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### VENEZUELA.

#### Minister Bowen Declines to Entangle Uncle Sam.

The British Flag Now Floats Over Puerto Cabello—Today's Despatches.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Cabling from Willemstad, Curacao, a correspondent of the Daily Mail says the British flag is now flying over the fort at Puerto Cabello and that President Castro has granted amnesty to "El mocho" Hernandez, Parades and other revolutionary leaders.

#### ITALY'S DEMANDS.

CARACAS, Dec. 15.—The Italian minister only handed to the Venezuelan government certain demands, which were not in the form of an ultimatum and in which he did not specify any limit of time for an answer. His note simply asked for payment of sums due to Italy. In case of payment being made to other countries it asked for the same treatment. The government answered today in the negative, saying that tribunals exist in Venezuela to judge any claims arising before the revolution. The press correspondent is informed that the Italian minister has cabled to Rome for instructions. The correspondent called today at the Italian legation and saw Minister Rivas and his wife and two daughters with regard to the report that they had embarked on the Giovanni Bausan. They laughed and said: "We have never left the city of Caracas and much less embarked on the Italian cruiser at La Guayra." There is no excitement among the people here against Italians because as yet no Italian naval demonstration has taken place.

#### BRITISH CABINET MEETS.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Premier Balfour presided at a cabinet meeting held at the foreign office at noon today. The Venezuelan crisis and the king's speech at the proroguing of parliament were the principal matters considered.

#### CAN'T DRAW UNCLE SAM.

CARACAS, Dec. 15.—The governor of Margarita Island reports that the British and German warships are off the island.

Minister Bowen yesterday politely refused to have a monster patriotic parade pass before the United States legation. Everyone hopes that the arbitration proposal by Venezuela through Mr. Bowen at Washington will be granted.

### IN QUARANTINE.

#### Only One Case of Smallpox Found on Lake Champlain.

Six Hundred Immigrants to be Taken to the Island—Poor Accommodations There—First and Second Cabin Passengers and 120 Steerage Not Exposed Will be Released in Four Days.

The Elder-Dempster steamer Lake Champlain, which arrived yesterday, lies in the upper quarantine flying the yellow flag. About six hundred of the immigrants of whom over two hundred are children will probably go down to the quarantine station on Partridge Island today, where at the latest calculation they must remain for about three weeks.

A covered scow, in which the immigrants were to be towed to the island by the tug Neptune was taken to the steamer's side this morning and preparations made for disembarking. The hundreds who were thus to be carried into quarantine and held there through the long weeks submitted with great cheerfulness to the process of climbing down the steamer's side to the dingy snow covered scow along with the steamer's side this morning and if they were gripped at their detention they did not betray it. But before they were all on board the wind freshened from the southwestward and the sea rose so that the towing of the scow was considered unsafe and the immigrants were put back on the ship and given dinner. They will be taken down as soon as the weather clears.

Dr. March went on board the steamer again this morning completing the vaccination of the whole crew and passenger list of 1,101 persons. A thorough second examination of the steamer passengers is being made, but so far no other cases of smallpox have been discovered.

The fact that the disease existed on board of the Lake Champlain was not ascertained until yesterday afternoon when Dr. March examining the steerage passengers prior to landing, found one well-developed case in a Russian immigrant. The patient whose case is expected to be light, owing to the fact that he was vaccinated in infancy, was towed down to the island last night in one of the steamer's small boats and placed in the hospital. An interpreter from the ship accompanied him.

The island facilities will be greatly overtaxed by this crisis forced upon them. There are in all aboard the Lake Champlain 765 immigrants, 16 first cabin passengers, 46 second cabin, 16 gentlemen and 128 officers and crew. The accommodations at the island are sufficient for about 550 people but Dr. March hopes to be able to look out for 600 during the required period of quarantine. Representations of the condition of things were made to the government last night and as a result word has been received that the first and second cabin passengers and 120 of the steerage who were never forward of the bridge during the voyage, and so ran practically no risk of the contagion, may be allowed out of quarantine in four days. Meanwhile they together with the crew will be kept on board the steamer. The remainder by stretching the accommodations a little can be taken care of at the island. This should allow the ship to be fumigated and proceed with the discharge of her cargo in about a week.

At the island arrangements for the comfort of those forcibly detained are far from what they should be. The three buildings composing the quarantine station are supposed to be heated with hot water but they have not been used at all for some time and the pipes are in poor condition, some of the connections being lacking. Another obstacle is the lack of water on the island. The tug Neptune last night pumped the storage tanks full and men today are hard at work fitting the connections between them and the buildings. They hope to have the work completed and heat turned on this afternoon, but the immigrants will undoubtedly suffer much with the cold at first.

The cabin passengers, according to the list received here prior to the arrival of the ship, are:

W. H. Huntley, for St. John, J. R. Marlyn for Avignon, Ont., Misses Florence and Grace Reynolds for St. John, Miss Roy for Halifax, P. Graham for Vancouver, St. Geo. Boswell for St. John, Miss Gertrude M. Renison for Strathcona, Alberta, Peter Veregin and A. C. Haddock for St. John, John Cowdry for Montreal, Edward Rampree for Victoria, B. C., Phoebe N. Grey for St. John, Miss Stearns for Halifax.

Among the second cabin passengers are: Edward Wallace for Petticoe, O. Forrest for St. John, Z. Burnet, A. F. Davis, M. Blake, Frank Bernborne and Alex. Garahachan for St. John.

