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THE HANGMAN WAITS.

A Military Court at Prague About to Provide Him With Several Subjects.

Thousands of Youths Join in the Riots and Are Dispersed by the Troops.

PRAGUE, Dec. 3.—At Pilsen yesterday afternoon the troops were called upon to disperse a rioting mob of seven thousand youths. Some of the latter were wounded and many arrested. The troops were called to Pilsen on an attempt to wreck the Bohemian schools at Badenbock, military assistance has been called for to quell the disturbance. At Beram the windows of houses occupied by German and military officers were broken into yesterday afternoon, and the troops subsequently occupied the streets and dispersed the mobs. Although the streets are still patrolled by the military, business is being gradually resumed.

A military court has been established at the courthouse and the local hangman, his assistants and a priest will remain until further orders, in order to be ready to carry out death sentences, said to be necessary. The troops here now number 28 battalions of infantry and two squadrons of artillery. Serious excesses are reported to have been committed at Koenigsgratz, where the Franziska house has been partly demolished. Troops have been dispatched there. Reports from various places in Bohemia tell of disturbances during the last five days. The houses of German and Jews have been attacked by mobs. The Germans of Badenbock made reprisals in the neighboring Bohemian village of Krogitz, where a school, two inns and a shop were destroyed and a number of people injured despite the intervention of the police and burgomaster. The Germans also fomented riots at Gabonitz, stoning the military. It was necessary to call out the troops to quell the disturbance.

HAYTI BECOMING TIMID.

Apprehensive at the Presence of Two Harmless German Steam Ships.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The Haytian minister, Mr. Legers, called at the state department to-day and had a conference with second assistant secretary Adee, who is acting as secretary of state. The Haytian government has called him from Port au Prince that the Haytian consul at Kingston, Jamaica, telegraphed that two German warships called yesterday from that place for Port au Prince. The news had created the greatest excitement in the town and all over the island and disturbances were apprehended. The foundation for the statement is believed to be that the two German steam ships, Stein and Charlotte, which have been cruising in Southern waters, are just starting on their way northward to the United States. Neither vessel can be properly called a warship, although they are attached to the German navy and carry a large number of young naval cadets.

LE ROI'S PRESIDENT SUEED.

Fifty Thousand Dollars Demanded From Him for a Wife's Affections.

SPokane, Dec. 1.—Fifty thousand dollars is the sum that ex-Mayor Charles F. Clough, the prominent mining broker and president of the firm of Charles F. Clough & Co., incorporated, is demanding of Colonel W. W. D. Turner, president of the Le Roi Mining Company, brother of Senator George Turner, and one of the owners of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, as damages for the alleged alienation of Mrs. Clough's affections by the Colonel, so says the Spokane Review. Colonel Turner was informed that his suit was to be brought, and he cut short his Eastern trip to come home and accept service, arriving here direct from New York Friday night. Saturday a copy of the complaint was served on him. The complaint alleges that on July 31st last Colonel Turner caused Mrs. Clough's affection for her husband to be alienated, and that on September 24, by reason of this alienation, Mrs. Clough left the plaintiff and no longer lives with him. In this case Mr. Clough states that he is damaged in the sum of \$50,000.

MANY THOUSANDS IN WANT.

Distressing Official Report on the Conditions in Cuba.

THE KUBRAN COLUMN.

Heavy Punishment Inflicted on the Opposing Tribesmen.

SINAI, Dec. 3.—Further dispatches from the front say that the Kharas column of the punitive force of British troops, which met fierce resistance on its march into the Ghankani country, where thirty villages of the insurgents were burned, has continued its advance and inflicted heavy punishment on the enemy, who had an almost inaccessible position on the heights, which were stormed in fine style by the Ghurkas,

A POLITICAL MYSTERY.

Governor Patterson's Hobnobbing With Great Men of the East Causing Much Speculation.

Suggestion That for a Cash Consideration Manitoba Will Smooth the Liberal Path.

TROUBLE FOR GERMANY.

Restiveness at the Russian Capital Over the Recent Grab of Chinese Territory.

TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

A Sailor Lashed to a Wreck Drifts Four Days Before the Gale.

