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FOUR SECTIONS

Showers today. Monday clearing and colder; fresh southerly winds.

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ARM OF THE LAW BARE TO PUNISH WICKED ROSSLYN

Penalties Imposed Upon Liquor Sellers and Gamblers.

ONE JUSTICE ALSO FINED

Crandall Mackay Declares His Intention to Rid County of Evil Doers.

If the plans of the Alexandria county authorities do not miscarry, Rosslyn will be as dry as an oyster cracker today, and the doors of all speakeasies and gaming places within the bounds of the county will be locked. Heavy penalties were imposed upon violators of the liquor laws by Justice G. P. Hagen, presiding in the Alexandria county courthouse yesterday, and it is understood that warrants have been sworn out for a number of proprietors of saloons and gaming places, while others have been warned to close or be raided as they prefer.

The Case Postponed.

The attorney who represented Snook explained to Justice Hagen, it is said, that "Squire Thompson was not in possession of all of his faculties and Snook's case had to be postponed. After hearing the evidence in the case Justice Hagen imposed a penalty of \$20 fine.

Warrants for Others.

Last night it was said that warrants had been issued for the arrest of the bookmakers at St. Asaph poolroom.

GADETS APPOINTED TO WEST POINT

Secretary Taft Announces Successful Candidates—Herbert Harries Selected From the District.

After a conference at the White House with the President yesterday afternoon, Secretary Taft announced the appointments at-large of the following cadets to West Point:

- John L. Clem, son of Colonel Clem, U. S. A.; William H. Emory, Jr., son of Capt. W. H. Emory, U. S. A.; Jack W. Heard, Jr., son of Capt. Jack W. Heard, U. S. A.; Jeremiah A. Dronnan, son of late Ordnance and Cavalry Sergeant Dronnan; Garcho J. Ord, son of Capt. E. O. C. Ord, U. S. A., retired; Horace Hayes Fuller, son of Major Edward B. Fuller, U. S. A.

MRS. POWELL FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER IN SECOND DEGREE

Slayer of Elsie Albin Collapses Upon Hearing Verdict—Borne to Her Cell in Hysterical Condition.

DOVER, Del., May 7.—Mary A. Powell was convicted of the murder, in the second degree, of Elsie Albin, her adopted daughter, by a jury in the county court this evening. The jury had been out less than two hours when a verdict was reached.

Forest Fire Threatens Lives of Ten Families

Pinned in by Miles of Burning Underbrush Near Cumberland, Md.—Heavy Loss of Property.

CUMBERLAND, Md., May 7.—Ten families are pinned in by a forest fire raging nine miles east of here on the side of the mountain. It is feared they may perish unless the fire is got under control.

Site for the Statue of General McClellan

Commission Selects Reservation at Connecticut Avenue, Eighteenth and N Streets, in Front of Church of Covenant

After a consultation with several members of the Gen. George B. McClellan statue commission in his office yesterday afternoon, Colonel Symons, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, announced that the Government reservation at Connecticut Avenue, Eighteenth and N Streets northwest, in front of the Church of the Covenant, and known as lot 59 A, had been chosen as the site for the equestrian statue.

Democratic Committee To Investigate Charges

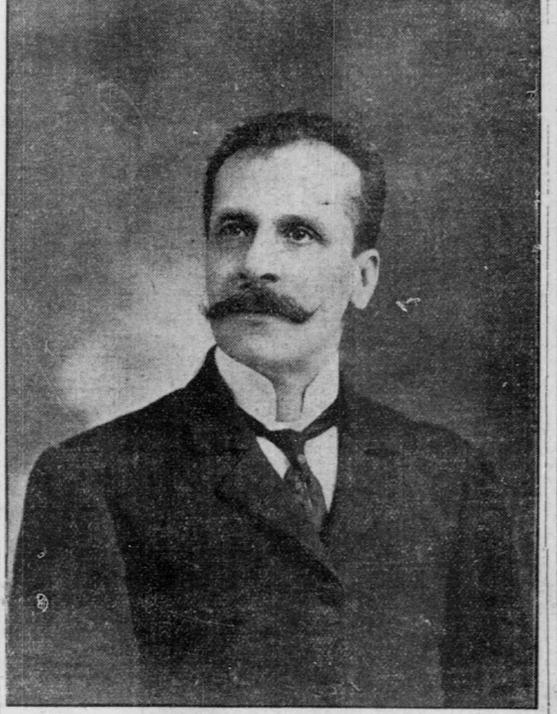
Best Informed Politicians Say There Was No Theft of Ballots—Other Allegations May Not Be Sustained.

