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C. E. Moore, W. M.

Regular meetings of Mt. Lebanon Chapter No 27 are held in the Masonic Hall every 2nd Monday night at 7:30 o'clock p. m. each month.
W. H. Applewhite, H. P.

Regular meetings of Mt. Lebanon Commandery No. 7 are held in the Masonic hall every 4th Monday night at 7:30 o'clock each month.
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THE RECEPTION TO DOLE

Cordial Greeting at Chicago by City and Government Officials.

A VISIT TO FORT SHERIDAN.

A Parade of the Garrison Given in Honor of the Distinguished Visitors From the Pacific Island Republic. To Start For Washington Tomorrow.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—President and Mrs. Sanford B. Dole, of Hawaii, arrived in Chicago yesterday morning. A distinguished party greeted the president of the little island republic on his arrival. The federal government was represented by Judge Crosscup, General J. C. Black, United States district attorney; Mr. T. E. MacMillan, clerk of the United States district court, and Hon. Thomas W. Cridler, of the state department at Washington. Chicago was represented by Mayor Harrison, and the army and navy by Major Heistand and Lieutenant Commander Phelps, respectively, who were resplendent in full dress uniform. In addition to these gentlemen the president was welcomed by General Brooke and his staff, Minister Hatch, of Hawaii, and others, including many ladies.

PRESIDENT DOLE.

The first to shake hands with President Dole was Judge Crosscup, who said: "President Dole, I am instructed by the president of the United States to welcome you here. I am pleased to introduce to you Secretary Cridler, representing the president, and Mayor Harrison, of Chicago."

After the exchange of courtesies and a welcome to Chicago on behalf of the city by Mayor Harrison, President Dole cordially responded to the greeting, and seemed greatly pleased at the hearty reception given to him. Mrs. Dole, who won the hearts of every one present by her unaffected and pleasant manner, thanked the ladies of the committee for coming out so early in the day to welcome her, and seemed to appreciate very highly the reception she received in Chicago.

The party at once proceeded in carriages to the Auditorium annex, where a suite had been reserved for the guests. Their rooms are the same apartments occupied by President McKinley two years ago when he visited Chicago to address the Marquette club. The suite, which was decorated with La France roses and draped with a Hawaiian flag, consists of a drawing room and three bedrooms.

On arriving at the hotel General Brooke extended an invitation to President and Mrs. Dole to visit Fort Sheridan this morning. The invitation was accepted, and the party left Chicago this morning at 9 o'clock by special train. At the fort a parade of the garrison was given in their honor.

At 1 o'clock today luncheon was tendered the distinguished guests at Kingsley's, and afterward a formal reception was held at the Union League club.

In an interview with a press representative President Dole discussed freely the conditions in Hawaii, but refused repeatedly to talk of the Hawaiian annexation question now before congress. "I cannot go into a discussion of a matter which is before congress now," he said. "It would be, I think, discourteous. But there is one thing I do wish to say. There is absolutely no foundation for these stories of Hawaii being menaced by Japan. There is absolutely nothing in it. We are not menaced by Japan, and we did not have a cabinet meeting and discuss a matter of the kind referred to, and there is no element in our relations with Japan in the cause of my leaving. There is nothing in the relations between our country and Japan that hurried me to America."

Butterworth's Possible Successor.

Washington, Jan. 22.—A successor to the late commissioner of patents, Benjamin Butterworth, it is said, will be named in a few days. It is believed that the place will be given to a New England man. There are two active candidates for the position, Messrs. A. P. Greeley, at present the assistant commissioner, who has been acting commissioner during the illness of Mr. Butterworth, and Nathaniel T. Frothingham, of Massachusetts, who was the assistant commissioner under Mr. Simonds. Mr. Greeley is from New Hampshire, and has been in the office for many years.

Justice McKenna Confirmed.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Senator Allen occupied almost the entire executive session of the senate yesterday with his speech in opposition to confirmation of Joseph McKenna as associate justice of the supreme court, though there were brief remarks by Senators Turner and Wilson, of Washington, and others favorable to Mr. McKenna. Mr. Allen spoke for about three hours. He said he was convinced of Mr. McKenna's unfitness for the office. He did not insist upon a roll call when the vote was taken, and the vote was overwhelmingly in favor of confirmation.

The Ohio Gerrymander.

Columbus, O., Jan. 21.—Senator Finck's bill to gerrymander the congressional districts of the state was introduced in the legislature yesterday. The main purpose of the bill, and Mr. Finck frankly acknowledges it, is to legislate Congressman Grosvenor out of office and put a Democrat in his place. Congressman Grosvenor, however, claims he could carry the district as rearranged. The bill is one of the direct results of the anit-Hanna combine.

