

MR. CLEVELAND FOR THIRD TERM.

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NEW YORK WILL BE IN LINE.

Letter from Ex-Senator James Smith,
Of New York, to Henry S. Little,
Trenton, Creates Big Sensation.

New York, Aug. 24.—According to a dispatch from Saratoga the politicians there are agog over the publication of a letter sent by former Senator James Smith, Jr., of New York, to Henry S. Little, of New York, in which the writer declares that Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, and other prominent Democrats of the New York state delegation at the next national convention will give their support to Grover Cleveland for the presidential nomination.

The letter, which has created a sensation in New York, is as follows:

"I am sure that the Tammany leaders and Charles F. Murphy, and a number of other New York Democrats, all agreed with me that the only thing to do was to nominate Mr. Cleveland. I am sure that the New York state will be in line for him at the convention. Whether Bryan and his friends can beat him is hard to tell.

"You and I will be put down as Cleveland boomers by and by. If our people are as sensible as I take them to be, they can elect him. He is the only man they can elect at this time."

SIXTH ZIONIST CONGRESS.

English Jews Deeply Interested in
Offer of British Government.

London, Aug. 24.—English Jews are deeply interested in the announcement made by Dr. Theodore Herzl, president of the sixth Zionist congress, at its opening yesterday at Basel, Switzerland, that Great Britain had offered the Jews a large tract of territory in East Africa for colonization by the Jews, who would be given an autonomous government under British suzerainty. While some opposition is expected, they believe that the congress will accept the proposition.

Lord Rothschild said to a representative of the Associated Press:

"Feeling Jewish emigration from the British Isles the government has offered a tract of land in East Africa to Jews emigrating there. They will have only the rights and privileges of British subjects, the same as their brethren enjoy here and elsewhere in the empire. They will be under British rule, the same as they would be under American rule if they were located within American territory. In other words, they will simply be colonists. I do not know whether the proposition will be accepted."

"The majority of the Jews in England are said to oppose its acceptance. I am sure that the majority of the Jews in America, who are at Basel, will, it is believed, uphold the proposal."

"The editor of a Jewish newspaper said: 'In any event a refugee is not desired for the Jews of England or America but for those of Russia, Roumania and other European states, whose emigration can only be improved by emigration.'"

The editor reiterated that the idea of acquiring Palestine had not been abandoned even in view of the British proposal being accepted.

INDIAN LAND FRAUDS.

Investigation Into Them Is Progressing Smoothly.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Secy. Hitchcock said today that matters connected with the investigation of the alleged Indian land frauds in the Creek Indian territory were progressing smoothly. Several officials in the territory whose actions have been the subject of inquiry already have been discharged, but Secy. Hitchcock says he does not feel disposed to make public their names. The investigation is being pushed by the secretary wherever there is the least evidence of attempted fraud, with a view to the punishment of the guilty persons.

Secy. Hitchcock is much pleased with the new order promulgated some weeks ago by the department in regard to the use of allotments in the Creek Indian territory, saying tonight, that it is preventing much fraud.

It is stated on good authority that Secy. Hitchcock has notified federal officials in the Indian territory that if it is alleged, are using their positions in the government service as a vantage ground from which to do business in Indian lands, that they must choose between their positions and the land business.

In other words, the federal authorities whose names are being printed as presidents, directors and stockholders in trust companies, that do business in Indian lands, must get out of the companies or resign their offices. It is said that some of the accused officials have intimated that they will withdraw from the land companies.

DANVILLE RIOT CASES.

Trial of Winfield Baker, Ring Leader, Is Begun.

Danville, Ill., Aug. 24.—The riot cases were begun in the circuit court today before Judge Thompson with the trial of Winfield Baker, who is charged with making an assault on Sheriff Wartlock with intent to kill. Baker is 26 years old. He came from Kentucky last March, and has been working on a farm.

It is charged that on the night of the assault on the jail Baker was the ringleader at the door of the jail office, and demanded the keys. He had a big revolver in each hand, and it is said, when refused the keys declared that the mob would secure the negro prisoners, James Wilson, who had been arrested for an assault on Mrs. Burgess, if it had to demolish the jail.

After Sheriff Wartlock had fled into the mob through the broken panel of the office door and the assaulters had made an attack on the residence portion of the jail, Baker, it is alleged, stood in front of the jail and fired two shots at Wartlock as the sheriff was standing on the porch.

Baker denied all the charges, saying that he was not at the jail. He sought today to give an alibi, but was unsuccessful. The evidence was concluded tonight and the case will go to the jury tomorrow.

THE G. A. R. FLOWER.

