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PREPARING FOR HER DEATH.

Murderer Crandell's Wife Still Conscious, but Not Expected to Live.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

TROY, Dec. 20.—The all-absorbing topic at Ballston Spa to-day was the terrible triple murder of yesterday morning, when S. S. Crandell shot and killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary E. Stone; his stepdaughter, Miss Julie Bulkley; fatally shot his wife Julia and then ended his own existence by sending a bullet through his heart. The tragedy was discussed in stores, on the street corners and around the firesides. The crime is the most brutal that ever took place in the quiet village. Hundreds went to the handsome mansion in which repose the remains of Mrs. Stone and Miss Bulkley, and mournfully gazed upon the pallid faces of the dead. Many were the words of sympathy offered for Mrs. Crandell. Her condition was such that no one was allowed to see or converse with her except her physician and a few relatives. She has remained conscious the entire time since the murder, and has held long conversations with the physicians and undertaker. She suffers but little bodily pain and bears the terrible ordeal with great fortitude.

The physician discovered that Mrs. Crandell had been shot three times, instead of twice. The third wound is near the right hip, and it is feared the bullet has entered the pelvic cavity. Mrs. Crandell's condition to-night is regarded as precarious. This afternoon she began vomiting, which is considered a dangerous symptom. The remains of Crandell were taken directly after the murder to Young's undertaking rooms, where they lay in an icebox until this afternoon, in the same condition as when discovered on the floor of the cupola. Hundreds visited the rooms and looked at the dead murderer. Mrs. Crandell directed that a single lot be purchased in the Ballston Cemetery and that Crandell be buried there. His body was placed in a plain coffin by Undertaker Young and taken to the cemetery this afternoon. There were no funeral services, no mourners and only a few curious people who followed the murderer's remains to the last resting-place. The expense of the burial will be borne by Mrs. Crandell. She refused to allow Crandell to be buried in the family plot in Oakwood Cemetery, in this city.

Undertaker Millard, of this city, has charge of the funeral arrangements of Mrs. Stone and her granddaughter, Julie Bulkley. It has been decided to hold the funerals from the family residence Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. The pastor of the Presbyterian Church will officiate. The caskets have not yet arrived, although they have been ordered. The one for Mrs. Stone will be of a dark material, while Miss Bulkley's will be of light blue. The funeral services will be of a very simple character and there will be no display. The remains of both parties will be brought to Troy on the noon train Saturday, and will be placed in the vault at Oakwood. In the spring they will be interred in the family plot.

Mrs. Crandell to-day selected from the wardrobes of her mother and daughter the dresses in which she desired them buried. Her every wish has been complied with. When Mrs. Crandell learned that her husband had killed himself her greatest desire seemed to be to get him out of the house as soon as possible. Undertaker Millard had a long conversation with her this morning, in which she made known her wishes in regard to her own funeral in case she should not survive. She ordered the flowers for the funeral of her mother and daughter. Great sympathy is expressed in this city for Mrs. Crandell, and the one wish is that she may recover. A great crowd will meet the remains at the depot Saturday and accompany them to the beautiful cemetery. Both Mrs. Stone and Miss Bulkley were well known and highly respected in Troy, and the funeral cortége will be one of the saddest that ever wended its way to the silent city of the dead on the hill.

Crandell, the murderer and suicide, was born in Easton, Washington County. His father was a farmer and Sylvester was a son by a second wife. The murderer had a half-brother, Asher Crandell, who died in Cambridge about fifteen years ago, and his widow lives there still. When a young man Sylvester wanted to go into the mercantile business at Salem, but had no money. He induced his father to mortgage the farm in order to give him a start. Getting all the cash his father could raise, Crandell went into business and lost the money. When his father sold his farming effects he took about $700 worth of notes. These young Crandell got hold of, and, obtaining the money on them, lost that also. His business career has always been unsuccessful.

