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ROYALISTS PLOTTING

Planning to Restore the Brazilian Monarchy.

KNOWN IMPERIALISTS INVOLVED

The Eternal City Gets a Severe Shaking-Up—Some Palaces Badly Damaged—News Notes.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The Herald's correspondent in Rio Janeiro telegraphs that the government, through the interception of telegrams sent to Europe, has discovered a plot to restore the monarchy in Brazil. The headquarters of the conspiracy is in San Paulo, with branches in Rio Janeiro, Bahia and other cities. Telegrams addressed to Comte de Eu and other prominent persons in Europe, and sent by Henry Lowndes and Comte Leopoldina, are in the hands of the government.

Papers comprising several persons who were governors of states under the imperial regime, have been found, and orders for the arrest of prominent imperialists have been issued.

ROME SHAKEN UP.

Great Panic in the Eternal City, but No Lives Lost.

ROME, Nov. 1.—A severe and prolonged earthquake shock was felt here at 4:35 this morning. Many houses swayed badly, walls cracked and pictures fell from walls. The people ran panic-stricken into the streets, and a serious disaster was apprehended. Happily the first shock seems to have ended the subterranean disturbance without serious damage. Some idea of the alarm created may be gathered from the fact that prisoners broke out in open revolt and tried to escape. The vatican buildings were severely shaken, but the pope was perfectly tranquil. He sent to the nearest police depot to inquire if there had been any loss of life or serious damage.

The series of shocks lasted 12 seconds. Two clocks in the observatory were stopped and the old tower of the Roman college cracked. Two houses collapsed and it is reported several persons are injured. Four palaces and the Bank of Italy are uninhabitable. The Pallacio Odescalchi and five other palaces are seriously injured. The vatican buildings, the Quirinal, the main railroad station and the ministry offices are also reported to have sustained some damage.

THE PENALTY IS DEATH.

Durrant Convicted of the Murder of Blanche Lamont.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—Theodore Durrant, assistant superintendent of the Emanuel Baptist church Sunday school, was today convicted of the murder of Blanche Lamont, for which he has been on trial since July 22 last. The jury was out 20 minutes, and arrived at the verdict on the first ballot. As there was no recommendation of mercy, the punishment was fixed at death.

It was exactly 21 minutes from the time the jury left the courtroom to the time the verdict was announced, but that time was all taken up in deliberation. In fact, there was no deliberation at all. The jury had evidently decided upon a verdict before they left the box. It was 3:34 when they filed out of the courtroom into the grand jury room which had been placed at their disposal. It took the 12 men until 3:50 o'clock before they settled themselves comfortably, and at 3:55 a knock on the door announced to the anxious waiters that a verdict had been found. It took just five minutes of actual time to elect a foreman and take the one ballot necessary.

The scene in the courtroom when the verdict was announced will never be forgotten by those who were present. Judge Murphy finished his charge at 3:30, and the jury at once retired. Although there was supposed to be little prospect of a verdict being returned before 7 or 8 o'clock in the evening, the throng of spectators, who had remained in the overcrowded courtroom all the afternoon to hear the judge's charge, settled themselves back in their seats to await the return of the jury. Mrs. Durrant and the prisoner talked and laughed together as if an acquittal were a foregone conclusion. They were joined by half a dozen friends, and the conversation was becoming animated, when it became whispered about that the jury had agreed upon a verdict.

In an instant a hush fell upon the little circle that had gathered around the prisoner. Durrant's face, always pale, assumed a ghastly hue, and his mother was speechless. Then the big doors at the rear of the room opened, and the

members of the jury filed in and took their seats in the box.

In the intense excitement which followed, the room, although it was filled to its utmost capacity, was almost as quiet as if it had been vacant. Judge Murphy, who had retired to his chambers, was summoned, and took his place upon the bench. Clerk Morris asked the usual question, as to whether the jury had agreed upon a verdict. Foreman Warren Dutton arose and replied in the affirmative, saying:

"We, the jury, find the defendant, William Henry Theodore Durrant, guilty of murder in the first degree."

