

The Weekly Star.

THE FRIEND OF NERVOUSNESS.



When a woman's mind is constantly filled with nervousness, it shows that her entire nervous system is disordered and broken down. Nine times in ten it indicates that there is some special cause of the important and delicate organs which make her a woman. Nine times in ten it means that some intense and radical measure is taken to save her from complete mental and physical wreck.

THE DAWN OF PEACE.

JOHN RUSKIN.

Put out, put out, your mail, O kings, And beat your brands to dust! Your hands must learn a surer grasp, Your hearts a better trust.

Oh, bend back the nation's point, And break the helmet bar, A noise is in the morning wind, But not the note of war.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

If there be no enemy, no fight; no light, no victory; if no victory, no crown.—Savonarola. Religion is not an opinion about righteousness; it is the practice of righteousness. Religion is the life of conscience.—Dr. Lyman Abbott. Our knowledge doth but show our ignorance. Our most studious scrutiny is but a discovery of what we can not know.—Owen Feltham. Decent is the false road to happiness; and all the joys we travel through to vice, like fairy banquets, vanish when we touch them.—A. Hill. Consolation indelicately pressed upon us when we are suffering under affliction, only serves to increase our pain and to render our grief more poignant.—Rousseau. Life is not victory, but battle. Be patient a little longer. By and by in our hushed and waiting chambers, each in his turn, we shall hear the sunset gun.—Zornell Hitchcock. Come, take that task of yours which you have been hesitating before, and in this very day lift it up and do it.—Phillips Brooks. A friend is a solace and often a help, but for the most part it is wisest to tell your life secrets only to God. Morbid loquacity may be worse than misanthropy. Whenever a good deed is done there is somebody to object. Judas is the type of a class of men and women whose chief function in life it is to criticize other people. They are incapable of performing generous actions on their own account, and they resent the idea that anybody else should do so.

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RUSSELL'S AMBITION.

Important Conference of Leading Republicans at the Governor's Mansion.

WANTS TO BE U. S. SENATOR.

A New Deal Proposed—Pritchard to be Judge of the Western District—Reynolds to be Governor—Ewart Clerk of Federal Court.

(Special Star Telegram.)

RALEIGH, N. C., July 20. Strange things are happening here to night. Governor Russell is giving at the mansion what he calls an informal reception. In reality it is a conference. To it were invited Senator Pritchard, who has been on no good terms with his Excellency, Attorney General Walshe, who has not spoken to him these two years except on official business, Chairman Holton, who has never had any love for him, and Postmaster Bailey, who had a quarrel with Russell almost immediately after he was inaugurated. All these are present and others of less pronounced feeling, including Judge Purnell, Collector Duncan and Wheeler Martin.

The object of the conference, as stated by one who was present, was to consult these leaders and gain their consent to the following: Ewart to give up the fight for the judgeship and accept the clerkship to the Federal court at Asheville; Pritchard to resign the judgeship of the Western district; Russell to resign the governorship, Reynolds to become Governor and appoint Russell Senator.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

The Asheville bank cases are to day being heard by Judge Purnell. The cases are against Wm. E. Breese and J. E. Dickerson, the defaulting bankers, who were tried this Spring before Judge Purnell at Asheville and sentenced to ten years each in the penitentiary. The argument is now on exceptions by defendants' counsel, making up the cases on appeal to the Circuit Court at Asheville. The bill of exceptions contains the whole record that goes up on appeal, and this bill of exceptions is to be fixed by the presiding judge, who is in his final office. The government is represented by A. E. Holton and W. P. Brynson and the defendants by Senator Jeter Pritchard and J. S. Adams. It is expected that it will take two or three days to go over all the record, as it is very voluminous.

HON. W. J. BRYAN WRITES A LETTER.

Bearing Upon Factional Differences in the Party in the State of Kentucky.

SHOWS GOEBEL'S LOYALTY.

Expresses Desire That All Old Democrats Return to the Party Fold—The Danger to the Party by Defeat of Democracy in Kentucky.

By Telegram to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, July 20.—Hon. Wm. J. Bryan to-night gave to the Associated Press a letter written to Urey Woodson, National Democratic Committeeman for Kentucky, bearing upon the factional differences arising in the ranks of the Democratic party in Kentucky through the nomination of W. M. Goebel for governor at Louisville several weeks ago. Speaking of the Louisville convention, Mr. Bryan said: "I do not then nor shall I now discuss the relative merits of the candidates, neither am I sufficiently informed upon the facts to sit in judgment upon the conduct of the convention which placed the ticket in the field. The only objection I feel called upon to consider at the time is one urged by a number of friends who sincerely I cannot doubt but with whose opinion I cannot agree; namely that the election of Mr. Goebel would endanger the success of Democratic principles as enunciated in the Chicago platform."

