

THE SPANIARDS

Committing Outrages on the Country People in Cuba.

Gen. Lague's Command Seizes and Shoots Eighteen Peaceable Citizens.

The House Where an American Citizen Was Breakfasted, Burned—He Was Made a Prisoner and Shot—Scarcely a Day Passes Without Atrocities.

New York, May 7.—The following letter from the insurgent encampment of Maguarayas dated April 16 has been received by Thomas Estrada Palma:

"I have been operating within this zone during the last two months and I am satisfied of the success I have attained, although the Spaniards have given me few opportunities to meet them. They boast, however, that they are always after us, but that we avoid fighting, but I assure you that such is not the case. They hardly venture out and when they do they are very careful to remain within a short distance of a fortified place.

"But if they are unwilling to meet our soldiers, they are very active in committing all sorts of outrages against the country people they come across. Scarcely any one is left alive, for they proceed on the theory that every Cuban is a rebel, no matter what his attitude may have been.

"Among the atrocities lately committed by the Spaniards I will describe the following. They are a fair sample of the work they are doing: The column commanded by Gen. Lague on April 11, while passing Maguarayas, fired a house where Narcisco Lopez, an American citizen, was breakfasting. They made him a prisoner, took him to the roadway, shot him and left the corpse unburied.

"The small column commanded by Lazo April 14, while passing Santo Domingo, seized 18 peaceable citizens and shot them all. The official report says that they had an encounter with Cuban forces which they routed, killing them. "A day hardly passes without atrocities of the kind stated; and were I to attempt to give you an account of those who have come to my knowledge within the last three weeks, I would have to fill many pages. But how mistaken are the Spaniards if they suppose that such misdeeds will break the spirit of our people, for the reverse is the invariable result.

"I am your friend and servant, (Signed) MARIANO TORRES, Brig-Gen." War Indemnity Fund Transferred. LONDON, May 8.—The sum of \$8,000,000 war indemnity from China to Japan was transferred to the latter's agents in London Friday.

THE OFFICIAL HEAD

Of the American Protective Association Likely to Be Ousted.

St. Louis, May 8.—The official head of the A. P. A., J. H. D. Stevens, is in danger of being decapitated at the national convention of that organization in Washington next Tuesday. A resolution is pending in the local advisory board repudiating Stevens' action in condemning McKinley as a presidential candidate. A similar resolution is to be introduced in the local board at Kansas City and it is expected that outside state councils will follow the lead of the city boards. Members of the order claim that Stevens has given out unauthorized and untrue statements of the attitude of the order towards the different presidential candidates. National Vice President Jackson, of Fort Worth, Tex., is quoted as saying:

"Stevens will undoubtedly be deposed at Washington. He has condemned McKinley, when the order is almost to a unit in favor of him."

AMENDED AND PASSED.

Senator Peffer's Bond Measure Goes Through the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The bond resolution, which has been so long in the senate was finally disposed of Thursday, having been agreed to by a vote of 51 yeas to 6 nays. As originally offered by Mr. Peffer, of Kansas, it provided for a select committee to investigate all the facts and circumstances attending the issue and sale of government bonds in the years 1894, 1895 and 1896; but it had been amended Wednesday by the substitution of the finance committee for a select committee, and it was in that shape that it was agreed to. The finance committee consists of six republican senators—Messrs. Morrill, Sherman, Allison, Aldrich, Platt and Wolcott; of six democratic senators—Messrs. Voorhees, Harris, Vest, Jones, White and Walthall, and one populist—Mr. Jones, of Nevada.

Pardoned by Gov. Bushnell.

COLUMBUS, O., May 8.—The governor has pardoned Geo. W. Martin, of Hamilton county, received January, 1893, for life, for brutal assault, and George Ulrich, Crawford county, one year, for burglary.

Fell From a Culvert.

TIPPECANOE CITY, O., May 8.—Oscar Besom, aged 26, of Pemberton, O., fell from a stone culvert on Main street during the night, cutting his head and injuring himself internally. He may die.

Caught in the Shafting.

NORWALK, O., May 8.—Carlton Clark met with a terrible and fatal accident at the Clarksfield stone quarry, being caught in the shafting. His legs and abdomen were terribly lacerated.

HIGHWAYMEN

Attempt to Hold Up a Dry Goods Store in Chicago.

Proprietor Shot Dead and the Female Cashier Shot Through the Hand.

Other Employes Wounded—Two Armed Men Entered the Store and Demanded the Cash—The Cashier Refused and the Robbers Opened Fire.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Thursday night, while Madison street, one of the principal thoroughfares of this city, was crowded with people, a bold attempt was made to rob the large retail dry goods store of George J. Marshall, located at 370 to 382 West Madison, and as a result the proprietor is dead, the cashier was shot through the hand while defending her employer's money, and two others were wounded by flying bullets.

