

# MUST BE RECOGNIZED

## Colored Members of G. A. R. Posts.

### VICE COMMANDER DEPOSED.

The Color Line in Louisiana and Mississippi Causes Trouble to the Rank of the Veterans—Instructions Issued to the New Commander.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 4.—Captain John Palmer, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, today issued a special order which states it is determined that the colored posts in the department of Louisiana shall be recognized by the posts composed of their white comrades. In this order the commander in chief says:

"The junior vice commander of the department of Louisiana and Mississippi having refused to be governed by the action of the twenty-fifth national encampment at Detroit, and having failed to comply with the orders of these headquarters to recognize the colored posts, it became the duty of the commander in chief to suspend him, which is hereby done.

"Comrade A. S. Badger, a post department commander of that department, will at once assume command as commander pro-tem and recognize the colored posts, and proceed in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the Grand Army of the Republic."

In his letter of instructions to Mr. Badger, Mr. Palmer says:

"For some six months, these colored posts were recognized by the department of Louisiana, after which, by illegal action, they refused to have any further connection with them, giving as the ground for such action, the sanction that the posts contained many members who were not eligible to membership, but furnishing no proof thereof.

"Out of this illegal action, more than any other, the present deplorable condition of the department has grown. Today we remove all grounds of doubt or suspicion in this matter by at once proceeding to a thorough inspection of these colored posts, examine the records as to the eligibility of every one claiming membership and report to the headquarters the result of such inspection.

"If the situation in any of the posts is shown to be as has been claimed steps will at once be taken to annul the charter of such posts. You will also call a provincial encampment of our department at some convenient time before the first day of July next for the purpose of electing department officers and transacting other business of general interest.

"Your attention is called to the rules of order regarding the surrender of post charters. From news received at this headquarters it is felt that action is proposed which is in violation of these rules."

### The Supply of Water for Flooded States Limited.

Chicago, June 4.—Advices to the Associated Press show the Mississippi river rising at and above St. Louis with a probability that it will not begin to fall until the arrival of the first rains, giving cause for grave apprehension about that event takes place. The Arkansas and other rivers in the southwest where the recent heavy rains have fallen also continue to rise and threaten further destruction to property. Measures are being taken away to warn the inhabitants of any sudden break in the levees so they may flee to places of safety.

### Either You or I Have Got to Die.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., June 3.—Bob Stockman was yesterday killed in a fight on the Blunden ranch in Val Verde county, about 100 miles southwest of San Angelo. Early in the morning Stockman called on two young ladies named Monroe, by whom he was treated coolly, and supposing that Charles Blunden, a young ranchman near there, was the cause of his mistreatment by the young ladies, he remarked he would kill Blunden at eight.

One of the girls, closely chased by Stockman, at the peril of her life rode five miles to warn Blunden of his danger. Blunden secured a pistol and met Stockman at the gate. Noting the manner of the trouble, Stockman replied by saying, "Either you or I have got to die," and was in the act of raising his Winchester when Blunden fired, killing Stockman instantly.

# NORSELAND NOTES.

## As a proof of how closely Russia watches the emigration to Sweden and Norway we may cite that the Russian military organ, "The Invalid," recently contained an article reviewing the dissemination which has arisen through the question of separate consulates.

This paper, which is the organ of the Russian war department, quotes King Oscar's dictation to the protocol, and unflinchingly characterizes it as the main point of difference. The political union—or disunion—of the Scandinavian peninsula has thus become an object of observation, not only to the political papers of Russia, but also purely military organs. It is only one crime that should bring on lynching, and as governor would head a party to lynch any negro that would assault a white woman."

The Swedish army has seven honorary generals, namely the King of Denmark, the Emperor of Austria, the Grand Duke of Baden and Luxembourg, the Crown Prince of Denmark, Count S. Lagerberg and J. M. Bjornstjerne. There are four lieutenants-general, among them the Swedish Crown Prince and ten major-generals. In the navy there are five honorary flag officers, namely the Emperor of Germany, the secretary of the navy, Baron C. G. V. Otter, L. S. K. Peyton and G. N. Al. Klercker.

An exhibition of goods manufactured in Finland will take place in Helsinki in 1894. The expenses are calculated to reach that of a similar one in 1892. It is expected that the exhibition will cover the sum of 600,000 crowns will be covered partly by a government allowance and partly by rents to be charged for space for each exhibit.

The expedition to the south pole, which long has been projected, and which, seems at last to become a reality, Mr. Gray, of Peterhead, the captain of an English whaler, surmises that a portion of the South Polar sea offers a splendid opportunity for catching whales. Captain Gray has offered Baron G. Nordenskiold, now in the Arctic explorer, to participate in the expedition, which this young aviator has gladly accepted. The voyagers will start in the middle of October, and expect to arrive at their destination after two months' sailing. They will sail on the ship of the summer season at the southern polar region.

