

TROOPS SUPPRESS STRIKING

Anti-Australian Demonstration Causes Great Stir in Rome.

MANY ARRESTED BY THE POLICE

University Closed, But Meeting Is Held, Followed by March.

ROME, Nov. 25.—Troops had to be called to the aid of the police in suppressing an anti-Australian student demonstration. The public feeling is still high and further rioting is looked for tonight. Hundreds of arrests have been made.

HAITI INSURGENTS CAPTURE GENERAL

Unconfirmed Rumor That Le Conte, Minister of Interior, Has Been Shot.

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, Nov. 25.—No word of confirmation has yet been received of the shooting by the insurgents of Gen. Vilmarcelme Le Conte, minister of the interior, who was captured in a skirmish near Jeremie yesterday. The rumor that he was immediately executed by order of General Simon, commanding the insurgents was sent from the front, and every effort so far made to confirm it has proven futile.

Simon Is Popular. That the picked men, who accompanied Le Conte to Jeremie, should have surrendered indicates that the sympathies of the soldiers are with General Simon, who has always been popular with the army.

It is reported here that General Simon has been strongly re-entrenched during the last three days. Two expeditions are declared to have landed from Jamaica, and accompanying them, it is declared, were half a dozen of the leaders of former revolutions in Haiti, all trained military experts.

Captures Munitions. When the gunboat Centenaire came along she was greeted with a broadside and beat a precipitate retreat. The arms and munitions captured will be of inestimable advantage to General Simon and his men.

WANTS TO SACRIFICE CONVICT CRIMINALS

Doctor Recommends That Convicted Prisoners Be Given Up to Science.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 25.—The sacrifice of convicted criminals upon the altar of science is the startling recommendation of Dr. Wallace A. Briggs, vice president of the State board of health, who has precipitated widespread and animated discussion. Dr. Briggs recommends that the State board of pardons direct or grant the privilege of inoculating convicted criminals with the germs of tuberculosis for experimental purposes, for the advancement of physiological research in the battle against the white plague.

RELIGIOUS BILL

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The house of commons, by a vote of 255 to 48, agreed to the first reading of William Redmond's bill to remove Catholic disabilities, including the prohibition of street processions, etc., and to abolish the anti-Catholic clause in the oath taken by the Sovereign on his accession to the throne. Practically this vote, however, has no chance of further consideration during the present session.

CITY WILL OBSERVE THANKSGIVING DAY

Churches, Theaters, and Missions Will Unite in Celebrating Holiday.

PRESIDENT TO DINE AT WHITE HOUSE

Turkey at Executive Mansion Will Be Carved at 7:30 o'Clock.

In the churches, the homes, along the highways, at the club, in the reform institutions, in fact, everywhere, the people of Washington, of all classes, will give thanks tomorrow for the blessings of another year.

Elaborate plans have been made for the general observance of the day, the details ranging from the housewife's solitude over one turkey dinner to preparations for the feeding of hundreds at some of the charitable institutions, and from a small gathering in the most unpretentious chapel to the immense throngs who will witness the laying of the cornerstone of the colored men's branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, an event at which the President of the United States will deliver a Thanksgiving Day address.

The ceremonies will be attended not only by a large number of colored people, to whom the new building means much, but by well-known Y. M. C. A. workers and persons prominent in the official and social life of the Capital. President Roosevelt's interest in the work is assured by his presence and speech of encouragement. The new building is to cost more than \$50,000, of which amount John D. Rockefeller will give \$25,000, the colored people raising the balance.

Dinner at White House. The President will eat his Thanksgiving dinner this year at the White House. It will be served at 7:30.

An appeal for food, cash or cast-off clothing has been issued by the American Salvation Army and this organization, as is its usual custom, proposes to make hundreds of poor people happy on Thanksgiving by appealing the inner man and providing something for the warmth of the body without. The charitable inclined people of Washington are asked to send anything that will go to make the poor happier to Major Smaller, 215 John M. Moore place, or telephone Main 483 and the army will send its wagon for anything that will add to the thankfulness of the unfortunate.

