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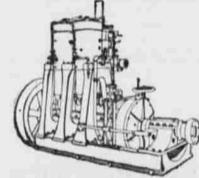
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GERMANY STANDS

Withdraws Objections to the Collective Note of the Powers.

THE REASONS GIVEN FOR WAR

Grecian Statesmen Explain-So Grievance Against Turkey-Cross Against Cres-

alty Russia, made to Berlin, Germany n addition to objecting to signing the by the terms agreed upon, objected to the indemnity clauses being opposed to the principle of indemnity being 3 for them, and on the basis the present resources of Greece. This attitude on the part of Germany is attributed to a desire to arrange the Greek finances in a manner to be beter security to German bondholders. The adhesion of Germany to the acon of the powers in this respect has

greatly relieved the situation. The collective note of the powers, preented yesterday to the Turkish government, besides proposing conditions for permanent peace between Turkey and Greece, concludes with inviting the porte to negotiate with the ambassaiors with reference thereto. The reply of the government of Turkey is momentarily expected.

THE REASONS FOR WAR.

New York, May 26.-The Evening World prints a cablegram from its correspondent at Athens giving signed statements by members of the Greek ministry regarding failure of the war against the Turks. Prme Minister M. Ralli says:

"Greece should not be censured for inactivity of the havy, nor should the great powers be blamed. The did not restrain our ships. Christianity did. In the bombarded scaports of Turkey and the Aegean islands the Turks would have massacred the Christians as they did the Armenians. Skouloudos, the minister of foreign

affairs, writes: "Greece had no national grievance against Turkey, and without any outside interference the Cretan affold should have been quietly settled by

the two interested parties. M. Thamadhos, minister of war, after noting the inferiority of Greece in umbers and resources, says:

"Greece cannot yield Turkey the frontier stategic points demanded. Erigands would use them to ravage Thessaly and new defenses cost much The minister of education, Mr. Eutaxis, writes:

"The war has been one of the Cross against the Crescent, with Europe igning Christ The powers permitted our troops to land to protect the Christians in Crete, then blockaded us. If the powers give Turkey one foot

RALLI INSULTED.

et foot in Greece.

MILES IN THE EAST.

Constantinople. May 26.—General Velson A. Miles, U. S. A., who left the Inited States with the intention of pserving the Greek-Turkish war, proposed trip to Thessaly.

MUST HAVE WATER CURTAINS.

supervisors, announced that he had notifled the proprietors and managers of all theaters that they must provide water curtains for the proscenium opening in each of such places of amusement in accordance with the provisions of the fire ordinance appli-

SPAIN'S POLITICAL DISSENSIONS

A Government Organ Says Present Situation Is the Worst for Years.

New York, May 26 -A dispatch to the Hernid from Madrid says: the political parties. Last night's Heraldo, defending Senor Sagasta against the insinuations of the conservatives.

frankly exposes the deplorable military situation in Cuba. The Heraldo says that the whole dis trict of Camaguay is in the power of Spanish troops have not yet set foot. It calls the alleged pacification of Cuba

a comedy. The same paper further insinuates that messages purporting to be from Senor Dupuy de Lome protesting against Senor Sagasta, the leader of the dissident ed in the United States, were written

Premier Canovas' words in the corof the fatherland were: "I shall govern the country as it has been governed before, and as I myself governed it benow, without the aid of minorities. Both liberals and Sylvanists have stopped attending parliament. Mr. Calhoun's attitude in regard to the Ruiz investigation is causing uneasiness and resentment here. Senor Pidal, on behalf of the majority, beg-

by conservatives in Madrid.

ged Senor Sagasta to return with his minority to parliament. Senor Sagasta while thanking Senor Pidai, refused absolutely. The ministerial organ La Epoca says that the present situation in Spain is the most difficult she has been

THE FRENCH COMENTS.

in for at least 50 years.

Situation Here as to Cuban Belligerency Pretty Well Sized Up.

New York, May 26 -A dispatch to the Heraid from Paris suys:

The Temps in a leading article on the nate resolution acceding belligerent 14. rights to the Cuban insurbents said: This resolution would doubtless not

of the American government. The tee being sustained in each instance. house of representatives is more conservative in regard to foreign policy iging the secretary of the navy to emthan the upper chamber. However, ploy any suitable ship in forwarding the Spanish government should not relief supplies to India. lose sight of two essential points. The first is that in spite of fundamental divergencies between the contending interests and rivalries at Washington. there exists in the United States a Harrison, paster of the People's Taberformidable, daily-increasing incurrent of opinion that is likely to drag the their home yesterday, and it is supgreat republic into line of its aspirations, its traditions and its manifest destinies-that is to say, toward intervention. The second is that it depends upon the Spanish parties and upon the attitude to neutralize the ador oppose them to Spain a morally large sums from his parishioners. one, indivisible and consequently in-

