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WEDNESDAY, - - - MAR. 14, 1894

The Indians who have been tried as soldiers have been found wanting. What they want mostly is rations.

If Great Britain is dallying with Nicaragua the United States has a right to interfere. There is a doctrine that disapproves of such international flirtations.

A Colorado man sued another for the alienation of his wife's affections. The jury returned a verdict for \$100,000. Successive trials have brought the sum down to \$25,000, and another trial is in progress.

A citizen of Victoria, described as author, soldier, diplomat, athlete and gentleman, recently slapped the face of a consul there. For this diversion he paid a fine of \$2, which divided amongst author, soldier, diplomat, athlete and gentleman, made the reasonable sum of 40 cents each.

The most conspicuous result of the panic and the long financial depression is the passing of so many great railroad properties into the hands of receivers. In other words, a larger proportion of railroads failed than of any other kind of business.

It is the opinion of a good many Chicago people that the ridiculous farce of attributing the numerous fires at the world's fair grounds to the efforts of unknown incendiaries might as well cease. The buildings as they stand are of no particular use to anybody, and as they must be removed from the park by a certain date and the expense of carting them away would be very considerable.

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THE CAMEROONS.

A Country That Is Giving Germany Much Trouble.

An African Territory About Which the English Government Is Vivaly Concerned—The Dispute About Its Boundaries.

"Battle in the Cameroons," says a recent cable. What and where are the Cameroons? This from the New York Herald will elucidate a little:

The Cameroons is a territory on the Right of Biafra, West Africa, one hundred and fifty thousand square miles in extent, and with an estimated population of two millions. It has a coast line of one hundred and twenty miles between the Campo river and the Rio del Rey, is bounded on the north-east by a treaty line running north-east to the east of Yola, on the upper Benue, and on the south by a line running inland, due east from the mouth of the Campo river, to about the median of longitude fifteen degrees east, which may be regarded as the eastern or inland limit of the so-called "protectorate."

In 1892 there were one hundred and sixty-six whites, of whom one hundred and nine were German and thirty-one English. It became a German protectorate in 1884, and is placed under an imperial governor, assisted by a chancellor, two secretaries and a local council of three representative merchants. The country is fertile, and numerous valuable African vegetable productions grow in profusion.

In April last, Mr. Henry M. Stanley wrote to the peace association a letter in which he attributed the increase of trade in 1892 at African ports under German administration to the growing practice among German merchants of importing into Africa small arms and ammunition. These materials of war, he said, were sold to the slave traders and do inestimable damage.

In February a German expedition, which was under the command of Freiherr von Stetten, proceeded from the Cameroons coast up the river Sangha to Balinga, whence it traveled to the thickly populated district of Tilkar and reached Ngauere and Yola. Treaties were concluded with the native tribes in the districts passed through. This reappearance on the coast, the Kreuz Zeitung pointed out, was peculiar in view of the statement made by members of the expedition that Lake Tchad was their goal.

England and Germany had a long dispute about the boundaries of the Cameroons, which was settled in May last. The third section of the agreement reads: "The German colonial administration engages not to allow any trade settlements to exist or be erected on the right bank of the Rio del Rey creek or waterway. In like manner the administration of the Oil Rivers protectorate engages not to allow any trade settlements to exist or to be erected on the western bank of the Bakassy peninsula from the first creek below Arsibon's village to the sea and eastward from this bank to the Rio del Rey waterway."

According to the German view the new agreement is a purely fiscal one, intended to enable the British and German administrations to cope with the widespread smuggling, which was especially detrimental to the Cameroons. There had been no question of altering the frontier laid down by the provisional agreement of 1890, which, in consequence of disagreement between the two governments, left the Rio del Rey out of count and settled the frontier as a straight line running from the upper end of the waterway to the rapids of the Cross river. But this indefinite "upper end" has now been fixed as above set forth.

The monitor Saugus, that took part in Admiral David Porter's bombardment of Fort Fisher in December, 1864, now lies dismantled at a Philadelphia wharf awaiting a purchaser who needs a coal barge. Her armor has been stripped off and the spinning turret removed.

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