

KING ALFONSO LOSING SLEEP OVER THREATS

Anarchists After Him

Ferrer Execution is Denounced as Murder—The King Keeps His Palace While Threats on His Life Are Pouring In.

London, Oct. 20.—A mailed dispatch from the Madrid correspondent of the Chronicle, dated October 17, says that since the news of the first Ferrer demonstration was received at the palace King Alfonso has worn a dejected appearance. He is suffering from sleeplessness and loss of appetite, and it is feared his health may be affected. Threatening letters are pouring in at the palace, as well as at the residences of the ministers. The king has abandoned his daily outings, and is almost a prisoner in the palace.

Apparent tranquility reigns in Madrid and the provinces, but it is only apparent. Nobody acquainted with the situation will deny that the anarchists are actively preparing to avenge Ferrer's death. The censor has doubled the stringency of his methods. Madrid swarms with detectives. One encounters a pair of shabbily dressed secret service men eyeing passers-by like foxes at almost every street corner, in cafes, before the ministries, and at the palace.

The situation in Barcelona inspires grave fears. Any one uttering a word about Ferrer is arrested. Many have been arrested for possessing Ferrer's photograph. One day the police were taken by surprise by the sudden appearance of a revolutionary procession, representing Ferrer on one side and King Alfonso on the other. They had the greatest difficulty in dispersing the procession and seizing the scarecrow.

In the house of commons today Sir Edward Grey, secretary of foreign affairs, in replying to an interpellation regarding the execution of Ferrer, stated that the government could not depart from the rule not to interfere or to express any opinions on the matters of the international administration of other European countries when there are no British subjects or treaty rights involved. To depart from this policy, Sir Edward added, would serve no useful purpose.

Albert Victor Grayson and Peter Francis Curragh, members of the house, followed Sir Edward in discussing the topic, and Mr. Grayson moved an adjournment of the house, "to discuss a matter of urgent public importance."

The speaker, however, immediately intervened and pointed out that the matter of Ferrer's execution was not urgent. Eventually Mr. Grayson was refused leave to move the adjournment. As the speaker announced this decision, Mr. Grayson rose and shouted, "Shame!" "Cowards!"

Denunciation in New York.

New York, Oct. 20.—Five thousand men and women met tonight in Carnegie hall and denounced the execution of Ferrer. "The echo of that shot will shake down every throne in Christendom," declared Charles Edward Russell, magazine writer and chairman of the meeting.

Resolutions were adopted declaring that "in the light of all known facts, Ferrer's life was taken because of his unselfish devotion to the work of education and enlightenment."

Our Townsman Among Speakers

Among the speakers selected to make an address before the North Carolina Drainage Association, which meets in New Bern, November 10-11, is Hon. Stephen C. Bragaw, of this city.

The Daily News takes this occasion to congratulate the committee in charge on their excellent selection; for no man in North Carolina today, for his age, enjoys a more enviable reputation as a speaker. What Mr. Bragaw's subject will be, is not yet known, suffice it to say, he will give the delegates and visitors something to ponder over.

Our distinguished townsman will prove equal to the occasion.

WREST CLUB MEETS.

The Bridge Whist Club gave the first of the season's meetings yesterday afternoon, at the home of Miss Julia B. Hoyt, from 5 until 6 o'clock. Mesdames B. G. Moss and John G. Bragaw, Jr., were the guests of honor. A delightful game was played and refreshments served before the guests departed.

SKELETON OF GIRL IN WOODS

Is Believed to Have Been Miss Smith, Who Has Been Missing Since Spring.

Islip, Long Island, Oct. 20.—The skeleton of a young woman, which was found in the woods between Brentwood and Islip yesterday, may be that of Miss May Smith, a nurse in the Manhattan State Hospital at Islip. Miss Smith has been missing since last spring.

A singular feature of the case lies in the fact that Miss Smith was believed to be the fiancée of Augustus Schwarz, who is now in jail on the charge of murdering Irving J. Nelson, of Central Islip, September 16. Belief that the skeleton was that of Miss Smith was based upon the discovery near where the skeleton lay of an automobile veil upon which was embroidered the name "Schwarz."

