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PART 2

Twelve Young Brazilian Naval Cadets Shot to Death

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On the Great Plaza of the Loyal City of Pernambuco,

By Order of President Pelxote Their Crime Was Conspiracy Against the Government - Surpected of Friendliness Towards Admiral Mello-British Interests Protected at Rio.

London, Jan. 3.—In reply to a question that during the warlike operations the Rio government had been in constant communication with the British minister British fleet at Rio. British ships were accorded the same protection as the ships of other nations. The Brazilian insurgents were not recognized as belligerents by Great Britain. The government could not undertake to interfere with the quar-

rel now in progress in Brazil. New York, Jan. 3.-Captain Anderson, of the steamship Portuguese Prince, from Brazilian ports, which arrived to-day, "Ten days before the Portuguese Prince left Pernambuco, twelve naval cadets were shot by Peixoto's soldiers. The cadets were on board the guardship Parahyba, stationed in the harbor. They were accused of conspiring against the government, and it was charged that they intended turning the guardship over to Admiral Mello. They were arrested in the evening, and at sunrise next morning were taken out on the plaza and shot lothian, to death. A number of people gathered to see the execution. The young men were led to the place of death by a body soldiers. The drums rolled mournfully, the men were arranged in line and handkerchiefs placed over their eyes. At the first fire seven fell dead, pierced by many bullets. The others were only One wounded man tried to escape and had started to run when half a dozen rifle balls knocked him down. The rest of the condemned men were also shot. This execution deeply affected the penulary and filled the people with great fear of the povernment. Mardal law was the hard about two weeks pre-

ons to the shooting of the 12 young on. Lying in the harbor were two tising brigs and the torpedo chaser arora imported from Elugiand, to help a brod near one of the lotts, growing out or the reports of themchery there. A picked battle ensued and 90 are said to nave been killed

New York, Jan. 3.-Capt. Fisher of the steamer Strabo, from Santos, Brazil, reports little excitement there. Fisher of no collisions between soldiers and civilians in Santos; there were no warships in the harbor. At Victoria and Bahia everything was quiet. On December 29th the Strabo passed the cruiser New York bound to Santa Lucia, W. I. Captain Fisher is indignant because the cruiser utterly ignored his sig-

nals and salute. Lodon, Jan. 3. A. Pernambuco dispatch says the cruiser San Francisco, of the American navy, has been ordered to join the American squadron at Rio. She was to sail thither to-day.

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Doings of Royalty-Tories and Liberal

Unionists Join Hands. New York, Jan. 2.—Edmund Yates, in his London letter to the Tribune, says: The Queen's courier who is the director of her continental journies, is at Florence completing arrangements for Her Majesty's residence at the Villa Fabbri-Inasmuch as accommodation is required for nearly 70 persons, it will be necessary to rent two houses in the neighborhood-one for a number of royal servants, for whom there is no room in the willa, and the other for the Indian attendants, whose company would be joyfully dispensed with by the managers of the trip, as they always give a great deal of trouble when on the continent.

The ball which Princess Beatrice and Prince Henry were to have given, with

the Queen's permission, will not take this winter in consequence of the lenth of Prince Alexander of Batten-The intended shooting party at Sandringham has been abandoned in conseence of the recent illness of the Priness of Wales, which has left her very weak and much depressed, and there will be no more guests there this winter. The Princess will go to Osborne on a visit to the Queen when she leaves Sandringham ther week after next, and later on her roy. ighness and the Princesses Victoria and Mand will probably proceed to Italy, and

and Queen of the Hellenes, remaining abroad until the end of April. Lord Salisbury has decided again to Cranborne manor, his place in Dorsetshire, which was rented for some time the late Canon Cazenove. It is a picturesque old house and some of the rooms are finely panelled. The grounds are very pretty and there is excellent pheasant and wild duck shooting on the

thence to Athens, on a visit to the King

Lord Rosebery is residing at Ment- bank to the underwriters," he said. "The til the close of the session, but there laden with lumber and could not sink, were no Christmas festivities, owing to Hie vessel was right in the track of the death of his cousin, Mr. Stanhope, ex-- ocean steamers, and I had a voyage of cept a quasi-official shooting party on Sat- nearly a year before me. My vessel was market on Friday to see his race horses, scheme. The bark was buoyant and in and was much pleased with the improved as good condition as mine when I left appearance of his Derby favorite, Ladas. her." Baroness and Mr. Burdett-Coutts are
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Stratton street, which has been for some months in the hands of builders and de corators, but is expected to be habitable by about the time its owners return from

