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### ELECTRICITY KILLED HIM.

DETAILS OF THE FIRST EXECUTION BY THAT METHOD.

**KEMMLER'S DEATH WAS APPARENTLY PAINFUL.**

He is Called Dead in Seventeen Minutes, but Respiration Began Again, and the Electricists Was Once More Turned On.

AUBURN, N. Y., August 7.—Between 6 and 7 o'clock yesterday morning, in the basement of the State prison, in this city, Wm. Kemmler was killed under the law by the use of electricity. On March 29, 1889, he murdered his mistress, "Tillie" Zeigler, and his death was reparation for his crime. He entered the death chamber about half past six and was assisted in preparing himself for death. He was placed in an ordinary chair by the attendant, who introduced him to those present. He made a few brief farewell remarks; there were no prayers in the death room and the man was evidently devoid of nervous tension.

The stated hour had expired and it was fifteen minutes before Dr. Spitzka arrived. Other doctors were delayed. The agent and warden grew momentarily more impatient. He would have the execution all over, if possible, before the men were astir in the prison shops.

"Gentlemen, I will not wait any longer for those who are not here," he exclaimed at length, after peering a last time down to the iron gate.

Silently those waiting gathered about the warden, who led the way to the rear hall, where a guard with a great key stood to open and close the door to the basement region of the prison.

The huge iron bolted barrier swung back, the warden led the way and the silent party descended the iron stairway to the stone floored hall, where the fatal apparatus and its first subject were waiting.

In the semi-gloom of the basement the massive chair of death seemed to loom out of the shadows a little distance from the entrance. As each guest passed it, he might have noted that every strap and every buckle to bind the victim was carefully placed to avoid all possible delay. The electrode for the head hung in its place like a sprinkler disc for ashower bath; chairs and benches stood about the room in a semi-circle. In the uncertain light of the interior room they formed a horse shoe, in whose opening stood the heavy chair, with its dangling straps and buckles.

Suddenly the room was lighted from within. The warden had turned on the lone burning flame at one of the blackened gas burners of the ancient chandelier.

In his final arrangements the warden had placed all electrical apparatus in an ante-room. The purpose of the late change of the electrical volt meter and switches to another room became apparent. Those who should see Kemmler die never knew who had pushed the switch to send the death blow to Kemmler's vitals.

When the final moment came, and Kemmler was asked to take his seat in the fatal chair, he was evidently the coolest man present. He was unflinching and obeyed every word of the warden with willingness and care. He submitted to the straps quietly, and directed the adjustment of the electrode. He made several suggestions to the warden, and finally sat in the chair without a tremor to await the stroke.

A convulsion marked the application of electricity. He was said to be dead in seventeen seconds, and the current was stopped. Later on respiration was resumed and the current was again applied and in thirteen minutes from the first stroke he was again declared dead. The flash of his back was burned, also a spot upon upon the top of his head.

**SOUTH CAROLINA'S CAMPAIGN**  
Over Now and the Democrats do Not Give Up Hope.

CHARLESTON, S. C., August 7.—The most intensely bitter political campaign ever held in the State is ended and the whole State is glad of the fact. The result is that Tillman has 187 of the 320 votes elected to the convention, but the fight is not yet over, and the straight-out democrats do not give up. They will fight Tillman to the bitter end.

Another Alliance candidate has appeared in the field in the first Charleston district in the person of H. A. Metz, of Lexington, who has been endorsed for congress against W. H. Brawley, of Charleston. Metz is a lawyer, but is understood to have taken the Sub-Treasury tonic.

**A QUEEN IN DANGER.**  
Victoria Comes Near to Getting Wet Feet.

LONDON, August 7.—The Queen left Osborne House at 7 o'clock Tuesday for a drive to witness the yacht squadron parade at Cowes. Her carriage had to cross to a steam ferry on a pontoon, on which the Queen's carriage stood caused an inrush of water, which partially submerged the pontoon. The Queen and the spectators were for a moment panic-stricken, but the pontoon soon righted itself and floated free. The Queen was then safely conveyed to her destination.

### "PATIENCE" "PATIENCE"

Take This to the "Grand" With You This Evening.

The Grand opens to-night. Here is the story of "Patience" that will be presented.

Bunthorne, "the Fleashey Poet," has won the affections of twenty lovesick maidens who have been engaged to the Heavy Dragoons, but is in love himself with the Dairy Maid Patience, to whom love is a sealed book, except the love of her old playmate Archibald Grosvenor, whom she has not seen for fifteen years.

Lady Angela, one of the rapturous maidens, explains to Patience what true love is and how unselfish it is and leaves her determined to fall in love with some lady. At this moment enters Reginald Grosvenor her old playmate now known as "Archibald the All Right" an idyllic poet who has loved her fifteen years and whom she now loves. They confess their love, but in the midst of their happiness it occurs to Patience that there can be no unselfishness in loving so perfect a being as Grosvenor, and they part in despair.

Bunthorne, heartbroken at Patience's refusal, by the advice of his solicitor puts himself up to be raffled for by the maidens. While this is taking place Patience interrupts and declares her willingness to marry Bunthorne, because she thinks it her duty. At this the ladies transfer their affections to the dragoons and a reconciliation takes place. Here enters Grosvenor and all but Lady June fall in love with him, and the five act ends amidst the confession of love of the maidens and the horror of Grosvenor and the anger and jealousy of the Dragoons and Bunthorne.