Relatives of Miss Smith were requested to try to identify the jewelry found upon the skeleton. This jewelry included a necklace with a golden locket, in which a pearl was set, and a gold bracelet.

The theory that the girl was the victim of a murder was strengthened by the fact that the skull was found about twenty feet distant from the skeleton of the body, and there were indications that blood had been thrown upon the body and burned to conceal the crime. Near the skeleton a number of articles were found, including a silver thimble, a pair of scissors, a bill of goods sold at a delicatessen store in Krebel, Prussia, and a folder of a trans-Atlantic steamship company.

The coroner today began an investigation of the case.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 21.—Throngs of white-ribboned women on the streets and in the railroa stations, hotels and other public places today gave evidence of the fact that the national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union is at hand. From every part of the country the delegates have been pouring into the city during the past twenty-four hours, and by the time the opening prayer is said tomorrow, one of the largest gatherings at any national convention in years is expected to be on hand.

Several receptions were held in different parts of the city today, and there was general activity among the delegates in anticipation of the opening of the convention. The official board held a meeting to complete the preparation of the annual reports and to put the finishing touches to the convention program. The sessions of the convention will continue through next Wednesday night.

On the program as speakers are many of the foremost women temperance workers in the country. Several public men of prominence and a number of noted divines will also be heard during the week.

The present convention marks the close of the thirty-fifth year of the well known organization. Though local and sections organizations had existed for some years previous, the National W. C. T. U. was given birth at a convention held in Cleveland in November, 1874. The first officers were: President, Mrs. Annie Wittenmyer, of Philadelphia; corresponding secretary, Miss Frances E. Willard, of Chicago; recording secretary, Mrs. Mary C. Johnson, of New York; assistant secretary, Mrs. Mary T. Burt, of New York; treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Ingham, of Cleveland.

The announced purposes of the organization were "to educate the young, to form a better public sentiment, to reform the drinking classes, and to secure the abolition of the liquor traffic."

DR. JAMES H. CARLISLE DYING.

Spartanburg, S. C., Oct. 21.—Dr. James H. Carlisle, president emeritus of Wofford College and one of the leading educators of the South, is dying at his home on Wofford campus tonight. He is one of the two surviving signers of the ordinance of secession and is affectionately known throughout the State as "South Carolina's Grand Old Man."

TO AID HOMELESS CHILDREN.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 21.—A State conference of men and women interested in the welfare of homeless and dependent children convened in this city today for a two-day session. Included among the topics scheduled for discussion are "The Dependent Children of the City," and "What to Do With Them." "The Child As An Assistant of the Nation," "The Relation of Our Homes to Our Churches," "The Abandoned Child and Its Father," and "The Juvenile Court and Its Opportunities."

RIZZO POINTED OUT AS SLAYER OF PLAYMATES

Drama in Courtroom

He is Denounced by Child, Who Tells Story of How She and the Other Little Ones Were Shot, and of the Night She Spent.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 20.—With a single dramatic gesture, her little white-gloved arm fully extended, Fanny Infusino, the 6-year-old survivor of the ravine tragedy and the companion of the two children who were slain there on the night of September 12, named Theodore Rizzo, in supreme court this afternoon as the perpetrator of those murders. The identification coming with startling suddenness and with great positiveness, caused an immense sensation in the courtroom.

Fanny went on the witness stand at 3 o'clock, just after the examination of her mother, Mrs. Ercole Infusino. The child tripped to the table, holding the hand of Chief of Police Brophy. District Attorney Willis lifted her to the witness chair, after drawing it forward so that the jurors could get a better view of the child. The little girl was not sworn, but her testimony was given as a statement under the section of the code providing for the examination of witnesses too young to understand the nature of an oath.

After reciting how the murderer had attempted to mistreat the Procopio girl and herself, Fanny was asked what she said to the father. She replied: "I said I will tell my mother and he'll shoot you. I'll tell a policeman and he'll have you arrested. Then he said, 'I'll shoot you for fair.' He took out his gun and shot us, first Freddy, then Theresa, and then me."

