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BODY AT WASHINGTON

Streets of Cap int One Mass of Human

mains to White House - Military Ar

Which Has Fallen on Her.

back but the saddest memories.

It was with simple ceremony and amid

a silence that fitted perfectly the sad-

room where he had stood so often in the

pride of his manhood to receive the greetings of the common people he loved

It was fitting that such etremony as

this should be severely military in char-acter, in recognition of the fact that the

president was commander-in-chief of the United States army and navy. Nowhere

was there a show of civilian participa-tion. The streets about the station were

filled with mounted troops and the sta-

tion itself was occupied by stalwart sol-

diers and sailors in uniform. The bine coated policemen and the railroad em-playes were nearly all that stood for

It was not so on the broad stretch of

avenue that led to the White House. There the people strained and crowded in a vast multitude against the ropes which strained them from the space

pressing beam of a large gan at intervals of five minutes. It was the signal

At the Pennsylvania railroad station

men in bright uniforms gathered, a mix-ture of soldiers and sailors. From the

brigadier general and naval captain down to the humblest licutenant and

eneign, every officer on duty to the capital was there save a few of high rank

who composed the guard of honor and waited at the White House. Presently

in siend silence two troops of cavalry

from Fort Meyer swong from Pennsylvania avenue into Sixth street. Then

vania avenue into Sixta street. Then came Secretaries Hay and Gage and Acting Secretary Sanger and Commis-sioner McFurland and a few subordi-nates pricileged to enter the space within

Train a Few Minutes Late.

The train was a little late. It was due

flashed along the rails and the cars

md foot of the casket gave way gradge

driven immediately to the executive man-sion. Mrs. McKinley was deeply veiled.

She appeared to bear up with fortitude, but leaned heavily on the arms of her

supporters. The president walked firm-ly erect, looking to neither side, his face

set and sorrowful. Close behind him

pressed the members of the cabinet hended by Secretary Hay and Secretary

Gage, escorted by General Gillespie and a contingent of the ranking army and

neval officers in waiting. Senators Han-za and Fairbanks followed. The former

walked without a sign of weakness and as though he had served himself to the

Casket Removed Through Window,

Moanwhile the easket was being re-

the large windows was lowered at the

was slipped out through the opening and

tenderly received upon the bent shoul-

ders of the body-bearers. As the casket

Just beyond the entrance to the station

the cubinet had passed and had taken

station so as to leave a broad space for the funeral cortege. They ranged them-selves on the sidewalk in double rows

opposite each other and stood with bared

affair and was drawn by six black horses

each of which was led by a colored

the procession swept from Sixth street statice into Pennsylvania avenue a deep-

ly impressive sight was presented. The historic thoroughfare was hung in black.

Emblems of the nation's mourning were displayed on either building. The stars and stripes, furled and knotted

with crepe floated from hundreds of win-flows. Over all gleamed coldly scores of

electric lights, defining sharply each de-

Ther, was so music. Amid the hush of the great crowds only the clatter of

tail of the solemn scene.

sound that broke the dead silence.

President Rossevelt with the memb

a abandon their sad duty.

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the horses' hoofs ringing sharply upon the pavement was heard. A platoon of mounted police in command of Sergeant Matthews led the way. Next came a delegation of G. A. R. men from the department of the Potomac, numbers of the Union Veteran union. and the Spanish war veterans and Troops

men was the hearse, flanked on either able by the body bearers with a detachment of signal corps men bringing up the rear. The carriages containing the distinguished officials were next in line, that of President Rossevelt being immediately behind the signal corps.

