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OLD ARMY REVENGES.

Statement From Gen. A. Alger Disclosing an Army Revenge.

THE BOODLERS IN MISSISSIPPI.

The Truth About the Sufferings of the Peasantry in Russia.

PEASANTS FREEZING TO DEATH.

Relief for the Distressed—Famine in Bombay—German Anarchists Arrested.

DETROIT, Feb. 12.—In answer to charges against Gen. Russell A. Alger, that had been dishonorably discharged by Custer 23 years ago, Gen. Alger says: "Along in June and July, 1864, Gen. Custer requested me several times to have his brother Thomas appointed as a lieutenant in my regiment as he wished to have him serve on his staff. As he did not belong to my regiment I declined, and in a hot conversation about it one day he told me I would regret it some day. I said to him I would rather resign than to have an outside officer promoted in my regiment when I had deserving men in the ranks. I never knew or suspected that there was the slightest question about my being properly sent with a large number of sick and wounded to Annapolis, or of Gen. Custer's recommendation. If he knew the fact, it was one of the most cruel outrages ever perpetrated upon a soldier."

Again he says: "I was honorably discharged from the service, and was not dismissed as stated." He says that in August, 1864, he was sick and was sent to a hospital at Annapolis, Md. After his partial recovery he was detailed to court-martial duty at Washington, but not liking it, and being unable to return to the field, he resigned. He never heard of the charges till 1888 during the Chicago convention. In this connection he says: "I had never heard a word directly or indirectly up to that date—almost twenty-four years—that there had been any such recommendation, which I found afterward, to my surprise, was true. I never had any more suspicion that I was not regularly sent to the hospital than anything improbable on earth. There was never more cruel, unjust act committed by man. I served three years, participated in sixty-six battles and skirmishes, was promoted to all the grades from captain to colonel, and was breveted brigadier-general and major-general without my application. I never was absent from my command a moment, except on account of wounds or sickness. I never received a censure from my superior officer in any way, shape or manner during the war. Had I known of the existence of such a document during the lives of Gen. Sheridan, who was always a warm personal friend, and Gen. Custer, who always claimed to be a friend and visited me frequently, I could easily have had the record corrected; but when I first heard of it Gen. Sheridan was on his death-bed and unable to see any one, and Custer was dead."

Prominent Legislators Crooked. JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 12.—The introduction in the assembly of a set of resolutions concerning the affairs of the penitentiary, brought several members to their feet, and the result promises sensational disclosures involving several prominent legislators. The resolutions charges that money was used to postpone the penitentiary farm bill for two years, and calls for an investigation. The storm which followed the introduction of the resolutions compelled withdrawal before a vote was taken, but the subject will come up in new form in a few days. It is charged by members that undue influence was used in having the plea for a penitentiary farm postponed for two years, and the object of this resolution was to see how much truth there was in the charge. It is ungratified that persons desiring, for personal reasons, to have the leasing system continued as long as possible, had much to do with the postponement and this rumor.

Facts Concerning Starving Russia. LONDON, Feb. 12.—A dispatch from Penza, Russia, says the thermometer registers 58 deg. below zero, and there is terrible suffering among the peasants. A number of men were frozen to death on the high roads. A quantity of grain for famine sufferers has arrived at Penza, but it is impossible to distribute it, because nearly all the horses have been killed for food or sold to procure money with which to buy the necessaries of life. It is estimated that nearly 1,000,000 draught animals have been killed throughout the empire since autumn. Typhus fever, smallpox and diphtheria are decimating the inhabitants. Around Penza 200 peasants have died from these diseases. The dispatch adds that the governments of Samara, Saratov and Nijni Novgorod are in a condition far worse than in Penza. In those three governments the peasantry have fallen victims to hunger and disease. In the governments of Charkov and Kazan typhus is especially terrible in its ravages; the inhabitants are dying by hundreds.

Grand Army Election. SALEM, Feb. 12.—State encampment of the department of Oregon, Grand Army of the Republic, today elected officers as follows for the coming year: Department Commander, Major H. H. Northup, Portland; Senior Vice-Commander, R. A. Crossan, Salem; Junior Vice-Commander, O. M. Dodson, Baker City; Medical Director, Joseph P. Gill, Eugene; Chaplain, Wiley Knowl, McMinnville; Delegates to national encampment, A. B. Bailey, J. P. Galbraith, Capt. E. Lombard; Alternates, Capt. J. C. Shaw, Frank Storey, A. G. Hardesty. The roster of the department shows the number in good standing December 31, 1890, to have been 1905; gain during the year by muster, 405; by transfer, 194; from suspended or dropped, 51; reinstatements, 33; total, 688; aggregate, 2591.

