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FLEET SHOWS ITS

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PRESIDENT REVIEWS

Attaches of Several Foreign Defense Rings in "Unwritten Appointment of New Premier Nations Among Those Wit-

NEW YORK, Nov. 1 .- "The fleet

statement this afternoon on board the ships of the Atlantic fleet, assemsades and the shores of the Hudson will echoe back a greater num-

Mr. Meyer says he is satisfied with what he saw today.

Leaving the Mayflower in an ad-miral's speedy launch, after having received on board Rear Admiral O. commander-in- chief. and the division commanders, the secretary paid visits to the flagships erect in a launch, a silk hat firm and a frock coal flapping as he sped from ship to ship in the face twenty-mile nor' by nor'west wind. The Mayflower fired a salute of ulneteen guns as he.left.her.side and this salute was repeated by each of the seven flagships that he boarded, beginning with the Connecticut and ending with the little Dixle, tendof the torpedo boat fleet. His malls completed, the secretary reboarded the Mayff ver which steamed to the upper end of the even miles of warships and passed slowly southward along the entire line, each ship saluting ninteen times back from the New York shore after interval so long that it seemed as if a second bombardment were on in the streets of Harlem. It was 5.10 fp. m. when he repassed the Connecticut on his return trip marking the day's formalities. Members of the house committee on naval affairs followed the secretary on his visits to each flagship, and were hon-

MARSHAL HAD MERRY TIME SERVING PAPERS UPON MILLIONAIRES

Even Rockefeller Told Him Him That He Would be Glad to See Him

CARNEGIE "TROPHY"

and men of affairs, named as deporation. The murshal seemed partrophy in the shape of an autographed photograph. It bore the words,

Carnegle gave me that today. I went to his house to serve him with the subpoens. When my card was sent in, Mr. Carnegie sent word right back for me se come in. He was just as pleasant as could be, and asked me to sit down. He showed me this picture and asked me if I would like one. I told him I would if he would sign it,

and he did."

morning.

The marshal telephoned to John D. Rockefeller that he would be up to see him in a day or so with the subpoena, "and what do you think he said?" asked the marshal. "He said

Union Steel company.

ONE ARGUMENTTO NEGOTIATIONS FOR JURY GETS CASE

Her Fate by Tonight, if Jury Agrees

JUDGE'S CHARGE COMES AFTER FINAL ARGUMENT

Law." Prosecution Attacks Woman's Veracity

OPELOUSAS, La., Nov. 1 .- Barring has demonstrated its preparedness a disagreement on the part of the it, any emergency and has shown jurors, Mrs. Zee Runge McRee, on the effectiveness of the present or- trial on the alleged charge of having murdered young Allan Garland, on the George Von L. Meyer, secretary of morning of September 21, will know perialists and the opening of negotia-

Attorney Veazie made a dramatic presidential yacht, Mayflower, after appeal to the jury for justice, accordg inspected ninety-nine fighting ing to the Louisiana laws and biblical kow.
of the Atlantic fleet, assem- mandates, and excoriated the accused. Ar the Hudson river, for the terms of ridicule and stinging screams. greatest mobilization in the history He ended his remarks with a bitter of the American navy. President denunciation which seemed to affect Taft will review the fleet tomorrow Mrs. McRee and her friends more Mrs. McRee and her friends more as it passes out to sea, and the pali- than anything that has been said during the trial. Many exceptions were to perform the duties of premier, and taken by the attorneys for the de- the present cabinet will remain in

Illness of Juror.

The illness of Juror James M. Smith caused a sudden halt tonight in the trial. Juror Smith was stricken when Judge E. D. Hunter closed his argument for the defense and court immediately adjourned until o'clock tomorrow morning.

Acting District Attorney Dubisso will begin the closing argument for the prosecution immediately upon the convening of court tomorrow, providing Juror Smith has sufficiently recovered. His illness is considered as a favorable circumstance for the prosecution, as it gives Attorney Dubisson night of refreshing sleep, following an extremely tiresome day of argu

Everyone connected with the trial expects an early verdict.

No time was allotted to counsel for argument today by the court, Five lawyers from counsel of the defense, three from the prosecution took part in the argument today, which will be concluded by Mr. Duas he passed. The echoes roared bisson, of the prosecution, tomorrow Arguments of Counsel.

Throughout the argument of coun

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MISS EDMANDS' FATHER BELIEVES IN INNOCENCE

Counsel for State Says it Reports That Financial Aid May be Two Months Before Obtained

SLOW PROGRESS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 1 .- Today, with thirteen months to a day been formally served with the indicting caused the death of Charles J. months hence a jury may have been ed here today, but he took im- who came to the assistance of the of-

Today's results were exactly nothing at all so far as obtaining additional. talesmen accepted for cause was concerned. At the beginning of the seawithdrew opposition to a challenge by the defense against one talesman; the examination of another, who is nearly certain will not reach the jury, occupled most of the day and two others were released just before the close of

the death penalty. Nine talesmen accepted as to cause when court opened, had not been increased at the close of the session. Of has ceased to have faith in Mr. Richethese perhaps two or three will be on

the jury as it is sworn. Ten ventremen were selected for the integrity and innocence of Mr. examination out of a new venire—the Richeson." third thus far, of forty men, summon-

WOULDN'T APPOINT RECEIVER

Judge Daniel Grinnan declined to ap- tion, was fired in the upper house in point receivers for the United Order today's brief session of the legislature of True Reformers, the largest col- which met here at 11 o'clock in extraored fraternal society in existence, ordinary session. It was a resolution I will be glad to see you, and that's The residents of the negro section by State Senator Hebron, declaring of Richmond are parading the streets the extra session a reflection on the tonight and holding celebrations. The integrity of the incoming legislature. order has many thousands of mem-Edmund C. Converse, Daniel G. Reid, bers in all southern states and is es- provided for final adjournment to pecially strong in Washington, as well morrow. It was laid on the table as in Virginia. It got into difficulties subject to call, and without having the United States Steel corporation, through the failure of the True Re-provoked comment. Both houses ad Federal Steel company, Lake Superior formers bank, which was operated as journed in honor of the memory of

ENDINGWARFARELN CHINA HAVE BEGUN

Within Short Distance of Each Other

EXPECTED THAT LOAN WILL NOT BE NEEDED

Presages Confidence of the People

tions with General Li Yuen Heng, leader of the revolutionists at Han-

An imperial edict providing for im portant administrative changes also accepts the resignations of the ministers, but until Yuan Shi Kai returns to Peking, Prince Ching will continue

All the ministers attended a secret session of the national assembly today, which, it is understood, practically agreed to the demands of the disaffected Manchau troops. A member of the war board was appointed to confer with the troops and express the assembly's views.

Loan May Not be Needed The assembly also discussed the r cent loan for which arrangements had been made by a Belgian and The ministers ex-French syndicate. pected that the loan was needed for the purpose of carrying on field oper-The assembly there was a good prospect of the termination of Giolitti took occasion tonight to emhostilities, in which case the loan would not be necessary. It was fin-ally decided to refer the matter by telegraph to Yuan Shi Kai.

The panic among the people of Peking which ensued after the issuance of the first imperial edict, has been largely dispelled, and the news-papers are beginning to sub up the results of the seventeen days' rebellion. The Daily News considers that the appointment of Yuan Shi Kai will change the entire political complexion, restore peace, inspire the people with confidence, command the respect of foreign countries, and place the

Had Been Refused. Declared False

DEFENSE'S COUNSEL

man Robert O. Harris, who have been "a

of the minister's defense, were scoutcourt, on consent - opposing counsel ed by Atorney Dunbar, who was re- his revolvers, the negro stacked by expected to follow, and the other because of opposition to tained by Moses Grant Edmands, standers with the butt end of his weafather of the young woman. Mr. pons and clubbed three before he

"Any statement that Mr. Edmands bullets. son is absolutely false. Mr. Edmands still retains absolute confidence in

LEGISLATIVE FIGHT STARTS

JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 1.-The first gun of the legislative fight between RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 1 .- In the the adherents of Governor E. F. chancery court of this city today, Noel and the anti-administration fac-Incidentally, the Hebron resolution Consolidated Iron mines, and on the a branch enterprise. Many of the members who have died since the adformer officers are under indictment. journment of the last session.