MR. MANNING MUCH BETTER.

His Family Authorize the Statement that He is Not Seriously Ill.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

ALBANY, Dec. 20.—Ex-Secretary Manning has rested easily all day, and his condition temporarily is certainly better than it was yesterday. The report that he has had a second paralytic shock is absolutely without foundation. The fact, however, is not disguised that there has been for two weeks past a perceptible failing in his condition and physical powers. His appetite to-day has been good and his intellect perfectly clear. He converses with his family and reads the newspapers, and there is no immediate alarm felt at his condition.

The family of the ex-Secretary authorize this statement as to his condition:

"Mr. Manning came to Albany on Tuesday last from his New York residence to spend the holidays with his eldest son, Mr. James H. Manning, whose residence in Lancaster street was formerly that of the Secretary. Mr. Manning has not had, either in New York, Albany or elsewhere, any recurrence of the attack that prostrated him in Washington in 1886, nor is any expected by his physicians. In the nature of the case they say no such recurrence is possible. Mr. Manning is somewhat weaker than before making the journey to Albany, but his appetite remains good and his mind is as clear as at any time in his life. His condition, though serious owing to the physical weakness, is not at present alarming."

PLATT'S CASE GOES OVER.

Attorney-General O'Brien Unable to Obtain a Trial at This Term.

ALBANY, Dec. 20.—In the Circuit Court to-day, Justice Learned presiding, Attorney-General O'Brien moved the Platt case for trial, and in an argument contended that there was no reason why the case should not go on at once, as counsel engaged by Mr. Platt, and who were present, were fully acquainted with the case in all its phases, and were as well able to try it as though Mr. McFarland, senior counsel, were present. He also read all the correspondence which had taken place between himself and counsel for Platt, and contended that all the defendant had been striving for since the case commenced was delay. He added that the only question involved was one of fact as to the residence of the defendant.

Ex-Senator Harris objected to the case being forced to trial in the absence of counsel who had had it in charge from the outset, and submitted an affidavit of Mr. McFarland to the effect that he was actually engaged in the trial of a cause in the United States Court in New York City and would be detained by it until Friday. Mr. Harris said the main reason urged by the Attorney-General for trying the case was that he was going out of office and would not be able to try it. Even so, his deputy, who was coming in, could take it up, and if necessary, employ his predecessor to try it. There was no popular demand for the trial at this time, or, if there was, then the Attorney-General was culpable in not having moved in the matter three years ago instead of now.

Mr. Harris further contended that more than a mere question of fact was involved. As a matter of fact, there were many very important questions involved, and they could only be tried by counsel who was familiar with the case. Mr. Harris further asserted that politics were behind the movement to force the case to trial now. Justice Learned decided that the case must go over for the term. The next circuit convenes on Jan. 9.

LEFT ALL HER MONEY TO HER SON.

The Great Commodore Lawrence's Daughter Ignores Her Husband.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 20.—The will of the late Mrs. Mary L. Redmond, wife of William Redmond and granddaughter of Commodore Lawrence, of "Don't give up the ship" fame, has just been proved. For years Mrs. Redmond has occupied the Lawrence cottage on Kay street, bequeathed to her by the Commodore's widow. Her husband resided in New York and rarely came here. They had but one child, a son. Mrs. Redmond was regarded as one of the most beautiful married women ever in Newport. From the beginning to the end of her will the name of her husband does not appear and not the slightest reference is made to him.

The will leaves all of her property of every kind and description to her son, W. P. Redmond, "provided, that the gifts and directions expressed in a memorandum heretofore made by me shall be faithfully carried out and performed." Mrs. Redmond stipulated that if her son should die leaving no descendants, the prize silver presented by Congress to Commodore Lawrence shall go to the next of kin of the Lawrence blood, and the portrait of the Commodore, by Gilbert Stuart, shall go to the New Jersey Historical Society. The will names Sidney Webster, son-in-law of ex-Secretary of State Hamilton Fish, of New York, and Lloyd M. Mayer, of this city, as executors. The latter has qualified.

