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TO ABOLISH KINGSHIP

Report Agreed Upon by Samoan Commission.

General Government and Legislative Counsel Appointed.

The Council Composed of Three Nominees of the Powers.

Native House of Representatives—Malietoa was Proclaimed King and Then Abdicated.

Apia, June 14, via Auckland, June 21.—The Samoan commissioners have agreed to a report which recommends the abolition of the kingship and appoints a general government and legislative council composed of three nominees of the powers, assisted by a native house of representatives. The governor will have the right of veto. The councillors will be departmental heads and the existing consular, diplomatic and judicial offices will be abolished. The jurisdiction of the supreme court will be increased and the powers of the municipality, under mayor and council, will be extended.

The commissioners endorsed Chief Justice Chambers' decision regarding the kingship and proclaimed Malietoa Tanu king. The latter abdicated his throne to the commissioners, who appointed a provisional government, consisting of three consuls. Majority action will rule except where the Berlin treaty requires unanimity. Chambers and the municipal officers resumed their offices. The commissioners expect to leave June 28.

Mataafa has surrendered 1,850 rifles and the Malietoans 2,000. The islands have returned to their normal state. It is rumored Dr. Soif has been designated governor.

AGUINALDO'S RIVAL MADE PRISONER.

Was Supposed to Have Been Shot—Wheaton Returns to Imus.

Manila, June 21.—General Wheaton's Perez das Marianas expedition has returned to Imus. The insurgents, who scattered, are collecting at San Francisco de Malabon. Among the prisoners, at Perez das Marianas were discovered Artacho, the old time rival of Aguinaldo, who was supposed, since June, 1898, to have been shot and imprisoned.

THE KAISER'S FEARS.

Cause Him to Oppose the Arbitration Plan.

The Hague, June 21.—The Berlin correspondent of the Petit Bleu of Brussels says he has reliable information on which to base the assertion that Kaiser Wilhelm's objection to compulsory arbitration is due to fear that France may reopen the question of Alsace-Lorraine, demanding arbitration to determine the ownership of the lost provinces.

The kaiser, says this correspondent, openly expresses his desire to make war when and against whom he pleases; yet he is much irritated at the inability of his delegates to the peace conference to conceal his real intentions. He had hoped, it is declared, that other nations would be the first to raise objections to arbitration, whereupon he would follow suit, but without incurring the stigma of an odious initiative. Now he is confounded by a unanimous desire for arbitration.

La Petit Bleu characterizes the kaiser's periodical expressions of desire for peace as rank hypocrisy.

WHAT SCHLEY SAID.

Washington, June 21.—The navy department yesterday gave out the following correction in Captain Chadwick's letter, anent the Hodgson statement:

"The typewritten copy of the statement of Captain Chadwick and Lieutenant Commander Hodgson given to the press Monday, was in error in the following points:

"About one-third from the beginning, where published statement reads: 'I intended him to understand there was danger of running into the Texas. He said "All right," or words to that effect. I cannot repeat verbatim—it should have read: "I intended him to understand there was danger of running into the Texas. He said, "All right; the Texas must look out for that," or words to that effect; I cannot repeat verbatim."

FASTEST MILE ON A BICYCLE

Charles M. Murphy Makes It in 65 Seconds.

New York, June 21.—A man on a bicycle today rode a mile quicker than any living creature ever traveled the same distance by self-propulsion. He was Charles M. Murphy, and he rode a mile in sixty-five seconds. His sole advantage was a locomotive with one car attached which set the pace and by means of a box like attachment shielded the rider from the wind.

Murphy rode naturally, keeping close to the car by rapid pedalling, stout-heartedness and strength of body. The scene of the ride was on the central branch of the Long Island railroad near Babylon and Murphy rode on a track between the rails. Within the shielding sides of the box Murphy pedaled more than two miles, never losing the speed of his steam pace maker.

THE FOURTH OF JULY AT HENDERSONVILLE.

To Be Celebrated in a Style Befitting the Day and the Times.

