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A ROYAL UPRISING

Is Threatened in Honolulu on Election Day.

ATTEMPT TO RESTORE THE QUEEN

Samoa. Rebels Will Not Allow the Island Commission to Meet—Will be Protected by a Warship.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—The steamship Alameda arrived this morning from Sydney, Auckland, Apia and Honolulu, bringing the following news advices, under date of Honolulu, Oct. 16:

Rumors of a royalist uprising have been very scarce for the last few months, but now that the first election of the new republic is near, these reports have again been circulated. This time election day, October 20, has been chosen as the date of an attempt to restore the ex-queen, but very little stock is taken in the tale.

The nominations for senators and representatives have been made. Out of 12 chosen for this island (Oahu), only two are natives, and this has caused some criticism among the native annexationists. Every nominee has been pledged to the support of the annexation platform, to the exclusion of everything else.

Sanford Fleming, the Englishman who has been in Honolulu for some time in the interests of the British Cable Company, which proposes to lay a cable to Australia, leaves on the steamer today. He has asked the government to cede Necker island to England, claiming that if this is done the cable project will at once be carried through, and Necker island will be the half-way house between Victoria and Australia, with a branch line to Honolulu. He has also asked for an exclusive cable right on Hawaiian territory. The latter proposition has not met with the approval of Hawaiian government, and will probably not be accepted. The former grant would probably be made under certain conditions. At present no definite arrangement has been concluded.

Proposed Cable to Australia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Sanford Fleming, commissioner for the Canadian government in the matter of establishing cable connection between Canada and Australia, and English Commissioner Mercer arrived on the Alameda from Honolulu this morning. Both gentlemen express themselves as sanguine of the success of the cable project. In an interview, Mr. Fleming said that he and his colleague were very warmly received by the members of the Hawaiian government, and that the people are more than anxious for a consummation of the project. "Of course," he continued, "they would prefer to have communication established with San Francisco instead of Vancouver, but as there is no immediate indication of the United States laying a cable they are anxious to seize upon the opportunity now presented, and it is not to be wondered at. The people there are cut off for weeks from news of the outside world. The Alameda brought the first news we had had in a fortnight, and that came from New Zealand. We go from San Francisco tonight to Ottawa. We shall not go to Washington, as has been stated, to urge the United States government to grant the request of the Hawaiian government for its consent in the matter in giving us a lease to one of the islands. That is outside of our province, and will leave it in the hands of the Hawaiians themselves."

New Discovery in Armor Plates.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 26.—A discovery in the manufacture of Harveyized armor-plate for battle-ships is announced by the Carnegie Steel Company. By the aid of electricity the "sand strip" on Harveyized plates have been dispensed with. The strip is six inches wide, and stretches the entire length of the plate. It is painted to indicate the places left soft where the bolts are located. The soft surface is big enough for a projectile to pierce and is dangerous. The Carnegie company tried to get some other method of bolting the plates. An electrical apparatus was tried and it proved successful. By an electrical force the temper of any part of a Harveyized plate can be drawn without affecting the surrounding portions. The entire surface of all plates will hereafter be under-packed with carbon, instead of being broken by the sand strip.

All Quiet in Samoa.

APIA, Oct. 26.—There have been no recent conflicts between the native rival bands. All the warriors are still under arms, however, and the people here are

prepared for an outbreak to occur at any time. The Samoan island commission, which had prepared to hold sittings in the district of Atua to dispose of cases there, were notified by the heads of the rebel party that they would not be allowed to do so. The latter sent was a most impudent one. It is expected the commission will now proceed to Atua on one of the warships. A movement has been secretly inaugurated here to circulate a petition to the three treaty powers, urging the removal of President Schmidt, with whose administration there is considerable dissatisfaction. The German warships Buzzard and Falke are still here. The British cruiser Curacao will be relieved in about a week by the Wallaroo. The Union Steamship Company of New Zealand has inaugurated a monthly steamship service between here and Sydney via Tonga.