It was half-past nine when the head of the terression reached the White

of the percession reached the White House grounds and turned into the drive way. The carriage containing Mrs. Mc Kinley, Dr. Rixey and Abner McKinley .ty, Gathered to See Removal of Ke had preceded the funeral cortege to the White House by some little time. Dr Rixey and Mr. McKinley then tenderly assisted Mrs. McKinley to the steps. rangements Prevailed-Mrs. McKinley, It Is Said, Doesn't Realize the Blow With her right arm resting heavily and wearily upon the shoulder of her dead husband's brother, and supported on the WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.-The remains of President McKinley now lie ho slowly along the stone flogging into the the East room of the White House, slowly along the stone lingging into the house. She was closely veiled, but her feeble state fold the story of her great suffering. She was assisted at once to the elevator and to her old room and soon retired. Dr. Rixey and Mr. Cor-telyon later said that she had stood the where for more than four years he had made his home as the chief magistrate of the great American republic. Upstairs his widow mourns for her dead in the family apartments that now bring urney very well in deed,

Mrs. McKinley Doesn'l Realize, Among those who knew her best at late president was borne up Pennsylvania avenue to the White Home and laid upon the bier in the great East were with her at Buffalo, it is doubted whether she has fully realized the calamity that has befallen her and it is with some apprehension that they look for

ward to the first days alone in Canton.
"The Major," as she always lovingly called her husband, is still with her, bu when she finds facts it really alone the awakening may try her strength even beyond the point yet reached. The re-sult cannot be forefold.

When the cortege arrived at the White House the body bearers took the coffin usem their broad schoolders and passing up the three or four steps waited until President Roosevelt and the members of the exhibit had alighted from their carriages and then followed them Just in the center of the room, under

ited their precious burden upon a black draped base and stood at salute, while the new executive and cabinet members with bowed heads passed by, Following them came the chief officers of the army and may now in the city, the guard of honor, consisting of officers

the great crystal chandelier they depos

The afternoon was cloudy and with the close of the day began the dall deof the Loyal Legion, members of the Union Veterans' union and the Grand Army of the Republic. which gave notice of the approach of the funeral train. President Roosevelt, accompanied by members of the cubinet, left the house

almost immediately and were driven to The casket had been placed lengthwise of the east room, the head to the north Filed about it were a half hundred floral emblens of exceptional beauty and as many more were placed in the inside corridor. Two marines, a soldier and a sailer, stood guard, one at each corner were two members of the Grand Arms and two members of the Loyal Legion. Before midnight the household had re-

kept watch over their dead chief. THROUGH LANE OF SORROW

tired and the only lights to be seen we

those in the room where his comrades

at 8:25, but the clock stood at 8:38 when the headlight of the big becometive Thousands Lined Tracks Along Route of Train Bearing McKinley's Body

swept quietly to a stop at the gates. The way was cleared and down the pathway to Washington. WASHINGTON, Sept. 17,-Through way was cleared an await at parameters and sali-ors chosen as the body bearers and guard. They were met at the entrance of the observation car where the remains a living lane of barehended people, stretching from Buffalo up over the Alle-ghenya, down on to the broad valley of the Susquehanna, and on to the marble lay. The sailor with drawn cutlass and the soldier with fixed bayonet who stood grimly like men of stone at the head yesterday made his last journey to the sent of the government over which he presided for four and one-half years ingly to these men, as though reluctant The whole country seemed to have the party on the funeral train were alighting. Mrs. McKinley was aided by Abner McKinley and Dr. Rixey, and was the track over which the funeral train passed. The thin lines through the mountains and the sparsely settled disspeedily placed in a carriage which drove off at once to the White House tricts thickened at the little hamlets, covered acres in towns suddenly grown to the proportions of respectable cities and without awaiting the procession. Close behind came the members of the family of the late president, who likewise were in field and mine and city. The schools

And everywhere appeared the trap pings and tokens of woe. A million flags at half-mast dotted hillsides and valley and formed a thicket of color over the cities. And from almost every banner streamed a bit of crepe. The sta-tions were heavy with the black symbols of mourning. At all the larger towns and cities after the train got into Pennsylvania militiamen drawn up at "pre-sent arms" kept back the enormous sent arms" kept back

The silence with which the countless thousands viewed the remains of their here and martyr was oppressive and pro-found. Only the rumbling of the train wheels, the sobs from men and women with tear-stained faces and the deleful tolling of the church and other bells broke on the ear. At several places, Williamsport, Harrisburg and Baltimore, the chimes played Cardinal Newman's grand hymn. emerged a bugle note rose clearly and "taps" rang out. That was the only

Universal Personal Sorrow

Taken nitogether the journey homers the most remarkable demonstration of universal personal sorrow since Liu-coln was borne to his grave. Everyone of those who came to pay their last trib ate to the dead had an opportunity to catch a glimpse of the flag covered bier elevated to view in the observation car

at the rear of the train.