Services in Churches. Special service will be held in nearly all Catholic and Episcopal churches and in a number of those of other denominations. Cardinal Gibbons has asked the faithful to say a prayer for all church authorities on this occasion.

A union Baptist service will be held at Calvary Baptist Church at 11 a. m., the Rev. E. H. Swem, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, preaching the sermon.

The congregation of the Marvin and Ryland M. E. Churches and the West minister. Sixth Presbyterian Churches, will unite in a special service at the latter church Thanksgiving morning, the Rev. S. K. Cockrell, of the Marvin Church, officiating.

Capitol Hill Observance. Capitol Hill residents will unite in services at the Eastern Presbyterian Church, the Rev. C. P. Wiles, pastor of the Keller Memorial Lutheran Church, preaching the sermon. Here will gather the members of the congregations of the Eastern Presbyterian, Keller Memorial, Ninth Street Christian, Hill Methodist, and other Capitol Hill residents.

The services of the Wesley, McKenney, Grace, and North Capitol M. E. Churches will be held in Wesley Chapel, the Rev. R. L. Wright, of McKenney Church, delivering the sermon.

Many women's organizations and relief corps will lend their efforts to making the day a truly thankful one for all Washington. All four local branches of the Woman's Relief Corps, the Phil Sheridan, John A. Logan, O. P. Morton, and Charles Sumner corps will send heavily laden baskets to the homes of aged and needy veterans, and others who are poor.

Cheer for the Poor. The Central Union Mission and the Gospel Mission, according to the annual custom of the Salvation Army, will spread cheer in many a poverty-stricken home. At the same time long tables laden with the choicest delicacies will be placed at each mission, so that the homeless men, who will receive nothing to remind them of the day otherwise, may feast themselves and grow thankful that there are bright spots in the lives of all. Evangelical services will follow the dinner at the missions.

The Young Women's Christian Association will provide dinner at its rooms for girls and women away from home. It will be served at 6 A. M., and it is hoped to make this an annual event.

Turning from the thought of feasting, so far as the inner man is concerned, a number of events have been arranged that will add to a diversified enjoyment of the whole day. Two football games, one the annual meet between Georgetown and Washington and Lee on Georgetown Field, and another between Washington and Bucknell at American League Park will make the

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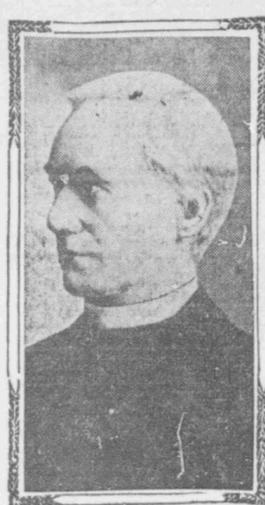
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Widely Known Washington Priest Will Be Recipient of This Honor.

Cardinal Gibbons will officiate at solemn services at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning in St. Paul's Church, Fifteenth and V streets north-west, when the Rev. James F. Mackin will be invested with the rank of monsignor. This honor was recently conferred on Father Mackin and Father Lee, the latter pastor of St. Matthew's Church.

Solemn high mass will be sung at 10:30 o'clock by the Rev. W. S. Caughy, pastor of St. Stephen's Church, with the Rev. Philip Sheridan, of Towson, Md., as deacon, and the Rev. S. J. Kavanaugh, of Libertytown, Md., as subdeacon. The latter priests together with the Rev. Joseph Moran, an Augustinian monk, who will also attend the services, were reared in St. Paul's parish.

Following the services, public reception will be held in the rectory, when members of the parish will not only have an opportunity to congratulate Father Mackin, but will also be presented to the Cardinal.

Father Mackin is one of the most popular and widely-known priests in the diocese of Baltimore. He is seventy years old, and was ordained in 1885.

