

WHAT CONGRESS WILL DO

PROGRAMME FOR THE COMING WEEK IN BOTH HOUSES

The Senate will take up the Canal Treaty, and it will Doubtless Be Ratified With Little Delay.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The only measure of importance which the Senate has on its calendar for the present week is the new Hay-Pauncefote treaty, making provision for the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty and opening the way for the unobstructed construction of the Isthmian canal by the United States. Acting for the committee on foreign relations, Senator Lodge will take the Senate to go into executive session tomorrow for the consideration of the treaty, and each day thereafter until the convention is disposed of. It can be said that at this time the prospect is very strong that the treaty will be ratified, and it now looks as if this result will be secured after comparatively little delay. There will be some debate and some features of the document will be criticized as undesirable, but there is no probability of capricious opposition. The criticism will be along the lines indicated by Senators Money and Bacon, in the committee on foreign relations at its meeting Friday. No Senator thus far, however, has shown a disposition to carry his objections to the point of ultimate effort to defeat ratification. The principal authors of the treaty are the treaty are Senators Lodge, who are generally very anxious for the construction of the canal. They find that all canal legislation will be tied up until action can be secured on the treaty and they are, on this account, less liable than they otherwise would be to do anything to delay action upon the treaty itself. The most active opponents of the treaty are the treaty are Senators Lodge, who are generally very anxious for the construction of the canal. They find that all canal legislation will be tied up until action can be secured on the treaty and they are, on this account, less liable than they otherwise would be to do anything to delay action upon the treaty itself.

ROBBERY OF DIAMONDS.

Once Prominent Denver Man Convicted of the Crime.

DENVER, Dec. 8.—The jury in the case of John H. Barr, formerly prominent merchant and manufacturer of Denver, on trial charged with robbing Mrs. Mary Betts of \$500 worth of diamonds, tonight returned a verdict of guilty after being out for 24 hours. Barr was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. Something over a year ago Mrs. Betts was robbed of her diamonds while returning to the city from a party given at the home of the late Senator John A. Armitage. Barr, who was later arrested, charged with having entered into a scheme to rob Mrs. Betts, was charged with having been part of an alleged conspiracy. Barr was confined in prison for some months, and during the time implicated Barr in the case, according to his wife, Barr was dropped upon his agreement to turn state's evidence. This he did not do, however. One of the sensational features of the case was the testimony of Mrs. Betts that she was of the opinion that the person who took her jewels from her was a woman disguised in man's clothing. Barr's attorneys will move for a new trial tomorrow.

FORGED JAPANESE BONDS.

Charge Against a Traveler Arrested in Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 8.—Acting on telegraphic instructions sent from Washington by Attorney-General Knox, United States Marshal Grimshaw today arrested a Japanese traveler, charged with having forged Japanese bonds. The traveler was arrested at the Minneapolis station, and was taken to the Minneapolis police station. The traveler was charged with having forged Japanese bonds, and was taken to the Minneapolis police station. The traveler was charged with having forged Japanese bonds, and was taken to the Minneapolis police station.

OPERATIONS OF THE MINTS.

Annual Report of Director Roberts—Some Recommendations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The report of George E. Roberts, Director of the Mint, upon the operations of the mints during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1901, has been completed. The coinage of the mints during the fiscal year amounted to \$1,766,122, of which \$1,766,122 was in gold, \$1,766,122 was in silver, and \$1,766,122 was in copper. The report also contains recommendations for the improvement of the mints, and for the better management of the coinage.

SHOT A MINISTER.

Murder Committed by an Alabama Soldier in the Peace.

BROOKSIDE, Dec. 8.—Rev. J. W. Bradford, Methodist minister at this place, was shot by R. D. Coffman, Justice of the Peace, this afternoon and died two hours later. Rev. Bradford had been returning home from a service at another place. While at Sunday school this morning he called attention to the fact, and remarked that he hoped all the ministers would be full of the Holy Spirit. Coffman was charged with the murder of Rev. Bradford, and was taken to the Brookside police station.

OLD MAN GETS A LIFE SENTENCE.

