ANOTHER GUITEAU.

Mayor Harrison's Assassin Insists on Breaking Out.

HE SCORNS THE PLEA OF INSANITY

And Interrupts the Proceedings Very Like His Famous Prototype—He Declines to Be Still in Defiance of Judge and Counsel—Some Specimen Interjections—Judge Wing, of Coughlin's Counsel, Outlines the Defense in That Case.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—The assassin Prendergast is developing every day proof of the resemblance of his case to that of Guiteau. While the court is at work getting a jury out of the many veniremen who have already formed opinions he breaks in with remarks just as Guiteau did. One interruption was were he declared that "a man might be innocent and still not be insane." He vigorously objects to the plea of insanity which is indicated by the questions asked veniremen. Breaking in again he said said: "Your honor, the question of sanity or insanity is not material in this case. It is the state of my mind at the time of the killing. Your honor stated yesterday that murder was the taking of human life with malice aforethought." Prendergast's attorneys tried to shut him up, but he persisted in talking and would not be silenced until he had finished.

Presents a Long Statement.

Judge Brentano ordered the prisoner to keep quiet, saying that his attorneys would make all objections and look out for his interest in the case. Immediately on entering the court room Prendergast gave his attorneys a written statement to the effect that he did not want to be defended on the plea of insanity. He did not want the people to think that he did not murder Mayor Harrison for their good. The statement was a lengthy one and his attorneys refused to give it out, saying that it would probably be used in evidence. There is good reason now to believe that the jury will be completed today and that the actual trial will begin in the afternoon.

He Would Not Keep Still.

In the examination of W. J. Ford, of Austin, questions were asked about the mental condition of the assassin.

"Never mind, now, about my mental condition," growled Prendergast.

"Keep still," ordered his attorneys.

"No, I won't keep still," snarled back the prisoner, and he continued to mumble his objections whenever that line of questioning was followed.

Again he declared: "This trial is not proceeding fairly, your honor. My attorneys are well-meaning, but they are mistaken."

"You had better trust your attorneys, Mr. Prendergast," said the court.

Indorses a Remark by Trude.

Counsel Trude, while the examination of a venireman was proceeding, read from the Dunne case, which he said was the test in insanity cases, and wanted to get at the juror's belief as to the assassin's conception of right and wrong at the time of the murder.

"It is the question of the prisoner's knowing the difference between right and wrong that we want to get at," said Trude.

"Mr. Trude is right, your honor," said Prendergast.

"Shut up," said Prendergast's attorney.

The attorneys on both sides expect a jury to be selected today.

IN THE COUGHLIN CASE.

The Prisoner's Attorney Outlines the Plan of the Defense.

While Judge Brentano was struggling with the difficulty of obtaining a jury in the Prendergast case the other cause celebre—Dan Coughlin's new trial—was going on before Judge Tuthill, and Judge Wing for the defense was making his opening address. The burden of the address was on the uncertainty of circumstantial evidence, indicating that the line of defense to be adopted by Coughlin's attorneys is to try to break down this class of testimony, which forms so large a part of the evidence to be introduced by the state. When Judge Wing concludes his address the story of the murder of Dr. Cronin will be recommenced by the state on the part of its witnesses.

Judge Wing opened his address with the story of the man who ordered his slave to procure the best food for his dinner and afterward the worst and the slave in both cases put upon the board a dish of tongues. The tongue, the slave explained, was the best and most useful as well as the worst and most harmful of instruments. Applying this story to the case in hand the attorney declared that here also the tongue would work all the good and all the mischief. He then proceeded to define the power for good or evil of circumstantial evidence, citing several cases in illustration.

With dramatic power the attorney described scenes of murder, illustrating his assertion. Judge Wing told of the famous Decker murder case and the strong suspicion which fastened upon the Decker brothers, the sons of the murdered old man and woman, and the chain of circumstances which made their guilt seem almost certain until the confession of the negro assassin had exonerated them. "Do you wonder then," he exclaimed, "that my brother members of the bar consider circumstantial evidence to be the very worst kind of evidence?"

It is probable that as soon as Judge Wing has concluded an adjournment will be taken to Monday, when the taking of testimony will begin.

Alliance Goes into Politics.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 8.—The Kansas Farmers' Alliance as an industrial organization of a non-political character is dead. A long secret session has been held and the facts are difficult to get, but enough is known to positively state that the politicians have won. The Omaha Populist platform has been adopted from top to bottom.

