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WASHINGTON, 18.—Shipperd, of the Peruvian Co., was one of the most disgusted men that ever appeared before an investigating committee, this morning, when he was notified after refusing to answer the question put to him by members of the foreign affairs committee, that his further presence was not desired. He had evidently expected to be treated as an object of importance, and perhaps brought before the bar of the House for contempt. He had prepared a mass of stuff to lay before the committee, regarding his treatment by ex-Secretary Blaine, and that he evidently hoped would again direct public attention to his grievances. Blaine convicted Shipperd by his own testimony, and by that of six other witnesses, of being a consummate liar, and Shipperd naturally did not want to be relieved from attendance on the committee until he had a chance to reply.

LONG BRANCH, 18.—A bulletin was posted on the authority of Capt. R. Mitchell, of the wrecked steamship *Pliny*, warning people against using coffee which came ashore from the ship, because it had been poisoned by hides which were saturated with arsenic, and stowed away in the same part of the vessel with the coffee, and soaked with water that had entered. Thousands of bushels had been carted away by the people in the neighborhood, and they are greatly excited over the statement.

CLEVELAND, 18.—This afternoon the steamer *Lebanon* exploded its boiler in the steam drum when twelve miles out from Sandusky, and was racing with the steamer *Jay Cooke*. The fireman, T. Bettle, was instantly killed, and a deck hand, T. Watters, was fatally injured. Engineer Johnson was badly scalded about the head and hands. The tug *Mystic* towed the *Eagle* to Kelley's Island, the hull being uninjured. At the moment of the explosion the *Eagle* was attempting to sail across the *Cooke's* bow.

CHEYENNE, 18.—A reward of \$500 is offered for the arrest of Norman McQuaig, who murdered two men here, named Jacobson, five years ago, and escaped. McQuaig is a Scotchman, nearly 35, six feet tall, large and muscular, and has blue eyes and sandy hair. The reward will be paid upon the delivery of the man here.

FRANKLIN, Ky., 18.—The court house was burned by incendiaries and most of the county records are destroyed.

SAN FRANCISCO, 19.—An Olympia W. T., Dispatch says: Fire this morning destroyed a number of business houses of this city. The total loss will reach \$75,000. Insurance covers two-thirds of that amount.

NEW YORK, 19.—Augustus D. Leighton, (colored), was hanged at 8:47 this morning, for the murder of his mistress, Mary Dean. When the trap was sprung the noose failed to slip under the ear and caught under the chin. Then commenced a sickening struggle which showed that Leighton was strangling to death, the fingers clutched convulsively, the legs drawn up and the victim was awful. His heavy breathing was agonized to hear. In 9 minutes he was pronounced dead by the official physician, but as the body was partially lowered the convulsive heaving chest, were plainly discernable. Another physician declared him dead 8 minutes after the first announcement. The body was removed to Evergreen Cemetery for burial.

COLLINGWOOD, 19.—The steamer *Duty of Own Sound* arrived from Duluth, having picked up the mate of the steamer *Manitowin* in a sailboat six miles from Killarney. He states that at 11 o'clock yesterday forenoon, while off the shoal at a point four miles from Manitowin, the *Manitowin* took fire and was completely destroyed. One of the boats with the rescued crew and passengers upset, and Robert Hendy and a little girl, name unknown, were drowned. A tug has been sent from Killarney to the scene of the burning steamer.

MOUNT VERNON, Ills., 19.—Chas. W. Yost was killed by W. A. Smith, city marshal. It is understood to be on account of a political quarrel. The murderer mounted a horse and rode away. A posse is in search of him.

BALTIMORE, 19.—Fourteen hundred emigrants arrived from

Bremen to-day and leave for the Northwest this afternoon.

WASHINGTON, 19.—The War Department has the following:

FORT LEAVENWORTH, 18.

The following telegram has just been received:

The situation at the Mescaleros Agency is much the same or worse than it was with the Cheyennes. The Mescaleros must be fed or they will starve. The Indian Bureau, as appears, cannot feed them. The army must therefore feed them. A heavy military force must be placed around them to make them starve peaceably. There is yet time to provide for them, but it cannot safely be postponed. It should be attended to at once.

(Signed) JOSEPH POPE, Gen. Commanding.