RUTLEDGE, Tenn., Dec. 8.—P. W. Bundren, a well-to-do farmer nearly 60 years of age, was sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Attorney John H. Crozier, who was shot down in a public highway last July. Crozier had sought to collect a debt from Bundren, and was shot by Bundren. Bundren was sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Crozier, and was taken to the Rutledge prison.

MISSING NORTH CAROLINA GIRL.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., Dec. 8.—The opinion still prevails here that Nellie Cropper was either abducted or murdered. The Pasquotank River was dragged today more systematically than ever, but without securing a trace of the missing girl. The search will be continued. A report reached here today from Wilmington, N. C., that the girl had been located there, but it is not certain.

DUG THEIR WAY TO LIBERTY.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 8.—Thirty-nine prisoners, serving sentences for minor crimes, escaped from the State Prison at Birmingham today by digging through a 15-inch brick wall with pocket knives. Five of them were captured.

WINTER WORK AT THE STERLING.

GRANTS PASS, Nev., Dec. 8.—The old and new mines of the Sterling, in the Forest Creek district, began its usual winter work yesterday. The 25-mile line of this mine furnishes a flow of 250,000 tons of coal each year. The mine is operated by the Sterling Coal and Lumber Co., and is one of the largest mines in the West.

COUGHS AND COLDS IN CHILDREN.

Recommendation of a Well-Known Chicago Physician.

A use and prescribe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for children. I prescribe it to children of all ages. Am glad to see it so generally used, and the relief from colds and coughs and bronchial affections. It is non-narcotic, and does not produce drowsiness. A universal panacea for all mankind.—Mrs. Mary P. Melendy, M. D., Ph. D., Chicago. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

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WILL BREAK UP CAMPS

SOUTH AFRICAN REFUGEES TO BE DISTRIBUTED.

British Government's Proposal Will Be Announced When Parliament Reassembles—Foreign News.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—It is reported that when Parliament reassembles the British Government will bring forward a proposal in regard to the concentration camps in South Africa. It is believed that this proposal will suggest the distribution of the refugees in the settled districts.

RUSSIAN FAMINE CONDITIONS.

Said to Be Far Worse Than Government Reports Indicate.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 22.—The Ministry of the Interior yesterday issued another statement about the famine. Five and a half million pounds of winter grain and 3,000,000 pounds of summer grain has been purchased and forwarded to the needy districts. The total grain purchases are given as exceeding 10,000,000 pounds, which 10,000,000 pounds has been expended. The entire famine fund so far disposable is 14,212,336 roubles. The original estimate of grain to relieve the famine districts was 10,000,000 pounds, and they have consequently been reduced in a number of cases.

BEETS VERSUS CANE.

Maybe High Tariff Is Not Absolutely Necessary.

New York Journal Commerce.

The complaint of "Chinese cheap labor" is repeated to this day, for revenue purposes, but it is not often that the poison and the antidote are combined in one dose as they are in the San Francisco correspondence of the Sugar Beet, a Philadelphia publication.

AMSTERDAM PAPER ASSERTS THAT HE WAS NOT KILLED.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 8.—It is impossible to obtain confirmation of the reported death of Major Van Tets, aide to Queen Wilhelmina, who is said to have fought and been wounded in a duel with Prince Henry, the Queen's consort. The Amsterdam Telegraph asserts Major Van Tets passed a quiet night last night; that Professor Nieuwenhuis, who was a friend of the late Major, is satisfied with his patient's condition. At the hospital at Utrecht, however, and in official circles no information on this matter can be obtained.

HOPES FOR THE CANAL TREATY.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The Times, in an editorial on the Hay-Pauncefote canal treaty, says it is hard to see how Great Britain could concede more without pretending to give what she does not possess, viz. the rights and incidents of territorial sovereignty. The fact, however, is that the Times, "which do not weaken the objections of those Senators anxious to oppose anything making for good relations with Great Britain," says it is hard to see how Great Britain could concede more without pretending to give what she does not possess.

ARBITRATION LAW IN AUSTRALIA.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Dec. 8.—By the passage of the industrial arbitration bill through its final stages, the government has placed a law upon the statute books which will settle all disputes between employers and employees to a competent court, with power to enforce its orders and awards. It is a law which will settle all disputes between employers and employees to a competent court, with power to enforce its orders and awards.

