CROCKER CARED FOR

Made Revenue Collector for Washington.

SENATOR FOSTER WINS VICTORY

Northwest Districts Are to Be Re-Arranged—Ide's Appointment as Collector at Port Townsend Will Now Be Confirmed.

The great fight in the State of Washington over the Port Townsend Collectorship has been settled in a way in which the leading candidates are both recognized. R. D. Crocker, of Walla Walla, is to be made Collector of Internal Revenue for Washington—a district created out of territory heretofore under an Oregon official—with headquarters at Tacoma. Clarence W. Ide's appointment as Collector at Port Townsend, which has been held up by Senator Foster, will now be confirmed. Crocker was the choice of Foster, and Ide of the John L. Wilson faction of the Republican party. The latter was also strongly indorsed by Attorney-General Knox, which is doubtless the reason of his success.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—There is a big victory for Senator Foster today in the appointment of Benjamin D. Crocker, of Walla Walla, to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Washington. To accomplish this result Senator Foster has had to have the internal revenue districts of the Pacific Northwest rearranged, and to have Washington and Alaska made a separate district, with headquarters at Tacoma. Heretofore the district has been known as the Oregon and Washington district. Now Oregon and Idaho and part of Utah are made a separate collection district, with headquarters at Portland, as heretofore, and the Collector in office is not disturbed. His authority over appointments in Washington ceases. That portion of Idaho and Utah now included in the Oregon district was formerly in the Montana district, with headquarters at Helena.

The whole matter has been kept quiet, as everybody connected with it desired to have the results accomplished before any announcement should be made, and the first intimation of the success of the plan was the appointment of Crocker. This is what Senator Foster has been contending for all along. He wanted Crocker to have a place, and selected him for Collector of Customs, the place to which Ide was appointed. The President desired to continue Ide in office, mainly on account of the strong recommendation which Attorney-General Knox has made concerning his (Ide's) services as Marshal, and so appointed him Collector of the port. Senator Foster was unwilling that Ide should have the office as long as Crocker, his friend, was unprovided for, and then came the suggestion for rearrangement of the internal revenue districts with a view to having Crocker appointed Collector of the Washington district. This having been accomplished and Crocker named, it is probable that Ide's nomination will be favorably reported by the Senate committee on commerce next Thursday, and will be confirmed. Senator Foster held up Ide's nomination up to this time, but has no desire to hold it up longer, and the nomination will be confirmed without further objection.

(Internal Revenue Collector D. M. Dunne was seen yesterday in regard to the division of his district. He said he had been aware that the division was to be made, but had not known definitely that Idaho and a part of Utah were to be included in the Oregon district. The division will divide the receipts of his office, but it was perfectly satisfactory to him, as it will relieve him of a great deal of responsibility in regard to Alaska, all the revenue receipts from which section came to Seattle. He did not suppose the division will necessitate any change in his office for the present, but probably the force will be reduced eventually.

HANNA AND BURTON INCIDENT.

Senator Declines to Allow It to Become a National Affair.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Senator Hanna declines to allow the Burton incident, in Cleveland, to be made a National affair which will involve him, and it is quite probable that he has got power enough in Ohio to prevent it from spreading to other parts of the state. There always have been two warring factions in Ohio. The Forsker wing never could get along with the Sherman wing. Hanna has fallen heir to the John Sherman influence, but he wields the strongest power, and the two factions move along side by side, each having a Senator and each having Representatives in Congress and Representatives on the state ticket. Squabbles constantly arise, and the Hanna men here say that is all there is to the trouble in Cleveland at the present time. Burton's position as chairman of the river and harbor committee has given the matter some prominence throughout the country, because nearly every section knows him.

New National Bank at Burns.

The Controller of the Currency today authorized the First National Bank of Burns, Or., to begin business with a capital of $25,000. John D. Daly will be president, and N. U. Carpenter cashier.

Reserve Agent for Everett Band.

The First National Bank of Chicago was today designated reserve agent for the First National Bank of Everett, Wash.

To Stop Grazing on Reserve.

Senator Turner today introduced a bill prohibiting the grazing of sheep in the Mount Rainier forest reserve after January 1 next. The Senator has been informed by farmers of the Yakima Valley that such grazing is rapidly destroying the water supply on which they depend for irrigation conditions, which he personally investigated on his recent visit to the state. He believes early legislation is necessary.

Legalizing Drift Fences.

