MINNEAPOLIS.

FELL DEAD IN HIS TRACKS.

SUDDEN DEATH OF JAMES KENNY, BROTHER OF KENNY BROS.

A LABORER WHO HAD MONEY.

He Drops Dead on First Avenue North Yesterday Afternoon—Nearly Fourteen Hundred Dollars Found on His Person—Kenny Was a Brother of the St. Paul Boiler Manufacturers.

James Kenny, a laborer, and who is believed to be a brother of the members of the firm of Kenny Bros., boiler manufacturers, of St. Paul, dropped dead about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon on First avenue north, between First and Second streets. Kenny was walking along leisurely, when he suddenly staggered, pitched forward towards the curbstone and fell. Officer Nick Smith, who was standing on the corner of Second street, saw Kenny fall, and as he lay motionless the officer hastened to his assistance. Two men arrived there at the same time. They found Kenny unconscious. He was breathing heavily, but soon expired.

When they unbuttoned his flannel shirt they discovered that something was sewed up in it. The officer notified police headquarters and Coroner Spring was summoned. The coroner viewed the body, and then ripped open the shirt. He found within the pocket a certificate of deposit on the Irish-American Bank of Minneapolis, for $1,344 and $49 in cash. The body was taken to the morgue, and an autopsy will be made this forenoon.

Kenny boarded at the Grand hotel, on First street north, a few doors from the old Central market. He was sixty-five years old and a railroad laborer by occupation. He had recently been employed by the Great Northern road on its grade work in East Minneapolis. Kenny wore ragged clothes and looked like a mendicant. He used to tell his associates that he was once in business with his brother in St. Paul, and that he was then worth $65,000. He was a widower. It is believed that death was caused by heart disease.

LEARNED IN ST. PAUL.

The Kenny brothers, boilermakers, in St. Paul are Terence and John. A call at the residence of the former last evening elicited the information that Terence had left for St. Louis Saturday night. John was found at his home, 429 East Sixth street. He had not heard of the death of his brother, and thought it possible it was a case of mistaken identity. It was ten or twelve years since James left St. Paul.

As he stated that his brother James was living in Minneapolis, there is hardly a doubt as to his relationship, though Mr. Kenny was hopeful it would prove otherwise.

MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

The second Symphony concert by the Danz orchestra attracted a cultivated audience, which crowded Harmonia hall to its fullest capacity yesterday afternoon. The programme was exceptionally well arranged, and included notable compositions that had never been played by the orchestra before in concert.

Daniel Sully, the prince of Irish comedians, will begin an engagement at the Grand tonight, presenting his new version of "The Corner Grocery." There will be a popular-priced matinee Wednesday.

At the Lyceum tonight and the remainder of the week those popular favorites, Jessaline Rogers and Frederick Bock, will play an engagement, presenting "The Clemenceau Case" and "East Lynne."

The second annual congress of the woman's council, of Minneapolis, will convene in the Hennepin Avenue Methodist church, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, and continue until Thursday.

Caught at the Train.

Detectives Morrissey and Courtney arrested a man at the union depot yesterday morning just as he alighted from a Northwestern train. His name is Bert Hallet, and he is wanted in Chicago for the alleged larceny of a fur-lined overcoat worth over $100. Hallet had the coat on when arrested. He was lodged in the Central station, and will remain there until a Chicago officer arrives to take him back.

Swindler Defrance Coming Back.

The request of the St. Paul and Minneapolis victims of the swindler Defrance for his return to the scene of his exploits, in the event of his release in Michigan, is likely to be honored. Vice President Ross, of the Flour City National bank, has received word from the Michigan authorities that the prisoner will be turned over to the officials here as soon as the case is decided at Kalamazoo, where he is now held.

Died of Heart Disease.

Napoleon Emond, a retired butcher, died suddenly at 3 a. m. yesterday, at his house, 503 Monroe street. Coroner Spring was summoned and ascertained that death was due to heart disease.

ACCUSED OF JUGGLING.

REV. F. O. HOLMAN TAKES MAYOR EUSTIS TO TASK.

HE SHOULD ENFORCE THE LAW

He Says the Time for Soft Words Has Gone By, and That the Preachers Want No More Lectures on Human Nature—Rev. French Accuses the Mayor of Blasphemy.

