## **UNCLE SAM MAY** SPANK CASTRO

He Insults Russell as Well as Taigny.

FRENCH WARSHIPS AT HAND

Failing Instant Apology, Their Guns Will Talk.

CASTRO'S ACTS MEAN WAR

Venezuelan President Resents Russell's Action as French Agent. Rouvier Will Ask Chamber for War Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19,-Three French warships are now off the Venezuelan coast preparing to deliver the answer of France to President Castro's treatment of M. Taigny, the French representative at Caracas, by a naval demonstration in Venezuelan waters. Two additional warships will join them as soon as they can make the trip across the Atlantic. Until the demonstration has been initiated, the French government will share with the President and Secretary Root the knowledge of the exact form which this expression of her displeasure at President Castro's action will take.

Insults to Russell Aiso

Meantime the delicacy of the situatio at Caracas is greatly increased by news which has recently reached here from that city regarding the attitude President Castro now appears to be assuming toward Mr. Russell, the American Minis er. Unless this attitude is radically modtfied, it may be necessary to dispatch an American warship even nearer the Venezucian coast than has already been danned. President Castro, it is said, will be given to understand that any treatment of an American representative such as that accorded to M. Taigny will not be tolerated. The cause which can be ascribed here for Mr. Castro's attitude toward Mr. Russell is that the former inregarding as personal rather than official the efforts which Mr. Russell has made to assist a peaceful settlement of the Franco-Venezuelan troubles. The equest of the French government that its be looked after Mr. Russell was immediately granted for the reason that such a request is in variably granted by a friendly power, however difficult the task.

Apologize or Be Thrashed.

France has adopted a simple programm for her treatment of the Venezuelan situation. It provides for an immediate and comprehensive apology by Castro for his treatment of M. Taigny, which treatment the Paris officials regard as insulting and intolerable. Until this apology is made, discussion of the claims and other grievances which France has against Vene zuels will be withheld. The French government regards the action of Presiden Castro's agents in La Guayra in refusing to permit M. Taigny to return ashere after he had boarded a French liner as an act of war. France demands that her representative shall receive the same treatment at Caracas as is given the Venezuelan representative at Paris.

M. Jusserand, the French Ambassador, had a long conference with Secretary

Root today. Dispatch to Russell Held Back.

One dispatch sent to Mr. Russell last Sunday had not been delivered to him up to the time the last dispatch was sent by him to the State Department. This is being inquired into by the department. The latest information received from Mr. Russell came from a dispatch sent yesterday, and the facts it contained were communicated to the French Ambassador this

Ronvier Wants Money to Fight.

PARIS, Jan. 12.-The Venezuela affair occupied the attention of a special meeting of the French Cabinet today. It is understood in ministerial circles, but the fact has not yet been officially given out. that Premier Rouvier has decided to demand an extraordinary credit. This will give rise to debates in the Chambers. whose assent is necessary for a grant.

The government is fully determined to act with the greatest firmness, at the same time adopting a prudent attitude, wing to the unstable character of the Venezuelan government, which may change at any moment.

The authorities at Washington are being kept fully acquainted with France's attitude, and nothing will be undertaken without the absolute cognizance of the

La Guayra Is Scared.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19. - American Consul Moffatt, at La Guayra, has cabled the State Department in reference to the deportation of M. Talgny, the French Charge d'Affaires at Caracas, that there has never before been any interference with foreign officials boarding ships of their own nationality. In his cablegram, the Consul says that great alarm exists at La Guayra; that M. Taigny was carried away on the Martinique Sunday night, and that no communication was allowed with the ship previous to sailing.

afternoon at the Department of State with Secretary Root relative to the Venezuelan situation, Both declined to make any statement for publication.

