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PORT ARTHUR HAS FALLEN

Great Chinese Stronghold with Its Immense Stores Captured.

REPORT COMES FROM CHINESE SOURCES

Eighteen Hours Fighting Preceded the Fall of the Great Fortress—Details of the Fight, Which Occurred Wednesday, Are Lacking.

CHEFOO, Nov. 23.—Dispatches have been received here stating that the Japanese captured Port Arthur on Wednesday last after eighteen hours' fighting.

The second Chinese-Japanese army, under the command of Field Marshal Count Oyama, minister of war, consisted of about 30,000 men, and when this force arrived off the Regent's Sword promontory, it was divided into two detachments, one of which, aided by part of the Japanese fleet, operated against Talien-Wan, while the other directed its movements against Kin-Chow, on the western side of the promontory, some miles north of Port Arthur. Talien-Wan and Kin-Chow were both captured, after which the army again combined and the march on Port Arthur was commenced. Several engagements of minor importance took place along the route, but according to the reports the Japanese were invariably successful. The roads leading northward from Port Arthur were supposed to have been mined by the Chinese, and the Japanese commands therefore declined to take the risk of marching along them. Consequently they were compelled to cut roads through the forests to allow the passage of their artillery, ammunition trains, etc. The march was thus necessarily slow. Dispatches received a few days ago stated that the Japanese were close to the city, and had attacked the Chinese outposts, driving them back to their entrenchments. It was also said that the Japanese attacked the entrenchment three times, but were repulsed each time. It is evident later attacks must have been made and that the outposts were compelled to fall back upon Port Arthur. Several times the town is reported to have been captured, but later dispatches have shown these reports were inaccurate and that the Japanese were conducting their operations against the place with great care. Chee Foo from which place the dispatch announcing the fall of Port Arthur is sent, is a Chinese city on the north cost of Shang Tung promontontory, some ninety miles south of Port Arthur, from which it is separated by the gulf of Pe-Chi-Li.

JAPANESE MAKE FOR NANKING.

Mikado Has an Army on the Way to China's Southern Capital.

YOKOHAMA, Nov. 23.—The minister of finance has announced a further war loan of 50,000,000 yen in 5's, making 80,000,000 yen of the 100,000,000 yen authorized by Parliament for war purposes.

The third army has left Ujilaon aboard the transports. The destination of this army is not known, but it is rumored that it is intended to operate in the Yang-Tse-Kiang districts of China. The Yang-Tse-Kiang river has a total course of 2,500 to 3,000 miles and drains with its numerous large affluents all the central provinces of China. The tide ascends it to Lake Poyang, 450 miles from the sea, beyond which it is navigable for 250 miles. It may be navigated for 200 miles from its mouth by ships of the largest class. Coal is plentiful in many places along its banks and about ninety miles from its mouth is situated the southern capital of China, Nanking, one of the most important cities of the empire. Nanking is the center of a very extensive trade and by the great canal which crosses the Yang-Tse-Kiang river about fifty miles eastward of the city it communicates directly with Peking. Nanking is also the residence of a grand viceroy who has authority over the Kiang province, it is a great military depot and the chief seat of literature in the Chinese empire. The Yang-Tse-Kiang river opposite Nanking is one-and-a-half miles broad and twenty-five fathoms deep. The part of the city occupied by the Manchoos is separated by a cross wall from the Chinese town and the great extent of this wall renders the defense of the city difficult. Besides it is overlooked from the hills on the east. A deep canal or ditch runs up from the river directly under the walls of Nanking on the west, serving to strengthen the approaches on that side. On the east side there are three gates and the land toward the river is marshy. Consequently the gates are approached on stone causeways. The most remarkable structure in Nanking was the porcelain tower termed by the Chinese the recompensing favor monastery, built 1411-32, which was pre-eminent above all other similar buildings in China for its completeness and elegance. The tower was of an octagonal form and 261 feet high. In the interior were apartments richly gilded and otherwise elaborately adorned. It was constructed of a kind of white brick made of fire clay. The entire cost of the edifice was estimated at from $35,000,000 to $40,000,000. This great tower was destroyed by Tae Pings, during whose occupation of Nanking, 1853-64, the city suffered much. Nanking has important manufactures of crepe, satin of the finest quality, paper, artificial flowers, China or India ink and gives its name to the well known "nankeen" cotton cloth, which is also made throughout the whole province.

In 1852 the British forces remained before Nanking from August 10 to August 29, on which last day the final treaty between China and England was signed and ratified. In 1853 the Tae Pings took Nanking by assault and made it their capital. It was bombarded by the British and stormed and captured by the imperialists in 1864. By treaty it is an open port.

