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MEXICO has made claims for indemnity upon this government for damages suffered by the diversion of the waters of the Rio Grande.

A REPORT has been submitted to Secretary Herbert upon the investigation of armor plate being made at Carnegie Iron works.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON has publicly denied that he is a candidate for the United States Senate and would not accept the nomination under any circumstances.

IT is indeed surprising that Pennsylvanians submit to the dictation of one man in the selection of United States senators. But, then, Pennsylvania is the "banner Republican state."

BLAIR county got an overdose of McKinley prosperity on Monday when the First National Bank of Hollidaysburg, as well as the Martinsburg Deposit Bank, and the Williamsburg Bank, closed their doors. The officials of the respective banks say that the suspension is only temporary.

THERE is an object lesson in a Pittsburg business house window, says the *Post*. The cartoons that were therein displayed prior to the election coarsely abusive of Bryan, and heralding "the advance agent of prosperity," have been displaced by a sheriff's sale placard. The advance agent didnt get there quit soon enough.

THE Philadelphia *Record* Almanac for 1897 is on our table and a hasty glance at its pages filled with useful information tells us that the *Record* almanac for the coming year has made no step backward but is still the same reliable reference book that has on each succeeding New Year taken its place within handy reach there to stay until its successor drives it away.

THE advance agent of prosperity has reached the Indiana coal mines, and notices of eviction have been issued against a thousand miners employed by coal companies in the vicinity of Terra Haute, The operators want the tenements for men who will work for less than the established rate for mlning. We would wager something that these coal companies preached better wages and steady employment should McKinley be elected.

ACCORDING to every indication the military display at the inauguration of McKinley and Hobart on the 4th of March next will be very imposing. The military organizations expected are the Twenty second regiment of New York, the Seventh regiment of New York, the Pennsylvania National Guard in its entirety, and all of the New Jersey and Ohio militiamen. The Seventh regiment will have a special train, and live in it while there.

THE Cuban Junta in permanant session in New York has appointed General Juan Rius Rivera, second in command under the murdered General Maceo, in the province of Pinar del Rio, to succeed the murdered General in his command of that province. General Rivera is a trained soldier, fully equal at all points to the gallant man whom he succeeds. The war will be pushed with the greatest vigor by the addition of thousands of recruits from the Gulf states and elsewhere.

HAVING succeded so well at the last session of the general assembly in securing legislation to strengthen its monopoly, it is said the Standard Oil company, will make another effort, at the coming meeting of the state legislature, in the same direction. An attempt will be made to repeal the free pipe line law o 1883. That act grants all pipe lines the right of eminent domain. It was secured by the independent producers and refiners after years of hard fighting. The repeal of that law now would remove all competition in Pennsylvania and make the monopoly of the Standard practically absolute.

THAT the Cuban general Maceo is dead hardly permits of a doubt, but how he came to his death is by no means clear. One story is that he was murdered under a flag of truce; another that he mistook Spanish guerillas for the advance guard of Cubans he was to meet; another that he was fired on while leaving a boat; another that he was in the field, and that when hard pressed he took shelter in a hut which was ignited, and as he fled from it was shot down; another that he was poisoned by the scoundrel Zertucha, and his body maimed after death to conceal the crime, and so on, some of these contradictory stories coming from Havana newspapers.

THE American *Manufacturer* in its edition last week will say concerning the outlook in the iron and steel trade:

On the whole the trade shows an improvemen which, however, is in no way pronounced. Eastern markets report only a fair business. Chicago reports a lull in pig iron but no weaker prices. In Cleveland pig iron sales are slower, while no early advance is expected in Cincinnati.

Locally the week has been uneventful. In all lines there are preparations made for a greater production and a larger demand. Some lines, however, show a tendency toward lower pnices. but there has been no big drop, while somewhat higher rates are being secured for future business. The reported trouble in the steel billet pool has had considereable effect on the market during the last two weeks.

