

KING HUMBERT KILLED

Sovereign of Italy Shot Down by an Assassin.

A BULLET IN HIS HEART

The King Had Just Entered His Car When a Man Pushed Through the Crowd and Fired Three Shots. The Assassin Seized by the Populace, Who Would Have Lynched Him but for the Interference of Soldiers.

London, July 30.—All Italy is today in mourning for the death of King Humbert, who was shot yesterday at Monza, shot through the heart by Angelo Bressi Di Scapigli, an Italian anarchist.

The assassin was surrounded by a mob of thousands of people who were shouting and waving their arms. The king was shot through the heart and fell from his carriage. He was taken to the hospital, but he died shortly after midnight.

The assassination of King Humbert has caused a feverish feeling throughout the country, but the government has taken measures to prevent any serious trouble in any part of the kingdom.

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LATEST PEKIN NEWS

Letters from the German and Japanese Legations.

SHELLED A WHOLE MONTH

Some of the Legations Still Defended—No Hope for the Safety of Congress and Other Ministers Raised by the Intelligence—Report That They Are Held as Hostages Not Credited—Situation More Serious Than Ever

Washington, July 30.—The following bulletin announcing news from the legations at Peking was posted at the State Department this morning: "The Secretary of State received at midnight last night a dispatch from Mr. Fowler, American Consul at Chifu, dated at noon on the 29th. Mr. Fowler says: "A letter from the German legation dated the 21st inst. received at Tien Tsin. German loss is ten dead and twelve wounded. The Chinese ceased their attack on the 12th. Baron Von Ketteler's body said to be saved. Austrian, Italian, Dutch and Spanish legations destroyed and the French partially. A letter from the Japanese legation, dated the 22d, arrived at Tien Tsin on the 25th. Ten battalions of Chinese shelled the legations incessantly on the 20th of June and stopped on the 17th of July, but may renew. The enemy are decreasing. The German, Russian, American, British, half the Japanese and the French legations still defended. Japanese say they have food for six days, but little ammunition. The Emperor and Empress are reported at Peking."

Condolence from President McKinley Washington, July 30.—The President this morning sent the following message to the Japanese Emperor: "The United States sympathizes with you in this hour of your bereavement. WILLIAM MCKINLEY."

Quirinal and Vatican London, July 30.—Some of the evening papers here attempt to trace a connection between the assassination of King Humbert and the Hancorons Propaganda, that the Vatican is alleged to have conducted against the supremacy of the sovereign. The journals point out that the assassination occurred in the vicinity of Milan, where it is said the recent instruction was largely fomented by the Italian clergy. The Globe editorializes as follows: "As long as the Vatican persists in its anti-national attitude it will be vain to hope for re-establishing the temporal power of the Pope, and so long will foolish and fanatical priests provide with a fearful potent reason for sedition and worse."

The Government Warned Paris, July 30.—The Temps says the Italian Government was warned June 30th that secret anarchist societies had decided on the death of King Humbert and other sovereigns. As a matter of fact, an anarchist was arrested June 20 at Pontelat, on the Austro-Italian frontier, who declared he had been selected to assassinate King Humbert. Increased guards were attached to King Humbert, however, protested and had them withdrawn. The Temps adds that the Pope was the first to convey condolences to the widowed Queen.

French Indignation Voiced London, July 30.—Baron Di Renzis Di Montanaro, the Italian ambassador to London, has admitted his guilt. The assassination of King Humbert was the result of an organized plot or the act of a fanatic who was seeking notoriety. The press association says it is believed in Rome that the plot was organized at the bottom of the public opinion. Rumors of the King's unpopularity have been in circulation for some time, and the ill feeling has been heightened by his attitude toward the Vatican.

Bressi's Motive Unknown Paris, July 30.—On receiving the news of the assassination of King Humbert, President Loubet sent the following dispatch to the new King, Victor Emmanuel III: "I make myself the interpreter of the unanimous indignation against the odious attack which has robbed Italy of her generous chief. I pray you to accept my sympathy and to lay at the feet of Queen Margherita my respectful homage and sincere condolence. President Loubet and the members of the cabinet have condemned all programs for receptions and fetes and the president has cancelled his engagement to inaugurate the press congress. The proposed reception to the Shah of Persia at the Elysee tonight has been postponed on account of the assassination of King Humbert."