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GENERAL SOUTHERN NEWS

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 19.—The British steamship Dantry cleared from this port today with 104,000 bushels of wheat, valued at $100,000, and 10,200 bushels of corn, valued at $3,370.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 18.—The McDowell county negro who yesterday attempted to assault a young white woman was frightened away and pursued by men who answered her cries for help. The negro was riddled with buckshot and captured.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 19.—The Tribune Publishing company was incorporated today with a capital of $50,000 by Hon. W. M. O. Dawson, secretary of state, and others. The company will publish a daily paper, Republican in politics.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 18.—The Democratic caucus of members of the legislature met last night and adjourned until next Wednesday night without voting on the senatorial nomination. The prevailing opinion is that Congressman McMillin is in the lead.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 18.—In the legislautre today Henry McIver was re-elected chief justice for eight years. Judge McIver has been on the supreme bench since 1877. His opponent, George S. Mower, received 51 votes. Circuit Judges Benet, Aldrich, Buchanan and Watts were re-elected without opposition.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 19.—The case of General George J. Hundley and Captain John Cussons, who were arrested some weeks ago, charged with being about to engage in a duel, was disposed of in the police court here, yesterday by the placing of both gentlemen under bonds of $1,000 each to keep the peace for 12 months.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 22.—Colonel J. N. Stubbs, accepting the finding of the advisory council held at Lynchburg on Thursday as final, has addressed a letter to Adjutant General Emett tendering his resignation both as grand commander of the Grand Camp, Confederate Veterans, of Virginia, and as a member of the history committee of that organization.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 22.—Train No. 37, of the Atlantic coast line, from New York to Florida, and train No. 52, local from Charleston, collided 80 miles west of Charleston, yesterday. Two men were killed and a number injured. The dead are Robert James and Wesley Bishop, the two firemen, both colored. The accident was caused by misunderstanding of orders.

Bristol, Va., Jan. 19.—The sheriff of Russell county, and his deputies are having trouble with the Bull band of desperadoes, who are holding the mountains as a fort. Half a dozen of these men have defied arrest since Monday and are armed for battle in case the sheriff and posse attack them. The band is wanted on a charge of having assaulted a woman in the country and for assaulting a man named Bowen, with fatal results.

Lynchburg, Va., Jan. 20.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lynchburg Cotton Mill company was held today. The report of President Max Guggenheimer, Jr., showed that the profits for the year had been sufficient to pay two semi-annual dividends of 4 per cent each, besides adding a considerable sum to the surplus, carrying it up to more than $80,000. Only $3,500 of production was on hand Jan. 1, and the mill is kept running to its utmost capacity to fill orders.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 20.—William Stephens, who was arrested about two years ago for stealing $1,460 in gold from Mrs. Peacock, at Coalburg, this county, and who has been on trial for eight days, was acquitted this afternoon by the jury after an hour's deliberation. Stephens was in love with Mrs. Peacock's daughter and was a poor, but well reputed young man. The family, it is said, objected to him, and one night, when all were absent, it is alleged that he went into the house on information where the money was and carried it away. He has since married the daughter, and is now a free man and a happy father.

Pensacola, Fla., Jan. 18.—The bodies of Herbert Seeley and Miss Alice Caro were found near Warrington yesterday. Last Friday night Seeley and Miss Caro attended a party at Millview and about 2 a. m. they left in a buggy to return home. Miss Caro and her escort did not appear at Warrington Saturday. Last evening a searching party was organized, and a few miles from Millview, in a clump of trees, the bodies of the two young people were found, both dead, with pistol wounds in the head.

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ATLANTIC COAST STORM.

No Serious Damage Reported From the Heavy Winds.

Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—Reports from various parts of eastern Pennsylvania and south Jersey indicate that a wind storm of more than ordinary velocity passed over those sections yesterday, but no great damage resulted. The principal damage consisted of the uprooting of trees and blowing down of telegraph and telephone wires. In a few instances houses were unroofed. Heavy winds prevailed along the coast, but up to a late hour no disasters to shipping were reported. In this city the wind reached a maximum velocity of 41 miles an hour, but beyond damage to trees and signs there were no serious results. The tide in the Delaware river reached its highest in a year.

With a deafening crash that was heard for squares a portion of the east wing of the old state house fell in last night. No harm was done to the historic building, as the arches which collapsed were not connected with it, a section of the wing next to the east wall of Independence Hall having been torn out under the restoration plans now being carried out.

