

DYNAMITE CONSPIRACY

The Wintersteen-Knorr Case Is Continued at Bloomsburg.

TESTIMONY IN REBUTTAL

Flat Contradiction of Evidence Offered by Defense.

The Commonwealth Witnesses Had Never Heard the Veracity of Sallie Gast Questioned, But All Agree That Defense's Witnesses Are Not to Be Trusted--Collector Grant Herring Decides to Omit the Thrilling Piece of Evidence Promised.

Bloomsburg, June 9.—When court convened this morning for the continuance of the Wintersteen-Knorr dynamite conspiracy case, the defendant, Lloyd S. Wintersteen was recalled to the stand. He was questioned as to several questions which were alleged to have had with Cashier Tustin, of the Bloomsburg National bank, and made a general denial to all of Mr. Tustin's statements. He also denied having told Attorney Snyder that he did not believe in God, Christ or a hereafter.

The prosecution then called several witnesses for rebuttal. Riley Slicker, J. D. Branning, Cyrus Fox, Chf. Knorr, Albert Hoover and a knife. Mr. Slicker was called first. The substance of his testimony was that they would not believe the witness for the defense under oath, and that they had never heard Sallie Gast's veracity questioned. Court then took a recess until 2 o'clock.

At the afternoon session of the court, rebuttal was the order of the day, during which the reputations of several witnesses were aired. When court opened the prosecution was allowed to proceed with an intent to prove that Sallie Gast's reputation was very good, while that of Mr. and Mrs. Phillippi, two witnesses for the defense, were very questionable.

E. H. Tustin, cashier of the First National bank, testified that Mr. Wintersteen said to him a few days after the explosion that he had seen a man standing at the corner of Sloan's alley with a revolver and a knife. Mr. Wintersteen said that he was uttering threats against Mr. Waller. He said that he tried to persuade the man to give up his intentions of harming Waller. The defendant when asked about this matter in cross-examination said that he could not recall such a conversation. The next witness to contradict a portion of Wintersteen's story was Elizabeth Jacoby, a clerk in the post-office. She said that Wintersteen had written fifty letters in the past five or six years to Miss Dora Moharter. This was a flat contradiction of not only Wintersteen's testimony but that of the Moharter girl's as well, both the latter having sworn that only two communications passed between them in the past nine years. Cross-examination failed to shake Jacoby testimony.

HERRING DID NOT TESTIFY.

It had been expected that Senator Grant Herring would give some interesting testimony in regard to an alleged struggle between Wintersteen with a woman in the bushes of the night of July 1, 1896. Mr. Graham announced that after a consultation with the defense it had been agreed that in view of the fact that Senator Herring had taken such an active part in the prosecution of the case, he would not testify, and that both sides had agreed that the fact of his not testifying should not be mentioned again by either side. Mr. Waller was then recalled. He testified that he had taken part in the equity proceedings, making an important address before the court, thus contradicting Mr. Wintersteen's statement that he "never opened his head."

About a dozen witnesses were called by the defense to prove that the character and the reputation of Theodore Hayman and Jacob Phillippi, two of the defense's witnesses, had never been questioned. Nearly all the witnesses in rebuttal had been heard when court adjourned until tomorrow. The closing speeches will probably be made tomorrow and the case will go to the jury on Friday. Judge Emmert's charge is awaited with much interest.

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

Pennsylvania Is Remembered in the Distribution of Favors.

Washington, June 9.—Today the president sent to the senate the following nominations: State—To be envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary of the United States: Henry L. Wilson, of Washington; to Chile; William F. Powell, of New Jersey; to Haiti; John G. Leishman, of Pennsylvania; to Switzerland; to John F. Gowers, of Washington; to be consul general at Kanagawa, Japan. Treasury—To be assistant appraisers of merchandise: Michael J. Brown, in the district of Philadelphia; Fred Vincent, in the district of Philadelphia. To be deputy auditors: Robert S. Pedson, of South Dakota, interior department; Daniel A. Grosvenor, of Maryland, for the war department.

The senate today confirmed the following nominations: Henry L. Wilson, of Washington; to Chile; John G. A. Leishman, of Pennsylvania, to be minister to Switzerland; Lawrence Townsend, of Pennsylvania, to be minister to Portugal; Andrew D. Barlow, of Mississippi, to be consul general at the City of Mexico.

