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# COLD SHOULDER

Kansas City Mo. and Not to Return.

She Was Arrested and Convicted for Obstructing the bled. Sidewalk.

TOLD SHE WILL GO TO JAIL IF SHE COMES BACK

MADE A CHARACTERISTIC ANS-WER TO POLICEMAN'S TESTI-MONY WHEN IN COURT-HER IDEA OF KANSAS CITY.

Nation, who was arrested yesterday bel. The defendant was put on the charged with obstructing the street, stand. Among other things Ripley told Auley, this morning, fined fifty dollars and given until 6 o'clock this evening to leave the city The judge warned his (Ripley's) company. The witness Mrs. Nation if she was found in the said Taylor was looking badly and he city after that hour she would be ar- expressed sorrow at Taylor's appearrested and placed in jail She agreed ance. Taylor remarked that these were to leave town and fifteen minutes later terrible times and expressed fear that

tion in case she should return to the from visiting Lansas City. Mrs. Nation pleaded that she wished The witness further swore he met

route. Judge McAuley answered in the affirmative but warned Mrs Nation not to stop off here.

erally jammed with people and the people filled the doorway and crowded the hall. Several cases were called before Mrs. Nation's, and she watched the proceedings with manifest impatience. When Juage McAuley finally asked the charges against her the little woman instantly arose and delivered herself of a fierce tirade against the police and the court. She pleaded that she HE KILLED GRIFFIN was merely waiting for a car when arrester and was making the best af her time in the meantime by talking to the crowd that had gathered.

A policeman testified that several cars bad passed without Mrs. Nation ans declared to a friend who visited making an attempt to beard any of him in jail today that he killed Captain them. This caused Mrs. Nation's ire to Griffin in self defense. He has withrise and she flatly denied the state-

"There was no car in sight," she snapped, " and I want you to know hat I am a lady and rell the truth."

Judge McAuley then gave his decision CUBAN COMMITTEE that I am a lady and tell the truth." and Warned Mrs. Nation not to come to town again.

"Missouri atmosphere," said the judge, "is not acapted for long-haired men, short-haired women and whist-

ling girls.' The crowd clapped loudly at the de-Mrs. Nation submitted mildly and promised to leave the city immediately,

remarking that "the town was filled to overflawing with hell broth." A crowd of several hundred followed the joint smasher as she left the court room and madefor acar, and soon saw her start for the Kansas side.

### TO INCREASE STOCK OF AUDITORIUM CO.

Stockholders Decide to Issue \$10.000 Additional; Total, \$35,000.

At the meeting of the stock holders of the Asheville Auditorium company,

cured.

ures were presented: Cost of building, (J. M. Westall's

bid) as per specifications, less heating .. .. .. .. .. .. .....\$19,198 Cost of lot, architect's fees, etc.,

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paid for by the receipts of the opening. Motions that the report be accepted. and that the directors be empowered to close contracts for erecting the building were adopted.

The report read by the president con bained warm words of appreciation of the excellent work of Secretary-Treasurer Powell.

A resolution was presented and passed that the capital stock of the com-Fined and Ordered to Leave pany be increased 10,000, making the en- Carolina Defeats Cornell in tire capital stock \$35,00... A: resolution was also introduced to

empower the directors to issue the note of the company, if necessary, at a rate of interest not to exceed 6 per cent. for such sum as may be nesessary to enable the company to pay any and all amounts for the construction and equipble discussion the resolution was ta-

The meeting was held in a darkness that was more than semi owing to failure of the electric lights.

### RIPLEY TESTIFIES IN HIS OWN BEHALF

Relates the Conversation He had with Gov. Taylor.

Frankfort, Ky., April 15 .- There was further sensational testimony today in the trial of Ripley, who is charged of Kansas City, April 15.-Mrs. Carrie being accessory in the murder of Goe-

was arraigned before Police Justice Mc of calling on Gov. Taylor January 29, boarded a street car for Kansas City, some crank would kill Goebel and himcity an until she is released from the object of his visit Taylor exclaimed: court's order she practically barred "My God, haven't you got your company ready?"

to go to Liberty, Mo., within a few days Youtsey coming from Taylor's office on and asked if she would be per- the day the witness called. Later that mitted to pass through Kansas City day the witness said he met Taylor on the train and Taylor assured the witness it was not necessary for him to Mrs. Nation appeared in court early obtain the consent of the county judge accompanied by her brother and a word to organize his company. He said the man friend. The court room was lit- next day he received an order from Taylor to bring his company to Frankfort, which he did.

