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Fourth Monday of February. Third Monday of May. Fourth Monday of September. Third Monday of November.

Church and Sabbath School.

Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:30 a. m. Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. O. H. Nickle.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE, No. 369, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building. FOREST LODGE, No. 184, A. O. U. W. Meets every Friday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

DEATHS IN THE RACE.

Several Fatalities Attended the Paris-Madrid Contest.

Crops Damaged—Changed His View on Silver—Dollar Wheat—Locomotive Boiler Exploded—Deaths From Lightning—Reliance Led Columbia Creed Revision.

As a consequence of the great number of accidents, some fatal, in the first stage of the Paris-Madrid automobile race from Versailles to Bordeaux Premier Combes has forbidden the continuance of the contest on French territory.

The second stage of the race, which was to have been continued Tuesday, included a run over French territory from Bordeaux to the Spanish frontier.

The first stage in the great race from Versailles to Bordeaux, 343 miles finished at noon Sunday when Louis Renault dashed at a furious pace into Bordeaux, having made a record of eight hours and 27 minutes.

These victories, however, were clouded by a series of accidents, having in six cases at least a fatal result. Dispatches arriving from points along the course add to the list of fatalities and accidents.

A chauffeur was badly injured by an accident near Angoulême. A woman crossing the road in the neighborhood of Ables was run over by one of the competing cars and killed.

Output of Gold Increasing. The free coinage of silver has lost an advocate in the person of Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews.

Hay and Small Fruits Improved. While underlying conditions have improved as a whole, there is still room for betterment in weather, crop and labor matters.

Locomotive Boiler Exploded. While passing May's Sidings, seven miles west of Kane, Pa., on Sunday, the boiler on one of the locomotives pushing a Philadelphia and Erie freight train exploded, killing one man and injuring four others.

Demand For Dollar Wheat. The American Society of Emigrants

15 DEAD BY TORNADO.

Portions of Three Nebraska Counties Devastated.

Over a Score of Persons Injured—Not One of a Family Party at Home of Daniel McCurdy Escaped Death or Injury—Four at a Church Service Killed.

Hastings, Neb., May 26.—A series of heavy storms, two of which developed into the worst tornadoes that have visited Southern Nebraska for years, passed over portions of Clay, Franklin and Kearney counties Sunday evening.

Fifteen persons are known to have lost their lives and over a score of persons were more or less seriously injured. The casualties are as follows: Near Norman, dead: Daniel McCurdy, Robert McCurdy, Mrs. John Wheeler, Mrs. Earl Bacon, Mrs. C. A. Tipple.

New Proof in Fair Case. Absolute proof that Mrs. Charles L. Fair died before her husband in the accident in France, is said to be in possession of the attorneys who have charge of the interests of Mr. Fair's relatives.

Must Explain Deficiency. Postmaster General Payne, in discussing the big deficiency lately disclosed in the free delivery service, said: "It is very reprehensible for a bureau officer to have a deficit of \$200,000 rolled up on the first of May."

Hottest May 20 on Record. The hottest weather ever recorded in the New York weather bureau for May 20 for any day of that date of any year since a record of maximum temperature has been kept was recorded last week.

Automobile Tank Exploded. A score or more persons were injured in New York city by the explosion of the gasoline tank of an auto owned by Thomas D. Dewitt, a wholesale coal dealer.

Reliance Led Columbia Three Miles. By a combination of good luck and splendid sailing qualities the new cup yacht Reliance on Thursday inflicted such a defeat upon the former cup defender, Columbia, as she had never before suffered, leading her over the finish line of a 25 mile course of Glen Cove by 14 minutes and 43 seconds, official time.

Creed Revision Accepted. The general Presbyterian assembly at Los Angeles, Cal., adopted all the amendments to the confession of faith by an almost unanimous vote.

Death of a Centenarian. Elmira, May 26.—Dennis Connelly, a native of County Cork, Ireland, died here aged 103 years.

THREE CHAUFFEURS KILLED.

Besides a Soldier, a Cyclist and a Peasant Woman.

Paris, May 26.—It is now possible to assemble from the reports along the route of the first stage of the Paris-Madrid auto race a complete list of the casualties.