Gone to Work for $2.50 a Ton.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 8.—The puddlers employed by the Oxford Iron and Nail company, of Oxford, N. J., have gone to work at $2.50 a ton. This is the lowest rate ever paid for boiling in the United States. The firm agrees to insure fifteen days steady work in every month, and the men have been accepted by the men.

United States Revenue Collector.

PORTLAND, Ind., Dec. 8.—Hon. William A. Hawkins of this city has been notified of his appointment as United States revenue collector for the Sixth district. He is a member of the state legislature.

YOUNG MURDERERS STRUNG UP.

Unusual Occurrence of a Legal Hanging—Rob Ready, However.

DANVILLE, Ills., Dec. 9.—The two young murderers, Harvey Pate and Frank Stires, were executed at 12:55 p. m. without a hitch.

The crime for which Pate and Stires were executed was committed Aug. 25, 1893. Four young men, Harvey Pate, aged 21; Frank Stires, aged 19; Elias McJunkin, aged 18, and Charles Smoot, aged 17, were great readers of flash literature, and Pate had served two years among the cowboys of Texas. The four conceived the idea of holding up Henry Helmick, a wealthy farmer. The boys walked twelve miles from the city and waylaid Helmick and his wife who were in a buggy. Helmick struck his horses when a demand for money was made, and Pate shot him dead. Young Harris confessed to complicity in the deed and upon arraignment all four pleaded guilty. Pate and Stires were sentenced to hang and McJunkin and Harris to the penitentiary for life. The crime was committed on Friday. On the Sunday following Smoot confessed and on Monday the indignant neighbors of the murdered man made an unorganized attempt to take the prisoners from jail. They were dispersed but afterward organized 400 strong to take revenge should the sentence be less than hanging. They were satisfied with the result of the trial. The execution is the first in the history of this county.

THRUN CONSPIRACY CASE.

The Jury Returns a Verdict in Favor of the Defendents.

WAUSAU, Wis., Dec. 9.—The jury in the Thrun conspiracy case which has occupied the attention of the court for the past three weeks, brought in a verdict of not guilty as to each of the defendants, Hanson, Follette and Kandy. They were out twenty-six hours and disagreed at first as to Hanson, so it is, generally understood. The case has attracted widespread notice because of its sensational features. Thrun, who pleaded guilty to the charge of conspiracy when arraigned, cannot be sentenced, because there is no co-conspirator, a necessary element to constitute the offense.

The verdict accords with the general sentiment of the community, although the fact that Hanson secured money from insurance companies as a detective after he knew Thrun was alive, has raised suspicion in the minds of some. The conspiracy as alleged was that the defendants sought to get $50,000 from insurance companies by pretending that Thrun, on whose life the insurance was taken out, was consumed in a fire which destroyed his house.

DETERMINED TO DIE.

Mrs. Halliday Makes One More Effort to Kill Herself.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Paul Halliday, who is confined in the Monticello, Sullivan county jail for the murder of the McQuilland woman and her husband, Paul Halliday, and who has during the past month made a number of unsuccessful attempts to take her own life by starvation and by setting fire to the bedclothing in her cell has outdid all her past efforts by hanging herself to her cell door. She used the binding from the bottom of her dress. At 1 o'clock the sheriff visited Mrs. Halliday for the purpose of giving her her dinner and on entering the door he saw her apparently lifeless body hanging from the iron grating over the door. He entered the cell and with the aid of his assistants took the body down.

Restorations were administered, but it was fifteen minutes before she revived.

IT PAID UNCLE SAM.

The World's Fair a Source of Considerable Revenue to the Government.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The World's fair at Chicago has proved a source or considerable revenue to the United States. A statement forwarded by Collector Clark at Chicago shows customs duties aggregating $656,676 have been paid on World's fair exhibits which have been sold or which are retained in this country. At a reasonable estimate the value of exhibits sold or retained amounts to $2,000,000. The expense attached to the collection of these duties, etc., amounted to $167,916, leaving to the United States a clear profit on the World's fair from customs duties up to Dec. 1 of $488,159. December receipts from customs will swell this total. The estimated value of all the exhibits at the fair was $14,000,000.

