

VICTIM OF HEFLIN'S BULLET NEAR DEATH

Thomas McCreary in Dying Condition at Hospital.

SUFFERS FROM TETANUS

Seized with an Attack of Lockjaw and Undergoes Operation.

Believed to Have Been Practically Out of Danger, and Had Just Left His Bed When the Disease Developed—Hurred Examination of Wound Followed by Operation by Dr. Wharton and Dr. Taylor.

At an early hour this morning, Thomas McCreary, a New York horseman, who came here to attend the Henning races, was believed to be in a dying condition at George Washington University Hospital.

As a result of the bullet fired into McCreary's right leg by Representative Heflin, of Alabama, tetanus, or lockjaw, developed Sunday afternoon, and an earnest effort has been made to save the life of the wounded man.

Soon after McCreary left his bed at the hospital on Sunday, having been informed he might sit by a window, he was seized with an acute attack of tetanus. There was a hurried examination of the wound, followed by the administering of antitoxin, which failed to relieve the sufferer.

Perform an Operation.

An operation was performed at 7 o'clock last night by Dr. J. J. Wharton, who has been attending McCreary since he was shot, and Dr. L. H. Taylor, one of the visiting physicians at the hospital. The wound in the leg was reopened and the area of infection cauterized. Antitoxin was injected into the spinal canal, all of which was in addition to the regular treatment customary in such cases.

McCreary, although he underwent the ordeal bravely and did not flinch, was much weakened, and it is feared he may not recover. His wife was with him and is nearly prostrated over her husband's condition.

Had Been Improving.

Since he was shot by the Alabama Representative, while about to board a Pennsylvania avenue car, McCreary has been confined in the hospital. Dr. Wharton has been in constant attendance, and Sunday the wounded man was so much improved it was thought safe to allow him to get up and sit by a window.

The patient had hardly taken a seat when his jaws became rigid. He became alarmed and made signs of distress to his nurse, whereupon the physicians were summoned.

McCreary was shot ten days ago. Reps representative Heflin became involved in a dispute with a negro, Louis Lundy, and pulling his revolver, fired twice. One bullet hit the negro and the other hit McCreary. The negro was taken to the Emergency Hospital, and after receiving treatment for several days for a wound in the head, was released.

Not Considered Serious.

McCreary was shot in the fleshy part of the leg, and the wound was not considered serious at first. Several days after the shooting he was taken to the hospital.

At 2 o'clock this morning McCreary was in a critical condition, and two nurses were stationed at his bedside. At that hour Dr. Wharton was again called to treat the patient.

Negroes Plan to Prosecute Heflin.

More than 300 were subscribed at a mass meeting at the Galbraith A. M. E. Church last night for the purpose of perfecting plans for the prosecution of Representative Thomas J. Heflin, of Alabama. Among those who took part were Rev. George W. Lee, pastor of the Vermont Avenue Baptist Church; Rev. W. J. Howard, of the Zion Baptist Church, and Rev. Samuel Carruthers, of the Galbraith Church.

BRYAN TAKES TAFT TO TASK.

Record of Work for Reform Though Roosevelt's Discomfiture.

Denver, April 6.—After attending several receptions and making several speeches following his arrival here to-day, William J. Bryan made his chief platform effort to-night, at a banquet in El Jebel Temple. An incident of the banquet was a strike by 200 waiters, who refused to work for the night.

Mr. Bryan said, in part:

"Secretary Taft started out to make his campaign on a platform which declared for tariff revision—the revision to be postponed until after the election. As he traveled over the country he found the tariff reform sentiment so strong that he finally reached the conclusion, in the platform of his State convention, that tariff reform is so urgent that a special session of Congress should be held immediately after March 4.

"But even more significant is the surrender made by Vice President Fairbanks. His State convention declared in favor of a special session of Congress to be called immediately after the election—four months earlier than Secretary Taft's special session.

"Secretary Taft seems to be regarded as the representative of the reform element. Yet he has so little of the reform spirit and his record is so barren of any work in behalf of reform that he will hardly satisfy the expectations raised among Republicans by some of the President's regulations."

Diamond Cutters on Strike.

Antwerp, April 6.—All the diamond cutters here have gone on strike. Owing to the present crisis in the industry, however, the employers welcome their action, being glad to close their workshops.