ENGLISH RESORT HOTEL BURNED.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The Queen's Hotel, on the South Sea, was destroyed by fire. Forty of the guests escaped from the building in their night clothes. Two chambermaids were injured, and several others were suffocated. The Queen's Hotel was a fashionable resort for the English, and was one of the largest hotels in London.

UNIONS WILL SWELL MCKINLEY FUNDS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—A National trades-union movement for a McKinley memorial fund started here tonight when a number of men present at a meeting of the National Trades Union Association of Illinois. The movement will be started with a fund of \$200, which the latter officers of Chicago have secured toward the building of a monument and which they will give to the committee appointed to attend to the collection of funds.

CRAMPS CRUISER FOR TURKEY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 8.—The Cramp Shipbuilding Company has notified the Porte that it is ready to commence building a cruiser for the Turkish government, and has asked the government to send officers to supervise the vessel's construction.

IMPLICATED IN THE STONE AFFAIR.

VIENNA, Dec. 8.—It is said here that the man named Hajlu, who was arrested at Sofia, December 7, and alleged to be the assassin of ex-Premier Stambouloff, had a hand in the kidnapping of Miss Stone, the American missionary.

RUSSIAN DIPLOMATIC CHANGE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 8.—Lieutenant Schebko, military agent of the Russian Embassy at Washington, has been appointed to the Russian Legation at Sofia. Lieutenant-Colonel Apikoff will succeed Lieutenant Schebko at Washington.

DUELING IN AUSTRIA IS DOOMED.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—A dispatch to the Times from Vienna declares that the Austrian government has decided to take the matter in hand, dueling in Austria-Hungary is doomed.

GALES ON THE BRITISH COAST.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—There were heavy gales along the coast of Great Britain Saturday night and today. Several wrecks have been reported and the channel mail steamers are delayed.

SALVINO AND DUSE COMING.

ROME, Dec. 8.—After a tour of Italy, Gabriel D'Annunzio, the dramatist, will take "Francesca da Rimini" to the United States with Tommaso Salvini, the tragedian, and Eleonora Duse.

DUCHESS WILL VISIT HER FATHER.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—The papers announce that the Duchess of Devonshire will visit her father, the Duke of Devonshire, in the New Year.

DESERTER MET HIS FATE

FAGIN, THE AMERICAN NEGRO, KILLED BY FILIPINO SCOUTS.

General Chaffee Disapproves the Death Sentence Passed on General Torres—Finances.

MANILA, Dec. 8.—Native scouts from Banguan, Province of Nueva Ecija, have killed the American negro, David Fagin, a deserter from the Twenty-fourth Infantry (colored) who for more than two years has been leading a band of desperadoes against the American troops. The native scouts decapitated the prisoner. The man's head, however, was recognized as that of Fagin. They secured his command in the insurgent army. Fagin had on one of his fingers the class ring of Lieutenant Frederick W. Alstetter, of the engineers, who was captured by Filipino scouts, and his death was erroneous and that he has now been killed.

TORRES MAY ESCAPE DEATH.

A military commission has sentenced the Filipino General, Sisto Torres, to be hanged for finding him guilty of ordering the assassination of Corporal Fieldner, of the Twelfth Infantry at Malolos, Province of Bulacan, last October. The sentence was passed by the military commission, but General Chaffee, who has been reported killed on several occasions. The authorities are satisfied that former statements of his death were erroneous and that he has now been killed.

CASE OF PATTERSON.

The case of Patterson, the Englishman, private secretary to Sixto Lopez, whom efforts were made to deport from Manila, after he had landed there without swearing allegiance to the United States, is still hanging fire before the Supreme Court. Patterson's attorneys assert that their client, once having landed, is beyond the jurisdiction of M. W. Morgan, Governor of the Philippines, and that the Philippines, who has been trying to effect his deportation, is in violation of the Patterson's expulsion.

UNLAWFULNESS OF MERCHANTS.

The United States Philippine Commission has passed an act authorizing the business men of Manila to pay in gold for the payment of supplies purchased, as the merchants refuse to sell goods for Mexican silver.

ENTERTAINED BY PRESS CLUB.

At a luncheon given by the Press Club at Manila today to Acting Governor Wright, General Chaffee and Mr. W. F. Frey, Attorney-General to the Philippines, the guests made short addresses.

