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THE ALAMEDA ARRIVES

The Situation Unchanged in the Hawaiian Islands.

NO EXCITEMENT IS REPORTED

The Provisional Government in Possession of the Reins of Government.

Associated Press.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—The steamer Alameda arrived today, and brings advices from the Hawaiian Islands as follows:

Honolulu, Nov. 16.—The main change in the political situation since the Alameda sailed has been one of increased strain and greater business depression. Since his formal call to present his credentials, Minister Willis has not communicated officially with the government. The most significant happening which has taken place occurred last Monday, when a committee of the American League, lately organized as an auxiliary to the annexation club, called on the new minister. Minister Willis' answer to the committee's welcome has not yet leaked out, but the Associated Press is able to give the following nearly, if not quite, verbatim report of his reply. Willis said: "I am an ardent American, and I would like to see the stars and stripes waving over all the islands on the Pacific, or any other territory which would be beneficial to the United States. I have my instructions which I cannot divulge. This much I can say, that the policy of the United States is already formulated regarding these islands and that nothing which can be said or done can avail now. I come as executive officer. When the proper time arrives I shall act. I am sorry I cannot tell you when or how. Knowing the policy of the United States I could not have accepted the position of an executive officer had it been in conflict with the principles I hold. Americans here will have nothing to regret. However, I wish to state positively that any outside interference will not be tolerated by the United States." The provisional government considers Minister Willis' remarks as significant and from other information obtained, it is the general belief among Americans that a United States protectorate will be shortly established over the provisional government, with the understanding that a stable form of government be organized thereunder within a limited period. In consequence of the strained condition of affairs, an extra guard of sharpshooters are stationed in the executive building. This morning President Dole paid a visit to the United States ship Philadelphia and was received with the national salute of twenty-one guns. Last Monday morning the ex-queen somewhat unexpectedly called upon Minister Willis, at the Legation about twenty minutes. Minister Willis has not returned the call. The ex-queen's actions have created unfavorable comment. It surprised the royalists as well as the annexationists.

Interviewed by an Associated Press correspondent, just before the steamer sailed, Willis said that nothing would be done until he again heard from Washington and that after the Alameda left that any trouble precipitated on either side would be stopped at once by the United States forces. When his attention was called to a dispatch saying the ex-queen would be restored, he declined to express an opinion. It is believed his dispatches are a fake. The provisional government declares they would be able to maintain the peace.

AT WASHINGTON.

The News Creates No Excitement in Official Circles.

Washington, Nov. 23.—There was a notable lack of excitement in the reception of the Hawaiian news today. A copyright letter from Honolulu was read to Gresham by an Associated Press representative. At the portion where Willis is reported to have said he would be glad to see the American flag over Hawaii and every other island in the Pacific, the secretary said: "I don't believe that, even as subsequently modified by Willis with the additional clause, 'under proper conditions.'" The secretary said the minister must have been incorrectly reported. "Willis is a capable man," he said. "He ought not to have talked on that subject at all, and I don't believe he did." Upon reading the statement of Admiral Skerrett, recalled for attending a ball given by the Annexation Club, Gresham said, "Absurd." Regarding the assertion that Willis said he would do nothing until he heard further from the state department, he declined to say anything. A statement reported as coming from the Philadelphia that

some action is to be taken during the week following the departure of the Alameda is regarded as significant, tallying as it does with a well-defined rumor circulated in Washington on Tuesday that the queen was restored on that day. It is largely a day of speculation at the capital regarding the situation in Hawaii. It seems the report which came by way of New Zealand that Cleveland is determined to restore the queen is a surprise to the administration. The manner in which Willis has been performing his mission only adds more mystery to the situation. Theories and speculations are indulged in all the more because up to 5:30 this afternoon it was denied at the state department that Willis made any communication to the department by the Alameda. It is believed, however, that some official information has been received, the nature of which it is impossible to learn. The dispatches today seem to indicate to the administration what they heretofore asserted, that the provisional government still stands because it feels it is backed by moral support, and thus far its act has been approved by this government.

THE NEWS IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Nov. 23.—When the Associated Press Bulletin announcing that the Hawaiian queen had not been restored to the throne was shown to Secretary Gresham, he said: "That is not surprising to me. I was not expecting to hear by this steamer that she had been restored."

IDLE SPECULATION.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The theory is advanced that before the next steamer leaves for Hawaii the queen may have been restored, overthrown again, and a republic established.

