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IS THE MAINE AT HAVANA?

No News of Her Received At The State Department.

A BRITISH STEAMER ASHORE.

Prominent Editor and Politician Suicides By The French Method.

By Wire To THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, D. C., Jan, 25.-The Maine is probably in Havana harbor It is believed at the state department that the Maine arrived there at an early hour this morning. No direct report has been received.

BRITISH STEAMSHIP ASHORE

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM. Key West, Jan. 25.-The British steamer, Darlington, cotton laden from Galveston to Hamburg went ashore on Marguesas keys yesterday

The captain and mate arrived here

this morning on the tug Childs. AN EDITOR SUICIDES.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM. West Chester, Pa., Jan. 25.-Captain George R. Guess the Editor and publisher of the Chester county Democrat and lately chairman of the democratic county committee suicided at his home by inhaling full gas this

MAINE ARRIVES.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM. Havana, Jan. 25-The Maine ar rived here this morning. She saluted the forts and war vessels. The report is current here that Consul Lee and Secretary Congosto have had a slight misunderstanding.

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK.

Editor Ellis Will be Winston's Assistant Postmaster.

Special to THE TELEGRAM.

Winston, Jan. 25-The 300 strikers at Brown & Williamson's tobaccofactory have gone back to work. The firm withdrewits demand for a reducion in wages, of 10 cents on the 100 pounds of tobacco rolled for the past two weeks and gave the hands full

W. J. Ellis, editor of the Union Republican, yesterday took the oath of assistant postmaster here. There will be no change in the assistant at the Salem office, the present incumbent, J.L. Brietz holding over.

Word comes here from Crater's that young man by the name of Hicks met with a painful accident. A large bucket fell from the top, cutting an ugly gash in Hicks' head. He is do-

The Morman elders have changed their tactics. They have abandoned preaching and gone to holding prayer meetings from house to house.

Salem Female Academy's mid-winter concert will be held Thursday and Friday nights of this week.

Will Print the Stamps.

The postoffice officials have denied the application of the stamp collectors that the department rescind its order for the printing of a set of exposition stamps to be used in commemorating the trans-Mississippi exposition, which will be held in Omaha during the sum-

The designs adopted by the department have been sent to the bureau of engraving and printing, where the artists have been at work completing the designs .- Washington Star.

John Evans Again Reprieved.

John Evans, the negro in jail here under sentence of death for the rape of a young lady in Rockingham, has been given another respite of 30 days. The date for his excution now is Saturday, February 26th.

It is believed that on that day, unless some new evidence tending to show his innocence is discovered, the governor will allow Evans to hang. His Tom" Wilson while away, and brings attorneys, however, hope to secure for him a commutation to life imprisonment.-News-Observer.

M'Camos Elected.

Special to THE TELEGRAM. Annapolis, Jan. 25-Judge L. E. M'Camos was today elected to the United States Senate to succeed Gorman. The vote stood: McCamos 62; Gorman, 47; Shaw, 5.

NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News from Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU. HIGH POINT, N. C., Jan. 25, '98. Miss Kate Smith returned yesterday morning from Bessimer City, where she has been visiting her brother.

Rev. T. F. Mann, of Salisbury, spent yesterday in the city with Rev. J. R. Scroggs.

Mrs. Dr. J. E. Cartland returned on last night from Guilford College, where she has been visiting. The engine on the High Point and

Asheboro mailroad jumped the track last night at Randleman, causing a delay of five hours. No one was in-

W. J. Clary, of Greensboro, came up last night and spent the night with A. V. Sapp. H. H. Cartland, of Greensboro, is

spending the day with his brother, Dr. Dr. McIver will spend Thursday with Prof. George H. Crowell at the graded school. He will deliver an address to the students and the citizens of High Point and vicinity Thursday,

at 7 p. m. U. S. Marshal Milikan and O. C. Wysong registered at Jarrell's hotel today. They left on No. 36.

