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It gives me pleasure to write you my opinion of the Pianola. I have heard and played your instrument often, and take a great interest in this invention. I believe the Pianola to be a good means of enabling people who would be otherwise shut out from music, to hear it correctly executed, and to cultivate it very easily. This will certainly have the result of popularizing good music, of giving us more educated listeners, and also probably fewer indifferent performers. I can sincerely recommend the Pianola. Yours very truly, JEAN DE RESERVE.

MARION IGNACIO PRADO DEAD

Once Dictator and Twice President

of Peru.

PARIS, May 6 .- Marion Ignacio Prado is

(Marion Ignacio Prado participated in

by the Peruvian Congress. He was again elected President in 1876.)

Discharge of Volunteer Officers.

dead, aged 74 years,

M. B. WELLS, Northwest Agent for the Aeolian Company Aeolian Hall, 353-355 Washington Street, cor. Park

### A POLITICAL ROW.

### Editor of Cubano Libre Shot Another Onban in a Santingo Theater.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, May 6.-Sen borruna, editor of the Cubano Libre, hot and slightly wounded Ricardo Miands in the theater here tonight. The tack is a result of political feeling be-reen the two factions, and much ex-tement has been aroused. All the par-liment has been aroused. All the parnent has been aroused. All ants in the affair are in jail.

arous Daly's Daughter to Wed-EW YORK, May 6 .- Formal announcet was made today by Mrs. Marcus of the engagement of her daughter, Mary Doly, to James Watson Ger-of this city. It was also stated that edding will be celebrated June 4.

Cured of the Pingne. ARBOR, Mich., May 6 .-- Charles e, the student who was taken permanently cured. The only hs pe ect that Hare suffers is that ter effect ti

people. We are not a military people, We never go to war unless we have to make peace. (Great applause.) Our pride is in the arts of peace, in material and intellectual development, in the growth of our country, in the advancement of our people in civilization, in the arts, in the sciences and in manufactures. Here we are on the border line between the United States and another great republic, and on this side of the line we have 35 American

soldiers, and on that side of the line there are less than 150 Mexican soldiers. So that we are dwelling in peace and amity and causing 'peace on earth and good-will to men.' (Great applause.) We want to settle our differences, if we ever have any, with the powers of the world by tion. (Applause.) We want to exhaust every peaceable means for settlement be fore we go to war. (Applause.) while we have authority to raise And 100,000 troops, the necessity does not exist for that number, and we do not propose to raise but 75,000, (Great applause.) So don't be alarmed about militarism (laughter and

applause), or imperialism (great applause), We know no imperialism in the United States except the imperialism of a sovereign people. (Great applause.) Having said this much. I only want to again ex-press the pleasure which all of us feel at having been received so cordially and hos pitably by this people, and to thank you

General Castilla's revolution against the Echugenes Government, in 1855. He marched against Lima in 1865 and entered for having given us on Sunday as quiet and reposeful a time as though we had spent it at home." (Long-continued apthe capital, November 6, at the head of a victorious army. November 26 he de-clared himself Dictator and was subse-quently elected Constitutional Preeldent plause.) Members of the Cabinet also spoke. At

the conclusion of the addresses, the party, including the Mexican officials, went for a drive. The President expressed a desire to take a look over into Mexico, and was driven to the international bridge. There, at the American customs office, he alight. ed, and chatted for some time with those around him. The old church of Guada-

WASHINGTON, May 6 .- A notice is-sued today by the War Department honorably discharges a number of volunteer officers. Among them are Major-Generals Shafter and Wood and Brigadler-Generals lupe, over 300 years of age, the Spanish prison and other interesting buildings in Juarez were pointed out to him. From the bridge he could plainly see the Sierra Madre Monthains, 60 mlies to the south-ward. President Harrison, in 1821, went half way across the bridge, but President Barry and Barber, to take effect June 30: Brigadier-Generals Whiteside, Bell, Bird, Hara, Long, Balance and Bliss, to take effect June 20.

a delightful day in New Mexico. The weather was perfect. The two hours spent at Las Vegas Hot Springs were much enjoyed. For nearly all this is the first visit to the territory. Much merriment was created this evening by a mock trial participated in by leading members of the party.

### California Towns Decorated.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 6 .- This city, common with the other places in Southern California through which the Presidential party will pass, is being lav-ishly decorated with festcoms of flowers, flags and electric lights. Los Angeles is already in gala attire, the business house being almost hidden from view by the National colors. Redlands, Colton, Santa Barbara and Ventura are preparing to welcome the President and entertain thousands of people from the surrounding country

Turquoise for McKinley.

SANTA FE, N. M., May 6.-Four beau-tiful and valuable turquoise from the Por-terfield mines in the Burro Mountains were presented to President McKinley today by Governor Otero. The largest ston weighs 20 carats, and was a supert

> Mrs. Langtry Selling Land. SALT LAKE, May 6,-A real estate transaction in which Mrs. Langtry was involved was discovered today when a nvolved was discovered today when i lot of 10 acres of land, lying just below Liberty Park, in this city, owned below Liberty Park, in this city, owned by Mrs. Langtry, was disposed of to persons not named. The property was bought by Mrs. Langtry during her tour of the United States in 1887.

