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TOPICS OF THE DAY.

Grows Hair at 92.

There is a man in Havant, Eng., who, having been completely bald from the day of his birth, has now started a fine crop of hair at the mature age of 92.

"Cheerful and Hopeful."

The British treasury is cheerful and hopeful. Next year's revenue, it is estimated, will come within \$120,000,000 of meeting expenses and the rest can be easily borrowed.

It Came in Barrels.

John D. Rockefeller is fond of telling that he was past 30 before he accumulated his first \$1,000. But when wealth came it came with a rush—about 600 barrels a minute.

The "Form" Is Familiar.

Senator Hanna says: "I am not to be considered in any sense a candidate for president." Ah, but then wouldn't he take it? The form of the senator's statement is very familiar.

Seventy Years as Man and Wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel D. Conklin, of Riverside, L. I., have just completed 70 years of married life. Mr. Conklin will be 94 years of age next August and his wife will be 88 years old in September.

Where the Cows Wear Earrings.

The cows in Belgium wear earrings. The law decrees that every cow, when it has attained the age of three months, must have in its ear a ring, to which is attached a numbered metal tag.

Senator Hanna's Ambition.

Senator Hanna's friends say that he intends to devote his life more and more to the effort of improving the relations between capital and labor, so winning greater fame than a president can get. Noble ambition.

His Name Is His Fortune.

There is a man in the office of the auditor for the post office department who, it is said, owes his appointment largely to the fact that his signature contains but five letters. He is Second Deputy Auditor N. Chew. He does little but sign his name and he does that for about eight hours a day steadily.

Just What They Are Paid For.

It may be true, as the president said recently, that "the average graduate of West Point during this hundred years has given a greater amount of service to the country through his life than has the average graduate of any other institution in this broad land." But on the other hand isn't that what the government has educated him, paid him and expected him to do?

Innovations of Peace.

Swords will not be beaten into plowshares in South Africa nor spears into pruning hooks, but it is said that arrangements have been made for the sale of the barb wire trochans to the Boers at a nominal price for use in making fences. Thus the wire that stopped the fierce Boer, or failed to stop him, will keep peace-loving kine within proper bounds hereafter and may it serve warlike uses no more forever.

Mr Schwab's Valued Advice.

College graduates may be benefited by the advice of Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel corporation, who, being credited with a salary of \$1,000,000 a year, may be regarded as a suitable person to give advice. One million a year is, of course, the ultimate aim of each of us, and if Mr. Schwab will kindly enlighten our young men on how to get \$1,000,000 a year he will doubtless confer a great blessing on them.

England's Washington Mission.

Some of the London papers are warning their government that the rank of its representative at Washington ought to be immediately raised. While the annual salary of the British minister to Paris is \$45,000, and those of the representatives at Berlin, Constantinople and Vienna \$40,000, that of the minister at Washington is only \$32,500. The salary of the British minister at Washington, in fact, is smaller than is that of the head of the mission at Rome.

Queer Notions of Gratitude.

Cuban independence has brought in its train amnesty and freedom for all Americans convicted of or indicted for crime during federal occupation of the island. Thus some ingrained rascals of the more desperate sort will go unwhipped of justice after all. President Palma's view of the matter is that it is simply "an evidence of gratitude and good will toward the American people." In recognition of our benevolence and generosity our scoundrels are to be sent back to us.

WAS MURDER DONE?

Matron of Kansas Reform School Dead and Her Husband in Jail.

Mrs. Fannie Lowe Made a Dying Statement Exonerating the Accused, But Circumstances Point to Deliberate Murder.

Topeka, Kan., June 24.—Matron Lowe, of the state reform school, lies at Stormont hospital with two bullet wounds through her abdomen, unconscious and with no hope of recovery. Her husband, J. C. Lowe, is in prison charged with the crime, a bullet wound in his head. When the shots were heard Sunday by a watchman he rushed to the scene, found Mrs. Lowe writhing on the floor exclaiming: "It was an accident; it was an accident." In a few moments she became unconscious. Lowe also declared that the shooting was accidental. Nearby lay a revolver with four empty chambers. Passing the medical ward, Lowe seized a quart can labeled "carbolic acid" and swallowed it, but the contents proved a weak solution and had no injurious effect. There has been no quarrel between them that was known of and the entire affair is enveloped in mystery.

