

HAITI TODAY STANDS ON THE VERGE OF RED ANARCHY

American Bluejackets On Guard and American Battleship Rushing Cross The Water to the Scene.

BURNING AND LOOTING IN PROGRESS LAST NIGHT

Abdication of President of Republic Caused Chaos and Disorder — German and French Fighting Ships Are Ready To Act.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Under forced draft the big battleship South Carolina is rushing across a windward passage for Port AuPrince, Haiti, to place her marines and blue jackets, with the forces of the armored cruiser, Montana, for protection of Americans and foreigners in the Revolution-torn republic, left without Government by the sudden abdication of President Oreste, who fled to refuge on the German cruiser Vineta yesterday. Haiti is threatened with anarchy by its latest revolution. The South Carolina should reach Port Au Prince today.

American Sailors On Guard.

Port Au Prince, Jan. 28.—Armed detachments of American sailors, from the cruiser Montana, were on guard today at the American legation, the cable station and French Hospital. German bluejackets are guarding other foreign Legations and German stores in the city.

Fusillades continued in all quarters of the city throughout the night and there were numerous attempts to pillage houses and stores, but these were quickly suppressed and the city is now quiet. A citizens' committee of public safety has been formed. President Oreste and wife remained all night aboard the German cruiser Vineta in the harbor.

French Cruiser On Guard.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The French cruiser, Conde, no win Mexican waters, was today placed at the disposal of the French Consul at Port Au Prince, Haiti, where the situation is serious. The Consul was instructed to call upon the Commander of the Conde if he deemed it advisable.

TO PROMOTE RUSSIA'S TRADE WITH UNGLE SAM

St. Petersburg, Russia, Jan. 28.—In formal overtures were made today by a group of Russians to the Ministry of Finance, with a view of obtaining a charter for a Russo-American Bank, intended to promote trade between Russia and the United States. The applicants said they were acting in concert with large American banking interests.

JUST OLD EXCITING STORY IN NEW FORM

Report That Japan is Furnishing Arms to the Huerta Government — Villa Confers About Starting Up Industry in Rebel Territory.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The publication of reports that Japan was supplying arms to the Huerta government and that President Wilson had discussed the phase of the Mexican situation with members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee Monday, were characterized at the White House today as an "old story revamped."

to procure ammunition with ease from abroad. They did not assert that the Japanese government was directly concerned but declared ammunition had been bought of Japanese commercial houses.

Villa in Conference.
Juarez, Mexico, Jan. 28.—General Francisco Villa, Rebel leader, arrived here from Chihuahua today to confer during several days with representatives of the mining and smelter interests, regarding resumption of business in Rebel territory. He will return to Chihuahua, which he calls the provisional capital of the Republic, to direct the attack on Torreón.

Goes to Assume Command.

Culiacan, Mexico, Jan. 28.—General Buena, of the Constitutionalists, left today to assume charge of the campaign against the city of Tepic. He took five hundred men with him.

SECOND LYNCHING IS FEARED

A Man Implicated By Jim Wilson Is In Danger From Mob.

POSSE TO THE RESCUE

ESCAPES THE MOB.

Special to The Dispatch.
Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 28.—Worth Sanders, accused of complicity in the murder, evaded three hundred pursuers and at 3 o'clock the officers lodged him in Wake county jail. Three Wake county farmers gave him safekeeping. He was running when they saw him at Garner.

WON'T SEEK AID

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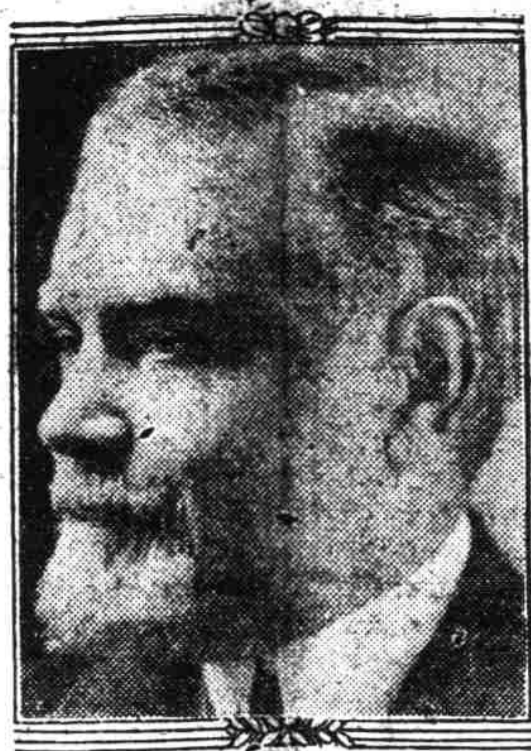
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New York, Jan. 28.—That Senator James O'Gorman has been already chosen to be placed on the throne from which Tammany Leader Charles F. Murphy is slowly but surely being ousted, is the opinion of many political sharps in New York. Murphy's faux pas in persisting in the impeachment of Sulzer in the face of the opposition of his own lieutenants signed his political death warrant. O'Gorman's star has been on the ascendant ever since.

