

ANECDOTES OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Changed Postmaster at Soldier's Request So His Sweetheart Could Get His Letters.

INAUGURAL SUIT OF CLOTHES

Man Who Made Them Found—Name Is Daniel Roth—Price \$80—Insisted on Having Them on Time.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Lincoln week celebration here is bringing to light anecdotes and glimpses of the great emancipator's character which are said never before to have been made public.

Atty. Charles G. Neely tells a story which he says was told to him by O. W. Wall of Mulberry Grove, Ill.

"Wall," says Mr. Neely, "enlisted in the war early and while at the front wrote letters to his sweetheart, Elizabeth Jones, who also lived in Mulberry Grove. There was another Elizabeth Jones in this town, and according to Mr. Wall, the Elizabeth Jones to whom he was not engaged got all the other Elizabeth Jones' letters.

"This was rather embarrassing to the soldier boy, and he tried by every means to get the letters to the proper girl. He even put her father's name on the envelopes with the girl's, but still the wrong Elizabeth read the right Elizabeth's letters.

"Finally the exasperated boy resolved to complain. He sat on a bullet riddled log near the battle line and, after much pondering, resolved to write to the president himself, explaining the difficulty.

"By the next mail the president's reply came, couched in terms somewhat as follows:

"I am very sorry. Who do you want for postmaster at Mulberry Grove, Bond county, Ill.?"

(Signed) "A. LINCOLN."

"To this the soldier-boy responded, recommending a crippled cobler. Within a few days the change took place, the mail was delivered to the right Elizabeth Jones, and by his warm-hearted action Abraham Lincoln played a great factor in the Jones-Wall wedding, which took place soon after the war."

HIS INAUGURATION SUIT.

The tailor who made Lincoln's inaugural suit of clothes—the garment in which he took the oath of office—has been found in Chicago. He is Daniel Roth.

"In 1861 I had charge of the establishment of A. T. Tipton," said Mr. Roth. "One day in February, 1861, the whole force was surprised to see a man of almost gigantic stature enter the shop. Mr. Tipton rushed forward to meet him, saying, 'Well, have you come to be measured, Mr. Lincoln?' and then we all knew that the future president was among us.

"There was a lot of flurry in that shop for the next three-quarters of an hour, although Lincoln took no part in it. He had come to negotiate for a suit, one of those swartail tailed garments which all citizens then wore under high hats when on parade. The goods were finally chosen from a bolt of black broadcloth, the price to be about \$75 or \$80.

"All the time he was there he kept up a running fire of conversation. When it was all finished he impressed on Mr. Tipton the importance of having the suit ready in time, wished us a pleasant goodbye and passed out."

IMPERIAL CHINESE SCHOOL IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Feb. 9.—The first imperial Chinese school to be opened in this city was dedicated yesterday in the presence of Chinese Educational Commissioner Leong Ching Kwal, the Chinese consular officials, five graduates of the imperial university at Peking, who will be the first teachers, and a host of local Chinese. The ceremonies were elaborate and highly oriental in character and rendered extremely picturesque by the attendance of the 200 children who will be given a thoroughly Chinese education in science and literature in the school. The youngsters were clad in uniforms of brilliant hues and were the object of much interest on the part of the white

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educators present by invitation. The school is well equipped. Laboratories and a gymnasium for instruction in physical culture will be installed. The opening of this school adds another link to the chain of such institutions that is being installed all over the world by the Chinese government. Already schools have been opened at Sacramento, Los Angeles, Vancouver, Chicago and New York, and the commissioner will go to Europe to continue his school-building mission there.

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REPORT ON METHODS OF DENATURING ALCOHOL

Washington, Feb. 9.—The report of Joseph G. Cooper, commissioner, and Charles E. Crampin, chief chemist of the internal revenue, on the methods of denaturing alcohol practiced abroad, recently submitted to Congress, makes several recommendations for legislation, affecting the industry in this country.

The German system for fostering the production and use of alcohol could not be adopted in this country under the present laws, they state. It would be necessary, in order to procure an increase in the production of denatured alcohol, to provide for a direct bounty to be paid upon every gallon used for industrial purposes. The cheapness of benzine and kerosene will operate, they urge, against the use of denatured alcohol as a source of energy until the price of the alcohol is materially diminished. They recommend also that Congress raise the limit of daily production imposed upon the industrial alcohol producing distilleries from 100 to at least 200 and probably 300 proof gallons. They also recommend denaturing at the factories instead of at the distilleries.

Greater efficiency of government inspection is suggested as a means for the proper enforcement of the internal revenue law in respect to denatured alcohol.

WASHINGTON ONCE GAVE UP TO THREE DOCTORS

to three doctors; was kept in bed for five weeks. Blood poison from a spider's bite caused large, deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then "Buckley's Arnica Salve" completely cured me," writes John Washington, of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burns and piles its supreme. 25c at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112-114 So. Main St., Salt Lake City.