DISSATISFIED LABORERS.

Spokane's Unemployed Hold Meetings and Indulge in Threats.

Spokane, Nov. 23.—A number of working men had been expecting employment from the construction of the proposed water works, but when the contract was about to be let, an injunction was gotten out. This stirred up indignation among the unemployed, and led on by two or three professional agitators, they have been holding meetings and making threats. Today was set for hearing the injunction proceedings, and 200 men filed into the court room. Judge Moore ordered the room cleared, and the proceedings were continued until Monday. Then the crowd started across long bridge, over the Spokane river, gathering in numbers as they advanced. Reaching Riverside, they halted in front of the Review building and made a demonstration. They then proceeded to the building of A. M. Cannon, who is one of the owners of the Spokane Water Power Company, and who was suspected of getting out the injunction. By this time the crowd had increased to 400, most of whom were drawn there by curiosity. It was addressed by Mr. Cannon and the mayor, and urged to disperse and act with order and respect for the laws. It then broke up. At no time were the police required to interfere. Tonight all is quiet.

CANAL CONFERENCE.

One Will Be Held in New York on December 5.

New York, Nov. 23.—A concerted movement is being made to secure the enlargement or other improvement of the canals of this state, alleged to be necessary to retain its commerce. Invitation has been extended to every commercial and industrial organization in the state supposed to have an interest in the betterment of the canals, to send delegates to a conference to be held on Tuesday, December 5, at 11 a. m., in the rooms of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation at 206 Broadway. The movement is under the auspices of the joint committee on canals, of which James H. Seymour is chairman. The joint committee on canals consists of the executive committee of the Canal Improvement Union, the canal committee of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation, the canal committees of the Produce and Mercantile Exchanges, committees on internal trade and improvements of the New York Chamber of Commerce, and a special committee from the Wholesale Grocers' Association of New York and vicinity.

CONFIDENT STRIKERS.

Jersey City, Nov. 23.—The Lehigh Valley strike situation is without material change. The company is increasing slowly the number of moving freight trains. Orders have been issued to the Fourth Regiment of New Jersey and the First Regiment of Philadelphia to be in readiness for any emergency. The strikers are confident.

THE WIRES DOWN.

About 11:50 last night the Western Union wire between this city and Portland succumbed to the force of the gale, and in consequence the Astorian's telegraphic report is shorter than usual. The break will in all probability be repaired this morning.

THE REGISTRATION ACT

The New Regulations Submitted to Secretary Carlisle.

THEIR VARIOUS PROVISIONS

Only those with Fixed Places of Business Are Exempt from the Operation of the Law.

Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The new regulations for the issuance of certificates of residence to Chinese under the provisions of the amendatory act recently approved by congress, have been submitted to Secretary Carlisle by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Miller. According to its provisions Chinamen must swear they never committed a felony in the United States, and that fact must be testified to by white witnesses. A photograph of the applicant must be attached to the affidavit, and two other likenesses must be transmitted to the collector of internal revenue and the treasury department. Collectors of internal revenue and deputies are instructed that all classes of skilled and unskilled manual laborers, including Chinese employed in mining, fishing, huckstering, laundrying, and peddling, shall be classed as laborers. A person to be exempted from the operations of this law must be engaged in buying and selling merchandise at some fixed place of business. The paragraph in the old regulations exempting persons from the operations of the law who are owners or part owners of mercantile establishments, is stricken out.

THE REVENUE SYSTEM.

Definitely Decided to Impose an Income Tax.

Washington, Nov. 23.—It has been definitely decided by the full committee of ways and means that an income tax will be adopted as part of the new revenue system, and the details of the plan have been left to McMillan, Bryan, and Montgomery. The changes in the internal revenue schedule contemplate an increase of ten cents a gallon on whisky, and slight modifications in the tobacco tax. Several hundred petitions today inundated the committee from tobacco manufacturers of the United States asking that the McKinley tariff import duty of \$2 per pound on leaf tobacco suitable for wrappers be repealed, and a duty of 25 cents per bushel be imposed on all leaf tobacco. It appears to be the intention of the committee to reduce the duty from \$2 to about \$1 per pound.

POWDERLY REBUKED.

Hays' Forces Successful at the Knights of Labor Elections.

Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—At a meeting of the general assembly of the Knights of Labor today, the election of officers was continued. Michael J. Bishop, of Massachusetts, recognized as the candidate of the Hays faction, and the present incumbent in office, was elected general worthy foreman. The Hays forces again carried their candidates to victory, when the election for general secretary and treasurer was ordered. One of the anti-administration delegates said if the election for general master workman had gone over until today, Powderly would have been defeated. "It's Powderly's methods we are fighting more than the man himself, and he now has fair warning to mend his ways or get out. He has been dictator and assumed to run things to suit himself long enough."

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

Detroit, Nov. 23.—This afternoon the large wholesale dry goods house of Edson, Moore & Co., five stories high, was burned to the ground. The loss is three-quarters of a million. Radford Dunning and James McWay were killed by jumping from the top story. Three more men are missing.

KILLED HIS BABY BROTHER.

New York, Nov. 23.—A fatal shot was fired at nineteen-months-old Charles Wichman by his 11-year-old brother yesterday afternoon, at the home of

the children in Lawnwood, L. I. The children, with their five-year-old sister, Annie, were playing "Wild West" in their father's hotel, and the oldest boy, to make the realism more distinct, brought out Mr. Wichman's shotgun and aimed it at the baby. The gun exploded and a charge of shot was sent into the little one's body. He died almost instantly. The parents of the children are overcome with grief.

WHIP AND SPUR.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—Six furlongs—Ranger, Eleno, Cochico, Time, 1:12. Six furlongs—Gascon, Tim Murphy, Donohue, Time, 1:12 1-2. One mile—Steadfast, Red Cloud, Bizard, Time, 1:42 3-4. Mile and a half, six hurdles—Cicero, Cuchara, San Jose, Time, 2:55. Five furlongs—Ilda Glen, North, Nellie Van, Time, 1:32 1-4.

GOING AROUND THE WORLD.

New York, Nov. 23.—Wm. K. Vanderbilt's yacht *Valliant* today left port on a trip around the world. In addition to Vanderbilt, his wife, and two children, there were five guests. The crew numbered 60.

SNOW AT THE DALLES.

The Dalles, Or., Nov. 23.—The first snow of the season has been falling continuously since ten last night. It is now a foot deep.

INSURGENT VESSEL SUNK.

London, Nov. 23.—President Pelkoto has telegraphed that the insurgent iron clad *Javary* has been sunk by the batteries at Nictheroy. The crew perished.

NOT GENERALLY OBSERVED.

Portland, Or., Nov. 23.—Thanksgiving Day was observed here only by the banks and the state and county officials, Judge Shattuck excepted.

MULTNOMAH'S ASSESSMENT.

Portland, Nov. 23.—The assessment of Multnomah county was completed today. The total footing is \$61,596,378. The assessment for 1892 was \$63,726,075.

THE COLD WAVE.

Portland, Nov. 23.—A cold wave arrived this morning. The mercury fell to 7 above.

CAPTURE OF A KING.

London, Nov. 23.—It is reported King Lohengula has been captured.

THE THIRD AND FOURTH GENERATIONS.

M. G. Lagneau communicated to the Academie de Medicine, recently, the concluding part of an interesting statistical paper on the population of Paris in which he proved that the extinction of families of Parisians proceeds with extraordinary rapidity. A 1890 over 60,000 children are born annually in Paris, and the expectation of life at birth is 28.05 years. The population of Paris at the last census was 2,424,707, and M. Lagneau calculates that, if not recruited from the country, the population, at the end of one generation, would be reduced to 1,698,078, a diminution of more than one-third; at the end of a second it would have fallen to 1,190,000, at the end of the third to 832,750, and so on, until at the end of the eighth generation the ville lumiere would contain only 140,700. Probably the real figures would be even less favorable, for, as a matter of fact, it is almost impossible to find a Parisian whose ancestors for three generations have been Parisians. The same, or very much the same, holds good in London. Some ten years ago Mr. James Cantlie, in a lecture he gave for the National Health Society, challenged any one to produce a Londoner of the fourth generation, a challenge which was not, we believe, taken up. The causes of this dying out of town populations are, no doubt, complex; but M. Lagneau points out two which, in Paris, at least, are the most important—the enormous mortality during the first year of life, and the very high death rate from tuberculous diseases. This death rate appears to be twice as great in Paris as in London, and M. Lagneau appears to attribute a part of this difference at least to the less density of population on the surface in London. The Londoner has 84 square meters, whereas the Parisian has only 37—British Medical Journal.

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