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Vigorous Measures Proposed--Cuban and Venezuelan Questions Receive Attention.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The senate plung-ed into real business today. Naturally the president's message attracted many of those attending today, but aside from this there were stirring resolutions on the Monroe doctrine and the Cuban revolution, and after that the usual deluge of

EXCLUSIVE

HIS MESSAGE

MONEY QUESTION IS TAKEN UP

The present assemblage of the legislative branch of our government occurs at the expense of the tive branch of our government occurs at which, while inefficient for the purpose a time when the interests of our people and the needs of the country give and impeded our entrance to the markets a special prominence to the conditions of of the world, has been superseded by a our foreign relations and the exigencies tariff policy, which in principle is based

resumption of specie payment by Chile is regarded as evincing the ascendancy of acound financial principles in that republic. The close of the Chinese war has developed a domestic condition in the

breaks.

The cordial relations with France have been undisturbed, with the exception of a full explanation of the treatment of John L. Waller, formerly United States consult at Tamatave, Madagascar, remained in Madagascar after his term of office explained. Mr. Waller remained in Madagascar after his term of office explicitly having procured business concessions of value, and upon the declaration of martial law by the French he was arrested upon various charges, tried and convicted by a collider out of the redemption of the president to the high tariff laws in vogue until the passage of the Wilson bill, together with the infusion of sliver into the currency and the increasing agitation for its free colliders the reserve had fallen in February, 1894, to the quarrels of South American communities which do not deserve the notice of in bonds were issued in three periods unconvicted by a collider out of the redemption to take up the quarrels of South American communities which do not deserve the notice of in bonds were issued in three periods unconvicted by a collider out of the reserve in the president throughout the states."

The Dally News, a illieral organ, will say: "President Cleveland knows better than to treat the Monroe doctrine as it were a rule of international law. It is neither dignified on politic for the administration at Washington to take up the quarrels of South American communities which do not deserve the notice of vivilized nations. America will find some day that this sort of patronage involves a corresponding responsibility, and they sions of value, and upon the declaration of martial law by the French he was arrested upon various charges, tried and convicted by a military tribunal and sentenced to two years in prison.

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This government requests the records of that tribunal; the record of the court proceedings and charges have been procured, but the evidence is still missing Meanwhile, it appears M. Wa'ler's confinement was not onerous. The president recommends the acceptance of the French invitation to participate in the Paris ex-

He especially recommends the recent resolution of the French chambers favorresolution of the French chambers favoring a permanent treaty or arbitration between the two countries. The r'ose rivatives of competing industry, and in the influence of the delucive doctrine that the internal development of a nation is promoted and its wealth increased by a policy in which in undertaking to reserve its hence markets for the exclusive use of its own people necessarily obstructs their sales in foreign markets and prevents free access to the products of the world, is the present summary of the trade conditions with Germany. The exports afis the present summary of the trade con-ditions with Germany. The exports af-fected are largely American cattle and amount of currency thus withdrawn food products, but insurance companies would not be over \$485,000,000, which would food products, but insurance companies would not be over \$485,000,000, which would are also suffering. The president suggests retaliatory measures should an expectation of the president suggests as a relief to circulation that banks amination warrant them, while declaring be allowed to issue notes to the full the policy of this country as a producing amount of bonds deposited, and the tax nation should be marked with national good faith and reciprocal forbea-ance.

An appropriation for the survey of the relief it is suggested that revenue collections.

country is jointly bound with England and Germany to assume management of Samoa.

Attention is called to the situation in Cuba, and strict neutrality of this government is advised, despite the sentimental sympathy and adventurous support aroused in Americans by stories of cruelty and the natural love of liberty. Military arrests of American citizens, the rights of the American consular officers. Thinks He Needs Praying for by the New York Reform Club Com-Read in Both Houses of Conrights of the American consular officers to protect property and the Allianca inci-dent have been recognized and exp ained. Occurrences in Turkey, while exciting concern, information is hard to obtain,

concern, information is hard to obtain, but our consulate is instructed to investigate. It is not the intention of this government to become entangied in the Eastern question, but simply to care for those entitled to protection. Instructions have been sent in case of actual disturbance, and on the demand of our minister orders have been issued by the sultan that Turkish soldiers shall guard an escort of American refugees to the coast, It is earnestly hoped that prompt and effective action on the part of the great European powers will not be delayed. Owing to the growth of American interests in foreign countries the improvement of the consular service is urged.

