

FOUNDLYING IN LONDON ON SIDEWALK

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WILLIAM I. BUCHANAN OF BUFFALO

Was in London on a Mission for the United States—He was Former American Minister to Panama and the Argentine Republic—American Embassy in Charge of Mr. Buchanan's Effects Including Valuable Papers

London, Oct. 17.—William I. Buchanan of Buffalo, N. Y., former American minister to the Argentine Republic and Panama, who has been closely identified with several important American colonial missions, was found lying on a sidewalk in Park lane near the American embassy in a dying condition, a few minutes before twelve o'clock, and was carried to St. George's hospital, a short distance away. But life was extinct when the ambulance reached the hospital. The cause of death is not known, but it is supposed that he was killed from heart disease or apoplexy.

Body in Hospital Mortuary. There were no marks of violence on the body, nor had robbery been committed. The body was placed in a hospital mortuary, and the police were notified. The identity of the dead man was discovered this afternoon after inquiries were made of the management of the hotel where Mr. Buchanan was staying. An inquest will be held tomorrow.

Passerby Found Diplomat. Mr. Buchanan, who had come to London on a mission for the United States in connection with the Venezuelan claims, has been here for several weeks. He previously had visited Berlin and Paris. He took up quarters at Claridge's hotel, one of the most fashionable in the city, which is a particularly quiet street on Saturday night, when most of the residents are out of town. A passerby found the diplomat lying on the sidewalk, a policeman was summoned and he quickly called an ambulance, but it was too late for medical aid.

Identified by Name on Clothing. The name W. I. Buchanan was found on the body and was recognized to be of American make. The initials were engraved on the jewelry. There was no other means of identification. The police circled the particulars and the manager of the hotel and officials from the American embassy called at the hospital and identified the body.

Mrs. Buchanan at Buffalo Notified. A cablegram was sent to Mrs. Buchanan at Buffalo, notifying her of the death of her husband and asking for the burial arrangements. Mrs. Buchanan and the coroner took charge of Mr. Buchanan's effects at the hotel.

ILLUMINATING GAS EXPLOSION In Celler of New Haven Bakery—Two Employees Severely Burned. New Haven, Oct. 17.—Detecting the odor of illuminating gas in the plant of the Frank Goetz Baking company at 115 State street, the police called Curtis a watchman, and Alexander Massey, an employe of the company, went into the cellar of the building and one of the illuminating gas match, which was immediately followed by an explosion. The clothing of the men was set on fire and before it could be extinguished the men were badly burned about their faces and bodies. They were taken to the New Haven hospital and will recover.

AT BROADWAY THEATER. "St. Elmo." Saturday evening at Broadway theater, "St. Elmo" was presented before a small audience. The work of the company was of a high class and played to the satisfaction of the audience. In four acts, and tells the story of a young couple about to be married, but which is broken up because the clergyman is a regular, nervous, and subsequently shot by the young man. He then has contempt for all women and trusts none, until a young woman appears despondent and he falls in love, regardless of his cynicism, and gets him to lead a better life and afterwards marries him.

Returned from Week's Vacation. After a week's vacation spent in traveling through Massachusetts and New York, Inspector Reuben Ladd and Motor Men John Dawson and Harry McElroy returned to their duties today evening. They expressed themselves as delighted with the trip, a large part of which was by trolley. They left Norwich last Monday morning by trolley for Central Village, continuing on north and visiting all of the cities in the western part of Massachusetts. There was little that they missed. Poking through the Housatonic tunnel was one of their experiences. They saw the scenery of the Hudson to New York city, where they took in the sights and returned home. Mr. Ladd will be back at his duties this morning as inspector, allowing Day Starter Stebbins, Night Starter Kinney and Motorman Edwards to remain in their regular occupations after shifting around for a week to fill the gap when Inspector Ladd was away.

