

## THE RACE QUESTION IN CUBA

### PROBLEM IS A SERIOUS ONE FOR THAT REPUBLIC

Outbreaks Have Heretofore Been Headed by Negroes—White Leaders Akes Situation Serious

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 11.—Reports of outbreaks in Cuba, which are of the intermittent and unceasing variety, are but the reflection of a problem which threatened the new republic with the most serious consequences, according to the experts who are in touch with affairs in the island. This problem is the race question, and the situation is more acute than in the United States.

It is for this reason that the government at Havana takes no chances with small outbreaks. Troops are at once rushed to the scene as soon as a disturbance is reported. In every instance, so far, the disorders have been suppressed, but the difficulty of which they are but a manifestation is not materially diminished.

At the time of the war of liberation, when the island undertook to lift the yoke of Spanish dominion, fully 50 per cent of the army came from the province of Santiago. A large portion of this army was made up of negroes. Whether or not they were given promise of equal representation with the whites beside whom they fought or promised a share of the public offices under the new government, the negroes have that impression. So far they have not received any of the offices, and their privileges are, in fact, not so extensive as those of the white element of the population. They feel that they have not been treated fairly and, since the establishment of the present government, there have been numerous small outbreaks of a revolutionary character—disturbances which prelude a more serious revolution later if conditions do not change.

Until recently the outbreaks have been led by negroes themselves. The last affair of this sort, which was promptly suppressed, was led by General Miniet, a discontented white officer. Under white leadership the agitation becomes much more serious. The danger becomes greater as the number of malcontents and agitators increases. The negro element of Santiago has been trained in military experience. It is very numerous. All it needs to become a serious menace is the leadership of competent white officers. The prediction is freely made that trouble originating from this source will lead to the overthrow of the republican government and necessitate the third interference of the United States in the affairs of the island.

### TO LIVE THE IDEAL

"Whatever the soul is taught to expect, that it will build."

Our heart longings, our soul aspirations, are something more than mere sporings of the imagination, says Orison Sweet Marden in Success Magazine. They are prophecies, they are couriers, forerunners of things which might become realities. They are measures of our possibilities. They indicate the height of our aim, the range of our efficiency.

The sculptor knows that his ideal is not a mere fantasy of his imagination, but that it is a prophecy, a foreshadowing which will carve itself in "marble real."

When we begin to desire a thing, to yearn for it with all our hearts, we begin to establish relationship with it in proportion to the strength and persistency of our longing and intelligent effort to realize it.

The trouble with us is that we live too much in the material side of life, and not enough in the ideal. We should learn to live mentally in the ideal which we wish to make real. If we wish to keep young, for example, we should live in the mental state of youth; to be beautiful, we should live in a mental state of beauty.

The advantage of living in the ideal is that all imperfections; physical, mental and moral, are eliminated. We can not see old age because old age is incompleteness, decrepitude, and these qualities can not exist in the ideal.

In the ideal, everything is youthful and beautiful; there is no suggestion of decay, of ugliness. The habit of living in the ideal, therefore, helps us wonderfully because it gives a perpetual pattern of the perfection for which we are striving. Living much in the ideal increases hope and faith in our ultimate perfection and divinity, because in our vision we see glimpses of the reality which we instinctively feel must sometime, somewhere be ours. The ideal is not a mere fantasy of the imagination; it is a foretelling of what should come true.

### MRS. ROOSEVELT'S TACT

People who followed the stories of the Roosevelt family's travels in

Africa and Europe will have taken note of the modesty, the uniform excellent taste and good sense which marked Mrs. Roosevelt's part in the ceremonies of which her famous husband was the center. Mrs. Roosevelt's name appeared little in the newspapers; she attracted just as little attention as possible to herself, and she succeeded in enlisting the sympathetic co-operation of the American correspondents in keeping her in the background. Mrs. Roosevelt's social skill never showed to better advantage than during this tour. She always managed to avoid either the extreme of self-effacement or any undue assumption that the distinctions showered upon Colonel Roosevelt were intended for anybody else than him.—Success.

### 18-YEAR-OLD BOY IS LEGALLY MADE A MAN

Youthful Genius Given the Right to Own and Control His Own Inventions

KANSAS CITY, Kans., August 11.—In order that he may share in the profits of a company that is to manufacture his inventions, Bernadotte Anderson, 18 years old, is to be "legally made a man."