"Are the Ministers Practical?" is the query propounded by Rev. F. O. Holman, of the Hennepin Avenue M. E. church, last night, and he then proceeded to answer it affirmatively in the most plain and vigorous Anglo-Saxon. The question had reference to the attitude of the ministers toward Mayor Eustis and his Sunday saloon policy, and to the insinuation that the clergy are not competent to deal with purely non-sectarian problems.

In commencing, Dr. Holman scouted the idea that ministers are a set of dreamers, and he proceeded to demonstrate that they were called upon to discharge duties which require the exercise of the highest order of business and executive ability. He was indignant, he said, at the assumption that because a man preached the gospel he was not qualified to exercise the temporal duties and affairs of life, and he protested that a man who had only been nine months in office should arrogate to himself greater ability to deal with those questions than scores of educated and thinking preachers and business men. He further protested at the expression as it would make young men careful about entering a profession that was composed of drones. The ministers of Minneapolis, he held, for broad-mindedness, liberality, good sense, judgment and sagacity would compare favorably with any other body of men, and they had something else to do besides attending prayer meetings and baptizing people.

He then said: "The preachers of this city are closely in touch with all things that are for elevation of mankind and the betterment of society, and I now say that the time for bandying soft words is gone by.

It is not a question of the mayor and what he thinks of the saloons, it is a question of the enforcement of the law. We have been juggled with enough, and the mayor has failed to give us the answer to our demand that he close the saloons on Sunday. We went to him and he sent us home again without satisfaction. We are done with this miserable trifling and evasiveness of the mayor, and we demand our rights as citizens. What we want is the enforcement of the law and not the fine-spun theories about the policy of the mayor. We ask him to execute his oath of office, to not do which is perjury, and when we call on him he proceeds to read us a lecture. We want no more of the jugglery, nor do we want any more homilies on human nature."

In conclusion the speaker made an earnest plea for the execution of the law, which was demanded in ringing sentences.

Fling From Dr. French.

Rev. Dr. French also pitched into the mayor again. It was evident that the mayor's quotation of the "sermon on the mount" as a contrast to the spirit exhibited by the ministers nettled Mr. French, for he took occasion to say that the mayor was blasphemous in quoting Scripture in the way he did. The preacher repeated his argument against the Sunday saloon, and once more arraigned the mayor for his policy in this respect.

"We do not ask," said Mr. French, "that people shall not drink on Sundays. They have as much right to drink then as any other pay of the week. This is not a question of drinking; it is a question of selling. If a man wants to drink on Sunday he can take a gallon of whisky home Saturday night and drink all day Sunday, and so long as he doesn't disturb the peace the law protects him. But we do object to the selling of liquor in saloons on Sunday. The dry goods, grocery and other stores are closed on Sunday. Why not the liquor shops? I claim the mayor is illogical in the position he has taken."

Mr. French then proceeded to show that the sermon on the mount did not embody all of Christ's teachings, nor reflect all sides of His character. It was preached, presumably, only to His disciples. Mr. French cited episodes from the life of Christ to prove this. He related how Christ, when He confronted the Scribes and Pharisees, exclaimed, "How will ye escape the damnation of hell?" and told how entered the temple and drove the money changers out.

In short, Mr. French contended that the true Christian was armed with a sword against evil, and that by no possibility could the good and the bad dwell together in harmony.

THE MANCHESTER MARTYRS.

Anniversary Celebration by the Robert Emmet Society.

The Robert Emmet Literary society, of Minneapolis, yesterday afternoon celebrated the anniversary of the Manchester martyrs, at their hall on Washington avenue south. The attendance was large, numbering fully 300, and the programme was conducted with great spirit and enthusiasm. Several eloquent addresses were delivered, and the programme was diversified with vocal and instrumental music.

Among the speakers were C. A. Gallager, J. Conley, Ald. John T. McGowan, of this city, and by Thomas Martin and Messrs. Tierney and Newton, of St. Paul. A recitation was delivered by L. O'Connor, and John Barnes rendered a vocal solo. Altogether the occasion was one of the most successful and enjoyable ever given by the society.

In this connection mention may be made of the annual ball of the society, to be given at Masonic Temple next Wednesday evening, for which the arrangements have been fully completed.

The ball will be preceded by a concert, the music for which will be furnished by the Danz orchestra, which will also supply the music for the ball.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The Attitude of the Catholic Church Defined by Rev. Father Cleary.

