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#### SWIFT JUSTICE.

The trial of Leon Czolgosz for the murder of President McKinley was brief. His case was called last Monday morning at 9:30; his doom was scaled last Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock From the opening of the case to the verdict of the jury, less than 30 hours elapsed. Could Justice White have accepted the prisoner's of "guilty," his trial would have been breifer still.

The verdict of murder in the first degree was inevitable. The evidence of guilt was conclusive. The prisoner himself admitted his crime; yes, boasted it. He left no opportunity for defence other than that of insamty, and, though counsel employed eminent alienists to determine his mental condition, insanity was not established. Between mental irresponsibility and a mind deranged by anarchy, there appears to have been in the minds of the juniors, a difference sufficient to make the prisoner accountable for his crime. Czolgosz being accountable, the verdict was certain.

The verdict was reached with exact compliance with every legal prescription for the defense of the prisoner. The proceedings from the moment of arrest till the closing argument was made, were entirely regular. Every safeguard provided for the interests of the murderer, was invoked in his behalf, Every reasonable technicality of law was availed in his defense. Justice was swift but it was just, in striking comparison with the false ideas that caused the wretch to assassinate President McKinley Justice never stood in more forcible contrast with injustice as in this trial for a crime as senseless as it was horrible.

ourt room was denied all persons who had no business there. All the court officers seemed determined that there should be not the slighest display of the spirit of revenge. The verdict was received with dignity becoming so solemn a matter. The last lesson in proper government learned by Leon Czolgosz ought to last him through eternity.

#### THE EARTH'S FACE.

HE scientific men of Austria celebrated on Aug. 20 the seventieth birthday of Prof. EDWARD SUESS, the most distinguished geologist of that country, who, at the end of the last semester of the university year, retired from the chair of geology in the University of Vienna, after a service of thirty-five years.

For nearly a half century Prof. Suess has contributed frequently to the literature of his scientific specialty, but nearly all his studies and writings have been preparatory to the production of his great book "Das Antlitz der Erde" ("The Face of the Earth"), in three volums, which he was over eight years in writing. In this book he rejects the plutonic theory of the origin of the surface features of the earth by which mountains, for example, are attributed to outbursts of the that volcances play a very subordinate part in the formation of mountains. He holds, with many other geologists, that the elevations and depressions of the rock surfaces are due primarily to the cooling and consequent shrinkage of rock masses. He accounts, on his theory, for earth's crust that are known to be still in progress, and for the differing positions of the sea edge in various geological epochs.

Science knows, of course, that this theory did not originate with Prof. Suess. It has long this happen to me personally. When hungry it been held by many of the most eminent geologists. The distinctive merit of his work in that never before was so vast an array of evidence single small dog wholly unable to do it the teast adduced tending to substantiate the correctness harm. It is small wonder that the average of the theory; and never before were proofs of frontier settler should grow to regard almost its accuracy carried so far.

he adduced may be proved, in time, to be erroneous. However this may be, he has produced the most aurthoritative and exhaustive book vet written upon the surface features of the earth and the manner of their formation. As Dr. WICHroad breaker, and the future investigation of the problems he treated must always take into acspecialists who will come after him.

THE REAL COUGAR.

esting creature. It it found from the cold, October Scribner's.

The trial throughout was decorous. The desolate plains of Patagonia to north of the Canadian line, and lives alike among the snowclad peaks of the Andes and in the steaming forests of the Amazon. Doubtless careful investigation will disclose several varying forms in an animal found over such immense tracts of country and living under such utterly diverse conditions. But in its essential habits and traits, the big, slinking, nearly uni-colored cat seems to be much the same everywhere, whether living in mountain, open plain, or forest, under arctic cold or tropic heat. When the settlements because thick, it retires to dense forest, dark swamp, or inaccessible mountain gorge, and moves about only at night. In wilder regons it not infrequently roams during the day and ventures freely into the open. Deer are its customary prey where they are plentiful, bucks, does, and fawns being killed indifferently. Usually the deer is killed almost instantaneously, but occasionally there is quite a scuffle, in which the couger may get bruised, though, as tar as I know, never seriously. It is also a dreaded enemy of sheep, pigs, calves, and especially colts, and when pressed by hunger a big male cougar will kill a full-grown horse or cow, moose or wapiti. It is the special enemy of mountain sheep. In 1886, while hunting white goats fire forces in the interior of the earth; he believes north of Clarke's fork of the Columbia, in a region where cougar were common, I found them preying as freely on the goats as on the deer. It rarely catches antelope, but is quick to seize rabbits, other small beasts, and even porcupines.