It Is Likely the Apple Blossom Will Be Selected.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—The apple blossom will doubtless be made the flower of the Grand Army of the Republic, Tak-

"Preserving the
sweetness of proportion."

—Ben Jonson

The Elizabethan poet recognized the overwhelming artistic value of proportion. So also has the

GORHAM CO.

Silver Smiths

the beauty of whose silverware depends in many cases almost entirely on the "sweetness of proportion," due attention being paid to graceful line and delicate ornament, while that first essential, sterling quality of material, is ever present.



All responsible Jewellers keep Gorham Silverware

In its belief has been revived now. In all army circles, both among men and women, one hears only the hope that this little blossom will be the favored flower.

Mrs. Ophelia Blair is one of its strongest supporters in its struggle for supremacy. The other day Mrs. Blair received a historical bit of wood, a gift from Maj. John Slocum, who was ranking captain in the One Hundred and Eighty-ninth New York.

In his letter to Mrs. Blair he said in part:

"I send you a piece of the apple tree that was covered with blossoms which I took at Appomattox myself."

Mrs. Blair believes this is an opportune time for the wood to be received, as a resolution has been framed making the apple blossom a national emblem of the Grand Army of the Republic. Back of this apple blossom railway are the Ladies of the G. A. R., the W. R. C. and many G. A. R. posts of Illinois, Michigan, Iowa, Ohio, New York, Wisconsin, Kentucky, Arkansas, Texas and Colorado.

To help things along Mrs. Blair wrote a poem, naming it the "Memorial Apple Tree." After it was read the resolutions were written. Now, with the cordial endorsement as a surety, the women say at the next encampment the apple blossom will get the attention it deserves.

TELEGRAPH LINE COMPLETE.

The One Connecting Seattle And St. Michaels.

Dawson, Aug. 24.—Capt. Nesmith, who is in charge of Fort Egbert, announces that the last link connecting Seattle and St. Michaels by telegraph is complete. Messages are now forwarded to St. Michaels by mail. This marks the completion of the American government's great Alaskan land system.

A royal commission has finished taking evidence against the famous Treason case. Treason was when on the stand stubbornly refused to divulge the identity of his backers. He testified that he has over \$4,000,000 with him to instigate a great water system for the Klondike if harassing difficulties could be removed. He said that he could start work next March.

The "Polly river strike" proves to be a fake. The stamperers have returned disgusted.

The drought is broken. Two weeks' raining will save hundreds of thousands of dollars this year to miners.

THE PEARL OF BRANDENBURG

Emperor William Buys Himself A New Residence.

Berlin, Aug. 24.—Emperor William has added his fifty-fourth residence to the fifty-three he already owned by buying the estate of Damm-Muehle, called "The Pearl of Brandenburg," for \$300,000. It was owned by a country squire, Von Molau. The present residence will be rebuilt and converted into a hunting castle.

W. E. MURPHY REMOVED.

Was Chief Clerk in Surveyor-General's Office, Arizona.

Phoenix, Ariz., Aug. 24.—W. E. Murphy, chief clerk in the office of the surveyor-general of Arizona, has been relieved upon telegraphic instructions from Washington and has been succeeded by Thomas Armstrong, formerly in the draughting department. The removal is the result of an investigation by a special agent of charges that Murphy collected double fees for certain work, claiming that the government did not supply funds to keep up the work and an extra charge was necessary to pay the clerk's overtime for service in connection with the application for patents on mineral lands.

SAVED BY CELLULOID COLLAR

It Prevented Frank Berger's Neck Being Cut All Up.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—With blood streaming from wounds on his head and face, a gash on the right side of his neck, Frank Berger walked into the Harrison street police station and said that he had received the wounds in a fight with two hold-up men at Clark and Van Buren streets.

The wounds had been inflicted with a razor and Berger says that if he had not had a celluloid collar, which bore the brunt of the last slash from the razor, he would have been killed. As it was the razor cut through the collar and only scratched the skin over the jugular vein.



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A SPICY PUNGENT FRAGRANCE
A NOSE INVITING FRESHNESS

These it took from the sunshine and soil of the celebrated district where it grows. Has never been spoiled by handling.

In 4 cups 250 Cups to a Pound

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ESCAPE SHUT OFF BY THE FLAMES.

Two Hundred People Imprisoned
In a Burning Building in Buda
Pest, Hungary.

NUMBER OF VICTIMS UNKNOWN

Some Saved Their Lives by Jumping—
Thirteen were Killed and Many
Seriously Injured.

Buda Pest, Hungary, Aug. 24.—Fire started this evening in a four-story building, the two lower stories of which were occupied by a fancy goods firm, the upper floors being residential flats.

