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Out Prisons, So Inmates  
Are Put to Death.

#### DECAPITATED AND HANGED

Emptied Cells Are at Once Re-  
filled With Bound Prisoners  
to Wait Their Turns With  
the Executioner.

New York, March 21.—Numerous  
executions at the local prison are re-  
ported to be due to the movement of  
the supreme court in the direction of  
clearing out the place, says a Seoul  
dispatch to the Herald. The total in  
three nights past has been six prison-  
ers decapitated and 28 hanged. Many  
of these victims had been in jail for  
years without trial.

Some were former students in Japan,  
and others were thieves, highwaymen,  
embezzlers of public funds, political  
offenders and traitors. As the bodies  
are carried out strings of 10 or 20 con-  
demned men bound together refill the  
cells just vacated.

It is probable the representatives of  
the foreign powers will investigate  
and if justified, take action. The  
prison is heavily guarded, as it is  
feared the pedlars guild may attempt  
to force an entrance, and liberate the  
prisoners.

#### INTELLECTUAL WEAKNESS.

Rabbi Answers Questions Bearing on  
Spiritual Subjects.

New York, March 21.—Replying to  
articles published recently in London,  
raising a question as to the success of  
the ministers of the world in spreading  
the gospel, Rabbi Silverman, of the  
Temple Emanuel, has declared that  
atheism and agnosticism are now gen-  
erally looked upon as evidences of in-  
tellectual weakness.

"The Ingersollian type," he asserted,  
"has almost disappeared from polite  
society. There is a tacit understand-  
ing that religion is an evidence of cul-  
ture and refinement and that it has a  
wholesome effect upon the develop-  
ment of man.

"There was never the time when  
men of all shades of belief were as  
interested in religious study, in wor-  
ship and practice as today. The reli-  
gious press has increased and is suc-  
cessful financially. Theological insti-  
tutions have improved and are better

endowed. It is no unusual spectacle  
to see rich men who devote their en-  
ergies all the week to making money,  
spend their Sundays in teaching Bible  
classes. These evidences and others  
that could be presented demonstrate  
that in our day the ministers have  
certainly not failed. They are a great  
social and even political influence for  
they exert that silent ethical force  
that is effective in all social and gov-  
ernment reform."

#### IN PERUVIAN WATERS.

President and Party Pay Visit to Amer-  
ican Cruiser.

New York, March 21.—President Can-  
damo has visited the American cruiser  
New York, says a Herald dispatch  
from Lima, Peru. He was accom-  
panied by United States Minister  
Dudley, members of the cabinet, Sec-  
retary Neil and several well known  
Americans, Englishmen and Peruv-  
ians.

The batteries of Callao and the  
cruiser Constitution saluted as the  
presidential party arrived and the  
Peruvian ensign was displayed on  
the New York when President Can-  
damo reached the vessel. The band of  
the warship played the Peruvian na-  
tional anthem and the crew manned the  
yards and gave three cheers for Peru  
and three for the United States.

President Candamo inspected the  
New York with great interest and ex-  
pressed much gratification at the wel-  
come he received.

A ball in honor of the officers of the  
warships was given at the Callao Club  
later.

#### IT SAVED HIS LEG.

P. A. Danforth, of La Grange, Ga.,  
suffered for six months with a fright-  
ful running sore on his leg; but writes  
that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly  
cured it in five days. For Ulcers,  
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#### Hassen Is Killed.

Manila, March 21.—The Datto Has-  
sen, who wounded Major H. L. Scott  
during an engagement in Jolo, in No-  
vember last has been killed by pursu-  
ing troops. All the other Dattos aided  
the troops in locating Hassen. Every-  
thing is peaceful now with no  
opposition of any kind to the Ameri-  
can rule on the island of Jolo.

#### Chinese Squadron.

Chefoo, March 21.—The Chinese Pea  
Yang squadron, consisting of the  
cruisers Hai Chi, Hai Ying, Hai Tien  
and Hai Shew, under command of Ad-  
miral Tsch has arrived here. It is  
understood that it will proceed to Niu  
Chwang as soon as the ice is cleared  
from that port.

#### Ladrones Are Hostile.

Manila, March 21.—Ladrones at-  
tacked a surveying party yesterday 10  
miles north of Calamba. A. S.  
Perkins, who was in charge of the  
surveying party was wounded in the  
battle and one private of the Con-  
stabulary was killed and another one  
wounded.

### BATTLE ON THE STREETS

Two Italians Get in Fight Over  
Woman and Hundred Men  
Become Involved.

#### MURDERERS TAKE TO FLIGHT

Hide in House But Are Dragged  
Forth by Policemen and Hur-  
ried to Station—Scene of  
Wild Confusion.

New York, March 21.—During a riot  
in an Italian settlement at One Hun-  
dred and Fourteenth street and First  
avenue, one man has been killed, sev-  
eral wounded and the police were  
drawn into a battle which lasted half  
an hour. They succeeded in arresting  
three men suspected of complicity in  
the murder.

The trouble started when Alexander  
Fico and Vincenzo Maresco got into  
a fight over a woman. Knives were  
drawn and friends of the men hastened  
to the spot. Soon a hundred were  
fighting. Several pistol shots were  
heard and then the crowd made way  
for the escape of three who ran into  
a house. Fico lay dead on the pav-  
ing. The police were endeavoring to  
beat their way through the mob and  
finally reached the murdered man. A  
weeping girl at his side pointed to the  
house where the three men had taken  
refuge. Then the police had another  
fight but finally dragged the men from  
their hiding place and carried them  
away.

It was found they had changed their  
outer garments and thrown away their  
weapons but three little girls identified

them and declared one had fired the  
shot which killed Fico.

An Italian was probably fatally  
wounded by a city detective who was  
trying to hold at bay a mob which  
attacked him at One Hundred and  
Eighty-seventh street and Arthur av-  
enue. The detective was investigat-  
ing the violations of the liquor laws  
when about 100 Italians pitched upon  
him. He backed against a wall and  
for a time held them off. It soon be-  
came a matter of life and death and  
he fired at one of the leaders. Just  
then aid arrived and the comrades of  
the fallen man were captured while  
trying to carry him off.

#### WORSE FOE THAN JAPS.

If Russia Defeats Japan Empire Will  
Still Be the Loser.

St. Louis, March 21.—Captain Alex-  
is Gregorian of Caucasus, Russia, is  
here conferring with the world's fair  
officials regarding the exhibition of a  
troop of Cossacks during the expo-  
sition. He has the permission of the  
Russian government to bring the men  
to the United States. In discussing  
the Russian-Japanese war, he said:  
"Russia has a greater foe within the  
country than the Japanese. If she de-  
feats the Japanese, Russia will still be  
the loser, as war costs money and the  
laboring and student classes are dis-  
satisfied and will not stand for tax-  
ation."

#### Earthquake in Vermont.

Burlington, Vt., March 21.—A slight  
earthquake shock was felt in this city  
early today. Tall buildings were  
shaken quite perceptibly. The shock  
traveled from east to west.

#### Earth Shakes.

Worcester, Mass., March 21.—An  
earthquake shock was felt here early  
today. People were aroused by a dis-  
tinct jar of their homes and a rumbl-  
ing sound.



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