

PUNITIVE ACTION AGAINST CASTRO

Much Interest Taken By Europe in Holland's Probable Course

ARBITRATION IMPOSSIBLE

Government at The Hague Awaits Arrival of Expelled Minister

London, Aug. 19.—Much interest is shown here in the attitude of the United States towards the Holland-Venezuela dispute. The Daily Graphic in an editorial this morning thinks that it is not a wise precedent even for the Netherlands to acknowledge such an extension of the Monroe doctrine as is implied in the limitation to a blockade imposed by the United States on her lately qualitative action against Venezuela, and hopes that Holland's action will be as drastic as the American restriction will permit.

NO CASE FOR ARBITRATION

The Hague, Aug. 19.—The view is entertained in diplomatic circles here that the present difficulty between Holland and Venezuela is not a commercial character, like the difficulties between Venezuela and Great Britain, Germany and the United States. In those cases satisfaction for the aggrieved party is not susceptible of solution by arbitration.

WILLMISTADT, CURACAO, AUG. 19.—LETTERS received here today from Venezuela contain the information that the authorities have established strict control over all Venezuelan immigrants.

COAL MINE TROUBLES

Threatened Strike of Ten Thousand Miners in Pittsburgh District—An Indiana Conference

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 19.—A strike of ten thousand coal miners in the Pittsburgh district is threatened because the miners' organization that they collect an increased "check-off" on their wages. The representatives of the Indiana bituminous coal operators' association and the United Mine Workers of America met today at the international miners' headquarters to discuss the trouble in the Indiana district.

DEADLY WARFARE

Railway Laborers Throw Rocks at Harvesters' Excursion Trains—One Man Killed

Winnipeg, Aug. 19.—Further trainloads of harvesters arriving here, chiefly from Ontario, report that they were assailed on the road by irate railwaymen who suffered at the hands of the Maritimers coming through last week. Officials on these trains reported that the men were well behaved and the woman aboard treated with courtesy and consideration.

MURDER MYSTERY

Armed Men Seek Supposed Assassin in Michigan Swamp—Woman Found Murdered

Nowaygo, Mich., Aug. 19.—A posse of fifty armed men is surrounding a swamp near here, having been led to the place by bloodhounds started from the farmhouse where Mrs. Minnie Conley was found stabbed to death yesterday. For sixteen years the woman had been known as Mrs. John Conley, but it seems she had gone to live with Conley as a housekeeper, and the recent visit of John Ward, who deserted her twenty years ago at Whitehall, Mich., and the disappearance of Ward since the murder, add mystery to the tragedy.

CHOLERA RAGING IN EASTERN RUSSIA

Many New Cases and Deaths Reported From Different Provinces

St. Petersburg, Aug. 19.—The centre of virulence in the cholera epidemic has been transferred to forty provinces on the Don, where thirty new cases and ten deaths were reported on Aug. 18. In the province of Astrakhan 63 new cases and 11 deaths were reported on the same day. The cholera is now working its way down the Black Sea along the Caucasus coast.

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BODIES BADLY MUTILATED

Work of Search Parties Interrupted by Fire Among Coal

Wigan, England, Aug. 19.—It is not believed that a single man of the seventy miners who were entombed by the explosion which occurred yesterday in the Maypole coal mine here survived the disaster. The four men reported rescued yesterday were engaged in an adjoining building. The ventilating fan, which was put out of order by the explosion, was repaired this morning, and the mine is having been cleared of gases the rescue party again descended.

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BULLETS FLYING IN CITY STREETS

Springfield Citizens Alarmed by Firing of the Militia Carbines

PICKETS ARE ATTACKED

Removal of Part of Troops Causes Fear—Fugitives Suffer Severely

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 18.—An attack upon the pickets and the forced heliga of 150 negroes from the cornfields on the outskirts of the city to the state arsenal, kept the militia busy this morning. The firing upon the sentries and their answering shots occurred less than two blocks from the headquarters of General Young, the county jail. No one was injured in the affray, but the flying bullets from the militia carbines caused consternation in the district.

FLEET IS WELCOMED BY SYDNEY PEOPLE

Shores of Harbor Crowded to Watch Its Entrance—Hitch Is Reported

London, Aug. 19.—A special despatch to the Chronicle from Sydney says: "An sensational hitch of international importance has arisen in connection with the ceremonial procession of the American sailors through the streets of Sydney on Friday." (The Chronicle correspondent writes that the nature of the hitch is strictly confidential for the present.)

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