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ST. AUGUSTINE POLICEMAN IS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

SHOT IN PRESSING ESTABLISHMENT AND PROPRIETOR OF PLACE IS BEING HELD AWAITING DEVELOPMENTS.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Jan. 6.—Police Officer M. H. Boyer was shot and seriously wounded Friday night in the pressing club establishment of Joseph Manhety, at the corner of Bridge and Charlotte streets.

The shooting drew a large crowd to the scene at once and many wild rumors flew about the city.

The bullet struck Mr. Boyer in the right breast and glanced upward, it is believed missing his right lung.

LORD OF THE AFRICAN JUNGLE.

The lion is called the "king of beasts." He is given this name by those who regard him as the superior of all other animals.

With the popular Sun Brothers' Big Tented Exhibition that will pitch tents in this city tomorrow and night, will be seen one of the most sensational trained wild lion acts in the universe.

The Sun Brothers' Shows are this season making their 20th annual tour and will have a brand new splinter show, with an all new performing and exhibitional ranks.

Over 100 actual human and animal actors will participate in the big imperial program, one of the greatest ever projected.

Marking Keys. If you have a number of keys in the stable, shed, henhouse and such buildings, that look and feel about alike, put wooden tags on them, with one notch for the stable, two notches for the henhouse, etc.

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SIRENS AND SONS.

Dr. James T. Galathmey, whose new anaesthetic compound has been adopted by the United States navy, is an anesthetist of St. Bartholomew hospital in New York.

Professor Zephaniah Hopper, dean of the faculty of the Boys' Central high school, Philadelphia, is still teaching, though at the advanced age of eighty-eight years.

A. T. Patrick, serving a life sentence at Sing Sing for the murder of an aged millionaire, has taken up the study of optometry and was permitted the other day to make notes of the examinations by the prison doctors of the eyes of the inmates.

Dr. Alexis Carrel, winner of the Nobel prize for medicine this year, has been an associate member of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research since 1909, when he came to this country from France.

Dr. Charles L. Metz, who has made some of the richest finds ever brought to light as to the early life in North America of the mound builders, has been engaged in that work for a quarter of a century.

The big, new personality of the war is M. Venizelos, the Greek prime minister. The man who in three years has not only reformed the Greek civil and military administration, but put through the political deal with the Balkan states, till then hostile, is something of a statesman.

New Year Customs.

In some parts of Italy the peasants hail the New Year by beating wildly on frying pans and shovels.

Scottish people look upon the taking of money on New Year's day as a very risky proceeding, even though it is money which is owing to them.

In Greece the first day of the year is a great tipping festival. A Greek gentleman is expected to visit all his friends, to all the servants of whom a piece of money must be given.

To the Frenchman New Year's day is the most formal of all the year. He visits all his relatives, from his sixth cousins to his maiden great-aunts, leaving a card or a present.

Flippant Flings.

"You can tell a consumptive by the way he coughs, remarks a Boston physician. Also a tightwad.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A wise highbrow wants to teach wives how to spend money. Might as well teach dogs how to bark or ducks to swim.—New York American.

A Spokane jeweler is suing his physician for \$15,000 because, on the statement that he had a fatal disease, he sold his business at a sacrifice and then, after all, got well. This should be a warning to physicians to see that their predictions of death are promptly verified by the event. It is the only safe way.—New York Tribune.

Town Topics.

If it is anything to be proud of, New York can produce on short order as bloody a shooting affray as any frontier town.—New York World.

Chicago will be twenty hours from New York instead of eighteen hours through the winter months. That's plenty near enough.—Boston Globe.

For a city reputed to be materialistic Chicago is a wonder. For example, Chicago is quite able to supply the world's markets with every known variety of seer, prophet, revealer, healer and vender of cures on a moment's notice.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Facts From France.

Boulogne, France, has just completed after nine years of construction work a new tidal dock.

In one street of Paris, the Champs Elysees, there have been during the last twelve months 580 accidents, of which thirty proved fatal.

A group of prominent women in Paris have established a woman's rest called the Cantine Maternelle, where any woman with a baby in her arms may get all she wants to eat without any questions being asked.

Pert Personals.

Dr. Aked was right in refusing to give 1,000 reasons for becoming an American. He has more than 10,000.—New York World.

J. P. Morgan recently contributed \$100,000 to the cause of church unity. J. P. just simply has to justify something.—St. Louis Republic.

