EIGHT FAT 'POSSUMS

RAGGED BY A PARTY OF NEW CASTLE HUNTERS THURSDAY NIGHT.

Logansport Police Try to Convict a Woman on a Confession Obtained by the Sweat-Box Process.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

NEW CASTLE, Ind., Nov. 15.—Last night the blacksmiths of New Castle organized two parties for the purpose of having a grand 'possum hunt, the party securing the largest number to score an oyster treat against the opposite party. One party went south from town, and after being out the greater part of the night, came in with eight fine, fat 'possums. The other party went north and spent many hours in the forest, but with ill success. When the final count was taken but two small 'possums were found.

A JAIL CONFESSION.

Prisoner Drugged and Frightened Into Signing a Statement.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Nov. 15. — Growing out of the trial of Mrs. Elizabeth Angus here there may be some investigation of the policy which has been pursued in regard to securing confessions from persons arrested for crime. Mrs. Angus is charged with robbing the wife of Maj. A. B. Peters of $300, prior to the death of Mrs. Peters. The prosecution relied almost wholly for conviction on an alleged confession secured from the woman while she was confined in the county jail. The defense has shown that an attache of the jail and a woman interested in the conviction of Mrs. Angus, in order to throw suspicion from herself, gave Mrs. Angus whisky and morphine, and then secured her mark to a paper, telling her that if she did not sign it she would be sent to the penitentiary, and if she did sign it she would be released. Fred Landis, a young attorney, has charge of the defense, and seems to be determined to expose the police methods here.

Was Cheated in a Wife.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Nov. 15.—A peculiar state of affairs exists in the family of Charles E. Ferrell, a shoe dealer, of this city. Mr. Ferrell, who was married in February last, to Miss Mary Bloom, of Oberlin, O., has employed attorneys to bring suit to annul his marriage on the ground that it was procured by fraudulent means. Ferrell says before he married he particularly asked the girl's mother, Mrs. Sarah Bloom, a widow, if her daughter enjoyed good health. Mrs. Bloom assured him that she did, and on this representation he married her. Three months after their marriage Ferrell found his wife had a severe attack of epilepsy and learned that she had been a victim of the disease since childhood. On learning his wife's condition, Ferrell sent her back to her mother, who has since placed the daughter in a New York sanitarium. Ferrell was a widower before his last marriage and has a nine-year-old son. He came here from Indianapolis.

Walter Brobt Arrested for Forgery.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FRANKFORT, Ind., Nov. 15.—Walter Brobt, general timekeeper for the Cloverleaf railroad, was arrested here late this evening on a charge of forgery. Part of Brobt's duties has been to make out the time checks for the employes and frequently he cashed these checks at the banks as an accommodation to the men. This evening Brobt presented for payment at the Farmers' Bank, with other checks, one drawn in favor of J. S. Sheldon, for $44. The cashier, becoming suspicious, reported the matter to Superintendent Boomer, who made an investigation and found that J. S. Sheldon was a myth. Brobt also cashed checks for $28 and $47, which are thought to be bogus. An examination of his books will be made. Brobt came here from Virginia less than a year ago. He was popular with the officers of the road and his downfall is a great shock to his friends. It is thought that another clerk has assisted him.

Express Robbery Rumor.

MARION, Ind., Nov. 16.—It is reported here that there has been an express robbery on the Michigan division of the Big Four, near Wabash. The amount of booty, if any, is unknown.

The above Associated Press bulletin received last night doubtless refers to the rumor started from Cincinnati the night before. A dispatch from Wabash says: "There is no truth, according to the American Express and Big Four railway officials, in the rumor circulated at Indianapolis and Cincinnati, last night, of a $50,000 express robbery on the Michigan division of the system. Superintendent Blizard and trainmaster Courtright said there was no foundation for the report so far as they knew, and Agent Barton, of the express company, said he undoubtedly would have been advised if such a robbery had been perpetrated."

Not One of Holmes's Victims.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Nov. 15.—Eighteen months ago Miss Lodosky Power, of this city, went to Cleveland and afterward to Chicago, and then seemed to have disappeared. Her parents heard she had married and, on investigating, succeeded in tracing the girl to a house in the neighborhood of the Holmes "Castle." When the facts concerning Holmes were made public it was the opinion here that Miss Powers had become one of the fiend's victims. Yesterday her father located her in Chicago alive and well. Letters to her parents had miscarried and led to a misunderstanding, which caused her to stop writing.

Farmer Wyatt "Held Up."