FRENCH PURPOSE CONCEALED

Fleet Ready to Act if Castro Does Not Apologize.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- It 18 learned here that France will demand an immediate apology of President Castro for what is regarded as his insuiting and unwarranted treatment of M. Taigny, the French Charge d'Affaires. Three French warships are within striking distance of the Venexucian coast, and two more have been reported from Paris as on the way to

West Indian waters, What form the displeasure of France will take has been tentatively decided, and the details of the programme will nunicated confidentially to the Washington Government.

Not until President Castro has felt the form of French dissatisfaction will the world know whether a peaceful blockade is to be established or whether a custom-house will be seized. Should the seizure of custom-houses along the coast be decided upon, it is not unlikely that, in order to disabuse the anxiety of the European powers lest the payment of their claims is to be stopped. France may ask some outside neutral power to act as receiver for the custom-house returns until President Castro has apologized and



given assurance of his intention to reume diplomatic relations with France. It develops that three or four cablegrams of the greatest importance addressed to M. Tuigny by the French will be the subject of a rigid investi-

Mauborguet in Belgium.

LIEGE, Belgium, Jan. 19 .- M. Mauborguet, the former Charge d'Affaires of Venezuela, who was expelled from France few days in this city and will then pro-

RHS PREDICTS ROOSEVELT WILL LEAD PEOPLE.

President's Friend Believes Conflict With Special Privileges Will Extinguish Party Lines.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 19 .- (Special,)-War between special privileged interests of one side and the people on the other is redicted by Jacob Rils, a close friend of the President, who is in this city today. This war, Mr. Rits says, may last three five and even ten years before the people are victorious. It will wipe out partisunship in politics, the first indications of which, he says, will be seen at the Congressional elections to be held in 1907. "But suppose the fight isn't finished when Roosevelt's term is finished in 1995,"

he was asked. "If duty demands of Roosevelt to continue this fight, he would do it. I know he does not want to become a candidate for another term, but at the bottom of his heart he believes in the people and

will fight for them. "We have had three great struggles in this country," said Mr. Rils. "The first was led by Washington, the second by Lincoln, the third-oh, this is the greatest struggle of them all. It is the fightagainst the money power, the organized special privilege grabbers, and Roosevelt will lead the people to victory in this struggle. He is fighting the greatest tyrant of them all, Slavery affected only the South, but the money power means the enslavement of all human beings and all homes. The product of human hands is controlled by this power, and this means slavery for the entire human race.

"When it comes to a question of rightcousness and uprighteousness, you know where the President stands." This was said apropos of a suggestion that party lines would be wiped out in this fight. "Outwardly party lines will be main tained, but it would not surprise me to see partisanship disregarded entirely," re-

Teach Russians About Americans. ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 19.-In order to further the good relations between Russia and America, Professor Boris Gardner, an American, a professor at the School of Technology, and for many years a resident of Russia, has applied to the Minister of Education for permission to open a Russia-American academy under the Jusserand and Root Confer.

WASHINGTON. Jan. 19.—Ambassador Jusserand, of France, had a conference lasting more than an hour this will be conducted in Russian.

# SHIP KING DAVID IS TOTAL WRECK

Puget Sound-Bound Vessel Is Dashed to Pieces on Vancouver Island.

SEVEN MEN ARE DROWNED

Eighteen Survivors Rescued Fron Coast in Pitiable Plight-One Dies Next Day-Another Dis abled Vessel Sighted.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 19.-The British thip King David, long overdue from Salina Cruz for Puget Sound, was totally wrecked on Bajos Point, Nootka Island, off Vancouver Island, on December 12. The crew managed to get on shore and reached an Indian village in the vicinity, where shelter was secured. Chief Officer A. Wallstrom, who belongs to Oxford, New Zealand, with six scamen, left in ne of the ship's boats for Cape Beale to seek assistance, and have not since been heard of. Heavy weather prevailed after they left, and they are believed to have

The steamer Queen City, which reached Clayoquot this afternoon, en route to Vicoria, reports having picked up Captain otterell and the survivors, 18 in all, from the beach on January 15. The men had suffered considerable privations, and Donald McLeod, salimaker, died on board

he Queen City on the 16th. The steamer Queen City also reports aving picked up the American schooner M. Turner, of San Francisco, on January 15, in distress off the Vancouver Island mast. The schooner had been blown to the northward by heavy gales, and her salls had been blown away. The Queen City took the vessel in tow and towed her to Killanich Harbor, near Clayoquot. It is xpected that a tug will be sent from here to bring the vessel to Victoria.