It may well be hoped that the indepe dence just shown by the sea londs of the admiralty will be laid to heart by the government and especially by the chan-cellor of the exchequer. Had the later IN THE CRAY LIGHT OF EARLY MORNING not apologized for his misstatement, tangled and ungracious as the apology was, that the professional advisers of the first lord of the admiralty were satisfied with the present very unsatisfactory condition of the navy, the first lord would soon have been absolutely deprived of any professional advisers, for it is manifest that not a flag officer on the list could have een induced, under the circumstances, to take the place of those who had tendered their resignations. The announcement in an evening paper that the sea lords had threatened to resign, or, as I believe, actually had resigned, no doubt forced the hand of Sir William Harcourt. I have reason to believe that when the in the House to-day Mr. Gladstone said new building programme of the governbe fairly sufficient for immediate needs. But what no expenditure of milkions can ever redeem is the three months' waste to Brazil and the senior officer of the of time before any attempt can be made to carry out the programme, and this, I

> as inevitable. A wise decision has been come to by the Conservative and Liberal Unionist central offices. In districts where the following of the latter party is small, the electoral machinery is to be absorbed by the Conservative agency. This is as t should be. The more the parties pull ogether, the better. They show every inclination to do so at present. They say that the independent labor candidates lection expense fund has of late been perceptibly swollen by the large subscription of an unknown admirer of their doctrines, and I have some reason to believe it true. If so, there will be rather queer consequences. The chief will probably be the setting up of a socialist can didate against Mr. Gladstone in Mid

fear, the government has decided upon

Though London has apparently a superfluity of clubs, I think there is prob ably room for the new hunting club, the Nimrod, which has been started under very high patronage in St. James' quare.

Canon Rowsell, who has been for some ime in failing health, will shortly resign the stall in Westminster Abbey to which he was appointed by Mr. Gladtone twelve years ago. The stall is worth £1,000 a year, with an excellent ouse in the Dean's yard. I hear that Mr. Gladstone will probably offer this preferment to Canon Maccoll, who now olds a stall at Ripon. Caroline, Duchess of Montrose, has

determined to break up her magnificent stud at Newmarket, and it is to be sold luring the first week of May, The sale will be almost equal in interest to that of Lord Falmouth's stud twelve-reas are seeing that the same large such celebrities as Thebots, St. Marguerite, Pilgrimage, Jamette and Marie

An exceptionally well informed corr pondent, writing from Egypt on the sitnation in that country, says: "Although here has been for some months past, in fact, since the khedive's visit to Constantinople, a feeling of disquietude in situation on the Nile is not anti-English agitation, but rather the natural development of a political party endeavoring to achieve national independence and constitutional liberty.

A Story With Two Sides. New York, Jan. 3.—The sailors on the oark Amy Turner, which arrived here on Friday, accuse their captain of refusing to take on board the crew of a Norwegian bark which was fast sinking in mid- been exempt from forced enlistment do John Nelson, an able seaman, We left here on January 30, 1893. On February 2 we sighted a Norwegian bark flying signals of distress. It was hazy and a big sea was running. Capt, Pendleton was notified and word was passed to bring the Amy Turner up in the wind. The vessel as soon as she sighted us, bore off before the wind and came down to us. As she neared us a boat was put off from the vessel. was the captain of the Norwegian and her crew of eleven men. When in hailing distance the Norwegian captain

shouted: 'Captain, our vessel is sinking; will you take us on board? 'No,' answered Captain Pendleton, 'I have 150 days' passage before me (the Amy Turner was bound for Honolulu) and I can't take you.' 'Our vessel will not keep afloat much longer,' protested the Norwegian captain. 'We have been pumping four days and cannot keep up any longer. 'Keep off,' shouted Captain Pendleton, 'I will not take you.' 'For God's sake,' cried the Norwegian captain, 'do not condemn us to a terrible death. Take us the islands. You will be well paid.' The boat was near enough for us to see that the men were in earnest and speaking the truth. Tears were streaming down their faces, and they begged and tried to keep up with the Turner. The men, when they realized that Captain Pendleton would not take them, alternately prayed and cursed. I will never forget the sight as long as I'live. The Norwegians begged for some time to be taken on board, but Captain Pendleton still shook his head. 'There is a ship on our lee,' he

pehind. Captain Pendleton was seen this afternoon at the Maritime Exchange. seems very frank and outspoken. "It was a deliberate scheme to abandon the which will be his headquarters un- bark was not water-logged and she was Lord Rosebery went to New- just the one to pick out to further such a

said, 'Go to her and get your passage.'