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BRAZIL, Ind., Nov. 14.—David Wyatt, a prominent farmer residing in Perry township, was robbed by two men last night. He was returning home from this city in a two-horse wagon, and when he reached a bridge crossing Birch creek, seven miles south of here, two men jumped in the wagon, and, pointing a revolver in his face, made him hand out his pocketbook, containing about $10 in cash and some valuable papers. They also made him pull off his new overcoat, and give it to them. It was dark, and Mr. Wyatt is unable to give a description of the robbers.

Doctor's Office Dynamited.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ELKHART, Ind., Nov. 15.—The office of Dr. Frank Sweetland, the leading physician of Mattville, a village a few miles east of here, was completely wrecked by dynamite Thursday night, and a patient named Charles Grey, who was waiting for the doctor, was severely injured. The dynamite was thrown through a window, evidently under the impression that the physician was in the room. There is no clew to the perpetrator of the outrage, but the affair is supposed to have grown out of recent difficulties between the doctor and residents of the town.

Sprung a Social Surprise.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Nov. 15.—A sensation was created in Jeffersonville society to-day when Weston W. Crooker and Miss Lizzie Mayhall announced that they had been married for over five months. On June 11 last they went to New Albany and were quietly married by a justice of the peace. Both bride and groom are widely and favorably known, and have long occupied prominent places in Jeffersonville social circles. The bride is the organist at the Wall-street M. E. Church and the groom a member of the choir. They will go to housekeeping in this city.

Champion Hoosier Corn Husker.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

NEW CASTLE, Ind., Nov. 15.—New Castle claims the champion corn husker in the State in the person of Isaac Howard, a colored citizen of gigantic proportions. Mr. Howard has a standing record of husking ninety bushels of corn per day for seventeen consecutive days. Yesterday he determined to do better still, and began work in A. W. Richards's field of shock corn at 6:40 o'clock, took fifteen minutes for dinner and quit at 6:20 p. m. The result of the day's work was weighed and found to amount to ninety-eight bushels and fifty-five pounds, husked clean.

Three Miners Entombed.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PETERSBURG, Ind., Nov. 15.—About 3 o'clock this afternoon a mass of slate fell on three miners working in Miley's bank, two miles west of this place. One of the miners, J. M. Waltz, was instantly killed, the slate breaking his neck. He was a young man and had been recently married. The other miners, Tom Whitney and a man by the name of Ferguson, are imprisoned in the mine, and it is probable that both are killed, but at this time there are no means of obtaining reliable information.

Will Cumback's New Lecture.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Nov. 14.—Governor Will Cumback delivered his new lecture, "The Growth of American Liberty," at the Rink to-night for the benefit of the G. A. R. relief fund. The famous Bald-head Glee Club, of Indianapolis, was present and enlivened the occasion with their songs. The speaker and singers were greeted with an apreciative audience of one thousand.

Disease in Hogs and Cattle.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FRANKFORT, Ind., Nov. 15.—In Clinton county at present there are numerous cases of "lumpy jaw" among the cattle. Hogs are dying fast with symptoms of cholera, but which the doctors claim is indigestion caused by impurities in the food. One farmer lost a drove of two hundred hogs, another nearly one hundred, while few farmers have been free from loss.

Funeral of Mrs. James B. Mulky.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Nov. 15.—The funeral of Mrs. James B. Mulky took place from the College-avenue Methodist Church this afternoon. Mrs. Mulky was the wife of Maj. James B. Mulky, ex-Mayor. She had been ill over a year. She was a leader in woman's relief corps work in the State. The burial was in charge of Mrs. Crisler, department president.

New Bank at Redkey.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PORTLAND, Ind., Nov. 15.—The Bank of Redkey has been incorporated to do a banking business at Redkey, this county, and will succeed the private bank of Cadwallader & Edgar. The directors in the new bank are N. Cadwallader, George N. Edgar, C. C. Ayers, William Butler and W. R. Phillips.

River Steamer Sunshine on a Rock.

MADISON, Ind., Nov. 15.—The Madison and Louisville passenger steamship Sunshine struck a rock to-day at Cooper's bar, breaking her hull and floor timbers. There is three feet of water in her hold. She will be bulkheaded and raised. Nobody was hurt.

Tailor Ehrhardt Assigns.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Nov. 15.—William E. Ehrhardt, tailor, made an assignment today to George W. Byers, for the benefit of his creditors. Assets, $2,500; liabilities, $3,000.

Indiana Deaths.

DUBLIN, Ind., Nov. 15.—Mrs. Lena Cranor died at her home, in this place, on Tuesday night, after lingering a month or more, of typhoid fever, aged forty-nine. She was buried to-day at Sugar Grove, Dr. Becker, of Dayton, officiating. She leaves a husband and two children.

