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## SPORTING.

### ...INN BESTS KENNEDY.

...ssociated Press.

...ville, N. M., Feb. 14.—Last ...Jack Flynn, champion welter ...of New Mexico, and Billy ...champion middle weight of ...fought to a finish for $250 a ...purse of $200. Flynn won in ...round, after a very hard fight.

### ...W ORLEANS RACES.

...ssociated Press.

...leans, La., Feb. 14.—Weather ...cool, raw. Track very heavy. At ...the Two favorites won. ...ile—Three-fourths of a mile. ...Mary won, Queen Bird second, ...Hilton third. Time, 1:10 3-4. ...ile—Six and a half furlongs. ...was, Avon D'Or second, Lengthy ...Dickerson fourth. Time, 1:27 3-4. ...ile—Five-eights of a mile. ...was, Henry Owsley second, Ike ...Time, 1:04 1-4. ...ile—Three-quarters of a mile. ...was, Best Hance second, Silver ...Time, 1:19. ...ile—Five-eights of a mile. ...Progression second, Billy ...third. Time, 1:06 3-4.

### THE CHESS MATCH.

...ssociated Press.

...Feb. 14.—In the third game ...the chess championship of the ...between Hodges and ...the French defense adopted ...resulted in another victory ...Score: Showalter, 2; ...; draws, 1.

## BUSINESS.

### A BANK CLOSED.

...ssociated Press.

...Ohio, Feb. 14.—The Ameri... ...national bank was today closed by ...the comptroller of the currency. ...stock is $250,000, but it is not ...bank, its deposits being less ...000.

### STOCKS AND BONDS.

...ssociated Press.

...York, Feb. 14.—Although it cut ...in the governing courses of ...the stock exchange, the failure ...American sugar refining company ...its adjourned annual meeting to ...was a fertile subject of comment. ...a foregone conclusion that no ...will be held, and but few ...holders, and none of the officers, ...at the place of meeting. Evi... ...the officials of the company are ...prepared to let the public at large ...share and Sugar of representa... ...their confidence. It looks now ...the annual meeting would not be ...held after the tariff bill is disposed ...

...the stock exchange the principal ...manifested was during the morn... ...when trading was chiefly in sugar, ...gas, Western Union, distilling, ...and New England. The Ad... ...was steadily held during the after... ...orders for Chicago gas and other ...stocks poured in after 2 o'clock, when ...prices gave way a fraction. In ...of decline a partial rally was made ...the railway list closed fairly firm.

### CASH COUNTRY BANK.

...Associated Press.

...Iowa, Feb. 14.—It is ex... ...that the banking of the Cash ...will be $215,000, assets less ...$100,000, with preferred claims ...$2,000. The depositors will re... ...about 5 cents on the dollar. The ...issued over the counter as in busi... ...Bernard is a partial rally was made ...of taking the law into their ...hands.

## DEATHS.

### MRS. MYRA BRADWELL.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14.—Mrs. Myra Bradwell died today after a long illness. Mrs. Bradwell was proprietor of the Chicago Legal News and the first woman in the United States to be admitted to the bar.

### A WILD STEAMER.

By Associated Press.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 14.—The steamer City of Paducah ran into the Tennessee river bridge here, throwing it out of gear and preventing trains of the Chesapeake, Ohio and Southwestern from crossing. The steamer had a large portion of her upper works carried away, and a hole below her water line compelled the captain to run her ashore to save her from sinking.

### TEXAS CENTRAL DIRECTORS.

Special Dispatch.

Waco, Texas, Feb. 14.—A meeting of the board of directors and stockholders of the Texas Central was held in the office of Vice-President Hamilton. Messrs. J. S. McLendon, R. B. Parrott and Charles Hamilton were present, the latter as proxy for the other directors who were absent.

The following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Henry D. McHarg, A. D. Moran, Walton Ferguson, R. Robin, J. S. McLendon, R. B. Parrott and Charles Hamilton. Mr. Ferguson is the only new director, and elected in the place of Cornelius B. Gold, formerly chairman of the board.

The following is a list of officers elected: President, Henry K. McHarg; vice-president, Charles Hamilton; secretary and treasurer, D. Conyn Moran.

