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Of Central America Again Scratching and Biting.

CUATEMALA WILL NOT RATIFY TREATY liam and Mary of Orange.

Business Paralyzed in Expectation of Renewal of Hostilities.

Waterspout Floods a Town in Mexico and Many People Drowned-The Result of the German Elections Still Undecided-The Firemen of New York Strike for Eight Hours a Day.

Guatemala, acting upon the suggestion of President Barrios, has, by an almost unanimous vote, refused to ratify the treaty of peace and friendship drafted by the Central American diet, which conrened in the capital of Salvador last year and signed by the plenipotentiaries of the four republics of Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador and Nicaragua, against the protest of the Costa Rican representative. The reasons which prompted the Guatemalan executive and congress to assume, this new attitude are unknown.

The failure of the Guatemalan assembly to rectify the work of the Central erican peace congress has caused reat excitement in Salvador, where it believed Guatemala is going to interfere in Honduran affairs with a view to

Gen. Azota has postponed his intended visit to the United States and called the congress of Salvador to meet in extraornary session to discuss the situation. ness is paralyzed in expectancy of arly hostilities. Only the actual necesities of life are bought and sold. Flour has risen to \$16 pesetas (gold) per barrel, and custom house importations have deeased 30 per cent. The removal of the apital from Comavagua to Tegucigalais announced.

It is understood here that the Unitel States steamer Alliance has been ordered proceed from here to Peru.

Drowned in a Flood. City of Mexico, June 17 .- The town of Itzurmatlan has been visited by a water spout, which resulted in loss of life and great damage. The water spout burst directly over the town at midnight. In a few minutes the flood had covered the town, the water rising to a depth of four feet in four hours. The people were panc-stricken and attempted to escape. Many men, women and children were drowned. A great many families were made homeless.

The German Eletions.

Berlin, June 17.-At three o'clock this fternoon reports have been received from 242 districts; second ballots will be neessary in 122 of them. Of the 120 deuties elected 53 will vote for the bill

and 67 against it. The government organ, Vorwarts, exalts over the results of the elections, which, it says, will form a glorious title page to the future aggregate social vote, which promises to exceed two million. The Vorwarts predicted that National-Liberal success would be chiefly in the rich manufacturing towns of western Germany. It is likely, it says, many Anti-Semites will be successful at the expense of the Conservatives, who drynurse them. A conspicuous feature of the elections is the overthrow of the

Radicals. London, June 17.—The Times' Berlin prrespondent says: Richter sowed the wind and reaped the whirlwind. Berlin and Radical papers are appealing to their friends to close up their ranks to withstand the Socialist onslaught. None ntured to prophecy the final result. ichter's organ still maintains that the mistake was in not going far enough opposing the government, and that they accepted the army bill they would have sustained still greater disas-

Striking Firemen.

New York, June 17.-The police reves on duty at the American and Brooklyn sugar refineries on Kent ave-Williamsburg, were detailed to-day. This action was taken because the firemen's strike for eight hours a day has spread. Seventy-two firemen and 30 elpers went out on Wednesday for the Havemeyer and American companies' refineries. Yesterday the engineers, boiler and motor tenders and all the skilled mechanics who understood the management of the fires, were put to work on the oilers. A few new firemen were engaged, so that last night at 8 o'clock the engineer reported that 93 of the 113 immense boilers were in operation. As soon as it was known that the places of the firemen had been filled all the firemen and helpers employed by the Brooklyn sugar refinery, to the number of 32, Were ordered out on strike. After banking their fires last night, they stopped

Circumstantial Evidence Was Wrong. Galveston, Tex., June 17.—On Dec. 1892, Peter Meggs was convicted Anderson's, Grimes county, on purely mstantial evidence, of the murder Mike Ferry, sentenced to a life term sent to Huntsville. Two or three oths after his arrival there Mike Ferthe man he was supposed to have urdered, appeared in western Texas, where he was arrested for committing a ny, convicted and sentenced to a short term in the same prison where his pposed slayer was confined. The men gnized each other immediately, but erry, being legally dead, cannot testify gressman Gresham is a member, and more old one.