Smokes Well From Either End.

Beforning, NOVEMBER 2, 1911



INDIGNANT DENIAL MADE BY ITALIAN PREMIER OF REPORTED BARBARIANISM

On Contrary he Says His Country Has Run Risk of Grave Dangers on Account of Excessive Humanitarianism-"Example of Generous and Chivalrous Civilization."-"Courage of Army and Navy Shown."

have been spread in foreign countries that the Italian troops at Tripoli have practiced extreme cruelty in the war against the Turks and Arabs. killing women and children, the aged and infirm, and non-combatants, have caused intense indignation throughout italy. These reports already have been officially dealed, but Premier phasize the denial and to make a statement in behalf of the govern-

ment and nation. "If any reproach is admissible," he said, "it can only be an account of the Arabs, who had already declared excess of humanitarianism. We have themselves our friends, to rebel. But, perhaps, through exa rated scruples, spared the lives and property of the enemy, and, in so doing, have exposed ourselves to grave risks. This, by the fact that many of the habitahowever, we have been pleased to do, tions, when set on fire, exploded like to prove that we are civilized and human. Perhaps what is the bounty of the strong may be judged as weak- hidden in them.

"Our soldiers, trained in the school of loyalty and accustomed to the upnot expect that the Arabs, after they selves.

ROME, Nov. 1.—The reports which wounded. Among those heroic dead, transported the prisoners to Tremiti enemy after they had fallen gravely

"He who asserts that the Italian shows ignorance of our country aim race. The acts of treachery were due,

partly to the efforts of Bedouins, about 15,000 of whom migrate at this season of the year from the interfor to the coast for the date crop. formed a kind of conspiracy with the Turks, and succeeded in persuading indeed, the Arabs were ready to take up arms against those they co powder magazines, so great were the quantities of arms and ammunition

"Routed the Traitors'

"After the betrayal, when the Arabs hidden by the trees, walls, and houses, in the casis, shot in the back open enemies or steadfast friends, did Turks, our soldiers defended them-They attacked the casis and Italian army and navy had sworn, and received grain and routed the traitors, killing those praise. Always admired, they render

many were barbarously killed by the and Ustica Islands, where, on their own admission, outside of the curtailment of their liberty, they are betsoldier would offend women or child, ter treated than in their own country.

"The casis within our own lines, after the population had been removed out of harms way, was rendered useless as a cover for the enemy. The trees and walls, and, in fact, everything which might afford a shelter for the Arabs to appeal their treachory, were destroyed. In ne report has General Canavry made reference to any women or children killed. Their still further proof to our treatment mony this is proved by the fact that while the normal proportion between the wounded and dead in battle is one

to two, the Turks having about two thousand killed, and four thousand wounded, our dead numbered 374, and wounded only 158. "In open attacks, in ambushes, and

rightness of the abyssistans, who are the troops courageously fighting the also in time of treason, the courage and humanitarian sentiments of the our and other concessions, would caught in the act of firing, and taking this war an example of generous and treacherously turn their arms upon the others prisoners. For safety we chivalrous civilization."

PICTURESQUE CHARACTER PART IN LYNCHING BEE

Fatally Wounded Two Offi- Two Men Indicted for Alleged Participation in Lynching Six Negroes

LAKE CITY, Fla., Nov. 1. man George A. Roussell and Joseph Charged with the participation in a William F. Cody, "Buffalo Bill" to all elapsed since twenty-one persons lost ment charging him with polsoning Lacoste were fatally wounded and lynching of six negroes here May 21. the world, retired from public life totheir lives in an explosion and fire which wrecked the Los Angeles Times building, hardly the beginning of a visited in Charles Street jail late tojury had been obtained in the trial of James B. McNamara, accused of havprominent in the south, who proba- the Algiers ferry landing, across the fered by the state for the apprehen-