DALLAS, 19.—The *Times* to-day published an expose of a secret practical order known as the "American Knights of Honor." It is an anti-Catholic society something after the style of the old know-nothing organization and is officered by local republican leaders. Wm. Jesse East, formerly a Methodist in East St. Louis, Ills., late editor of the *Dallas Gazette*, and a cousin of General Grant is said to have organized the Society here under the authority of the parent society in Washington, and that another republican leader, well known in the State is now out organizing lodges. The purpose of the society is said to be the defeat of the Catholic democratic candidates for office. The exposure is made on the authority of one of the members of the society who gave their secret away.

CHICAGO, 19.—The South Side street railway has begun extending its cable upon Wabash Avenue. It finds the plan is a money making one and very successful so far. The company's stock has advanced in price from 2-75 to 3-45 since the cable became an assured success.

LEBANON, Ky., 18.—Rose Osborne, colored woman, and daughter, ten years old, were murdered by unknown persons last night. The former was killed with a billet of wood and the latter's throat was cut in bed.

BUFFALO, 18.—B. Porter Lee, president of the wrecked First National Bank, committed to jail on complaint of Receiver Smith, in the United States Circuit Court for the embezzlement of \$200,000.

PULASKI, Tenn., 19.—W. W. Rea, to be hanged this afternoon for the murder of J. T. Goodwin, attempted suicide by taking morphine, to-day, unsuccessfully.

WASHINGTON, 19.—Secretary Teller had a conference yesterday with the Secretary of the Treasury relative to the printing of blank certificates to be given to the privileged Chinamen visiting the United States after the new Chinese law goes into effect. Secretary Folger has not yet drafted a form of certificate, but when complete will be engraved and so printed as to prevent counterfeiting.

In the contest between the Yuba Mining Company and the Diamond Creek Company, as to their respective right to the Salathiel mine in the Sacramento, California, land district, the Secretary of the Interior has decided in favor of the Yuba Company.

NEW YORK, 19.—A story is printed in an evening paper here to the effect that the murder of Cavendish and Burke was the work of a secret organization, composed partly of Irishmen, partly Frenchmen and partly Italians. One of the murderers is an Italian and the other an Irishman. Both were educated and in comparatively good circumstances. It is asserted that Burke had seduced a lady who was betrothed to the man who assassinated him. Burke had been intimate with her for two months. When her lover learned of her ruin, he requested the privilege of taking Burke's life, acting as agent of the secret service.

BOSTON, 19.—The wool market is comparatively quiet this week, and sales of all kinds amount to 17,000 pounds. Prices remain unchanged. Lots of fleece wool are scarce, particularly X grades. Sales of Ohio and Pennsylvania have been at 40 to 41c for X and XX, with sales at 42 to 44c for those grades, although some lots of choice XX were not offering under 47c. Some Michigan, New York and Vermont fleeces have been sold at 39 to 41c, but choice Michigan is scarce, and would bring 42c. A lot of 7,000 pounds new California spring sold at 28c. Receipts were light. Unwashed fleeces have been in fair demand.

CHICAGO, 19.—The Tanners' strike continues and is assuming the form of a lock-out. The employers threaten to put in machinery and dispense with manual labor altogether. It is now stated that last Saturday the employers met and agreed to stand by each other and all stop work in case of a strike in some houses and discharge all the men. About 800 are out of employment.

NEW LONDON, Conn., 19.—The weavers of Kanum mills, at Rockville, struck for an increase of ten per cent. The hands of three woolen and gingham mills are now on a strike.

MARION, N. C., 19.—Stephen G. Effler was hanged here to-day for the murder of his wife. Five thousand people followed

the wagon containing the sheriff and culprit from the jail to the gallows, half a mile away. Effler spoke for an hour, admitting the commission of the crime and expressing his willingness to die.

LA CROSSE, Wis., 19.—The will of ex-Governor C. C. Washburne was opened to-day. Its contents are not held secret. Among the bequests is one of \$50,000 for a public library here, and \$375,000 for a memorial orphan asylum at Minneapolis, as a tribute to his mother. The bequests aggregate over \$500,000. The estate aggregates \$2,500,000.

LEADVILLE, Col., 19.—A fire broke out on the south side of East Chestnut Street this morning, about half past 3 o'clock, and before it was got under control had destroyed the buildings on that side, east of the First National Bank, for nearly a block, including the Windsor Hotel, Academy of Music, Palace of Fashion, and a large dry goods house. The front of the buildings on the opposite side of the street were charred. Loss about \$300,000 partly covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have been caused by incendiarism. One dead unidentified body was found, and it is supposed that other lives were lost, as some of the occupants are missing. The wind was very light, other wise the fire would undoubtedly have destroyed a very large portion of the city.