RICHMOND, Ind., Nov. 15.—Abraham Karsh, a venerable resident of this county, died to-day, at the home of his daughter, in this city, aged seventy-seven. His home is at Abington, in the southern part of the county, and he has been visiting here.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Nov. 15.—August S. Busjahn, a native of Germany and for forty-two years a resident of Cass county, died here last night at the age of seventy-one. He was the father of Dr. F. A. Busjahn.

Indiana Notes.

The Cambridge City Trotting Association has organized for the season of 1896, and announces that a race meeting will be given from June 30 to July 4. The purses will aggregate $5,000.

John Kane, an old resident of LaPorte, was caught by a cave-in late Thursday afternoon, while working in a water-works trench, and received injuries from which he died that night.

On Thursday of next week the women of the Decatur Methodist Church will have charge of the Decatur Daily Democrat. They will issue a twelve-page paper. The proceeds will go for home missions and the poor.

The Indiana Electric Railroad Company, of Goshen and Elkhart, has executed a mortgage for $500,000 in favor of the Royal Trust Company of Chicago. The money will be used in the construction of an interurban line between the two cities.

WEATHER BUREAU FIGURES.

Maximum and Minimum Temperatures and Observations at 7 P. M.

The following table of yesterday's temperatures is furnished by C. F. R. Wappenhans, local forecast official:

	Min.	Max.	7 p.m.
Atlanta	48	58	52
Bismarck, N. D.	16	44	40
Buffalo	44	48	40
Calgary, N. W. T.	44	56	44
Cairo	36	50	46
Cheyenne	..	50	44
Chicago	32	46	42
Concordia, Kan.	30	58	52
Davenport, Ia.	30	50	42
Des Moines, Ia.	28	52	42
Denver	28	..	..
Dodge City, Kan.	30	58	46
Fort Smith, Ark.	38	..	..
Galveston	52	64	60
Helena, Mont.	46	54	54
Jacksonville, Fla.	46	72	60
Kansas City, Mo.	32	56	48
Little Rock, Ark.	38	60	54
Minnedosa, Manitoba	10	44	40
Marquette, Mich.	32	38	34
Memphis	40	58	54
Miles City, Mont.	32	..	..
Nashville	50	54	46
New Orleans	60	66	60
New York	44	52	44
North Platte, Neb.	30	58	56
Oklahoma, O. T.	34	62	54
Omaha	32	48	46
Pittsburg	48	54	44
Qu Appelle, N. W. T.	20	46	40
Rapid City, S. D.	36	56	56
Santa Fe, N. M.	22	..	..
Salt Lake City	36	50	44
St. Louis	34	54	50
St. Paul	24	40	38
St. Vincent, Minn.	12	36	36
Springfield, Ill.	30	54	42
Springfield, Mo.	28	56	48
Vicksburg	50	62	54
Washington	44	58	52
Wichita, Kan.	34	..	..

Friday's Local Observations.

	Bar.	Ther.	R.H.	Wind.	Weather.	Pre.
7 a. m.	30.15	40	68	N'west.	Cloudy.	T.
7 p. m.	30.06	42	58	South.	Clear.	0.00

Maximum temperature, 50; minimum temperature, 38.

Following is a comparative statement of the temperature and precipitation on Nov. 15:

	Temp.	Prec.
Normal	42	.13
Mean	44	T.
Departure from normal	+2	—.13
Departure since Nov. 1	+29	—.41
Departure since Jan. 1	—87	—15.30

*Plus. C. F. R. WAPPENHANS, Local Forecast Official.

Forecast for To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—For Indiana and Illinois—Probably fair during Saturday; increasing winds; slightly warmer.

For Ohio—Fair weather Saturday, with increasing westerly winds; slightly warmer.

Electrical Workers.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The electrical workers to-day completed the revision of the constitution, chose San Antonio, Tex., as the place for the next meeting, and, after electing the following officers, adjourned: H. W. Sherman, grand president; J. T. Kelley, grand secretary; John Hisserich, grand treasurer; F. J. Roth, first grand vice president; J. H. Maloney, second grand vice president.

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HER FIRST IS A GIRL

WIFE OF THE EMPEROR OF RUSSIA GIVES BIRTH TO A DAUGHTER.

Mother and Child Reported to Be Doing Well—The Handsome Little Princess Named Olga.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—The accouchement of the Czarina occurred this evening. At 9 o'clock a daughter was born to the Czar and Czarina. Both mother and child are doing well.