ment was made here of the formation from Texas three years ago. Athens. May 26.-An exciting roose of a company to build a 150-mile electric ook place at the ministry of marine line in Nicaragua. Isham Sedgwick, Signore Di Felice, the Italian of this city, is president; Peter Bachev. octalist leader, rudely accosted and Tremon, N. J., secretary, and C. J. suited Mr. Ralli, the Greek premier. Hall, Trenton, treasurer. The nominal ral Lee cabled today from Havana The latter summoned the police and capital is \$100,000 and the name of the ghat the amount of supplies he has on had Di Felice put on board an Italian company is the Atlantic and Lake Ni- hand there now for the relief of Amerironclad lying off Piracus, with the re- caragua Raliroad and Navigation Co, ican citizens is abundant, and will last quest that he be not allowed to again The company gets numerous conces- for some time, alons from the Nicaragua government among which is 125,000 acres of land. There is at present but one short line

CAN FEED THE WORLD.

in India has been shipped from here, lief of famine sufferers at \$40,000, Each side of the car carried a banner inscribed:

"Carload of corn for the starving of San Francisco, May 26.-Chief Sulli- India, Mohammedan or atheist, We van at yesterday's meeting of the fire can feed the world."

FIRST VOTE ON

Brought on Vest's Proposed Amendment on Boracie Acid.

Finance Committee Sustained in Seven l'aragraphs of the Bill-Other Washington News Items.

on the tariff bill was taken in the sendebute on the item for boracic acid. which, although comparatively unimportant, afforded an opportunity for the first alignment of the various ele-Vest, a democratic member of finance committee moved the rate on boracic acid be three cents instead of four cents per pound, as provided by nate committee. This presented and the opponents of the bill. The

The debate was participated in by Senators Vest, Jones of Arkansas, Aldrich, Parkens, White, Gray and Stew- lille little child."

White, a democratic member of the amendment, urging that the California industry required the rate allowed by the committee.

The following is the vote in detail on Vest's amendment: Yeas-Berry, Caffery, Chilton, Clay, Cockreil, Gorman, Gray, Jones, Kenny, Lindsay, Morgan, Murphy, Pascoe

Rawlins Roach Smith, Turple, Vest. Walthall (democrats), Heitfeldt (popplist). Total, 20 Noes-Aldrich, Allison, Baker, Burrows, Carter, Chandler, Cullom, Davis, Elkins, Fairbanks, Foraker, Frye, Gallinger, Gear, Hanna, Hansbrough, Lodge, McMillan, Nelson,

Danessa Darkins, Platt of Connecti-

cut, Platt of New York, Quay, Shoup, Spooner, Wellington and Wilson (republicans), McEnery and White (democrats). Cannon (silver republican), Jones and Stewart (populists). Total, McBride was paired with Pettus. be sufficient to determine the attitude considered during the day, the commit-

Seven paragraphs of the bill were A resolution was agreed to author-

A PREACHER SHORT.

nacle, and his family disappeared from \$9,000 short in his accounts. He was funds and, according to charges, falled to pay bills for furniture, carpets, and a church organ for which money vantage of these divisions in America was given him. He also borrowed

W. L. Bruen, builder of the taberna cle, is loser to the extent of \$7,000 When Harrison learned that an inves-ELECTRICITY FOR NICARAGUA. tigation was to be made by the church he departed suddenly, leaving his Richmond, Ind., May 26.-Announce- household goods. He came to this city

ABUNDANT SUPPLIES IN CUBA.

TO RELIEVE INDIA.

Washington, May 26.—The secretary of the navy has accepted the offer of the owners of the American steamship City of Everett, now at San Francisco, Smith's Center, an., May 26.-A car to charter that vessel to the governstarted yesterday for Athens with his loaded with corn contributed by the ment for the transportation of grain The general has abandoned his criticens of this curty for the starving from California to Hombay for the re-

THE RELIEF FUND.

distribution of relief to the flood suf- tenth round.

vaileys been administered that of the total appropriation of \$200,000 about one-haif remains unexpended, aithough the field has been fully cov

PERRY REPORTS THE SIGLIN.

Washington, May 26.-The secretary of the treasury received a telegram from Phillips, of the revenue cutter Perry, at Kitchikou, Alaska, stating that he discovered the derelict schooner Siglin ten miles west of Graham No survivors or bodies wer

ANOTHER VICTIM.

Christian Scientist Kills His Children and Then Commits Suicide.

