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THE PRESIDENT STILL IMPROVING

Reassuring News From the Milburn Residence.

BUFFALO, Sept. 8.—Through this quiet, peaceful Sunday every word that came from the big vine-clad house in Delaware avenue, in which the Chief Magistrate of the Nation lies battling for life, was reassuring and tonight the chances of his recovery are so greatly improved that all of those who have kept the patient vigil at his bedside feel strongly that his life will be spared.

The developments of last night and today were dreaded, but hour after hour passed and the distinguished patient, struggling there beneath the watchful eyes of physicians and trained nurses, showed no unfavorable signs. Five times during the day the doctors and surgeons assembled for consultation, and each time the verdict was unanimous that what change had occurred was for the better.

Not the slightest premonitory symptom of peritonitis appeared and the fresh hope, born with the morning, grew stronger and stronger as the day advanced until toward evening, the confidence expressed in the president's recovery seemed almost too sanguine.

Thus far the ball of the assassin, which is still in the body, gives the physicians no anxiety. But if the slightest inflammation appears in the region of the lead, it will be immediately extracted. No difficulty is anticipated in this regard.

And yet, despite all this optimism, the president is by no means out of danger. Not one of his physicians; not one of his advisers who is admitted to the inner councils has the temerity to go so far as to declare that he is. But, if he continues to improve for one day more, the danger of peritonitis, which is most dreaded, will have practically disappeared.

MRS. MCKINLEY BEARS UP.

Mrs. McKinley passed a comfortable night and shows no signs of breaking down. The whole atmosphere about the Milburn residence is perceptibly brighter.

The X-ray machine arrived shortly after 10 o'clock, and a few minutes afterward, Dr. Charles McBurney, the famous New York surgeon, drove hastily up to the residence. Secretary Cortelyou and Mr. Milburn had met him at the station.

A late report is to the effect that the president is still improving with temperature at 113. He is not yet out of danger, but his physicians are taking a very hopeful outlook.

Warning of Astrologist.

New York, Sept. 7.—Gustav Meyer, who says he is an astrologer, living in Hoboken, N. J., alleges that he sent the following telegram to President McKinley when the latter was in San Francisco:

"Your wife will live another year—until about next February or March—but be careful of yourself. You will be shot or stabbed during the month of June, or else in September."

Out For Governor.

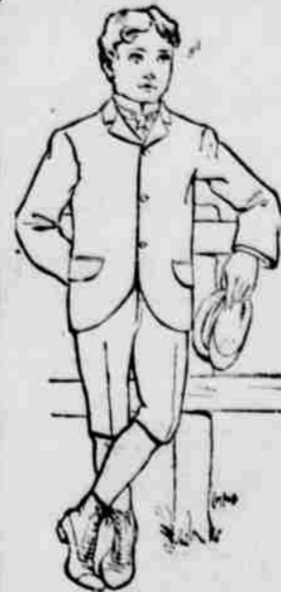
PENDELTON, Or., Sept. 7.—Judge Stephen A. Lowell today formally announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for governor.

Does It Pay to Buy Cheap?

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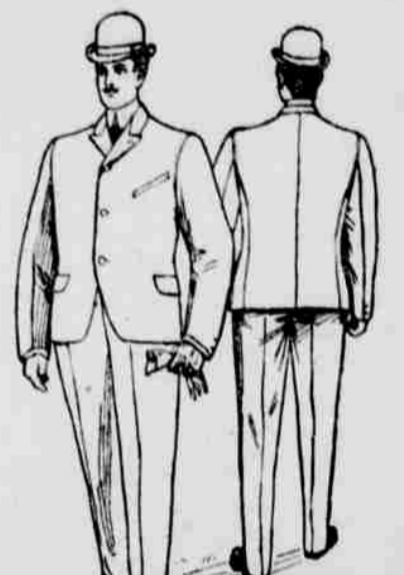
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At the Point of Death.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Sept. 7.—Thomas J. Pearne, the well known Yakima Indian preacher, was injured by a horse Wednesday, and now lies at the point of death at his home on the reservation. He is probably 70 years of age, and is a noted character. He has been a regularly ordained Methodist minister, though a full-blooded Indian, for the last twenty years. He is one of the trusted leaders of the people. About the first of the year they sent him to Washington, D. C., to represent them in the matter of their claim against the government on account of the so-called "disputed tract," a body of land comprising 300,000 acres near Mt. Adams, which after a controversy was awarded to the Indians, and which the government is now negotiating to purchase. While in Washington Pearne met many of the leading men of the country, and by his dignified bearing and great intelligence won their respect. He received marked attention at their hands. When he started into the unknown East many of his people protested against the journey, believing that the whites would never permit him to return. After he came back his story of the grand reception he had met made a profound impression on them, and has made the task of negotiating with them much easier for the government's commissioners.

Police Saved an Agitator.

TACOMA, Sept. 7.—Only the interference of the police saved a socialist agitator here tonight. He was haranguing a crowd on South Twelfth street and referred sneeringly to the "full dinner-pail." Some one in the crowd took exception to the remark and several hundred persons immediately started for the speaker. A friend who attempted to come to his rescue was hustled out of the way, but the police interfered to save the agitator. Under an escort of the police he was taken home, followed by several thousand persons. Finally it was necessary to run to get the man away safely.

Ten Years For Czolgosz.

New York, Sept. 7.—President McKinley's recovery would mean that his would-be assassin could be confined in prison for ten years, the maximum penalty under the penal code of New York state. Two methods of procedure could be adopted. The prisoner could be arraigned before a justice of Erie county and could demand an examina-

tion and would have the right to counsel and time to prepare his defense. The prisoner would waive this formality and elect to go before the grand jury of Erie county. The grand jury then could find an indictment of assault in the first degree. An act of congress providing a penalty for assault against the person of the president, would, according to legal authorities, take precedence of the penal of the state of New York in the case of the man who made the attempt on President McKinley's life. A search for such an enactment by congress will be made. It would not be possible to inflict any greater punishment on the anarchist Czolgosz by any act of the legislature fixing a more severe penalty for an attempt on the life of the president. The death of the president would result in the trial of the assailant for homicide, and his conviction would mean death in the electric chair.

A Denial From Hanna.

BUFFALO, Sept. 7.—Senator Mark A. Hanna was seen by a representative of the Associated Press a few minutes after he left the bedroom of the president. The senator requested that a denial be made that he had sent a message to his son, Dan R. Hanna, stating that President McKinley's condition is alarming.

"I have sent no message to Cleveland nor to any other point in the country regarding the condition of the president, other than the official bulletins issued by the physicians," the senator said. "To forestall any report that may obtain circulation, I wish to state now," the senator continued, "that no one is to blame for this terrible affair. The exposition officials, the officials of the government and the local officers did everything in their power to guard the person of the chief executive, and no one is responsible in the slightest degree."

Oregon's Condolence.

SALEM, Sept. 7.—Governor Geer today sent the following telegram to George Cortelyou, secretary to the president, at Buffalo, N. Y.:

"The people of Oregon are deeply shocked at the dastardly attempt upon the life of the president, and you will please assure Mrs. McKinley that with one voice they fervently pray for his speedy recovery, and that he may be spared for many years yet to herself and the country.

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