Mrs. Lowe died at 1:15 this morning. John C. Lowe, who is under a terrible shadow, was born in Linn county, Kan., about 22 years ago. Previous to his appointment to a position in the reform school he was a prominent school-teacher and served as county school superintendent. Lowe is a graduate of the Kansas state normal school. His father is a wealthy stockman and chairman of the republican central committee of Linn county. Mrs. Lowe, the murdered woman, previous to her marriage, was a school-teacher.

HE ACKNOWLEDGES DEFEAT.

President Roosevelt Despairs of Tariff Reciprocity with Cuba, Either by Legislation or Treaty.

Washington, June 24.—It has been determined that no reciprocity treaty with Cuba can be submitted at the present session of congress. It was at first planned that, in the event of the failure of the administration managers in the senate to secure favorable action on the Cuban sugar bill, a treaty would be drafted at once. This was on the understanding that Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister here had full powers and that a treaty could be drawn in Washington entirely. It is stated now, however, that this cannot be done and that any draft of a treaty must go to Havana and be returned before it can be submitted to the senate. This, of course, cannot be accomplished in the short space of time intervening before adjournment if the estimates of the leaders that congress will adjourn by July 4 are correct. No confidence is felt in administration circles as to the ability of the senate managers to secure the ratification of a treaty, even if one is drawn, and while the president may feel called upon to put the matter to a test, it will be rather with the idea of demonstrating his own purpose to do everything possible for Cuba, than in any expectation that a two-thirds vote for ratification could be received.

MISSOURI REPUBLICANS.

They Meet to Nominate a State Ticket—The Temporary Officers Selected for the Convention.

Jefferson City, Mo., June 24.—Several hundred republicans are here to attend the state convention which meets to-day to nominate a state ticket. The state committee had a meeting yesterday afternoon and after a close contest selected E. E. McJimpsey, of Maryville, for temporary chairman, and A. E. Schriener for temporary secretary. The election of McJimpsey is a victory for National Committeeman Kerens over State Chairman Akins, whose support went to Congressman Richard Bartholdt, of St. Louis.

ATTACKED BY BOLOMEN.

Five Soldiers of the Twenty-Seventh Infantry Have Serious Encounter in the Island of Mindanao.

Manila, June 24.—Five soldiers of the Twenty-seventh infantry forming an advance guard was escorting a wagon train half a mile from Camp Vicare, island of Mindanao, were attacked to-day by ten bolomen. One soldier had an arm badly cut and another was seriously wounded in the head. The Moros captured a rifle and escaped uninjured. The Badinglam Moros say the attackers were Moros from Bonolod who went on the warpath in the morning for the avowed purpose of killing negligent Americans.

He Didn't Keep His Oath.

Manila, June 24.—Senor Villegas, ex-president of Santo Tomas, has been sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment for violating, in several instances, his oath of allegiance to the United States.

ONLY A FRAGMENT LEFT.

The Ninth Infantry, Just Home from Manila, Fought Valiantly in Cuba, China and Samar.

San Francisco, June 22.—The ten companies of United States infantry, which arrived here Friday night on the transport Hancock, landed Saturday and marched to their temporary quarters at the presidio. Referring to his regiment, Col. Rabe said: "I have only about 400 of my men with me and of the Ninth, as it fought in Cuba, there are not more than 35 of the men here. Company B is still in China acting as legion guard at Peking." Maj. J. C. Irvine, adjutant of the regiment, served under Gen. Smith in Samar and speaks of his late commander in terms of admiration.

