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### HIGH CRIME

Andrew D. White, ex-President of Cornell University, ex-Ambassador to Germany—scholar, publicist, humanitarian—said wholesome words to the Cornell students a few weeks ago on the problem of "High Crime in the United States." The basis of his address was the fact that more murders are committed every year in the United States than any other country.

It is said that society has no right to put murderers to death. In my opinion society must fall back on the law of self-preservation. It should cut through and make war, in my opinion, for its life. Life imprisonment is not possible, because there is no life imprisonment.

In the next year 9,000 people will be murdered. As I stand here today I tell you that 9,000 are doomed to death with all the cruelty of the criminal heart, and with no regard for home and families, and two-thirds will be due to the maudlin sentiment sometimes called mercy.

I have no sympathy for the criminal. My sympathy is for those who will be murdered, for their families and for their children.

This sham humanitarianism has become a stench. The cry now is for righteousness. The past generation has abolished human slavery. It is for the present to deal with the problems of the future and among them this problem of crime. Young men, like Jerome, like Folk and Hughes, resolve never to be servants of criminals, but to do your best to punish crime as it should be punished.

### THE SOCIAL SWIM

The New Haven Register thinks that the growth, among women and in the home, of the habit of playing games for prizes or for money is one of the most alarming features of our present social phase. To crush out gambling, reform must begin in the home. The Register says:

"To be a member of a whist club has come to mean for a woman that she is in the 'social swim,' and any woman who prefers to use her energies otherwise and does not care a fig for whist, or to swim that way, is put down as odd.

In such ways do fashions or fads dictate and make men and woman their dependent creatures. Just now many women are willing to become nervous wrecks as a result of the dissipation, nervous tension, and excitement of a struggle at the whist table for a pretty sachet bag or jeweled hatpin.

For some good people from various churches a prayer-meeting or Sunday-school has become tame and out of date. The whist party is the thing. For excitement it will beat a church sewing-circle or missionary meeting at every game.

Just here is where the difficulty is found in enforcing laws against gambling. When representative good people in any community are indulging in the gaming propensity it can hardly be expected that public opinion will support powerfully the efforts of civic authorities in suppressing the vice.

### VALUE OF MACHINE GUNS

The military information division has been accumulating much data concerning machine guns, and has prepared a General Staff bulletin in the form of a 200

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and adds to the health-  
fulness of the food.

page pamphlet on the subject, dealing with the tactical use of such ordinance. The material consists, for the most part of translations, made by army officers. The pamphlet to which has been added information received from military attaches who accompanied the Russian and Japanese armies in the field. It is interesting to observe that the Russians have lost confidence in the machine gun, probably for the reason that they sacrificed eight pieces at the Yalu, while the Japanese came into a high appreciation of the weapon for the damage the Russian guns wrought in succeeding engagements, especially at the battle of Nanshan Hill. The results obtained with machine guns have increased the military favor for the ordinance both on account of the physical and moral effect in engagements.

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TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF UNION COUNTY

I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff of Union County, subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.

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J. M. MURPHY

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TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF SOUTH LA GRANDE DISTRICT

I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for Justice of the Peace, subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.

WM. GRANT.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Desire nomination on Republican ticket for re-nomination.

JOHN E. HOUGH  
Justice of the Peace

### ANNOUNCEMENT

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WM. B. SARGENT.

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J. ANTHONY

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FRED JACOBS

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