

WILL END KIDNAPING

France Will Exercise More Authority in Morocco.

AMERICAN ACTION PLEASES

Great Significance Attached to Request for Aid in Freeing Perdicaris-Delcasse Has Hopes Sultan Will Come to Time.

PARIS, June 1.—The request of the United States for the cooperation of France in bringing about the release of Perdicaris and Varley has produced a very favorable impression at the Foreign Office here, where much significance is attached to the request...

WOULD SPUR BANDITS ON.

America Sees Evil to Follow Payment of Ransom to Free Perdicaris.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—It is stated at the State Department that several days will elapse before the result of the effort of the French agents in behalf of Perdicaris, the captive of the Moroccan bandits, can be known.

BRITISH MINISTER IS ACTIVE.

Spain Also Heartily Approves the Action of America.

LONDON, June 1.—The Associated Press learns that the British Minister at Tangier, acting on instructions from the Foreign Office here, is co-operating with the French Minister in the endeavor to secure the release of Messrs. Perdicaris and Varley.

No Demonstration by France.

PARIS, June 1.—In view of the reports of a possible French naval demonstration off Tangier, in connection with the presence of the United States warships there, the statement is made in authoritative quarters that no such demonstration is contemplated or even considered.

Moody and Hay Confer.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Secretaries Hay and Moody held a conference with the President today over the latest advices from Tangier regarding the Perdicaris case, but no news on the subject was given out.

American Warships at Lisbon.

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To Protect St. Louis Visitors.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union, through its superintendent of press work, issues the following information for the benefit of women and girls who contemplate visiting the St. Louis Exposition and wish to secure rooms and board: "Women and girls who want to know about respectable lodgings in St. Louis when attending the World's Fair can get the necessary information on arriving there by visiting the Women's Christian Temperance Union, Centenary M. E. Church, Sixteenth and Pine, three blocks from depot; the Salvation Army, Eighth and Walnut streets; the Queen's Daughters' Home, 11 North Sixteenth street; the Evangelical Lutheran City Mission Society, 1704 Market street; the Travelers' Aid W. C. Association, 1814 Washington avenue. In addition to these sources of information about lodgings, a new Christian Endeavor Hotel has been opened right at the gates, under excellent management and free from any attachments.

Gets \$20 Worth of Knowledge.

The old saying that "it bet a fool's argument," like most other sayings old and new, is sometimes correct and in other cases at least open to argument. It takes two at least to make a bet, and while the one who loses may be considered a fool, the one who wins is looked upon as a "wise guy." A rather singular bet made by two steam engineers in this city a day or two ago resulted in the transfer of a \$20 piece yesterday, and the

losers has not yet decided whether he was wrong or whether all the engineers of his acquaintance are to be classed among the fools.

STRIKERS IN ARMS

MARTIAL LAW IS DECLARED

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The trouble started when a lot of rifles arrived for nonunion men by steamboat. The strikers then turned out parading the streets with their rifles.

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Both sides to the controversy assumed a threatening attitude, and Sheriff Paine, of Ironton, was called upon for assistance. He investigated and found the situation critical. He thereupon called for troops, and his call was approved by the Governor.

Police Needed at Strike Scene.

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Strikers Threaten Violence.

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Hot Contest for Third Grand Chief.

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Canvassing Vote of Printers.

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Low Excursion Rates.

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