Captain Pendleton then gave orders to

square away and the shrieking, prayinig,

ursing Norwegian crew were soon left

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who has donated large sums to Nathan Strauss' new charity, the grocery store where all articles may be purchased cheaply by the poor. The amount given is understood to be \$50,-000. The man who makes this generous gift never speaks of his donations to the poor, but it is thought his charities must amount to fully \$100,000 annually.

The Grant's Engines Damaged. Bahia, Brazil, Jan. 4.—The United States revenue steamer Grant, en route from New York to Puget Sound, arrived here to-day with her machinery disabled. She was compelled to steam against \$228,000, Thomas Carter was chosen asstrong trade winds for almost three signee. He appointed a committee to inthousand miles to the southward and eastward of the Barbadoes. They took on 140 tons of coal at Bridgetown, which brought her deck almost awash. It is thought her machinery can be repaired with little difficulty.

A Rallway Swindle. Sioux City, Jan. 4.-The Sioux City, O'Nefil & Western Railway company, its answer to the foreclosure suit of the Manhattan Trust company, trustees for the bondholders, declare its total capital was placed at nearly \$6,000,000 on 130 miles of road, or nearly three times its cost. This being contrary to the constitution and laws of Nebraska. the directors ask that all the stock and bonds be declared void and handed over to the assignee of the Union Loan & Trust Co. for the benefit of the Trust Co.'s creditors, who advanced the money to build the road.

The Aluges-Morte Affair.

Jan. 4.—The Westminster London, Jan. 4.—The Westminster Gazette, referring to-day to the annual report of Secretary Carlisle, says it seems clear that the United States wil shortly raise a loan. The article adds that the financial position of the United the air, pepole behind the scenes States has changed strangely since a have come to the conclusion that few years ago, when the government the determining factor in the political scarcely knew how to dispose of the enormous annual surpluses.

> Recruiting Methods in Peru. Lima, Pern, Jan. 4.-Government an thorities here are going to great lengths n their efforts to levy soldiers to serve in the regular army. Even boys and young and old men are seized in the streets recruiting parties and dragged to the bar racks, where they are forced to enter the ranks. The classes of citizens who have not escape this time. Even national guardsmen are made to join the regular forces. It was impossible to bury some corpses which had been taken to the cemeteries for interment yesterday, as the grave-diggers employed at these places had been forcibly taken away from their work and without a moment's warning hustled off to become soldiers.

Smashed by a Locomotive. Bedford, Que., Jan. 4.-A terrible accident occurred last evening at Stanbridge station to a party of 15 young people who were starting by team for Henryville. They had just left Gosselin's hotel, and were in the act of crossing the Central Vermont railway track when the mail train from Montreal came rushing into the station. The horses cleared the track, but the sleigh was struck and smashed to pieces, and two of the occupants fatally hurt, the other escaping with slighter injuries. The vic tims of the disaster were Alfred Doherty, aged 23, of Providence, R. I., a theolodemn us to a terrible death. Take us on and leave us at Bermuda or any of the islands. You will be well paid. The least was near exempts for us to see that land, Vt., wounded in the head, not expected to recover. Oscar Dupois of Henryville, foot crushed, leg amputated below the knee. Joseph Dupois, cut about the head and face, not seriously hurt; Emma Doherty, aged 17, sister of Alfred Doherty, not seriously hurt.

Savings of Years Stolen. Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 4.—The dwelling of Abe and Joe Lenz, farmers of Beaver county, was robbed yesterday of about \$3,000, representing the savings of years. While the brothers were at work away from the house three masked men sur-prised their sister. One of them kept a revolver pointed at her and talked about the hard times while the other two the box and appropriated its contents. where they boarded a freight train.