Labor Temple was crowded to its utmost capacity last night to hear Rev. Father Cleary preach an eloquent discourse on the subject, "Romanism and the Public Schools."

Preceding his remarks on the subject, he called the congregation's attention to the approaching Thanksgiving, and recommended that the best way for those who had been more favored than others by the Almighty, that they demonstrate their gratitude by succoring the needy and the less fortunate.

Rev. Father Cleary defined the attitude of the Catholic church toward the public schools. He stated that the Catholics had been grossly misrepresented by fanatics and bigots who sought to prevent the Catholic children from receiving the same benefits as the Protestants, even to the extent of insulting them as to their faith, and he challenged any one to mention an instance where Catholic teachers intruded their religion on Protestant pupils. Public schools, he said, were not the place to settle religious doctrines, and should not be used as annexes to Sunday schools. He defended the Catholic church against the attacks of the fanatics and bigots on the question of this criticism on the public school system.

"The public school system is not perfect," said he, "any more than many other institutions. Shall we stand a silent spectator seeing the evils continue. Have we not the right to call attention to the wrong in the hope of seeing it righted, just as much as the public find fault with our public men. They are not infallible, neither are the public schools perfect."

After a few more remarks he ended his discourse, stating that their attitude was not one of aggression, but one of defense, in which they desired nothing more than their rights and that they proposed to get them.

His subject for next Sunday evening will be "The Catholic Idea of Marriage."

PHARISEES, OLD AND NEW.

Rev. G. L. Morrill Takes a Shot at the Sunday Saloon.

Rev. G. L. Morrill spoke on the subject "Pharisees, Old and New" last evening at the Calvary Baptist church. Below is an outline of his discourse, which was followed by the administration of the ordinance of baptism to five candidates:

"Hypocrisy is hell's homage to holiness. Crooks counterfeit Christian character. Punctilious Pharisees are proved to have the religion of ritualism, the creed of cruelty and the vice of vanity. This Pharisaic ritualism puts law above spirit, lowers oracled teachings to the plane of oral traditions and makes salvation flow through its channel only. This Pharisaic cruelty crucified Christ, corrupted society, crushed conscience, murdered missionaries, persecuted prophets, and wrongs and maligns womanhood and manhood. This Pharisaic vanity substitutes adulation for adoration, vestments for virtue, liturgy for life and blocks the wheels of human progress.

"Christ had, and has a curse for all such corrupting cant.

Of all Pharisees that minister or church member is the meanest, who, for fear or favor, fails to declare that the liquor traffic is treason to our American life; that capital which crushes womanhood and conquers manhood, is barbarous; that politics that does not protect the republic from the morally and mentally unfit of the old world, is viperous; that laws against gambling, Sunday saloon and prostitution are to be imperatively and invariably enforced, and that any church society which, under the garb of religion, denies popular education, filches public money for sectarian schools, and by pulpit and press slanders the Bible which made and maintains our Christian nation, is not fit to educate our children, to share our alms or receive our vote at the polls.

Opposed to this Phariseeism is principle. To all this gathers a godliness profitable not only for heaven's eternity, but earth's time in respect to intellectual effort, business investment and philanthropic work. If there was a Judas there was also a John. The proportion still holds of eleven true to one false. Christ is kingly and kindly—take Him and make Him your ruler here, your reward hereafter. The right, strong, good and pure endures; everything else is false pretense, and with the name of the wicked shall rot."

ANOTHER WHIRL AT EUSTIS.

City Pastors Fire a Hot Volley at the Administration.

The mayor and his Sunday saloon policy furnished material to the ministers of Minneapolis, last night, for more hot shot, and his honor was the recipient of rhetorical missiles all along the line.

It seems that the clerical brethren are not satisfied with the explanation of the mayor's policy, which consists of adhering to the spirit of the law and working the problem out on business lines, but they insist upon the strict and literal enforcement of the law.

In many of the Protestant pulpits last night hot invective and denunciation of the Sunday saloon were hurled at the administration. In the meantime, and when the preachers were getting off their philippics the down-town district where the saloons are the thickest was as quiet as a graveyard, and if any of them were running it must have been behind closed and bolted doors, for there were no signs of life or sounds of revelry to disturb the tranquil Sabbath air.

For the most part the subject, while treated from different standpoints and a diversity of views, was discussed with rational calmness, and the mayor was complimented on his administration in all save this one point.