No animal, not even the wolf, is so rarely seen the earth's crust, which results in the breaking or so difficult to get without dogs. On the of the strata and the uplifting or folding of the other hand, no other wild beast of its size and power is so easy to kill by the aid of dogs. the raisings and sinkings of various parts of the There are many contradictions in its character. Like the American wolf, it is certainly very much afraid of man; yet it habitually follows the trail of the hunter or solitary traveller, dogging his footsteps, itself always unseen. I have had will seize and carry off any dog; yet it will sometimes go up a tree when pursued even by a with superstition the great furtive cat which he Some of the data he used and the conclusions never sees, but of whose presence he is ever aware, and of whose prowess sinister proof is sometimes afforded by the deaths not alone of his lesser stock, but even of his milch cow or saudle-

The cougar is as large, as powerful, and as MANN of Gotha has said of him, Suess was a formidably armed as the Indian panther, and quite as well able to attack man; yet the instances of its having done so are exceedingly count the way he made for himself and for the rare. The vast majority of the tales to this effect are undoubtedly inventions. But it is foolish to deny that such attacks on human beings ever occur.-From "With the Cougar ABLES aside, the cougar is a very inter- Hounds," by THEODORE ROOSEVELT, in the

American Boat Won First Race By Thirty-seven Seconds.

MAGNIFICENT MARINE SPECTACLE

Closest and Most Exciting Struggle Ever Seen In An American Cup Race-Boats Were Neck to Neck

New York, Sept. 28.—Columbia won

The American boat beat Shamrock II. today in the hottest, closest, light weather race ever sailed for the Amer ica's cup, and the like of which has seldom, if ever, been equaled by yachts sionists in spite of Thursday's fluke of their size in any sort of a race. From the start to finish there was never more than the length of a black bass fishing line between the two big sloops, and at times they were so near that a biscuit could have been tossed from one to the other. The wind never got above ten knots, and was frequently as low as seven, and yet the race was sailed almost an hour inside the

Not a Bloodless Victory.

While Columbia won, it was by no means a bloodless victory. Shamrock behaved splendidly in the windward work, fulfilling all the promises that her friends have made for her. She beat the white sloop to the outer mark by a margin of 39 seconds actual time, but when it came to running before a breeze with all sail set the finer, sharper, flatter lines of the Columbia

home 1 minute and 16 seconds quicker than the challenger, and won the race by a margin of 1 minute 20 seconds corrected time. This of course in-

## A JUDGE'S WIFE PELVIO CATARRIL

She Suffered for Years and Felt Her Case Was Hopeless-Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. Judge McAllister writes from 1217 West 33rd st., Minneapolis, Minn., as fol

"I suffered for years with a pain in the small of my back and right side. It inerfered often with my domestic and social duties and I never supposed that would be cured, as the doctor's medioine did not seem to help me any.

"Fortunately a member of our Order advised me to try Peruna and gave it such high praise that I decided to try it. Although I started in with little faith, felt so much better in a week that I fel encouraged.

"I took it faithfully for seven week and am happy indeed to be able to say that I am entirely cured. Words fail to express my gratitude. Perfect health once more is the best thing I could wish for, and thanks to Peruna I enjoy that now."-MINNIE E. MCALLISTER.

What used to be called female disease by the medical profession is now called pelvic catarrh. It has been found by experience that catarrhal diseases of the pelvic organs are the cause of most cases of female disease. Dr. Hartman was among the first of

America's great physicians to make this discovery. For forty years he has been treating diseases peculiar to women, and long ago he reached the conclusion that woman entirely free from catarrhal affection of these organs would not be subject to female disease. He therefore began using Peruna for these cases and found it so admirably adapted to their permanent cure that Peruna has now become the most famous remedy for female disease ever known. Everywhere the women are using it and prais ing it. Peruna is not a palliative simply; it cures by removing the cause of temale disease.

