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NATIONAL AFFAIRS.

Charley Nunn of Bonham to Receive an Appointment Under First Auditor Chenoweth.

Appointments to the Pension Office Must be Apportioned Among the States and Territories.

Two Candidates Spoken of for James G. Wintersmith's Place—Radicals Turned Out.

BURNED OUT BUT NOT SUPPRESSED.
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The Washington papers were all out on time today, notwithstanding three of them were reduced to cinders last night. They appeared in the Star's type.

CANDIDATES FOR DOORKEEPER.
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The friends of Gen. Field claim that he is still a candidate for door-keeper of the next house, notwithstanding his appointment as superintendent of Hot Springs government reservation.

Col. Samuel Donelson of Nashville, Tenn., is also spoken of. He holds a position in that department now.

PUT OUT BY CHENOWETH.
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—First Auditor Chenoweth dismissed two Republicans from his department today. Turn the rascals out.

TO BE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—First Auditor Chenoweth will to-morrow appoint Charley Nunn of Bonham, Tex., confidential messenger in his department. Charley, it is said, is a very bright boy.

THE RESULT OF CARLISLE'S INTERVIEW.
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Alexander Davezac, who was to-day appointed consul to Nantes, France, gets his post through Speaker Carlisle. They live in the same city, Covington, Ky.

MARSHAL FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS.
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Richard B. Reagan gets the marshalship for the Eastern district of Texas through his brother's influence, it is supposed. Capt. Gaston Ashe of Houston was an applicant.

SPECIAL CIVIL SERVICE RULE.
WASHINGTON, July 17.—The president has made the following civil-service rule: "Appointments to the 150 places in the pension office provided to be filled by the act of March 3, 1885, except so far as they may be filled by promotion or transfer, must be separately apportioned by the appointing power in or near conformity to the second section of the act of July 16, 1883, as the need of filling them promptly and the residence and qualifications of the applicants will admit."

The section above referred to provides that appointments should be apportioned among states and territories and the district of Columbia upon the basis of population as ascertained in the last preceding census.

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS.
WASHINGTON, July 17.—The president made the following appointments this afternoon: Alex. Davizac of Kentucky, consul at Nantes, France.

To be United States marshals: Reuben B. Pleasant, for the Eastern district of Louisiana.

R. B. Reagan, for the Eastern district of Texas.

To be United States attorneys: J. N. D. Burnett, for the Southern district of Alabama.

Chas. B. Haurey for the Northern district of Mississippi.

Mr. Pleasant resides in New Orleans, and was urged for the position of marshal by Senator Gibson and many prominent merchants of the state.

Mr. Reagan is a brother of Representative John H. Reagan of Texas, and was for many years sheriff of Cherokee county, Texas.

Mr. Burnett is a resident of Evergreen, Ala. He is described as an able lawyer, who has twice represented his county in the state legislature.

Mr. Haurey is a leading lawyer of Oxford, Miss.

The secretary of the treasury has appointed N. L. Perkins chief of a division in the sixth auditor's office.

AN ABSCONDING POSTMASTER RETURNED.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—A telegram was received at the postoffice department today from Inspector Metcalf at Barnesville, Minn., saying that he had brought from Manitoba under arrest Leary Gunderson, late postmaster at Cumberland, Wis. About three months ago Gunderson absconded, leaving a deficit of \$5000 in money-order accounts and fled.

THE SYSTEM OF DEAD-HEADING TO BE STOPPED.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The postmaster-general has issued a circular letter to inspectors, postmasters and other postal officials, stating that there is reason to suppose that the penalty envelopes prepared and issued to the executive department for the free transmission of official matter in the mails are frequently misused. Attention is called to the provision of the

law bearing on the subject and the postoffice officials are directed to report promptly to the department all cases coming to their knowledge, wherever it is violated.

Shot by a Young Woman.
NEW ORLEANS, La., July 17.—Thomas J. Beasso, chief of detectives, was shot to-day, and it is believed mortally, by Mary C. Kuhn, aged eighteen years, who claims that Beasso seduced her with a false marriage certificate.

