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ASHEVILLE, N. C., WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 5, 1901.

PRICE 5 CENTS
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Sale of Linens and Household Goods

We direct special attention to our reduced price offer of Table Linens, Towels and Napkins.

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ATTEMPT TO KILL JAS. E. JOYNER

Asheville Contractor Shot and Seriously Wounded by A. M. Throssel.

Attack was Made Last Evening Near Old Winyah Sanitarium.

THREE SHOTS TOOK EFFECT IN HIS BODY

THROSSSEL'S WIFE LEFT HIM THREE MONTHS AGO AND HE BLAMED JOYNER FOR THE DISARRANGEMENT, SUING HIM FOR \$20,000.

Maddened by an outburst of the jealousy which he had harbored in his breast for months, A. M. Throssel yesterday afternoon attacked James E. Joyner with a revolver, inflicting three wounds, two of which are dangerous and may prove fatal.

The encounter took place about 5:30 o'clock at the corner of Pine and Baird streets, near the old Winyah sanitarium. The story told by Mr. Joyner is as follows:

"I have been doing some work in the neighborhood in which the shooting occurred, and have been keeping my horse in Dr. Porter's stable. I was working in the city yesterday afternoon, and after finishing for the day I started to the stable to get my horse, intending to go home. I met Throssel and was passing by him, when he pulled out a pistol and fired at me. I turned and grappled with him, and as I did so I think I picked up a brickbat. I think two shots must have taken effect in my side before I got hold of him. Just as I caught him he fired again, the shot grazing my breast. I took the revolver, which was then empty, away from him, and threw it away; then, as he made a motion which I thought an attempt to draw another pistol, I tried to trip him. At this time Dr. Prioleau and young Holmes came up, and I released Throssel. They took him and started towards town. When they had gone a short distance I saw Throssel jerk loose from them and pick up the pistol. He broke it, and I saw that he was loading it. I then picked up a rock and threw it at him. He fired at me again, the shot taking effect in the leg. They took him on, and I walked to Hillside cottage, not far away, where my wounds were attended to."

"Throssel brought a civil action against me for \$20,000 damages some time ago, which was returnable May 27. There was no court at that time, and the suit was not renewed, so far as I am aware. Throssel's wife has been gone about three months. I had nothing to do with her going, although I suppose he blames me for it."

Mr. Joyner was attended at Hillside cottage by Drs. Weaver, Purefoy, McBrayer, Powell and Drake. Of the six shots fired at him, two took effect in the left side, one passed entirely through the right thigh, one grazed his breast and one his shoulder. It was not practical for the surgeons to make a thorough examination or to attempt to extract the bullets last evening. They think that the wounds will not necessarily prove fatal. The wounded man was brought in from Hillside cottage to Night Watchman Haynes' room, over J. Spangenberg's store. "I am badly hurt, of course," he said when seen there. "I don't know whether I will pull through or not. I am not in much pain, but feel very sore."

THROSSSEL SURRENDERS. Soon after the shooting Joyner's assailant went into the office of the tax collector, in the court house, and asked that the sheriff be sent for. When Sheriff Lee arrived he said, "I want to give myself up to you. I have shot Jim Joyner."

"How many times did you shoot him?" the sheriff asked.

"I don't know how many times I hit him."

Throssel was immediately committed to jail on a warrant charging assault with a deadly weapon, with intent to kill. He appeared to be unnerved and greatly excited. Upon the advice of his attorney, Charles Jones, he made no further statements.

CUP DEFENDER IS WRECKED

Bad Accident to Constitution Caused by Breaking of Mast.

Done While the Big Yacht Was Speeding Over the Water.

SEVERAL OF CREW SLIGHTLY INJURED

HAD THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED A FEW MINUTES EARLIER SOME MIGHT HAVE BEEN KILLED WHO WERE THEN AT WORK HIGH UP IN THE RIGGING.

CABINET DECIDES NO EXTRA SESSION

Washington, June 4.—The cabinet today unanimously decided that existing conditions do not warrant the calling of an extra session of congress this summer. Secretary Root and Attorney General Knox both rendered legal opinions to the effect that the authority to govern the Philippines vested in the president by the Spooner amendment is ample. These opinions were concurred in by all the members of the cabinet.

The decision of the cabinet was announced for the cabinet meeting in the following statement issued by Secretary Cortelyou:

"The president has determined that existing conditions do not require or warrant calling congress together during the present summer or making any change in the policy hitherto pursued and announced in regard to the Philippines. It can be authoritatively stated that the Dingley rates upon goods from the Philippines entering the United States will remain in force as heretofore. The president will put into effect such changes in the tariff duties on goods going into the Philippines as the Taft commission may recommend. The establishment of civil government in the archipelago can proceed without interruption as soon as the military authorities consider the time ripe for its establishment."

