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DENNISON ON STAND

Get Fairly Well Started on Testimony Before Adjournment of Court.

TELLS OF FIRST MEETING SHERIFFE

Witnesses Go Over Celebrated Account and Tell of Its Preparation.

THOMAS AND WITNESS SHERRY SPAR

Corroborates Testimony of Wetmore Concerning Interview with Sheriff.

PROPOSAL TO WORK A HOLDUP GAME

Said Sheriff's Plan Was to Play Both Sides and Park the One Which Would Put up the Largest Sum.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
RED OAK, Ia., May 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Tom Dennison went on the witness stand in his own behalf at 5 o'clock this afternoon, after a busy day, during which the defense presented much evidence in contradiction of the statements of Sheriff.

He said he met Sheriff in Salt Lake City in 1892 and did not see him again until his trial in Logan. He corroborated the testimony of Hooker regarding his connection with Sheriff.

Joe Sherry, a deputy sheriff of Douglas county, told of a proposition Sheriff made to him and Wetmore to hold up either Dennison or the Civic federation for money to get him to testify in the case, as was told by Wetmore.

Thomas attempted to get it into the records that Sherry had been in charge of Dennison after the supreme court mandate had been issued holding that he had to go to Iowa, and while the attorneys for the defense were in the courtroom, he was not in charge of Dennison until they placed him in charge of him, Mr. Thomas.

Again he got the best of Thomas when the latter asked him if it had not been tipped off by the sheriff's office when Dennison was to be released.

The report came from your office, so you man Gansous swore, was the answer.

The prosecution recalled Hooker to the stand to have him explain a letter which he had written to Attorney Cochran, in which it was said Hooker had spent \$500 of his own money in behalf of Sheriff, that the latter had no money and that Hooker did not want to go to any more expense for another attorney. Incidentally, the lawyer sought to be employed with Cochran in defending Sheriff, was Senator Tom Patterson of Denver.

Hooker said he had written a letter to Cochran and that he had pleaded the lack of money so that he would have to pay no more money for attorneys than he had agreed to.

Several other witnesses contradicted the testimony of Sheriff in matters of more or less importance.

Impachment of Sheriff.
Court began promptly at 9 o'clock this morning and the defense resumed the introduction of testimony to impeach the evidence given by Sheriff, the main witness for the defense. Ex-Sheriff Coulhard of Harrison county, which he was a witness, swore that while taking Sheriff to the penitentiary the prisoner had told him and his deputy, D. Wilson, that he had taken the Pollock diamonds into Omaha and had disposed of them.

On cross-examination the witness was asked concerning a letter which he had written to the attorney of Iowa petitioning for a pardon for Sheriff, in which the witness had written that he believed Sheriff was innocent. He acknowledged signing such a letter and said he did it through sympathy for Sheriff, who had served a long time and which he had no strength to bring brought to bear on him to cause him to sign the letter. At the time he said he and Wilson had not mentioned the confession of Sheriff because he thought they might some day run across the diamonds and find the man who got them.

Coulhard identified a revolver, .45-caliber, which he said had been identified at the Sheriff's trial as the one used by Sheriff. At the same time the prosecution introduced a revolver that looked similar, which Coulhard said was not the one used.

O. D. Wilson, the deputy, testified practically to the same things as Coulhard.

O'Connor Contradicts Sheriff.
Charles O'Connor of Salt Lake, at the time of the Pollock robbery a Union Pacific engineer, was one of the most important witnesses of the defense. He swore that he was introduced by a party O' into Tom Hooker's office, that he was to be the Pollock robbery; that the three were in Sonnenberg's store and then were together seeing the sights in Omaha.

He swore that the three ate dinner together at Ed Maurer's restaurant about 5 o'clock that afternoon. He also stated that he testified at the Sheriff's trial, and that he had paid him \$50 for it.

L. H. Peterson, a gunsmith of Council Bluffs, said Sheriff had come to his shop to get a revolver fixed and tried to make arrangements to board with him in Council Bluffs. In that connection the witness said Sheriff had been to his shop to get a roll of money for testifying against Dennison. The witness said Elmer Thomas had asked him about the visit of Sheriff, and when he told him Thomas said he couldn't use him on his side.

Attorney Fallon asked the witness if he had not been in the examination room when the testimony of Harrison county about the Sheriff was brought to jail there and was not that the reason he was in jail. The witness denied it and said he was there visiting a friend.