Mount Azuma's Outburst Seattle, Wash., July 30.—Particulars of the eruption of Mount Azuma, in Japan, July 17, have been received in oriental papers. So far as known, 250 persons were killed and many hundreds were injured. An English agent of the Japanese government who was among the natives in the vicinity of Mount Azuma during the eruption says: "Early on the morning of July 17 loud explosions, as if heavy guns were being fired, were heard. They gradually decreased and finally ceased altogether; but about 6 o'clock the internal disturbances came to a climax and tongues of fire spouted from the crater. We all stepped toward the valley, not, however, before one of the boulders had crashed through the place and killed twenty people. The ashes and small rocks were falling like hail, and it became difficult to breathe. I reached the village of Hiyakuloko after scrambling through the trees for two or three hours. Everything seemed to be drying up from the intense heat. The ashes were hot and covered the ground for half an inch. One family of ten who were too frightened to do anything but pray got hemmed in by the lava and were burned in the flood. Several of the men and children from the village became exhausted along the road and most of these were burned to death."

Minister Reported Out of Danger Brussels, July 30.—A dispatch from the Russian admiral, Alexieff, dated Tien Tsin, July 30, and communicated to the foreign office, says that the latest news confirms the report that the foreign ministers at Peking are out of danger.

General Chaffee Lands at Taku Washington, July 30.—Adjutant-General Corbin today received the following message from Major-General Chaffee, stating that he has already landed at Taku: "Chefoo, July 29. Adjutant-General, Washington: Left Nagasaki daybreak July 26. Arrived Taku tonight, July 28. CHAFFEE."

Letter from the German Legation Berlin, July 30.—The German consul at Tien Tsin, Dr. Eiswaldt, telegraphs, under date of July 28, that he has received a letter from Herr Beulo, first secretary of the German legation at Peking, which was written July 21, and which reads as follows: "Thanks for the news of July 19. Corde's (the interpreter who was wounded at the time Baron Von Ketteler was killed) condition is satisfactory. The other members of the embassy are well. Our detachment has had ten killed and fourteen wounded. The damaged buildings have been much damaged by cannon shot. Since July 16 the attack of the Chinese troops on us has been interrupted. We have received no communication from Berlin. It is urgently necessary that the relief troops should be pushed forward with the utmost despatch. "According to reliable reports the body of Baron Von Ketteler is in the possession of the Chinese government."

WORDS THAT BURN

Judge Ewart Reviews Doctor Thompson's Letter.

BLISTERS BUTLER'S HIDE

The Judge Gives Lusk a Slap in Passing and Tells Holton That He Has Undertaken to Deliver Goods That Are Not His to Give—The Western Republicans Utterly Repudiate the Populist Senator.

Hendersonville, N. C., July 30.—Special.—The following statement was given out today by ex-Judge H. G. Ewart: "When Dr. Thompson says that under this arrangement we have the united force of the Republican members of the legislature for Senator Butler's return to the United States Senate he tells what he must know to be a wilful and deliberate falsehood. With the possible exception of Virgil Lusk of Buncombe, a notorious cat's-paw and lickspittle of Marion Butler, not a solitary nominee of the Republican party for the general assembly in Western North Carolina or the Piedmont belt will vote for Butler's re-election. If Mr. Holton has entered into any such disreputable and corrupt compact to deliver the votes of Republicans to the infamous and damnable scoundrel who now misrepresents the people of North Carolina in the United States Senate, he has undertaken to deliver goods that he will find himself unable to deliver. Judge Ewart, Republican nominee in this county, indignantly repudiates this alleged agreement and declares that no emergency could arise which would induce him to cast a vote for Butler. He is assured that this is the feeling all through the west where Butler is everywhere regarded as a knave and traitor. "Thompson's letter is a most asinine production and will lose the party thousands of voters in the State. The absurd declaration that he favors and that Republican representatives will favor a constitutional amendment to forever disfranchise the negroes from holding any office in this State is an insult to every black voter in the State, and any negro who would vote for Thompson after such a declaration deserves disfranchisement. It would be proof positive of his inability to cast an intelligent vote. Another remarkable admission is the admission in his letter: 'It cannot be expected that a very large number of the members of the Legislature will come from the east at this election, and that members opposed to the Simmons march will come from the central and western portions of the State.' In other words, in those counties where the noxious plant of Populism has its rankest growth and where the negro Republican vote is to be protected by stalwart Butler, he admitted that they are powerless to protect the ballot box, and that white Republican voters in the western and Piedmont sections must elect representatives who will vote for the infamous Butler in return for the disfranchisement of the negro. Butler's honor (?) of having the entire Republican ticket monopolized by Populists of the Thompson-Butler stripe. With wonderful magnanimity they have actually given us three places on the entire State ticket. For this great honor let us get down on our bellies in the dust and devoutly thank the magnanimous and generous hearted Butler. "As a lawyer I believe the constitutional amendment to be in violation of the provisions of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendments and that it will be so declared by the courts of last resort. I am a Republican and shall vote for Wajser, Adams and Reynolds, the Republican representatives on our ticket, and I shall certainly scratch the name of every Populist on the ticket and advise Republicans all over the State to do the same thing. Decent and self-respecting Republicans are getting a trifle wearied over this constant dicker and trading with such political vermin as Butler and his white and negro associates. Every sensible man in the State knows that there is only a shadow of the Populist party of 1894 and that we are dealing with an organization that exists only in name. Butler has never intended that Thompson should make the gubernatorial fight to the finish. A 'stand-up and count' of the populist vote in the State is the last thing in this world that this political mountebank wants. What he needs and what he wants is a new coat of tar and feathers instead of a re-election to the Senate, and it should be given him by the negroes of the State whose vote put him where he is and whom he now, with signs of ingratitude, wants re-elected and disfranchised. "The foregoing interview is authentic and authorized by me. "H. G. EWART."