When asked whether she could see the man in the courtroom who did the shooting, Fanny pointed in the direction of Theodore Rizzo.

"Stand up, Rizzo," commanded District Attorney Willis. Rizzo stood up, and when asked if he was the man, Fanny replied that he was. Flushed and frightened, Rizzo sank back into his chair.

Then the child told how she had stayed in the ravine all night caring for her mortally wounded baby brother, and now and then going to the spot where little Theresa lay dead. Fannie fell asleep several times in the thicket of goldenrod, but "Freddy could not sleep because of the bullet in his stomach," she explained. The child's testimony and her identification of Rizzo as the murderer were not shaken in the least by the prisoner's counsel.

District Attorney Willis called then Mrs. Procopio, mother of one of the murdered children, to the stand. Mrs. Procopio is one of the women who attacked the prisoner in court yesterday, delivering several blows in his face. As she passed Rizzo this afternoon, she attempted to break away from Chief Brophy. She turned her flashing black eyes on the prisoner and made frantic efforts to get at him but she was restrained.

With the jury completed last night, the actual trial was commenced today, and by tonight the bulk of the prosecution's evidence will be in.

LATE LUNCHEON.

Miss Tillie B. Morton gave a delightful late luncheon last evening after the dance, to several of her friends at her home, on East Main street. Those present were Misses Annie Laughinghouse, Julia Moore, Isabella Carter and Tillie Haughton; Messrs. Harvey Bryan, Robert Baker, Edward Darden, Edmund Harding and Dr. Disso-way; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Packard.

SEED GIVEN AWAY.

The Washington Chamber of Commerce has one hundred pounds of rape seed to be given to twenty-five farmers.

This seed is for the purpose of planting to be grazed by pigs and hogs, it being claimed that with a very small amount of corn will produce more meat than any amount of corn fed by itself.

If planted at this time, it will be ready to graze by the middle of February, and will keep six or eight hogs in excellent growing condition until May.

The Chamber of Commerce's interest in getting this crop universally used, it will promote our hog raising industry, giving to the farmers ample feed during that season of the year there is so little green feed for the hogs to get.

This seed is to be drilled in, the same as rutabagas or turnips. If you have never tried this crop, come in and get enough for an acre free.

HOME WEDDING LAST EVENING

Mr. Samuel Pegram Weds Miss Ada Mayo—Ceremony Witnessed by Many Friends.

A beautiful house wedding was solemnized last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Mayo, on East Second street, when Miss Ada Mayo was united in marriage to Mr. Samuel Pegram. For some time before the ceremony the guests wandered about the rooms and halls, admiring the wedding gifts, which were both numerous and costly. Sparkling cut-glass, beautiful silver, and exquisite china, were spread out on the tables, as well as table linen, rugs, chairs, pictures, etc.

At 9 o'clock the wedding party formed in line and entered the parlor to the wedding march, played by Miss Mary T. Howard. First came Miss Goldie Riels on the arm of Mr. Ralph Phillips, then Miss Janie Roberts with Mr. Frank Wright, followed by Miss Emily Harris and Mr. George Hardy, of Newport News. The bridesmaids crossed to the right of the bay window, which had been formed into a woodland box of pines, autumn foliage and ferns, and the groomsmen to the left. Mr. Pegram walked in with his brother and best man, Mr. Chauncey Pegram, of Delhaver, and turing, met the bride as she entered on the arm of her maid-of-honor, Miss Elizabeth Joyner, of Princeton. N. C. Rev. M. T. Plyler performed the ceremony as the couple stood under a true lovers' knot of white carnations.

The bride and her maids were dressed in handsome gowns of white broadcloth braided, with satin and lace yokes, and carried chrysanthemums. It is safe to say that no sweeter wedding has ever been witnessed, nor a prettier bride been seen in this town.

