

PRIEST MURDERED BY PARISHIONERS

Three Men Open Fire on Father Anson at Newark With Deadly Effect.

MATTER OF CHURCH STRIFE

Polish Catholic Congregation Is Split by Factions—Ousted Trustees Suspected of Complicity. All Arrested.

NEWARK, N. J., March 10.—Three men walked into the study of Rev. Father Anson, pastor of the Polish Church of St. Stanislaus, today and opened fire on him. Three bullets from their revolvers hit the priest, killing him instantly.

The three turned to escape and found their way blocked by Mrs. Antonio Sawyryski, the housekeeper. One of the men then shot her, inflicting a probably fatal wound. All three escaped.

Due to Factional Strife.

Two hundred of Father Anson's parishioners, who were attending service in the church, adjoining, heard the shots and rushed out, led by the assistant priest, but not soon enough to capture the assassins.

There has been considerable factional trouble in the congregation and Father Anson, when he came from Paterson to take charge of the church five months ago, made several changes and dismissed the board of trustees, which caused widespread dissension. Leading parishioners told the police today that they did not believe the ill feeling had been strong enough to lead to the shooting.

Four Members Suspected.

Four members of St. Stanislaus Church were arrested on suspicion and the police obtained the arrest of all the former trustees.

One of the suspects was partially identified by the wounded housekeeper. He gave his name as Alexander Souginski, of this city. Souginski is an ex-policeman and a trustee of St. Stanislaus Church.

CALIFORNIA TRAINS CRASH

President Harahan, of Illinois Central, Shaken by Collision.

ST. LUIS, Mo., March 10.—A head-on collision between two trains of the Illinois Central, one of which was carrying President Harahan, occurred today at Cannon Station at noon today.

No passengers were injured. The engineers and firemen of both trains jumped, and all escaped injury, except Engineer O'Leary of the main train, whose shoulder is severely sprained.

Both engines and one mail car were badly smashed. The impact was not heavy, as the eastbound train had almost come to a standstill to take the siding when the mail train rounded a curve. The track will be blocked by the wreckage for many hours.

President J. T. Harahan, of the Illinois Central, was a passenger on one train with his wife. Neither were injured but both were severely shaken up.

STANDARD HELD INNOCENT

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case should be continued hinged on the introduction as evidence of the jury in its application to the Illinois classification of oil in 1906, making a rate of 18 cents or oil from Whiting, Ind., to East St. Louis and which was superseded by a later classification.

Has Not Probed Charge.

Judge Anderson's charge to the jury was in part:

"The Standard Oil Company has been indicted and the government has in its indictment that a rate of 18 cents per barrel on shipments of oil was a fixed standard and that, regardless of rate, Chicago & Alton Railroad gave the defendant concession allowing it to ship oil to ship off over its road at a rate of 6 cents. The jury failed to prove this charge."

Will Not Risk Reversal.

Altogether, I feel that the Government has failed to sustain the allegations in the indictment against the Standard Oil Company. Should the jury find the defendant guilty I would set aside such verdict instantly, as I have the United States Court of Appeals would.

The defendant is absolutely innocent on which any jury in this country. The Government has failed to prove its case and the 18-cent rate was the lawful rate under the Whiting case. I feel that the defendant had withstood accepted lower rate, and that the jury did not find for the jury to find a verdict of not guilty."

"We, the jury, find the defendant not guilty."

Mr. Sims admitted that he was greatly disappointed at the outcome of the case. "As to further prosecution of the Standard Oil Company," he said, "I will be unable to make a statement until I am conferred with the Attorney-General at Washington. We made the best fight we could and hung on until the last bit, but the court ruled against it."

Standard Lawyer Crows.

Morris Rosenthal, counsel for the Standard Oil Company, in commenting on the verdict said:

"The verdict is intensely satisfactory to us, as it shows that a court of law was never fixed by the Chicago & Alton Railroad. It shows further that the rate was in existence at the time the alleged concessions were received by the Standard Oil Company. Therefore, the Standard Oil Company committed no legal or moral wrong in accepting the rate. Morally, as well as legally, it is found not guilty. This is a great victory for the Standard Oil Company, which means that the Standard Oil Company is free from the burden of the Chicago & Alton Railroad's concessions."

Abolishes Class Tariffs.

The Federal authorities said tonight that Judge Anderson's ruling would invalidate class tariffs and make it impossible to convict a shipper for violation of class tariff regulations.

Judge Peter S. Grosscup, who wrote the opinion of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals upon which Judge Anderson based his action, said:

"The thing for the Government to do is to do away with classifications in the regulation of tariff rates and make the rate on each commodity without regard to classification. This might mean a great shift to the railroads, but I know nothing of that. Changing of tariff, however, means particular changes to meet conditions and means no more of a complete

QUEEN BEIGNS IN PIT AFTER STORM

Supreme Court to Get Case Government Will Appeal Oil Rebates to Highest Tribunal.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The understanding here is that an appeal will be from Judge Anderson's court to the Circuit Court of Appeals. Also an appeal would lie from the Circuit Court of Appeals to the Supreme Court of the United States in the event that the decision in the former tribunal should be against the company.

In fact there is the best reason for stating that the whole issue will come before the Supreme Court of the United States very soon, through an unexpected and novel move by the Department of Justice.

The decision of Judge Anderson was reached with the closest of interest by the officials of the Department of Justice. They had been prepared for it, however, to some extent, by the ruling of the court about a fortnight ago that the unit of offense in the case would be the actual settlements of freight charges. President Taft declined to make any comment.

Attorney-General Wickham said today that no instructions whatever had been sent to the District Attorney from the department since the advent of the new administration.

Until further information concerning

NEW YORK WOMAN IS ARDENT WOMAN SUFFRAGE ADVOCATE.

Catharine Waugh McCulloch.

NEW YORK, March 10.—(Special.)—Catharine Waugh McCulloch, is one of the most ardent of the woman suffrage advocates in New York.

In proof of the benefits derived from the suffrage by women she points to the laws of Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Idaho where women vote.

In these states, she says, a wife's earnings and personal property are in her sole control; she has an equal interest in her husband's real estate as he has in hers; pay for work is equal; public offices and professions are open to both sexes; women serve on juries; there is equality of inheritance for both.

Some Wheat Sold.

Pit traders who at various times gained the impression that leading long were reducing their holdings were nevertheless forced to cover on hard spots after overdoing the selling on declines.

Some of the larger speculators put fair quantities of wheat on the market but were avoiding sales on weak spots.

With the exception of anticipated March receipts of cash wheat northwest and southwest, not a grain was sold. The demand for cash wheat was poor, Kansas City carrying 35 cars over unsold, and St. Louis 108 cars unsold. There was a heavy snow covering Kansas and most of Oklahoma with plenty of rainfall through the more easterly portions of the winter wheat country. Although receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth fell off to 27 cars, as compared with 219 a year ago, the prediction of lighter receipts fell flat on the trade and no predictions have been reiterated quite frequently since October last.

Flour Trade Also Poor.

The flour trade at Minneapolis was reported quite poor, this, of course, reacting with some force on the winter wheat market which are in relatively poorer position to make flour sales. Export clearances for the day were light, at 107,000 bushels.

It was generally believed that the leading long in wheat, who were largely instrumental in advancing all grain prices on Tuesday, were today quietly unloading the extra line of property that they had taken on during the preceding day. One of the bull theories was advanced today by a leading house as follows:

"In my judgment, conditions warrant wheat and flour prices to advance. The Government placed such stocks in Oregon, Washington and Idaho at \$3.00 a bushel, giving Oregon 2,400,000 bushels, Washington 1,400,000 bushels and Idaho 2,175,000 bushels. According to grain reports of Portland, who are in a position to know what they are talking about, this total of 5,975,000 bushels is just about 7,900,000 bushels too high."

It is not known who supplied Uncle Sam with his alleged statistics from this section of the country, but whatever source, no serious effort was made to get at the facts.

One of the city who control warehouses throughout the wheat districts and whose agents are in touch with all the farmers doubt very much whether there are more than 1,000,000 bushels of grain left in first hands in the three states. A very outside estimate, after deducting the allowances for the Government, is that not more than 500,000 bushels all told can be found on farms and in warehouses. Even less remains in Oregon, while Idaho is, to all intents and purposes, empty.

Instead of 2,400,000 bushels held by Washington farmers, as reported by the Government, the largest Washington dealer here that is not to exceed 500,000 bushels all told can be found on farms and in warehouses. Even less remains in Oregon, while Idaho is, to all intents and purposes, empty.