There was no other bit of color to heads as the corpse was carried to the hearse drawn up at the side of the gate. There was no other bit or color to eatch the eye on this train of death. The locomotive was shrouded in black, the The hearse was an exquisitely carved lonely, stricken widow, relatives of the President, cabinet and others were drawn. The whole black train was like green in black livery.

The hearse bearing the body of the third martyred president quickly moved away and was followed at once by Presa shuttered house save only for that hind-most car, where the body lay guarded by ident Roosevelt and those accompanying hien.

The military already were in line, As soldier of the army and a sailor of the

Mrs. McKinley stood the trip bravels In the morning soon after leaving Buffalo she plended so earnestly to be alone lay that reluctant assent was given and she spent half an hour beside the

All the way the train was preceded about 15 minutes by a pilot engine sent ahead to test the bridges and switches and prevent the possibility of accident to the precious burden it carried. The train had the right of way over everything. Not a wheel moved on the Penn sylvania system 30 minutes before the pilot engine was due or for the same length of time after the train passed, General Superintendent J. B. Hutchinson had sent our explicit instructions covering every detail. The order concluded Every precaution must be taken by all employes to make the movement absol and L of the Eleventh cavalry from | employes ; Fort Myer, Va. Following the cavalry | infelv safe.

SERVICES AT BUFFALO

Simple Formula of P ver and Song at Milburn Home.

Touching Seenes at the House -Bod : Lay In State Several Hours at the City Hall and Was Viewed by Thousands - Roose velt Took Oath as President-Doctor Announced Cause of Death.

Buffalo was a city of mourners Sunday Gay and flaming decorations of the Pan American exposition gave way to the symbol of serrow. The black drapery of the city's streets muffled the tolling bells of the churches. Bits of crape appeared on every sleeve. The sorrow was inde-

In the morning a single service took place at the residence on Delaware avenue where the Martyred President died, A hymn was sung and prayer was of fered over the dead body. That was all, Only the immediate family and friends and political associates of the late presi dent were present. The scene there was pathetic in the extreme. Then the body was borne out to the waiting cortege on the brawny shoiders of eight sailors rud soldiers of the republic.

The cortege passed through solid walls

of living humanity, bareheaded and grief-stricken, to the city ball, where the body lay in state all afternoon. There a re-markable demonstration occurred which proveds how close the president was to the hearts of the people. Arrangements had been made to allow the public to view the body from the time it arrived, at about 1:30 o'clock, until about 5 o'clock, but when the body arrived the people were wedged into the streets for blocks as far as the sye could reach. Two lines were formed. They extended literally for miles.

When 5 o'clock came 40,000 people had already passed and the crowds watting below in the streets seemed undiminished. It was decided to extend the time nutil midnight. Then for hours longer the streets were dense with people and a constant stream flowed up the steps of the broad entrance into the hall and

ussed the bier. When the doors were closed at midnight it was estimated that 80,000 people had viewed the remains, but thousands of disappointed ones were still in the streets

AT THE MILBURN HOME. Pathetic Scenes at the Private Funeral Services - Mrs. McKinley's Fortitude-Hanna's Grief.

Long before the time set for the funeral services the vicinity of the Milburn heral services the vicinity of the Milburn house was astic with preparations. At 9 o'clock long platoons of police officers mounted and on foot, arrived on the ground and were posted in strong details along the streets approaching the house. For a black in each direction the streets were roped off to keep back the gather-ing crowds. Only those summoned to the service, the uniformed escort of marchers and those whose business imperatively brought them there, passed within the four-squared precinet about the house where the body of the dead the Susquehanna, and on to the marble city on the banks of the shining Potomac, the nation's martyred President arm was wound a heavy band of crepe. of other officers all in fatigue uniform with the badge of mourning on their

officials high in the government service and near friends of the Martyred President, began to till the walks leading up to the entrance of the Millarra residence. Secretaries Wilson and Hitchcock drove up together and with bowed heads enred the house. Governor Odell of New York drave up with his secretary and Representative Lucius Littauer of New York, and following the governor came Major General Roe, commander of the National Guard of New York, with his staff of aides, all in full uniform. Secretary Root walked to the house. Two bearing marched up to the house-the foreign commissioners sent to the exposi-tion, and after them the state commis-