Dr. Hartman has probably cured more women of female ailments than any other living physician. He makes these cures simply by using and recommending Peruna.

Miss Phoebe Cary Sheffield, writes from Seguin, Texas, as follows:

"I have followed your directions and treatment, and will always thank you for your kindness. Your medicine is the only medicine that gave me relief from heavy pains in my chest, on account of which I could hardly rest at night. Several of my friends thought I would go into consumption. I now think I am Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.



well, but will always have a bottle of Peruns in the house. I think Peruna is the best medicine in the world, for i went to my home doctors and they never did me any good, but when I took your medicine it did me all the good in the world. I have recommended your wonderful treatment to my friends. Since I have taken Peruna I look like s new woman."---Miss P. C. Sheffield. Mrs. William Kenning, Mt. Clemens,

Mich., writes: "I am happy to be able to write you that I am now again well. I was not well for a year, and did not know what siled me. Last fall I got a bottle of Peruns. It did me good. I wrote to Dr. Hartman for a book 'Ills of Life,' and he luckily sent me a book about my dis-

"My disease was catarrh of the head. eyes, stomach and liver, and he said if I would follow his advice I would soon be well. I followed the directions closely, and am now entirely well."-Mrs. William Kenning.

Congressman Thad. M. Mahon, of Chambersburg, Pa., writes:

"I take pleasure in commending your Peruna as a substantial tonic and a good catarra remedy."--T. M. Mahon. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will

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be pleased to give you his valuable ad-

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obliged to allow Columbia for carrying about 1,100 square feet of additional sail. In actual time, boat for boat, Columbia won by \$7 seconds, and this tells how close the race was from the standpoint of the spectators.

The interest taken in the event was reflected by the atendance of excurand unfavorable weather prognostications. Upward of 130 vessels followed the race, and as the day was fair and the sea smooth it proved a most delightful outing even for landlubbers. There was no interference with eith-

er of the yachts by the great fleet of pleasure boats, Captain Walker and his aids on the revenue cutters again rigidly preserving the two great lines. which stretched out in the shape of a V, one leg on either side of the course. But there were several collisions in the line, and Sir Thomas Lipton's Erin had a hole punched in her.

YACHTS DID NOT FINISH

Lack of Wind Prevented Crossing Line

In Prescribed Time. New York, Sept. 27 .- One of the biggest crowes that ever put to sea went down to the Sandy Hook Lightship yesterday to witness Sir Thomas Lipton's second challenger, Shamrock II, and the white fiver Columbia, which successfully defended the old America's cup against his first trophy hunter two years ago, struggle for the yachting supremacy of the world in the first of the

cup races of 1901. But the excursion feet returned disappointed.

The great single stickers went out in the morning fresh for the battle, but the sea refused them a field of conflict. The wind, never more than nine and sometimes as low as three knots, was too light and shifty to carry the con-testants over the 30 mile course in the time allotted by the rules. At the end of five and a half hours, the prescribed time, the race was officially declared off and the yachts were towed back to

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

their berths inside Sandy Hook.

"They say that in order to be happy," said the young woman who reads a great deal, "a man ought to

be a fool or a philosopher." "Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "If a man is a fool he can't get a woman to accept him. And if he is as wise as philosophers are credited with being he won't propose."-Washington Star.

A Wise Judge. "Why did they throw the case out of court?

"Well, she claimed that he tried to "I should think that would have

made it all the worse for him." "No; she declared on the stand that he didn't succeed."-Chicago Record-

# **CODE NOT GIVEN SCHLEY**

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HIS STORY OF THE BATTLE

Asserts That the Oregon, Texas, Iowa and Brooklyn Were All Bunched Together-A Case of "Look-out" All Around, Evans Says.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Rear Admiral Evans, who as captain commanded the battleship Iowa during the Santiago campaign, was a witness before the Schley naval court of inquiry yesterday. His testimony covered the entire period from the time the Iowa left the port of Key West on the 20th of May, 1898, until the 5th of July, when Admiral Evans testified he had a conversation with Admiral Schley concerning the battle of the 3d. He described in detail the principal battle off Santiago, the bombardment of the Colon on the

Admiral Evans said that before leaving Key West on May 20 to join the flying squadron at Cienfuegos Captain Chadwick has communicated to him the secret code arranged by Captain McCalla. He had not, however, reported this code to Admiral Schley upon his arrival, supposing that the admiral knew about the code.