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THE TURBULENT FRENCH

Anarchists Excluded From the Prohibited Anti-Dreyfus Meeting.

TWO KILLED IN ALGIERS RIOTS.

The Jewish Quarter Attacked and Stores Pillaged—Many Persons Injured in the Fights Between the Mob and the Hebrews.

Paris, Jan. 24.—In anticipation of the prohibited anti-Dreyfus demonstration yesterday, under the direction of the organizing committee of the anti-Dreyfus meeting at the Tivoli Vauxhall last Monday night, stringent measures were taken by the authorities to preserve order. The Place de la Concorde and the Garden of the Tuilleries was held by detachments of cavalry and infantry and large forces of police. Nothing happened until 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the time announced for the meeting to protest against the pro-Dreyfus agitation, in the Salle des Milles Colonnes, in the Montparnasse quarter.

The approaches to the hall were occupied by police and mounted Republican guards, while the precaution was taken of removing all chairs from the interior. The police refused admission to known anarchists, but many who were less prominent evaded the police vigilance, gained admission and created disturbance.

M. Thiebaud was elected to the chair, and the noslest disturbers of the proceedings were expelled from the hall. M. Thiebaud proposed that a wreath should be laid on the Strasbourg statue, and the proposal was greeted with cries of "Vive l'armee" and "Vive La France."

As the disturbance continued M. Thiebaud got a motion adopted to close the meeting.

The wreath was then placed in a carriage, but the police refused to allow the crowd to follow in a body, and divided it into small groups. In the meantime the anarchists tried in vain to organize a fresh meeting.

The wreath was placed upon the statue at 4:30 in the afternoon amid perfect order. Later in the evening the police dispersed large bodies of anti-Jewish demonstrators in the Rue de la Fayette and at the offices of The Aurore. But nothing serious occurred, and there were few arrests during the day.

It is agreed on all sides that Saturday's scene in the chamber of deputies was almost without precedent, except the recent disturbances in the Austrian reichrath. Curiously enough, Count Badeni, former Austrian premier, witnessed it. He must have felt quite at home.

After the chamber was cleared 125 torn off neckties were picked up, together with many coats that had been torn by deputies from each other's shoulders. M. Clovis Hugues, one of the deputies for the department of the Seine, had a door slammed on his fingers, which were so mutilated that he is now in the hands of a surgeon.

The scene of the fighting around the tribune was unparalleled. Comte de Bernis is a retired cavalry officer, and has the rough manners of the bull fighting town of Nimes, where he will be a candidate at the next elections. M. Jaures is thick set, florid and hairy. M. Gerault Richard is mild looking. The latter was hustled and knocked about like a football in his attempt to deal Comte de Bernis a blow. Some 80 deputies were in the fight. Coats were torn to tatters and cravats were seized in the attempts to choke an opponent. During a lull in the fight M. Gerault Richard was seen in tatters, his cravat torn off and his vest front torn open, while his sympathizers were petting him on the back.

Suddenly Comte de Bernis bounded up the stairs of the tribune on all fours like an animal, dealt M. Jaures a heavy blow on the back of the head, and kicked him on the legs. M. Jaures was knocked over, and stumbled down the steps. Picking himself up, he saw Comte de Bernis making off with a crowd of deputies, while the remainder of the house hooted him, crying "Coward" and "Traitor." M. Jaures threw a knotted handkerchief after him. Comte de Bernis seemed paralyzed, and the house cheered M. Jaures, while a body of socialists made another rush at Comte de Bernis, and the melee was renewed as furious as before.

M. Brisson, president of the chamber, finding it hopeless to restore order, departed, and the military entered at the request, it is said, of a questor, who feared less of life if the scenes were continued.

DEADLY ANTI-JEWISH RIOTS.

The Jewish Quarter Attacked and Two Christians Killed.

Algiers, Jan. 24.—Anti-Jewish riots were renewed here yesterday. The mob invaded the Jewish quarter and pillaged the shops in the Rue Babazoume, driving the Jewish merchants into the streets. A squadron of Chasseurs was ordered to the scene, and charged the mob with drawn swords, but the mob re-formed further on, cheering for the army.

Revolvers and daggers were freely used. One man who was stabbed in the back and shot in the head died on the spot, and many were seriously stabbed, one, named Cayol, dying from his injuries at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The crowd, hearing of this, became dangerously excited, shouted "They are murdering us," "Death to the Jews," and resumed pillaging. The fronts of six shops were destroyed, and the loot was burned. The police repeatedly charged the rioters, but were stubbornly resisted, and were powerless to restore order until the troops arrived.