THE KILKENNY CATS they will summon six citizesn of Hemp-stead, where Ferry is well known, to proceed to the popularities and identification. proceed to the penitentiary and idnetify him. This being done, steps will be taken to secure a pardon for him in order that he may testify in behalf of Megs, and thus secure his release. Lawyers who have been looking up authorities in the case say there is no such in stance on record since the time of Wil

> Warde the Actor Sued. St. Louis, June 17.—Daniel R. Bissell and F. Ragburn Bissell, executors

of the estate of James R. Bissell, got a judgment in Judge Fisher's court to-day against Frederick Warde, the actor, for \$8,230. The suit was instituted in February, 1887, upon the death of James R. Bissell, who was, previous to his death, conducting the Times Printing Co. During 1886 and 1887 Frederick Warde and John J. Collins were

together and contracted for a large Panama, June 17.-The congress of amount of show bills and printing, and borrowed money from Bissell, making a total of \$11,204, of which \$1,314 was paid. The referee who was appointed to adjust the accounts fixed the indebtedness of Mr. Warde at \$8,230, which gether during the night at the track sareport was approved by Judge Fisher

> Fooling With Gasoline. Oakland, Cal., June 17.—Ed. Lawrie, laborer, living at Mrs. Connel, lodging house, 73 seventh Street, arose early this morning to go to San Francisco. He began to clean his trousers with gasoline and spilled it on the floor beneath the head. It become ignited in some manner. bed. It became ignited in some manner and soon the room was in flames. His wife ran to the rescue of their three-year-old daughter, still in bed, and in doing so was badly burned about the head and face. In covering the child's face, she exposed its extremities, which are horribly burned. Lawrie was also burned on the face, head and hands. The other inmates saved the family from perishing.

Must Sign or Quit. up. Some days ago the company issued for all damage to persons or property. meeting lasting until 4 o'clock this morn- who died May 9th." ing the men decided to quit, and accordingly no attempt was made to run the cars. Mayor Eustis took a hand in the matter, and after considerable argument with the management of the company obtained a withdrawal of the obnoxious contract, and at 5 o'clock traffic was resumed. There was no violence.

WILHELM'S PET BILL.

Is Disapproved by the People-Richter-

ites Far in the Rear.

Berlin, June 16 .- The two most conspicuous features of to-day's electoral returns have been the continued reports of Social Democratic gains in the Richterist districts. Most of the news still comes from the city constituencies, and the list of Opposition deputies grows rapidly. This afternoon, however, dispatches from agricultural districts revealed the other side of the page. From all that can now be ascertained, it is reasonably sure to

conclude that the Government certainly has lost nothing by the dissolution and probably has won a little. At 10 o'clock this evening the returns may be summarized thus: In 180 districts from which reports had been received at 10 o'clock, 85 deputies had been elected. In the remaining 95 new ballots will be necessary. Of the 85 deputies elected at 10 o'clock, with the Covernment and 36 will vote with the Government, and 49 against it. The parties siding with the Government had lost three seats to 49 against it. the Opposition. The parties working against the Government had evened matters by losing the same number of seats to the friends of the army bill. The Conservatives had elected 17 deputies; the Social Democrats. 23; the Clericals, 20: the Radicals, 1; Free Conservatives, 4; Poles, 8; Democrats, 5; Anti-Semites, 2; Independents, 2 (both favoring the bill): Government Clericals, 1; National

No one immediate supporter of Eugene Richter, the Anti-Government Radical supporter, had been elected. The Conservatives had won two seats formerly neld by the Conservatives. The Social Democrats had gained three seats from the Richterists and one from the Free Conservatives. The Lieber Clericals had gained one from the Government Clericals, and had lost one to them. The Radical Unionists had elected one dep-uty, who voted against the army bill, uty, who voted against the army bill, but will vote for it in the next Reichstag. The Free Conservatives have gained two seats and lost three. The Democrats have gained one seat from the National Liberals. The National Liberals had gained two seats and lost three. The most interesting feature in the new ballots reported until now will

