Wall Street Sees Six Days of Unusual

BEAR INTEREST IS NEARLY OUT OF SIGHT

Optimists Still Control the Situation and the Outlook for a Continuance of the Uplift is

NEW YORK, Nov. 25 .- Henry Clews of the banking firm of Henry Clews & Co. writes of the situation in Wall street;

Another week of extraordinary activity in Wall street, with some abatement in the arder of buying, however, but no development of important bear selling. There is no apparent fimility about the general good undercurrent of the market. For the five days ending with the list inst. the sales of stocks aggregated 6,23,836 shares, or an average of 1,24,566 shares per day, which is a continuous activity unequalled in the transactions of the Stock exchange. The business with London has been of unparableled magnitude, the onlying on English account on Wednesday last being over 200,000 shares and the purchasing orders from Chicago and from the interior generally being set in ordinary scale. The extent of the buying on local account indicates an accession of confidence, arising from the outcome of the federal elections, exceeding all Another week of extraordinary activity in cession of confidence, arising from the outcome of the federal elections, exceeding all
anticipations and, at the same time, shows
an unusual abundance of surplus carnings
seeking translent employment.

Rarely has there been, in a great speculative boom, so little disposition to challenge a large rise in prices. It is true, that
among the more prudent of large operators
there has been some considerable realizing
of profits, but such offerings have been
freely taken. So eated is public opinion
over the confirmation of the gold basis and
the prospect of completion of currency reform that it is felt that all investments
have gained added value and that our whole
findnesal system has been placed upon a
more solid foundation. As yet it does not
fully appear what this appreciation in the
status of securities may be legitimately appraised at, but, judging from the avidity
of buying, there appears to be an extensive
willingness to invest at the higher prices
which have been reached. In some quarters
there is some misgiving lest an upward turn
in the rate of interest may check the rising
drift of values, and though this feeling no
doubt causes some hesitation in buying, yet
the effect on prices is not serious. Morene of the federal elections, exceeding all

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### Promises Permanency.

The extraordinary "bullish" aspect of the market of late reveals the extent and depth of the ante-election misgivings as to the mere possibility of the public vote resulting adversely to sound money and wholesome government. The alarm among the business community at the remote chance of such a result was so agure though not business community at the remote chance of such a result was so acute, though not demonstrative, as to induce a far more extensive suspension of investing than was at the time supposed to exist and the amount of funds thus kept out of permanent investment has been immense. In Europe, and especially at London, the same process of postponement, until our people had pronounced on these great national questions, was adopted. Foreigners regarded the election as placing the republic again ander a great cracial test and they had realized upon a considerable amount of American securities pending the finding of the verdict. The overwheiming vote in favor of conservative government carried with it such a weight of assurance and such an exuberance of public gratification that their missavings had been needless and that their all could be entrusted to the safekeeping of the republic with entire safety. On the day of the election, therefore, hundreds of millions of unemployed home capital was set free for employment and European investors stood ready to repurchase the securities on which they had frevtously realized. To what extent foreigners have been led to increase their investments it is impossible as yet to ascertain, but the tenor of private advices is to the effect that the elevation of American credit resulting from the election will lead to a large permanent increase in the investment holdings in England and on the continent. of such a result was so acute, though not suiting from the election will lead to a large permanent increase in the investment holdings in England and on the continent. These are largely invisible factors in the situation, but their influence on the market is evident from the unprecedented London purchase on this market.

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The foregoing factors are of much greater magnitude than has been generally supposed and as they are real and legitimate their effect upon the market is not surprising. There is also another little observed factor which is having an important effect upon investment transactions. Among investors there is a growing dissatisfaction with the low rate of earnings upon investors there is a growing dissatisfaction with the low rate of earnings upon irrst-class securities, especially railroad bonds. Railroad stocks have been largely rejected because of the uncertainty of their earnings. During recent years, however, the restraints on new railroad building, the improving regulation of rail competition, the more intelligent and economical management, the increasing traffic and the rising scale of net earnings—these causes have produced an important gain in the investment value of this class of securities, which is now beginning to be understood and appreciated. The result of this tendency is apparent in current realizings upon railpreciated. The result of this tendency is apparent in current realizings upon rail-road bonds and the reinvestment of the proceeds in approved railroad stocks. The result of this transposition of investments is distinctly apparent in the comparative neglect of bonds in the current boom.

