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Leopold.

MISSED THREE TIMES

Ministers.

CULPRIT WAS ARRESTED

People Were Infuriated, and Tried to Tear Assailant to Pieces-Was Hustled Off to Prison and Confessed.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 15 .- Three shots were fired at the King of the Belgians this morning as he was proceeding to the Cathedral to attend a te deum in memory of the late Queen Mario Henriette. No one was hurt. The man who fired the shots is an Italian. He stood in front of the Rank of Brussels on the Rue Royale. The other chambers in his revolver proved to be blank, and it is presumed those fired were equally harmless. The man was arrested immediately, and the police had some difficulty in resculng him from the hands of the crowd. He gave the name of Rubino. When examined by the police. Rubino confessed that be intended to shoot King Leopold, and said he held anarchistic beliefs.

Rubino is a bookkeeper. He was born at Binardino near Naples in 1859, and has intely lived in Brussels.

A fuller investigation satisfied the police that Rubino really fired a ball cartridge, the bullet of which smashed the window Comte d'Outremont's carriage and grazed the grand marshal's face. When removed from the mob Rubino was placed In a cab and infuriated crowds of people immediately surrounded it and attacked with knives and sticks. The police had great difficulty in forcing of way to the police station through the 

ext was padly backed with knives. A search of the pass mor reverled a pack-

age of ball cartridges. It is reported that Rubino had been heard to express anarchistic opinions, and it was also said be came to Brussels from London expressly to kill King Leopold, and went to the Cathedral today for this purpose, but refrained from shooting the King for him and His Mirjesty. Rubino is also reported to have said he was employed in the Italian secret service in London, and that he came to Brussels a fortnight ago with the intention of assassinating King Leopold

The news of the outrage spread rapidly throughout the city, and the greatest ex- | Prominent New Yorkers Dine With citement prevailed. The people thronged the streets eagerly discussing the attempt on the life of the King, and large crowds gathered in front of the various bulletin boards. The newspapers is sued frequent editions, and these were eagerly bought.

King Leopold appeared to be quite u moved. After luncheon at the palace His Majesty entered a motor car and proceeded to the railroad station, where he boarded a train bound for Geroenendael

He Intended Assassination. That Rubino intended to assassinate King Leopold seemed fully established this evening by the prisoner's confession the police. The latter at first depled all the recorts to the effect that the revoiver cuttained ball cartridges or that Rubine was connected with anarchism, but they finally admitted that the prisoner had confessed that he intended to

anarchist beliefs. The self-confessed would-be regicláe is calm during his interrogation by the police. He informed the police that he came from London, where he went on a futile

archists. He was dismissed, however, as the embassy officials discovered that he ympathized with the anarchists. It was en that he bought a revolver and cartridges and came to Brussels. Failing to find work, Rubino said he "determined to act," and went to the cathedral with Anarchist Tries to Kill the intention of shooting the King. But he did not fire at His Majesty for fear the intention of shooting the King. But of hitting intervening soldiers. Then Rubino proceeded to the Rue Royale, where he awaited the cortege. The royal carriage containing the King passed before Rubino was able to draw his revolver, herice the shots only hit the carriage fol-

lowing. In Rubino's pockets were found picture post cards bearing portraits of King Leopolt, Prince Albert and Princess Elizabeth. The prisoner said he procured the cards so as to be able to recognize the members of the royal family. He ex-One Ball Grazed One of the pressed the hope that others would be more successful than himself. He also said that he did not regret his act and would have fired at any monarch, "at the King of Italy as readily as at the King of the Belgians, because monarchs are tyrants, who cause the misery of their peoples." Finally Rubino declared he hated socialists because they were friends of the police, and he asserted that he had

no accomplice. The police tonight are engaged in scoursearch for possible accomplices of Rubino. One arrest has already been made of a noted Belgian anarchist named Chapelie. Many other arrests will probably follow, Several persons who were near to Rubino when he fired the revolver assertthat he was accompanied by another man, who escaped among the crowd. thought probable that this individual was uplice who carried off the rean acco volver, which the police have not yet

