

AROUSING GREAT ENTHUSIASM

The French Republicans Oppose the Credit for the Madagascar Expedition.

The War Speech of the Minister of Foreign Affairs Received With Enthusiasm.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The chamber of deputies was crowded to-day, the occasion being the debate on the question of granting credit for the Madagascar expedition. The Republicans opposed the credit and warned the chamber that the minimum expenditure would ultimately be likely to reach two hundred million francs.

London, Nov. 23.—The secretary of the Royal Yacht Squadron said to-day that nothing had been definitely settled in regard to the Challenge for the America cup. Designer Watson said that if the Americans would accept Dunraven's challenge upon mutually fair conditions a yacht would be built forthwith to contest for the cup.

FROM OTTAWA. Senator Tasse Dying—The Seizures of American Fishermen.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 23.—Senator Tasse, who represented Ottawa for some years in the house of commons is dying. The deputy minister of fisheries told the Times correspondent to-day that the reports of the officers of the department had shown that the seizure of American fish and nets at Sandusky, Western Ontario, were certainly made in Canadian waters. The fish was sold, but the nets were not.

Commander Spain has discharged the fisheries protection fleet, and returned here to-day. The boats are being tied up for the season. There were two seizures of American boats during the summer.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES. News from all Parts of the World in Brief Paragraphs.

A private dispatch received from India says the condition of Lord Randolph Churchill is very unsatisfactory. A telegram to Harvard College observatory from Lowe observatory, California, announces the discovery of a comet by Edward Swift, the position of the comet on Nov. 20 at 8:30 was the following: Right ascension, 22 hours, 18 minutes 25 seconds; declination, south 13 degrees 7 minutes. It is faint with a short tail, and has a slow easterly motion.

In the race for the governorship of California full returns has been received from all counties with the exception of San Francisco. Including estimated returns from San Francisco the result is: Budd, 111,528; Estee, 110,256. Budd's plurality, 1270.

The completion of the Tehuantepec railway is announced. It will connect the Pacific and Atlantic oceans by way of the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, a distance of 130 miles, the Isthmus of Tehuantepec being in the southern part of Mexico, adjoining Guatemala.

U. S. Commander Smith, retired, appeared before the naval court-martial at the navy yard this morning and pleaded not guilty. He is charged with scandalous conduct in disobeying the orders of the navy department.

Five students of Kansas City university medical college were arrested at Oak Grove cemetery last night, charged with grave robbery.

The United States steamer Fessenden is lying at Sandusky, Ohio, and the captain is conducting a private inquiry on board her to-day into the circumstances of the seizure by the Canadian steamer Petrol of the nets owned by American citizens.

PLUMPER'S PASS. A Whole Night on the Top of an Upright Boat.

Plumper's Pass, Nov. 20.—During a recent gale a native of Cowichan Gap, whose name appears to be unknown, was returning home from Vancouver across the gulf. His boat was suddenly struck by a huge sea and overturned. The unlucky occupant, however, succeeded in climbing on to his upturned craft, when another monster sea struck her and once again she righted. By this time the unfortunate man, being completely tired out and left without the way or means of propelling his boat, made himself as comfortable as circumstances would permit and patiently waited the course of events.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES. News in Brief from the Great American Republic.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—The cabinet meeting was again postponed to-day on account of the continued indisposition of the president. Secretary Thurston says the president's rheumatic foot still troubles him. His physicians wish him to keep quiet. He devotes most of his time to the preparation of his message to congress. The treaty between Japan and the United States was signed by Gresham and the Japanese minister this

CHINA AND JAPAN.

A Viceroy Disgraced—The Japs Killed at Talien Wan All Beheaded.

One European's Head Cut Off—Four Attacks Made on Port Arthur.

London, Nov. 23.—A dispatch says the third Japanese corps has sailed from Ujima. Its destination is not known, but it is believed to be the Yangtze Kiang river. London, Nov. 23.—A Tientsin dispatch says four attacks have been made upon Port Arthur by Japanese. In the first the attacking forces succeeded in driving in Chinese outposts, but the other three resulted in their repulse by the Chinese.

THE ARMENIAN MASSACRE. British Government Satisfied with the Sultan's Promised Enquiry.

London, Nov. 22.—A dispatch to the Times from Constantinople says that the commission appointed by the Sultan to examine into the reported massacre of Armenians is composed of Abdallah Pasha, general of division; Tewfik Pasha, general of brigades, both of whom are aides to the Sultan; Medjid Bey, an official belonging to the ministry of the interior, and Omer Bey, director of the savings bank. They will start on Sunday for Sassoun, the scene of the outrages.

In an interview this evening Mr. Nazabek, the Armenian leader and editor of the Hentchak, who is in London, said he was obliged to leave Athens after the Turkish authorities had succeeded in obtaining the release of an agent who had been arrested for suborning a man to murder him. He has received letters confirming the information said before Lord Kimberly last week by Mr. Hagepion, chairman of the Armenian Patriotic Association. He expressed his distrust of the inquiry into the Armenian atrocities set on foot by the Turkish government, and declared his belief that the commissioners appointed by the Sultan will not really seek to obtain the truth or endeavor to get the facts of the horror.

