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Not Making a Good Start. In the New Zealand Medical Journal appears this story: On walking to the scaffold in solemn procession a criminal once called to the governor of the prison: "Just oblige me, gov-nor, by telling me the day o' the week." "Monday," answered the surprised governor. "Monday," exclaimed the prisoner in disgusted tones. "Well, this 'ere's a fine way of beginning a week, ain't it?" And he marched on with dissatisfaction imprinted on every line of his face.

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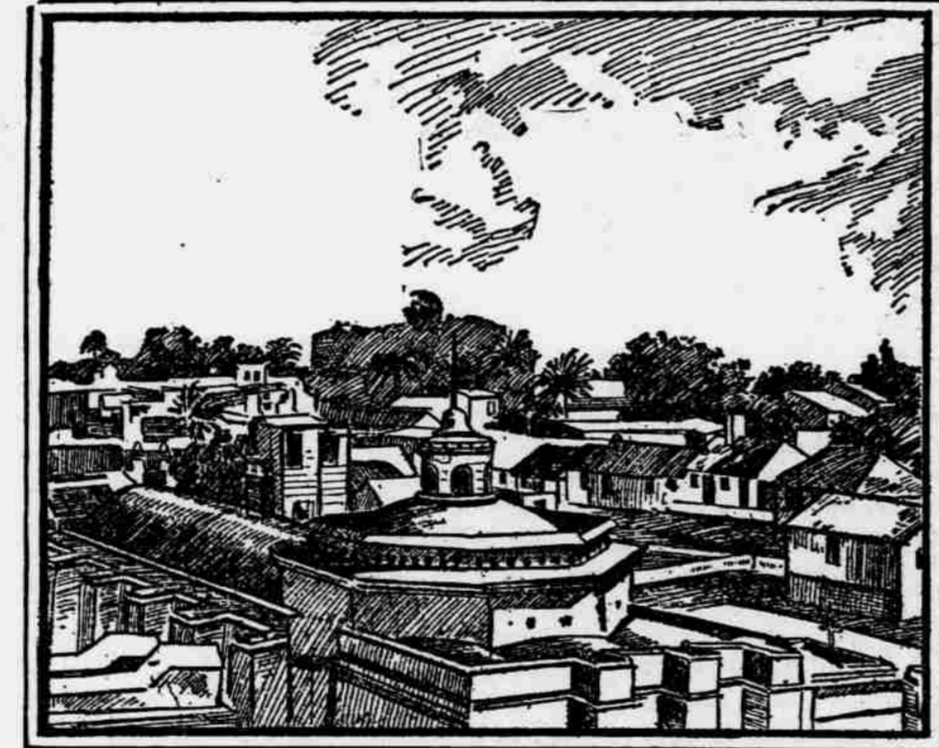
SANTO DOMINGO.

Little Island's Complications with the United States. The action of the insurgents of Santo Domingo in deliberately firing on the American flag, killing R. C. Johnston, a naval engineer, wounding Charles Doctor, a bugler, and otherwise committing warlike acts against the government of the United States has succeeded in raising an interesting international complication. It will be remembered by those who have kept track of the affair that Johnston was shot while on a launch on its way from the shore to the United States auxiliary cruiser Yankee. The small American flag in the stern of the boat was riddled. Doctor was wounded in a subsequent engagement of the Columbia with some of the insurgent forces. About a week after the killing of Johnston, it will also be recalled, a merchant steamer named the New



ENTRANCE TO HARBOR OF SAN DOMINGO CITY.

York discharged her cargo at the port of Santo Domingo under what was thought to be an agreement of the contending forces. She was fired on by the insurgents, however, and the United States cruiser Newark retaliated by shelling the town of Pajarito, in which the rebels were encamped, afterward landing a force of marines and driving out the insurgent troops. All of this naturally led to further complications. Though the rebel forces have been very thoroughly beaten in subsequent engagements with the troops of President Morales, the island is yet in a very unsettled condition, and there is a considerable party, in which the commercial element predominates, that is favorable to annexation to the United



GENERAL VIEW OF THE CITY OF SAN DOMINGO.

