

THE FOREIGN SITUATION

Subjects Considered at Yesterday's Cabinet Meeting.

NO DEFINITE ACTION TAKEN

Administration Lives in Hopes That Tangled Affairs Will Adjust Themselves--Perhaps Spain Is Frightened--Thurston's Position.

Washington, March 22--The cabinet meeting today is said to have been devoid of any definite results with reference to the foreign situation, in regard to Nicaragua and Venezuelan matters. The impression is given out that there is little danger that Great Britain will resort to harsh measures towards Nicaragua. The term "ultimatum" is regarded as being altogether too "high-flown" a word to be applied to the British request for reparations for alleged wrongful expulsion of a consular officer. The alleged attitude of Great Britain and Germany towards Venezuela is a subject upon which further information is desired before action is taken. In the event of Germany sending a war ship to collect money due German subjects by Venezuela, there can be no doubt the Berlin government will be informed, as was done in the recent case of France and San Domingo that the United States views with disfavor any attempt to collect a private loan by force of arms. The Thurston matter, it is understood, will remain in abeyance until March 27, when a steamer is due from Honolulu, which will probably bring official advice bearing on the subject of Mr. Thurston's recall.

It appears to be the belief in state department circles that Spain is endeavoring to make any decided stand against the demands of this government in Cuba and the cabinet crisis at Madrid are pointed to as reasons why the Spanish government is anxious at this time to remain on good terms with the United States, and it is predicted that Spain will waive part of what she believes to be her rights in the question at issue and meet this government half way.

Will Not Be Hard on Mirena. On the other hand, it is said, that the Washington administration is willing to ease by the alleged Mirena, any alleged interference of Senator Mirena, the Spanish minister, that may be construed as uncompromising to Secretary Gresham.

It is officially stated that Spain will make no reply to Secretary Gresham's telegram through Minister Taylor regarding the Mirena case until the report of the naval commander at Havana, who is investigating the incident, shall be in the hands of the office of foreign affairs.

The Spanish government feels that it would be unwise to commit itself to any reply until it has received the report of the naval commander at Havana, who is investigating the incident, shall be in the hands of the office of foreign affairs.

GRANDEE IN EXILE.

Lives in Cleveland, but Says He Will Fight for Cuba.

Cleveland, March 22--Jesus Maria Alonzo Pinzon, a Spanish grande of the third rank, and undoubtedly a descendant of the great conquistador of Columbus, has been spending several weeks in Cleveland, living strictly incognito and unrecognized, save by an old army comrade of the Guatemalan war of 1855. He left the city late last night for the coast, where he will confer with the Spanish minister before going south to join the revolutionists. Pinzon, who is immensely wealthy, is a man of decidedly Republican tendencies, having traveled and observed much. He is therefore an object of suspicion to the government, though no taint of disloyalty has ever rested upon him and he has been, in an unofficial way, a strong supporter of Spain's foreign and colonial policy. Monday Pinzon received a dispatch from his Paris agent, notifying him that his estate in Arragon had been confiscated, and that it would not be advisable for him to place himself within the power of the crown officers.

The don spoke very bitterly of the way his government had treated him, and said tonight that he would immediately place the balance of his fortune and his own services at the orders of the Cuban leaders. As he is a graduate of the Ecole de Marine at Paris, and has served as a volunteer in four wars, he is abundantly capable of commanding a regiment or a brigade acceptably, and with the money at his command can easily arm and equip any number that may be raised.

ENGLISHMEN MURDERED.

Probably Killed by the Servants Who Accompanied Them Into Mexico.

Treanillo, Mexico, March 22--A courier arrived here this morning, bringing information of the finding of the dead bodies of two Englishmen who left about a week ago for Durango. The remains were found near Somborero. They were terribly mutilated, and it is supposed that they were murdered and robbed by the two servants who accompanied them on their journey. Their servants were Englishmen and both are missing. The names of the murdered men are C. J. Hamerford and Edward Semble. They came to Mexico several months ago to invest in coffee lands.

FLYING MACHINE.

Inventor Amery Tries in Vain to Make His Flying Machine Work.

New York, March 22--Inventor Charles T. Amery tried his flying machine, built on the albatross principle, again yesterday. At the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, on Amsterdam avenue, on the rise of a hill, the machine was laid out. All being prepared, Mr. Amery put

his legs through the meshes of the hammock and, raising the structure above his head, attempted to run with it. At this time there was a stiff breeze from the northwest blowing in his face. He staggered a stride or two beneath the weight of his wings.