Senator Burton, of Kansas, has introduced a bill legalizing the erection of drift fences on the public lands of the United States, under the direction of the President. Such fences, however, must be constructed so as to permit the free passage of sheep under them.

NO GOOD CHEER TO DEMOCRATS.

Oregon Election Regarded as a Republican Victory.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—One of the Democratic papers, the Indianapolis Sentinel, discussing the returns from Oregon, speaks of it as "a message of good cheer to the Democrats." Several Eastern papers have taken it up, and ridicule the suggestion, pointing out that it is a Republican victory, pure and simple. The Washington Post, an independent paper, discussing the matter, this morning said that many Oregon Republicans cast their votes for the Democratic Gubernatorial nominee, but "stood by their party and policies, including the retention of sovereignty over the Philippines by electing Republicans to Congress."

The Detroit Free Press, a Democratic paper, says: "At every point where the issues were of a political nature the Republicans demonstrated that they retained control."

CUBAN SITUATION NOW ACUTE.

Poor Prospect for Legislation at This Session of Congress.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The Cuban reciprocity situation is becoming very acute, and the prospects are not very good for any legislation at this session. It is understood that a movement is on foot to demonstrate that nothing can be done, and even to compromise by appointing a commission to investigate the conditions in Cuba. Every effort made to secure a majority of the Republicans for a straight reciprocity proposition has failed, as there are a large number of beet-sugar Republicans who are determined to vote to strike out the differential if the bill ever comes into the Senate. Great pressure is being brought to bear upon every man who is known to oppose the Cuban reciprocity bill, and it is believed it is having some effect, but leaders of the beet-sugar men say they have enough men who will hold out to prevent the passage of the bill if it does not offer terms satisfactory to them.

STRIKE AT MANILA.

Its Extent Frightens Its Leader, Who Resigns.

MANILA, June 9.—The strikes here are becoming general. The printers, the butchers, the tobacconists, the hemp workers and the cigar-makers, estimated in all to number over 7000 men, are out. Isabelo de los Reyes, who organized the strike movement, has become frightened at the conditions which have resulted from his efforts, and has resigned the leadership. A dummy leader has been appointed in his stead, but the strikers admit that De los Reyes still issues all orders. The majority of the strikers tell their employers that they are satisfied with their present wages, which are today three times higher than they were before the Americans came to the islands, but that they must obey orders, as otherwise they will be killed. When De los Reyes resigned, he said it was a matter of indifference to him whether the Americans shot him on account of his efforts.

FINDINGS IN SMITH CASE.

Secretary Root Has Not Yet Had Time to Consider It.

WASHINGTON, June 10. — Secretary Root said today he had not yet had time to consider the case of General J. H. Smith, tried by court-martial at Manila for alleged violation of the rules of war in the conduct of the campaign in Samar. He added that as the Smith case was based practically on the transactions which led to the trial of Major Waller, of the Marine Corps, by court-martial, charged with alleged unlawful killing of Filipino prisoners, he would probably await the receipt of the record of that case before giving consideration to the Smith case. The Waller record is not expected to reach this city for several weeks.

It is said at the War Department that the Waller case is a closed incident, but that the Smith case will not be legally closed until it has been finally acted upon by the President. The significance of this statement is that it is still in the power of the President to return the case to the court for the reconsideration of the evidence adduced, even if the officer was acquitted by the court, as the press dispatches from Manila have indicated. The court could not be legally compelled to change its findings, however, against its own judgment and its adherence to a verdict of "not guilty" would stand despite the disapproval of the President, which in that case would be simply a rebuke to the court without affecting the legal status of the accused.

Buencamino at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 10.—Felipe Buencamino, formerly Secretary of War in Aguinaldo's Cabinet, reached this city today to study the methods of the recent exposition. It is his desire to hold an exposition in Manila to commemorate Dr. Risal, the Filipino patriot, and he wishes to obtain ideas relative to the cost and plan of operation.

Typhoon in Luzon.

MANILA, June 10.—A recent typhoon caused much damage to the telegraph lines throughout the Island of Luzon and many native boats were wrecked.

ALUMNI EXERCISES.

Memorial Tablet Unveiled at Princeton University.