This shows six persons killed, two so dangerously injured that they may die, and 19 seriously injured. During the day it was asserted here that 17 persons had been killed and that 17 were injured; but this was not warranted.

The dead: Pierre Roderiz, Mr. Barrow's machinist, collision with a tree near La Bourne. Nixon, Mr. Porter's machinist, burned under automobile. Normand, M. Tourand's machinist, at Angoulême.

Bordeaux reports that many of the competitors, including M. M. Charron, Theiler and Passy, desired to abandon the race but others insisted that their honor required them to resume it at the Spanish frontier.

A number of the leading American and French automobilists were interviewed and they all expressed horror at the series of accidents and added that in their opinion it would end speed races in France and at other points on the continent.

There is not the slightest ground for the suggestion that Henri Fournier, W. K. Vanderbilt and Baron DeForest withdrew from the race on account of the dangers.

Increased Canal Tonnage. Albany, May 26.—The increase in canal tonnage over that of last year, which was noted at the beginning of the present season, continues, according to a statement given out by Superintendent of Public Works Boyd.

Deny Discrimination. Washington, May 26.—The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad has filed its answer with the interstate commerce commission denying the allegations of discrimination in the complaints of the Silk Association of America involving the freight tariff on raw silk.

Six Injured in Freight Collision. New Castle, Pa., May 26.—Engineers McGuire and Kane and Fireman Prewer of New Castle, with four tramps, were injured in a head-on freight collision at Graham's Sidings, six miles north of here, on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad.

Broke Two Ribs Hiccoughing. Wilkes Barre, Pa., May 26.—Thomas McDonald, a well known citizen of Plymouth county, had a severe and prolonged attack of hiccoughs. The proxima became so severe that two ribs were broken.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Pointed Paragraphs Chronicling the Week's Doings.

Long Dispatches From Various Parts of the World Shorn of Their Padding and Only Facts Given in as Few Words as Possible For the Benefit of the Hurried Reader.

Wednesday. The Male Principals' association of New York city declares that it is necessary to return to practice of corporal punishment in the public schools.

Thursday. Editor Norman E. Mack in the Buffalo Times outlines a program of harmony for differing elements of the Democratic party.

Friday. E. H. Harriman underwent a successful operation for appendicitis, and was reported as on the road to a speedy recovery.

Saturday. The postal scandal inquiry revealed a deficit of \$227,300 in the free rural delivery division of the postoffice department.

Sunday. Twenty persons were badly injured and at least as many more hurt, although less seriously, by an explosion of a locomotive at Third avenue and Forty-seventh street, New York.

Monday. Ambassador McCormick says Russia's policy in Manchuria need alarm no one and that the situation in the Far East is not serious.

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MRS. TAYLOR'S TRIAL.

Defendant Wanted to Read a Religious Book to the Jurors.

Monticello, N. Y., May 26.—The trial of Mrs. Kate Taylor for the murder of her husband, Lafayette Taylor, at East Lake, Sullivan county, on Jan. 26, was begun yesterday with the drawing of a jury.

The trial was adjourned at 6:30 last night, the entire day having been devoted to selecting the jury. Fifty-two of the special panel of 150 were examined. Only eight were accepted.

Three More Bodies Found. Glens Falls, May 26.—Three more bodies of victims of the Spier Falls disaster of March 7 have been found, all of them in the log booms a few miles from the scene of the disaster.

Injunction Asked For. Baltimore, May 26.—The application of the Western Union Telegraph company for an injunction restraining the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington railroad from removing its wires along the line of the latter between Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington has been set for a hearing in the United States district court here on June 11.

MARKET REPORT. New York Provision Market. WHEAT—No. 2 red, 82 1/2 c. f. o. b. affoot; No. 1 northern Duluth, 89 1/2 c.

Buffalo Provision Market. Buffalo, May 25. WHEAT—No. 1 northern, 82 1/2 c.; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 80 c.

East Buffalo Live Stock Market. CATTLE—Best steers on sale, \$5.11 @ \$5.25; good to choice shipping steers, \$4.75 @ \$5.00.

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