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**George Hollamby Druce, Who Claimed the Portland Estates, and Robert Charles Caldwell, the American.**



**AN OLD HERO'S IGNOBLE END**

(By Cable to The Times.)

London, Dec. 31.—Just at the expiration of the twelve months period he had given the world to make his wife, Major H. G. Charles Phillips, one of the heroes of Spain, died in the arms of his wife in the village of Crookham yesterday, and after wounding two visitors and leaving his beautiful wife in the belief that he had murdered her, ended his own life with two revolver bullets fired at close range. The death took place in the presence of his twelve-year-old daughter.



The Druce mystery, so far as the grave of Thomas Charles Druce is concerned, whose descendant claim the Duchy of Portland, has been solved, by the opening of the grave and finding therein the body of Druce. In the picture is shown an monument to Druce, erected in the Highgate Cemetery; on the right is a sketch of George Hollamby Druce, who claimed the Portland estates, and below is a picture of Robert Charles Caldwell, the American who swore he saw rolls of lead put in the Druce coffin.

**CHARLOTTE'S POLICE REVENUE DOUBLED**

(Special to The Evening Times.)

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 2.—Figures compiled yesterday by the city treasurer disclosed the astonishing fact that the income to the city from the police department during 1907 was double that received during 1906. The figures in the case are, for 1906, \$6,454.15, and for 1907, \$13,116.19. The difference, a little calculation will show, amounts to \$6,662.04, more than 100 per cent increase. This cannot be interpreted to mean that the city has been more disorderly than previously, for the common knowledge of citizens would disprove at once such a hypothesis. But the figures reflect an increased energy on the part of the officers of the law in ferreting out crime and an increased vigor in the prosecution of offenders, with a view to making crime, whether secret or notorious, as rare a thing as possible.

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WHERE'S THE GOOD SHIP MOUNT ROYAL NOW?

St. John, N. B., Jan. 2.—The fate of the Canadian Pacific steamer Mount Royal, now twenty-five days out from Antwerp, with Captain Purcell and nearly 400 persons on board, is causing great anxiety. Not one vessel arriving in the last three weeks has reported the Mount Royal, and the lack of news is regarded as ominous. The Mount Royal is upward of 7,000 tons gross. She carried a small cargo.

The Mount Royal had on board, on leaving Antwerp, 305 steerage passengers—Galicians, Russian Jews, Finns, and a few Belgians. She also carried a crew of eighty men.

It Does the Business.

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." See, at all drug stores.

**SEMI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE POPE'S MINISTRY**

(By Cable to The Times.)

Rome, Jan. 2.—Fifty years ago Pope Pius, then plain Father Giuseppe, of the little chapel in Reise, sang his first mass to the poor folk of that congregation. In St. Peter's as supreme head of the Catholic church on earth he celebrated the semi-centennial of that first mass with no more pomp or show of power than characterized his entrance into the priesthood.

**RELIGIOUS FANATIC BURNS HERSELF TO DEATH WHILE PRAYING**

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 2.—Mrs. Elizabeth Mosher, her mind unbalanced by religious fanaticism, burned herself to death at her home in Lincoln yesterday afternoon, praying fervently and singing while her body was being consumed by flames.

In 1888 the similar jubilee of Pope Leo, his predecessor, was ushered in by the entrance of 230,000 pilgrims to Rome. The glory of that ceremony is still remembered. At the present ceremony St. Peter's held only the priests and cardinals and those people of Rome and outlying Italian towns who came, not to witness, but to worship.

After kissing her husband and telling him that she was going to take a nap the woman went to her room upstairs, soaked her clothing in a gallon of kerosene, lit a match and ignited it. Then throwing herself upon her knees by her bedside she began to pray loudly and to sing snatches of hymns. Her husband's attention being attracted, he rushed up stairs to find her enveloped in flames. She screamed to him to go away and continued to pray and sing while she was being literally roasted alive. Mr. Mosher made a desperate effort to extinguish the flames, but his wife fell over dead.