Court physicians in attendance on the Czarina report the child to be a handsome girl, and they add that the mother is rapidly recovering. Services connected with the birth of the infant were held in accordance with the rites of the orthodox Greek Church. The baby has been named Olga.

The Czarina (Grand Duchess Alexandra Feodorovna) was born at Darmstadt, Hesse, June 6, 1872. She was the Princess Alix Victoria Helen Louise Beatrice of Hesse, and was married to Czar Nicholas II on Nov. 26, 1894. In accordance with the laws of Russia, and by manifesto, issued by Czar Nicholas, on the 21st day of October (old style), 1894, she was renamed Alexandra Feodorovna, and received the title of Grand Duchess and Imperial Highness. Princess Alix was the daughter of Grand Duke Louis IV of Hesse and of Alice, Princess of Great Britain and Ireland, third child and second daughter of Queen Victoria. His brother is the present Grand Duke of Hesse; her sister Irene is the wife of Prince Henry of Prussia; another sister, Princess Elizabeth, is the wife of Grand Duke Sergius of Russia, and her oldest sister is the wife of Prince Louis of Batterburg.

When Princess Alix was but twelve years of age, and while in attendance at the wedding of her sister Elizabeth, she met Nicholas, then Grand Duke, who was in his sixteenth year. The children became attached to each other, but the Czarewitch's affection for the Princess was diverted for some time. Six years later her father made a visit to the Russian court, accompanied by Princess Alix, and her presence in the Russian capital was the means of renewing their liking for each other, but, as the Princess was then an ardent Lutheran, the question of having to become a member of the orthodox Greek Church had to be considered. Owing to the ill health and subsequent death of the Czar, Alexander II, the marriage of Princess Alix and Nicholas was hastened. Concessions such as were never before secured in embracing the orthodox faith were obtained from the Holy Synod. The Princess was not required to declare her former religion to be accursed, nor that her conversion was due to the conviction that the truth lies not with her own, but with the Russian Church. The Holy Synod was satisfied with the simple declaration that the Princess joined the Greek Church in order to be of the same religion as her husband.

The Czarina has artistic tastes, loves music and is fond of outdoor sports. She is of a sweet disposition, sympathetic and kind, and has made many friends. It was thought that she would exercise a strong influence over the Czar, and this was encouraged by the issuance of a ukase by the Czar on the subject of establishing a central council of administration for workhouses and reformatories, which was designed to provide the poor with honorable means of employment. The Czarina proposes to take the institution under her immediate patronage, and it is said that her Majesty drew up the statutes in question herself.

TSARKOE SELO.

The Magnificent Palace Where the Czarina of Russia Resides.

San Francisco Chronicle.

Tsarkoe Selo, where the Russian imperial family is said to be, is one of the residences of the crown. It is forty minutes by rail from St. Petersburg, and is one of the places often visited by tourists in Russia. Near the principal entrance of the grounds leading to the palace stand two small towers, with carvings of Egyptian figures and hieroglyphics. The palace was built in 1744, and embellished by Catherine II, when all the ornaments in front, the vases, statues, capitals and pedestals of columns, etc., were covered with gold leaf, the value of the gold amounting to more than one million ducats. None of the gilding now remains, except on the dome and cupolas of the church.

The chapel within communicates through a gallery, which is used by the imperial family with the apartments of the latter. The room is large, fitted up in dark wood and gilded, the ceiling being entirely covered with gold. There are fine paintings here. Near the altar hangs the key of the city of Adrianople.

One of the most wonderful rooms in this palace is the famous amber room, the walls of which are paneled with this costly material, cut in different designs. In several places are groups of figures framed with large pieces of the same substance. The wife of Frederick the Great frequently appear, molded with the imperial cipher, the amber having been presented to him by Catherine II.

The lapis lazuli is another remarkable room, so called from the incrustations of that stone, with which it is ornamented. The walls are entirely lined with pictures cut so as to fit into each other without frames, and the floor is of ebony, inlaid with flowers of mother-of-pearl. In Catharine's bedchamber the pillars are of purple glass and the walls are adorned with porcelain. The walls of the banquet room are lavishly gilded.

The Chinese room is remarkable for the beauty of the articles it contains, while the two ball rooms are conspicuous for their fine collections of China vases, which are placed in circular tiers up to the ceiling in the upper end of each room.

The grounds of the palace are eighteen miles in circumference and are kept always in order by a hundred veteran soldiers. In one corner of these grounds is a tower several stories high, which was occupied by Alexander II and his tutor. In another portion are the baby houses of the Grand Duchess and a pond with a fleet of tiny vessels, made for the amusement of the Grand Duke Constantine, afterward High Admiral.