Grand Rapids Aldermen Impeached.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 9.—After a stormy session lasting five hours the council impeached Alderman George R. Jacobs and expelled him. Jacobs was convicted on three counts, charging him with malfeasance, embezzlement, and forgery. The vote was unanimous. Jacobs was chairman of the committee on bridges and had charge of the work of repairing. He collected the money for the work from the city treasurer and charged the city more time than the men were employed and at a greater rate a day.

Colorado Free Silver League.

DENVER, Dec. 9.—The second annual convention of the Colorado State Silver league opened in this city with about 150 delegates in attendance. President Merrick, in his opening address, said that the organization was to demand the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, which was the one and only important question now before the American people. The convention adopted a free silver audress to the people and adjourned sine die.

Murdered on the Street.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Julia Huff, a young woman employed in the family of H. W. McArthey on Franklin avenue, was murdered early in the evening in front of the house by a man with whom she had been walking. He suddenly turned upon her and cut her throat from ear to ear. He escaped. The police are looking for her husband and a street railroad motorman with whom she had been much in company.

Heavy Defalcation.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—A dispatch to The St. James Gazette from Vienna says that a sensation has been caused in that city by the disappearance of a well-known banker, who is said to have defrauded his clients out of 230,000 florins. It is added that the defaulting banker has fled to South America.

Robbed a Postoffice Safe.

MARSHFIELD, Wis., Dec. 9.—The safe in the postoffice here was blown open by burglars and over $1,000 taken. The safe is a complete wreck.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Financial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.

Money on call easy. Offered at 1@1½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¼@487½ for demand and 484½@484¾ for sixty days; posted rates 485½@488½. Commercial bills 483¼@483¾.

Silver certificates 69½ bid; no sales; bar silver, 69⅝. Mexican dollars 55⅝.

United States bonds, 4's regular, 113½; do 4's coupons, 114¼; do 2's, 95; Pacific 6's of '95, 101⅛.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.

Wheat—May, 74⅝@74⅞c. Rye—Nominal. Corn—No. 2, easir; January, 45⅞@45⅝c; May, 49⅝@47c. Oats—No. 2, dull but easy; May, 35 15-16@36c; track white state, 37@41c; track white western, 37@41c. Pork—Dull; new mess, $15.00@15.50; family, $16.50@17.50; short clear, $18.50@19.00. Lard—Dull; prime western steam, $8.85 nominal.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.

Following were the quotations on the Board of Trade today: Wheat—December, opened 64½c, closed 63¾c; January, opened —c, closed —c; May, opened 70c, closed 69⅝c. Corn—December, opened 36⅝c, closed 35⅝c; January, opened 36¼c, closed 35⅝c; May, opened 40⅝c, closed 40⅛c. Oats—December, opened 28⅝c, closed 28½c; January, opened 28⅝c, closed 28½c; May, opened 31⅝c, closed 31⅜c. Pork—January, opened $12.65, closed $12.65; May, opened $12.70, closed $12.67½. Lard—January, opened $7.65, closed $7.10.

Produce: Butter—Fancy creamery, 27@28c per lb; fancy dairy, 22@24c; packing stock, 15@16c. Eggs—Fresh laid, 22c per dozen; ice house, 18@18½c. Dressed Poultry—

The Local Markets

GRAIN, ETC.

Wheat—60c
Corn—New, 35c.
New oats—27c.
Hay—Timothy, $10; upland, $9@10; slough, 90@87; baled, $8@9.
Straw, $5.

PRODUCE

Butter—Fair to choice, 22c; creamery, 26c.
Eggs—Fresh, 20c.
Poultry—Chickens, dressed, 8c; turkeys, dressed, 10c@11c; ducks, dressed, 10c; geese, 10c.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Apples—$4.00@$4.50 per bb
Potatoes—60@70c
Onions—60c per bu.
Turnips—50c per bu.

LIVE STOCK

Cattle—Butchers pay for corn fed steers 1½@2½c; cows and heifers, 1½@2½c; calves 4@5c
Hogs—4½@5c
Sheep—3½@4½c

FUEL

Coal—Soft, 11c; hard, $9.00.
Wood—Cord, $4.00; hard, $5.25

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Carrol Bernard, a 13-year-old lad, is in charge of Mr. Gerry's society at New York. He says his home is at Chicago, where his mother is, and that his father deserted him at New York.

The Italian cabinet crisis is acute again; Zanardelli having failed to construct one has thrown up the job. The king has turned to Crispi again.

