

CUBA RECOGNIZED.

By a Vote of 41 to 14 the Senate Adopts Morgan's Resolution.

Result Wildly Applauded—Equal Rights to Both Sides—Substitute Motion for Mediation Voted Down—Vote in Detail.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The long and exciting debate on the joint resolution recognizing a state of war in Cuba and declaring that strict neutrality shall be maintained by the United States, passed the senate by the decisive vote of 41 to 14 at a late hour yesterday afternoon. The resolution as passed is as follows:

Resolved, That a condition of public war exists between the government of Spain and the government proclaimed and for some time maintained by force of arms by the people of Cuba, and that the United States of America shall maintain a strict neutrality between the contending parties, according to each all the rights of belligerents in the ports and territory of the United States.

An analysis of the vote shows that the affirmative was cast by 18 republicans, 19 democrats and 4 populists, and the negative by 13 republicans and 2 democrats.

Prior to the final vote, the motion of Senator Hale to refer the resolution to the committee on foreign relations, was tabled; yeas 34, nays 19.

Mr. Fairbanks, of Indiana, proposed a substitute, providing that the president extend the good offices of the United States to Spain toward securing an end to the conflict and ultimate independence of the island. This, too, was tabled; yeas 35, nays 15. Then followed the adoption of the original resolution.

The detailed vote on the passage of the resolution was as follows:

Bacon, Baker, Bate, Berk, Carter, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Clay, Cockrell, Culom, Davis, Deboe, Foraker, Gallinger, Gorman, Hansbrough, Harris of Kansas, Helfield, Jones of Arkansas, Kenney, Lindsay, McBride, Mantle, Mason, Mills, Morgan, Nelson, Pasco, Pettigrew, Pettus, Pritchard, Rawlins, Shoup, Stewart, Thurston, Tillman, Turner, Turpie, Walthall—41.

Nays—Allison, Burrows, Caffery, Fairbanks, Gear, Hale, Hanna, Hawley, Hoar, Spooner, Wellington, Wetmore, White, Wilson—14.

The announcement of the vote was received with tumultuous applause and drew from Senator Hawley (rep.) of Connecticut, an emphatic protest against "mob demonstration."

OTHERS WILL FOLLOW.

Latin-American Countries Ready to Imitate the Senate's Action.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 21.—The news of the passage of the Cuban belligerency resolution by the United States senate created great interest here, where the anti-Spanish sentiment is still growing stronger and where the people resent the interference with the native press by the Spanish diplomatic representatives under its right to demand the suppression of newspaper attacks on Spain couched in violent language. The recognition of Cuban belligerency by the United States is likely to lead to similar recognition by the leading Latin-American countries with the exception of Chili. The pro-Cuban sentiment in continental America is very strong and the governments there are only awaiting the initiative of the United States.

HAD STOOD FOR 21 YEARS.

The World's Record for Four Miles Lowered by Lucretia Borgia.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Lucretia Borgia, brown colt, four years old, bred and owned by William Boots & Son, of San Jose, Cal., now holds the world's record for four miles. Splendidly ridden by Jockey Clawson, and paced by Peter II over the third mile, and by Installer the fourth, both the latter horses owned by Boots, Lucretia Borgia covered the distance in the wonderful time of 7:11, and that, too, in the face of a strong wind blowing down the back stretch. The record for four miles against time has stood for 21 years, having been made by Ten Broeck, the celebrated distance horse, on September 27, 1876, at Louisville, Ky. The competition record for the same distance has stood for 23 years at 7:10½, made by Fellow Craft at Saratoga on August 30, 1874.

JACKSON FOR MODERATOR.

Politicians of the Presbyterian General Assembly Treated to a Surprise.

EAGLE LAKE, Ind., May 21.—There were but two candidates for the moderatorship of the Presbyterian general assembly—Dr. Sheldon Jackson, of the home missionary board, and Dr. Henry C. Minton, the seminary professor. Both represent the work of the church on the Pacific coast, but the rank and file of the commissioners rallied to the standard bearer of the home missions. The politicians of the assembly were treated to a great surprise and the election of Dr. Jackson by a vote of 313 to 238 was characterized by many delegates as a "breaking of the machine." It was claimed as a victory for the more liberal branch of the church and was in line with the election of Dr. Withrow last year.

A Creek Official Killed.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., May 21.—A courier brings the news that Judge Freeland Marshall and Capt. Berryhill, chief of the light horsemen, with other Creek officials, were cutting down illegal pasture fences near Okmulgee, when a cowboy employed by the Texas stockman, whose fence was being cut, appeared with a Winchester, and killed Judge Marshall and Capt. Berryhill instantly and wounded two of the light horsemen.

BROKEN NECK MENDED.

Spinal Fracture Sustained by C. W. Dawson Located by Aid of the X Ray.