There are also Turkish kiosks, a Gothic structure, a marble bridge, with Corinthian columns and bronze statues, a summer house, a Chinese village, a theater and other minor buildings. Several monuments erected by Alexander I to commemorate the deeds of his companions in arms, German tombs, artificial water falls and grottoes complete the adornment of the palace grounds. In one of the artificial ruins is the celebrated statue of the Savior, by Dannecker. Tsarkoe Selo is three miles from Pavlofok, the palace of the Grand Duke Constantine, built in 1780 and restored in 1802.

FIGHT AT BOGOTA.

Troops Fire on the People—Fourteen Deserters Shot.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 15.—A dispatch from Bogota, Colombia, dated Nov. 13, says: Heavy firing early this morning in the barracks drew an immense crowd, which was ordered to disperse. The crowd was so great that it was impossible to move quickly, and the impatient officers ordered the troops to charge bayonets, which they did, but, meeting with resistance and five shots being fired from the crowd, the troops began firing on the people. A regular battle ensued, and the crowd, being poorly armed, was obliged to fly, leaving twenty-three killed and wounded on the field. The cause of the firing in the barracks was that part of the guard had attempted to desert and resisted arrest when subjected. Fourteen were shot.

The Waller Case.

PARIS, Nov. 15.—M. Berthelt, according to Le Matin, is desirous that his department, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, should settle the question of the legality of the proceedings in the case of John L. Waller, undergoing sentence of twenty years' imprisonment for corresponding with the Hovas, as promptly as possible. This desire is brought about by the fact that the United States government is insisting on a definite reply to its representation in the case.

An Ambitious British Yachtsman.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—A special dispatch to the Times from London says: Sir George Newnes, the millionaire owner of the Strand Magazine and of the Tid Bits, formerly the Liberal member of Parliament for Newmarket, has resolved to give an order for the most perfect thing in yachts that British science is capable of, and next year, when the present row shall have blown over, he will issue a challenge for the America's cup.

China's Concession to Germany.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—A special dispatch received here from Shanghai says that it is positively stated that China has agreed that Germany shall occupy one of the islands near the entrance to the seaport of Amoy, for the purpose of establishing a naval yard and a coal depot. It is added that it is feared this step will be followed by international complications, as France and Russia are certain to seek similar privileges.

No Second Ultimatum.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—A story from Washington to the effect that a second ultimatum had been sent to Venezuela by Great Britain is officially declared a fabrication. The original so-called ultimatum has not yet been delivered to the Venezuelan government.

WILL BE REPUBLICAN

POPULISTS WILL NOT CONTROL THE KENTUCKY LEGISLATURE.

An Ineligible Democrat Found—Ex-Speaker Carroll to Make Another Race for His Seat.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 15.—In the contest of Wood, Republican, for the seat in the Legislature claimed by Kaufman, Democrat, a discovery has been made which, beyond a doubt gives Wood the seat and will thereby give the Republicans a clear majority on joint ballot in the Legislature. It has been discovered that Kaufman's election, while holding office as a city councilman, was contrary to the statute and Wood will be seated without further protest.

AN HONEST DEMOCRAT.

Carroll Will Decline a Noncontested Seat in the Kentucky Legislature.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 15.—The Times says that A. J. Carroll, ex-Speaker of the Kentucky House, will refuse his certificate of re-election to the Legislature because it is alleged he secured the place through Republican treachery. His Republican opponent in the district withdrew before the election without notifying the public, and as a result the ballots were issued without a Republican candidate in opposition to the ex-Speaker. The Republican nominee's course has been severely condemned, and Mr. Carroll is said to have decided to resign rather than profit by the alleged treachery. He will probably be a candidate at the special election necessary, and is expected to sweep the district.

Populist Allen Interviewed.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 15.—Senator William V. Allen, Nebraska's senior representative in the United States Senate, and the recognized leader of the Populists in both houses of Congress, has been in Omaha for two days, previous to going to Washington, to be in attendance at the reconvening of the national legislature. "It goes without saying," said the Senator to-day, "that the Populist party will have a presidential ticket in the field, and that it will be the only one of the old parties that will be outspoken for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1. As to the reorganization of the Senate, I don't think the Populist Senators will cut the figure that has been predicted for them. I believe the Republicans and Democrats will agree on a plan of organization that will not depend upon Populist assistance. I do not believe the Populists will care to enter into the negotiations for a division of the Senate spoils.