At length he reached a ledge three feet high by the roadway, sprang once and plumped into the deep mud in a sitting posture. He was unable to extricate himself, but was dragged out, still smiling hopefully through the thick coat of mire which clung to him. He had his unwieldy wings carried to the top of a rocky bluff and again pointed on the brink with a 16-foot drop to strong ground below him. Then he jumped and fell with a thud that raised a shout of horror from the crowd. He was pulled out considerably shaken, but not seriously injured and still determined. His last jump was into the mud of a roadway, and as usual the wings would not support him.

OPINION OF MR. MANLEY.

No Ex-President Is Ever a Candidate Seeking Honors--Would Be in Favor of Mr. Reed.

New York, March 22--The Recorder tomorrow will print the following interview with Executive Chairman of the Republican National Committee Joseph H. Manley, who will sail tomorrow for Italy.

"I want a long rest," said the chairman, "and I am going to take it in the form of a European trip lasting about four months. I do not conceal from any one that I am an ardent friend of Mr. Reed, and that personally I shall be delighted to see him receive the nomination for president.

"The eyes of the country are focused upon him, and his ability is not questioned. We certainly hope to nominate him and we shall go into convention animated and enthused with that purpose.

SOCIETY IS SOUND.

Baptist Missionary Union Able to Take Care of Its Liabilities.

Boston, March 22--E. P. Coleman, treasurer of the American Baptist Missionary union, said today regarding the report that the union was in sore financial straits, that he was at a loss to understand how such a statement could have got abroad.

BOARD IS CENSURED.

Presbyterian Sunday School Association Objects to Antiquated Publications.

Detroit, Mich., March 22--At today's session of the conference of the Sunday School Missionary association of the Presbyterian church, the Presbyterian board of publication was severely censured for the alleged antiquated, out-of-date tracts that it sends out and for the alleged hymn books it issues on the missionaries.

CONDENSED STATE TOPICS.

The governor has appointed A. D. Hazen the state's chief agent at Washington.

White playing a violin at Shenandoah, Martin Patroski, a wandering minstrel, dropped dead.

Tortures of a nervous disease led Frederick Inghel, at Mill Vale, Allegheny, to hang himself.

Bethlehem Iron company yesterday shipped six armor plates to Norfolk for the battleship Texas.

Ground has been broken for a \$10,000 gymnasium for the Pottsville Young Men's Christian association.

SPARKS BY TELEGRAPH.

Mrs. Helen M. Gougar has been granted a new trial of her suit against Congressman E. A. Morse, of Canton, Mass.

After a quarrel with her husband, Mrs. Annie Schultz, of Williamsburg, N. Y., was fatally burned.

After being missing twelve years, records of the New York police department were found in the Metropolitan hotel safe.

With the aid of a \$250 cut in lumber freight rates, British Columbia lumbermen expect to capture considerable American trade.

By their clothes catching fire from their pipes Mrs. Annie Sutton, of New York, and her aunt, Mrs. Sarah McLaughlin, were fatally burned.

Philip N. Nichol, the trapper who was convicted two years ago of drowning his two associates, Mills and Wilkinson, by throwing them out of a boat while crossing the James river, has been refused a new trial, and will be hanged at Richmond, Va.

CLARK A PRIZE BIGAMIST

Lively Career of the Man Who Had a Wife in Every Town.

CAUGHT ON CHARGE OF LARCENY

Advertising for a Housekeeper, He Steals an Applicant's Trunk and Marries Another Woman Two Weeks Later--List of His Ventures.

Baltimore, March 22--Marshal Frey received today the following letter from Chief Police Inspector Watts, of Boston:

"I see by the account in the papers that you have under arrest an old bigamist by the name of James Clark, and from the photograph that appeared in your papers we identified him here as a man known to us as James Klyler, alias Franklin Brown, who was brought from New York on April 12, 1892, pleaded guilty to adultery, and was sentenced May 18, 1892, to state prison for three years, and was discharged Dec. 29, 1894. Aug. 6, 1891, under the name of Charles D. Scott, he married Mrs. E. D. Pickering at Equality, Ill.; Oct. 29, 1891, as Thomas Benton, he married Mrs. E. A. Walk, at Pittsburg, Pa.; Nov. 5, 1891, as Charles P. Benton, he married Miss Horning, at Sandusky, O.; Nov. 21, 1891, as James C. Taylor, he married Henrietta M. Coste, New York; Dec. 10, 1891, as Franklin Brown, he married Hattie D. Cwynne, in Boston, and I am informed that there are several others that he married in the same way." Clark was placed on trial today charged with the larceny of two trunks valued at \$300 from Mrs. Saddle Fields. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

