

ELECTION MUDDLE IN COLORADO.

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SOME DECIDED DISCREPANCIES.

Clerk Counted 325 Ballots, but the Certified Official Returns Showed 372.

Denver, Dec. 2.—Hearing in contempt cases growing out of violations of injunction writ issued previous to the recent election, was resumed in the supreme court today.

The men charged in the cases on trial are John Sullivan, Democratic committee man in Precinct 9 of Ward 5; S. S. Barker, William Held, Willie E. Spencer, election judges, and Charles W. Branch and John E. Dixon, election clerks.

The substance of the charge against the men is that they conspired to steal the election in the precinct in which they served by stuffing the ballot boxes; that the election officials refused to appoint a Republican clerk of election, and interfered with supreme court watchers.

Chief Justice Gabbert ordered the ballot box brought into the court and opened. The clerk of the court counted 325 ballots in the box. The returns made by the election officials and certified by the election commission in the official canvass were 372.

It is claimed that a number of ballots placed in the box were not those of legal voters and the court appointed two handwriting experts to examine the ballots. They will determine which, if any, are fraudulent and will report to the court tomorrow.

It was also developed during the counting of the ballots that there was a discrepancy between the amount of straight Republican votes returned by the election officials and the number disclosed when the box was opened today. The court found 116 of this description, whereas the returns showed seventy-nine. A number of straight Republican voters were found mixed with the bunch of "straight Democratic" ballots, and the inference is made that they were counted as such.

Arguments were heard before United States Commissioner Capron, in the case against Frank Kratke, city license inspector, and other Democratic officials in Precinct 8 of Ward 5, at the late election, who are charged with conspiracy to prevent Republicans from voting.

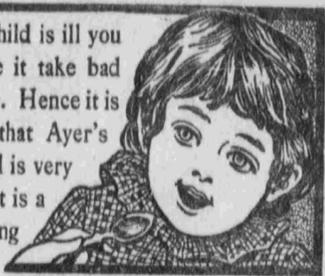
In ringing tones and with his frame shaking with emotion, Kratke on the stand today denied the charge that he had pushed Adolph Weimer out of the polling place after he had been denied the opportunity to vote. Kratke declared that the testimony of the supreme court watchers and others given in this case was "wild and deliberate perjury, concocted to steal an election." After argument, Commissioner Capron bound the defendants over to appear before the federal grand jury. The bonds already given will stand.

JANUSCHEK'S FUNERAL.

Her Simple Burial Shows that All is Vanity.

New York, Dec. 2.—A little band of actors gathered in the chapel of an unassuming establishment today to take part in the funeral service over the body of Madame Francesca Romana Januschek, once a noted actress, who died last Monday in a home on Long Island. The very simple ceremony was a marked contrast to the many striking events of her long life. It consisted of the reading of the brief service of the Roman Catholic church and an eulogy by Milton Nobles, a member of the executive committee of the actors' fund, which cared for Mme. Januschek

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in her declining years. In the course of his address Mr. Nobles said: "If another object lesson were needed to impress upon us the ephemeral quality of that substance something which we call fame, here it lies. If this once great woman had been summoned 20 years ago, in the zenith of her powers, great ones of earth would have been proud to do her homage. Now the only ones to do her reverence is this group of her fellow craftsmen, in a strange or at least a foreign land, who kneel and loved her for herself alone."

tempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat. He confessed to the police that he had misappropriated about \$1,000 entrusted to him by workmen and women in Manhattan.

A FAIR YOUNG GIRL, Fashionably Attired, Wearing Expensive Jewels, Found Dead.

New York, Dec. 2.—Fashionably attired and wearing expensive jewels, the body of a girl 19 years old was found tonight in a room in a hotel at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Park avenue. Tied about the girl's neck was one of a towel, which had been fastened carefully with a safety pin, while the other end was tied to the bedpost. The body was found in a half kneeling position, as though she had been strangled or had forced herself strangled herself by pulling on the towel. Last night she went to the hotel with a man who has since disappeared.

WHITE CROSS SOCIETY, President Will be Asked to Name A President.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—At a meeting last night of the incorporators of the American White Cross First Aid society, officers of the organization were chosen and plans made to extend the work not only in Chicago, but in other cities.

Five vice presidents were elected, and President Roosevelt will be asked to name the president. The vice presidents chosen are Mrs. Potter Palmer, Mrs. R. T. Crane, Gen. J. B. Irwin, Cardinal Gibbons and Andrew Carnegie.

