

THREE AGAINST ONE

An Alleged Conspiracy to Wipe out Bolivia.

CHILE, PERU AND ARGENTINE UNITE

All Three to Make War on the Common Enemy—Chile the Moving Spirit in the Plot.

New York, Nov. 12.—A dispatch to the Herald from Valparaiso says: A plan for a dreibund of Chile, Peru and Argentina is in existence, which, if adopted by the three governments, will wipe Bolivia off the South American map...

The demands of the alarmists for an explanation from the government, it is generally believed, are justified. Señor Salinas, Chile's minister to Sucre, Bolivia, has gone to Santiago to confer with the government on the situation...

More than six years have elapsed since the victory of the revolutionists, and Chile has not yet fulfilled her promise, for the simple reason that by doing so she would trample on the treaty...

In this connection the dreibund against Bolivia is considered. Argentina, it is said, will be invited into the alliance in order to give strength to the movement.

The Herald says that it is reported all international affairs between Chile and Peru and Bolivia will soon be satisfactorily settled, except the commercial and police treaty, drawn by Bolivia, and leaving the solution of the Tacna-Arica questions until next year.

ANNEXATION IS ASSURED.

Hawaiian Treaty Will Be Ratified by the Senate.

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—A special to the Times-Herald from Washington says: Ratification of the Hawaiian annexation treaty by the United States senate is assured.

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matter. It is said to be the purpose of Chairman Davis at the first executive session to ask that a day be fixed for taking up the treaty.

President McKinley in his message to congress will present as strongly as possible the arguments for annexation. He will show that the treaty has already been ratified by the Hawaiian senate, and only the action of the United States senate is required to annex the island to our territory.

A RESPIRE FOR DURRANT.

California Supreme Court Grants a Stay of Execution.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.—William Henry Theodore Durrant was not hanged at San Quentin this morning, after all, the supreme court of this state having granted him another respite at the 11th hour.

Up to four o'clock yesterday afternoon when the news was flashed over the wires that the court now in session there had granted a writ of habeas corpus, and had instructed Warden Hale not to carry out the execution of Durrant until further orders, there was apparently no further hope for the condemned murderer of Blanche Lamont, as his attorneys, Messrs. Boardman and Dickinson, had made a futile attempt to secure another writ of habeas corpus in the United States circuit court...

Meanwhile, however, Attorney Deuprey hastened to Sacramento and applied to the state supreme court for a writ of probable cause for the purpose of staying the proceedings against his client on the grounds that no official knowledge of the action of the supreme court of the United States in the matter of Durrant's appeal from the decision of the federal court had yet been received; that the superior court had acted too hastily in sentencing Durrant to be hanged today, as the law required that he be given at least 60 days of grace, and consequently that the pendency of another appeal in the supreme court affecting the condemned man is of itself sufficient cause for a stay of execution.

After the arguments were concluded, the court took the matter under advisement, and late in the afternoon granted the stay of execution was granted as required.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable.

A Steamer for Alaska. TACOMA, Nov. 15.—The steamer City of Seattle delayed her departure for Alaska till this evening.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures all, or no pay required.

QUINCY, Ill., Nov. 15.—Mrs. Distin left here last night for Sitka, Alaska, where she will join her husband Colonel William M. Distin, surveyor-general of Alaska. She will be accompanied by her son Willis.

TO TRAIL THE INDIANS

Prospectors Bent on Finding Mines.

FORTY-MILE REPORTED BURNED

Portland Bridges for the Road Between Skagway and the Lake—Secretary Alger's Orders.

SEATTLE, Nov. 13.—The steamer City of Seattle arrived here this afternoon from Juneau and Skagway. Among the passengers was Addison Stewart, who was with the Thorp party.

John McArthur of Seattle, who went to Cook inlet last spring in the interests of the Alaska Gold Syndicate, was also a passenger. He made extensive explorations in the country tributary to Cook inlet. He discovered twelve rivers which had never been previously located.

THE STICKEEN ROUTE.

It Is Not What the British Claim Is to Be.

FORT WHEELER, Nov. 5.—A great number of persons are anxious for information as to the Stickeen route as a way of entering the Yukon country. There is no doubt that a person having gone any one way would wish he had gone some other, but I have this to say: There is but one route to the Yukon and that is by Dyea.

The route is up the Stickeen river, 150 miles. The river is frozen from November until April. From April 15 until July the water is too shallow to permit of anything but canoe navigation, and the Indians charge \$100 per ton to take freight up in canoes, and are raising prices all the time.

Such boats as the Eugene and those on the Willamette river could not make the Stickeen in one hundred years. Then after you are once at Telegraph creek, the head of possible navigation, it is 160 miles more to Teslin lake, overland.

Electric Bitters. Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt.