GALVESTON.

An Appointment for the Sam Houston Normal.

GALVESTON, Tex., July 17.—Under the law permitting each representative of the state to designate a scholar for the Sam Houston normal institute, Representative Fisher of this district has conferred a scholarship upon Miss Junie C. Pettit of this city, the daughter of Mr. C. C. Pettit of the Texas Banking and Insurance company, she having passed the most creditable examination for the honor.

Under the recent ruling by the secretary of the treasury express companies are authorized to receive passengers' baggage on landing at New York and immediately transport the same in bond to Galveston, Tex., and the chief ports of entry in the United States, without examination or payment of duties at New York.

THE TEXAS POOL.

Two Secret Sessions of the Southwestern Railway Conference.

GALVESTON, Tex., July 17.—The conference of the Southwestern railroad managers held two sessions today with closed doors. Prominent members of the conference state that thus far nothing whatever has been agreed upon toward the consummation of the desired pool. Several propositions and methods for arriving at a basis upon which to declare the pool are under consideration and to-day's sessions were occupied in a general discussion of these propositions.

The sessions are characterized by harmony and an expressed desire on the part of the representatives of the several important railroads to deliberate carefully and finally to reach a pooling basis that may prove fair and satisfactory to all interests.

MOONSHINERS.

The Fate of a Deputy Marshal in the Balance.

NAEVILLE, TENN., July 17.—The greatest interest is manifested concerning the fate of United States Deputy Marshal W. Lee Miller. No one, however, dares go out and solve the mystery in the locality in which he is supposed to have been killed. None but the most desperate characters infest the moonshiners' district, whence he went. He has for ten years been on the hunt of wild-catters, who have never been taken either by strategy or surprise. What may have become of Miller will never be known, unless the government shall authorize a posse to ferret out the mystery.

The universal opinion is that he was killed by moonshiners and his remains placed where they can never be found.

Illicit distilleries have increased to 100 in the middle district of Tennessee, with an immediate prospect of 100 more. It is predicted that with the immense amount of corn the number will reach 1000, which will greatly depress legitimate trade.

Tennessee moonshiners are now selling whisky in North Alabama at 50 and 60 cents per gallon.

DALLAS.

A Wife-Beater Planted on the Poor Farm—An Attachment Run.

DALLAS, Tex., July 17.—D'ek Oiddings, who was sentenced to the poor farm for two years for beating his wife, made his escape about a week ago. On the 15th notice was given the sheriff that Richard had been captured at Bell's. He was returned here this morning and immediately transferred to the farm.

John Meely, who took morphine with suicidal intent yesterday, is very low and the physicians say he cannot live. There was no reason for the act, except that he has been drinking very heavily for the past few days. He took the drug in the presence of his little daughter.

The ninth annual Sunday-school convention of Dallas county adjourned at Lancaster yesterday evening. The officers for the ensuing year are: A. H. Fields, president; J. C. Rugeley, vice-president; J. E. Alken, secretary and treasurer; and James Edwards, assistant secretary.

Hamilton & Young of this city yesterday ran an attachment against McClelland Bros. of Gainesville for \$450.

Father Thion came to Dallas yesterday in search of the thief who blew open his safe at Corsicana and abstracted therefrom the church money of the Louis Catholic church, about \$300. He invoked the aid of the police, who suspicion a man by the name of Murtagh. He "clese" in quite a good sum here, but had left the city by the time Father Thion arrived.

The Dallas County Pioneer association adjourned yesterday after a most pleasant reunion. The officers for the coming year are: John C. McCoy, president; W. C. McKamey, vice-president; Mrs. E. B. Durgin, second vice-president; J. A. Vanning, third vice-president; M. V. Cole, secretary, and John M. Cole, treasurer.

ALL FOR SENTIMENT.

Col. Abner Taylor Returns the Proposed New Contract to the Capitol Board Unsigned.