Over two hundred guests were present and were served in the parlors, dining room and porches to most delicious bismarck and vanilla ice cream and cake.

Immediately after the reception the young couple went to their home, corner of East Main and Brown streets, where they will reside in the future.

Mr. Pegram is a junior member of the firm of H. B. Mayo & Co. Prior to that he was collector for the First National Bank, of this city, and is one of the most popular young business men of the town.

The bride is a daughter of the late lamented L. R. Mayo, Clerk of the Court, and a sister of Mr. James L. Mayo, editor of The News, at whose home she was married. She is noted for her beauty, and has been a belle since her entrance into society after her graduation from the Louisville Female College.

Hear Blount Friday Evening

Every citizen of Washington should hear the gifted Henry Blount at the public school auditorium tomorrow evening. He will lecture for the benefit of the public schools of this city. He is a lecturer noted all over the United States, having spoken in every State in the Union. Wherever he has been he has made a reputation high in the scale of public opinion. His coming to Washington is hailed with pleasure. The admission will be 25 cents, children 15 cents. He comes to Washington in the interest of a worthy cause, and it should be patronized generously.

Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, Mr. Blount will make a short talk to the students of the public schools.

FIGHT NEAR MARKET.

Yesterday afternoon there came near being a serious shooting affair at the Market House, and but for the timely appearance of Policeman Pedrick, no doubt there would be missing one of our citizens.

Mr. J. R. Starling while standing in front of the Market House yesterday afternoon, was accosted by Mr. J. W. Brabble over a grudge that has been standing for sometime. Words were passed, the outcome of which Brabble was knocked down by Starling. When Brabble recovered himself he remarked to Starling, "You remain here until I can secure my gun and I'll kill you." Starling held his ground, and in a few minutes Brabble returned. When Starling was seen Brabble leveled his gun and attempted to shoot. Policeman Pedrick, who was near, knocked the gun to one side.

Brabble was arrested and has been placed under bond for his appearance before the mayor next Saturday morning.

ACCEPTS POSITION.

Miss Rena Tingle has accepted a position at the store of Mr. H. W. Ayers. She is a bright young lady, and has many friends.

GAYNOR MAKES FIRST SPEECH IN TIGER HALL

He Is Not Pledged

Hearst Remarks Judge Gaynor Prefers Being Mayor to Being Honest—Tammany Ratifies the Nomination of Gaynor.

New York, Oct. 19.—"And so this is Tammany Hall. It is the first time that I have ever been here, but if this is Tammany Hall, where is the tiger?"

These were the first words spoken tonight by William J. Gaynor, Democratic nominee for mayor of New York, as he gazed out over the sea of faces in the old structure on Fourteenth street, known as the Wigwam, the headquarters of the most remarkable political organization in the world. As he stood there he raised his hand for silence, for the cheering was terrific.

It was a typical Tammany ovation and a typical Tammany ratification meeting. The hall was packed, with here and there a woman's face in the audience. Although Judge Gaynor had delivered several addresses since his nomination, it was not until tonight that the Democratic ticket in Manhattan was officially "ratified."

For the first time since the campaign began Judge Gaynor used notes in delivering his address. For the most part he went over ground that he has covered heretofore—thrusts at W. R. Hearst, his Independent rival, and criticism of Bannard. He also touched on "personal liberty," traction problems, subways, and other subjects of interest to the city only.

Refuses to Be "Swallowed." He repeated that if there was to be any swallowing between him and the tiger, that he would be found on the outside. Referring to the office of mayor of New York, he classed it as second in importance only to the Presidency of the United States, and said that no office offered greater opportunity for exerting power for good or evil.

And, although standing at the very heart of Tammany interests, he sought to refute the charge that he was strictly a Tammany candidate by declaring:

"I asked no organization, no party nominate me, and I say to you now that I have made no promise, no pledge to any man or organization. I am an absolutely free man, and if there is any one here who believes or hopes that I shall abandon my life record, which I hope to leave to my eight children, why, I say let him go to the polls and vote against me."

Two to One on Gaynor.