probably be the gains of the Social Democrats and Radical Unionists. Several small elections in the provinces were marked by riots to-day. In Strasburg last evening, shortly after the poll was announced, about 2000 Socialists began parading the streets and shouting for their candidate, August Be-bel. They refused to disperse when the police attacked them, and many cheered police attacked them, and many cheered for France. The military enventually broke up the procession and arrested eight men. Nobody was injured. In Reutlinget, Wurtemberg, the police slashed and arrested many Social Democrats who attacked the police station. In Gruenberg, Silesia, the Socialists rioted through the streets. The police dispersed them with drawn salves and arrested them with drawn sabres, and arrested the leaders. In this city the police ar-restned Herr Landeauer, an anarchist edi-

tor, on the charge of inciting to riot.

Later returns from Arenswelde show that Ahlwardt, the Jew baiter, now im-prisoned because he libelled the Loewses, makers of small arms, has a clear ma jority over all, and is therefore elected. At 2 o'clock this morning returns had been received from 220 out of 391 electoral districts. In 98 candidates were elected, but in 122 second ballots will be necessary. The National Liberals, Conservatives, and Clericals are holding their own. The Richter Radicals remain very for baking of the Office of the Conservations. in behalf of Meggs, and the latter, being a convict, cannot testify in his own behalf. The matter has been brought to the notice of a well-known firm of Galveston lawyers, of which Congressman Grashem is a grapher and more old one of the strength of the

a Pitchfork.

His Friend.

How the Americans are Entertaining the Crew of the Viking Ship-Disastrous Collision in a Tunnel in Ohio-The Buenos Ayreans Have Little Faith in Their President.

San Francisco, June 19.—Dick Ward, jockey, was brutally murdered at Bay district track early this morning by John, alias Red Kelly, a horse exerciser. The men had been the very best of friends until the murder. They were toloon. Ward about 11 o'clock went to bed in one of the stalls, where he usually slept, leaving Kelly with others in the saloon. This morning Ward was found dead, his head having been beaten with a pitchfork, which was also found covered with blood, Kelly's hands also bore evidence of the crime. He admitted having committed the murder when he was arrested. The reason for ly's displeasure at his friend going to

Death of Missionary Thwing. New York, June 19.-A despatch was received from Vancouver, B. C., on Jan. 14th saying that Rev. Dr. Edward Payson Thwing, the well-known missionary, Minneapolis, Minn., June 18.-For ten at Canton, China. This report was at the Viking passed Uncle Sam's crack hours to-day the street railway system of Minneapolis and St. Paul were tied correct. Mr. E. Thwing, Dr. Thwing's ceased booming her guns before a sound an order requiring the employees to sign | Canton announcing that the news was water, the Norseman answering the saa contract or else quit its employ. In true. Mr. Thwing said: "We expected drivers and conductors personally liable due at San Francisco June 12th. Yes-moh. terday I received news that this steam-This was objected to by the men. Not er would be five days late, so I cabled one of the 1,600 men employed in Min- immediately to Canton and have just neapolis signed the document. At a received the reply that it was my father

> American Hospitality. Brooklyn N. Y., June 19.—Captain Magnus Anderson, of the Viking ship, and five of his crew were arrested at 4 o'clock this morning as they were proceeding through Hamilton avenue on their way to New York. They had been their way to New York. They had been the spoke to a recention had been served to be deaded an address of well-behalf of the Norwegian citizens who had the reproduction of the old Viking ship built. Joseph H. Choate spoke briefly, as did Seth Low, Capt. Sicard to a reception banquet given in their honor by the Norwegian societies of Brooklyn, and while quietly passing along the street, an intoxicated Scandinavian ran up behind the chief mate and ran up behind the chief mate and struck him. The centain and his men. struck him. The captain and his men attempted to defend the mate, when a policeman ran up and arrested the whole party, charging them with being drunk and creating a disturbance. At eight and creating a disturbance. At eight clock they were arraigned before police Justice Tigh and held in \$200 bail each for appearance next Monday.