The people in Victoria say the British are going to build a road from Telegraph creek to Teslin lake. If they ever do it will be on piles driven to bedrock the whole distance.

who left here, twelve of them lost their outfits by the boats upsetting, one man was drowned and one party of two men reached Telegraph prior to October 15, the rest all came back.

Brands for Army Horses.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The old practice of branding animals belonging to the United States with a hot iron will be resumed under a regulation just issued by Major-General Smith.

The practice of branding horses and mules used in the army had been abandoned a few years ago out of humane consideration for the animals, but it has been found necessary to have some distinguishing mark on these animals and branding with a hot iron is the only practical method of making it.

Choate for Attorney-General.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—A Washington dispatch says it is considered likely that Joseph Choate will enter the cabinet as attorney-general.

Mr. Choate's name has been presented to the president for the post to be vacated by Mr. McKenna, who is to take Justice Field's place on the supreme court bench.

NAMED BY THE PRESIDENT.

Edward Brunton to Be Postmaster at Walla Walla.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The president has appointed the following postmasters:

Utah—Eureka, James P. Driscoll. Washington—Walla Walla, Edward L. Brunton; Meyers Falls, Arthur B. Keeler.

The Carter Case.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The chief of engineers, General Wilson, has received from Colonel Gillespie, the president of the board of inquiry, a report in the case of Captain Oberlin Carter, corps of engineers, charged with irregularities in the conduct of river and harbor work in Savannah harbor.

Stands at the Head.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have."

The Seal Experts.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The Behring sea meeting was resumed in the state department at 11 o'clock today.

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ANNEXATION HER HOPE

Hawaii Anxious to Have the Treaty Signed.

THE OPINIONS OF DOLE AND JUDD

Stability of the Republic Menaced by a Rapidly Increasing Foreign Population.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—A dispatch to the World from Honolulu, dated Oct. 28, says:

Sanford B. Dole, president of the provisional republic of Hawaii, and Chief Justice Judd are anxious to have the Hawaiian annexation treaty adopted as soon as possible.

"The people will never again submit to a monarchy. In fact, there is no one sufficiently enjoying the confidence of the people of the island to conduct the affairs of state under a monarchy."

"Why do they not desire to continue as an independent republic?" he was asked.

"As the islands are so far away from other countries, and as the Asiatic population is fast increasing in numbers, it is a serious question if they are left alone whether the republic could survive with the willing consent of the foreigners."

"This is a great country for commerce. It is the natural land for American ownership. To all intents and purposes, it is an American colony, anyway, so far as business capital and industry are concerned, and it should be a part of the body politic of the United States."

TO THE RELIEF OF THE WHALERS

A Reindeer Train Will Go Overland to Point Barrow.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Secretary Alger has requested the secretary of the interior to instruct Alaskan officials to gather about 800 head of reindeer from the government herds for use of an expedition for the relief of the ice-bound whalers in the Arctic.

It is expected that the Bear, which is now in Seattle, will be ready to sail in about 10 days, and within 20 days thereafter will reach some point on the northern sound, where a large party will be engaged for the trip overland to Point Barrow.

NATIVE SAVAGERY AVENGED.

German Warship Demolishes a New Guinean Village. VICTORIA, Nov. 15.—The German warship Falk, which was dispatched from Australia on receipt of the news there of the murder of the trader, von Hagen, returned recently from German New Guinea, having grimly avenged the savagery of the natives.

The Falk steamed directly to the village in which the murderers of the late...

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acting governor were known to be arrested, and without a word of parley opened fire with artillery.

The Falk continued to shell the village despite this conciliatory measure and left no building standing.

ANCIENT LAURIER'S VISIT.

London Globe Says Canada Need Ask No Favors of America.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The afternoon papers devote editorial articles today to the visit of Sir Alfred Laurier, premier of Canada to Washington.

"Statesmen at Washington have played their cards badly and they know it. Canada has learned the lesson of patriotic independence and self-reliance, and the magnificent discoveries of gold which promise her in the near future an enormous increase in population, have confirmed her in the just confidence that with the mother country at her back she needs no American assistance in carving out for herself an honest and prosperous career."

COURIERS BACK NUMBERS.

No Longer Any Need to Go Through Europe with Them.

Up to times within the memory of living men, almost no one of means traveled through Europe without a courier. Before railroads were built and before good guide books were printed, he was almost indispensable.

The time may have been when a courier could save a traveler more than his cost. Most certainly that is not the case now.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W.H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal.

Thousands are Trying It. In order to prove the great merit of Ely's Cream Balm, the most effective cure for Catarrh and Cold in the Head, we have prepared a generous trial size for 10 cents.

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I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since a boy, and I never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that.

Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no cocaine, mercury nor any injurious drug.