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TODAY'S NEWS SUMMARIZED.

Actress Olga Nethersole is seriously ill. The world's wheat markets are all lower. Army appropriation bill carries \$118,000,000. No change in deadlock on Oregon Senatorship. Astoria has granted a 75 year street car franchise. Major-General Miles promoted to lieutenant-general. Senator Frye opposes recognition of Cuban war debt. King to open English parliament in person next Thursday. Mrs. Nation is under arrest at Topeka, Kan., for joint smashing. Sidney Beverett, secretary legation Guatemala, commits suicide. War department issues a general order closing canteens at army posts. Emperor Francis Joseph to wed Fran Scharrt, raised to rank of Countess. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland weds Duke Hendrik, German Prince, Thursday. Injunction proceedings begun at Cincinnati to stop Jeffries-Ruhlin prize fight. Extra session of congress may be avoided if congress passes Spooner Philippine bill. London. Reported Boers under General Blake are threatening Lorenzo Marques. Movement started in New York to unite all parties with Anti-Tammany campaign. Mrs. Fairbanks of Indiana to be President American Daughters of the Revolution.

AN EXTRA SESSION

Not Likely if the Spooner Bill Passes.

APPOINTMENTS BY PREST. M'KINLEY

Promotions in the Army Pleasentful as July Blackberries.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Cabinet today again discussed the question of the number of troops to be left in China. A tentative conclusion was reached not to augment or decrease the force now there. The question of an extra session is still in abeyance, but the opinion is expressed that in the event of Congress passing the Spooner Philippine bill an extra session may be avoided.

The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

To be Lieutenant-General, Major General Nelson A. Miles. To be Major-Generals, Brigadier-General Samuel B. Young, Colonel Adna R. Chaffee, Brigadier-General Arthur MacArthur. Colonels to be Brigadier-Generals, John C. Bates, Lloyd Wheaton, George W. Davis, Theodore Schwan, Samuel S. Sumner, Leonard Wood, Robert H. Hall, Robert B. Hughes, George M. Rendell. Also to be Major, Wm. A. Kobbe; to be Brigadier General, Frederick D. Grant; to be Captain, J. Franklin Bell.

A cablegram from United States Minister Hunter, at Guatemala City, states that Sydney Beverett, secretary of the United States legation there, committed suicide by shooting himself. He had suffered long from illness.

In the Senate Teller called up and spoke on the resolution calling upon the Secretary of War for information concerning the reports of the deportation of Geo. T. Rice, editor of the Manila newspaper to the United States. Teller's resolution was agreed to and the Districts of Columbia Appropriation bill was then taken up. The House went into a committee of the whole and resumed consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill.

BOTANICAL WONDERS

The marvel of the hour is the wonderful cure of chronic diseases without the use of knife or poisonous medicines. This is what afflicted humanity needs more than all else. Not a week passes but Dr. J. F. Cook, the great botanical specialist and original discoverer of the botanical cure, heals some patients who have suffered for years from awful disease and the more awful effects of rank medical humbugs. Dr. Cook is willing to give patients the benefit of his life study but declines to publish further testimonials out of regard for his patients, yet will gladly refer any callers to their neighbors and friends who have been healed. Consultation free. If you have any physical ailments it will do you good to call and have a little chat with the doctor. Office 301 Liberty Street Salem Oregon.

WILL OPEN PARLIAMENT

On Thursday of the Next Week.

KING EDWARD'S GREAT TACT

He Will Follow the Example Set By His Great Mother.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: Tactful as ever, King Edward has struck the right note in his message to his subjects in the colonies of the wide world of the British Empire. His declaration that it will be his constant endeavor to follow the great example bequeathed to him by his mother will, it is safe to say, meet with hearty approval. The King knows the colonies better than any sovereign who has preceded him on the English throne, and he is not likely to be disappointed in his reliance on their loyalty.

Preparations are being made for parliament by the King in person on Thursday week. No decision has yet been arrived at as to the ceremonies to be observed on this occasion, but it is understood that the proceedings will be conducted with all the pomp and circumstance of full state.

MARION COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Docket Entries at The Regular February Term

M. W. Savage vs. C. A. Whale, proceedings supplemental to execution, settled.

D. W. Truitt vs. A. Gosnor, appeal, continued to June term.

C. L. Large vs. W. O. Butt et al, action for money, settled.

R. Buetkofer vs. F. A. Schubinger action for money, continued.

W. S. Smith vs. E. J. Davaco et al, sale confirmed.

Bank of Woodburn vs. Lee Tong, action for money, continued.

Salem Light & Traction Co. vs. F. R. Anson, conversion; amended complaint filed by consent. Defendant's motion to make same more definite sustained. Plaintiff has leave to serve and file amended complaint by February 7; defendant to answer the same by February 9.

Mrs. L. R. Noblett and C. F. Zeigler vs. F. W. Durbin, replevin; plaintiff moves to strike out part of answer.

John C. Barnes vs. David Barnes, for money, settled.

Martha Mickel vs. David Barnes, for money, default and judgment.

Hilderbrandt, Posner & Co., vs. Geo. L. Neal & Co, for money defendant moves to require plaintiff to elect between two contracts.

Coollidge & McClaine, vs. Allen Simpson, for money, default and judgment, with order to sell attached property.

Thos Johnson vs. C. R. Patton et al, for money, settled.

