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ENGLAND'S POSITION

Venezuela Dispute Becoming Serious.

FRONTIER TO BE FORTIFIED

She Intends to Hold the Territory Within the Schomburgk Line—Will Use Force if Thought Necessary.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The St. James Gazette this afternoon made highly important and sensational statements regarding Venezuela, which seem to show that the dispute between that republic and Great Britain has assumed a grave aspect. It says that since the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain assumed office as secretary of state for the colonies he has paid close personal attention to the question of the relations between Great Britain and Venezuela, and has taken the initiative in directing in part the administration of affairs of the British colony of Guiana, adjoining Venezuela. The Gazette says:

"We are now enabled to give the tenor of a remarkable dispatch in which is outlined the imperial policy towards the colonies. The document is of much importance, inasmuch as it was followed by cabled instructions from Mr. Chamberlain to the governor of British Guiana, Sir Charles Cameron Lees, K. C. M. G., to obtain without delay a vote for the provision of two Maxim guns, one of which is to be stationed at Uruan, or elsewhere, along the frontier, where the Venezuelans may attempt to cross. "The mere fact that Chamberlain has cabled instructions for the defense of the frontier in this manner is positive proof that the imperial government will not tolerate a repetition of the Uruan incident, and intends to hold the frontier within the Schomburgk line by force if necessary.

"Chamberlain advocates especially fostering gold mining and urges the cutting of a road from the upper Barina river to Guiana, pointing out its importance from a military point of view, as it would enable the government to keep more closely in touch with the frontier and thwart the repeated attempts at Venezuelan aggression, adding that in view of the possible early and rapid expansion of gold mining it will be necessary to provide adequately for the protection of the northwest district, and recommending an increase in the number of military and police as well as the erection of barracks on the frontier."

WRIT DENIED.

Free-Silver Democrats at Omaha Lose the First Move.

OMAHA, Oct. 18.—In the case of the application of C. J. Phelps for a writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of state to certify the name of the free-silver democratic candidate for judge of the supreme court as the only representative of the democratic party, the supreme court yesterday denied the writ and dismissed the case.

There are two democratic candidates for judge of the supreme court, C. J. Phelps was nominated by the free-silver wing of the party, and T. H. Mahony by the administration democrats. Both candidates will be placed on the official ballots and designated democrats.

PROMINENT TACOMA MERCHANT

Dead From the Effect of an Operation for Cancer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Edward M. Hunt, a prominent and wealthy merchant of Tacoma, died here last evening from the effects of an operation for cancer. When he came here it was supposed he had liver trouble, which had been diagnosed of his case in Tacoma. Not improving, he came to San Francisco, where an examination by physicians showed conclusively that Hunt had cancer. An operation was decided as the only means of saving the patient. From the effects of the operation, which took place yesterday at Lane hospital, he died soon afterwards. Prior to the operation Hunt received the unremitting attention of the best local doctors for two months. Realizing finally that only an operation could be effected, he placed himself unreservedly in the hands of his physicians. His remains will be shipped by rail this evening to Tacoma. Mrs. Hunt, who has been a constant attendant at her husband's bedside, will be a passenger on the same train.

In the Insane Asylum.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—John Donnelly, one of the Billy Emerson minstrel company, has been sent to the asylum for the insane at Ukiah at the suggestion

of a committee from the B. P. O. Elks, of which he is a member. He was suffering from that form of insanity known as melancholia, with occasional fits of violence.

Donnelly was a San Francisco boy, and fell under Billy Emerson's eye at one of the variety theaters. Emerson took him into his troupe, where he performed with a partner in song and dance sketches and was very successful.

IN THE SULTAN DOMAIN.

That Special Privileges Will be Granted Armenians Denied.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 18.—At a meeting of the ambassadors of the powers, just held, it was decided to send a collective communication to the Armenian patriarch, soliciting his assistance in the efforts being made by representatives of the foreign governments interested to stop agitation against the Armenians.