Gaynor is still the favorite in the betting, although money for election betting seems scarce this year, or else those who wager on the results of elections are holding off for the situation to clear up. At the Hoffman House, where many of the election wagers are posted, it was said that no State in the Union. Wherever he has been he has made a reputation high in the scale of public opinion. His coming to Washington is hailed with pleasure. The admission will be 25 cents, children 15 cents. He comes to Washington in the interest of a worthy cause, and it should be patronized generously.

RUMMAGE SALE.

The rummage sale at Z. N. Leggett's old stand, West Third street, next Saturday, promises to be an unique affair. Many valuable and useful articles will be for sale. The proceeds are for the benefit of the organ fund of the Methodist Church.

Missionary Union Baptist Church

The Annual session of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Roanoke Baptist Association will be held in the Baptist Church here next Thursday and Friday. Arrangements are being perfected by the society here for the entertainment of the delegates, which will come from about twenty-five churches. At the next session on next Thursday, the meeting will be in the nature of a mass meeting. Rev. J. B. Cook, of Greenville, will preach. An effort will be made to put this service into effect so as not to conflict with the union revival preliminary service at the Methodist Church. All the ladies of the town are invited to attend the sessions. The program will be published later.

PLAN ATTACK ON STATE CAPITAL

Washington the Possible Point of Mobilization in Big Maneuvers Contemplated.

A great feature of the Justice State Exposition in Raleigh next fall, in the event the State Agricultural Society determines to undertake this big work for the State, will probably be a mimic war with an attack on the State Capital by nearly three thousand troops.

An appeal will be made to Governor Kitchin and Adjutant General Armfield to dispense with the engagement at Morehead next summer and to have one regiment of the North Carolina National Guard, including the Raleigh troops, to encamp in this city to protect the Capital and the two other regiments to make cross country marches from their homes to points of mobilization and then make a concerted attack on Raleigh.

An officer of the National Guard says this suggestion will meet enthusiastic support from the whole National Guard in North Carolina.

This concerted attack on the State Capital would mark the opening of the exposition, the city being considered in a state of siege.

The War Department of the United States would probably agree to send a regiment or two of regulars to participate in the fight.—Raleigh News and Observer.

This idea, considered by local National Guard officers as very plausible, is not original. It has been suggested before, with Washington as the objective point for the attacking forces because of its strategic location. However, in case of the contemplated maneuvers next year, this city will undoubtedly be the mobilizing point for at least one half of the attackers—Colonel Bragaw's crack Second N. C. Infantry, and, perhaps, many naval reserves and a coast artillery battalion; the regulars and part of the State troops, including field artillery, pending on the other side of Raleigh.

HALCYON CLUB GIVES DANCE

First Dance of the Season Was Enjoyed by the Young People of the City.

The first dance of the season was given by the Halcyon Club last evening in the Elk's Hall. Music was furnished by the Washington Concert Band, and the german was led by Mr. Frank Bryan and Miss Marie Myers. The following couples took part in the dance:

Miss Annie Laughinghouse with Edmund Harding, Miss Rena Denny and Willie Knight, Miss Julia Moore and Dr. Disso-way; Miss Tillie Haughton and Lindsey Warren, Miss Evelyn Jones and Mr. Betts, Miss Winifred Nicholson and Mr. Herbert Bonner, Miss Annie P. Nicholson and Mr. John A. McLean, Miss Carrie Simmons and Mr. David Carter, Miss Bess Conoly and Mr. Charlie Hill, Miss Julia Mayo and Mr. Henry Moore, Miss Mary C. Hassell and Mr. F. S. Worthy, Miss Patty Baughman and Mr. James Ellison, Miss Isabel Carter and Mr. Bryan, Miss Hattie Jones and Mr. J. D. Callais, Miss Miss Blount and Mr. Will Ellison, Miss Randall and Mr. M. A. Smith, Miss McCullers and Mr. Norwood Simmons, Miss Katie Moore and Mr. Cliff Blakely, Miss Maude Windley and Mr. J. E. Clark, Jr., Miss Clara Hoyt and Mr. Hoyt Moore, Miss Tillie Morton and Mr. Edward Darden; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Packard, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bragaw, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Blount, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rodman, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Carter, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Bragaw, Jr.; Mesdames N. Harding, Herbert Bonner, E. W. Ayers, and Randall, Stags: Messrs. Harry McMullen, Dick Neal, Carl Parker, Walter Windley, Lee Davenport, and Robert Baker, of Hamilton.