SPECIAL PRAYERS FOR TAFT AND HIS CABINET

New York, Feb. 9.—Special prayers for William H. Taft, his cabinet and the federal administration will be said at a mass meeting which will be held at the Broadway tabernacle on the evening of March 4, the day of inauguration. It is expected that 1,000 men will attend the meeting, as it has been called un-

der the auspices of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip, a federation of all the Protestant church societies of that name in the city. It has a membership of about 4,000. Representatives of labor unions, the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, chapters of the Bible classes and of the Young Men's Christian association have also been invited to attend.

Commenting on the meeting, a member of the committee said:

"These ministers and laymen will pray for the new president, his cabinet and the administration at large. Mr. Taft cannot work alone for the upbuilding of this great nation. It is necessary for there to be co-operation on the part of godly men of all creeds."

TO AID FRATERNAL SOCIETIES TO KEEP RITUALS SECRET

Washington, Feb. 8.—Representative Gaines of Tennessee, proposes by an act of Congress to aid fraternal societies to keep from the public secret rituals and rules, and he has introduced a bill which would make it a misdemeanor for any person to send through the mails any secret rituals or regulations or work of any duly authorized fraternal organization. The punishment provided for a violation of the proposed law is a fine of not less than \$1,000 and imprisonment for not less than one year.

HAZING AT WEST POINT.

House Calls on Secretary of War for Reports on It.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The secretary of war is directed to furnish the house with all reports and recommendations relative to the subject of hazing at the West Point military academy since Jan. 1, 1908, by a resolution which has been introduced by Representative Hay of Virginia. The secretary is also required to submit the reports and correspondence relating to the cadets who were reported as delinquent in their conduct as a result of the last general examination.

INDICTED FOR EMBEZZLING FUNDS OF GOVERNMENT

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 8.—Samuel McGowan of Degrad, Kan., one of the best known Indian authorities in the country, was arrested here today on a federal grand jury indictment, charging him with embezzlement and misappropriation of funds of the Indian school at Chilocco, Okla., from 1904 to 1908. He was released on \$10,000 bond.

The indictments, which were returned Friday last, consist of nine counts charging embezzlement and five for making false vouchers. The charges allege that McGowan converted money belonging to the Indians to his own use and also took grain and livestock, and that he made false vouchers, thereby securing money from the United States treasury at St. Louis. There is an alleged shortage of \$1,500 and the indictments intimate that an additional sum was wrongfully secured.

Agents of the federal government have been working on the McGowan case for almost a year, and the indictments were based on their report.

McGowan was superintendent of the government's Indian exhibit at the Louisiana purchase exposition at St. Louis, and was preparing to go to Seattle to take charge of a similar exhibit during the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition.

SOLDIER BALKS DEATH PLOT.

It seemed to J. A. Stoe, a civil war veteran, of Kemp, Tex., that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough that stuck to me, in spite of all remedies, for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery which restored my health completely. I now weigh 175 pounds."

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KILLS THE WRONG MAN. WOUNDS ANOTHER

Raton, N. M., Feb. 9.—Deputy Sheriff Jay Gale yesterday shot and killed Al Rucker, a negro porter, and fatally wounded James Baker, while trying to kill Polo Contau, an ex-convict, who was released from the territorial prison two days ago. Contau had threatened to kill Gale on sight, and when the deputy saw him sitting in the wagon he opened fire. Both his shots glanced from an iron stove, striking the two men while Contau escaped. Gale is under arrest.

BURGLARS STOLE WATCH DOG.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 9.—Tony Christ, owner of a candy store, tied a watchdog to his safe. A Chinese laborer entered the store, blew open the safe, took about \$300 and stole the dog.

DRY FARMING CONGRESS.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 8.—Senator Baeta Neves, an eminent mining and civil engineer, will represent Brazil at the Transmissouri Dry Farming congress held at Cheyenne Feb. 23, 24 and 25. He will address the congress on "The Necessity and Possibilities of Dry Farming in Brazil."

M. A. Carleton, the consultant of the department of agriculture, will address the congress on the importance of proper selection of grain seeds for arid growth.

F. M. Meyer, who has been investigating soil conditions and arid land agriculture in northern China and Manchuria, will speak on dry farming in those countries.

REPORT ON ACTION OF COMMITTEE ON FULTON BILL

Washington, Feb. 8.—Senator Elkins, chairman of the senate committee on interstate commerce, presented a report in the senate today in support of the committee's adverse action on the Fulton bill, which would authorize a suspension of the operation of the commerce commission of a proposed change of rates by a railroad upon protest from a shipper.

WHY WAS DUBOIS RELEASED?

Baltimore, Feb. 8.—The police commission today set Thursday as the date for the investigation of the illegal release of Dr. J. Edgar Dubois, a notorious "white slave" dealer. Dubois was under sentence of the local courts and in addition was under sentence of the federal authorities, who wished to prosecute him for that act which prohibits bringing women into America for immoral purposes. City Detective Bates last week gave Dubois his freedom without authority and the detective disappeared and cannot be located.