PRINCETON, N. J., June 10.—Alumni day exercises of Princeton University were held today, the principal feature of which was the luncheon in the Casino. About 1500 of the alumni attended. The annual meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa Society also was held, and a tablet given by the classes of '82 and '93, in memory of George Yardly Taylor, of '82, and Cortland Van Rensselaer Hodge, '93, two of Princeton's missionaries, who were massacred by the Boxers at Pao Ting Fu, China, in June, 1900, was unveiled in Marquand Chapel.

Tribute to Dr. Patton.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., June 10.—Regarding the resignation of Professor Francis L. Patton, of Princeton University, President Angell, of the University of Michigan, said last night:

"I know Dr. Patton personally and I have the utmost admiration for him. He gained his great distinction by his eminence as a philosopher, theologian and preacher. When he went to Princeton he brought great strength and reputation. The institution flourished under his care and rapidly developed in every direction. He had a very acute mind in the discussion of theological questions, and he, perhaps, prefers to give up administrative duties which are necessarily arduous, and return to the pulpit.

Gift for Princeton.

NEW YORK, June 10.—In connection with the commencement exercises at Princeton, formal announcement has been made of a gift of $70,000 by the classes of 1900 and '01 to be used for special purposes at the university.

To Amend Constitution.

NEW YORK, June 10. — Important amendments to the constitution of the Daughters of the Revolution, of which Adeline W. Sterling is President-General, are to be considered at a special meeting of the National Society which has been called for June 16 in this city.

Whooping Cough.

There is no danger whatever from this disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given to keep the cough loose and expectorations easy. It has been used in many epidemics and always with the best results. For sale by all druggists.

FRANCE'S FOREIGN POLICY

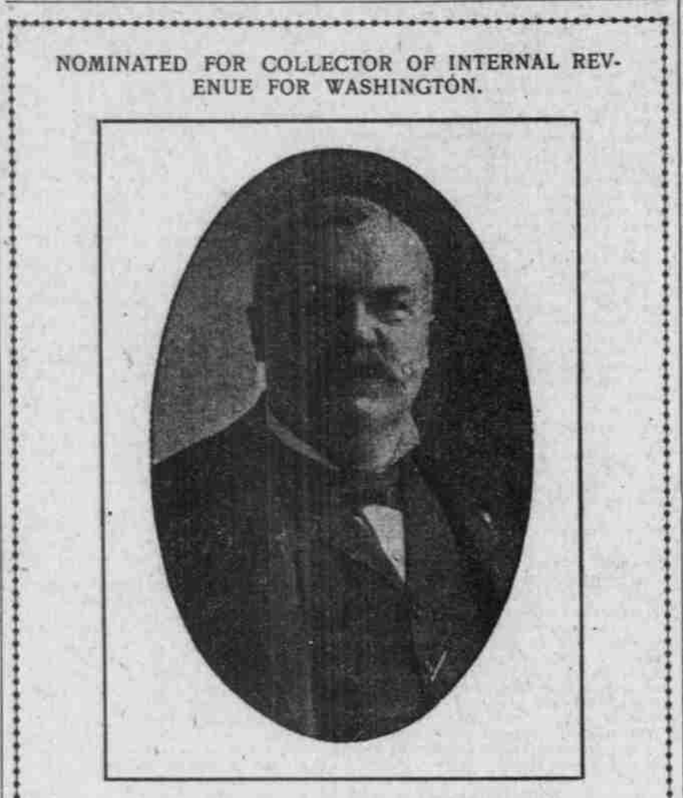
NEW MINISTRY WILL HOLD ON TO RUSSIAN ALLIANCE.

Premier Combes Makes the Declaration in the Chamber of Deputies —Other Foreign News.

PARIS, June 10.—In the Chamber of Deputies today the Premier, M. Combes, made the Ministerial declaration. It was on the lines of the synopsis cabled to the Associated Press June 7, and was received in silence by the Moderates and Rights, while the Radicals and Radical Socialists warmly applauded. In concluding his remarks, the Premier said:

"Never losing sight of the superior permanent interests of the country, our foreign policy will continue the alliance of which France and Russia equally appreciate the beneficent action, and in which universal opinion sees an essential guarantee of the world's equilibrium. We shall cultivate relations and friendships which have been happily developed or renewed; and which are facilitated by community of origin, proximity of institutions and history. Respectful of others' rights, we shall devote ourselves to maintaining intact the moral and material patrimony of France."

The Chamber decided to discuss interpellations on the government's programme Thursday.



NOMINATED FOR COLLECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE FOR WASHINGTON.