Tells of Sheriff's Proposal.
Joe Sherry was one of the best witnesses the defense has yet placed on the stand and during his examination Connell and Thomas had several little spats and considerable of Omaha politics got into the records. In brief, in answer to questions Sherry said he had been sent by Sheriff Power to Des Moines to look up the Dennison case and that there Wetmore had in-

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CRITIC CHARGES CONSPIRACY

Twenty-Four New York Theatrical Managers Held for Trial by Magistrate Pool.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Twenty-four members of the so-called theatrical trust will have to stand trial on a charge of conspiracy, in accordance with a decision rendered today by City Magistrate Joseph Pool in the west side court in the long pending complaint of James S. Metcalfe, the dramatic critic, against the Theatrical Managers' association. Metcalfe charged conspiracy in that the members of the association passed a resolution January 12 last by which they agreed to bar him from their theaters.

The men held are Maro Klaw, Abraham L. Erlanger, Oscar Hammerstein, Daniel Frohman, Charles M. Burnham, Joseph K. Brooks, Heinrich Conried, James H. Curtin, Martin Dickson, Frank McKee, J. W. Rosenquist, B. L. Braden, Joseph Springer, Leo Teller, W. C. Watson, Ferrin Williams, W. C. Jordan, A. H. Hayman, George Kraus, E. D. Starr, W. F. Knapp, L. L. Lichtenstein, Antonio Pastor and Henry B. Harris.

None of the managers was in court when the decision was rendered, but it was said they will be represented at the district attorney's office tomorrow to arrange for bail.

In his decision Magistrate Pool says the proceeding was brought by the district attorney under a section of the penal code relating to two or more persons conspiring to prevent a man from following a lawful calling.

Magistrate Pool denied the contention that a theater is private property and the legal right of the defendants to exclude the complainant on the ground that the theater is a "quasi public" place, and said: "I hold a person cannot be denied admission to a theater solely on the ground that he is a writer critical respecting on one or more of the theater managers' association."

COMPANY OFFERS ITS LINES

Chicago Corporation Files Terms Upon Which It Will Sell to City.

CHICAGO, May 31.—The Daily News today says that a definite proposition on the part of the Chicago traction companies to sell the car systems in this city has been made to Mayor Dunne and if reports are correct the offer will in all probability be accepted.

This development came today while the mayor and city officials were in consultation with James Dalrymple, the Glasgow tramway manager. It is believed that negotiations between the city and the companies will come to a speedy issue.

The proposition made embraces the following:

The immediate turning over of the two traction systems to the city or at least their operation under the city supervision. The purchase of both systems by their present owners, the city ultimately paying for whatever outlay is necessary in order to place the lines in a safe and up-to-date condition.

The election to the board of directors of both systems of representatives and experts for the city to work in harmony with the general management of the traction companies in the east of rebuilding the lines.

The temporary passing over of the so-called ninety-year franchise, the awarding of a final determination of the status of the rights of the city in the franchise, and the establishment of a value for the property of the systems.

The maintenance of present values of the systems.

Acceptance of Mueller law certificates in payment for the properties.

BOTTLE TELLS OF A WRECK

Vessels Mentioned Not in Maritime Register and There is No Contemporary Evidence.

NORFOLK, Va., May 31.—The following message received over the government sea coast wires today has been posted at the Norfolk weather bureau:

"A bottle containing the following note was found on the beach at Dam Neck on the North Carolina coast by Captain J. E. Woodhouse of the life saving service:

"On board schooner Phoenix struck by outgoing steamer Hodean. All hands at the top vessel slowly sinking, now at water's edge. Help put off in small boat."
(Signed) J. C. A. JONES.

The names of the vessels mentioned in the note do not appear in any of the records or sailing registers of the coast. Captain Woodhouse says the note is in poor handwriting but readable. No wreckage of any kind can be seen anywhere.

ALLEGED MURDERERS CAUGHT

Missouri Men Put Up Fight and One is Wounded Before Capture.

IRONTON, Mo., May 31.—A messenger arrived here early today bearing the information that Arthur and William Spangh, charged with the killing of Sheriff Polk of Iron county, last Wednesday night have been captured in a little cabin ten miles northwest from here.

A deputy sheriff's posse surrounded the cabin and there rushed in. The informant stated the Spangh brothers resisted and Arthur was shot in the arm before the capture was effected. The posse immediately started for Ironton with the prisoners.