Lord Kimberly, secretary of state for foreign affairs, has declined to receive the Armenian deputation which was sent to protest against the conduct of the Turks in the Sassoun massacre. In his reply to the Armenian association he says he may not comply with the request for consular reports on affairs in the Sassoun district. He expresses approval at the Sultan's decision to appoint a commission to Sassoun, adding that Sir Philip Currie is impressing upon the sublime porte the importance of making the inquiry prompt, thorough and impartial. The Armenians are much displeased with Lord Kimberly's residence and will hold a public meeting on Nov. 27 to protest against the cruelty shown by the Turks to the Armenians in Asia Minor.

CLEVELAND AS A WITNESS. An Attorney Wants to Have the President Summoned to Frisco.

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—Attorney Monteith is preparing some affidavits, to be filed to-morrow, in the case of one of the strikers now on trial for obstructing the mails and interfering with interstate commerce. It is his purpose to make every effort possible to summon to this city as witnesses in the case pending, President Cleveland and the managers of the principal eastern railroads which were in any way involved in the great strike. If the application for the defence for these distinguished individuals be refused, the matter will be taken to the supreme court of the United States for final adjudication. Monteith, speaking of the case, said: "We hold that the President of the United States and the managers of the eastern roads were technically guilty of obstructing the United States mails when they put forth the presidential and managerial proclamation concerning the strike. We want to find out why that proclamation was made, and on that point Mr. Cleveland's testimony is essential. I do not believe there is any law by which he can claim exemption from coming and testifying as a witness. The matter will be decided by District Judge Morrow to-morrow."

TO USE THE CANALS. An Agreement by Which Canadian Canals Can be Used by Americans.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 21.—An afternoon paper says that for the last sixteen months leading American vessel owners for the great lakes have been in consultation with the Canadian ministry devising a scheme under which the ships of this country could make free use of the Canadian ship canals. It is said there remains the consent of only the British and American governments to throw open to the United States the magnificent waterways of Canada. The plan is that the United States and Canada shall enter into an agreement whereby the latter shall cede to the former the continual right to use all its canals from the sea to the lakes for all vessels, commercial and naval, free of all tolls, provided the United States will assume the expense of maintenance and repairs, the agreement to be ratified by the British government.

IN THE SOUTH SEAS.

Movement on Foot to Restore Queen Lil to the Throne of Hawaii.

The Success of the Mormons Among the Natives of Oceanica.

Honolulu, Nov. 12.—(Per steamer Mariposa to San Francisco.)—That the government is still slightly in fear of a royalist uprising has been evident during the last week. All the guards in the suburbs have been doubled and a close watch kept on all suspected persons. The cause of this sudden activity is alleged to be the discovery of a plot to restore the ex-queen. The restoring party were supposed to be led by a San Francisco newspaper man, who for some time after his arrival here, soon after the recent revolution, was an active supporter of the new government. His house has been closely watched for weeks past, and some days before the departure of the steamer Australia last Saturday he was told by Attorney-General Smith that it would be much better for him to take that steamer than to remain here. He did so, but the government has not relaxed its watchfulness on account of his departure. One of the richest, and most prominent royalists in the city said a few evenings ago: "People who think our cause is dead will be treated to a surprise in the near future which will make them open their eyes. We have made many attempts to arouse the royalists to a sense of their wrongs, but so far we have failed. This time, however, I think we have succeeded and will accomplish our end. Whether we will succeed or not is difficult to say, but if we did not think we would succeed we would not attempt revolution."

NEW YORK'S ROTTEN POLICE. Goff Tells About the Work of the Lexow Committee.

Washington, Nov. 22.—John W. Goff, the prosecuting attorney for the Lexow investigating committee, was in stopping in Washington City for a few days, has given the Evening Star an interesting interview on the work of the committee. He said: "We know positively that the police department of New York was systematically blackmailing all classes of citizens. I speak within the bounds of my knowledge when I say there was not a business man in New York city who has not felt the powers of police blackmail. There were, perhaps, a very few instances where honorable men had refused to give their tithes of illegal taxation these men were forced out of the business. One peculiar feature of the blackmail was that it spared no one class, however obscure its calling. You may be surprised when I say that New York, under the police department which was controlled by Tammany Hall, was far more as regards the individual rights of the citizens, than St. Petersburg under its most violent police regime.

"As an illustration of the tremendous powers wielded by this organization I will refer to the difficulty we had in obtaining witnesses to go upon the stand and swear to the facts they had brought to us in private. At first this applied to all classes, both reputable and disreputable. When appealed to they would claim that if they should testify the police would hound them out of the city. When asked if they could not go elsewhere and establish themselves as business they would reply that the persecution would follow them to every city in the country, and we gradually revealed the astounding fact that the police of New York not only dominated every city, but every large community in the country. The lower class of citizens were made to believe that the blackmail was lawful and regular. They came to consider the captain of their precinct as the source of all municipal authority. In effect, he was such a potent power.

