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TO COUNT A QUORUM

House Members Present Not Voting Will be Counted.

FINES FOR THE ABSENTEES

Breckinridge Appears in Congress for the First Time Since the Trial-Crimes and Casualties.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—After a session of two hours today the democratic members of the house committee on rules agreed on a new quorum-counting rule, and thereupon sent for Messrs. Reed and Burrows, republican members of the committee. It is understood the rule provides for ascertaining a quorum by counting the members present and not voting, also fining the members who absented themselves from the house. The new rule will probably be presented to the house tomorrow.

Breckinridge in the House.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Representative Breckinridge appeared on the floor of the house of representatives today for the first time since the beginning of the Pollard-Breckinridge trial. Personal allusions were avoided. Many acquaintances shook hands cordially with the Colonel. The ordeal was evidently a severe trial, as his face was flushed but he smiled continually. After occupying his seat two minutes he left the chamber. He will resume his congressional duties at once.

Killed His Daughter's Seducer.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 16.—Two aristocratic families of Sevierville, in this state, have been brought into deepest trouble by the indiscretion of the son of one family and the daughter of the other. For a year or so, John Mullendose has been devoting himself to Mary Montgomery, daughter of Captain Robert Montgomery. The girl's parents demanded an explanation, and she named Mullendose as her betrayer. The father of the girl took his shotgun and went after the young man. He met him in company with his father.

"Marry my daughter, or I will kill you," the girl's father said. Young Mullendose said he would not. The other raised his gun. The boy's father put his hand to the muzzle of the weapon to save his son. The discharge blew his hand off and killed the young man as well.

The Boy an Important Witness.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 16.—Special Officer Bledsoe returned from Tacoma yesterday with Louis Boketo, the 8-year old son of Bella Cools Jennie, who has been living with Hugh Lynn, the man charged with the murder of John Green and Thomas Taylor at Savary island. The boy, according to his mother's statement, heard shots fired and ran at once to Green's house, where he found two bodies. Lynn subsequently threatened to kill him in order to insure silence, but the murderer finally yielded to the prayers of the lad's mother and spared him. The boy is one of the most important witnesses.

A Pacific Coast Strike.

CHICAGO, April 16.—A local paper declares that within 10 days strikes will be declared on several Northwestern roads. Arrangements are completed for a struggle with the Pacific coast lines, which is expected to result in a settlement of existing differences. The contest will involve all the existing brotherhoods, in which the older organizations will seek to annihilate the American Railway Union.

Another Fatal Hazing.

HUNTINGTON, Tenn., April 16.—A party of schoolboys, in an attempt to haze a new student last night, fired from their revolvers. A passer-by named Harper was shot and killed.

THE GREAT NORTHERN.

Strike Will Probably Extend to the Eastern Division Tomorrow.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 16.—The great strike has not yet reached the Twin cities. The indications are that it will do so within 48 hours. A mass meeting is to be held here tomorrow.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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night under the American Railway Union auspices, and it is given out that a strike is inevitable on the Eastern division, unless the company restores the old schedules. Representatives of the conductors and trainmen handed General Manager Case today signed statements antagonizing the strike.

The Forts Were Deserted.

NEW YORK, April 16.—A correspondent at Rio de Janeiro writes concerning the Brazilian revolution: "During Sunday, March 11, Peixoto notified the diplomatic corps that he would fire on the insurgent vessels on Tuesday. Da Gama sent a proposition of terms to surrender, which Peixoto refused. Tuesday while flags floated from the insurgent ships and forts the firing lasted two hours, when it was discovered the ships had been deserted. Many officers had already escaped on merchant vessels, and many others are seeking refuge on merchant vessels. Da Gama escaped on board the French man-of-war Manacon, which put to sea. It is reported he desires to escape only to slay De Mello. Others think he traded honor for life."

USEFUL ALLIGATORS.

They Are Valuable as Destroyers of Troublesome Rodents. The bayous of Louisiana were formerly the homes of alligators without number. They did no particular harm, except by catching stray pigs or dogs now and then; nor were they known to be of any particular use. The people, for the most part, let them alone. Then there sprang up at the north a demand for alligator skins for the making of satchels, pocketbooks and the like, and the natural result followed. The alligators were killed in great numbers, till presently they were almost destroyed.

No harm was done, people thought; but by and by it began to be noticed that certain mischievous quadrupeds were multiplying. In the rice fields, according to a Louisiana exchange, the muskrats increased in such numbers that it became hard work to keep up the back levees, which had been built to keep the water on the rice during the growing season. What perhaps was more serious, the same burrowing rodents infested the front levees, and nothing but constant watchfulness averted disastrous consequences.

Then market gardeners began to complain of an alarming increase in the number of rabbits, raccoons and other animals which preyed upon the cauliflower, cabbage, lettuce and similar vegetables. Some of the gardeners were compelled to inclose their gardens with close wire fences, or else abandon the cultivation of some of their most profitable crops.