IT is announced from Washington, says the Bellefonte *Watchman*, that the leading colored Republican club of that city, which was established in 1895 for the purpose of furthering McKinley's election, opposes the suggestion of a colored man as a member of McKinley's cabinet. It proposes that the new President should give a numer of colored men a share of the loaves and fishes rather than to heap all the honor on one by a cabinet appointment.

Do these deluded darkies think they have the slightest show for a cabinet office, or for any official positions which white Republicans may consider worth occupying? Though they elect Republican presidents it is foolish for them to expect any of the offices, except such as are of a menial character, and their chances for even such are slim in competition with Republicans of the lowtown order who are willing to clean official cuspidors.

The colored brothers gave McKinley more than the popular majority that elected him. The last census showed that there were 1,700,00 negroes in the country qualified to vote, and it is within bounds to say that of this number at least 1,200,000 voted at the last election, and as they are practically solid for Republican candidates, it is obvious that the votes they cast for McKinley numbered almost half million more than his popular majority, which has settled down to about 600,000

The addition of the vast mass of negro ignorance to the voting population of the country is one of the crimes which the Republican party has committed against the Republic. They are committing another by utilizing the semi-barbarous hordes of Dagos and Huns as voting material, that ignorant mass having been secured by purchase and intimidation at the last election and were used conjointly with the negroes in outvoting the intelligent artisans and farmers who supported the Democratic ticket and constitutional bimetallism.

RETURNS from the collectors of customs at New York, Baltimore, and other export markets show extraordinary shipments of apples this year, which since the opening of the season in July have varied from 150,000 to 175,000 barrels a week. The total shipments up te november 30 will exceed 1,750,000 barrels. This surpasses all records. The largest previous shipments were during the winter of 1891-92, when the total reached 1,450,000 barrels; but the total thus far with several months remaining, now surpasses that high water mark by over 300,000 barrels Last year the shipments were only 750,000 barrels. In 1894 they were only 174,000 barrels. Most of these apples have gone to Liverpool—nearly two thirds of them: 375,000 to London, 306,000 to Glasgow and 80,000 to Germany, which is practically a new market, and by cultivation may be made very valuable Good apples are now selling in New York at from $1 to $1 25 a barrel. The The present rates of freight to Liverpool are three shillings, or 75 cents a barrel, and to London 87 cents. The rate to Hamburg is 75 centsand to interior points of Germany $1. Very few apples go to France. The orchards of that country usually furnish sufficient for the local demand, and French apples often compete with those from the United States in the British markets.

AT the present time Massachusett seems to have set the example and pace for the country. According to a recent report of the Road Commission of that Commonwealth, the total expenditure of the State on its road work this year has been $600,000, and it is expected that the legislature will be asked for $800,000 for 1897. The commission has has been in existence for only three years and during that time 130 miles of improved highways have been constructed. The fact that a larger sum of money is expected to be voted during the coming year than in the present one is sufficient evidence that the work done is satisfactory to the people and is regarded as an economy in every sense of the word.

It is computed that in some districts of Massachusetts there has been an average rise in the value of property along improved roads of over $6 an acre. It is moreover estimated that the losses to farmers in that State in hauling their product over mud roads as compared with the cost of hauling it over improved roads amounts to more than enough to pay for the improvements. It will be soon, therefore, that as the profit in the hauling of produoe pays for the cost of the road the advanced value in the land is a clear gain to the land owners.

ANOTHER project for the partition of Turkey has been announced by the London *Daily News*. The scheme contemplates the occupation by Russia of that part of Turkey bounded by the Bosphorus on the west, the Black Sea on the north and the Taurus Mountains. on the south; the establishment of a joint protectorate by the Powers over Constantinople; the dismantling of the forts of the Dardanelles; the opening of that channel. as well as of the Sea of Marmora and the Bosphorus, to the free navigation of the vessels of all nations, including ships of war; and finally the abdication of the Sultan. The plan is incomplete however, inasmuch as it fails to provide for the distribution of those parts of the Sultan's Empire not assigned to Russian occupation. The *Daily News*, morever, is in the habit of discovering a new scheme for the dismembermentof Turkey about once in every fortnight; it might be well, therefore, to suspend judgment upon its latest announcement until the report shall have been confirmed from other quarters.