DOINGS AT THE U.

Some Lively Political Debates—Secret Society Matters.

The past week has been a very busy one at the university, and now that the Thanksgiving holidays are approaching there will be plenty of time to rest up for a renewal of activities.

TO COME.

The first regular meeting of the Philosophical society takes place Dec. 8. Dean Pattee and Prof. Hughes will read papers.

Examinations will be held for those students who failed to attain an average of 85 on Monday (today), Tuesday and Wednesday, and on Friday those students who have conditions to make up will be given a chance.

THINGS PAST.

At the last meeting of the Delta Sigma "Lit" politics was the rule. Mr. Sasse spoke on "McKinley's Victory in Ohio" in a very interesting and exceedingly enthusiastic manner. Mr. Crecilius, the next speaker, hardly agreed with him, as he considered McKinley a fraud and a demagogue.

"The Hawaiian Entanglement" was the subject of M. Dewart's remarks, and in approving of Mr. Cleveland's position he brought up many good arguments. The debate of the evening was on the question: "Resolved, that the present Democratic administration is responsible for the hard times." Mr. Davies taking the affirmative and Mr. Peterson the negative. The vote of the house was in favor of the negative.

The Hermean programme consisted of a piano solo by Miss Perkins, which was very well done; a reading by Miss Ella Wright. Lynn Truesdell then gave a declamation called "Fort Sumter."

A debate was held on the question: "Resolved, that the invention of labor-saving machinery is a benefit to the laboring class," and was decided in the affirmative.

The new organizations called the Fortnightly Scientific club and the University Senate are both doing themselves proud and the former is assured of a long life. They both hold regular meetings which are well attended.

THE SOROSITIES AND FRATS.

The Misses Felton entertained the Kappa Alpha Thetas, at their home, by giving them a candy pull.

Frank Fonde, '97, has joined Beta Theta Pi.

Louis Weeks, '94, has gone to attend a Theta Delta Chi convention at New York.

Last Friday evening the Psi Us celebrated their sixtieth birthday.

W. Hastings, '94, has not joined Theta Nu Epsilon as was announced around the "U."

Fingers Said to be Sticky.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 26.—E. D. Fulford, of Rochester, N. Y., champion wing shot, having in charge the construction of the lines of the long distance telephone company, with temporary headquarters in this city, is under arrest at Syracuse, N. Y., charged with embezzlement. The police have been shadowing him for the past week, but they did not arrest him for fear of frightening his accomplice, who could not be located. The charge against Fulford involves several thousand dollars.

A bank conducted upon religious principles is not a safe depository for anybody's money.—East Grand Forks Courier.

MINNESOTA SENTIMENT.

If you want to satisfy a Democrat, give him an office. Then his interest in the country is over.—Jackson Republic.

Members of all parties still want the interests of their own localities fostered and encouraged by protection.—Tracy Trumpet.

John Lind says he is in favor of free silver. People remember when he said he was in favor of free tin.—Pipestone Farmer Leader.

The bill of fare for the Democratic Thanksgiving meal last year included turkey. This year "crow" is substituted.—St. James Plaindealer.

Another ship comes in and reports that Gresham's little monarchy has not yet been established at the Sandwich islands.—Little Falls Transcript.

A tariff based on sectional jealousy and prejudice cannot stand. The average judgment of the country will promptly condemn it.—Winona Republican.

American people will wait until the true condition of affairs is better known before condemning the course taken by Secretary Gresham.—Appleton Press.

If the people would learn as readily to vote in a party that would help them as they do to vote out one that won't, they would soon produce needed reforms.—Renville Union.

It looks as if the Democrats are going to come out all right and redeem their pledges made before the election of Grover Cleveland. Let the good work go on.—Buffalo Gazette.

Democrats in congress and elsewhere should be warned by the fact that the sole basis of Republican hope for future success is dissension in the Democratic party.—St. Cloud Times.

That Democratic tariff bill is all right; it will give the people what the Democratic national platform promised them, and the sooner congress passes it the better.—Crookston Times.

The Republican who now advocates the putting aside of the Republican organization in Duluth city politics is either very shortsighted or a very poor Republican.—Duluth Tribune.

No man who believes in the free and unlimited coinage of silver can be a consistent Republican. There is much difference between just bimetallism and free coinage.—Northfield News.