Zella Will Be a Witness.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—It is stated Zella Nicolaus has been in close conference with Lawyer Goff and his partner, Mr. Pollock, for the last three days. She will be subpoenaed to appear before the Lexow investigating committee, and she declares she will tell all she knows. It is alleged her testimony will include an exposure of the secret relations between a world-famous multimillionaire of this city and the man who has long posed as the Chevalier Bayard of the police department. She will, it is asserted, relate all the circumstances attendant upon certain financial transactions between those two notable gentlemen in consequence, she alleges, of police protection of an extraordinary nature which was furnished to Gould, and the machinery of the police force was employed in the accomplishment of a private and by no means irreproachable purpose. Miss Nicolaus said: "I have consented to appear before the Lexow committee. I shall tell all I know, sparing no detail, shielding no man, the truth and nothing but the truth. The exact facts will be quite enough in this case without elaboration of any kind. I have been in communication with Mr. Goff and his partner. I expect to be subpoenaed immediately."

The Discretionary Fools.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 26.—The discretionary pool managers, tired of the assault upon their credit and character, have determined to do some fighting. It has been pretty well established there is no law in this state under which they can be attacked unless they default, and probably not then. Manager Dudgeon, of the Traders' syndicate, and Manager Devlin, of the American syndicate, both incorporated in West Virginia, but with headquarters at Chicago, have combined forces. They will demand the appointment of a committee by the chamber of commerce to go to Chicago and examine the operations of the syndicates. Later, by paying all expenses, they claim they will show their operations are legitimate and will then take legal action against all persons who have criticized them and thereby caused the recent ran.

The New Cruiser Olympia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—The progress made on the 5800-ton cruiser Olympia during the past two weeks has been very great, and three weeks more will witness her delivery to the United States naval authorities, all ready to assume a position among the crack ships of the white navy. Her armament will all be put in before she leaves the works. All of it has been received but five of the five-inch guns and two of the eight-inch guns. These are supposed to be on the way. The crew of the Olympia will probably be supplied from several of the vessels now laid up at Mare island, but mostly from eastern enlistments. All told the cruiser will require upward of 450 men.

End of the Blythe Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Florence Blythe-Hinckley will this afternoon virtually come into possession of the \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000 estate left by Thomas H. Blythe. The findings in the noted case, which lasted so many years, were settled yesterday. When the findings are signed Probate Judge Coffey will announce the amount of the bond which the successful litigant in the great case must give to secure the payment of the balance of expenses which were incurred in the administration of the estates, and which have not yet been paid. By the findings the entire estate is distributed to Florence.

The Detained Lexow Witness.

JERSEY CITY, Oct. 26.—Judge Lippincott today granted an order returnable Monday next requiring attorneys to show cause why a writ for the release of Matilda Hermann, a detained Lexow committee witness, should not be issued. The attorneys for the woman claim the charge of perjury, on which she is being held, is not genuine, and her detention is illegal.

HUNDREDS ARE DEAD

Earthquake Throughout the Argentine Republic.

SAN JUAN DE LA FRONTERA GONE

Buildings of Every Description Were Thrown Down and the Streets Filled With the Debris.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—A dispatch received here from Buenos Ayres says an appalling earthquake has occurred throughout the Argentine Republic. The city of San Juan de la Frontera, capital of the province of the same name, has been totally destroyed. Hundreds of lives are reported lost. No details have been received.

Advices Via New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—A dispatch from Buenos Ayres says: At one minute past 5 o'clock, sharp, today, a sharp shock of earthquake was felt in Buenos Ayres, which greatly alarmed the residents. The center of the disturbance appears to have been the city of San Juan, capital of the province. Churches, theaters, schools, government offices and private houses were thrown down, and the streets were filled with debris. Many persons were killed and injured, and the people of the town are in a panic. The shock was felt at twenty minutes past 4, the direction being south. The earthquake was felt at La Paz, in the province of Mendoza, at 23 minutes past 4. A church in the village of Mercedes had its walls cracked, and the safety of the building is menaced. A later dispatch from Cordoba says that fissures have shown themselves in the walls of the cathedral and that several churches are unsafe. The city is very much alarmed. The newspaper offices are besieged by persons anxious for news of the interior.

