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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Lancy Evans, expert rice statistician of the United States department of agriculture, suggests that rice farmers use low grade rice to feed cattle.

John Warwick Daniel, United States senator from Virginia, was stricken with paralysis at Atlanta, Ga., and his condition is causing much concern.

Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont is suffering from nervous collapse in New York, consequent upon overwork in the cause of woman suffrage.

Friends of Frank Gould cabled congratulations on his reported marriage to Edith Kelly, as a cablegram to him has been attentive for some time. She is now in Paris, having resided there at the time Mr Gould did, about five months ago.

Addressing the New York Y. M. C. A., Prof. Channing Rudd asserted President Taft would be his intelligent support of the newspapers, and advised an official press agent.

Missouri's summer executive mansion will be a log cabin, which Uncle Hadley will build with his own hands, on a farm recently purchased by him near Jefferson City.

GENERAL NEWS.

"In language as strong as politeness would permit I told Secretary Ballinger that his entire course had resulted in a demoralization of the entire service." This from Chief Engineer A. E. Davis, personal friend of President Taft, who testified before the Ballinger investigating committee. When Mr. Taft, then president-elect, decided to visit the canal zone early in 1909 he called on Mr. Davis to accompany him as an adviser. Mr. Davis said Mr Ballinger had directed him to go slowly about restoring certain power sites on public lands to the public domain so as not to attract public attention.

Business men of Philadelphia sent a telegram to President Taft urging that the commission for the foundation of industrial peace should be sent there to investigate conditions and to straighten matters out. The president did not reply, as he had already ordered Commissioner Neill to go to Philadelphia from Washington at the request of the National Federation of Labor.

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At Bend, African Sudan, on the edge of the jungle a corps of American newspaper correspondents greeted Col. Theodore Roosevelt and party returning from a years hunt in the wilds of Africa and appearing fit, hard and strong.

Former Senator William D. Edwards appeared in the court of general sessions in Jersey City and pleaded not guilty to the indictments found against the National Packing Company, Armour & Co., Swift & Co., and Nelson Morris & Co. The Hammond Packing Company and the G. H. Hammond Company were not represented.

Pupils of the McKeesport, Pa., schools have amassed their slates against the walls of buildings following a health order barring their use unless they were germ breeders.

Benjamin Bundy, a negro of Clarksville, who passed an examination for the consular service, has relieved the state department at Washington of an embarrassing situation by his agreement to accept a secretaryship.

Depositions gathered before the district court of the Society for Savings bank at Cleveland, O., and demanded there money, but the run on the institution is believed to be over.

Barney Oldfield, driving his 200 horsepower Benz car, has covered a mile over the Daytona (Fla.) beach in 27 2-5 seconds, one-fifth of a second faster than the world's record made by a Fiat car at Brescia, Italy, a month or two ago.

Announcement was made at New York that Putnam's Magazine had been consolidated with the Atlantic Monthly and that the number for January will constitute the final separate issue of Putnam's.

George Ingram, the absconding cashier of the United States Express company, and his accused branch office, Chicago, was sentenced to the federal penitentiary for terms of imprisonment. Ingram pleaded guilty to charges of embezzlement and the sentence, which was the one he got, was [illegible] pronounced.

According to a report received at Erie, Pa., the wrecked Marquette car ferry No. 2 of the Lehigh Valley & Lake Erie railroad, which went down in a storm on Lake Erie on the night of December 7, 1909, with 32 men on board, has been located under the ice off Point Bruce, Ont., 14 miles from Port Stanley

Peace in the street car strike declared Tuesday, N. J., was only restored, after a day of demonstrative violence, when the company ceased their efforts to run cars after dark. Although all day long the strike-breakers were hooted at, cars and trucks were stoned.

Four witnesses, who have turned state's evidence, gave sensational testimony in the case of John C. Mitchell, president of Milwaukee Elks, charged with conspiracy to defraud by unlawful use of the United States mail.

James R. Garfield concluded his testimony before the Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry committee by charging that Richard A. Ballinger had persuaded him after the latter had relinquished the post of commissioner of general land office. Furthermore, the former secretary of the interior asserted that he did not believe the $2,000,000 bond recommended by President Taft to congress, was necessary for the withdrawal of the National Forest Action of Labor.

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EXPECT DEBATE TO BE LONG ONE

Difference of Opinion Manifested Among Legislators as to Interstate Commerce.

BILL DRAWN BY PRESIDENT

Chief Executive Said to Have Given the Measure His Personal Attention—Projected Court of Appeals—The President's Tour.