AMERICANS HELD BY RUSSIA

Men Accused of Illegal Sealing Are Sentenced to Terms in Prison.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 31.—A letter has been received here from Habanovsk telling of the imprisonment of a Victoria sealer and two American hunters, common with a score of Japanese who were captured by Russians on the schooner Koyochi in Okhotsk sea in August last. They were sentenced to one year and four months imprisonment for hunting fur seals, though captured on the high seas. The sentences date from February 8 and will be served at Habarovsk.

MANILA CHINESE RETALIATE

Will Boycott American Merchandise in Retaliation for Exclusion of Chinese Citizens.

MANILA, May 31.—The Chinese Chamber of Commerce by a unanimous vote has decided to stand in line with the treaty ports of China in boycotting American merchandise in retaliation for the new exclusion treaty.

St. Louis Star Changes Hands.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—Announcement was made today by Frank J. Carlisle that a syndicate comprising St. Louis and Chicago capitalists had completed negotiations and purchased the St. Louis Star, a newspaper, from the late owner, Mr. Carlisle. The new company will be: Mr. Carlisle, president and general manager; Nathan Frank, former owner, vice president; J. Cabot, secretary. The terms of the transaction are not made public.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Ordinance Redistricting the City Passed at Last Night's Session.

ORIGINAL DRAFT CHANGED SLIGHTLY

Third Ward Remains Unchanged, but the Others Are Knocked Out of All Semblance to Present Outlines.

The task of reestablishing ward lines so as to make twelve instead of the present nine divisions of the city was accomplished by the council last night, with some alterations to the plan heretofore published. The changes affect the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Eleventh and Twelfth wards and are comparatively small ones. Councilman Hoye was the only member to object to the amended ordinance. He said he did not believe the law was being complied with in the matter of equal distribution of population, this proviso being made in the section of the charter requiring the creation of an even dozen wards. With the signature of the acting mayor the new ward lines will be established and the shaping up of precincts or voting districts will follow. Following are the new boundaries:

First—South city limits and river, west to Third, north to Lincoln avenue, east to Tenth, north to Leavenworth, east to river.

Second—South city limits and river, west along limits to Thirty-second avenue, south to Ed Craighead avenue, east to Twenty-seventh, south to Martha, east to Union Pacific railway, northeast to Lincoln avenue, east to Twelfth, north to Dodge, east to Twenty-sixth, north to Chicago, east to Sixteenth, south to Leavenworth.

Third (boundaries unchanged)—Leavenworth and river, west to Sixteenth, north to Nicholas, east to Twelfth, north to Chicago, east to Sixteenth, south to Leavenworth.

Fourth—Sixteenth and Leavenworth, west to Twenty-fourth, north to Dewey avenue, west to Twelfth, north to Chicago, east to Sixteenth, south to Leavenworth.

Fifth—North-east corner city limits, west to Twenty-fourth, north to Dewey avenue, west to Twelfth, north to Chicago, east to Sixteenth, south to Leavenworth.

Sixth—Leavenworth and Twenty-fourth, west to Thirty-eighth, south to Pacific, west to Forty-third, north to Leavenworth, east to Forty-second, north to Grover, east to Thirty-second, north to Twenty-fourth, east to Twenty-fifth, south to Leavenworth, east to Union Pacific, north to Leavenworth.

Seventh—Leavenworth and Twenty-fourth, west to Thirty-eighth, south to Pacific, west to Forty-third, north to Leavenworth, east to Forty-second, north to Grover, east to Thirty-second, north to Twenty-fourth, east to Twenty-fifth, south to Leavenworth, east to Union Pacific, north to Leavenworth.

Eighth—Sixteenth and Nicholas, west to Twelfth, north to Chicago, east to Sixteenth, south to Leavenworth, east to Union Pacific, north to Leavenworth.

Ninth—Twenty-sixth and Dewey avenue, west to Thirty-eighth, north to Leavenworth, east to Forty-third, north to Leavenworth, east to Forty-second, north to Grover, east to Thirty-second, north to Twenty-fourth, east to Twenty-fifth, south to Leavenworth, east to Union Pacific, north to Leavenworth.

Tenth—Lincoln avenue and Tenth, west to Twenty-fourth, north to Leavenworth, east to Tenth, south to point of beginning.

Eleventh—Dewey avenue and Twenty-fourth, west to Thirty-eighth, north to Leavenworth, east to Forty-third, north to Leavenworth, east to Forty-second, north to Grover, east to Thirty-second, north to Twenty-fourth, east to Twenty-fifth, south to Leavenworth, east to Union Pacific, north to Leavenworth.

Twelfth—Twenty-fourth and North limits, west to limits, south to south line of Fanklin street from Dodge to California, east to Twenty-fourth, north to Chicago, east to Sixteenth, south to Leavenworth.

Street Commissioner Ordinance

Acting Mayor Zimmerman made a fight on the ordinance creating the office of street commissioner because it provides for a \$100 a year cleanup and a timekeeper at \$100. He said that one clerk could do all the work in the office if he kept constantly employed. Councilman Huntington and Hoye spoke for the ordinance as it stood and it was passed, only Zimmerman and Schroeder voting against it.

The acting mayor made an effort to check the stream of repairs to unpaved streets which have been ordered by resolution. He failed in this, although he quoted the street commissioner as authority for the statement that orders at present in his hands will exhaust the \$30,000 set aside from the general fund for the purpose and \$40,000 or more as well.

An ordinance was introduced and referred which will authorize the chief of police to sell at public auction all property taken from prisoners and persons arrested which remains unclaimed for six months. The proceeds will go into the police relief fund.

New Paving Districts.

Ordinances creating districts as follows were passed: Douglas street from Twentieth to Twenty-fourth, Leavenworth from Thirty-seventh to Park avenue, and Capitol avenue from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-sixth. Petitions were filed calling for paving on California street from Twenty-third to Twenty-sixth and on Twenty-fifth street from Dodge to California.

Bids for materials, tools and appliances for the new asphalt plant were referred to the committee on buildings and property and the city engineer.

A contract for grading Sixteenth street from Vinton to the Boulevard was awarded to Owen & Lavelle Contracting company at \$25 a cubic yard, this firm being the lowest bidder.

New arc lamps were ordered placed at Cass street and the Boulevard, Forty-fifth and Seward and on Twenty-seventh avenue between Erskine and Lake streets by a resolution brought in by Councilman Schroeder.

CASH CORN GOES HIGHER

Nine Cents Put on May Delivery by Bull Campaign at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 31.—An advance of 9 cents a bushel today marked the close of the bull campaign in May corn. Throughout the entire session of the Board of Trade today shorts were anxious buyers for May, but offerings were hard to find. The close was at the highest point of the day, 90 cents a bushel. The opening showed a gain of 1 cent at 85 cents, and within the first few minutes the price was bid up to 85 cents. Just before the close the price was forced to 90 cents, the final quotation.

MURDER BY AN OLD SOLDIER

Fight at Kansas Soldiers' Home Results in Death of Two People.

KANSAS CITY, May 31.—A special to the Star from Dodge City, Kan., says that at the Soldiers' home near here Daniel Truax shot and killed Herman Lutz and John Leo because the latter had taken a supply of whisky which Truax had brought from the city. Truax, who was intoxicated at the time of the shooting, was brought to Dodge City and placed in jail. All three are old soldiers.

LORENZ MAKES CONFESSION

Fellow Conspirator of Machen and Crawford Tells of Plot.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—George E. Lorenz of Toledo, O., who was convicted with August W. Machen and Samuel and Dillon B. Coffey on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with contracts for furnishing supplies for the Postoffice department, today turned state's evidence in the trial of William G. Crawford, who is charged with conspiracy. Machen and Lorenz were indicted jointly with Crawford. The former pleaded guilty and was sentenced to an additional two years in the penitentiary and Lorenz was granted a severance for trial.

Lorenz did not spare himself in the testimony. He declared that an agreement had been formed by himself, Machen and Crawford to get together to furnish letter carrier satchels to the Postoffice department and that they had shared in the profits. Contracts were gained by reason of Machen's connection with the supply division of the Postoffice department and were filled by Machen, who was general manager of the Post Office and Lock company of New York. According to Lorenz, he was the go-between, although there were meetings between the three at the rooms of Lorenz when stopping at a hotel in this city in the early part of June, 1902.

Machen was in his room and said there should be some agreement as to the division of the spoils. He said: "Crawford may suggest that he receive one-fourth, one-fourth and that one-half shall come to me. If he does that will be satisfactory to me. Machen then said that whatever the arrangement, he and I should divide our shares equally, that is, if three-fourths came to us we would divide it."