#### Important Changes Progressing. These considerations plainly suggest that

These considerations plainly suggest that an important change in the investment status of railroad stocks is now in process, which must be recognized in any competent estimate of the future value of that class of securities, or of the true meaning of the present extraordinary boom. In the present activity operators may better understand the situation of affairs if they appreciate the extent to which the boom is the effect of a great investment movement. That fact lays a sounder basis for the That fact lays a sounder basis for the speculative movement that has been built upon it and justifies the expectations that when the natural reaction comes, there will be less exposure to extreme declines in prices.

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Sanguine observers will find in the situation as it stands pienty of reason for expecting continued speculative and investment activity. We have had a long run of duliness in the market and revival was therefore to be naturally expected. The election has created a situation calculated to foster booms in many directions. Judging from common report the leading branches of industry are each promised their own booms. New corporations are forthcoming at a rate which promises a pronounced revival of the 'industrial' boom. If the China troubles should be satisfactorily settled we may look for a 'Celestial' boom with wide-reaching consequences. We seem destined, indeed, to enter the twentieth century in the midst of a bewilderment of booms. But, all enthusiasm apart, there does seem much solid promise of an era of prosperity that will give enhanced value to all forms of sound enterprise and, much as financial values have already risen, it would be venturesome to predict that they will not advance still further before the end has been reached. Reactions of more or lesse severity of course are now in order and must be expected. We recommend for the present quick in-and-out turns rather than buying for long pulis. The frequent fluctuations hereafter will be very profitable to the nimble operator who catches them.

#### BOURSE IS PESSIMISTIC

Berlin Stock Market Notable for Wenkness in All Lines of Securities Throughout the Week.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—Uninfluenced by the New York markets the Berlin bourse last work resumed its pessimistic tone. All lines of securities were weak, coal and iron shares being particularly so and losing almost the recent gains. This reaction is variously explained; in addition to the renewal of unsatisfactory reports from the Beichising contemplating a tariff war with the United States and the motion emanating from the same quarter, to intensify the exils of the bourse law, there were depressing factors in the general anxiety regarding the carr and the publication of estimates of bank dividends showing lower returns than those of 1889.

All these elements combined to intensify reaction, Domestic government funds remained weak, although the decline in them was but slight. Swiss railway securities were heavily traded in. The quotations for Americans caused Germans to realize largely on their holdings.

The heavy amount of American securities recently sold in London and especially in New York changed the banking balances in favor of Germany, which, in the view of the Frankfurter Zeitung, relieves the market here of all fear of gold exports. Indeed, this journal considers it probable that gold will come from New York to pay for securities. Small sums of foreing gold have.

OF GREAT ACTIVITY

money market at the beginning of the monthly settlement shows great ease. The Cologne Gazette claims to have authoritative information that many of the recent American offers of iron in Germany were merely speculative, intended to depress the shares market.

The shipments of the coke syndicate for October reached 709,000 tons, 14 per cent above the shipments for October, 1899.

For October the income of the Prussian railways was 128,000,000 marks upon the income for October for last year.

According to the Frankfurter Zeitung the syndicate of Franco-American bankers, who were in negotiation with Switzerland regarding the loan for railway nationalization, broke off the negotiations, because the Swiss government desires to issue the loan on Swiss money and the bankers demand a foreign loan amounting to something between 150,000,000 and 300,000,000 francs.

The Vossische Zeitung approves Secretary Gazes order susmending the conver-The Vossische Zeitung approves Secre-tary Gage's order suspending the conver-sion of United States bonds on the ground that the expansion of national banknotes, through the conversion of bonds to lower interest, was producing an unhealthy plethora of money and threatening exces-sive speculation.