THE mine owners in Lackawanna county, who have to carry on their business with the aid of shot guns, will no doubt soon reach the conclusion that cheap labor is the idearest. There is nothing like experience to clear away economic delusions.

Washington Letter.

Washington, December 12th, 1896.—"Dear Boss: Unless you can buy several more senators it will be impossible to pay a tariff dividend on the investments of the late campaign." While the above is not the exact wording of the message sent by the caucus of Republican senators to King Hanna, it contains the substance and real meaning of the request of the caucus steering committee, that Mr. Hanna shall try to "influence" the election of senators who will pledge themselves to act with the Republicans on the tariff, in several states Among the legislatures upon which the Republican senators desire Mr. Hanna to try his "influence" are those of North Carolina, Kentucky, Washington and South Dakota If high tariff senators can be secured for all all of these, the passage of a high tariff bill at the extra session of the next congress will be assured. Otherwise the matter has been made very doubtful, with the chances against high tariff, by the action of the silver Republicans in declining invitations to enter the Republican senatorial caucus

While the caucus of Republican senators did not by a formal vote abandon the Dingley tariff bill, they did what was practically the same thing when they referred it to the steering committee and empowered that committee to act upon its own judgment. Pressure from the woolen manufacturers may compel the Republican senators to demonstrate by some sort of a vote, not necessarily on the bill itself, that the Dingley bill cannot pass, but the bill is as dead as Ben Harrison's force bill, so far as any serious attempt to pass it is concerned The Republicans couldn't pass it if they wanted to, and very few of them want to This was shown this week when the bill was before the senate for a few minutes (on Senator Allen's motion to take it up, which was carried by a vote of 35 to 21), by the consternation which existed among the Republicans who had voted for the motion because they were afraid to do otherwise.

Representative Stokes of S. C. has been served with notice of a double contest for his seat in the present and in the next house. Dr. stokes came to Washington last year with the proper certificate of election but his seat was contested by Mr. Johnson, a Republican. Finding nothing in the case upon which to base an excuse for giving Johnson the seat, the Republicans of the house declared the seat vacant. The two men were again candidates and Dr. Stokes was elected to the vacancy and also to the next house. Johnson's contest depends more upon the Republican majority thnn it does upon any evidence he expects to produce.

Senator Blanchard voiced the sentiment of nearly all of the Democrats in both branches of cangress when he said: "The Democratic party, while beaten in the recent selection, is compact, organized, and full of hope for the future. It simply bides its time. It has lost material which can be spared, and gained lots of friends, adherents, and well-wishers. It has always been a party of wonderful recuperative capacity. It will be ready for the fray in 1898 and in 1900.

Woe to the Republican party if it does not make good that dangerous promise it has heralded throughout the land of prosperity and good times."

Senator Quay has astonished those who thought they knew him, not only by his change of tactics—he has heretofore been the most silent of fighters—but by the wording of some of his published interviews against the candidacy Mr. John Wanamaker for the senate. For instance, when he said: "In the United States senate, we havd millionaires and business men enough to serve all legitimate purposes. Senators are needed who have no specialties but who will act fothe interest of the country in gross withtout special affinities. The people most doserving of representation and most in need of legislative protection are the farmers, the small store keepers, the artisans and the laborers, and I stand by them" The truthfulness of the above is unquestioned, but that it should come from Mr. Quay is astonishing. While not himself a millionaire, Mr. Quay has always had the reputation of being in touch with the millionaires of the country. But, he is first ot all a politician, and as such is apt to make use of what he thinks to be the most effective weapons to carry his purpose.

Senator Mills has left all the other resolutions relating to Cuba away behind by offering one directing the president to take forcible possession of Cuba and hold it until the Cubans organize a government of their own.

The house is going right ahead passing bills just as though the senate calendar was not already choked up with house bills passed at the last session haven't a ghost of a chance to get acted upon.

The Mountain would not go to Mahomet so Mahomet went to the mountain. After remaining in Washington nearly a week, stopping just around the corner from the hotel at which Speaker Reed, makes his home in Washington, without receiving a call from Mr. Reed Boss Hanna decided to call upon Mr. Reed. and he did so at latter's office in the capitol. In view of the humble manner in which most of the Republicans waited upon Hanna, this call must have been a little humilitaing to him; that it was pleasant to Tom Reed is certain. M.

Noted Woman's Suicide.

New York, December 12.—Josephine S. Jerocka, a grandniece of general Pulaski, who fought in the war of the American revolution and was killed at Savannah, committed suicide by poison at her home in Brookline to-day. Mme. Jerocka was a claimant for $2,000,000. which her famous granduncle had advanced to the United States government to aid in the war of independence. She had been robbed of the papers which established her claim, and was obliged to take a government clerkship in Washington, from which, however, she was dismissed by Cleveland in his first term. Since this she has had a terrible struggle with poverty, and was finally reduced to selling papers. For some time she had been dependent upon charity.

Dropped Dead Passing the Lie.

South Bethlehem, Pa., Dec. 15.—White an itinerant peddler of medicine was haranguing a crowd and giving a show at Weaversville, a village three miles north of this place, last night one of the spectators, named Keim, excitedly said to another: "Don't you call me a liar!" and then dropped dead in his tracks. The excitement had caused heart disease and instant death.

Keim was a farmer, 32 years old, and leaves a wife and child. Some man in the crowd had addressed a pet name to a woman who was assisting the medicine peddler. Keim had been pointed out as the man. He, however, insisted that it was his accuser who did it, and the latter called Keim a liar, with the result stated.

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Cowed a Lynching Mob.

Woodstock, Va., Dec. 13.—A mob of about fifty men visited the jail here on Friday night to lynch Elmer A. Weathotz The mob decided to let three of their number search the jail, after the jailer had explained that the prisoner had been removed. This being done and the searchers not finding Weathotz the mob left. Sheriff Wighman, fearing violence, had secretly removed Weathotz to the county clerk's office, just across the street from the jail, and there Deputy Sheriff Sickle and Special Guards Hoshour and Collick were guarding him.

Yesterday morning, when the case for an attempt to murder his mother-in-law was to be heard, it became known to the mob where the prisoner was, and they began to batter down the iron shutter over the door of the office with an axe Special Guard Hoshour, who for a number of years was a special police officer in a Philadelphia hotel, gave command to a sham military company to form, load, and aim. Meantime Sheaiff Wighman escaped with the prisoner through a window in the rear room and hid him for some time in a near-by barn The mob fearing the military, disperced, and the prisoner was brought back to the clerk's office.

Company A Anderson was quickly called out, and under Capt. Magrudder guarded the court house. In the court yesterday morning when the case was called Judge Newman instructed Commonwealth's Attorney Baker to spare no effort to bring the offenders to Justice.

A Horrible Tragedy.

South Vineland, N. J., Dec. 14.—A horrible tragedy occurred near this unusually quiet hamlet to-day Antonia Joroio, aged 65 years, was brutally murdered by his son, Tony. The Joroio family was composed of old man Joroio and four sons, Antonio, Nicholas, Louis and Charles. Three weeks ago Nicholas died, and since that time the family has been acting very strangely. About two weeks ago the two younger sons were arrested and sent to jail for disturbing the peace by continually praying around the Catholic churches Their time having expired, they were liberated on Saturday last and returned to their home, where they brutally attacked their father and drove him away from the house He returned to-day and, upon entering the house, was thrown into the cellar, where he was again attacked by his three sons He managed to break from his captors and fled across the fields, closely pursued by Antonio, who overtook him about 100 yards from the house and hit him over the head with a cord wood stick, felling him to the ground and killing him instantly.

The only cause for the crime is that Antonio, being crazed with grief over the loss of his brother, committed the horrible crime as a sacrifice to restore the lost relative He admits to the killing. An inquest will be held on the old man's body to morrow.

Sympathy With the Cubans.

