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Criminal Extravgance in the Post Office Department

So Says Former Represention the floor of the House of Represent tative Loud-Payne Insists That Nobody is to Be Shielded - Machen Probably the First to Go

Washington, May 4-Interest in the ongressman Loud of California, formerly chairman of the House commithit either of these gentlemen called phase of the unfortunate situation.

very happy after his talk with the post-

gant, criminally so. I have stated this all of the storm of scandal has raged.

atives many times. The conditions there have been and are simply disgraceful. But Congress would never cut down the estimates. The organization of the force in the post office department is such that the different University Students Celebrate bureaus work independently. Mr. Bristow is entirely competent to carry on the investigations and he has trained inspectors under him who undoubtedly work without fear or favor. I think

It has been charged that Mr. Payne was revived today by the visits of Sen- subject at an early day in order that it victory over the University of Vir- Dominican government bonds have not place the island under the protection tor, Lodge of Massachusetts and ex- may be forgotten before the political ginia last Wednesday and Washington campaigns are on. The postmaster and Lee Tuesday. The debaters won general indignantly denies this, howtee on post offices, to Postmaster Gen- ever, and says he has no favorites to Payne. There was no evidence protect and no desire to hush up any

gainst any official of the post office has already found or in order that obstructions to a thorough and impar-Representative Loud appeared to be tial investigation may be removed.

that the investigation will develop stastic reception to the victorious base "ome highly interesting facts." hevestigation of alleged irregularities is disposed to treat the scandal very ington where they defeated Georgeand frauds in the post office department gingerly and to get rid of 'the whole

appressly for the purpose of discussing Although nobody in the post office the details of the investigations being department except the postmaster genarried on by Fourth Assistant Post- eral is posted from day to day as to master General Bristow, but enough what Fourth Assistant Postmaster cossip followed their visit to bring out General Bristow's investigation is dethe fact that Postmaster General Payne veloping, the belief has become general professed to be more than ever deter- that it has already been determined to and to thoroughly sift every charge, ask several officials to resign either beg and liftle, that has been made cause of what Bristow's investigation

As the head and front of the post ofmaster general, and he talked as fol- fice department troubles-real or imaginary-probably the first man to go This investigation was something will be Augustus W. Machen, thief of that had to come. The department has the rural free delivery service, the gold heen excessively lavish and extrava- Democrat, about whose official head

The President Lunches With Colorado Cowboys

Trip in the West-Ho

Swings Around and Makes a Few Broken Remarks

to stop to receive the governor of Col- sitting on his stomach. orado, Adjutant General Sheman and Governor Peabody and the other Col-

pel's feed wagon and the cowboys, just Stewart and Horace Devereux, a forready to go out on the spring wind- mer rough rider, left the train. A p, cavorting around it, he got right off great national guard display was the the platform and made for it. He principal feature of the reception. The dipped up his tin cup full of coffee, president will visit Santa Fe, N. M., speared his hunk of steak from the tomorrow. ommon frying pan, and fell to, plying the cowboys with many questions, fulls. When he returned to the train, the fractured Colorado program and the governor, the cowboys gave vent Asheville Women Interested their emotions by turning them-Falves loose. The president was partic-Harly touched by the thoughtfulness of resident, and wore one while exhibit- didates in the municipal election.

blocks and residence districts, saluted ganization. mayor rode with him. He spoke from to grant an eight-hour day. ularly on the efforts of the national W. Vanderbilt.

Humorous Touches of His government to inaugurate a system of circulating that would be for the benefit of the small land owners and not for the speculators. From the capitol the president was driven through the city park where all the chool children of Denver were drawn up along the roadways.

There were two fights in the Denver station as the train pulled out. One Pueblo, May 4-No one who has been tramp who resented the courteous ef- refusing the charter on the ground that er of Lenoir. It is freely predicted that not live very far from the Reichlen son to doubt that such traveling as he conductor, to prevent him from boardis doing furnishes him with the most ing the train to make a personal statefun in the world. Today, for instance, ment to the president on the wrongs he began a tray feed wagon breakfast of society. The tramp managed to pull non-qualified persons. The supreme which had been arranged for him by Johnson from the train and they rolled John Keppel, a ranchman of Hugo, in around the platform for a few rolls spite of frantic efforts on the part when the secret service men got of those in charge of the itinerary to through and convinced the tramp of decline the invitation. There was no the error of his ways. At the same SAILORS SAVED time for it. A bad precedent would time an Italian, who had several times he established. There were all sorts been sent away from the president, of reasons why it would not do. Kep- made an effort to get to him, and the hel thought he knew some things about police were asked to take him in hand Mr. Roosevelt. He drew up the feed to search him. When last seen the wagon as near as possible to the place Italian was making vigorous protest where the president's train was going because four Denver policeman were

oradoans, including the president's for-When the president saw Mr. Kep- mer hunting companions, Philip B.

