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TURNED PIRATE

BOGOTA HAS CAPTURED TWO ENGLISH SHIPS

BELONGS TO THE COLUMBIAN GOVERNMENT, WANTED BY THE U. S. WAR-SHIPS

The little gunboat Bogota, which left San Francisco, October 7 for Panama to sweep the seas of all enemies of the Colombian government, has become the object of search of the United States men-of-war. A letter received yesterday from an officer of the cruiser Boston, dated at Panama on November 16, states that the cruiser had just returned from a three day's search for the Bogota, which has been declared a pirate, and is much wanted by the new republic of Panama and the American war ships.

When the new isthmian republic hoisted its flag November 5, the Bogota, controlled by the Colombians, hastily weighed her anchor, and after firing upon the city put for the open sea with the Padilla, her erstwhile enemy in the former rebellion in hot pursuit. The Padilla is not the equal of the Bogota and soon was distanced.

The Bogota, according to the Boston officer's letter, was at last accounts believed to be hovering somewhere in the vicinity of Panama Bay, for reports were received at the isthmus that the vessel had captured two English merchant vessels. A reward of \$50,000 for the capture of the Bogota was immediately offered by the British government when news of this act of piracy was communicated to London by the British Consul. The gunboat is disowned by the Colombian government, which sees in her acts of piracy no end of trouble.

It will not be long in any event before the Bogota will be obliged to put into some port for coal or supplies and her capture will be easily effected.

Chicago Soul Savers.

Last Monday in Chicago at a ministerial meeting the following choice example of Chicago heart changers was brought before the meeting. "If the congregation of this decade persists in their hobby of desiring a fopish minister, the old-time pastor, who has been useful in years gone by, had better look for another job. His usefulness in saving souls from perdition is gone and he had better devote this talent in another vocation," declared Rev. J. E. Taitor in an address today before the Congregational ministers.

"The up-to-date minister, according to fashionable church-goers of today, is the pastor who has flaxen hair, neatly parted in the middle. He must have blue eyes and a peach-like complexion. His attire must be up-to-date and if he is attractive and popular among the ladies of his church he is then a success," continued Mr. Taitor.

President Diaz of Mexico to Retire.

Preparations are being made in the city of Mexico for a change of presidents, and this change will probably occur within the next few months. Porfirio Diaz, after occupying the presidential chair for over twenty-five years, now feeling the weight of years upon him, is thinking about retiring and letting his mantle fall upon the shoulders of his favorite, Jose Yves Limantour, minister of finance. The retirement of Gen. Diaz has been long expected by the citizens, as well as by the foreign residents of Mexico, and now it is very likely to occur. A semi-official announcement has been made that the president will, about the first of the year, make an extended tour of Europe, and will spend several months in the French capital. This announcement is interpreted by those familiar with Mexican political affairs as the absolute retirement of Gen. Diaz.

It has been repeatedly stated by those who are in a position to know that Diaz would go to Europe the commencement of next year, naming Limantour as acting president during his absence, and that he would remain abroad and observe public feeling as to the administration of affairs under his favorite's regime. Should Limantour succeed in preserving peace and in holding the government together,

then, it is stated, Diaz will resign in his favor.

It is hinted that Limantour's recent trip abroad was not solely for the purpose of studying the monetary question, but was chiefly to ascertain the feelings of the European powers as to his succession to the presidency. The reason given for the postponement of Gen. Diaz's resignation from the presidency is that he wishes to test Limantour's capabilities, and ascertain whether the power he controls is sufficient to carry out a successful administration. In addition to this, there are other powerful aspirants to presidential honors, notably, Gen. Bernardo Reyes, ex-minister of war, and now governor of the state of Nuevo Leon. Gen. Reyes is, after President Diaz, the man most beloved by the army, and the reputed bitter enemy of Limantour. This really is the principal reason which keeps Diaz from resigning outright.

Soap in Court.