S. Spencer, vs. E. C. Peterson, damages, defendant's motion to make complaint more definite, overruled in part. Plaintiff has leave to file amended complaint during this day, and defendant to answer by Feb. 6.

C. F. Young vs. A. L. Wagner, defendant, and R. J. Fleming, garnishee, argued and submitted.

CUBA LIBRE

Mortgaged for all She May Be Worth

IF THE WAR DEBT IS RECOGNIZED

Frye Thinks We Should Exercise General Supervision Over Her.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Senator Frye, of Maine, president pro tem of the Senate ranking member of the committee on foreign relations and a member of the American Peace Commission, which negotiated the Paris treaty, is quoted in a Washington special to the Tribune as saying of the more weighty issues involved in the Cuban situation: First and foremost, I place that stupendous bonded debt which Spain fastened upon the revenues of Cuba just before Spanish sovereignty was destroyed in the island by this country's armed intervention. That debt as I recollect it was between \$600,000,000 and \$700,000,000 and not \$500,000,000 as generally stated by the newspapers. I recall distinctly the effort that was made while we were negotiating the peace treaty at Paris to have us make provisions for the payment of this debt. This we had neither the desire nor the power to do. I do not hesitate to say that we now owe it to Cuba to get into the constitution by some means, a clause plainly, positively and unequivocally repudiating that debt. If this is not done Cuba will start with a burden that will crush her. Cuba never can pay the stupendous sum that was assessed against her revenues, though I feel certain that Spain and France, whose citizens own nearly all the bonds which they purchased for the most part at very low figures will demand full payment just as soon as Cuba is declared an independent sovereignty.

By what method we can get an outright repudiation of this enormous debt in the Cuban constitution I am not now prepared to say. That will have to be decided by future events. I am certain that Congress cannot approve, reject or in any way amend or modify the Cuban constitution. The Teller resolution in letter and spirit prevents that, but I see nothing in the way of congress discussing the Cuban constitution at the proper time and advising the Cubans what to do with that instrument for their own good.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire is quoted after some comment by him on the Teller resolution, as follows: "We freed Cuba and therefore are responsible for her welfare. But the Cubans have not had the graciousness or gratitude to put into their constitution a single word indicating that they owe anything to this country. At the same time, if Cuba should be attacked, the Cubans would look to us to save them and who doubts that we would do this with our money and blood if necessary. Suppose for example, that France or Spain, one or both, whose citizens own that enormous bonded debt put upon Cuba, should send warships into the harbor of Havana, the capital of free, independent and sovereign Cuba, to enforce the payment of those bonds. Would not Cuba send up to us a pitiful wall for help, and would we not have to go to her rescue with our war-ships and our armies? This is in no sense an impossibility, as long as there is nothing in the constitution."

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HOLLAND QUEEN

Thursday Will Wed a German Prince

ALMOST ON THE ANNIVERSARY

Of the Marriage of Victoria in St. James Sixty-one Years Ago.

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LORENZO MARQUE

Is Threatened By Boer Forces

COMMANDED BY AN AMERICAN

Kaffir Rifles Sustain One Hundred Casualties From Dewet.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—It is reported in London that the Boers, commanded by General Blake, are threatening Lorenzo Marques, and that Portugal has requested British assistance. It is asserted that the British squadron has been ordered to Lorenzo Marques. No official confirmation of report is obtainable. The General Blake referred to is an old West Pointer, who first went to the Transvaal in 1894. The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, writing Sunday, says: "It appears that in the action between General Knox and General Dewet, near Senekal, the Kaffir rifles sustained about 100 casualties. More mounted troops are still needed. Three Boer invading columns, of which Herzog's was for a time the advance guard, are now moving toward the Orange River. It is believed that Piet Botha's force of 2000 men, with seven guns, from Smithfield, has crossed into the colony. British concentration is proceeding. Outlying garrisons are being withdrawn for the purpose of securing the main lines. General Dewet is expected to enter Cape Colony."

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Later it became known that the British foreign office had received semi-official confirmation of the report that the Boers were threatening to enter Lorenzo Marques and that the local Portuguese authorities were asking for British assistance. The foreign office has heard nothing of development of the last 48 hours.

A TEN STRIKE AT THE SALEM GRAND. Vast Audience Pleased by the Presentation of Quo Vadis.

An over-filled house of Salem's best people greeted the Russell-Drew company at the Grand last evening in Quo Vadis, and their every manifestation showed that they were more than pleased with the play and its staging. To-night the company will present the great American play "Northern Lights," which embraces the historical epoch of the Custer massacre. This is said to be

a great play, although not an Indian play nor a Military play, but distinctly American, and an all-round pleasing production. A detachment of the Oregon National Guard boys will appear on the stage. In the last act news is received from Mr. Cordray that by cancelling an engagement elsewhere the company will be able to repeat Quo Vadis here Wednesday evening, thus giving all another opportunity to see this wonderful production.

As between 500 and 600 people were turned away yesterday after the seats were sold for Quo Vadis, this will be good news.

Jury Will Decide. New York, Feb. 5.—To-day the city court will determine whether the dresses of Mrs. Howard Gould fit or not. Mrs. Gould was sued some time since by her dressmaker, Mary F. Linth, for the balance of a bill which she refused to pay alleging that the garments did not fit. The dresses will be tried on before the jury.

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