Anderson has been experimenting with wireless telegraphy and the wireless telephone since he was 16 years old. He has gathered around him his schoolboy friends and organized a club for the study of these sciences. Instead of playing marbles or leapfrog after school hours, these boys spent their time sending "wireless messages to each other. They fitted up masts on the roofs of their homes and were soon able to talk to each other. Then young Anderson began to work on a patent to keep street trolleys on the wire; also one to perfect a wireless telephone. But he was under 21 years of age and he could not legally share in the benefits of a company that is to be organized.

There is a law in Kansas that a person under age may be given "the rights of majority." This confers every privilege enjoyed by a "grown-up man" except the right to vote. So Anderson may be a director in the company and may enjoy any income which his inventions produce.

### SAN FRANCISCO ATTORNEYS ARE CONFINED IN JAIL

Pat Calhoun's Lawyers Serving the Sentences for Contempt Imposed by Judge Lawlor

SAN FRANCISCO, August 11.—Attorneys Barrett and Stanley Moore and three other of Pat Calhoun's attorneys spent a comfortable night in the guardroom of the county jail. It was the first of the sentence of five days' imprisonment which was imposed by Judge Lawlor for contempt. They intend to eat prison fare unless they find they cannot endure it. Later, however, they may order meals from a hotel. They issued a statement concerning their incarceration, which they call martyrdom, and which they say will be borne cheerfully for the sake of their client. They said they would not have been men if they had not protested against the court's criticism of Mr. Calhoun.

### DEMOCRATS OF LAWTON ENDORSE SENATOR GORE

Fight on a Similar Resolution Is Expected at the State Convention

McALESTER, August 11.—The investigation committee adjourned at noon today. The democratic meeting at Lawton last night endorsed Senator Gore for re-election. At the state democratic convention to be held in Oklahoma City a fight is expected on a similar resolution.

### WILL OPERATE ON MAYOR GAYNOR SOON

Surgeons Consult as to Whether to Locate the Bullet by X-Ray or by Probing

HOBOKEN, N. J., August 11.—Mayor Gaynor's doctors have decided to operate on the wounded man. A consultation will be held at 8 o'clock tonight to decide whether to use the X-ray plates as a guide to try to locate the bullet by probing.

### YOUNGSTERS, IN PLAY, CHOKE BOY WITH WATER

MASON CITY, La., August 11.—Children in play yesterday poured a quantity of water down the throat of Ralph, the 4-year-old son of J. A. Juan, and the little fellow lived only an hour. The water went into his lungs and he was drowned.

### MANY DEER TO BE FOUND

SPRINGFIELD, Ore., August 15.—Since the opening of the deer season it has been no uncommon sight to see deer within two and three miles of this city, and one day last week a large seven-pronged buck was killed a short distance up the Willamette river from this place.

## RUNNING A LINE TO MEDFORD TRACT EMBRACES ABOUT 800 ACRES

### ENGINEERS ARE SURVEYING ON UPPER LAKE

President of Oregon Trunk Says That Road Will Connect With the Pacific and Eastern

While the exact time when the Oregon Trunk line will come into Klamath Falls is problematical, at the same time it is not at all unreasonable to believe that the road will be running trains into this city before many months.

While the surveyors have been busy in the northern part of the county, at the same time work on that line is by no means at a standstill nearer home.

A few days ago Engineer Crenshaw came over from the Medford side of the range with a crew of about twenty-five men, and is now camped near Rocky Point.

Chief Surveyor Melliken about five days ago moved from Pelican ranger site to Klamath Agency, and Engineer Kelley is camped at Williamsou river.

The line on which the surveyors on the shore of Upper Klamath lake are working runs near the Klamath Agency and then to Rocky Point and on by way of Lake of the Woods and Four-Bit creek to Medford.

Considerable work has also been done down Aspen lake in this direction. From the work that is being done and the progress that has been made it will not be long before the engineers will be working on the line in the direction of Klamath Falls.

The following from the Portland Oregonian also supports the contention that the Oregon Trunk is to soon have a line across Klamath county:

Confirmation of the reports frequently published that it is the plan to extend the Oregon Trunk line across the Cascade mountains to Medford in the Rogue river valley was given out by John F. Stevens, president of the road.

