

REJECTS CANAL TREATY

Colombian Congress Voted Unanimously Against Ratification.

CAUSED SENSATION ON ISTHMUS

President of Colombia Authorized to Make New Treaty, But Basis Will Probably Prove Unacceptable to United States.

Bogota, Colombia, Aug. 18.—The Panama Canal treaty has been rejected unanimously by the Colombian congress.

It is reported that President Marroquin has been authorized by congress to make a treaty which will not require further ratification, but that the bases given for the treaty will probably prove unacceptable to the United States.

It is considered, however, in official circles, according to reliable information, that the authorization given by congress to make a new treaty will furnish a basis for re-opening negotiations with the United States.

It appears that one of the objections to the ratification of the treaty which carried weight in the senate was that the Panama Canal Company did not come to a previous arrangement with the Colombian government of the transfer of the concession.

Colon, Colombia, Aug. 18.—The rejection of the canal treaty by the Colombian senate has produced a tremendous sensation on the isthmus. It is generally believed that the treaty would pass with some modifications.

There is good reason to suppose that the majority of the members of the senate regard the Spooner amendment to build a canal by the Nicaragua route, if the Panama route was rejected by Colombia, as a mere threat on the part of the United States.

They are convinced that the Nicaraguan project is impossible, and that the United States will again deal with Colombia.

The rejection is a heavy blow to property owners here who have been investing heavily on the prospects of the treaty being ratified.

Reasons of Rejection.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The reason given for the rejection of the treaty by the Colombian senate, it is said here, was the alleged encroachment on Colombian sovereignty which its opponents contended would result from the treaty.

This information was contained in a dispatch received by Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge, from Foreign Minister Rios at Bogota. This dispatch stated that in its present form the treaty was not acceptable to the Senate for the reason above stated, and that it had been rejected unanimously.

The view taken by the senate was at variance to that held by the government of Colombia, which felt satisfied when it submitted the treaty to congress that there would be no impairment of Colombian sovereignty if the treaty should be ratified.

FOUND SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM

Joseph Pulitzer Provides Columbia With \$2,000,000.

New York, Aug. 17.—Joseph Pulitzer has provided the sum of \$2,000,000 to establish a school of journalism at Columbia University, this city.

A new building for the school will be erected on Morningside Heights, at a cost of \$500,000. The school will hold toward the university a relation similar to that of the other professional schools, such as the law school, the school of medicine and the school of mines, and like them will be national in scope.

An important feature of the organization of this school will be an advisory board, to be nominated by the donor. This board will aid in devising a plan and course of instruction that will meet every requirement on the scholastic as well as upon the more strictly private side.

Seven members of this advisory board have already been designated by the donor, and with others to be selected hereafter will be nominated to the trustees of Columbia University at their meeting in October.

Saved a Snake-bitten Woman.

Williamsport, Pa., Aug. 17.—Near English Center, Mrs. A. W. Salada, while picking berries on the mountains, was bitten on the foot by a rattlesnake. She walked a mile to a lumber camp, where the woodsmen hitched their fastest team to a bark wagon and she was hurried to White Pine, three miles away, where Dr. Ritter attended her.

Five Children Drowned.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 18.—At Lurich Station, Giles county, while a party of children, one boy and seven girls, ranging in age from 8 to 15 years, were boating, the boat capsized and five of the girls were drowned.

Escaped Convict to Fight Duel.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 18.—Pat Rogers, one of the six men who broke from the Butte jail on the night of August 8, has written a letter in which he says he will give himself up if City Detective Murphy will fight him a duel.

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TO END MINERS' DISPUTES

Carroll D. Wright Named as Seventh Member of Conciliation Board.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 16.—Judge Gray has appointed Carroll D. Wright, United States commissioner of labor,



CARROLL D. WRIGHT.

as umpire in the questions to be settled between the miners and operators in Pennsylvania. He has forwarded the appointment to the conciliation committee.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 16.—Judge Gray's naming of Carroll D. Wright as umpire of the anthracite miners' conciliation board was received favorably among the miners of the First district.

Mr. Nichols denies that the question of the employers' right to discharge for any reason other than membership in a labor union is the primal question on which the board deadlocked and which required the appointment of an umpire.

The demand of the rockmen's union that its members share in the award of the commission is the main point of dispute, Mr. Nichols says.

