

### Pius X. Assumes Papal Crown

#### Immense Gathering Bursts Into Unrestrained Acclamation

Rome: Pope Pius X was crowned in St. Peter's Sunday morning with ceremonies of the rarest splendor in the presence of a great and imposing assembly. The stifling heat was the only drawback to the occasion, for several of the perching crowd inside the church fainted, and many of those standing outside were sunstruck. The doors were opened at 6:30 o'clock, when the sunshine was already intense. The basilica was immediately crowded, and it was found necessary shortly after to close the doors. There was an immense crowd in the great square of St. Peter's, where they stood in the sweltering sun, waiting with Italian patience for the reopening of the doors. The square was divided into sections by numerous lines of troops.

A 8 o'clock there was a merry peal of bells, and the Pope appeared in the atrium, where he took his seat upon his throne. Cardinal Rampolla, archbishop of St. Peter's, then delivered a speech of congratulation, after which the dignitaries formed in procession and marched into the church.

The Pope, in full canonicals, was carried high in the sedia gestatoria, and was surrounded by members of the noble guard. He was received with immense applause. His face was pale. As he was carried along he blessed the multitude, and often by gesture requested that the applause cease. His Holiness was preceded by the Cardinals, each attended by a chaplain, equerry and train-bearer. The sight was a magnificent one. While the bells were ringing the papal troops knelt, trumpets sounded, and the choir sang the anthem "In Exultatione." The basilica was hung with red damask. At the upper end, behind the high altar, was an immense artistic throne, where the Pope sat, after he had knelt in prayer before the sacrament. Then the mass began, celebrated by the Pope.

This was the first papal mass celebrated in St. Peter's since the Italian Government entered Rome. It was mostly celebrated by proxy, the Pope most of the time sitting on his throne. He only approached the altar to incense it, then to consecrate the water, and then to commune.

As Cardinal Scaechi, the dean of the Cardinal deacons, placed the triple crown on the head of the venerable pontiff, the throng of 50,000 persons gathered within the cathedral burst into unrestrained acclamation, the choir intoned a hymn of triumph and the bells of Rome rang out a joyful peal.

### Windstorm Sweeps St. Louis.

St. Louis: A windstorm, which assumed hurricane velocity in several parts of the city Wednesday afternoon, killed one laborer at the World's Fair grounds and seriously injured eight others who were working on the Agriculture and Machinery buildings. Although subjected to a strain exerted by wind blowing at an estimated rate of 90 miles an hour, the completed and partially finished exhibition structures of the Exposition were damaged but slightly. The velocity of the wind in the central part of the city was 35 miles an hour. In several of the downtown stores the employees and customers became frightened by the roar of the wind and the vivid flashes of lightning, but the incipient panics were easily quelled, and no one was injured. The wind played havoc with telegraph and telephone poles and wires throughout the western and northwestern part of St. Louis. It is estimated that more than 100 poles were leveled and the ground covered with a tangled web of wires.

### Formal Demand for Money.

Springfield, Ill.: Formal demand was made Friday upon the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Commissioners of the Illinois and Michigan Canal, for a warrant for \$50,000 of the appropriation made by the last General Assembly for the maintenance of the channel. This action follows the dissolution by Judge Croighton of the temporary injunction which restrained the Commission from using any of the appropriation. Auditor McCullough has asked Attorney General Hamilton for an opinion on the subject. If the Attorney General decides that the Canal Commissioners should receive the money without further delay the warrant will be issued as requested, otherwise the funds of the commission may be tied up for a year or two at least, even with a final favorable decision in the courts.

### Temperature Fell Rapidly.

Chicago, Ill.: A heavy windstorm struck this city at 5:30 Wednesday evening, the temperature falling from 90 to 67 degrees in a few minutes. The wind blew at a 60-mile gale and caught the school Hermann Paepcke out in the river. She blew a distress whistle, but reached shore without aid.

### Store Front Torn Out.

Clarksville, Mo.: About 2 p. m. Wednesday a sudden and violent windstorm struck this place, unroofing the Clarksville city company's plant, tearing out the entire front of one store and inflicting considerable damage of a very serious character throughout the town.