The Income You'll Derive

From funds deposited in banking dept. of United Trust Co., 15th and H sts., is absolutely certain. Interest paid on all accounts. Capital and surplus, \$2,500,000.

The Rubber Store, 933 F. Handles Dependable Goods Exclusively. Prices Right.

Some lumber firms say times will soon be better and are holding up prices.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For the District of Columbia, Delaware, and Maryland—Fair to-day; rain to-morrow or to-morrow night; light to fresh southerly winds.

HERALD NEWS SUMMARY.

- Pages. TELEGRAPHIC. 1—Bribery Charged in Kentucky. 1—New York Quarantines Oysters. 1—Lisbon Police Shoot Soldiers. 1—Police Steal Wagon Loads of Goods. 2—Gov. Hughes Raps at Gamblers. 3—No Taft Instructions in Granite State. 3—Howard Gould Assails Wife. 3—Root Blamed in Central America.

- LOCAL. 1—War Balloon Makes a Trip. 1—McCreary May Die of Wound. 1—Would Reach Men Behind Gamblers. 2—Japanese Honor Stevens Here. 2—Methodists Listen to Reports. 5—Rare Pictures at Art Gallery. 12—Patent Office Men Indicted. 12—Thieves Reap Another Harvest.

CHARGES OF BRIBERY

Fight for Senatorship in Kentucky to Be Probed.

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING

Judge Stout Insists that Body Shall Ferret Reports to the Bottom and Continue in Session Until the Matter Has Been Thoroughly Sifted. Scores Corrupt Lawmakers.

Frankfort, Ky., April 6.—In a sensational charge delivered to the grand jury to-day, Circuit Court Judge Stout insisted that the grand jury begin at once to inquire into, and continue until it has ferreted to the bottom, the charges of bribery in procuring the election of a United States Senator and in the defeat of certain measures during the recent session of the general assembly.

"It was a common rumor, and common street talk, during the session," said Judge Stout, "that bribery was rampant. The meanest man in the world is the man who will sell his vote for a few dollars and disgrace the legislative body in which he sits.

"We all know of certain measures introduced for the good of the people that were defeated. It is charged that the defeat of them was procured by money. 'If that is true, the man who sold his vote must go behind the walls of the penitentiary. The man who bought it must occupy the adjoining cell.'"

PRINCE HOST OF MME. GOULD

Her Devotion to De Sagan Demonstrated by Actions.

Luncheon Followed by Drive in Central Park—Mrs. George J. Gould Calls.

New York, April 6.—Further evidence that Prince Heflin de Sagan is too firmly entrenched in the affections of Mme. Gould to be dislodged by any assaults from the press' family was afforded, to-day, when Mme. Gould went to luncheon with the prince directly after receiving a call from Mrs. George J. Gould, whose husband has most actively and bitterly antagonized the marriage.

Mrs. Gould made her call at noon. At 1:30 p. m., Mme. Gould received the prince. Shortly afterward she left in company with Mr. and Mrs. Tyler W. Morse, for the prince, where she was met again by the prince. They then had luncheon. Three hours afterward Mme. Gould, accompanied by the prince, returned to the St. Regis, and left again a little later in his escort for a drive in Central Park.

The opposition of the Gould family to the marriage is, however, still unabated. The main reason for continued obstruction is indicated in the admission which a confidential adviser of the family made to-day.

According to this informant the family is afraid that Mme. Gould will take advantage of the provision in her father's will, which allows Mme. Gould to dispose of her trust interest of \$5,000,000 among her children as she sees fit, to the exclusive benefit of the Sagan family. That is to say, in case her marriage with Heflin should result in an offspring, it is feared that the influence of the prince would be sufficient to induce her to will the major part of her fortune to his children.

Upon her death, therefore, Mme. Gould's fortune would pass forever into the control of the prince's family, while Mme. Gould's children by her former marriage with the Count de Castellane would practically be beggared.

CLUBMAN TO FIGHT AGAIN.

Biddle Will Have Another Go with Jack O'Brien.

Philadelphia, April 6.—Because Jack O'Brien feels that Anthony Drexel Biddle, the amateur society boxer whom he nearly knocked out at the Merion Cricket Club smoker last week, was not in the best shape to meet him, the pugilist is going to give him another chance.