The Misses Reynolds are daughters of W. B. Reynolds of Halifax, who was in town yesterday.

Peter Veregin is the Doukhobor leader recently released from exile in Siberia who is going to join his brethren in the west. The three Doukhobors who came from the west to welcome him to this country say they will remain in St. John until he is released from quarantine.

### BURIED TODAY.

#### Funeral of the Late Mrs. C. E. Macmichael.

The Mortal Remains of Several Others Pass to Their Final Rest.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles E. Macmichael which took place this afternoon was a fitting tribute to the memory of one whom it was good to know and whose loss will be felt in many homes throughout the city. Representatives of every class of citizens were there to do the last honor to a lady whose life's work has made her loved by all. The members of the King's Daughters, of which Mrs. Macmichael was president, attended in a body at Centenary church, together with many of the National Council of Women, in which Mrs. Macmichael had for years been an interested worker.

At half-past two o'clock a brief family service was conducted at Mrs. Macmichael's late home, at 17 Orange street, by the Rev. G. M. Campbell, after which the body was borne to Centenary church, where the burial service was held.

The casket was embedded in beautiful floral offerings, which included many pieces from Mrs. Macmichael's numerous friends, a wreath from the provincial executive of the King's Daughters, a maltese cross from the Ministerial circle, a basket from the local Council of Women, on which was a card bearing the Golden Rule: a crescent from Centenary Sunday school, and a star from Mrs. Macmichael's Sunday school class.

After the service in Centenary church the body was taken to Fernhill cemetery, where interment was made.

The pall bearers were William Kerr, Geo. A. Henderson, A. L. Thorne, J. E. Irvine, J. Hunter White, Morton Smith.

The remains of the late James McDade were conveyed to St. John the Baptist church at 9 o'clock this morning. High mass of requiem was sung at 9.30 by the Rev. W. C. Gaynor. The funeral cortege then proceeded to the old Catholic cemetery. There were no pall bearers.

The remains of the late Miss Eliza J. Cowan were laid to rest this afternoon at 2.30 from her mother's residence, 38 Main street, Rev. Alex. White conducting the funeral services. Interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The body of the late Miss Mary Create, who died a day or two ago in New York, was brought to the city by the Boston express last night and taken to Centenary church. Her funeral took place from the church this afternoon, Rev. Canon Richardson officiating. Interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of the late Lewis Conlogue was held this morning from his father's residence on Chesley street. At nine o'clock the body was taken to St. Peter's church, where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. White, with Rev. Frs. Bergman, Scully and Woods as deacon, sub-deacon and master of ceremonies. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery, where Frs. White and Bergman officiated at the grave.

The funeral of the late Miss Annie M. Ewart of Milford took place this afternoon from her mother's residence to Cedar Hill cemetery, Rev. A. M. Hill of Fairville officiating. Miss Ewart was only nineteen years of age and had been slightly ill for only three days. She was a teacher in the Fairville Presbyterian Sunday school and a member of the church choir. Interment was made to her death by Rev. Mr. Hill in his Sunday evening service.

### DEATH OF A CHRISTIAN WORKER

(Frederickton Gleaner.)

Many readers of the Gleaner will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Charles E. Macmichael, a lady who was very active in the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the King's Daughters. Her last institution she was the head. Mrs. Macmichael was extremely zealous for the good work in which she was engaged and had very pronounced views with regard to legislation for the reform of the community. She was a strong advocate of the Curfew law, by which children of a certain age would have been prevented from being on the streets at night, and, although her views were not accepted, recent developments in regard to the manner in which many youths of the city spend their time have made many inclined to think that Mrs. Macmichael was right and that a Curfew law would perhaps be beneficial in some cases. Mrs. Macmichael certainly worked hard all her life with a sincere desire to benefit the community and it is greatly to be regretted that she has been cut off at a time when it might have been expected that many years of usefulness remained to her.

### COUNTY COURT.

In the St. John county court chambers today the case of Doherty v. Thompson on review from the magistrate's court at Alma, Albert County, presided over by Justice O'Connor, was heard before Judge Forbes. The plaintiff some time ago gave a \$10 bill to the defendant, a tax collector, in payment, and soon after went to work in the lumber woods. Not long after he left home he received a letter from the tax collector saying that the \$10 bill was worthless in as much as the bank which issued it had failed. Thereupon the plaintiff sent \$10 back to take up the alleged worthless bill, but upon receiving it found, so he says, that it was not the bill which he had given the collector. He brought an action and the case was tried before Justice O'Connor at Alma and the jury brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. Judge Forbes ordered a new trial on condition that the defendant pay \$15 costs. W. A. Trueman appeared for the plaintiff; E. P. Raymond for the defendant.

Arrangements are about completed for a big handicap race in Victoria rink on New Year's night, in which Bart Duffy, Len Daley, Hudson Breen and possibly Fen Parker will be the scratchmen. There will be several lesser lights in the contests with generous allowances. This event will mark the opening of the speed season. The social season opens Thursday evening of this week. Vic. tickets make great gifts.

### LONG SERVICE MEDAL.

Sergt. Major J. Buchanan has just received his long service medal. It is of silver. On one side is the head of the late queen, and the inscription "Victoria Regina, et Imperatrix." On the obverse, under the crown is the following: "For Long Service in the Colonial Auxiliary Forces." The ribbon is green.

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