King Oscar visited the gambling halls at Monte Carlo the other evening. He seemed to take great interest in the different games, especially the roulette, in which he spent a considerable amount of money. Mr. Wells, the notorious Englishman, who this day ventured large sums at the roulette table and lost them. The Swedish king was more prudent, for he staked only a five-franc piece, lost it and was thereby satisfied and done with gambling.

All the laborers employed by the Landkrona-Kjellingra railway have struck. They demand a working time of 10 1/2 instead of 11 1/2 hours.

Ugo Vilander, the prominent member of the Norwegian art colony, writes in his paper, "Varden," the "I must see separate consuls, it will soon be found necessary to have our own foreign minister, and that time will come, even if it be not in a hurry."

Mr. Theobald, a Norwegian, is endeavoring hard to make his violin produce alphabetic sounds. He has already succeeded with many, but the consonants of "R" and "S" give him most trouble. He hopes to reproduce the whole alphabet, then to construct words and sentences. Simple words as "mama" and "papa" he maintains the violin can easily speak. Bjornstjerne's impudence is making the Norwegian people tired of him, but he has no fear of them. He has so many compromising letters from members of the present ministry that he does not dare to break with him totally. The other day, however, when he went up to attend a cabinet meeting, in order to let the government what ought and what ought not to be done, his friend Mr. Steen, the prime minister, became mad and showed him the door. The would-be reformer thought it best to take the hint before he was kicked out.

# EMIN PASHA.

## He is Ready to Lynch Negroes Who Assault White Women.

MINNAPOLIS, June 3.—The rumor of the death of Emin Pasha in the interior of Africa is confirmed. The cause is supposed to be smallpox.

Emin Pasha was governor of Equatorial Africa and during his incumbency did much to bring the savage tribes of the interior into peaceable relations with Europeans. In 1888 he was rescued by Stanley, although he did not want to be. Upon his return to Equatorial Africa he was killed by the Maudi in control of the country, but succeeded in overthrowing him and regaining possession of the territory.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Plunger Partridge has not as much money today as he had two weeks ago. He met his Waterloo in a wheat and corn deal. When, 15 minutes before the close of the board yesterday, he had sold 100 bushels of wheat at 88 cents, Partridge, who for four months has been fighting the advance, was covering the wheat which he had sold on the expectation of lower prices, during that time he bought in, through his brokers, at a loss of \$100,000 commission houses to whom he was short, 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 bushels of wheat. The total amount bought if considered about one-half his entire fortune. This wheat, which he bought from \$5 to \$8, he sold at 78 to 85 cents. His loss on the deal is about \$300,000.

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It was thought that Anderson was killed by a cry of "lynch him," which he started. The madly denuded Spaniard dashed hither and thither, and finally fell into the arms of two policemen who took him to the police station. Anderson was taken to the hospital and died from the effects of the wounds which he received. A charge of murder was made against Gomez, who seemed to regard the matter as an every-day occurrence. The S. C. Allen was loaded with lumber on board when the murder occurred. The men on board who crossed the water of the union were not sailors, but longshoremen.

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Harmony and Flower Suggested by the Hill Delegates.

New York, June 3.—A meeting of delegates to the national Democratic convention chosen by the "midwinter" convention is called for conference Tuesday. It is said Senator David Hill will attend and important action will be taken in reference to his candidacy for the presidential nomination. A dispatch from Troy says at this meeting it will be proposed that in case Hill is nominated, the delegates to the Syracuse delegates the mid-winter delegates shall change their allegiance to Roosevelt P. Flower, and that this proposition is to be made to be acted on in the afternoon and throw Cleveland over.

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Pittsburgh, Pa., June 4.—P. J. Neufel, alias John D. Mellon, a notorious criminal, was captured in Pittsburgh today after a desperate struggle in which he was shot and wounded. He was taken to the hospital and is expected to die.

Neufel was detected in the house of John A. Renshaw, which has been closed because of the absence of the family in the West. Some neighbors who heard the alarm gave chase. Neufel had a good lead when he was struck by a club thrown by Turner. The enraged Neufel hid and drew two revolvers and began firing at his pursuers. One shot struck Turner's chest, the other struck the plucky grocer closed his eyes and catching his clothes with an iron hook held him until he came.

# THE OAKS.

LONDON, June 3.—This is the last day of the Epsom summer meeting. The principal event was the race for Oaks stake, next in interest among the great race events in England is the Derby. Baron de Hirsch's great filly La Fleche, who started favorably for the Derby and ran second in that race, proved the winner. The time was 2:43 1/4. The weather was fair and cool and there was a large fashionable attendance.