As the aged foreman, pale and trembling, read the words which fixed Durrant's fate, a low rumbling noise like the roar of a mob arose from the rear of the courtroom. The next moment, men were cheering wildly, while women hysterically wept in their excitement. The bailiff rapped loudly for order, but the tumult continued for a minute before anything like quiet could be brought out of the disorder. Then District Attorney Barnes arose and asked that a day be set upon which the sentence of death should be passed upon the prisoner. Judge Murphy said that sentence would be passed next Friday, upon which day he would also set the day for the trial of Durrant on the charge of murdering Minnie Williams.

During the tumult which followed the announcement of the verdict, Durrant and his mother were lost sight of, except by the few who sat near them. As the last words of the verdict were uttered, Durrant made a spasmodic effort to arise to his feet, but before he could do so, his mother, with a half sigh, half moan, threw her arms around his neck and sank back into her chair. His mother's grief seemed to make Durrant forget his own position, and for the next few minutes he sat with his arms around her neck, trying to soothe her. The long strain, however, had completely shattered her self-control, and it was some time before Mrs. Durrant could leave the courtroom.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gundersen, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at River Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Advertised Letters.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at The Dalles undelivered for Nov. 2, 1895. Persons calling for the same will give date on which they were advertised:

Brown, Wm (2)	Martin, Press
Brice, Mrs Nellie	Mallat, G W (2)
Carlton, Jed	Moore, J W Tailor
Childers, S W	Moore, Wm (2)
Coffin, Edna	McDonald, J F
Dean, A L	McDonald, E
Donaldson, Drew	Nelson, Rose
Fredenberg, Thos	Raney, Glan E
Fredenberg, I H	Rollins, Mrs Rose
Fowler, E W	Rofeno, Wm (2)
Gilkin, Hy	Rosslow, Harry
Hall, Inez	Romiser, J E
Hagan, P	Skinner, Jno
Harbain Bros	Sun, Wasco Co.
Henderson, Mr	Smith, Willard
Henderson, C C	Taylor, T D
Lenz, Lave (2)	Wright, Sarah
Wood, J H	Wood, G R
	Williams, L D

J. A. Crossen, P. M.
Mrs. W. B. Meek, who resides at Camptonville, Cal., says her daughter was for several years troubled at times with severe cramps in the stomach, and would be in such agony that it was necessary to call in a physician. Having read about Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy she concluded to try it. She found that it always gave prompt relief. It was seldom necessary to give the second dose. "It has not only saved us lots of worry and time," she says, "but also doctor bills. It is my opinion that every family should have a bottle of this remedy in the house." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists.

Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm is an unfailing remedy for all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Urinary Organs. It is a certain cure for Dropsy, Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Gravel, Kidney Weakness, Incontinence of Urine, Bed Wetting in Children, Biliousness, Liver Complaint and Female Troubles. A trial of this great remedy will convince you of its potency. Price \$1.00 per bottle. For sale by Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Seven bottles of Strickland's Sarsaparilla for \$5, at the Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co. Telephone No. 3.

HOLMES FOUND GUILTY

He Was Convicted of Murder in First Degree.

THE JURY WAS OUT FOUR HOURS

Prisoner's Marvelous Nerve Did Not Forsake Him When the Fatal Words Were Spoken.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 2.—Henry H. Holmes was convicted of murder in the first degree at 8:15 tonight for killing Benjamin F. Pitzeel. He coughed slightly when he heard the words. This was the only sign.

The jury retired to deliberate at 5:40 this afternoon. According to one of their number, they reached their verdict before the doors of their room closed upon them. For hunger's sake, they ate their supper first. Then they took a ballot, and, without hesitation, every man of the 12 answered.

"Guilty of murder in the first degree."