Another Instance of His Boldness.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 27.—Frank Jones, a youthful highwayman, who entered the office of Captain Hawks, and compelled him to deliver at a pistol point, has been identified as the burglar who entered the residence of Mr. Wetherbee several nights ago, while the family was away. He gathered up a quantity of silverware and other articles, which he placed in a valise. He then lighted a fire in the dining-room and prepared a meal, of which he partook. The stolen property was recovered by the police in various pawn shops in this city, and the officers had been looking for him for several days until yesterday. The pistol used by the robber was identified by Mr. Wetherbee as one that he had brought from Boston ten years ago, and it was rusty and less harmful than a toy pistol.

The Safe Was Looted.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Oct. 27.—The epidemic of robbing Wells, Fargo & Co. reached this section night before last, when the safe in John Roberts' general merchandise store, at Myrtle Point, was looted of its contents, \$1,500, \$1,250 of which belonged to Wells, Fargo & Co., and the remainder to Mr. Roberts. No trace, as yet, has been found of the miscreant who committed the deed. Mr. Roberts is agent for Wells, Fargo & Co., and went home about midnight, after the mail had arrived, leaving the combination of the safe off. The burglars effected an entrance by raising a window. A thousand dollars of the money was being consigned to Flanagan & Bennett, bankers here, through Wells, Fargo & Co.

Free Silver in Georgia's Legislature.

ATLANTA, Oct. 27.—A motion to take up a resolution in the house of representatives in Georgia's legislature, declaring it to be the sense of the legislature that congress should enact a law for free and unlimited coinage of silver and condemning the representatives in congress who voted for the repeal of the Sherman law, was defeated by a vote of 94 to 83. Only 24 democrats voted to take up the resolution. The others were populists.

The Oregon's Immense Barbette.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Oct. 27.—The Carnegie Steel Company has completed the immense barbette for the battleship Oregon, being built in San Francisco. It is the largest piece of armor plate work ever turned out of Homestead or in America. It weighs 400 tons and will require 14 cars to carry it to the Western coast. Officials of the Carnegie company and of the navy department inspected the work this week. It will be shipped next week.

"And so he has succeeded in getting engaged to the heiress?" "Yes; he is now her affianced."—Washington Star.

Small Lenses Combined.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Professor T. S. C. Lowe, of Pasadena, Cal., the inventor and owner of the Mount Lowe railroad, and also an astronomer of note, thinks the invention of a Chicago man has revolutionized the entire scope of telescope research. Mr. Lowe is making a business trip through the East, and is stopping in Chicago for a few days. He has examined the new telescope invented by L. Gatham, of this city. Mr. Gatham and his new glass have heretofore been pronounced exceedingly visionary, and the inventor is naturally elated over the indorsement of a man of the scientific standing of Professor Lowe. Mr. Gatham's method of construction is diametrically opposed to the old plan. Instead of the large lens, which, owing to the difficulties surrounding manufacture, has always been full of defects, Mr. Gatham has built a telescope composed of a number of small lenses, two inches in diameter. These lenses are set in a stiff glass frame, or sash, and are exceedingly dense and clear. The combined effect of the small lenses causes them to act as a single lens. Telescope builders have denounced this theory as totally impracticable. Professor Lowe says the idea is a success, and is one of the most important discoveries for years in astronomical science, and he adds:

"I confess that when the idea was first presented to me I was not favorably impressed with its practicability. I promised to look at Mr. Gatham's invention, however, at my earliest opportunity, and so Tuesday night I examined it. I can only say I was exceedingly surprised and pleased to see the moon and belts of Jupiter in looking through Mr. Gatham's 7-inch telescope. The oceans and divisions of Mars were also defined in an astonishingly clear manner, notwithstanding all the adverse conditions which surround Chicago for astronomical observations. I have a 16-inch instrument on Mount Lowe, but if Mr. Gatham's telescopes were put upon the market, the Mount Lowe Company would be willing to place one of them. I see no reason why a 50-inch instrument could not be made which would work wonders in astronomical discovery. Such a telescope as the Lick could not, in my opinion, be put in the same class with a telescope built on these lines. It opens the entire question anew, and it looks to me as if no limit can now be put on the possibilities of sidereal research. It is certainly a wonderful discovery."

