

BURGLAR KILLED BY HIS OWN TRAP

Woman Visiting House Closed for Season Finds Body Dangling from Skylight.

HAD BEEN DEAD MANY DAYS

Police Identify Man as Ex-Convict and Are Confirmed by a Friend, Who Recognizes Him.

The body of a man hanging by the neck from a skylight was the sight that greeted Mrs. Esther Surut when she entered her home, at No. 138 West 121st street, yesterday afternoon.

Caught in His Own Trap.

The skylight is a large affair, about 4 by 5 feet, with sharp metal edges and very heavy. He had opened it far enough to admit his body and propped it up with a piece of wood.

Identified by Finger Prints.

The Bertillon experts were summoned from Police Headquarters and they took the dead man's measurements and finger prints from his hands.

Had Visited House Before.

Since closing her home in May, Mrs. Surut, who is the wife of Elias Surut, a wool merchant, of No. 27 Greens street, has been living with her family at their summer home in Arverne, Long Island.

Civil War Articles

The Fourth of the Tribune's series dealing with the chief incidents of the Civil War will describe the capture of Fort Donelson, the feat which established Grant's reputation as a soldier.

SEE NEXT Sunday's Tribune

CORONATION PRICES SLUMP

Londoners Now Realize Americans Won't Pay Excessive Rates

London, May 25.—There is a slump in coronation prices. Without doubt seats and windows are at present too expensive, and in consequence, despite the reports of agents, the demand for them is not so brisk as it should be.

CARNEGIE PAYS FIDDLER

Little Girls Who Danced Highland Fling Will Have a Treat.

MR. TAFT AGAINST CHANGE

Unalterably Opposes Amendments to Reciprocity Bill.

COOK TOO GOOD FOR PRISON

Former Employer Ready to Forgive Her Theft of Jewelry.

CANADA'S REVENGE ON US

Took Away 500,000 Citizens, Says Premier in Speech.

"DARE" COSTS MAN'S LIFE

Challenged to Climb Pole, He Falls from the Top.

NO EXTENSION TO NAVY YARD

Secretary Meyer Says New York Plant Won't Be Enlarged.

Washington, May 24.—Upon his return to Washington from New York, where he inspected the New York Navy Yard, Secretary Meyer to-day announced that the yard would not be increased in size. He said there was no necessity for its extension.

MORSE AND WALSH REMAIN IN PRISON

President Taft Scathingly Arraigns Rich Men Who Betray Their Trusts.

REFUSES TO PARDON THEM

Their Offences Show Insidious and Dangerous Moral Turpitude, and Interests of Society Demand Severe Punishment.

Washington, May 24.—Appeals for pardon in the cases of Charles W. Morse, convicted of misapplication of the funds of the National Bank of North America, of New York City, and John R. Walsh, convicted of misapplication of the funds of the Chicago National Bank, were denied by the President to-day.

In denying the pardons the President takes a firm stand that the national banking laws or any other laws must be upheld when they affect the rich man even more than when they affect the poor.

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The jury, which had been hearing evidence for eight days, deliberated only one hour and ten minutes before reporting its verdict.

O'Reilly, with flushed face and downcast eyes, replied to the usual questions regarding his pedigree.

Justice Davis then remanded the prisoner until May 26 for sentence, and he was taken to a cell in the Tombs by Deputy Sheriff Spellman and Condon.

NEW YORK BANKER REFUSED PARDON AND WIFE WHO WORKED FOR HIS RELEASE.

MRS. CHARLES W. MORSE. CHARLES W. MORSE.



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OLD MINIATURE FOR MORGAN

Gets Forgotten Holbein Likeness of Thomas Cromwell.

London, May 25.—A Pierpont Morgan has just added to his collection a forgotten miniature, acquired from a private source, of Thomas Cromwell, by Holbein.

\$50,000 TO BET ON POLO

Philadelphia Enthusiasts Will Back American Team.

Philadelphia, May 24.—Local polo enthusiasts made up a purse of \$50,000 to-day to wager on the American team to defeat the Englishmen in the final match for the polo championship.

A KANSAS ENOCH ARDEN

Family Separated by Chicago Fire Reunited After 40 Years.

Pittsburg, Kan., May 24.—Peter Sharp, of this city, his wife, Anna Sharp, and their son and daughter were reunited here to-night at Sharp's home.

LOUIS VON PUHL SHOT

Noted Aeronaut Perhaps Fatally Hurt in a Pistol Fight.

Denver, May 24.—Louis von Puhl, of St. Louis, the well-known aeronaut, was shot three times and perhaps fatally injured, a man named Copeland was shot once and another man named Atkinson was shot once by a travelling salesman from New Orleans, said by the police to be H. N. Honwood as a result of a quarrel in a hotel barroom to-night.

FIREMEN'S STRIKE VOTED

Will Be Ordered at Once if Southern Railroad Refuses Wage Increase.



JOHN R. WALSH. Chicago banker and promoter, who with Morse was refused a pardon by President Taft.

FEARING CITY'S LURES, HE KILLS HIMSELF

"It Is Better to Go to Hell Now than Later," Suicide Wrote in Notebook.

HAD PRAYED TO BE SAVED

Young Man, Evidently from Upstate, Loved Girl in the "Valley" and Thought New York a Fine Place.

Clean cut and well dressed, a youth between eighteen and nineteen years old yesterday afternoon went into the lavatory of a saloon at No. 572 Fulton street, Brooklyn, and shot himself through the head, dying instantly.

FORGOT THE REVENUE BILL

Illinois Legislature Adjourned Without Appropriating Money.