NOW THEY SAY EWART.

And That Ewart Will Mean Democratic Victory.

The Charlotte Observer's Washington

correspondent says: Replying to newspaper reports to the effect that he opposed the appointment of Judge Douglas on account of the alleged complications in connection with his administration as United States marshal, Senator Pritchard said: "The statement is absolutely false. The only objection I have suggested to his appointment is that his retirement from the Sta'e Supreme Court bench would imperil a change in the present complexion of the court. On that account I have declined to recommend his appointment

and have so advised him." "All this means the appointment of Judge Ewart, and that means," said a prominent Russellite Republican tonight, "the end of the fusion movement in this State, and consequently the election of a democratic legisla-

ture this year." "Senator Pritchard," said one of Senator Butler's confidential republican allies, "has made an indefensible blunder, an egregious, fatal mistake in this matter, and it is Senator Butler's purpose to say to him that there can be no fusion in the State that will prevent the election of a democratic legislature this year under his leader-

Judge Douglas will remain here until the appointment is made, and intimates his purpose to defeat Ewart's

HERE'S A BONANZA.

A. C. Gunter's California Land is a Sort of Klondyke Itself.

A. C. Gunter, formerly a real estate dealer in Asheville, is in a position to enter into the true spirit of California's gold jubilee, which began

Mr. Gunter has only recently struck a veritable Klondyke in that state. Some time ago he exchanged some property for lands in California. Both parties to the transaction were of the opinion that their respective properties were valueless.

Mr. Gunter placed the deed to his California property in a pigeon hole and thought no more about it. Some time since he received a number of property and finally a letter came conland. The discovery was made that a

Mr. Gunter left yesterday for California where will investigate his gold interests .- Asheville Citizen .-

BEAR NO. 107.

Big Tom" Wilson Has That Number to His Credit.

S. F. Chapman, who is at home from a trip to Yancey county, saw "Big the information that the famous hunter and guide has killed his 107th bear. 'Big Tom's" son Dolph is something of a hunter himself, and says he is going to break the record made by his father. He has to date 67 bears to his credit. "Big Tom" says Dolph will have to stir his stumps mightily if he gets ahead of his father, and adds that it is by reason of the training re- to be paid by A. C. Forsyth. ceived from him that Dolph is so successful.—Asheville Citizen.

THE NEWS FROM ABROAD

English Troops Occupy Disputed Territory.

OUIET IN ALGIERS

Italy Obtains Important Concessions in Favor of Silver-Socialist Bread Riots Call For Troops.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Lagos, West Coast of Africa, Jan. 25.—British troops today occupied Okeito ia the territory of Borgue The possession of Borgue is in dispute between France and England.

RESULT OF BREAD RIOTS. By Cable to THE TELEGRAM

Rome, Jan. 25.-1n consequence of bread riets by socialists and anarchists the cabinet today decided to summon an additional force of one hun dred thousand men to assemble under colon for services.

QUIET IN ALGIERS. By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.

Paris, Jan. 25-At a meeting of the cabinet, the minister of the Interior communicated dispatches from Algiers showing that all is quiet there today.

CONCESSIONS TO SILVER.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM

London, Jan. 25-The efforts of the Italian government to obtain conces sions on the part of the governments of the Latin Union relative to the cir culation of silver in those countries in Italy have been successful. In conse quence of this agreement Italy will liberate 150,000,000 francs held at present as a reserve in the treasury and will call in all notes, issuing sil-

ANDREWS UP FOR CONTEMBT.

Case Now Under Consideration by the Commission. Special to THE TELECHAM.

Raleigh, Jan. 25-The Railway Commission met at 10 o'clock this morning to consider_the case calling upon Col. A. B. Andrews, Vice-President of the Southern; Mr. H. W. Miller, his private secretary; Mr. J. B. Newsom, division freight agent, and Mr. R. L. Potts, local agent of the Southern, to punished for contempt for refusal to answer questions propounded to

The commission heard argument Tenn., and F. H. Busbee, of Raleigh, Douglass in behalf of the state.