B. D. CROCKER, OF WALLA WALLA.

ROSTAND AS A PLAGIARIST.

Author of Cyrano Comments on Chicago Injunction.

PARIS, June 10.—Edmund Rostand, who had hitherto not made any statement regarding the judgment of the United States District Court of Chicago, granting Samuel Eberle Gross, the author of "The Merchant Prince of Cornville," an injunction against further performances of "Cyrano de Bergerac" on the ground that M. Rostand's play plagiarized situations in Mr. Gross' work, writes today a reply to the Temps. M. Rostand, after saying he has always refused to take the affair seriously, but that some day, perhaps, he may recount the serio-comic incidents of the suit against him, though actually brought against another person, adds:

"The Gross manuscript was twice published — Paris, first in 1889, when I was 11 years old; secondly, in 1897, when 'Cyrano' was known to all my friends. I only ask to have in my hands a translation of the Chicago piece. I have written to my editor to procure and publish it. In the meantime I am ready to admit I took from Cyrano de Bergerac his name and the Panache Hotel from Burgundy; Baguenas from a cookshop; Roxane kissing Cyrano's words on Christian's lips from 'A Voyage to the Moon,' and the cadets of Gascony—in fact all our 17th century history—from Eberle Gross, of Chicago, and in order to end the matter once for all, I confess I stole 'Les Romanesques' from Smithson, of Jefferson City, Mo.; 'La Princesse Lertaine' from Giles Trumbull, of Columbus, O.; 'L'Aiglon' from 'Tom's Sambo,' of Springfield, Ill., and that I drew the idea of 'La Samaritaine' from the Apocryphal Gospel of Rev. Hon. Augustus Wonnacott, of Hartford, Conn.

"I add that I am negotiating at the present moment with a Virginia planter for the purchase of a manuscript and that I have just purloined from the house of a Louisiana shipowner a great piece on 'Joan of Arc, the Maid of Orleans.'"

REID HONORED BY CAMBRIDGE.

American Ambassador to Coronation a Doctor of Law.

CAMBRIDGE, England, June 10.—The degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred this afternoon on Whitelaw Reid, the special Ambassador of the United States to the coronation of King Edward by Cambridge University. The public orator, John Edwin Sandis, referred to Mr. Reid's previous official visit to England and his return on the equally auspicious occasion of the coronation. Mr. Reid, said the orator, had also distinguished himself as Ambassador of the United States to France and as the editor of Talleyrand's memoirs, while for the last 20 years he had ably conducted the New York Tribune, with which he had initiated and long continued a fund for giving the boon of fresh country air to poor children. Mr. Reid embodied the humanity, kindly feeling, the friendship of his country and was thus entitled to a hearty welcome not only for his own sake, but also for that of the great trans-Atlantic republic which he so worthily represents.

Others who received the honorary degree were the Duke of Argyll, the Maharajah of Guallor and Kolapoor, Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Minister to Great Britain; the Right Hon. Sir Richard Collins, who was arbitrator on the Venezuela boundary question, and is an ex-Lord Justice of Appeals; the Right Hon. Sir Joseph Ridgway, Governor of Ceylon, and Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Albert Hime, Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, Natal.

In presenting Professor Horatio W. Parker, of Yale University, with the degree of Doctor of Music, the public orator referred enthusiastically to the services which Professor Parker rendered to music in America and England and expressed the hope that his labors had by no means ceased.

Sale of Americana.

NEW YORK, June 10.—An interesting sale has been opened here, says a London dispatch to the Herald, of a portion of the valuable Americana collection by Marshall C. Lefferts, of New York. The lots include rare works on Indian Wars, witchcraft, state and local history, etc. The first day's sale saw over 150 odd books and manuscripts disposed of for a total of $10,639 87. The highest price was obtained for a copy of the "Bible translated into the Indian language, ordered to be printed by the Commissioners of the United Colonies in New England," dated 1663, which sold for $1850. The following were among the most valuable literary curios sold:

"Good Order Established in Pennsylvania and New Jersey," a little volume, which bears the distinction of being the first book printed in America by William Bradford, Philadelphia, dated 1685, $256.

"Indian Wars in New England," being a complete set of five rare folios, published from 1675 to 1677, $245.

"A True Discourse, by Ralph Hamor, of the State of Virginia, and the Success of Affairs There Until June, 1614," $490.

The Coronation Procession.