COURT RECORD OF THE DISTRICT

DISTRICT SUPREME COURT. Equity Court, No. 1. JUSTICE BARNARD. (Called yesterday.) No. 2542. Watters vs. Nash; order discharging receiver after payment of funds into registry of the court. Complainant's solicitor, McNeil & McNeil; defendant's solicitors, McKenney & Flannery.

Probate Court. JUSTICE BARNARD. (Called yesterday.) Estate of Richard McCarthy; letters of administration granted to Ellen McCarthy; bond, \$500. Attorney, H. A. Hegarty.

Probate Court. JUSTICE BARNARD. (Called yesterday.) Estate of Robert W. Falk; order revoking commission. Attorney Joseph A. Burkart.

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PRESIDENT ANXIOUS FOR NAVAL REFORM

Will Ask Congress to Modernize the Department, Establish General Staff, and Authorize Four New Battleships.

By J. C. WELLIVER.

Naval reform is one of the subjects to which President Roosevelt is going to devote special effort during his last Congressional session. The President wants:

Establishment of a general staff for the navy, similar to that which was established under Secretary Root for the army.

A guarantee of the rapid expansion of naval power in the future, which means authorization by the coming session of four new battleships.

General reorganization of the scheme of naval administration.

The naval reformers are hopeful of getting some important results the coming session. Their hopes have been increased greatly since it was made probable that Chairman Hale will leave the Naval Committee and become head of Appropriations. Senator Hale is regarded as the most powerful exponent of the old order of things in the navy. He has been a despo in his committee simply because so many of its members have navy yards to look after, and any one who would undertake to interfere with the plans of the chairman, stood in danger of having his navy yard yanked off the list of desirable institutions.

The demand for a general staff has been pressed for some years. The reformers hope it will come now. They believe that a great deal was accomplished in the campaign last winter, which opened when the Reuter's article was published, setting forth defects in the navy. It is therefore regarded as highly significant that within a day or two another article by Reuter's will appear in a popular magazine, giving a new chapter of criticism of the navy, and including an interview with President Roosevelt.

There was a fine fuss over the Reuter's article of a year ago, various people were proved to have provided material for it; and to do so was a high misdemeanor in the service. The President might have made things very hot for a lot of people, but he didn't. He declined to excite himself at all. Instead, Reuter's, after all the row, was allowed to accompany the fleet when it started around the world. He left it after the trip around South America, and came home to write some more muck-raking articles about the navy. He stood well enough with the President to be able to secure an authorized interview, which will appear in his forthcoming article, quoting the President. Other newspaper and magazine writers, who have tried, will recognize that the man who gets an authorized interview with the President is doing quite well.

The explanation is easy. The President is thoroughly in sympathy with the naval critics. He wants them to win their case. The navy is one of his pets, and he knows all about it, having been Assistant Secretary of it. Its present day efficiency is largely due to work he instituted when he was Assistant Secretary, or to things he has caused to be done since he became President.

Powerful and devoted a patron as he has been, however, it is a fact that the President has always met determined opposition inside the navy organization.

His expansion program, of course, meets the most enthusiastic approval; for it is his name will ever be blessed. But when he discusses reorganization, then he is anathema to the roll-top desk sailors who navigate swinging chairs at the department and don't want criticism of what they have done, nor disturbance of their comfortable assignments.

Only the critics are going right ahead with their criticisms. The truth is that they have arranged a fine program of literary enfilading of the department for the winter. Several of the popular magazines will be along presently with attacks on various naval aspects; all of them calculated to strengthen the hand of the critics, and to encourage the President to persevere in his demand for reform. The literature campaign includes the preparation of campaign documents, some of them already in print, which will go to all members of Congress, and to everybody else who is in the cause, explaining just what is the matter with the navy and what reforms are needed. An especially attractive sample of muck-raking is promised in a forthcoming article which will show how the dock yards are mismanaged, and how impossible it would be to care for a crippled vessel on our own shores, in time of war. In this connection, it will be shown just how politics has injured the navy yards. This article will be distributed for the benefit of members of Naval Committees, rather than for the benefit of the navy, as how money has been spent on them in proportion to pulls rather than to needs. Yet more; it will be declared that while millions have been removed from the political navy yards on our own shores, nothing effective has been yet done for Guantanamo, which is a disgrace to the United States.