The dead: Geo. J. Marshall, proprietor, shot in head and breast; died instantly. Wounded: Miss Mamie Garretson, cashier, shot through hand. Miss Kittie Hynes, shot through both legs while passing the scene on a cable car. A. S. Bagg, shot in right leg while trying to head off one of the robbers.

Shortly before nine o'clock Thursday evening a man apparently about fifty years old entered the store of George J. Marshall and asked what time the store would close. On being informed that nine o'clock was the closing hour he departed. Promptly at nine o'clock the man returned accompanied by a man about twenty-five years old and another of 30. Two of the men came inside of the store while the third stood guard at the door. Each man was armed with two revolvers. The two men who went into the store immediately approached Miss Garretson at the cashier's desk and leveling their revolvers at her ordered her to open the cash drawer. The young lady refused and closing the drawer turned off the combination. One of the robbers shot her in the hand, but not quick enough to prevent the drawer from being locked. Mr. Marshall being in the store at the time ran to the cashier's desk, and the robbers ran out, pursued by him. When on the sidewalk, the three desperadoes each fired two shots at the proprietor; and then, firing to scatter the crowd, started away on the run. Marshall was hit by two balls—one in the temple, and the other in the left breast. He died instantly. Just at the time the tragedy occurred a cable train passed and two bullets went through one of the open cars. One of them passed through both legs of Miss Kittie Hynes, a passenger. A general panic followed and in the effort of the passengers to get off and away from danger many were badly bruised and scratched.

Two of the highwaymen ran east on Madison street and the other one went west. The two running east had gone about a block when they were ordered to halt by A. S. Bagg, who happened to be passing at the time. Bagg was immediately shot and fell over on the sidewalk, while the fleeing men went on their way unmolested.

STALE HEN FRUIT

Thrown at Detective Seward, Who Recently Figured in the Jackson Murder Case.

NEWPORT, Ky., May 8.—Capt. John Seward, the Somerset detective who figured recently in the Jackson murder case, does not seem to be in high favor among Newport people. He was made the victim of a practical joke Thursday night at about ten o'clock, for which he can give no reason. He had walked up York street to Sixth and stopped for a few minutes on the corner prior to going to his room, at Herman's hotel, on Sixth street, between York street and Central avenue. He had just stopped walking when he was greeted with a volley of rotten eggs from the opposite corner. He made a run for the hotel and was followed by another volley. He did not seem to know what was being thrown at him, and on reaching the waiting room was so badly scared that he could not tell what had happened to him.

BALL PLAYERS FINED.

Members of the Louisville Club, Except Clarke, Dosed to the Tune of Fifty Dollars Each.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 8.—With the exception of Clarke, each member of the Louisville baseball club who participated in Thursday's game was fined \$50 by Director Dreyfus. He said they did not try to play ball, and a good stiff fine was the best way to make them put some ginger in their work. The Colonels are very sore. A telegram was received Thursday night from Boston stating that W. H. McGinnigale had left that city for Louisville. This makes it certain that he will be the new manager. He will succeed McCloskey not later than Monday.

Murderer Arrested.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Irwin Ford, colored, was arrested at Harper's Ferry Thursday and brought to this city, charged with murdering Elsie Gregie here last Monday afternoon. He attempted to drown himself to avoid apprehension.

The Gold Reserve Dwindling.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The treasury gold reserve at the close of business Thursday stood at \$19,084,124. The day's withdrawals amounted to \$90,000.

Scalded by Soapboils.

WATERLOO, Ind., May 8.—Mrs. John Southern fell while carrying a tub of soapboils Thursday. The boiling contents scalded her fatally.

THE GAVEL BROKEN.

An Upricious Scene in the Methodist General Conference—The Woman Question Settled.

CLEVELAND, O., May 8.—The woman question having been disposed of by the Methodist conference, there was a marked falling off in the attendance Friday morning. Bishop Hurst presided and the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Dr. S. W. Thomas of Philadelphia.

The woman question came up again, like Banquo's ghost, and caused a great deal of trouble, both to delegates and to Bishop Hurst. Mr. Morris Sharp, of Ohio, presented a resolution to excuse the women delegates, in that they have relinquished their seats, and that their expenses be paid to the date of their withdrawal. The resolution also called in their male reserves. Dr. Neely, of Philadelphia, presented a substitute, in which the women were invited to remain as honored guests of the conference and their expenses ordered paid. Dr. Cranston rose and asked for a ruling by the chair as to the present status of women in the conference.

Bishop Hurst decided it was not a point of order, but was a matter of interpretation for the body, and ruled that Dr. Neely had the floor. Just after Dr. Neely began speaking, Dr. Frysinger, of Pennsylvania, appealed from the decision of the chair and Dr. Cranston's point. Bishop Hurst put the question as being on the appeal of Dr. Cranston, and great confusion existed. A motion to lay the entire matter on the table was lost by a vote of 218 yeas to 109 nays. Dr. Kynett raised the point of order that the question had been improperly put, but Bishop Hurst held that Dr. Neely had the floor and Dr. Kynett appealed.