Rubino, who has a wife and child th London, continues to affect a profound indifference as to his fate, which cannot be death, since capital punishment has been abolished in Belgium

two women lived in Brooklyn, N. Y. They recently returned from a visit to Ireland. They are Mrs, Annie M. Ovington and Sadie Ovington, her daugh-ter. The mother when examined by a magistrate made a rambling statement to the effect that she was the victim of a conspiracy and that she was being pursued and therefore craved the Queen's protection. She was taken to the county sylum. The daughter, apparently, is an

RUSSIAN GRAND DUKE SICK. Physicians Pronounce His Condition

Almost Hopeless. PARIS, Nov. 15 .- The Rappel publishes a dispatch from St. Petersburg, which says the Grand Duke Michael, the Czarowitch, is in a very weak condition. He has had to give up the course of physical exercise which he has been pursuing under the guidance of the American athlete,
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ARRESTS AT SANDRINGRAM. Two Women Believed to Be Lunaties Wanted to See Queen.

LONDON, Nov. 15.-Sensational stories were current at Sandringham today re-garding the arrest of suspicious individu-als in the neighborhood of the royal residence. Last sight it is asserted two men disguised as women were intercepted by fear of killing soldiers who stood between the police while on the'r way to the house. The facts are that two women believed of my colleagues, been made a member of to be lumatics who wanted to present a the Congressional committee by the mempetition to Queen Alexandra were detained by the police.

BANQUET TO CAMBON.

Retiring French Ambassador. the retiring French Ambassador, in the form of a dinner given in his honor at Sherry's, by Senator Chauncey M. Depew General abhorrence was expressed by the people.

King Leopold appeared to be quite un
attested by the presence of more than 250 of the most distinguished citizens of the and visitors from other cities. Senator Depew, who presided, read the

ollowing letter of regret from President "I wish I could be with you and meet

M. Cambon's retirement a personal loss to me, no less than a loss to the United States. With hearty regards to him and

from Secretary Hay and Abram S. Hewitt, Senator Depew proposed the toast to the guest of the evening, and M. Cambon made the response. After the applause shoot King Leopold, and that he had that greeted M. Cambon's remarks had subsided, Secretary Root and President Ellot, of Harvard University, followed a small, bald-headed man, with a heavy black moustache. He maintained perfect services, and the evening was brought to a close by Archbishop Ireland, who, in bidding farewell to the Ambassador, extended to him the warmest assurances of the affection and gratitude which would search for work. There Rubino obtained always be maintained for him by the peo-assistance from the Italian Embassy, and ple of the United States.

## CAMNON NOW

Has Votes Enough to Make · Him Speaker.

BABCOCK'S ACTION DOES IT

Wisconsin Man, Indorsed by His Delegation, Declines to Enter Race and Advises Support of Illinoisan, Which Is Granted.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 15. - (Special.)-Congressman J. W. Babcock today refused to be a candidate for Speaker of the House, after being indorsed by the Wisconsin Congressional delegation. Following this, the delegation decided unanimously to support Congressman Cannon, of Illinois, for Speaker. This action was ing the anarchist resorts here in a | token at a meeting of the Congressmen held this afternoon at the Hotel Pfister.

Mr. Babcock admitted that he had been promised good support by friends in other states, but he felt that it would be better to keep out of the fight. He then pro posed that the delegation should throw its solid support to Congressman Cannon. He pointed out the advantages which had come to the delegation by their united support of Speaker Henderson, when he needed help the most, and argued that the same result was likely at the present time. The members discussed the matter and decided that Congressman Babcock was right in his position, and by vote de cided to give united support to Congressman Cannon in his Speakership fight.

Among Mr. Pabcock's friends it is said he felt that if he ran for Speaker he would be looked upon as the candidate of the revisionists, and after a careful count of noses he found that it would be uncertain as to whether he would win. fore, he preferred to carry his strength to Congressman Cannon, especially as he has, it is believed, pledges from Cannon regarding the organization of the new House, when he and his friends, who now carry their strength to the Illinois Congressman, will be properly taken

In a public statement Mr. Dibcock says he considers it wise and in the interest of harmonious organization to bring to the Speaker all the elements of strength in the party, that there should be but one

candidate from the West, an ther the schore to has decided to within an in the interest of Mr. Cannar In the address to the defegates Mr. Babcock said:

