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THE AMERICAN IS THE CHAMPION OF ALL PARTISAN ORDERS—THE ORGAN OF NONE.

To President Harrison.—We know that we voice the sentiment of every patriotic citizen when we say we grieve with you in your great affliction. Your sorrow is shared by all.

We have received a letter from Dr. Duryea in which he says: "I am in the habit of telling the truth and have yet, in my long public life, to be convicted of intentional mis-statement."

Rev. J. D. Fulton, the celebrated anti-Roman lecturer has been in the city this week in attendance upon the Baptist convention. Before returning to Boston and the east he will deliver several lectures.

MAKE IT THOUSANDS.

Last Tuesday while in Omaha we visited the unimproved spot where the body of Mayor Miller of South Omaha was discovered by two little girls. The very surroundings of this spot make a man shudder.

Our friend is mild in his estimate of the amount Charlie Miller's friends will expend to capture and convict his murderers. We believe the public will advance at least \$2,000 to pay detectives and other necessary expenses.

If you do not want your name to appear in our columns as assisting in this search, you can so state in your letter forwarding your donation, or you can use a number as, "20 donates \$100," or "50, 10 encloses \$1.00" to be applied to the "Miller search fund," and we will so publish.

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If you desire to avoid writing a letter, use the following: AMERICAN PUBLISHING CO., Oct. 27, 1892. Enclosed you will find... to be used in helping to hunt down the murderers of Mayor Miller, of South Omaha. Please acknowledge receipt through the columns of THE AMERICAN, as being a contribution from No. Yours,

WE WILL TELL YOU WHY. We were asked why we did not say something last week about Mayor Miller's death. Well, we knew nothing to say. We believed him to have been murdered and still believe it, and yet we do not know why he should have been murdered.

It was committed by Roman Catholics in the same manner that they attempted to blacken the reputation of the editor of the American Tribune, a few months ago—because he was too prominent in the movement now making to save this country from the polluted grasp of the Roman hierarchy.

THE AMERICAN.

Once more. We are constrained to thank you for the magnificent support you give us. From every quarter come words of praise for THE AMERICAN. Your friends all over the country write us kind letters.

Mike's Confession. Now Mike was a 'cotter of very good parts. Yet only a poor church-going man. And he came to confess to the new parish priest.

Dr. Duryea in Boston. The announcement that Rev. Dr. Duryea, recently of the Boston school board, is seeking election to the school board of Omaha, occasions much surprise in this city, where his peculiar position and influence in our conflict with Roman Catholic intolerance is so well known.

An Unanswered Question. To Messrs. J. D. Keat, John Mayne or A. P. Leach.—Gentlemen: As the editors of the Republican have deserted you in your hour of trial, and declined to answer a plain, straightforward question, as members of the A. P. A., we desire to know, and we believe it to be a matter of general interest, your construction of the phrase "mental reservation in favor of the pope" as applied to Catholic citizens, which the Republican has stated is a part of the motto of your order, and which, we are informed, occurs in your oath of initiation? An early answer will oblige.—Harlan Tribune.

Americanism or Romanism? The ostentatious and almost servile homage and deference paid to the Roman Catholic dignitaries at the dedication of the Columbian Exposition, should not fail to arouse every loyal American citizen to the gravity of the situation. It plainly shows that Rome has got a decidedly strong foothold in this country, and that once again "Washington is in the lap of Rome."

Where Pat Walsh is Located. CLINTON, IOWA, Oct. 18th, 1892.—EDITOR AMERICAN:—In your issue of October 14th, I find an inquiry from West Liberty, Iowa, as to whether or not Patrick Welch was killed in Michigan because of his advocacy of Protestantism. I was about one year ago in communication with Mr. Welch who at that time was a resident of Schoolcraft, Michigan. He lectured at Davenport, Iowa, and a few days later gave three lectures here and while here his home, at Schoolcraft, was burned to the ground together with his fine library. He wrote me about his loss and stated that from the investigations made by him he had no doubt it was the work of a Papist sent from Davenport, Iowa.

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THE MEXICANS.

Mrs. T. H. Edmonson in a letter to the Times, New-Boston, from East Las Vegas, N. M., September 28, 1892, says in speaking of the Mexicans: Virtue and morality are unknown among them.

The Patriotic of Roman Catholics.—What Does It Amount to? All lovers of American institutions should not fail to hear Dr. Frank Crane's lecture Sunday evening, Oct. 30th, at 7:30 o'clock, at the First Methodist church, corner Davenport and Twentieth streets.

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