

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

Secretary Wilson is recovering from illness superinduced by hard work during the campaign. The furniture factory of Kilgour Bros., at Beauharnois, Quebec, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000. Secretary Moody has issued a formal order directing Admiral George Dewey to assume command of the Caribbean sea division in the coming maneuvers. Richard Olney has a nephew, Richard Olney, who has been elected a member of the Massachusetts legislature as a democrat. He is 31 years old. John Bell Bouton, for about thirty years an editor and proprietor of the New York Journal of Commerce, died at his home in Cambridge, Mass., aged 72 years. Auditor Lawshe figures up the losses to the Philippine treasury on account of the depreciation of silver since January, including the last decline, at \$1,054,000 gold. Advices received from Canton, China, are to the effect that the Kawangsi rebels have captured the prefectural city of Szeifu, and also several district cities in the same prefecture. The Bolivian military expedition of two thousand men, being fitted out to operate against the Brazilian revolutionists in Acre, cannot arrive at its destination under four months. The capture in Ottumwa, Ia., of Fletcher Franklin, charged with horse stealing and murder, reveals the existence of a gang of horse thieves operating in southern Iowa, Missouri and Kansas. A body of ladores recently defeated a detachment of sixteen constabulary at Dolores, island of Leyte. The latter made a desperate resistance and fought until their ammunition was expended. Communications were sent out from Chicago to a score or more of western stove manufacturers giving instructions to put into effect at once a 10 per cent raise in the price of all kinds of stoves. The Lake Shore Railway company has announced an advance of 10 per cent in wages to all switchmen employed by the company outside of Chicago. The advance commences from November 1st. The United States department of agriculture does not agree with Dr. Koch. It reports that its experiments prove that tuberculosis is readily transmitted from cattle when the condition of the subject is suitable. Bishop John Janse of the Catholic diocese of Belleville, Ill., has resigned his bishopric and as soon as he is released by the pope, he says he will retire to a Franciscan monastery to end his days in seclusion. According to D. A. Turner of Milford, Utah, an old volcano in the Wasatch range in southern Utah, between Beaver and Piute counties, which apparently has been extinct for centuries, has broken out afresh. Jeremiah Buckley, proprietor of the Limerick Leader, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment at hard labor for inciting to intimidation and conspiracy although he advised the people to keep within the law. Officers of the Farmers Loan and Trust company of Sioux City, whose bank at Arthur, Ia., was robbed of \$2,300, have offered \$1,000 for the capture of the robbers, and will also give the amount taken, if it is recovered. The municipal council of Cienfuegos, Cuba, has appointed H. J. Reilly of New York to draw plans and specifications with the view of the constructing of a market water works and sewer system at an estimated cost of \$4,000,000. President Roosevelt's work, "The Strenuous Life," has found its way into Italy through the French translation. All the press comments on the book are of the most favorable character and they eulogize the president as a man, as a citizen, a soldier and a ruler. In the United States district court at St. Louis Judge Adams sentenced W. W. Chinn, proprietor of Verona matrimonial bureau, to eighteen months in the Missouri penitentiary on the charge of using the mails to defraud. Chinn pleaded guilty to the indictment. The total vote cast for secretary of state in Ohio at the recent election was \$11,467, as officially announced. The official returns of the election in Pennsylvania show that Pennypacker, republican, had a plurality over Pattison, democrat, of 156,410. An insurrection has broken out in northern Siam owing to the alleged exaction of the government agents. The imports of France for the last ten months decreased \$876,600, and the exports for the same period increased \$34,601,400.

TO GET TOGETHER

MINERS AND OPERATORS TO SETTLE THEIR DIFFERENCES.