IN HONOR OF RIZAL.

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shoot peacocks in India. They are everywhere very much valued and respected by the natives, and in some places, distinguished by a sacredness. Here and there you will find them regularly fed near some rural temple, together with monkeys and snakes, but the peacock is generally a great enemy of the serpent tribe. Nobody, I say, should ever see a peacock in the jungle, unless it is far away from any village or temple. Once, and once only, I was guilty of what I would never repeat. We were short of meat for the soup kettle, and, coming to camp empty-handed under the hot morning sun, one of those flashes of bird lightning spoken of by officers, struck a cluster of wild indigo. It was a young peacock, in full and shining plumage of his second feathers, and, yielding to the impulse of the moment, I brought him down. I was in the evening, and the beautiful quarry dead on the tiger grass was striking in the extreme, but I felt as though I had fired into the front window pane of a jeweler's shop in Bond Street, and up to this day regret that I yielded to the temptation. Still, that is how I know that peacock-flesh is very palatable and makes an excellent variety of food. I mark words of course, not apply to veterans like the historical bird of Lord Beaconsfield.

Strike Troubles at Scranton.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 8.—At 11 o'clock tonight an attempt was made by three deputies to arrest boys who were stoning cars on South Main avenue manned by nonunion men. A big crowd set upon the officers, and the scene of flying bullets overpowered and beat severely. Two of them, S. F. Cosgrove and R. T. Reily, are in the hospital. Later in the evening a mob of 500 men, and a few deputies who attempted to arrest stone-throwers on Capouse avenue, and, after taking their prisoners away, put the officers in retreat with a fusillade of stones and bricks.

Chopin Manuscripts.

London Daily Telegraph.

The gifts to the Conservatoire de Musique include several manuscripts of Chopin. There are eight pieces, all in the composer's own hand, together with a berceuse, a nocturne, and three waltzes. One of these latter is the first composition of the kind by the famous Polish musician; another is a piece dedicated to Mile. Charlotte de Rothschild, with the inscription: "Hommage, Paris, 1840." "Chopin," and finally the famous waltz in F flat.

Knocked Out in the Ninth.

PAINESVILLE, O., Dec. 8.—The fight between Jimmy Hoey and George Siddons, which was to have taken place a week ago, but was prevented by the Sheriff on orders from Governor Nash, was brought off early today at Richmond. Hoey was knocked out in the ninth round. No arrests have been made.

Colonel John Doniphan Dying.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 8.—Colonel John Doniphan, a prominent figure from Missouri in the Mexican War, who served with his uncle, General A. W. Doniphan, in signal campaigns against Mexicans and Indians, is dying at his home in this city. Colonel Doniphan is 90 years old.

Cleveland Anarchists Suppressed.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 8.—The Cleveland police today refused to allow the Liberty Association, which includes in its membership a number of the disciples of Emma Goldman, to hold a meeting.

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Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by

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A CLEAR HEAD; good digestion; sound sleep; a fine appetite and a ripe old age, are some of the results of the use of Tutt's Liver Pills. A single dose will convince you of their wonderful effects and virtue.

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FOURTH AND WASHINGTON.

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It is, indeed, singularly unfortunate in its nomenclature. Nothing can be more ridiculously inappropriate to such a bird than our English name for it. "Peacock" seems to be a corruption of some old form such as we find in Chaucer, who, in his "Parliament of Fowls," speaks of it as "pauke." But must be derived in some strange fashion from the Latin "pavo," the French "paon," and the Dutch "pauw," which last is a word applied by the Dutch purchasing agent to draw money in gold for the payment of supplies purchased, as the merchants refuse to sell goods for Mexican silver.

A general feeling of uneasiness prevails among the business men of Manila from the unofficial announcement that beginning January 1, the United States Philippine Commission intends to reduce by 50 per cent the value of the silver dollar, the present ratio of two Mexican dollars for one gold dollar. It is hoped, however, that some solution of the difficulty may be found which may obviate the necessity of such a drastic measure. Each silver dollar imported into the islands by the difference between its actual bullion price and 50 cents in gold, and such a sum, the United States Congress gives authority for the issuance of a Philippine currency.

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