The Brooklyn Election Muddle.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The muddle incident to the canvass of the vote in Brooklyn came up before Justice Cullen in the Supreme Court, Kings county, to-day, on an order to show cause why a mandamus should not issue compelling the Board of Aldermen and the County Board of Supervisors to go back of the election returns and canvass the alleged defective ballots. Counsel for the aldermen and supervisors were not ready to proceed with the argument, and the case was adjourned until 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Counsel for Mr. Grout, the Democratic candidate for Mayor, moved that a stay be granted, restraining the aldermen and supervisors from proceeding with the count until the question of a mandamus should be decided, but Justice Cullen refused to grant the order for a stay, saying that no possible harm could result from allowing the canvassing of the returns to proceed.

Illegal Voter Arrested.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 15.—United States Marshal Pratt received a bench warrant from the district attorney of Maryland, calling for the arrest of Karl Franz on a charge of obtaining citizenship papers under false representations. The warrant was placed in the hands of detectives, who arrested Franz. According to the testimony of the detectives before the commissioner, Franz, after voting the Democratic ticket, was furnished money and means with which to come to Milwaukee. It does not appear from the papers what false representations were made. Commissioner Bloodgood considered the evidence sufficient to hold the prisoner, and fixed bail in the sum of $1,000. If it cannot be furnished Franz will be taken back to Baltimore. It was stated during the examination that there are likely to be scores of arrests in Baltimore for the same crime Franz is charged with.

Prefers Not to Appoint Delegates.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 15.—Governor McKinley stated to-night, relative to the general suggestion that he be permitted to appoint the district delegates to the national Republican convention, that he appreciates the suggestion, but prefers that the selection of delegates should be left to the Republicans. He does not feel he should accept a duty which belongs to the people, and is willing to trust them now as in the past.

OUTLOOK FOR LEGISLATION.

Senator Burrows Says It Is Not Flattering—The Cuban Question.

DETROIT, Nov. 15.—Senator Julius C. Burrows left for Washington to-night. Before going he said, regarding the work of Congress: "The outlook for legislation of a general character is not flattering. I expect to see the appropriation bills passed, but beyond that there will not be much work of a general nature. Much time will be given to the financial question and the present condition of the treasury and to providing measures of relief."

Regarding the attitude of the government on the Cuban question the Senator said: "It is customary on occasions of this kind for the chief executive, of his own notion, to send a trusty man to the scene of conflict to ascertain by personal observation and inquiry the exact condition of affairs so that he may lay before Congress, upon assembling, full and exact data upon which to act. I don't know whether this has been done, but that is what should have been done. Further than that I have nothing to say now."

The Senator recommends as a remedy for the present depleted condition of the treasury a return to the protective tariff and the abolishment of the practice of collecting duties by ad valorem.

HORSELESS WAGON TEST.

Prize Motor Vehicle Starts from New York for Chicago.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—A horseless wagon was started from Sixth avenue and Fourteenth street at 12:17 o'clock this afternoon on a drive to Chicago. This is said to be the longest trip ever undertaken by a road vehicle propelled by a motor. It is expected the carriage will arrive at Albany some time to-morrow, and at Chicago in time to take part in the motor carriage contest in that city on Thanksgiving day. The machine is owned by R. H. Macy & Co. F. R. McPherson will manage it during the trip. He is accompanied by J. O'Connor as engineer. The Macy carriage recently won the second prize in a race between Paris and Bordeaux, France, and has an estimated speed of twenty-one miles per hour. It is equipped with cushion tires, and carries storage apartments for fuel, provisions, etc. It is said the trip can be accomplished in eight days, covering a distance of 956 miles. Naphtha is the fuel used.

Warning to Undutiful Daughters.

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 15.—Miss Majorie Rhoden, who has caused the arrest of H. P. Burdick, at Rochester, N. Y., on a charge of bigamy, is well known in this city, where she resided with her mother and brothers. Miss Rhoden made the acquaintance of Burdick three years ago while on a visit East. She corresponded with him until a few weeks ago, when, against the protests of her mother, she went to New York to become his wife. When Miss Rhoden married Burdick she believed he was very wealthy.

CORPSE IN A BUGGY

DETAILS OF THE SHOOTING OF FRANK WHITE AT CHICAGO.

Seven Detectives of the Berry Agency Arrested for the Crime—The Man's Body Riddled with Bullets.