### Celebrated 103d Birthday.

Patoka, Ill.: Uncle Frank Binnion of Vernon, Ill., celebrated his 103d birthday Sunday. He is still hale and hearty.

### Bride's Sudden Death.

Guthrie, Okla.: While on route home in a cab, Mrs. A. G. Bates, a lady (Okla.) bride but a few weeks, expired in her husband's arms at Enid, Okla., Friday. She was but 19 years old and formerly lived at Freeport, Ill.

### Farmer Called to Door and Killed.

Guthrie, Okla.: Sheridan Brassfield, a prominent farmer, living near Enid, Okla., was called to his door Thursday night by an unknown man and murdered. A Sheriff's posse is in pursuit of the assassin.

### Police Search for Cantrell's Tools

#### Chouls Who Aided the Negro Leader are Known

Indianapolis, Ind.: The police are scouring the city in search of the murderers implicated in the confession of Rufus Cantrell, "king of the ghoulies." Cantrell, it develops, was the leader of the organization of murderers and cut-throats that went under the fantastic title of the "Sign of the Cross." The name was derived from the peculiar manner in which the sworn members of the organization signed their names to notes of warning and other letters that were exchanged from time to time. At least a score of murders committed from January, 1900, to January, 1902, are laid at the door of the "Sign of the Cross." It is now apparent that the confession purporting to be that of Cantrell, made public by the police Saturday, was true only in its general assertions. Supplementary statements had been made by Cantrell, and it is upon these that the police have been at work. The supplementary statement contains the names of accomplices, the corroborative evidence, and gives a longer list of crimes than that already published. It is now definitely known that the "Sign of the Cross" disposed of the following:

Patrolman Watterson; a patrolman whose name the police will not make public; Carrie Selva; unknown Pennsylvania; three unknown women, three infants, Walter Johnson, Charles Hall, Richard Jorman, William Gray.

### Twenty-Three Lives Lost in Wreck.

Durant, Mich.: The death list as a result of the collision early Friday in the Grand Trunk yards between two sections of Wallace Bros.' circus train, stands at 23, seven of whom are in the morgue unidentified. Coroner Farrer Friday afternoon impounded a jury, which viewed the remains and adjourned until August 14, when the inquest will be held. In discussing the question of responsibility for the horror, the railroad officials unhesitatingly lay it to Engineer Probst of the second section of the train, whose home is in Battle Creek. Probst says that the airbrake on his train refused to work, but the officials declare that he could have stopped the train in time to have averted serious consequences. The head brakeman and fireman bear out Engineer Probst's statement that the brakes refused to work.

### Barrington Held Without Bail.

St. Louis: F. Seymour Barrington was held for the grand jury without bail for the murder of James P. McCann, after eight witnesses for the State had been examined at Clayton Monday afternoon before Justice J. W. Campbell. No witnesses were placed on the stand for Barrington, though several had been subpoenaed, and only a small portion of those summoned by the State were allowed to testify. Neither side, apparently, wants to disclose its evidence until the trial. It was evident from the line of cross-questioning by the defendant's lawyers that the defense of Barrington will be that the body found in the Bonhis quarry on the afternoon of June 25 was not that of James P. McCann.

### Tornado in Kansas.

Pittsburg, Kan.: About 1:30 o'clock Saturday morning a tornado passed through the thickly populated mining district, north and east of Pittsburg, destroying hundreds of houses, mine tips and buildings of every description, leveling to a mass of wreckage a large portion of every camp between the Doolin Miller shaft, north of Pittsburg, and the Morgan shaft, on the State line, and converting into ruin a strip of thickly populated territory eight miles long and two miles wide, and leaving death and desolation in its wake. At least two persons were killed and fully 90 injured in the storm, and perhaps many others were injured whose names have not been procured.

### Inspectors After Beavers.

Washington: The whereabouts of George W. Beavers, the indicted former superintendent of the division of salaries and allowances of the Post Office Department, is interesting the inspectors and others a great deal, but so far as can be learned there is no definite information on the subject. Mr. Beavers, although indicted, has not yet been arrested and placed under bond. It is believed that further arrests in connection with the investigation of the Post Office Department scandals will be made before the present week is over. The resignation of a prominent official of the department will be accepted, it is understood, within a few days.

### Corn Crop Damaged.

Mascoutah, Ill.: A terrific windstorm swept over this part of the country Wednesday, unroofing trees and causing great damage to the growing corn. A heavy rain followed, which broke the long drought and was a benefit to the meadows.

### Strike Another Gas Well.

Evansville, Ind.: A gas well was struck at Petersburg, Pike County, Sunday evening. It has a strong flow. This makes the fourth well in that field.

### Powers Jury Is Democratic.

Georgetown, Ky.: A jury was finally selected Thursday to try Caleb Powers a third time for complicity in the assassination of William Goebel. About 150 men were used in making up the jury and every man in the box is a Democrat.

### Ladrones Sent to Prison.

Manila: Fifty ladrones who were implicated in the recent raids near Surigao, in the Province of Mindanao, have been sentenced to long terms of imprisonment.

### Georgia Legislators Denounce Prison Outrage

#### Gov. Terrell Demands the Discharge of Boss Who Whipped a White Woman Prisoner

Atlanta, Ga.: The Georgia legislature, as well as the state prison commission, has determined to make a thorough investigation of the whipping administered to Mamie Decria, the "diamond queen" at the state prison farm at Milledgeville. One resolution introduced in the house Monday calls for the discharge of the man who administered the whipping and the pardon of Miss Decria.

Gov. Terrell called on the prison commissioners in person and demanded a fuller report than the commission had asked for, instructed the commission to send State Warden Moore to the state farm at once, and called for the discharge of the whipping boss. "I want the man who whipped that white woman like that was outrageous, and I shall not have the name of the state disgraced with any such occurrence."

### CAMERA ON A GUNSTOCK.

#### Designed to Study Movements of the Birds.

The study of the problem of man-flight which is just now being given a great deal of attention by scientists all over the world, makes it essential to study the movements of birds in flight in order to get pointers as to just how a man should conduct himself in his efforts to make himself master of the air. These pointers are exceedingly difficult to get, and principally for the reason that the bird has come and gone before the photographer can get his apparatus in readiness to make the exposure.

The inventor of the camera support shown herewith claims that all difficulties are entirely overcome by it. The invention consists of mounting a camera on the stock of a gun so that the exposure may be made at the opportune moment without the least delay. The photographer will go forth in the same state of readiness as the hunter, and the instant he sees what he wants he levels, aims and pulls the trigger. His securing of the proper pictures will in a measure be dependent on the skill of the photographer as a marksman and this is a qualification which can readily be acquired with little practice.

### Insanity Plea for Mrs. Guller

#### Attorneys Will Attempt to Prove Mental Irresponsibility

Bunker Hill, Ill.: Mrs. Ida Guller, who is held to the Grand Jury for the murder of Edward Moore Checkfeld July 29 by poison, was much improved in condition Thursday. She sat up awhile and took nourishment by heart attacks, is still acute, and the attending physician thinks it will require some days before she can be moved to the County Jail.

### Terrific Hailstorm in Iowa.

Sioux City, Ia.: A terrific hailstorm visited Northern Iowa about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, extending as far east as Hamilton County, and doing almost untold damage in some localities. Corn was stripped and beaten to the ground and some live stock was killed. In Sioux City the mischief was done, and wind was also unprecedented. Chunks of ice fell as big as a man's fist, and millions of individual stones were as large as walnuts. Plate-glass windows were broken, screens and awnings torn and tin roofs perforated. Many fine shade trees were ruined.

### Voted Local Option.

Kennett, Mo.: After a warm campaign Franklin county voted local option Monday by a majority of nearly 1,000. There are now sixteen saloons in this county.

### Heavy Rain at Browning.

Browning, Mo.: The heaviest rain since the latter part of June fell here Sunday night. Telephone wires from the surrounding country indicate that the rain was general. A good corn crop is now assured.

### To Pay for Improvements.

Armore, I. T.: Special Indian Inspector Frank C. Churchill reached Sulphur Monday and on Tuesday began payment of \$87,000 to owners of improvements on Government reservation there.

### Mill Stock Blown Over.

Greenfield, Ill.: A severe tornado passed through this section Wednesday afternoon about 2 o'clock, greatly damaging fruit and shade trees, blowing down fences and chimneys. The stack on the Greenfield roller mill was blown down and destroyed.

### To Build Salon At Winona.

Indianapolis: The Photographers' National Convention Friday approved the plan for building a regional salon at Winona. It will be the first undertaking of its kind in the world.

### Torch Used in Russian Strike

#### Incendiarism Causes Estimated Loss of \$35,000,000

London: The Daily Mail's Niko-laeff correspondent, under date of August 2, fully confirms the Times correspondent's accounts of strikes in South Russia.

The correspondent says a quarter of a million men are affected and that simultaneously strikes occurred over a vast industrial area. He says that the amount of striked organization and well concealed preparations was unprecedented in the troubled annals of Russian labor.

Presses of the necessities of life are rising by leaps and bounds. The strikers, on the whole, have preserved exemplary order, but this, however, has not saved them from savage attacks directed by General Arzenoff, Governor of Odessa. Groups of men, who assembled last Saturday with the intention of holding a meeting, were driven into a solid mass by 500 Cossacks, backed by two lines of infantry with fixed bayonets. About 2,000 strikers being thus included in a double column, the Cossacks rode through them, striking right and left with heavy whips, the fallen men being trampled under the horses' feet.

"When the living mass had been thoroughly kneaded to the Governor's will," continues the correspondent, "numerous men were arrested as suspected agitators. The infantry then marched off and the strikers scattered in a dozen directions with Cossacks at their heels."

"It is reported that 400 strikers were more or less seriously injured, and that from six to a dozen succumbed. The whole affair is a typical piece of administrative savagery."

The extraordinary feature of the movement at Odessa is that the police and gendarmes belonging to the depot threatened to throw off their uniforms and risk all the terrors of insubordination unless the miserable pittance of 11 to 14 pence which they are allowed daily was increased and the hours of labor reduced. Siberia is losing its terrors even for Russian policemen.

"The epidemic of incendiarism is spreading through Russia. Scarcely a day passes without news of conflagrations. At Babu alone the destruction has been colossal. Tens of millions of gallons of naphtha have been burned. In twenty-four of the largest towns the damage due to fire in the last month is estimated at \$20,000,000 to \$25,000,000."

"Public opinion in Odessa is entirely on the side of the striking sailors and stokers. A wealthy company which has been employing men for years has only paid sailors at the rate of 25 shillings a month."

### Woman Arrested as Riot Leader

#### Grand Jury Takes New Turn in Investigating Outbreak

Danville, Ill.: Sheriff Whitlock Friday arrested Hattie Armstrong, who is identified as the woman who climbed into a wagon across the street from the jail and advised the mob to shoot down Sheriff Whitlock during the attack on the jail July 25. Immediately after the Sheriff fired along the grove in the steel rail battering ram with his six gun, her shrill voice was heard above the shouts of anger and pain saying: "Shoot the Sheriff, somebody kill that Whitlock!"

### Will Be No Further Moro Uprisings.

Omaha, Neb.: "There will be no more uprisings among the Moros in the Philippines," said Capt. J. J. Pershing, who arrived in Omaha Friday en route East from the Philippines. "The general condition among the Moros is far better than people in this country realize. While it will, of course, be necessary to maintain troops there for some time, I don't believe there will be any real use for them. The tame element is too great. It yields to American discipline."

### Fires at Fort Scott.

Fort Scott, Kan.: A fire that started in the Perry block early Thursday partially destroying that structure, caused a loss estimated at \$70,000. The principal losers: W. J. Calhoun & Co., dry goods, \$25,000; C. H. Harrison, building, \$20,000; Masonic lodge, \$7,000. Losses well covered by insurance.

### Steel Trust Cuts Salary.

New York: The salary of William E. Corey, president of the United States Steel Corporation, who was elected to succeed Charles M. Schwab, has been fixed at \$75,000 a year. This is \$25,000 less than the salary which Schwab received, but is an increase of \$25,000 over his salary as assistant to the president.

### Stock Burned in Barn.

Evansville, Ind.: The large dairy barn of W. T. Atkinson, near Rockport, Ind., was destroyed by fire Sunday night and several cows were burned. The origin of the fire is not known. The loss is \$1,000, partly insured.

### Arkansas and Choctaw Service.

Armore, I. T.: Train service over the Arkansas and Choctaw into Armore was established Monday and the first passenger train reached here at noon.

### Oklahoma Negro Shot.

Oklahoma City, O. T.: Edward Thomas was shot and killed here Saturday night by John Reed in a fight which Reed had with Thomas to prevent the latter from killing his own wife.

### Religious Census Plans.

Washington: Dr. S. N. D. North, director of the census, says the religious census will not be undertaken until after the first of the year. The census will be on the order of that taken in 1890.

### Faulkner Convicted on Perjury Charge

#### Third Trial Results in a Heavier Sentence Than at First

St. Louis: Harry A. Faulkner, whose third trial on the charge of perjury began Monday morning, in Judge Douglas' court, was convicted and his punishment fixed at three years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary, Wednesday afternoon.

It took the jurors just 20 minutes to decide on the verdict. They retired at 3:10 o'clock and returned at 3:40. William L. Bousler, president of the Bousler Lumber Company, was chosen foreman, and he signed the verdict.

The jury agreed as to the guilt of the defendant on the first ballot. It is said that three ballots were taken on the question of penalty. After the jury disagreed in the second trial of Faulkner last week, it was said that it was because the jurors were not entirely satisfied from the instructions of the court as to what constituted "knowledge" as applied to testimony before the Grand Jury, and within the meaning of the language of the indictment against Faulkner.

To make this point clearer for the jury Judge Douglas Wednesday, in his instructions to the jury, defined the words "know" and "knowledge" as follows: "The words 'know' and 'knowledge' as used in the indictment and in those instructions are not to mean certain or personal knowledge obtained by sense of sight only; the words are used in their common and ordinary meaning."

This section of the instructions, it is believed, assisted materially in aiding the jury to speedily arrive at a verdict.

### Attempts to Impeach Ewen's Evidence

Cynthiana, Ky.: Witnesses were offered by the defense in the Jeff White assassination case here Thursday to impeach the character of B. J. Ewen, the star witness for the prosecution, who swore he recognized Jeff as the assassin of J. B. Marcum. A half dozen men said that Ewen could not be believed on oath, but the prosecution brought out the fact that all of them were Hargis supporters, and that they had been asked by Judge Hargis to testify. Jeff and White were recalled to the witness stand, and they were marched down the aisle with their backs to the jury, to show that they looked very much alike, and that the commonwealth witnesses who said they saw Jeff enter the Courthouse really saw White, who, they admit, walked through the building and out of the door where Marcum was standing talking to Ewen.

### Court Dissolves Canal Injunction.

Springfield, Ill.: The commissioners of the Illinois and Michigan canal won a decided victory in the Sangamon Circuit Court Thursday when Judge James A. Croighton dissolved the temporary injunction against the State Auditor and State Treasurer, restraining them from paying to the commissioners any part of the appropriations for the maintenance of the canal made by the last General Assembly. The temporary writ was granted by Judge Owen P. Thompson some time ago. The ground for the permanent writ held that the constitution of 1870 prohibited an appropriation being made for railroads or canals. Representative Richard E. Burke of Chicago, who filed the original suit, will at once appeal to the Supreme Court.

### Hidalgo, Ill., Swept by Fire.

Newton, Ill.: Hidalgo, a village in this county, 12 miles north of Newton, on the Illinois Central, was nearly wiped out by fire between 12 and 1 o'clock Wednesday morning. The fire, which is thought to have been of incendiary origin, started in Bowers & Vanetti's warehouse, near the old tanks. The buildings burned include Bowers & Vanetti's two hardware stores, Bowers & Vanetti's general store and warehouse, J. W. Elder's saloon, Dr. Keefer's poultry house and the Odd Fellows' hall. The town hall was torn down to stop the progress of the flames. By hard work the Illinois Central depot was saved. Only two store buildings are left in the town.

### Battle of Wilson Creek.

Springfield, Mo.: The forty-second anniversary of the battle of Wilson Creek was celebrated here by Camp 100 Camp, P. C. V., Monday. The daughters of the Confederacy and the Sons of Veterans joined in an all-day picnic at Doling Park. Doctor Lee Roberts of San Antonio, Tex., was the orator of the day. The battleground is ten miles southwest of the city and when the Federal army retreated after the death of General Lyon it passed through Springfield. The events of the day are still ripe in the memory of hundreds of citizens and the battle was discussed and thrilling stories of the day told at the picnic.

### Whitcaps Threaten Farmer.

Vincennes, Ind.: Whitcaps left a threatening letter Monday for Richard Shaker, a farmer in Harrison township. The letter stated that citizens are tired of Shaker's alleged beating of 63 man Toverbaugh, who is helpless and has been left in Shaker's care.

### Girl's Skull Was Crushed.

Bloomington, Ill.: Lena Keel, aged 12 years, was fatally injured near Danvers Monday, her skull being crushed by a horse.

### Bloomington Chautauque.

Bloomington, Ill.: The largest crowd since the Chautauque opened was on the grounds Friday to hear the most notable programme yet presented. The principal speakers were two Chicago newspaper men, William E. Curtis and Richard Henry Little.

### Superintendent Chosen.

Guthrie, Okla.: Dr. W. T. Gardner, of Armore, I. T., has been elected superintendent of the Indian Territory Odd Fellows' Home at Cherokee, to begin September 1.

### THE MARKET REPORT.

#### A Summarized Report Covering the Prevailing Conditions.

GRAIN—		St. Louis.
WHEAT—No. 2 red, new	.....	82
" " No. 3 red	.....	80
" " No. 2 hard	.....	76
" " No. 3 hard	.....	73
CORN—No. 2 mixed	.....	49 1/2
" " No. 3 mixed	.....	49 1/2
" " No. 3 yellow	.....	52
" " No. 3 white	.....	51
" " No. 2 white	.....	53 1/2
" " No. 3 white	.....	51 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed	.....	34
" " No. 3 mixed	.....	33
" " No. 2 white	.....	39 1/2
" " No. 4 white	.....	39
RYE—No. 2	.....	53 1/2

Chicago.		
WHEAT—No. 2 spring	.....	83
" " No. 3 spring	.....	81
" " No. 2 red	.....	83
CORN—No. 2	.....	52
" " No. 2 yellow	.....	53
OATS—No. 2	.....	37 1/2
" " No. 3 white	.....	35 1/2
" " No. 3 white	.....	34
RYE—No. 2	.....	53
BARLEY—Fair to choice malting	.....	55

Kansas City.		
WHEAT—No. 2 hard	.....	79
" " No. 3 hard	.....	69
" " No. 2 red	.....	74 1/2
" " No. 3 red	.....	73
CORN—No. 2 mixed	.....	47
" " No. 2 white	.....	47 1/2
" " No. 3 white	.....	46
OATS—No. 2 white	.....	36
" " No. 2 mixed	.....	33
RYE—No. 2	.....	52

### LIVE STOCK.

St. Louis.		
CATTLE—Native beef steers	.....	\$1.30@1.50
Butcher cows	.....	\$1.00@1.20
Heifers	.....	\$1.25@1.45
Stoekers and feeders	.....	\$1.00@1.20
Veal calves	.....	\$1.50@1.75
Bulls	.....	\$1.75@2.00
Hogs—Fair to best butcher	.....	\$5.25@5.50
Bulk of sales	.....	\$5.25@5.50
Pigs	.....	\$5.00@5.25
Light weights	.....	\$5.25@5.50
Medium weights	.....	\$5.00@5.25
Heavy culs	.....	\$5.00@5.25
SHRIMP—Choice lambs	.....	\$1.25@1.50
Good to best sheep	.....	\$1.00@1.25
Stoekers	.....	\$1.00@1.25
Bucks	.....	\$2.50@3.00
MULES—Broke mules, 4 to 7 years old	.....	\$75.00@110.00
14 hands, ex. range	.....	\$8.00@9.50
14 1/2 hands, bulk of sales	.....	\$8.00@120.00
14 1/2 hands, bulk of sales	.....	\$9.00@110.00
15 hands, ex. range	.....	\$9.00@110.00
15 1/2 hands, bulk of sales	.....	\$11.00@130.00
15 1/2 hands, ex. range	.....	\$15.00@100.00
16 hands, bulk of sales	.....	\$10.00@175.00
16 1/2 hands, ex. range	.....	\$10.00@190.00
16 1/2 hands, bulk of sales	.....	\$10.00@175.00