The commission now has the case under consideration, no decision having been reached.

REINDEER STRANGLED AT SEA.

Hanged by Their Halters as the Glanton Rolled and Pitched.

Most of the fifteen reindeer that died on the steamship Glanton on her rough voyage from Hamburg, which she finshed here on Saturday, were hanged by their halters. They were tied to stanchions between decks. Some had their necks broken and some were strangled. They were knocked from their feet by the violent rolling and pitching of the ship. After nine had died in this way the others were unhitched from the stanchions and put in letters making inquiries regarding the | a pen. Six died in the pen. The reindeer were brought here by James Niel. taining an offer for \$50,000 for the He collected forty of them in Finland. Eight died on the long journey to gold vein ran through the supposedly Hamburg. He has seventeen left. which he will take overland to Seattle and transport thence by water to the Klondike .- N. Y. Sun.

How They Show It.

When the charges of bribery were first sprung in the Ohio Legislature, Hanna's friends said: "It is done to defeat Hanna. We will elect him and then we will show that the charges were trumped up." Hanna was elected, and his friends decline to answer questions and run away from investigation .- News and Observer.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Forsyth & Winslow has been dissolved. All accounts due said firm are to be paid to A.C. Forsyth, and all chaims against said firm are

A. C. Forsyth.

A VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEERE. 7.

And a Bag of Chickens Went With

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM

Binghampton, N. Y. Jan. 25-Frank Perkins, the leader of the American volunteers in this city was arrested at two o'clock this morning with a bag of chickens, which he had stolen, on his back. He was promptly taken to police headquarters. He afterward suicided by shooting.

STORM BECOMES A BLIZZARD.

Wires are Down and the Roads are Impassable.

By Wire To THE TELEGRAM.

Chicago, Jan. 28.-The storm has reached the dimensions of a blizzard and continues to sweep over west Nebraska and the adjoining states. The roads have become impassable and the wires are down. The storm reached Illinois today and is moving rapidly eastward.

BULOW EXONERATES DREYFUS.

Never any Relations Between Dreyfus and German Agents.

Berlin, Jan.24-The minister of Foreign Affairs, Baron von Bulow, made solemn statement today before the budget committee of the Reichstag, in regard to the Dreyfus affair. He declared most emphatically that there had never been relations of any kind between representatives or agents and

Dreyfus. Continuing, the minister said the waste basket incident at the German embassy in Paris, and the finding therein of compromising documents affecting Dreyfus, was sheer invention He added that the Dreyfus affair had not affected in the slightest the calm relations between the German and French governments. The speaker knew nothing of the visit to Dreyfus by German officials during his alleged stay in the Reichsland, and still less of the alleged special facilities given Dreyfus visit.

LUETGERT CROSS EXAMINED.

States Attorney Deenan Fails in an Effort to T:ip Him. Chicago, Jan. 24.—State's Attorney Charles S. Deenan began the cross examination of Adolph Luetgert at 3 p. m. today. The most material advantage gained by the State was the wide difference in the descriptions of the appearance of the vat on Sunday morning given by Luetgert and Mr. show cause why they should not be Charles. The latter said the vat contained tallow, unassimilated grease, lye and some soap. Luetgert maintained it was all "soapy substance" and the difference between the top and from Col. Henderson, of Knoxvile, bottom was that the former was darker colored and slightly more fluid. for the respondents, and Cook and Fully a dozen questions were put and repeated with the design of forcing the witness to tell what the soapy substance Tooked like. He realized the importance of the point and obstinately repeated his answer that it was just "soapy substance."

Explained.

"Do you mean to call that a victov?" asked the war correspondent. "Gertainly," replied the Spanish

"But your men went flying in terror before the insurgents. They considered themselves lucky to get back at all. You don't call that a victory, do

"Certainly. They got back, didn't "Yes."