LYNCHING IN MARYLAND.

An Infuriated Mob Hangs a Negro Alive Under Sentence of Death.

Princess Anne, Md., June 9.—William Andrews, the young negro accused of felonious assault upon Mrs. Benjamin T. Kelley, was taken from the sheriff here today and beaten into insensibility, then hanged to a tree by an infuriated mob, immediately after having been arraigned in court and sentenced to death for his crime. Andrews, who was but 30 years old, came here from North Carolina, and on May 5th, of this year, was arrested for assault upon Mrs. Kelley. At that time a mob endeavored to lynch him but he was hurriedly taken to Baltimore and confined in the jail in that city until last night, when he was brought here for trial. During the night a number of men assembled and carefully planned today's programme. No attempt was made to interfere with those who participated in the lynching.

FIEND ESCAPES LYCHING.

An Angry Mob Pursues a Tramp Who Had Assaulted a Woman.

Batavia, Ohio, June 9.—A tramp attempted to assault Mrs. Emma Curds, a highly respected lady of Williamsburg, near here today. Mrs. Curds is in a very critical condition. A posse was immediately organized and started in pursuit. He was captured at Budd's brick yard and Constable Hucker had all he could do to prevent the mob from lynching the prisoner. He was removed secretly to Batavia to save his life.

DAY OF TARIFF TALK.

But Little Progress Is Made on the Bill. Mr. Cannon, of Utah, Wants the Farmer Remembered.

Washington, June 9.—The senate had a period of tariff speeches today and as a result little progress was made on the bill. Mr. Rawlins, of Utah, and Mr. Mills, of Texas, discussed the Democratic attitude of the tariff from their respective standpoints. Mr. Rawlins was a member of the platform committee of the Chicago convention and proposed the tariff plank which was adopted. He stated that the vote and several other Democratic senators had cast for duties on cotton and other agricultural products was justified by that platform and by the traditions of the party. Mr. Mills severely arraigned the bill as a class measure designed to build a vast fund for distribution among the beneficiaries of the bill and at the expense of the "forgotten men," the tax payers. He indirectly criticized these Democratic senators who voted for the amendments to the bill putting a tax on cotton and other articles, contending that their course was a radical departure from the tenets of Democracy. Later in the day Mr. Cannon, of Utah, proposed an amendment to the amendments to agricultural products. He spoke for two hours on the need of giving the farmer a share of the benefits of the tariff.

Mr. Butler, of North Carolina, also spoke in favor of giving the farmer equal benefits with other classes under the bill. Only half a page of the bill, covering four brief and comparatively unimportant paragraphs (229 to 233) were disposed of during the day. The session will begin at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

CUT OUT HIS SPINAL COLUMN.

Daring Operation in Hopes of Saving a Doctor's Life.

New York, June 9.—The death of Dr. Edgar A. Keeler, at Little Falls, ended a remarkable struggle for life. He was afflicted with a bone disease in the knee, general tubercular caries, always considered fatal. An operation on the knee was not successful, the disease breaking out anew in the ribs and spine. Dr. William T. Bull, for the first time on record, removed a portion of diseased bone from the spinal column. Dr. Vigil P. Gibney removed portions of vertebrae ribs and Dr. Calvin Ter-vorty amputated a leg and dissected other ribs. Each operation resulted in temporary improvement, but at last human endurance succumbed.

FISHING BOATS LOST.

It Is Estimated That Five Hundred Men Have Perished.

Victoria, B. C., June 9.—Negro particularly in the case of the Empress of Japan, of a disaster which befell the fishermen of Chusan Archipelago, off the coast of China. On May 6, when most of the fishing boats were out on the fishing banks, a terrific gale sprang up. Of the several hundred boats out at the time very few returned and it is estimated that some five hundred men lost their lives.

FIRE AT MONTROSE.

A Hotel Guest Is Cremated at the Colorado Town.

Montrose, Colo., June 9.—The Montrose hotel, a two-story frame building, and a block of stores burned early today. Robert Meade, aged 65 years, of Portland, Colo., a guest at the hotel, burned to death. A dozen other guests were rescued uninjured. The fire is believed to be incendiary.

DAUNTLESS CREW RELEASED.