Turkish newspapers have published an inspired article contradicting the prevailing idea that special privileges will be conceded the Armenians. The article continues:

"As, however, the existing laws and regulations require modifications, certain reforms by which all without distinction of race or religion, will be benefited, will be introduced tentatively in certain provinces of Anatolia." The article is regarded as intended to prepare Mussulmans for the promulgation of reforms forced upon the Turkish government by powers and to prevent impressions spreading that they are exclusively for Armenians or the result of Armenian agitation and the intervention of the powers.

Monument to Emperor Frederick Unveiled Today.

WOERTH, Oct. 18.—The emperor and empress of Germany, accompanied by ex-Empress Frederick, and other members of the imperial family, and many representatives of the royal families of the empire, participated today in the ceremonies attendant upon the unveiling of Emperor Frederick's monument on the battlefield of Woerth.

Their majesties were received by the governor-general of Alsace-Lorraine, Prince Hohenzollern Langenberg, who delivered an address of welcome. After patriotic songs by the Strasburg Choral Society and a stirring address from General von Haesler, the monument was unveiled and was afterwards inspected by all members of the imperial party.

Aged Minstrel Dead.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 18.—Edward N. Slocum, one of the pioneers of minstrelsy, died yesterday of Bright's disease, at the home of his partner, Lew Simmons, in this city. He was born in Columbus, O., 60 years ago.

Thurston to Resign as Counsel.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—United States Senator Thurston left for Los Angeles yesterday. The Nebraska statesman expects to stay there for his health during the coming few weeks before the meeting of congress. Senator Thurston, though elected to a seat in the upper house of congress, still retains the office of general solicitor of the Union Pacific system, though he has stated that he will shortly resign the office to the Union Pacific receivers, and sever his connection with the railroad before congress meets.

Before he left here he said to a number of friends that it would be highly injudicious for him to attempt to preside over the law department of the Union Pacific, and occupy a seat in the senate at the same time, particularly in view of the fact that congress at its next session will undoubtedly pay some attention to legislation affecting the bond-aided road.

WHAT HUNTINGTON SAYS.

There Is No Friction Between the Government and the Railroad.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—A dispatch from New York states that the Guatemalan government has issued an official decree for the purpose of prohibiting C. P. Huntington from selling the Guatemala Central railroad to a Scotch syndicate. It is represented by the dispatch that the road's charter from the government specifies that the company has an absolutely free right to sell the road to any one when it sees fit to do so. The government's decree may become a subject of international dispute in view of the fact that the company is a California corporation. Mr. Huntington says:

"I will say that I will give the Guatemalan government the preference, if it wishes to buy the property. There is no friction between us and President Barrios, whom I look upon as an able and progressive man. If I succeed in selling the road the money will be used to immediately build two or three little roads in California. The latter will have to be delayed if the sale is not made."

A Well-Known Chicagoan Dying.

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—S. A. Sweet, of Sweet, Dempster & Co., is at the point of death.

THE BOOK OF SHERMAN

His Recollections of Forty Years in Public Life.

BOOK CAUSES MUCH COMMENT

W. A. Bateman, of Ohio, Talks to a Limited Extent, but Not in a Formal Interview.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 19.—The Hon. W. A. Bateman, who was one of the delegates at large to the national republican convention in 1880 from Ohio, and a close friend of Senator Sherman in all the latter's contests for the presidential nomination, returned to Boston tonight. He has been in communication with Sherman during the writing of the senator's book, and is impressed with the conservative reference to national conventions at which Senator Sherman was defeated.

Mr. Bateman was the manager of Senator Sherman's interests for a year or more prior to the convention of 1880.