Three Propositions, Comprising Oatmanville and Bedford Stone and Texas Granite, are Made.

Fatal Objections to Granite and Bedford Stone—The Result a Discolored Capitol.

Special to the Gazette.

AUSTIN, TEX., July 17.—As predicted in last night's dispatches Col. Taylor to-day returned the proposed new contract to the capitol board, declining to sign on the ground that it did not embody the terms of his proposition for the use of Indiana stone, but required much more ornamental work than the original memorandum of agreement. Accompanying the refusal was the following communication:

"Messrs. Jos. Lee and M. H. McLauren, Capitol Building Commissioners:

"GENTLEMEN: I am very desirous to commence the work on the capitol building immediately, providing some understanding can be arrived at satisfactory to all parties. I therefore make the following propositions:

"First, I will proceed with the work, using stone from Oatmanville, provided you will modify the contract so that there shall be but one inspection of the stone. By this, I mean that after the stone has been received by the state you shall not have the right on account of change of color to reject it.

"Second, I will use the stone from Bedford for the exterior walls, and construct the building in accordance with the plans and specifications, or, I will construct it in accordance with the proposition made June 5th and the memorandum of agreement adopted by the board June 22, 1885.

"Third, I will construct the building, using Texas granite for the exterior walls, provided the state will furnish me a granite quarry accessible and suitable for the building free of cost and furnish such number of convicts as I may require, not to exceed one thousand, I to board, clothe and guard them, the inclosed plan of construction for the exterior walls to be adopted, all the work to be rock-faced, the three portions to be eliminated, such alterations and changes to be made in the exterior work as will conform to this plan not detrimental to the building, and to lessen the cost at least \$100,000, the time for the completion of the building to be extended three years. If this proposition is accepted, I should want all questions over which there is liable to be a disagreement settled, among them my right to the possession of the land during the construction of the house.

Very truly yours,

ABNER TAYLOR.

"Contractor."

The capitol board discussed these propositions in open session, admitting the reporters for the first time. Col. Swain moved the acceptance of the first proposition, but Commissioner Walsh wanted a day to think over the matter and the board therefore adjourned until to-morrow morning. It leaks out that Gov. Ireland had resolved not to sign the new contract, and stated to a friend that public opinion would back him in refusing to adopt Indiana stone. This cuts off the proposition, which Mr. Taylor has renewed, for the use of Bedford stone. The granite proposition, in substance, does away with \$250,000 worth of ornamental work wherever the state may choose to eliminate it, gives the contractors 1000 convicts free of cost, except their support, and yields to the syndicate's claim of an immediate right to the possession of all the capitol lands. The board is a unit in opposition to this proposal and the only thing left to do is to accept Oatmanville stone. The general comment is that the syndicate has won its point and is laughing in its sleeve at having reduced the state to the extremity of being compelled to accept the Oatmanville stone, discoloration and all, over the protest of the capitol commissioners, all on account of Texas sentiment.

CAPITAL CULLINGS.

AUSTIN, TEX., July 17.—The report of Haywood Brahan, the financial agent of the penitentiaries, for the month of June shows:

Receipts - \$2,762
Current expenditures - 2,700
Deficit - \$62

The attorney-general ruled to-day that no incorporation for school purposes could include more than a town and its immediate precincts.

Capt. Gillespie of the ranger service reports all quiet around Fort Stockton, where the recent killing of Mexicans occurred.

There is plenty of rain, and the grass is good.

Wm. Farmer, an architect of Abilene, was placed in the lunatic asylum to-day.

BOWIE.

Special to the Gazette.

BOWIE, TEX., July 17.—W. H. Hurst, who had an examing trial a few days since on the charge of being an accessory to the killing of J. W. Kerr, by aiding T. E. Irvine to escape, and who was discharged by the magistrate of this precinct, the state failing to sustain the charge, was yesterday rearrested by Deputy M. L. Hulme on a telegram from Sheriff Mullein and was taken to Montague this morning. The reason and object of this action by the county authorities is not perceived, and presents a conundrum.