THE PRESIDENT INAUGURATED.

The Ceremonies at Washington

President McKinley took the oath of office at Washington Monday in the presence of a multitude gathered from all parts of the United States and foreign lands. It was the most brilliant inauguration ever witnessed at Washington.

Simultaneously, Theodore Roosevelt of New York became vice president of the United States.

The ceremony that marked the second assumption by President McKinley of the cares of state was most impressive, and full of suggestion of the development of the republic during the past four years.

While the parade was getting under way the president led the cabinet members to the president's room in the capitol building, where he was host at the first function of his second term—a luncheon to his official family. Although strictly formal, this affair was very brief, as the president and cabinet were wanted to take their places in the line of the inaugural parade. Escorted by 23,000 troops, the governors of eleven states and a number of civic bodies, the president rode down Pennsylvania avenue for the second time as chief executive of the nation.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY RETURNING FROM THE CAPITOL AFTER THE CEREMONIES.

A Wonderful Parade.

The estimate of the size of the inaugural parade, as given out at military headquarters, was 31,240, including: Military, volunteer and regular, 22,240; veteran organizations, 1,200; civic societies, 7,800. General Francis Greene was grand marshal. It took four and a half hours for the parade to pass the reviewing stand.

Every presidential inauguration in recent years has had its parade, always creditable in size and variety, and usually having some distinctive feature. That which followed President McKinley Monday on his return from the capitol to the white house, and passed in review there before him, was different from all its predecessors in the majestic predominance of the military feature.

The civil contingent was quite up to the average in point of numbers; yet by actual count made by the marshals, the men in soldierly uniforms outnumbered the civilians in line by more than three to one.

Many Notables in Parade.

In the serried ranks of blue were many soldiers who had carried the country's flag far out into the world, and had waged war which was all in the future when the last inaugural procession marched along Pennsylvania avenue.

With these, younger veterans, and in the place of honor, as the president's escort, marched another contingent made up entirely of soldiers of the civil war, all gray haired and showing in gait and bent forms marks of the passage of years and of the lingering effects of the great battles and campaigns of the most stupendous struggle that the world has seen, and it was an easy prophecy to observe that never again would they be able to make as brave and numerous a showing in their effort to escort a president on the occasion of his accession to office.

At their head, to quicken their step, marched the Rough Rider band, suggestive of the extraordinary organization which marked one of the most inspiring chapters in the history of the volunteer armies of the United States.

Tributes to Other Nations.

For the first time in a quarter of a century the president rode from the white house to the capitol without a successor beside him in his carriage. Grant was the last of the presidents of the United States up to this time to occupy a similar position.

On the return trip he had for companions in his carriage members of the committee specially chosen by congress to take charge of the inauguration, headed by Senator Mark Hanna, himself a national figure.

The nations of the world, great and small, paid their tribute to the president in attendance at the ceremonies at the capitol and in reviewing the great parade. In addition to the splendid diplomatic representation, there was present for the first time the head of the government of our next-door neighbor, the Dominion of Canada, in the person of Lord Minto, the imperial governor-general.

American Tars in Line.

The American navy, which has so distinguished itself in the past four years, was represented in the ceremonies more numerously than ever before. Half a dozen warships, more than have assembled in the Potomac since the days of the civil war, contributed, through their sailors and marines, one of the most unique and enjoyable features of the ceremony, marching over 1,000 strong along the streets.

A VIEW IN THE PENSION BUILDING DURING THE INAUGURAL BALL BALL.

Down on the water-front lay moored the famous old flagship Hartford, inspiring stirring recollections of the fierce naval combats of the civil war; while at the navy yard floated the grim double turreted monitor Puritan, symbolic of later day warfare.

Further down the Potomac lay other vessels, unable to get up the river to Washington, but whose crews swelled the list of paraders.

The states of the union rendered their homage to the president, and demonstrated that no party feeling dominated the great event, by the attendance of sixteen governors, representing north, south and west, most of them accompanied by numerous staffs.

Mrs. McKinley Gives Luncheon.

Mrs. McKinley was hostess at a luncheon similar to that given by the President. Fifty women, including all those known socially as the "cabinet ladies," were the guests. It was practically a complement of the luncheon given to their husbands at the same hour by the president and, of course, carried out the same idea of being the first formal luncheon of the second administration. The guests, besides the wives and some of the daughters of the cabinet members, included the ladies of the diplomatic corps, and the occasion was fully as formal and at the same time memorable as the luncheon given by the president to his advisers.

Senator Depew Entertains.

Senator Depew and Miss Paulding entertained at dinner Sunday evening in honor of Vice-President Elect and Mrs. Roosevelt. The guests were Secretary and Mrs. Root, Senator and Mrs. Lodge, Senator and Mrs. Elkins, Major General the Hon. and Mrs. Eaton of London, Mrs. Sheridan, General and Mrs. Green, Mrs. Kernochan, Commander and Mrs. Cowles, Lady Cunard of London, Mrs. Paget, Miss Johnson, Frederic Harrison, Mr. Smalley of the London Times, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cassatt, M. Van Alen, Senator Bacon, and Senator Daniel.

