

AMERICAN REPUBLICS ARE TO HAVE A HOME

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Washington, May 11.—The laying of the cornerstone of the building for the International Union of American Republics was the occasion of a holiday at the national capital. Congress bought five acres of ground near the White House and Andrew Carnegie donated \$750,000 for the erection of a building. The Central and South American republics are to decorate it lavishly, and John Barrett, an Oregon politician with at least three months residence in the state is to hold office for life.

Speech of Elihu Root.

Secretary of State Root in his speech said: "It is too much to expect that there will not be controversies between American nations to whose desire for harmony we now bear witness; but to every controversy will apply the truth that there are no international controversies so serious that they can not be settled peaceably if both parties really desire peaceable settlement, while there are few causes of dispute so trifling that they can not be made the occasion of war if either party really desires war. The matters in dispute between nations are nothing; the spirit which deals with them is everything.

"The graceful courtesy of the 20 republics who have agreed upon the capital of the United States for the home of this international union, the deep appreciation of that courtesy shown by the American government and this representative American citizen, and the work to be done within the walls that are to rise on this site, can not fail to be powerful influences towards the creation of a spirit that will solve all disputed questions of the future and preserve the peace of the Western World."

The President's Speech.

President Roosevelt's speech on the laying of the cornerstone of the bureau of American Republics:

"This is a memorable occasion for the peoples of the Western Hemisphere. The building, the cornerstone of which we lay today, emphasizes by its existence the growing sense of solidarity of interest and aspiration among all the peoples of the New World. It marks our recognition of the need to knit ever closer together all the republics of the Western Hemisphere, through the kindly bonds of mutual justice, good will and sympathetic comprehension.

"At the outset, on behalf of all of us I wish to thank Mr. Carnegie for his generous gift—a gift to all the nations of the New World, and therefore preeminently fitting as coming from one who has so sincerely striven for the cause of peace among nations; for while we have yet a long path to tread before we can speak with any certainty of the day when wars shall cease from the earth, we of this Western Hemisphere, by movements such as that symbolized by this building, have taken great strides toward securing permanent peace among ourselves.

"In the next place, as President of this republic I greet the representatives of all our sister republics to the south of us. In a sense, you are our elder sisters and we the younger people, for you represent a more ancient civilization on this continent than we do. Your fathers, the Spanish and Portuguese explorers, conquerors, lawgivers, and commonwealth builders, had founded a flourishing civilization in the tropics and the south temperate zone while all America north of the Rio Grande was still unmapped wilderness. Your people had founded American universities, were building beautiful cities, were laying deep the foundation of future national life, at many different points in the vast territory stretching from the Colorado to the Plata, before the ships of the Frenchman and the Englishman, the Swede and the Hollanders, had found permanent havens on the north Atlantic seacoast. For centuries our several civilizations grew each in its own way, but each sundered from the others. Now we are growing together.

"More and more in the future we shall each give to and get from the others, not merely things of material value, but things that are of worth for the intellectual and spiritual welfare of all of us. In the century that has passed the development of North America has, on the whole, proceeded faster than the development of South America; but in the century that has now opened I believe that no other part of the world will see such extraordinary de-

velopment in wealth, in population, in all that makes for progress, as will be seen from the northern boundary of Mexico through all Central and South America; and I can assure you that the people of this nation look with the most profound satisfaction upon the great growth that has already taken place in the countries which you represent—a growth alike in political stability and material well-being which can only come when there is political stability.

"Our battle fleet has just finished its trip around South America, and I wish to thank the ruler and the peoples of South America and of Mexico for the generous and courteous hospitality which has been shown this fleet on every possible occasion throughout the trip.

"In conclusion, let me speak of another trip, made a couple of years ago by the secretary of state, Elihu Root, the first time in our history the American secretary of state, during his term of office, left the country to visit certain other nations. Mr. Root made the complete tour of South America, traversed Central America, and afterwards visited Mexico. He was everywhere received with the heartiest greeting, a greeting which deeply touched our people, and I wish to say once more how appreciative we are of the reception tendered him.

"His voyage was unique in character and in value. It was undertaken only because we citizens of this republic recognize that our interests are more closely intertwined with the interests of the other peoples of this continent than with those of any other nations. I believe that history will say that though we have had other great secretaries of state, we have had none greater than Elihu Root; and that though in his high office he has done much for the good of his nation and of mankind, yet that his greatest achievement has been the success which has come as the result of his devoted labor to bring closer together all the republics of the new world, and to unite them in the effort to work valiantly for our common betterment, for the material and moral welfare of all who dwell in the Western Hemisphere."

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In "Mr. Temple's Telegram" which will be presented at the Grand opera house this Monday evening there is a lesson for every husband who has acquired or is thinking seriously of acquiring the missed-the-last-car-my-dear habit. There is also a lesson for every wife who is fond or is likely to become fond of magnifying circumstantial evidence until she believes that every other woman in town is angling for her husband, and that the fishing is generally very good. For, in "Mrs. Temple's Telegram" there is a husband who being denied the privilege of telling the truth utilizes the last-car story to his threatened undoing, and a wife, who refusing to credit the truth accepts the last-car story and upon investigation finds it to be false. The obvious moral is, that every husband should stick to his first story and that every wife should rest content in the thought that what



she doesn't know will do her no harm. True, the average wife will ask why a married lady who has preceded her husband from Paris and arrived in London a day ahead of him should decide that evening to venture forth unattended and seek assurance from worry by taking a ride in the Ferris wheel in Earl's Court; and the husband will likely wish to know why a settled and reasonably respectable married man should attire himself in evening clothes, desert his home, his wife and his fireside and seek a like diversion on the same evening. But no sensible husband and wife will permit their attention to be drawn from the lesson contained in a farce of complications by asking questions. It is enough to know that this accidental meeting did happen, that the wheel stuck while the perfect strangers were aloft in a car, and that the experience is the foundation for "Mrs. Temple's Telegram."

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