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Samoa's Defeated Rebel Chief Hemmed in at Upolo

WITH EIGHT HUNDRED OF HIS MEN

Malietoa's Victorious Forces Far Outnumber the Enemy.

Prospects of a Wholesale Blood-letting - An Army of Tramps Marching on New York - The Whisky War in Cincinnati and the Civil War in Kansas - World's Fair Festivities.

of literary men, vocalists and artists. At the congress of Scots, as it was announced, the programme of addresses was given in festival hall during the afternoon. At the conclusion a special concert of Scottish songs was given.

STILL MORE DELAY

Behring Sea Decision Delayed Another fortnight,

AND PERHAPS NOT BE READY THEN

Senator Morgan Compelled to Cancel His Return Trip.

Lord Randolph Churchill Seriously Ill - Cholera Suspected in Steamer from Europe - Three Big Philadelphian Hosiery Houses Close - Ecuador, Bolivia and Peru Likely to Fight.

Washington, Aug. 4.-Later advice, probably more trustworthy than those previously received by the state department as to the movements of the Behring Sea arbitrators, have reached this city.

Thousands of Idle Men - The World this morning had a long article saying the metropolis is soon to be overrun by an army of idle men. Statistics from 57 trades in New York city are given to show that in these trades alone over 30,000 men are out of work, and it is declared that this represents only a portion of the city's unemployed. It is said thousands are coming here from the west in search of work, and that immigrants are arriving in New York because of business stagnation in the western states.

Lord Churchill Very Ill - London, Aug. 4.-Lord Randolph Churchill has gone to France, accompanied by his wife. It is said he is seriously ill and that it will be a long time before he is seen again in public in England. An intimate friend of his family said last night that Lord Randolph's nervous system is shattered. There seems little doubt that he is seriously broken in health.

Suspected of Cholera - New York, Aug. 4.-Doctor Talmage, quarantine officer, boarded the Anchor line steamer Karamania from the Mediterranean, this morning, and inspected the passengers for cholera. Dr. Jenkins has asked the quarantine commissioners to send transfer boats to take the passengers on to the island in the lower bay, where they will be bathed and washed. Dr. Jenkins said: "While we can find no evidence that cholera exists on the Karamania we deem circumspectly sufficient to hold the vessel and passengers until all doubts are removed. This morning arrangements were being made to transfer the passengers to the island." The health officer will hold the steamer at least five days.

Three Big Factories Closed - Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 4.-The worsted goods manufacturer of John Bromley and Sons closed last night on account of the depressed condition of trade. Three thousand employees are affected. To-night Daak and Son, worsted manufacturer, closed for the same reason, and about 800 employees are thrown out of work. John Flood and Brothers, hosiery manufacturer, closed their plant, and 500 men and girls are idle. Numerous other manufacturers of this class are being worked on short time.

Stock Market To-Day - New York, Aug. 4.-Lower prices were the rule at the opening of business at the Stock Exchange this morning. The general market fell 2 points, and other active issues 1-4 to 1 per cent. The market was affected by cables from London and a fear that the financial and business troubles may spread in the west.

Twice Sentenced, Twice Pardoned - Poughkeepsie, Aug. 4.-Ishmael Freeman, the colored man who has been pardoned from Sing Sing, where he was serving a life sentence, will not come to Poughkeepsie, having been ordered to leave the state at once. He was charged on March 14th, 1890, with having poisoned his wife, and he was tried twice, the jury having failed to agree on the first trial. When convicted on the second trial a year later Judge Emott sentenced him for life. It was proved nothing had happened before the death of his wife Freeman purchased arsenic, but the defence showed that during her illness his wife frequently spoke of his kindness and said he was the best nurse she could have.

Spanish America - Minister Egan Coming Home - Yellow Fever Raging in Costa Rica - Panama, Aug. 4.-Patrick Egan, formerly minister of the United States to Chile, is a passenger on the steamer Columbia, which sailed for New York yesterday.