States, or at least to a protectorate by the American government. The annexation idea was one of the cherished dreams of President Grant. Indeed, it even antedated Grant, for Secretary Seward about the time of the Alaska purchase elaborated a plan looking to American possession of Santo Domingo. It is probable that the idea did not originate in the United States, however, but in the island itself, for the merchant classes there have always favored an American protectorate.

It was doubtless due to this influence that President Baez of the Dominican Republic sent a formal proposition to President Grant looking to the annexation of Santo Domingo to the United States. It was in July, 1899, that Grant received the proposal, and he lost no time in sending a special commissioner to the island to look into conditions and report. After some further negotiations the treaty of annexation was prepared, the question was submitted to the voters of Santo Domingo, who gave it almost unanimous approval at a special election held for the purpose, and Grant submitted the treaty to the United States Senate for ratification. Charles Sumner, chairman of the foreign affairs committee, bitterly opposed the ratification of the treaty, and succeeded in securing sufficient support to defeat the treaty. The annexation talk died down and has not been renewed until recent years, although the commercial party in the island still continued to favor the plan.

Meanwhile affairs in the little republic were in a troubled condition. There were frequent uprisings, and presidents came in rapid succession until in 1896 General Ulysses Heureux was elected, and the constitution was so altered that he could succeed himself. This he did with somewhat monotonous regularity, so contriving matters that it was impossible to oust him. Heureux was a young man when he went into office and an ambitious one. He became practical dictator of the country, banishing or executing those who opposed him. In this manner he continued in power until 1899, when he was assassinated.

Shortly after the violent close of the Heureux regime came the revolu-

tion that resulted in making General Jimenez president. In 1902 occurred another revolution, which was successful in forcing Jimenez to resign, on which the vice president, Vasquez, was installed, to be succeeded in 1903 by General Morales, against whom the present revolution is directed. In Santo Domingo the president is elected for four years, unless sooner "revoluted" out of office.

The people are of mixed Spanish, negro and Indian blood. The government is modeled on that of the American republic and so far as form is concerned is said to be quite ideal.

Santo Domingo is one of the most beautiful of the West India islands. It lies between Cuba and Porto Rico. In Samana Bay it possesses one of the finest natural harbors in the world. It was this port which President Grant was especially anxious to secure as a coaling station. The oldest settlement made in the new world was on this island, Columbus himself having founded it. Here the great discoverer was buried and here for a number of years was the capital of the Spanish possessions to the new world.

At the end of the eighteenth century Spain ceded the eastern half of the island to France, which held the western half. Soon after the entire country under Toussaint L'Ouverture gained its independence. In 1844 came the rebellion of the eastern portion of the island, resulting in the formation of the present Dominican Republic.

FAMOUS BLAZES IN LONDON.

British Houses of Parliament Were Burned on Oct. 16, 1834.

Oct. 16 is a day to be associated with fire in the minds of Londoners, for on that date, in 1834, the houses of parliament were burned down, and on the same day, in 1733, Berkeley house was destroyed by fire, says the London Chronicle. Berkeley house stood on the site of the present Devonshire house and Evelyn does not seem to have thought much of it. "The staircase is of cedar," he writes. "The furniture is princely; the kitchen and stables are ill-placed and the corridors worse. * * * The porticos are in imitation of a house described by Palladio, but it happens to be the worst in his books." The fire was caused, according to the Daily Journal of the day after, "by the workmen leaving a glue pot among shavings, which boiled over while they were at breakfast and



A man may be perfectly square and move in the best circles.—Philadelphia Record.

He—If I tried to kiss you would you call for help?—She—Would you need it?—Smart Set.

Mrs. Buys—Have you any low evening gowns? Saleslady—Low cut or low price, madam?—Boston Post.

The Debutante—I think she's just as pretty as she can be. The Wallflower Most girls are.—Detroit Free Press.

Between the acts: Governess—Well, Marjorie, have you done crying? Marjorie—No, I haven't. I'm only resting!—Punch.

"Didn't you feel like killing the waiter when he stood you up for a tip?" "Yes, I felt like giving him no quarter."—Cornell Widow.