In accordance with the recommendation of the secretary of state, it has been decided to fill consular positions paying from \$1,000 to \$2,500 annually by a promotion or transfer from some other position.

Minneapolis, Dec. 3.—Colonel Robert G. Ingersol lectured this evening at Ottumwa, Iowa. The colonel was interviewed on the three thousand prayers offered for him on Thanksgiving Day. He is not visibly disturbed by the prayers of the nation are causing to be made for his salvation. When asked if he believed in the efficacy of these petitions he said:

"Oh, I will have to wait and see what will be done. I suppose that God is busy yet with the people's prayers of thankser of large of last year, and has not got around to that yet. We will have to wait and see what will be done. If these prayers of the service of the service of the service of the service of the nation are causing to be made for his salvation. When asked if he believed in the efficacy of these petitions he said:

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the hundreds.
At the control of the second o our foreign relations and the exigencies of our national finances. I, therefore, deem it my executive duty, adequately performed at this time, to present to congress the important phases of our situation as related to our interests with foreign nations and a statement of the financial problems which confront is.

President Cleveland notes the opening of the free wool market in the Argentine Republic, and also that the boundary differences between that country and Brazil have been settled by arbitration, in which this country acted as arbitrator. The resumption of specie payment by Chile is importance and beneficent effects, fall processing the regard that the process of the first of the free wool market in the Argentine Republic, and also that the boundary differences between that country and Brazil have been settled by arbitration, in which the country. The things thus accomplished, notwithstanding their extreme importance and beneficent effects, fall processing the resumption of specie payment by Chile is

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Iic. The close of the Chinese war has developed a domestic condition in the Chinese emptre which has called for prompt attention, owing to the manifestation of the aversion of the Chinese to torgic ways and undertakings; mob attacks on foreign missions, causing much loss of life and property, have been the result. Although but one American surfered, it is plainly the part of this government to take promit action, and a special American commission has gone overtained from Tien-Tein to demonstrate the readiness of our sovernment to check similar outbreaks.

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ty of the Morgan syndicate contract, and declares if at its session in July consumers had authorized the issuance of 3 er ent bonds, \$16,000,000 would have een saved. Despite these offorts, the id reserve is about in the same condi-on, there being but \$79,223.256 in hard at recent. Between 1879 and 1890 but \$8,-

of of gold was withdrawn, while be-ten 1890 and 1895 the amount is \$375,000,— This is attributed to the increased purchase of silver. The government has paid in gold nine-tenths of its notes and owes them all. It has incurred a honded indebtedness of \$95,500,000 in establishing the gold reserve, and expended \$162,315,400 in an effort to maintain it, besides annual interest of \$11,999,990. Immediate legislative relief is asked. Greenbacks and treasury notes should be retired by sechanging the bonds with small denomination.

'rne secretary of the treasury should be Alaskan boundary is recommend A as is also the sum of \$425,000 in full settlement of British sealing claims. A commission to settle the boundary lines with Canada sliver notes, the president declares, would injure the parity between gold and silver In reference to Venexuela, the president maintains the Monroe doctrine in opposing the forefile increase by any European power of its territorial power on this continent, and suggests that Great Britain solvency, as in the struggle to maintain the gold reserve the treasury could not submit its ciaim to arbitration. The president touches briefly on the Hawalian question, ending by saying Mr. Thurston, the Hawalian minister, furnished abundant reasons for asking that he be recalled. called.

