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DANCED AND DIED

Miss Huntley of Red Lodge Mont., Carries Out Her Threat

TO KILL HERSELF WITH POISON

Her Lover Did Not Return After a Quarrel

WHEN HE FAILED TO APPEAR

She Swallowed the Poison and Walked With Her Sister While It Took Effect.

Red Lodge, Mont., Dec. 17.—Because her lover did not return Miss Huntley, aged 17, swallowed a bottle of strychnine, dying in terrible agony, twenty minutes later. Her sweetheart and she had difference of opinion. She had threatened to kill herself if her lover failed to return next Thursday evening. That night he did not come and the girl went into the kitchen and swallowed the poison. Her sister came into the room and the girl coolly asked her to dance and together they waltzed 15 minutes. Then Miss Huntley suddenly dropped to the floor and soon expired.

TRIP ABANDONED.

London, Dec. 17.—The proposed trip of the King and Queen to Ireland for their coronation has been abandoned. The disturbed condition of the country is assigned as the reason.

TO INVESTIGATE.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Representative Wheeler of Kentucky has moved a committee to investigate the conduct of Admiral Schley while in command of the flying squadron.

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SENATOR VEST'S

Resolution Regarding Legislating to Provide a Suitable Punishment

FOR ASSASSINS OF PRESIDENTS

Passed After a Number of Points Had Been Discussed.

THE RIGHT WAS QUESTIONED

Of Congress Being Vested With the Authority to Pass Resolutions as Introduced.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The debate in the U. S. Senate upon Vest's resolution instructing the judiciary committee to report as to a desirable line of action to suppress anarchist and would-be assassins of presidents raised these interesting questions: Has congress the constitutional power to legislate for punishment for anarchists or others who may seek the president's life, and if not is it expedient to amend the constitution so as to provide such power to legislate? Is it necessary to empower congress to prevent teaching of anarchy—that all governments should be destroyed and chief rulers of such governments assassinated? Is it necessary that congress should have power to punish membership in anarchistic societies? What amendments are necessary to immigration laws to effectually exclude anarchists? Should such anarchists after trial be held or deported? Is it necessary to confer on congress power to provide a penal colony where convicted anarchists may be sent? After these questions were discussed the resolution was adopted.

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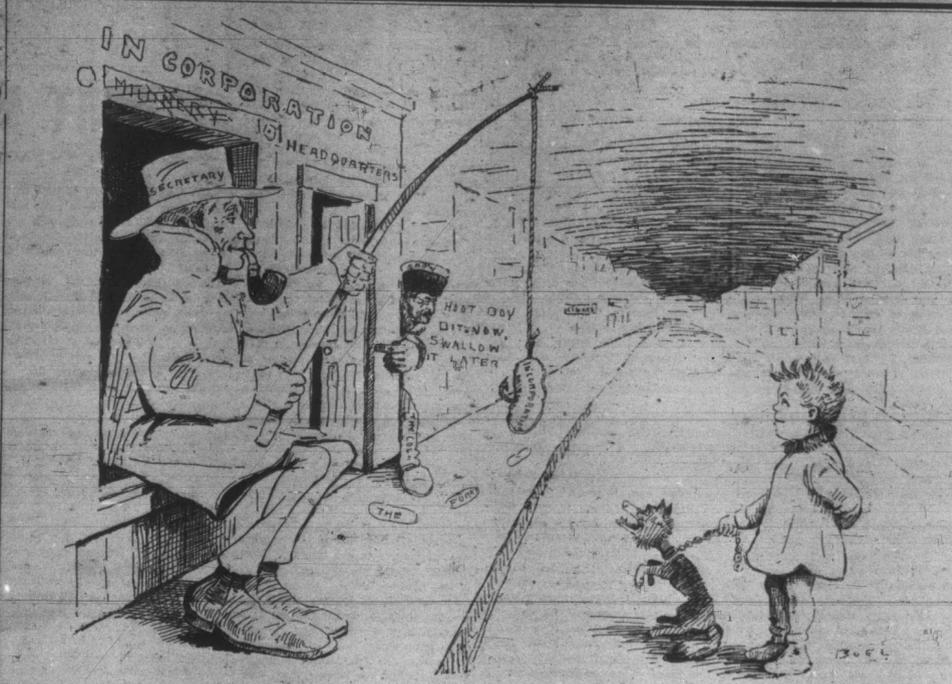
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THE BAIT IS READY—WILL THE BOY NIBBLE?