Supreme Court Justice Dugro of New York city will inspect the left leg of Joseph Michaelis to determine whether its condition is such as to allow the court to approve a verdict rendered by a jury awarding Michaelis \$1250 for injuries he alleges he received while in the employ of Joseph Sterns & Sons, wholesale butchers. Michaelis sued for \$15,000, alleging that he had fallen through a trapdoor into a vat used for reducing meat offal, and that the chemicals contained in the vat had caused ulcers on his leg and made him lame. Dr. William Moore, for the butchers, testified that in his opinion Michaelis' leg was simply dirty, and that a scrubbing brush and some green soap would work wonders. Accordingly, on the consent of counsel, the leg was washed, but a dispute arose afterward as to the results.

The Bible in Nebraska Schools.

State School Superintendent William Fowler has declared in favor of ignoring the supreme court decision against Bible reading in the public schools of Nebraska on Monday. In answer today to queries from many directors of the single district named in the mandamus binds only the directors of the single district named in the pleadings and a new action will be required whenever it is desired to invoke the decision in the Froman case. Another point made by Mr. Fowler is that the teachers have a right, under the working of the decision written by Chief Justice Sullivan, to read the Bible as much as they please and to use it in the exercise of the school so long as it is unaccompanied with religious ceremonies.

RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S.

Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

ASHBURNHAM, Ont., April 18, 1903:—I think it is only right that I should tell you what a wonderful effect Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has produced. The day before Easter I was so distressed with a cold and cough that I did not think to be able to take any duties the next day, as my voice was almost choked by the cough. The same day I received an order from you for a bottle of your Cough Remedy. I at once procured a sample bottle, and took about three doses of the medicine. To my great relief the cough and cold had completely disappeared and I was able to preach three times Easter day. I know that this rapid and effective cure was due to your cough remedy. I make this testimonial without solicitation, being thankful to have found such a Godsend remedy.

Respectfully yours,
E. A. LANGFELDT, M. A.,
Rector of St. Luke's Church.
To Chamberlain Medicine Co.
This remedy is for sale by A. C. Marsters & Co.

Knights of the Maccabees.

Every Knight who is a member of the above order is urgently requested to meet at the hall on Friday evening, Dec. 4, at 7:30 o'clock. By order of the Commander.

Notice.

I am back in my shop again. Bring on your guns, saws, umbrellas, keys, etc.
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Ladies of the Maccabees.

Every member of the order is urgently requested to attend a meeting for the election of officers and other business, at the lodge room on Friday afternoon, Dec. 4, at 2:30 o'clock, by order of the Lady Commander.

Cost of Chicago Street Car Strike.

Strikes began Thursday, November 12.

Strike ended Wednesday, November 25.

Duration of strike, thirteen and a half days.

Persons inconvenienced by strike, 750,000.

Employees involved when strike started, 2240.

Others who walked out in sympathy, 800.

Loss to men in wages, \$105,000.

Loss to company in fares, \$200,000.

Loss by damage to property, \$25,000.

Loss in advertisements (60 cents a day per car), \$26,000.

Loss in extra wages and provision for strike breakers hire \$25,000.

Miscellaneous losses to company, \$10,000.

Total loss to company, \$375,000.

Arrests made by police guarding cars, 287.

Persons injured in strike disturbance, 189.

Police detailed for strike duty 1900.

Cost of city for police strike duty, \$65,000.

Loss to theaters and merchants in trade due to tie-up keeping people at home (estimated) \$1,500,000.

Gain to steam railroads, South Side electric and other lines in extra fares, \$250,000.

Money to Burn.

The Republic of Panama proposes to be unique among the nations of the world by not only keeping out of debt but by having a good sized balance to draw interest and add to the revenues. The Isthmian Government has decided on the advice of the Commissioners who were sent to Washington, to invest in U. S. bonds \$9,000,000 of the \$10,000,000 which will be paid for the canal zone. The bonds will have to be bought in the open market. The remaining \$1,000,000 will be placed in the treasury of Panama.

