

VICTORY IS THEIRS

Nicaraguans Inflict Defeat on Allied Enemies.

PUSHING ON TO CAPITAL

Hondurians and Salvadorians Utterly Routed in Two Battles. Camp in Hands of Enemy. Intervention Is Near.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 23.—The Hondurians and Salvadorian forces have been defeated by the Nicaraguans near Choluteca. The Nicaraguans captured the positions of the enemy with the aid of artillery. Further details of this engagement are lacking.

GREAT DEFEAT FOR BONILLA

After Ten Hours' Fight, Army Flees. Abandoning Camp.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 23.—Advice received from the front today, say the army of President Bonilla of Honduras has been attacked and defeated near Naraja by the Honduran revolutionists and Nicaraguan army after 10 hours' hard fighting.

TRYING TO RESTORE PEACE

Root Proclaims the Fact at Dinner. Close Alliance with Mexico.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—I propose a toast to the peace which Mexico and the United States are endeavoring to establish in Central America and everlasting peace between Mexico and the United States.

WILL AGAIN OFFER MEDIATION

United States and Mexico Think Opportune Moment Is Near.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Mexico and the United States will again offer their good offices in settlement of the Central American troubles when an opportune moment arrives, which, it is believed, cannot be far distant.

REACH TEGUCIGALPA TODAY

Nicaraguan Army Approaches Capital of Honduras.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Mr. Corea, the Nicaraguan Minister, received a dispatch today from Mr. Ganez, the Nicaraguan Minister of Foreign Affairs, confirming the press reports of a great victory for the Nicaraguan army near Marata.

LOUIS GLASS INDICTED

Schmitts Was Insistent that that should be Done. The Meeting Broke Up Without Any Decision Being Arrived At.

The object of the hoodlums was so insubstantial that the objection to the conclusion that it was useless to continue the argument further. They gave up the attempt and turned their attention to other forms of graft, as subsequent revelations have shown.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Mayor Schmitts made his first statement for publication when he said to the Associated Press this morning that a story to the effect that he had offered to confess was absolutely false.

BROTHER'S TALK IS EVASIVE

Denies Detweiler Is Guilty, but Contradictory as to Whereabouts.

TOLEDO, O., March 23.—Abram K. Detweiler, who was indicted in connection with the bribery cases in San Francisco, is a well-known capitalist of this city. He is the largest stockholder of the I. H. Detweiler Company, started by his father, who is now dead.

STORM RAGING ON

No Let-Up Apparent in Northern California.

HEAVY SNOW IN SISKIYOU

Reports of Serious Damage Are Coming in From Many Places—Railroads Are Paralyzed and There Is Great Loss of Livestock.

REDDING, Cal., March 23.—The heaviest storms of the season raged here all last night and until early this morning.

LOS ANGELES MEN

Heny Will Dig to Bottom of Home Telephone Graft.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 23.—The Times today says: Special Deputy Sheriff Fox, of Detective Burns' staff, and connected with the effort to expose the graft of Attorney Francis J. Heny of San Francisco, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday morning, armed with numerous subpoenas for prominent Los Angeles men, who are desired by the San Francisco grand jury in connection with the Ruff investigation.

Ruff Will Withdraw Appeal.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—It is stated that counsel for Abe Ruff, of San Francisco, will take steps in the Supreme Court of the United States on Monday next, which will amount to seeking a withdrawal of the habeas corpus proceedings instituted in the tribunal in his behalf.

HATED AUTOCRAT IS DEAD

POBEDONOSTEFF, EX-PROCURATOR, PASSES AWAY.

Oppressor of Common People and Confidential Adviser of Czar Nicholas of Russia Is No More.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 23.—M. Pobedonosteff, ex-Procurator-General of the Holy Synod, died this evening.

M. Pobedonosteff has been in failing health for two months from a complication of ailments and extreme age, but his death was due immediately to inflammation of the lungs. It is understood that M. Pobedonosteff has written his own memoirs which will be published shortly.

ICE TRUST WILL BE TRIED

Demurrers Killed by Cincinnati Court Under State Law.

CINCINNATI, March 23.—The Judge of the Superior Court today overruled the demurrers of the Cincinnati ice men, indicted on a charge of maintaining a conspiracy in restraint of trade. They will be compelled to stand trial under the provision of the Valentine anti-trust law.

Frederick Driscoll Dead.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Frederick Driscoll, commissioner of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, and widely known as a newspaper man, died here today after a brief illness.

Piles Cured Quickly at Home

Without Pain, Cutting or Surgery. Instant Relief.

We Prove It. Sample Package Free. Seven people out of ten are said to have Piles. Not one man in a million need have them and we are proving it every day at our own expense.

