

MIGHT HAVE BEEN

Panama Says Its Everlastingly too Late to go Back

France Recognizes the New Government in a Two Hundred Million Franc Hurry

Washington, Nov. 18.—The French ambassador, Jusserand, this morning, visited the state department, and presented the official notification that the French had recognized Panama. It is expected other great powers will quickly follow the precedent.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Walker cables the state department, under yesterday's date, he had made a visit to the junta, and was liberally received. The committee from the department of Cartagena arrived at Colombia yesterday and tried to arrange an amicable settlement with Panama. They didn't land, but were entertained on the flagship. A committee from the junta met them this morning, and informed them it was too late. The government of Panama was independent, and won't retrace its steps. The Cartagena committee leaves tonight on the Royal Mail steamer. The isthmus is perfectly quiet, with no indications of trouble anywhere.

Christian Scientists Win.
Columbus, O., Nov. 18.—The supreme court Tuesday rendered a decision which is taken to mean that Christian Science may be practiced in Ohio.

Some time ago a family by the name of Bishop, in Hamilton, O., was tried and acquitted on a charge of manslaughter, for having permitted a child to die without giving it medical aid. The state carried the case up on exceptions, and today the supreme court overruled the exceptions.

War on Womens Hats.
Tacoma, Nov. 18.—Dr. Daniel L. Rader, pastor of the First Methodist church, has raised a hysterical storm of protest from the women of his congregation by insisting that they remove their hats during worship. The

edict, while bringing joy to the men of the congregation, is causing much annoyance to the other sex, especially to the younger women who wear headgear which they are not adverse to displaying.
Dr. Rader declares he cannot preach, or at least cannot preach as well, when he "doesn't see the eyes of his congregation." The 20th century headgear of the women belonging to his congregation effectually eclipses the optics of the greater portion of his audience, and for several months the minister has been making a quiet but determined effort to eradicate the evil.
The women protest they cannot get their hats on straight after worship.

Colombian Mission Fails.
Colon, Nov. 18.—The Panama Commission, composed of Senors Armas, Morales and Arosemena, which left Panama Monday to meet the peace commission from the department of Bolivar, boarded the Mayflower yesterday and held a short conference with Colombians. It was found they only represented the department of Bolivar, and the governor of that department had no credentials from Bogota. The Colombians asked the Panamanians if they would return to the republic of Colombia, assuring them concessions and considerations on the passage of a canal treaty.
The Panamanians replied they would not return to the republic of Colombia, and declared the assurances came too late, as Panama's position was so advantageous and strong that they could not see any reason for changing.

Missouri Justice.
St. Louis, Nov. 18.—Chairman of the Democratic city central committee, Dolan, and Policeman Garrett were today sentenced to five years and \$5000 fine each, for naturalization frauds.

Cold Wave Went East.
Washington, Nov. 18.—The weather bureau report says the lowest temperatures this morning are at Havre, Montana, where it is 26 degrees below. The cold wave which began on the Pacific coast has now reached the Atlantic seaboard.

In a Remarkable Hurry.
Washington, Nov. 18.—The main features of the Hay-Varrilla treaty on the Panama canal are agreed upon, and the treaty is drawn up in the rough. Hay and Varrilla held a further conference this afternoon.

A Brief Session.
The state land board held a brief session at the state house this morning, when a quantity of routine business was disposed of.

CONGRESS TALKS TREATY

Sugar Trust Has Some Able Advocates on the Floor

The Senate Is up Against Smoot, The Polygamons Member From the Jordan

Washington, Nov. 18.—In the house Grosvenor was the first Republican speaker on the Cuban treaty this morning. Answering Democratic arguments that America must face commercial war, unless she reduce the tariff, he declared England couldn't wage such a war six months without facing starvation.

In the senate several hundred more petitions against Smoot were presented, Depew's being the greatest number. After the presentation of various other petitions, it adjourned until 12:30.

Lynch Will Be Shot.
Salt Lake, Nov. 18.—Judge Booth this morning sentenced James Lynch to be shot January 3d. The case against Robert King was dismissed. Both men were sentenced to death for holding up a gambling house here, and shooting Godfrey Prowse, the proprietor, two years ago. The case was appealed to the supreme court, and a new trial ordered for King. King comes from a prominent Italian family, and the ambassador at Washington took up his case a year ago.

CUBA STANDS WITH US

Refuses to Heed Requests of Colombia's President

Recognizes the Republic of Panama and Will Accredit Its Minister When Appointed

Havana, Nov. 18.—After discussion at the cabinet meeting to day, Cuba positively refused to comply with the request of President Marroquin, of Colombia, that Cuba give her moral support to Colombia opposition to the new republic of Panama. Emphasis is given to Cuba's attitude by the instructions reiterated to Senor Daques, Cuban minister to Panama, that he treat with the new government in his official capacity. Cuba will also accredit a minister from the new republic as soon as it is permanently organized.

Cold Ends Yellow Fever.
Dallas, Texas, Nov. 18.—The state quarantine against San Antonio because of yellow fever, was declared off today by the governor. The thermometer went below the freezing point, killing the plague.

Funds to Fight With.
Cincinnati, Nov. 18.—The temperance union today decided to place a \$20000 booth in the World's Fair, the money to be secured by assessing the state organizations.