Dallas, Tex., December 13.—As large a mass meeting as was ever held it Texas on a like occasion was that which met in Dallas at 3 P. M. to-day to express sympathy for the Cuban patriots and for the organization of a Cuban aid association. The meeting was called by the local Cuban committee of safety of twelve The Auditorium hall was packed by about 2,000 persons. Andrew Jackson Houston, a son of Sam Houstoo, the Texas liberator, was chosen president of the meeting O. Gilbert, of Corsicana, who served in the Twelfth Iowa volunteers duringthe war, wrote that he was already to raise a regiment to go to Cuba. W. A. Milner, of Centralia Ill., and old Texas boy wrote that he wished to enlist as a soldier for Cuby from Dallas.

A communication from United States Senator Mills standing by his resolution in the national congress and declaring that it meant war with Spain if necessary was read and created the wildest enthusiasm. Speeches were made by prominent Texans. Resolutions endorsing the stand taken by Senator Mills were passed by a unanimous vote, also a resolution deploring the death of Maceo. The Cuban Aid association, of Dallas, was permanently organized, more than 400 men putting their names on the roll.

Insane Boy's Tragic Act.

Waco, Tex., December 13.—Edward Brooks, a colored bootblack aged 17, ran amuck last night with a revolver in his hand and shot five persons, one fatally. He started on the east side of the city by shooting two colored men, inflicting flesh wounds Leaving them, he tried to shoot a woman, but the pistol failed to work.

He thea took a street car and went to the Baptist Tabernacle. where he shot two more colored men, one in the leg and one in the arm. Going a mile further he went to a house where a dance given by colored people was in progress, and shot another man, killing him instantly.

The name of the dead man is Alexander Wallis. The wounded men are Jake Westley, Charles Woodford, Gren Townsend and Willie Nichols.

Brooks was captured by the police just as he was in the act of shooting another man. The theory is that Brooks is crazy.

Six Balls Enter His Heart.

Salt Lake City. December 15.—Pat Coughlin was executed in Rich county, this state toaday for the murder of Deputy Sheriff Dawes and Constable Stagg in July, 1895 Coughlin chose shooting as the manner of death. He was pinioned, blindfolded and seated on a chair at a spot near where the murder had been committed, and six deputies fired simultaneously, aiming at the heart, over which a piece of white paper was fastened. Every bullet pierced the mark and death was instantaneous Coughlin was about twenty-five years of age, a native of Pennsylvania, and came to this state when quite young.

A Welcome Usher of '97.

The beginning of the new year will have a welcome usher in the shape of a fresh Almanac, descriptive of the origin, nature and uses of the national tonic and alternative, Hestetter's Stomach Bitters. Combined with the descriptive matter will be found calendar and astronomical calculations absolutely reliable for correctness, statistics, illustrations, verses carefully selected, and other mental food highly profitable and entertaining. On this pamphlet, published and printed annually by the Hostetter Company, of Pittsburg, 60 hands are employed in the mechanical department alone. Eleven months are devoted to its preparation. It is procurable free, of druggists and country dealers everywhere, and is printed in English, German, French, Spanish, Welsh, Norwegian, Holland, Swedish and Bohemian.

STIRRED BY POLITICS.

Hot Session of A. F. of L. Convention.

ACTIVE POLITICIAN UNSEATED.

The President of the Waiters' Union, One of Hanna's Lieutenants, Fired on Account of Charges Brought Against Him—Officers May Be Re-Elected.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.—A number of grievances have been considered by the American Federation of Labor convention, but they are not of interest to the general public.

The executive council disposed of most of the grievances this year before the convention assembled. Most of the agitation is for an effective eight-hour law and the establishment of a defense fund with an assessment of 2 cents per capita, which, with a membership of over 600,000, would secure a large fund. The opposition to the re-election of the present officers is dying out.

The committee on credentials reported its finding on the case of President Pomeroy, of the Waiters' association, without recommendation. The charges of the Illinois State Federation and others were submitted for a final action. A long discussion followed.