Key West, Fla., June 9.—All of the men found on the suspected filibuster Dauntless when she was captured by the United States steamship Marblehead a few days ago have been released by the commissioner before whom they were examined. The attorney also says that he cannot hold the Dauntless crew on the available evidence and without he was instructed to the contrary she also would be released.

FREE SILVER LACKS FUNDS.

Washington, D. C., June 9.—Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic national committee, was asked today about a fund of \$100,000 raised in western states for the continuation of the agitation for free silver. He replied: "If any such sum is being raised I don't know it."

INVESTIGATED THE RUIZ CASE.

New York, June 9.—Jose Congosto, Spanish consul at Philadelphia, arrived here today from Havana. Dr. Congosto was the Spanish commissioner to examine into the facts of the death of Dr. Ruiz in prison at Guanabacoa.

FIRST REPORT IN THE RUIZ CASE

It Is Believed the President Will Demand Reparation.

CALHOUN AT THE WHITE HOUSE

The Special Commissioner Has a Second Conference With Mr. McKinley--The Question of Interference on Behalf of Cuba--Mr. Calhoun Is Censured by the President for Talking Too Much.

Washington, June 9.—A conference lasting three-quarters of an hour took place this morning between President McKinley and his special commissioner to Cuba, William J. Calhoun. At 10:30 o'clock Mr. Calhoun left the White House in order to allow the president time for a second conference with him regarding the question of interference on behalf of Cuba and the Ruiz investigation. Details as to what he saw and heard while in Cuba, bearing on the state of war and the condition of the people on the island, will be made the subject of another meeting, an interview with the president after the latter's return from the south. It has not been difficult to ascertain the general report of Mr. Calhoun's visit to President McKinley. This is wholly damaging to the Spanish cause and calculated to hasten positive action on the part of the President. It has been made evident, both by the character of the special commissioner's answers to the questions of the reporters, and by the side remarks made by senators and representatives in congress who have been in a position to obtain reliable semi-official information on the subject.

PROMPT ACTION PLEDGED.

The prediction is made with confidence by many persons that the president will promptly restore the bill to no long delay. The first act of Mr. McKinley probably will be to file a claim against the Spanish government for indemnity for the death of Dr. Ruiz, accompanied by a diplomatic note of such a firm tenor as will not allow postponement of consideration of the matter by Spain. This should bring some reply from Spain, which may or may not have an important bearing on the president's subsequent policy. If the reply is unfavorable it will furnish, in the opinion of the administration, additional ground for interference with this government in the Cuban war. If the reply is favorable, it does not still interfere with the interests of the Cubans for independence. It has become well known to those who are close to the administration that the president believes vigorous action on the part of the executive department of this government will be necessary to secure more than any incidental disturbance will injure it. In short, he believes the looked for prosperity in this country cannot be fully realized until Cuba is free and independent, at least prospectively, to its normal condition, or until the uneasiness due to a probable collision with Spain is removed.

MR. CALHOUN IMPROVED.

Mr. Calhoun was distinctly improved by the president last evening for the freedom of speech while being interviewed by the New York reporters. Mr. Calhoun returned to his hotel much chagrined and told intimate friends that he had been unjustly treated by his interviewers, and that he had been made to say things which he had never divulged. Later in the evening he dined with Senator Cullom at Chamberlain's. Mr. Cullom believes firmly in a vigorous Cuban policy on the part of the president. He expressed this belief two weeks ago when he said that the ultimate needs of our commerce demand it. He talked a long time with Mr. Calhoun and seemed satisfied with what he heard.

Commissioner Calhoun did not accompany the presidential party on the Nashville trip today. He will leave tonight for his home in Illinois, but will return to Washington within a few days. The conservative element in the discussion of Cuban affairs has been by no means silent since the return of the commissioner. Such persons do little talking, but when they say anything it is to express the belief that the president will content himself for the present with action in the Ruiz case; that he will exhaust the means of diplomatic negotiation before adopting any so-called "vigorous policy," and that he believes commercial confidence will be promoted more easily by a policy of inaction.

LYNCHING MOB IN OGDENSBURG.

Prisoner Had Assaulted a Teacher. Was Hurried Away to Safety.

Watertown, N. Y., June 9.—To save him from a mob 500 strong, which surrounded the city hall in Ogdensburg, Joseph De Year, who was confined in the basement on the charge of assaulting Miss Lillian E. Ramsey, was removed to the county jail at Canton, thirty miles away, at 3 o'clock this morning.