Death of Young Jas. G. Fair. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—James G. Fair, jr., eldest son of ex-Senator Fair, died suddenly early this morning from heart failure. Young Fair returned from an extended visit East Wednesday last, and spent last evening with his father at the Lick house. He passed some time in reading on retiring to his room, and then suddenly fell with a cry of pain. Physicians were summoned but he died shortly after the attack. He was born in Virginia, Nev., and was 29 years of age. Senator Fair is now the only member of the family on the coast, Miss Virginia Fair being in New York with her sister, Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, and Charles Fair, a younger son of the senator, being in Europe.

The Warm Springs Reservation. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, today introduced a bill permanently fixing and defining the boundary line of the Warm Springs Indian reservation in Oregon, and declaring it to be that part of the line run and surveyed by T. B. Handley in 1871, from the initial point up to and including the twenty-sixth thereof; thence in a due west course to the summit of the Cascade mountains, as found by Commissioners Mark A. Fullerton, William H. H. Dufur and James F. Payne, in their report to the secretary of the interior of June 8, 1891.

Organizing Political Clubs. CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 12.—Clubs having for their object the advocacy of the re-election of President Diaz are being organized through the republic.

Relief for the Distressed. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 12.—The government has granted the further sum of 60,000,000 rubles for the relief of sufferers in the famine districts.

They Have Not Revolted. LONDON, Feb. 12.—A dispatch received here from Montevideo states the report that the troops in that city had revolted is without foundation.

Arresting German Anarchists. BERLIN, Feb. 12.—Arrests of anarchists are being made here almost daily, and already a large number of them are waiting trial.

Famine in Bombay. BOMBAY, Feb. 12.—Official notice is given that famine prevails in this province. It affects 1,500,000 persons.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY.

In Chicago, Philadelphia, Columbus, Brooklyn and Boston.

A PATRIOTIC EX-CONFEDERATE.

Ben Buttler Makes Himself a Record Against Free Silver.

THE TYPHUS SCARE IN NEW YORK.

The Indian Appropriation Bill Cut Down—\$60,000 for the Salem School.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The Marquette Club celebrated the birthday of Abraham Lincoln with a banquet at the Auditorium hotel tonight, at which covers were laid for over 500 persons. The great banquet hall was resplendent with electric lights and appropriately decorated with flags, banners and festoons in the national colors, interspersed with portraits of Lincoln, Washington, Grant, and other national heroes. Prominent republicans from all parts of the country were bidden to the feast, and a number were present. The principal address of the evening was by Senator Shelby M. Cullom, who recently announced himself as a candidate for the presidency of the United States, and who responded to the toast "Abraham Lincoln."

THE PHILADELPHIA BANQUET. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 12.—The Pennsylvania Club, a political organization of this city, tonight celebrated the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, by a dinner at which the principal guests were Attorney-General Miller, Solicitor-General Taft and Senator Gallinger, of New Hampshire. C. Stewart Patterson, dean of the law school of the university of Pennsylvania responded to the toast, "Abraham Lincoln."

THE COLUMBUS GATHERING. COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 12.—The Lincoln banquet was given tonight. A telegram of regret was read from Channcy M. Depew, who was expected to be present and respond to the toast, "Abraham Lincoln." Also from James S. Clarkson, who was prevented from attending by illness. Representative Storer took Mr. Depew's place, and ex-Representative Allen responded to Clarkson's toast, "The Coming Campaign." Gov. McKinley responded to "Ohio," and was greeted with great applause.

AN EX-CONFEDERATE'S TRIBUTE. BROOKLYN, Feb. 12.—The annual dinner of the Union League Club, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was given at the club-house tonight. The Hon. John S. Wise, the principal speaker, responded to the toast, "Abraham Lincoln." He said, in part: "I speak as one who, while yet a boy, embarked enthusiastically in the confederate cause. The nomination of Lincoln, I pictured in boyish fancy, as the elevation of a bad man by an insane faction with cruel, quixotic purpose. I laughed in my heart in the springtime of 1860 at the thought that anything could uproot and destroy the social and political fabric by which I was surrounded. Within five years from that time I stood upon the same spot, a paroled prisoner of the army of the dead Confederacy. Mr. Lincoln had the unquestioned right to proclaim the freedom of the slaves as a war measure. None but a bold, strong, independent nature would have assumed all the responsibility for the danger which the step involved to himself, his friends and his cause. Looking at its consequences, friend and foe alike now concur that it was the matchless stroke of a master hand. Lincoln will be remembered for all time to come by friend and foe alike as the great, sad, almost lonely helmsman of the Union in the hour of its peril; who, steered by the unflinching light of a single constellation; who, never veering a point, was always guided by his self-made chart, with malice toward none and charity for all."

BUTLER OPPOSES FREE COINAGE. BOSTON, Feb. 12.—Abraham Lincoln was the topic upon which nearly all the speeches centered at the banquet of the Butler Club this evening. The chief point of interest in Gen. Butler's speech was his declaration in opposition to free coinage of silver.

Villard is Again Elected. NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Trustees of the Edison General Electric Company today elected Henry Villard president.

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