May Thorn's Death - New York, Aug. 4.-May Thorn, aged 26, a handsome actress, choir singer and music teacher, took morphine with suicidal intent last night at her residence, 48 West 12th street. She was removed to St. Vincent hospital, where she died this morning. The cause of the act is a mystery. It is said her father is a wealthy mine owner living in San Francisco. Edith Thorn, sister of the dead girl, said: "May was 26 and had lived nearly all her life in San Francisco. She once appeared on the stage and took the part of Isabel in one of the 'Trips to Chattanooga' companies, but the position proving irksome she left the stage and decided to teach music. While living in San Francisco the girl was engaged to a man that, but for some reason, the match was broken off. She came east almost immediately afterwards." Edith Thorn refused to tell the name of her parents, or their address in San Francisco, or the name of the man whom May was about to marry. "What do you think was the cause which led your sister to take her life?" was asked. Edith replied that she had not the least idea. "May never confided in me, and I was horror-stricken when she told me last night that she had taken morphine. She had numerous admirers. I have telegraphed to my father and he will have the body taken west, as I have no money to meet the expenses."

Wholesale Robbery - Chicago, Aug. 3.-Evidence of a startling nature, concerning the cold storage warehouse fire, was taken by the grand jury to-day. The witness who gave this startling testimony was John J. Dugan, formerly a Stoney Island avenue saloonkeeper, and the man who first told of the looting of the cold storage warehouse and firing by a gang of robbers. He was flushed and excited with indignation he had undergone, but said he had made a clean breast of it. According to Dugan there were 150 men concerned in the conspiracy, and he declared that he had given their names to the grand jury. He said that from the opening of the exposition right up to the time of the fire goods were stolen, or at least removed, from the cold storage warehouse by the wagon load. The wagon loads were express wagons. Generally, though, he had known of water carts going out of the gates with their tanks filled with hams, bottles of wine and other stock. "Who removed these goods?" was asked. "The employees of the cold storage warehouse think that that live on Stoney Island avenue just outside the grounds. 'Did you give evidence that would implicate criminally the persons who removed the goods?' 'Yes; there will be a sensation when the whole thing comes out. There are about 150 implicated. I have given the names to the jury.' More witnesses in regard to the affair will be called tomorrow.

Terrible Drowning Accident on Lake George - Albany, N. Y., Aug. 4.-A steamer with a party of excursionists left Fort-teen Mile island, Lake George, for Pearl Point this morning. At Pearl Point landing the steamer sank and twelve lives were lost.

PERISHED IN THE DARK - The name of the steamer which struck a rock and sank at Pearl Point landing, Lake George, was the Rachel Sherman. She had an excursion party of 21 persons aboard. Those drowned were: Miss Bennett, Miss Ortt, Miss Burke, Miss Hall, Miss Worden, Mrs. Mitchell and son and four unknown ladies. They were all from Troy, Brooklyn and Hoboken. There have been 90 deaths from cholera in Marseilles since the middle of May. Several days 20 deaths were recorded, and on Saturday last the mortality went up to 25. During the last four weeks there have been 324 deaths from cholera throughout France.

Officially Announced - Paris, Aug. 4.-Rear-Admiral Humann, commanding the French fleet now in Siam waters, announces that the blockade of Siam was raised yesterday afternoon.

vessel had run upon a sunken pier, and before assistance arrived from shore sank with all on board. It was only a few minutes after the shock that the yacht creomed to one side and sank in 18 feet of water. The shrieking, struggling passengers battled for life in the darkness. Many of the women threw up these articles, and some fell almost within reach. Dead bodies were performed by five of the men on board. When all who could swim had reached shore it was learned that eight or nine had perished, all women except a youth of 19. As soon as possible an attempt to recover the bodies was made, and after strenuous efforts all were brought to the surface.

SPRECKELS CANED.

The Sugar King Receives a Gold Headed Stick - Hawaiian Affairs.