Yes, the people of Minnesota need an auditor who will maintain its rights against the pine land ring, and Bob Dunn has lately shown that he would fill the bill.—Isanti County Press.

Where is Ignatius Donnelly and Gen. Weaver that their voices have not been heard in the wilderness and ruin that surround the Populist party since the election?—Thief River Falls News.

There must be a tariff on imports to raise revenue to pay the expenses of the government, but it should be a proper and reasonable tariff with no McKinleyism in it.—Brainerd Journal.

President Clevland will not countenance a wrong except through a misunderstanding of the facts and he is brave enough to change his views if the evidence demands it.—Faribault Democrat.

When the Adrian Democrat suggests John A. Johnson, of St. Peter, as the next Democratic candidate for congress in this district, it strikes a solid, serviceable piece of timber.—Rock County News.

The burning questions of the hour: Has Menage been arrested and is Queen Lil protected from the withering blasts of a tropical winter by the friendly shade of a high-backed throne? — Staple World.

At times the commercial sky has been overcast with dark and lowering clouds, but these are now rifting, and through them we see bright skies and the approach of better times.—St. Peter Herald.

The tariff smashers are slowly but surely finding out that the wage-earners of the country prefer regular employment and high wages to irregular employment and starvation wages.—North St. Paul Sentinel.

The fact that up to the time of going to press Minister Willis had not declared war upon Hawaii nor done anything else extraordinary illustrates the needlessness of crying before you are hurt.—Duluth Commonwealth.

It is the fear that the Democrats will carry out the provisions of their platform that has closed the factories all over the United States and sent adrift hundreds of thousands of laborers.—Worthington Advance.

It is character, principle, self-respectful pride which alone will deter a man from crime. Break these down or prevent them, being down, from rising again, and hope of permanent cure may be abandoned.—Prison Mirror.

Monarchy seems to have a peculiar charm for Mr. Cleveland, judging from his attitude in regard to restoring the deposed Hawaiian queen once more to her throne against the expressed desire of her subjects.—Hector Mirror.

It would not be a bad plan to have the state of Minnesota represented in the United States senate when Mr. Washburn's successor is selected. St. Paul and Minneapolis have held those positions long enough.—St. James Journal.

If Minister Willis insists in carrying out Gresham's policy and restores Queen Lil to the Hawaiian throne, he will probably be sent back to this country with "Persona non grata" stamped on the seat of his trousers.—Eden Valley Journal.

The spectacle of the president of a republic championing the cause of royalty must be a rich feast for the eyes of patriotic and loyal Americans. The doctrine of civil liberty should be taught to every nation in the world.—Northfield News.

The country always has a "man from Maine;" a fact that may yet cook McKinley's mushroom boom for the presidential nomination. It is noticeable that the present man from Maine doesn't talk gleefully over the results in Ohio.—West Duluth Sun.

A mugwump is a free American citizen possessed of sufficient independence to stand by morality in politics and generosity enough to defend the public good as against individual, clique or partisan advantage in the distribution of spoils.—Midway News.

Commending an article clipped from the GLOBE, the Royalton Banner says: The Democrats should fulfill their pledges to the people. If they do fulfill them they will have won their last victory, if they don't fulfill them the party is done for altogether.

Advocating an income tax the Winnebago City Press concludes: "If the millionaires of this country object to such a measure they can readily find men who will change places with them, and cheerfully pay a 10 per cent tax on all incomes from $5,000 per annum up."

The recent backers of McKinley say that the mantle of Blaine is an exact fit for the tin soldier from Ohio. They will do well to make sure in advance that the ill-fortune which attended Blaine's efforts to secure the presidency does not go with the mantle.—Winona Herald.

Commenting on a Times article, the Waseca Herald says: It sounds nice, doesn't it, to have a sniffling, insignificant, gold-plated, Wall street Democratic pencil-pusher allude to Hon. John Lind, one of the brainiest men Minnesota ever sent to congress, as "a Mr. John Lind."

Protesting against a change of name for the Populist party the Crookston Tribune says: "We had hard work to explain that the People's party and the Alliance party were one and the same thing, and the change of name almost ruined the organization and lost us many thousand votes."

CABINET TIMBER SCARCE.

CARNOT SEEMS TO BE STUMPED FOR A LEADER.

TWO PROMINENTS DECLINE.