CELEBRATES EIGHTEENTH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS MARRIAGE.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Today was the eighteenth wedding anniversary of President and Mrs. Roosevelt. They were the recipients of congratulatory messages and letters from all parts of the country. The anniversary was quietly celebrated tonight by a family dinner party.

CHAUNCEY F. BLACK DEAD.

York, Pa., Dec. 2.—Chauncey F. Black, former lieutenant governor of Pennsylvania and a leader of the Democratic party, died at Brockville, his suburban home near this city today.

Death was caused by Bright's disease. For many years Mr. Black was a prominent figure at Democratic state and national conventions and aided in the drafting of platforms and the framing of party doctrines.

EMBEZZLER CAUGHT.

New York, Dec. 2.—Oscar Adler, 28 years of age, who did a banking business under the firm name of Novak & Co., at 14 Avenue B, was arrested last night as he was making preparations to escape to Europe. When the police broke in the door of his room he at-

WORLD'S FAIR THREATENED BY FIRE.

"Ancient Rome," "Fair Japan," "Quo Vadis" and "The Streets of Rome" Burned.

A CONFLAGRATION PREVENTED.

Jefferson Guards Say that the Fire Was the Work of Incendiaries.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 2.—A conflagration which gave the firemen a stubborn fight, and which, owing to the high wind, threatened the entire exposition grounds, was discovered in "Ancient Rome," on the pike, shortly after midnight.

The flames spread with great rapidity and destroyed part of "Fair Japan," all of "Quo Vadis" and "The Streets of Rome." Flying sparks also caused incipient blazes on the roof of the varied industries building, but they were extinguished without material damage.

A first alarm was immediately followed by a second, third and then a general alarm. The firemen soon had many streams playing on the blazing buildings and the fire was extinguished before it spread further.

While Jefferson guards were in the rear of "Hereafter," on the pike opposite the buildings that were on fire, they saw a light and pounded on the door for admission. After considerable delay they were admitted and found a pile of lighted newspapers in the middle of the floor. They arrested the man that opened the door, after he had given what they considered unsatisfactory replies to their questions. He was taken to the world's fair police station, where he gave the name of Arthur V. Dunn, and a charge was placed against him of "suspected arson." When he was searched a hunting case watch and 11 ladies' hand bags were found.

DOGS IN WAR, Germany's Experiments in Southwest Africa Successful.

Berlin, Dec. 2.—Germany's experiments in using dogs in the suppression of the southwest African rebellion have proved highly successful. Many dogs were sent out with the previous expedition, and half a dozen will be taken on the next transport sailing for Africa. The dogs do excellent service in preventing night surprises of the men on guard duty against Hereros armed with native clubs. The dogs are also used for tracking flying natives, and finding wounded men in the bush and on the battlefield.

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To the Honorable President and Members of the City Council of Salt Lake City: Gentlemen—Your special committee, to whom was referred the submission of a plan for obtaining an adequate water supply for Salt Lake City, reports as follows:

Immediately after its appointment the committee commenced its labors, and the same have been prosecuted with diligence and care, believing that any plan which might be devised should provide for a constant adequate water supply and thus insure a permanent solution of this momentous question.

It was found, upon investigation that there was not sufficient data at hand to determine the sources of supply available, and the manner and cost of bringing the water to the city, could be determined, although it was generally conceded that the sources of supply would be from the streams flowing into Salt Lake county from the Wasatch Mountains.

In order that the committee might act intelligently the City Engineer was requested to make such investigation of the subject as would put the committee in possession of the necessary facts upon which to base its report to your Honorable Body. In response to this request the Engineer has prepared and submitted the full and comprehensive statements which accompany this report.

It appears from the City Engineer's report that Salt Lake City's present supply of water per day of 24 hours, based on September averages for the years 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, a period of unusual scarcity, is:

Table with 2 columns: Source, Gallons. City Creek 4,800,000; Little Cottonwood Creek 2,800,000; Emigration Creek 1,000,000; Total 8,600,000.

And that through the expenditure of \$50,000.00, about 20,000,000 gallons of this water can be made available at once, and all of the above water should ultimately be acquired by the City, either through exchange of lease with the present users, or by purchase of the water rights to first provide an adequate supply of water to take the place of that from the

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