The King David was III days from the Mexican port, and hope had been almost abandoned for her. She was reinsured at in per cent. She is a large steel ship of 2240 tons, owned by the Glasgow Shipping lompany.

A message from Captain Davidson, of the wrecked ship King David, says he and part of his erew are coming on the Breamer Queen City, due here Saturday night, having ahandoned the wreck at Bajos Point. The survivors of the wreck are reported to be in a bad state from the result of privations endured during the month they spent on the beach at Bajos

BAD CHARTS CAUSE DEATH

yesterday, has arrived here. He remains Crew Sent on Long Journey When Help Was Near.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 19.-Lack of in ormation and had charts are said in dispatches from the west coast to have been sponsible for the drowning of the chief officer, A. Wallstrom, and six seamen of the wrecked British ship King David, which was driven ashore on Bajos Reef on December 13. Although the acene of the disaster is within eight miles of the Indian settlement of Nootka, where a large trading post is located, and while there is a new lighthouse, telegraph station and large settlement at Clayoquot, Captain Davidson sent the boat's crew to Cape Beal, 100 miles away, for assistance, and the boat's crew never arrived.

Prior's Creditors Want Their Cash. CLEVELAND, Jan. 19.-Acting on in-

DEAN HARRY PRATT JUDSON, MADE ACTING PRESIDENT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.



Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, made acting president of the University of Chistitution since 1892, and is head professor of political science and dean of the faculty of arts, literature and clence. Dr. Judson was born at Jamestown, N. T., December 20, 1549. He received his education at Willlams College, graduating in 1879, and was made A. M. by his alma mater in 1883, and LL. D. 10 years later In 1879 be married Rebecca A. Glito 1865 was teacher and principal of latter date until his affiliation with the University of Chicago Dr. Jud-son was professor of history at the author of several historical and edu-American Historical Raview.

formation that Leland W. Prior made a great many of his largest losses in the stock market, while trading in a local brokerage house, a number of the creditors of the firm of Denison, Prior & Co, have started an investigation to see if there is any way by which a part of the money can be recovered. Sensational developments in this case are probable, as it is claimed a number of prominent business men are the backers of the firm with which Prior did most of his speculating.

WILLIAMS WILL REMAIN General's Orders to Go to Philip-

pines Revoked by Taft.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.-The orders reently issued by the War Department relieving Brigadier-General Williams from mmand of the Department of the Co umbia and directing him to proceed to Manila for assignment to duty in com-

NEW OREGONIAN 'PHONE.

The Morning Oregonian and Evening Telegram have installed a prirate telephone exchange, Main 7070. If anyone desires to communicate by phone with any department of The Oregonian or Evening Telegram, let him call Main 7070. operator will make the proper call. For example, if you desire the city editor of The Oregonian, call Main 7070. The operator responds, "Oregonian and Telegram." Then ask for "City Editor Oregonian."

mand of one of the brigade posts to be established in that military division, have been revoked, and Brigadier-General Lee. commanding the Department of Texas, has been ordered to Manlla in his stead.

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IN MEMORY OF JOHN HAY Brown University Will Build Library

Costing \$400,000. NEW YORK, Janets.-At a Brown University alumni dinner tonight, President Paunce announced that the university will soon build a \$400,000 library to be known as the John Hay library. Andrew Carnegie has given \$150,000 toward the building fund.