"So Jagsby has absconded. Another good man gone wrong." "Nonsense. It's merely a bad man who has been found out."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Mrs. Wackum—How did that naughty boy of yours hurt himself? Mrs. Snapper—That good little boy of yours hit him on the head with a brick.—Tit-Bits.

"So you think your country will be lost?" "I haven't quite made up my mind," answered the King of Corea, "whether it is going to be lost, strayed, or stolen."—Washington Star.

Ma—Oh, how cruel! In India they whip children with young palm-trees. Willie—Huh! Don't you spank me with your palm? And it ain't such a young palm, either.—Boston Post.

"Marriage," remarked the moralizer, "is a lottery." "Yes," rejoined the demoralizer, "but it's one of the games of chance that clergymen do not try to discourage."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Passenger—Why don't you pronounce the names of the stations so that we can understand them? Brake-man—What do you expect for thirty dollars a month—a college professor?

He—Yes, I remembered you at once as the girl I was engaged to in the mountains some seasons ago. "What a remarkable memory for faces you have, haven't you?" "No—for rings."

"I wonder if he's really of any use in the world," remarked the girl in blue. "Oh, yes," replied the practical girl in gray; "he can be used to make other men jealous."—Chicago Evening Post.

"Are you at all familiar with Plato?" asked Mrs. Oldcastle. "No, that's one thing Josiah always blames me for. He says I never make real close friends with anybody."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Kate—Charley and Bessie are very fond of each other. Bertha—Rather say they are both very fond of Charley. It is a case of two souls with but a single thought, you know.—Boston Transcript.

Mamma—Why did you take little brother's candy and eat it up? Why didn't you ask him if you could have it? Little Alice—Why, I did, mamma, and he said I couldn't.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

He—I suppose you had that a man should never deceive his wife? She—Oh, no, I wouldn't go as far as that. How would it be possible for the average man to get a wife if he didn't deceive her?—Boston Transcript.

Detained: Mrs. Smith—We missed you so much at our party! Mrs. Jones—And I was so vexed when I couldn't come! You see, our cook had company unexpectedly, and she needed us to fill out the card tables.—Detroit Journal.

Hoping Against Hope: Gayboy (time 1 a. m.)—I say, old chap, isn't this a little late for you to be out? Aren't you afraid your wife will miss you? Ennepek—I hope she will, but she can throw pretty straight for a woman.—Chicago News.

Mrs. Colls—And when you told him I was married did he seem to be sorry? Friend—Oh, yes; he said so quite frankly! Mrs. Colls—Did he really? Friend—Yes, indeed—he said he was extremely sorry, although he didn't know the man personally!

"No, thank you," said Miss De Mure. "I don't care to meet any new young men." "My!" exclaimed Miss Gaddie. "You are select all of a sudden!" "No," replied Miss De Mure, glancing dreamily at her new ring. "I've merely been selected all of a sudden."—Philadelphia Press.

Another brute: Mrs. Pretty—Isn't it strange? Mrs. Beauti has not put on mourning for her husband. Mr. Pretty—I understand that her late husband particularly requested that she should not. Mrs. Pretty—The brute! I suppose he knew how lovely she would look in it.—Pick-Me-Up.

"You ought to have a place in grand opera," remarked the sarcastic passenger who was trying to read. "Oh, I don't know," replied the fat party across the aisle, who was giving an imitation of a song. "I've got a place in Grand Rapids that's good enough for me."—Detroit Journal.

"Yes, sir," said the Denver hotel clerk to the new arrival, "that white-capped mountain away off there is in the Rockies, and it is a hundred and fifty miles from here." "Who would have imagined it was so far?" commented the guest. "Oh, was the airy response from the clerk "if the atmosphere was only a little clearer it would be three hundred miles away."—Judge.

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Peruna has cured thousands of cases of female weakness. As a rule, however, before Peruna is resorted to several other remedies have been tried in vain. A great many of the patients have taken local treatment, submitted themselves to surgical operations, and taken all sorts of doctor's stuff, without any result.

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