Collision in a Tunnel. Bellair, Ohio, June 17.-Information has been received here of a collision which occurred in Board Tree tunnel, West Virginia, at 3 this morning, on the Baltimore and Ohio railway, between two freight trains. Jas. Quinn and Wm. Gearing, engineers, Peter Horn and John Fisher, firemen, and a front brakeman named Metz were killed. The tunnel is plugged up with wreckage.

Pena Not Trusted. onging to the government have been put on board the warships to prevent their seizure by the Requistos, who are than President Pena is needed to rule Argentina. Brazil has made an official in Jersey, and the description tallies protest against the favors shown the revolutionists of Rio Grande do Sul by the authorities of Uruguay, who have permitted them to obtain arms with which to carry on the war.

The India at Japan. Yokohama, June 19.-The Empress of

India arrived here at 4:30 this morning. Shot His Wife, Then Himself.

Leavenworth, Kan., June 19.-Ambrose S. Arnold, head bookkeeper for Benton Bros., grain commission merchants, today shot and mortally wounded his wife and then blew his brains out. The family had just finished dinner, when Mr. Arnold in an excited manner demanded his wife to accompany him to his room actions, but finally consented to go to his Arrived there, Arnold accused room. her of infidelity. Mrs. Arnold indignantly asserted her innocence, but her husband, drawing a revolver, threatened to shoot her. She coolly folded her arms and not handsome. and dared him to carry out his threat, Levelling the weapon Arnold fired two shots into his wife's body and then blew out his own brains with the same weapon. Mrs. Arnold is mortally wounded and made an ante-mortem statement of the facts of the tragedy. She has always been highly regarded in the community and no one believes her husband had grounds for his belief that she was unfaithful to him. Two girls, aged 15, of the country a year ago by order possessed of any property.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 19.-The body of

BRUTAL AFFAIR life as a day laborer. Eventually he became a contractor and made a fortune. Some time ago his wife died at St. Francis Hospital, where he had sent her for treatment. He gave her a royal funeral, A Jocky Beaten to Death With but refused to attend it. The remains of Mr. Laurier's Hearty Welcome of the adjutant-general, who furnishes Mrs. McCoy were taken from the hospital to her husband's house. He would not stay in the house while the corpse was there. When the body was placed TRIVIAL GAUSE OF THE CRIME in the hearse McCoy sat on the curbstone opposite and chaffed the mourners. He said he hoped they would have a The Murderer Admits He Killed pleasant time, and refused to go to the metery with them. For many years McCoy did did not attend church. To Father Canevin of St. Paul's cathedral he said that when he went to church he was poor, and that when he quit going he became rich. Father Canevin convinced him his poverty had not been due to his attendance at church, and Me Coy rejoined the fold. The funeral will McCoy, jr., who will be in charge of a keeper. He is serving a three months' sentence in the workhouse for assault and petitioned the court to be allowed to see his father buried. The young

> make anything of him. HARDY NORSEMEN.

man, who was educated in the two best

colleges in the country, was greatly dis-

appointed with his father, who cut him

Arrival of the Norwegian Viking Ship in American Waters.

New York, June 17.—Those hardy Norsemen, Capt. Anderson and crew, sailed into the port of New York to-day with the counterpart of a Viking ship of the murder is supposed to have been Kel- old and were given a reception far different from that their ancestors received 490 years before Columbus landed on the shores of the new world. The Viking came down from New London, Conn., in tow. She was met by a steam barge with a committee of reception on board. There was a great blowing of whistles and dipping of flags, and the had died of typhoid fever on May 9th band played the Viking march. When son, has received a cable dispatch from like a big firecracker came across the lute from six little cannon. The Viking this contract was a clause rendering the letters daily from a steamer which was dropped anchor alongside the Miantono-

Capt. Sicard, of the Miantonomoh, paid an official visit. Then the crew was taken on board the Laura M. Starin, where they were welcomed to America by the committee and many of their countrymen who live here. After an elaborate luncheon had been served Prof. had the reproduction of the old Viking briefly, as did Seth Low, Capt. Sicard and rounding the Battery passed up Hudson river to Twenty-third street. Here the Viking cast off her tow line, and putting out thirty-two oars rowed to Thirty-fourth street, where she dropped