It was just eight minutes before the pening of the service when a covered barouche drove up to the house, bring-ing President Roosevelt and Mr. and Wilcox, at whose home he is a The president looked very grave as he alighted and turned to assist Mrs not relax into a smile to the salutations of those nearest the carriage, but he ac knowledged the greetings silently and with an inclination of the head. Those waiting to gain entrance fell back, making a narrow lane through which Mr.

Within the house of death was wo the right of the hall the dead chieftain ble face upturned to the Creator was written the story of the Christian for-bearance with which he had met his martyrdom. A culm and penceful resignation not of earth was on the marble features. Death had emphasized nobility of his countenance. Only the

to the patient suffering he had endured. He was dressed as he always did in life. The black frock coat was buttoned across the breast, where the first bulle of the infamous assassin had struck. The right hand lay at his side. The left was across his body. He looked as millions of his countrymen have seen him. The body lay in a black casket on a black bearskin rng. Over the lower limbs was flung the starry banner he had loved so well. The flowers were few, as belitted

Mrs. McKiniey Alone With Body. The family had taken leave of their wed one before the others arrived. Mrs. McKinley, the poor, grief-crushed widow, and been led late into the chamber by her physician, Dr. Rixer, and had sat a white above with him who had supported and comforted her through all those sweet years of wedded life. But, the her support was gone, the had not broken down. Dry-ered she had gazed upon him and fondled his face. She did not seem to realize that he was dead. Then she had been led away by Dr. Rixey and had taken up her position at the head of the stairs where she could hear the

Senator Harna, who had fairly worshapped his dead friend for years, en-tered the room at this time, but did not approach the easket. His face was set like an iron-willed man who would not let down the barriers of his grief. The vacant. He passed through the throng and scated himself behind Governor Odell, sinking far down into his chair and resting his head-upon his hand. Dur-ing all the service that followed he did

Roosevett Gares Long on Dead Face. When President Roosevelt reached th head of the line of the cabinet officer he kept his face away from the casket He appeared to be steeling himself for a look into the face of him whose death world. Perhaps it might have been 60 seconds. It seemed longer. Then the president turned and at the same time

ndvanced a step.

He bowed his head and looked down into the prison house of the man whose burden and responsibility he had taken up. Long he gazed, standing immova-ble, save for a twitching of the muscles of the chin as he labored with heavy breath to repress his emotion. At last h

stepped back. Rev. Charles Edward Locke was a the door leading into the hall, a station whence his words could be heard at the head of the stairs. The signal was given and there welled out from the hall the beautiful words of "Lead, Kindly Light," sung by a quartette. It was Presiden McKinley's favorite hymn, Everyone within sound of the music knew it and as the voices swelled through the hous grief-numbed hearts began to break. Half of those in the room put their faces n their hands to hide their scalding tears President Rossevelt seemed to be sway ing to and fro as if his footing was ins

The minister read a chanter from the gospel to the Corinthians and the quar tet broke into the strains of the hymn, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," The effect was pathetic, solemn and inspiring.

Then followed a most eloquent prayer by the Rev. Mr. Locke. All present joined in the Lord's prayer as the minis-ter repeated it, President Roosevelt's voice being a whible at the back of the room. The service concluded with a sim-ula benediction. ple benediction. Hanna's Grief Unrestrained.

Those in the room stepped back. The funeral director was about to step for ward to place the cover on the casket when suddenly there was a movement behind Governor Odell. Scuator Hanna who had risen, saw that the last opportunity to look into the countenance of his dead friend had come. He could read friend had come. He could re strain himself no longer. Pressing for ward in an instant he was at the side of the casket bending over and looking down into it with all his eyes, a minute, almost two minutes passed while he gazed steadily into the window of the coffin. There were no sobs. His grief was deeper than that, He simply looked and looked and drank in the features of the dead. It was pathetic in the extreme, Then he turned away. The collin was

Colonel Bingham signalled the body bearers. Four jack turs of the navy, two infantry corgonats and two artillery sergeants here the cushet aloft and out of the house. The president, cabinet and the others followed it. Mrs. McKinley chief reposed. Major General John B.
Brooke, department commander of the Brooke, department command of deal bravely and without breaking down all the forces participating in the escort.