It is evident from his reasons for not submitting to a formal interview that he has evidence of General Garfield's course prior to the assembling of the convention of 1880, which shows that the general was too active in his own interests, instead of those of Sherman, to whom he was pledged personally, as well as by the instructions of the Ohio republican convention. It is stated that letters are still in existence in which Garfield, before going to the convention, wrote to those who were working for his nomination. In one letter Garfield asked a distinguished republican of Pennsylvania whether the latter thought it would hurt the former's prospects for Garfield to go to the Chicago convention at the head of the Sherman forces. The person advised him to go to the convention, present Sherman's name and fight the Conkling plan for the nomination of Grant.

The delegates at large from Ohio in 1880 were Garfield, Governor Foster, ex-Governor Dennison and Mr. Bateman. There were many reports at the time about this "big four" not pulling together; that Garfield was a candidate for nomination himself; that Foster was a candidate for vice-president on the ticket with Blaine, and that Ex-Governor Dennison, who had been in Lincoln's cabinet, was a candidate for vice-president on the ticket with Grant, and that Bateman was the only one who was sincerely working for Sherman, without regard to himself.

Mr. Bateman said that ex-Governor Dennison was called on repeatedly at the Chicago convention in 1880, before the balloting began, by the Grant men and offered the second place on the ticket. Governor Dennison declined, and also stated most emphatically that he would not accept the nomination, and could not in honor do so, for he was then pledged to Sherman as the only Ohio candidate before the convention. Garfield and Foster did not attend the meetings and the conferences of Dennison and Bateman with the other Ohio delegates, and there was no sentiment among the other delegates as to the attitude of these two delegates at large.

The only thing which is brought out now by the publication of Sherman's book is the reference to letters that Garfield wrote to certain friends in his own interests before leaving for the Chicago convention in 1880. It is believed that Bateman has an accumulation of evidence on the defeat of Sherman.

Another Hotel Fire.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Fire broke out at the Grand Union hotel at 2 o'clock this (Sunday) morning, and created a panic among the guests. Awakened by cries of fire, they rushed from the building, and two women, Mrs. John Sherry and Louisa Thomas, were seriously injured. No one else was hurt, although there were many narrow escapes. The loss is nominal.

New York Exports and Imports.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—The exports of specie from the port of New York for the week amounted to \$984,476 in gold, and \$774,140 in silver. The imports were:

Gold	\$1,164,580
Dry goods	7,858,976
Silver	5,000
Gen'l m'dse	7,358,970

Captain C. Evans, U. S. N.

BERLIN, Wis., Oct. 19.—Captain David Evans, of the United States revenue marine service, died today of old age. He had been retired a few months ago.

The November number of the Forum will contain a review of Huxley's collected essays, by Dr. W. C. Brooks, professor of zoology at Johns Hopkins University, and one of the ablest zoologists in the United States.

The Baptist Convention.

Promptly after dinner yesterday, the delegates of the Baptist Church now holding their convention in The Dalles, settled down to work. The first business was the election of officers, and the balloting resulted as follows:

President, Elder J. E. Horn, of Baker City; Eld. J. W. Oliver, of McMinnville, vice president; Eld. E. P. Waltz, of Baker City, secretary; Eld. C. P. Bally, of Prineville, auditor. A committee consisting of Eld. Miller, and Deacon Thomas Johns, of The Dalles; Deacs. Saunders, of Dayton; Guy, of La Creole; and York, were appointed on devotional exercises. A motion was made and carried that 750 copies of the minutes be printed. The session was spent in discussing matters pertaining to the welfare of the church, no definite results being attained. Two new churches from Washington were received into the convention, one from Goldendale, Klickitat Co., and the other from Oysterville, Pacific Co. In the evening, devotional exercises were conducted by Eld. J. T. Moore of Mitchell, followed by a sermon by Rev. P. J. Spoon of North Yakima. The morning hours today were spent in a board meeting, lasting from 8 to 9:30 o'clock, followed by devotional exercises of a half hour's duration.

In the business session this morning committees were appointed on home missions, foreign missions, Sunday schools, temperance, education, place and preacher for next meeting and nominations for members of the board. A committee was also chosen to prepare an obituary on the late Rev. J. H. Martin of Dayton. Elder Jacronx was called upon for some extemporaneous remarks, and made a happy reply. The matter of revising the constitution was informally discussed.

