

# GALLOWES ESCAPED; CONGRESS IN SIGHT

### Caleb Powers Once Convicted Murderer, May Win Picturesque Fight.

### TALES POPULARITY AID

Recent Kentucky Primary, Which Resulted in Former Convict's Nomination, Most Orderly Ever Held in District.

LONDON, Ky., Sept. 25.—(Special)—Kentucky has had many picturesque political battles, it probably will have many more, but in picturesque and intensity the Republican campaign in the Eleventh Kentucky District, where Caleb Powers is a candidate for Congress, exceeds all that have gone before.

CONVICTED OF GOEBEL MURDER, MAN ESCAPES GALLOWES; NEARS SEAT IN CONGRESS.



CALEB POWERS.

Within a few months time, he has emerged from a district Kentucky prison after he heard the verdict of two juries sentencing him to confinement in the State Penitentiary during his natural life, and still another jury pronouncing him guilty of willful murder and saying that he must be hung by the neck until he was dead, and come back to his mountain home and receive the same.

They call this the "Bloody Eleventh" District because of his vendettas, its feuds and the killings that have grown out of trivial quarrels. The primary, that resulted in the nomination of Powers is considered the most orderly ever held in the Eleventh, for only one man was killed, he being one Holman, who was shot to death by Squire Colwell at Grapevine, which is near Hazard.

It was a victory over hears by the ex-prisoner, who, for nearly a decade, fought for his life against ignominious death while being shipped from jail to jail, who, three times was sentenced to the gallows and who was pardoned by the Governor while waiting for his fifth trial.

## ITALY IS ALARMED

### Ravages of Cholera Recognized by Government.

### 50 DEATHS RESULT IN DAY

### Disease First Called Gastro-Enteritis Now Known as Cholera—Sufferers Found on Crowded Train.

NAPLES, Sept. 25.—(Special)—The epidemic of cholera here has attained most alarming proportions, and energetic measures are to be taken by government health officials to combat the disease. More than 100 new cases were reported to the authorities yesterday. Fifty deaths occurred within the last 24 hours.

The Government, which up to the present has persistently declined to recognize the existence of the cholera, has now admitted that the disease which has caused such havoc within the last two weeks is cholera of the violent Asiatic type.

Many other cases are described by the health officials as gastro-enteritis, but this diagnosis is not generally accepted. Two persons, a stonemason and a sailor, were taken from the train on its way from Naples to Caserta and Nettuno. They are believed to be suffering from cholera and were sent to a lazaretto.

## GIRL'S MURDERER KILLED

### Pursued by Woman's Friends, He Falls Under Moving Train.

OSKALOOSA, Ia., Sept. 25.—Swift retribution overtook William Boston today, after he had shot and fatally wounded Susan Loston, 29 years old, at Cricket, Iowa.

Pursued by friends of the woman, who had killed Boston, the man fled through a wood and attempted to board a moving train. Out of breath and unsteady because of fear, Boston fell under the wheels of the train and was ground to death.

## OLD GUARD IS PUT AWAY

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he up to him to make good in November. If he doesn't, then he will not be heard of again.

"Progressives" Are Satisfied. The "progressive" leaders now on the ground here are inclined to cross one bridge at a time. According to every surface indication they have made the approach to the convention bridge safely, and the crossing looks favorable, and that is sufficient for the moment.

The question of a candidate for Governor, usually overtopping everything else in importance at a state convention which is not out and dried, excites minor interest. A single candidate, Representative Bennett, has his sign out.

Sherman in Opposite Role. Vice-President Sherman, who is said to play the "opposite" part to Colonel Roosevelt in the proceedings of Tuesday and Wednesday, also will not arrive until tomorrow morning.

## FORT NOW IN HISTORY

### WALLA WALLA PASSES WITH WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS.

Pathetic Incident Accompanies Abandonment, Soldiers Regret Loss of Major Gardner.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 25.—(Special)—Fort Walla Walla yesterday passed into history when the four troops, Major Brett commanding, that have been stationed here, left for the Yellowstone Park in compliance with the order abandoning this fort.

The First Cavalry Band is left, and under command of Major John Gardner, these few men will leave Monday for Boise Barracks.

A special train of five tourist sleepers, one standard Pullman and the necessary baggage, stock and freight cars, bore the four companies, E, F, G and H, to their new station.

One pathetic incident of the abandonment was the grief of the soldiers in leaving Major Gardner, who has, for years, been their commander.

"They stole him from us," said a grizzled non-commissioned officer. "He was our commander and it was not square to take our Johnny from us. Major Brett is all right, we like him, but old Johnny was our leader."

The fort is still on the records of the War Department, but after October 1 will be stricken officially. It is in the hands of a caretaker.

## BEAUTY SHOWS DECRIED

### British Maidens Declared Winners, Said to Have "Swelled Head."

LONDON, Sept. 25.—(Special)—The most notable item in the pleasure program at British seaside resorts this Summer has been the beauty shows for girls.

The last show of the season was held at Southend, a favorite coast resort of tired Londoners. The fair competitors stood on a stage with a frame-like setting, each exposed to view for one minute.

Moralists handed out hot condemnation of this seaside entertainment, contending that it fostered vanity, and jealousy among young and impressionable people.

At these shows the onlookers debating the points of the competitors, in much the same way as judges consider the merits of exhibits at horse shows.

Prize winners invariably got "swelled head," and on their return to London, after the Summer vacation, turned up their little noses at the best boy, who had hitherto enjoyed their affectionate confidence.

Mulkey Congratulates Hawley. SALEM, Or., Sept. 25.—(Special)—Representative W. C. Hawley tonight received congratulations from his defeated opponent in the form of the following telegram: "I learn you are nominated. Accept my congratulations, Mulkey."

# Blanket Sale Lipman-Wolfe & Co Blanket Sale

—Last Winter when the snow was on the ground—when warm blankets FELT GOOD, we laid our plans for this great sale. We did not confine ourselves to one or two mills, but had them all send sample blankets, samples of their very best product. Upon the arrival of all these blankets OUR EXPERTS PASSED JUDGMENT, selecting one from California, another from Oregon, another from Ohio, and so on until we had combed the entire blanket market of America, to secure, what in our judgment WERE THE BEST BLANKETS FOR USE IN PORTLAND HOMES.

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### Cotton Fleeced Blankets on Sale

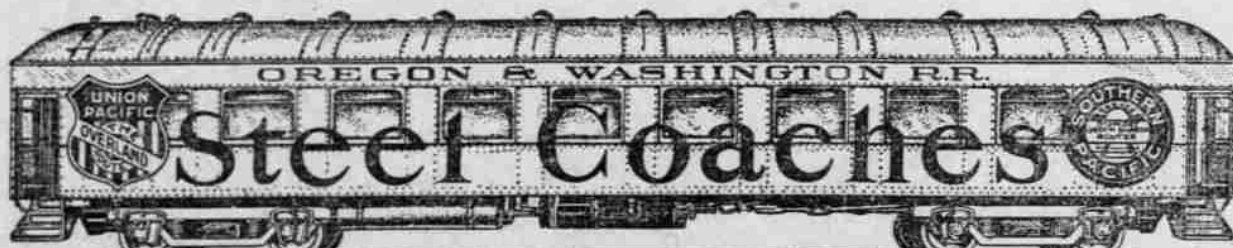
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