Both Perier and Dupuy Refuse to Attempt the Formation of a Cabinet—Socialists Claim Credit for the Cabinet Overthrow—Prospect of a Spanish Cabinet Crisis.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—It was semi-officially announced today that M. Casimir-Perier, president of the chamber of deputies, who was summoned by President Carnot shortly after the resignation of the cabinet, has informed M. Carnot that he has irrevocably decided not to form a cabinet, and that he has advised the president to appeal to the public spirit of ex-Premier Dupuy, who, in the opinion of M. Casimir-Perier, might be prevailed upon to form a cabinet. It is added that President Carnot thereupon summoned M. Dupuy, who declared that he did not consider himself to be in a position to acquit himself of such a task, and therefore he respectfully declined to undertake the formation of the new cabinet. Later President Carnot summoned M. Meline, and thoroughly discussed the situation with the last-mentioned gentleman, who represents the department of the Vosges in the chamber of deputies, and who has already filled the position of minister of agriculture, as well as other important positions, under the French government. To M. Meline the president entrusted

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endeavoring to persuade M. Casimir-Perier or M. Dupuy to reconsider their decisions not to undertake the reconstruction of the French cabinet, but it is understood M. Casimir-Perier emphatically declined to be persuaded to undertake the difficult task proposed to him, and it is added, that M. Meline met with an equally firm refusal from M. Dupuy. After completing his unsuccessful mission, M. Meline this evening visited President Carnot and informed him of his failure to persuade M. Casimir-Perier or M. Dupuy to change their minds. It is said that the president was somewhat disappointed at the result of the mission with which he had entrusted M. Meline. Several of the newspapers anticipated that the Dupuy ministry would be easily reconstructed without the Radicals, and the Figaro, commenting on the situation, says that it is rumored that President Carnot will send a message to the chamber after the formation of the new ministry. Senator Challemel-Lacour is reported to have urged upon President Carnot the necessity of securing a

LARGER NUMBER OF SENATORS

in the new cabinet. Late this evening it is reported that President Carnot has summoned H. Bourgeois, who was formerly minister of justice, in order to consult with him as to the formation of the new cabinet. The Socialist workmen's union gave a "punch" at the Maison du Pale this afternoon in honor of the Socialist deputies who were instrumental in bringing about the resignation of the French cabinet. The majority of the representatives of the Socialist party, including M. Jaures and M. Millerand, the deputies who were so prominent in attacking the programme recently outlined by M. Dupuy, were at the entertainment. M. Jaures, who was loudly applauded, made a speech. After affirming that the Socialists were moved by the spirit of patriotism, the speaker declared that the fall of the ministry was the first victory for the Socialistic parliamentary group, and that it was an omen for success for their future undertakings. The Socialists, M. Jaures added, knew that a cabinet of their own choice was impossible, but they did not overthrow ministers for the mere pleasure of creating a crisis. All they asked was that the ministry should observe a benevolent neutrality. M. Millerand, in his remarks to the assembled Socialists, thanked M. Jaures for his action in the chamber of deputies, declaring that debates in the chamber would, in future, be regulated by the Socialistic party. M. Ernest Roche was the last speaker. He advocated political amnesty, which met with decided approval upon the part of his hearers.

CABINET CRISIS AVERTED.

Sagasta Proves a Good Hand at Smoothing Over Things

MADRID, Nov. 26.—The negative result of the conference at Melilla between Gen. Marcias and Muley Araa, the sultan's brother, has nearly led to a cabinet crisis. The cabinet met late yesterday evening, and all the ministers present were pledged to secrecy. In spite of this pledge, it has transpired that the minister of finance, Signor Gamazo, declared that if the minister of war maintained that it was impossible to immediately commence active operations against the Moors, which were clearly demanded by the circumstances, as well as by public opinion, it was evident that the ministry ought to resign, as it could not continue an undecisive policy without danger. This statement caused a profound impression upon the ministers, and, for a time, it is said, there was danger of the ministry adopting the suggestion of the minister of finance and handing in its resignation.

Premier Sagasta opposed the idea of any or all of the ministers' resignations, and concluded by asking for time to thoroughly consider the matter under discussion. Before this meeting of the cabinet, the minister of war, Gen. Dominguez, informed some of his personal friends that he had determined to resign unless he was given the chief command at Melilla, while retaining the portfolio of war during his absence from Spain. It was announced, however, today that Premier Sagasta had succeeded in averting a crisis by inducing Gen. Dominguez to withdraw his demand in favor of Gen. Martinez Campos, who was recently appointed to the supreme command of the Spanish forces operating against the Moors.