Further questioning brought out the statement from Lorenz that Crawford had made the suggestion of the division when they met that day and the figure was in accordance with those that had been named by Machen.

SUMMARY OF CROP CONDITIONS

Unfavorable Weather Hinders Farm Work and Retards Germination.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The following is the general summary of the weekly crop report of the weather bureau:

During the week ending May 29 most of the country experienced unfavorable temperature, frosts occurring during the early part of the week in the northern tier of states east of the Rocky mountains, and as far south as the Gulf of Mexico in the southern tier of states. Rains interfered with farm work in portions of the South Atlantic and east Gulf coast. In the middle West, the weather was generally cloudy with showers in northern California and the Pacific Northwest. Corn planting is largely finished throughout the principal states germination is well advanced. In California the crop is heading low. In California the crop is heading low. In California the crop is heading low.

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At the reception of Senor Nabco, the new Brazilian ambassador, to the diplomatic corps this afternoon Count Cassini and Mr. Tasso were the first to greet the new diplomat, with whom they discussed the momentous events of the last few days, but the ambassador and the minister did not come in contact and neither held out definite hope of peace.

France Hopes for Peace.

PARIS, May 31.—Governmental quarters here for the first time entertain a distinct hope of peace. This hope is not strong, but it is something more than deduction from the result of the recent naval battle. What it is based upon is not known outside of those intimately conversant with Russian intentions but it signifies that hope now prevails in high quarters that the peace efforts may not be futile. It is said, however, that everything depends upon a small circle very closely identified with Emperor Nicholas who it is recognized will be the final arbiter despite any other influences favorable to peace.

FIVE MEN DIE IN TUNNEL

Nearly All Victims of Cave-in Near Gunnison, Colo., Rescued—Two Still Imprisoned.

MONTROSE, Colo., May 31.—At least five men were killed and two seriously injured by the cave-in at the Gunnison reclamation tunnel. The dead are: EDWARD SCHULER, aged 22 years, Gorton of the middle Atlantic states; FLOYD WOODRUFF, Montrose, Pa.; CHARLES HORNHART, Montrose, Pa.; JAMES CASSIDY, Montrose, Pa.

C. Taylor and Fred Groff were pinned under heavy timbers and terribly injured. They would have been drowned but for the efforts of their entombed companions, who improvised a dam to hold back the water which poured into the tunnel for a time. Twenty-one men were rescued uninjured and the heavy timber of the roof of the tunnel were broken the entombed men were found standing in water above their knees and still working with a will to prevent further disaster, as the soft dirt was constantly sliding. As the uninjured men one after another were brought to the surface they were greeted with shouts of joy by hundreds of men, women and children who were looking for relatives and friends.

At a late hour today the two injured men had not been removed, but heroic efforts were being made to extricate them from their perilous position.

ATLANTIC PREPARES FOR RACE

Winner of Ocean Race Will Carry Contest into the Enemy's Country.

SOUTHAMPTON, England, May 31.—The Atlantic three-masted auxiliary schooner Albatross, winner of Emperor William's cup, arrived here early this morning flying the Stars and Stripes. It soon attracted a crowd of admirers to the quayside. Wilson Marshall, owner of the yacht, was full of praise for Captain Barr's splendid handling during the race and attributed its victory to Barr's remarkable seamanship. Barr himself was especially pleased and announced that the Atlantic had beaten the Edinborough record to the Needles of thirteen days, twenty hours and thirty-six minutes from Sandy Hook. He paid tribute to the crew of the Atlantic and their smart work throughout.

Later in the day the Atlantic was taken into the dry dock for a cleaning, preparatory to competing in the Dover-Heligoland race which Barr says he counts on winning. Hundreds of congratulatory telegrams have been received by the owner and commander of the Atlantic.

PEACE SEEMS FAR AWAY

Russia Evidently Not Ready to Allow Japan to Dictate Terms.

CASSINI SAYS STRUGGLE WILL CONTINUE

United States Will Not Make Any Attempt at Mediation Until It is Known That They Are Desired.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—While the president has discussed informally the subject of peace negotiations with members of his cabinet and with some representatives of foreign governments at this capital, and in the near future will probably take up the matter with others, it can be said authoritatively that no definite steps looking toward peace have yet been taken by this government. That such steps may be taken is regarded as quite likely, but whatever action will be taken will depend on information not yet in hand.