LONDON, June 10.—The formation of the coronation procession from Buckingham Palace to Westminster Abbey is to be as follows:

Trumpets; escort of the household cavalry; eight carriages containing members of the royal family and relatives from abroad; the Prince of Wales, with an escort of cavalry; the Princess of Wales, with Prince and Princess Charles, of Denmark; several carriages containing the royal household; King Edward's aides-de-camp; the headquarters staff of the Army, including Field Marshal Earl Roberts and the Yeomen of the Guard in ancient attire; an escort of Indian colonial cavalry; their majesties, with the gold and silver sticks, in the state carriage; the officers of state, preceded and followed by the sovereigns' escort; the household cavalry.

Returning from the Abbey to the palace, the King will wear the crown and robe.

A rehearsal of the coronation ceremonies has been held in Westminster Abbey with dummy regalia by the Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshal and Chief Butler of England and the great court officials.

Spending the Ransom.

SALONICA, Roumelia, June 10.—The Stroumauj, a newspaper published at Kostendil, Bulgaria, says it has transpired that a secret congress of delegates from Kostendil, Dubnitza and elsewhere met in Sofia at the end of March and arranged for the disposition of the money received as ransom for Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, and her companion, Mme. Tsilka, Karapeoff, alias Tchnerpeoff, the leader of the brigands who captured the missionaries, was among the delegates, who decided to send the bands into Macedonia on a secret mission.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 10.—Miss Ellen M. Stone, the missionary, was questioned tonight concerning the dispatch from Salonica, published today.

"I never heard of Karapeoff," said Miss Stone. "In fact, I don't remember the names of any of the brigands. I never knew them. They called each other 'Dog' or 'Horse,' and some nickname like you say 'Frank' or 'Harry.' As for that money, I think that was settled up long ago."

Suddenly Became Insane.

LONDON, June 10.—A dispatch to a news agency from Rome, published today, says that Paul Heseltine Stanley, a young American, became suddenly demented on returning from a hunting trip last night, presumably as the result of being bitten by one of his dogs. Mr. Stanley rode into the courtyard of the Altney Palace, surrounded by his dogs, and persistently attempted to ride his horse upstairs. He was eventually overpowered.

Morgan in England.

DOVER, England, June 10.—J. P. Morgan arrived here this morning, from the Continent, and proceeded to London.

LONDON, June 10.—J. Pierpont Morgan is expected to dine with Joseph H. Choate, the United States Ambassador, and Mrs. Choate tomorrow, when King Edward, Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria will be present.

British Revenue and Expenditures.

LONDON, June 10.—A Parliamentary paper issued today presents the revised statement for 1902-03. It is estimated that the expenditure will total £176,358,000, and that the revenue will amount to £152,450,000. The deficit will be met out of the proceeds of consol loan of £29,920,000, leaving £5,996,000 available for contingencies and the redemption of part of the national debt.

Millais Sale of Pictures.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Millais sale realized a total of $38,200, says a Paris dispatch to the Herald. Two little pictures by Hubert Robert, representing ruins in a landscape, with figures, were sold for $3290. A small picture of Boilly entitled "L'Indiscret," brought $3310. A portrait of a young woman by Boucher brought $2240, and "La Jolie Menagere," by Heilmann $2400.

Boers Will Be Loyal.

ALIWAL NORTH, Cape Colony, June 9.—Commandant Fouche, supervising the surrender of various Boer commandos here, said the Boers had been good citizens in their own country, and they would be equally good citizens under the British Government.

American Railway in China.

PEKIN, June 10.—The negotiations of Sheng, the Director of Chinese Railroads, with a representative of the American Chinese Development Company, for the commencement of work on the Canton-Hankow Railway, have been satisfactorily concluded. Sheng has undertaken to memorialize the throne recommending that an edict be issued authorizing an issue of bonds in accordance with the Washington contract of 1898. The Chinese Government agreed to guarantee $50,000,000 of the bonds of the railroad to be built between Hankow and Canton by the American-Chinese Development Company.

Boers Praise American Allies.

PRETORIA, June 10.—Boer commandos arriving here bring reports of fresh instances of fraternization between Boers and the British troops. The surrender of a commando at Balmoral, Transvaal, was followed by a big "sing-song." The British soldiers stationed at the blockhouses between Balmoral and Pretoria in some instances held up the trains and proffered coffee and tobacco to their late enemies.