On February 2 Clark advertised in the daily papers for a housekeeper to go to California to take charge of his home. Mrs. Field applied for the position, was engaged and gave Clark two trunks to be shipped to her supposedly new abode. Clark and the trunks disappeared. Two weeks later he was arrested in York, Pa. It has developed that while the negotiations were in progress with Mrs. Field, Clark, under the name of James L. Lee, had on March 5, married Mrs. Sarah L. Cullen, of this city. Mrs. Cullen also answered Clark's advertisement, and when he proposed marriage to her, accepted.

Clark was sentenced today to the penitentiary and said that he pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny in the hope of avoiding publicity. He told the police where he had pawned his newest wife's wedding ring.

DEMENTED FIREBUG.

Miss Delaney, of Oskosh, Is Charged with Having Attempted to Burn Catholic Churches at Washington.

Washington, March 22--The police have under arrest a woman giving the name of Miss Mary Delaney, as being the incendiary who attempted yesterday to burn the Catholic churches in this city by setting fire to them with kerosene.

According to her own statement she is a native of Oskosh, Wis., but for the last twelve years has wandered about in different cities, eking out a living in the capacity of music teacher, nurse, hospital attendant, dressmaker and canvasser for fashion magazines. She reached Washington in the latter part of November last. She was unable to secure employment, and then appealed to Catholic priests for help. She has left unpaid board bills in nearly all the leading hotels here, the latest one victimizing the Elmore, where she was arrested.

At the station house, a careful examination of her clothes was made, and a strong odor of kerosene was found. Asked about it, she replied: "Oh, that's easily accounted for, they put oil in the water in my room at the Elmore just to worry me."

HE HAD A CONSCIENCE.

Michigan Man Admits Having Burned His House Thirteen Years Ago.

Lansing, Mich., March 22--Warren Simpson, a farm laborer about 19 years old, came to Lansing today, and in the presence of Judge Dolan, Deputy Sheriff McKee and two witnesses, confessed to having set fire to his house in Williamson township in December, 1892.

He said he was perfectly aware of what he was doing and realized that he was likely to be sent to prison for a term of years, but in the thirteen years which had elapsed since the crime was committed he had not had one moment's peace of mind. He collected \$25 from the insurance company, but is now without money or property.

MILITIA TO DISBAND.

The National Guard of Missouri in Serious Financial Straits.

St. Louis, Mo., March 22--The state of Missouri is in danger of being without citizen soldiers within the next three months. The National Guard of Missouri is in serious financial straits, and as the legislature has refused to pass a bill granting an appropriation for maintaining the militia organization, the soldiers are preparing their resignations.

Although the situation is anything but encouraging for the existence of the National Guard.

Divorced from Von Per Ahe. St. Louis, March 22--Chris Von Per Ahe, president of the St. Louis Base Ball club, did not plead to his wife's petition for divorce, and Mrs. Von Per Ahe was awarded a decree by default this morning. She charged him with infidelity.

Troops for Cuba. Havana, March 22--The steamer Santa Domingo arrived at Santiago today with 500 Spanish troops. The steamers Alfonso XII and Antonio Lopez, with Spanish troops for Cuba, arrived at Porto Rico this afternoon.

Two Years for Lindsay. Omaha, Neb., March 22--Fugitive Lindsay, of this city, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary today at Plattsmouth for manslaughter, in killing Fletcher Robinson, the prize fighter, last year.

Maine's High Hat Bill. Augusta, Me., March 22--A bill was introduced in the house today making it a misdemeanor punishable by fine or imprisonment for women to wear large hats at places of public amusement.

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BIG SENSATION AT HAZLETON

Young Woman Who Had Been Deceived Bought a Gun and Started Upon the Warpath--George Had Business Elsewhere.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., March 22--A woman giving her name as Maud Stewart, but identified as Liva Van Loon, of Plymouth, Pa., created a sensation on the streets of Hazleton tonight by attempting to shoot George E. Archbald, of Providence, Pa. At the hearing which took place some very startling evidence was given. The girl claims to have been ruined by Archbald. She stated that he some time ago secured a marriage certificate and showed it to her father and grandparents at Plymouth, and declared that they were married. They lived with her parents as man and wife subsequently until she discovered that he was already married. Realizing her shame she left her father's home.