Gen. Martinez Campos, who was hastily summoned from Barcelona, arrived here at noon and was welcomed at the railroad station by the minister of war. The two generals exchanged warm embraces, and then proceeded to the palace, where they had a long and touching audience with the queen regent. Her majesty recalled the many victories won by Gen. Martinez Campos, and referred in the most flattering terms to his personal bravery and great military skill. Queen Christina also took this occasion to personally congratulate Gen. Martinez Campos upon his escape from death at the time of the attack made upon him by Pallas, the anarchist, who, it will be remembered, threw two dynamite bombs at the veteran soldier at Barcelona, for which crime he was tried and executed. The queen regent in addition expressed sincere admiration for the modesty and patriotism of Gen. Martinez Campos in rejecting the overtures which were made to him to assume the premiership, the old soldier preferring instead the perilous honor of leading the Spanish troops against the Moors.

Referring to the campaign in Morocco, Gen. Martinez Campos, in discussing the plan of operations with the minister of war, declared that he proposes to start for Melilla tomorrow, and that upon his arrival there he will form two army corps of 10,000 men each, which will be placed under the command respectively of Gen. Chinchilla and Gen. Rivera. Gen. Martinez Campos believes that the campaign will be short and decisive. Seven thousand troops are in Andalusia waiting orders to proceed to Melilla.

A telegram received here this evening says that a spy who has just returned from the Moorish lines has informed Gen. Marcias that the Kabyles are strongly entrenched between Cape Aresforcas and Algeria.

The losses of the Riffs in the different engagements with the Spaniards have been exaggerated.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—The Figaro says that Spain has an awkward task at Melilla, as she is obliged to fight on Moorish territory, and she will thus have to reckon with the sultan of Morocco himself.

RIOTOUS ITALIANS.

A Mob in the Streets of Rome Is Dispersed.

ROME, Nov. 26.—A serious disturbance took place at 6 o'clock this evening on the Plaza Colonna. While the military band was playing on the square, a mob, chiefly composed of workmen gathered in front of the chamber of deputies, and soon began to make threatening demonstrations and to utter loud cries of "Down with the thieves!" "Down with the malefactors!" "To prison with the rascals," and other violent cries of the same description. A force of police gathered about the chamber of deputies so soon as the authorities were notified that the mob was assembling, but when the threatening demonstrations began, reinforcements were hastily summoned and the police official in charge ordered the mob to disperse, and moved forward with his men in order to drive the mob from the square. This, however, only served to still further enrage the indignant workmen, who continued shouting, "To prison with the thieves," "Down with the malefactors," and similar cries, and all the time becoming more demonstrative and threatening to push forward up to the doors of the chamber of deputies.

The police mustered a strong force and charged upon the mob, scattering the workmen down the streets leading into the Plaza Colonna and, after a hard fight, making a number of arrests and escorting their prisoners to the police depots, in spite of the efforts made by the mob to rescue them.

CEREALS IN LONDON.

They Are Reported Rather Dull All Around.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Stormy weather and heavy snow in many places is the weather record for the week. The season hitherto has been favorable to the crops, which are looking well. In wheat there was no selling pressure or demand, and small prices were quoted in the buyer's favor. The fluctuations in the American markets have had but little influence. The Russian crop estimates are considered inflated. There was a good demand for Russian wheat at low prices. Californians were prompt at 27s 9d; La Plata sailors, afloat, 24s to 25s; Crimean and Chirka, November and December, 23s 9d to 26s; Parcel slow, red winter December, 25s 3d. Flour was dull and very low, and very low prices were accepted in America and checked business; first patents, 23s to 24s. Maize was 3d cheaper, to arrive, with poor demand; spot white was scarce and firm.

Portugal's Cabinet Shaky.

LISBON, Nov. 26.—It is reported that the cabinet will be reformed, and that the minister of finance and a few others will resign. At a meeting of the Progressive party a resolution was passed declaring that if that party were called into office they would present themselves to the present cortes, and that they would only dissolve in the event of being defeated or on account of a vote of want of confidence.

Anxious About Its Colony.