Busy Scene in the Capital.

At the Capitol Sunday business was in full blast, both houses being in session, and the crowd did not lose the opportunity of the novel sight of seeing the national legislators transacting business on the Sabbath. As all the other public buildings were closed all naturally turned their steps towards the building in which the senators and representatives perform their public duties. As a result the rotunda, lobbies, corridors and galleries were densely packed. It was an interesting and picturesque sight. Citizens and soldiers roamed about arm in arm taking in the sights. Handsome men draped in brilliant and bright uniforms were there. With them were beautiful women, attired in magnificent gowns, which cost enough to support for months the poorer ones who rubbed elbows with their more fortunate neighbors. There were privates and colonels with locked arms, studying the pictures portraying the great epochs in the country's history, all unconscious of the criticism of the regular army officers, who object to the democratic manner in which the volunteer officers and men meet on a social level. Throughout the day and well into the night the soldiers and visitors paced the Capitol corridors.

Soldiers Run to a Fire.

There was a fire on Fourteenth street about noon Sunday. Pennsylvania avenue was full of Pennsylvania soldiers. When the fire engines went up the hill fully 500 soldiers chased after them. The soldiers were from the country and are used to running to fires.

THE PRESIDENT REVIEWING THE GREAT MILITARY AND CIVIL PARADE.

Roosevelt Picks a Church in the Capital.

The first act of Vice-President Elect Roosevelt after breakfast Sunday was to attend services at the German Reformed Church, of which Rev. Dr. L. Chich is pastor. The German ambassador is a member of the congregation. "I wish it particularly understood," announced Vice-President Roosevelt, "that this church is the one church my family and I will attend during our residence in Washington. It was selected to-day by reason of the fact that there is no Dutch Reformed church in Washington. Had there been I should have gone there and for the future would have identified myself with it, for it is to that denomination I belong and in that faith I have been reared." Mrs. Roosevelt accompanied her husband to church and at the conclusion of the service they drove to the White House for a call upon the President and Mrs. McKinley and remained until lunch time when they returned to the Cowles residence. Mrs. McKinley invited the women of the cabinet and a coterie of friends to the church luncheon at the White House after the inauguration ceremonies in order to meet Mrs. Roosevelt.

Archbishop Chapelle has plans for establishing church in Philippines on American system.

A WEEK IN ILLINOIS

RECORD OF HAPPENINGS FOR SEVEN DAYS.

Edward Van Dorp of Kewanee Shoots His Wife and Himself—The Scale of Miners' Wages to Remain the Same as Last Year—A Big Victory.

Some Illinois Wheat Injured.

The United States weather bureau has issued the folowing climate and crop bulletin for Illinois: "A good covering of snow protected wheat in the northern part of the state during February and in that part of the state the crop is believed to have suffered no injury. It was generally in good condition before the snow fell. Over the greater part of the central district the snow disappeared shortly after the middle of the month, and wheat was subjected to alternate freezing and thawing weather which followed. Considerable damage is believed to have resulted. The greatest injury appears to have occurred in the western part of the district. In the southern district there appears to have been considerable injury because of the severe weather. A few correspondents speak of the injury from the Hessian fly.

"Rye seems to have suffered less than wheat. Grasses appear not to have suffered greatly."

Alleged Embezzler Caught.

After an exciting chase through three counties Sheriff Cohlmeyer of Nashville succeeded in overtaking and arresting Charles Meentemeyer, a fugitive wanted in Franklin county for the alleged embezzlement of $7,000. Meentemeyer was formerly a prominent business man of Nashville. For the past two years he has been conducting a brokerage business at Benton, Ill., and is accused of embezling funds placed in his hands by business men of the city for investment. He was arrested at Ashley after resisting the officers, and taken to Nashville and placed in jail to await the arrival of the sheriff of Franklin county.

Guilty of Selling His Vote.

In the Appellate court at Mount Vernon decision was rendered in the case of George Persefield, appellant, vs. the people of Illinois. The case came up from Union county. Persefield was accused of having sold his vote at the election in November, 1900, the only positive evidence against him to this effect being his own confession, alleged to have been made to A. J. Hunsacker, T. R. Mullins and F. M. Coleman, that he was to receive $5 in cash and a job at one of the state institutions should the party to whose tenets he was converted by the offer win in the general election.

Boy of 11 Years Is Indicted.

Probably the youngest person ever indicted in Illinois is Tony Hull, aged 11 years, who was indicted by the St. Clair county grand jury and lodged in jail at Belleville. Hull was arrested at school in East Carondelet and brought to Belleville. He is charged with having perjured himself by swearing that in a fight between Frank Heisman and John Simons at East Carondelet Heisman brained Simon with a shovel. It is charged he received a gold watch for falsely swearing. Young Hull is the son of John Hull, a wealthy resident of Carondelet.

Shoots Wife and Himself.