### Drowned in Chicopee River.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 6.-Charles Nelson Wrightington, superintendent of the Ludiow Manufacturing Company's No. 8 mill at Ludlow, and Poster W. Tatt, electrical engineer for the company, were drowned in the Chicopee River tonight while attempting to shoot the rapids at Indian Leap Rock. Their capbe cap-

government made the issue strictly a par-ty one, and secured the record attendance for this Parliament, and by vigorous efforts polled within a score of the normal majority. The galleries were packed to overflow-

ing. The principal figures during the last day of the discussion were chiefly within

the Liberal ranks. Sir Edward Gray, H. H. Asquith, William Abraham, Liberal, and Charles Fenwick all assailed the tax eloquently, the last two speaking with no little pathos and a broad accent on behalf of the miners, in whose station of life they worked before coming to West-

ninster. Perhaps the most interesting feature was the speech of Hon. Fredrick Lambton, brother of the Earl of Durham, who, standing among the Conservatives, denounced the government as a "pack of riotous hounds after a ewe lamb," by which he referred to the coal industry. He declared that the Chancellor of the Exchequer had represented the colliers Exchequer had represented the that he was compelled to clo as liars and foreigners, and he maintained

that they were "as honorable a set of men as ever sat on the government

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach attempted to explain, but Mr. Lambton paid little heed. The sleepy people who had come in to hear the final stages of the debate blinked vigorously as they heard the right of miners to strike proclaimed by an aristo-crat, who declared that the miners were "as good as many a man who has worn the Victoria Cross."

Another supporter of the government, John Wilson, bitterly objected to the tax, bringing up the question of American com-petition, and contending that the duty would give the United States a chance to cut our British coal. This started the

ball rolling, and for some time the House gave itself up to a discussion of the rela-tive merits of "Pocahontas" and "Smoke-less Weish." with frequent references to America's growing merchant marine and

The advantages of coal. Mr. Baifour, in rambling style, summer up the debate, basing his argument upon the monosition that such a great and Sam

councils control in places where no board exists, and where school boards do exist, these will continue to control ele-mentary education, while the borough councils will be charged with secondary and technical education. If this forecast is correct, the bill will excite keen and prolonged discussion.

## Chicago Stock Brokers Fail.

CHICAGO, May 6 .- Jamieson & Co., at 169 La Salle street, one of the largest stock brokerage firms in the West, have stock drokerage firms in the West, have suspended. They were unlible to meet their obligations on the New York Stock Exchange. "Mr. Jamleson declared his belies that his firm could pay its credi-tors in full. Customsr of the firm are said to have been short on the New York Stock Exchange, but were unable to produce sufficient margins to meet the

to produce sufficient margins to meet the ivance in stocks. This threw the obligations on Jamieson & Co. Funds which Mr. Jamieson fully expected to receive failed to reach him today, with the result se his deals.

Plans of the Lend Trust.

ST. LOUIS. May S-Eugene H. Angert, ocal attorney for the Union Lead & Oli Company, which is reported as becoming the nucleus of the new lead trust, backed by a sy and P. a syndicate of which W C. Whitne

by a syndicate of which W. C. Whitney and P. F. Ryan are the promoters, ad-mitted today that the Whitney syndicate was investing heavily in Missouri lead plants. One of these, which will cost about \$1.00,000, will be built in St. Louis. Mr. Angert would not state positively that a trust was contemplated, or that the Whitnew combine would attempt to buy up all the large lead companies in Mis-souri. He said that the policy of the syndicate would be aggressive.

Second Body Recovered.

ST. PAUL, May 6 - A second body of the Rosenfield children was recovered from the river today at the St. Paul boom. The body was that of William Rosenfeld. There now remains to be re-covered from the river the bodies of Mary Rosenfeld, aged 5, and the baby.

nisters of Evangelical conference assigned

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York handed at Melbourne. Page 2.

Troops will begin to leave China when she promises to pay the indemnity. Page 2. Domestic.

An engineer was killed and a score of passengers were injured in a train wreck in Page 2.

Six thousand destitute persons were fed as Jacksonville, Fla., yesterday, Page 5. Sport.

University of California defeated University of Oregon in field day, 75-42. Page 3.

Portland baseball team defeated Walls, Walls, by 9 to 4. Page 3. The yacht

acht Constitution was isunched at Bris-Page 3. toL The Shamrock II easily outsailed Shamrock I

at Southamp n. Page 3.

### Pacific Coast.

State fair purses for two races are largest over offered in Oregon. Page 4.

Finding of body clears up mystery surrounding disappearance of Colfax, Wash., girl. Page 4.

L. S. J. Hunt forms syndicate to operate con-cessions vested in him by Cores. Page 5.

There is a strong probability of a railrost being built from Baker City to Burns, Or Page 5. Commercial.

Portland market quotations. Page 11.

Domestic and foreign commercial news and quotations. Page 11. few York stock market transactions. Page IL .

### Marine.

Portiand's marine traffic more than double, that of a year ago. Page 10.

Launch Robert Barron makes a fast trip to Wrangel. Page 10.

Ship Nervus, now in port, has been chartered to load oil at Philadelphia. Page 10. Shipbuilding trust will issue statement tomor-

row. Page 10. Portland and Vicinity,

Edward J. Daugherty drops dead of heart dis-ease in Alaska. Page & Annual mosting of Portland Women's Union.

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Opening of May term of State Circuit Court. Page 8.

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