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NEW RATHER AND A LITTLE AND A DAL

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SAVING OF NATIONS CONFESSION TALMAGE'S COSMOPOLITAN VIEW OF MESSIANIC SACRIFICES. Of the Murder of His Employer

New York, Aril 2-Without the slight-est quaver in his well modulated voice and displaying no outward sign of regret or remore, Charles F. Jones, secretary and valet to the late William Marshal Rice, today confessed under oath that he had ended the life of his employer and bene-factor with chloroform.

and Benefactor.

The confession was the climax of a re-markable recital, in which were laid bare the details of an alleged subtle conspiracy which had for its object the seizure of \$3,-000,000 in cash and negotiable securities and the conversion of \$3,000,000 in realty to the mess of the alleged chief conspira-

There was a dramatic force in the directness and minute attention to detail directness and minute attention to detail the parks of deer, and you say with-with which Jones approached the tragedy in yourself or you say aloud, "What -the moment when he covered the face of the alceping man with the saturated napkin and then waited for him to die, and the audience in the court room bee still and breathless as the climateric

came still and breathless as the climateric period was rounded. The self-confessed murderer told the story of the alleged plot from its incep-tion. The capital crime he coinmitted and all the minor offences that preceded it were, he declared, at the instigation and direction of Albert T. Patrick. It was Patrick, he said, who conceived the idea of forging a will and forging transfers and conveyances. It was Putrick who induced two persons to witness the forged signapersons to witness the forged signa-It was Patrick who determined that Rice should die, and it was Patrick who sought to have him killed slowly and then, becoming impatient, decided upon quick action. And, according to Jones, remarkable as it may seem, Rice never knew Patrick during his life time and never saw

es, according to his story, first be-Jones, according to his story, first be-gan his acquaintance with Patrick when the lawyer called at the residence of Mil-lionaire Rice, on Madison avenue, this city, in October, 1889. The witness told of the growing friendship and the gradual approach to the discussion of the affairs of Mr. Rice, which finally resulted in the proposition to defraud, and Jones yielded. Then came the details of the story of the ook; then delivery to Patrick and the



Washington, March 31 .- In this discourse Dr. Talmage shows the Messianic sacrifices for the saving of all it appeared to him; text, I. Corin-Mians vi, 20, "Ye are bought with

price." "Your friend takes you through his valuable house. You examine the arches, the pescoes, the grass plots,

the fish ponds, the conservatories, in yourself or you say aloud, "What did all this cost?" You see a costly diamond flashing in an earring, or you hear a costly dress rustling across the drawing room, or you see a high mettled span of horses har-

much for the barn, so much for a good coat of mail.

equipage, adding up in all making this aggregate." Well, my friends, I hear so much about our mansion in heaven, about its furniture and the grand surroundings, that I want to know how much it is all worth and what has actually been paid for it. I cannot complete

in a month nor a year the magnifi-

being in the procession, were con ransfers and conveyances, of real and personal property to Patrick, over the orged signatures of Rice; the stealing of lank checks from the millionaire's check once at least and see the crown jew-els of eternity, behold their brilforging of Rice's signature; the proposi-tion to put the aged millionaire out of the way, first weakening him by continuous

es of mercury; the calling in of a Now, if you have a large amount of money to pay you do not pay it all at once, but you pay it by in-statements—so much the 1st of Janstatements—so much the 1st of Jan-uary, so much the 1st of April, so much the 1st of July, so much the 1st of October, until the 'entire amount is paid, and I have to tell this audience that "you have been bought with a price," and that the price was paid in different installments. The first installment paid for the clearance of our souls was the igno-minious birth of Christ in Bethle-Though we may never be carefully looked after afterward, our advent into the world is carefully guarded amid kindly attentions. Pri vacy and silence are afforded when God launches an immortal soul into the world. Even the roughest of men know enought to stand back. But I have to tell you that in the village on the side of the hill there was a very bedlam of uproar when Jesus was born. In a village capable of accommodating only a few hundred people many thousand people were crowded, and amid hostlers and muleteers and camel drivers yelling at stupid beasts of burden the Messiah appeared. No silence. No privacy. A better adapted place hath the eaglet in the eyrie, hath the whelp in the lions' lair. The exile of heaven lieth down upon straw. The first night out from the palace of heaven spent in an outhouse. One hour after laying aside the robes of heaven dressed in a wrapper of coarse linen. One would have supposed that Christ would have had a nore gradual descent, coming from

