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How Ayres Was Shot

Mysterious Death of Young Clerk in New York Hotel Solved.

Mrs. Bonine Says Revolver Was Discharged Three Times During a Struggle.

Washington, D. C., May 20.—Mrs. J. J. Bonine was arrested last evening for the shooting of Joseph Ayres, the young department clerk, who has come to the shooting of Ayres is one of the most mysterious cases that have ever been solved.

Mrs. Bonine's confession was entirely voluntary. A few minutes after 3 o'clock this afternoon she telegraphed for Major Riveter, chief of police, saying that she was coming to his office and she appeared there in a few minutes afterwards.

When she reached the office she said she had a statement which she wished to make, and she was immediately turned over to Horne, who took her to a room with which he was alone in a room with him when the killing took place, and that she was the result of his own shooting.

She said that she had drawn the pistol upon her for the purpose of making her report and she had made to her, Mrs. Bonine says that she immediately grasped the revolver in the struggle which ensued, and it was discharged three different times, striking him at each discharge.

After she had concluded her statement, the woman was placed under arrest and sent to the house of detention.

EXPOSITION DEDICATED. Parade Enjoyed by Enormous Crowd of Visitors.—Telegrams of Congratulations.

Buffalo, May 21.—The Pan-American exposition was today dedicated.

The day began with a parade, in which there were men from nearly every nation in the world, and ended with a business from flying bombs and a brilliant electrical illumination.

BEATING & CO. THE H. ROSS & CO. Cash Grocers.

COLLIER & STEEL Ladies' PILLS FOR IRREGULARITIES.

D. J. BITENCOURT

TEACHER

More Boers Been Taken

Last Week Over Two Hundred Burglers Were Captured—71 Surrendered.

Lewiston, Idaho, May 21.—A sensation has been caused here by the arrest of John N. King, a well-known business man, charged with the murder of Chas. E. Thatcher.

THE LATE FATHER PHILLIPS. Remains Were Laid at Rest in Pottstown Roman Catholic Cemetery.

Pottstown, Pa., May 20.—Father Edward S. Phillips, the miners' friend, who met death in New York so mysteriously, was buried in the Catholic cemetery in this city this morning with impressive ceremonies.

THE BILL Withdrawn. Members of Crow's Nest Southern Railway Company Would Not Sign Agreement.

Ottawa, May 21.—On the motion of Mr. Davis, Saskatchewan, the bill regarding the Crow's Nest Southern railway was formally withdrawn.

THE EWO INCIDENT. Field Marshal von Waldsee Has Expressed His Regrets at Shooting of Chinese.

London, May 21.—The government was questioned in the House of Commons on the aspect of the British tug Ewo incident at Tien Tsin, when two Chinese on board that vessel were shot by Germans.

IMPERIAL COMMONS. Motion of Sir H. Fowler Disapproving the Budget Proposal Was Rejected To-day.

LONDON, May 21.—The House of Commons, by 300 to 122 votes, rejected the motion of Sir Henry Fowler, Liberal, which was supported by the Liberal leaders.

FORTUNE FOR VETERAN. Many Years Ago He Saved an Englishman From Drowning.

DAYTON, Ohio, May 21.—A copy of the will of Josephine Kelata, nee Fairfax, an Englishwoman, who recently died in France, has just been received.

STRUCK AWAY BY FLOOD. Victor, Col., May 21.—John M. Glover, an ex-congressman from St. Louis, Mo., district, is reported to have met his death in the floods near Love, Col., ten miles from here on Sunday last.

M. P.'S BANKRUPTCY. London, May 21.—In the bankruptcy court today a receiving order was made against Sir Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, M. P., formerly a civil lord of the admiralty.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., May 21.—Three hundred men and boys tied up the Shamokin colliery to-day by striking for the enforcement of the semi-monthly pay law.

Progress of The Strike

President O'Connell Estimates the Number of Men Idle at Fifty Thousand.

About One Hundred Additional Firms Have Made Concessions to Machinists.

Washington, May 21.—The stern action today of the general strike of machinists throughout the country were in the vicinity of Cincinnati, O., and on the Pacific Coast.

Decision of Detroit Manufacturers. Detroit, Mich., May 21.—At a meeting of the manufacturers last night, which was attended by 21 representatives of the largest manufacturing concerns of this city, it was unanimously voted that those present should not sign the agreement presented by the machinists.

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HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. Demand Made in Legislature That Governor Dole Be Removed—New Comet.

Honolulu, May 13, via San Francisco, May 20.—The extra session of the legislature called by Governor Dole for the consideration of appropriation bills is now in session.

DEWET REPORTED TO BE IN ORANGE RIVER COLONY, NEAR PHILIPPOLIA. London, May 20.—Lord Kitchener reports that last week 19 Boers were killed, 14 wounded, 208 were made prisoners, and 71 surrendered, and that 212 rifles and 105,000 rounds of ammunition were captured.

Cape Town, May 20.—Eight hundred Boers have crossed the Orange river from the northwest and have reinforced the commandoes in the eastern districts.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 20.—With today's session the actual work of the Presbyterian general session began.

INDIANS GIVE TROUBLE

Defy the Authority of the Agent, Who Has Appealed for Troops.

Denver, Col., May 21.—A special to the News from Lander, Wyo., reports that an Indian outbreak is imminent on the Shoshone reserve.

BOY SHOT HIMSELF. In Love With a Girl at School, But Her Parents Discouraged His Attention.

Delhi, N. Y., May 21.—Irving Marx, of Andrus, a schoolboy 16 years old, shot himself with a revolver yesterday.

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THE CHINA QUESTION

Great Britain Is Anxious to Have Demands For Indemnity Modified.

Three Thousand British Troops Are to Be Withdrawn From the Country.

London, May 21.—In the House of Lords to-day Lord Lansdowne declared the government desired to avoid an arrangement for the payment of the indemnity by which China would be compelled to contract separate obligations and could not agree to the joint guarantee of the loan.

These bonds must give the powers lending the money to each of them. These bonds must be extinguished in a term of years by the payment of the principal and interest.

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EX-CONGRESSMAN SAFE

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