Young People's Meeting. A union young people's meeting in connection with the evangelistic campaign now on in this city was held on Saturday evening at the Central Sunday school room at the Second Congregational church and was largely attended. Rev. W. E. Thayer, of the First Baptist church, chairman of the young people's work was in charge, delivering an impressive talk based on the two questions he propounded: Do you know Christ? and Have you surrendered for service? He spoke for the concentration of the societies for one object at the secret of success in this campaign.

Cabled Paragraphs

Paris, Oct. 17.—W. K. Vanderbilt captured two stakes at the Bois de Boulogne course today. His Alarcos won the Prix Des Champs-Elysees, a selling event at five and a half furlongs yesterday. He resumed his duties first for the Prix Du Cedre, a stake of \$1,000 for three-year olds at eleven furlongs.

Paris, Oct. 17.—M. Jusserand, ambassador to the United States, sailed on the steamer La Provence from Havre yesterday. He resumed his duties at Washington. He is prepared to take up tariff negotiations as soon as he receives a post. It is understood that to avoid a tariff war France is now prepared to offer her minimum rates on a number of articles in return for a similar concession from America, but it is also understood that the list of such concessions is rather limited.

POLITICAL SKELETON RATTLED IN NEW YORK. Record of William M. Ivins in an Almost Forgotten Campaign Dug Up. New York, Oct. 17.—Taken from the graveyard of forgotten campaigns, a political skeleton, covered with the dust of three years, was rattled in New York tonight, adding intensity to the three-cornered struggle for the mayor's chair of greater New York to retain William F. Gaynor, democratic, William R. Hearst, independent, and Otto T. Bannard, republican. The skeletons rattled today and tonight were the records of the campaign which produced a new issue of the campaign—the political record of William M. Ivins, a former republican supporter, albeit his opponent, as opposed to this. This fresh phase came in the form of a statement issued tonight by Mr. William M. Ivins, son and biographer of the famous single-taxer, who charges in effect that Ivins went to his father in 1886 and offered him inducements, with a view to securing the majority race against William R. George. As a matter of history, Mr. George refused to be sidetracked and entered the contest only to meet defeat.

In a formal statement given out last night, Ivins, apparently expecting an attack on his record, called the story the George-Grace campaign, denied that he ever made any offer to Henry George. As opposed to this, Henry George, Jr., says tonight: "In his prepared statement, published in the newspapers this morning, Mr. William M. Ivins denies a story that in behalf of Richard Croker he offered to Henry George, my father, \$25,000 to withdraw from the mayoralty. "In response to a statement made in the newspapers by Abram S. Hewitt, relative to the 1886 campaign, my father was induced to accept the offer of \$25,000 to withdraw from the mayoralty, and just a few days before his death issued a statement which, in the attempt to circumvent, may be found on page 10 of the issue of King Edward, who could have prevented the execution, was responsible for whatever might happen in England as a result of the revolution of the Spanish ambassador. Strong resolutions were adopted before the meeting ended.

THIRTY POLICEMEN ON DUTY BUT NO ARRESTS MADE. Emma Goldman and Her Followers Meet in New York. New York, Oct. 17.—Aroused by the fiery speech of Emma Goldman, whose anarchistic tendencies have earned for her the title of "Queen of the Beggars," a thousand men and women, socialists, anarchists and other radicals, packed an East Side hall today, and demanded that I could not possibly be elected mayor. He offered on behalf of Tammany hall and the county democracy that if I would receive a certificate of election to the house of representatives, I would not withdraw my name for congress, select a city district in which nomination was equivalent to Europe or anywhere I wished, and when I came back should receive a certificate of election to the house of representatives. "You tell me I cannot possibly get the office. Why, then, if I cannot possibly get the office, why do you want to withdraw?" His reply was: "You cannot get elected, but your running will raise hell." I said: "You have relieved my mind. I do not want to run for the responsibility and the work of the office of the mayor of New York, but I do want to raise hell. I am decided in my mind."