Executive committee—Henry K. McHarg, H. D. Moran and Walton Ferguson.

### DIVIDING BARNUM'S ESTATE.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 14.—S. P. Hallawhes, James Staples and Charles A. Brockwell, who were appointed commissioners by the probate court a short time ago to make a partial distribution of the estate of P. T. Barnum, submitted their report this morning. The heirs were anxious to realize some money from the estate, and therefore asked that a partial distribution be made.

For this reason the commissioners decided to divide the real estate, so that the heirs could dispose of it without waiting for a final settlement. The report divides the estate as follows:

Mrs. Caroline C. Thompson, real estate in Bridgeport worth $215,426.21; Mrs. Helen B. Bennett, real estate in this city worth $177,713.12; Mrs. Jane H. Clark, real estate in this city worth $197,713.12; Clinton Wilson Barnum and Marshall, and also to Clinton Barnum and B. Bailey, the undivided one-third interest in real estate in this city worth $215,426.21; Mrs. Caroline C. Thompson, one-third interest, Mrs. Helen B. Bennett, one-sixth interest and Clinton H. Barnum, H. B. and Jessie B. Seeley, each one-sixth interest in real estate in this city worth $140,426.09.

In another inventory real estate in Brooklyn, N. Y., valued at $71,000, was distributed. The total value of the property divided was more than $1,000,000.

### SWEPT A CARTRIDGE IN THE FIRE.

Special Dispatch.

Denison, Tex., Feb. 14.—Mrs. H. F. Blakeney, while sweeping the house this evening, swept a small cartridge in the fire. It exploded and a piece struck her in the eye. Though quite painful, it is not thought she will lose her eye.

### NEW ORLEANS LIVESTOCK.

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 14.—Live stock very quiet for all classes. Cattle demand fair, fat beeves, cows, calves and yearlings with some on the market. Hogs quiet. Sheep in fair demand.

## AT THE MERCY OF LIONS.

### Three Fierce Brutes Attack a Keeper at the Fair.

### THE ELECTRIC LIGHTS WENT OUT

### And the Roars of the Beasts as They Began Eating the Man

**Caused a Thrill of Horror to Pass Through the Immense Assemblage—The Trainer Heroically Goes to the Rescue of the Keeper.**

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Carlo Thieman, an attendant at Col. Daniel Boone's wild animal show at the Mid-winter fair, was attacked by three lions last night and so horribly mangled that he may die.

The evening performance had been in progress in Boone's arena for about half an hour and the circular enclosure was filled with people. The wild animals are exhibited in a large cage in the center of the arena, and it was time for the lions to go on. Three huge beasts, Parnell, Roscoe and Commodore, were led into the cage by Thieman, preparatory to Boone's entrance. Suddenly the electric lights went out. There was a short interval of silence, when, suddenly, a shriek of agony came from the cage. It was followed by a roar of the enraged lions, the crunching of their terrible jaws and the groans of the man in the cage. The large crowd of spectators became panic stricken and started for the doors. Women shrieked and fainted, but the crowd was finally induced to remain seated by the attendants, who had retained their presence of mind. Finally lanterns were brought, and there in the cage, by Thieman with the three lions clawing and munching his prostrate body.

Col. Boone seized an iron bar and entered the cage. With shouts and blows he drove the beasts from the prey and dragged the unfortunate man from the cage. It was an exhibition of bravery seldom seen and the big crowd cheered the gallant colonel. Thieman was taken to the receiving hospital, where his wounds, forty-three in number, were examined.

By one blow from a lion's paw he had been scalped from the forehead to the nap of the neck. Under each arm there were terrible bites where the lions had attempted to reach his vital spot. One of them nearly succeeded, for he just missed a large artery. Thieman's arms, legs, thighs and buttocks were also bitten and scratched. At the hospital he recovered consciousness and managed to tell his story.

He said he was attending to some of the cage fixtures when the lights went out. The big cats, Parnell, jumped for him and knocked him down with a blow on the head. Then the other two lions seized him under the arms and dragged him across the cage while Parnell made a general onslaught on his body.