"After considering ce subject from all standpoints, I have concluded not to enter the list of candidates for the Speakership. one which I may not, with justice to myself, omit to mention. You are all aware that five times I have, by the partiality bers of which I have been chosen chairman. As chairman of that committee l have been charged with the leadership in contests to maintain a Republican ascendency in the House of Representatives. I have never allowed myself to forge that all the political power and influence NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—A rare tribute incident to this position were placed in was paid tonight to M. Jules Cambon, my hands in trust for the benefit of the incident to this position were placed in party; in no sense properly to be used or at in furthering my personal ambition. Remembering this, I have been reluctant, notwithstanding the flattering offers of support for the Speakership which have come to me, to allow myself to be nummetropolis, members of the Cabinet, bered among the candidates for that prominent officers of the Army and Navy office, lest some might attribute a portion of my support to the political leadership which, for the time. I have held. It is not enough for me to know that such an imputation would be unjust. It is enough your distinguished guest tonight. I feel for me to know that it might, to many seem just."

CANNON HAS VOTES ENOUGH,

Solid Delegations From Thirteen States, and Many More. CHICAGO, Nov. 15. - (Special.) - When

the news of the Wisconsin delegation's action was received by Congressman Mann, who is managing Mr. Cannon's campaign, he said:

"The nomination for the Speakership is now as good as settled. We have solid delegations from Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Illinois, Wyoming, South and Mr. Dooley's letter. Page 26. North Dakota, Kansas, Missouri, Tennessee, Rhode Island, New Hampshire

and Vermont, and pledges from all but one Congressman in Indiana, and enough scattering to make Cannon sure."

PACKING PLANT BURNED. Armour Branch at Sloux City Wiped Out, With 8750,000 Loss.

SIOUX CITY, In., Nov. 16. Fire broke out in the Armour packing plant at 12:45 o'clock this morning and decroyed the entire plant of the Armour company. loce is \$750,000. The fire originated in fertilizing department, and spread very rapidly. At 2 o'clock it broke into the pork-packing department, and then to the smokebouses and adjoining buildings. which were entirely beyond the control of the whole fire department.

The Armour packing-house is some distance from the Cudahy plant, and there is no danger of that or the stockyards buildings being burned.

THE SICK AND THE DEAD

Covernor Yates Improving. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 15 .- Govern Yates' fever appears to be decreasing gradually. He rested fairly well last night, and a change for the better is looked for tomorrow.

Aged Widow of Professor Bartlett. NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Mrs. Harriet Bartlett, widow of Professor W. H. G. Bartlett, who was an instructor at West Point for nearly 40 years, is dead at Yon-kers, at the age of 90. She was related to many families prominent in military af

Ex-Congressman Dead, CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 15.—Clifton R. Grifton, ex-Congressman of the Twentieth District of Ohio, died at his home today.

at Rocky River, aged 57 years. Beath of Thoroughbred Trainer. LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 15.—James Murphy, the noted thoroughbred trainer and owner, dled this afternoon after a

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## ELKINS SEES SIGNS

Reciprocity.

WAS NOT LAST SESSION

Bill Will Go Through Congress if Island Does Not Get Too Radical-Nonportisan Tariff Commission-Lame Ducks Out.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Nov. 15.-Senator Elkins is out with an announcement saying that he will not oppose a reciprocity treaty with He says that his only object in opposing the bill in the last session of Congress was that, had it come before the Senate, the Middle West would have insisted upon free lumber and coal, which would have been disastrous to two of the greatest industries of West Virginia.

This is hardly a correct explanation. because an agreement could easily have been reached to vote down every amendment save that relating to Cuban reciprocity, as was done in the House. Elkins opposed Cuban reciprocity because he wanted to establish himself in the Senate as against the leadership of Aldrich, who has dominated the Republicans of that body. He saw a chance to

defeat them, and made the best of it. Furthermore, he has been opposed to the Cuban policies which have been in force. He never believed in the Teller amendment, and has denounced the Platt amendment as immature. He thinks Cuba should have been taken by the United States as part of the spoils of war, without regard to any other consideration. He is now ready to favor a treaty, like a number of other Senators who opposed it at the last session.

The treaty will go through if the Cubans do not block it. They are so radical that they may not be willing to accept the 30 per cent reduction which is offered, and which will afford Oxnard and his supporters opportunity to continue fighting Cuban concessions.