A change in the alien laws is suggested which will check the vicious system which at present overcomes the immigration and contract labor laws. The president case, but expects a peaceful settlement, with such consideration and indulgence toward Nicaragua as are consistent.

The president asks legislation to break the treaty or agreement by which this

REPORT.

Thinks He Needs Praying for by the En-

PRESS

Minneapolis, Dec. 3.—Colonel Robert (). Ingersol lectured this evening at Ottum wa, Iowa. The colonel was interviewed

Nominated to Succeed Jackson on the

The Standard, the conservative organ, says: "We cannot but regret the tone of President Cleveland's references to

Venezuela."
The editorial in the Chronicle says: "It is very doubtful if congress will accep President Cleveland's currency plan. The message sounds cautious, but there is a message sounds cautions, but there is a welcome note in the direction of free trade. Few honest crities can say anything against President Cleveland's references to Venezuela. We agree with him that the boundary dispute is eminently that the boundary dispute is eminently suited to arbitration, and undoubtedly our government will take the same view. Our "ands are full enough without increasing our burdens in America, but especially as the risk of creating a serious strain be-tween ourselves and the one great power whose friendship is more valuable to us than of all others together."

BRAZIL ACTS.

She Will Not Submit the Disputes to Ar-bitration.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 3.-A Rio Janeiro dispatch says that the Brazilian council of ministers has decided to rafuse to submit either the Trinidad dispute with England or the Amapa dispute France to arbitration. The Trinidad dispute relates to the sovereignty of the little Island of Trinidad and the Amapa dispute to the boundary line of French Guiana.

JUDGE PECKHAM.

Leading Democrat and Warm Friend of Cleveland.

Albany, N. Y., Des. 2. Judge Rufus W. Peckham was bern in Albany in 1837. His father, Rufus W. Peckham, of Albany, was judge of the court of appeals and he is a brother of Wheeler H. Peckham, of New York City.

mittee's Work.

PAYMENT AND

Bad Legal Tender Notes Will Be Agitated-Favors Improved

Banking System.

amittee on sound currency of the Reform Club, of which Charles S. Fair-child is chairman, has just issued an in-teresting report of its campaign in the interest of honest currency, through John Dewitt Warner, chairman of the execu-tive committee, which was published in the New York papers.

"Events have justified this decision. In the six months last past the free silver issue has been aggressively pressed as never before, and has been so successfully met through this organisation and other sound money agencies, political and otherwise, as not merely to have roused and brought into concord the hitherto timid and almost unorganized opposition to free silver, but to have so defeated the free silver movement at every important point as to have given it the first gen-Message.

Message.

Times Says His Money Policy is All Right Chronicle Agrees With Arbitration Plan.

London, Nov. 3.—The newspapers to morrow will very generally contain editorial comments upon President Cleveland's message to congress.

The Graphic says: "The crudit'es and indiscretions of President Cleveland's present pronunciamento on forcign affairs might have been evoived by the late Mr. Balane in his worst mood. Can anything be more absurd than the proposal that the Schomberg line (in Verezuela) should assure. The committee, however, the States of California is scheduled to sail, and that will macgur the Schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the Schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the Schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure the first of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure the first of political and financial contains the schomberg line (in Venezuela) should easure the first of the freight and Passengers Carrectate as such. The way has been cleared as such. The way has been cleared for an tegrection of the first man dear the first man depressed for the first man dear the first man depressed for the first man during the first man depressed for the first man de

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> "The current year of the committee's work closes December 1. The funds in hand already subscribed are sufficient to carry it until that time. Subscriptions are now invited for the ensuing year—that ending December 1, 1994. The fact that but six months now intervens before the national conventions, platforms and presidential nominations for 1896 makes it peculiarly desirable that our propaganda he pushed as vigorously as possible during the next few months."

FOR A CHRISTIAN COLLEGE. Dr. Sheldon Jackson Offers \$50,000 for Al-

New York, Dec. 3.—The Woman's Ex-cutive Committee of home sulesions held heir regular meeting today. An offer of 150,000 toward the creetion of a Christian ollege in Alaska, made by Dr. Sheldon fackson, the government superintendent of education in Alaska, was made and will probably be accepted.