bout the round-up in between mouth-

in the Reform Ticket

Asheville, N. C., May 4 .- Specialthe of their number, Woolly Eardsam, Prayers will tomorrow ascend conwho had heard that the silk hat was the stantly from women of the city for the reoper attire with which to salute the success of the anti-saloon league can-

the cussedness of the worst buck- Many women will, without regard to denomination, assemble at the Baptist At Denver the president met with the church for an all-day prayer meeting. ther extreme of Colorado hospitality. There is every prospect of a desperate he rode in the front of a procession struggle for supremacy between the of thirty carriages through business reform and the regular Democratic or-

Everywhere by waving hankerchiefs Numbers of workmen went on a strike and flags. Governor Peabody and the here today because contractors refused

stand on the steps of the capitol to Lillian Nordica who is to sing here about 25,000 people, who cheered him tomorrow night, will spend some time the end of almost every paragraph during the afternoon at Biltmore House he uttered. The president dwelt par- as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George

Brown Carries Charlotte by a Good Big Majority

Charlotte, N. C., May 4.—Special.— cratic primary and ran as an indenofficial returns tonight show that pendent candidate. Mayor P. M. Brown carried three of the Business was neglected today for pollour wards of the city in today's elec- itics, a majority of the better class of on. In that one ward, the third, citizens feeling the importance of the Taptain T. S. Franklin received a mar- moral issue at stake and the danger firsty of one vote. It has been one of of returning Charlotte to its former e most intensely exciting elections in condition before the moral reforms were ceived here today from Rome states Admiral George Dewey, Washington, Charlotte's history. Both candidates instituted. Brown's majority, accord- that Rev. Charles H. Colton, rector of I ofessed to stand upon the same plat- ing to official returns, is 225, while all St. Stephen's Catholic church, New, form-moral reform-though the saloon, of the present board of aldermen were York, was today appointed bishop of vice to the nation, I wish you all pos-

tefused to enter the regular Demo- for moral reform.

GREAT REJOICING

Recent Victories

Chapel Hill, N. C., May 4 .- Special .-

ball team and debaters. The team returned today from Washfrom Johns Hopkins Saturday night in the contest here.

Members of both teams, several of the faculty and a number of students made speeches and the University band furnished music. Last week was a red letter for Carolina. The Demonstration was enthusiastic and a deserved tribute to the team.

KNOCKOUT FOR CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

nia supreme court today affirmed a ruling of the late Judge Arnold, in which he refused to charter a Christian Scithe Scriptures,' Mary Baker G. Eddy.' Judge Arnold referred the application to incorporate a group of citizens who would preach the doctrine that there is no such a thing as a contagious disease or any disease, and practice the at a distance.

prevent the practice of medicine by win the suit. court today upheld this view and quashed the appeal.

New York, May 4.- The Phoenix line steamship St. Andrew, Captain Fitzgerald, which arrived today from Antday, when at 3 o'clock in the morning a brig was sighted with the French ensign flying at half mast as a signal of

The distressed vessel proved to be the French fishing brig San Souci of St. Servan. A lifeboat was lowered and put off. The boat made three trips between the steamer and the brig, and, in a tremendous sea, safely transferred ficer reported that he found the brig a complete wreck. The San Souci sailed from St. Malo, France, March 28. On deus ice floe which was interspersed FUNERAL OF April 24 she got caught in a tremenwith a large number of icebergs. The brig spent nearly twenty-four hours in trying to get clear, with the result that the hull was severely damaged by the

grinding ice. On April 25 a severe gale arose, in masts, and, as the hull was leaking badly, the crew was kept continuously at the pumps. They had despaired of keeping the vessel afloat when the St.

Andrew hove in sight. In the terrible gale of April 25 six

ntelligence was received here today from Limestone township to the effect that Robert Murray was instantly killed nour ness. Mr. Murray was a son of W. D. Murray, and was well known in his

Colton Mode a Bishop

New York, May 4.-A dispatch reament supported Franklin. Franklin re-elected. It was a sweeping victory Buffalo, in succession to Monsigner eible happiness and a long life. Quistey, now are bishop of Chicago,

RESULT WILL BE RUIN TO CONQUER HAYTI

other Revolution After Awhile | Honors Thrust Upon Him Washington, May 4. The following New Haven, Conn., May 4. William