Leading Wholesale Men Meet.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.-All the eading wholesale hardware and metal houses and plumbers' supply houses of the States of California, Washington and Oregon were represented at a conference in this city today. H. M. Haldeman, of Scattle, presided. The session was execu-

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PLAN OF BATTLE IS MADE

Repetition of Hamburg Riot Expected - Eighty Mass Meetings Will Inflame Passions of Reds Against Kaiser.

CHICAGO Jan. 19 .- (Special.)-The Daily,

lews' Berlin correspondent says: Extreme nervousness is apparent in military and police quarters on account of the possible consequences of next Sunday's great Socialist demonstrations in Berlin. It is denied that extraordinary precautions have been taken in connec tion with the 80 suffrage mass meetings to be held in various parts of the capital, but your correspondent knows that significant conferences have been held daily throughout the week between the highest military and police authorities, with a view to such joint action as may be neces-

Plans Laid for Battle.

Arrangements have been perfected, even o the point where a regular plan of battle has been drawn up, indicating exactly where this or that regiment of soldiers of squadron of police shall march, and what it shall do when it gets there.

The more nervous of the reactionaries are urging outright prohibition of the mass meetings, which already has been done in Leipzic and Dresden. They declare that Wednesday night's bloody outbreak in Hamburg only rehearsed the tumult which the Reds are determined to precipitate in the vicinity of the Kaiser's palace Sunday. They assert that the harshest repressive measures are now essary in the interest of public peace.

Socialists Will Shift Blame.

Socialist leaders are maneuvering so e shoulder the blame for bloodshed upon the authorities by making eleventh-hour appeals to the workingmen to refrain from acts of violence. This is regarded is a mere subterfuge to escape responsibility for excesses which, the leaders want to be enabled to say, resulted from in-ability to "control the passions" of the demonstrators. These passions they have incited by weeks of agitation

There is real danger in the possibility that the presence of so huge a concourse of adherents of Socialism will cause them Berlin fears Socialist riots on Sunday and to think that mere numbers are a match troops prepare to fight. Page 1. of the infantry.

"Do nothing provocative, but crush the slightest indication of turbulence," summarize the orders under which the Kaiser's military and police will act next Sun-

LIBERALS STILL GAINING.

Labor Element Has Cut Loose From British Unionists.

LONDON, Jan. 19.-The election returns continue to show Liberal gains. Two more former Ministers were defeated today William Bromley Davenport, financial seccretary of the War Office, for the Macclesfield division of Cheshire, and Sir Robert Finlay, Attorney-General, for Inverness, Scotland. Another prominent Unionist, Sir Frederick Milner, was unseated in the Bassetlaw division of Nottingham-

The most interesting feature of today's returns was the capture of West Belfast by an Irish Nationalist, Joseph Devlin.

FORMER STANDARD OIL EMPLOYE DISCLOSES GIANT TRUST'S METHODS.



Maywood Maxon.

The information upon which legal proceedings to oust Standard Oil concerns from filinois probably will be begun was furnished by Maywood Maxon. He gave 29 years to the service of the company, and was let entitled to a pension under the trust's advertised plans.

Belfast has been a Unionist stronghold from time immemorial, with the exception of a few years, when the seat was held by Thomas Sexton. Mr. Devlin has also been re-elected unopposed for North Kil-kenny, but he will hold the Belfast seat. He toured the United States in behalf of the Irish cause in 1902. His victory led to rather serious rioting at Belfast, in which

a number of houses were partially The complete returns up to tonight are

as follows: Liberals, 228; Unionists, %; Nationalists, 72: Laborites, 37.

Among the candidates today were: John Dillon, the distinguished Irish Nationalist, and Lord Willoughby de Eresby, who married in December Miss Eloise Breese, of New York.