KANSAS CITY, 20.—Littleton Younger, uncle of the notorious Younger Brothers, three of whom are now confined in Stillwater, Minnesota, penitentiary, on a life sentence for complicity in the Northfield bank robbery, stated that he intended starting for Oregon in 20 days and would take his nephews with him. For fourteen months this uncle and a sister have been striving to secure pardon for the boys, having spent \$20,000 as he claims going about the country and endeavoring to secure sympathy and aid in his purpose. Most of his time has been spent in this city and vicinity, and he now claims to have matters arranged so that a speedy pardon will be secured. Younger has gone to Jefferson City to see Governor Crittenden and will go from thence to Minneapolis and Stillwater.

MUSCATINE, Iowa, 20.—John McMinon, a farmer 65 years old, quarrelled with his 15 year old daughter who, instigated by her brother, aged 18, shot him dead. It is supposed the children wanted to get control of the property.

The comet [was] visible to the naked eye last night in the constellation Cassiopea.

WASHINGTON, 20.—The unanimous decision of the District Supreme Court on the question raised by the defense in the Guiteau case will be announced on Monday. The *Post* to-morrow will give the following as the points of the decision.

The court will broadly sustain the position taken by the district attorney, that the jurisdiction is complete where the fatal blow was struck, without regard to the locality of actual demise. The court holds that the bullet fired at the President by Guiteau on the 2nd of July last was the cause of his death, and that the trial could only have been held in Washington; that the death of the President in New Jersey, except as affected by local statute, could not change the jurisdiction. The assassin had not been in New Jersey, had committed no offense against New Jersey laws, and the mere fact of the victim being removed to Elberon to prolong life or save it, if possible, could not be made to affect the character of the crime.

The court will claim in addition there are grounds on which the jurisdiction as the exercise might be maintained if it were necessary to decide the case.

First—That this is the United States court, with all the powers of any circuit court of the United States.

Second—That this is a judicial district, and that under a provision of the law, when a crime is begun in one and completed in another district, the offense is complete in either.

Third—That the murder being an offense in this district against the United States, and the removal of the President to New Jersey did not take him beyond the jurisdiction of the government against which the offense was committed.

The Postmaster General left Sunday for a brief visit to Wisconsin. While west he will arrange for putting on a fast mail train from Chicago west.

It is said that a syndicate is formed by Jay Gould, Blaine and others, to build a new road from Baltimore to Cincinnati, to cost \$15,000,000.

NEW YORK, 20.—The *Times* says: What are we doing in the Phoenix Park case? Why, we are doing better than those who have filled the papers with baldersdash for several days lately. We are in an

intelligent position in regard to it, and I don't mind telling that we have what we call a good end to it, that is to say, we have been and are working on a track that promises much. We are not going to communicate what we are doing or what we do, but when we have accomplished what is to be done, the public will know of it and not before. The wholesale arrests in England and Ireland are serious mistakes, and have done a great deal to spoil the case. It would appear that they are working in the dark, and very badly too. The English Consul, if he has any information about the tragedy, has kept it to himself. What information we have has been gleaned from other sources. When the news that the deed had been committed reached this city, a number of men met in a hall up town on the west side. They were all Fenians and desperate ones too. Since then they have been active, and probably ere long we will hear of another startling execution. They mean business, and intend to carry on their desperate and mysterious warfare, and with them the end justifies the means. They are silent workers, and all determined men. They have all been shadowed, but as they are shrewd fellows but little progress has been made, however. We are doing our best and awaiting developments. If the Dublin police have any better description of the men suspected, than that published, it is strange that they don't forward them to this city, or if they are in possession of the British Consul, it is odd that he doesn't send us a copy of them for our guidance.

The *Mercury* of to-morrow will publish an article concerning the opening, within a few days past, of an intelligence office for the supply of Mongolian labor in every shape and style. The enterprise is undertaken by a Celestial named Jin Sang Yung, and he has established his office at 70 Seventh Avenue. The enterprising Chinaman secured a copy of the city directory, and through this he transmitted his business cards to every hotel and boarding house in the city. In reply to questions, he said he supplied house workers, farm hands, china decorators, embroidery work and furniture workers, cigar makers, shoe makers, and a few others. He asks for house hands, waiters, etc., \$30 to \$35 per month with board and washing. He did not furnish female help and all his hands to supply the demand came from San Francisco. When he gets orders he sends to San Francisco for Chinamen to fill them. He said he would send on Monday cards to Long Branch, Saratoga, Newport and Coney Island. He has opened negotiations with a large trading concern in California to meet the requirements of his establishment.