Edward Van Dorp, a well-to-do Belgian workman, while in a fit of jealousy, shot and fatally wounded his wife at Kewanee. He then turned the revolver upon himself, the bullet passing through the right side of the body. Van Dorp returned a week ago from Europe and charged his wife with unfaithfulness. Quarrels followed and the tragedy was the result. She is 25 years old and was married to Van Dorp five years ago at Oconto, Wis., where her parents now reside. The shooting was witnessed only by the 4-year-old daughter.

First District Scale Fixed.

In a four hours' session at Springfield the sub-committee of miners and operators of Illinois reached an agreement on the mining scale for the first district, where the hardest fight was promised. The scale in the first district is to remain the same as last year and it is not believed that any material changes will be made in the other districts. This is a victory for the operators, for they had positively refused to consider the 5 per cent increase demanded by the miners.

Frank Pew Is Arrested.

Frank Pew was arrested at Sandwich and taken before the Federal officers at Chicago for sending threatening letters through the mails. Secret service men have been working on the case for two weeks. Pew signed a statement that he was the one who wrote the letters, which were addressed to Charles Lasuer, who was shot while preparing for bed on the evening of Dec. 22d.

Foster New Electric Road.

The project of constructing an electric railway from Oakland to Ashmore, via Spring Lake and Newman, is being promoted by prominent Coles county capitalists, headed by State Senator S. C. Pemberton, Judge Winkler, W. P. Fanning and others. It has been demonstrated that the venture will be a paying one and open up a territory without railway facilities. The promoters will organize a stock company, and intend taking out letters of incorporation within the next 30 days.

Sioux Bonnet, Iowa.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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How He Earned His Quarter.

Several small boys were brought up before Recorder Hensel of West Hoboken recently on the charge of "crap shooting." The youngest was asked by the recorder: "Where did you get the money with which to play craps?" "My mother gave me a quarter for being a good boy, sir," replied the youthful gambler. He received the minimum fine.

A Remedy for the Grippe.

Physicians recommend KEMP'S BALSAM for patients afflicted with the grippe, as it is especially adapted for the throat and lungs. Don't wait for the first symptoms, but get a bottle today and keep it on hand for use the moment it is needed. If neglected, the grippe brings on pneumonia. KEMP'S BALSAM prevents this by keeping the cough loose and the lungs free from inflammation. All druggists, 25c and 50c.

Mothers of Many Children.

Mrs. Henrietta Dunn of Kent Island, Mo., recently gave a party in honor of her two sisters, Mrs. Eliza Brown and Mrs. Margaret Weeks. Mrs. Dunn is the mother of twenty-five children, Mrs. Weeks has twenty-one and Mrs. Brown has eleven, making a total of fifty-seven, all of whom are alive. Fifty-one of them were at the party.

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Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. ¼ the price of coffee. 15c and 25c cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

She Felt Offended.

"Yes, she couldn't speak to the editor when she met him."

"Had he offended her?"

"I should say he had. His society reporter called her one of the last century's buds."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

For Sale.

How are your feet? Do they sweat? Are they tender and callous? Do you have rheumatic pains? Are you afraid of the grip? If you want relief from the above ailments, try the Ludena Medicated Anti-Grip Shoe Insoles. They are a sure preventative of grip, rheumatism, sweaty callous and tender feet. We will on receipt of 25 cents, send by mail to your address, one pair of insoles. Keystone Chemical Co., Reading, Pa.

Not That.

Dr. Kure—I fear, sir, that you have been living too high.

Jaundice—It can't be that, doctor—you know we've moved out of that eight-story flat.—Ohio State Journal.

Lane's Family Medicine.

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

Commercial travelers in Italy coming from other countries have formed a "Unione Internazionale," the object of which is to come to the aid of such members as may fall ill or meet with an accident.

The worst mosquito-infested neighborhood in the world is the coast of Borneo. The streams of that region are, at certain seasons, unnavigable because of the clouds of mosquitoes.

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In fact, it is just what people need to make them well and keep them well during these months, so threatening to the health of all, and when it is considered that Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is made entirely from pure, health-giving vegetable remedies, and that people give it more testimonials of cure than any other remedy on earth, no one can doubt that it is the very best spring remedy for everybody to use.

Mr. Gustave Leibach, of 237 First St., Jersey City, N. J., says:

"I was troubled with sick headaches, and could not sleep on account of the pains in my head. I was suffering night and day with dyspepsia, could not eat anything, my stomach would sour so. I had to starve myself to have any ease. I had to give up work at last, I was so nervous and miserable, and I was falling away in flesh so that my friends hardly knew me. I tried several remedies, but without avail. At last someone recommended Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. I tried one bottle and began to improve. I started in to eat all right; then I picked up my health; my headaches disappeared, and my weakness and sour stomach went away. I used three bottles and could sleep all night with ease; I used six bottles and felt like a new man. I can now do a hard day's work without any trouble, and I am as happy as a bird in spring. I was so miserable, always suffering, always in pain, but now I am like a new man."

Use Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy this spring, for it is the discovery and prescription of a well-known physician, Dr. Greene, of 35 W. 14th St. New York City, who is responsible for its beneficial action, and who can be consulted free of charge, personally or by letter.

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