While every effort is made to keep politics out of the Federation, there was little but politics in the session. Delegate Weisman, of the Bakers' union, Brooklyn, opened the stormy debate, by charging that Pomeroy had been pursued by the Chicago organization and later by the Illinois Federation, because he worked for the Republicans in the last campaign. And now the fight against Pomeroy, as one of Mark Hanna's men, was carried to the American Federation by political opponents. Delegate Morrison, of the Typographical union, replied, giving a history of Pomeroy in Chicago and of his souvenir contract with the Illinois Federation. He called attention to the campaign document issued last fall by Pomeroy, which he signed as general organizer of the Federation, and for which his commission was revoked by the general officers. Then followed the free for all, in which all wanted the floor at the same time, especially the delegates from Chicago. There were strong personal attacks by delegates on each other.

Other stormy speeches followed till Delegate Duncan offered an amendment to the report to accept Pomeroy's credentials and refer his case to the Waiters' union for final action. This brought on more trouble. After several discussed the silver question Delegate Ewing protested against the trial of anyone in his absence, Pomeroy being still confined to his hotel by a sprained ankle.

Chairman O'Sullivan of the committee on credentials favored the Duncan amendment and protested against taxation without representation. He insisted that the Waiters' union paid their dues, were in good standing and should be allowed their duly accredited representative. O'Sullivan said he voted for Bryan and Pomeroy for McKinley, and if Pomeroy had supported Bryan these charges would not have been heard of. This brought dozens to their feet and a hot time followed.

When the previous question was ordered, to shut off the clamor, Delegate Warner said when the committee on credentials went to Pomeroy's room to get the contestee's statement that Pomeroy called the attendant to get his revolver. Out of 2,400 votes only 197 were cast for Duncan's amendment. Then the motion of Morrison, which was the main question, to reject the credentials of Pomeroy, was carried by only 198 dissenting votes out of the total of 2,400, and the report of the committee on credentials was then adopted. There was much jollification over the unseating of Pomeroy, as the vote was an endorsement of the previous action of the general officers and the executive council.

Last night a social session was held with a banquet given by the trades unions of Cincinnati.

CALLS U. S. SENATORS LUNATICS

British Newspaper Comments on the Attacks on Spain.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Times, commenting on the Cuban situation, expresses the hope that the Spaniards will "continue to disregard the vituperation of the jingo senators and abstain from imitating them," adding, "the American government maintains a correct and neutral attitude and as long as it does Spain can afford to smile at Senator Chandler's offhand recognition of Cuban republic."

The Globe says: "When these wild men rave at England, British feeling regards them as amusing lunatics whose grotesque antics do not carry danger to either country. But the Spanish are more easily inflamed to anger and there is some danger of Spain falling into the trap when the piratical Laurada reaches Valencia. Spain has endured much contumely from the great republic; but there are many indications that this passive submission to insult will not last much longer. It would be will, therefore, for the Washington government to place restraint upon Senator Chandler and his colleagues. If Spain decided to uphold her honor by arms a naval war might have results not at all agreeable to the American chauvenists.

OVER THE PRESIDENT'S VETO.

A Pension Bill Passed In the Senate by a Vote of 41 to 11.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Besides Cuba other matters were considered in the senate.

The question of passing the bill granting Nancy Allabach a pension, the veto of the president notwithstanding, occasioned considerable debate, but was finally passed over the veto—yeas, 41; nays, 11.

Mr. Allen introduced a resolution for the appointment of a committee of nine senators to investigate the extent to which money was used in the recent presidential election.

Want a Tariff on Lumber.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.—The national lumber convention elected these officers: President, C. W. Goodyear, Buffalo; vice presidents, H. Clay Tunis, Maryland, and E. F. Skinner, Florida; secretary, C. W. Wells, Illinois. Resolutions were adopted asking a duty on lumber.

Holiday Recess Agreed to.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The house concurrent resolution for a holiday adjournment from Dec. 22 to Jan. 5 has been agreed to by the senate.

Another Chance For Jackson.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 16.—The court of appeals has granted the attorneys for Scott Jackson 30 days in which to file a petition for a rehearing.

—Jesse Winner and James Nelson, suspected of the murder of the wife and two children of the former, were taken from jail at Lexington, Mo., and lynched.

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