

## EXCITING TIMES IN HAYTI.

## HIPPOLYTE NEAR PORT-AU-PRINCE

Terrible Condition of Things in the Black Republic.—Legitime Pressing Every Available Person Into Service—American War Ships There.

New York, July 19.—A Times correspondent writes from Port-au-Prince, July 7: Port-au-Prince within the last few days has been in a state bordering on frenzy. Hippolyte has assaulted the extreme out-works, but he is being held in check at the present writing. Legitime is impressing into the ranks every man capable of carrying a rifle. The people have been delirious with excitement. The minister of war had excommunicated some of the prisoners with his own hands. Hippolyte is destroying farm houses in the very sight of the city. All foreigners have been threatened with extermination, but the U. S. naval force on hand is prepared to shell the city if necessary. The Kearsarge and Ossipee are in good shelling positions. All the guns are ready for firing. A system of signals has been established with the American consulate, and the moment the danger flag is exhibited, picked infantry companies from the Kearsarge and Ossipee will jump for the boats. The captain of the British cruiser declares that if one Englishman is touched he will open every gun in his battery. The American ships will not be second in this.

Hippolyte's nearest position is within almost a mile of the city. It is rumored that his force numbers 10,000 men. It is now a question of but a few days before the end is at hand. Port-au-Prince knows it, and men, women and children are prepared to die with Legitime. The feeling among the foreigners is one of terror, and it needs but a spark to turn the whole native population into a frenzied mob. Commanders Shepard and Kellogg are on the watch at every point. Admiral Gremard considers himself able to protect the American Legitime is working like a madman. He has even men at the outworks. Many women are there, too. All the able bodies of Port-au-Prince are doing service. No one dares to think of fear of summary death. Prisons are being held every year in case of condonation of military quality costs \$1. Many are suffering from hunger. The American minister does not fear Hippolyte's forces as much as he does those of Legitime. Should the latter carry Port-au-Prince, it is believed that he will sack and especially the church.

Every one is talking of the "fire-eater" (Legitime's war minister) having executed some prisoners with his own hands, to show the soldiers that he is not afraid to do it. Hippolyte's report unless he moved at once or offered proposals of peace. Hippolyte accordingly determined to advance, and on the 30th ult. threw a body of men into the prison, and held them there for Legitime's orders. At once great excitement prevailed in Port-au-Prince, and the consternation became so general that had Hippolyte then pushed ahead he would have met with comparatively little resistance. His advance, which was to be early in the morning, was heralded to the city by beacon fires burning from hill-top to hill-top, together with a general firing of signals, and everybody was called to arms by the noise of drums and trumpets. Hordes of soldiers rushed from place to place, forcing every one into the fortifications. Men, women and children rushed out into the night air, screaming with fright, while horses and wagon-trains dashed headlong through the crowd, and crowded to the front. Daylight quickly broke and revealed the city in confusion bordering on panic.

Swarms of armed, half-uniformed soldiers roamed through the streets, shouting and firing, while crowds of women and children huddled together. Others, passing through the ranks, were driven by fright, pushed to the water with all the effects they could carry. All day long the uproar continued. Hippolyte still refraining. As night gradually came on confidence was lost, and the few who had been to be found back in the city. Toward evening the greater part of the trans- portable property had been advanced a strange and pitiful spectacle was presented, a great crowd of women and children huddled together in a small plain situated to the northwest of the city. Here they remained the entire night, the children clinging to their mothers, and all sending up a cry which sounded on the night air like a great wail.

During the early part of the second night, and again toward the approach of the following morning, volleys of musketry could be heard in the direction of the front, at times coming in quick succession and again spreading over the city. The reports of these volleys revealed Hippolyte's position within a mile of the outer posts, and, by the aid of a good glass, his men could be seen struggling along in detachments up to the advance. Hippolyte is now in full retreat, and the people of Port-au-Prince appear to have but little confidence in Legitime, but they stick to him, believing their only show is success for Legitime or death.

## IS THIS THE RIPPER?

An Englishman Arrested in London—He Makes a Confession.