The lions are all full grown beasts and have been exhibited as trained animals for some time. Thieman has been animal tender for eighteen years and was considered one of the best in the business.

Col. Boone, in speaking of the affair said: "It has always been my custom to have lanterns and lamps about the arena in case the electric lights should go out, as it is well known that wild animals, no matter how well trained, will attack a man in the dark.

By some oversight, the lanterns were not in their usual places tonight and it was some time before they could be found. To add to the horror of the situation the cage door became stuck and there was some delay in opening it when Boone entered the cage to rescue Thieman.

After Thieman had been removed to the hospital the people left the arena as they had seen enough wild animals for one night and the performance was discontinued.

The doctors think there is a possibility of Thieman's recovery, unless blood poisoning ensues.

### PARRISH ON TRIAL.

**Eight Jurors Already Secured to Try the Negro Murderer.**

Special Dispatch.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 14.—The case of the State vs. John Parrish, the hired assassin of Young M. Langston, was called in the criminal court today. Both sides announced ready for trial.

The negro murderer will be defended by Pitt Harry Miller and Green Williams. Col. Jerome Kearby will assist the prosecution.

Eight jurors had been secured when court adjourned this evening, and one of the jurors stated that he had never heard or read of the famous Langston murder or suicide of W. G. Parish. The evidence is overwhelming against Parrish, as he confessed the crime to Sheriff Campbell and also to the correspondent of the Gazette at the time of his arrest.

### BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The board of officers has been appointed to meet February 28 for the examination of applicants to West Point, at the following places: Fort Warren, Mass.; Governor's Island, New York; Fort McHenry, Md.; Columbus Barracks, Ohio; Fort McPherson, Ga.; Jackson Barracks, Louisiana; Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Fort Sheridan, Illinois; Jefferson Barracks, Missouri; Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; Fort Snelling, Minnesota; Fort Douglas, Utah; Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming; the Presidio, San Francisco and San Diego Barracks, California; Vancouver Barracks, Washington.

### ASSOCIATED PRESS MEETING.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14.—A distinguished party of newspaper editors and proprietors arrived in Chicago today on the Pennsylvania road. The party came from the East in a special car to attend the annual meeting of the Associated Press held today. The party will be driven to the Auditorium hotel and immediately upon their arrival in the city will be required to Rental hall in the Auditorium building, where the meeting was held. About 125 representatives of the Associated Press papers were in attendance. Tonight a banquet for the visiting editors will be given at the Grand Pacific hotel.

### CORSICANA BUDGET.

Special Dispatch.

Corsicana, Texas, Feb. 14.—A number of citizens met in McKie & Autry's office yesterday evening for the purpose of discussing the water situation. It was decided that an artesian well should be bored and a subscription was taken for that purpose, which amounted to $12,000. A charter will be applied for and a new water company organized. It is the intention of the movers of the project to establish a sanitarium.

M. Cohn has filed suit in the district court for damages to the amount of $25,000 against Grimes & Young et al of the Blooming Grove National bank.

### FIGHTING IN GUINEA.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Feb., 14.—A telegram has been received here from Governor French of Guinea, dated from Konakry, giving the details regarding the second frontier engagement between the English and French. The governor reports that an encounter took place at the mouth of the Malacorre. An English police force, he says, occupied the village of Comman in French territory, in order to forcibly impress the native to construct roads.

The governor in the dispatch adds: "Our native troops, on arriving in presence of the natives, were attacked by English forces. One man on the French side was wounded and five men on the British side were killed."

### IOWA PARK NEWS NOTES.

**Commercial Club Officers Elected—A Fort Sill Mass Meeting to Be Held.**

Special Dispatch.

Iowa Park, Tex., Feb. 14.—At the annual election of officers for the Commercial club on Tuesday evening, N. C. Herod was chosen president, J. Kennedy, vice-president, Albert Freeman, secretary, and C. L. McCulloch, treasurer.

A resolution was passed inviting all Wichita county to join in a Fort Sill mass meeting on Saturday night next. The purpose is to further agitate the opening of the Fort Sill country. Speakers have been invited from various points, and a rousing time is expected.

The club also took action looking towards the proper observance of arbor day on Washington's birthday.