When the business session closed, devotional exercises began with the reading of the fourteenth chapter of Job, after which Rev. J. W. Oliver of McMinnville preached a powerful sermon on the texts "If a Man Die, Shall He Live Again?" Job xiv:14; and "How Are the Dead Raised, and With What Body Do They Come?" I Cor. xiv:35. A meeting of the board was called at 1:30, and the regular business session began at 2:30.

There is one medicine which every family should be provided with. We refer to Chamberlain's Pain Balm. When it is kept at hand the severe pain of a burn or scald may be promptly relieved and the sore healed in much less time than when medicine has to be sent for. A sprain may be promptly treated before inflammation sets in, which insures a cure in about one-third the time otherwise required. Cuts and bruises should receive immediate attention, before the parts become swollen, and when Chamberlain's Pain Balm is applied it will heal them without matter being formed, and without leaving a scar. A sore throat may be cured in one night. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment and bound over the seat of pain, will cure lame back or pair in the side or chest in twenty-four hours. It is the most valuable, however, for rheumatism. Persons afflicted with this disease will be delighted with the prompt relief from pain which it affords, and it can be depended upon to effect a complete cure. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists.

The November number of The Forum will contain a notable character study of Stamboloff by Mr. Stoyan K. Vatralsky, a native of Bulgaria and a Harvard graduate. Mr. Vatralsky's account of Stamboloff's dramatic career is probably the completest and most authoritative one that has yet appeared.

Mr. J. K. Fowler, secretary and treasurer of the Corinne Mill, Canal and Stock Co., of Corinne, Utah, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy says: "I consider it the best in the market. I have used many kinds but find Chamberlain's the most prompt and effectual in giving relief, and now keep no other in my home." When troubled with a cough or cold give this remedy a trial and we assure you that you will be more than pleased with the results. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists.

In the November number of The Forum, President O. D. Ashley, of the Washash Railroad, reviews "The General Railroad Situation in the United States," suggesting remedies for some of the evils from which our railroads at present are suffering.

Mr. A. A. Snyder, Supt. Poor Farm, Winneshelk Co., Ia., says:—Last winter Mr. Robert Leach used two boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve and cured a large running sore on his leg. Had been under care of physicians for months without obtaining relief. Sure cure for Piles. Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

FIGHT DECLARED OFF

Action Taken by the Florida Athletic Club.

CONFERENCE HELD YESTERDAY

The Club Asked for Postponement, Which Julian Refused—Brady Speaks for Corbett.

HOT SPRINGS, Oct. 21.—The fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons is declared off by the Florida Athletic Club. At a conference this morning between the managers of Corbett and Fitzsimmons the club asked that the contest be postponed until November 11. Brady acquiesced, but Julian would not, and the contest was declared off. Brady then declared that Corbett would meet any man in the world, Fitzsimmons preferred, November 11, the man to be named within 24 hours. Vendig announced that he would match Maher against Corbett, and find some one to take his place against O'Donnell. The contest between Maher and Corbett is to be for \$5000 a side.

AFTER A WEEK'S RECESS.

The Durrant Trial Resumed in San Francisco This Morning.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 21.—Although Attorney Deuprey was not well enough to appear in court this morning, the trial of Theodore Durrant was resumed after a week's intermission.

The first witness was Charles T. Lenahan, who was recalled to tell about the time when he said he had called at Oppenheim's to pawn a ring similar to the one worn by Blanche Lamont. In a letter written to Attorney Dickinson last spring, Lenahan said he called at Oppenheim's store just before noon, at the same hour Durrant is said to have visited the place, but the witness said today that he called at Oppenheim's between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon. On cross examination the witness put on his hat and overcoat for the purpose of showing the jury how he looked when he called at the store. Afterwards he put on Durrant's hat and overcoat. Lenahan bears no resemblance to Durrant, and, even when arrayed in the prisoner's clothes the similarity between the two was so little as to be hardly perceptible.