EMMA GOLDMAN, CHIEF SPEAKER. Emma Goldman, who was the chief speaker, sought to draw a parallel between the case of Ferrer and those of the other anarchists of the Western Federation of Miners. "At the conclusion of the meeting, it was announced that a more comprehensive meeting will be held at Carnegie hall on Tuesday night. Resolutions adopted today recite in part: "The murder of Ferrer was committed by the unholy trinity—Church, Money and Government. This trinity revenged itself because Ferrer instituted an anti-clerical school which in the results of independent science and pedagogy were taught. "This meeting denounces the murder of Ferrer as one of the most cowardly crimes ever committed under the disguise of the law and expresses its indignation at the cowardly manner in which the thousands of fighters for freedom who still struggle in the clutches of the Spanish Inquisition."

DEMONSTRATIONS ELSEWHERE. Attempt to Rush Barcelona Fortress to Release the Prisoners. Lisbon, Oct. 17.—Cable dispatches from Barcelona say that the situation there is increasingly disquieting. Twenty-seven bombs have been thrown in the last four days, a person being killed and twenty-one wounded. On Saturday afternoon there was a bomb attack on the Slater property for the reason, when the remaining lots were disposed of by the owners. The usual distribution of the Slater estate and many fine gifts were received.

AGED GUILFORD FARMER DIED FROM BURNS. Guilford, Conn., Oct. 17.—Mumson Bishop, an aged farmer living on a farm in the center of Guilford, died today from burns received Saturday. Mr. Bishop, who suffered a heart ailment, was in bed for some time before he was thrown from a horse Saturday morning. He was thrown from a horse and was badly burned about the face and body that he died today. How his clothes caught fire he does not know. He was 79 years old and leaves a widow and one daughter.

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Red Flag Raised in London

Meeting Between Taft and Diaz

Presidents Clasp Hands in Texas and Mexico.

Mob at Spanish Embassy. Groans and Hootings Plainly Heard at Buckingham Palace—Crowds Scattered by Mounted Police.

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Return Call from President Taft. The scene of the day's ceremonies shifted to the city of El Paso, where President Diaz received a return call from President Taft and late in the evening entertained the American president and a large party at a state banquet which, in all its surroundings of lavish decoration and wealth of silver plate, handed down from the time of the Emperor Maximilian, was probably the most notable feast ever served on the American continent.

ARRIVAL AT SAN ANTONIO. President Taft Received by City Officers—Today's Programme. San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 17.—President Taft's travels brought him to the fair south today. After twenty-one hours of continuous journeying from El Paso, he arrived in San Antonio at 7:30 o'clock on Sunday, and despite the fact that it was Sunday, he received a cheering welcome. A big crowd was gathered to greet the president, and leading to the St. Anthony hotel were lined with people. After he was received by the city officers the president went to the hotel with an escort of cavalry.

BRIDGEPORT FIREMEN HURT. Caught Under Falling Walls—Taken to Hospitals, Will Recover. Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 17.—John J. Kane and six other men were caught under falling walls at the Bridgeport Forge plant Saturday night and taken to local hospitals. The fire, which broke out in the building, was extinguished by the fire department. The loss is fully covered by insurance and work of rebuilding will be commenced at once. About 150 employes of the company will be temporarily out of work.

GREENWICH ACCEPTS RICH GIFT. Greenwich, Conn., Oct. 17.—At a town meeting held Saturday it was voted to accept a gift of 100 acres valued at \$200,000. A \$50,000 residence to be used as a museum and a fund of \$50,000 for its maintenance, all given by the late Robert M. Bruce through his sister, Miss Sarah E. Bruce of New York. Mr. Bruce in his heart disease in 1907, left the large fund toward the Greenwich general hospital and the Bruce Memorial Home for Working Girls.

AGED SIXTY DIED ON CHURCH STEPS. New Haven, Oct. 17.—Stricken with heart disease in 1907, William H. Reed, 77 years old, died at his home here early today. Mr. Reed was a former mayor of the city, councilman and water commissioner.