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FOUR BIG SHIPS ARE WANTED IN PLACE OF TWO

General Naval Board Wants To Raise Secretary Daniels Two Battleships

PLEA FROM DEWEY

Hero of Manila Sick But His Message Delivered to the House Naval Committee—Also Wants Sixteen Destroyers.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Four battleships, instead of two as recommended by Secretary Daniels, were urged upon the House Naval Committee today by Rear Admiral Vreeland, of the Navy General Board, speaking for Admiral Dewey, who was ill and unable to appear. The general board wants four battleships and sixteen destroyers while Secretary Daniels proposed two battleships, eight destroyers and two submarines.

ANOTHER RIOT THREATENED TO-DAY

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Repetition of last night's disorders among the unemployed in the West. Side ghetto was threatened today, when large crowds congregated in front of the Maxwell street police station, where those arrested last night were to be arraigned, and at Workingmen's Hall. At the police station the crowd seemed bent on entering the court room. A letter threatening to blow up the station unless the prisoners were dismissed, was received. Five arrests were made last night, two of the prisoners claiming to be members of the Industrial Workers of the World. Those in today's demonstrations, as was the case last night, were principally garment workers, thrown out of employment by stagnation of trade, due to the mild weather.

WILD WOMEN TRIED TO BREAK INTO CABINET

London, Jan. 28.—The militant suffragettes today made a bold attempt to break into the meeting of the British Cabinet Council, sitting at the official residence of Premier Asquith. An automobile belonging to the Women's Social and Political Union, with a woman chauffeur at the wheel, and filled with suffragettes, dashed up before the police realized what was going on. When the driver refused to obey the police ordered the entire party placed under arrest. The unexpected raid caused great excitement and a crowd soon gathered.

THRILLING RESCUE MADE IN MIDAIR

New York, Jan. 25.—After a thrilling rescue in mid-ocean, Captain Dean and five men of the crew of the schooner Anna E. Banks, were brought to port today by the steamer Indrani, from Swansea. The schooner was helpless when the Indrani hove in sight. Although tremendous seas were running, Chief Officer White and five men launched a lifeboat and picked up the Banks' crew. They were forced to jump into a boiling seas as the boat could not approach the sinking schooner.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 28.—Denver has completed elaborate arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the delegates to the twenty-sixth annual convention of the Colorado Young Men's Christian associations. The convention sessions will begin tomorrow and continue over Sunday. Several speakers of national reputation will be here to address the meeting.

SHELBY CULLOM PASSED AWAY AT ONE THIS AFTERNOON

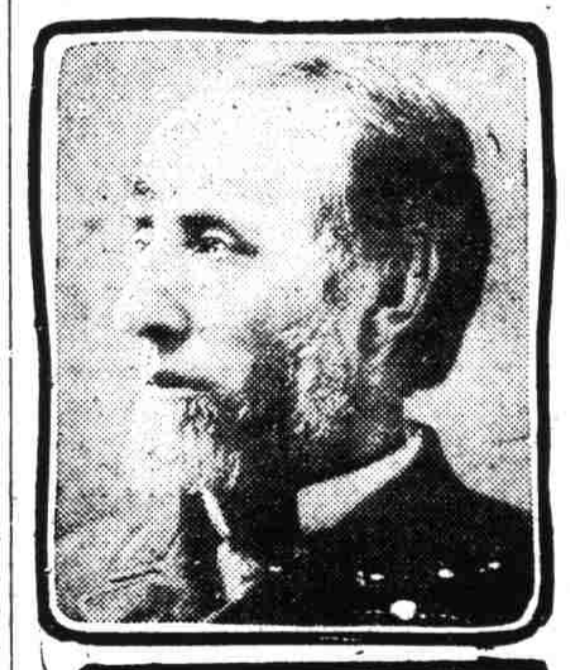
Noted Ex-Senator of Illinois Dies Before His Work Is Done.

HELD OFFICE 50 YEARS

Interesting and History Making Career Closed Today—Was Head of the Lincoln Memorial Movement.