Robert N. Lynch, Rev. George Gibson's private secretary, was called to the stand for the purpose of showing that he gave Miss Cunningham the first clew to the fact that Mrs. Leak had seen Durrant and Miss Lamont enter the church on the afternoon of April 3. The defense desired to impeach Mrs. Leak's testimony by showing that she had told Rev. Mr. Gibson when she had said she had not, and, furthermore, to show that in his zeal to have Durrant convicted Rev. Mr. Gibson had made Mrs. Leak's story public.

The scheme fell short of realization, however, as Lynch said he did not tell Miss Cunningham about Mrs. Leak's story, as he himself did not know of it until after Mrs. Leak was subpoenaed as a witness in the case.

Mrs. C. G. Noble, Blanche Lamont's aunt, was recalled to tell how long Blanche had attended Powell-street normal school. Mrs. Noble said Blanche had attended the school but three days when she was murdered.

Guthrie Hopeful.

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 21.—George W. Taylor, chief of the Guthrie, Oklahoma, fire department, who went to Hot Springs to lay before Dan Stuart an offer of \$15,000 from the citizens of Guthrie to have the prizefight pulled off in that town, returned to Dallas today on his way home. He says Corbett told him he would not go into the ring for anything but a finish fight, and Julian told the same thing for Fitzsimmons. As only limited fights are possible in Arkansas, he believes Guthrie will finally be selected by Stuart and the Florida Athletic Club.

Dickinson Defeated.

DETROIT, Oct. 21.—Don M. Dickinson was defeated for the nomination of mayor of Detroit in the democratic city convention today, but his defeat was, in

reality, regarded as a victory. The nominee is Alderman Samuel Goldwater, the labor candidate, who received 51 votes to 34 for Dickinson, on the first ballot. The anti-administration men tried to force the nomination of Dickinson for the purpose, it is alleged, of having him "thrown down" by running him up against the Pingree boom.

Mr. E. E. Brooks of Hartland, Wash., was in the city today and gave a favorable report of things in the section of country known as High Prairie. This portion of Klickitat county was only begun to be settled a little over ten years ago, but it is now a prosperous community where every settler is making more than a living—something unusual for these democratic times. The people of the Hartland country are mainly given to stock raising, though an increasing number of farmers are raising wheat for sale, several individuals harvesting over 3000 bushels apiece this summer. The Dalles enjoys a good trade with Hartland, over 15,000 bushels coming to our warehouses already this season. Luxuriant grass in the valley and along the foothills make the Hartland country a fine one for dairy pursuits. There is yet good land inviting settlement.

One of the most interesting papers in the November Forum will be an autobiographical article by M. Anatole France, the distinguished French poet and litterateur.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Kansas Miner's Strike.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 21.—Four hundred miners, employed in the North Leavenworth coal shaft, quit this morning and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men employed there to quit. The North Leavenworth Company is paying 80 cents per ton and the Home Company pays 70 cents. A strike seems almost certain. The walk-out is to force the Home Company to pay 80 cents.

Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm is an unfailing remedy for all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Urinary Organs. It is a certain cure for Dropsy, Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Gravel, Kidney Weakness, Incontinence of Urine, Bed Wetting in Children, Biliousness, Liver Complaint and Female Troubles. A trial of this great remedy will convince you of its potency. Price \$1.00 per bottle. For sale by Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

Diphtheria and Typhoid.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—The health department today declared both diphtheria and typhoid fever epidemic in Chicago. The department reported 230 new cases of diphtheria last week, 49 4-10 per cent of which were fatal. The epidemics are charged to impure water. The health commissioner has issued a warning against drinking unboiled water.

Did You Ever.

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters in the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents at Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.'s.

The First Snowfall.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—The weather department last evening reported the first snow this fall for Chicago. The flakes were few and far between, but there were a sufficient number to call for official recognition.

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

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE