

## THE SECOND TRIAL.

**Brady, Dorsey & Co. Again Before the Court and Jury.**

**Judge Wylie Overrules All Motions Tending to Delay the Trial.**

**The Crime of Political Assessments Horrifics the Grave and Sedate Senators.**

**The Bankruptcy Bill and the Yellowstone Park Briefly Considered.**

**The Indian Appropriates Bill Passed by the House With a Single Amendment.**

**A Large Assortment of Interesting News.**

### CAPITAL NOTES

#### THE STAR HOTEL TRIAL.

WASHINGTON, December 7.—In the supreme court of the district, criminal term, this morning, all jurors summoned being in attendance, the district attorney announced the government ready to proceed in the case of the United States against Brady and others. Ingersoll submitted that on the ground of the illness of Stephen W. Dorsey the trial should be postponed. Judge Wylie overruled the motion. Ingersoll excepted to the ruling and asked time to go to his client's room and procure his signature to a paper, for which purpose recess was granted.

On reassembling of court, Wilson, for defense, read an affidavit signed by all defendants, that they cannot safely go to trial the present term because of the government trying to influence opinion against them, and that Judge Wylie is so biased against them as to be unable to fairly administer justice. Judge Wylie said the paper was insulting to the court. The motion for continuance on account of Dorsey's illness was refused, and the motion of Wilson, calling for bill particulars, was granted. The attorney general occupies a seat in the court.

**NOMINATIONS.**  
The president nominated for postmaster Charles E. French, at Santa Anna, California, and Commodore Edmund R. Calhoun, United States navy, to be rear admiral.

#### REVISING THE TARIFF.

The ways and means committee this morning unanimously adopted a resolution to proceed at once to the consideration of the tariff bill reported, and to frame a tariff bill. The clerk of the committee was directed to prepare a schedule of rates now existing and of those proposed by the members of the committee.

#### POLLOCK REINTEGRATED.

The order suspending Indian Inspector Pollock was revoked, and he has been ordered to report for duty.

#### PLACER CLAIMS.

Secretary Teller has modified his instructions to registrars, receivers and surveyors general, issued September 22, to read as follows: "No application by an association of persons for a patent to placer claims shall be allowed to embrace more than 160 acres, and not less than \$500 in value must be shown to have been expended upon or for the benefit of each separate location embraced in such application. If an individual becomes a purchaser and possessor of several separate claims of twenty acres each or less, he may be permitted to include in his application for patent any number of such claims contiguous to each other, not exceeding in the aggregate 160 acres, but upon or for the benefit of each original claim or location so embraced, he or his grantors must have expended the sum of \$500 in improvements."

#### BEN HALLIDAY'S CLAIM.

for postal service has been cut down to \$350,000 by the post office committee and comes before the senate as special order on Tuesday next.

#### BUYING BULLION.

The treasury department to day purchased 265,000 ounces of silver at a rate lower than for several years.

#### "ONE AND INSEPARABLE."

Secretary Folger decided an interesting question in connection with Chinese immigration to-day. A telegram was received from the collector at Portland, Oregon, to the effect that a Chinese man resident at that port had a wife and child at Victoria when he wanted to bring to his home in Portland. The collector asked for instructions in considering the case, took the status of the wife and child as the basis of his decision and was entitled to the same privileges on the theory that husband and wife are one and inseparable. The collector was accordingly notified to grant the desired permission.

#### AN OLD CLAIM SETTLED.

The collector of the treasury acted favorably upon offers on behalf of the representatives of Geo. Law and Marshall O. Robert, to pay the sum of \$1,049 each and cents in the compromise of the claim of the government against them for \$2,080 as sole securities on the official bond of Thos. Butler King, as collector of customs at San Francisco, dated Oct. 31, 1850. The sum of \$2,080 has been duly deposited, and the amount of costs deposited with the United States attorneys for the southern district of New York. King gave the district one referred to in which the present offer is made, and the other dated May 1st, 1851, with Jas. B. Palmer and P. Griffing as securities. On the first bond separate suits were com-

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#### Barbed Wire in Court.

CHICAGO, December 7.—The barbed wire fence litigation was resumed here to-day in the superior court. The Lock Stitch Fence company, of Joliet, Ill., filed a bill against the Washburn & Moen Manufacturing company and Isaac L. Edward, following in the works of the Chicago Galvanized Wire Fence company and the Crandall Manufacturing company, the former having already been granted a decree, holding the settlement with Jacob Hsieh fraudulent as to them, and putting them on a par as licensees with future royalties. The plaintiff received a preliminary injunction enjoining the cancellation of the Lock Stitch company's license or the collection of royalties pending litigation. The same company also sued the Washburn & Moen company and Edward in the same suit, claiming \$50,000 and \$100,000 for back royalties.