BABY EATEN BY RATS.

Parkersburg, W. Va., June 9.—Mrs. Tanner gave birth to two babies in her humble mountain home a short time ago. Her husband went to the mountains for a sign of moonshine whiskey to treat the neighbors with, and Mrs. Tanner went to sleep. When she awoke she found that one of the babies had been killed by rats.

FURTHERING THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW.

Washington, D. C., June 9.—Julius Rosendale, of Philadelphia, today saw Senators Quay and Penrose relative to Pennsylvania legislature house bill No. 24, which provides for an eight-hour day in state work. The senators said that they would urge their friends in the legislature to support it.

WEST POINT GRADUATE.

West Point, N. Y., June 9.—Among the graduates at West Point military academy announced today was Edgar T. Collins, of Williamsport, Pa.

NEGOTIATIONS FOR PEACE IN THE EAST

Turkey Will Resist the Powers as Long as Possible.

IS RELUCTANT TO YIELD THESSALY

Constantinople, June 9.—It is expected that strong pressure will be needed to overcome the desistance of the Turkish government to the retrocession of Thessaly. Reports that Great Britain is opposing Turkey's retention of Thessaly on religious grounds are being circulated here with the view of exciting Mussulman fanaticism. The powers contend that, as they guarantee the integrity of Turkey, the latter must respect the integrity of others.

CAPTAIN MURPHY FINED.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 9.—Captain Edward Murphy, of the steamship Laurada, was fined \$500 today for violating the foreign enlistment act. Captain Murphy was under \$1,500 bail for his appearance in the United States District court at Wilmington, Del., charged with violating the neutrality laws by engaging in a filibustering expedition to Cuba. His capture here before Judge Barford, who ordered a forfeiture of the bond, but gave the captain's counsel until June 22 to file reasons why the order should not be made effective. It was said at that time that the captain was in a hospital at Kingston, Jamaica.

SUBJECT OF HATS.

Discussed at the Sessions of the German Baptist Annual Meeting at Frederick, Md.

Frederick, Md., June 9.—Today's session of the German Baptist annual meeting was attended by 4,000 people. When the business of the regular session was over, the subject of hats on the various church districts were discussed and acted upon. A query from Northern Illinois as to the restrictions put upon the sisters in the matter of wearing hats, created much discussion. The sisters thought that they should be allowed the same latitude in the matter of wearing hats as is accorded to the brethren. They declared the men are allowed to wear many of the styles and fashions, while the women are not, and they want the inconsistency removed. In discussing the matter the brethren thought, some of them, that the query asked for more latitude in the matter of dress, but others contended that a directly opposite effect was intended. Finally, upon motion it was decided to leave the matter to the committee for further consideration.

RIVAL LOVERS USE KNIVES.

Two Young Men of Richmond Fight Over a Widow in Her Presence.

Richmond, Va., June 9.—L. W. Fogg and C. E. Kelly, two well known young men, have been rivals for the hand of Mrs. M. L. Call, a young widow, said to be worth about \$20,000. She was a Miss Pearson, of Virginia, and married a merchant of Kansas City, who left her in comfortable circumstances. Mr. Kelly for two or three years has been marked in his attentions to Mrs. Call, and it was understood that they were engaged to be married. Kelly was indicted yesterday by the grand jury for grand larceny of funds intrusted to him. For some time he has been attending to Mrs. Call's business affairs.

MORE SPANISH OUTRAGES.

Captured Cuban Women Distributed Among Spain's Army Officers.

Havana, June 9, via Key West.—The Spanish forces operating at Mantua, Cimarrones, Tumba, and Santa Fe, Pinar del Rio province, on Sunday morning, about 10 o'clock, captured and sacrificed as prisoners to the town of Dimas, in the same province. The best looking women were distributed among the officers of the garrison and the children were sent to different houses of Spaniards to be employed as servants. A due look place between two Spanish officers because both claimed the same girl, a daughter of the insurgent leader Malazon, named Felipa, 15 years old. One of the combatants was severely wounded.

SCHLATTER MAY BE ALIVE.