In building into Medford the Pacific and Eastern, now owned by the same interests that are building the Oregon Trunk line, will be utilized. The Pacific and Eastern is now in operation in an easterly direction from Medford for a distance of fifteen miles, and an extension of sixteen miles to Butte Falls is rapidly nearing completion. The Oregon Trunk is under construction from Celilo to Bend, in Central Oregon.

"It is a part of our general construction plans in Oregon to build the Oregon Trunk railway through to a connection with the Pacific and Eastern," said Mr. Stevens. "We would have no use for a short, detached railway in Southern Oregon, such as the Pacific and Eastern. The Oregon Trunk will probably absorb the Medford railway and the entire road be known as the Oregon Trunk."

Mr. Stevens also stated that grading is not in progress west of Butte Falls on the Pacific and Eastern, and that the resumption of construction south of Bend would probably begin before further work was undertaken on the western end of the route.

On the Oregon Trunk line the grade, it is expected, will be fully completed to Madras by September 15th. Between September 1st and September 5th the car ferry at the mouth of the Deschutes, which will be operated pending the completion of the bridge across the Columbia at Celilo, will be ready to begin transporting rails across the river.

The first seventy miles of grade are now ready for the rails. One hundred miles of steel are on the way, and there are on hand ties sufficient to lay sixty-five miles of track. Track-laying will begin early in September, and will proceed probably at the rate of one and one-half miles a day. The distance to Madras is about 110 miles, so more than two months will be consumed in laying rails before the "top of the hill," as the Madras country is termed, will be reached.

Grading south of Madras is proceeding rapidly, and it is planned to have the grade to Crooked River ready for the rails by the time the track is completed to Madras. Steel will then be hauled in for the big arch across the Crooked River canyon and the work pushed on toward Bend, where grading is also in progress.

### HEAVY REGISTRATION IN SACRAMENTO

Great Interest Being Manifested in the Coming Republican Nominations

SACRAMENTO, August 15.—The registration of 14,500 here indicates a 10,000 to 12,000 vote. The greatest interest is being manifested in the fight over the nomination for governor and the higher state offices.

T. E. Griffith, O. Robertson and C. F. DeLap left for Red Blanket Saturday, where they will hunt and fish for ten days or two weeks.

### LOCATED ON SHORES OF UPPER LAKE

Will Petition Secretary Ballinger to Have It Set Aside for a Pleasure Ground

A petition will be presented to Secretary of the Interior Ballinger when he arrives in this city, asking that the land on the shores of Upper Klamath lake from Rocky Point to Malone Springs be set aside as a permanent camping ground.

The petition has been signed by between 800 and 1,000 persons so far, and will have many more signatures before it is presented.

The land is at present within the boundaries of the national forest, but has been recommended to be turned over to the reclamation service for agricultural purposes.

It embraces about 800 acres and covers six miles of territory, taking in Recreation and Crystal creeks.

It takes in all of the finest springs and camping grounds on that part of the lake shores, and the object is to preserve for future generations the delightful camping places which would otherwise be turned into farming land.

The object of the petitioners is to have the land set aside for camping places only, and thus preserve a place where future generations can camp long after the rest of the country is covered with farms.

### WRONG MAN SHOT DOWN

Duelist Mistake Bystander for His Antagonist

SPOKANE, August 15.—In a fight on the streets of Keller, Wash., last night at 9 o'clock, between William Mee, a white man, and Thomas Runnels, a half-breed, John Covington, a disinterested bystander, was shot and killed by Mee, who mistook Covington for Runnels.

Runnels and Mee are now in the town jail, awaiting the results of a coroner's inquiry.

Trouble between Mee and Runnels has before broken out. Runnels being bound over to the superior court in June for threatening to kill Mee. The case was dismissed for lack of evidence. They met on the street last night and Runnels fired a rifle at Mee, missing him. Runnels ran into the postoffice. Mee followed to the front of the office and saw Covington, who, in the dim light, resembled Runnels. He fired through a screen door and hit Covington over the heart, killing him instantly.

The people here are aroused over the killing.

### R. C. SPINK IS NOW AT BOLTON, GEORGIA

Settling Up the Estate Left by the Death of His Mother—Valued at About \$250,000

The following letter was received from R. C. Spink, who formerly conducted the store at the Indian agency and who went to Georgia a short time ago to settle the estate left by his mother:

Bolton, Ga., August 8, 1910. Daily Herald, Klamath Falls, Ore. Gentlemen: Thinking the following item might be of some interest to the Herald readers thought I would drop a line regarding same.