Uncle Joe Cannon's two political defeats ought not to injure him very much, as there was a twenty-two years' stretch between the two shocks.—Houston Post.

Aviation.

The French have coined the word "avoin" to mean a military aeroplane. A steel wire has been made for the guys of aeroplanes which is one-fiftieth of an inch in thickness and has a tensile strength of 350,000 pounds a square inch.

As a result of the many accidents among aviators German aeroplane pilots have formed a union and demand a minimum wage of \$75 a month. At present they receive from \$25 to \$37 a month and board themselves.

MESSIAH'S GLORY IS DRAWING NIGH

The Stones Announce the Signs of His Presence.

Pastor Russell at Washington Temple. The Beginning of His Pastorate. Texts For Three Discourses Found on the Front of the Union Depot. The Message of the Hour—Not the Burning of the World, but the Rolling Away of the Curse and the Uplift of Humanity Will Result From Messiah's Kingdom.



PASTOR RUSSELL

Washington, D. C., Jan. 5.—Pastor Russell of Brooklyn last week accepted a call from the Washington Temple Congregation, New York Avenue and Thirtieth Street.

Pastor Russell declared this text specially appropriate for a great public building reared in the dawning of the glorious Age of Messiah's Kingdom. Although optimistic respecting the grand outcome of the Creator's Plan, Pastor Russell fully believed the Bible to teach that, preceding the sunrise of the New Age, there would be a dark hour of awful trouble, which is almost upon us.

He reminded his hearers that the old view now gradually fading from us is that Messiah, instead of coming a second time and setting up His Kingdom, delegated authority to His followers, one of whom should be spiritual king of the world and entitled Pope. Under this mistaken notion, well-meaning men have declared that if the Hierarchy of Christ were authorized to reign, it should use the secular arm of power to compel all to acknowledge the papal throne as God's Throne, on earth. It is still claimed that each Pope in turn is Christ's viceregent.

Napoleon broke this spell when he took the Pope a prisoner to France. The world since then has doubted the viceregency and has held that if the Lord's Kingdom were in the earth, Divine Power would have upheld it, and no dishonor or ignominy would have been permitted.

The Bible Much Neglected.

The creeds have been revered while the Bible has been neglected under the superstition that the creed, presented the Bible teaching in a simpler form. The rejection of the creeds has meant also the rejection of the Bible. The colleges of Christendom are turning out unbelievers. The horrible consequences will soon be manifest in the overwhelming of our social structure in anarchy. Thank God, that will be the opportune moment when Messiah will take the reins of government, to bless, to uplift!

Man a Little Lower Than Angels.

The Psalmist, considering the heavens as God's handiwork, was amazed that He should promise to deliver fallen man. He recites the glory and honor in which Adam was created—the head of all earthly things, in the likeness of God, "a little lower than the angels."

St. Paul quoted the prophecy and applied it in Hebrews ii, 6-18. The Logos was made flesh like the first Adam, "that He by the grace of God might taste death for every man." The work of delivering the world from the power of sin and death had not followed more quickly the work of Calvary because, in the Divine Program, Christ must first lead forth an "elect" number of sons to glory. With the completion of their number will come the glorious time when the curse shall be rolled away and blessings come instead.

The Sanctifier and the Sanctified. The word sanctified, the Pastor explained, carries the thought of being set apart to some special service. As the Lord Jesus sacrificed His every earthly interest to do the Father's will, so must all who would sit with Him in His Throne. St. Paul declares that the Sanctifier and the sanctified ones are all one—He the Head and they the Body members.

Then the Divine Program will carry blessings to all the families of the earth, redeemed with the precious blood of Jesus. These will partake of flesh and blood, therefore the Redeemer became partaker of the same, that He might not only redeem them, but destroy death and the destroyer. He will liberate the slaves of sin and death, roll away the Curse, and open the prison-house of the tomb. Thus all will have fullest opportunity of returning to the image of God, Divine fellowship and life everlasting.

All Things Put Under Him. The world will be officially turned over to Messiah at His Second Advent: "Ask of Me, and I will give Thee the heathen for Thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for Thy possession." By the exercise of Divine Power Satan will be restrained and ultimately destroyed. Then the perfect earth will be delivered over to God, as St. Paul points out in I Corinthians xv, 25-28.

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