Describing the battle of Santiago, Admiral Evans said: "When Cervera's fleet came out of Santiago harbor the Iowa was at the center, with the Brooklyn to the left and the Texas between.' Story of the Battle.

"The only vessel between the Iowa and the Brooklyn was the Texas. I saw the Brooklyn when the fight began. When I reached the bridge of the Iowa the Brooklyn was still off to the westward, headed, I should say, northwest That was just as the fight began, I saw her again possibly five minutes afterwards, when she was steaming westward very fast, firing her port battery, headed northwest towards the head of the Spanish column. I did not see the Brooklyn again until my attention was directed to her by the navigator calling to me: 'Look out, captain, for the Texas.' I went on the port bridge, where the navigator was standing, and I said, 'Where the devil is the Texas?' The navigator said, 'Here she is, sir, in the smoke.' I said to myself, 'Captain Philip will look after the Texas.' I walked over to the port side of the bridge and saw the Brooklyn's smokestack and military masts. She was lying directly across the bows of the Texas. The Texas was apparently backing and dangerously close to the Iowa. The Brooklyn seemed to be 100 yards directly in front of the Texas. I eased the helm of the Iowa a little, ported her helm a little, and just at that moment the Gregon came through

bunched together. "At that time the Brooklyn was shut out in the smoke, and I saw no more of her until the Colon has passed well to the westward of me, when some one on the bridge said: "The Brooklyn is knocked out.' I went on the bridge to see what had happened, and she was and also gave particulars concerning then about a mile and a half forward of the port beam of the Iowa with the Colon seven or eight miles ahead and on her starboard bow. From that time on the firing was light, and I could see the Brooklyn occasionally. The Brooklyn was on her starboard bow on the port quarter of the Colon. Well astern of her was the Oregon, with the Vixen off shore of the Brooklyn. The Iowa at the time was directly in the wake of the Colon with the Vixen a little on

her starboard bow."

Texas, and the three boats were

#### SCHLEY'S FIGHTING PLAN.

Admiral Declared His Intention of "Going" For Spanish Ships. Washington, Sept. 28.—The Schley

court opened its session today by Mr. Hanna making a brief apology for the word "accused" he used yesterday as applied to Admiral Schley.

Captain McCalla then resumed his testimony. The witness said that he had been present during a conference of commanding officers on the Brooklyn while the fleet was off Santiago on May 29. Describing what took place, he said: "The commanding officers were ordered on board the Brooklyn on May 29. It was with regard to the work of blockade. I can only remember one specific thing which took place at the close, and that was that Captain Evans asked Commodore Schley if the Spanish ships came out if he was go ing in for them. He said: "Certainly," and then arranged for a sub-division of fire from the ships under his command on the Spanish ships should they

come out. Referring to the fact that he had informed Captain Chadwick, Admiral Sampson's chief of staff, of the code of signals arranged for communicating with the insurgent Cubans, he said that he did not in any way communicate with the commander-in-chief. The witness said further that he thought it had been common knowledge at Key West after his arrival there on May my lee and passed between me and the 19 that the Cuban insurgents were on the coast near Clenfuegos, but that no information was given concerning the secret code. He had, he said, failed to give the code to Commodore Schley when he passed him, when the commodore was on his way to Clenfuegos. because he did not know that the commodore was bound for that port.

"If I had thought that he was going to Clenfuegos," he said, "I would have gone alongside and given him my information."

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nts Busy Day. Quarryman-Biddy! His Wife-Phwat do ye want now,

Quarryman-Pour some kerosens on th' fire an' make it hot so Oi can thawout me dynamite .- N. Y. Weekly. | cludes the 43 seconds Shamrock is

## COLUMBIA, THE VICTOR

For Miles of the Course.

today by 1 minute 20 seconds, corrected time, and by 37 seconds actual time. Shamrock beat Columbia 39 seconds in beating to the outer mark, and Celumbia beat Shamrock 1 minute 16 seconds on the run home. Shamrock allows Columbia 43 seconds.

tie limit of 51/2 hours.

wen the honors.

The cup defender made the run