HAVING FUN WITH GRESHAM.

English Press Much Elated Over the Japanese Refusal of Mediation.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The English newspapers attach great importance to the mission of Dietering, the commissioner of imperial customs at Tien-Tsin, who, as exclusively cabled to the Associated press yesterday afternoon, has left China for Japan in order to arrange terms of peace.

The Globe this afternoon, commenting upon Dietering's departure for Japan, says that it confirms the reported rejection of the mediation of the United States, which was also announced exclusively by the Associated press. "In spite of the Washington reports that the negotiations would be conducted by the minister at Tokio," the Daily News, referring to the same subject, says, "the peace commissioner was not sent a moment too soon. But he can hardly hope to reach Japan before the Japanese forces close up on Port Arthur for the last decisive struggle."

The rumors which have reached here from Washington to the effect that Great Britain is supporting or co-operating with the United States in the attempt being made to mediate between China and Japan are declared in official circles here to be altogether incorrect. The United States government is understood to have acted entirely upon its own initiative and with complete independence of the powers. On the other hand the foreign office is not displeased to see the United States fail after Great Britain's snubbing in a similar attempt. The present attitude of England in regard to the war between China and Japan is one of complete inaction. She is awaiting developments, especially as advices have been received from Japan which show that she is not likely to listen to any peace overtures at the present time, as she is prepared to carry on a winter campaign.

Mexico Playing a Waiting Game.

CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 23.—The press here is publishing sensational stories of the probability of war, but from reliable sources it is known that Mexico has determined to await the arrival of the Guatemalan minister, already enroute, more so as no Guatemalan troops are left in Mexican territory and Mexico has her entire frontier covered.

LEAVING PORT ARTHUR BEHIND.

Count Oyama Marching a Large Force of Soldiers to the North.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 23.—A portion of Count Oyama's army is marching northward through the Liao-Tung promontory. After reaching Niu-Chwang it is said that Field Marshal Oyama's destination will be Shan-Hai-Kwan, the terminus of the railroad to Tien-Tsin.

HIROSHIMA, Nov. 23.—A steamer which has arrived here from Maji reports that no assault had been made upon Port Arthur up to November 10. Two interpreters and one war correspondent, who were following the Japanese army have been captured and killed by the Chinese.

Mainly a Matter of Conjecture.

ROME, Nov. 23.—In regard to the statement circulated by a news agency that the belief is expressed here that Mgr. Lorenzelli, the papal nuncio to the Netherlands, will be appointed apostolic delegate to the United States to succeed Mgr. Satolli, the matter is mainly conjecture. It is stated on good authority that Rev. Father Bookervice, rector of the United States college at Rome, will succeed Rev. Father Papi as secretary to the apostolic delegation at Washington.

Queen Lil's Mission to Europe.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Judge Weldeman, who was sent on a mission to England by ex-Queen Liliuokalani, has finished his visit here and gone to Germany, from which country he will return to Hawaii via Bremen and New York. The judge has not met with success.

Trent Canal Contracts Let.

OTTAWA, Nov. 23.—Two of the Trent canal contracts have been awarded. Andrew Onderdonk of Chicago secures one at $475,000 and Hogan & McDonald of Montreal the other. The minister of railways and canals will insist upon the contractors employing only Canadian labor on the works.

Woman Defeated a Duke.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The result of the election for members of the London school board will not be known until late. Miss Davenport Hill has defeated the duke of Newcastle in the city by 8,000 votes.

DESTRUCTIVE MISSISSIPPI STORM.

Many Houses Damaged but No Lives Reported Lost.

MERIDIAN, Miss., Nov. 23.—Meridian was visited this afternoon about 3 o'clock by a destructive storm. The wind, accompanied by rain, came from the northwest and wrought considerable damage to buildings, fences and shade trees. The stores of Joseph Raum & Son, W. S. Harris & Bro., A. J. Peck, the Meridian foundry and machine shops, the sash and blind factory, were all damaged, some of them to such an extent as to entail serious injury to buildings and goods. At the Central school house, which stands on an eminence in the north central part of the city, two of the large towers were almost demolished and other damage done. Many residences in the northern part of the city were damaged.

A report is current here tonight that the town of Newton, on the Alabama & Vicksburg railroad, has been swept away, but full particulars of the storm's work cannot be secured tonight. The wires in the city have been blown down and so badly tangled that communication from that source is practically cut off.

PREPARING FOR A FIGHT.