Parker, principal of the public schools of Silverton, was drowned in Silver creek at 5:30 last evening. The lad was out hunting the cow, and, when last seen alive, was driving her toward the creek. It is supposed that, in attempting to cross the stream at a near-by bridge he fell in and was caught in the swift current.
As soon as he was missed a searching party was organized, fully 150 citizens joining in the effort to locate the body. At 10:30 it was discovered a few hundred yards below the bridge, lodged in some driftwood. The skull was fractured. This is a great shock to the parents, the father having just recovered from a severe illness, and the mother is now dangerously ill with appendicitis.

Don't Want Socialism.
Boston, Nov. 18.—Discussion of the socialist resolutions was resumed in the federation convention this morning. After several speeches by Socialist leaders, John Mitchell took the floor, and declared socialism hurt the trade union movement. He added, in fact, any political party did. He said "I deny to any man the right to tell me or my organization that we must affiliate with any of the present political parties." He emphatically denied the statements made by Socialist delegates in previous speeches that a relief party organized by them had done enormous good during the miners' strike. He said he appreciated the support and assistance rendered by the Socialists, but that they hadn't organized a relief party, as stated.

Rockefellers Are It.
Youngstown, O., Nov. 18.—Prominent financiers believe now that the Rockefellers are supposed to practically control the United States steel corporation, and are negotiating for the purchase of the Republic Iron & Steel Company, the largest independent competitor of the trust. Guthrie is playing a prominent part.

A Question of Marriage.
The Ollschlager guardianship case, testimony in which was taken last week, is up for argument in the county court this afternoon. Governor Chamberlain and P. H. D'Arcy appearing for Mrs. Ollschlager, while Bonham & Martin represent the nephews of her husband. The question raised by the nephews is as to the marriage of Mrs. Ollschlager to her husband, who is now in the asylum.

LITTLE BLACK REPUBLIC

Saddle Colored Patriots of San Domingo are Busy

Uncle Sam Anxious to Recognize the Insurgents as the Defacto Government

Cape Hayti, Nov. 18.—Advices this morning from San Domingo say the insurgents shelled the city throughout the night, the government artillery returning the fire. Fifty marines were landed from the American cruiser Baltimore.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Consul Powell has sent two cablegrams to the state department, one dated the 16th, says the situation is desperate and unchanged, the city is constantly under fire, and shells falling momentarily is expected. A second dispatch, of yesterday's date, says a general attack was made today on San Domingo, and the Baltimore landed marines to protect American interests. The state department is prepared to recognize the insurgents as the defacto government just as soon as they come into possession of San Domingo city, and instructions to this effect will probably be sent to Powell, on further advices from him.

Nebraska Has Cold Spell.
Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 18.—The cold continues at zero at North Platte.

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Strawberry
Wine-rose
No asses

Taffy

Peanut Taffy and
Peppermint Chews

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Buried Near the President

Richmond, Va., Nov. 18.—The remains of the wife of the late President Monroe and her daughter were removed from the Monroe family estate and given reinterment in the Hollywood cemetery today. They were buried on either side of President Monroe's grave. There was a great procession, and patriotic orders of the entire state assembled. Bishop Gibbons officiated, and the pallbearers included Governor Montague, Lieutenant-Governor Willard, United States Senators Daniel and Martin and Congressmen Lamb and Fairfax.

An Accommodating Attorney.
St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 18.—Joseph Furlong was released this morning, after being held until the prosecuting attorney was convinced the McDonald family had no desire to prosecute him for killing the young millionaire, Irving McDonald.

The Miller-Jones Case.
Cincinnati, Nov. 18.—The government finished its evidence in the Miller-Jones case this morning, and has added many material points for the prosecution.

The Case Postponed.
Omaha, Nov. 18.—Further hearing of the District charges by the grand jury have been postponed until later in the week.

Unable to Attend It

Darmstadt, Germany, Nov. 18.—The czarina is ill at Skiernie Wlez with inflammation of the ear. Neither she nor the czar were able to attend the funeral of Princess Elizabeth.

Boilers Exploded.
Toronto, Nov. 18.—A terrific explosion occurred at the United factories, at New Market, fifty miles north of here this morning, and first reports give a large loss of life. Three connected boilers let go, wrecking the building, in which 250 men were employed, and fire followed.

Behind Closed Doors.
Chicago, Nov. 18.—The graft committee closed the door today, and is hearing evidence relative to the deceiving of young girls into brothels in the levee district. Chief of Police O'Neill was summoned before the committee.

Coal Scarce, Cold Plenty.
Omaha, Nov. 18.—The railways have cut the rate on coal to Colorado, to relieve suffering.

Denver, Nov. 18.—There is a coal famine, owing to the strike, and the thermometer is down to three above zero.

Boy Drowned at Silverton.
Silverton, Or., Nov. 18.—The 12-year-old son of Professor William

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THE WHITE CORNER

The Thanksgiving Sale Continues

This sale is a tremendous success. The volume of business transacted last week was nothing short of absolutely phenomenal. People came from everywhere. Stocks are full, as firm and as fresh as at the opening a week ago, for every line has been reinforced until the counters and tables are filled to overflowing with the best of tempting bargains. If you are interested investigate

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