KILLED BY THE CARS.

Pendleton, Or., Dec. 3.—Harry Pond, the night foreman of the Northern Pacific at Pasco, was killed this morning. Electricity of the passed over his body, outling him in two at the chest. Pond was thirty years old and unmarried.

IN THE HOUSE.

Special to the Astorian.

Washington, Nov. 3.—The session of the house today was consumed entirely by he reading of the president's message.

The house adjourned till Friday. SURPRISE EXPRESSED.

Washington, Dec. 1.—Both curlosity and interest were manifested by the members of the house in the president's message. The members expressed surprise that no recommendation was made for a supply of the treasury deficit.

HEAVY BHIPPING LOSSES. Port Townsend, Dec. 2.—Much aware-tension is fell for the safety of the Brit-sch steumship Gorsedd, Capt. Mead. now 5 days out from Singapore, in ballast, war goes on.

THE SULTAN ANGRY. Italy Arming Her Whole Naval Force,

London, Dec. 3.—The Visuma correspondent of the Daily News says a telegram to the Turkish emba,my last night (Tuesday) says that the suitan has resolved to break all diplomatic relations if the powers force the Dardanelles.

A dispatch from Rome to the Daily News says that there is great activity in all Italian a senals to prepare the whole naval force of the country. The cruiser Peldemont, the newest and fastest in the Italian service, has been ordered to the Levant.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Senate Plooded with New and Old Meas-

Washington, Dec. I.—There were 272 bills and 28 resolutions introduced in the senate today, but a large majority of the bills were reprints of measures which failed to pass last session. Many of these as also a large proportion of the new bills, were for private purposes.

Senators Poffer, Stewart and Squire reintroduced their bills of the session pertaining to silver coinage.

PROPOSED MINING EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 3.—A meeting of the organizers of the proposed new minical exchange was held here. Interest in mining securities is growing steadily, many Coloradoans being in Wall street for the purpose of disposing of mines or organizing companies to operate them. Among many brokers there is an effort being made to secure properties to be stocked and dealt in here.

The San Francisco Call of Saturday says: The rate war goes mertily on and the public is taking advantage of it. The steamer Columbia sails for Astoria today, and her shippers will have to pay SI per ton for their freight. Next Thursday, however, the State of California is scheduled to sail, and that will inaugurate a new state of affairs.

On that day the Oregon Navigation & Improvement Company will make a regular stash in rates, and freight will be carried at it a ton. If the Southern Pacific Company has any intention of putting on an opposition tramp steamer it will find a poor field to work upon and not even a 32 rate in sight.

At the present time the steamers great-raying cabin passengers for 12.50. This includes a borth and meals, and a great many people in San Francisco and Portland have come to the conclusion that it is cheaper to travel than to keep house. The Columbia, which sails today cannot carry all the people who want accommodation. Every inch of space that the law sillows is taken up, and still thore are hundreds who want to travel on her. The rame-story will have to be told about the State of California text Thursday. She is the handsomest and one of speculest steamers and ing in and ovit of San Francisco and the travelling public like her. In consequence hearly all herealin accommodation is engaged. As to her freight, the dollar-a-ton rate has produced such an avalanche of merchandles that the company is seriously thinking of putting on a freight steamer to take some of it.

"We are in the fight to stay." said

of putting on a freight steamer to take some of it.

"We are in the fight to stay," said Secretary Evans, of Goodall, Perkins & 'o., yesterday "The Southern Pacific is running extra trains every day and of course they set plenty of freight and nassengers. They can handle more than all the freight offering, so that makes me hink there is nothing in the story of their putting on a freight steamer. Are we making money at the reduced rates? Well, that is a question? cannot apswer. The art trial balance will tell the story. We're just saying nothing and sawing wood. I wan't even say that its State? California will continue at the follar etc. but I do know that she will carry etc.

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