EQUALITY OF THE SEXES.

The Governor of Georgia Furnishes an Object Lesson.

TWO SENTENCED TO HANG.

The Judges Meredith Almost Instantaneously Impose the Death Penalty.

GENERAL PANDO ALL RIGHT.

He Has Not as Reported Been Killed by Cuban Insurgents.

TORPEDO BOATS FOR RUSSIA.

Order Placed in England for the Fastest Craft in the World.

IOWA SNOWBOUND.

The Worst Storm in Years in Progress and Traffic Seriously Hampered.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—The worst snow storm in years has been raging here for 48 hours. Railway traffic is seriously hampered.

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The French Premier Sees No Possibility of Exonerating the Disgraced Exile.

DUEL ARISING OVER A WARM DEBATE IN THE CHAMBER—AN ESTERHAZY COURT-MARTIAL.

PARIS, Dec. 4.—The case of Dreyfus was discussed in the chamber of deputies to-day and occasionally gave rise to heated utterances. A good majority of the deputies, however, sustained the candid taken by the government. M. Andre Castelan, editor of the Cocarde and formerly one of the warm supporters of the late General Boulanger, brought up the matter, asking Premier Meline to reassure the public, especially the army, on the subject; to which the premier replied: "There is no Dreyfus affair and cannot be."

Continuing the premier explained that the investigation into the Esterhazy affair had resulted in placing him in the hands of a military court, a step, he added, which in no way prejudiced the finality of the verdict. Dreyfus is neither the government nor for the chamber to deal with. In the meantime good citizens should respect the authority of the judgment given. He deplored the fact that the government had been obliged to make the question a political one, and expressed the hope that this statement would end a polemical war which had already lasted several months.

The Comte de Muil, the clerical leader, expressed regret at the fact that the minister of war, General Billot, was not present to demand the army, whose chief of staff was attacked. This remark brought forth loud cheering and the session of the chamber was for a time suspended while awaiting the arrival of the minister of war, who was summoned to appear. When the minister arrived he spoke in decidedly warm tones. Among other things he said: "Dreyfus has been condemned; Dreyfus is guilty." The minister of war repeated the remarks of the premier concerning Esterhazy, and the proceedings ended with the General expressing regret at the fact that he had no means of dealing with the "Calumnies against the chief of staff," and calling upon the chamber to do so.

Seven resolutions were proposed, that of M. Jumli, republican, that the chamber, declaring that it has no business to intervene in a question of judicial character, passes to the order of the day," being rejected by a vote of 147 to 10.

The Comte de Muil's motion, "That the chamber is confident the government will take steps to end the odious campaign against the army," was defeated by 262 to 244 votes.

The next motion was that of M. Henri de Lavertign, republican, in substance, "That the chamber, respecting a judgment passed and sympathizing with the homage rendered to the army by the minister of war, passes to the order of the day." M. Meline, premier, supported this resolution and it was accorded priority by a vote of 372 to 138. The first session was adopted by 523 to 18 votes. An amendment approving of the assent in bringing the minister of war was adopted.

As a result of some hot words exchanged during the debate, M. Joseph Reinch, republican, a well known newspaper man and author, and editor of the Republique Francaise, sent his seconds to M. Millevand, socialist republican, and editor of the Petit Republicain Francaise. A duel with pistols has been arranged to take place between them. M. Reinch has already fought duels with M. Magnier and M. Paul de Boulede. The military governor of Paris, General Sausser, has ordered the formation of a court martial to examine into the charges against Count Ferdinand Waleis Esterhazy, the retired major of the French army, who is accused of writing the letter which brought about the sentencing of Alfred Dreyfus to imprisonment for life. The Journal says the decision of General Sausser is based on the report of General Pallieres, who was appointed by the minister of war to examine into the charges brought against Count Esterhazy, and which is as follows: "So far as Dreyfus is concerned the case has been tried. No new facts have been brought to light, and no new documents have been submitted during the course of the inquiry to justify a revision of the trial. In consequence thereof ground for proceeding against Count Esterhazy so far as regards the crimes of high treason or which Alfred Dreyfus was condemned."