Dr. Amador, Minister of Finance in the Provisional government and probably destined to be the first president of the Republic, estimates that charges will be \$250,000 and that this, added to the customs and internal revenue receipts, will make the government self-sustaining from the start.

Too Many Prunes.

Because of two fatalities in the Jicarilla Apache Indian school at Lumberton, N. M., the families of two boy pupils who died suddenly, and the remainder of the tribe, have become very much excited, and there are threats of uprising among them. They have an idea that the school is bewitched, and it has taken all the persuasive powers of Supt. H. H. Johnson, who is credited with an unusual amount of diplomacy in dealing with Indians, to prevent violence. One Indian boy took a bath, from the effects of which he died. The other boy pupil was being dieted on account of illness and got into the kitchen, where he stole a quantity of dried prunes. He filled himself on them and died in consequence. The bath killed one; prunes the other.

Committed for Forgery.

Last Saturday night a journeyman tourist printer named A. E. Brown, and who for several weeks worked in the Review and later in the PLAINDEALER office entered the latter place on Saturday night and secured quite a number of blank checks from the books. He proceeded to fill in and sign The PLAINDEALER Pub. Co. to one check for seven dollars and fifty cents and had Mr. Poquette of the Club saloon cash it for him. Later he signed another and passed it to Mr. Goodman of the Monogram saloon the amount being six dollars and twenty cents. The forgery of the first check was discovered at about three o'clock on Monday afternoon and the second on Monday night. The offender remained hid all day on Monday, at least he was not seen and it was supposed that he had left town but Sheriff Parrott and Marshal Jarvis remained on watch from four o'clock on Monday afternoon until the arrest was made at six o'clock on Tuesday morning at Mosier's restaurant. The officers are to be commended for their zeal. Sheriff Parrott telephoned and telegraphed in every direction to obtain a trace of the man. On Wednesday afternoon Justice Buchanan held an examining trial at which he held Brown in a bond of \$500 to await the action of the grand jury, and in the absence of bond the defendant is confined in the county jail. The prosecution was conducted by Circuit Attorney Brown

and the defendant was represented by Attorney C. S. Jackson. The editor is sorry for the man for he is a good printer, and if he would stick to honest labor instead of dishonest methods could easily make a very good living and be a credit to himself and the community in which his lot might be cast.

"Beauvoir," Home for Veterans.

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 1.—The project for converting the old Jefferson Davis homestead at Beauvoir into a home for indigent Confederate veterans, which has been a dream of the United Daughters of the Confederacy for a number of years, today became an accomplished fact. Simple ceremonies marked the formal opening today, when nearly two score of indigent veterans were admitted as inmates, and Captain James Stone of Greenville assumed charge as superintendent. The home is to be presented to the state of Mississippi at the session of the legislature next month, and until that time the expenses of the home will be borne by private contributions.

Important documents have been discovered in the vatican archives regarding the so-called sale of indulgences to build St. Peter's cathedral in the time of Luther. The papers brought to light contain a voluminous papal correspondence with the Fuggers, the bankers of Augsburg, who transmitted to Rome the proceeds of the sale. These accounts probably show the total amount realized.

The Little Outcast.

E. J. Carpenter's mammoth production of "A Little Outcast," the great scenic success of last season, will be presented here this coming season. It



is a story of New York life, introducing May Stockton as the star, and theatre goers will be treated to many contrasting views of life in the great metropolis. At the opera house Friday, Dec. 11.

Sikium Echoes.

W. H. Coats, who has been doing carpenter work for Jas. L. Laird for the past two months, has returned to his home at Ten Mile.

School is now progressing nicely. We have only nine pupils, but they make up in quality what they lack in quantity.

Ed Millman has accepted a position as driver on the Roseburg-Marshfield stage line. He drives from Roseburg to Cheery Creek.

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County Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all parties holding county warrants endorsed prior to and including May 4, 1901, are requested to present the same at the County Treasurer's office for payment as interest will cease thereon after the date of this notice.

Dated Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, Oct. 22, 1903.

GEO. W. DIMMICK, County Treasurer.

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