CHICAGO, Nov. 15.—The inquest this afternoon over the body of Frank White, who was shot while riding in a buggy at the corner of West Polk street and Whitney place, last evening, and subsequent investigation on the part of Police Inspectors Shea and Fitzpatrick and a score of detectives have led to startling developments. The discoveries made may result most seriously to not less than six members of the Berry Detective Agency, including the superintendent, and possibly a seventh man, who had not been identified to-night by the coroner. The circumstances surrounding the case go to show them the buggy in which the two men were riding was brought to almost a standstill when the tragedy occurred, and that at least three of the detectives who were detailed to assist in the arrest of Clarence White made an effort to crowd about the vehicle and emptied one or more chambers of their revolvers in the direction of the innocent man who was killed.

As a result of the police investigation a wholesale arrest of the members of the agency was ordered by Inspector Fitzpatrick, and to-night seven men, in addition to W. J. Dix, previously arrested, were locked up at police headquarters. A search for one more is being made. The names of those arrested are: Charles A. McDonald, superintendent; Joseph Weil, David McLain, Joseph McDonald, Jacob Fischel, Charles Poole, John Frew, W. J. Dix. The name of the ninth man wanted is Thompson. Of these it is probable McLain and Weil will be released, as they are not considered responsible either for the immediate slaying of White or for the actions of the management. Weil is only a lad, who has been acting as secretary in the office. Five of the prisoners, Poole, Frew, Thompson, Fischel and Dix, are known to have been on the scene of the shooting, the latter two having been positively identified by an onlooker. Fischel admitted to-night that he fired two shots into the buggy, and gave evidence implicating Frew and Thompson. The prisoner Poole also admitted having used his gun. White was shot almost to pieces by the detectives, two bullets having pierced his brain, two went through his chest, and he was shot through the spine from the rear. All the bullets were of large calibre and fired at close range. The men now under arrest comprise the entire force of the Berry agency, with the exception of one man, and the police are chasing him.

The detective agency has for several months past had charge of what are known here as the "porch climbing" cases; the residences of several wealthy residents of the South Side having been burglarized by a gang which, it is alleged, was headed by Clarence White, a brother of the murdered man, and well known to the police. He was arrested several months ago by another agency, but managed to secure release on a writ of habeas corpus. The city police arrested him and secured his indictment, but he was discharged for lack of evidence. A private detective agency captured his partner, "Butch" Smith, and convicted him, sending him to Joliet for eighteen months. Other members of the gang were also arrested and sent to the penitentiary. Since that time the Berry Detective Agency has had charge of the case and has been constantly looking for him. The agency has had a man watching the residence of Mrs. White, mother of Frank and Clarence, and yesterday evening received word that Clarence had come to the house apparently to pay a visit. Five operatives were at once sent over, but by the time they arrived, the spy announced that the men had driven away from the house in a buggy. The detectives followed the route named, and met the buggy at the corner of Pole and Laflin streets. Dix, who claims to be intimately acquainted with Clarence White, says he recognized him as one of the men in the buggy. He jumped to the bridle of the horse and called on White to surrender. The agency people assert that one of the men in the buggy immediately drew a revolver and fired a shot. The detective at once returned the fire.

Some time after a man residing on Hoyne avenue drove to the West Thirteenth-street station in a buggy containing the corpse of the man later identified as Frank White. There were several bullet holes in the box of the buggy and in the bottom were found five bullets of large caliber. The man who drove the buggy to the station said he saw the horse running west on Polk street and, thinking it was a runaway, stopped it and climbed into the buggy. He then found the corpse. Clarence had evidently left the carriage as soon as he succeeded in driving away from the private detectives. The body was taken to a morgue, where it was soon identified by the mother as that of her son Frank, who is said to be a good citizen and an employe of a large commercial house of this city. Mrs. White declined for the present to talk on the subject of the alleged visit of Clarence to the house or as to whether he had departed with Frank in the buggy. No trace of Clarence has yet been found.

The shooting has caused a great deal of discussion among attorneys and citizens generally as to the assumption by private agencies of authority to arrest men without warrants; and by several prominent attorneys much indignation is expressed. The case promises to become a celebrated one in this line, as it is asserted that in no State but Illinois are private detectives allowed such latitude.

Late to-night Clarence White, the brother of the murdered man, gave himself up to the police. He said that when the shooting occurred his brother was driving him to Forest Home, a station on the Great Western road, where he was to take a train for Iowa. He said that the detective began firing without a word of warning and that their stories of firing by him or his brother were false, as neither of them had a weapon of any kind. His story in all particulars is corroborated by evidence given at the inquest to-day. Shortly before midnight William Mayo, a well-known pugilist, was arrested. He has been connected with the Berry agency and admitted that he fired twice into the buggy when White was killed.