Pope Pius would permit no gorgeous preparations for the festival. In keeping with his well known desire for simplicity he had decreed that the mass celebrated in his honor should resemble as far as possible the first of his career.

Mrs. Mosher was converted a short time ago and for several days had spent most of her time praying and singing hymns. She was 65 years old.

It was his wish that the ceremony should be in keeping with his humble beginning in life, and in consonance with the early years when he was priest to gondoliers and fishermen and son to the poorest family in a destitute Venetian province.

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Former Resident of Charlotte Killed. (Special to The Evening Times.)

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 2.—Mr. W. R. Boggs, Jr., the young mining expert, who was stoned to death by a mob of enraged men near Topia, in Mexico, December 1st last, because the company of which he was an official did not pay their wages when they fell due, was very popular in Charlotte, where he resided for several months in 1898. The following is from The Mining and Scientific Press, of San Francisco, Cal.:

"W. R. Boggs, Jr., was killed near Topia, in Mexico, on December 1st. Owing to the failure of his company to pay the wages due to the employees, a mob of miners met him on the road and stoned him to death. He was born in 1857 and graduated from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1877, taking a supplementary course at Columbia. His professional work took him to Leadville and Rico, Colorado, and to many parts of Mexico. He was an engineer of reputation and the writer of several papers on mining geology. A number of men implicated in the horrible fatality have been arrested."

MR. JOYNER AND SENATOR OVERMAN AT MOORESVILLE.

Superintendent of Education J. Y. Joyner left this afternoon for Mooreville, where tomorrow he will dedicate the handsome school building of that city. The exercises will be under the auspices of the Junior Order and Mr. Joyner and Senator Lee S. Overman will deliver addresses.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially recommended for piles. Sold by King-Crowell Drug Co.

**ORANGE-EATING CONTEST AND ITS RESULTS**

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Marion, O., Jan. 2.—Incidents in an orange-eating contest, the reward to the winner to have been abolition from the necessity of purchasing the morning luncheon, may cost two young telephone operators at Azotia, Marion county, their lives. Physicians last night expressed little confidence in their ability to save the girls, Rachel Hoster and Sula Crissinger, from the consequences of their going on oranges and bananas yesterday.

**PULLING THE ASSASSINS OF THE REVENUER**

(Special to The Evening Times.)

Winston-Salem, N. C., Jan. 2.—News has reached here that John Hill, of the notorious Smithtown gang, alleged to be implicated in the killing of Revenue Officer J. W. Hendricks, a Southtown, a few days ago, for whose arrest the United States government offered a reward of \$200, was captured about 9 o'clock this morning at his home, the arrest being made by Messrs. Harshbarger and Walker, citizens of Dalton, Surry county. It is also reported that Hill was carried to Greensboro and turned over to the federal authorities. Oscar Sisk, one of the trio alleged to be responsible for the killing of the revenue officer, was taken a few days ago. There is only one more for whom arrest the government has offered a reward, Jim Smith, for whom there is a reward of \$1,000.

**4 MEMBERS OF ONE FAMILY MURDERED**

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Winston-Salem, N. C., Jan. 2.—A report has reached the coroner here that four members of a family living at Gray's Mills, near here, have been found murdered.

No details accompanied the report. The coroner has started an investigation.

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Maryland Peach Brandy . . . . .	2.50	4.50	2.60	4.75
New York Apple Brandy . . . . .	2.50	4.50	2.60	4.75
Virginia Apple and Peach Brandy . . . . .	4.00	7.50	4.10	7.10
Canadian Malt Whiskey . . . . .	3.00	5.50	3.10	5.75
Private Stock Corn . . . . .	2.50	4.50	2.60	4.75
Hatke's Virginia Mountain Rye . . . . .	2.50	4.50	2.60	4.75
Merry Old Kentucky Rye . . . . .	3.00	5.50	3.10	5.75
Golden Corn . . . . .	3.00	5.50	3.10	5.75
Old Four Hundred Rye or Corn . . . . .	4.00	7.50	4.10	7.70
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