MRS. CLEVELAND HELPS BUSINESS.

She Patronizes Washington Merchants and They Appreciate Her.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—There is just now no more industrious Christmas shopper than Mrs. Cleveland. Hardly a day passes that she is not seen on the avenue peering with a critical eye into the store windows, gay with holiday goods, or standing at the counters selecting presents for the long list of friends she invariably remembers at this festive season. Mrs. Cleveland is beginning to be regarded by the milliners and dressmakers of Washington with the utmost favor. It has long been the habit of the ladies of the *bon ton* residing in the city to go to New York or Philadelphia to do all their shopping. Mrs. Cleveland, however, has set the fashion of patronizing local merchants, whose business has, in consequence, received no inconsiderable impetus.

Not long ago the "first lady of the land" discovered a very tasteful milliner on whom she at once bestowed her patronage. The "Mrs. Cleveland bonnet" was a bewitching affair of scarlet silk braids, ribbons and flowers, and was exhibited with much pride by the milliner to her other customers. As a result there are now scores of similar bonnets to be seen on the avenue any pleasant day, worn by old, middle-aged and young ladies, all of whom delight to acknowledge the superior taste of the mistress of the White House.

A bright little shop girl, who uses her snapping black eyes to good purpose, has been making quite a study of Mrs. Cleveland's shopping manners. She said to THE WORLD correspondent to-day: "Do you know, I waited on Mrs. Cleveland several times before I knew who she was? She was ever so pleasant and kind when she bought anything of me, but instead of having me send home every little paper of pins or bit of tape, as most of our customers do, she would carry it with her. Why, I have seen her take quite a big bundle under her arm and walk a block or two without even going to her carriage to leave the package. I tell you, sir, I am always sure I have found a real lady when she is willing to carry a bundle on the street. One day Mrs. Cleveland bought quite a lot of things, and when I asked her where I should send them she said, 'to the White House,' just as quietly as I would say 'to Capitol Hill.' Why, I have some lady customers who, if they could send their things to the White House, would shout the directions loud enough to be heard a mile. I just think Mrs. Cleveland is too nice and modest for anything."

M. BERNHARDT WEDS A PRINCESS.

His Wife Connected with a Branch of the Bonaparte Family.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—Maurice Bernhardt, the son of the actress Mlle. Sarah Bernhardt and Princess Thérèse Jablonowska were married at midnight in the church of St. Honoré, Avenue d'Eylau.

The Princess Thérèse Jablonowska is a grandchild of the stepdaughter of Prince Lucien Bonaparte, the brother of Napoleon I. Prince Lucien's second wife was the widow of the Paris stockbroker, Jouberthon, one of whose daughters married a member of the Jablonowski family. Prince Charles Jablonowski, the greatuncle of the bride, is a member of the Austrian House of Peers, Grand Marshal of the Kingdom of Galicia, a Privy Councillor and a Chamberlain of the Emperor Francis Joseph. Those of the family, however, who belong to the branch from which Maurice Bernhardt's wife is descended are debarred from holding any court appointments on account of the fact that M. Jouberthon was a mere "bourgeois," and for the same reason the bride, Princess Thérèse, is not "hoffähig," that is, debarred from being presented at the courts of Vienna or Berlin.

Maurice Bernhardt, the son of the actress, is well known in New York, having been there on several occasions with his mother. He is rather more manly than the ordinary type of French "gommeux" or dude. It is reported that his father is the Prince de L., a well-known Belgian nobleman of ancient peerage.

