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| fnnounces a warlike state of alfaiss inCentral Ameriea. Salvador continues |  |  |
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| Central America. Salvndor continues tho seceno of serious popular diss turbance, nnd the revolutionary spirit |  |  |
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| has twonty thousand troops on thefrontier to repol an invusion $n$ hould salvulor nttempt to entor her torrilory.and intenist to put forty thousnd sol- |  |  |
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|  that country and the fact that he now.goverument under Ezota is not sup. |  |  |
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| and equipping an army able to cope with that of Gutemala wound sveem to bo an extremely difficult one. It milght be |  |  |
| rendered less so in the ovent of an inva. sion by Guitemla, in which case the patriotism nas well as tho material in. |  |  |
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| tinue his policy Mexico called him to a halt. It is more than probable that ander atsempt by Guatomala to impose |  |  |
| a poliey on Salvador by force of arms would be met by Mexican interposition. |  |  |
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| the people, are opposed to tho scheme on tho ground that it would result infiving Guutemana a p predominating power in the urion, havinin with her Hondura |  |  |
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| in the union, having with her Honduras whose policy she practically controls |  |  |
| first fatal blow at the crenture of Guate mala, Menendez. The sympathies of Costa Rien and Nicaragua are under- |  |  |
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| stood to be with Salvador, but it is not reported that any prepara- |  |  |
| tions of a warlike nature are mak-ing in those countries. A convention to enrry into effect tho propased federation |  |  |
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| would doubtioss be a very interestingstrugglo while it hasted, although past struggle while it lastad, anthough pastoutbroaksbetween Contral American |  |  |
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| SERIOUS PROPOSTTIONS. The tariff bill that is to be discussed |  |  |
| in the senate this week, when carefully analyzod, shows that some commoditissare given the preference. The main teature of the bill As it is now presented |  |  |
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| fonture of the bill as it is now presented seems to bo to incroaso the duty on |  |  |
| almost every artioloo of for and dilathingused by the people. In doing this the |  |  |
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| the revision appairs to bo tho wrong articies. For intance, the the duty |  |  |
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| leliumoi, must loseo. But tha factit that |  |  |
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| threo cents each in order to decrease the consumption of sauerkraut. The pauper hen of Europe is to have her produc |  |  |
| proctect by a duty of five per cont onegseThoeggmarketis |  |  |
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| open to the world, but pro- hibitionists want a stale arti- cle to herve at high licenso debaterg. |  |  |
| Chese is thexed six ceants por poumd while dhumonds are froe. This is done |  |  |
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| to appease the wrath of the aristocrats who would rather wear diamonds than |  |  |
| Potatos. aro taxod twenty-tivo conts a bushol, but ivory is troe. A hungry manwho cannot aford to pay twenty-flve |  |  |
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| cents tax on his potatoes can pick his eeth with an elophant's tusk and imag- |  |  |
| ine that he has been to dinner. Butteris taxed six cents per pound, but ashumanhair is free smugglers may be |  |  |
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| able to get in their work and escape the auty on butter. |  |  |
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