Ramsey MacDonald, secretary of the Labor representative committee, who was oncerned in the election campaign or behalf of the Laborites, declares that the newspapers have not yet correctly approclated the position attained by the Labo party or its causes. He asserts that the question of protection versus free trade was merely secondary, the real situation being that the Laberite propaganda had cut the working class clean away from

Sir Edward Grey, Secretary for Foreign

Augirs, speaking at Berwick tonight, said that the wage-carners of the country were beginning to take things in their own hands, but that he did not fear a revolution, because the labor leaders were reasonable and practical men. It followed. he said, that, though there would be con siderable legislative changes, such re forms would be reasonable and practical It is now believed that the Labor party will muster about 40 members of the new Parliament, divided into three groups The largest group, composed of 22 independents, will act and vote together. The ext group in importance includes John Burns, William Randall Cremer, Henry Broadhurst, Thomas Burt and other moderates, and this group is likely to cooperate with the government. The third nd smallest group is composed of extrem-

ists of a Socialist type. The question of inviting Sir Charles Dilke to lead the Labor party as a whole has been raised, but this is hardly practicable, considering the rivalries of John Burns and James Keir Hardie.

It is said that J. F. P. Rawlinson, who has been elected in the Unionist interest for Cambridge University, will retire in favor of Mr. Balfour.

WILL NOT BREAK INTO CHURCH Government Pledge Arouses Auger of French Socialists.

PARIS, Jan. 19 .- An interpellation of he government in the Chamber Deputies today by M. Grossau, Liberal, relative to the taking of the inventory ordered by the government purviding for the separation of church and state, aroused an excited debate. Appe Gayraud, Catholic Republican, asked if Assessors presented themselves at a church in the absence of the clergy or in opposition to the desire of the eler-gy, they would have the right to break

pen the tabernacles? Finance Minister Meriou replied in Finance Minister Meriou replied in the negative, saying that the greatest tact would be employed.

The interpellation was then withdrawn, Abbe Gayraud expressing his eatlafaction at the Minister's reply, amid hostile demonstrations on the amid hostile demon part of the Socialists,

REVOLUTION WINS IN ECUADOR

Alfaro Defeats Government Army and Occupies Capital.

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Jan. 19.-It of the revolution against President Garcia, has occupied Quito, the capital, after defeating the government troops.

GUAYAQUIL, Jan. 19.-The revolution aries have entered Quito (the capital of Ecuador). Vice-President Baquerizo Mo-reno has assumed executive power and

will appoint a new cabinet,

Election Riots in Crete. ROME Jan 28-A dispatch from Canca Crete, says that grave disorders have taken place in the Italian zone. At Giorgiapolis the partisans of the government entered a hall where voting for the administrative elections was in progress and tried to break the ballot-hoxes. Italian soldiers who were in the hall fired, kill-ing two and wounding seven, but, the rioters being reinforced, the others were compelled to retire. At Vannos there was an encounter between troops and rioters in which several persons were killed and several wounded. Similar disturbances

Amnesty to Dominican Rebels. SANTO DOMINGO, Jan. 13.—The Do-minican government, in receiving the surrender of Monte Cristi, permitted the revolutionary Governor, General Arias, to depart for Porto Rico and granted general

amnesty to the other revolutionists. ROME. Jan. 19 .- Cardinal Gottl, prefect

of the propaganda, is seriously ill of pneumonia. There is much anxiety, owing the age of the prelate, who was born

DOCTORS CALLED IN AND ALL ENGAGEMENTS CANCELED.

Takes Medical Advice First Time in Years, but Will Not Give Up Senatorship.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.-Senator Chauncey M. Depew, whose health is said to be im paired, was in consultation today with several physicians, and it was announced that he had canceled all social engage-

Chauncey M. Depew, Jr., in speaking today of his father's condition, said: "My father's health has given way, and it has been found necessary to have two the business of the Standard Oil Com-or three physicians see him. He will not pany was equally as great in some of be able to accept any more dinner invitations, and all his engagements have been

park today with his nephew, Mr. Paulding, and he will return to Washington giving up his work in the Senate." Mr. Depew added that the present in-

stance was the first time in years in which his father had been compelled to call a doctor.