THE COMMISSION ADJOURNS

Disposition to Avoid Prolonged Hearing of Cause—Ten Per Cent Increase, Nine-Hour Day and Trade Agreement. SCRANTON, Pa.—The miners and mine owners have agreed to attempt to adjust their differences without the aid of the strike commission. The proposition was made on a compromise basis, and negotiations, it is expected, will at once be entered upon with a reasonable hope of settlement. The proposition which is to form the basis of negotiations, comprise three points. 1. A 10 per cent increase in wages. 2. A nine-hour day. 3. A trade agreement between the men and their employer. The only one of the four demands not touched upon is that of weighing coal by the legal ton. While both sides have expressed a willingness to settle their differences among themselves, this does not necessitate the acceptance of the terms proposed. They are only mentioned as a basis for the negotiations and it is possible the whole scheme may be wrecked by either party holding out too strongly on some one point, and thus forcing the whole matter back into the hands of the commissioners, who in the meantime will act as a sort of a board of conciliation. The move created a wild sensation when it became known. It is said it was all brought about by both sides seeing that the proceedings before the commission would be indeterminate, and in the intermingling of lawyers, the present proposition materialized. It cannot be officially stated which party first made the suggestion. Attorneys for both sides are averse to talking and different stories are afloat. Counsel for one of the railroads said it came from the miners' side, while one lawyer for the miners said it came from the operators. Another representative of the miners said it was a "spontaneous" proposition. It is generally believed, however, that the operators were the first to make the proposition. Wayne MacVeagh, is indeed, generally given credit for the present situation. He went to New York after he had finished with Mr. Mitchell and had a conference with certain persons, among them, it is said, with J. P. Morgan. The commissioners were informed of the new turn of affairs Friday night and acquiesced in the arrangement. The proposition did not even directly come up during the public hearing Friday, and adjournment was made, nominally, to permit both sides to complete their documentary evidence. Clarence S. Darrow, near the close of the session, suggested that the miners be given more time to prepare their evidence. They wanted to present the wage statements of thousands of miners, and they found the task a stupendous one. They also wanted to carefully examine the companies books and this, too, would take considerable time. MORE SUPPORT FOR CANNON. Michigan and Ohio Will Both Vote for Him for Speaker. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Ten of the eleven republican congressmen in Michigan met here Thursday and discussed the speakership of the house. A formal motion was carried that the Michigan delegation go on record in favor of the candidacy of Joseph Cannon of Illinois. COLUMBUS, O.—At a conference held here Thursday twelve of the republican congressmen-elect of Ohio declared in favor of Cannon of Illinois as speaker of the house. Two members, Messrs. Jackson and Morgan, are pledged to support Burton of Ohio. CODY LEAVES FOR EUROPE. His Last Trip With Show Either in This Country or Abroad. CODY, Wyo.—In an interview Friday Colonel W. F. Cody said: "I will leave tomorrow for New York, from which port our show sets sail in ten days for Europe. This will be my last trip, abroad or at home, in the show business. I was born a pioneer, have lived a pioneer and desire to die as a pioneer of this great country. "My idea of a rough rider school to be established at Cody is by no means given up. It has been delayed, but will be organized and pushed through to success next season. This school will be an important factor in training our hardy young men for the cavalry service and you may say the school will be a sure go." Some people always appear to be hopelessly mildewed.

AS TO ILLEGAL FENCING.

Mosby Takes Issue Regarding an Interview.