Amalgamated Association Will Back the Niedringhaus Strikers.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—Thomas Hanley, vice president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron Workers, is in the city and has taken charge of the strike at the Niedringhaus tin plate mills. Today he addressed some 150 of the strikers and their friends. He assured them the Amalgamated association would extend every assistance, financially and otherwise, to the mill employes, both union and nonunion, in their present fight. Mr. Hanley denied the statement made by Mr. Niedringhaus that eastern mills had reduced the scale of wages and that the St. Louis mills could not be successfully operated at the old scale. He said he was confident the men would ultimately score a great victory. The company have a number of applications for work from men who are said to be skilled workmen, but so far are only working a single mill, and that only part of the time.

Credit the Story of an Uprising.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Nov. 23.—The Associated press dispatches from San Francisco intimating a probable uprising of the royalists in Hawaii to overthrow the present government and place Queen Liliuokalani on the throne receives part confirmation in this city. A well known and responsible ship broker, who requested his name withheld for the present, made the statement today that he knew of his own personal knowledge that large quantities of firearms and ammunition had been recently shipped clandestinely to Hawaii on lumber vessels.

Ask America to Intercede.

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 23.—The agitation in the city in behalf of the Armenians in their native land has taken the shape of an appeal to Secretary Gresham asking him to protest the statements of Minister Movreyeni, the Turkish representative at Washington. The government is further asked to fairly investigate the conditions in Armenia, the petitioners having such confidence in the American love of justice that they believe that if the facts are known this nation will take steps to end what they term the tyranny of Turkey.

First Catholic Judge in North Carolina.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—A special dispatch from Raleigh, N. C., to the Post says: For the first time in the history of North Carolina a Roman Catholic has been elected a judge of the state superior court in the person of W. S. O'B. Robinson, the republican-populist nominee for the Raleigh district. It is said, too, Mr. Robinson will be the first Roman Catholic to hold a state office of any kind in the state.

Sheriff Shot by Outlaws.

WICHITA, Kan., Nov. 23.—A dispatch to the Eagle says Sheriff Tom McGee of Hemphill county, in the Panhandle of Texas, was shot and wounded tonight by three outlaws, who held up the agent of the Santa Fe at Canadian City and were proceeding to rob the depot when McGee, who is a brave man, arrived upon the scene. The outlaws escaped.

Leading Architect Commits Suicide.

TOLEDO, Nov. 23.—Joseph A. Beck, a leading architect of this city, committed suicide this afternoon. His body was found hanging to a tree in the woods fully five miles from the city. What led Beck to take his life is not known, as he was supposed to be prosperous in his business and entirely free from any domestic unhappiness.

Militia Officers Testify.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 23.—At the Coit court of inquiry today Lieutenant Baker testified that he covered a rioter with a revolver, who drew a similar weapon to shoot Colonel Coit. Sergeant Auld and Private Capell testified they were dragged around the corner of the court house and threatened with lynching.

Dynamite Dried Out.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 23.—While some workmen at the new water works reservoir were trying to dry some wet dynamite sticks today a frightful explosion occurred. Joseph Haskins was instantly killed, Frank Ridley fatally injured and two others badly hurt; all colored.

Gould-Sage Case Set for December.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Hearings of the Soldiers' Orphans' home of St. Louis against Russell Sage and the heirs of the late Jay Gould, to compel the return of about $11,000,000 in bonds of the Texas Pacific Railroad company, was today set down for December 7 by Surrogate Fitzgerald.

Overdue Steamer Arrives.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The White Star line steamer Bovic, from Liverpool, November 9, which was reported as being four days overdue, has passed in at Sandy Hook.

ANDERSON'S LIFE IN DANGER

Fargo Citizens Greatly Incensed at the Hirschfield Witness.

POLICE FORCE STANDS GUARD OVER HIM

Plaintiff Put on the Stand Yesterday and Tells Her Story of the Marriage—Identified Letters and Telegrams Sent to Her.

FARGO, N. D., Nov. 23.—Chief of Police Barnes and several of his men kept guard at the hotel until all danger of trouble was passed last evening. A crowd of angry citizens hung about the place until a late hour muttering threats against Anderson, the witness who gave revolting testimony in the Hirschfield case yesterday. Today Judge McConnell issued an order for his protection and gave warning in court that any one doing him violence would be given the full penalty of the law. Anderson is still in hiding. The rumor that Aaron Hirschfield would be put on the stand to testify in his own behalf drew a great crowd to the court room today. Hirschfield was kept on the stand all day.