There were 200 work people in the building, and the escape of many of them and of the residents on the third and fourth floors was cut off by the flames. The fire is still burning furiously, and it is impossible as yet to ascertain the number of victims.

The warehouse contained piles of flimsy material and the flames spread with frightful rapidity and soon reached the residential floors. Only the people near the doors below were able to effect their escape. The residents above, seeing their escape cut off, clung desperately to the windows, screaming for help.

The firemen held out sheets of canvas and called to them to jump. Fifteen persons were saved in this way, but many in jumping missed the sheet, nine being killed on the spot, including two children, eight others fatally and two seriously injured.

It is now stated that between 40 and 50 persons were burned to death, including Herr Goldberg's wife and son. The police announce that by jumping from the flames 14 persons were killed and 16 injured, nine seriously.

The damage is estimated at four million kronen, mostly covered by insurance.

At a late hour tonight it is claimed that 124 persons perished in the fire.

GAS PIPE EXPLODES.

Injures One Man Fatally and
Two Very Seriously.

St. Louis, Aug. 24.—While railroad men were engaged in trying to place the Union freight car on the track near the Union station early today a torch was accidentally brought in contact with a bursted pipe from which gas was escaping, resulting in an explosion that killed one man and seriously injured two others.

Engineer L. Bouquette, and seriously injured Switchmen G. Hardin and R. J. Hunt. The men were thrown high into the air by the explosion, and the damaged car, loaded with wheat, was destroyed by the fire which followed.

OBEYED HIS UNION.

Lt. C. R. Taylor Sent in His Resignation
from Illinois Militia.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 24.—Col. J. MacTanner, commanding the Fourth Infantry, U. S. A., has turned over to Col. John C. Brennan, attorney for the Illinois Central railroad, the case of Lieut. Charles R. Taylor of company C, 1st Illinois, who sent in his resignation, and did not come to Camp Lincoln with his company, claiming the Switchmen's union at Carbondale, of which he was a member, threatened to expel him if he did not resign and return from the Illinois national guard. Should the charges of Lieut. Taylor be true, Lieut. Taylor would be asked to proceed against the Switchmen's union.

GERMAN SERGT. ARRAIGNED.

Charged with Maltreatment of
Soldiers Under Him.

Halle, Prussian Saxony, Aug. 24.—Sergt. Wilhelm Nobeling of the First company of the Third Infantry regiment has been arraigned before a court-martial for maltreatment of the soldiers under him. He was charged with beating the men with a broom handle, and other offenses, and was charged against him. When in a bad temper he would tear the buttons from the men's coats and compel them to sew them on again. He forced the soldiers to go through the motions of an investigation, and on other occasions he made men take rifles in their mouths and crawl around on all-fours. The court took the case under advisement, and called for additional testimony.

FIRE CHIEF KILLED.

Was Cutting Down Flagpole When It Fell, Crushing Him.

Rochester, Pa., Aug. 24.—The chief of the Rochester volunteer fire department, Joseph Heuring, was killed by the fall of a 100-foot flagpole in Central park.

The pole had been bent by a storm and it was decided to cut the bent section off. Heuring ascended the pole 70 feet, where he tied himself, and the crowd gathered to watch the work.

Just as Heuring was through, the base of the pole fell. Heuring was crushed and died in a few minutes.

AGAINST U. S. MARSHAL.

Alleged He Took Prisoners from
Jail to Vote for His Candidate.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Charges said to have been made by F. Fells Fox, editor of a newspaper at Ardmore, I. T., have been forwarded to the department of justice against Benjamin H. Colbert, United States marshal for the Southern district of the territory. The charges include the alleged use of his position for the furtherance of political ends; allegations that during a gubernatorial election of the Chickasaw nation he took prisoners out of the federal jail in order to have them vote for his candidate for governor; that he is continuously absconding himself from session of his court in order to attend to private business; and to make an address in an Indian land company whose operations work to the disadvantage of the Indians.

KOHLISAT SEES PRESIDENT.

But Denies That He Is to Be
Postmaster-General.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Gov. Murphy of New Jersey and Senators Kean and Dryden of the same state, visited President Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill this afternoon. The president accepted an invitation to attend the ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the monument erected on the battlefield of Antietam in memory of the New Jersey soldiers who fell in that historic engagement and to make an address. The ceremonies are to take place on Sept. 17, the fortieth anniversary of the battle.

H. H. Kohlisaat of Chicago was a guest of the president and Mrs. Roosevelt at luncheon. After his conference with the president, Mr. Kohlisaat said to a representative of the Associ-

ated Press that his call had nothing whatever to do with any contemplated change in the cabinet.