Mr. Bryan then goes on at great length to show Mr. Goebel's loyalty to the Chicago platform, and expresses a desire that all old Democrats shall return to the party fold, provided they will accept the Democratic platform and support candidates pledged to it. In conclusion, he says: "The victory won upon the platform adopted by the Louisville convention cannot do harm, but what shall we say of a defeat? If the Republican ticket is elected the Republicans in Kentucky and elsewhere will be encouraged and the fight in 1900 made harder. If the Democratic State ticket is defeated a Republican Senator may be elected from that State. The Senator elected by the next Legislature will serve through the next administration. What shall I credit us if we elect a President and House of Representatives and have a hostile Senate to obstruct legislation. Silver cannot be re-taken, the trusts cannot be overthrown, the imperial policy of the Republican party cannot be brought to an end until the Senate and the executive are all taken out of the hands of the Republican party. We are engaged in a great contest between a plutocracy and a democracy, a contest which may decide finally whether English financiers or Republican voters shall control our financial policy; whether our government shall be a government of trusts or a government of the people; whether our nation shall remain a republic or become an empire."

In answer to those who urge that Mr. Goebel's election would be detrimental to the cause of bimetallicism, and to me personally, I deem it my duty to say that I have no personal or political interests, but deserve to be considered when Democratic principles are at stake and that in my judgment Democracy would be injured by the defeat of a Democratic ticket nominated upon a platform which unqualifiedly endorses the Chicago platform."

ITALIANS LYNCHED IN LOUISIANA.

Five Men Hanged by a Mob of Citizens in the Town of Tallulah.

THE CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE.

Shot and Fatally Wounded Dr. J. Ford Hodges—Third Outrage of the Kind of Which They Had Been Guilty—A Terror to the Town.

By Telegram to the Morning Star.

TALLULAH, La., July 21.—Five Italians were lynched here last night for the fatal wounding of Dr. J. Ford Hodges. The dead men are of a class which has been troublesome for some time and it is believed that they had planned to kill the doctor. Some of them, it is believed, have families in Europe, but they have no relatives here. The dead are: Frank Defatta, Charles Defatta, Joe Defatta, Sy. Deferroch and John Cereno.

For several weeks a lot of goats belonging to Frank Defatta have been present and others of less pronounced feeling, including Judge Purnell, Collector Duncan and Wheeler Martin. The doctor, on numerous occasions, requested the owner to keep his goats penned up, but he would not do so, and on the night of the 19th Dr. Hodges shot one of them. Early next morning Frank Defatta came to Dr. Hodges' office and said to the doctor: "You shoot my goat, now you had better shoot me."

The Dr. ordered him to leave and Defatta left mumbling something which the doctor did not understand. Dr. Hodges took his men to the residence of Mr. Kauffman and had to pass Joe Defatta's shop in going there. About sundown last evening the doctor and Mr. Kauffman were in the supper and as they went to Joe's store, Mr. Kauffman, who was in the lead, says Charles Defatta was sitting on the steps and Joe standing in the door. Hodges spoke to the but and one of the Italians returned the greeting. As Dr. Hodges passed, Charles jumped up and said: "You shoot my goat, now you had better shoot me." Hodges at once struck the doctor. Hodges at once repelled the attack by striking back with his fist, but finding the Sicilian too much for him attempted to draw his pistol. Joe Defatta, at the doctor's side, immediately ran forward, striking him in his hands and abdomen. Immediately on the crack of the gun Frank Defatta, Sy. Deferroch and John Cereno ran to the store, started on a run to Joe's store with shot guns and long knives in their hands.

The court was in session and a large crowd of country people were in town. With the sheriff and his deputies they joined in the chase and succeeded in arresting and disarming Frank Defatta, Sy. Deferroch and John Cereno, after a hard struggle. The sheriff with his posse at once went to the house and succeeded in taking Charles Defatta. Joe was found in the adjoining house. He was promptly taken out and the sheriff started to the jail with Charles and Joe. When the court house square was reached a crowd of 250 citizens overpowered the posse and after a severe struggle took Joe and Charles Defatta down in the field to the slaughter pen and hung them to the gallows used for slaughtering hogs.