In short the navy is going to be raked for all the sins of the past. The reformers have been enlisted and all the regulars will be busier than ever before, taking care of the navy.

And while the American navy will be under criticism for bad organization, the question of naval expansion will be urged. Just now, in naval circles, much attention is being devoted to a remarkable anonymous article in the last number of the English Quarterly Review, on the German naval program. This writer says that Germany is engaged in the German admiralty, by which he shows that Germany is going to double up its Dreadnaught-building program in the next three or four years, and by 1915—unless England makes special effort, will actually have more Dreadnaughts than Britain. Now the President is engaged in the only one to which the naval sharp give any attention whatever in these days. They listen patiently to the list of strictly first-class naval powers soon. The author inclines to give America second place at present; but he is possibly wrong. The United States is forced down far in the list, in the near future, unless it enlarge its building program.

All this is fine food for the advocates of naval expansion. They are determined to win the four-battleship fight with the President. They know they will have the President with them in another effort for it, and they know that sentiment in favor of about equal-sized fleets between America and Pacific in future is growing, and points surely to an enlarged building program. They expect to get four Dreadnaughts authorized the coming winter.

LETTER CIRCULATES AFTER WRITER DIES

Thomas F. Davis, a roofing contractor, upon receiving a letter at his home, 217 Congress street, Brooklyn, made a hurried trip to Manhattan, turning over in his mind the prospects of fat profits from a very promising bid for work made in the year. When he arrived at an office in a downtown building he asked if he could see the bidder, whose name was signed to the letter. "He has been dead thirteen years," a clerk replied.

Inspection of the envelope showed that the letter had been mailed August 5, 1894. It bore inscriptions by the postal officials saying that it had been received unopened and in bad condition. Mr. Davis was unable to learn at the Brooklyn postoffice why or where the missive had been taking its Rip Van Winkle sleep.

AGED WOMAN BURIED FROM ST. PATRICK'S

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Clarke, eighty-five years a resident of this city, who died Monday at her residence, 1023 Ninth street northwest, was held this morning from St. Patrick's Catholic Church, where requiem mass was celebrated. The death of Mrs. Clarke, who had been a member of a well-known Washington family, she was buried beside the grave of her husband, who was killed during the war of 1812.

RACED WITH "BIKE COPS."

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 25.—Dr. George Ellery Hale, an eminent astronomer, was fined here today for speeding his automobile. He told the court he thought the "bike cops" wanted a race.

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ALEXANDRIA. BUSINESS TO CEASE ON THANKSGIVING

Schools Will Close and Many Families Will Have Reunions.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ALEXANDRIA, VA., NOV. 25.

Thanksgiving Day will be observed in this city in a fitting manner. The banks and city offices will be closed and the public and private schools will have holiday. The postoffice will observe Sunday hours. The day will be given up to the reunion of families and many former Alexandrians will take this opportunity to revisit the home of their youth.

R. H. Wattlew has bought from P. F. Gorman a house and lot, at the northeast corner of Wolfe and Union streets.

The coroner's jury, which is holding an inquest over the body of C. Edward Meade, met again at Demaine's undertaking rooms last evening and heard testimony from Sylvester Quayle in regard to the drowning. Quayle's testimony was conflicting, and the jury adjourned until this evening, when two former Alexandrians will take this opportunity to revisit the home of their youth.

In the circuit court today, Judge Thornton presiding, Dora L. Johnson, qualified as administratrix of the estate of her late husband, Ammon Davis Johnson.

A meeting of the Young Men's Senate was held last evening, at the Young People's building in south Washington street. The business transacted was of a routine nature.

On next Tuesday evening "A Recital of Old Songs" will be given at the Young People's building, under the auspices of the Free Kindergarten. Among those who will take part in the program will be Mrs. Thomas Halford, Mrs. Sherman Fowler, Mrs. De Dier, and Mrs. Witman, of Washington.

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