The Borden Murders. Springfield, Ohio., June 17.-Charles H. Berry, a well-known real estate man and politician, is likely to play an important part in solving the mystery which hangs over the Borden murder trial at New Bedford, Mass. Last October a stranger came to this city and sought Mr. Berry, who was then conducting an employment agency, for work. Mr. Berry's kind treatment gained the fellow's confidence and he confided to Buenos Ayres, June 19.—The rifles be him that he was a criminal and had murdered the Bordens for revenge, also that he was a sailor. This sustains the theory that the murder was committed expected to start a revolution. There is by a sailor for some wrong inflicted on a bitter feeling against the president his father by Mr. Borden many years among the members of congress. A repe- ago. The fellow wanted to give himself tition of the outbreaks of last October is up, but finally disappeared. Mr. Berry predicted by the Argentina press. There had forgotten the incident until he saw is a growing belief that a stronger man an account of a mysterious individual, who related a similar story to a barber with the man who called on Mr. Berry.

Sitting Bull's Indignant Daughter. Omaha, Neb., June 19.-White Swan, a granddaughter of Sitting Bull, accuses her lover, Harry Gordon, of running away with two trotting horses, a wagon, \$400 and some valuable land titles belonging to her. She followed him to this city and applied to the police for assistance in recovering her property. It is thought Gordon has crossed the river White Swan said that she and Gordon had been travelling together for several years. Gordon drove her horses in races throughout the western circuit and won considerable sums, While she was down in Oklahoma looking after some land, Gordon, whom she left in Lincoln, Neb., disappeared with upstairs, as he wished to talk with her.

Mrs. Arnold took alarm at her husband's worth \$100,000. She declares that if necessary she will spend the rest of her life looking after her recreant lover, and when she finds him she will kill . him. White Swan is known in Nebraska as Marguerite Mellicon. She is about 40

A Modern Miracle Worker. Hermosillo, Mex., June 19.—Teresa Urrea, the young girl whom the Yaqui Indians claim as their patron saint, has returned to her old home in the village of Cabra in the Sierra Madre from Na gallo, Arizona. Owing to her wonderful influence over the Indians and ignorant Mexicans, she was arrested and sent out twins, will be left alone in the world as the governor of the state. She bore her a result of the tragedy. The people of exile without a murmur and was vis-Leavenworth will care for them, as neilited at Nagallo by thousands of her Inther Mr. Arnold nor Mrs. Arnold was dian followers. She is alleged to have performed a great many cures of disease of different kinds by simply laying her hands on the afflicted persons. Hundreds of Indians and sick persons have Peter McCoy, sr., will be buried from flocked around "Saint Teresa" since her his late residence to-morrow. He left return to Cabra and she is more popuhis property, worth about \$1,000,000, to lar than ever. The Mexican authorithe Roman Catholic church. McCoy, ties have been advised of her return, but planted by a Populist. Some of the who could neither read nor write, came have as yet taken no steps towards have most efficient companies in the state here from Cleveland in 1835, and began ing her again removed from the country. have been mustered out, and new compa- Astoria and Portland.

to Ottawa.

Preparations for the Great Convention of Reformers.

PROVINCIAL LEADERS ALSO ARRIVING

The Capital Gaily Decorated in Honor of the Visitors - A Meeting Place

Ottawa, June 19.—Delegates are ar- drowned. riving by nearly every train to attend the great Liberal convention, which opens to-morrow. Already the city is donning its convention attire. Rideau rink, where the convention meets, and which seats 3000 people, is beautifully off in his will because he was unable to decorated. At noon Mr. Laurier arrived, and with him Premier Fielding, of Nova Scotia, Hon. A. G. Jones and other leaders from the Maritime provinces, as well as from Quebec. Mr. Laurier was met at the station by a large gathering of leading Reformers, and was presented with an address welcoming him to Ottawa. He made a brief but eloquent reply, speaking of the kindness he always met with from the citizens of Ottawa, Conservatives as well as Reformers. When the time came that the Liberals should get office, they would have to make Ottawa as attractive as possible. A long line of carriages escorted Mr. Laurier to his hotel. He is in excellent spirits.