FIRE IN DENVER.

Forty Guests of Naragansett Hotel Have Narrow Escape.

Denver, Feb. 7.—At 2:15 this morning fire was discovered in the Naragansett hotel in North Denver and the 40 guests had a narrow escape from the flames and were forced to flee into the street. The structure of the street in their night clothes.

After it was thought all had escaped it was discovered that Miss Minnie Cleaver, aged 22, had not been seen. Patrolman Bruce Hunter was in the building and breaking in the door of the young woman's room, found her unconscious on the floor. He carried her to a safer place and she is now recovering from her injuries. She had inhaled considerable smoke but is expected to recover.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Yesterday Mrs. H. Vance Lane was hostess at a luncheon at the Alta club, given in honor of Mrs. J. M. Davis, the table having for a centerpiece a basket of pink carnations, and candelabra with pink shades while from the chandeliers were brought strings of snifflax. The place cards were water color sketches and covers were laid for the following guests: Mrs. Davis, Mrs. H. L. Niles, Mrs. Richard Stingley, Mrs. A. C. Ewing, Mrs. F. E. McGurru, Mrs. J. J. Broughall, Mrs. H. G. McMillan, Mrs. R. J. Glendinning, Mrs. S. H. Kirkinton, Mrs. A. E. Hutchinson, Mrs. George H. Smith, Mrs. W. E. Ely, Mrs. George E. Alms, Mrs. Louis S. Cates and Mrs. W. C. Alexander.

The bridge tea given by Mrs. T. G. Webber and Miss Webster yesterday was a delightful affair, the rooms being beautifully decorated in daffodils, and seven tables played, while a number of others came in for tea. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. George Y. Wallace, Mrs. Carl Sobel, Mrs. W. H. Cunningham and Mrs. June Sadler Donnell.

Last night Lieut. and Mrs. Clark B. Elliott entertained at bridge in honor of Miss Garey and Miss Storm, the rooms were prettily decorated in red carnations, and Miss Henderson assisted in entertaining. Six tables were played and prizes awarded at each.

A large affair of this afternoon is the card party given at the Ladies' Literary club rooms for the benefit of the St. Mark's hospital, a number of prominent society people having the affair in hand, and many tables being engaged.

Mrs. Julia Taylor and Mrs. R. R. Romney are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clawson in Los Angeles.

Mrs. J. W. Chaffin is hostess this afternoon at a luncheon in her apartment at the Bradford.

The Regimental Bridge club meets tonight at the post hall, and the hosts are Capt. and Mrs. T. R. Harker, Lieut. and Mrs. Paul C. Potter, Lieut. and Mrs. Moore.

Tomorrow night Mrs. Geddes and Capt. Conrad will be guests of honor at a dinner at the Alta club to be given by Mr. Curg Williams.

On Saturday afternoon Miss Geddes will be entertained at an informal bridge tea by Mrs. L. L. Savage.

Mrs. J. C. Hooper has returned from a short stay in Chicago.

Mrs. Walthall entertains the post bridge club this afternoon.

Mrs. Union W. Johnston entertains the bridge tournament this afternoon.

A large dancing party will be given by the freshmen class of the University at Odeon hall on Feb. 12.

Mrs. L. S. Deane entertains the Woman's club this afternoon and Mrs. A. V. Taylor has charge of the program.

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Among many people who have recently become convinced that Cooper is correct and his medicine all he claims is Mrs. Eleanor Harris, of 228 Rodney street, Brooklyn.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Harris called at the store where Cooper is meeting the public, and when interviewed said: "I am only too willing to tell what a remarkable experience I have had with Cooper's New Discovery, and what a wonderful medicine I know it to be."

"I have had rheumatism for sixteen years and took so much medicine in trying to get rid of it, that for the past eight years my stomach has been in a fearful condition, as my digestion was almost ruined. For ten years I consulted one physician after another, but my rheumatism got steadily worse. Finally my stomach got in such a state that I had to stop taking medicine altogether."

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I finally decided to take it, and if it did me no good I would never take any medicine again. I started the treatment six weeks ago. The first effect it had was to give me a better appetite than I have had for ten years. Then my food began to digest and no longer distressed me for hours after eating. At the end of the third week I noticed that I was not suffering as much from rheumatism, and each day the pain and stiffness grew less until I no longer had any rheumatism. For the past week I feel as though I had been made over entirely, as I have no pains nor aches and eat three hearty meals a day, with no indigestion whatever."

"My two nieces and my sister have had stomach trouble. When they saw what the medicine was doing for me they all tried it. It has helped them just as it did me, and they are delighted with their improvement. One of them told me that it was worth more than its weight in gold to her. This would be almost impossible, but every word of it is true."

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