

General News.

Judge W. R. Day has accepted a tender of appointment as Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court.

A treaty has been signed by the United States and Great Britain providing for the settlement of the Alaska boundary. A tribunal of six jurists, three from each side, is to determine the interpretation of the Russo-British boundary treaty of 1824. It is expected that the Senate will ratify the treaty this session.

Having given to the world his latest invention which is in the form of a storage battery, Thomas A. Edison, America's famous inventor, is now trying to solve the problem of how to derive power direct from coal. If the great inventor is able to achieve success in this line his discovery will undoubtedly be one of the greatest triumphs of modern science.

It is reported at Manila that the volunteer force organized at Bolinao, Province of Zambales, for the purpose of disposing of the Ladrones in that vicinity, has been defeated and that three Americans, including Mr. Osborn, a teacher, were killed. The Ladrones outnumbered the volunteers, surrounded the latter and killed them. The Americans died fighting. The details of the affair obtainable at present are meager.

The reciprocity treaty between Cuba and the United States threatens to raise one of the most serious differences of opinion between Great Britain and the United States that has occurred for years. So much importance is attached to it that a meeting of the Cabinet is being specially summoned to see what action can be taken. There is, of course, no alarmist feeling as to any possible straining of diplomatic relations, but Great Britain's entire commercial policy is believed to be vitally concerned.

Persons in close touch with the blockading forces say, according to the Herald's Puerto Cabello (Venezuela) correspondent, that Fort San Carlos, which commands the entrance to Lake Maracaibo, has been captured by the Germans and blown up. They also report that the German gunboat Panther has been disabled and is being towed by the German cruiser Falke to Willemstad, Curacao.

The Royal Mail steamer Esk took over 400 excursionists to St. Pierre, Martinique, Saturday, and returned to Castries. She reports that while at St. Pierre at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, Mount Pelee was in eruption. At that time more than 200 persons were ashore and great alarm was felt for their safety. Volunteers from the passengers who had remained on board assisted the crews in hastening to the rescue. After 40 minutes of excitement, all the passengers were brought back safely. About 800 feet of the cone of the volcano has been blown away.

Official investigation is to be made of charges against the nurse-training system of Bellevue Hospital, N.Y., made by John Santa Rosa, a male nurse, who recently resigned and who in an affidavit said that men nurses were in the habit of giving powerful injections of strychnine to dying patients in order to prolong their life until after the close of the period of duty of the nurses in attendance. The alleged object of this procedure was to shift the duty of "laying out" the bodies. Other grave irregularities are also charged. The nurses make general denial of Rosa's charges, but say their work is too hard. One nurse, they assert, sometimes has from 16 to 25 patients to take care of during the night, and these patients have to be watched closely.

Written declarations regarding the raising of the blockade of the Venezuelan ports have been exchanged between Ministe Bowen and the representatives of Great Britain, Germany and Italy. In their declarations the representatives of the European Governments promised to consent to the immediate raising of the blockade as soon as an agreement is concluded between them and Mr. Bowen, embodying the conditions laid down by the power. These conditions relate to the guarantee to be furnished by Venezuela, which has offered a portion of the customs revenues of La Guayra and Porto Cabello.

The United States Supreme Court rendered through Justice Harlan an opinion affecting the Arthera Pacific land grant. The case was that of Peter and Henry Nelson, who ceded upon unsurveyed land within the Northern Pacific grant in the then Territory of Washington, in 1801. This was after the railroad company had filed a general map showing that its proposed line, but before it had filed its map of definite location. In the opinion handed down today it was held that the title of the settlers was better than that of the broad company, and that until the definite map was filed Congress had control of the lands within the grant regardless of the general map. In a dissenting opinion Justice Brewer said the opinion reverses the judgment of the court of 20 yrs ago, by which the Interior Department had ever since been controlled in dealing with disputes between the railroad company and settlers like the Nelsons.

It's So.

An Indian Territory editor has this to say of his work:

"Editing a newspaper is a pleasant business—if you can stand it.

"If it contains many advertisements a subscriber complains that they take up too much space. If there is lack of advertising it is unpopular and the people won't have it.

"If we attend church regularly they say we go for effect. If we stay away from church they say we are monstrously heathenish.

"If we accept an invitation to a wedding they say we are only invited to 'write it up.'

"If we go to the opera house they say we go on free tickets. If we are seen upon the streets too often they say we neglect our business. If we avoid going on the street they say we don't hustle around after the news.

"If we publish a man who has brought disgrace upon his family, the friends of the family never forgive us. If we, out of goodness of heart, decline to say anything on the subject, the man's enemies are disappointed and we are branded as white-livered cowards."

Blasts from Ram's Horn.

The memory of blessings furnishes a remedy for the blues.

Every vice thickens the veil between ourselves and virtue.

Doctrines found by dissection necessitate the death of truth.

The gospel in life will save the world where the gospel in literature will fail.

When you see sin ripening in your neighbor's garden look out for the seeds in your own.

The beauty of our lives depends on the clearness with which God can shine through them.

He who keeps the powder of passion in his heart must not be surprised if there is an explosion.

Only the short-sighted egotist is capable of mistaking his little chip for the whole mountain of truth.

Treaty for Canal.

The text of the Panama Canal treaty was made public by the Senate. Colombia grants the United States a zone six miles wide, with the ports of Colon and Panama, and guarantee title against all other concessions. All material, machinery and men are to be admitted free of duty and port dues. The United States is given power to preserve order in the canal zone and to protect the canal, and for that purpose is to create tribunals. The canal is to be neutral in perpetuity. Colombia has the right to transport vessels, troops and munitions of war free of charge; also its government employes and police. The sovereignty of Colombia over the canal zone is reserved. Colombia agrees not to cede or lease to any foreign power any islands or ports adjacent to the canal terminals, and the United States agrees to give material support to prevent their occupation by foreign powers. Colombia agrees to furnish forces to protect the canal when necessary, but if it cannot do so, the United States shall, when called on by Colombia. In case of imminent danger, the United States may act without first obtaining Colombia's consent. Work must begin within two years and be completed in 12 years more, but the time may be extended for another 12 years. The United States is to pay \$10,000,000 in gold on ratification, and \$250,000 a year, beginning nine years later. A joint commission is to establish regulations to govern the canal zone.

Bright's Disease.

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TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Oregon City, Ore., Oregon City, Oregon, December 22nd, 1902. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

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