He testified to having been overworked as cashier at Helena during and since the panic of 1893 and that he could not concentrate his thoughts upon any one subject. He told of the defendant's visiting him at the bank, having a check cashed, and asking him to obtain a situation for her sister as stenographer, and said she next called at his rooms over the bank on Sunday and asked about the situation. She stayed about an hour and at that time he became criminally intimate with her. She frequently visited him after that time. He paid her from $1,000 to $2,000 during six months time. She charged him with being the father of her unborn child, made threats as to what her brothers would do, and one night two men jumped out of an alley on a side street and told him that they would kill him unless he married the girl. He agreed to do so and afterward fulfilled his promise. They made an agreement of settlement at that time, but he lost his pocketbook during that trip and it contained this paper among other things.

Feeling is running high here and the defendant has many sympathizers, while the plaintiff has some strong supporters. The case is exciting the city far more than any ever tried here before.

Numerous letters and telegrams from the witness to Miss Hogan were shown by defense. Hirschfield admitted the authorship of them, but claimed they were sent to appease the young lady and prevent exposure. Witness said the reason he had registered Miss Hogan at Chicago was that his mind was too weak to resist when she requested. Hirschfield, during his testimony, was nervous and perspired freely. During the entire day Mrs. Hirschfield scarcely moved her eyes from his face and the steady gaze annoyed him.

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DIVVER MAY BE REMOVED.

New York's Police Judge Charged with Bribery and Malfeasance.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Patrick Divver, police justice of the city of New York, may be compelled to show cause why he should not be deprived of his judicial functions. A petition with that end in view has been lodged with Joseph F. Daly, chief judge of the court of common pleas. The petition alleges on information and belief that Divver is habitually careless, negligent and inefficient in the discharge of the duties of his office, that he has been guilty of malfeasance in office, that he has scandalously and disgracefully offered bribes to secure the falsification of election returns, that he has been in conspiracy and collusion with green goods swindlers and that he has engaged in public brawls, to the degradation of his office and his own personal disfigurement. The petition is signed by five taxpayers of this city, of whom one is Isaac K. Funk, the publisher, and another Charles E. Sprague, president of the Union Dime Savings bank. The petitioners do not represent any organization, but are acting in their individual capacity. The law provides that charges against a police justice may be tried publicly before the judges of the court of common pleas. Divver was appointed a police justice by Mayor Hugh J. Grant. It is not on record that he had practiced or read law, being at the time of his appointment the keeper of a saloon on Park row. The pay of a police justice is $8,000 a year.

Denies the Story of the Bribe.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 23.—State Geologist W. S. Blatchley, the new republican official, denies today the truth of a story printed in a morning paper alleging that he had received $2,000 for appointing a Terre Haute man to the position of state oil inspector. The Terre Haute man would not receive the appointment. Mr. Blatchley said, however, that he had been approached by certain republicans, presumably prominent, and offered sums of money if he would allow them to name the men for the offices of oil, gas and mine inspectors. Mr. Blatchley refused to give names.

Indians Proved an Alibi.

EL RENO, Okl., Nov. 23.—The trial of Roman Nose and Little Thunder, two Cheyenne Indians, for the murder of William Breeding in "G" county during the Cheyenne war last spring, closed tonight. Chief Hill, a witness for the defense, acknowledged to having done the killing. The defendants proved an alibi by Indian witnesses and an acquittal is expected. The Indian department has issued orders to the Cheyennes and Arapahoes that they must go upon their several allotments and reside hereafter. This will be very distasteful and will likely have the effect of retarding the sale and allotment of lands in other reservations.

Chicago Day at the Cotton Palace.

WACO, Tex., Nov. 23.—This was "Chicago day," styled so on account of the presence at the Cotton palace of 100 or more representative business men of that city. After the mayor's address of welcome President Stayden of the palace association introduced Mr. McLighter, vice president of the Chicago Board of Trade, who spoke briefly. James S. Norton of Chicago, Hon. E. P. Lacey, ex-comptroller of the United States treasury, Colonel P. T. Turnley of Chicago and ex-Congressman Adams of Illinois also spoke. The special train which arrived with the party this morning will leave early tomorrow morning for Galveston.

Prof. Mason in Search of His Father.

DENVER, Nov. 23.—Prof. Mason of the Agricultural college at Manhattan, Kan., arrived in Denver today in search of his father, who left Logan, Utah, November 15 for Manhattan, Kan., over the Union Pacific road and has not been heard of since. As he is 65 years old and quite feeble his son fears some accident has befallen him. At noon today it was learned that a man answering the description of Mr. Mason left the train at Mirage, Colo., while the engine was taking water. Afterward the man was seen at Deer Trail, and it is believed that he is now wandering about in the eastern part of the state.

Challenged A. P. A. Jurors.

