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ABOUT VENEZUELA.

Some Facts Which Have Not Appeared in the Diplomatic Correspondence.

The area of Venezuela is 632,000 square miles, larger than that of any country in Europe except Russia, and larger than that of any State in the United States. The area of Texas is 265,000 square miles.

The population of Venezuela by the last census was 2,550,000. This is more than Denmark's and less than Switzerland's. It is about the same as that of Massachusetts.

Caracas, the capital and chief city of Venezuela, has a population of 70,000, or less than that of Fall River. It is built on an elevation of 3,000 feet above the sea level. It was founded in 1567. Caracas is an Indian name; the name of the Indians of the neighborhood which the Spanish pioneers affixed to the original title of the new town, Santiago de Leon. In 1812, the year of the latest American war with Great Britain, an earthquake in Caracas buried 12,000 persons in the ruins of a part of the city. The date of this earthquake was March 26.

There are 200,000,000 acres of forest lands in the republic of Venezuela. Rosewood, satinwood, mahogany and white and black ebony are found.

The distance from New York to La Guayra, the port of Caracas, is 2,200 miles. Venezuela exports hides, cocoa and cattle.

The salary of the American Minister to Venezuela is \$7,500. The rank of Venezuela's representative at Washington is that of Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary.

Some of the most picturesque and loquacious parrots and lively cockatoos come from Venezuela.

The length of Venezuela from east to west is 900 miles, and from north to south 775 miles.

There are fourteen varieties of monkeys in Venezuela and no cuckoos. The name Venezuela means Little Venice.

The coffee crop of Venezuela amounts to \$15,000,000 a year in value. The average crop is 60,000 tons of coffee. Two-thirds of this product is exported, mostly to England. Maracaibo is one of the centres of trade; Maracaibo coffee is known everywhere.

Venezuela first made declaration of its independence in 1810. The present republic was formed in 1830, in the same year that Belgium became an independent monarchy. The rival political parties in Venezuela are the Unionist and the Federalists. The former favor a centralized government; the latter are for home rule. Both are opposed to foreign invasion, encroachment, or confiscation.

The army of Venezuela, on a peace footing, consists of 1,000 horsemen, 4,000 infantry soldiers, and 1,000 artillerymen, exclusive of the local militia and irregular troops. By the law of Venezuela all citizens between the ages of 18

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OUTRAGED ON CHRISTMAS DAY.

A Terrible Crime Committed by a Negro in Montgomery County.

On Christmas day, near Mount Gilead, in Montgomery county, a big black negro outraged a little four-year-old white child.

A gentleman just returned from Montgomery county, yesterday, brought news of the crime.

Christmas afternoon Mr. Calvin Wooley's two little children, boy and girl, were playing not far from the house.

A negro tenant on Mr. Wooley's farm, Sam Baldwin, found them playing together, and outraged the little girl.

She and her brother ran to the house at once, and told their father and mother what had happened.

A searching party was formed at once.

The negro was found near the spot where the crime occurred. He confessed his guilt, and begged the child's father to "let him off."

The negro was carried to Mr. Wooley's house. Mr. Wooley took his shot gun, and started to blow the rapist's brains out. But his wife stayed his hand.

He put up the gun and let the law take its course.

All that night Baldwin was kept in Mr. Wooley's own house, guarded from those who threatened to hang him to the nearest tree.

The next morning he was taken under guard to Troy, the county seat and there put in jail.

The child was badly bruised, but not fatally injured.

The crime occurred about ten miles from Troy.

At the spring term of Montgomery county court Baldwin will be tried.

[The above is from Sunday's Raleigh News and Observer. The little child is a granddaughter of Rev. Z. Rush, of Concord. It is a horrible affair and one that calls forth a speedy and effective punishment.]

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ADVENT OF A GERMAN.

The Little Village of "Roses" Has a New Thing—It Was a Grand Event—Decorations and a Waxed Floor.

HARRISBURG, N. C., Dec. 30.—

The grandest event of the season was the big german in the city hall last Wednesday night, given complimentary to the returning school girls. The floor was waxed and the hall decorated in the most beautiful style.

The music, which was rendered by the Harrisburg Orchestra, began at 8 and continued until 12. The german was a grand success and all credit is due to Mr. Pharr, the floor manager.

Quite a number of pretty Charlotte girls were here and were delighted with the german.

Miss Bird Parks, of Statesville, is visiting at Mrs. J. M. W. Alexander's.

Mr. Will Weaver, of Charlotte, is on a visit to Mr. Mack Stafford's.

The 20th Anniversary.

Saturday evening from 8 to 11:30 there was an unusual amount of pleasure and joy at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cline, on Corbin street.

It was the occasion of the celebration of the 20th anniversary of their marriage.

The home was decorated to splendid and beautiful effect. Particularly was the dining hall a scene of rare beauty.

It was there that the guests, numbering near 100, realized in the most vivid manner the evidences of a marriage feast.

The supper was beautiful, excellent and complete.

The presents were both numerous and handsome, everything made of china was represented among the gifts.

It was just one of those occasions which roused cares and made one feel it was good to be present. All join in wishes that several more 20:hs are in store for Mr. and Mrs. Cline.

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