The Government's experts find that 1-200,000 bushels are yet in the possession of California growers. If this is true it is strange that California is not drawing so heavily on Oregon and Washington for wheat to keep its mills from idleness. Since the season opened, Californians have bought 1,000,000 bushels of wheat, and even now the California millers are scouring the Northern states for grain and paying exorbitant prices for it. Not only this, but the Californians have been forced to go East for supplies, simply because they could not find them at home.

Conservative authorities figure that the total supply of wheat today in all hands in the Pacific Northwest—farmers, dealers, shippers, millers—does not amount to more than half what the Government credits the farmers alone with holding. It is inconceivable that with wheat selling at the present prices, the farmers would hang on to such a large percentage of the crop. It is also unreasonable to believe that if nearly 5,000,000 bushels of wheat were yet unsold in the Northwest, the dealers would be

Lull in Wheat Campaign Is Thought to Portend New Activity in Future.

ENTIRE DAY DEPRESSING

Traders Expect High Prices to Continue for Some Time, as World Supply Seems About Even With Consumption.

CHICAGO, March 10.—(Special.)—Neither a bull nor a bear rampant would have been a good omen of arms design for the wheat pit trade today. Compared with the turmoil of yesterday, the drama on the floor was a mild one and the bull grip relaxed to the extent that there was a fall of 1/4 to 1/2 of a cent, as compared with the close of the day before. Some among the bear contingent believed the day was an augury for their future progress, and the trade generally felt that a further slump is due. Often when such sentiment prevails it is symptomatic of an upturn, and those who look into the subtler vagaries of wheat market developments believe the upturn will come.

There was further evidence that the alternating policy of playing July and then May continues. May apparently was being supported most of the session, while July was put on sale as industriously but as unostentatiously as possible. Commission houses had wheat on tap all morning. None of them sold a large quantity.

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Royal Worcester Corsets Have Been Preferred by Particular Women for Over Half a Century---A Model for Every Normal Figure---50c and Up

Smart Spring Gowns call for Ladies' Home Journal Patterns.

Olds, Wortman & King

THURSDAY---HOUSEKEEPERS' DAY

50c Tray Cloths 29c

These pretty tray cloths are stamped on fine white linen and come in a large variety of designs. Floral and conventional effects. Size 17x26 inches. Regular price 50c each, a special for Thursday in the Art Department, only **29c**

\$6.50 Napkins \$5.25

In the Linen Aisle, first floor. Large size dinner napkins, Richardson's pure linen, splendid satin damask finish. Beautiful patterns regularly worth \$6.50 the dozen, very special price for Housekeepers' Day, dozen only **\$5.25**

Clever New Styles in Women's Apparel

Hundreds of enthusiastic customers proclaim our assortments and styles in women's ready-to-wear Spring suits, by far the best to be found in Portland. All fashionable Portland should make it a point to inspect this showing as early as possible. The season's best fancies are aptly exemplified in the modes displayed here, and they're selling at prices that make it easy to follow fashion's latest whims. Visit the Suit Salons on Second floor.

Iron Waxers 5c

Honeycomb Flat Iron Waxers and polishers, special for Thursday's sale, each **5c**
Darning Cotton, large-sized balls, special price for Thursday, two for **5c**
Rainier Mineral Soap, regularly 10c cake, three for the price of one, today, 3 for **10c**
Bo Nora, nature's plant food, good for all flowering plants, 50c pkg. for only **35c**

2 Papers Pins 5c

400 to paper, full count, regularly 5c the paper, special sale price, two for **5c**
Creme Paper Napkins, fancy patterns, with table cloth to match, worth 15c the set, special sale price, the set **10c**
Shopping Bags, of twine net, for carrying parcels, etc., 25c value, now selling at **15c**
White Laundry Soap, sp'1 Thursday, 7 bars for **25c**

6 Table Mats 15c

A set of six neat Japanese Table Mats, save the table cloths, special, set, only **15c**
Nickled Bath Tub Soap Holder, now selling at **25c**
Nickled Tumbler Holder **15c**
Nickled Towel Bars for **12c**
Sleeve Boards, special at **15c**
TOILET SOAP, all kinds and makes see window display, on sale in the toilet goods section today, 3 cakes for **10c**

Colanders 30c

Granite Iron Colanders **30c**
Granite Iron Measures **30c**
2-qt. Saucepans, granite **30c**
6-qt. covered Saucepans **45c**
Apple Corers, special at **4c**
Sink Strainers, special at **15c**
50-ft. Clothesline for **12c**
Bone Mustard Spoons, sp'1 **3c**
Folding Iron Boards **\$1.25**
The items below on sale in third floor housefurnishing department. Take advantage.