The Boers generally hold unfavorable estimates of their foreign allies, except the Americans, whom they declare to be crafty and great fighters. A prominent commandant said: "All the Germans are fit for is to give horses sore backs."

Uproar in Reichsrath.

VIENNA, June 10.—In the lower house of the Reichsrath, today, Dr. von Klofal protested violently against Emperor William's anti-Polish speech delivered at Marienburg recently. The incident developed a scene of uproar and the Radical Czechs denounced the government as "cowardly" and "trembling" before Emperor William, etc. The President of the House was compelled to suspend the sitting.

Coronation Gift to the King.

LONDON, June 10.—The Corporation of London, the Rothschilds, the Morgans and Sir Ernest Cassel, the financier, have each donated £5000 to the Mansion House fund for a national coronation gift to King Edward, which is to be applied to assist their Majesties' hospital fund.

Wilhelmina Thanks Her Friends.

THE HAGUE, June 10.—De Dedderlandsche Staats Courant, the official organ, has published a letter from Queen Wilhelmina in which she conveys her sincere thanks and gratitude to "all those whose sympathy and solicitude cheered me during the bad days of my illness."

Dutch-German Cable in Far East.

THE HAGUE, June 10. — The second chamber of the states general today unanimously adopted the convention between Holland and Germany providing for an Asiatic cable to the Dutch Indies. It is to be worked by a Dutch-German company.

Tea for Ten Thousand Servants.

LONDON, June 10.—The Bishop of London, the Right Rev. Arthur F. Ingram, has announced that Queen Alexandra will provide a "tea" for 10,000 female domestic servants in celebration of the coronation. Each servant will also be presented with a medal.

Grain Tax Passes Committee Stage.

LONDON, June 10.—The grain tax clause of the budget passed the committee stage in the House of Commons today by 279 to 193 votes. A long discussion preceded the vote. The Chancellor of the Exchequer denied that the grain tax was intended to be a prelude to preferential duties.

Watching for Lynch.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Detectives are watching all the steamers from Calais and Boulogne, cables the correspondent of the Tribune, in anticipation of the arrival of Colonel Lynch.

Higher Mining Tax.

PRETORIA, June 10.—A proclamation has been issued substituting a tax of 10 per cent net on the profits of mining operations for the 5 per cent tax that was imposed by the late Volksraad.

Portuguese Are Excited.

MADRID, June 10.—The rumor that Great Britain intends to purchase the District of Lourenco Marques, in Portuguese East Africa, has caused great excitement in Portugal.

Another German-American Cable.

BERLIN, June 10.—The German Atlantic Cable Company has decided to lay another cable from Germany to the United States.

UNDER HURRY ORDERS.

German Warships Rushed to Venezuelan Waters.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., June 10.—The German cruiser Falke sailed for La Guayra, Venezuela, yesterday, and the German cruiser Gazelle sailed for the same port today, under hurry orders from Berlin.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—In the absence of any official advices on the subject, the officials here are in the dark as to the reasons for the hurried departure of German warships for Venezuela, as reported in the St. Thomas dispatch. Germany has a big claim against Venezuela—that of the Berlin Company of Discount for the nonperformance of engagements which the Venezuelan Government had undertaken in connection with the great Venezuelan Railroad built by the government. The claim approximates 6,000,000 bolivars. One inference—and it is merely that, as there is no official confirmation upon which to base the statement—is that Germany has sent her vessels to La Guayra to enforce the payment of her claim, as Venezuela has not attempted to meet the obligation. The diplomatic correspondence of the State Department shows that Germany has considered the question of coercion in connection with the payment of the claim.

General Matos' Orders.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Copies of orders issued by General Matos, leader of the Venezuelan revolutionists at Carupano, on May 21, have been received here. They name Don Pedro Ezequiel Rojas as general agent of the revolution and American representative, with headquarters at Port of Spain, and Julio Lyon as Consul of the revolution in Trinidad, with headquarters at the same point. They also decree that the 30 per cent additional duty levied by the Government on goods coming from the West Indies to Venezuela shall be abolished at the ports in the hands of the revolutionists.

Unrest at Hayti.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, June 10.—The steamer Lausenburg, from New York for West Indian ports, reached here today. She brought advices from Port au Prince, Hayti, to the effect that while the present government of the Republic is acting wisely, fighting will certainly follow, owing to the growing excitement throughout the country. Seneque, Firmin and Fouchard are the three principal candidates for the presidency, and are favored in the order named. Each party is endeavoring to stir up strife.