Maxwell at San Domingo City:

state department from a reliable source of the Island of Hayti by the American that the Dominican republic is rapidly negroes. The students of the University, in going to pieces. The department's in- The plan is for Pickens to enlist in follow, and the result will be ruin."

town Saturday, besides the decisive the advices. The Belgian holders of of Hayti, and, if successful, eventually been paid interest in five months. The of the United States. San Domingo Improvement Company, The government will be republican in an American concern, has not received its political formation, according to nounced success. The attractions are its monthly installments of interest Pickens, but will be administered as a

> cisco arrived at San Domingo City all dangerous and incorrigible crimi- Davie street, is a scene of brilliance April 27th, but information to that ef- na's will be provisioned and set adrift and splendor. The hundreds of elecfect did not reach the navy depart- on the sea to seek other shores. ment until todays The gunboat Bancroft, which left Boston for San Juan, Porto Rico, Saturday will probably relieve the San Francisco, and the latter will then proceed to Europe.

Philadelphia, May 4.—The Pennsylva- Ashe County the Scene of a Notable Irial

Wilkesboro, N. C., May 4.-Special.ence association. The proposed asso- The biggest mineral suit ever tried in ciation was "to establish a place for North Carolina is now in progress at support of public worship and to preach Jefferson, Ashe county. This is the trines of Christ Jesus as found eighth day of the trial and the prosin the Bible and the Christian Science pects are that it will take another day. text book, 'Science and Health, Key to It is the case of Ballou vs. Ballou, involving the title to a million dollars' ore field in that county. The array of ter be refused on the ground that "it legal talent is great on both sides. The would be injurious to the community plaintiffs, John R. Ballou and T. Cleve Merrimon of Asheville, Templeton, Lindsay & Templeton of Knoxville, Linney & Linney of Boone, T. C. Bowie, art of curing of what are called con- R. H. McNeill and D. A. Davis of Jeftagious diseases by inaudible prayer, ferson. The defendants are represented whether in the presence of the sick or by Watson, Buxton & Watson of Winston, Todd & Beil of Jefferson, R. A. The master's opinion was endorsed Doughton and W. C. Fields of Sparta; by Judge Arnold, who filed an opinion G. L. Park of Jefferson and W. H. Bowthe purpose of the association as dis- the defendants, the heirs of N. B. Balclosed was improper and in violation lou and the Pennsylvania Steel Compaof the laws, which were intended to ny, represented by Richard Wood, will

> Garfield Clark was convicted of manslaughter at the present term of Ashe court. He killed Charles Stansbery in to a theory that has been advanced, a half is given twice a day and every a row last fall.

MORE BOMB THROWING

This Time It Resulted Disasfrously to the Throwers

Salonica, May 4 .- Another dynamite explosion occurred here yesterday. Little damage was done. That there was not a more serious outrage was due to the disclosures of an Italian woman of the city. She suspected that her lodger, Refusal of Request Will Be George Jourdan, was hatching a plot, and gave information to the police. Thirty soldiers were detailed. They surrounded the house while Jourdan and three friends were inside.

The imprisoned men threw a bomb at the soldiers, but it struck beyon and one of his friends, seeing that the bomb had no effect, blew out their own brains. The other two were shot by

Washington, May 4.- The remains of the late Alexander R. Shepherd, formof his services in the upbuilding and eautification of the national capital. of the crew were washed overboard and Washington early this morning in a government or not. funeral car on the Chesapeake and Ohio. Until 9.30 o'clock it rested in a was forming to convey it to the New was suspended.

Reosevelt to Dewey

Washington, May 4 .- The navy department today made public a telegram sent by President Roosevelt to Admiral Dewey, May 1, as follows: Topeka, Kan., May 1.

On this anniversay of your great ser-

THEODORD ROSEVELT.

San Deminge Will Have An- William Pickens to Have New

telegram was received at the state de- Pickens of Lime Rock, Ark., the colpartment today from Consul General ored orator of Yale, 1904, who captured the Ten Eyck prize in February, has "Vasquez government fallen. New received an invitation to become the provisional government organized. En- head of an Afro-American republic to tire territory under its control. Gen- be established in the Island of Hayti. eral Whose Y. Gil, provincial presi- The proposal comes from N. L. Musgrove of Sturgis, Ky., who is agitating Information has been received at the a movement tending toward the seizure

mass meeting tonight, gave an enthu- formant says: "The civil war now in the movement in the east and collect force may soon come to an end, but money for the equipment of an army there is no doubt that another will and purchase of a war ship and transportation. Then the negro army hope A very black picture is painted in to attack Port Au Prince, the capital

corporation with all the citizens as The United States cruiser San Fran- stockholders. There will be no jails, but entrance to the capitol square down to