Washington, Jan. 28.—Former Senator Shelby M. Cullom, of Illinois, died here at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, after an illness of more than a week. His last words were the wish that he might see completion of the National Memorial to Abraham Lincoln, who was his personal friend. Shelby Moore Cullom's death ended fifty years of continuous public service that had made him a figure in American National life and brought him into official relations with every President from Abraham Lincoln to Woodrow Wilson.

As a ploughboy driving his father's oxen over the fresh prairie of Illinois he had known and talked with survivors of the Revolution and on the rugged foundations of a life begun in pioneer hardships of a family of twelve children had built a career that took him to the Illinois legislature as a member; speaker of the assembly two terms in the governor's chair, service in the National House of Representatives, and thirty consecutive years in the United States Senate. His nearest living contemporary probably is "Uncle Joe" Cannon, whose senior he was some seven years by birth and some three years in National service. Andrew Jackson was President of the United States when Mr. Cullom



The Late Shelby M. Cullom

was born in 1829 down in the Elk Spring Valley of Kentucky, near the Cumberland, where the Culloms of Maryland, and the Coffeys, of North Carolina, drifting westward with the tides of immigration that set in at the close of the Revolution, founded their early home.

When he became city attorney of Springfield he launched upon a political career, which for a record of unbroken service is unchallenged as exceeding that of any other American. Among his first political experiences was the novelty of being elected and defeated at the same election. He was elected to the legislature and defeated as elector on the Fillmore ticket. Then came the historic Lincoln and Douglas debates and Cullom's intimate association with Lincoln, whom he followed into the ranks of the Republican party. He presided over the session of the Illinois House at which, after Fort Sumter had been fired upon, Stephen A. Douglas appeared and made his dramatic plea for the preservation of the Union. During the first of President Lincoln's second term Mr. Cullom came to the National House of Representatives and began a work which was practically interrupted only when he served two years as governor of Illinois. Lincoln was assassinated soon after Cullom entered Washington life and the young legislator was a member of the committee that demanded the return of the President's body to Springfield. Then when the country began to recover from what seemed a final blow and the reconstruction set

ing but a boy.

THE FIRST STEPS ARE TAKEN TO SINK PROBE IN STRIKES

Congress Will Make Inquiry Into Colorado and Michigan Labor Problems.

HOUSE COMMITTEE

Will Start the Ball Rolling At An Early Date—Will Investigate Numerous Phases of the Strikes.

Washington, Jan. 28.—First steps in a Congressional investigation of the Colorado and Michigan mine strikes were taken today by the House Mines Committee, designated to make inquiry. Chairman Foster called the committee together, in early meeting to decide on plans. Specifically the Congressmen will investigate whether the postal service has been interfered with, whether the immigration laws have been violated, whether there are agreements in restraint of trade, and whether peonage exists. There is possibility that both strikes will be inquired into simultaneously by different sub-committees.

WISCONSIN COUNTRY LIFE CONFERENCE

Madison, Wis., Jan. 28.—The Wisconsin Country Life Conference, one of the first organizations of its kind formed in the United States, met at the College of Agriculture today and began its fourth annual meeting. A large and representative attendance gave evidence of the keen interest that has been aroused in this State in the movement to better the conditions of rural life. The sessions of the conference will continue three days. The program has among its leading features addresses to be delivered by Prof. Graham Taylor of Chicago on "The Social Functions of the Rural Church" and Bishop Webb, of Milwaukee, who will be heard on the subject of "Community Responsibility and the Rural Church."

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C. at 8 a. m. yesterday, 10.6 feet.

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in with the Thirty-ninth Congress, Cullom began his service with the Illinois delegation, and with such colleagues in Congress as Logan, Wentworth, Blaine, Conkling and Hayes and Garfield, both of whom attained the Presidency.

After six years in the House, during which he had seen the impeachment of Andrew Johnson and taken part in the making of a most critical period of American history, he returned to Illinois voting never again to take office, only to become speaker of the legislature and later governor. At the Philadelphia convention he placed Grant in nomination for his second term which is said to have been the shortest nominating speech ever delivered. It contained seventy-five words.

Cullom's career as a United States Senator began in 1883 when he resigned as governor and was elected to succeed David Davis. His service in the Senate chamber was an unbroken one for thirty years—five consecutive terms—a record excelled only by two other men, Senator Allison, of Iowa, and Senator Morrill, of Vermont.

He entered the Senate in 1883, a spry, active man of fifty-four, he left it in 1913 a fading, tottering man of eighty-four, but with a brain still bright and active. He used to tell a story of how one day seeing Senator Vest, very old, feeble looking and dejected, he said to Senator Morrill, who then was some eighty-six: "Go over and cheer Vest up a bit," whereat Morrill walked over and slapping Vest on the shoulder said, "Cheer up, old man; why you're nothing but a boy."