Special to the Gazette. Hendersonville, N. C., June 21.—The Hendersonville board of trade has taken hold of the matter of a Fourth of July celebration with a strong hand. This board is composed of some of the most progressive and enterprising citizens of the town and a great day is guaranteed for the Fourth. Parades, music, public speaking and a banquet will be the order of the day. At night there will be a fine display of fireworks and a dance in the grove. This will be also the night of the opening ball at the new Wheeler hotel.

TOWNS AND COUNTRY FLOODED BY STORMS.

Ohio and Indiana Suffer Severely—Cloudbursts at Night.

Londonville, Ohio, June 21.—The most terrible of cloudbursts occurred here last night, accompanied by a severe electric storm. The damage to bridges and roadways will be more than \$100,000, while the property loss cannot be covered by less than \$200,000 more.

Shelby, Ohio, June 21.—The citizens of this place were aroused from their beds at 2 o'clock by an alarm of fire sounded on the fire and church bells and found the city under water, the heavy rains of last night having raised the little stream of Black Fork to a raging torrent.

Indianapolis, June 21.—A severe storm passed over central and eastern Indiana yesterday evening, doing much damage. Near Daleville Charles B. Eiler was killed by lightning.

AN INFANT WOULD BE MURDERER

New York, June 21.—Jennie Fiero, the 5-year-old daughter of Joseph Fiero, of 556 Morris avenue, was committed to Bellevue hospital by Magistrate Kudlich, in the Morrisania police court yesterday for examination as to her sanity. The child's mother told the magistrate that the little one had at different times tried to inflict injuries upon her little brothers and sisters. A few days ago she tried to stab her 3-year-old brother, Frank, with a fork, and later attempted to strike her infant brother with a knife. At another time Jennie tried to jump out of a window. Dr. Joseph J. Smith of 559 East college street, who attended the child, says she has a homicidal mania, and he considered her case a remarkable one. The child's head is regularly formed and without the signs noticeable in idiots.

AN ENORMOUS SHAFT.

Boston, June 21.—A new steel shaft just received here for the use of the Boston Elevated Railway company is said to be the largest ever cast. It is to be used in the company's central power station. The engine will be of 4,000 horse power at ordinary speed. The shaft is twenty eight feet in length and thirty-eight inches in diameter in the centre and weighs about 75,000 pounds.



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STRIKERS DECLINE OFFERED TERMS

Company Won't Discharge Non Union Men—Rioting Continues.

Cleveland, June 21.—All day today the city council's special strike committee, officials of the railroad company and representatives of the strikers wrestled with the strike problem, and the street car company issued a letter saying that it would take back sixty per cent of the strikers and give a preference to former employees as vacancies occurred, but refusing to discharge non-union men now attempting to operate the lines.

The strikers called a meeting and voted not to return to work unless all are taken back.

There was further rioting today, several cars being badly damaged. The majority of the lines were obstructed effectually and the wires on some streets were torn down.

ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME TO PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

Accorded by Springfield—Departure For Adams.

Springfield, Mass., June 21.—President McKinley was given an enthusiastic reception here today. He arrived shortly before noon and after a drive around the city, during which thousands cheered the chief executive, the president lunched with prominent citizens at the Nayasset club. In the afternoon a public reception was held, after which the presidential party left for Adams, Mass., where McKinley will remain until Monday, when he returns to Washington.

Springfield was gaily decorated in honor of the event; even the Springfield Republican, a leading anti-expansion organ, making a lavish display.

Adams, Mass., June 21.—The president and party arrived here this evening after a trip from Springfield which was a continuous ovation. McKinley will remain here at least a week as the guest of ex-Congressman Plukett.

FATAL HOTEL FIRE.

Oswego, N. Y., June 21.—The Eagle hotel was destroyed by fire this morning. Mrs. Rachel King, an old lady whose home is New Haven, lost her life by suffocation and eight others were seriously injured. Several persons, including the proprietor and his wife, jumped from the windows to the second floor.