Joe denied the shooting and said Charles did it. Charles said Joe fired the shot, which a half dozen people saw. Charles said he had seen Joe, Hodges and was sorry for it. He said Frank Defatta and Sy. Deferroch were the cause of the trouble. The crowd then adjourned to the High overpowered the posse and the crowd quickly brought out Sy. Deferroch, Frank Defatta and Joe Cereno and hung them to an oak tree in the tall yard. Not a word was said and the crowd was orderly and quiet.

A good many citizens plead for the lives of the Sicilians, but to no avail, as this was the third outrage of this kind in the town, and the lives of the people. About two years ago Frank Defatta shot and killed a negro for picking up a water melon which Frank had thrown on the ground. Dr. Hodges shot and killed Pat Matthews, lantern keeper at Millisen's Bend, La. over a trivial controversy. He was cleared by a technicality of the law. The three men who were hanged boasted that they would do as they pleased and their money would clear them. They have since these two do scrapes become more open in their actions and talk, and on several occasions have had quarrels with the best citizens.

The people here believe the five men hanged last night were the same who were hanged in the town of Tallulah. The doctor who was shot and killed by the mob would have gone to their aid. Their plans were well laid and carried out. Joe's gun was found on the counter with a box of shells by it. Dr. Hodges is badly shot and the doctors say he cannot recover. The five Sicilians were buried to day the Potters field near Tallulah. The grand jury in session and will investigate the matter.

TRYING TO STEAL A RIDE.

Negro Man Killed On the S. A. L.—Third Regiment N. C. S. G. Going Into Camp—Revenue Collections.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

At midnight last night, near here, a negro named Moss Dowden was killed by the Seaboard Air Line freight train. He was trying to steal a ride and fell beneath the cars. The body was mangled almost beyond recognition, several cars passing over it. The Henderson, Franklin, Oxford, Reidsville, Durham and Warrenton military companies, belonging to the Third Regiment, N. C. S. G., passed here this morning en route to the encampment at Morehead. Col. Perry and several other regimental officers were with them. The Raleigh and Mount Airy companies went into camp at Morehead to night, to remain one week. Revenue collections here for the past fiscal year amount to nearly \$2,000,000, as against about \$1,250,000 the previous year. The increase is accounted for by the imposition of the war tax and increase in revenue tariffs.

THE LYNCHING IN LOUISIANA.

Prompt Action Taken by the Representatives Here of the Italian Government.

AN INTERNATIONAL ASPECT.

Diligent Inquiry Being Made in the Matter. The Governor of Louisiana Asked for Report On Case—Warning to Other Italians.

By Telegram to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The lynching of five Italians in Louisiana yesterday promises to assume an international aspect through the action of the Italian Government. Count Vinchi, the Italian charge d'affaires, called at the State Department at an early hour this morning and made representations to the governor concerning the atrocity in Louisiana. In order to get full information as a basis for action by this government, Secretary Hay thereupon telegraphed the governor to report on the facts in the case. Count Vinchi's action was predicated on reports from the Italian consular officials in Louisiana, and the press reports. The reason he believes also, that the Italian foreign office is already fully informed on the occurrence. Only Preliminary.

It is probable, however, that the representations to the only preliminary, with the view to calling attention to the facts reported and to pave the way for any protest or demand of reparation which may follow. The scene in this country, where Italian quarters as much like that in the Mafia cases at New Orleans, while Mr. Blaine was Secretary of State, at which the Italian Minister, Baron Fava, called for his passports and left the country. Baron Fava is now in Rome on vacation, and during his absence Count Vinchi has charge of Italian affairs in this country. Count Vinchi's representations to the State Department were based upon a brief dispatch from the acting consul at New Orleans, Mr. Pabini. Count Vinchi's representations to the State Department were based upon a brief dispatch from the acting consul at New Orleans, Mr. Pabini. Count Vinchi's representations to the State Department were based upon a brief dispatch from the acting consul at New Orleans, Mr. Pabini.

Submitted to the President. He saw Secretary Hay and Assistant Secretary Hill. Mr. Hay was about to go to the Senate House, so that the representations made by the Italian charge were submitted to the President. Throughout the conference, the most agreeable spirit was shown, and there was no intimation that the representations made by the Italian charge were submitted to the President. Throughout the conference, the most agreeable spirit was shown, and there was no intimation that the representations made by the Italian charge were submitted to the President.