Several policemen were severely maltreated. Many arrests for theft have been made. The Jewish authorities recommend their co-religionists to remain indoors. Both the men killed in the riot were Christians, and their companions have sworn to avenge them. It is feared there will be further riots.

Serious rioting and pillaging took place at Mustapha, a suburb of the city, Saturday night. Ten Jewish shops were looted and a number of policemen injured. Troops were summoned, but order was not restored until 2 o'clock Sunday morning. Forty arrests were made.

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THE WORK OF CONGRESS.

Speaker Reed and Leader Bailey on a Question of Veracity.

The senate on the 17th inst. passed the Lodge immigration bill by a vote of 45 to 28. This measure requires an educational qualification for immigrants, and has been vigorously opposed by organizations composed of citizens of foreign birth. Senator Wolcott, chairman of the monetary commission, reported on the commission's failure to secure an international agreement, saying their efforts were undermined by reports which went abroad from this country. He vigorously denounced the financial policy of Secretary Gage, and declared that that official did not represent the views of the president.

In the open session of the senate Tuesday the urgent deficiency bill, carrying $1,913,819, was passed, and the Teller bill providing for the payment of government bonds in silver coin was favorably reported. In executive session Senator Morgan spoke in favor of Hawaiian annexation, predicting that failure to annex would plunge this country in war within ten weeks. In the house an effort to attach the senate Cuban recognition resolution to the consular appropriation bill was defeated after a lively debate.

Wednesday's session of the house was enlivened by a further debate on Cuba, resulting from an unsuccessful effort to direct the foreign affairs committee to report the Cuban resolution adopted by the senate last session. Mr. Hitt, chairman of the committee, made an impassioned appeal against action at this time, declaring that the Cuban insurgents urged recognition only with a desire to plunge this country into war with Spain. He asserted that the president's sympathies were strongly with the insurgents. The senate discussd a resolution of Senator Hoar regarding the reduction in the number of letter carriers in the large cities. Senator Morgan continued his Hawaiian speech in executive session.

On Thursday last there was quite a spirited controversy between Speaker Reed and Mr. Bailey, leader of the Democrats in the house, on a question of veracity. Mr. Bailey openly declared that he had an understanding with the speaker that a vote should be taken on a motion to recommit the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill. Mr. Reed positively declared that he had made no such agreement, though Mr. Bailey reiterated it, and the controversy created a sensation. The senate took up the Teller resolution authorizing the payment of government bonds in silver.

On Friday an agreement was reached in the senate providing for a final vote on the Teller bond resolution next Thursday. In the house the urgent deficiency bill was sent to conference.

On Saturday in the house the controversy between Speaker Reed and Democratic Leader Bailey was renewed, each reiterating his previous statement. The statements and counter statements were enthusiastically cheered by the respective sides. In the senate amendments to the Teller bond resolution were offered, one declaring it to be the duty of government to maintain the parity of gold and silver and the other declaring for a gold standard until an international agreement can be secured.

Lexington, Va., Jan. 20.—After three unsuccessful attempts to break jail, William Douglas, colored, on the fourth trial, succeeded today. At 8 o'clock Jailer Jackson entered the cell where he and his mate, Dempster Saulsbery, were confined, to fix the stove. Supposing that they were securely held by iron shackles which had been placed on them in order to prevent any further attempts on their part to escape, the jailer left the door open, and while his back was turned Douglas left. The jailer turned around in time to prevent Saulsbery's escape, for he, too, was making tracks. The prisoners had broken the heavy steel shackles and chains by some means or other, and, holding the chains, which were fastened at the other end to rings in the floor, under the bedcovers where they were covered up, caused the jailer to believe that all was right.

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To the Gallows at Seventy.

Belvidere, Ills., Jan. 22.—Edward M. Shannon, the wife murderer, has been sentenced to be hanged Feb. 11 at Wheaton, Ills., by Judge Willis. Shannon is over 70 years old. He showed little emotion when sentence was passed. Asked if he had anything to say, he trembingly arose and feebly told how he had once saved the life of State Attorney Wright when he was a boy. This was the only plea he made for mercy.

Attorney General Griggs.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Besides the appointemnt of C. Wesley Thomas to be collector of customs at Philadelphia and St. Clair A. Mulholland to be pension agent in the same city, the president sent to the senate Saturday afternoon the nomination of John W. Griggs, of New Jersey, to be attorney general of the United States, to succeed Judge McKenna. The nomination of Thomas was promptly confirmed.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

THE TEXTILE WORKERS.