STATESVILLE DOWNS DURHAM Fancy Twirling Done by Pitchers Kenna and Burns Durham, N. C., July 30.—Special.—In an all-around good game Statesville defeated Durham here this afternoon by a score of 3 to 2. Kenna was in the box for the visitors and Burns did the twirling act for Durham. Both men did good work and kept the hits scattered except in the second inning, when by bunching hits three of the visitors were on the round of the diamond and came home. Durham got a couple of hits in the fifth inning and one man came home. In the sixth another run was made. When the home team came up for its last inning a great effort was made to score, and tie Statesville, which resulted in getting two men on base; but there they remained when the last man had fanned at Kenna's balls. Both teams played good ball. Durham 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 2 4 1 Statesville 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 6 2 Batteries: Burns and LeGrand; Kenna and Lambert. Summary: Earned runs, Durham 1, Statesville 3. Two base hits, Clark, Kenna and Malone. Struck bases, Durham 2. Hit by pitched ball, Durham 1. Struck out, by Kenna 8, by Burns 6. Time of game, 1:50. John Carr umpire.

Charlotte 3, Wilmington 4 Charlotte, N. C., July 30.—Special.—By a lucky hit in the ninth inning Wilmington won from Charlotte this afternoon's game. The score stood 3 and 3 at the beginning of the ninth inning, when Wilmington scored with only one out, thus winning a close game. Dixon for Charlotte made the only double play. Malotte struck out two of Wilmington's men. The score: R. H. E. Charlotte 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 3 5 2 Wilmington 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 1 4 1 0 Batteries: Malotte and Cuddy; Sweeney and Gwaltney. Umpire, Harrill.

Standing of State League Clubs Won. Lost. Pct. Tarboro 14 7 .666 Charlotte 11 8 .579 Durham 10 9 .526 Statesville 7 13 .500 Raleigh 5 13 .400 Wilmington 6 11 .353

Games Today Statesville at Raleigh. Wilmington at Charlotte.

Boston 3, Cincinnati Boston, July 30.—The Boston bid fair to win out in today's game, but failure to take advantage of opportunities of scoring in the last few innings, particularly in the eighth and tenth, lost the contest. The score: R. H. E. Boston 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 8 1 Cincinnati 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 1 4 8 1 Batteries: Scott and Kehoe; Willis and Clements. Umpire, Swartwood.

American League Games At Chicago: Chicago 4, Indianapolis 3. At Minneapolis: Minneapolis 12, Buffalo 4. At Kansas City: Kansas City 0, Cleveland 4. At Milwaukee: Milwaukee 2, Detroit 5.

READY FOR A FORCE BILL Fox Person Wants Bayonets at the Ballot Box Claims to Be a Populist and Will Vote for McKinley—Not Ashamed of Voting for Abe Mideleton

Goldsboro, N. C., July 30.—Special.—At Stony Creek, Wayne county, today, Fox Person, Populist, who is canvassing the State against the amendment, said: "I am ready for a force bill and to put bayonets around every ballot box. I might be the time will come when God Almighty will send a blighting hand on the towns of North Carolina. I am not going to vote for Bryan. I am going to vote for McKinley." He admitted that as a member of the Legislature of 1897 he voted for Abe Middleton for doorkeeper and said he was not ashamed of it.