Three weeks ago she learned that he was in Hazleton. Going there she discovered him in Evenson's saloon. Immediately afterward she purchased a revolver, but Archbald seeing that he was discovered left the saloon and went to the Maple cottage, where he boarded. She located him there and he again left suddenly, she following him. Fearing that she intended to harm him he notified the chief of police, whom he met on Laurel street, near Broad. The chief of police arrested the young woman and found the pistol concealed beneath her coat. She was locked up.

UNITED AFTER MANY YEARS.

Southern Soldier and His Sweetheart Married After Thirty-two Years.

Phillip, W. Va., March 22--A romantic courtship, which began thirty-two years ago in this place, terminated happily on Tuesday night when Sabius Main and Sarah J. Simpson were married. In 1863 Main, while a member of the Confederate army, met Miss Simpson in Phillip and, after a hasty courtship, they became engaged. Main was called away.

In 1861 he again came to Phillip with a Confederate detachment, and was again hurried away. Since then Miss Simpson, who never married, heard nothing of her lover and mourned him as dead. Recently she received a letter from him dated in a town in West Virginia. The old match was rearranged and the couple were united.

DIAMONDS FOR A COACHMAN.

A Conservator of a Connecticut Woman's Property Appointed to Prevent Gifts.

Norwich, Conn., March 22--Dr. Patrick Cassidy was today appointed conservator of the property of Mrs. "Diamond" Johnson, the result of proceedings instituted by the latter's husband, Mr. Johnson, at the situation today. "I am confident that there is a general improvement under way. The earnings of the Western Union Telegraph company are a good index of business conditions and reflect an increase of about 50 per cent over that of last year."

PREVENTS AN ACCIDENT.

Farmer Waldin Discovers a Burning Bridge and Warns a Train.

Burlington, Ia., March 22--A farmer named Waldin prevented a terrible accident early this morning. He discovered that a Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern railroad bridge, eight miles south of this city, had been burned, and knowing that the regular passenger train was due in a short time, walked two miles down the track and stopped the train by waving a burning brand.

The train carried nearly 100 passengers, besides much valuable express and baggage.

Getting His Shears Ready. New York, March 22--George J. Gould believes that better times have set in. He said in the situation today: "I am confident that there is a general improvement under way. The earnings of the Western Union Telegraph company are a good index of business conditions and reflect an increase of about 50 per cent over that of last year."

Army of the Cumberland. Washington, March 22--General H. V. Boynton, corresponding secretary of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, has been authorized by General Rosecrans, its president, to appoint the next annual reunion of that society at Chickamauga on Sept. 18, being the day before the dedication of the National Military park.

Died Near Home. Bethlehem, Pa., March 22--Nathan Brofsky, a peddler from Boston, had both legs cut off on the railroad today and died at the hospital. He was on his way home from San Francisco, leaving his wife on a train most of the journey. The accident happened when he was within a few miles of his destination.

John L. Sullivan Has Pneumonia. Boston, Mass., March 22--Ex-Champion John L. Sullivan has been confined to his bed at his sister's residence on Brooks avenue, for several days with pneumonia, but physicians who are attending him expect him to be fully recovered in at least another week.

Queen and Her Cabinet. Madrid, March 22--The queen regent received Senor Sant Saneza several times today, but was unable to arrange with him for a new cabinet. She then summoned Canovas Del Castillo.

Marching to Chitral. Calcutta, March 22--Advices have been received here that a British detachment, which is marching to Chitral, has been attacked by the natives and defeated. One officer and several privates were killed.

Landslide at Bellaria. Rome, March 22--The village of Bellaria was overwhelmed today by a landslide. It is believed that many persons were killed.

LOBSTERS GET LIBERTY.

Boston Authorities Dump a Confiscated Lot in the Charles River.

Boston, March 22--Three thousand confiscated "short" lobsters were dumped into the Charles river near its mouth yesterday. They had been shipped from Canada, and were consigned to a real fish commission dealer, although their ultimate destination was New York.

The seizure will bring to an abrupt termination an illicit trade that for some time past has been plying between New York and the British provinces. The man who handled the lobsters in transit from the steamer to the rail-road station is liable to a fine of \$15,000.

THREE KILLED IN A DUEL.