Fine Bedspreads \$1.48

At regular times these splendid quality spreads sell for \$1.75. Extra-weight crocheted spreads in Marseilles patterns, are good values at the regular price, and for Housekeepers' Day special for **\$1.48**

Linen Table Cloths, with knotted fringe, pure linen, splendid quality, two yards square, special price **\$3.25**
2 1/2 yards long, regular \$4.50 value, special today **\$3.65**
3 yards long, regularly \$5.00 each special for today **\$3.95**
Hemstitched English Honeycomb Towels, some-thing new, large size, regularly 50c each, special today **35c**
New White Goods, over 300 bolts in this lot, fine Jacquard madras and striped or plaid batistes, also fancy embroidery Swisses, special price for today, the yard **25c**

\$2.25 Pillows \$1.35 Pr

Good, full-sized Pillows, filled with fine downy feathers and covered with splendid quality satin-finished ticking, regularly \$2.25 the pair, for Housekeepers' Day at **\$1.35**

Feather Pillows, filled with live goose feathers, good, full weight and size, covered with the best quality ticking, sold regularly at \$6 pair, special today, only **\$4.35**

Indian Robe Blankets, in a large variety of colorings, handsome patterns and unequalled qualities, a regular \$4.50 grade, on sale today at the low price of, each **\$3.25**

Mattresses, pure silk floss filled, the most delightful mattress to sleep on, perfectly sanitary, give best of wear a regular \$14.00 grade, on special sale today at, each **\$9.50**

SCORES CONGRESSIONAL WORK.

BERKELEY, Cal., March 10.—In an address delivered last night before the Berkeley branch of the University of California, scored the inefficiency of Congress. He said: "Congressional government is no longer responsible or representative. As legislative power proves not infallible, the faith people in executive power, concentrated in the hands of a few, increases." He maintained the committee system in Congress is its worst evil. The world's demand for rubber amounts to 125,000,000 pounds annually.

SOCIETY GIRL TO MARRY JAP

Episcopal Archdeacon's Daughter to Wed Son of General Aoki.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—The engagement of Miss Helen Gladys Emory, daughter of Rev. John A. Emory, archdeacon of the Episcopal diocese of California, to Gunstro Aoki, son of the late General Aoki, of Japan, has been announced. Both Miss Emory and her mother admit the engagement, but refuse to give the date of the wedding, which must take place outside of this state, where the marriage of Orientals and Caucasians is forbidden. Aoki is a member of one of the most distinguished Japanese families and is said to be a relative of Viscount Aoki, who represented his country at Washington. He is a brother of Rev. C. Aoki, who has charge of the Episcopal Japanese mission in this city. Through the efforts of the latter Gunstro Aoki was taken into the country home of the Emorys at Corte Madera to learn Christianity, and it was then that he met Miss Emory. The prospective bridegroom is engaged in the commission business.

MIKADO CABLES TO TAFI

Japanese Ruler Recalls Personal Visit of President in Greetings.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Evidencing the feeling of the warm personal friendship of the Japanese Emperor for President Taft is the following cablegram which has just been made public: "Tokio, March 5.—The President, Washington: Remembering with great satisfaction my very pleasant and agreeable intercourse with you on the occasions of your visits to Japan, I congratulate you most cordially upon your brilliant and successful inauguration as President of the United States, reports of which already have been received by me. MITSUHIITO."

Mr. Taft's reply follows: "The White House, Washington, March 5.—The Emperor, Tokio: I have received with the greatest pleasure Your

BILL WOULD BAR JAP DOCTORS

Hawaii Considers Measure Requiring Knowledge of English.

HONOLULU, March 10.—A bill was introduced in the Assembly of the territorial Legislature today aimed at Japanese physicians. The measure requires Japanese doctors to pass an examination given by the Territorial Medical Examiners in the English language. The bill was introduced in behalf of the Hawaiian Medical Society.

Norman Mack's Home Burned.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 10.—The home of Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, was destroyed by fire tonight. The Mack family is at Atlantic City.

No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach

A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength.

Such a man should use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enriches the blood, invigorates the liver, strengthens the kidneys, nourishes the nerves, and so gives HEALTH AND STRENGTH TO THE WHOLE BODY.

You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this non-alcoholic medicine of known composition, not even though the urgent dealer may thereby make a little bigger profit. Ingredients printed on wrapper.