Washington.—There is every indication that the debate in the senate on the amendments to the interstate commerce act will be long drawn out and that it will be marked by many of the acrimonious features of the tariff debate of last spring and summer. The alignment of senators on the measure will not be exactly the same as that on the customs measure, but the majority on the latter will be the majority on the bill as it was introduced in the senate committee, and the leaders of the commission themselves are not unanimous in their views as to the efficiency of the bill in some of its particulars. The amendments were prepared in the first instance by a committee appointed by President Taft, every one of the members of which was a lawyer of high standing in the country. The present bill provides for a court of five and nine respectively. This appears to be a large membership, but it is not, under the circumstances. I fear it is not adequate to enable the development of the court on a proper basis."

President's Forthcoming Tour.

President Taft, who is apparently recovering from the effects of his cold, has so much, his friends say, for true as to his ease, he has even thought that he ought to give his promised speech by word of mouth his illness, but he will start from Washington March 15 on an eight days' tour. It is perfectly true that the outline of the president's speeches, which are now being prepared, shows that as far as tariff legislation is concerned there may be given a respite, subject on which to speak, if [illegible] more for any thing he probably will say a great deal about conservation matters of legislation. [illegible] that have accumulated during the last two years. Particular has been legislative matters [illegible] the Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry and Glavis's charges that the secretary of the interior was in collusion with the guggenheims and other members of the commission say that as far as tariff revision is concerned the president is not going to advise any more than he has already done. He is not interested. Mr Taft and his lawyer friends on the commission think this view and seem to believe that the president will keep the path through many difficulties by giving the railroads the right under the law.

President Taft believes that appeal from the decisions of the board of the attorney general's office for decisions in cases where the department decree in the ability and sincerity of the members of the interstate commerce commission. Moreover, he is [illegible] the heads of the departments of the government.

For Court of Appeals.

For years the lawyers of the country have been urging the patent lawyers to pass a bill to establish a United States court of appeals to which [illegible] could be carried. Such a bill has been introduced in the senate and has been assented to the work of framing the house rules in committee on interstate commerce.

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Judge Landis at Chicago sentenced to prison Samuel Trowbach and Daniel Dortz, aide of William Hrodowell, leader of the bogus butter "moonshiners" on their plea of guilty in the disorganizing tax frauds committed against the United States government.

Under the terms of a bill which the senate passed, a veterinary corps will be established in the army, doing away with the contract surgeon system.

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FIREMEN DEMAND ARBITRATION

Railroad Manager Hope for a Peaceful Adjustment of the Matter and Does Not Feel Slightest Apprehension Over Difficulty.

Chicago.—The threatened walkout of 25,000 firemen on practically all the railroad systems between Chicago and the Pacific coast reached a critical stage when W. G. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, formally notified the railroads that if the entire controversy was not submitted to arbitration a strike would be inevitable. Mr. Carter's letter of notification was indorsed by the brotherhood's executive board, which comprises action on about 42 railroads, west, northwest and southwest of Chicago. The letter was sent to W. L. Park, general manager of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad, chairman of the railroad general managers' committee.

After conferring with Mr. Nixon, O. P. Dickerson, assistant to the president of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy road, gave out the following statement:

"We have received Mr. Carter's letter, which, to the laymen who are not conversant with the methods of labor organizations, would seem to be somewhat serious and point to a strike. I wish to say that you are entirely one of the methods authorized by the agreements of the railroad companies and it is not likely that the [illegible] $10,000 a year each of their leaders in calling a strike over one or two [illegible] points.

"We do not feel the slightest apprehension over the difficulty. The managers, in due time, will make definite answer to the firemen's request, and we hope for a peaceful adjustment."

PRESIDENT TAFT SHOWED DISTRESS

Feels Keenly the Embarrassment Incident to Suicide of His Brother.

Pittsburg, Pa.—With as little display as possible and followed by President Taft, Mrs. Horace Dodge and the most modest mourner, the body of Thomas Mck. Laundlin, fullmurderer suicide, was laid to rest in Allegheny cemetery.

Pittsburg spent an excitable Sunday after the ill news became known in the rank and file of Pittsburgers until 1154 that was the record for 1909, 1908, 1907 and 1906.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States for the week ending March 10 aggregated 1,841,807 bushels, against 1,841,807 for the previous week and 1,241,807 for the corresponding week last year. For the 36 weeks ending March 10 exports were 19,743,713 bush, against 14,501,154 in the corresponding period last year.

Corn exports for the week are 1,022,-807 bushels, against 1,241,807 for the