Bishop Hurst declined to entertain the appeal and a dozen men were on the floor shouting for recognition. Bishop Hurst declined to recognize any one, but pounded with his gavel and shouted, "Dr. Neely has the floor." Dr. Leonard, Dr. Chaffee and others loudly insisted on the appeal being put. Bishop Hurst pounded until he broke his gavel.

Dr. Frysinger insisted on the appeal being put, and in this he was joined by the entire conference. Shouts to put the appeal almost drowned out the bishop's voice, and the utmost confusion reigned. Dr. Frysinger leaped to his feet and said that if he would not resign, Dr. Neely made himself heard above the din, and said he desired to withdraw his paper. Bishop Hurst would not permit this, and the din continued. Dr. Hurst would recognize no one, but held that Dr. Neely had the floor. Finally forced by the conference, Bishop Hurst said he ruled that both papers were before the house, and he would entertain the appeal.

Mr. Sharp asked to withdraw his resolution, but he was not permitted to do so. In the midst of intense excitement the vote on the appeal was taken. The ruling of Bishop Hurst was sustained by a vote of 223 yeas and 204 nays. As soon as it was decided that the papers were before the house, Dr. Neely and Mr. Sharp both withdrew their papers, and the most violent struggle of the first week of the conference was over.

Indiana State Republican Ticket.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 8.—The Indiana republicans held their convention Thursday night and Friday morning nominating the following ticket: For governor, John A. Mount; lieutenant governor, W. S. Haggard; secretary of state, W. D. Owens; auditor of state, A. C. Daley; attorney general, W. A. Ketcham; treasurer, Fred J. Scholz; supreme court reporter, Chas. F. Remy; superintendent public instruction, D. M. Geeting; state statistician, S. J. Thompson. Six candidates for appellate judges were also nominated. McKinley delegates to St. Louis were elected.

Cotell Pleads Not Guilty.

AKRON, O., May 8.—Romulus Cotell, the self-confessed murderer of the Stone family at Tallmadge, six weeks ago, was arraigned Friday before Common Pleas Judge J. A. Kohler and pleaded not guilty. The judge appointed Attorneys E. F. Voris and Harvey Musser to defend. The date of the trial was not fixed, but will probably not be until the latter part of June.

Gov. Taylor Renominated.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 8.—In the democratic convention Thursday A. J. Woodward and Columbus Marchbanks were nominated for electors from the state at large. Taylor was nominated for governor and in a happy speech accepted.

Holmes' Remains Buried.

PHILADELPHIA, May 8.—The body of H. H. Holmes, which was imbedded in cement in a pine box Thursday after the hanging and then placed in a vault in Holy Cross cemetery, was Friday afternoon buried in a grave ten feet in depth.

Wealthy Marble Dealer Assigns.

CHICAGO, May 8.—E. R. Brainerd, a reputed wealthy marble and cut stone dealer and contractor made an assignment in the county court Thursday to the Title Guarantees and Trust company for the benefit of his creditors.

Arkansas Prohibitionists Nominated.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 8.—The state prohibition convention concluded its labors Thursday and adjourned. J. W. Miller, of Arkadelphia, the nominee of the party two years ago, was selected as the candidate for governor.

Respite for Thirty Days.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 8.—Will Smith, who was to have been hanged Friday for the murder of Deputy Sheriff A. Wood, has been respite for 30 days to be used as a witness against his associates in crime.



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BUCKEYE NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

DOW SALOON TAX.

Liquor Dealers Association Decide to Test the Constitutionality of the Law.

TOLEDO, O., May 8.—A local paper says: The Liquor Dealers association of Ohio has decided to test the constitutionality of the Dow saloon tax. The opposition to the payment of the tax has been brought about by the recent legislature increasing the tax from \$250 to \$350. The liquor men were satisfied to pay the \$250 per year but when it came to tacking on an additional \$100 they decided it was time to protest. The Dow tax will not be due until June 20. Before that date injunction proceedings will be started in every county in the state to prevent the county treasurer from collecting the tax. The liquor men will set up the claim in their petitions that the law is unconstitutional. This will bring the law before the courts on its merits, and no matter which way the decision goes in the lower court, the case will not stop until the opinion of the supreme court of Ohio is obtained. It will take perhaps four or five months to push the case through to the supreme court. In the meantime the counties will be without funds. There are some 8,000 saloons in Ohio, and if this number continue in business after the \$350 tax takes effect they will yield the state, county and municipalities about \$3,000,000. With this amount out of many cities will be crippled.

TRIED TO KILL HER.