LONDON, July 19.—An Englishman was arrested this morning on the charge of having murdered the woman whose body was found Tuesday morning in Castle Alley, White Chapel. After being taken into custody the prisoner confessed that he had killed the woman. He said the weapon he used with which to accomplish his purpose was an ordinary pocket-knife. He carried no other weapon. He declared that he lived nowhere, and that he had just arrived from abroad. The prisoner is six feet tall, of fair complexion, and carries himself in a very air. His actions indicate that he is insane.

The identity of the man is carefully concealed for the present by the authorities. He has confessed that he murdered all the women whose bodies have been found in the White Chapel district. He gave the names of his victims, the dates upon which he killed them, and all the ghastly and indecent details connected with the terrible crime. The police believe that he is a man, but that possibly the story he tells is true, and he is the one for whom they have so long been searching.

## A DOUBLY INTERESTING QUESTION.

John Pickett Hanged for Murder, Resuscitated—Can He Be Hanged Again?

ATLANTA, Ga., July 17.—A month has passed since John Pickett exonerated the crime of murder on the gallows. The memory of the event has been reawakened in a remarkable manner. A report comes from Sumpter county that Pickett is still alive and living in that portion of the state; that after the hanging his body was taken in charge by friends who worked successfully at resuscitation. The story has been told that he is still alive, and that possibly he is still alive and can be apprehended, the question is whether he can be hanged again.

## A Fatal Wreck.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., July 17.—This evening a train on the Pennsylvania road, carrying miners to their homes, was wrecked near this city. John Bonah, married, and Aaron Shipe, single, were killed, and twenty others were more or less seriously injured. The passenger train was running at its regular speed when the miners, who were standing on the rear platform of the train, saw two freight cars rushing down upon them, and became detached at some collision, and were rushing wild down the heavy grade.

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## THE PRISON SOUTH.

A Penal Institution Conducted on Humanistic Principles.

[Louisville Post.]

The Indian state prison south, at Jeffersonville, has recently passed through an entire renovation, and the many improvements lately contemplated by Warden Patten are about completed. The 575 convicts are now all employed. Dennis & Claggett of Louisville have 125 men employed making saddle-trees, and are well satisfied with the contract. The Patten hand-ware company of Cleveland have 300 convicts employed in the manufacture, and the balance of the men are now employed by the state in the manufacture of shoes. A Post reporter visited the prison yesterday. The warden said he had just started in his new office, and was well pleased with the structure. This was the first time this plan was tried in Indiana or any other western state. Warden Patten, who is friendly to the labor interest, and has a free labor contract, is the man who has been most instrumental in this success. The work of the convicts did not interest him, and he was not pleased with the results in this section. About one hundred and seventy-three men were at work in the shoe shop. They made a cheap grade of shoes which were sold to parties in Missouri, and also to the men and women in institutions of Indiana. The convicts have been employed by the state to a disposition to work better than they did for contractors. They appeared to be much more willing to work in this way than in that. He did not like the work to account for this unless it was from the fact that a man naturally revolted against being sold after being confined, which was really the effect of working for contractors. All the work of the convicts is made in the prison every day. These are mostly a rough variety but some of them are very good, comparing favorably with other factory shoes. Northern Missouri catches most of this trade and the shoes are made to order. The workmen get the benefit indirectly. The reason the warden went into the manufacture of shoes was because the firm of contractors gave up their contract on account of the pay being too low. The contractors make shoes either with free labor or who are asked for an expression of their views concerning the filling of the supreme court vacancy promptly reply: "Of course, Judge Gresham is the best man for the place, but I am afraid the president won't appoint him." Among the present members of the court itself, Gresham is looked upon as the strongest and most logical appointment that could be made, and Justice Harlan has voiced the sentiment of several of his conferees in asking the question: "Is Harlan big and broad enough to place Gresham on the bench?" It is the general opinion among public men, republicans and democrats alike, that the appointment of Gresham to a seat on the supreme bench would be the most popular act of his administration, and the one which would reflect the greatest credit upon him as a man and as the official leader of his party. Yet nobody expects Gresham's appointment, as these people are not likely to be in a position to make him a real factor in the government. He died rapidly, and was buried in a simple casket.

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