A "Divine Healer" Who Resembles Him Renches Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., June 9.—A man who declares that he is Francis Schlatter, the alleged healer, who was reported to have starved to death in Mexico, arrived in Cleveland today. With him is a man named Holland Berger, of New York, who says they intend to open an institute in this city. It is difficult to prove or disprove the claim of the alleged healer, because, if he is Schlatter, he has shaved his beard, but there is certainly a strong resemblance between his features and some of the published pictures of Schlatter.

LOVED AT 6; MARRIED AT 14.

The Remarkable Record of a Chicago School Maiden.

Chicago, Ill., June 9.—In love at six years, engaged at ten and married at fourteen is the case set by Hazel G. Spaulding. She is a charming little Northside public school girl, still in her short frocks. She is the bride of C. Harrison Frost, marshal of the Chicago Republican club. Said Mr. Frost: "I met my bride for the first time when she was only six years old. I was perfectly fascinated and I said to myself that there was my affinity. I think the feeling was reciprocated instantly. When she was ten years old we became engaged. I intend to send my wife to school for several years yet and develop her remarkable talent for music."

BIG DEAL IN COAL LANDS.

Property of East Tennessee Coal Co. Sold to Boston Syndicate.

Knoxville, Tenn., June 9.—A deal has just been made which involves the transfer of the greater part of East Tennessee coal lands. The consideration is to be between four and five million dollars. The land, which is in the Jellico Coal Creek, Popular Creek, and Middleboro, covering 100,000 acres, are included. These mines have a yearly output of 2,500,000 tons of coal and employ 3,500 men.

OFFICERS OF LEGION NAMED

Congressman Amos Cummings Was Chosen Commander.

AN HONOR FOR SCRANTON

Captain DeLacy Elected Senior Vice-Commander.

Next Meeting of the Legion Will Be Held in Burlington, Vt.—During the Afternoon the Visitors Went to Glen Summit, Where They Were Entertained--Banquet Last Night in the Hotel Jermyn--The New Commander Was Toastmaster. Those Who Responded to Toasts.

THE CHEYENNE TROUBLE

A Fight with the Indians in Montana Expected by Citizens Who Know White Bull.

Miles City, Mont., June 9.—There is very little change in the Indian situation. The sheriff ought to reach the reservation this morning. It is thought by citizens who know Chief White Bull that he will not be taken alive. Three hundred determined men are trying to arrest him, and the four companies of soldiers on hand make matters very complicated. A fight may occur at any moment. The dispatch of attaches of the British, Russian and Italian embassies to the situation there, is due to the reports in circulation that the Turkish irregulars have committed excesses in Thessaly. These many villages are said to have been destroyed by them. It now rests with the Turkish government as to whether peace will be concluded speedily or not, and it is believed the sultan will resist as long as possible.

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CHANGE OF NAME.

To the Commander of the Medal of Honor Legion. Dear Sir:—The committee appointed at the seventh annual convention of the Fenell Hall, Boston, Wednesday, June 17, 1896, to take into consideration the change of the name of the order, have the honor to submit the following report: They have carefully considered the subject, they recognize that it was desirable to change the name to get a name which would express as briefly as possible that this organization is composed of men who have received from the United States the medal of honor for having most distinguished themselves by gallantry in battle or heroism in the line of their profession during any other war in which the United States has been or may be hereafter engaged. This organization is not limited to men who fought during the war of the Rebellion. It is difficult to adopt a name which is expressive of the organization and at the same time brief, and more difficult to adopt one which will meet with universal acceptance. After mature reflection and consideration with the single desire to adopt the best, briefest, and most expressive name for the organization, one which will have character and dignity, and which is not too common use for in-

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

- Weather indications: Slightly warmer; variable winds. 1 General Calhoun's Report on the Ruiz Case. Wintersteen Case Nears the End. Peace Negotiations Delayed by the Turks. 2 Sports--Base Ball News and Gossip. Mather-Sharkey Fight a Draw. 3 State--Day's Work of the Legislature. Schultz Murder Trial. Amateur Base Ball. 4 Editorial. 5 Story--"The Rehearsal of the New Play." 6 Local--Mr. Crittendon Speaks in Green Ridge. Medal of Honor Legion (Concluded). 7 Local--Three Courts in Session. Dunned for a Debt on His Death-Bed. 8 West Side and City Suburban. 9 Lackawanna County News. 10 Neighboring County Happenings. Financial and Commercial.

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