Three long rolls of a muffled dram tole those outside the house that the funeral

darkened rooms the sorrowing assem-blage began to file out to the street. When the dark outlines of the casket

itself appeared "Nearer, My God, to Thee ascended in subdued strains from ne of the military hand. It was a strangely neajestic spectacle.

The solemn music of Chopin's funeral

dirge succeeded the sweet strains of the hymn. The soldiers and sailors swum into long columns and took up the march southward toward the city hall.

Description of the Casket.

The casket for the president's body was ordered by Senator Hanna. The frame of the casket is of ced vedar, cor ered with black cloth. In it is a copt box on which the white satin lining placed. The handles of the casher are in chony finish, there being no white risible on the outside of the castet. The cover of the copper box is of highly pol ished copper in which is set plate glass, full length. A rim of rubber is between the copper box and the cover so that when the cover is screwed in the box is airtight. The cover of the casket, which fits on over the copper cover, is of re-cedar, covered with black cloth, there being no white on the outside. The in side of the cover is made of tufted white satin. The cover is so made that two panels in it, each of the same size and orether being of the size of the platglass in the cover of the copper box can be opened together or separately There is no rib across the cover of the casket in the middle where the two panals meet. The outer box, into which the red cedar, finished in the natural color

WILLIAM M'KINLEY. Born January 29, 1843. Died September 14, 1991. That is the inscription on the casket. On the top of the case of red cedar is a opper plate bearing a duplicate of the unscription on the casket.

ROOSEVELT SWORN IN. Oath Administered by Judge Hazel-Will Continue Policies Inaugurated by His Predecessor.

Theodore Roosevelt, twenty-sixth pres-dent of the United States was sworn into affice Saturday at the residence of Ansley Wileox, on Delaware avenue, only a few the stricken head of a nation lay dead. The cabinet members had decided that the oath be administered at once and Mr. Roosevelt acquiesced to their wishes. Judge John R. Hazel of the United States district court administered the

The place selected was the library in the Wilca home, a rather small room but picturesque, the evenness of the four walls being broken only by a bay win-dow, with stained glass and heavy hangings. In this alcove the president tool

He was surrounded by the five mem bers of his cabinet, Secretaries Root, Hitchcock, Long, Wilon and Postmaster General Smith, Nearby were Senator Depew, Judge Haight, John N. Scatcherd, George P. Sawyer, Drs. Mann. Park There were no signs of peritonitis or and Stockton, John G. Milburn, William disease of other organs. The heart walls day Loeb, George B. Cortelyon, Dr. Charles were very thin. There was no evidence ley.

Carey and Judge Hazel. Other officials and prominent citizens of Buffalo were present and a few women, wives of the Buffalonians present.

At precisely 3:32 o'clock Secretary Reot stepped forward and nunounced that the cabinet of the late President, at least those who are present in Buffulo, all except two, for reasons of weight aftestred that Mr. Roosevelt proceed to take the constitutional office of president of the United States. Mr. Roosevelt, coming closer to Secretary Root, replied in a voice that at first wavered, but finally came deep and strong, while, as if to con-trol his nervousness, he held firmly the lanel of his coast with his right hand.

cordance with your request and in this hour of deep and terrible national bereavement I wish to state that it shall be my aim to continue absolutely unbroken the policy of President McKinley for the peace and prosperity and honor of our beloved country."

Judge Hazel then took up the consti-

totional onth of office, which had been prepared on parchment, usked the pres ident to raise his right hand and repeat it after him. There was a hush like death in the room as the judge read a few words at a time and the president in strong voice and without a tremor and a strong voice and without a tremar and with his raised hand as steady as if carred from marble, repeated it after him. "And thus I swear." he ended it. The hand dropped by the side, the chin for an instant rested on the breast and the silence remained unbroken for a couple of minutes as though the new president of the United States was offering silent prayer.