### LONDON EXCHANGE VERY BUSY

Week's Stock Business Conducted on Larger Scale Than at any Previous Time for Several Months.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Business on the Stock exchange last week was conducted on a scale larger than for months past. The advance established in American and home railroad securities stimulated dealings in other departments. The tendency, however, now is to realize and movements are fregular, although the market on the while is steady. What is termed the "star spangled boom" is steadily rising. The American market still leads the exchange and the public has begun to take a more active part, with large speculative and investment purchases and occasional realizations.

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Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Chesapeake & Ohio, Denver & Rio Grande and Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe stocks were in special demand throughout the week and, in spite of some checks, the undertone of the market was good. Yesterdsy's prices, however, although the closing figures were above the worst, showed a general decline. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul fell off 2½ points; Baltimore & Ohio, 1%; Baltimore & Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul fell off 2½ points; Baltimore & Ohio, 1%; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul fell off 2½ points; Baltimore & Ohio, 1%; Northern Pacific, ½; Union Pacific, ½; Southern Pacific, ½; Union Pacific, ½; New York, Ontario & Western, ½, and others from ½ to ½.

Mining shares were quiet and dull. Rands Mining shares were quiet and dull. Rands fell ½ point.

Money was in increased demand during the week, partly owing to borrowings by the Bank of England and partly to the expectations of issue of exchaquers announced yesterday, which hardened the market. The rates were as follows: Until Monday, 3034, per cent; for a week, 3440, 54, per cent; three-months' bills, 4 per cent.

### OMAHA SUBURBS.

Florence

Mrs. Alice Covert was a business visitor in Omaha Friday. There are a couple of cases of Cuban itch in mild form reported here.

Miss Fannie Morse of Omaha visited friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. Cox of Omaha visited with her mother, Mrs. Nancy Smith, Thursday. S. A. Godell made a business trip to Lyons Thursday to attend to his farm near that

A. J. Smith is building a new house near the depot, in which he will reside as soon as finished.

Miss Bertha Kruger of Omaha came out Tuesday evening to attend the Tracy-Wallace wedding

Ed Green and family of Irvington, Neb. are spending a few days here visiting with his mother, Mrs. Louis Green. Frank Courtright and Clyde Cluck have returned from Rawlins, Wyo., where they

Elmer Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor, was married Thursday to Hattle Martin at the home of the groom's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will reside at 3319 Latimore street. Omaha.

Mrs. Anne Corcoran, widow of the late W. J. Corcoran, will make her future home in Brooklyn, N. Y. She accompanied the remains there and lately had her household effects shipped to that place.

S. P. Wallace of Monticello, Wis., and Miss Eunice Tracy of this city were quietly married at the "Cedara" the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Tracy, Tuesday evening, Rev. F. C. Phelps, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace left Wednesday morning for Monticello, Wis., where they will visit relatives until December 1, when Mr. Wallace leaves for New Orleans, where he has been emplayed by J. B. Camors & Co. for the last Mrs. Wallace will spend the five years. winter with her mother and join Mr. Wallace early in the spring.

Services were held yesterday at the Methodist church at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Rev. Markley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Grove have taken rooms in the Benson hotel, where they will reside for a while. Mr. and Mrs. James Walsh and family

have moved into Benson, from Elkhorn, and will reside here in the future. The laying of the new motor track has been completed and the car barn has been

moved back from the street about fifteen Mrs. Dr. Lee, who has been at the home

of her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Horten, for several weeks past, went to Lincoln last Thursday morning. Messrs. George and Ed Stiger went to

Noble's lake to join a hunting party. They returned last Monday evening and reported splendid results and plenty of game in that vicinity. At the regular meeting of the Clover

Leaf Rebekah lodge the officers for the

dangerously ill. The Dundee Woman's club will meet on

Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Harte, on California street. Rev. Jenkins and family have recently

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cornfed Cattle Are Ten to a Quarter Lower for Week and Feeders Also.

