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TO PREVENT A CONFLICT

United States Tenders Its Good Offices in South America—Ready to Mediate Between Colombia and Venezuela.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—The United States government has tendered its good offices to Venezuela and Colombia to prevent a war between those countries, but the action has not yet advanced to a point where this government has begun the work of mediator. It has signified its willingness to act, but it will remain for the two countries to indicate when the time has arrived for actual mediation. The note of the United States offering to mediate has created an unusual stir in South American diplomatic quarters, as it is construed to be a rather marked development of the Monroe Doctrine, and one which will be most acceptable to South America.

The Colombian government will make an emphatic rejoinder to the official statement of Venezuela that armed bodies of Colombian troops have been crossing the Venezuela frontier and have been forcing war upon that country. It will show in substance that Colombian troops on the frontier are there to protect the border, and that any crossing of the line has been by detached bands without the approval of the federal government.

It has just been disclosed that General Uribe-Uribe made a statement at the Colombian legation in this city to the effect that the revolutionary movement of which he is the head had the support of Venezuela, Ecuador and Nicaragua. The statement was made during the pendency of negotiations for the surrender of the revolutionists. The negotiations with Uribe-Uribe closed, it is authoritatively stated, with an agreement of surrender, but the Colombian authorities are now satisfied that this was a ruse by which his agents secured passports through Colombia and went on an ostensible peace mission, whereas their purpose was to act as spies and revolutionary propagandists.

Boss Croker to Become a Britisher.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—A London dispatch says: In the current issue of Week End a contributor gives an account of a conversation he recently had with Richard Croker. "Mr. Croker tells me," says the correspondent, "that he is passionately fond of rural England, and that some day he hopes to settle down at a little country house in one of our most picturesque counties. I hope I am betraying no confidence when I remark that he is trying to prove himself fit for citizenship with us by an applied study of our manners and customs."

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Don't wait until you become chronically constipated but take DeWitt's Little Early Risers now and then. They will keep your liver and bowels in good order. Easy to take. Safe pills. Clarke & Falk's P. O. Pharmacy.

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The opening of school days are always of more or less expense to parents. It is either new clothes, or new books—or both; and where there is a large family to provide for, the cost is no trifle. Here is where we intend to benefit you.



It is needless to dwell on the fact that the boys' clothes we sell are of the satisfactory kind. If they weren't, we could not sell to the same people year in and year out. It takes honest goods to stand the strain.

Our boys' clothing this fall is the same brand we have handled heretofore—our assortment as large, and the prices just a little lower.

As a special inducement—we offer—until Sept. 12th—a **refund of ten per cent.** on any Boys' or Young Men's Suit, Overcoat or pair of Pants,—this amount redeemable in school books, for which an order will be given you on your book store.

For reference, we publish in the space opposite, a revised list of the books adopted by the board of directors for this coming term of school. Any copy listed can be had through this store of your local dealer—as a premium on purchases in our boys' clothing department. The value of the book depends, of course, on the amount of your purchases.

Our Stock is Quite Complete.

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- Boys' Double-breasted School Suits (9 to 15 years) . . . 2.00 to 10.00
- Boys' 3-piece Round Sack Suits (7 to 15) 4.00 to 8.50
- Boys' Long Pant Suits (10 to 16 years) . . . 3.00 to 10.00
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 Round-trip rates via O. R. & N. from The Dalles, \$81.90. Tickets on sale first and third Tuesdays during June, July, August, September and October, good for continuous passage going on date of sale. Return limit thirty days from date of sale. Stop-overs will be allowed west of Missouri river or St. Paul on return trip within limit of ticket.

Arrangements can be made by applying to agent O. R. & N. Co., The Dalles, whereby tickets will be honored on lake steamers in one or both directions between Detroit and Buffalo.

Floral lotion will cure wind chapping and sunburn. Manufactured by Clarke & Falk.