Asked what he had to say in regard to the conversations Bradley and Yost testified to having had with him the Mrs. Nation what she had to say to witness said they told substantially what he told them.

## IN SELF DEFENSE

Columbia, S. C., April 15.-Major Evdrawn the assertion that Griffin committed suicide.

## TO MCKINLEY NAMED

It Will have no power To Treat with Our Government.

Havana, April 15 .- The constitutional convention at a secret session has appointed a committee of five delegates to go to Washington to confer with McKinley in repard to the Platt amendpower to treat with the American government. During its absence the convention will probably recess.

### PROCRESS OF CUIT MISSARY SCANDAL INVESTIGATION

Some Damaging Testimony Against The Accused Persons.

Manila, April 15 .- The case of Sargeant Weston in the commissary scanheld in one Swammanoa casino last even- dal investigation has been closed. The ing, there were represented, in person defense offered was that the or by proxy, 1201 shares; outstanding sergeant erased certain entries in consolidating the accounts, in order to ex-After a roll call, President Weaver pedite the work, and that this was a announced that a quorum had been ce- customary practice. Some witnesses The president stated the object of gave damaging evidence against the the meeting, and read the report of the accused persons and it is evident there board of directors. The following fig- have been many irregularities. Captain Read of the c mmi sary deportment has been place under arrest by the military authorities.

> That God sends sleep to the faithful is trule, but that satan keeps it from the wicked is often equally demon-

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> THE SCORE WAS TEN TO NINE IN THE NINTH.

WERE QUITE EVENLY MATCHED FOR THE CONTEST CAROLINA TO PLAY UNIVERSI-

TY OF VIRGINIA ON SATURDAY

Special to the Gazette. Chapel Hill, N. C., April 15 .- In a magnificent game of ball today, that was characterized by heavy hitting and brilliant playing by both teams, Caroina defeated Cornell by a score of 10 to nine, winning out in the ninth inning. At no time was the game dull, but was full of excitement from start to finish. The teams were quite evenly matched, though the State unive sity had the advantage up to the seventh

The score was: North Carolina, 10 rums, 17 hits, 7 errors; Cornell, 9 rums, 11 hits, 4 errors. Struck out: By Cunningham 4, Harrington 3, Bristol 1.

Features of the game were the fielding of Carr, the catching of Graves and the batting of Smathers, Donnelly and Carr for Carolina, while for the visitors Robertson and Costello played star ball. The batteries for Carolina were Cunningham, Harrington and Graves; for Cornell, Bristol and Whinnery. The umpire was Meal.

The Carolina's next game against the University of Virginia next Saturday in Chartontsyllie. E. C. G.

#### THE STREET CARNIVAL OPENS IN THIS CITY

The street carnival, which is in Asheville for the week will be in full blast today. Yesterday it established itself on the public square, and monopolized the attention of some hundred deserved a calamity. The portiff also persons. The work of placing the tents, Ferris' wheel, diving tower, etc., began early in the day, and by noon the public square was as it never was before. The oldest inhabitant could not for the moment remember anything to equal the transformation. The habitations of the carnival shows cover half the street on two sides of the square. The Ferris wheel rises in its graceful network of iron where the old electric tower stood facing Patton avenue. In front of the court house, slender as the frame of a kite, is the high tower from which a diver makes his plunge into a nival had begun to make itself heard as A WAR STAMP TAX well as seen. The hand make itself ment. The commission will have no well as seen. The band played, a hum of voices rose from the eddying crowds, mock roosters in the hands of Bingham boys crowed, toot horns tooted and the winnie man, in new duck raiment looked hopeful, in spite of the peanut and confetti stands that were beginning to bloom. The knights of rest were all out, woed by the sunshine and the spectacle. They formed the still life of the picture, while everything e'se was in active motion. . A crowd is a great sight-and a mixed crowd, a mixed sight. In the late afternoon all kinds on foot and in carriages were on the square, in windows and on cross bars

of telegraph poles. The daring dive of the men from the tower-from a height at which he looked square into the face of the old count house clock, a dozen feet away from its solemn visage-grought these crowd; into a vast lump-a mass of huma faces into which the pink clothed acrohat gazed from his perch at the top of the slender scaffold. Speedy, the man in the pink tights, a splendidly developed fellow, dallied long before he took the fearful plunge. He joked with the crowd. Meanwhile the sidewalks be-