more sly, more terrible, than 'any' home asleep. Consequently Christ more sly, more terrifile, than 'any home asteep. Consequently unrist thing that provided in that county entered the course course on with the ruf-satan himself, met Christ. The rose in the check of Christ-that Publius Lentulus, in his letter to the Roman senate, ascribed to Jesus-that 'rose had scattered its petals. Abstinence from food had thrown him into emaciation. A long abstinence from food recorded in pro-fane history is that of the crew of the shin Juno. For 23 days they

fane history is that of the crew of the ship Juno. For 23 days they had nothing to eat. But this suf-fering had lasted a month and ten days before he broke fast. Hunger must have agonized every fibre of the body and gnawed on the stom-ach with teeth of death. The thought of a morsel of bread or meat must have thrilled the body with something like ferocity. Turn out a pack of men hungry as Christ was a hunger that Jesus was ac-costed, and satan said. "Now change these stones which look like bread

pang of hunger that Jesus was ac-costed, and satan said, "Now change these stones which look like bread injustice that may have been inflictinto an actual supply of bread.", Had the temptation come to you ed upon us in this world we have a divine sympathizer. The world can-not lie about you nor abuse you as and me under these circumstances we would have cried, 'Bread it shall much as they did Christ, and Jesus would have cried, "fread it shall be!" and been almost impatient at the time taken for mastication, but Christ with one hand beat back the hunger and with the other hand beat back the monarch of darkness. O ye tempted ones! Christ was tempted. We are told that Napoleon ordered a sector for maltreatment and beat back the itempted ones! Christ was tempted. We are told that Napoleon ordered a sector for maltreatment and beat back the sector for maltreatment and abuse I will protect those who are trampled up-on." And when Christ forgets that 2 o'clock morning scene and the attrok of the morning tempted ones! Christ was tempted. We are told that Napoleon ordered a coat of mail made, but he was not quite certain that it was impenetrable, so he said to the manufacturer of the coat of mail, "Put it on now crowd then he will forget you me in the injustices of life that may yourself and let us try it." And with shot after shot from his own be inflicted upon us. Further I remark: The last great

pistol the emperor found out that installment paid for our redemption it was just what it pretended to be, was the demise of Christ. The world has seen many dark days. Many Then the man received a large reward. I bless God that the same coat of summers ago there was a very dark day when the sun was eclipsed. The mail that struck back the weapons of temptation from the head of fowl at noonday went to their perch, and we felt a gloom as we looked at Christ we may now all wear, for Jesus comes and says: "I have been the astronomical wonder. It was a dark day in London when the plague

tempted, and I know what it is to was at its height, and the dead with be tempted. Take this robe that deuncovered faces were taken in open carts and dumped in the trenches. It fended me and wear it for yourselves I shall see you through all trials, was a dark day when the earth open-ed and Lisbon sank, but the darkest and I shall see you through all tempday since the creation of the world "But," says satan still further to was when the carnage of Calvary