But, however atrocious the crime, however fiendish the criminal, it is hard to send a man to the gallows in one minute's time; so, for decency's sake, they talked about the case for a seemingly period—about an hour and a half. Then word was sent into court that they had agreed. This was at 8:15. It took half an hour to get the court in readiness to receive the verdict. Holmes spoke to his counsel, Rotan and Shoemaker, in the courtroom because he was immediately taken back to Moyamensing prison. To them he said:

"I feel that this condemns me. It was an unjust trial."

He would say no more than that. Immediately after the verdict, the usual application for leave to file a motion for a new trial was made. District Attorney Graham did not oppose the motion, and Judge Arnold set the 18th of this month for a hearing. The principal reason urged will be lack of time for the preparation of the defense. Should a new trial be refused, an appeal will be taken to the supreme court, and argument heard at its next sitting in this city, January, 1896. So, even if everything goes against him, Holmes has yet some time to spend on earth, from which he is alleged to have sent so many fellow-mortals.

The verdict was a surprise to many persons, who did not believe the crime had been fastened upon Holmes beyond a reasonable doubt. When they heard it they said:

"Well, it was on general principles, and it is just as good."

That is not the meaning of the law; but in this case everybody agrees that "it is just as well." There is no word of pity or sympathy for the condemned man. He is regarded as a menace to society. Up in Gilmanston, N. H., there are two old people, his father and mother. And he has also two brothers, and two sisters. Not one of his kin was heard from during the trial.

When the jury went out, an indefinite recess was taken. Judge Arnold said he would remain in the building until midnight, if necessary; and if no verdict had been reached by that time, he would come again at ten tomorrow morning.

Nobody believed there would be occasion for this. There were many wagers that the verdict would be in tonight, and more as to its nature. At 8:40 there was a bustle of moving people in the packed courtroom, and it became known that the jury was coming in. A moment later, Judge Arnold took his seat. District Attorney Graham and his associates entered the courtroom, and the jury filed solemnly in and took their seats in the box. Then Holmes was brought in and placed in the dock. For a moment, there was not a sound. The silence was painful, and every heart in the crowded room throbbed. The man who was about to hear his doom pronounced stood erect in the dock, the same death-like pallor which could grow no deeper on his face. He stared at the jury blankly, his hands clasped behind his back. Once or twice he moistened his lips with his tongue. There was no sign of agitation. Then from the deep-voiced clerk came the awful words:

"Jurors, look upon the prisoner; prisoner, look upon the jurors. How say you, gentlemen of the jury; do you find the prisoner at the bar, Herman W. Mudgett, alias H. H. Holmes, guilty of the murder of Benjamin F. Pitzeel, or not guilty."

The condemning syllables came from the foreman:

"Guilty of murder in the first degree."

"Hem," uttered Holmes, clearing his

throat; but his shrunken form never trembled; his lips betrayed no quiver; his marvelous nerve had not forsaken him. There was only a tighter clasp of his hands folded behind him. Then he sat slowly down, and at the request of counsel the jury was polled. As each name was called, Holmes wrote it on the margin of a newspaper in his hand, and the fingers holding the pencil never shook. The verdict was formally recorded by the court; the motion for a new trial was made, and, after Judge Arnold had spoken a word of regret to counsel for the defense because of last Monday's occurrence, when they withdrew from the case, and appreciation for their arduous but fruitless labors, Holmes was taken to his cellroom: a few minutes later the jury was thanked for their attention and labors, and sent home; the court adjourned, and the most extraordinary case in the annals of American courts was ended.

Blakeley & Houghton, the druggists, will tell you that no one is better qualified to judge of the merits of an article than the dealer, because he bases his opinion on the experience of all who use it. For this reason they wish us to publish the remarks of other dealers about an article which they handle. Messrs. C. F. Moore & Co., Newberg, Ore., say: "We sell more of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy than all others put together, and it always gives good satisfaction." Mr. J. F. Allen, Fox, Ore., says: "I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best I have handled." Mr. W. H. Hitchcock, Columbus, Wash., says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy sells well and is highly praised by all who use it."

Switchmen Strike.