Just when the bout is going to come off, and where, is not certain, but it will be when Mr. Biddle has entirely recovered from his combination of grip and pleurisy, and it will be for blood.

Shady Place Lawn Grass

Seed, Blackstone's, 14th and H.

Frank Libbey & Co. say it is getting worse and are cutting prices.



CUBAN GOVERNORS RESIGN.

Magoon Demanded It and Has Submitted Army Officers.

Havana, April 6.—All the provincial governors have resigned, at the request of Gov. Magoon. He received their resignations to-day.

He has appointed to succeed them Capt. A. J. Dougherty, in Santiago; Capt. Edwin Wittenmeyer, Matanzas; Maj. F. J. Foltz, Havana; Maj. Wallace Clark, Camaguey, Puerto Principe, and Capt. G. W. Read, Pinar del Rio.

Capt. Reed was heretofore president of the August claims commission. Maj. Foltz was chief of Gov. Magoon's office. Capt. Dougherty and Capt. Wittenmeyer were supervisors of rurales in their respective provinces.

WILL PRINT JURY CHARGES

Case of Attorney General Jackson, of New York, in Assembly.

Accusations Include Alleged Demand to Divide Receivers' Fees—Grand Jury Severely Criticized.

Albany, N. Y., April 6.—The grand jury presentment in connection with the Hamilton Bank receivers and Attorney General Jackson's letter, asking for a legislative investigation of his acts in connection with bank receiverships, were read in the senate and assembly to-night and laid on the table and ordered printed.

The testimony of Frank White, the receiver of the Hamilton Bank, relative to the suggestion that he was asked to divide his fees, and Attorney General Jackson's testimony before the grand jury in explanation of Receiver White's testimony also was ordered printed.

Senator Raines said he had intended to leave the papers referred to the judiciary committee without printing, but in view of the attorney general's request for an investigation, he thought in justice to the attorney general his testimony and oath in explanation of the attorney general's actions should be spread before the public. In any event, said Senator Raines, if any prosecution was to follow, it will have to emanate from the assembly.

In the assembly, Mr. Hammond, acting as majority leader, moved that the documents be printed and tabled. Objections to this procedure was made by Minority Leader Palmer. He contended that making public proceedings before an indictment was illegal and also improper. The grand jury was severely criticized by him with the assertion that "they did not have the manhood to indict."

ASQUITH GOES TO KING.

New Prime Minister of England Journeys to Biarritz.

London, April 6.—Herbert Asquith, the newly appointed prime minister, started for Biarritz this evening to kiss King Edward's hand upon his appointment.

Mr. Asquith occupies twenty-four hours. The journey will see the king until Wednesday, and it is probable that he will reach London again before Friday, and perhaps later. Pending his return, it is impossible to forecast the changes that will be made in the cabinet. Politicians and newspapers, however, are busily guessing and predicting the changes with more or less assurance, some of them claiming to have authoritative information.

A considerable proportion of the interested centers in Winston Churchill. It is nowhere doubted that he will receive a seat in the cabinet, but different authorities assign him to various posts.

Engagement Announced.

London, April 6.—The engagement is announced of Winifred, daughter of J. W. Keogh, British vice consul at Monaco, to Harold, son of Nelson Winthrop, of New York.

No. 1 cypress shingles, \$5 per 1,000. Frank Libbey & Co., 6th st. and N. Y. ave.

Dressed pickets and palings, \$2 per 100. Frank Libbey & Co., 6th st. and N. Y. ave.

LOOT FILLS WAGONS

Goods Stolen by Philadelphia Police Recovered.

Philadelphia, April 6.—Following arraignment of four policemen of the Fifth and Race street station house on charges of burglary this afternoon, Lieut. Jeremiah Burke, chief of the district, and two street sergeants were suspended pending investigations.

Allegations that half the men in the district, which takes in most of the rich warehouse and wholesale section of the city, are thieves were made by one of the arrested policemen, Albert R. Sithens, in his confession.

As soon as the police heads of the district were suspended, there came the discovery of loot of far greater value than that already recovered, and the detective bureau was flooded with reports of many thefts from merchants in the city's wholesale district who had been taking an inventory of their stock.

OYSTERS TO BE QUARANTINED

New York Adopts Unique Measure to Prevent Typhoid.

Permit to Sell Bivalves Required.