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Condensed Telegrams

Mineral Oil Showed an Increase in its export during the year ending June 30.

More Than 70,000 Men Will Be Engaged in the Japanese army maneuvers next month.

Hall Caine, the Author, suffered a serious attack of heart disease at his home in London.

Counterfeiters Working almost in the treasury have invaded Washington with spurious money.

The Government of San Domingo is not paying any serious attention to the border uprising on the Haytian frontier.

Discoveries of Precious Stones and Gold in Liberia have been reported to the state department by George W. Ellis.

Colonel Roosevelt and Party arrived at Nairobi, British East Africa. The colonel has killed three more elephants.

The Opening of Great Britain's first aviation meeting has not fulfilled the promises and expectations of its promoters.

Frank Pierce, acting secretary of the United Fruit company, is expected to come to the United States as coming within the enlarged homestead act.

The Adviseability of the Adoption by the war department of plants for purifying water by the so-called ozone process is to be considered.

Count Bernstorff, the German ambassador to the United States, had an audience with the emperor and will sail in a few days for the United States.

R. V. C. ROAD TRAIN DERAILED

Near Rhinecliff Station at 4.30 O'clock Sunday Morning

PRESIDENT OF THE ROAD ON BOARD

In Company with Other Officials who were Returning from Inspection of the Company Lines—One Passenger Killed, Ten Persons Injured—Smoker and Day Coach Overturned—Fireman Distinguished Himself.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Oct. 17.—A wreck in which President W. C. Brown of the New York Central railroad, W. H. Newman, former president of the road, and W. K. Vanderbilt, a director, figured while returning from an inspection of the company's lines, occurred at Rhinecliff-on-the-Hudson River, about twenty miles north of here, early today. One passenger, a New York peddler, was killed and ten were injured, none seriously.

President Brown himself directed the removal of the injured passengers and the work of clearing away the wreck. H. Schlemper of New York, the fireman, distinguished himself by dashing ahead with a red lantern and stopping an express from New York which was due on the northbound track, on to which the wrecked train had partly fallen.

Weight of Pullmans Kept Them Balanced. The smoker and the day coach were the only cars which overturned. The Pullmans, including the "Idle Hour," left the rails and ploughed deep furrows in the roadbed, but their weight kept them balanced.

Injured Continued on New York. The ten injured were occupants of either the smoker or the day coach, but as their hurts were not serious they required no special attention. Poughkeepsie physicians and came on out to New York in a special train.

U. S. NAVAL TUG PATAPSCO SENDS "S. O. S." SIGNAL For Assistance—In Collision with Un-known Steamer in Nantuxet Sound. Vineyard Haven, Mass., Oct. 17.—The naval tug Patapasco, one of the largest tugs in the navy, bound from New York, struck and sank in collision with an unknown steamer in Nantuxet sound early today. A hole was torn in the Patapasco's hull, but the crew, including the captain, were rescued. The cause of the accident was gleaned from wireless messages which the Patapasco sent out in quest of assistance. The messages were received by the U. S. Navy station at Vineyard Haven, which dispatched the tug to the scene. The Patapasco is in command of the tug. It is probable that the tug will be kept at its present station until the cause of the collision is ascertained. Nothing is known here regarding the identity of the steamer which struck the Patapasco.

MRS. BRUCE PRICE KILLED. President of Tuxedo Park Victim of Automobile Accident. Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Oct. 17.—Mrs. Bruce Price, a resident of Tuxedo Park, and widow of a New York architect, was killed and Mrs. Charles J. Couler, her husband, was injured in an automobile accident this afternoon on the road from Tuxedo Park to Arden. Mrs. Price, 42 years old, was in the machine, and the chauffeur was unhurt.

SENATOR M'CARREN BETTER. Brooklyn Democratic Leader May Be on Hand Election Day. New York, Oct. 17.—Senator M'Carren, who has been recovering from pneumonia and the effects of an operation which he underwent last Wednesday, was reported tonight as progressing rapidly.

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