Haggerty, one of the victims. Counsel for the state, estimated that two The negroes who were lynched had

The shooting took place just as picton of having been implicated in former Judge James R. Dunbar, his the ferry reached the Algiers land- the murder of Deputy Sheriff B. B. On account of ill-feeling they were

District Attorney Fredericks retained in Mr. Richeson's inter- five shots promiscuously, reloading his moved to the Columbia county jail pistol and drawing a second one, at Lake City. On the morning of Reports that the family of Miss started up the ferry landing, firing May 21 a mob overpowered the sher-Violet Edmands, the wealthy fiance right and left. Officers Luceste and lift's son, who was in charge of the most picturesque figures of American of the accused clergyman, had de- Roussell were shot through the body jail, and the six negroes were hang-

Other indictments in the case are

COUNTRY JAY'S RECORD

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 1.-Country Jay, set a new world's record for niteen year old trotters by making the mile in 2.09% at the breeder's Present Queen also established

new record for yearling pacing filrecords were made year old fillies at 2.15 %, and Junior lions at 2.16 1/4.

ENGINEER KILLED

North Carolina: fair, colder Thurs- and catching him underneath. The ray; Friday fair, continued cold; spreading of rails is said to have been tial ruling made by Secretary of State

RETIRES TO PRIVATE LIF

Buffalo Bill" Will Spend Remaining Days in Wyoming Big Horn

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 1 .- Col. ing years in the Wyoming Big Horn, where he helped make American history. So far as public exhibitions are concerned, he has shot the ashes from been arrested in Leon county on sus- the last cigar, and chased the last indian.

During a career which began as a pony express rider, led him through more Indian battles than any other living man, and, included twentyeight years as a showman, Colonel frontier life. The appriquet "Buffalo Bill" he earned in the early sixties, when he contracted to furnish buffalo meat to the laborers on the beginning of the Kansas & Pacific railroad, and in less than eighteen months he killed 4,280 bison.

MISS KRUTTSCHNITT WEDS

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 1-Miss Rebecca Kruttschnitt, daughter of Jua lius B. Kruttschnitt, vice president of the Southern Pacific lines, tomogrrow will become the bride of Clifby ford Woodhouse, an English traveler Belwyn McKinney, for yearling trot- and soldier. The ceremony will take ters at 2.21%; Pear Ongale for two place in this city at the home of the year old fillies at 2.16 4, and Junior bride's uncle, J. P. Blair, in St. noise. Before he could lower his Watts for two year old trotting stai- Charles street. They are going to sun there was a shrick and jumping the Orient to be gone until spring.

MAY VOTE UNDER CONDITION.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov., 1 .- President Wilkins, thirty three years old, of Taft will have to appear before the Washington, N. C., engineer of the Cincinnati election board in person on Norfolk and Southern, was crushed either next Saturday or Monday, and to death today near Roper, N. C., establish the claim that he was unwhen the engine he was driving while able to be in the city on registration switching cars, turned turtle, throw-ing out him out of the cab window tion next week.

This was the substance of the offi-Charles E. Graves today.

HER FATE RESTS IN THE HANDS OF **EXPERT ON POISON**

Unusual Series of Deaths Invades Household of Woman Living in Chicago

IS EITHER MURDER OR UNUSUAL COINCIDENCE

Two Husbands, Three Children. Two Step-Children and Two Roomers

CHICAGO, Nov. 1 .-- Chicago police today pursued their investigations in to the deaths of nearly half a score of relatives and acquaintances of Mrs. Louise Vermilya, to make certain whether the similar demises constituted only a remarkable series of coincidences, as Mrs. Vermilya as

Nine deaths are included in the list with which Mrs. Vermilya's name has been connected, including two husbands, two step-children, three children and two roomers at boarding

Developments today, following th establishment of police surveillance the woman's home, came from several cities where she had lived. Pending the report of the toxicilogists are examining the viscers of the last of the persons whose deaths have gocurred beneath Mrs. Vermilya's roof, the police have made no arrests. No positive syldence of crime has been

New Facts The following new

known today:
That while Mrs. Vermilya has said Smith, a conductor, was only a boarder at her home, a former roomer asserts the two claimed pre have been married, and that

lived together as man and wife. That, while the woman told the po-

That R. N. Bruington, a photographer of Peorla and brother-inlove to the widow following Smith's death so as to investigate suspic he then had about the reason for relative's demise; that the widow had told him part of her matrim history, which he desires to give the coroner.