New York, April 6.—The board of health adopted, to-day, the following resolution, which will hereafter be known as section 13 of the regulations: "No oysters shall be held, kept, or offered for sale anywhere in the State of New York without a permit in writing from the board of health and subject to the rules and regulations of said board.

"The order will go into effect immediately, and all persons who sell oysters are advised by the president of the board to get their permits as soon as possible, to avoid having their oysters confiscated."

All oyster beds near New York, and the fresh water streams where the oysters are farmed, have been mapped out by the board. Strict supervision will be maintained.

When it becomes known that typhoid conditions exist in a particular section of the beds, then the quarantine against those beds will be enforced. Oysters coming from that section will not be sold in this city.

There are no statistics on typhoid fever arising from the eating of oysters from unclean beds. Doctors say the number of cases each year is large.

FUNSTON'S NEW PART.

To Be Commandant of Army Service School at Leavenworth.

Leavenworth, Kans., April 6.—Private information was received at Fort Leavenworth to-day that Brig. Gen. Frederick Funston has been selected as the new commandant of the army service school here.

He is to come on from San Francisco in August, at the opening of the new school term.

The Lenten sale, embracing many really important pieces of furniture and rare embellishments for fine homes, opens at the Sloan Galleries, 1407 G st., to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. Owing to the vast number of articles in the catalogue, the sale will continue daily (at 11 and 3), except Saturday, until Wednesday, the 15th instant. Intending purchasers will do well to preserve their catalogues. Rooms comfortable and seats provided.

Clear Alabama flooring, \$2 per 100 feet. Frank Libbey & Co., 6th st. and N. Y. ave.

Dressed pickets and palings, \$2 per 100. Frank Libbey & Co., 6th st. and N. Y. ave.

PROPHET GOES BACK TO JAIL.

Spends Winters There and Will Stay Sheltered Pending Delayed Spring.

Morristown, N. J., April 6.—Shinner Cook, a well-known character in Northern New Jersey, whose weather prognostications are regarded as equal to those of any Weather Bureau professor, declared yesterday that spring would not reach here for some time.

Shinner spends his winter months in the county jail, and has a record of being arrested 136 times for disorderly conduct. He succeeds in arranging his sentence for a length of time sufficient to carry him over wintry and stormy days.

Yesterday Shinner was released after a two months' term in jail. He walked down town. After casting an eye about the surrounding county and sniffing the air a bit, he concluded to go back to jail. He said there was plenty of cold weather ahead. Shinner forthwith became disorderly and was arrested and sentenced to jail.

"NATURE FAKER" HITS BACK

Prof. Garner, Monkey-talk Expert, Answers Smith.

Says New York Curator of Museum Learns Only from Books.

Boston, April 6.—Prof. R. L. Garner sent a letter to a local newspaper on "nature fakers," in which he pays particular attention to Curator Smith, of the New York Museum of Natural History.

Prof. Garner says that "neither Curator Smith nor curator any one else is competent to form, or is entitled to express, any opinion upon the subject of faking or facts until he knows more about the subject than he is likely to learn from a lot of uninitiated monkeys in a museum."

Prof. Garner's letter is dated at American Point, Fernan Vaz, Congo Francis, West Central Africa, February 23. In the communication, he says he found a paragraph in American newspapers of November 12, saying that he had sent a message home that he was now able to converse with monkeys, and that Curator Smith had proclaimed him a nature faker.

The professor denies he ever sent a message to any one saying what progress he was making in his study of monkeys and their habits, and says: "The calumny of croakers who live only upon the dry bones of information gathered from books that other people have written, I resent as insolence.

"If the curator could be induced to forego for a time the luxuries of a library, to which he has probably never contributed one new fact, and place himself under my guidance for a few days, I hereby commit myself to the promise that I will show him some new facts of nature that he can never learn from his kind-dried specimens and stuffed skins of monkeys. I will convince him that even a curator of such wares does not know everything, and that his library does not contain everything that can be learned."

BOER LEADER NATURALIZED.

Santa Fe, N. Mex., April 6.—Gen. Benjamin Johannis Miljoen, the Boer leader, to-day got citizenship papers from Judge Parker at Las Cruces. He is the leader of the Boer colony that has been established at Chamberino, in the Mesilla Valley.

Sweet Violets, 25c bunch. Kramer, the Florist, 936 F st.