### TEN THOUSAND LIZARDS LOOSE.

**They Swarmed Out of the Box When the Customs Officer Opened It.**

Albany, Feb. 14.—Owing to the efforts of the Humane Society the sale of chameleons in this city has been stopped, but every day consignments of these reptiles pass through here for other towns. On Wednesday night 10,000 of them were shipped to Montreal.

During the long ride in the heated baggage car the little animals got very lively and a large number escaped from the box. The trainmen were kept busy until Montreal was reached chasing lizards around the car, and forty or fifty alighted there. At the custom house at Montreal the customs officers opened the case. The reptiles made a rush, and before the startled examiner realized the situation every one got out. For six hours the attendants were engaged in a crawfish roundup, but over a thousand escaped.

### WANTED TO LYNCH HIM.

Special Dispatch.

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 14.—As Austin Brown was being taken to the court house this morning to stand trial for the assassination of Anderson Harris last week, a crowd of several hundred negroes surrounded the officers and cried, "lynch him!" But the officers got their prisoner to the court house without molestation.

The trial is in progress and will last several days.

### WILSON RAPIDLY IMPROVING.

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Feb. 14.—Congressman W. L. Wilson of West Virginia said this morning that he felt better today than he has felt since he left Washington. He is now free from fever and his physicians think there will be no danger in resuming his journey tomorrow to Mexico. Congressmen Wilson and Tarsney with their families will leave for the City of Mexico tomorrow on the Santa Fe.

### $8500 FOR A LEG.

Special Dispatch.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 14.—S. G. Weatherford secured a verdict for $8500 against the Oak Cliff railroad today for the loss of a leg.

### POLLARD-BRECKINRIDGE CASE.

**The Defense Taking Depositions Which Tend to Strengthen Their Case.**

By Associated Press.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 14.—The defense in the Pollard-Breckinridge case are still taking testimony, in the form of depositions before Commissioner Fred Hinkle of this city. Miss Pollard's testimony having shown that she claimed she was married when she gave birth to the child at the foundling asylum near Norwood, the defense have a deposition from Dr. Dessoupe, the physician, who said he never attended a married lady in child birth at the asylum. This afternoon they went to the asylum to take the deposition of Sister Augustine, who has been there since 1861, and of Sister Adele Regina, Mother superior, and of the housekeeper, who has been there for ten years, after which a few other witnesses will be examined. Counsel for the defense claim to have established a perfect defense.

### OKLAHOMA MASONS.

**They Met at Guthrie Yesterday and Elected Grand Lodge Officers.**

Special Dispatch.

Guthrie, O. T., Feb. 14.—The Grand Lodge of Oklahoma Masons in session here elected grand officers as follows tonight: Master, John T. Dougherty of Oklahoma City; deputy, C. A. Newman of El Reno; senior warden, A. W. Fisher of Norman; junior warden, E. M. Dunford of Guthrie; treasurer, H. H. Warner of Hennessey; secretary, J. N. Hunt of Stillwater.

### MINNIE ROWAN'S CREW SAVED.

By Associated Press.

Scituate, Mass., Feb. 14.—After many unsuccessful attempts the crew of the wrecked schooner, Minnie Rowan, was taken off this morning by a station boat. The tide was well out and the water comparatively smooth. The men were exhausted and the captain was so severely injured that he had to be carried from a boat to a house near by.

### AUSTIN MATTERS.

Special Dispatch.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 14.—Revenue receipts today $14,000.

The comptroller today registered $11,500 of Harris county jail bonds and $6700 of Harrison county bonds.

Governor Hogg was today in receipt of the resignation of R. B. Scott as one of the board of managers of the North Texas insane asylum. No appointment has been made as yet to fill the vacancy.

## TO BE REPORTED TUESDAY.

### Chairman Voorhees Says the Tariff Bill Will Be

### READY FOR DEBATE TUESDAY.

### The House is Still Debating Bland's Seiginorage Bill.

**Opponents and Friends of Peckham Diligently at Work—The Interior Department's Policy as to the Fort Sill Country—Texas Matters at the Capital.**

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The tariff subcommittee on finance was in conference today. The conference was devoted to a report upon the progress made by the sub-committee on the tariff bill and to general discussion of the disputed points, such as sugar, coal, iron ore, lead ore, income tax and whiskey tax. The developments of the past few days have gone far toward indicating that the house bill will be disturbed in no few particulars as possible. Members of the ways and means committee are acting in this course, and in support of their arguments they assert that if the bill should be radically changed, it will be expended in the house.