TO AVOID A LYNCHING.

Cairo, Ill., June 21.—A telephone message from Mound City this afternoon reported the killing of Major Fitzpatrick, superintendent of the national cemetery, by a man named Tobin, who surrendered. He will probably be brought here to avoid lynching.

KILLED BY MATAAFANS.

San Francisco, June 21.—The cruiser Philadelphia arrived today from Samoa with the bodies of Lieutenant Lansdale and Ensign Monaghan, who were killed in the fight with the Mataafans.

BAGLY AND OTHERS FAILED.

Washington, June 21.—Three young men who were designated by President McKinley to take the entrance examination for the naval academy on account of the services of near relatives in the United States navy have failed to pass. They are Bagley, of North Carolina, a brother of Ensign Worth Bagley, who was killed at Cardenas in the war with Spain; Busbee, of the District of Columbia, a grandson of Rear Admiral Worden, who commanded the Monitor in her fight with the Merrimac, and Gridley, of Pennsylvania, a son of Captain Gridley, of the flagship Olympia, in the battle of Manila bay, and died in Japan on his way back to the United States. These three young men all failed in mental examination.

TRIAL OF ALLEGED ASSASSINS.

Rome, June 21.—The trial begins tomorrow in the court of assize of Peter Colabona, Frederick Gudini, Ernest Distafferi and Cherubino Trenta, all alleged anarchists, who are charged on Acciari's confession with being concerned in the latter's attempt to murder King Humbert with a dagger while driving to the race course April 22, 1897.

BYNUM AND THE BANK CASES.

Greensboro, N. C., June 21.—Judge W. P. Bynum, of Greensboro, has been appointed special attorney for the government in the cases of the United States against President Brees and Cashier Penland, of the First National bank, and State Senator Cooke and Pulliam, of the National Bank of Asheville, for embezzlement.

FUNERAL GOING STOPPED.

Reading, Pa., June 21.—The police have decided to stop the funeral going of Sophia Christian. For the past thirty years she has attended an average of nearly two funerals a day, and boasts of a total of 6,000. She will be detained at the county home for the present.

CAUTION.

A talk on coal at 34 Patton avenue will save you money. Phone 40. ASHEVILLE ICE & COAL CO.

NEGRO MINERS SHOT FROM AMBUSH

Seven Wounded and Plan to Reopen Mine Abandoned.

Evansville, Ind., June 21.—Thirty negroes, imported to take the places of striking coal miners, were fired upon from ambush early this morning and seven were wounded, three fatally. The men were being driven to the mines of the Sunny Side Coal company in wagons when the volley was fired from the side of the road. Those who did the shooting escaped in the darkness.

The mines have been placed under a heavy guard to prevent further bloodshed and possible destruction of property. All the imported negroes except the badly injured, were sent back to Kentucky this afternoon and the mine practically shut down.

YELLOW FEVER APPEARS IN SANTIAGO DE CUBA.

Soldiers Die of the Disease—Report From Brooke.

Washington, June 21.—Yellow fever has broken out at Santiago as shown by the following bulletin posted at the war department:

"Havana, June 21.—Adjutant General, Washington: The following is the death report for the 19th at Santiago: Private David Mulhern, Fifth infantry, died 18th of yellow fever; Private Thom as Jennings, band, Fifth infantry, died 15th of yellow fever; Puerto Principe; Private Elliott D. Holderman, Fifth infantry, died 19th, yellow fever; Private Louis J. Wagner, Fifteenth infantry, died 17th, accidental poisoning. (Signed) Brooke, Commanding."

STILL NO FRENCH CABINET.

Paris, June 21.—It is announced this evening that Bourgeois has declined the task of forming a new cabinet. M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs in the Dupuy cabinet, will now probably be asked to form a ministry.

PRESIDENT OF THE PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia, June 21.—Directors of the Pennsylvania railroad today elected A. J. Cassatt president of the road to succeed the late Frank Thomson. This action places him in control of the entire system.