#### The Steel Trade.

PITTSBURGH, December 7.—This afternoon Secretary Martin, of the American steel association, received word from President Jarratt, who is at Chicago, that the conference between the Bessemer steel manufacturers of that place and their employees to fix the rate of wages for the next year, which has been indefinitely postponed. It is stated that the postponement is the result of a determination on the part of the managers to suspend operations after January 1st, until the report of the tariff commissioner has been acted upon. Pittsburgh manufacturers refuse to confirm or deny this report, while the employees believe their will be a suspension after the date mentioned.

#### The Triliner Tragedy.

LOUISVILLE, November 7.—Mrs. Triliner, so terribly cut by her husband yesterday, is still alive and there is a hope that she may recover. Nothing definite as to the cause of the deed has yet been learned, the mystery being greater than yesterday. One theory is that the husband and his wife were victims, not of the husband, but of a third party. The matter probably never will be cleared up unless Mrs. Triliner recovers. Triliner's funeral took place to-day.

#### Navy Yards and Spirits.

CHICAGO, December 7.—The government commission inspecting the navy yards was here to-day, and leaves for Florida to-day. A member of the commission stated the navy yards thus far visited cost the government about \$50,000,000 and would not sell for \$1,000,000. Dr. Rush leaves for Washington tomorrow to urge the passage of the bill to extend the bonded period on whisky in behalf of the western export association. Members may get it if they can get it they will not ask a reduction of tax at present.

#### Railroad Tax Shirkers.

NEW YORK, December 7.—Suit begun in the circuit court of the United States by the Manhattan and New York elevated railroad companies against the city of New York, to enforce collection of taxes imposed upon the roads. Temporary injunction was obtained. The case brings up the question whether one kind of property can be taxed at a higher rate than another, and whether double taxation is permissible under the constitution of the United States.

#### The Battle of Winchester.

COMOHO, N. H., December 7.—The veterans association of the Fourteenth regiment propose celebrating next year in the Shenandoah Valley the battle of Winchester, the scene of Sheridan's ride. Gen. Sheridan will be invited to be present.

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**And Agrees to Retire With Interest the Coming January.**

**A 'Complimentary' Remark on Millard by a Supreme Judge.**

**Political Plans and People Artistically Grouped in the Southwest.**

### HUMAN BUTCHERS.

#### Horrible Massacre of Americans and Mexicans in Chihuahua.

#### Over Thirty Men Slaughtered by Ju and His Band.

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ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., December 7.—Particulars have been received of the wholesale slaughter by Ju and his band near the town of Casa Grande, in Arago de Encarnillas, in the state of Chihuahua, of Americans and Mexicans. Ju and his band have been committing various depredations for some time past, and a few days ago went to the ranches of Jefe Politico, of Caltona, and Don Juan, of Candidrio, and stole many head of sheep and cattle. They also visited the ranches of other citizens and drove off many more. Jefe Politico and other sufferers gathered a band of about thirty men and started after the Indians. They came upon them before they knew Ju and his band were anywhere near. They were immediately surrounded by the Indians in Arago, and Politico, as soon as he saw the number of the band, which was over 200, dispatched one of his men for assistance, who managed to escape, arriving at Galliano. He got together about 70 men and started at once for the scene. Ju sent out a party who engaged in a fight with him, preventing them from joining Politico. The rescuers saw the slaughter, but could do nothing for their unfortunate friends. Every one of the pursuing party, with the exception of one man who went for succor, was butchered by the savages. They then retreated to Sierra Madre. When the friends of the unfortunate victims went to bury the dead they found not far from the spot where the massacre occurred the bodies of five Americans, who had fallen victims, too, to the Indians. Two of these Americans, it has been since learned, were from Grant county, New Mexico. Their names were James Biggs and W. McDowell. They had been in Chihuahua for some time purchasing cattle and were then on their way home to their families.

#### Another Account.

KANSAS CITY, December 7.—The Albuquerque, N. M., News has received an account of a terrible massacre of a party of Americans and Mexicans by Ju and his band of Apaches, near the town of Casagrande in Chihuahua. The Indians have been very active of late in predatory excursions, stealing and raiding. The settlers formed a party of about eight men and started in pursuit. They were surprised near Casagrande by Ju and his band, numbering 200, and completely surrounded. One of the party escaped through the lines and went to the settlements for aid and soon returned with a band of thirty men. The Indians, however, held the succeeding party at bay and meanwhile massacred the entire party which had been surprised. They then returned toward the mountains.

#### The Massacre at Grande.

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#### The Arctic Wave.

CHICAGO, December 7.—It was extremely cold last night and to-day, the wave extending over the whole northwest, the thermometer ranging last night from zero to fifteen below. Here it was eight below, early. The weather is generally bright, the snow fall being only two to four inches. It was a terrible night on the lake and several crafts were unable to make the harbor and were frozen up, the harbor being led over this morning.

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