Epsa Hunton and Thomas S. Martin have been nominated by the Democratic majority in the Virginia legislature for the short and long terms of a United States senatorship which Mr. Hunton will continue to fill until March 4, 1895, Mr. Martin succeeding him.

Litigation over a bequest by the late E. L. Paine, of Oshkosh, of a sum of $50,000 to the Wisconsin Methodist conference for the support of superanuated ministers, has been settled. The conference accepted $12,500.

O. W. Fisher, of Shelby county, Ill., who took the sweepstakes on thoroughbred cattle at the World's fair, has made an assignment for the benefit of creditors.

Obituary—At Montreal, ex-Minister of Justice Rudolph La Flamme. At Alton, Ill., Mrs. Minerva Vaughn Clowson, aged 80 years.

John L. Sullivan is credited at Chicago with handing his check-book to Mrs. John Drew, the aged actress, and telling her to fill out a check for what she wanted when she appealed to him after trying in vain elsewhere to raise money to lift an attachment.

British imports for November amounted to £35,800,856 and exports to £17,653,759.

Schuckert & Co., of Nuremburg, Germany, are trying to sell Uncle Sam their 194,000,000 candle-light electric searcher, which was on the Manufactures building at the World's fair.

A monument to the memory of Emin Pasha, the African explorer, will be erected in Neisse, Germany, where his sister, Fraulein Schnitzer, and his little daughter Frida now live.

Montenegro was one of the few countries where, until recently, clergymen wore the national costume and bore weapons. Prince Nicholas, however, has decided that this costume shall be discontinued.

AN ORDINANCE

Regulating to the Landing at, or Occupying the River Bank by Boats, Vessels, or Other Crafts.

Be it ordained by the city council of Rock Island:

Section 1. That no vessel, boat or craft of any kind whatever, excepting steamboats, and excepting also as otherwise provided by the ordinances of the city of Rock Island, shall land at or occupy any part of the levee, to-wit: The south bank of the Mississippi river along First avenue and the east bank extending south from Fifth street, within the jurisdiction of said city of Rock Island, without permission first obtained from the city marshal of said city, and should any such vessel, boat or craft, except as herein above provided, so land at, or occupy said river bank, the owner or person in charge thereof, shall immediately on verbal notice so to do by the said city marshal, remove the same, and on failure so to do, every such owner or person shall on conviction be fined in the sum of ten dollars, and in the further sum of twenty five dollars for each and every day he shall suffer the same to remain at or occupy any part of said levee after said conviction.

Sec. 2. If any such boat, vessel or craft shall land at or occupy any part of said levee contrary to the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the said city marshal to proceed at once, and remove the same to such place as he shall deem advisable, at the expense of the owner.

Sec. 3. That all such boats, vessels or crafts shall be retained in the custody of the city marshal until all fines, forfeitures and charges mentioned in the preceding sections of this ordinance shall be paid by the owner or person having charge of the same; and if said fines, forfeitures and charges are not paid within twenty four hours the city marshal shall sell every such boat, vessel or craft, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, first having given at least ten days' previous notice of the time and place of said sale, by posting up notices of the same in three of the most public places in said city.

Sec. 4. That for all proper charges, fines and forfeitures, and costs and expenses incurred by the city marshal in removing and taking care of any boat, vessel and craft, or other property, by virtue of this ordinance, a lien is hereby created against any such boat, vessel or craft or other property, and no alienation or transfer of the same shall affect the said lien.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall not be so construed as to prohibit or prevent the landing, or deposit for shipment, of any goods, merchandise or any other article of trade or business; but no persons shall occupy or encumber any part of such levee with any such articles for a longer period than is necessary for the purpose of shipment under the penalty as heretofore provided in this ordinance.

Passed Dec. 4, 1893.

Approved: T. J. MEDILL, Jr., Mayor.
Attest: A. D. HUSKING, City Clerk.

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On Saturday the 16th day of December next at the hour of 2:30 p. m. at that certain dwelling house on Moline avenue, known as the Brook's Homestead, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, the whole of that tract of land at the east end of the city of Rock Island known as

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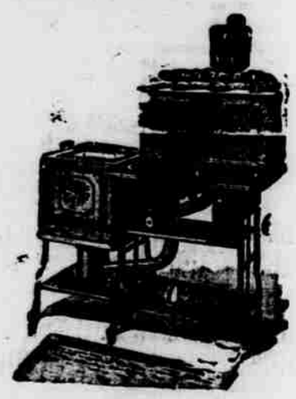

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