

Abstract of The Evidence.

Facts Presented to the Jury that Tried the Sicilians.
New Orleans, New Delta.
The people and the newspapers at a distance who are censuring the act of the people of New Orleans in meting out punishment to the men guilty of the murder of the chief of police seem to lose sight of the facts of case. It was a question of existence between the people and the Mafia—a secret society of criminals organized for crimes, and defending its members by bribery, perjury, intimidation and murder. Either the Mafia must be destroyed or the people of New Orleans must succumb to its domination. That was the alternative presented to the people of New Orleans. The chief of police was assassinated at midnight almost upon his own doorstep by a band of murderers, not one of whom had any personal interest in his death or any personal grievance against him. He was shot down the day before he was to have produced in court a terrible mass of evidence he had procured against

pose of stamping it and it slew him. The people were incensed, but they were patient. They put their trust in the courts of their country and they made an appeal to the forms of law. At an enormous expense of time, labor and money an immense mass of evidence, both direct and circumstantial, was procured against the men who were arrested. And the people were ready. The case came on. A jury was impaneled. The evidence was produced. It was damning. By both reliable eye-witnesses and irrefutable circumstances the guilt of the accused, with the exception of two, was established. The evidence is too long to give in this article. A sample will suffice. Machea, the chief instigator, was shown by the positive testimony of four witnesses, two white ladies and two colored women, to have rented the little shop from which the shooting was done. He rented it under the assumed name of "Peter Johnson," and took a receipt for rent in that name. That receipt, described by the lady before she saw it on the trial, was found in the pocket of Monasterio, the shoemaker who occupied the shop, and who was identified by eye-witnesses as one of the assassins. Machea was proven to have had a grudge against Hennessy and to have threatened to have violence done him. He was proven to have industriously established alibi for himself during the time of the shooting; so industriously as to excite comment. And he was shown to have said to Caruso, while lingering at

Politz, another defendant, who was sworn to by two eyes who saw him shoot. He was identified as the man who fell on the sidewalk covered with slime from the side walk walk over the side of it where he fell. His shoes, pointed as were the ones of the man who fell (as shown by the tracks), had the same slime around their edges. He was sworn to by three witnesses, who saw him from different positions, as the man who carried, the day before the murder, the guns, or some of them with which the murder was done, to the store of a Sicilian in the neighborhood of the shooting. His conduct before the jury showed a consciousness of guilt. Against this he put the unsupported statement of the woman with whom he lived, and many believed to be his wife, that he was at home.

This is a sample of the case made by the State, and of the evidence with which it was rebutted. And in the face of this testimony, and other equally as positive against the others, the jury acquitted as to some and failed to agree as to others. On the top of this came the proof that the jury had been bribed.

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Plant Less Cotton.
Col. Livingston, President of the State Alliance of Georgia, has written the following letter to Col. Polk, President of the National Alliance:
Dear Brother: I am satisfied that the Alliance organization should endeavor to so regulate the produce of the soil as to furnish a full supply of the necessities of life at least, and at the same time avoid an over production in any given crop. To do this our farmers must have some means by which they can understand what the markets of the world demand and that some plan of co-

operation so as to meet these demands without producing a glut in any given product. A step in this direction by our order would result, perhaps, in an intelligent and safe cropping on our part. In my opinion, the cotton growers of the South should lessen the cotton production to a safe limit, and enhance the price of the American staple at least 20 per cent. At the same time the acreage for other crops should be devoted to such crops as are needed for home supply to the utmost possible extent. Such a course would give much better living at home and more money for the cotton crop. To this end I suggest for the cotton belt, at least, a conference between Alliance officials of other agricultural associations at some convenient point for the consideration of a wise and remunerative cropping, and, if this meets your approbation, I wish to call a conference and request the proper officials of the State organizations to join you in the call. Something must be done to direct and influence our people in adjusting certain crops to the present crop.

would, to some extent, cover the difficulty. I am taking for granted the assertion is universally made today that the low price of cotton is on account of over-production. If this be not true, a move in the direction suggested would readily develop the fact and enhance the price of the present crop.

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Chinese Marriage.

Rev. E. Z. Simmons, a missionary to China, in a letter to the Baptist Courier, thus describes a marriage ceremony which he witnessed:
"On the way back to our place of lodging, I saw, to me a novel and interesting sight. It was connected with a wedding.
The chair bearers and procession had come for the bride. The village maidens had assembled at the house of the one to be married, and had during the day gathered a large number of stones and some bamboo poles with which to defend the bride elect, and not allow the people who had come here, to carry her off. They kept up a lively battle there for about two hours, but their stones

yielded, as they generally do in matrimonial suits, and she was carried off to her future lord, whom she probably had not seen or knew before. The men generally manage to see the girls they marry before they are engaged, though they are sometimes badly fooled.
A man forty years old, in the village where we were staying, married while we were there. He paid eighty dollars for a girl that he thought was grown; but when she was brought to his house he found that she was but little more than eleven years old. He had been duped. He had shown the girl in company with two others, one of them a large girl. He thought, of course, the large girl was the one, and did not ask many questions. Moral: People had better know who they are to marry before the knot is tied."

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Another Succumb.

Richard Voss, the eminent German poet, has been sent to an insane asylum at Gratz. He is suffering from brain disease—the base of this age—brought on by over-work. His recovery is very doubtful. Millions of his fellow-creatures are wrecks to live at high pressures seems the order of the hour. Nature has offered us the remedy. It is at our hands. When the system is enervated or run down to the lowest ebb of depression, and nervous troubles know as to his doctor's name. When he finds various methods and crops to improve his health.

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If the eye is weak rub it with a mixture of one teaspoonful of water, one tablespoonful of brandy and a pinch of soda.
In this country alone 5,000 young physicians are turned out from the medical colleges yearly.
A rich man's wife weep together on their way to the graveyard, but they had another on the way back. To cure the eye, the nails of the left hand require eight or ten days to grow out.
North Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia of 2,970,000 bushels peanuts averages an annual yield of \$2,500,000.
A millionaire, Murphy owned 100 acres of land, which is equivalent to the State of Massachusetts.
The farmer visits other farmers to learn their methods and crops to improve his health.

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