World's Fair Finances. Chicago, Jan. 4.-Indications are that stock-holders of the Columbian Exposition company will soon receive and pay dividend on their stock. According to the report of Auditor Harrington there subscribed by the city of Chicago, and Winston of Minneapolis.

other \$5,000,000 by individuals. In December report there was an estiate that the net assets of the exposition company would be about \$1,765,858. Allowing for the closing up of exposition affairs, it would appear that no more than ten cents on the dollar could be returned to the stockholders. One of the considerations which prevented the finance committee to-day making a recom mendation, was the fact that if a diviend of any amount were paid now, i would interfere with the donations of stock to the Columbian museum. In ecordance with the condition of Marshal field's gift of \$1,000,000 to the museum, there should be donated to the trustees f that institution \$2,000,000 of exposi tion stock and a \$500 cash subscription This condition has not been fulfilled.

FACTS FROM 'FRISCO.

Wanted, a Missing Heir-The Bridge Company's Croditors. San Francisco, Jan. 4 .- A firm of pri New York Jan, .- It has been learned vate detectives is making enquiries here Morgan, the broker, is on behalf of English lawyers for Edward terbrook, a young sailor, son of Dr ere a few weeks ago, leaving his entire fortune of half a million dollars to his son. The young man was at one time teward of the coast lumber schooner fary E. Ross, but disappeared about

hree years ago. Nellie Horton, telegraph operator, who that and killed her lover, Charles R. Hacens, and in whose case the jury failed to gree, was released to-day on a bond of \$1000. Her second trial will probably take place in March next. At a meeting to-day of the creditors of

he San Francisco Bridge Company, which failed recently with liabilities of restigate the books of the company, after which the meeting adjourned.

ELEECTRIC LIGHT INSPECTION. Request for a Bill-The Manitoba Boy Murderer.

Ottawa, Jan. 4 .- A big electric light delegation from Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa waited on the government to-day by Lient. Governor Daly with the usual and asked that a bill be passed at next session of parliament for the inspection of electric light metres the same as gas metres. A bill was introduced at the ast session, but did not pass. apital sentence passed on Hill, the Bran-

It has been decided to commute the don boy murderer, to imprisonment for ife in the Manitoba penitentiary. There vas no excuse for the crime, the coldblooded murder of Williams, his employer and benefactor, a young Englishman, who had set up farming in that new ountry, but owing to the convict's youth, 14 or 15 years, the executive consider

steamer Signal, which arrived here early this morning from Vancouver, B. C., Collector Black caused information to be irculated through Chinatown as to what would be wanted in the way of identificaion of certificates held by these passen-As the requirements are strict the Chinese are somewhat excited, and have all this forenoon been besieging the collector's office, seeking further information and in some cases, trying to obtain some abatement of the rules and regulations laid down by the collector. To give them a chance to comply fully with these requirements the collector has stponed examination until to-morrow. Meantime the steamer will be held Here, permission being given to discharge freight only.

Slept During Sermon. Chicago, Jan. 4.-Frank Wilson, student in the Garrett Biblical Institute. made a miscalculation as to the length of a sermon last Sunday evening. went to sleep when the Rev. C. Williamson, of the Hemroy M. E. church, Evansville, began to preach, and failed to wake up when the sermon was finished. So far as Wilson was concerned, it was a sixty hours' sermon. Two physicians ould not wake him till this morning. During his sleep the physicians say Wilson's respiration was low but regular and his pulse at times became feeble anod

almost imperceptible. Both physicians agree that the case is extraordinary, Wilson, the physicians say, has comout of his sleep very weak and feeble. Violently Insane. Amsterdam, N. Y., Jan. 4.-William C. Sanford, until recently manager of the New York house, the Amsterdam Car-

pet Company, was to-day conveyed to a private retreat near New York city. s said to be violently insane. It was decessary to bind Mr. Sanford to get him from the house to the train. He suffers from the hallucination that he is trainng for a prize fight, and has been taking long walks lately in charge of a stalwart guardian. He is a brother of Congress-man Sanford.

Rhodes Gets Dampges St. Paul, Minn. Jan. 4.—Judgment has been entered in the office of the clerk of the district court for \$3500 against seven members of the legislature. The joint legislative anti-combine committee caused a national sensation last March by forcibly seizing the books of John J. Rhodes, manager of the combine, and giving to the people evidence of great importance. Mr. Rhodes then sued the legislative committee for \$50,000 damages for seizing his books and papers. ransacked the house. They soon found When the case came up in the district court the members of the legislature, with After binding the woman to a chair the a single exception refused to respond, robbers walked to the Lake Erie railway, claiming to be exempt from the summous. In this they were sustained by the district court, but the supreme court said that though legislatures were exempt from arrest they were not exempt from the ordinary legal summons. The case was referred to a master in changery who found the actual damage to Mr. Rhodes property to be \$3500. Among was on Dec. 1st, \$10,600,000 in capital those who will have to pay the amount seen at jail to-day. She seemed uneasy, stock. Of this amount \$5,000,000 was are Ignatius Donnelly and ex-Mayor and said that since Evans lost his hand

PACIFIC CABLE

The British Government is Being Besieged

BY THE PROMOTERS OF CABLE SCHEME

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Line - The Budget Outlook Causes' Grave Doubts of a Favorable Response from the Government.

London, Jan. 4.-Very strong pressure is being brought to near upon the Imperial government on behalf of Canada to support the British Pacific cable pro-It is strongly urged, in view of the action of the French and the willingness of Canada and Australia to co-operate in the enterprise, that the British government ought, on imperial grounds, assist the project by some guarantee. Prospects of a favorable response to these solicitations are very doubtful. The hudget outlook alone is probably sufficient of itself to make the treasury authorities extremely loath to undertake fresh endeavors of any kind. It is thought here, however, that the scheme will prove feasble, even if the imperial government deide to hold aloof.

London, Jan. 4.-The farm pupil agenquestion is again being discussed in the English press, owing to fresh com-plaints from victims who have been induced to go abroad under the premium system. Official warning against paynent of premiums is freely given.

Legislature Opened Halifax, N.S., Jan. 4.-The Nova Scotia legislature was opened this afternoon ceremonies. There was a large attend-

ance of spectators.

French Anarchists. Paris, Jan. 3. Some time must elapse every miller's, house in the place. At before the practical value of the government's action against the anarchists everywhere in France on Sunday night are erywhere in France on Sunday night can were started by anti-tax mobs before be accurately judged. Already the ped- dak yesterday, and half a dozen buildings ple begin to suspect that it was more a were burned before nine o'clock. Fires "coup de theatre" than a coup de maitre. The police in their raids swept in tons towns also, and by the early morning the of document, most of which could be whole district seemed in a blaze. The bought in open safe by anybody, while troops, although repeatedly provoked by Rome, Jan. 4.—The police last night prevented a proposed public meeting to protest against the acquittal of the protest against the acquittal of the protest against the acquittal of the common accused of killing the Italians during the Agues-Morte riots. Troops were held in readiness to ston any anti-french demonstration in the sineets.

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they hope to gain time, and in fact debomb thrower until the court grants a buildings throughout the night. delay of a few days if the advocate pleads want of time to prepare the dement. Though the talesmen for the jury He have been carefully selected, it is doubtful if the jury gives a verdict without adding to it that there were extenuating roumstances. Every juryman called has received menacing letters.

American News. Washington, Jan. 4.—It is believed by many that the purpose of Frye's Hawakian resolution, presented to the senate yesterday, is to permit the establishment of a republic in Hawaii.

Denver, Col., Jan. 4.-Judge Allen yeserday passed on the petition of G. W. sell about \$1,000,000 worth of the comcompanies long since defunct. It was finally ordered that the sale be advertised for ten days.

Jamaica, L.I., Jan. 4.-Ex-Governor McCormick of Arizona, a former resident, of Jamaica, has donated half on acre in the village of Jamaica as the site for a soldiers' monument.

California Wine Threatened

San Francisco, Jan. 4.-In the Wilson bill as reported to the house by the ways and means committee, the duty on still wines is fixed at 50 cents a gallon in wood, but since the bill was so reported an additional clause has been inserted to the effect that the duty on still wines shall in no case exceed 100 per cent. of the invoice value of the goods. This clause practically kills the tariff so far as it might be beneficial to California wine producers. Under such a provision is possible to deliver French wines, which come into competition with California vin ordinaire, at 13 cents a gallon n New York, whereas the latest figure at which the California product can be this price there is only a scant margin for the producer. The state board of riticulture has decided to take steps immediately to fight the adoption of the objectionable clause.

The Erans Escape. Fresno, Cal., Jan. 2.-Mrs. Evans was the least exposure to cold has rendered

him frontic with pain. Mrs. Evans still maintains that she was taken as much by surprise as anybody by the escape of her husband. She has not yet been able to give the \$3000 bond required and complains that it is unjust to ask so much when her people are so poor,

SICILIAN RIOTERS.