DENVER, Nov. 23.—Attorneys for Patrick Phillips, a Catholic about to be tried for murder, today challenged four jurors who acknowledged they were members of the American Protective association. The jurors swore they had no prejudice whatever against Catholics and the court overruled the challenges.

Mrs. Harris Had Planted the Money.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 23.—The strong box in the Merchants Storage and Banking company which was rented by Mrs. Harris, the alleged Pennsylvania Land and Lumber company swindler, was forced open by an expert today. The order under which it was opened was granted by Judge Stone of the common pleas court upon the application of Attorney Dellebaugh. The box was full of greenbacks and gold, the former tied up in packages of $5, $10 and $100 bills, and the gold was in a woman's stocking. The exact amount of money in the box was found to be $19,500.

CLAIM FUNDS WERE SQUANDERED.

Some Sensational Charges Growing Out of the Iron Hall Receivership.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 23.—It is probable that the allowances in the Iron Hall receivership will be investigated, and preliminary steps have been taken to secure the court's action on the matter. It will come before Judge Masters of the superior bench, who has just succeeded Judge Winters, who made the allowances. It is reported that a petition reciting the facts and alleging extravagance, excessive payments to both receiver and attorneys, pay for services that were unnecessary and inexpedient, and failure to account for a large interest in the deposits in bank has been prepared and will be presented to the court. The removal of Mr. Farley as receiver and reduction of expenses generally will be asked. Daniel W. Howe, attorney for the defendants in the Iron Hall litigation, has filed a petition of a special nature before the supreme court. It protests against the indulgence shown by the court to the attorneys for the appellees and the permission allowed them to take the papers off the files and keep them. The petition concludes as follows: "If what the daily papers report is true, the fund in controversy has been plundered in open court, in the court below, while this appeal has been hanging fire here, but there is still, it seems, over $700,000 cash in the hands of the receiver, which is worth saving for my clients. I again insist that this court order the papers returned to the files and ask that it keep them until the appeal is decided."

The supreme court ordered the papers returned on or before Monday, November 26. Mr. Howe said that he is not interested at present in the petition to reconsider the allowances, or to recover fees from the attorneys.

BILL COOK MUST BE CAPTURED.

Marshal Crump and Deputies Will Keep on His Trail Night and Day.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—It has been decided that the present situation in the Indian Territory is not such as to warrant the secretary of war calling out United States troops, and the authorities in the territory have been so notified. This, however, does not mean that the government is to abandon or in any way relax its efforts to bring the Cook gang of outlaws to justice. On the contrary, United States Marshal Crump of Arkansas, who has made a reputation for himself in dealing with the tough element in the southwest, will continue with increased vigor his pursuit of the marauders, and it is believed he has instructions which have given him authority for the employment of deputies, and that he will not fail in his mission. The presence of any considerable military force, it is not doubted, would have a salutary effect in quieting the fears of the inhabitants, yet it is thought it might defeat the ends desired by scattering the outlaws and thus making their capture difficult, if not impossible. Marshal Crump, with a force of deputies, will pursue the same tactics as are followed in fighting Indians. They will keep on their trail night and day until they are exhausted.

CAN TRY THE DOCTOR'S SCHEME.

May Soon Be Demonstrated Whether Electrocution Actually Kills.

ALBANY, Nov. 23.—In conversation today over the much talked of experiment of resuscitation in the case of an electrocuted criminal, a high state official, who for obvious reasons does not wish his name to appear in connection with the article, said he did not see why this experiment could not be performed under the law, notwithstanding the attorney general's opinion to the contrary. Dr. Gibbons of Syracuse, who wishes to attempt the resuscitation, said he could be invited by Warden Stout as a witness. After the current has passed through the body of the criminal Dr. Gibbons could be appointed one of three to conduct a post-mortem, which is, of course, to ascertain whether or not the man is dead. Instead of using the knife, continued the official, the plan of Dr. Gibbons should then be followed out. This is plainly more humane than proceeding with the surgeon's knife if the supposition is entertained that the subject may not have been killed by the shock.

PROGRESS OF THE LITTLE TRIAL.

Witnesses Testify to Threats Made by Johnson.

OLATHE, Kan., Nov. 23.—In the A. W. Little trial today Mayor Barnes, J. O. Fife and a number of prominent citizens testified to Little's good and peaceable character, while a score of others testified that Johnson, the victim, had a good reputation. Mayor Drought stated that in a conversation with Johnson a few days before the killing Johnson said of a coal deal that if the other party beat him he would kill him, showing his revolver. George Phanstiel testified that shortly before the killing Johnson told the witness that if Little crossed his path he would put daylight through him, and exhibited the pistol with which he said he would do it. Frank Pitman said that in a conversation just before the killing Johnson said that there was not a blacker-hearted man on the streets than Little, and if he ever crossed his path he would put daylight through him.

