senate.

By the United Press. Denver, Colo., Feb. 22.—A disgraceful row occurred in the state senate today. Senator Mills, in the course of his debate, called Senator Peace a liar.

ARE STILL AT ODDS.

The Howgate Jury Unable to Agree Upon a Verdict.

By the United Press. Washington, Feb. 22.—At 4 o'clock this afternoon the Howgate jury, after being out twenty-seven hours, reported to the clerk of the criminal court that they were "still at odds."

BAD SNOW SLIDE.

Passenger Train Is Delayed Eight Hours in a Drift.

By the United Press. Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 22.—A bad snow slide occurred on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad last night, two miles north of East Aurora, this county.

SULLIVAN CELEBRATES.

The Sluggish Observes Washington's Birthday by Eating the Town Red.

By the United Press. Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 22.—John L. Sullivan played here last night in "A Free American," and the box office receipts were about \$1,000.

LAND THAT NO STATE OWNS

Dangerous Locality for One Who Cannot Dodge Bullets.

STAMPING GROUND FOR CRIME

Meanderings of the Missouri River the Real Cause of the Murder of Robert Phillips Somewhere Between Iowa and Nebraska.

By the United Press. Tekamah, Neb., Feb. 22.—The peculiar meanderings of the Missouri river have been responsible for more violent crimes in Burt county than all other causes put together.

The murder of Robert Phillips two weeks ago is the latest violent death growing out of this condition of affairs, and while the crime was a most cold blooded one, the murderer is at liberty because of the fact that the officers of Burt county are convinced that they have no jurisdiction in the case...

The dead are: Mrs. Laura Scammon, Mrs. Henry J. McLeod, and Augustine Stivetta, colored, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brownson, of Macon, Mo.; Mrs. Peacock, and others, were injured, but none dangerously.

A strong wind fanned the flames, but prevented them from moving in the direction of the big hotels and other buildings.

The Ledgerwood bakery was a frame building, in the second story of which Mrs. Scammon had furnished apartments. Nothing was heard of her until the fire was over, when her bones were found in the ashes of her house.

The remains of the colored woman were found in the same house. Mr. and Mrs. Brownson, of Missouri, had a thrilling escape. They lived on the third floor of the Ouachita boarding house, and when aroused found the house wrapped in flames.

On Holman's Island, a tract of several hundred acres cut off from Iowa and owned by N. Holman, about fifteen miles north or near Decatur, on the east, a free fight and slugging match took place a week or so ago, in which a young man by the name of Stevens was so hampered up that he has since died and no efforts have been made toward prosecution.

On another tract of acreation land, twelve miles northeast of Tekamah, a dispute arose over the ownership, when one Wils Wilson struck an antagonist with a heavy club and beat him into insensibility Monday evening.

Burt county is more than willing—it is anxious—to stamp out this shame and drive the outlaw class from along her border, but refuses to act for the want of jurisdiction.

A Libel Suit Is Brought on by the Hartman Case.

Pottsville, Pa., Feb. 22.—William Wilhelm, counsel for the county auditors and the Ministerial association in the suits growing out of the county almshouse scandal, was this morning arrested for causing a libelous article to be published in the Evening Chronicle of Pottsville.

In reference to the nationality of the miners it has been learned that in Nelsonville they are almost entirely American and English; in Shawnee the majority are Welsh; in Buckingham they are largely German, and in Strattsville they are pretty evenly distributed among the English, Welsh, German and Irish.

It was also stated that of the 10,000 or 12,000 miners in the two valleys fully one-third, representing, with their families, nearly 150,000 persons, are in greater or less distress.

The miners are almost a unit in declaring that there are at least 50,000, too many miners in the two valleys for the amount of work that can be supplied, and many of them are making preparations to locate on farms or seek other employment.

Eight Animals on Exhibition in New York Killed by Strychnine.

New York, Feb. 22.—Nine dogs were poisoned this morning in the dog show and eight of them died. Fred Senn, exhibitor of King Charles and Japanese spaniels.

He also exhibited several Yorkshire terriers. When Mr. Senn arrived at the show shortly after 9 o'clock this morning he found two of the dogs sick. In a very few minutes others showed signs of illness. He became alarmed and sent for a veterinary surgeon. Before he arrived the two dogs first taken ill died. The others soon died in great agony.

By the United Press. San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Oscar Owen, of the Garden Bicycle club, broke the world's one mile indoor competition record in 2 minutes 25 seconds on a nine lap track here today.

Senator Hanson's friends are very hopeful that he will be given the vacant Mexican mission.

The silver leaders propose a spring lecture tour to cover every county in the United States.

Secretary Herbert is quite confident that the construction of three battle ships as provided by the house will be ordered by the senate.

The president has approved the joint resolution extending from March 1 to April 15, 1895, the time for making returns of income for the year 1894, under the income law.

The cruisers San Francisco and Chicago parted company at Algiers Wednesday, the former sailing for Alexandria and the Chicago having for Gibraltar on her way to New York.



One of the Anticipated Pleasures of the Mellifluous Spring Time.

BIG BLAZE AT HOT SPRINGS

Six Boarding Houses and Fifteen Cottages Destroyed.

By the United Press. Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 22.—Fire broke out on Ouachita avenue at 4 a. m. It is in the southern part of the city, where boarding houses abound, and in an hour three houses had been burned to death, six boarding houses, several store houses and fifteen cottages, in all worth \$100,000, had been swept away.

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WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

How the Event Was Celebrated in Metropolitan Cities.

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