Jesus, "come, and I will show you something worth looking at." And was enacted. It was about noon when the curafter a half day's journey they came to Jerusalem and to the top of the tain began to be drawn. It was not the coming on of a night that soothes and refreshes. It was the temple. Just as one might go up in the tower of Antwerp and look off upon Belgium, so satan brought swinging of a great gloom all around the heavens. God hung it. As when there is a dead one in the house you bow the shutters or turn the lattice, Christ to the top of the temple. Some people at a great height feel dizzy and a strange disposition ' to so God in the afternoon shut the dizzy and a strange disposition to jump. So satan comes to Christ in that very crisis. Standing there at the top of the temple, they looked off. A magnificent reach of coun-try. Grainfields, vineyards, olive should windows of the world. As it is appropriate to throw a black pall upon the coffin as it passes along, so it was appropriate that everything be somber that day as the groves, forests and streams, cattle in the valley, flocks on the hills and villages and cities and realms. "Now villages and cities and realms. Tow villages and cities and realms. Tow "Now," says satan, "I'll make a bargain. Just jump off. I know it is a great way from the top of the temple to the valley, but if you are the secret. However you may have hat-ed or caricatured a man, when you hear he is dying silence puts its hands on your lips, and you would have a loathing for the man who is a great way from the top of the temple to the valley, but if you are divine, you can fly. Jump off. It won't hurt you. Angels will catch you. Your father will hold you. Be-sides I'll make you a large present if you will. I'll give you Asia Minor, the could stand by the deathbed making faces and scoffing. But Christ in his last hour cannot be left alone. What, pursuing him yet after so long a pur-suit? You have been drinking his I'll give you China, I'll give you Ethiopia, I'll give you Italy, I'll give you Spain, I'll give you Ger-that notwithstanding the darkness many, I'll give you Britain, I'll give you all the world." What a tempta-tion it must have been! they can glut their revenge with the examine his fret. They want to feel you all the world." What a tempta-tion it must have been! contortions of his countenance. They Go to-morrow morning and get in an altercation with some wretch crawling up from a gin cellar in the lowest part of your city. "No," you say, "I would not be mean myself by extend there and with some wretch is an altercation with some wretch lowest part of your city. "No," you say, "I would not be mean myself by extend there and wretch with blood and wipe them on their garments. Women say, "I would not bemean myself by getting into such a contest." Then think of what the King of heaven and earth endured when he came down and fought hie great wretch of hell and fought him in the wilder-ness and on top of the temple. But bless God that in the triumph over temptation Christ gives us the as-surance that we also shall triumph. Having himself been tempted, he is able to succor all those who are tempted. The third installment paid for our redemption was the agonizing prayer redemption was the agonizing prayer alry horses arched their necks and champed their bits and reared and twisted olive tree the historic scene officer called out for a light, snuffed at the blood! Had a Roamn twisted olive tree the inscribe scene came upon me overwhelmingly. These old olive trees are the lineal descendants of those under which thargers, there comes a voice crash-ing through—boud, clear, overwhelming, thargers, there comes a voice crash-ing through—boud, clear, overwhelming, tord's agony to their successors? Next to Calvary the solemnest place in Palestine is Gethsame. While sitting there it seemed as if I could hear our Lord's prayer, laden with thargers, the dying son of God! Look, world, at what you have done! I lift the covering from the mai-tear our Lord's prayer, laden with hear our Lord's prayer, laden with sobs and graons. Can this be the Jesus who gathered fragrance from wounds and estimate the cost. Oh. the frankincense brought to his cradle and from the lilies that flung their right hand and through Christ's left sweetness into his sermons and from the box of alabaster that broke at all their power to work and lift and er of Bethany, the ressurector at Nain, the oculist at Bethsaida? Is Nam, the oculist at Bernauda? is this the Christ whose frown is the storm, whose smile is the sunlight, the spring morning his breath, the thunder his voice, the occur a drop thunder his voice, the occave a drop on the tip of his linger, heaven a When the spear cleft Christ's side, sparkle on the bosom of his love, the that bought your heart, with all its universe the dust of his chariot wheel? Is this the Christ who is power to love and repent and pray. My friends, Sabbath after Sabbath gospel messengers have come search-ing down for your souls. To-day we able to heal a heartbreak or hush a tempest or drown a world or flood immensity with his glory? Behold come with the gospel searching fo initial prayer, the globules of blood by source with the gospel searching for your soul. We apply the cross of of his forehead! What an install-ment in part payment of the greatyour soul. We apply the cross of by sogrow pressed through the skin of his forehead! What an install-ment in part payment of the great-est price that was ever paid! The fourth installment paid for our redemption was the Saviour's sham trial. I call it a sham trial-there or unfair in any criminal court as trial. I call it a sham trial-there has never been anything so indecent or unfair in any criminal court as was witnessed at the trial of Christ. Why, they hustled him into the battlements of heaven, and two worlds would keep jubilee because communication is open between Christ aad the soul, and your nature courtroom at 2 o'clock in the morning. They gave him no time for counsel. They gave him no come for course that has been sunken in sin has been for subpoening witnesses. The ruf-fians who were wandering around through the midnight, of course they