JOHN GAGE IS BASHFUL

Story Told on a Prominent Citizen of Bennett.

Our devil tells a good story on John Gage, the happy-go-lucky miner and speculator, who is now spending a few weeks with us. John is a great favorite with the ladies and often gets invitations to dine with our best families. While John is a real entertainer of men he is very bashful when ladies are about and sometimes gets rattled and loses his head. The other day a couple of our best ladies extended an invitation to him to take dinner with them and he was too bashful to refuse. When he first sat down to the table he was very much agitated. To make his case worse he looked up and saw in the mirror that he had forgotten to comb his hair. Then he dropped his fork on the floor, and as he stooped to pick it up he upset his coffee. Matters went from bad to worse until finally in despair John quit eating and put his hands under the table. The hostess end of the table cloth was lying on his lap; when he touched it he turned pale. He thought it was his shirt and that in his nervous excitement while dressing he had forgotten to put that garment inside his trousers. That accounted for the smiles and embarrassment. He hurriedly stuffed the supposed shirt inside his trousers. Two minutes later when the family arose from the table there was a crash. The dishes lay in a broken mass upon the floor. John took three feet of table-cloth out of his pants and fled through the door. He is yet in the woods back of town. The young ladies he called on are open for engagement to a less nervous young man.—Skagway Guide

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TOO MANY BOQUETS

Tossed at Mr. G. G. Hulme by Morning Paper.

Editor Nugget.—In this morning's issue of the Sun an article is published under glaring headlines referring to a medal of gallantry received by G. G. Hulme of this city. In the article mentioned the most extravagant expressions are used which not only shows the bad taste of the writer but his ignorance of facts as well. The article opens as follows: "The only real live South African hero of the Klondike whose bravery has been awarded with a medal, is G. G. Hulme, who recently returned after participating in every memorable battle fought by the British against the Boers."

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BIG EARTHQUAKE.

San Francisco, Dec. 17.—A report from the Cheviot district in New Zealand states that a big earthquake has occasioned a million dollars worth of damage.

WANT MONEY.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Secretary of Education Harcourt has issued a statement calling for a federal appropriation of \$600,000 annually for provincial educational purposes.

FOUND DEAD.

Dutton, Ont., Dec. 17.—Dr. Gurin, a prominent physician of this place, was found dead, his body being riddled with bullets.

BIG FIRE.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—The Montreal general hospital has been destroyed by fire. All the inmates were removed.

SHARKEY TRAINING

New York, Dec. 17.—Sharkey has begun training for his coming fight with Peter Maher.

C. W. LUNDY DEAD.

Halifax, Dec. 17.—Chas. W. Lundy, superintendent of the United States Cable Co., is dead at this place.

PRESS APPROVES.

London, Dec. 17.—The British press approves the ratification of the canal treaty by the U. S. senate.

CHILI GOES UP.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Mediation between Venezuela and Colombia has been abandoned by Chili.

AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—The Western South African contingent has reached Montreal.

FLOODS.

Philadelphia, Dec. 17.—The railway service of Pennsylvania has been deranged by heavy floods.

ATTENDED BALL.

Christina, Dec. 17.—Queen Sophia attended a royal ball in this city last night.

SOLDIER DIES.

London, Dec. 17.—Major-General Sir Francis Derwenton is dead.