Judge Hazel broke in, saying, "Mr President, please attach your signature," and the president turning to a small ta-ble nearby wrote "Theodore Rooserelt" at the bottom of the document in a firm

Immediately following the disposin of the spectators of the taking of the oath the president asked the cabinet members present to confer with him. The confernce lasted very nearly two hours an

when it had finished the president said:
"Following out the brief statement I
made wher taking the oath that I would follow the administrative lines laid down by President McKinley I requested the members of the cabinet who are present to remain in their positions, at least for the present. They have assured me that they will and I may say that I have assurances also from the absent members." Inquiry was made of the president as to whether an extra session of congress substance that there was no fundamental law requiring the calling of congress to-

gether upon the succession of a vice preident to the presidency, and that after consultation with the cubinet they has lecided that no such extra session would President's Official Proclamation. The following proclamation was is ned by President Reosevelt, shortly af-

ter his swearing in. By the President of the United States of America. "A PROCLAMATION.

"A terrible bereavement has befalled ur people. The president of the United States has been struck down; a crime committed not only against the chief magistrate, but against every law-abid-

ing and liberty-loving citizen.
"President McKinley crowned a life of earnest love for his fellow men, of most effenest endeavor for their welfare, by a death of Christian fortitude, and both the way in which he lived his life and the

way in which, in the soureme hours o ever a precious heritage of our people.
"It is meet that we as a nation express "It is meet that we as a nation express our sliding love and reverence for his life, our deep sorrow for his untimely

"Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roose velt, president of the United States of America, do appoint Thursday next, Sept. 19, the day on which the body of the dead president will be laid in its last earthly resting place, as a day of mouri States, I cornectly recommend all the people to assemble on that day in their respective places of divine worship, there to bow down in submission to the will o Almighty God, and to pay out of ful hearts their homage of love and rever-ence to the great and good presides

'In witness whereof I have because set my hand and caused the seal of th United States to be affixed.

"Done at the city of Washington, th thousand, nine hundred and one, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-sixth. "By the President, "THEOLORE ROOSEVELT.

"JOHN HAY, Secretary of State.

REAL CAUSE OF DEATH. Autopsy Revealed That the System Was Permeated With Gangrene-Were Bullets Poisoned?

Gaugrene, which affected the stomacl appropriement was made officially by th by Dr. Janeway, Dr. Johnson, Dr. Ken-dall, Dr. Cary, Dr. Munson, Dr. Baer and Drs. Gaylord and Metzinger, An autopsy was performed at the Milburt home Saturday, several hours after the death of the president. The bullet which penetrated the stomach was not found. For two hours the surgeons who per-formed the autopsy sought for it. Its course was traced until it entered the 114 hours failed to find it. The X-ray apparatus was not conveniently at hand to nil the search, so the antopsy was concluded without the finding of the bul-

president's body was bound in the form of an official bulletin, similar to those issued during his illness. Here is the re-

"The bullet which struck over the breastbone slid not pass through the skin.

"The other bullet passed through both walls of the abdomen. Both holes were found to be perfectly closed by the stitches, but the tissue around each hole had become gaugerbous. After passing through the stomach the bullet passes ting and tearing the upper end of the billet track was also gangrenous, the gangeme in-

"The bullet has not yet been found.

of an attempt at repair on the part of nature and death resulted from the gangrene, which affected the stomach around the ballet wounds, as well as the lissues

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around the further course of the bullet.

"Death was mavoidable by any surgical or medical treatment and was the direct result of the bullet wound."

The death certificate, issued later by Coroner Wilson, states the cause of death as given in the official report of the autopsy. It says outling of a passwed luflet or anything except the cause stated by the surgeo

HIS PEACEFUL DEATH.

President's Last Words Were "God's Will Not Ours, He Done," Last Conscious Momenta Spent With Wife.