Mr. Buckingham's Public Bequests.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Dec. 21.—Among the bequests in the will of the late Stephen M. Buckingham, of this city, are the following: Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Episcopal Church, $20,000, distributed among its different departments, as follows: Domestic, $10,000; Foreign, $5,000; Colored, $3,000; Indian, $2,000; New York Bible and Prayer-Book Society, $1,000; Trustees of the Fund for Aged and Infirm Clergymen of the Episcopal Church in the Diocese of New York, $1,000; New York Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen, $1,000; Home of the Friendless, Poughkeepsie, $2,000; Vassar College, $8,000, to found a scholarship in perpetuity, preference to be given to daughters of clergymen of the Episcopal Church, to be called the Catharine Morgan Buckingham scholarship; Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., $50,000; St. Paul's Church, Poughkeepsie, $10,000; Benson J. Lossing, in token of long friendship, $1,000.

FOREIGN PAUPERS SENT BACK.

An Unusually Large Number Returned This Year from Massachusetts.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

BOSTON, Dec. 21.—More paupers have been sent back to Europe this year by the State of Massachusetts than ever before. This is due to the increase of immigration, which has been about one-third larger than ever before. Forty-five per cent. of this increase represents Scandinavia. Ireland comes next with an increase of 30 per cent. The greater part of the paupers sent back are taken from the charitable institutions of the State. In some cases where the immigrant becomes a pauper soon after landing he is sent back at the steamship company's expense, but in most cases this burden falls upon the State. In a few cases the paupers attempt to return, but they seldom outwit the officers.

During the year ending Oct. 1 the authorities have returned about two hundred paupers to foreign countries. About one hundred and seventy-five of these went to Great Britain and twenty-five to Canada. In addition they have returned 500 paupers to other States, the most of whom were foreign born. About three hundred stowaways were interviewed by the State officers, and those who were thought to be unable to support themselves were sent back. But as a large proportion of those allowed to land eventually bring up in penal institutions of this or other States, it has been decided not to allow any stowaways to land hereafter unless friends come forward and show their ability and willingness to care for them.

IT MAKES THEM FEEL QUEER.

Mysterious Leak in a Schooner Which Makes the Sailors Superstitious.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 20.—The schooner Harbeson, Capt. Hickman, which was towed here last week in a leaky condition from Delaware Breakwater, where her crew had deserted her on the voyage from Baltimore, is the victim of an uncanny sort of leak which has baffled all attempts at discovery and has cost the owners a good pile of money. The vessel, to all appearances, is staunch. When empty, she is as tight as a drum. Loaded with ice, the pumps only draw a little fresh water, but loaded with coal, she leaks so badly that the crew have to keep at the pumps all the time. This makes them weary, and when the leak can't be discovered it makes them feel queer. Sometimes they mutiny and leave her on the voyage, as happened on the last trip.

Almost every known means has been taken to discover the leak, but without avail. She has been steamed and smoked, and had a new bottom put in—all of which cost several thousand dollars—still she leaks. Sailors are beginning to feel superstitious about the strange leak, and it is not an easy matter to get a crew. Capt. Hickman was hard at work to-day hunting up a crew to take the vessel to Philadelphia or Baltimore, where she will be docked and filled with water in another effort to discover the leak.

Will This Be the Telephone Decision?

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—It is said to-day by the anti-Bell telephone people that the Supreme Court will render its decision in the Bell telephone suit shortly after the holidays. There will be three opinions rendered, they say, the effect of them being to limit Bell's fifth claim. That claim broadly covers every device for transmitting articulate speech by means of electricity, which now gives Bell a monopoly of the telephone business. If the claim is limited in any way it will open the field to the employment of any form of transmitter or receiver that does not infringe on the Bell patent.

Engaged in Youth, Married in Age.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 21.—Judge Brinson, of Burke County, has just returned from Franklin, Tenn., with his bride, Miss Hearn. Years ago the Judge was a student in a law-school in Franklin, where he met and became engaged to Miss Hearn. The lady's family, being Methodists, objected to him because he was a Baptist, and thus a severance took place. Several weeks ago Judge Brinson accidentally heard that the lady was still single, when he at once renewed the romance of his youth, with the result stated.