ENTHUSIASM IN ASHEVILLE Fires of White Supremacy Burn Brightly in Buncombe Asheville, N. C., July 30.—Special.—A tremendous and enthusiastic procession tonight in honor of white supremacy, and thousands of torches and colored lights and firing anvils saluted the coming tide of the amendment. At the time for the procession to start from the square the firing anvils and bands had gathered a dense crowd of several thousand men, so that twelve hundred torches were soon given out. One hundred horsemen formed the line, which coared with a chorus of cheers. The streets were lined with ladies and visitors, and everywhere unbounded enthusiasm prevailed. Buncombe precincts were well represented. The old county is for white supremacy by twelve hundred tonight. Gen. J. S. Carr and others spoke at the old depot. Republicans are hiring men to form a procession for Adams and Pritchard tomorrow. Hundreds will come from Madison to make a crowd.

A Negro Shoots a White Man Asheville, N. C., July 30.—Special.—At 11:30 o'clock thousands are at the square where Gen. J. S. Carr, Dillon M. Luther, Locke Craig and W. A.

WHAT TALLEY SAID

Confederate Soldiers Were Perjurers and Traitors and It Was Right to Disfranchise Them

Sanford, N. C., July 30.—Special.—In view of the fact that the black-and-tan crowd shed tears over the old Confederate veterans who, they claimed, would be disfranchised, the following affidavits of good citizens of Moore county make interesting reading: North Carolina—Moore County. John A. Dalrymple having been duly sworn, says that he was present at the discussion at Broadway, Cape Fear township, Moore county, July 25, 1900, and heard Wiley Talley, fusion candidate for the Senate from Randolph, say as to the disfranchisement of Confederate soldiers, that they had violated their oaths to support the Constitution and were perjurers; that they were traitors to their country, and it was right to disfranchise them. (Signed) JOHN A. DALRYMPLE. Sworn to and subscribed before me, July 30, 1900. (Signed) DANIEL H. ARNOLD, Notary Public.

We, the undersigned, heard the discussion referred to, and state that the above is a true and accurate statement of the remarks made by said Talley. (Signed) J. D. COPELAND, M. M. WATSON, M. M. WATSON, N. A. STEWART. Sworn to and subscribed before me, July 30, 1900. (Signed) DANIEL H. ARNOLD, Notary Public.

SUMMER AT MOREHEAD

Most Prosperous Season of the Atlantic Hotel Many Guests Arrive, Walle Few Leave —Delightful Breeze All the Month —Phenomenal Catches of Trout and Mackerel

Morehead City, July 30.—Special.—The most prosperous season the Atlantic Hotel has ever had is still on, and from all indications will last well into September. More than seventy-five people arrived Saturday and Sunday, while less than half that number left yesterday and today. Coupled with the magnificent southwest wind which has been sweeping the coast here all this month, is the best fishing in the history of the place for the season. Following the fine catches made Saturday of the previous week, the sport has been unexcelled this week. Phenomenal catches of trout and bluefish were made every day in the sound, and Saturday there was a run of mackerel on the outside that afforded rare sport to those who went trolling, and yielded a total of 547 of the speckled beauties as a result of the day's catch. There are now nearly three hundred guests at the hotel, and a more delightful crowd was never gathered together. A great many who usually go down late in July have postponed their visit this season until after the election, August 2, after which date there will be a large number of prominent North Carolinians who will come down for two or three weeks, thus making the remainder of the season one of the pleasantest portions. The hotel was never better kept than now, and the Scotts are winning a large amount of praise for their most excellent management.

DRUNK ON THE TRACK

A Section Foreman Killed by a Fast Freight Train Asheville, N. C., July 30.—Special.—James Sweeney, a section foreman, was run over by through freight No. 73 near Blountville, Tenn., Sunday morning. Sweeney and McDarris were drinking Saturday night and sat beside the track and fell asleep. The train cut Sweeney's head partly off, and McDarris' knew nothing about it until morning. Sweeney was about 35 years old and lived at Fullen, Tenn.

The Hearing Postponed

Goldsboro, N. C., July 30.—Special.—The case of Government vs. Murchison and Taylor, charged with fraudulent use of the mails, set for trial today before United States Commissioner Humphrey, was postponed till August 15th. Both defendants were present and insisted on a trial, but District Attorney Claud Bernard stated that the government was not ready owing to the absence of witnesses, and asked for postponement. Commissioner Humphrey reduced the bond to \$200.

Mr. Charles H. Mebane, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, has returned from Burlington, where he attended an educational meeting Saturday.