Violent Acts of the Mob in Resisting Taxation. Rome, Jan. 3.—Dispatches received

from Sicily yesterday show that the antitax movement has made great progress in the province of Trapani. Several days ago the discontent in Campo Bello, a The Colonies Are Willing to Help-The town of 6,000 inhabitants, near Trapani French Making Haste With Their city, had become so threatening that the town council passed a resolution abelishing the wheat octroi. As a protest aginst this action the millers refused to reduce the price of flour and the bakers announce an increase in the price of bread. When these measures became known yesterday morning about a thousand men and fifty or more women of the working class gathered from the town and surrounding country and began to march through the streets. The police who tried to suppress them were put to flight. The rioters set fire to all the public buildings except the town hall. From these buidlings the fire spread rapidly to near by private residences. While a large district was in flames the mob left the owners and officials alone to fight the fire, marched to the prison and took it by storm. All the prisoners were fiberated. The soldiers, who had been confined in their barracks in the registration bureau, were driven out by the fire, which had been started by a workingman before the course of the mob was reported to the commander. When brought out to save from destruction what was left of the town the soldiers were exceedingly forbearing. They forced back the mob slowly at the point of the bayonet, and at no time fired. Nearly a third of the town is now in ruins. Many families that were burned out

walked the streets all last night. The whole town looks as if it had suffered from a bombardment. Among the buildings destroyed were the mill and

lished by the Siecle, accuses the social the military in their efforts to reach the lists of opposing the measures taken for buildings that eventually the order to the protection of the socialists. The gov- fire was given. Five were killed and ernment, he says, uses energetic meas- many wounded by the first volley. A ures to secure this protection, whereupon | second volley fired over the heads of the the socialists combat them and cry out, rioters was quickly followed by the dis-"We are persecuted under the regime as solution of the mob. The town council uspects." M. Yves-Guyot adds that in Marineo near Palermo, abolished the the government desires to expedite the wheat octroi on Saturday, but the milllegal process against Vaillant, the an- ers and bakers, like those in Campo Belarchist who threw the bomb in the cham- lo, refused to lower their prices. The ber of deputies, while the socialists seek people rose yesterday and tried to deby every possible means to retard his stroy the public buildings, but were driv-While pleading for the criminal en off by the troops after several stubborn fights, in which three rioters were clare that they are gaining it. Vaillant's killed and several more were wounded. counsel will to-morrow apply to the court. The troops continued to guard the houses of cassation to delay the trial of the of the millers and bakers and the public

The communal councillors of Syracuse have taken steps to quiet the populace fence. The simplicity of the case, af-fords no pretext for longer postpone-nouncement of this policy yesterday mornnouncement of this policy yesterday morning was received with joy throughout the city, and the governor was received with tremendous enthusiasm when he entered the theatre last evening. dispatch from Trepani giving details of the riots in Campo Bello arrived during a cabinet council this morning. They were first read by Premier Crispi, who at once communicated them to his colleagues. All the ministers pronounced the situation in Sicily to be graver than at any previous period. Several ministers expressed the opinion that the communal councils, whose bad administration had caused the disorder, ought to be dissolved by the government. The appeal E. Griffith, receiver of the Western of the military comander of the island Farm Mortgage Co., for permission to to the patriotism of the people is considered in the ministry, as well as among pany's securities. This is their face value, but many of them were issued by perate condition of Sicilian affairs. A mass meeting of all classes in Palermo last evening appointed a deputation to report formally to the government what reforms were most needed in Sicily, as the government was but ill informed by the officials representing it on the isl-

Lordon, Jan. 3.—The Daily News has this story from Sicily: The residents of the village of Terrasino were burning the octroi bureau. The troops had arrived and the lieutenant in command had ordered them to get ready to fire. A' woman in the crowd ran to the lieutenant, presented a portrait of Queen Margherita and asked him to kiss it. The other rioters knelt and shouted: "Kill us: we are already dving of hunger!' The lieutenant withdrew the troops and the rioting ceased.

Opium Smugglers Sentenced.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 4-In the United States district court to-day sentence in the cases against the Portland opium nuggling ring was passed as follows: L. C. Sweeny, one day's imprisonment; old for there is 22 cents, and even at H. I. Berg and Robert Carthorne, each six months' imprisonment; sentence of W. Patterson was postponed until lanuary 13th. Time for filing motion for new trial on cases against Wm, Dunbar and P. J. Bannon, convicted of conspiracy to smuggle Chinese, extended until January 12th.

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