NOT THE PRIEST

Detectives New Working on a Jilted Lover Theory

Loraine, Ohio, May 4.-The pendulum of public opinion in the Reichlin case has reached its height so far as Father Walser is connected with the deed, and is rapidly receding in another direction. The evidence produced in his tions and brilliant scenes this one favor has had the effect of removing easily beats them all. public prejudice against the priest. The Gaskill-Mundy-Levitt company The conditions are rapidly taking a has no equal in the carnival line. This turn where the case will be judged on statement has been repeatedly made by gett streets. actual evidence. Detective McBride those having the local management of has been convinced from the first that the present event in charge, and the streats. the priest was not guilty and has been opening last night preved the truthfulworking on this theory. Yesterday he ness thereof to the entire satisfaction received important information which of those whose experience and knowl-

not guilty. that an important clew has been discovered and that possibly before tomorrow night the case will be far enough advanced to give the facts to the public. It is claimed that in the Pride are well founded the crime will be laid at the door of a man who does sent from the city, with the general lay of the house and with the sur-

on a ladder. This theory is on the lines of the jiltlover, and should it pan out will create almost as profound a sensation as that of the arrest of Father Wal-

Followed Later by a Demand

taken today by the secretary of state with regard to the refusal of the congress of Salvader last Friday to authorize the payment of the half million collars awarded to the United States against that country by the tribunal vador Commercial Company, an American organization. Secretary Hay sent minister to Salvador, directing him to which is overdue more than two months. Should payment be refused, and this is expected, a demand instead of a request for the amount will be made. What will be done if this course should fail remains to be seen.

The state department twice asked Senor Lopez, the minister of Salvador here, for the payment of the award, Governor Shepherd died September but it was never ascertained whether 12 last in Mexico. His body reached he transmitted this information to his

room at the station, while an escort Member Claims Commission York avenue Presbyterian church. The given to the state department that Dr. public schools were dismissed for the Paul, a Caracas lawyer, has been apday and during the parade business pointed assistant Venezuelan member Until 4 o'clock this afternoon the re- claims of the United States against mains lay in state at the church. At Venezuela. Robert C. Morris, the agent Murray was standing by the side of that hour the funeral was conducted of the United States in the Venezuelan her husband when the bolt came and by Rev. S. S. Mitchell of Buffalo, who claims cases, went back to New York she was knocked down. One shoe was was Governor Shepherd's pastor. Inter- today, having completed the preparatorn from her foot and it was half an ment was at Rock Creek cemetery. tion of the claims to be presented by which resulted in the death of General up a plucky running fight. Finally his him to the joint commission. There San Miguel, the leader, and possibly guards were reduced to six men, and are thirty of these claims.

Invitation to Convention

in Savannah.

The Big Carnival Is On in Full Blast

Full and of a Most Entertaining Character--Many People Out the First Day--Larger Crowds

Raleigh's May Festival, K. of P. Free Street Fair and Merchants' Carnival is on in full blast, and is already a pro-

Today

many and varied Fayetteville street, from the south tric lights make it especially a scene of beauty at night. At the head of the street is the electric fountain and the carnival arch, and all along the street on both sides attractive booths are arranged with some form of entertainment for the throngs surging back and forth. At the intersections of the cross streets the big shows are tented, with

new and handsome fronts. The attendance yesterday, especially in the evening, surpassed all expecta- streets. tions, and the people were pleased. A gentleman who has visited some of the other carnivals held in the state said last night that in point of big attrac-

led him to believe that the priest is edge of such things put them in position to speak with intelligence. It is It was acknowledged this evening certain that we have here the greatest aggregation of interesting and instrucone time in the state. The public has only to make the rounds to be convinced of the truth of that statement. The fun and sight-seeing kept up last

night until the clock struck 12, when they were closed until this morning. sunshine, and there will be thousands

tions is the Stadium, on the beautiful rounding premises. In fact so we'l did building, with entrance in Martin thirty-five people taking part in the performances, and the feats they present are unequaled by the best circuses. A Japanese slack wire walker does many thrilling stunts in mid-air The billiard table acrobats give a nove act. The bar work is very fine. The strong people are wonderful and do some really surprising feats. There are trapeze acts, tumbling acrobats and in all none but artists are seen. Today the wonderful and startling loop the loop bicycle feature will be done. The se performances are given at 4 and 9 p. m. Every visitor to the city this week should visit the Stadium.