Hospital. This did not cure me and a little later I underwent another operation. From this I received some benefit but was not wholly cured, and I continued to suffer from pains in the abdomen and bilious headache. A few years later, having suffer from pains in the abdomen and bilious hole whony curve, and I commuted to suffer from pains in the abdomen and bilious headache. A few years later, having with my husband removed to Halifax, I was again suffering terribly and was taken to the general hospital where another operation was performed. This gave me relief for two or three months, and again the old trouble came on, and I would suffer for days at a time and nothing seemed to relieve the pain. In February, 1899, I was again obliged to go to the hospital and underwent a fourth operation. Even this did not help me and as the chloroform administered during the operation affected my heart, I would not permit a further operation, and was taken home still a great sufferer. In August, 1899, I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and decided to do so. I have used the pills for several months, and have found more relief from them than from the four operations which I passed through, and I warmly recommend them to all women suffering from from the ailments which afflict so many of my sex." Piak colored pills in glass jars, or in any loose form, or in boxes that do not bear the jull name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Fale People are NOT Dr. Williams'. The genuine are put up in packages, with wrapper printed in red. Sold by all dealers or direct from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50.

Mrs. Frank Evans, 133 Frontet ac Street, Montreal, says :—" I feel that I ought to say a good word for Dr. Williams Pink Pills, in the hope that my experience may be of benefit to some other suffering woman. I am now twenty-three years of age, and since my eleventh year I have suffer-ed far more than my share of agony from the ailments that afflict my sex. At the age of sixteen the trouble had grown so bad that I had to undergo Hospital. This did not cure me and a little later I underwent another operation.

physician at frequent intervals, thus ap parently providing for the issuance of a death certificate, and the extreme care with which this plan of slow poisoning was carried out.

was carried out. Then, as calmiy as though unfolding the plot of a drama in which he was interest ed only as a spectator, Jones led up to the day of the murder.

He described a meeting in the street with Patrick, who told him that the old man was lasting too long, that he must be put out of the way at once, that Jones should do the work and that there would really be no harm in it, because Rice had poisoned his own wife years ago and de erved punishment.

Jones described his return to Mr. Lice's. apartments and the discovery of the mil-lionaire sleeping peacetally in bed; he told of his stearch y search for a napkin and the facilioning of it into a cone-shape; as

of his stearthy search for a hapkin and the fachioning of it into a cone-shape, as directed, he said, by Patrick; the detailed story of the pinning of a shall sponge at the point of the cone. Then he told of saturating the napkin and sponge with chloroiorm and holding it over his own nostrils to test it. It was at this point that the crowd in the court room became so quiet that a pin might have been heard to drop. Jones looked straight into the eyes of Assistan District Attorney Osborne and continued his story without a break, without a tremor in his voice. He described his ap-proach to the bed with the saturated nap-kin in his hand; of the placing it over the iace of the sleeping old man; of the flight from the room; of the weary wait of 30 minutes in accordance with Patrick's al-leged instructions; of the call for the physician, who came with Patrick, to find the old man dead. It is impossible to describe the coolness of the wave of the witness as he related

It is impossible to describe the coolness of the voice of the witness as he related the different links which forged the chain Patrick, accused by the witness of being the arch-criminal, listened to the witness the arch-criminal, listened to the witness with attention and occasionally made notes of the testimony. Not even the re-markable witness on the stand was more cool, calm and collected than this remarkcool, calm and collected than this remark-able 'prisoner. Patrick's hand was firm and steady. He displayed neither anger, fear, nor resentment. When Jones reach ed the description of the murder of the aleeping man, Patrick merely stroked his beard and leaned back in his chair, ap-parently slightly bored by the recital of the details.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Boer Laager Captured.