THE INDIAN AS A FIGHTER.

He Likes Warfare, Excels in It and Is an Excellent Marksman.

"The Indian is the most vicious fighter on earth," said Maj. Barbour, late press agent of the world's fair, but a former plainsman, to a Washington Post reporter. "You read in the accounts of the South African war where a hundred or two Englishmen go out and whip five or ten thousand black men. There is no unutilized people on earth, no race which is utterly ignorant of what we call the science of war, that can for a minute compare with the Indians as warriors. No frontier general would think of leading his troops against a body of Indians where the odds were greatly against him. Why? Because the Indian is naturally a fighter and a marksman, and because he has been quick to learn what the white armies have taught him in warfare."

"Take that fight in which Sitting Bull was killed. That was a skirmish, it's true, but it illustrates my point. There were just sixteen men on each side. The battle lasted not over five minutes, and eight were killed on each side. Those Indian scouts rode straight through the camp of Sitting Bull, and engaged the old demon himself and fifteen of his picked warriors in a battle in which no man knew he had more than an even chance of surviving. "I've seen them. They love to fight. Their ambition is to win glory in fighting. Their traditions urge them on to fight. It's their only really aristocratic business. They are physically well qualified to fight; they know how, and you can bet they do fight when they get at it."

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The Cup Presentation.

CORVALLIS, April 14, 1894.

Last Monday evening the championship cup, presented to the foot ball team of the Oregon Agricultural College, was formally presented. This cup, costing \$125, is of elegant and appropriate design, manufactured of sterling silver by Tiffany, and is to remain in the college as a trophy of past victories, and not to pass out of its possession with possible defeat.

Judge W. S. McFadden, of Corvallis, addressed the team on behalf of the citizens in his usual pleasing manner. He emphasized the Scriptural saying that the glory of young men is in their strength and that a healthy body is necessary to a healthy intellect. Noting the inscription he said he thought the engraver had made a mistake in adding the figure "4" after the year of "1893." "The fathers of the revolution referred with pride to their Bunker Hill and Lexington," said the judge, "you may speak of your Monmouth, Albany, Portland juniors, Portland University, but, ah, there is where the engraver made the mistake. You met the enemy and they were yours (with one single exception)." In his response, Hall-back Burnett, captain of the team, thanked the people for their tribute and the interest they had manifested in their behalf. He also paid a high tribute to Manager Will H. Bloss. Mr. Wallis Nash then made a few remarks on the subject of athletics, and in referring to the brutality of football said that the young men should be the best judges of that themselves and he would venture to say that after the Portland game, had the young men been asked to play again they would gladly have consented. The ladies' mandolin and guitar club were the recipients of numerous compliments for their excellent music. This is the first occasion on which the college hall had been lighted by electricity and the effect is to lend much more attractiveness to the hall. The students deserve much credit for their energy in raising the necessary funds to wire the hall and purchase chandeliers. The acoustic properties of this hall are better than those of any other auditorium in the city, and it was for this reason that it was selected for the Redpath concert, which occurs on the 28th inst., and given under the auspices of the college.

KINGSLEY.

Straight From the East.

A Sultan of Turkey once said, As he groaned at the pain in his head, "Oh, my favorite wife, I am sick of this life, And I wish very much I were dead." But his wife, who was wise, answered "Eie!" If you will Pierce's Pellets but try, You'll be well in a week— And then you will speak Of these Pellets with praise just as high." Dr. Pierce's Pellets—cost only 25 cents and they are guaranteed to cure all the trouble which spring from constipation, indigestion and bilious attacks. If you have any of these troubles, why don't you follow the example of the Sultan of Turkey?

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NEWS NOTES.

Ed. Morell, Chris Evans' partner, was sentenced by Judge Harris to life imprisonment at Folsom.

Patrick J. Sullivan, who brutally murdered his wife in San Francisco 17 months ago, will be hanged in San Quentin prison Friday morning.

A party of schoolboys in an attempt to haze a new student at Huntington, Tenn., fired from revolvers, and a passer-by named Harper was shot and killed.

Madelaine Pollard is still at Providence hospital suffering from nervous prostration, following the trial. Whether this means that she is likely to pass through a serious illness is not yet known.

The supreme court has just granted a writ of *habeas corpus* in the fire and police controversy, ordering the old board to vacate at noon tomorrow. This is a complete victory for Governor Waite.

The insurgents have abandoned all the remaining vessels at Paragua and Santa Catherina. In an attempt of the insurgents to land at Rio Grand city, the rebels lost 600 men, and afterward landed in the department at Rocha, Uruguay, whence Admiral de Mello and General Salgado went south.

Expert investigation of the books of City Treasurer Mrs. F. R. Polliam, of Fort Scott, the only female city treasurer in Kansas, makes it appear that she is \$1,000 short in her accounts. It is not thought that she has been dishonest, but that the shortage is due to some one having obtained the money by illegal means.

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