The conference continued until 1 o'clock. While none of the important questions in the dispute were decided beyond irreversible change, some of them were agreed upon tentatively. The decision, briefly, is to extend the free list period on whisky and to increase tax to $1.20 per gallon, to put a duty on coal and leave the iron schedule as it is in the house bill.

The question of sugar duty is still unsettled. Mr. Voorhees authorizes the statement that the bill will be reported next Tuesday.

### THE SENATE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The entire time of the senate today was consumed in the discussion of the bill compelling the Rock Island railroad to stop its trains at the new towns of Enid and Round Pond, in the Indian Territory. The measure is especially championed by Senator Berry of Arkansas, and is proving the subject of great attention, as some Democratic senators see in the proposed exercise of congressional power an usurpation of right. No action was reached on the bill, but a vote will probably be taken tomorrow.

The whisky tax and the position of the Women's Christian Temperance union on the question was brought up by Senator Frye this morning. The senator stated that he had observed in the Associated Press dispatches that the statement that the Woman's Christian Temperance union had petitioned congress for an increase of a tax on whisky. On investigation it had been found that such petitions had really been presented to the house committee on ways and means. These purported to be signed by officers of the union in remote Western towns. Letters had been sent to these towns and it had been found that there are no persons in the locality bearing the names signed to the petitions. "I have the pleasure now," said he, "of presenting a remonstrance from the National Woman's Christian Temperance union against the tax on whisky. This remonstrance is signed by the officers of the Woman's Christian Temperance union in forty-four states and three territories and these excellent women do not believe that the United States ought to enter in co-partnership in either the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors."

Senator Lodge presented a resolution which was adopted, calling on the secretary for a record in the case of the investigation of the Boston custom house.

The house bill to compel the Rock Island company to stop its trains at Enid and Round Pond, in Oklahoma, came up as unfinished business, and Senator Palmer took the floor in favor of the bill. He argued that the people of these towns were suffering wrong and injustice, and that it being within the power of congress to afford relief, the bill should be passed without delay. The bill was opposed by Senator Carey of Wyoming and Senator Martin of Kansas.

Senator Martin, in opposing the bill, declared that it was a violation of Democratic doctrines, that the legislature of Oklahoma had ample power to deal with the subject and congress should not interfere. He was not a friend of the railroads; in fact, they had always opposed him when he was a candidate for office, but he did not believe in violating the tenets of his faith because a railroad would thereby be compelled to do a thing the territorial legislature had full power to compel it to perform.

Senator Allison followed Senator Martin and favored the bill.

It is proper that the people of the country should know that the agents and attorneys of this corporation are invading the capital and trying to influence the legislature. They are in the committee rooms, in the senate lobby and in the senate galleries. It is costing the railroad company money to fight the bill than it would to establish depots and stations in all these towns.

Senator Peffer of Kansas thought that congress should exercise the power compelling the railroad company to establish these depots, as it would be nearly a year before the territorial legislature will be in session. He believed, however, the bill should be amended.

Senator Call of Florida favored the bill and make a long speech denouncing railroad corporations.

Pending the discussion of the bill the senate at 4:20 went into executive session.

At 5:05 the senate adjourned.

### THE HOUSE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 14.—All efforts to agree upon a time for the close of the debate upon the Bland bill have so far failed and the debate is still proceeding without limit. Mr. Bland will probably permit them to go on until tomorrow night, as there are quite a number of gentlemen who insist upon the right to be heard. The opponents of the measure have decided that they will insist upon a quorum of the advocates of the measure being present at every stage of the parliamentary procedure, so after that a motion to close the debate will require a quorum of those who are in favor of it. There are many of the house who are absent at this time, and it will probably require two days at least to secure the attendance necessary to bring the bill to a vote.