GROVER IMPROVES

Ex-President Cleveland Has Been Dangerously Sick.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 2.—President Cleveland is still gaining strength, and it is a question of but a few days before he will be able to take his daily drive. Mrs. Cleveland said tonight: "Mr. Cleveland is rapidly recovering his strength. He is now able to sit up, and resting comfortably. The cough which formerly distressed him, has left him."

SESSION IN CHAMBERS

Judge Macaulay occupies Bench This Morning.

In the absence of Judge Dugas Judge C. D. Macaulay sat in chambers in the territorial court this morning when the session was a brief one, only two motions being heard.

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WITHSTOOD HARD SIEGE

Twenty Britains Have Six Days Suffering.

London, Dec. 17.—The latest from South Africa is that Commandant Baden Horst and his commando were captured at Sterkfontein where Louis Botha was seriously wounded. At Carnarvon, Cape Colony, a party of 20 British sustained a Boer attack for six days. They had to fight their way out for water each night and nearly starved during the siege but stuck it out.

ROSEBERRY THE LEADER

He Severely Arraings Government for War Policy.

London, Dec. 17.—Lord Roseberry virtually assumed the leadership of the British Liberal party today when in a strong speech he arraigned the government and its war policy and laid the foundation for unity of action on the part of the Liberals.

KASKASKAI A DEAD ONE

One Time Capital of Illinois Now Deserted.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Kaskaskai, at one time the capital of the state of Illinois, has been wiped out of official existence by the postmaster general who has taken the postoffice away. Only five families now reside in the once prosperous town.

ALL OFF WITH HER

British Home Office Says Miss Eastwick Must Stay.

London, Dec. 17.—The British Home office has notified the attorney at Philadelphia that Miss Eastwick, the forger of C. P. R. stock certificates, can not be pardoned.

AMERICAN EXPERT.

Washington, Dec. 17.—A number of American experts have gone to Vladivostok where they will build factories and exploit the mineral of the country.

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TRAVELED ON FOOT

First Party of Pedestrians Over Ice From Whitehorse Arrive

ACCOMPLISHED JOURNEY IN 14 DAYS

Trail Entire Distance Is In a Fine Condition.

NO EXCUSE FOR SLOW MAIL

Roadhouse Men Have Made the Rough Places Smooth—Very Good Accommodations.

Joe Lanouette, an old-timer, arrived yesterday with three other men direct from Whitehorse. The men came the entire distance on foot, making the trip in the remarkably short time of 14 days.

Lanouette states that the trail is in splendid condition and that there is no further reason why there should be any delays in the arrival of the mail.

The road house men have busied themselves in smoothing the trail where the ice was rough and it is possible now to drive a team straight through to Whitehorse without delays or mishaps of any nature.

Lake Lebargo is frozen as smoothly as a floor, and the reports that it was likely to open again are pronounced entirely incorrect.

The accommodations at the various roadhouses along the trail are better than ever. Lanouette says that the trip-out should be from now on a veritable pleasure journey.

A stage with 7 passengers was met at Coffee creek. They were making good time and every one was in good spirits.

Lanouette and his party are the first men to make the trip this year without horses or dogs.

TRANSFER OF BREAKS

Wire to Skagway But Not to Vancouver.

At noon today the break which had occurred in the telegraph wire between Five Fingers and Big Salmon was repaired and communication with Whitehorse and Skagway re-established. Not so, however, with the outside as pending repairs on the Yukon the overland wire went down somewhere south of Atlin and is yet down. However, a great many 7500 wires that were held at Whitehorse stayed this afternoon, among them considerable press matter. It is to be sincerely hoped that through wire will be working at Christmas as many persons are desirous of sending greetings by that means.

Big Dance.

On Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock a stage will leave the Fairview hotel for 69 Hunter, where a grand dance will be held. Preparations have been completed for a fine affair and an evening of enjoyment is promised all who attend.

Hockey Game.

At 8 o'clock Saturday night a hockey game will be played between the 25 C and a team made up from the bank and police teams. A good game will be witnessed.

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