"You ask me if I think this power is now crushed? I do most emphatically. I think that the public conscience having once been aroused and the machinery of this nauseous system exposed, there will be a perpetual bar against the development of such an organization in the future. I consider that the great danger to our form of government was in the possibility of its being destroyed by a tendency too strongly toward the growth of the urban community at the expense of the rural. This feeds the machine that, if not watched and checked, will grow to such corrupt influence that which we have just destroyed in New York Centralization, I believe, and as the investigation has proved, is the danger of the day. I cannot speak too highly of the composition of the committee which employed me as its counsel. Though appointed by a Republican senate and containing a majority of the members of that body, these men have acted throughout the investigation like non-partisans, and they have upheld the counsel in every move that has promised to demonstrate the problem that confronted us.

"I cannot answer the question as to where the blackmail money went, or in what proportions it was distributed, for that is a personal matter, which would force me to mention names. There are still many points to investigate, rounding up and finishing up, as it were. We will try to finish the work by the 1st of January.

BICYCLE SHOW. Exhibition at Islington—The Fashion of Machines Next Year.

London, Nov. 23.—The largest bicycle show that Great Britain has ever seen opened to-day at the agricultural hall at Islington. No less than four thousand machines are ranged in lines on the floor and galleries of the vast hall, and the devotees of the wheel turned out in thousands to inaugurate the opening. An inspection of the latest designs shows that the fashion in bicycles next year will be a still further increase in the size of the tires, a shortening of the head, a straight-top tube, short handle bars, and larger chain wheels.

For Horses and Cattle Use Dick's Blood Purifier

THE VICTORIA WEEKLY TIMES, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1894.

What is the question in and bear

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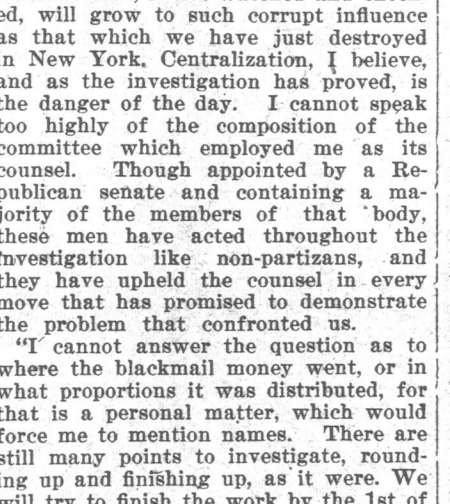
avoulin correspondent says flats farther up the valley will now have lain unproductive decorated with settlers' cabland, although stony, is well tree culture, and could be under irrigation at small expense season will likely witness nance in this locality. Our question has at last been having been received from al secretary that the petition granted. Next year will see 25. Already several names mentioned for the council. n's Horn hotel was burned

VITAL STATISTICS. Report of the Registrar of Deaths and Marriages.

Annual report of the registrar, deaths and marriages reported to the legislature yesterday returns show the registration births, 827 deaths, and 640 for the year 1893, against 757 deaths and 655 marriages year 1892. The increase were in the following districts: 9; New Westminster district, 16; Kamloops, 18; and Decreases, Vancouver, 1; 29; Yale, 2; Clinton, 14, and increase in marriages were: Victoria, 3; Cariboo, 3; Comox, 7; Vancouver, 13; Kamloops, 5; 10; Clinton, 2; New Westminster, 25; and Nanaimo, 18. Increase in deaths were: Nanaimo, 68; Kootenai, 4; Decreases, 1; Yale, 1; Clinton, 5; Cariboo, 1; and Comox, 3. Abuses of death: Zymotic disease, constitutional, 83; local, 350; 60; violent deaths, 101; 37. Among the violent 67 accidents; 13 not applicable; 3 homicides; 12 suicide cautions.

Canadian News. Nov. 23.—Thos. Campbell last dose of Paris green with fatal young man has always been melancholy. All who knew he was never known to smile. or. 23.—The volunteers celebrating Day by military manoeuvring a sham fight. Nearly 2,000 part, including the Thirteenth Hamilton.

's Cured After Others Failed in the Neck—Bunches All Gone Now.



Blanche Atwood Rangerville, Maine. Co., Lowell, Mass. —I feel that I cannot say enough of Hood's Sarsaparilla. For five years troubled with scrofula in my neck several kinds of medicines which do me any good, and when I come Hood's Sarsaparilla there were on my neck so sore that I could

's Sarsaparilla Cures lightest touch. When I had taken this medicine, the soreness had ore I had finished the second the entirely disappeared." BLANCHE Rangerville, Maine. I have decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla to buy any other. illis cure constipation by restoring action of the alimentary canal

Are the good qualities possessed by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Above all it purifies the blood, thus strengthening the nerves; it regulates the digestive organs, invigorates the kidneys and liver, tones and builds up the entire system, cures Scrofula, Dyspepsia, Catarrh and Rheumatism. Get Hood's and only Hood's. HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver ills, biliousness, jaundice, indigestion, sick headache, 25c. Cold in the head—Nasal Balm gives instant relief; speedily cures. Never fails.