No Recommendation for Mercy.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 23.—John Craig was found guilty of murder in the first degree today. No recommendation for judicial clemency accompanied the verdict, and the court announced that sentence would be passed December 12. Craig, who was an ex-police officer, shot and killed his wife several months ago and seriously wounded his daughter. Then he repaired to the house of his father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter, and, without the slightest warning, also murdered the defenseless old couple, he having vowed that he would wipe his entire family from the face of the earth. He then made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide. It was with difficulty that the officers prevented a lynching.

No News of the Holdup at Austin.

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 23.—Nothing is known of the contemplated holdup of the Texas Pacific train at Strawn, Tex., tonight save a telegram sent here yesterday by Colonel Hunter of the Texas Pacific road at Fort Worth to the adjutant general's department, stating that they were anticipating a holdup at Strawn, Tex., tonight of a train carrying money to their coal mines to pay off hands. Captain McDonald of the Texas Rangers, with a few Rangers, left at once for Fort Worth to take passage on the train that is in danger.

Sunday Theatrical Contracts Illegal.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—Suit having been brought by the Robertson Opera House company against the Wilbur Opera company for damages for breach of contract in failing to appear in that house, Judge Smith of the superior court immediately dismissed the case because the papers show that the contract called for performances on Sunday, a fact which the court said made the contract clearly illegal under the statutes.

Musician's Strange Plea.

DAYTON, O., Nov. 23.—Max Cripprich, a musician in the Soldiers' Home band, pleaded guilty in the common pleas court to stealing jewelry and money from the residence where he roomed, but advanced in extenuation the strange plea that he had practiced on the oboe and that that instrument had a tendency to make the player insane. He was given the minimum sentence of one year.

General McClernand Resting Easier.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 23.—General John A. McClernand did not rest so well last night, but is resting easy today. His physician this morning removed a part of the core of the carbuncle, which he intends to extract by pieces. It will probably be two or three days before all the carbuncle is removed, and after that the only danger lies in blood poisoning setting in.

VICTIMS BY THE SCORE

Jarsolar R. Jugl, Noted Swindler, Finally Run Down in Iowa.

CHARGED WITH WHOLESALE CROOKEDNESS

As an Insurance Solicitor He Traveled Over the Country and Embezzled Funds When the Opportunity Occurred—Methods of the Man.

DES MOINES, Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Julius Berock was arrested a few weeks ago on the charge of embezzling $400 from the Metropolitan Life Insurance company agency here. Today he was identified as a noted swindler, wanted in Canada, Cleveland, Chicago, Richmond, Peoria, St. Louis, Topeka, Lincoln and Davenport. He is a Bohemian and his right name is Jarsolar R. Jugl. He is wanted under that name in Toronto by John R. Hegerman, president of the Metropolitan Life insurance, for embezzlement. Under the name of Charles J. Vonjugl he is wanted at Cleveland by the Cleveland Guarantee and Loan company for whom he worked in July, 1881. He is next wanted in Chicago, where he worked under his real name for the Equitable Life and under the name of R. S. Adler for Leverus Hall, of 142 Dearborn street, as agent for the Metropolitan Insurance company. He is also wanted by Knodelisk & Nodenisk, pawnbrokers of Chicago, with whom he did business as Charles Bodensky. At Richmond, Va., the Progressive Endowment Guild of America wants him as Charles Von Jugl. At Peoria he is wanted as Charles Bodensky by M. M. Messinger of the Providential Insurance company. At St. Louis he is wanted by J. H. Mehan of 4227 Garfield avenue, an installment house, under the name of Charles Bodensky. At Topeka he did business as Rudolph J. Yougal and is wanted by J. E. Halsted of the Phoenix Life Insurance company. He is wanted at St. Louis again by A. Alberty, keeper of an installment house at 4005 Kossus street. He did business with Alberty under the name of Charles Bodensky. In Des Moines he was Julius Berock, and was employed by the Metropolitan Insurance company. At Chicago he has a wife, who lives at the home of his brother, a veterinary surgeon named J. S. Jugl, at 902 West Twelfth street.

He married a woman in Lincoln, Neb., and she is now in Des Moines with her child. The extent of his embezzlements cannot be estimated. He went from here four weeks ago to St. Louis and thence to Davenport, where he was arrested under the name of Charles Jodensky. At Topeka he got away with $900 from J. E. Halsted. The Chicago people suffered more severely.