WASHINGTON.—Colonel Mosby, special agent of the general land office, charged with the duty of reporting illegal fences on the public domain in Nebraska, is not at all satisfied with the interview which was published, with District Attorney Summers. Colonel Mosby stated he had made no agreement with District Attorney Summers that proceedings in court against the fence men should be withheld until after sixty days had expired. He stated that he had no lawful right to make such an agreement, nor had the district attorney. "My letters to Colonel Summers," said Colonel Moody, "will show that I complained against the violation of the fencing law in Nebraska long since and that I stated that the statutes regarding illegal fencing were a dead letter so far as Nebraska was concerned. The general land office, in its instructions, directs special agents to give to cattlemen sixty days' notice within which to pull down the fences, but the act of congress requires a district attorney to institute suit to remove a fence as soon as an affidavit is filed complaining of it. I had no right to repeal the statute. I was appointed to enforce the law by calling the attention of the district attorney to illegal fences and it was his business to bring suit to remove the same. If Mr. Summers has not been apathetic then why has he not resented my letters complaining of his apathy? The letters which I have written to him regarding this matter, covering a period of several months, are made part of my report. Complaints were filed a year ago with Mr. Summers against Miller & Leith for the notorious negro entries which appear in the Alliance land office and later complaint was filed with this same officer of the government calling attention to illegal fences which they maintained, yet nothing was done by Mr. Summers to correct these gross violations of the statutes." THEY THANK ADMIRAL CASEY. Gallant Seaman is the Lion of the Hour. PANAMA.—The Star and Herald says that at the conference on board the Wisconsin a distinguished son of Uncle Sam, Rear Admiral Silas Casey, acted as a mediator and peacemaker, which conduct, it remarks, reflects great credit on a nation whose motives for doing good are too frequently disparaged. Admiral Casey, in a brilliant speech, extended to the negotiators his heartfelt good wishes, highly praising them for their judgment and patriotism and their arrangement of such an extremely delicate matter. General Cohas, chief of Minister of State Perdomo's staff, made an eloquent reply to this speech, and in the name of Colombia thanked the gallant admiral for the hospitality and attention the negotiators had received on board his flagship, and also for his generous intervention in the arrangement to bring about peace in that zone of Colombian territory. MANILA WANTS GOLD MONEY. Silver Drops Again, Squeezing Business and Government Men. MANILA.—Silver has suffered a further decline and the government has issued a proclamation making the official rate \$2.60 for \$1.00 gold. The former rate was \$2.50. The possibility of Mexico and the Straits Settlement adopting a gold standard have greatly weakened the Indiana and Asiatic silver market. Large quantities of Mexican silver are coming from China, as it is believed that much gold is being circulated here on account of government expenditures. Native officials are beginning to petition for salaries to be paid in gold. The secretary of finance says: "There is nothing to indicate a more hopeful future for the currency question. It will probably be as bad as now, if not worse, until congress acts and gives us a stable currency." Reading Advances Wages. PHILADELPHIA—A circular letter was issued Tuesday by the Philadelphia & Reading railway notifying the heads of all departments that "taking effect November 1, 1902, the wages of all employees will be equalized with those paid by railway companies in this vicinity." The increase will not take in the 10 per cent increase all around, as was the case of the Pennsylvania company, for the reason, it is said, that many Reading employees are now receiving higher salaries than those paid by the Pennsylvania and other roads in this section. Large Cattle Shipment. G. H. Ware of Mullen received 2,600 cows and calves here, which he bought from Harris, Franklin & Co. of Bellefourche, S. D. The cows looked fine, being in better shape than a majority of the cows shipped from here to the market. Mr. Ware's herd here now aggregates 7,900 head.

WILL NOT YIELD

CASTRO PROPOSES TO STAND UP AND DEMAND RIGHTS.