> Bitterly Criticised. Paris, June 19.—The Comte D'Haussonville, leader of the Monarchist party, and general representative of the Comte de Paris, delivered a long speech at a Royalist banquet in this city to-day. He bitterly criticised the doings of the recent French cabinet, especially in connection with the Panama construction scandal. The chamber of deputies had road Commerce. In accordance with attempted, he said, to rehabilitate poli- time-honored custom, the address of wel-

> Lima, Peru, June 19.—The marriage on Saturday of President Morales Bermudes and Senorita Justa Masias was a social event of unusual importance. For the first time in the history of Peru the constitutional president was married during his term of office. The streets were througed with citizens in honor of the property Peru's President Married. event. At the wedding no ladies were present, except relatives and intimate friends of the president and his bride, and the wives of members of the diplomatic corps. Through the negotiations of the United States Minister the Peruvian government has agreed to pay 2000 soles to the United States commercial agent at Mowhose house was attacked by an anti-Masonic mob in March.

World's Bankers' Congress. Chicago, June 19.—Chicago's popula tion and wealth will be temporarily creased during the next few days by the presence of several hundred men, each worth a few millions, more or less. These are delegates to the world's congress of bankers and financiers. The present week of the congress auxiliary is to be given up to the deliberation of six dis-tinct congresses, which will deal respectively with banking and finance; boards of trade, stocks and bonds, water com merce: railroad commerce, and insurance. It is regarded as significant of the feelings prevailing in financial circles that notwithstanding the recent flurry, over 1000 eminent financiers, not only from this country, but also from Canada and European nations, are already here or enroute. Delegates began to register this morning at the art palace, and a badge of coin silver with a device representing abundance of money, and the motto "It rules the world," was given each delegate. The bankers' congress will open this evening with Hon. Charles Parsons, of St. Louis, as permanent chairman. Senator Sherman, of Ohio, will deliver the address of welcome, and responses are expected from Hon. Levi P. Morton, and ex-comptroller of currency Buchan-an. A special meeting of the officials of Chicago banks was held this morning, at

which a committee on reception was appointed for each day in the week. Monks Caught Monkeying. St. Petersburg, June 16.—The Church of Chadov monastery, which is within the walls of the Kremlin, was recently robbed of a vast amount of plate, money and gems. The plate had just been used in ceremonies attendant upon the reception to the Czar and had not been returned to the vaults, where it was usually kept. The property and money taken amounted in value to between 2,-500,000 and 3,000,000 roubles. To-day all the monks belonging to the monastery were arrested and a search of the cells occupied by the monks revealed that they had perpetrated the robbery. Secreted in the cells were found diamonds and other gems, which had been hastily torn from their settings, and holy robes and holy vestments made of precious metals. A charge of sacrilege has track there and have plenty of opportubeen made against the monks. This is a crime which is punishable in Russia with the most severe penalty. Aside from the scandal arising from the robbery and arrests, another cause for gossip has been given through the fact that the police who are searching the monastery for stolen property learned beyond dispute that a number of women have been living secretly with the monks for a considerable time.

Populists Strengthening Themselves. Topeka, Kas., June 19 .- The Populist state officers are gradually re-organizing the militia with a view to putting none but Populists on guard. Every comfestivities. It is proposed to afford all missioned officer not in sympathy with the people of the northern ports an opbut Populists on guard. Every comthe state administration has been supmost efficient companies in the state Tacoma, Port Angeles, Port Townsend,

THE LIBERAL LEADER nies, made up exclusively of Populists, are being formed. The regular militias are being supplanted by volunteer companies organized in various parts of the state, on the advice and encouragement them with arms. Republican papers charge that the Populists are preparing to use the militia in carrying the state next year. Should a situation similar to that of last winter arise, the Populists will be able to enforce their claims. This they were prevented from doing during last winter by the refusal of the militia companies to make an assault on the Republican house.