New York, May 26.-Charles Kemble Hillyard, a grand nephew of Charles Kemble and Algernon Sartoris, who married Grant's daughter Neille, was found dead yesterday, lying by the side of his 13-ear-old son, William Kemble Green avenue, Brooklyn. Both died by the father's hand. No person knows exactly when the act was committed,

the neighbors heard them. exmendment was defeated by a vote of St. Matthew-Christ's sermon on the is the duty of every citizen. There 30 to 24. The vote was largely on party mount. Near the Bible on the table are school children in Astoria who do

written in pencil; Then in ink:

TO BE KEPT AT WORK.

Have No Summer Rest.

New York, May 26.-From present appearances there will be no summer on the ships attached to the Atlantic squadron this season. Space Admiral Sleard took command of the station the ships of the fleet have been assigned to other duty, and there are but two vessels immediately under his command. An officer says that the fleet will be assembled for summer work will consist of battleships, and it will be strengthened by the addition of the battleship Iowa, which will soon be put into commission at the League island navy yard. The vessel will be commanded by Captain William Sampson, who has been detached from duty as chief of the ordnance

bureau and ordered to duty on the This will be the first time since the government began to build modern war ships that a fleet composed entirely of battleships has been organized for the purpose of maneuvers.

ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE.

San Francisco. May 26 .- A romance in the life of the late General W. H. widow. attempted to tell the particulars of her engagement to marry the deceased merchant, but was prevented by a legal objection. A disputed claim to a \$10,000 life insurance policy has been the means of bringing the affair into public notice. General Dimond on May 31, 1893, took out a policy in the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company for \$10,000. On Junes 8 he assigned it t Mrs. Abell. The policy remained in Mrs. Abell's name until November 9 1893, when General Dimond made citizens of this county for the starving tate. After his death the Union Trus Co., as executor, put in a claim on the insurance company for payment and Mrs. Abell did likewise. For the pur pose of ascertaining to whom the money was due, the company brought suit against both and will let them settle the question.

BASE BALL SCORES

Pittsburg, May 26.-Pittsburg 9, Balimore 10. May 26 -- Louisville Louisville, Boston 4. Chicago, May 26 .- Chicago 6, New

Cleveland, Msy 26.—Cleveland 4, Phil-

adelphia 2. O'BRIEN KNOCKED OUT.

York 2.

New York, May 26 .- Kid McCoy to-Washington. May 26 .- So well has the night knocked Dick O'Brien out in the

FOURTH OF JULY

Astoria Will Royally Celebrate the Day of Independence.

THE MASS MEETING TONIGHT

Plans to Be Adopted and Committees Appointed-Double Event Can Be Com-

memorated A Great Day.

Hillard, at their home, 212 of the men of the war of the rebellion

Patriotism among the people is the were two pistol ever burning fire on the altar that shots, no person in the house among urges on to greater and grander deeds, that shall continue the onward and up-Hillyard was a Christian scientist, ward march of the empire. To in-Reside his table stood a Rible on a cuicate those principles in the young stand, open at the fifth chapter of and renew the fire of youth in the old. was a scrap of paper on which was not know the meaning of the Fourth of July firecracker. There are naturalized "What does he know of trouble-an citizens who do not fully understand the significance of the day. There are times when a community can put more "I sometimes doubt whether I am enthusiasm in the celebration than unfinance committee, opposed Vest's quite same, for I fell astray and like der ordinary circumstances, and one of those times has come to Astoria. Mayor Taylor has recognized the situation and the following call will undoubtedly bring out a large crowd of

of the Atlantic Squadron Will representative citizens: I have been requested to call a meeting of our citizens to consider the advisa-bility of attempting a celebration of the coming Fourth of July. I therefore request all persons interested in the matter of celebrating said day to meet at the court house on Thursday evening, May

27, 1897, at half-past 7 o'clock. FRANK J. TAYLOR, Mayor. Astoria now has the opportunity of not only properly celebrating the birthday of the nation, but of celebrating its own independence and its release from the chains that have bound it in the past to the condition of a mere fishing village to the wider field of a great commercial center and shipping port. The railroad, now rapidly nearing completion, with its connection with all transconfinental lines, will open the doors of prosperity in Astoria, and 1897 will see the work completed. Astoria's independence is assured, and the celebration of the event can well be joined with the celebration of national independence. General buslness prospects throughout the state and city are better than in years pastand the leading business men and citizens feel that the Fourth will be the most fitting day on which to have a grand jubilee and patriotic celebration. The times call for it, and the people will respond. Leadership only is need-Dimond was revealed by a law suit yes- ed, and the mayor will be equal to the terday when Mrs. Theresa Abell, a occasion with the support of the peo-

GREEN THE WINNER.

San Francisco. May 26.-In the 20cound contest tonight between George reen and Charles McKeever, Green a in the fifteenth round



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