Committees Soliciting Aid For the New Bedford Strikers.

A LONG STRUGGLE PREDICTED.

Executive Officers of the National Spinners' Union Meet in Boston—Secretary Ross Thinks the Strike Will Probably Last All Summer.

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 24.—There is no change in the strike situation. No attempt was made to start the striking cloth mills today, and no excitement is expected at any of the mills. Secretary Ross is in receipt of offers to aid the strikers from Lowell and other places. At Lowell a subscription paper has been started by the Lowell Sun, and the amount subscribed is already considerable. From a shop in this city, not connected with the textile industry, Mr. Ross has been informed that the workmen employed there will contribute $50 to the strike fund weekly as long as it lasts.

The committee of the general strike committee, composed of representatives of the various associations, began today to solicit funds for the strike. Credentials, stamped with the official mark of the union, have been supplied to the members of the committee. All funds received by them will be devoted to the benefit of the strikers, union and non-union alike, each receiving a per capita share.

The center of the interesting scenes in the textile troubles temporarily shifted from New Bedford to Boston yesterday to the meeting of the executive council of the National Spinners' union. This meeting was called to consider the strike situation in New Bedford, and also the matter of the Fall River mills and other mills in New England where strikes or lockouts are imminent or have already taken place. The meeting was one of discussion rather than of action, although it was resolved to concentrate all the efforts of the organization on the New Bedford situation, leaving the Fall River trouble and the difficulties in other cities for local unions to handle and adjust if possible.

The principal feature of the discussion was the denunciation of the Arkwright club, and the charge that that organization of mill treasurers and agents conspired with Agent Chase, of the King Philip mill, of Fall River, to substitute ring for mule spinners. There seemed to be some difference of opinion as to whether Agent Chase was a willing party to what was called the conspiracy or had been forced into it by the Arkwright club. It was, however, generally accepted as a fact by the meeting that the attempt to put in the ring frames was merely an entering wedge to put them in every mill in Fall River.

The spinners say that the machines do inferior work, and that their introduction in other mills in New Bedford has not been profitable to the mill owners. In mills where the ring frames have been placed no dividends have been paid. An instance was cited of one mill that had been shut down for ten years simply because there was no demand for its product after machinery took the place of men.

The New Bedford strike situation was fully discussed, and the general opinion seemed to be that the settlement of the trouble would be a long time in coming. In fact, Secretary Ross said that he did not look for its solution until far into the summer, if, indeed, it came then.

Ayer's Hair Vigor is certainly a remarkable preparation and nothing like it has ever been produced. No matter how wiry and unmanageable the hair may be, under the influence of this incomparable dressing, it becomes soft, silky, and pliable to the comb and brush.

PHILADELPHIA'S BROKEN BANK.

Depositors Becoming Restless Over the Delay of the Assignees.

Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—The managers of the broken Chestnut Street National bank have not yet declared their plan of voluntary liquidation operative, though they claim that they are waiting only for the assent of the state of Pennsylvania, amounting to $250,000. Individual non-assenting depositors are becoming restless. It is one month since the doors of this bank were closed. Though the institution has been technically in the charge of a bank examiner, its affairs appear to be in the hands of Messrs. Earle and Cooke, who are the assignees for the Chestnut Street Trust and Saving Fund company and the Lennon dry goods store, and who have charge of Mr. Singerly's other liabilities. In as much as former Comptroller of the Currency Eckles has stated that the bank was in a bad condition for more than a year before it was closed, many of the depositors think that a full month is as much time as the government should extend for the perfection of a plan for voluntary liquidation. In financial circles it is beleved that the plan of liquidation will be adopted within a few days or a receiver appointed, and the greatest failure that Philadelphia has known will pass into history before the close of another week.

The Germans as Benefactors.

London, Jan. 24.—The Times says editorially this morning: "We are glad to learn from various trustworthy and mutually independent sources that the rumors that Germany's intention to open Kiau-Chau to the world's commerce are well founded. If this decision is maintained Kiao-Chau will probably become a great, busy and flourishing entrepot of the world's trade, a northern Hong Kong. The wisdom of the decision cannot be doubted. It will tend to improve the unnecessarily strained relations between England and Germany. It is to be hoped that other nations will follow Germany's example, and that the far eastern question may thereby be greatly simplified."

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A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Tuesday, Jan 18.