Tomorrow it is Mr. Bland's intention to make a motion to close the debate, and as in this motion will probably develop a lack of a quorum, the opponents of the bill refusing to vote he will then offer a resolution to bring in the absentees, probably Friday and part of Saturday, and possibly still another day will be required to produce the requisite quorum. A quorum favoring the bill being here, a special order will be brought in to bring the measure to a final vote.

Mr. Berner and some other Democrats, who are leading the opposition, still insist that the bill can be beaten. Let Mr. Tracey, who is floor leader of the opposition on the Democratic side, frankly confesses that he believes the bill will pass, if it reaches a vote. As to whether it would be vetoed, however, he gives no opinion.

The debate today was without startling incidents of any kind, the only interesting feature of the day being a question of veracity raised between Mr. Fithian and Mr. Hunter as to how the latter voted on the proposition to increase the duty on diamonds during the tariff debate.

At the opening of the session of the house this morning the resignation of Representative Rhodes of South Carolina, who has been appointed United States district judge, was read and placed on file. The resignation took effect today.

Mr. Hunter of Illinois rose to a question of privilege and made a lengthy explanation of his votes on agricultural implement and diamonds while the tariff bill was being considered in committee of the whole.

Mr. Reed of Maine asked unanimous consent that the oath be administered to Messrs. Quin and Strauss, the newly elected members from New York, whose credentials have not yet arrived. There was no objection and the colleagues of Messrs. Cummings and Dunphy escorted them to the bar of the house, where they were sworn in.

Mr. Bland then moved that the house go into a committee of the whole for the further consideration of the seigniorage bill. Pending the motion Mr. Bland rose to work an agreement with the opponents of the bill to close the general debate this afternoon at 5 o'clock, but Mr. Reed called for the regular order.

Mr. Stone of Kentucky took the floor. That there was a deficiency in the revenues of the government, and that there would be a larger deficiency no one would deny. The first section of the bill proposed to coin the surplus assets of the government to meet part of the deficiency. He regretted that there was no direct in the claim set on that the seigniorage bullion was pledged to the redemption of outstanding treasury notes, as both Secretary Foster and Secretary Carlisle held that those notes were redeemable either in gold or silver. The sale bonds had not and could not strengthen the treasury. It simply increased the obligations of the government and made it harder for the treasury to meet its obligations.

Toward the close of his remarks, Mr. Stone became involved in a controversy with Mr. Reed and Mr. Bowers of California over party responsibility for the present condition of affairs. At last Mr. Stone declared that this Democratic congress would afford the people relief, and that, reinforced and approved, the Democratic majority elected to congress would readily next fall in the work of this congress.

"We will rest the case on that prediction," said Mr. Reed. "If you have an increased Democratic majority next fall you will be vindicated."

Mr. Walker, Republican, of Massachusetts, who followed Mr. Stone, declared that the world's business was done upon the basis of the world's standard of value of gold and silver as far as its value as an international exchange was concerned, and must always be measured by its bullion value in gold. Silver coinage forced by the Democratic party had cost the people of the country $40,000,000 a year in indirect taxation.

Mr. Walker then proceeded, under a running fire of questions from Mr. Livingston, Mr. Smith of Arizona and Mr. Bland, to argue that it was better to issue bonds than to pass such a bill as the pending measure.

During the course of Mr. Walker's speech, Mr. Reed and Mr. Bland got into an angry altercation over the Pugilistic debate. It was carried on while Mr. Hatch, who was in the chair, was vainly pounding for order, and the sergeant-at-arms was at last called upon to see that the gentlemen were seated.

Continuing, Mr. Walker read an alleged quotation from Mr. Bland's speech to demonstrate, as he said, that the profit of the fluctuation of silver coinage would be a debasement of the value of silver and a depreciation of the silver dollar.

Mr. Bland attempted to deny the correctness of the quotation, but Mr. Walker refused to yield. He went on in full attention to Mr. Johnson's statement yesterday that legal tender, paper or gold, was being refused at the treasury for silver certificates. The moment silver certificates were no super interest payable with gold, or gold obligations, said he, the latter would go to a premium of 52 1-10 cents.