While greatly deploring the affair, he feels that there are circumstances which make it difficult for the Federal authorities to deal with it. Therefore he is co-operating with the officials here to realize the magnitude of the murdered men. It has been impossible thus far to communicate with the consular agent who has gone to the scene, but the dispatch sent to him at Vicksburg has been returned by the telegraph company, and the department is unable to get track of him. His report and that of the Governor of Louisiana are expected to give light on the subject and afford data upon which the two governments can act.

Count Vinchi paid a third visit to the State Department at 3 o'clock this afternoon. He saw Assistant Secretary Hill and inquired as to the department's action in the matter and expressed satisfaction when informed of the steps being taken. He then presented a report on the case. In addition, Mr. Hill expressed the sincere regret entertained by the government at the unfortunate case. He said that he has yet come from the foreign office at Rome.

Had Filed Declarations. NEW ORLEANS, La., July 22.—A dispatch from Tallulah, La., says that the five Italians who were lynched yesterday had been living in Madison Parish for several years. They had filed their declarations to become citizens. Some had applied for naturalization papers. Comment of Italian Press. Rome, July 22.—The Fanfulla, commenting on the lynching of the Italians at Tallulah, La., yesterday, recalls similar cases which have occurred in the past, and while stigmatising the act, says that the Italian Government, which the Fanfulla says, has not the strength to vanquish fanatical prejudices, and some times, as in the case of the shooting of miners at Hazleton, Pa., the Italian charge of the lynching of the other papers make no comment upon the incident. Italians Warned to Leave. BATON ROUGE, La., July 22.—Governor Foster has received a telegram from the Secretary at Washington, announcing that the Italian charge d'affaires had applied to him for information in the recent lynching of Italian subjects in the parish of Madison and demanding protection for other Italians in that section of the State. The Governor has also received a telegram from the acting consul at New Orleans, saying that information had been received that the Italian charge or agents sent to investigate the lynching will be assaulted should they appear at Tallulah, and that the newspapers announce that the Italian charge d'affaires had applied to him for information in the recent lynching of Italian subjects in the parish of Madison and demanding protection for other Italians in that section of the State. The Governor has also received a telegram from the acting consul at New Orleans, saying that information had been received that the Italian charge or agents sent to investigate the lynching will be assaulted should they appear at Tallulah, and that the newspapers announce that the Italian charge d'affaires had applied to him for information in the recent lynching of Italian subjects in the parish of Madison and demanding protection for other Italians in that section of the State.

ADMIRAL DEWEY.

Received Certificate of Membership in the American Flaghouse Memorial Association.

By Telegram to the Morning Star. PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—Admiral Dewey, while at Singapore, on route for America, received a certificate of membership in the American Flaghouse and Betsy Ross Memorial Association. The following is the Admiral's letter of acceptance: John Quincy Adams, Secretary American Flaghouse and Betsy Ross Memorial Association: Dear Sir—I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of a certificate of membership in the American Flaghouse and Betsy Ross Memorial Association. I am much pleased to have my name associated with such a patriotic work and wish for its great success. Asking you to thank the members of the association for the honor they have done me, I remain, very truly yours, GEORGE DEWEY.

CUBAN REPUBLICAN LEAGUE.

Desires Complete Political Independence of the Island at the Earliest Moment.

By Telegram to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—General Carlos Garcia, a son of General Calixto Garcia, was the President for a few minutes to-day by appointment. General Garcia represents the Cuban Republican League, and his mission to Washington is to explain to the President the aspirations and purposes of the League. The League desires to complete the political independence of the island at the earliest possible moment. Its aim, however, at present, is to secure authority for holding conventions and elections for municipal officials, and by demonstrating the capacity for holding elections and for local self government preparing the way for complete political control of the island. They desire the authority for the municipal elections early this fall.

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STATEMENT OF ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK, WILMINGTON, N. C. At the Close of Business June 30, 1899, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

Table with columns: LOANS, Overdrafts, Deposits, Cash on hand, Total, Capital, Surplus and undivided profits, Circulation, Deposits in U. S. Treasury, Deposits from Banks, Cash on hand, Total, Comparative Statement, Total deposits, Total assets, Dividends Paid, Per Cent. For Annual, Per Cent. For Last Statement of Capital Paid in October, 1898.

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