MARKET ACTIVE AND HIGHER

Fat Sheep and Lambs Sold Steady All Week and Choice Feeders Also Brought Fully Stendy Prices.

SOUTH OMAHA, Nov. 24. re: Cattle Hogs Sheep ay 5,100 4,295 4,598 day 4,362 12,199 7,01 esday 5,03 9,970 5,05 Official Monday
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Official Thursday Official Thursday 2.647 11.286 Official Friday 2.768 9.059 Official Saturday 1,185 10.394 Total this week 21.065 57.165 Week ending Nov 17 20.161 38.493 Week ending Nov 19 8.305 25.424 Week ending Nov 3 17.591 30.370 Week ending Oct 27 17.803 30.071 Average price paid for hogs for the last reveral days, with comparisons:

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The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: 

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each boyer purchasing the number of head indicated: 2.015 0.009 0.009 1.468 rmour, from Sloux City . Vansant & Co. 19 Hill & Huntzinger 5 Other buyers 41

have been the last two weeks working on

rounded. Askle from those there was not to make the sale from those there was not to make the was in about the usual Saturday condition.

Rochester Lighting Plant.

Rochester Lighting

as \$4.95 was paid for several of the choice lightweight hogs. At the high time the market was 10c higher than yesterday general market, it was a good, lively market from start to finish, so that

Leaf Rebekah lodge the officers for the coming term were elected. Venerable Guardian I. M. Smith and Secretary E. A. Stiger were elected to fill vacancies.

The second burglary this month was committed in this place last Sunday night, when thieves entered the barber shop and a saloon across the street, securing something at each place and getting away unseen.

The Ladies' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. C. Stiger last Thursday afternoon. A 10-cent lunch was served, from which over \$2 were realized, which goes toward the church debts. The women intend giving a lunch each month. No meeting will be held next Thursday.

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The supply of hogs at all market points has been very heavy the last week. Chicago in particular has had a phenominal run and the receipts at this point have been the heaviest since the week ending July ii. In spite of that fact, the market has been a glance at the close are higher than they receipt at this point have been in good season. The extreme close, however, was hardly as good as the best time, Chicago closing with part of the advance lost.

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today to make a test of the market. A few feeders arrived, but no material change in the market was noticeable.

There has been a good, active market all the week on both sheep and lambs, in spite of the fact that the demand for mutton has been curtailed to some extent on account of the big supply of poultry. The supply of fat stuff has not been excessive, though, as compared with last week, there is a gain of 1.1% head, and, as compared with the corresponding week of last year, there is a gain of 6.4% head. The situation can best be described by calling it a good, steady, active market all the week, prices being the same at the close of the week as they were at the opening. Lambs of course are not as high as they were at the best time last week, but they are about steady with the close of last week. The feeder market has also been in good shape. Choice wethers are in big demand and prices strong. Choice lambs are also fully steady, but common young lambs or o'd ewes are rather hard to move and prices a little weak. Anything at all desirable, however, is just about steady for the week.

Outstilled.

the week. Quotations: Choice fed wethers, \$3.850, 4.66; fair to good fed wethers, \$3.6503.85; choice grass wethers, \$3.5503.80; fair to good grass wethers, \$3.5503.50; fair to good ewes, \$3.0003.75; choice spring limbs, \$4.9509.35; fair to good ewes, \$3.0003.75; choice spring limbs, \$4.9509.30; feeder ewes, \$2.550, \$3.00; feeder wethers, \$5.5003.75; feeder tatus, \$4.6509.45;