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—Twisted about the fifth and sixth vertebrae are two pieces of silver wire that keep the soul of C. W. Dawson from slipping into eternity. But the tiny wire is strong, and in spite of the splints and bandages that hold his head as in a vise, Dawson's heart is light as he counts the days when he will again go forth a strong man. Lying on his cot in the St. John's hospital, the convalescent patient presents a striking illustration of the progress of modern surgery. Local medical men know of no parallel case. Four days ago Dawson's spine was in two parts, and he was slowly succumbing to the paralysis occasioned by the pressure of the bones upon the spinal cord. To-day the ends that were separated are fast knitting together, and in three weeks the patient will be a well man. Dawson was thrown from a buggy near Roodhouse, Ill., and sustained the injury above noted. Local physicians said there was no chance for his life, but his friends shipped him here, and a well-known physician, with the aid of the X ray, located the fracture and with rare medical skill tied together with wire the disjointed ends of Dawson's backbone.

VATICAN RULING.

Decision by the Pope Which Refers to Catholic Parishes Made Up of Foreigners.

CHICAGO, May 24.—The vatican has sent to the Catholic church in the United States a decision which has reference to parishes made up of foreigners, as follows:

First—Children born in America of foreign parents whose native language is not English are not obliged, when of age, to become members of the parish to which their parents belong; but they have the right to join a parish in which the language of the country—that is, English—is used.

Second—Catholics not born in America, but knowing the English language, have the right of becoming members of the parish in which English is in use, and they cannot be compelled to submit themselves to the jurisdiction of the rector of a church built for people who continue to speak the language of a foreign country.

The evident purpose of Rome is to make English the language of the American church as speedily as possible and thus to encourage the development of a spirit of more perfect union among the members of the Catholic faith. Parishes in which a foreign language is used are tolerated as temporary institutions, which will disappear as soon as the conditions making their erection expedient will have passed away.

KILLED WHILE "FAKING."

Cavill, the Champion Swimmer, Asphyxiated While Deceiving the Public.

STOCKTON, Cal., May 24.—Charles Cavill, the Australian champion swimmer, who recently swam around the seal rocks at the Cliff house and across the Golden gate, died Saturday night while swimming in Jackson's baths here. He was trying to beat his record of five minutes and five seconds under water. When seven minutes had elapsed, Adolph Kahn, an assistant, went down for him and brought him up on the third trial. His friends rolled him and worked over him for more than an hour. Doctors came and worked over him, using every appliance known, but could not bring him to life. It is believed that Cavill was asphyxiated and not drowned. Cavill had an inverted tube in the water which he used to deceive the public in his exhibitions of remaining under water several minutes. The water in the Stockton baths comes from natural gas wells and it is believed gas had accumulated in the tub, causing his death. Examination shows his lungs free from water.

A QUESTION OF MARRIAGE.

Michigan Lutheran Church Warring as to Whether a Man Can Marry His Sister-in-Law.

ST. CLAIR, Mich., May 24.—The Lutheran church here is split into two warring factions over the question, "Has a man a right to marry his dead wife's sister?" The pastor claims he has, and the Missouri synod and about half the church claims he has not. Two trustees, adhering to the synod, closed the church so that no services were held last Sunday. Saturday the trustees, adhering to the pastor, entered through a window, took possession and put new locks on the church doors. Saturday night the other trustees broke in the back door, regained possession and remained inside. A crowd of the pastor's friends broke in a door to force an entrance, when several shots were fired at them from within, and they were informed that the first man that entered would be a dead man. The crowd later was dispersed by the city marshal acting under orders from the mayor.

KILLED HIS SICK WIFE.

John Dawson Murders His Companion While She Was Lying Helplessly Ill.

CHICAGO, May 24.—Lying helplessly ill, with her three-year-old child asleep at her side, Mrs. Nellie Dawson, 25 years old, was shot and killed by her husband, John Dawson, yesterday afternoon. The shooting followed a quarrel. The murderer is at large, but the police declare he will soon be captured, as he is well known to them. The dead woman's father is a well-to-do farmer, near Lincoln, Neb. She married Dawson in Lincoln eight years ago.

SPARED THE NEGRO.

Unusual Discrimination Exercised by a Mob Near Houston, Tex.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 24.—R. W. Stewart, a prominent merchant of Lindale, was recently enticed from his home by a negro and murdered. Effie Jones, a negro, was arrested for the murder and in a confession implicated Will Jones, a white man, prominent in the community. Jones was arrested and placed in jail. Shortly after one o'clock yesterday morning a mob appeared at the county jail at Tyler and, on refusal of the sheriff to admit them, broke in the doors, went to Will Jones' cell and shot him to death as he sat on his cot. He told them they were killing an innocent man, but the leaders answered that they had proof of his guilt. They refused to kill Effie Jones, the negro who killed Stewart, saying that as he did not have the means and influence to escape punishment they would let the law take its course. Tyler is the town where, a few years ago, a negro criminal was burned at the stake, in the public square, with elaborate ceremony.

SIMPLICITY IN SPELLING.

National Educational Society Making a Vigorous Crusade Against Ambiguous Letters.