"Well, I want you to understand that we claim jurisdiction over this island. We're making the rules, and every time any of us get back in safetv it scores one victory."-Washington Star.

The Lexow Law. By wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Albany, Jan. 24.-An appeal affecting the constitutionality of the Lexow anti-monitor law to examine the presidents of coal trusts and railroads was set down for argument before the Court of Appeals today but was postponed until the next term of court on March

St. John has not Resigned.

A telegram from vice president E. St. John of the Seaboard Air Line to the Morning Post, of Raleigh, in answer to a query denies that he has resigned his position with the Sea-

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HOLOCAUST IN SPOKANE.

Terrible Work of The Flames There This Morning.

The Destruction of Property Will Amount To More Than a Half

Million Dollars.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 25-Twenty lives were lost in a fire early this morning in the the great eastern block in the great Eastern block in this city. The first stories of the building were used as stores and the upper stories for lodging. The, building has been known as the "fire trap" ever since it was built. The stairs were so arranged as to cut off escape. Many of those in the burning building leaped from the windows sustaining injuries and were carried to the hospitals dead or nearly so. Some were penned in and smothered or burned to death. The loss of property will amount to more than a half million dollars. Some say that the loss of life will be fifty as it is not known as yet how many lodgers were rescued. The heat was so intense that the work of rescuing the imprisoned people was next to impossible. There were about 250 lodgers in the building when the fire originated. The building was erccted in 1890 and cost over a quarter of a million dollars.

THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Private Wire

to W. A. Porterfield & Co. W. A. Porterfield & Co., commission brokers, furnish us with the following closing quotations of the New York Stock exchange and the Chicago Board

The following are the closing quotaof the New York Stock Exchange: NEW YORK, Jan. 25, 1898. American tobacco...... 85\$ Atch., Top. & Santa Fe...... 298 B. and O. 124

C. and O..... 21½ Chic., Bur. and Quincy..... Chic. Gas..... Del., Lack. and Western..... Delaware and Hudson..... Am. spirits..... Dist'r and cattle feed Erie..... General Electric...... 35% Jersey Central. 93 Louisville and Nashville..... 554 Lake Shore..... Manhattan Elevated..... 1171 Missouri and Pacific...... 331 Northwestern 121 Northern Pacific Pr...... 638 National Lead..... New York Central...... 1161 Pacific Mail.....

Southern Railway Pr..... St. Paul..... Sugar Trust...... 1371 Tenn. Coal & Iron...... 24# Texas Pacific..... U. S. Leather Preferred...... Western Union Tel..... 90 Wabash Preferred.....

Southern Railway

The following are the closing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade: CHICAGO, Jan. 25, 1898. Wheat, Jan

" May 93

" July.....

Corn, Jan.... " Sept..... " May 294 Almond Cream Lotion " July..... Oáts, Sept..... " Jan.... " May..... 23% Pork, Dec..... " Jan..... " May..... Lard, Dec..... " -Jan..... " May..... 492 Ribs, Dec..... Jan.... May 495

Cotton, Sept......588@

" Dec.....

" Nov...... @

" April.. @

" May......578(a)

 " June
 @

 " July
 .584@

 " August
 .587@

The Attendance is Larger Than Was Expected.

THE MONETARY CONVETION.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Indianapolis, Jan. 25-The second monetary convention made up from delegates of commercial bodies throughout the country, opened its session

here today. The convention, which is larger than was expected, was welcomed by Governor Mount. Governor Shaw, of Iowa, presided. C. Z. Stuart, of Pattersom, submitted the report of the committee of eleven.

Hon. H. M. Daughtery and Manager Page, of the Western Union, refused to answer questions before the legislative committee at Columbus, O., yesterday. They may be prosecuted for contempt. The committee now goes to Cincinnati.

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furnishes its own reminder, but we would like to suggest in passing that when such an un-fortunate need occurs, there is no place in town where it can be suppled

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