Convention of Dancing Masters.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Normal School of Masters of Dancing of the United States and Canada has opened its ninth annual convention in this city. There were 1800 teachers present, one-third of whom are women. The convention will continue for 10 days. One of the principal subjects will be the proposed adoption of a uniform style of dancing throughout this country and Canada.

Three Students Missing.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 10.—Three members of the graduating class of the Sheffield School of Science of Yale—T. Watson and his brother, G. Watson, of Indianapolis, and H. H. Bartlett, of Worcester, Mass.—have been missing since last Sunday, when they chartered a small sloop and sailed down the harbor. Owing to the high winds that have prevailed, anxiety is felt concerning them.

CHICAGO FIRE HORROR

AUTHORITIES MAKING A COMPLETE INVESTIGATION.

Three More of the Injured Persons May Die—President and Employes Still in Jail.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Of the 34 persons injured in the St. Luke's Hospital fire yesterday, it is feared that three will die. Those reported to be in a critical condition today were: T. T. Mears, Ennisburg Falls, Vt.; A. W. Wattles, Chicago; Mrs. Amelia Wilson, Chicago; The other 31 injured persons were reported better, but most of them were still badly shaken in their nerves by the horror of what they endured and witnessed yesterday.

Deputies from the Coroner's office visited the different morgues today to view the bodies of the eight patients, who, either bound or manacled, could not escape, and the two attendants who jumped to their deaths.

The eight men arrested last night are still held, including O. E. Miller, president of St. Luke's Society. A search of the records of the Health Department today failed to discover any record showing that the hospital had been licensed according to law. The inquest will be postponed a few days, until a complete investigation has been made.

"There ought to be a full investigation," said Coroner Traeger, "and it may make somebody uncomfortable. We will endeavor to discover if the patients were strapped down, as reported, and if there was a sufficient number of attendants. If any one of the deaths was due to negligence the guilty person or persons will be made to pay the penalty."

Perhaps the most pitiable of all the deaths was that of Alderman "Blind Billy" Kent. Not only was he blind, but he has incased in a strait-jacket with his hands strapped to his waist. Kent was an astute politician, had been a member of the State Legislature and was a delegate to the Republican conventions of 1884, 1888 and 1892. His blindness was due to a gunshot wound received at the hands of a saloon proprietor. An iron rod saved his life.

Suicide of the Wife of a Victim.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 10.—Mrs. Johanna Bishop committed suicide today by taking carbolic acid. Mrs. Bishop was the wife of J. B. Bishop, of this city, who was seriously injured in the fire that destroyed St. Luke's Sanitarium at Chicago yesterday, and took the poison upon hearing of the accident that had befallen her husband.

COLLISION IN GEORGIA.

Two Trainmen Killed and Nineteen Passengers Injured.

MACON, Ga., June 10.—The southbound passenger train on the Southern Railway, which left Atlanta at noon for Macon, collided with a northbound freight near Juliette, 23 miles north of Macon, at 2:10 o'clock this afternoon. The engineer and fireman of the passenger train were instantly killed and 19 of the passengers were more or less severely injured. The dead are:

JAMES T. PITTMAN, Atlanta, engineer of passenger train.

ED WEST, colored, Atlanta, fireman of passenger train.

The passengers seriously injured are: Isaac Bashinsky, of Macon, nose and right arm broken; Mrs. Bashinsky, severely shocked; Dr. Walker J. Brown, of Atlanta, skull and knees severely injured; Dr. M. N. Nixon, of Rome, collar bone broken and lower jaw hurt.

Passenger Train Ditched.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 10.—Chicago Great Western passenger train No. 1 was wrecked seven miles north of this city this afternoon. The train was running about 40 miles an hour, when the rails spread and the coaches left the track. Only one passenger was injured. He is Henry Vanderbaugh, a traveling man, with headquarters in New York City. The entire train, consisting of seven coaches, left the track and rolled down a 12-foot embankment. Nearly every car was badly splintered.

Lightning Kills a Herder.

GLENDIVE, Mont., June 10.—Wallace Roby, who was employed as a sheepherder at Burns Creek, near here, was struck by lightning last night during a severe storm and instantly killed. The bolt passed through his temples and tore his hat in 20 pieces.

Mangled by a Street-Car.

