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Porter's Presence of Mind Doubtless Prevented a Catastrophe.

DID GREAT DAMAGE TO PROPERTY

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Morgan lost law. The slightly doubtful appearance of the attack must have been formidable... THURGOOD WILL TELL Important Testimony for Grand Jury at New York Police Corruption.

AFTER ANOTHER OFFICIAL

South Dakota's Legislature Gets Third Man in the Great Conspiracy.

PUBLIC EXAMINER MEYERS SUSPECTED

He Had Knowledge of Taylor's Misconduct as Well as that of Ruth, but Made No Effort to Bring Either to an Accounting.

WHO WILL GET THE BLOCK

Question that is Agitating Some Twenty Thousand Minds at Present.

SHREWD SCHEME OF A LINCOLN MAN

He is Working a Plan to Make Several Thousand Dollars Clear with but Little Risk to Himself or His Backers.

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PARIS, Jan. 14.—A bomb explosion occurred about midnight in front of 65 Rue Monceau.

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The bomb is described as being of the reversible sort, chiefly charged with dynamite, packed in gunpowder and concealed in an English tin cracker box strengthened by a thick band of aluminum.

LEWIS OPEL GRANTED DIVORCE

Sensational Trial Ended—Decision Against the Woman.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 14.—Judge Valiant in the circuit court here today handed down a decision in the divorce suit of Opel against Opel, granting the husband, Louis Opel, an absolute divorce upon the grounds alleged in his cross bill.

MEYERS KNEW OF THE CROOKEDNESS

Myers' conduct in the office has presumably justified the expectation of the treasurer.

SUIT OF A BROOKLYN WIDOW TO RECOVER

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WECKED IN THE BAY OF DISCALY

British Steamer—Rowan Founders and Several Lives Lost—Other Wrecks.

DOVER NATIONAL BANK DEFENDER ENDS HIS

DOVER, N. H., Jan. 14.—Notice was posted on the doors of the Dover National Bank today announcing that the institution had suspended, and that by order of the court, the bank's affairs had been taken in charge by Bank Examiner C. M. Dorr.

FEEL SOUTHERN COMPETITION

Eastern Cotton Mills Forced to Move South to Produce Heavy Goods.

DR. BAKER UNDER ARREST

Crook County, Wyoming, Treasurer Said to Be a Defaulter.

TAYLOR'S BONDSMEN IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—A meeting of the bondsmen of W. Taylor, the defaulting treasurer of South Dakota, was held today in this city.

STOLE THE MONEY AND THE MAN

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—W. D. Wood, a wealthy railroad contractor of Portland, Ore., is in Chicago for the purpose of learning, if possible, what became of Thomas Morris.

TOO HUMBLED TO SAVE THEMSELVES

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 14.—The steamer Utopia, while coming to this city from San Juan Island, was wrecked on the point of Deception pass.

GERMANY NEEDS MORE WAR SHIPS

BERLIN, Jan. 14.—In the Reichstag Herr Hans, national liberal, questioned the government respecting the inadequate protection given by the government to Germans abroad.

PARALLEL TO THE ARDLAMONT MURDER

LONDON, Oct. 14.—David William Welter and John A. Hendershot were arrested to stand trial at St. Thomas for the murder of William Hendershot in the woods near that place.

VALUABLE PATENT HELD TO BE INVALID

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Judge Grosscup decided in favor of the Western Electric company today the suit of the Thomson-Houston company against that concern.

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PROGRESS IN KANSAS.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 14.—The mild, bright weather today made possible the inaugural parade which had been projected in connection with the ceremonies which will inaugurate Governor Lewelling and his administration.

IN SPITE OF CALAMITY CRIBS

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COMPROMISE IN THE ENGLISH CABINET

LONDON, Jan. 14.—The Birmingham Post (Joseph Chamberlain's organ) asserts that the dissension reported to exist in the cabinet in regard to the carrying out of the naval program is said to have been smoothed over by a compromise.

BERNARDINI LIBERATED

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Bernardini, the notorious Italian anarchist, has been released from the House of Detention.

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LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 14.—(Special Telegram)

Interest in the legislative situation is entirely overshadowed here tonight by the first preliminary skirmish for the relocation of the state fair for the ensuing five years.

The State Board of Agriculture meets here tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock and a large proportion of the membership has already reported at headquarters at the Lincoln hotel.

With the members of the board have come the lobby, and between the friends of the competing cities, the members of the board are having an interesting time of it.