Mr. Sweet of Idaho followed with an argument for a strong appeal in favor of free coinage.

Mr. Bowers (Republican) of California, to whom Mr. Sweet yielded a few minutes at the close of his legal, also supported the bill.

Mr. Brosius (Republican) of Pennsylvania, argued against the bill. In this bill, he said, the financial honor of the country is being put at auction to enable it to pay its debts.

Mr. Rawlins, a delegate from Utah, supported the bill with a general argument in favor of free coinage. Without concluding his speech, Mr. Rawlins yielded for a motion that the committee rise.

Mr. Fithian at this juncture rose to a personal explanation in connection with Mr. Hunter's statement in the early part of the session today. He said he regretted he was called upon to make a statement, but he felt it his duty to do so.

The question at issue was how Judge Hunter had voted upon the proposition to place agricultural implements on the free list, and to increase the duty on diamonds.

He explained that until a few months ago he and Mr. Hunter had been rivals for a congressional nomination in Illinois, but that Judge Hunter had withdrawn, and that the entire interest in the matter now was the truth concerning how Mr. Hunter had voted should be known. He said he was present on the day when the vote upon the proposition to increase the duty on diamonds was taken, and as he had a keen personal interest in knowing how Mr. Hunter had voted, he had noticed that he voted against the increased duty on a rising vote, and had

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## HONEY COMBED WITH REDS.

### Paris Seems to be a Putrid Mass of Anarchists Plots,

### CARNOT'S LIFE THREATENED.

### A Plot to Explode Bombs in the Grand Opera House.

**Incendiary Literature Discovered In Algiers and in London—Evidence of a Gigantic Plot, Which, if Successful, Must Have Dismayed the World.**

By Associated Press.

Paris, Feb. 14.—The police announce that it seems to be finally established that the Hotel Terminus bomb thrower's name is Emile Henry, and that he was born in Barcelona, Spain, on September 20, 1872, of French parentage. The police add that they have been aware of his presence in Paris since January 18, and that he had lived in London for a few weeks previous to coming to the city.

The Petit Journal publishes a dispatch from Algiers today saying that copies of anarchists' manifesto were found scattered in the streets of that city. The manifesto is dated London, and is headed "Carnot, the Murderer." The manifesto contained threats to assassinate the president of the French republic, and was signed by a group of anarchists.

In consequence of the anarchist demonstration at Ivry cemetery, where the remains of Vaillant are buried, the prefect of police has stationed a dozen police officers permanently at the cemetery mentioned in order to prevent any further demonstrations.

Radical organs today, discussing the contemplated action of the government for the protection of citizens against the anarchist outrages, express the fear that the chamber of deputies will be induced to vote laws which are opposed to the liberty of the people.

The prefect of police had two hours' conference with the minister of the interior this afternoon and it is reported that the prefect has received advices from the police of London to the effect that the explosion at the hotel terminus was only a part of the scheme which Henry and certain of his companions had arranged before leaving London. It was the intention, according to the London advices, to commit as many outrages as possible, and it is believed that the prisoner's associates will be heard from in some manner before long.

The police in this city are engaged in an active search for Henry's fellow-conspirators. The police this afternoon took another photograph of Henry, which shows him to have short, stiff hair, restless eyes and resolute face.

The prisoner according to the police unmistakably came from London in company with three other anarchists and the London police assert that they have by inference which leads to believe that Henry and his accomplices previous to leaving England planned among other outrages outlined a terrible explosion in the Paris opera house, which was to include, in addition to the explosion of several bombs, the cutting off of the gas supply thus preventing the attendants from lighting up their place of entertainment after the explosion had extinguished the electric lights.

It was stated this evening that the lobbies of the chamber of deputies that the police who have been on the trail of Henry's confederates are now close upon them and that their arrest within a very short time will be announced. A bundle of anarchist leaflets printed in England, in addition to those reported from Algiers, are in possession of the police of this city. These leaflets also contain threats to murder President Carnot and threatened the lives of the ministers and magistrates.

A dramatization of Conan Doyle's famous story, entitled "Sherlock Holmes, Private Detective," was recently produced for copyright purposes.

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