CHICAGO, May 24.—The National Educational association is making a vigorous crusade for simplicity in spelling. At its last annual meeting the secretary was directed to use, in publishing the proceedings of that and future meetings, such simplified spelling as should be recommended by the following committee: Dr. W. T. Harris, chairman; Superintendent Soldan, of St. Louis, and Superintendent Balliet, of Springfield, Mass. Chairman Harris has just notified Dr. Irwin Shepard, of Winona, secretary of the association, that the committee has recommended for use in official documents the following amended spelling: Program (programme), tho (though), altho (although), thoro (thorough), thoro fare (thoroughfare), thru (through), thru-out (throughout), catalog (catalogue), prolog (prologue), decalog (decatalogue), demagog (demagogue), pedagog (pedagogue).

MYSTERY NEAR TOPEKA.

William Maddox, Thought to Be Murdered, Goes Home a Maniac.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 24.—William Maddox, who had been missing over a week, has returned home insane. Maddox lives near Valencia, west of here, and had gone to Silverlake to lodge. He started to cross the river in a skiff alone and disappeared. The skiff was found later upside down. Tramps seen in the vicinity led to the belief that he had been murdered for \$100, which was on his person. He wandered into his home Saturday evening and sat down on a chair without saying a word. It is believed that he was assaulted or drugged, and that the insanity resulted. The money is gone.

HEARING ABOUT CUBA.

Letters from the People Urging Action Are Reaching the President.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The president is hearing a great deal about Cuba. He is being made to feel that the people of the United States are anxious for something to be done. Letters urging action are coming in great numbers. It is notable that this feeling seems to be much stronger in the west than in the east. Until the strength of the popular feeling was shown it did not seem probable that anything would be done speedily. It cannot be said now that anything will be done at once. But the Cuban question is certainly very much in the president's thoughts.

BANK THIEF KING TAKEN.

The Young Messenger Who Stole \$30,000 Captured and the Money Recovered.

FARMINGTON, Me., May 24.—Albert M. King, the 17-year-old Boston bank messenger who disappeared on Tuesday with \$30,000 of the bank's money, was arrested here to-day. King reached here on a train from the Rangely lake region at 11:15 a. m. When searched at the jail all the money taken from the bank was found in packages in King's pockets.

Five Small Boys Drowned.

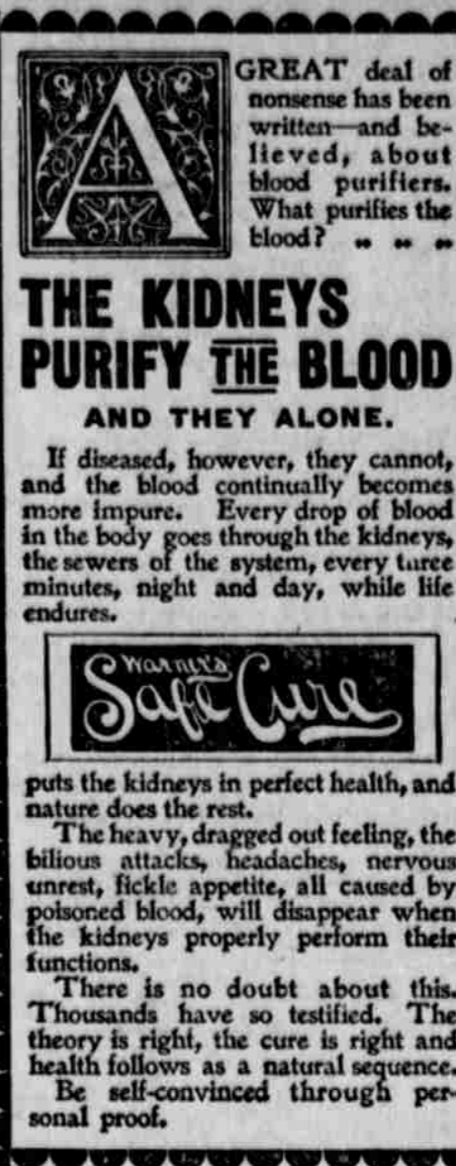
CHICAGO, May 24.—A rude raft of boards on which six little boys were navigating in the Chicago river just west of Ashland avenue was overturned during a panic caused by one of the boys who alone escaped by jumping off before the frail craft drifted with the other boys into deep water. Those drowned were: Frank Quinn, aged 10; Charles Coates, aged 11; James Coates, aged 8; Charles and Albert Svic, twins, aged 9. The bodies of Coates and the two Svic boys were found.

An Edict Against Sunday Work.

CLEVELAND, O., May 24.—It is announced that John D. Rockefeller has issued an edict against Sunday labor by the men employed on his ore docks on the upper and lower lakes. While the men are expected to respond to calls to load or unload vessels at any hour of the day or night, they will not be asked to work between midnight Saturday and midnight Sunday.

Destitute Americans in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—A telegram was received at the state department this morning from Consul-General Lee indicating that the number of Americans in need of relief in Cuba is much larger than was supposed at first. The consul-general says that the number may reach 1,200. The consul at Matanzas reports 250 there and the consul at Sagua 450.



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