

ZELAYA'S TROOPS CROWD HOSPITALS

Vicior Feeding Survivors of the Stricken Army—U.S. War Ships Extended Relief.

Washington, D.C., Dec. 23.—Consul Moffatt, cabled from Bluefields today: Two thousand starved and emaciated prisoners have been brought from the Zelaya army camp today. The night of the sack and looting through the streets is horrible. Half are dead. The remainder are being established by the Drs. Matias and Thomas, some ninety wounded and the only hospitals in Bluefields. The international army has sent blankets. Their tents all leaked and all are in a miserable condition. The Zelaya army has been brought from the Zelaya army camp today. The night of the sack and looting through the streets is horrible. Half are dead. The remainder are being established by the Drs. Matias and Thomas, some ninety wounded and the only hospitals in Bluefields.

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THINKS LIBERALS ARE WINNERS

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TEAM GOES AFTER THE STANLEY CUP

Arrangements Completed For Trip to Ottawa—Games on January 18th and 20th.

"I'm on, Billy Field." Jack Winchester, dramatically opened a telegram which he had just received in respect to get from a boy at the door, and flourished it before an appreciative gathering of players of the Edmonton hockey team and members of the executive committee. "That makes our team," said Jack, and the murmur passed, and the room: "That makes our team." December 23rd, 1939. Winchester, Miller and Miller were present at the adjourned meeting of the players and the executive committee yesterday afternoon. The meeting was held in the Young Men's Liberal club to decide whether or not the Edmonton hockey team should go east after the Stanley cup.

ROCKIES V. ALPS: AN EXPERT'S DOUBTS LOYALTY OF ALBERTA

Member of Alberta Legislature Tells Eastern Provinces They Must Teach Us Loyalty.

Montréal, Dec. 23.—Richard B. Bennett of Calgary discussed tonight what is flippantly termed "the war scare." He said: "Westerns whom I have talked with do not favor the idea of a Canadian navy at present. There is a very large proportion of Americans in the Canadian west and many of the factors among them hold the view that the talk of a Canadian navy at the present time is idle. My own view is that if the west which nurtures the British Empire as great as some of the most thoughtful British statesmen say, Canada should contribute to Britain's assistance. What form the contribution should take is for the British Admiralty to say. Any move which reads the 'bluebooks' will see that we are almost certain to make a contribution for Imperial defence and, in reason, Britain is anxious about it. First, the immense burden on the taxpayer of Great Britain, and other nations, in reference to the Canadian navy, should lay the foundation for naval and military force to defend our trade routes, and guard our sea coasts. An immediate contribution is necessary, not only to the Empire, Canada, but to the British Empire, and as a self-respecting young nation should now help to bear the burden. The real problem of the future would be how to keep eastern and western Canada together. At present they are bound by three things, the railway, the telegraph, and the tariff. Easterners have a mission to perform in preaching loyalty to the Empire, and military force to defend our trade routes, and guard our sea coasts. An immediate contribution is necessary, not only to the Empire, Canada, but to the British Empire, and as a self-respecting young nation should now help to bear the burden. The real problem of the future would be how to keep eastern and western Canada together. At present they are bound by three things, the railway, the telegraph, and the tariff.

WATER SUPPLY OF THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES

Superintendent of Forests in Annual Report Deals With Irrigated Farming and Extent of Water Supply in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Edmonton, Dec. 23.—The annual report of the Department of the Interior for the year ending March 31, 1939, has been published. It contains a chapter on irrigation farming and the extent of water supply in Alberta and Saskatchewan. The report states that the water supply in the prairie provinces is a matter of great importance, and that the government is taking steps to improve it. The report also discusses the extent of water supply in the prairie provinces, and the government's policy on irrigation farming.

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ZELAYA'S SUCCESSOR INSTALLED IN OFFICE

Jose Madriz is the New President of Nicaragua—Has Assumed Office of Leading His Country Out of the Crisis and Tensions—Has No Political Ambitions.

Managua, Nicaragua, Dec. 23.—Jose Madriz, who was today sworn in as President of Nicaragua, the ceremony being at the palace instead of at the Parliament Buildings. Madriz, who is a lawyer and a statesman, has no political ambitions. He is a man of peace and is determined to lead his country out of the crisis and tensions. He has no political ambitions.

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ONARIO NOMINATIONS

Toronto and Hamilton Select Candidates.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—An event almost unparalleled in local history was the selection of candidates for the Ontario provincial election. The candidates were selected in Toronto and Hamilton.

WAS HE ROUGHLY TREATED?

Suspicious Circumstances Surround Ottawa Ex-Mayor's Death.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 21.—Stories reported to the police department bear directly on the death of the former mayor, and suggest that he was roughly treated. The death of the former mayor was a mystery.

GERMAN OPINION OF BRITAIN

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