The man talks several languages and is fastidious in his dress. His wife, to whom he represented that he was divorced from his Chicago wife, is an educated and refined woman. He will be tried here and then taken to Topeka.

DENOUNCED AS A FRAUD.

Judge Horton of Chicago Talks Plain Concerning a Loan Company.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The North American Deposit and Investment company of Dubuque, Ia., was severely denounced by Judge Horton in open court today. The methods of the company were declared to be fraudulent and its officers pronounced swindlers, while the court expressed an opinion that its organization has been effected for the purpose of preying upon the innocent. The company is one of the largest loan and investment concerns in the country, having a capital stock of $25,000,000. While the company was incorporated in Iowa and has its main offices in Dubuque, the chief officers, Samuel R. House, president, and Lyman E. Page, secretary are residents of this city. The subject matter for Judge Horton's criticism was contained in the facts brought out on the trial of a chancery matter, in which Carolina Humphries and her husband, Joseph Humphries, a colored couple, formerly residing in Atlanta, Ga., were complainants. The evidence given in court was to the effect that Humphries and his wife wished to obtain a loan of $1,200 on property worth $2,500. They were induced to sign papers which they were told constituted a mortgage, but which in reality amounted to an absolute warranty deed. The old colored people never received but $500 in cash, the balance of the $1,200 being given to them in the shape of stock in the company. Judge Horton ordered a reconveyance of the property, and ordered the cancellation of the $1,200 note executed by the Humphries on the return of the cash which they had received and the stock of the company. In giving his decision the court was very severe on Edgard W. Duncan of Dubuque, the attorney of the concern, who is also cashier of a bank in that city, and wound up his decision by declaring the company was gotten up for the purpose of perpetrating frauds upon the people with whom is dealt.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Nov. 23.—The North American Investment and Deposit company was organized here by Isaac Bates of St. Paul. While his capital stock was fixed at $25,000,000, it never had anything approaching such a sum, nor, in fact, anything at all. Bates is said to have admitted that the business of the concern was based on expectations. The company has no office here, nor has it had for a year. Edgar W. Duncan, the attorney, is now a resident of Salt Lake City, where he is cashier of a prominent bank.

HORSEWHIPPED BY WOMEN.

H. H. Himebaugh of Webster City, Ia., Attacked by Infuriated Females.

WEBSTER CITY, Ia., Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—H. H. Himebaugh, an insurance man of this city, was publicly whipped this afternoon on Second street, the principal business street of the town, by Mrs. Barney Kelly and her sister, Miss Clark. The parties to the horsewhipping are all prominent here, the husband of Mrs. Kelly and Mr. Himebaugh both being leading insurance men. Mrs. Kelly and her sister claim Himebaugh circulated scandalous stories about them, while the latter claims the horsewhipping was merely the outcome of an old quarrel between the lady's husband and himself over insurance matters.

Wants His Wyrk Divided.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—There is considerable interest at this time in Episcopal church circles over the proposal for the appointment of an assistant bishop for the diocese of Iowa. Bishop Perry declares he can no longer attend to the wants of the entire diocese, and the matter will be settled at the church convention to be held at Des Moines next month. The consent of the requisite number of bishops and standing committees has been obtained for such appropriations, and all that remains is the assurance of enough additional funds to meet the requirements. The additional Episcopal supervision has prepared a special appeal regarding this matter and sent to the different parishes in the state. It is thought no trouble will be experienced in securing the amount required. Rev. Thomas E. Green, rector of Grace Episcopal church of this city, has been prominently mentioned for assistant bishop.

Iowa's New State Printer Ready for Work.

DES MOINES, Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Hon. F. R. Canawan, state printer elect and A. B. Shaw of the Coming Union this afternoon closed negotiations by which they acquire the job printing plant of the Merdith Printing company, formerly known as the Olsen & Welsh job office. The plant is a very complete and well selected and with the addition of another press and special type, will answer every purpose required by Conaway and Shaw for doing the state printing. Thenew plant will begin operations January 1.

Alleged Bank Robber Captured.

CRESTON, Ia., Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Local officers last night captured a man supposed to have been connected with the Malvern bank robbery in which $3,000 was obtained. The fellow was arrested at a house of ill-fame. He has been in the city several weeks, and has frequently mentioned the Malvern robbery. He made a terrible resistence when arrested, and will not talk. The description of one of the robbers fits the prisoner exactly, and officers are confident they have the right party.

Iowa's Official Vote.

DES MOINES, Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—The official returns of the vote of the state at the recent election have been received by the secretary of state and show the following totals of the vote for secretary of state: McFarland (rep.), 229,330; Dale (dem.), 150,757; Crane (pop.), 34,859; Mitchell (prohib.), 7,447; total, 422,393; McFarland's plurality, 78,573; McFarland's majority, 36,267.