W. M. Worcester, of Cleveland, Shot and Killed While Making an Attempt on the Life of His Wife.

CLEVELAND, O., May 8.—William Worcester was shot and killed Thursday night at 7 o'clock by John T. Bayne, while attempting to kill his wife, Sarah, in the Hubbard building, at 284 Detroit Street. The Worcester family formerly lived in Oberlin, O., from where, on account of his frequent murderous assaults on his wife, the husband was adjudged insane, and committed to the Toledo asylum. He was released a few days ago and returned to this city where his wife has supported herself and children by keeping boarders. Worcester became engaged in a quarrel with his wife and was about to kill her when Bayne, one of the boarders drew a revolver and shot him dead.

Ohio Wheat Crop Bulletin.

COLUMBUS, O., May 8.—The wheat crop bulletin for May, which was issued by the state board of agriculture Friday, places the condition of the wheat crop in this state even lower than the bulletin for the first of April. It was then put at 37 per cent of an average crop. Now it is put at only 55 per cent. The crop in this state can not exceed half an ordinary yield as the acreage is lower than usual.

Paroles for Convicts.

COLUMBUS, O., May 8.—The board of penitentiary managers Thursday paroled Frank Wintrout, serving a three-year sentence from Hancock county for robbery. His wife is a consumptive and in destitute circumstances. Clifton Truesdale, received from Ashtabula county to serve three years for burglary and larceny, was also granted a ticket of leave. Alson I. Dilley, of Trumbull county, was granted a parole.

Foreign Missionary Society.

PAULING, O., May 8.—The annual meeting of the Home Christian Foreign Missionary Society was begun in this city Thursday. Among those present were W. W. Chapman, Mrs. Doolittle, and Mrs. N. B. Bacon, sister of President Cleveland, of Toledo, O., who is presiding officer.

The Standard Gobbles a Competitor.

TOLEDO, O., May 8.—A special from Lima, O., says: The Standard Oil Co. gobbled up one of its competitors here Thursday by taking possession of the Century Oil Co.'s refinery and all its other property. A short time ago it's plant was appraised at \$70,000.

Ex-Senator Geyer Acquitted.

COLUMBUS, O., May 8.—The jury in the case of the state against John L. Geyer, an ex-member of the state senate, on the charge of soliciting a bribe for voting for a bill, returned a verdict of acquittal Thursday afternoon after being out only about an hour.

His Eyes Burned Out.

CLEVELAND, O., May 8.—Herman Silverman, aged 13 years, played with matches Thursday afternoon, despite his parent's warning, during their absence. His clothing caught fire and was burned off. His flesh was cooked and his eyes burned out. He will die.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

Table with columns for B. & O. S.W., T. & O. C. EX., C. & M., Z. & O., and O. R. R. (Eastern Time.) with arrival and departure times.

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STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

The bankruptcy court of London has declared Earl Poulett a bankrupt. Vice Admiral Sir Robert O'Brien Fitzroy, K.C.B., died in London Thursday.

The court in London has ordered the extradition to America of Wm. Turner and Wm. R. Dunlap, the Burden diamond robbers.

The riding school attached to the University of Heidelberg was burned and two women, two children and 27 horses were burned to death.

The Mexican man-of-war Zaragoza from Guaymas, bound for San Francisco, put in at Port Harford Wednesday morning. It had encountered severe weather since leaving Guaymas and was blown out of its course.

Cardinal Luigi Galimberti, titular archbishop of Nice, and formerly papal nuncio at Vienna, died at Sachtien, near Dusseldorf Thursday from throat trouble. He was born in Rome in 1835 and created a cardinal in 1893.

Kid McCoy practically knocked out James Daly, of Buffalo, at the New Manhattan Athletic club, New York, Thursday night. The referee stopped the bout as Daly was clearly over-matched, after 15 seconds of the third round.

Simpson & Robinson, general contractors for the construction of buildings and other work, Chicago, made an assignment Thursday for the benefit of creditors, the cause being general depression. The liabilities are \$32,000 and assets \$23,000.

Major Robert H. Glass, one of the oldest journalists in Virginia, died at his home in Lynchburg, aged 73 years. Major Glass had been prominently connected with the press of the State for nearly half a century.

At Rome, N. Y., Friday morning the jury in the case of John Watson Hildreth, one of the boys who wrecked a New York Central express train, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree, and he was sentenced to Auburn prison for life.

Frank T. Walton, a young money-lender of Lincoln, Neb., successful in business and of some prominence in society, committed suicide Thursday morning by throwing himself in front of a Rock Island passenger train. The body was literally ground to pieces.

It is stated upon official authority that certain members of the board of directors of the British South Africa Co. insist on the acceptance of the resignation of Cecil Rhodes and Alfred Beit, from all connection with the company, otherwise they themselves will resign.

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