San Francisco, June 19.—The steamer Which Will Hold Three Thousand- Rosalie, on her 6:30 trip to Mare island A Royalist's Criticism of the French last evening, took a party of marines on board. Private Hogan, slightly intoxilost his balance, fell overboard and was

> New York, June 16.-A number of well-known ladies and gentlemen of this city, who believe that the extradition treaty recently entered into between the United States and Russia was signed because of a misunderstanding and misrepresentation, met this afternoon. After an informal discussion it was cided to form an organization, which shall be the nucleus of a national body. A constitution was adopted, and the local organization was named "The Society for the Abrogation of the Russian Treaty." The object of the society is to arouse public opposition to the extradition treaty, and to use every means to induce President Cleveland to take steps for its abrogation. Among the members of the new society are: Francis C. Barlow, Wm. E. Dodge, Wm. Watson Gilder, Wm. Lloyd Garrisno, I. Strauss, Jesse Seligman, Thomas A. Edison, John Fisk, Charles S. Fairchild, Everett P. Wheeler, Wm. R. Grace, Wm. D. Howell, Charles Scribner, John Claffin, Spencer Trask, J. E. Edwards, Francis Baker and Orlando B. Potter.

Railroad Men's Convention. Chicago, June 19.—Over 200 promin ent railroad men occupied the Hall of Columbus this morning upon the opening of the World's Congress on Railtical corruption. He appealed to all Conservative factions to unite in the general election in support of a programme of public honesty, social deference and religious liberty. time-nonored custom, the address of welcome was delivered by Hon. C. G. Bonny. A cordial response came from Geo. R. Blanchard, chairman of the Central Traffic Asociation. The morning session was devoted to the reading and discuswas devoted to the reading and discussing of the following papers: "The Results of Railway Intercommunication uppresident Illinois Central railway; "Safe y Devices Applied to Railway Cars,' Gen. Horace Porter, vice-president Pullman Palace Car Co.; "Railway Strikes, What Should be Done in the Way of Prevention and Control." E. W. Meddaugh, general counsel Grand Trunk railway.

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

News in Brief From Various Parts of the World.

Louisville, Ky., June 19.-It is auhoritatively stated that Lieut.-Gov. Knott will decline the Hawaiian commission. His extensive law practice, it is said, makes his acceptance impractica-

Cleveland, Ohio, June 19.-The Lake ounty bank at Painesville, Ohio, which was forced to suspend last week, because of a run, was solvent. A statement shows that the assets were \$450,000. and the liabilities \$350,000.

Baltimore, Md., June 19.—The Papal encyclical on the school question, which reached Cardinal Gibons on Friday, is said by those close to Gibbons to be a complete and clear review of the whole question. It is, quite a long document and has not yet been translated, the cardinal having been busily engaged since its arrival here. It is understood that the encyclical supports the position of Archbishop Satolli, and urges parents to send their children to the parochial schools, but permits their being sent to public schools with the Faribault modifications under circumstances where the maintenance of parochial schools is not

Washington, D. C., June 19.-The President, Mrs. Cleveland, the little daughter ("Baby Ruth") and a number of their household attendants will leave Washington at 9:40 to-morrow morning for Gray Gables, Mass. The President will remain only a few days. He will then return to Washington, and later on will go back to Buzzard's Bay and remain there during the greater part of the months of July and August, returning only for the extra session of congress in September.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 19.—Col. T. Masac, a personal friend of President Diaz of Mexico, says that the deportation of Chinese could be settled by the immigration of Chinamen to Mexico, where large concessions of land could be had, notably at Oaxaca. He says the entire Chinese population of California could be accommodated on the railway nities to work and make money.

London, June 19.-George X. Kennan, the noted advocate of Russian liberty. who has been honored and feted by the local Russian colony for several weeks. sailed for New York on the Campania to-day. It is understood that he takes with him an address to the people of America concerning the Russian extradition treaty, signed by Stepniak, hofsky, Prince Krapotkine and other ex-

San Francisco, June 19.-The coast defense vessel Monterey will leave on her first cruise the latter part of week, going to Seattle direct, where she will participate in the 4th of July portunity of seeing the coast defender, and she will in all probability be seen at

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