HE RESENTS FOREIGN ACTION

Insists that British Sloop of War Entered the Orinoco Without Any Permission—Protests Against German War Ships Landing Along Shore. CARACAS, Venezuela.—Discussing Venezuela's foreign relations, Dr. Lopez Baralt, minister of the interior, said: "Towards the United States Venezuela entertains the kindest feelings of friendship and she remembers with gratitude the attitude of the great republic in the past. Venezuela is determined, so far as she is concerned, that nothing shall occur to disturb in the slightest degree the existing understanding with the American legation and the friendly relations between the two countries. Venezuela has nothing to complain of over the way the various questions have been treated, and except for some pending questions her foreign relations have been of a cordial character. "The English government at Trinidad published a few days ago an official decree declaring the blockade of the Orinoco null and void. If there is any place where the blockade is effective it is the Orinoco, for, besides the land defenses, we have maintained several gunboats which have efficiently performed there all the duties pertaining to a blockade. "The English, too, are inconsistent, for while one journal at Trinidad published the decree declaring the blockade to be ineffective the Mirror, another publication, insists that Venezuela is loyally fulfilling her international duty in this respect. The British sloop-of-war Fantome entered the Orinoco without permission, and President Castro has directed a protest against this infringement on Venezuelan sovereignty. It has been recognized that the principal foreign ships shall ask permission to enter the mouth of the river, and we cannot understand the disregard of this rule. "A similar protest has been sent regarding the action of the German warship Panther, which also entered the Orinoco without permission. "Another act which has provoked astonishment was the hoisting of the British flag on the island of Patos. Venezuela's right to this island cannot be questioned. Geographically, historically and politically it is Venezuelan territory. "With the Island of Trinidad it is recognized as forming part of the old Spanish colony by the treaty of Amiens. Trinidad was ceded to Great Britain, but Patos remained, and was recognized as an integral part of Venezuela. The English claim to Patos is in no wise based on the act of the former Spanish government and was not recognized by Spain. If further reorganization of Venezuela's right is needed, the fact that the island is situated scarcely three miles from the mainland, while it is ten minutes from Trinidad, is sufficient. "Venezuela's position is shown by the facility with which we have replied to every argument in support of the British contention. Patos island is Venezuela's and must remain so." Russia Employs Americans. ST. PETERSBURG.—An American firm was on Monday awarded a \$1,000,000 contract to construct telephone conduits in this city. The contract calls for twenty miles of underground tubes to be laid by 1903. A Chicago firm has secured the contract for the switchboard. Will Stop the Bull Fight. SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Governor Yates has directed Colonel Oglesby to investigate a report to the effect that a bull fight is being advertised in Sullivan, Moultrie county, for Thanksgiving day. Sheriff Foster has been notified to prevent such a show. Makes Widow a Present. NEW YORK.—The sultan of Morocco has presented \$5,000 to Mrs. Cooper, widow of the English missionary who was murdered by a native last month and whose assassin was shot to death in front of a mosque on order of the sultan. Treasury Balance. WASHINGTON.—Wednesday's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$205,426,405; gold, \$113,905,011. Offers \$1,000 Reward. DENVER, Colo.—Governor Orman has offered a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest and conviction of the man who shot and killed Arthur L. Collins, general manager of the Smuggler-Union mines at Pandora, Colo.

CHINA'S TROUBLE.

The Rebels Capture the City of Szeifu.