Bloemfontein, April 2-By a night sur-prise the British captured a laager of 60 Boers near Boschberg, between Brand-fort and Saltpan, Orange River Colony. More Bubonic Cases.

Cape Town, April 2-Ten fresh cases of Bubonic plague, including one European, were officially reported today.

were officially reported today. Try to Stop Mule Transport. New Orleans, April 2.-Proceedings were brought in the U, S. court today by repre-sentatives of the Boer government to prevent the saling from here of the steamship Anglo-Australian, loaded with mules consigned to the British government in South Africa. Judge Parlange, after reading the petition, issued wiff order requiring the defendants to show eause on April 6 why a preliminary in-junction should not be granted. The suit is brought by Samuel Pearsons, a citizen of the South African republic, residing at Bar-berton; Edward VanNess, a citizen of New York, and Charles D. Pierce, consul general of the Orange Frees State, and is against Captain Pearson, who runs the steamer: Bider-Dempster Co., owners of the boat and Mears. Robert and Matthew Warriner, who represent Elder-Dempster Co. here. The Anglo-Australian was expected to salit today but the effect of the order issued by judge Parlange will be to detain her until the hearing on Saturday.

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"Thought it meant death sure." Mrs. James McKim, of Dunnville, Ont., says of her almost miraculous cure from heart disease by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart: "Until I began taking this remedy I despatient of mylife. I had heart failure and extreme prostration. One dose gave me quick relief and one bottle cured the. The suffammes of was mere disentied this muscle."-3 pelled like mugic."-3 of yearswere dispelled like magic."-3 Sole by C. Fairweather, Union screet.

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heaven first to a half way world of great magnitude, then to Caesar's palace, then to a merchant's castle in Galilee, then to a private home in Bethany, then to a fisherman's hut and last of all to a stable. No! It was one leap from the top to the bottom.

Let us open the door of the caravansary in Bethlehem and drive away the camels. Pass on through the group of idlers and loungers What, O Mary, no light? "No light," she says, "save that which comes through the door." What Mary, no

food? "None," she says, "only that which was brought in the sack on the journey." Let the Bethlehem woman who has come in here with kindly intentions put back the 'covering from the babe that we may look upon it. Look! Look! Uncov er your head. Let us kneel. Let all voices be hushed. Son of Mary! Son of God! Child of a day! Monarch of eternity! In that eye the glance of Omnipotence sheathed that babe's arm. That voice to be changed from the feeble plaint to the tone that shall wake the dead. Ho-sanna! Hosanna! Glory to God

that Jesus came from throne to man-ger that we might rise from manger to throne, and that all the gates are open, and that the door of heaven that once swung this way to let Jesus out now swings the other way to let us in. Let all the bellmen of heaven lay hold of the rope and ring out the news, "Behold, I bring you glad tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people, for to-day is born in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

The second installment paid for our soul's clearance was the scene in Quarantania, a mountainous region, full of caverns, where are today panthers and wild beasts of all sorts, so that you must now go there armed with knife or gun or pistol. It was there that Jesus went to think and to pray, and it was there that this monster of hell-

If you would cutshine your neighbors ac-quire a good reputation, and then keep it polished.

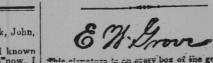
To cure a cold in a night-use Vapo-Creso ene. It has been used extensively during more man. than twenty-four years. All Druggists.

saw the arrest and went into the courtroom. But Jesus' friends were sober men, were respectable men, and at that hour, 2 o'clock in the morning, of course they were at mother.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak-Do you think, John, person gets wisdom with years? Mr. Crimsonbeak-Yes; if I had know

Intervention. Tom-What are the relations be-

tween you and Miss Cavendish? Jack (gloomily)-Her father and



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WOODSTOCK NEWS.

Taxes.

SPINNERS IN SESSION.

Stringent Measures Urged for Collection of Pass Resolutions' Dealing with Injury to Again Mayor of Chicago by Big Plurality. Health of Women and Children Operators.