CHINA TO OPEN PORTS

Minister Conger Receives Written Promise to Sign Treaty October 8.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Minister Conger, at Peking, has secured a written promise from Prince Ching to sign on October 8 a treaty with the United States, which will include a guarantee that Mukden and Tatung Tao shall be open ports.

Pekin, Aug. 18.—The arrangement made by Minister Conger for the signing of a treaty between China and the United States providing for the opening of Mukden and Tatung Tao on the date of Russia's promised final evacuation of Manchuria, ends the stubborn resistance by the Chinese which for some time promised to be successful.

Tatung Tao is a small port which does not promise much business to attract foreigners in the near future. Its opening is mainly important as a victory for the open door principle.

UNIQUE YACHT RACE WAGER

Binnacle of Defeated Boat to be Presented to Winning Club.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 18.—During the review of the North Atlantic fleet guests discussed at some length the international yacht races which are to begin on Thursday. Among the distinguished yachtsmen aboard the Mayflower, the merits of the Reliance and the Shamrock III, were a topic of constant discussion.

A Double Drowning.

Philadelphia, Aug. 17.—Lewis Hammell, aged 9 years, and George Wilcox, aged 14 years, were drowned in the Delaware river, and Albert McCleary, 12 years old, narrowly escaped a similar fate in an effort to assist his companions. He was rescued by Winfield Tripp as he was sinking for the last time.

Mgr. Falconio Lays a Corner Stone.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Monsignor Falconio, apostolic delegate to the United States, laid the corner stone of the Dominican house of studies at Brookland, District of Columbia, and formally launched the construction of another adjunct to the Catholic University of America.

Got Religion From Tillman.

Topoka, Kan., Aug. 15.—The debates of Senators Burton and Tillman at Western Chautauquas have borne good fruit. McGregor Wilson, a well-known Shawnee farmer, publishes a letter saying that he "had been a very bad huckleberry," but now he "has confessed religion."

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BOSTON'S WATER PARK

Proposed Scheme to Improve the Back Bay District.

PLEASURE GROUNDS FOR PUBLIC.

The Charles River Basin to be Developed, With Esplanades on the Boston and Cambridge Sides—Parkways and Ample Opportunities For River Pleasures Some of the Features.

The governor of Massachusetts and council expect to receive in a few days the preliminary report of the new Charles river basin commission for the improvement of the Back Bay district of Boston which is not yet filled in and which is susceptible to development as a great water park.

A permanent level of high water is the first desideratum in this dream of a beautiful land and water view. To secure this the legislature this year passed the act for the building of the Charles river dam at or near the site of the present Craigie bridge.

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Advertisement for Rogers Bros. Spoons, Forks, Knives, Etc. Includes text: '1847 Rogers Bros. have been made for over fifty years, steadily gaining in character of designs, finish and general popularity.'

Advertisement for MINGLE'S SHOE STORE. Includes text: 'SOLID COMFORT SHOES FOR ELDERLY PEOPLE. In our efforts to supply the Shoe wants of everybody, we have not forgotten to be thoughtful and considerate of ELDERLY PEOPLE.'

Advertisement for McCalmont & Co. High-Grade Acid Phosphate. Includes text: 'An Eye-Opener for Farmers! HIGH-GRADE ACID PHOSPHATE. Guaranteed 14 to 16 per cent. Goods, in 167 lb Sacks, \$11.50 PER TON CASH AT OUR WAREHOUSE!'

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES. In effect on and after May 24th, 1903.

Table of railroad schedules for the Pennsylvania Railroad and branches, listing departure and arrival times for various routes like Tyrore, Harrisburg, and Philadelphia.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY.

Table of railroad schedules for the Bald Eagle Valley, listing departure and arrival times for routes like Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

LEWISBURG & TYONE RAILROAD.

Table of railroad schedules for the Lewisburg & Tyone Railroad, listing departure and arrival times for routes like Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE BRANCH.

Table of railroad schedules for the Bellefonte & Snow Shoe Branch, listing departure and arrival times for routes like Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

THE CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNA.

Table of railroad schedules for the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, listing departure and arrival times for routes like Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Table of railroad schedules for the Bellefonte Central Railroad, listing departure and arrival times for routes like Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.