VICTORIA, B. C.—Advices have been received from Canton to the effect that the Kawangsi rebels have captured the prefectural city of Szeifu and several district cities in the same prefecture. A number of the officials of the captured cities either committed suicide or were killed by the rebels, while some succeeded in escaping. It is stated on good authority that the rebels recently received a large consignment of provisions, magazine rifles and ammunition, which caused the rebellion to be renewed. Two battalions of troops have reached Canton en route to fight the rebels. From Szechuan news was received that General Ting had defeated the Boxers, capturing the fortress at Yang Tacchi, between Horcoun and Taihoo-hen. In Tsu Nhsien the imperial troops also repulsed the Boxers, killing 300 in a fight. Reports are now being received from the provinces of Yunnan and Kuenchou that the Boxers are massing in those provinces. A Peking correspondent of the North China Herald says the Chinese government is secretly planning another upheaval. From reliable sources he learns that the dowager empress has received reports from all viceroys and governors regarding the number of soldiers and amount of war munitions that can be raised, and instructions have been given to train the Manchus in the use of the rifle and in western drill. They are to be drafted to the different provinces to instruct the soldiery, this being part of the plan for another outbreak. BUFFALO BILL OPENS HOTEL. Announces at Same Time Engagement of His Youngest Daughter. CODY, Wyo.—Several interesting features marked the opening here Tuesday evening of the Hotel Irma, built by Colonel W. F. Cody at a cost of \$100,000 and named by him in honor of his youngest daughter, Miss Irma Cody. Colonel Cody and Miss Irma led the grand march when the festivities began, 600 guests from all parts of the west and northwest following the leaders. Before the banquet which marked the climax of the festivities he announced the engagement of Miss Irma Cody to Lieutenant Charles Armstrong, Tenth United States cavalry, a young officer who won honors in the Philippines. Colonel Cody's guests included Governor Savage of Nebraska, Colonel Frank Powell of St. Paul, Lieutenant Scott of Fort McKenzie and "Mountain Charlie," a well known scout. ARCHBISHOP GUIDI ARRIVES. Ready to Take Up Matter of Friars in Philippines. MANILA—Archbishop Guidi, apostolic delegate in the Philippines, arrived here Tuesday. A delegation of Roman Catholics boarded the steamer and escorted the prelate ashore. Captain Noble, the military aide-de-camp of Governor Taft, extended the official greetings. Archbishop Guidi proceeded from the wharf to the cathedral, where solemn services were held. He will make a formal call on Governor Taft, and it is expected that the plans for the negotiations looking for the settlement of the friars' lands question will be informally discussed on that occasion. Assassin's Shot Fatal. TELLURIDE, Colo.—Arthur L. Collins, general manager of the Smuggler-Union Mining company, who was shot by an unknown assassin on Wednesday night at Pandora, died Thursday morning. He was born in England thirty-three years ago. In consequence of the murder of General Manager Collins, the Smuggler-Union Mining company has closed its mines and mills for an indefinite period. The company employed between 400 and 500 men. Pistols at a Prize Fight. GUTHRIE, Okla.—Trouble arose at a prize fight in Oklahoma City Thursday night, and within a few seconds twenty-five shots were fired. Goldie Filson fell dead with five bullets in his head, his brother is fatally injured with a shot through the neck, and two unknown men were shot, one through the shoulder, the other through a leg. The prize fight reached its fourth round when the melee started. Must Vote in Person. ATCHISON, Kan.—Judge Hudson, in the district court on Wednesday, held that the new absentee railway employees' law permitting railroad men to vote when away from home on election day, to be unconstitutional. With the absentee railroad men's vote Peter Laughlin, fashionist, has a majority of five for the legislature from the country district. Without it U. B. Sharpless, republican, has a majority.

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London Sea Breezes. The manager of the Tivoli Music hall, London, has discovered an inventor who has found a way of turning out sea breezes at will. It consists only in a small machine which will stand in the promenade at the back of the grand circle, occupying about the space of a couple of people, and by the action of electricity upon certain chemicals make ozone in huge quantities and breathes it gently forth. It is to drive all the barbotinic acid out of the house and keep the Tivoli filled with as pure an atmosphere as nature makes on the sea. Sometimes it will be Brighton that will be laid on. A different pinch of the chemicals or a turn of the wheel, and it may be Bournemouth or Scarborough or Nice or any other place—where the air is good.

The X-ray in Dentistry. The X-ray is being used in dentistry with considerable success. It sometimes happens that the permanent or "second" teeth are not properly cut. The mouth is thus disfigured by the loss of the first set of teeth and the non-appearance of the second teeth. With the X-ray the dentist can determine whether the second tooth is in the gum, and if so, why it has not appeared. The obstruction is removed, a passage opened and the tooth works gradually down to its place.

Mrs. Hildebrandt's Discovery. Lake Sarah, Minn., Nov. 24th.—Mrs. Hildebrandt of this place claims to have discovered a complete cure for Rheumatism and numerous people can testify that as Mrs. Hildebrandt had the terrible affliction and is now a well woman, she appears to have good grounds for her claim. Mrs. Hildebrandt speaks of her cure as follows: "I had the Rheumatism in my arms so bad that I could not sleep at night. I was induced to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and before I had taken two boxes I was much better. When I had taken four boxes I was completely cured."

It is only fair to state that others have made the same discovery as Mrs. Hildebrandt and that for Rheumatism and other diseases arising from the Kidneys, Dodd's Kidney Pills are recognized as the one sure and permanent cure.

Attacks on wagon trains were included in the program of mimic war carried on at Fort Riley. Commanders should not forget that the earnestness of such attacks always depends on what is in the wagons.—San Francisco Bulletin.