of tail-enders sold 15925c lower; native steers, \$4.7595.60; stockers and feeders, \$2.2594.50; butcher cows and helfers, \$1.0095.40; canners, \$2.5095.00; fed westerns, \$3.5095.40; wintered Texans, \$3.5095.90; grass Texans, \$3.0093.50; caives, \$3.5095.60; grass Texans, \$3.0093.50; caives, \$3.5095.60; mass Texans, \$3.0093.50; caives, \$3.5095.60; mass Texans, \$3.0093.60; caives, \$3.5095.60; head; Market active at 5c advance; receipts this week, 75.000 head; very little change in values, the packing demand continuing very active; heavy, \$4.0095.00; mixed, \$4.8094.95; light, \$4.8094.95; pigs, \$4.8094.75; light, \$4.8094.95; pigs, \$4.8094.75; light, \$4.8094.95; pigs, \$4.8094.75; light, \$4.8094.95; light, \$4.8094.95; pigs, \$4.8094.75; light, \$4.8094.95; light, \$4.8094.95

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Nominally Steady-Hogs Five Cents Higher-sheep Stetndy. CHICAGO. Nov. 24.—CATTLE-Receipts. 200 head. Market nominally steady; ca-10 tives, good to prime steers, \$5.2635.75; poor medium, \$4.20@4.15; selected feeders, \$3.75

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

SGUTH ST. JOSEPH, Nov. 24.—(Special.)

—The Journal quotes:
CATTLE — Receipts, 700 head; market steady; quality common; natives, \$4.0095.25;
Texas and westerns, \$3.2506.25; cows and heiters, \$2.0074.50; bulls and stage, \$2.0074.20; yearlings and caives, \$3.0094.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.0094.00; veals, \$4.0098.25; htokers and feeders, \$3.0094.00; veals, \$4.0098.25; htokers and feeders, \$3.0094.00; bulk of sales, \$4.924.94.97.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 200 head; market steady.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24—BEEVES—Recepts, 1.146 head; all for exporters and
slaughterers; little trading; feeding steady;
cables unchanged; exports, 1.016 cattle, 138
sneep and 2,000 quarters of beef. Veals,
nominal; grassers, 22,2502.50
p. SHEFFP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,434
head, Market slow; sheep, 2,0003.75; culls,
\$1.50; common to good lambs, \$4,0004.874,
HOGS—Receipts, 4,72 head; nothing doing.
Market nominally steady. New York Live Stock

Stock in Sight. Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets November 24: Cattle, Hogs Sheep. Totals ..... 2.085 41,694 2.550

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 25.—Fire this afternoon wrecked the plant of the Citizens'

of his men to dig it out and the fellow refused, whereupon Sneed grabbed a pick and set at work to perform the unpleasant task himself. His pick suddenly came in contact with the dynamite and an explosion followed. Sneed's head was blown off, but no one else was hurt.

Secretary is Returning. ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Nov. 25 .- The steamer Kanawha, with Secretary of War Root and Governor General Wood of Cuba. lay off this port all day, expecting to cross the bar this evening, but had to give up and sail for Jacksonville, whence Secretary Root will go by rail to Washington. Governor General Wood will join Mrs. Wood and the children here and leave for Havana with

them tomorrow. Wilson's Condition Critical. WASHINGTON, Nov. 25 .- The condition of Hon. George W. Wilson, commissioner of internal revenue, is critical tonight. He weaker than on yesterday, but still retains consciousness. Mrs. Wilson, who was absent from the city when the commissioner was stricken, has returned to the city with her daughter, Mrs. Pardonner.

Colorado College Passes Resolutions. Colorado College Passes Resolutions.
COLORADO SPRINGS. Colo., Nov. 25.—
A mass meeting was held in the chapel of
Colorado college this afternoon to express
sentiments on the Limon lynching. The
building was packed and resolutions denouncing mob law and a reversion to the
days of barbarity were passed unanimously.
The resolutions closed with the following
appeal to the people of the United States:
"We protest to our countrymen throughout the land that, as a law-abiding people,
we share with them the hazards of mob
chillition in revolt at nameless horrors and
claim with them to be judged not by flagrant exceptions, but by the steady peace
and order of our daily life."