A concerted effort on the part of several important nations, including the United States, to bring about a cessation of hostilities in the far east may be made very soon is reasonably certain. It is regarded too soon yet after the great naval battle to determine upon a definite course of action. At least until the St. Petersburg government shall have indicated what its desires may be the probabilities are regarded as favorable only to an informal discussion of peace.

British Ambassador at White House.

Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, was the guest at luncheon today of President Roosevelt at the White House. That they discussed seriously, although informally, the prospects of bringing about peace between Russia and Japan there can be no doubt. So far, however, this country has received no intimation from Russia that it is looking for peace in the existing circumstances would be acceptable to the czar. President Roosevelt is keeping in close touch with the situation and is willing, as he has been for many months, to take the initiative in peace negotiations at a favorable opportunity be presented.

Russia Will Not Yield.

Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, expects to see the president some time tomorrow for a general talk, but he denied tonight that he would carry any message from his government and spoke discouragingly of the prospect of peace. He said: "Had the battle in the Korean straits been fairly even since at this time might be looking for peace. But the Russian navy is not so well equipped as the Japanese navy. We have a large army in the field but we are not so well equipped as the Japanese. Our resources have not been at all exhausted by the war. It is naturally handicapped, but that only means that it will take us longer to defeat the Japanese. The idea that Russia will be forced to seek peace at this time or surrender to the Japanese is a mistake. With the resources at its command Russia can continue the war for years. I do not say that we will win, but I am sure that our government, but my firm personal opinion is that at this moment Russia cannot think of suggesting a peace treaty."

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STOPS FIGHT ON THE MAYOR

Right of Philadelphia's Executive to Remove Officials Not to Be Tested in Court.

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—Counsel for Former Director of Public Safety Smyth and Former Director of Public Works Costello, who were deposed by Mayor Weaver, today withdrew the papers in the injunction proceedings brought against Potter and Becker, their successors. This formally ended the legal fight that had been begun at the instigation of the "organization" leaders against the appointees of Mayor Weaver.

The withdrawal of the papers means that the "organization" forces have decided to discontinue, for the present at least, their fight on Mayor Weaver.

HARGIS ACCUSED OF MURDER

Kentucky Judge, a Senator and Sheriff Charged with Killing of James B. Marcum.

WINCHESTER, Ky., May 31.—A sensation was caused here tonight by the arrest of Judge Hargis of Breathitt county, Senator A. H. Hargis and B. F. French of this city on a charge of complicity in the murder of James B. Marcum, several years ago. The warrant charges these men and Sheriff Ed Callahan of Breathitt county with conspiracy, aiding and abetting Tom White and Curtis Jett, who, it is alleged, did the actual killing.

NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST

Fair Thursday and Friday, Except Showers and Cooler Friday in West

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday:

Hour. Deg. Hour. Deg. 5 a. m. 52 1 p. m. 70 6 a. m. 52 2 p. m. 71 7 a. m. 52 3 p. m. 72 8 a. m. 50 4 p. m. 73 9 a. m. 44 5 p. m. 73 10 a. m. 47 6 p. m. 71 11 a. m. 47 7 p. m. 69 12 m. 48 8 p. m. 69

BOMB THROWN AT ALFONSO

Unsuccessful Attempt to Kill the King of Spain and President of France.

PARIS, June 1.—An attempt to assassinate King Alfonso was made at midnight. As his majesty drove with President Loubet from a gala performance at the Grand opera to a hotel, the bomb was thrown by an anarchist and exploded with deadly effect near the royal carriage. As if by a miracle both the king and president escaped unharmed, but fragments of the missile seriously injured five persons, killed or maimed a number of cavalry, forming the escort and knocked out a child's eye. Intense excitement followed the incident. The king and president retained their presence of mind, his majesty sending back a member of his suite to make inquiries as to the condition of the wounded. The person who believed to have thrown the bomb was arrested with two others who are thought to have been implicated in the plot.

At 2 o'clock this morning the prefect of police interrogated those arrested, who described the bomb as follows: Marcel Louis Pinot, aged 22, a tailor; Marcel Houtin, aged 34, a glass blower; Ferdinand Boier, aged 21, a florist.

It is not known whether they belong to the group which organized the outrage. They will be put through a severe interrogation. Meanwhile they are held at the disposition of the police.

FAIRBANKS IS AT PORTLAND

Vice President and Wife Escorted to Home of President Goode by Detachment of Cavalry.