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Life Insurance Men of the West.

The NORTHWESTERN NATIONAL invites your attention to its new agency proposition as embodying the most desirable business opportunity afforded in the life insurance field.

Record for 1906.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Total Income: \$1,510,807.06; Excess of income over Disbursements: 766,060.58; Paid Policyholders and Beneficiaries: 514,758.81; Increase in Surplus: 44,226.81.

From the Report of the Executive Committee.

"It is the purpose of the management to place the Company in the very front rank of sound American life companies."

"With its business confined to the most healthful portions of the country, with its high interest earning power, with its new policies in advance of those of other companies, and its premium rates a little lower, and its funds in the West, should appeal with special force to the people of its home territory."

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For further information address Northwestern National Life Insurance Co., MINNEAPOLIS.

Damages the Prune Crop.

SAN JOSE, March 23.—Colonel Philo Hersey, president of the Santa Clara Company Fruit Exchange, is authority for the statement today that this present storm on top of the preceding one has destroyed half the prune crop of the Valley by washing the pollen from the blossoms.

The Worst Is Over.

OROVILLE, Cal., March 23.—A heavy storm has been raging with high wind since last night, and the river has risen about a foot. The flood situation here is completely in hand.

Snow in the Coast Range.

MINNIVILLE, Or., March 23.—(Special.)—McMinnville has been in the grasp of the equinoctial storm for the last two days. A heavy rain fell Friday night and a heavy rain fell Friday and Friday night.

TIGERS WIN AT VICTORIA

Portland Basketball Team Victors by Score of 43 to 23.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 23.—(Special.)—It was nothing but the Portland Tigers in today's basketball match with the Fifth R. C. A., at the Victoria Armory, the final score being 43 to 23.

Land Office Receiver Dead.

CEYENNE, Wyo., March 23.—Edward A. Slack, receiver of the land office, a well-known newspaper man and a pioneer of Wyoming, died in this city today, aged 62 years.

Will Be Equipped to Lay Mines.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Navy Department has ordered the equipment of the United States ship San Francisco as a mine-laying vessel.

Dining-Room Specials

Extension Tables

\$26.00 6-foot Extension Table; 42-inch square top; pedestal base; claw feet, and quarter-sawn oak top. Price \$20.00

Buffets

\$46.50 Oak Buffet; top 44 inches long, 19 inches wide; full swell glass front; 10x40 French bevel mirror; golden or weathered finish. Price \$37.50

China Cabinets

\$24.00 China Cabinet, in golden or weathered oak; bent glass ends. Price \$19.00

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\$40.00 China Cabinet; one mirror in back; bent glass ends, and front finished in weathered or golden oak. Price \$31.50

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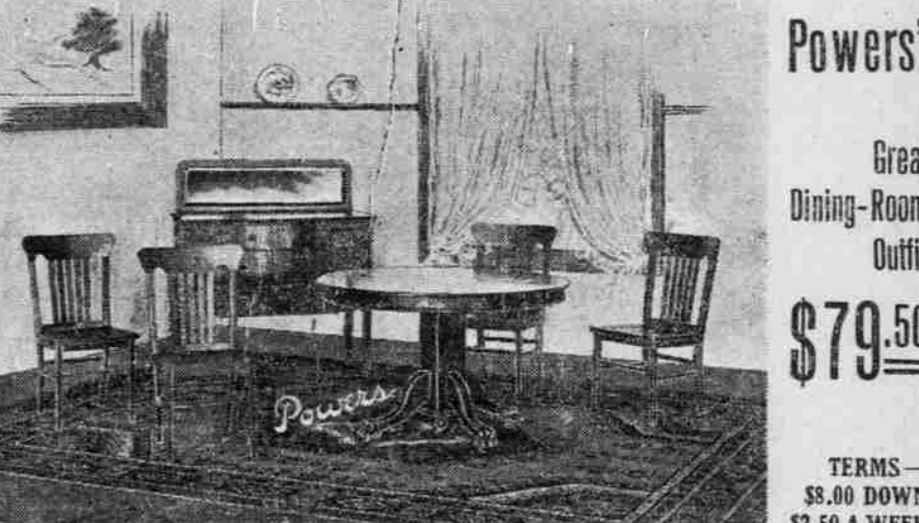
\$46.50 weathered oak China Cabinet; one mirror in back and one glass shelf; bent glass front and ends; full claw foot. Price \$35.75

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This is an exact picture of the outfit, and it consists of the following pieces: 1 oak Buffet, \$28.50; 1 6-foot claw-foot pedestal extension Table; 4 dining chairs, \$2.75 each; and 1 9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rug, \$20.00. Golden or weathered finish.

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