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- ONE LOT Men's cassimere and chevrot suits, ranging from \$7.50 to \$12; clearance price \$5.95
- ONE LOT Youth's suits, embracing worsteds, chevrots, cassimeres, etc.; clearance price 1-3d off
- ONE LOT Men's black and fancy worsted suits, ranging from \$12 to \$17.50; clearance price \$9.95
- ONE LOT of about 20 Youth's Suits, age 14 to 20; more or less damaged; close out at \$1.95

All Children's Clothing at 1/3 off

This is an opportunity of a life-time—to lay in your winter supply of clothing.

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Conference Is In Session.

WALLA WALLA, Sept. 4.—The twenty-eighth annual meeting of the Columbia River conference of the Methodist church is in session. Ministers from all four districts embraced in the conference have been pouring in since Monday and by this evening the last will have arrived.

The First M. E. church at Second and Popular streets, where the sessions take place is tastefully decorated in red and white bunting and at the opening last evening the building was filled to overflowing. Rev. G. Herbert Jones of Vincent's church, Spokane, delivered an interesting sermon, full of masterful thought and meaning.

Rev. P. A. Cool, of the First M. E. church of Spokane, who is charged with maladministration by former members of his flock arrived yesterday and is stopping at the residence of O. J. Croup, in Boyer avenue. An investigation committee, to look into the charges preferred against him will be appointed and will deliver its verdict on the findings. It may be there will be no trial at all—it seems to rest with the bishop.

The ministers of the conference seem to be reticent regarding the outcome of the investigation and few opinions are expressed. All five of the expelled members of the Spokane church are in the city and it is said they are determined to fight the case to the bitter end and if possible cause the removal of Dr. Cool from the church.

One of the visiting ministers stated that the Spokane papers and others, had been attempting to cause more of a sensation than really existed and that fully ninety per cent of the members of Rev. Mr. Cool's congregation were for him.

Thousands Sent Into Exile.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at G. C. Blakeley's drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

Street Fair Was Opened.
 BAKER CITY, Or., Sept. 3.—The Baker City Carnival and Street Fair opened this afternoon, with a large crowd

present. The coronation of Queen Anna, and the turning over to her of the keys of the city by Mayor Carter, were the events of the day. The midway tonight was a blaze of splendor and the crowds at the shows could hardly be accommodated.

Senator William Smith took the part of Rex, and in the presence of a large assemblage crowned Miss Anna Hannah, queen of the carnival, this afternoon. Mayor Carter presented the keys of the city to the queen, after which the street fair and carnival were declared open. Tomorrow will be Sampter day. Thursday will be Portland day, when it is expected that a large number of people will be present from Western Oregon.

Played Out.

Dull Headache, Pains in various parts of the body, Sinking at the pit of the stomach, Loss of appetite, Feverishness, Pimples or Sores are all positive evidences of impure blood. No matter how it occurs so it must be purified in order to obtain good health. Acker's Blood Elixir has never failed to cure Scrofulous or Syphilitic poisons or any other blood diseases. It is certainly a wonderful remedy and we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley, the druggist.

Did Not Pay the Duty.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Diamonds and other valuables worth \$25,000 which were recently shipped into the country by a prominent Chicago man on his return from Europe without the payment of duty, have been seized by J. J. Crowley, special agent of the treasury department in this city. The jewels, which were purchased, it is said, in Paris, have been turned over by Mr. Crowley to William Penn Nixon, collector of customs in this city. He will hold them until orders for their disposal are finally received from Washington. An effort is being made to settle the case with as little publicity as possible. It is probable that the owner of the valuables will pay all the costs, which will amount to something like \$10,000, and thus avoid prosecution.

Don't Let Them Suffer.

Often children are tortured with itching and burning eczema and other skin diseases but Bucklen's Arnica Salve heals the raw sores, expels inflammation, leaves the skin without a scar. Clean, fragrant, cheap, there's no salve on earth as good. Try it. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at G. C. Blakeley's drug store. 4

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