Alleged Son of Mrs. Menn.

LAREDO, Tex., Nov. 15.—M. Harrold, who claims, and who is believed here generally to be the son of Mrs. Menn, the woman murdered by Kuntz, tells a straightforward story of his early life in Germany, where he was born, of the woman who is now known as Mrs. Menn. Harrald says his mother was first married to one Schultz, in Germany, afterwards leaving him and entering the house of a wealthy single German gentleman residing in Bavaria. While there the woman gave birth to a child, the father of whom she claims is the aristocratic German. Harrold is said to be this child. Some years later, so the story goes, Harrold's mother ran away to America and, coming to St. Louis, married Menn, who lived in East St. Louis. Harrold was taken care of in Germany, though when quite young he began to shift for himself. Harrold claims his father's estate is worth $2,500,000, being now held by legal offspring in Bavaria.

David Hannigan's Trial.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—David Hannigan's trial for the murder of Solomon H. Mann, his sister's seducer, is likely to last well into next week. It has been on trial for three weeks. There will be no session of the court on Monday, the day being given up to the ceremony of the formal transfer of the room from the Municipal Art Society, which has had its decoration in charge, to the city. The evidence in the Hannigan case to-day all bore on the question of the prisoner's sanity.

Cut His Children's Throats.

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., Nov. 15.—Thomas Elwin to-day cut the throats of his two children, aged four and six years, with a razor, and then attempted to commit suicide in the same manner. The children died almost instantly, and there is but little hope of the father's recovery. For some time Elwin has not lived happily with his family, and this, together with drink, is what caused the tragedy.

REFORM IN KENTUCKY.

Col. Berry Punished by Women Because He Drank Whisky in Public.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 15.—Congressman Al S. Berry, of Covington, Ky., has declined to be the orator on Kentucky day at Atlanta. Mrs. Stevenson had engaged him for that occasion, but the other lady managers objected after he had accepted, because Col. Berry drank whisky before the audience while presiding at the last Democratic State convention at Louisville. At that time the contests over the silver plank in the platform between Hardin and Clay for the head of the ticket and for all other nominations were very animated. It overtaxed even the wonderful physical power of Col. Berry to keep order. He sent out for whisky occasionally and did not go behind the scenes to drink it. He was cheered to the echo as he drank from the platform. The lady managers have been having a war over his selection as the Kentucky day orator for some time and a majority was against the Colonel. He has written each member of the board declining to serve and, with his son, starts at once on a bear hunt previous to the assembling of Congress.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 15.—To-morrow is Kentucky day at the exposition. There is every indication that the public ceremony will furnish a lively sensation. For some time there has been discord in the board of lady managers from Kentucky, which recently resulted in the forced resignation of Mrs. Mary Cantrell as president of the board and the election of another prominent member, Mrs. Cantrell resents the action of the board, and as she has had entire charge of negotiations with the exposition she has arranged to have the first hour at the Kentucky exercises. It is said that Mrs. Cantrell will have something to say about the action of the board of the Kentucky managers.

Massachusetts Men at Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 15.—The exposition was turned over "lock, stock and barrel" to the men of Massachusetts to-day and since early this morning Governor Greenhalge may be said to have been in command at the grounds, with Governor Hastings, of Pennsylvania; Lippitt, of Rhode Island, and Atkinson, of Georgia, as interested onlookers. Governor Greenhalge and his staff were tendered a special reception at the Capital City Club last night, and this morning they were escorted to the Massachusetts building on the exposition grounds, where the exercises of the day occurred. Governor Atkinson welcomed the visiting statesmen to Georgia and Governor Greenhalge responded in a brief but pointed and able address. Mr. Curtis Guild, of Boston, representing the Massachusetts commission, also spoke, and the State building was formally tendered to the exposition company.

Ohio Sheriff Robbed.

WOODSFIELD, O., Nov. 15.—An attempt was made at an early hour this morning by four men to rob the Monroe County Bank at this place. They drilled several holes in the vault, destroying the time lock, but failed to get in. Just before they began operations in the bank, Sheriff J. P. Keyser had occasion to go to his stable in the rear of the bank building and, while walking down the alley the four cracksmen pounced on him, bound and gagged him and robbed him of $60 and a gold watch. They then placed him in the stable, where he was found this morning. There was a large amount of money in the bank vault.

Ohio Embezzler Sentenced.

IRONTON, O., Nov. 15.—Ex-Treasurer Mandeville Green Clay, of Lawrence county, was to-day sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary and to pay a fine of $11,000, he having pleaded guilty to embezzling the county's funds.

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