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United States Supreme Court Affirms
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MURDERER ACCEPTS HIS FATE

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Washington, Nov. 8.—(Special to the
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court today affirmed the decision of the
circuit court of California refusing a
writ of habeas corpus to William Henry
Theodore Durrant, under sentence of
death for the murder of Blanche Les-
mont, at San Francisco, in April, 1895.

Attorney-General Fitzgerald of Califor-
nia was present in the courtroom when
the opinion was rendered, and said it
would insure Durrant's hanging.

DURRANT ABIDES HIS FATE

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Captain Ed-
gar, acting warden at San Quentin in
Warden Hale's absence, today notified
Theodore Durrant of the supreme court
decision at Washington. Durrant did not
display any emotion and remarked that
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Novelty art lines—new designs on
fine linen—very cheap at C. H. Cooper's.

WHO CAN DOUBT.

When Such Men Testify—Remarkable
Cure of Chas. Rinell by Electricity.

Mr. Editor—Dear Sir—This is to cer-
tify that I have had a disagreeable dis-
charge from my ear for years, accom-
panied with sharp darting pains. Dr.
Darrin has cured me and I feel it my
duty to write this card. I can be re-
ferred to at Ross, Higgins & Co's store,
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DR. DARRIN'S NEW OFFICE.

Dr. Darrin will occupy the office for-
merly used by Dr. Beckman at 401 Bond
street, after November 15th, and will re-
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will in future treat all curable chronic
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treatment at the reduced rate of \$5 a
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free, except medicines, from 9 to 10 a. m.
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to 5 p. m. Evenings, 7 to 8. Examina-
tions free to all.

BASEBALL ARRESTS.

Protests to Be Considered at Today's
League Meeting.

New York, November 8.—The Herald
says:

The National League and American
association of baseball clubs will begin
its annual meeting in Philadelphia to-
morrow. Standing on the list of subjects
to be considered is the Temple cup ques-
tion. None the less prominent is a mass
of evidence concerning the rowdiness of
playing on the field, which increased last
year to such proportions as to disgust
the public.

There will be talk of having
the Western teams make three trips out
and the Eastern teams west next year.
Instead of two as has been the custom.
The national board will meet tomorrow
morning to disentangle disputes over
drafted players. An appeal from the
Western league asking the board to re-
commend to the league some modification
of the drafting system will be discussed.

W. C. Temple, of Pittsburgh, who gave
the National League players the trophy
which bears his name, has announced
that he will be at the meeting to pro-
test against the abuses which have been
creeping more and more into the ranks
played for the cup. He says that in the
very first contest for the cup in 1891, be-
tween New York and Baltimore an im-
portant condition, that of the division
of the gate receipts, was violated, some
of the players instead of standing on the
provision of 60 per cent of the receipts to
the winners and 40 per cent to the losers,
agreeing to divide on a 50 per cent basis.

Mr. Temple says that he asked the
League to punish these players, but was
told to let the matter pass, that a simi-
lar offense would probably not be com-
mitted again.

Some club owners are opposed to the
Temple cup altogether, others are in
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Important International Questions to
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PREMIER VISITS WASHINGTON

Wants Reciprocity in Klondike—Behring Sea
Matters to Be Taken Up—Alien
Labor Laws.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The authorities
here have been advised that the arrival
tomorrow of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, pre-
mier of Canada; Sir Louis Davies, min-
ister of marine in the Laurier cabinet,
and other officials of the dominion, is to
have an important bearing, not only on
the Bering sea settlement, but on all
pending questions which have been the
sources of international complication be-
tween the United States and Canada.

He will suggest such mutual modifica-
tions of the present restrictions as in his
opinion may be of material advantage to
the thousands of Americans now in the
Klondike and the British Columbia Min-
ing Company's country, and which at
the same time will be of advantage to
Canada along its eastern borders.

Among the plans suggested for a settle-
ment settling the question is that of an
indemnity large enough to permit Cana-
da to buy out the sealers and retire them
from the business.

The co-operation of the United States
is desired in the plans of the Canadian
authorities to make an easy route to the
Klondike. The proposed route is by boat
from Fort Wrangell to Sticken river,
which is in the territory belonging to the
United States, and up Sticken via Tee-
lin lake to the Yukon river and thence
to the gold fields. As the Sticken river
is on American soil it is desired to over-
come any possible controversy, although
the treaty of Washington is said to
make the navigation of the river free to
Canadians and Americans alike. The
need of this route, under the patronage
of the dominion, is felt by the Canadian
premier to be imperative in order that
10,000 Australians may come to the Klon-
dike in the spring. A total of 15,000 col-
onists is expected to head that way.

In the matter of reciprocity the general
purpose of the negotiations will be to
give the United States the benefit of
the minimum clause of the present Can-
adian claims in exchange for the 20 per
cent reduction allowed under the Dingley
law.

CONDENSED TELEGRAPH.

The war department, on General
Wade's recommendation, has ordered the
abandonment of Fort Cutler, Mont.

Frank Kaufman, Charlie Johnson, and
Clara Ehrhart were burned to death yes-
terday in a fire in a bakery at Hos
Springs, Ark.

At Marshfield, Or., yesterday, Eddie
Carson fatally shot "Doc" Tucker; both
colored.

United States Fish Commissioner John
Brisson's report to the president shows the
successful introduction of salmon and
western trout into eastern streams. The
danger of destruction of Alaska salmon
is given as a reason for their cultiva-
tion east.

Andrew F. Bureleigh, the Seattle law-
yer, is president of a company with \$10-
00,000 capital, which let a contract yes-
terday to Moran Bros., Seattle, for the
building of 12 modern river steamers and
24 barges between now and spring. The
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