Springfield, Ill., May 24.—It was discovered to-day that in the excitement of the last night of the session of the state Legislature the revenue bill, providing the tax levy under which appropriations amounting to \$19,500,000 are to be raised, got lost in the Senate committee and failed to pass.

F. A. Delano Urges Regulation by Interstate Commerce Body.

Chicago, May 24.—President F. A. Delano of the Wabash Railroad system, speaking before the Chicago Traffic Club to-day, advocated the regulation of newspapers by the Interstate Commerce Commission as semi-public utilities.

AMENDING STATE AUTO LAW.

Albany, May 24.—The Senate Committee on Internal Affairs has reported favorably the amendments to the Callan automobile law.

MAILLARD'S VANILLA CHOCOLATE

Is absolutely pure—its flavor delightful—its use a constant pleasure.—Adv.

MEXICAN SOLDIERS SHOOT MADERISTS IN MEXICO CITY

Some Killed and Many Wounded in Anti-Diaz Riot as President Lies Ill.

CHEER AMBASSADOR WILSON

Mobs, Enraged by Postponement of Resignation, Parade Streets, Cheering for Madero.

MANY OTHER OUTBREAKS

Four Killed in Zacatecas—Trouble in Mexico City Begins in Chamber of Deputies and Spreads Through Capital.

Mexico City, May 24.—Enraged by the announcement that President Diaz and Vice-President Corral would not resign before to-morrow, spectators in the galleries of the Chamber of Deputies late to-day started a riot in the streets that resulted to-night in the killing and wounding of many persons by volleys fired by police and troops.

For six hours the city was in the hands of a mob until a rainstorm, more effective than police and soldiers, caused the dispersal of most of the rioters.

Twice soldiers fired on the mob, the first time at the Zoocal, the big square in front of the National Palace, and again to disperse a mob which had stoned the building occupied by "El Imparcial" and set it on fire.

Nothing like accuracy is to be obtained to-night with reference to the number of the dead. Estimates run from seven to eighteen, including three policemen, said to have been beaten to death by the mob.

"El Imparcial," which continued to prepare for publication despite the attacks made on the building, goes so far as to place the estimate at thirty dead, mostly at the Zoocal.

Reports were received here to-night that demonstrations are in progress at Tehuantepec, Guadaluajara and Zacatecas. The federal Governor of Jalisco, Manuel Cuesta Gallardo, was driven out of Zacatecas the troops fired on the mob, killing four.

Until 9 o'clock to-night the mob in this city encountered no opposition, and apparently little restriction was necessary. Shouting for Madero, they paraded the streets, but always in an orderly fashion, except for the noise. Occasional instances of vandalism were immediately condemned by the thousands of marching men, who joined in shouts of "Order! order!"

At 9:30 o'clock it appeared that the crowd was dispersing. The main body had been broken into smaller groups, but at that time some of these had grown more demonstrative in the big plaza in front of the palace, and the police determined that the time had come for drastic measures to be taken.

Orders to Disperse Ignored. The shouting, gesticulating mass of humanity was warned to move on, but a confidence born of better treatment early in the evening caused them to receive the order of the police with derision.

Again they were told to disperse, and again no attention was paid to the order. Quickly their shouts of ridicule were turned into cries of anguish, for the guns of the police and the soldiers were fired toward them. The living stumbled in a mad rush over the bodies of the dead and wounded.

The narrow streets leading from the Zoocal were jammed with fleeing men and women.

For a few minutes the guns of the government troops were still, but another gathering at street corners of the enraged and frightened partisans of Madero resulted in another order to fire at will.

Sharper and longer now came the shooting. The mob fled, but contrary to all traditions of Mexico, the troops had not yet intimidated the rioters to the point where they were willing to submit.

The force of the iron hand was weakening, and despite the death it had brought, the rioters refused to do more than scatter into miniature mobs, each shouting for Madero and yelling for the downfall of the present government.

Diaz on a Sickbed. In the midst of it all President Diaz lay on a sickbed. It was learned on authority this afternoon that despite recent optimistic official reports of his condition the President had shown several degrees of fever for the last five days.

He declines to see all visitors, including members of the diplomatic corps, and takes nothing but liquid nourishment. Mme. Diaz told a visitor to-day that the President's principal diet was warm milk. His condition is regarded as serious by members of his family.

The Presidential palace was crowded with visitors, mostly personal friends, who had called to pay their respects and to show their loyalty in the hours of the decline of his power. There were not chairs enough in the palace for them, and they stood on the stairways, in the parlors and lined the corridors.

Ambassador Wilson at the Palace. Almost at the moment of the beginning of the demonstration the American Ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson, entered the palace to pay his respects to the President. He talked for some time with Mme. Diaz, the latter expressing her regret that the President was too ill to see him.

MORE TRAINS TO ASBURY PARK. Long Branch and Point Pleasant, Pennsylvania Railroad, May 25. Consult new timetables.—Adv.

WHERE TO TAKE LUNCH. And drink the best American Wines. H. T. Dewey & Sons Co., 138 Fulton St., N. Y.

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At counters ask for Anostura Bitters. At your drinks. It makes them delicious.—Adv.

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SPECIAL TRAINS FROM ATLANTIC CITY. Atlantic City Tuesday, May 30. Leave Atlantic City 4:40 p. m. and 5:30 p. m. Parlor cars. Arrive New York, Pennsylvania Station, 10:15 a. m. and 11:30 p. m. Saturdays only. 4:15 a. m. Sundays.—Adv.