Brothers Shot by James Britton After He Is Fatally Wounded.

Moridan, Miss., March 22--A dispatch from Toomsula brings news of a triple killing at Keenawee, a small station on the Alabama Great Southern road yesterday afternoon. The parties to the affair were Ben and Allen Pringle, brothers, aged respectively 27 and 35 years, and James Britton, aged 39 years.

It is reported that the parties met on the farm of Henry Smith, adjoining their premises, well armed, when an old quarrel was started anew, and one of the Pringle boys shot Britton in the



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SHOW FOR GRIGSBY'S BILL

Measure Is Resurrected by Mr. Harvey, of Luzerne.

SPECIAL ORDERS ARE ASKED

Use of the Hall of the House Is Granted Hon. Charles Emory Smith on the Occasion of a Silver Speech.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Harrisburg, March 22--The Grigsby road bill has been given another show. It went down on second reading last Wednesday, and it was thought that was the last of it. This morning it was resurrected by Mr. Harvey, of Luzerne, by the introduction of a resolution that the vote be reconsidered by which it was defeated. The resolution went through before the opponents of the measure knew what had been done. Mr. Grigsby followed with a motion to postpone for the present. This was adopted, and the bill was laid aside until Mr. Grigsby is ready to call it up. Mr. Harvey, of Luzerne, secured a special order for his bill to encourage the use of wide tires on wagons. Mr. Ritter, of Philadelphia, protested against making special orders for such measures as this, but for once the house was against the member from Philadelphia. Mr. Garvin, of Delaware, was allowed a special order for his bill, repealing the law for the incorporation of the village of Darby into a borough.

The use of the hall of the house was granted to Hon. Charles Emory Smith, of the Philadelphia Press, for next Thursday evening to reply to an address on free silver, to be given in the house next Thursday evening by Charles Heber Clark, secretary of the Philadelphia Manufacturers' club. A movement is on foot to invite Congressman Charles W. Stone, of Warren, to make an address on the currency question.

A bill was introduced by Mr. Reed, of Philadelphia, appropriating \$1,000 to the German Home society, York, road and Hunting Park avenue, Philadelphia. Mr. McClain, of Lancaster, put in a bill to authorize cities, boroughs and townships to appropriate moneys for Memorial day services. His colleague, Mr. Hervey, presented a bill to authorize the purchase by the governor and secretary of the commonwealth to purchase historical works relative to the services of the Pennsylvania volunteers during the civil war. A bill introduced by Mr. Talbot, of Chester county, appropriates \$2,000 for a monument in Upper Merion, Chester county, to commemorate the patriotism and mark the resting place of the soldiers of the Revolutionary war, war of 1812, the Mexican war and the Rebellion.

Mr. Fow was called to the chair after the reading of bills in place, and the calendar was cleared of first reading bills. A cart load of petitions and memorials was dumped on the speaker's desk. They were hurriedly read, and then the house adjourned until Monday evening at eight o'clock.

Ex-Governor Carnes Dead. Omaha, Neb., March 22--Ex-Governor Carnes died yesterday at Seward. He was born in Butler, Pa., in 1844. In 1866 he went to Illinois, and also lived in Missouri and California. In 1870 he settled at Seward and engaged in the grain business. He was a member of the constitutional convention of 1875, a state senator and twice lieutenant-governor.

FOREIGN NEWS NOTES.

The United States war ship Castine has arrived at Port Said.

A boat from the missing Spanish war-ship Reina Regente was found on the beach at Malacca.

The inquest at Lowestoft, Eng., into the loss of the steamship Elbe, has been indefinitely postponed.

The Khedive warmly received Sultan Hey, who recently escaped from captivity among the Mahdists, and promoted him to the rank of pasha.

Count Kanitz's scheme for state control of the grain trade was rejected by the Prussian council of state, which urges protection of the sugar and spirit production, and favors bimetalism and a large rural credit system.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Admiral Mendez's squadron was yesterday at San Domingo.

The cruiser Montgomery arrived at Mobile yesterday from Truxillo.

J. P. Meola, the new Swiss minister, arrived at Washington Wednesday.

Mr. Van Benden, private secretary to Secretary Carlisle, is again ill of the grip.

Secretary Carlisle yesterday fined Jacob Dolmeyer, of Nebraska, \$1,000 for renting and selling beer from his brewery without paying the tax.

WEATHER REPORT.

For eastern Pennsylvania, fair; warmer; winds shifting to southerly.

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