CHICAGO, 20.—Some mysterious proceedings were had in the Federal Court to-day when James B. Doyle, the convicted counterfeiter, was brought in for sentence. It was intimated that potent influences had been at work and that he would not go to the penitentiary. The event justified the statement of Judge Bangs, the prisoners counsel, who said to the court that he had learned through authority that the Washington authorities desired the sentence suspended for a time, at least, and the prisoner admitted to bail. District Attorney Leake said the Attorney General had instructed him to withdraw his motion for the immediate sentence of Doyle, which he accordingly did. The court refused to reduce the bail, but it is believed Doyle will be released before midnight.

ST. LOUIS, 20.—A Dallas, (Texas) special says: It is beyond doubt that Frank James and several of his most devoted confederates, are now in Texas, with headquarters at Dallas. Eight members of Pemberton's detective force are now located in North Texas for the purpose of capturing Frank and his friends. They have stolen several horses and much other valuable property recently under ownership cognizance, hoping to entrap the desired game, but thus far without success, nevertheless, the parties are spotted, and within thirty days the public can look out for something sensational from North Texas.

PITTSBURG, 20.—Intense excitement prevailed at the Oil Exchange this morning. Exaggerated reports of a big strike were received, and fluctuations of quotations were frequent and quite large. The opening price was 65, but the market quickly jumped to 69, and then back to 68, closing, at noon at 68½. The

sales at the morning session aggregated 950,000 barrels.

There was a firmer feeling in this afternoon. The sales for the day amounted to 6,580,000 barrels. No serious result is anticipated from the sudden break. Sales 64½, closed at 68.

SHREVEPORT, La., 20.—The levee of P. B. Cash's place here broke to-day, and several of the adjoining places are submerged from backwater. The plants are all hard at work strengthening levees. The river rose 12 inches to one o'clock to-day, and is falling above.

LITTLE ROCK, 20.—The fee which has been invested in the books of the ex-Secretary, now Governor Churchill, in the past four months, filed to report this morning. The fee amounts to \$115,829.

BOSTON, 22.—The Pacific Bank, which suspended several months ago and resumed business weeks since, stopped paying dividends and will wind up business. Directors voted to go into liquidation and applied for a receiver. A pension is considered due to the directors since resumption of confidence is considered due to warrant any large deal of the concern.

NEW YORK, 21.—The Sultan has been found in the sleep of the Sultan threatening unless his present arbiters are changed for more liberal and his present personal officers are dismissed. The Sultan after consternation and keeps in total seclusion. His moral is undoubted.

James Gordon Bennett bought the Bennett property to auction. The bidding was \$1,361,000. Bennett building on Nassau Street \$650,000.

ST. LOUIS, 22.—A *Post* special says: A vigilante has been chasing horse thieves in Missouri for two weeks. Three have been taken near Kirbyville and the other five escaped, but one has been killed since, one mortal and a third captured and lynched. The other two are now being taken to White River and will be tortured to-day and lynched.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, 18.—The fear of arrested in connection with the murders of Lord Frederick and Burke, is so general in Ireland, that the peasantry lying outside their districts are plying to the police for passage of emigrants moving from many of Ireland for America sort to the same course.

Advices from Soham, Egypt, state that the eclipse of the sun was successfully observed that place yesterday, by French and Italian astronomers. A fine comet was discovered by the sun. Its position was determined by photography. The transverse and ocular observations before and during the totality, gave most valuable results.

The steamer *Progreso* burned last night while she was on her way to provision the ship of the steamer *Peruvian*.

COPENHAGEN, 18.—By an explosion of gunpowder here, six were killed and many injured.

LONDON, 19.—Advices from there in which a number of shops and other buildings were destroyed. Loss \$800,000. Three people out of work. Inc.

In consequence of an Fenian threats the guard government establishment at mouth are doubled.

ST. PETERSBURG, 19.—The Division of the Nihilists is gamated with the "will of people" section.

ST. PETERSBURG, 19.—Reported that riots have broken among the peasants in the west. They demand a reversion of the land. Two men the nobility were sacked.

DUBLIN, 19.—The "Freedman" publishes an eight column anonymous letter bearing the post-mark, and professing to be from one of the assassins. It states that the crime was committed in answer to the appointment of an English, by the Irish Assassination which has branches throughout the world. Over twenty persons are implicated in the crime, all of whom are in various parts of the world. The writer says they attended the trials of their victims. The story contains many gross absurdities.