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came lined with people, windows filled with faces, street cars were reluctant to move at the striking of the clock. One of the carnival men told of the greatness of the feat to be performed and advertised it for the coming exhibitions. Then the pink athlete, loosing his silken belt so that its ends waved in the breezes, raised his hand for silence and delivered a speech to the crowd. To many not the least daring part of his performance was his nerve to talk calmly (but vigorously) on that dizzy pinacle, on a patform but little bigger than his feet. He challenged criticisms of the carnival, offering \$1,000 reward to any one who would find an immoral fleature connected with it. There he waved for silence, clatter of voices business and street car bells ceased and he took the dive-a flash of pink through the air straight as a cannon bail, a splash in the tank at the foot of the scaffolding and the dripping diver was clamboring over the wave washed edge of the tank. It was certainly a splendid feat, gracefully performed-a free show, worth a good price of admission to those who admire a nervy act.

Last night the scene on the square was a gay one-marred only by the failure of the city incandescent lights at nine o'clock. The Ferris wheel was moving, there was music in the air, crowds and entertainments in two of the tents, before which torches blazid when the electric lights failed. At 10 o'clock the carnival had closed for the night and in ten minutes, the lights out and the music ceased, the square resumed its wonted quiet.

The following letter, in connection with the carnival, is self-explanatory: (Continued on fourth page)

## FOR AN ANARCHIST

Ronaguoli's Mission Supposed to be to Kill Emperor William.

Berlin, April 15 .- The Montag Zeitung says the entire German police force, especially at the seaports are eagerly watching for the anarchist Romagnoli, who is said to be on his way to Germany. It is reported he is entrusted by an anarchist club at Buenos Ayres with the commission of a great crime in Germany, which is assumed to be an attempt on the life of

### THE POPE'S SORROW.

Paris, April 15 .- A dispatch received here from Rome says the pope at today's consistory expressed great affliction at the simultaneous revival in several parts of Europe of hostilities against the church. He also spoke with sadness of the law against religious associations in France, which had not dealt on the incompetency of a country which proclaims liberty for all, while refusing even the existence of associations whose members made a profession of practicing the precepts of the gospel. He spoke of the recent tumultuous demonstrations in Spain and Portugal, which had aroused apprehension, that even worse events were in store for Italy. The pope then alluded to the painful position in which the papacy was kept and referred particularly to the divorce bill, which will probably be submitted to parliament.

## DECLARED INVALID

Washington, April 15.—The tax of ten cents on export bills of lading, imposed under the war revenue law, was today declared invalid by the Supreme court by a bare majority. Judge Brewer delivered the opinion declaring the tax invalid on the ground that the stamp tax on a foreign bill of lading is equivalent to a tax on articles included in the bill of lading, and, therefore a tax duty on exports, and in conflict with the constitutional prohibition.

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# ON LARGE SCALE

British Army in South Africa Now Numbers 250, 000 Men.

Inconfirmed Report Gen. French has be(n Captured by Boers.

KITCHENER REPORTS A NUMBER OF CAPTURES-

SMUT'S LAAGER RUSHED AT DAY-LIGHT YESTERDAY AND

BURGHERS' DRIVEN OUT WITH

LOSSES OF MEN AND SUPPLIES. London, April 15 .- According to a Pretoria despatch from a representative

of the Daily Mail important sweeping movements are about to begin on a large scale. Practically all the 30,000 British reinforcements lately announced enroute to South Africa have arrived. The army new numbers 250,000. London, April 15 .- Under date of

April 15 Kitchener reports to the war office that Col. Rawlinson rushed Smut's Laager, northwest of Klerksdonp, at daylight killing six Boers and wounding ten, capturing twenty-three together with a twelve pounder, some ammunition . live stock. He also reports that Plumer captured Field Cornet Bril and sixteen Boers, and that Pilcher in operations in the Orange River colony killed seven Boers and captured one.

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