MARRIED LAST EVENING.

Mr. D. H. Creach, druggist at the Washington Drug Company, was married to Miss Mary Underwood, at Smithfield, N. C., last evening. The wedding took place in the Baptist Church at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Creach arrived in the city this morning and will board with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Walling, North Market street.

The groom during his short stay in Washington has made many friends. The bride is one of Smithfield's most popular young ladies. The Daily News joins in extending congratulations.

There is no use going into a political campaign with any reservation, because you won't have any when you come out.

GREAT CROWDS ATTEND THE STATE FAIR

Farm Exhibits Good

20,000 People Visited the Fair Yesterday—Exhibition of Farmers Creditable and Shows What We Are Doing.

Raleigh, Oct. 20.—It is estimated that nearly 20,000 people visited the State Fair today, affording a record-breaker for second days in past years. This was old soldiers' day, and all the old soldiers who presented themselves with proper credentials were given the freedom of the great fair.

The judging of exhibits began at 9 o'clock this morning in the stock and cattle section of the fair, and is being pushed as rapidly as possible. The procession at 11 o'clock this morning from the Yarrowboro to the fair grounds was especially long and creditable, with fifty-odd marshals in line. The races during the afternoon were watched with great interest by thousands of people, and the open air free exhibitions were pronounced the finest the State Fair has ever provided.

A group of exhibits that are attracting special attention comprises eight special farm exhibits that are entered in competition for the special prizes offered by the State Board of Agriculture for the best exhibits of single farm products. They are remarkably fine and promise to puzzle the judges no little in passing on their respective merits.

Cemetery Lots Need Attention

The cemetery committee of the city is trying hard to put the cemetery in first-class condition, but this cannot be done unless the parties owning lots cooperate with the committee. There are now about 35 lots in bad condition, a majority of which are owned by citizens amply able to fix them and they should see to it they are placed in a condition presentable. Let's keep Oakdale in a condition worthy of the town and the dead.

Owens a Bible 300 Years Old

Southern Pines, N. C., Oct. 20.—Dr. H. P. McKnight, of Southern Pines, has a rare book in the shape of a Latin, Greek and Hebrew Bible, printed just 300 years ago, and still in an excellent state of preservation. The volume is a large one, substantially bound in leather, and it is a splendid example of the good work the old printers of Europe turned out. The book was printed in Switzerland in 1609, the date on the title page in Roman numerals being of the old fashioned notation when the letter C turned upside down figured as a character.

The first part of the book is printed in Greek and Latin, the text in the one language following immediately beneath the line in the other language. The Hebrew portion of the volume begins with the last page and reads toward the front until the Latin is met. The typography is perfect. The skill of the old type foundry and printers must have been equal to that of the men of the same trades at the present time, and the press work and paper show the highest order of ability.

Throughout the book are head and tail-piece engravings of the daintiest pattern, and initial letters. The lines of all the engravings are delicate, clear and strong, and suggest some of the labors of modern times.

The doctor says he would not take \$1,500 for the volume, even though he cannot read much of it. It is one of several curious books that he has gathered up, which all together make interesting novelties for the entertainment of the tourist who is privileged to look over the collection.

New Advertisements in Today's News

- C. D. Parker—Insurance.
- J. K. Hoyt—Ladies' Underwear.
- J. H. Harris Plumbing & Supply Co.—Keen Kutter Tools.
- Washington Water & Light Co.
- Wetback Junior Lights.
- Laxative Bromo Quinine.
- Wm. Bragaw—Insurance.
- Southern Fire Insurance Co.—Special.
- Fall Values.