The ladies now devote themselves to Grosvenor, who cannot leave them on account of his love for Patience. The Duke, Colonel and Major, in order to regain the affections of the maidens, imitate Grosvenor in dress and manner and are successful. Bunthorne and June form a plot to overthrow Grosvenor's supremacy. Bunthorne has an interview with Grosvenor, and by a terrible threat compels him to become absolutely commonplace. After which, all the ladies follow his example, and return to the Dragoons. Bunthorne now becomes perfection and Patience discovers that she can no longer love him, as that would be selfish and finds nothing to prevent her loving Grosvenor. This Duke now chooses Lady June for his wife, and Bunthorne is left alone.

### LOLING'S PARENTS.

The Big-ist Must Now Paddle His Own Canoe.

BOSTON, August 6.—The much-married Charles Loring, who is in limbo in Chicago for having too many wives, is deserted by his parents, who live in this city. His father, Mr. John P. Loring, says that Charles must get out of the scrape the best way he can, but they did not get along well together, and a divorce was the result. He has sent for me to go out and assist him, but I shall not go. I have done all that I can for him, and he must help himself now. His shortage while collector for the Boston Light Infantry did not amount to \$5, and there was no necessity for him to leave Boston on account of it. I have seen him but once in five years, and I regret the publicity that his ill-doing has brought us into.

### THE LATEST NEWS FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

—The State Tobacco Association met at Morehead City Tuesday.

—Resolution of the Lincoln county Alliance: That the State Alliance, soon to meet at Asheville, N. C., be requested to memorialize the legislature to double the tax for public schools.

—The Scotland Neck Democrat publishes a letter from a democrat in the western part of that county calling for Hon. W. H. Kitchen to return to the contest for the nomination to congress from the second district.

—The preliminary examination into the homicide of Saturday at Raleigh wherein Sheriff William Hogue shot and killed a colored man named Jones is closed. Hogue was held without bail to answer a charge of murder at the September term of the superior court.

—Mr. Kirby Smith of Goldsboro passed through Raleigh going to Chapel Hill. He was accompanied by his lawyer and is gathering data for the damage suit which he has instituted against the University for false imprisonment. It will be remembered that he was arrested at the commencement of 1889 on a charge of painting the Caldwell monument.—News and Observer.

—Rumors around Winston: "Philadelphia capitalists are interested largely in the development of Salem. A High Point syndicate of lumber men have appointed a meeting to discuss some plans of establishing works at this place. An English syndicate is negotiating with the mineral land owners in Surry, Alleghany, Wilkes and Watauga counties with a view to establishing large smelting works at this point."

—The N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station has procured cuttings of the best varieties of figs in cultivation in all parts of the world. There are thirty varieties in all. These are being grown at the station for the double purpose of testing their hardiness and quality and for growing cuttings to be distributed in all parts of the State. Full directions for fig cultivation will be given in bulletins hereafter, free to all who apply.—W. F. Massey, Horticulturist.

—The following members of the legislature and senate have gone on record as having refused railroad passes: R. W. Scott, Alamance county; B. A. Wellons, Johnston county; J. D. Parker, Perquimans county; C. Beddingfield, Wake county; M. J. Ham, Wayne county; John Norwood, Orange county; N. Gibbon, Mecklenburg county; J. L. Anderson, Hertford county; D. Alexander, Tyrrell county.—Raleigh Farmer.

—John M. Hayes, of Halifax, U. S. Marshal, brought here on a warrant of Madison Hawkins, a white man named Milkidick White, who refused to answer any questions propounded by the census enumerator of his township. White averred that the United States government could not compel him to answer the questions. After a hearing it was found that White was of an unsound mind, and he was discharged.

### AFFAIRS OF CONSEQUENCE.

THE NEWS AT HOME AND AWAY FROM HOME.

**What is Doing in Congress—Mississippi Election Returns—Tillman Conventions—Wind and Mail Storms.**

The prohibition party has begun its campaign in New York.

Mrs. Sidney Lanier and her son are ill with typhoid fever at Baltimore.

The Kearsage has been ordered to Guatemala, and is preparing for the voyage.

The steamship Glenogle has made the trip from Japan to New York in fifty-four days.

The Baltimore and Yorktown Turnpike company will exact toll of funeral processions.

Preparations have been made for two cable lines in New York City, one of them on the Jersey.

General Grant's family are opposed to any removal of the General's remains from Riverside Park.

The republican club of New York has declared in favor of straight-out nominations and no combinations.

Erastus Wiman proposes to carry out his plan by uniting Staten Island with Long Island by a tunnel under the Narrows.

The jury in the libel suit of actors Lotto and Williams against Fanny Davenport, at Minneapolis, Minn., failed to agree.

The Brick Manufacturers' association will retaliate for the boycott of their bricks by not sending them to the New York market.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, recently lost a plot to overthrow Grosvenor's supremacy. Bunthorne has an interview with Grosvenor, and by a terrible threat compels him to become absolutely commonplace. After which, all the ladies follow his example, and return to the Dragoons. Bunthorne now becomes perfection and Patience discovers that she can no longer love him, as that would be selfish and finds nothing to prevent her loving Grosvenor. This Duke now chooses Lady June for his wife, and Bunthorne is left alone.

Ferdinand Schiff, of New York, weighed over 300 pounds, fell overboard, being unable to swim, but he was so fat he could not sink, and so floated until he was rescued.

Twenty-four British sailors deserted Monday at Newport from the flagship Bellerophon. The deserters were fired upon as they landed on Gow Island. All but three were captured.

Mr. T. G. Shaughnessy, assistant president of the Canadian Pacific railway, estimates that the Northwest grain crop will amount to 17,000,000 bushels of which 13,000,000 will be for export.

A wind and hail storm swept over Lyons, Osceola, Dickinson, Emmett and Winnebago counties, Iowa, Sunday, destroying nearly everything in its path. Many horses and cattle were killed and men who were out badly cut by the hail and several are reported as seriously injured.

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