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JUSTICE FIELD RESIGNS

An Official Announcement Has Been Made.

WILL STEP OUT DECEMBER FIRST

Correspondence on the Subject of His Retirement Made Public at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—It was announced at the supreme court today that Justice Stephen J. Field, of California, had notified President McKinley of his intention to retire as a member of the court, and had informed his colleagues of the fact. The members of the court, after adjournment today, will call in a body on the retiring justice to pay him their respects.

It is expected his successor will be nominated by the president after the convening of congress in November.

Justice Field, it is learned, notified the president last April of his intention to retire, but the president did not acknowledge it till October 9.

The following letters were given out this afternoon:

Washington, Oct. 12.
"Dear Mr. Chief Justice and Brethren—Near the close of the last term, feeling that the duties of my office had become too arduous for my strength, I transmitted my resignation to the president, to take effect the first of December next, and this he has accepted with kindly expression of regard, as will be seen from a copy of the letter, which is as follows:

"Executive Mansion, Wash., October 9.

"Hon. Stephen J. Field, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States—My Dear Sir: In April last, Chief Justice Fuller, accompanied by Brewer, handed me your resignation as a justice of the supreme court of the United States, to take effect December 1, 1897. In hereby accepting your resignation, I wish to express my deep regret that you feel compelled, by advancing years, to sever your active connection with the court of which you have been so long a distinguished member. Entering upon your first office in May '62, you will, on the first of December next, have served on this bench for a period of thirty-four years and seven months, a term longer than any member of the court since its creation, and throughout a period of special importance in the history of the country, occupied with as grave public questions as have ever confronted that tribunal for decision.

"I congratulate you, therefore, most heartily upon a service of such exceptional duration, fidelity and distinction. Nor can I overlook that you received your commission of Abraham Lincoln, and, graciously spared by kind providence, have survived all the members of the court of his appointment.

"Upon your retirement both bench and country will sustain a great loss, but the high character and great ability of your work will live long to be remembered not only by your colleagues but by your grateful fellow countrymen.

"With personal esteem and sincere best wishes for your contentment and happiness in the period of rest which you have so well earned, I am, my dear sir, very truly yours,

WILLIAM MCKINLEY.
"My judicial experience covers many years of service. Having been elected a member of the supreme court of Cali-

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California, I assumed that office on October 13, 1857, holding it for five years seven months and five days, the latter part of the time being chief justice. On the tenth of March 1863, I was commissioned by President Lincoln justice of the United States, taking the oath of office on the tenth day of May following.

"When my resignation takes effect my period of service on this bench will have exceeded that of any of my predecessors, while my entire period of judicial life will have embraced more than forty years. I may be pardoned for saying that during all this period, long in comparison with the brevity of human life, though in retrospect, it has gone with a swiftness of a tale that is told, I have not shunned to declare in every case that has come before me for decision conclusions which my deliberate convictions compelled me to arrive at, but conscientious exercise of such abilities and requirements as I possessed."

Something to Depend On.

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WEYLER IS OUT OF IT.

General Castellanos Temporarily Commands in Cuba.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—A dispatch to the Herald from Havana says:

Captain-General Weyler's rule in Cuba will end with the present week. General Castellanos will act as captain-general until General Blanco's arrival in Havana from Spain on Saturday next, when he will immediately take the oath of office.

General Weyler, although expressing regret that he has been recalled before he had succeeded in crushing the rebellion, takes the matter philosophically, and is making preparations to sail October 20. He persists in maintaining that his methods are the only ones that will eventually force the insurgents to surrender.

In the meantime the rebels show no signs of willingness to negotiate for peace on the basis of autonomy. On the contrary, they are preparing to take the aggressive. The large force that

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started westward last week, it is reported, includes an effective company of artillery. The intention is evidently to join General Castellanos and make a big demonstration in Havana province.

In Pinar del Rio the rebels have been active during the past few days. They again attacked and raided the town of Calgre, killing several of the Spanish soldiers. They ambushed a column of Spanish guerrillas near Mandas, killing more than 20.

The rebel brigade under Lorenzo attacked the trocha of San Antonio and blew up one of the forts, badly wounding 26 soldiers. The rebels then passed through the trocha, driving a herd of cattle.

More Aid for the Cubans.

HAVANA, via Key West, Oct. 14.—It is reported in official circles that another filibustering expedition has been landed in the River Arimay, province of Santa Clara, and succeeded in joining the insurgent forces.

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BOUNDARIES OF LINCOLN.

Proposed Location of the Dividing Line in Alaska.

UNALASKA, Sept. 30, via San Francisco, Oct. 14.—Should the proposed territory of Lincoln be created by the division of Alaska, it will have as its southeast boundary Mount St. Elias. From that point the Eastern boundary will run directly to the Arctic, which ocean will form the northern boundary. The western boundary will likely run along the coast line below St. Michaels to the top of the divide between the Yukon and Koskowi rivers. The boundary on the south will follow the 62d parallel east to the Copper river, where it will cut down to Mount St. Elias.

Should the division occur and the boundary lines mentioned prevail, Alaska proper will then include the Aleutian islands, the coaling stations of Dutch harbor and Unalaska and the balance of the Alaska peninsula, the island of Unga and its quartz mines, Kodiak island, Kanal peninsula and the placer mines of Cook's inlet, Prince William sound and the placer mines along the Cooper river, the towns of Wrangel, Sitka, Juneau, Dyea, Skagway and the passes on the overland route to the Yukon.

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Burglary at Goldendale.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., Oct. 13.—The general merchandise store of D. S. Dunbar was burglarized and robbed last night. The loss has not been ascertained. A number of pairs of shoes were taken.

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Colorado Strike Settled.

TRINIDAD, Colo., Oct. 13.—The strike of miners in the Hastings mine of the Victor Coal & Coke Company has been settled. The miners went out Monday last. Between 400 and 500 men are concerned.



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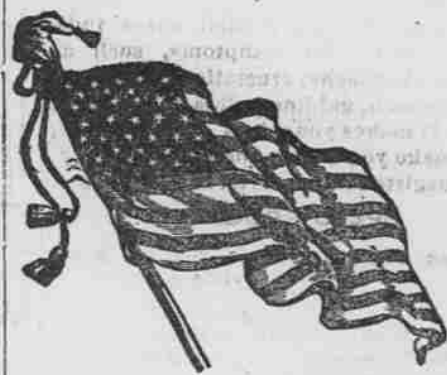
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