Mr. Gatham says he can build an instrument for \$1000 which will be as effective as the famous Lick telescope.

The Wound Not Powder-Burned.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Charles Powell, whom it was alleged his sister, Mrs. Nellie Sweetman, shot, died this morning. The shooting occurred at the home of Mrs. Sweetman, after she had come in from a drive with a friend, who has been courting her. She alleges her brother shot himself. The police claim this is not true, as the wound was not powder-burned.

The Czar Ate Well.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 27.—A bulletin, issued at 7 o'clock this evening, from Livadia, says:

"The czar ate well during the day. The action of his heart is rather better. The oedema has not increased. His spirits are better than they were yesterday."

Will They Marry Today?

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—The Lokalanzeiger has a dispatch from Yalta saying that the wedding of the czar and the Princess Alix will take place tomorrow. The dispatch adds that the czar is decidedly better, being allowed now to take some solid food instead of liquids alone.

No Anxiety for the Czarina.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 27.—A dispatch from Livadia says, on the best authority, that the condition of the czarina is in no way causing anxiety.

Shoots Himself and His Boy.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind., Oct. 27.—John Waldee, an old resident of Cambridge City, shot himself and his 3-year-old son today and both will die. Family trouble is given as the cause of the act. In each case the bullet pierced the abdomen. The husband and wife have been separated for two weeks.

Governor McKinley at Albany.

ALBANY, Oct. 27.—Governor McKinley addressed 3000 people here this afternoon. He suggested a joint debate upon the tariff question between Senators Hill and Murphy. The former had voted against and the latter for the Wilson bill.

Aunt—I hear you are going to marry Jenkins, my dear. He is a foolish young man! Niece—I haven't met a wise one yet, aunt. It seems to me that as soon as they grow wise they leave off marrying!—Hall-Holliday.

BISMARCK'S OPINION

Not Surprised at Caprivi's Resignation.

BOUND TO COME, SOONER OR LATER

Preparations for the Wedding of the Czar and Princess Alix—Defeat Has Caused Consternation.

BERLIN, Oct. 29.—A correspondent of the Associated Press learns from Varsin that upon the receipt of the news of a ministerial crisis, Prince Bismarck said: "I knew this to be the inevitable result. Count Zu Eulenberg was right in regard to the anti-socialist measures, but General von Caprivi disagreed with them, and either one or both had to resign. Prince Hohenlohe is a safe man, but he lacks the initiative." Prince Bismarck returns to Fredericksruhe November 3d. Owing to the state of his health, the prince will be unable to see any more delegations before leaving Varsin. The health of the Princess Bismarck causes anxiety.

Have Accepted the Offices.

BERLIN, Oct. 29.—Baron Von Koeller has formally assumed the office of Prussian minister of the interior. Prince Hohenlohe had an audience with the emperor at Potsdam today. It is understood he formally assumed the chancellorship and presidency of the Prussian council.

Honored by the Emperor.

BERLIN, Oct. 29.—The Reichsanzeiger officially announces the emperor has conferred upon General von Caprivi the order of the Black Eagle, set with brilliants, and upon Count Otto Eulenberg the cross and star of the Grand Commander of the Hohenzollern.

The Santa Fe Case.

TORPEX, Oct. 19.—The case involving the election of directors for the Santa Fe Railroad Company came up today before Judge Foster, in the United States district court. The point involved is whether the cumulative system of voting shall be allowed. Mr. Dunlap, for the directors' committee, asked that the case be dismissed on the ground of no jurisdiction under the Kansas law of 1887, because Plaintiff Smith was a non-resident. A majority of the defendants named in the complaint are non-residents. The court adjourned till 2 p. m.

Preparations for the Marriage.

LOSPEX, Oct. 29.—A Yalta dispatch says that during the next four days Princess Alix will attend religious services in the national church. It is not expected the marriage will occur before Friday. Preparations are being made there for the arrival of the Duchess of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, the Duchess of Edinburgh, the sister of the czar, the royal family of Denmark, and other distinguished guests.

The Wedding Day Set.

VIENNA, Oct. 29.—A St. Petersburg dispatch states that the imperial grand master of ceremonies and several other officers of the court started for Livadia Saturday, and it is expected that the marriage of the czar and Princess Alix will take place November 9.