Nonpartisan Tariff Commission. Congressmen drifting into Washington bring reports that business men throughout the country are anticipating the expected recommendation of President Roosevelt to the coming session of Congress for creation of a permanent nonpartisan tariff commission, and are sign-

petitions to be presented Congress. masking for its creation. Meny who signing these patitions are doing so, of course, because they hope this will postpone for a long time the contemplated revision of the tariff. A desire will be work of the commission would be supposed to be without political bias, with a view to recommending to Congress such amendments, modifications and revisions. Agana alone is estimated by a committee from time to time as will be of benefit to appointed for the purpose at \$100,000.

the country and the industries. No Places for Lame Ducks. There is some speculation as to whether

in taking care of Congressional lame ducks as was President McKinley. The latter could not stand to see men thrown out of Congressional life without lending a helping hand by giving them a Federal Groton, Mass., where he was attending position. Thus it was that Carter, Thurs- school. Mra Roosevelt received a teleton and McBride and Representative John Allen landed fat places on the St. Louis Exposition Commission. Other defeated men were also taken care of. There is quite a demand on Roosevelt for taking strain of study. Mrs. Roosevelt was asked care of the defeated candidates of the recent election. Already Pritchard of Rooten or come to Washington, and she directed that he come to Washington. His recent the Colonial Express was due at Exposition Commission. Other defeated North Carolina, DeBoe of Kentucky and a number of members of the House who fell by the wayside in the last campaign are seeking positions at the hands of the Administration. Democratic statesmen like J. K. Jones

and John L. McLaurin are also looking forward to a Federal salary. Roosevelt has never been given to the idea that need rest."
Federal positions are for the purpose of It was apparent that his general health affording salaries to politicians, thinks men should be selected for their worth. Prospects for the lame ducks DATE FOR AMERICA'S CUP are not as bright as they would have been under McKinley.

PANAMA ROUTE A MISTAKE. Hepburn Thinks It Not the Best for United States.

ington, Nov. 15.—Representative Hepburn, who pushed the Nicaragua Canal bill through the House several times, and had charge of canal legislation in that body last Winter, said today: "I do not think that the Colombian Gov-

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Is Now Favorable to Cuban am told that it is several years since there has been a meeting of a legislative body in that state. Whether the parties can be so pacified that the functions of government can be resumed. I think is a question yet to be solved. "I am still satisfied that a great mis-take was made in the selection of the

Panama route, and that, in the selection of that route, regard was inadvertently paid to interests other than those of the United States."

CONFERENCE ON CUBA.

Secretaries Hay and Root Discuss Reciprocity Question. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- Before Seere-

a conference on the subject of Cuba with Secretary Hay. Beyond the statement that the conference related to Cuban reciprocity and the other matters included in the Platt amendment, it was impossible to extract any information as to what took place. It is known that no step as been taken within the last few days. Reports from Cuba are to the effect that the Cubars are divided upon the ques tion of reciprocity, especially as regards the concessions demanded and offered The Cuban Senate is reported to be favor able to the treaty as offered with a few minor changes and there is no doubt ex-pressed that the Senate will accept the treaty when it is amended by General Bliss, who has gone to Havana to assist In preparing a treaty. There is trouble in the Cuban House, which seems to be inclined to act independently of the United States.

General Bliss will present definite propositions from this Government. He will sinte the extreme concession which the United States will grant, which is 20 per cent on Cuban products, and also will give the Cubans the lowest possible rates sion which this country will demand of Cuba. It is expected that General Bliss wil endeavor to close up the gotintions speedily, and that after his propositions are made, but a very short time will be allowed the Cubans to reply before the negotiations will terminate.

WORK OF EARTHQUAKE. Commander Schroeder Sends Statement of Damage in Guam.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- Commander Seaton Schroeder, Naval Governor of Guam, has sent to the Navy Department a detailed statement of damage caused in that island by earthquakes of September 22. Fortunately the disaster occurred in the day time, as did the hurricane of two years ago, and the casualties included but one child killed and a few of the towns-

people of Agana hurt.

There was considerable loss of property. however, and funds are being asked for to make the necessary repairs. The Naval make the necessary repairs. The Naval Hospital is damaged beyond repair, and the sick are being cared for in a near-by mor cary charge periods a secompletion of a set of the 20 to the chronic Hospital and the trey will be removed. Commander Schroe crequesto \$1000 for this emergency work, as there is no money in the island treasure. The total damage is heldling. treasury. The total damage to buildings under the control of the Bureau of Yards and Docks will reach \$8000, this expense expressed for capable experts, men thoroughly familiar with the laws of taxation, and in touch with economical conditions throughout the country. The
work of the commission would be supof the island suffered usversly from the oner borra lea

YOUNG THEODORE TO REST President Roosevelt will be as generous Eyes Gave Out at School, and He Is at Home.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15, - Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., the President's oldest son, arrived in Washington at 4:50 o'clock from gram yesterday from the master of the Groton school informing her that it would be best for her son to take a rest train, the Colonial Express, was due at 19:30 this morning, but was delayed by heavy fogs on the Hudson River. He was not accompanied by physicians on the train, but one of the White House attaches met him at the train and drove him to the White House.

'I am well," he said, "as he walked out of the station. It is only my eyes that was good.

New York Yacht Club Sends Conditions to London.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash- yacht races in 1963 for the America's cup. can monastery was a mistake.

Mountain Forests of Eastern Oregon

WILL BE ON A NEW PLAN

tary Root left for New York today he had Speculators' Lands to Be Cut Out.

SO HITCHCOCK DECLARES

It May Be Several Months Before the Final Boundaries Are Fixed, but Then They Will Stay as Placed.

OREGONIAN NEWS PUREAU Washlagton, Nov. 15 .- Secretary Hitchcock has finally determined that a forest reserve shall be created in the Blue and Strawberry Mountains of Eastern Oregon, but the lands included by the Presidential proclamation will be only Government timber lands or worthless mountain summits The proclamation will not issue until the Interior Department shall have inspected every acre to be included in the reserve, and to eliminate such lands now included in the withdrawal as have been denuded of timber or are owned or occupied by large holders. All towns or settlements and all school lands and all private ranges will also be excluded. But, above all else, the Secretary will exclude those lands which were entered for speculative purpose just prior to the department's withgrawal by parties who are believed to have received tips as to the intention of errating a Blue Mountain forest reserve. This information the Secretary today gave to Colonel Emmett Callahan, of Baker City, who has been urging the establishment of a reserve from which all private holdings shall have been eliminated.

Secretary Hitchcock says it is his purpose to create no lieu base in making the Blue Mountain reserve or to permit chances for frauds of any kind. The reserve he favor will be irregular in shape, a checker-hourd in some sections, but will be all Government land.

He finds that much opposition that has been manifested by Oregon people was bined on misconception of the purpose of forest reservations. He gives assurance that the tin ber reservation will not in ary way interfere with the location of mining claims; neither will it prevent cutting of mature timber. It will, however, prevent thinks \$25.00 will be needed for repair work at once. The private loss in the town of corporations and speculators from acquiring title to large areas of valuable land m this region, to the detriment of the interests of settlers. Protection of water supply is of equal importance to timber preservation, he holds, and to this end the forests of the Blue Mountains will be perpetuated. It may be six months or a year, says the Secretary, before the reserve shall finally be established, but when it is created its lines will be permanent. There will be no just ground for continued haggling for the exclusion of some areas or the addition of others, as has been the case with almost every reserve percusore created

OUESTION CONSTITUTION.

Virginia Negroes S.y State Instrument Conflicts With National.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 15 .- in the United State: Circuit Court today John S. When, formerly of Virginia, now of New York, on behalf of William Jones, Edgar Lee and John Hill, negroes, filed a petition against the state canvassers, asking the ourt to restrain the board from Congressional vote vassing state on the 24th inst. The board is headed by Governor Montague. The petitioners allege that they were refused registration under the new constitution, which they Saim to be invalid and conflicts with the Constitution of the United States.

Janusen Has Not Resigned.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The Royal Ulster J. H. Hagen, chanceller of the Belleville, the from the New York Yacht Club, fixing the date and conditions governing the yacht races in 1963 for the America.

OREGONIAN CARTOONIST REVIEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

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