# LURED TO RUIN.

## Government Officials Are Gilty of Gross Immorality.

VICTORIA, B. C., June 3.—For some days past ugly rumors have been afloat of gross immorality perpetrated by young girls in a certain high-class block in the city where furnished rooms are for rent. The police were put on the scent by the newspaper men.

Yesterday an investigation was held in the chief police office which revealed some tough facts. The culprits are government officials, occupying prominent positions now on the coast; and an associate of the demimonde.

Children who range in age from 10 to 13 are said to have been enticed into a room occupied by a government official, there taught to drink beer and smoke cigarettes, after which they were ruined. The government official is now out of the city, and the other official is about winging his flight to the United States. The children belong to respectable families, and the parents are wild over the disgrace. The influence the scoundrels had over the little girls is shown by the shameless persistence with which the children admitted their guilt. No arrests have been made, but the case will be sifted to the bottom.

The circumstances of the discovery are these: Some few days ago, the attention of a member of the Colonial staff was drawn to a group of little girls, three in all, standing about the entrance to a well known building, where there are furnished rooms to rent, and the statement was made at the time, "those girls are as guilty of the grossest kind of immorality as any group of little girls who live there." The information was most astonishing, and in order to ascertain the truth, a reporter was detailed to investigate. The result of a careful inquiry and a deliberate personal examination was as follows: The girls had been obtained of the wife of the scandalous proceedings, and as a matter of duty and duty only, the details laid before the proper authorities.

# THE ORIGINAL BANK FAILURE.

LONDON, June 3.—The effect of the new Oriental Bank suspension is in no way comparable with the crash of Baring Bros. suspension, and has been to a large extent discounted, but has exercised a depressing influence on the markets. It is causing discussion regarding the depreciation in the value of silver, the position of other Eastern houses, Shares in the Indian and Chinese Bank fell 1 to 2 points. Ten-pound shares of the new Oriental were eagerly offered on Tuesday at £2. The depositors will eventually obtain their deposits in full. The prospects for the shareholders are doubtful.

# Decision of Local Interest.

OLYMPIA, June 3.—The supreme court today affirmed the judgment in the case of Coats vs. the West Coast Fire and Marine Insurance Company, because the statement of facts was not properly before the court.

# He Was Father of the Head Master of Washington College.

PYRALIP, June 3.—Rev. Mr. Purford, rector of the Pyralip Episcopal church, died this afternoon at 1:33 o'clock, aged about 60 years. He is the father of Professor Purford, the head master at Washington college, Faxon, and was held in high esteem by all. He moved here a year and a half ago from Wisconsin, with his family. Another son is teaching school in this county. Mrs. Purford survives him.

# Swinging Round the Circle.

BOSTON, June 3.—Mr. Blaine and his family arrived this morning from New York and went to the hotel. It is understood he will maintain strict privacy while here.

# Don't Like Harrison.

CHICAGO, June 3.—John M. Langston, a colored delegate from Virginia, in interview today said colored voters were in revolt against Harrison, that the only man who could give the negro justice in the South is Blaine. He declared the colored people hold the balance of power in Illinois, Ohio and Pennsylvania, and might disastrously exert it if Harrison is renominated.

# Two Train Wrecks.

ALABAMA, June 3.—Early this morning a freight train of six cars on the South Pacific Coast Railroad was derailed by running into a band of horses. The wreck caught fire and the cars were almost entirely destroyed. The freight was lost, but the injured men were not. HARTFORD, Wis., June 3.—A freight train of the Milwaukee & St. Paul road was wrecked here last night. Engineer Paul, Fireman Hood and Brakeman Roach were killed. A cloudburst flooded the track and unsettled a culvert. The train went into the river and the bodies are under the wreck.

# OLYMPIA.

## It is Not a Mao and Now He Language.

OAKLAND, Cal., June 3.—James B. Marvin, proprietor of the Piedmont hotel, at Piedmont, was shot in the shoulder, at his hotel this morning at 1:30, by George Farwell, his bartender. Sheriff Huesey was at once notified by telephone and arrested him and lodged him in jail. Farwell claims he was drunk and, when seen in jail this morning by a United Press reporter, said he had no recollection of the affair.

# More Deaths at Roslyn.

ROSLYN, June 3.—Tony Bertol, an Italian miner, was killed by a falling rock at Roslyn on Tuesday. His wife died in Italy about six months ago, and the accident to the father makes orphans of six children, the eldest of whom is but 15 years old.

The funds in the hands of the Roslyn relief committee, amounting to \$8,000, will be distributed this week between the widows and orphans of the unfortunate miners killed in the mine. The plan of distribution heretofore published will be followed.

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