Steamer Captain Dies of Fever. Steamer Captain Dies of Fever.

12.25/23.50: fair to good ewes \$1.00/23.50: knew YORK, Nov. 25.—The British fruit steamer adder arrived today from Port Steamer & Adler arrived today from Port Limon and reported that Captain W. Reid of that steamer had died of yellow fever on November 1. The authorities at Port Limon would not allow the burial of the body ashore and the Adler was obliged to steam outside the harbor and bury the remains at sea. Captain Reid was 30 years of age and a native of Aberdeen, Scotland. The chief officer, Mr. Walte, brought the steamer to this port. The Adler salied from New Orleans October 17 for Boca del Toro

Conduct Ingersoll Memorial Meeting

Conduct Ingersoil Memorial Meeting in Cincinnati, Which is Attended by Very Large Crowd.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 25.—At the morning session of the congress of the American Secular Union and Free Thought federation letters were read from absent members. Addresses by Mrs. Henry and Dr. J. B. Wilson, the president-elect, were followed by a general discussion. The Grand opera house was crowded during the afternoon at the lingersoil memorial meeting, when addresses were made by Judge C. B. Walte of Chicago, Dr. Whetmore of Baltimore, Mrs. Josephine K. Henry of Versailles, Ky., Clarence S. Darrow of Chicago, T. B. Wakeman of Oregon and others.

Coal Crops Out.

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 25.—Coal outcrops have been fixed seventeen miles along Thignik bay, 325 miles this side of Unimak Pass. Alaskant. Claims covering the best part of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The analysis of the Apolic killing thay, 325 miles this side of Unimak Pass. Alaskant Calaims covering the best part of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The analysis of the Apolic killing thay also the set of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The analysis of the Apolic killing thay also the set of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of these vast deposits have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of the Apolic killing have been filed by miners employed by Thomas Magon. The sale of the Apolic ki gon and others.

The session of three days closed at Col-914.40; mixed stockers, \$2.2593.75; cows, \$2.70 lege hall tonight, when addresses were made

Cooks Himself in Hot Springs. Citizens of Pagosa Springs were horrified by the discovery of the body of a man in the hot spring. The body was at once removed and was found to be literally cooked. The temperature of the untempered water of the apring is over 160 degrees. Investigation disclosed the fact that the man was a stranger who had given the name of Smith and nothing was discovered that would solve his identity. He was without money and it is supposed he chose to commit sufcide in this novel manner. cide in this novel manner.

Because Whole Truth Was Not Told.

And thence for Port Limon. It is thought that Captain Reid contracted the disease at Boca del Toro. The Adler is held at quarantine for disinfection.

FREE THINKERS PAY RESPECT

The cancelling a \$50.000 life insurance policy written by the United States Life insurance company for the late Herman M. Cable of Evanston. The cancellation was made because of constructive fraud in fall-ure to state to the agent of the insurance company the serious nature of the applicants lines.

Coal Crops Out.

Admires Nicaraguan Republic.

TACOMA. Wash. Nov. 25.-P. C. O'Rourke is here visiting after three years' residence in Nicaragua, where he has acquired land sufficient to plant 42.00 coffse plants, from which he expects part of a crop next year. O'Rourke is an enthusiastic admirer of the Nicaraguan republic and says that the native people of that country would welcome an opportunity for annexation to the United States. They look upon it as the mother country, call themselves Americans and take a keen interest in everything that transpires in this country. They have not had a revolution now for two years. President Zeleya is exceedingly friendly to foreigners, particularly Americans. Admires Menraguan Republic.

Believed to Have Been Drugged.
PERU, Ind., Nov. 25.—The decomposed bodies of Jerry and Patrick Holland, brothers, aged 62 and 56 years, respectively, were found in their house today. No marks of violence were evident and as the men when last seen, eight or ten days ago, were drinking, it is believed they were drugged, the poison taking effect soon after they reached home. Jerry possessed considerable property, while Patrick was compactively poor. An investigation to be made



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