SALT LAKE CITY, June 10.—A. H. Shepard, aged 21, accidentally fell from a street-car tonight and was crushed to death beneath the wheels. His body was dragged over 75 feet and was mangled and mutilated in a shocking manner.

Saratoga Fire's Fifth Victim.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 10.—The body of Miss Mary F. Charrington, the fifth victim of the fire of yesterday, which destroyed the Arcade and other buildings, was taken from the ruins today.

Three Killed by an Explosion.

IRONWOOD, Mich., June 10.—Isaac Ryan, Thomas Johns and Arthur Tregembo were killed today by an explosion of dynamite in the Auroran mine.

Will Profit by Amnesty Decree.

NEW YORK, June 10.—There are perhaps a dozen persons who will benefit by the amnesty act just signed by President Palma, including two or three Cubans who are naturalized Americans, says a Havana dispatch to the Tribune. Estes G. Rathbone and C. F. W. Neely, who were convicted of postoffice frauds amounting to many thousands of dollars, are best known of those who will secure pardon. Neely has served in prison two years of his sentence of eight years; Rathbone is out on $100,000 bail, awaiting a decision of the Supreme Court of Appeal. His sentence was for eight years. News that he is to be a free man in a day of two failed to arouse Neely from the indifferent demeanor he has maintained since he was arrested. He smiled, but showed no particular interest in the information.

"I have been here 25 months," he said, "and I will be real glad to get out. I must say, though, that I have been very well treated by the Cuban prison authorities. I am in excellent health, notwithstanding reports that I am suffering from consumption. I have no definite plans. I probably shall remain here a week or two, then go up to the States. Perhaps I shall take up some business schemes here in which I was interested at the time of my conviction."

HOW TO FIND OUT.

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THE DEATH ROLL.

Oldest Practicing Physician.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Otis Freeman, who is believed to have been the oldest practicing physician in America, is dead at Freehold, N. J. Dr. Freeman was born in New Hampshire, December 30, 1809. He continued practicing to within five days of his death.

Aged 105 Years.

SALINA, Kan., June 10.—Matt Tobin, a pioneer of this state, is dead in this city, aged 105 years. His first wife died in 1830, and his second wife, who survives him, is 95 years old.

Theodore A. Ross.

ORANGE, N. J., June 10.—Theodore A. Ross, for 23 years grand secretary of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., was found dead in bed at his home in East Orange today, aged 79 years.

Ex-Congressman Humphreys.

HUDSON, Wis., June 10.—Ex-Congressman Herman L. Humphreys died tonight, aged 72 years.

Complete Defeat of the Yaquis.

TUCSON, Ariz., June 10.—The latest report received in Hermosillo from General Torres states that the battle in Maxatan resulted in the complete defeat of the Yaquis. Fewer than 300 of their number succeeded in escaping, and a number of these were wounded. The number of Yaquis killed was 82, wounded and captured 225. The Mexican casualties were slight. Those of the Yaquis that escaped have divided up into small bands and scattered through the Maxatan mountains. This defeats practically organized resistance. General Torres has the situation well in hand, and Americans traveling through the district are unmolested. Mining interests are undisturbed.

Activity of Sulphur Springs.

SANTA FE, N. M., June 10.—The United States Geological Survey has been notified by Captain J. P. Conner, of this city, that the Sulphur Springs, in Bernalillo County, are showing unusual activity. There are some 28 geysers among the springs, pulsating every 30 seconds. The largest geyser, which has been quiet as far as the memory of man extends, is reported to be sending up a stream five feet high.

Oil Strikes.

JAMESTOWN, Tenn., June 10.—Oil was struck today at a boring within 400 feet of the famous Bobs Bar well, and for two hours it "gushed" 300 feet. The oil is high grade.

OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., June 10.—At Redford this morning an oil gusher was brought in. The oil spurted over the derrick, and continues to flow. Oil was struck at 1500 feet.

Thorne Knows Nothing of It.

NEW YORK, June 10.—President Thorne, of the North American Trust Company, said tonight that his company was not directly or indirectly interested in the purchase of banks, and that he knew nothing of the formation of a company to purchase banks, as reported in dispatches from Chicago.

President of Washburn College.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 10.—The trustees of Washburn College today elected Norman D. Plass, of Worthington, Mass., to succeed George M. Herrick as president of that institution.

New Generals Retired.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Brigadier-Generals Sumner H. Lincoln and Samuel M. Whiteside, recently promoted, have been retired.

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