First Sergeant Clifford Mumby and Sergeant James Pickett, of company C, Ninth infantry, two of the 26 survivors of the massacre at Balingiga, on the morning of September 28, are also among the returning soldiers. Sergeant Mumby was wounded four times by bolos and stiletos in the fierce onslaught of the natives of Samar, and Sergeant Pickett was severely cut in the abdomen with a bolo. The losses of the regiment in the four campaigns of Santiago, Luzon, China and Samar far exceed those of any other in the United States army. Six officers and 110 men were killed and seven officers and 163 men wounded. In addition three officers and 162 men died of disease or were drowned.

MUST SECURE A LOAN.

Cuba's President Favors the Distribution of \$3,500,000 Among Sugar Growers and Cattle Raisers.

Havana, June 23.—President Palma and his cabinet have decided on a plan which they hope will relieve the economic situation on the island. A message will be sent to congress, probably next week, which will call for the expenditure of \$3,500,000, to be distributed among the sugar growers and cattle raisers. Three million dollars is to be advanced to sugar planters at the rate of 50 cents an arroba, or 25 pounds; to be returned in two installments in February and March. To cattle breeders will be paid a premium of \$5 for each animal imported for breeding purposes, up to 100,000. Further than this all such cattle will be admitted free of duty. There also is to be an increased tariff on many articles imported now under small duties, to raise the money to be distributed.

HE RESENTED INSULT.

Lincoln Monday, a Returned Soldier from the Philippines, Wouldn't Hear His Comrades Called "Hoodlums."

Knoxville, Tenn., June 23.—An attack upon the American army in the Philippines, made at a garden party here Saturday night, started a desperate fight which may cost four lives. The injured are: John Kennedy, fatally shot; Alonzo Barger, stabbed 20 times, cannot recover; Charles Hobbs, badly cut about the face, neck and breast; Lincoln Monday, stabbed, jugular vein almost severed. Monday, who served three years in the archipelago as a member of the Ninth infantry and who is a survivor of the massacre of company C at Balangia, Samar, gave Barger the lie when the latter declared that "two-thirds of the American soldiers who went to the Philippines were hoodlums and the other third were cowards and bullies."

THRILLING INDIAN STORY.

Twelve-Year-Old New Mexico Boy Said to Have Slain Six Redskins Single-Handed.

El Paso, Tex., June 22.—Stories of two desperate fights in New Mexico are brought in by couriers from the southwest. City Detective Harold, who has just returned from the Nerselero reservation, tells of a fight between Thomas Page, a 12-year-old boy, and six Indians who had killed his father and were looting the house. The lad was armed with a rifle and, concealing himself behind some rocks, killed all of the Indians.

What Kansas Pays in Taxes.

Topeka, Kan., June 23.—The property owners of Kansas have paid, or will pay, for the levy of 1901, \$13,996,303.36 taxes, divided as follows: State tax, \$2,002,199.92; county tax, \$3,945,783.06; city tax, \$1,999,691.63; township tax, \$1,644,769.29; school district tax, \$4,403,859.46; total, \$13,996,303.36. These taxes were payable, half or all, last November 20, 1901, and the remaining half June 30, 1902. Owing to the good times many prop-

Hotel Collapsed at Dallas, Tex.

Dallas, Tex., June 23.—The St. James hotel collapsed at two o'clock this morning. One dead and three injured have been taken from the ruins of the hotel. A number of people, estimated at about 20, remain in the ruins. The fire department and police, with the aid of citizens, are at work to recover the dead and injured.

FOR PANAMA ROUTE.

By a Majority of Eight the Senate Adopts Spooner Amendment.

President Will Select Panama Route for Isthmian Canal if He Can Obtain Clear Title, Otherwise He Shall Adopt Nicaragua Route.

Washington, June 20.—An isthmian canal, while not yet absolutely assured, is nearer to construction than it ever has been. The senate yesterday by a majority of eight votes adopted the Spooner substitute for the Hepburn Nicaragua canal bill, the vote on the substitute being 42 to 34. After two amendments to the measure had been adopted, one providing for a commission to supervise the construction of the canal and the other providing for the issuance of \$130,000,000 of two per cent. gold bonds to raise money with which to construct the waterway, it was passed by a vote of 67 to 6.