Five Tons of Dynamite Explode.

CHIPPWA FALLS, Wis., Oct. 28.—Five tons of dynamite stored on the hill a mile away exploded today, shaking this town like an earthquake. Windows in the town and farmhouses miles away were shattered. Some persons were thrown down by the shock, which was severely felt at 12 miles distance.

A Close Call to Get the Prisoners Out of the Cells.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Oct. 28.—The county jail of Black Hawk county, Waterloo, was fired by an incendiary last night. The prisoners were rescued, but not before the flames had eaten into the cellroom. The entire structure was destroyed.

Three Killed, Many Injured.

WILKESBARRE, Oct. 28.—An outrage was perpetrated at 5 o'clock this morning, by which it was intended to sacrifice six lives. A house was wrecked by dynamite. The motive was undoubtedly robbery. It resulted in the instant

death of three Hungarians, while a large number were injured. Eight are in a serious condition. The names of the dead are: Frank Novako, Mike Colleta, George Silotaki.

Shot Through the Heart While in a Man's Yard.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 28.—L. D. Hampton, nephew of Governor Llewelling, shot Edward Egan through the heart this evening in an alley in the rear of Egan's residence. Hampton himself was shot three times by Dennis Byrnes, Egan's father-in-law.

Hampton is a sergeant of police. He was in Egan's back yard, as he says, looking for a man. Egan and his father-in-law, Byrnes, came out, but did not notice the policeman's uniform. A quarrel arose that led to the shooting. Hampton was taken to the hospital, and Byrnes was arrested.

A Supreme Court Decision.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The United States supreme court today reversed the decision of the circuit court in the case of John C. Eno, formerly president of the Second National bank of New York, convicted of forgery in the New York state court 10 years ago. Eno raised the point he could only be tried in the federal courts. This view of the law was upheld by the circuit, but is upset by today's decision remanding the case to the state courts.

Fire Destroys His Elegant Dwelling Near Massillon, O.—Loss \$100,000.

MASSILLON, O., Oct. 28.—The handsome residence of "General" Coxey, at Coxana, four miles north of this city, burned to the ground last night. A number of outbuildings were also destroyed. A few household effects were saved. The origin of the fire is supposed to be incendiary. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

Vice-President Stevenson in Michigan.

PONTIAC, Oct. 29.—Vice-President Stevenson arrived here at 9 o'clock this morning. Every factory whistle in the city screeched a welcome. After addressing a large assemblage in the open air, the vice-president proceeded to Jackson. He will speak at Detroit tonight.

The Czar's Condition.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Mr. Cantacuzen, Russian minister, has received the following bulletin: "St. Petersburg, Oct. 29.—The emperor slept well Saturday night; yesterday (Sunday) there was no change in the condition of his majesty."

Caused Consternation in China.

TIEN-TSIN, Oct. 29.—News of the defeat of the Chinese north of the Yalu river has caused consternation here. Chinese officials do not attempt to deny the serious nature of the disaster. The next fighting is expected to be at Port Arthur.

United States Cannot Act.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The department of justice has decided that, as the outlaws committing depredations in Indian territory were not intruders, the United States has no authority to employ its regular troops to act as a posse.

A Second Army Started.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Japanese legation here has a dispatch saying a second army, under General Oyama, left its rendezvous in Corea October 23, and made a successful landing at Tallen Wai-tsewan.

Rise in Rouble Notes.

BERLIN, Oct. 29.—There was great excitement on the bourse today, owing to a rise of 100 rouble notes from 2.19 to 2.32 marks. The scarcity of rouble notes is attributed to purchases by the Russian government.

The Grand Trunk Railway.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Pall Mall Gazette says the directors of the Grand Trunk railway have agreed to allow a thorough scrutiny of the accounts of the company by an expert in Canada.

Washington Smallpox Scare.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—There have been no new cases of smallpox reported today. The interior department is reopened, and about half the clerks are on duty. All the inmates of the white house have been vaccinated.

The Madhi Proclaims War.

ROME, Oct. 29.—Advices from Kassia state the madhi has proclaimed a holy war against Italians.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE