

MINISTER G. P. BRYAN VISITS WORLD'S FAIR

Inspects Grounds Accompanied by Russell Stanhope of Foreign Relations Committee.

IMPORTANT WORK IN BRAZIL.

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Charles Pass Bryan, recently appointed United States Minister to Portugal, visited the Administration building yesterday, prior to sailing for Lisbon, Portugal, on April 2.

The new Minister occupied a similar post to Brazil for five years and up to a short time ago. He says that the Brazilian Government will make an excellent display at St. Louis, despite the fact that the Government declines to participate in the last Paris Exposition.

Brazil will make an extremely interesting exhibit at the forthcoming World's Fair, said Mr. Bryan, who made a tour of the market and table of the most interesting features of the Fair.

The coffee and sugar plantations are producing more of which a leverage is prepared which possesses great medicinal virtues, although it is used to drink the natives of that region, it is a tonic so valued as to supplant alcoholic drinks entirely by a penetrating, medicinal and privation of food. It would be extremely profitable to Brazil to introduce this beverage at the St. Louis Exposition.

There are many picturesque features which the Brazilians will add to their exhibit, such as the jaguars and tigers on a boat of Pernambuco; the oxcart with huge wheels, which are made with the axes that give a penetrating, medicinal and privation of food.

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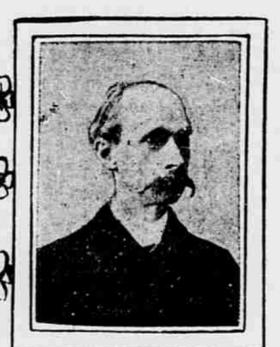
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Rudolph and Collins Refuse to Plead and They Are Sent to Jail to Await the Expiration of the Allotted Forty-Eight Hours Before Entering a Plea—Collins Declares in Court That He Does Not Care for Counsel to Defend Him.

BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT. Union, Mo., March 12.—For the first time since the robbery of the Union Bank, Rudolph and Collins were brought face to face this morning with the heinous character of their crime.

The language of the information that has been filed against them by Prosecuting Attorney Meyersick leaves no room for doubt concerning the charge which will be called upon to answer. Seated in the Circuit Courtroom, surrounded on all sides by guards, the two Union Bank robbers received copies of the document immediately after their arrival here.

Slowly, and without betraying the slightest emotion, the men who killed Charles Schumacher, the Pinkerton detective, scanned the lines that charged them with having committed a willful murder. Collins read rapidly, without removing his eyes from the paper. Rudolph cast frequent glances toward the men who sat, grim and impassive, immediately in front of him.

When the men had finished reading the papers, Judge Davidson explained the nature of the charge. He said that they were not required to plead for forty-eight hours, but that information had been handed them and that they would be allowed to see an attorney.

COLLINS SAID THEY DID NOT NEED COUNSEL. Collins was the first to grasp the court's meaning. Quick as a flash, he started to his feet, but the foot and handcuffs which he wore held him back. He rose, and with his right hand he held up his hat, and with his left hand he held up his hat, and with his right hand he held up his hat, and with his left hand he held up his hat.

"We don't need no counsel to answer that thing. I would rather plead right now and then be taken back to St. Louis."

Rudolph, however, appeared undecided, and he consulted a few persons at the station where they will be confined until the expiration of the forty-eight hours allowed by law, unless they both request to plead before the court.

The scene in the courtroom was one that will long be remembered here. There were comparatively few persons at the station when the train bearing the bandits and their guards arrived.

A large bus was in waiting and the men were driven at once to the Courthouse, which is located in the center of the town. It was here that the crowd had gathered to see the famous robbers. Men, women and children, all eyes were turned toward the building and were packed closely ten or fifteen deep in the Courthouse yard.

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