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—The Vossische Zeitung says that the government has decided to send a high official to Southwest Africa, with instructions to report upon the condition of the German colony there.

King Didn't Accept.

BELGRADE, Nov. 26.—The king has refused to accept the resignation of the cabinet.

ITALIAN HAND OF M'LEOD

Seen in a New England Railroad Deal.

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—The culmination of one of the greatest deals known to New England for years appears to be at hand, and tonight the Associated Press is able to give the inner history of the deal which is to lead to a combination which means the consolidation of the leading railroads in two states in conjunction with the most powerful corporation in a third. The companies in question are the Boston & Maine, the Concord & Montreal, and the Maine Central, with another in view. By the new agreement the Concord road will pass into the control of the Boston & Maine for a long term of years. The Boston & Maine will guarantee to stockholders of the Concord such a sum as will equal the dividend of 10 per cent for years paid by the Concord. The company will have no competitor in consequence in either Maine, New Hampshire or the upper Connecticut valley. Its connections on the east will reach New Brunswick and on the north the Dominion and the Grand Trunk system at Sherbrooke and Cookshire Junction. It is but natural that such a consolidation should lead to reports of other and equally important railroad deals, and it is already suggested that the next move will bring about a railroad business agreement, if nothing more, with the Reading interests or McLeod interests. In fact, some people who have been watching the recent actions of this somewhat erratic railroad magnate can see the fine hand of McLeod throughout the entire deal.

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POUNDED BY ROBBERS.

A Wealthy Man's Narrow Escape From Death.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 26. — Daniel Thomas, an eccentric and wealthy farmer residing one mile northwest of the city, came near being murdered by robbers at his home early this morning. Thomas is reputed to be a man of great wealth, and his visible possessions in the city and country would place him at half a millionaire. He arose early this morning and went out to the barn before his wife had arisen, and while there was accosted by three strangers, who demanded his money. As a preliminary he was knocked down and the robbers proceeded to drag him in the direction of the residence. Mrs. Thomas heard his cries and hurriedly ran to his assistance. They had a vicious bulldog confined in the house, and he sprang out when the door opened, and was in the act of coming to the relief of his master when one of the robbers shot him. They continued on their way, one of the robbers taking charge of Mrs. Thomas, who had a revolver. After both had been taken to the house, Thomas produced $25 and a watch, which he claimed was all he had, but the robbers were not satisfied, and made Thomas and his wife remove their clothing, tied them to the chairs and proceeded to punish them. After blindfolding them, the robbers burned their flesh with matches in their efforts to make them tell where they kept their money. Finally Mrs. Thomas loosened herself and ran from the house and to a neighbor, but the robbers escaped soon after she had left, though not without beating old man Thomas about the face and head until his condition is considered most critical. There is no clue to the identity of the robbers, though the detectives have the case in hand.

Children Cremated.

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Nov. 26.—Roy Lucas, aged three years, and James Williams (colored), aged four, met a horrible death by fire here today. Mrs. Williams had paid a visit to her next door neighbor, Mrs. Lucas, first taking the Lucas boy to his home for her boy's company. After visiting a while Mrs. Williams, on looking out of the window, was horrified to see flames enveloping her house. The alarm was given, but before aid could reach the children both were cremated and the building destroyed.

SOLD BOOZE ON SUNDAY.

Eight Offenders Arrested in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 26.—The police commissioners yesterday issued an edict to the saloonkeepers here ordering them to close up business today, and threatening to arrest any who disobeyed. The order was sent out at the earnest appeal of the Sunday Rest association, which has been waging a relentless war against all violators of the Sunday closing law. Today, although front doors were universally closed and many saloons entirely shut up, at the majority of places liquor was dispensed as usual. Eight offenders had been arrested up to this evening, and other arrests are expected. The crusaders declare they are determined to quit dawdling and work for the complete enforcement of the Sunday law till every saloon in the city is positively closed one day in seven.

Poison for Two.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 26.—Mrs. John Stover, wife of a bartender, this evening, after giving her daughter a dose of poison, took a similar one herself. When discovered, both were in horrible convulsions. They will likely die. Mrs. Stover gave as a reason for her act that her husband brutally treated her, and she thought it would be better to be out of the way. Stover came home drunk last night, and, after threatening and otherwise ill-treating her, left. Today she secured the poison and used it with the above result.

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