Handsome Tailored Rain Coats, \$7.50

To \$5. The Rubber Store, 933 F st. nw.

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ESCAPES FROM SING SING.

Prisoner Gets Out in Mysterious Way and Is Not Caught.

Ossining, N. Y., April 6.—Joseph Lasala, a convict serving time for burglary in the second degree, is missing from Sing Sing prison.

He occupied a cell with another inmate of the prison, and he was supposed to have been locked in after services Sunday morning, but when a keeper was making his rounds this morning, just before the men were set to work for the day, he discovered that only one man was in the cell. Word was sent to Warden Frost, and after he had notified police headquarters in New York and in the surrounding towns he gave orders that a thorough search be made of all the shops within the prison walls. This was done, but no trace of him was found.

It is thought probable that Lasala escaped by scaling the north wall, as footprints were visible leading in that direction. Keepers believe that the escape took place this morning, as there was a heavy rainfall last night, which would have obliterated any tracks.

WAR BALLOON IN AIR

Twenty-five-mile Trip Made by Capt. Chandler.

TELEPHOTO CAMERA ALONG

Maj. Edgar Russell and Photographer Accompany Aeronaut on Successful Journey from Washington to Marlboro—No Unpleasant Happenings. Start at 1 P. M.—Land Same Day.

Piloted by Capt. Charles de F. Chandler, the army's aeronautic expert, the big war balloon which ascended at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the gas works at Twelfth and M streets southeast landed near Marlboro, Md., about twenty-five miles southeast of Washington, late in the afternoon, after a successful trip.

With Capt. Chandler were Maj. Edgar Russell and a photographer. Maj. Russell experimented on the trip with the new telephoto camera. How successful this apparatus is will not be known until the photographs taken on the trip have been developed.

First Experiment of Season. The flight was the Signal Corps' first experiment of the season. The big bag was filled with gas, the ropes were cut, and the balloon rose majestically to a high altitude. Caught by a southwest wind, the balloon sailed above the Potomac toward Alexandria.

Later the wind changed to a northeasterly direction and moderated. The pace of the balloon lessened.

No attempt was made to land until late in the afternoon, when, after a number of pictures had been taken, Capt. Chandler pulled the cord. The valve opened and the big bag slowly sank to the earth. An anchor was thrown out. The party was soon on the ground.

"It was a fine experience," said Maj. Russell last night. "We did not have the least trouble on the trip. I enjoyed it immensely."

POLICE FIRE ON SOLDIERS

City of Lisbon in State of Terror Following the Elections.

Bands of Armed Men Run Wildly Through the Streets, Shooting Rifles—Seven Killed.

Lisbon, April 6.—During the rioting here last night seven persons were killed and more than a hundred wounded.

These casualties were mainly the result of the troops firing on the rioters.

The rioting was widespread, and such was the confusion arising in the violent conflict between the populace and the municipal guard that the guardsmen, mistaking infantrymen who had been called out, for members of the mob, fired a volley into their ranks, seriously wounding three of the soldiers.

The night was one of terror for Lisbon, which seemed suddenly aflame with seething mobs of men ran wildly through the streets, brandishing weapons, while the sharp crack of rifles was heard in various sections of the city.

Thousands of the most peaceable citizens fled to their homes, just as they did on the night after the assassination of King Carlos and the crown prince.

SHOOTS AT POLICEMAN.

Attempt Made to Kill Inspector on Chicago Force.

Chicago, April 6.—Revelation of a plot to assassinate Inspector Edward McCann, recently put in charge of the Levee district, came to-day after thirty prisoners had been taken to cells in the Desplantes street station.

The effort to kill Inspector McCann followed three raids on opium resorts. Twelve prisoners had been arrested, and were being hurried to the Desplantes street station.

As he turned into Lake street from Peoria street, two bullets passed his head. The shots came from a darkened alleyway. The inspector fired a number of shots in return, and detectives hurried to his aid, but found no one to arrest in the alleyway.

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WOULD REACH MEN BEHIND GAMBLERS

Commissioners in Vain Suggest Plans to Baker.

NEW WAY OF PROCEDURE

Successful Method of Prosecution in New York Cited.

As Bar to Proposed Action, District Attorney Quotes Justice Stafford's Decision—Commissioners Answer that Opinion Does Not Cover the Liabilities of Managers and Promoters for Maintaining Gambling.