GIANTS NEVER LIVED.

Some of the Scientific Jokes Played Upon the Credulous.

[*From the San Francisco Call.*]

Dr. Harvey W. Harkness, President of the Academy of Sciences, was asked by a *Call* man yesterday what he thought of the reported discovery in Arizona of giant skeletons of men. Two such reports have come lately over the wires to San Francisco, in each instance stress being laid upon the enormous tusks, rather than teeth, that were found in the jaws of each skeleton. In reply to the query the doctor laughed and said: "These yarns belong to the same category as the stories of lizards and snakes cast from the stomach of people, of frogs found imbedded in coal, and other marvels of like sort that are periodically dished up for the benefit of credulous readers. This skeleton romancer, however, has spoiled his market by seasoning his goods too highly. No human being of eight feet or any other number of feet in height could possibly have teeth three and a half inches in length. These giant stories crop up periodically, the locality of their finding being changed to be sure, but in other respects the same flavor of untruth pervading them all. Every one of these tales winds up with the suggestion that the traces of a giant race have at last been found. Now, the fact is that all scientific research conclusively proves that there not only has never existed a race of giants, but that all the people of the past were, as a rule, smaller in their dimensions than are the people of the present day. The coats of armor prove this to have been the case with the men of the Middle Ages, and in like manner is it proved by relics of Rome and Greece. I have measured many Egyptian mummies with similar result, and skeletons of the prehistoric Irish race added their quota to the same effect. And so it has happened in every land where ethnologists have had opportunity to study the bones of the by-gone people. The physical improvement of man has kept pace with his mental advance—a fact that can be easily understood by him who appreciates the effect upon the physique of hygienic discovery and protective laws. I have also noted of late several accounts from Alaska of a live mammoth, or some such animal, that is reported to have been seen by Indian hunters in different parts of that Territory. This is where the modern Munchausen has got in his work again—basing his romance upon the frozen Elephas primogenus that was found some years ago on the bank of the Lena River, in Northern Siberia. How the aforesaid animal came to be encased in frozen earth and preserved for thousands of years is a question that has not yet been satisfactorily determined, but we do know that at the time of its death it had been subsisting upon deciduous plants belonging to a very temperate or semi-tropical climate. We also know that such animals could not retain life upon the food to be found in the Siberia and Alaska of to-day, and we therefore know that no such animal is at present living in Alaska."

Colored Men Who Oppose Mr. Lamar.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 21.—The National League of Colored Men, at a meeting held in the Charles Street Church, adopted the following resolutions opposing the confirmation of Secretary Lamar as a Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States:

Whereas, It is the opinion of the National League that no man, who, by his public utterances and his conduct both in public and in private life, has shown himself to be prejudiced against the equal rights of more than seven millions of American citizens because of their color, and in spite of their loyalty to the Union, and who, many years after the war, refused to vote that the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution are valid and binding, ought to hold the high office of Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States; therefore,

Resolved, That L. Q. C. Lamar ought not to have been appointed Justice of the said court, and the National League prays that the Massachusetts Senators vote against him and exert themselves to prevent his confirmation.

This resolution has been forwarded to Senators Hoar and Dawes.

LINCOLN, Neb. Dec. 20.—Gov. Thayer to-day sent the following letter to Messrs. Paddock and Manderson, the Nebraska members of the United States Senate:

DEAR SIRS: As a citizen of the United States and as a Republican, I respectfully but most earnestly protest against the confirmation of L. Q. C. Lamar as a Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. He was a bold and defiant advocate of the dissolution of the Union in 1860 and 1861. He was at heart and in principle just as much a traitor as Jeff Davis. He has never recanted his treasonable sentiments. A man with such a record should never be placed upon the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States by the votes of Republican Senators. He is not a fit person to interpret the Constitution of the United States. Very truly yours,

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