A NEGRO DESPERADO IN JAIL.

New Orleans, June 21.—Louis Guldry, the negro desperado, is in jail, and he is likely to be severely punished.

BASEBALL GAMES YESTERDAY

At Pittsburg— R. H. E. Pittsburg 2 5 3 New York 5 10 0 Batteries: Rosenbough and Bowerman Carrick and Warner.

At Cleveland— R. H. E. Cleveland 6 16 1 Brooklyn 10 16 3 Batteries: Hughes and Schreckengost; Kennedy and Grifm.

At Cincinnati— R. H. E. Cincinnati 6 7 0 Philadelphia 7 16 4 Batteries: Hawley and Woods; Frazier and McFarland.

At Chicago— R. H. E. Chicago 6 8 2 Boston 5 8 5 Batteries: Taylor and Nichols; Killen and Bergen.

At Louisville— R. H. E. Louisville 8 11 5 Baltimore 4 6 4 Batteries: Philippi and Powers; Hill and Robinson.

At St. Louis— R. H. E. St. Louis 9 16 2 Washington 3 10 7 Batteries: Cuppy and O'Connor; McFarland and Butler.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY. New York at Pittsburg. Brooklyn at Cincinnati. Philadelphia at Cincinnati. Boston at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs	W.	L.	Pc.
Brooklyn	43	12	.782
Boston	35	19	.648
Philadelphia	32	21	.604
St. Louis	33	22	.600
Baltimore	32	22	.600
Chicago	25	28	.472
Pittsburg	23	29	.442
New York	24	31	.436
Washington	18	38	.321
Louisville	17	38	.309
Cleveland	9	42	.176

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KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS

Big Fight on in Convention at Louisville.

Goebel and Stone Forces Effect a Combination.

Hardin's Chances for Nomination are Still Good.

Convention Compelled to Adjourn Because of Disorder—Almost a Fight on the Floor.

Louisville, June 21.—The Kentucky democrats assembled in state convention today and effected a temporary organization. The Goebel and Stone forces effected a combination against Hardin, who has developed enough strength to make his chance good for the nomination. A vote on candidates was not reached tonight, the convention being compelled to adjourn because of disorder caused by a delegate who made an attack on Jim Williams, of Louisville. A fight was narrowly averted and the convention was in uproar for several minutes. The Stone-Goebel combination hopes to nominate Stone for governor, leaving Goebel in control of the state machinery.

FOR A CENTRAL CUBAN RAILWAY.

Havana, June 21.—General Ggenwood is back in Havana working hard to assure the success of a scheme for the construction of a railroad through the central part of the island for which he has a concession. He will see General Brooke tomorrow.

ELECTRIC CARS

May Soon be Operated Between Asheville and Jupiter.

Those who are interested in the Ivy power project are seriously considering, it is said, the practicability of building an electric street car line between Jupiter and this city. It is believed that the company would have no difficulty in securing the right of way and the ties for such a line, as some propositions along this line have already been made by persons who own property between Asheville and Weaverville. Dr. I. A. Harris, who was here yesterday from Jupiter, says he is of the opinion that the people in his section would be glad of an opportunity to furnish a sufficient number of ties for the proposed line between Jupiter and Weaverville.

Dr. Harris gave the information that a capitalist from New York had visited Red Oak mountain, near Jupiter, with a view to erecting a big hotel in that locality. It is said that the view to be had from the mountain is a magnificent one.

Somerleyton Hall, where the Prince of Wales has just been staying as guest of Sir Savile Crossley, lies half way between Lowestoff and Yarmouth, and within the limits of the estate is situated the sleepy little village of Rhinestone, where David Copperfield was born and in the church yard of which his father and mother were buried. The church is exactly as Charles Dickens describes it, but the house, with the "little white gate and rows of poplars," which was the supposed scene of David Copperfield's early years, has within the last twelve months been somewhat modernized and "done up," much to the disgust of Dickens enthusiasts.

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