## LICENSE ON THE **GROSS EARNINGS**

Grange Has Two Bills to Introduce.

## INITIATIVE IS THE MEANS

Revenue for the State Proposed by Grange.

### SIGNATURES ARE SECURED

Sleeping-Car, Refrigerator-Car, Oil, Express. Telephone and Telegraph Companies Will Be Taxed.

### OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COM-MITTEE, OREGON STATE

GRANGE. Master, B. G. Leedy. Overseer, Jacob Clem. Lecturer, Mrs. Clara H. Waldo, Steward, C. L. Shaw, Assistant steward, W. A. Young, Chaptain, Oscar Esten. Treasurer, H. Hirschberg. Secretary, Mrs. Mary S. Howard. Gatekeeper, S. N. Warfield. Pomona, Mrs. Anna Craswell, Ceres, Mrs. Ruby Boyd. Flora, Miss L. Lucile West. Lady assistant steward, Mrs. Ida

tin T. Buxton, Forest Grove. Two more measures will be presented to the voters of Oregon next June, and in all probability they will become laws of the state. They are radical and sweeping in their provisions and if carried will yield an immense revenue. measures, reprinted herewith, were suthorized by the Oregon State Grange at its last annual session held in Forest Grove last May. These laws were intro-

Executive committee: B. G. Leedy.

Tigardville; C. E. Spence, Carus; Aus-

luced in the State Grange in the form of resolutions urging their adoption and were adopted unanimously

Tax on Gross Earnings. It is proposed to initiate laws to provide additional revenue for state purpo rumored here that General Eloy Alfaro, levy a license on the gross earnings of sleeping-car companies, refrigerator-car companies, oil companies, express companies or corporations, telephone companies and telegraph companies or corporations doing business in Oregon. The bills are very specific in defining the manner of ascertaining the amount of such gross earnings and provide severe penalties for violating the provisions of the acts. They also define the meaning of the names of the various corporations or companies and otherwise hedge them about in such a manner that the provisions of the two laws cannot be easily

evaded. The history of these two bills, is well known among the members of the Grange, but their existence has been a secret to all outsiders up to the present time. They are made public at this time only for the reason that the petitions for their initiative have been completed several wounded. Similar disturbances are reported from other parts of the by the signatures of enough legal voters of the state to insure them places on

#### the ballot. Were Quietly Active.

Very quietly and industriously have the Grangers been at work since last May preparing the bills and circulating them among the members of every Grange. The work was done speedily, but with the utmost secrecy from the date of their inception and formulation until it was safe to make the measures public. The petitions are being gathered in and in a few days will be handed into the various County Clerks for verification. Each name will be scrutinized and compared with the registration and poll books of the last election, and it will be a sa statement that only legal voters will be found to have signed them.

One of the most prominent lawyers of the state, R. P. Bolse, is the sponsor of the bill which proposes to tax telephone and telegraph companies. The other was

### introduced by another prominent lawyer. Iron-Clad in Provisions.

That they are both iron-clad and legal in every phase is certain. They were given much thought and attention and contain no provision which will conflict in any way with other existing laws. The attention of the State Grange was

attracted to the formulating of these bills by the statement that the Standard Oil Company doing business in Marion County, was only paying a tax of \$4.50 upon a business of \$300,000 in one year. This fact was brought to the attention of the Grange by its agents and committees and at almost every gathering the subject was discussed. Relieving that the other counties where it had no vistble property the Grange had an incentive to demand that it yield up a share "He is now at a time of life when he of its revenues to the state for the privifinds that he must be careful of his lege it enjoys. The other companies were health. He went out for a drive in the brought in for the reason that to single out one company would mean class legis-lation, and such a procedure must be avoided.

Reason for Two Bills.

The reason why there are two separate bills is because the proposed rate of tax-

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