The election commission of the Democratic party of the District will meet tomorrow to consider the complaint and allegations of fraud made by some of the candidates who were defeated in the primary. Affidavits were filed by friends of Carter and others from the Twentieth district with Chairman Edwin Sefton, yesterday, and he has been compelled to take action. In the affidavit it is alleged that there was wholesale repeating in the district, and that some of the ballots disappeared.

WEALTH BRINGS JUNK DEALER MUCH TROUBLE

YORK, Pa., May 7.—Frank Holland, a junk dealer, has bought a shot gun. Holland's troubles began when it was widely advertised that he had become the possessor of \$15,000, his share in the estate of his mother.

DON MANUEL CANDAMO.



PRESIDENT OF PERU REPUBLIC
Inaugurated Chief Executive of the Government September 8, 1903—Died May 7, 1904.

LEGATION MOURNS DEATH OF CANDAMO

Peruvian President Was Brother-in-Law of Minister Calderon, and Father of Two Boys Studying Here.

Particularly distressing to the Peruvian legation here was the news received yesterday in a cablegram from Lima, Peru, announcing the death of President Manuel Candamo, at Arequipa.

Davis to Take Charge of Panama Canal Zone

Selects Staff and Prepares to Leave Washington Next Tuesday—Plans for Carrying on Work of Excavation.

Gen. George W. Davis, of the Isthmian Canal Commission, has selected the personal staff who will accompany him to the isthmus on Tuesday. There will be eight in the party, and in addition to General Davis and his private secretary will be Eugene C. Tobey, assistant paymaster in the navy, and Dr. Richard L. Sutton, assistant surgeon, together with four machinists.

CHINESE BANDITS ATTACK SMALL RAILWAY GARRISONS

ST. PETERSBURG, May 7.—The Chun-Chuses (Chinese bandits) are again exceedingly active in Manchuria. They are reported to have attacked several of the stations along the line of the Manchurian Railway north of Mukden where the garrisons are small. In each case they have been driven off and their attempt to damage the line frustrated.

YOUNG CANOEIST DROWNED

WINDSOR, Conn., May 7.—Kenneth W. Hayden, sixteen years old, of Hartford, was drowned in Farmington River here while canoeing with his cousin, John A. Adams. The canoe capsized. Adams managed to reach the bank.

DALNY SEIZED BY JAP TROOPS

Seizure by Advance Forces of Russian Commercial City Near Port Arthur Is Persistently Reported at Seoul.

CORDON COMPLETED ACROSS THE LIAO-TUNG PENINSULA

General Kuroki's Army Divided and Now Moving Against Liao-Yang and Haichon.

SEOUL, Korea, May 7.—It is persistently reported that the Japanese advance has occupied Dalny, and that the cordon across the Liao-Tung Peninsula has been completed, and the troops are throwing up rifle pits so that they can withstand a rear guard attack.

MOVING ON LIAO-YANG AND HAICHON.

General Kuroki has divided his forces. They are moving against Liao-Yang and Haichon at the rate of fifteen miles a day. Kuroki believes Liao-Yang will be taken within a fortnight.

RUSSIAN TROOPS UNSKILLED CONSCRIPTS.

The Japanese officers declare the troops now in Manchuria are not the pick of the Russian fighting force, but are composed of the undrilled conscripts. These men are no match for the well trained Japanese. General Kuroki is known to have asserted he can take Liao-Yang with the 80,000 men he has in his command.

Railway at Port Adams Destroyed by Japanese

ST. PETERSBURG, May 6.—No definite announcement as to the reason for the abandonment of Feng-wang-cheng are to be had here. At the war office the officials refuse to discuss the matter beyond the statement that General Kuropatkin is planning his own campaign and that he will not give battle until he considers victory certain.

JAPS WOULD OVERWHELM KUROPATKIN BY NUMBERS

ST. PETERSBURG, May 7.—General Kuropatkin's urgent orders yesterday for the Russians to concentrate at Feng-wang-cheng.

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COWHERD NAMES FOUR STATES AS DOUBTFUL

New York, New Jersey, Indiana, and Illinois, He Thinks, Will Be Debatable Ground.

PAYNE NOT TO RESIGN TO AID IN CAMPAIGN

Authoritative Denial of Report He Is to Be Vice Chairman of Republican National Committee.

The Administration was concerned yesterday at the publication of a story to the effect that Postmaster General Payne would be retired from the cabinet for the purpose of serving as vice chairman of the Republican National Committee, to assist former Secretary Cornelius N. Bliss, of New York, in place being taken by Secretary Coffey, while Commissioner of Corporations Garfield would succeed his chief assistant, Secretary of Commerce and Labor.