Ex-Congressman Benjamin S. Hooper died suddenly yesterday at Farmville, Va.

Circuit Court Judge W. S. Barton, of the Fredericksburg (Va.) circuit, is dead.

A New York policeman named Gardner has fallen heir to $70,000, but is determined to stay on the force.

W. W. Ashby, our consul at Colon, Colombia, with six others, was drowned while boating in Colon harbor.

By braving a temperature of 30 degrees below zero George Graham secured a placer claim on French creek, Alaska, worth $200,000.

Wednesday, Jan. 19.

Signor Nicolini, husband of Madame Adelini Patti-Nicolini, died yesterday at Pau, France.

The national senate yesterday confirmed H. D. Saylor, of Pennsylvania, to be consul at Matanzas, Cuba.

Sanford B. Dole, president of Hawaii, left San Francisco for Washington this afternoon. He goes by way of Chicago and New York.

Levi Poindexter, a negro convict, stabbed F. A. Dieffenbach, deputy warden of the Maryland penitentiary, with a table knife, and Dieffenbach may die.

In a dispute with J. C. Johnson, clerk of the Hotel Johnson, in Washington, Senator Mason, of Illinois, was punched in the face. The senator retaliated, and friends then interfered.

Thursday, Dec. 20.

Reports of Mr. Gladstone's critical health are denied in London.

The curfew ordinance went into effect at Indianapolis Tuesday night.

Captain Edward Murphy, on trial at Wilmington, Del., for Cuban filibustering, was acquitted.

On Monday next will begin the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the discovery of gold in California.

The Japanese government again declares that that country is "prepared to act vigorously, if necessary, for the maintenance of the peace."

Citizens of Texas, southern Kansas, northeast Oklahoma and Indian Territory are building with their own labor a shorter railroad to St. Louis.

Friday, Jan. 21.

A bright meteor was observed in broad daylight at the Lick observatory.

The Iowa house has passed a resolution asking Senators Allison and Gear to vote for Hawaiian annexation.

The rumor is again revived with more positiveness that Russia bought the French military secrets alleged to have been sold by Dreyfus.

A young woman giving the name of Agnes McCarthy is in a Brooklyn hospital, a physical and mental wreck as a result of excessive cigarette smoking.

Rev. Dr. John Hall, yielding to the wishes of his congregation, has withdrawn his resignation as pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, New York.

Saturday, Jan. 22.

John Abt, of Lynbrook, L. I., paid all his bills, took the pledge, and then killed himself.

Hallet Kilbourn, of Washington, has been sent to an asylum, having developed suicidal mania.

August Nickerson, a sailor, died at Port Townsend, Wash., after living 11 days with a broken neck.

Mrs. Annetta Jaegendorf, who was arrested in New York, is said to have made a fortune at begging.

Joseph Folk, of Kelley's Island, O., gave his two daughters in marriage to pay a debt to their respective husbands.

The Maryland deadlock over a successor to United States Senator Gorman still continues. McComas leads, but with little chance of success.

Monday, Jan. 24.

Evelyn O'Connell, a bright little girl of 10, has strangely disappeared from her parents' home in New York.

The New York commissioners decided to hold Robert Gould liable to an assessment of $300,000 for personal property.

Twenty-year-old Louisa Koenig, of New York, jumped into the river, but scrambled out "because the water was so cold."

Joseph Brinson and James Pryor, colored, of Augusta, Ga., were killed by the shot of an unknown assassin who fired through a window.

Russia's Demand on Turkey.

Constantinople, Jan. 24.—Russia is about to present a note to Turkey demanding payment of the whole balance of indemnity of the Russo-Turkish war, amounting to £28,000,000 ($140,000,000), with a view of making the sultan more docile in the settlement of the Cretan question.

Too Much Knife!

The use of the surgeon's knife is becoming so general, resulting fatally in such a large number of cases, as to occasion general alarm.

Mr. William Walpole, of Walshtown, South Dakota, writes; "About three years ago, there came under my left eye a little blotch about the size of a small pea. It grew rapidly, and shooting pains ran in every direction. I became alarmed and consulted a good doctor, who pronounced it cancer, and said that it must be cut out. This I would not consent to, having little faith in the indiscriminate use of the knife. Reading of the many cures made by S. S. S., I determined to give that medicine a trial, and after I had taken it a few days, the cancer became irritated and began to discharge. This after awhile ceased, leaving a small scab, which finally dropped off, and only a healthy little scar remained to mark the place where the destroyer had held full sway.

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