While the above is mentioned as among the best, it is not to be supposed that there are not other just as interesting attractions to be seen. The wild animal tent in Fayetteville street must not be overlooked. The crystal maze and the "house upside down" are beautiful and bewildering. Beautiful Jim Key, the educated horse, and Lunette the flying lady, are well known attractions that never fail to interest, and never grow old. A long list might be enumerated, but it is unnecessary, for those mentioned are fair samples of what is here, and sufficient recommendation for the whole show.

The names and location of the free attractions are as follows: Cycle Wheel-Hargett and Wilmington, at 4 p. m. and 10 a. m. High Dive-Fayetteville and Davie, at p. m. and 10:30 a. m.

Slide for Life-Fayetteville street, near city hall, 3:00 p. m. and 8:30. High Wire-Fayetteville street, near ity hall, 3:30 p. m. and 9:30 p. m. Roman Rings-Fayetteville street, point.

11:30 p. m.

The List of Attractions Are between Fayetteville and Morgan, 2:20

In addition to the above, for the information of visitors the following are named as some of the attractions for which charges are made, the names of the attractions, the prices for admission and the time of opening: Stadium, adults 25c., children 10c.;

opens 4 p. m., 9 p. m., performance 4,30, Animal, adults 25c., children 1004 opens 1 p. m. Jim Key, adults 15c., children 100 opens 1 p. m.

Lunette, adults 15c., children 10c. opens 1 p. m. Rient 15c.; opens 1 p. m. Wild West 10c.; opens 1 p. m. Aztec 10c.: opens 1 p. m. Sampson 10c.; opens 1 p. m. Dixie 10c.; opens 1 p. m.

moving picture 10c.; opens 1 p. m. House Upside Down 10c.; opens Maze 10c.; opens 1 p. m. Reptiles 10c.; opens 1 p. m. German Village 10c.; opens 1 p. m. Ferris Wheel 10c.; opens 1 p. m. Merry Go Round 5c.; opens 9 a. m. And for the purther information and convenience the location of some of the

Animal Show-Fayetteville and Davie streets. Lunette - Fayetteville and Davis

leading shows is given herewith:

Wild West-Fayetteville and Davis streets. Crystal Maze-Fayetteville and Martin streets.

Aztec Girls-Fayetteville and Martin Orient-City Hall.

Picture Show-Fayetteville and Har-Jim Key-Fayetteville and Hargett

House Upside Down-Fayetteville and Hargett streets. Dixie-Hargett and Wilmington sts. German Village - Fayetteville and

Morgan streets. Sampson-City Hall Reptiles-Wilmington and

The work of the local committees has faithfully performing their part of the contract. The police officers say every thing is decent and proper, no pickposkets have shown up, but a constant lookout is being kept for them. A number of additional officers have been put on duty, and in addition to the determination of the city authorities to see that nothing improper is allowed Mr. Levitt has specially requested that tempting anything crooked or that is that he knew where to place his hands act is a special feature. There are in any way in violation of the contract. The carnival is bright and interesting and a good time is ready for all comers. Let everybody come to the b.;

THE IRISH BILL

carnival.

Redmond Declares Some of the Provisions Are Disappointing.

London, May 4 .- The Irish bill came Mr. John Redmond, the Irish Nationalsecond reading of the bill. the Nationalist members were in agreement with the government on many tuement there must be a change in the financial clauses and other provisions in the original draft. The portions of the bill relating to congested districts where, according to Mr. Wyndham's explanation, the district boards would look to the tenants to do something towards working out their own salva-Electric Fountain-Capitol, 8:30, 9:30, tion, were a crushing disappointment, said Mr. Redmond. It would be a rank absurdity, he declared, to pretend that any bill would-be satisfactory which did not definitely settle this.

Washington, May 4.—Notice has been General San Miguel Has Fought His Last Battle

Washington, May 4.-Details of the, San Miguel, with a body guard of 80, engagement between the Macabebe attempted to slip through the lines of department by mail this morning.

in an old Spanish stone block house. Greensboro, N. C., May 4.-Special .- surrounded by thick jungle and pro-The Industrial and Immigration Asso- tected in the rear by a swamp. Macaciation held a meeting today and took bebes charged this place under a heavy steps to extend an invitation to the fire and drove the garrison, composed Southern Baptist Convention to meet of about 160 men, into the jungle, after in Greensboro next year. A most cor- killing 41 within the walls. Later nathe grass and bambees.

at last San Mignel was seen to fall. In spite of this he fired his revolver The outlaws were found intrenched while lying on the ground. When his body was found three bullet holes were discovered in it and about him were the corpses of the entire body guard.

Many valuable papers and record were captured in the fost. Among these was a large book giving information dial invitation will be extended to the tives brought into Calogoan many oth- of the first and third somes of the recent convention at its approaching meeting ers who had been found scattered in political society known as the Katipu-