That Smith died during convu and after drinking some substance, whether medicine or not, being unsettled, but that the doctors gave the cause of death, from descriptions of

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MISTOOK HUNTING PARTY FOR DEER, AND SHOT INTO THEM, KILLING TWO MEN

New Jersey Young Man Badly Broken up Over Fatal Mistake

IS LODGED IN JAIL

MAYS LANDING, N. J., Nov. 1 .-Eager to have a shot at a deer which he supposed was coming down an unused road in the gloom of early down today, Charles Norcross, of Ions, N. J., fired into a party of four other hunters, killing two and wounding a

third. The dead are: Conrad Steelman, 'twenty eight years old, of Pleasantville, N. J. John Yost, thirty-two years old, of Pleasantville.

Injured: William Jarvis, Piessantville. Norcross is in the Atlantic county jail here, awaiting the action of the coroner. He is badly broken up over his fatal mistake.

According to Norcross' statement, made to a justice of the peace at Minotola, he was standing behind some underbrush at the side of s road when he heard a noise. Not thinking that any other hunters were in the vicinity, and believing that the sound came from a deer walking down the road, Norcross says he raised his gun and fired one barrel of buckshot in the direction of the noise. Before he could lower his out of the underbrush, he was horrified to see three men lying in the road. Realizing in an instant the terrible mistake he had made, Nororos went after the other members of his party, and the three injured men were placed in the automobile and rued to Pleasantville. One of the

ed to Fleasantville. One of the vic-tims died in six minutes, and the other lived twenty-five minutes. Noreross comes from a respecta-ble family. He is said to be a man of good habits, is married and line two children. The

PREPAREDNESS FOR BE HEARD BEFORE ANY EMERGENCIES

Secretary of Navy Meyer Sat- Mrs. McRee Will Likely Know Opposing Troops' Encamped

GREAT FLEET TODAY

nessing Maneuvers

ganization, the navy smiled as he made this her fate tomorrow.

ber of salutets than was accorded the fense to statements made before the secretary today, but notwithstanding jury by the attorney. the more spectacular event to come.

Salute by Mayflower

HARDLY BEGINNING OF JURY YET OBTAINED IN ored with a salute of seventeen guns. THE DYNAMITING CASE

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.-United States Marshal Henkel was in a cheerful mood this afternoon, and after a round of subpoena serving during the day upon prominent financiers fendants in the government's suit against the United States Steel corticularly pleased as he exhibited a

"compliments of Andrew Carnegie." "Yes, sir," said the marshal, "Mr.

The marshal had communicated with J. P. Morgan and had informed him he would be around to see him before Mr. Morgan left for his business. The financier was waiting for the marshal in his library. He took the subpoena, after a cheery good

Subpoenas have also been served upon Charles Steele, James Gayley, Norman B. Ream, John D. Rockefeller, jr., James N. Hill, E. H. Gary,

BOSTON, Nov. A .- After he had mediately the work of preparing the ficers. defense and conferred at length with

Dunbar said:

OF ACCUSED MINISTER NEGRO DID MUCH DAMAGE CHARGED WITH TAKING BEFORE HE WAS KILLED

cers Beat up Several Citi zens With Revolver Butt

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 1 .- Police-

son, Philip R. Dunbar, and Congress- ing. Declaring that he would get Smith. - white man," the negro fired fell dead, his body riddled by several

ANOTHER CARDINAL

ROME. Nov. 1 -It is stated that meeting held here today. the pope intends to create Archbishop De Almaraz, of Seville, a cardinal Thus the foreign and Italian cardi- lies, going the mile in 2.20 %. nals will be almost equal in number.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 .- Forecast:

northwest winds.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 1-John