The death of my mother occurred July 12th, her full name is Elizabeth S. Spink, at Austell, Ga., at the home of her oldest son, F. B. Spink. It was sudden, but not surprising, as she had been in bad health for a number of years; cause, heart failure. She has four sons who survive her. Forest B. Spink, of Austell, Ga.; R. C. Spink, B. C. Spink and William C. Spink—R. C. and B. C. both of Klamath Agency, Oregon, and Wm. C. of Bolton, Ga. Last summer my mother and William both visited me at my home at Klamath Agency, spending about two months with me.

The estate is valued at \$250,000, consisting of real estate located on the Chattahoochee river, two miles and a half from the city of Atlanta, Ga., the capital of the state, and one of the finest cities in the South. It is the finest located piece of property outside of the city limits suitable for the purpose of summer homes, etc. There are three railroads running through the property and one electric line, which makes it as convenient for business purposes as though you lived in the city. Our idea is to have it cut up into lots and sell out only to those who will build nice homes, there being a heavy demand now from prospective buyers. It is not settled between the heirs as yet just what we will do. We may let it lay for three or four years yet before throwing it on the market, as it is increasing in value every day. It cannot do otherwise.

I shall return to Oregon within thirty days and wind up my personal business. I shall retire from the mercantile business at Klamath Agency, my brother, B. C. Spink, having purchased all of my interest there and will assume charge as soon as we return. I may possibly locate in Klamath Falls whether permanently or not I cannot say just at the present time. As one of the executors of the estate I may be called here for residence until it is finally settled up. I trust this will not be necessary as I am too fond of Oregon and its surroundings to become a permanent resident of Georgia. Georgia is my old home, but Oregon looks much better to me.

Very respectfully,  
R. C. SPINK.

## FOREST FIRES ARE RAGING

### SOLDIERS ENDEAVORING TO SUBDUCE FLAMES

Dynamite Is Hung on Limbs of Trees and Exploded in Hopes of Bringing Rain

SPOKANE, August 15.—A company of the Twenty-fifth infantry is at Wallace, and a company is also in St. Joe district, fighting the forest fires. They are endeavoring to prevent the destruction of the Couer d'Alene national forests.

John Bursinsky is reported missing from Big Creek, the scene of the worst fire in the history of the St. Joe district.

Several hundred pounds of dynamite were hung on the limbs of trees in the vicinity of Wallace and exploded in the hope of bringing rain.

There was a heavy rainfall at midnight.

SPOKANE, August 13.—The town of Taft, Idaho, is entirely surrounded by fire. It lies in the Couer d'Alene district, and has a population of 200. Most of the inhabitants are fighting to save their homes from the flames. Wallace, Murray and Mullan are also threatened, but Wallace is in the greatest danger. A semi-circle of fire is raging to the southwest a few miles from the town, and is sweeping towards the city. If the wind strengthens it will mean the complete destruction of the place. The forestry camps at Bullion mine and Bird Creek have been destroyed.

"I am out of it for good," he said, "and would not under any circumstances ever become interested in the game. You can say for me that I am out of it entirely after this. I have bought some coal properties in Oregon, and will devote my time to developing and promoting them. No more prizefights or fight promoting for me."

### YOUNG LADY KILLS BEAR WITH A SMALL GUN

Grace Bean Brings Bruin From Trees, Tops With a Well-Directed Shot From .22 Rifle

PENDLETON, Ore., August 15.—With a rare exhibition of bravery, Miss Grace Bean, member of this year's graduating class, and daughter of Judge Bean and Mrs. H. J. Bean of this city, shot and killed a black bear with a .22-calibre rifle last week.

In company with her mother and some other ladies she was on her way by automobile to their summer home at Hideaway Springs, a Blue mountain resort. On the very summit of the mountain they found Roy Connell sitting at the foot of a tree upon which he had chased a bear while riding on horseback. He was unarmed, and after making several unsuccessful attempts to lasso the animal had sat down to wait for developments, when the automobile load of ladies came along.

Miss Bean was the only one who was armed, and she begged to be allowed to try to kill the bear with her squirrel rifle. When permission was finally granted she killed the animal with one well-directed shot in the head.

If a short piece of small rubber tubing is placed on each of the spring posts of a lamp burner, they will prevent the chimney falling off as the lamp is carried.

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