BOERS CAPTURE JAMESTOWN AFTER FOUR HOURS' BATTLE

London, June 4.—The following received from Kitchener dated Pretoria today. "Jamestown surrendered to Kritzinger's commands after four hours fighting. The town guard and local volunteers were overpowered before our pursuing columns could reach the town. Our casualties are three killed and two wounded. The Boer loss is stated to have been greater. Stores were looted. The garrison has been released. "I have placed French in charge of operations in Cape Colony. The enemy attacking Dixon's column numbered 1200 under Kemp."

London, June 4.—The accounts of the recent engagement at Vlakfontein are still practically confined to the brief dispatch of Kitchener. The scene of the British defeat is believed to be near Kruger's Dorp, the identical position where the Jameson raiders were captured by the Boers. One report says the Boers got almost between the rear guard and Dixon's main body. Fifty of the troops fell at the first Boer volley. The gunners shot their own horses to prevent the Boers riding off with guns, which were recaptured after the charge by the English.

WOMEN PROTEST AGAINST REGULATION OF VICE

Resolution Condemning Introduction of European System in Our Possessions.

Minneapolis, June 4.—The national woman suffragist convention today adopted resolutions protesting against the adoption of the European system of regulating vice in the Philippines and Hawaii. They recite the fact that the Taft-Philippines commission telegraphed Secretary Root that women of bad character in Manila were subjected to "certified examinations," and that the Hawaiian government had taken similar action and say the custom is contrary to good morals and gives an official sanction to vice. They declare it is in violation of justice to apply to vicious women compulsory medical measures which are not applied to vicious men, and assert that such regulations lower the moral tone of the community while they fail to protect health. They instance Paris, where they say, although these regulations have been enforced for a century, the city is scourged to a notorious degree by maladies which the regulations are designed to prevent. Places where the regulations have been tried and abolished are cited. The convention adjourned this afternoon.

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BRIDGE JUMPER IS KILLED

Author of "Reign of Mind" Leaped to Death from Brooklyn Bridge.

His Reported Purpose Was to Create a Newspaper Sensation.

A FLAG IN EACH HAND WHEN HE JUMPED,

HIS LIFELESS BODY TAKEN FROM THE WATER AND REMOVED TO THE CITY MORGUE.

CRASHED INTO REAR OF PASSENGER TRAIN

A Wreck Near Atlanta in Which Three Persons are Killed

Atlanta, June 4.—The incoming passenger train from Macon and Flowilla on the Southern railway was struck by a switch engine near the Southern shops at 11 o'clock this morning.

Three persons were killed and about 15 injured. The dead are: MRS. A. A. LEMON, of McDonough, Ga. MISS ALMA LEMON, of McDonough, Ga. MRS. A. A. LEMON, of McDonough, Ga. H. H. VICKERS, of Flowilla, Ga. Among the injured are: A. L. BUNN, of McDonough, A. L. FOUCHE, of McDonough, and Mrs. Julia Kirby of Atlanta, Ga.

The train consisted of six coaches, one sleeper and an observation car, which formed part of the Southern vestibuled limited, leaving Atlanta at noon for Washington. These two cars were badly wrecked and the trucks knocked from under one of the day coaches.

PLATT AMENDMENT MEETING IN HAVANA

Havana, June 4.—Delegates favoring the Platt amendment had a meeting today but nothing was done. The meeting of the convention is called for tomorrow. It is expected that the letter of Secretary Root notifying the convention that the United States had rejected the constitution would arrive in time to be read to the convention.

FRIGHTFUL EXPLOSION KILLS EIGHT MINERS

Iron Mountain, Mich., June 4.—By the explosion of a quantity of powder and the suffocating fumes that followed eight men were killed early today in the seventh level of the Ludington shaft of the Chapin mine. Suddenly there was a rumble and smoke began pouring from the mouth of the shaft. Rescuers hurried into the mine as soon as the smoke had cleared sufficiently and found eight miners, all of whom had been working in that section of the shaft, lifeless. The cause of the explosion has not yet been determined. Following is a list of the victims: ANTONIO FARNETTI. JOHN AMONE. JOSEPH PASSIRI. JOHN MILANO. LOUIS TASSI. JOHN BERTELLI. BINILDO AUSNINO. A Pole unknown.

Nearly thirty children are rendered fatherless by the accident. Only one man was disfigured as if by an explosion and he but slightly; the others were completely covered with black powder soot. The men were using a powder thawing machine and it is thought they neglected to supply it properly. It is believed the machine becoming red hot set fire to the dynamite and the men were stricken down by the deadly fumes before they could escape. The town is in mourning and work at the mine is at a standstill.

MRS. MCKINLEY'S CONDITION REMAINS UNCHANGED

Washington, June 4.—Johnston, Sternberg and Rixey were in consultation over an hour at the White house this afternoon. At 11 o'clock Secretary Cortelyou gave out the following statement:

"Mrs. McKinley's physicians report that she has had a comfortable night and her condition has not materially changed since yesterday." Dr. Rixey called at the white house at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon and remained about 15 minutes. He reported that Mrs. McKinley was resting easily.

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