It has been evident for several days that the Spooner substitute, which in brief provides that the president shall select the Panama route if he can obtain a clear title to the Panama Canal company's property, but, otherwise, he shall adopt the Nicaragua route, would



MAP OF PANAMA CANAL ROUTE.

command the votes of a majority of the senate. The Panama route was considered more desirable by the senate than the Nicaragua route. The only question left open is the title to the property and that the president will determine if the house should adopt the senate's amendment to its bill.

The detailed vote follows:
Yeas—Aldrich, Allison, Bard, Beveridge, Burnham, Burrows, Burton, Clark (Wyo.), Cullom, Deboe, Dietrich, Dryden, Fairbanks, Foraker, Foster (Wash.), Frye, Gallinger, Gamble, Hale, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hoar, Jones (Ark.), Jones (Nev.), Kean, Kittridge, Lodge, McComas, McCumber, McMillan, Mason, Millard, Platt (Conn.), Pritchard, Proctor, Quarles, Scott, Spooner, Teller, Warren, Wellington, Wetmore—42.
Nays—Bacon, Bailey, Bates, Berry, Blackburn, Carmack, Clapp, Clark (Mont.), Clay, Cockrell, Culberson, Daniel, Dubois, Foster (La.), Harris, Hawley, Heitfeld, McLaurin (Miss.), Mallory, Martin, Mitchell, Morgan, Nelson, Patterson, Penrose, Perkins, Pettus, Platt (N. Y.), Quay, Simmons, Stewart, Taliaferro, Turner, Vest—34.

HE HAS GREAT PLANS.

Buenacampo, the Filipino Leader, Wants 6,000 More American School-Teachers Sent to the Islands.

Chicago, June 20.—Don Felipe Buenacampo, who was secretary of state in Aguinaldo's cabinet, will make Chicago the principal stopping place in his tour of commercial investigation in the United States. He is strongly in favor of the continuance of American rule in the archipelago. "My objects in coming to this country are many," said he. I want to explain to the people of the United States the situation in the Philippines at the present time; to ask for amnesty for former rebels; for further educational facilities for the people, such as an appropriation permitting the education of the young Filipinos in this country; to secure 6,000 more American teachers in the islands at higher salaries than they are at present receiving, and to collect data to hold an exposition in Manila in honor of the Philippine hero, Dr. Rizal."

FOUR TEACHERS MISSING.

At Cebu June 19 They Went for an Outing and Now Soldiers Are Searching for Them.

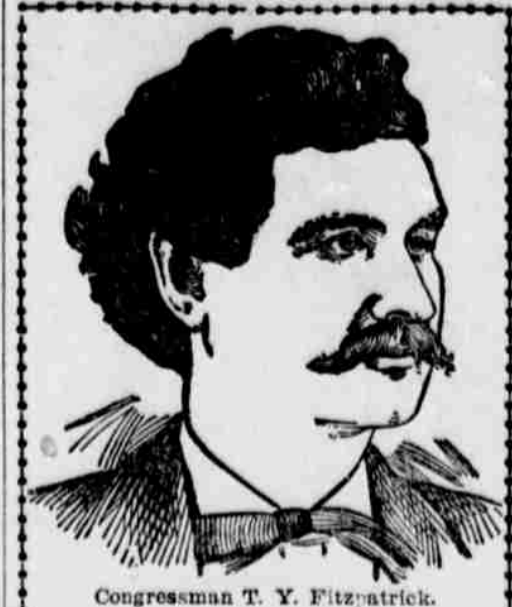
Manila, June 20.—Four American teachers living at Cebu, island of Cebu, went out for a day's outing June 10 and have not yet returned. Three detachments of native constabulary are searching for the missing Americans and have received orders not to return without them.

King Albert Dead.

Dresden, June 20.—King Albert of Saxony died at 8:05 o'clock yesterday. King Albert was the last of the generals who commanded the German army of 1870.

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