There are but three competitors, Omaha, Lincoln and Grand Island, and on the surface of the situation Omaha's chances for success are pictured in the brightest colors.

The general impression seems to be that the Bee is already settled in favor of Omaha, and that nothing remains to be done but for the State Board of Agriculture to formally ratify the matter.

But the final decision will not be until Wednesday, and there is the possibility of much successful intrigue between tonight and Wednesday noon.

The friends of Omaha now are on edge, and it is expected that success will be theirs.

The big delegation of Omaha citizens are coming to push for the fair will not be here until tomorrow, and then more than 100 are expected on a special overland train to Lincoln.

Those of the Elkhorn, those who are working for Omaha have been in a frequent telephonic consultation with the meeting held here, and the Omaha club members in the Lincoln hotel.

It is expected that the Omaha club members in the Lincoln hotel have been arranged over the metallic circuit.

BETWEEN OMAHA AND LINCOLN. Grand Island is confident and proposes to stay in the fight to the finish, but she is only accorded fifteen votes to start with.

The big fight will come between Omaha and Lincoln. Of the three propositions submitted to the Bee, Lincoln's proposition is considered no proposition at all.

The capital city simply agrees to turn over the present fair grounds and buildings with a few added facilities and a new code of rules to the Omaha club, and the expenses for repairs for the next five years. Lincoln realizes the weakness of her proposition, and is tonight making a frantic effort to amend the proposition.

A variety of new, useful and ornamental structures. The most persistent lobby is in Lincoln and it includes the entire B. & M. road, leaving the Omaha club to John M. Thurston and wife arrived from Omaha this evening and tomorrow Mr. Thurston will realize the ambition he has cherished for many years.

Mr. Thurston will not read his title clear to a seat in the United States senate until after the joint convention of the Bee at Lincoln on Wednesday. The Omaha club will vote Saturday tomorrow and tomorrow evening Mr. Thurston will tender a non-partisan reception at the Lincoln hotel.

Mr. Thurston has been declared as the having been decided upon as the one which he will receive the congratulations of his friends.

FEATURES OF PRINTING CONTRACT

Figures that Don't Misrepresent the Claim of Colonization by Hiders.

LINCOLN, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The contract by which Jacob North & Co. have the printing of the house rolls and senate files for the present session is already the subject of unfavorable comment.

In fact, the house committee on printing is preparing a report on the contract and the printer is being generally tingling of the ears in several quarters.

The State Printing board as it existed prior to January 1, of the present year, consisted of Secretary of State Allen, Auditor Moore and State Treasurer Bartley.

In December the board opened bids for printing, captioned as follows: "The house rolls and senate files." The printer was Jacob North & Co. who were the lowest bidders and the records show that the firm was furnished 500 copies of each bill at \$1.67 per page, extra copies to be paid for at the rate of 8 cents per page.

A glance at the several printing houses will reveal a surprising fact. The figures were so nearly alike that they suggest, if they do not prove, a perfect understanding between the alleged competitors.

Two years ago the same printers completed for the same work. Then the figures proved bona fide competition. The following tabulation shows the bids of 1893 and 1895 side by side:

Table with columns: Figures, 1893, 1895. Rows: Hunter Printing company, Lincoln Printing company, Caldwell & Woodruff, Pace, Williams & North.

In 1895 L. D. Woodruff succeeds Caldwell & Woodruff as printer to the House of Representatives and Jacob North & Co. succeed Pace, Williams & North. The printing houses are the same, the style of firm name alone being changed. In 1893 but 300 copies were printed, but this year 1,522 per page, and the highest \$1.69.

Two years ago the firm of Pace, Williams & North received the contract for printing under peculiar circumstances. An original contract drawn in the attorney's office did not permit the company to charge full price for the printing of the pages. The contract had been signed and filed with the secretary of state it was found by a little investigation, instituted by a representative of the Bee, that one sheet of the original contract had been removed and a new sheet substituted, giving Pace, Williams & North full pay for necessary blank pages.

The sheet substituted was a very clever imitation of the original, but the deception was easily proven. Within thirty minutes after the Bee's representative discovered the deception the original contract was returned to print the whole story the next morning.

The State Printing board met and passed a resolution annulling the contract, and requiring Pace, Williams & North to sign the contract as originally prepared in the attorney general's office, and execute a new bond for its faithful execution. The new contract was signed the next morning.

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