The official count by the state executive council occurs December 6, but these figures will not be changed.

Unknown Man Killed.

RED OAK, Ia., Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—An unknown man was struck by No. 12 tonight in the Red Oak yards. He lived two hours. Medical aid was called, but nothing could be done. He was about 31 years old, about 5 feet 8 inches high, wore dark coat and vest, dark striped pants and gaiters and dark cotton shirt. Had postoffice receipt in his pocket book for box No. 2 until January, from Tiffin, Ia.

Hotel Thief Sentenced.

CRESTON, Ia., Nov. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—B. Conley was sentenced by Judge Tedford today in the district court to serve four years in the penitentiary for robbing a Creston hotel. Conley had been out of the penitentiary but a few months.

KNIGHTS OF LABOR ADJOURN.

Salary of the Master Workman Reduced One Thousand Dollars.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 23.—The Knights of Labor will wind up their session today. At the session this morning a resolution was adopted protesting against the issue of new bonds by the United States government and characterizing the issue as a fraud and an outrage upon the toiling masses in flagrant violation of existing laws and intended solely in the interest of the money powers and bondholding aristocracy. A resolution favoring the amalgamation of all brewing associations into one organization of the Knights of Labor was referred to the executive board. The recommendation that the surface railroad employes of New York be reunited in one body of the Knights of Labor was adopted. The common appeals and grievance committee made its report.

The general assembly finally adjourned this afternoon. The next convention will be held in Washington in November, 1895. Previous to final adjournment Grand Master Workman Sovereign called Kenney of the executive board to the chair and took the floor. Mr. Sovereign then moved that the salary of the general master workman be reduced from $3,500 to $2,500. The motion was unanimously carried. The delegates will begin leaving this evening for their homes. The members of the executive board will remain in the city until the work left on their hands has been attended to.

EXPLOSION CAUSED A FIRE.

One Building Wrecked and a Block of Buildings Quickly Gutted.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 23.—An explosion at 3:30 this morning in the electro plating and electric repair shop of B. Dubienski, wrecked the building and started a very quick burning fire which gutted the block containing the Dubienski plant, the Fort Wayne Electrical company's plant and a large steam laundry owned by T. P. Gray. The damage to the laundry is $25,000; no insurance. Loss to Dubienski, about $10,000; insurance, $1,800; Fort Wayne company, $7,500; no insurance.

Gambling Plea Did Not Go.

TOLEDO, Nov. 23.—A case was decided in common plea court today of much interest to the grain trade. A man named Miller took a fly in wheat speculation on the Toledo produce exchange, Southworth & Co. being his brokers. He lost $3,000 by his operations and brought suit against the firm for that amount on the ground that dealing in options is gambling, and hence contrary to the state law. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendants on the ground that there was no cause for action.

Two Children Cremated.

TRINIDAD, Colo., Nov. 23.—Today Mrs. Martino, living at Hastings, eighteen miles from here, left her two children, aged 2 and 4 years, alone in the house to go on an errand. The house took fire and burned to the ground, cremating both of the children.

Gibson Will Be Buried Monday.

TIFFIN, O., Nov. 23.—The funeral of the late General W. H. Gibson will occur next Monday at noon and will be conducted under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic. The body will lie in state for two hours preceding the funeral.

Prisoners Refused Bail.

GUTHRIE, Okl., Nov. 23.—Chief Justice Dale has refused to grant bail to Captain I. J. Scott, Sheriff Gill, President Armstrong and Don Bressman, charged with complicity in the murder of Steven Penasaw in the Pottawatomie coutnry.

One of the Cook Gang Captured.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Nov. 23.—Alexander, one of the outlaws who was with the Cook gang in the Correta train robbery, was captured this morning near Tulsa by one of Marshal Crump's deputies.

Archbishop Chappelle Improving.

SANTA FE, N. M., Nov. 23.—Archbishop Chappelle's condition continues to show improvement, but it will be several days before his friends feel that he is entirely out of danger.

Little Left for Creditors.

GUTHRIE, Okl., Nov. 23.—The failure of Jacobs & Co.'s Boston store is disastrous. The assets are about $7,400, with liabilities amounting to $72,000.

Spokane Bank Closes.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 23.—The Brown National bank closed its doors today.

Movements of Seagoing Vessels Nov. 23.

At New York—Arrived—State of California, from Glasgow; Bovic, from Liverpool.

At Queenstown—Arrived—Campania, from New York.

At Liverpool—Arrived—Virginia, from Glasgow.

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