President McKinley died at 2:15 Sat

He had been unconscious since 7:50

His last conscious hour on contra was

lifetime of care. He died unattended by a marister of the gospel but his last was a very an humble submission to the will of soul in whom he believed. He was reconciled to the cruel fate to

which an assassin's builet had condemned

which an assassin's bullet had condemned him and faced death in the same spirit of calumess and polse which has marked his long and honorable career. His fast conscious words, reduced to writing by Dr. Mann, who stood at his bedside when they were uttered, were as follows: "Good bye, all. Good bye, It is God's way. His will be done." His relatives and the members of his official family who were at the house.

official family who were at the house, except Socretary Wilson who did not avail himself of the opportunity, and some of his personal and political friends took leave of him. The painful ceremony was simple. His friends came to the door of the sickroom,

took a longing glance at him and turned tearfully away. He was practically unconvolous during this time. But the powerful heart stimulants, including oxygen, were employed to restore him to consciousness for his final parting

with his wife. He asked for her, she sat at his side and held his hand. He consoled her and bade her good bye. She went through the heart-trying scene with the same bravery and fortitude with which she has borne the grief of the tragedy which ended his life.

Before 6 o'clock it was clear to those at the president's bedside that he was dying and preparations were made for the las were nearest and degrest to him. Oxygon had been administered steadily but with little effect in keeping back the approach of death. The president came out of ne period of unconsciousness only

relapse into another. But in this period, when his mind was partially clear, occurred a series of events of profoundly touching character down-stairs. With tear-stained faces, members of the cabinet were grouped in anxions waiting. They knew the end was near and that the time had come who they must see him for the last time on earth. This was about 0 o'clock. It

was an awful moment for them.

One by an they ascended the stairway— Secretary Root, Secretary Hitchcock and Attorney-General Knox. Secretary Wil-son also was there but he held back, not wishing to see the president in his last agony. There was only a momentary stay of the cabinet officers at the thresh-old of the death chamber. Then they withdrew, the tears streaming down their faces and the words of intense grief choking in their throats.

After they left the sick room the phy-

sicians railied him to consciousness and the president asked almost immediately that his wife be brought to him. The doctors fell back into the shadows of the room as Mrs. McKinley came through the doorway.

The strong face of the dying man hands were clasped. She sat beside him and held his hand. Despite her physical weakness she bore up bravely under the

The president in his last period of consciousness, which ended about 7:40 o'clock chanted the words of the beautiful hymn. "Nearer, Mr God, to Thee," and his last audible conscious words as taken down by Dr. Mann at the bedside were: "Good bye all. Good bye, is God's way. His will be done."

GOLDMAN INDIFFERENT. Anarchist Queen Made Single Common

at News of Death, Showing No Sign of Regret or Pity. CHICAGO, Sept. 14.-When shown

the press despatch announcing the death of the president, Emma Goldman, the anarchist now being held at the Harrison street station, carefully adjusted her glasses, read the bulletin and after a moment's panse, without a change of expression said: Very sorry. Absolutely no shade of regret or pity Absolutely no shade of regret or pary showed itself upon her countenance.
"I do not see how that can affect my case," she added, "if it is carried on igw-fully and legally. They have no evidence

against me. Chief Bull and Chief O'Neill, have admitted they have none. They are holding me without evidence. The death of McKinley will only lengthen my term of imprisonment if they convicted me. I feel very bad for the sake of Mrs. McKinley; outside of that

I have no sympathy." of the case to the grand jury. It will be presented on Monday morning and will

President McKinley Left a Will. BUFFALO, Sept. 16.—President Me-Kinley has left a will. The instrument was executed some time before the shootfixing was there any wish or secasion to revise it or to frame a codicil. It leaves the bulk of his property to Mrs. McFinley. How much the estate is worth can-not be stated with exactness by those most familiar with the late president's mainess affairs, but it is believed to be a goodly sum, although not amounting to

Saw Czolgosz at Pacific Grove.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—The Call prints a story to the effect that Postmaster Chamberlain of Pacific Grove is certain that Leon Czolgosz was in Pacific Grove during President Mc-Kinley's visit to that place on the occasion of the G. A. R. encampment, and that he called for letters, giving the name of Fred Nieman.

Liverpool 'Change Will Close LIVERPOOL, Sept. 17.—The previs-ion exchange here will be closed on the day of the funeral of President McKin