ST. CLOUD, Minn., Nov. 4.—The night crew of the Great Northern switchmen quit at midnight, and this is the only evidence so far of a strike. The company has armed guards patrolling the bridge over the Mississippi. The American Railway Union officers say that the strike will not be declared effective until tonight. Trains are running as usual.

Job Printers Strike.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 4.—Union job printers of Minneapolis struck this morning for thirty cents an hour and nine hours per day. They have been getting 25 2 cents per hour for ten hours a day. Nearly 200 men are out.

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 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. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

ANTELOPE ITEMS.

Lively Times in Antelope—The Social Happenings and Other Things of Interest.

Miss Rosa Bates of The Dalles paid our town a pleasant visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Priddy and daughter, Ida, of Trout creek, were in town Saturday.

W. D. Jones has the lumber on the ground for his new residence, which Stewart & Gilman will construct on his lot purchased of Laughlin.

Peter Kirchner made a business trip to Portland Saturday.

C. V. Lane returned from Portland Friday.

Charley Wallace spent Sunday visiting at Buck Hollow.

W. Vredt and G. McCollum of Durham mill, are spending a week in town, during the repair of the mill machinery.

The A. O. U. W. gave an entertainment Friday evening in Durham's new hall, which was much appreciated by the public. Paul Krefit of The Dalles delivered the address of welcome. The orchestra rendered several fine selections of music. The lodge choir, assisted by Mrs. C. V. Lane and Mrs. Bert Rodgers, sang several beautiful songs, Miss Lillie Hinton presiding at the organ. Past Grand Master Brannon of Portland delivered an address on the work of the order, which was followed by a mock initiation. About four hundred persons then partook of the bountiful supper which was spread, after which dancing continued until dawn.

HORNETTE.
It is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. De Witt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform a cure, and are the best.

EUGENE FIELD IS DEAD

Popular Journalist Expires Suddenly.

A BRIEF OUTLINE OF HIS LIFE

Sullivan Says That He Is Sick and Sore Over the Finisco in Arkansas -- One Is a Coward.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Eugene Field, a poet, died of heart failure at about 5 this morning. He retired last night in usual health, apparently, and slept soundly till daybreak, when his son, who occupied the room with him, heard him groan. It was his expiring gasp. Field leaves a widow and five children. He had been indisposed several days, but no serious result were even thought of by his family and immediate friends. George H. Yenowyno, of this city, was at Field's bedside when he died. Mr. Field and Yenowyno intended to start together for Kansas City, where Field was to have read tonight.

Eugene Field was born in St. Louis, September 2, 1850, and was the son of Roswell Martin and Frances (Reed) Field. His parents were both natives of Windham county, Vermont. His father was Dred Scott's first attorney in the case which resulted in the famous Dred Scott decision by the United States supreme court. Eugene Field's mother died in 1857. He was then put under the care of his cousin, Mary Field French, at Amherst. He attended Williams college, Knox college and the state university of Missouri. He adopted the profession of the newspaper writer, beginning with the St. Louis Journal, in 1872. He was later connected with the St. Joseph, Mo., Gazette, St. Louis Times-Journal, Kansas City Times, and Denver Tribune. He came to Chicago on August 13, 1883, to accept a position on the editorial staff of the Chicago Morning News, now the Record, and his connection with this paper continued without interruption until his death.

Field's last contribution to this department in this paper, "Sharps and Flats," was published Sunday morning, and in it was a characteristic defense of Bill Nye, and his refusal to accept the imputations as to the cause of the recent assault upon the humorist in Paterson, N. J. In addition to newspaper work, Field established a reputation as a powerful and clever writer of stories and verses. His latest poem of pretension was "Dreamships," printed in the October Ladies' Home Journal. He was especially adept in poems and stories in child life, and his printed books now number a half-dozen volumes. He also made himself famous as a reader of his own stories and verses.

In June, 1895, Knox college conferred upon Field the honorary degree of A. M.

SULLIVAN DISGUSTED.

Believes That One Man Was a Coward.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—"Parson" Davies and his party returned from Hot Springs last night. John L. Sullivan was in the party.

