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### The Weeks Happenings.

Congressional News, of the past week includes the refusal of the House, after a bitter fight, to adopt the Senate Railroad Rate bill and the redefining of the measure to a center the River and Harbor bill; the passage by the House of the Postal Savings bank bill by a vote of 185 to 101; twenty-four Democrats voting with the solid Republican forces in its favor, and the beginning of what promises to be a long and hard fight over the Administration's conservation measures.

In the recent Iowa primaries the Republicans nominated eight "progressive" and three "standpat" candidates for Congress. The progressive candidate for Governor also won by a small majority. Both sides claim that they will control the State convention. In South Dakota it will probably require the official count to decide which faction has won. In Pennsylvania Congressman Dalzel, Cannon's chief lieutenant, won by only a few hundred votes over a progressive candidate who charged fraud and is contesting the election.

William Sydney Porter, better known as "O. Henry" and one of the cleverest contemporary short story writers died at New York last Sunday. He was a native of North Carolina. Another death deserving mention is that of Prof. Goldwin Smith, the Canadian historian and educator. Professor Smith was 87 years old, and his views were given weight on both sides of the Atlantic.

The New York Outlook, summing up the evidence in the Ballinger case, says: "He can not be regarded as a trustworthy custodian. The verdict of history will be that he did not understand either the spirit and purposes of the people of his time or the duties and functions of his high office."

The "regular" or Patterson Democratic primaries in Tennessee last week brought out a remarkably small vote, many counties holding no election at all. The Republicans have endorsed the "Independent" or anti-Patterson nominees for judicial offices.

Lee O. Brown, the Democratic legislator charged with bribery in the election of Senator Luskman of Illinois, after exhausting every legal device to prevent it, will be brought to trial.

The second Senatorial primary in Florida resulted in the nomination of ex-Governor Napoleon B. Broward over Senator Talaferra by a majority of over 2000.

In a sensational speech last Monday Senator Dilliver, the "Insurgent leader," flayed President Taft and the regular Republican organization.

### THROWING AWAY POTATOES.

Demand for Fall crop in Maine Far Below the Supply.

From the New York Commercial. Up in Maine the farmers are selling potatoes for nearly nominal prices—for anything they can get for them—or else are giving them away or actually throwing them away. It is said, in some instances, that the demand for last fall's crop has nowhere near equaled the supply; and thus Maine is presenting on a smaller scale, the same spectacle that was in evidence in the West last year when thousands upon thousands of bushels of potatoes were thrown away because there was no demand for their purchase at the point of production and the price in the market did not pay for the hauling of them. But at the same time that that was happening out West, potatoes were actually being imported for consumption at various other points in the United States where there was a demand—a condition of things that disclosed something awry in marketing methods and the system of distribution. "When," says the Maine destruction of potatoes offers a talk of the high cost of living, it should be possible to distribute these potatoes where they are needed and where the lack of them means want. Apparently this is impossible. Why it is impossible in a time of general high prices, is a problem deserving the attention of economists. Need of greater agricultural production has been much emphasized in the past few months. The Western and the Maine destruction of potatoes offers a complication. The attention of economists might also be called to the fact that albeit potatoes are being thrown away in Maine to rot, the retail price for the tubers here in New York and its vicinity and at other populous centers in the East has not perceptibly declined—in fact, it is in some instances higher than it was a year ago, with a noticeable improvement in the quality, however. There would thus seem to be an opportunity for some wide-awake promoter to buy potatoes in Maine for "next to nothing" and dispose of them at various outside points where they are in good demand and command at least normal prices; if this were to be done on a considerable scale, it would naturally break the market, but even in it is impossible to distribute these those circumstances there ought to be a good profit in such a thing. When New York dealers can buy potatoes at their own price in the State of Maine with the freight rates thither very reasonable, a there is apparently no excuse for high-priced potatoes hereabout and no reason why there should not be "good money" for somebody in the business.

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No. 442 . . . . .at . . . . .6:05 p. m.  
Trains arriving Oxford:  
No. 429 . . . . .at . . . . .9:40 a. m.  
No. 439 . . . . .at . . . . .12:30 p. m.  
No. 441 . . . . .at . . . . .3:20 p. m.  
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Raleigh June 9.—The state board of agriculture today adopted a provision that, until further notice there will be no prosecuting of millers for bleaching flour except where the bleaching by the Alsop process and exceeds 0.50 of a milligram of nitrate nitrogen per kilo of flour. This action on the part of the board is the outcome of the contest what has been on some time between the North Carolina Millers association and the department.

The board of agriculture rounded up its work today and adjourned. A score card for judging of corn to be followed in the corn club contests for county and states now having official standards for judging. North Carolina's adopted today as follows:

Uniformity of exhibit, 10 points; maturity and market condition, 15; trueness of type, 10; shape of ear, 5; purity as to color of cob, 5; purity as to color of kernel, 5; tips, 5; space between rows, 5; per cent shelled to the ear, 15; shape of grains, 5; uniformity of grains, 5; length of ear, 5; circumference, 5.

A committee composed of A. T. McCallum, William Dunn and Commissioner Graham was appointed to have an oil portrait of the lamented Commissioner S. L. Patterson painted for the assembly room of the board.

### Dr. WM. E. BARKER'S EXPERIENCE IN LONDON.

(From the Rochester Times.)

Half a century ago there was no city in the world where an eminent were presented to one in London; realizing this fact, Dr. Barker, after graduating from Heidelberg, located in London. His practice grew so rapidly that at the end of five years he established the largest practice of any physician in that city. His practice was confined to chronic cases only in the treatment of rheumatism, catarrh, kidney and bladder diseases. He used one never-failing prescription—this same prescription he had written thousands of times; and he had seen patients come into his office on crutches, who said they had been troubled with rheumatism for 15 and twenty years, and after using this special prescription for two or three days, they would come walking to his office, as nimbly as a school boy, and thank him for the good he had done them. The Doctor said in an interview that one man about 45 years old came to him one day and said he had been injured while working at the carpenter trade about 20 years before, and had suffered constantly since with kidney trouble. He had tried everything to get relief, but nothing seemed to do him any good. He asked the doctor if he knew anything that would cure him, and he told him of a never-failing remedy for all chronic cases like his. He wrote him a prescription and told him to take it for a week and then come and let him know how he was getting along. The man came back to his office in just four days and said he had not felt as well in his life. He also stated that his daughter, whom he had taken out of school because her eyes were too weak to study, and she could hardly see from one of them at all; she had been treated by four eye specialists without relief and after he had taken this prescription for two days he saw it was helping him so much he let her take some of it, and to their great surprise, she improved wonderfully almost from the first dose. He told him that it was only a week's time after she commenced to take the medicine until she could see as well as ever and was able to return to school.

It was not until after hundreds of such remarkable cases had been treated by Dr. Barker with this same prescription that he was prevailed upon in the interest of humanity to allow the wonderful prescription to be put up so that every sufferer could have it at a very small cost. The public can now secure this prescription under the name of Bloodine, at drug stores or the Bloodine Laboratories, Boston, Mass., will supply a six weeks' treatment (six bottles) for \$2.50; 50 cents a bottle, trial bottle and booklet, 10 cents.—For sale by Hamilton Drug Company.