Woodstock, April 2-The usual meeting Boston, April 2 .- Michael Duggan, of of the town has purchased a horse for the first durational for the town has purchased a horse for the two durational for the town has purchased a horse for the two durational for the town has purchased a horse for the two durational for the town has purchased a horse for the two durational for the two durational for the two durations for the two dura

the subject, that the delinquent taxes amounted to \$5,000, and the following motion was experied. That the delinquent taxes

ation. Robert Kennedy, for 15 years connect-ed with the fire department, as driver of the town team, has severed his connec-tion with the department and Alexander ion with the department and Alexander tion with the department and Alexander tion with the department and Alexander the town team, has severed his onnec-tion with the department and Alexander the town team, has nevered his onnec-tion with the department and Alexander the town team, has nevered his onnece-tion with the department and Alexander the town team, has nevered his onnece-tion with the department and Alexander textile, cotton and yarn mills, and by so textile, cotton and

70,000 people in this "state." The delegates to the last national conven-tion submitted their report, with a recom-mendation that the spinners remain in the

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cured in a few days.—Hon. George James, of Scranton, Pa., says: "I have been a. martyr to Catarrh for twenty years, constant The number of men omployed in Color ado's mines in 1900 was 40,111. The fatal accidents in the mines that year showed a percentage of .94 for every 1,000 engaged. The best family remedy for Coughs,

Colds, Croup, Hoarseness, and every form of Inflammation is Bentley's Liniwas cured. 50 conts.-r Sold by C. Fairweather, Union street, ment. Sold by druggists and general dealers in two sizes. Price ten cents and twenty-five cents. Full directions on the we will have today?" "The same that we have most days in wrapper .- Be sure you get Bentley's

March." "What's that?" Woman may be at the bottom of all "All kinds,"- Chicago Post. man's troubles, yet without her life would not be worth living.-Chicago News.

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Chicago, April 2-Total vote of the city, with eight precincts missing: Harrison,

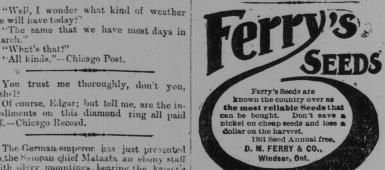
HARRISON ELECTED.

The town has partment for \$160, from Frank Slipp, Jacksonville. It was stated, in a lengthy debate on interest to the craft. The financial condi-tion of the transmission of the transmis

The fire committee was empowered to pur-chase 300 feet of the best hose. The new fire bell was shipped from Cin-cinnati last Friday. Harry Dunbar, son of Alexander Dun-bar, sr., who has been dangerously ill with appendicitis, is considerably better today, and it is now thought it will not be necessary for him to undergo an oper-ation. Hereduce to the second to pure the second to be the second to the s

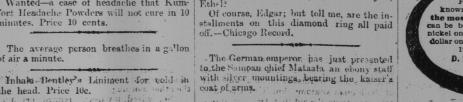
206, which seess to perturb the textile, cotton and yarn mills, and by so doing receive the thanks of from 60,000 to but the indications are at present that the Republicans will have a working match and the results of all the textile the textile textile. jority. The present body consists of 33 Republicans, 27 Democrats and four Inde-pendents. Of the hold-overs, 16 were Retion submitted their report. mendation that the spinners remain in the American Federation of Labor until such time as the American Federation of Textile Workers becomes affiliated with that body. The entire matter will be submitted to a referendum vote among the general member-ship in the organization. Catarrin for twenty years and Current in a few days.—Hon. George

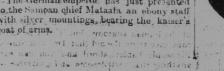
James, of Scranton, Pa., says: "I have been a.martyr to Catarrh for twenty years, constant hawking, dropping in the throat and pain in the head, very offensive breath. I tried Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. The first applica-tion gave instant relief. After using a few bottles I was cured. 50 conts.—I from the ward for two years. Palmer was elected by a majority of about 1,200.



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Vanwart went on duty in his place yes-terday. The firemen presented Mr. Ken-nedy with an address and testimonial. At a lunch following the presentation, Chief Tattersall was in the chair, and Mayor Belyea was also pre-ent.



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