"I'm that sick and sore of this fighting burlesque that I'm compelled to stay over and rest it out," said Big John. "It ain't so very long ago that I used to be in this fighting business myself, and say, I could always find a way to fight any fellow that wanted to fight. It ain't that these fighters did not want to fight, but it's a sure thing one of them was scared. You can pick him out if you like. I won't tell you which one it is."

The ex-champion goes East today. Peter Maher was more thoroughly out of sorts at the finisco than anyone who has been to Hot Springs.

"I have been pulled about from Europe to Dallas and then to Hot Springs, all to no purpose," said he.

The Irish fighter left for Pittsburg, where he says he will look over the field with his backer and then take a fresh start. Everybody who came in from the selected battle-ground tells the same story of two men fighting a war of words, when they should have been battling somewhere for a championship.

MEMPHIS, Nov. 4.—James J. Corbett

leaves tonight for New York. He says he will pay no more attention to Fitzsimmons, and contemplates a final retirement from the ring.

Betting in Ohio.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 4.—On the eve of election betting here is on the extent of the reduction of the democratic plurality in Kentucky and of the republican plurality in Ohio, rather than on the result in either state. In Ohio the republicans had had phenomenal pluralities and claim now a better organization than ever. They had an early state convention and went to work immediately.

The democrats had a late convention, but claim the aggressiveness and popularity of ex-Governor Campbell will get out a full democratic vote and show a close contest. While both parties have paid special attention to the legislature, which selects a successor to Senator Brice, it is conceded that the republicans have the advantage in the apportionment, which stands till after the census of 1900.

Baseball Notes.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—It is announced that the New York baseball club has drafted Frank Connaughton, of the Kansas City club, of the Western League. In 1894 this player was a member of the Boston team, where he played thirty-two games in a short time, while Long was disabled and had a percentage of .901. As a batsman he had an average of .327. The Bostonians let him go West because they had too many players.

Baltimore is surprised with the news that the Orioles' first baseman, Carey, is to be put on the bench next season. Hanlon's desire is to purchase the release of Cartwright, of Washington, to take Carey's place.

Figured by McKinley.

MASSILLON, O., Nov. 4.—Governor McKinley remarked that the state ticket ought to go through with no less than 60,000 plurality.

"Last year the republicans carried the state by 137,000," said he, "but the vote was about 60,000 short. Now figuring liberally, I don't see how Mr. Campbell can possibly get more than 364,000 votes this year. Last year his party polled 275,392 votes, so you see I have treated him well in my calculations. Last year the republicans polled 413,359 votes, so that if we only hold our own, we will retain a comfortable margin."

Interesting Expedition.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

Professor W. J. McGee, anthropologist of the bureau of ethnology, left Washington a few days ago on what will probably prove one of the most interesting expeditions ever sent out by the department. Professor McGee intends if possible to visit the stronghold of the Seri Indians on Tiburon island, a rocky bit of territory in the gulf of California, nominally of Mexico, but practically a possession of the Seri Indians.

Long Chase After a Criminal.

MEMPHIS, Nov. 4.—Sheriff Hatterston, of Woodruff county, Ark., passed through here last night with J. M. Leslie, alias Lewis, whom he arrested at Okolona, Miss. His chase of the man extended over 2,200 miles, but the crime warranted the long chase. Leslie is wanted for two bigamous marriages in Texas and Arkansas, and for other crimes in other cities.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed in Spring, when the languid exhausted feeling prevails, when liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alternate is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the malarial poison. Headache, indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. Only fifty cents per bottle at Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Cannot Furnish Bonds.

TACOMA, Nov. 4.—George W. Bogge, ex-city treasurer, who was arrested in Oregon last week, and brought to Tacoma charged with failing to account for \$109,000 while city treasurer, still lies in jail, being unable to secure bail in the sum of \$20,000. Only \$5,000 has been raised so far. He will probably remain in jail till his case is tried, next month.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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