"It has been rumored," said Mr. Kohlisaat, "that I might be appointed postmaster-general, but there is absolutely nothing in the story. The president contemplates no change in that office, and the president has no office in his gift which I would accept."

Mr. Kohlisaat did discuss with the president the subject of financial legislation. For several weeks he has been gathering information for the president bearing on the subject. His researches have been in both the east and the west, and the results he has laid before the president.

"I think some legislation of a remedial character may be enacted at the approaching session of Congress," he said, "but there is a wide divergence of opinion among authorities as to what, if anything, ought to be done. The demand for financial legislation comes principally from the east, but even here financiers are not in accord. In the west, our people are not thinking much about the matter. The west is wonderfully prosperous, and all of our above, seeing their escape cut off, clung desperately to the windows, screaming for help."

TO PREVENT A LYNCHING.

Colored Couple Sprinted Away
From Batavia, Ill.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—To prevent a possible lynching, a Chicago colored man and woman sprinted away from a crowd of whites surrounding the jail at Batavia, Ill., tonight, and locked up in the county prison at Geneva. The prisoners had been arrested after a series of encounters between residents of the village and participants in the riot of the negroes of the Quinn and Bethel churches.

About 3,000 colored men and women were in the riot party at Mill creek, two miles south of Batavia. The negroes took possession of the lawn of Mrs. George Burton's place, and when she ordered them to leave she was repeatedly struck by two of the negro women.

City Marshal Kelly arrested the two women, but was at once attacked by a mob of 200 negroes, who succeeded in releasing the prisoners, leaving Kelly unconscious on the ground.

Later in the day Sheriff Robert Burke of Geneva, with a posse of 45 citizens, went to the scene of the riot, and after a desperate battle in the railway coach and on the depot platform, both Bell and the Shelby woman were locked up in the town jail until the gathering of a large crowd of citizens caused the city officials to order their removal to Geneva. Allen later was released.

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DANCING IS HUGGING.

Declares Evangelist Moorehouse
At a Michigan Camp Meeting.

Quincy, Mich., Aug. 24.—Evangelist Edward Moorehouse, in a camp meeting address, delivered here tonight, caused a sensation by attacking popular amusements. In part he said: "The three popular amusements of the day are card playing, dancing and drinking. Any church that sanctions them is spiritually dead. Dancing is hugging set to music. If a man should come into my house and hug my wife, and I have other men hug other men's wives at a dance, once at a hotel where I boarded, I would horsewhip him. Nine-tenths of the fallen women of this country trace their downfall to the modern dance."

Most Likely a Murder.

Chicago, Aug. 25.—The body of an unidentified man has been found in the Desplaines river at Riverside and the police think a murder has been committed. A knife wound in the left side would have caused death. There were no other marks on the body and the pockets of the dead man's clothes contained nothing by which he might be identified. The man was apparently 40 or 45 years old and was well dressed.

JOHN J. DENNY'S DEATH.

So Suspicious that Police Are Investigating It.

New York, Aug. 25.—Surrounding the death of John J. Denny, an expert machinist, conspicuously identified with a warfare waged between labor unions, are circumstances so suspicious that the police have been called upon to investigate.

It is the assertion of the man's widow that he was murdered because of his labor differences, and that men opposed to him in organizations killed him or instigated his death. This belief of foul play is shared by Denny's friends and is being continued.

Denny's body was found near Erie Basin Sunday. His head was in the shallow water, but one leg was entire-

ly dry. His face was badly battered and other bruises were on his body. His money and watch were undisturbed. The widow has told the police that her husband frequently had been threatened by men opposed to the Knights of Labor with which he affiliated. A Watchman at the docks says he saw Denny and another man walk out on the pier early Sunday morning and declare neither man came back. So far the police have found no corroborations of the watchman's statement as to any person accompanying Denny, but say he started home alone about midnight a few hours before his death.

SOME TRUTH IN STORY.

Of Attempted Blackmail of Count
And Countess Larisch-Monnich.

New York, Aug. 25.—Great interest is shown here in the report that marriage brokers had been arrested in Berlin for attempting to blackmail Count Franz Joseph von Larisch-Monnich, who published a story in the Tribune special from Buffalo, N. Y. With her husband, the countess, she is now visiting here. The latter has given out a statement in which she says that the prisoners concerned are blackmailers and usurers. One has served six years in prison for an offense similar to that charged against him in this case. He secured a note with his signature, which he filled in. There are half a dozen cases against them, and mine is only one of the counts in the indictment against them. Those who are more concerned in the prosecution than I have been over a year and a half in getting evidence against the men."

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