San Francisco, Aug. 3.-The following advices arrived by steamer from Hawaii, yesterday:- A few minutes before the Australia sailed from Honolulu on July 19, a number of prominent natives and Claus Spreckels in the captain's cabin, and through Charles Creighton, presented him with a cane, upon the gold handle of which was engraved the following inscription: "Ave Clause, Morituri saepe in memoriam, from your fellow citizens, doomed to die at the hands of the murder society of the annexation club. Threatened nine lives long. Even six hundred Jahre und niemals sterben." A list of names was engraved beneath of persons said to have been selected by the annexationists for immediate slaughter in case the attempt to restore the Queen should be carried into effect. Creighton subsequently published an explanation that the whole affair was only a ruse to remind Mr. Spreckels of his proscription in common with the others named. On hearing that his name was inscribed on the cane, U. S. Consul Blount denied all knowledge of such a cane, and expressed the strongest indignation at the unauthorized use of his name, and has laid before President Dole a formal complaint. The Government has demanded an explanation from Charles Creighton.

Just as the Australia was casting off, Mr. Spreckels addressed a crowd of natives. John B. Bush, who in the late Legislature vilified the Queen and Wilson, but who is now an active royalist leader, acted as interpreter and elicited some moderate cheers for Mr. Spreckels. Cheers for the Provisional Government were given by the whites in ringing style.

President Dole denies that Minister Thurston has reported any distinct intimation from Mr. Gresham as to renewed action upon the treaty of annexation. Mr. Dole believes, however, that the natural course of things negotiations will be resumed at an early date, and for this reason Commissioner Alexander is being sent. He is to sail on the 27th. His instructions had not been made out up to the 24th. The Provisional Government has proposed no modifications to the treaty. Some modifications were tentatively discussed some time ago, but they were dropped, no useful action seeming to be available.

The numerous unsecured creditors of the estate have thrown him into bankruptcy. So far as ascertained his debts amount to \$282,850, of which \$232,000 is secured by mortgages, leaving over \$50,000 due to some forty creditors. It is believed that under heavy after a long delay, the estate will be reorganized to a value of \$500,000. Mr. Parker has lived fast. He was the Queen's Premier during most of her two years' reign and her only unflinching minister on the question of the constitution.

A sensation has been created by Mr. Trounseau, who comes out with a declaration that leprosy is but slightly contagious and that segregation is useless. He has hitherto stoutly maintained that it was seriously contagious and incurable and has his views examined and condemned thousands of lepers to Molokai. He claims to have been converted by reading the recent report of the leprosy commission in India.

On the 23rd Minister Blount explored the shores of Pearl harbor in a sailing yacht in company with President Doyle and several prominent gentlemen. He expressed surprise at the great capabilities of the harbor and back country. His comparisons were impressed on the local keen and alert observation. To one of them he said: "You have a fine country. Before long it will be much finer." Mr. Blount expressed the hope that he would be present at the inauguration when his early departure. He will be open to the critical period of affairs seems to have gone by.

Cholera Statistics - London, Aug. 3.-The Rome correspondent of the Central News says: "Since the outbreak of cholera in Naples more than 100,000 residents have died from there. The official reports greatly understated the facts." The report for Sunday last said that there were a similar quantity of arms and cartridges. It is known the feeling against Peru by Ecuador and Bolivia is not at all cordial. Ecuador has a grievance on account of the boundary dispute, and Bolivia is heaping up old complaints.

Since the publication of his letter to ex-United States Minister Egan there has been a feeling of hostility against Minister Errazuiz. This has been so pronounced recently that he has been compelled to resign his cabinet position owing to the Egan letter scandal and other causes. President Montt accepted the resignation.

Odessa, Aug. 3.-The government is closing all the schools in the south of Russia on account of the prevalence of cholera. Twenty doctors have gone to the engineer of a Danubian trawler has been taken to the hospital in Grimsby suffering with cholera.

London, Aug. 3.-According to the Lancet cholera has been epidemic in Marseilles for the last three months. The local authorities, it asserts, have carried their policy of deception to such a length that even the government has been led astray in regard to the real state of affairs. "The prefecture now admits that there have been 90 deaths from cholera in Marseilles since the middle of May. Several days 20 deaths were recorded, and on Saturday last the mortality went up to 25. During the last four weeks there have been 324 deaths from cholera throughout France."

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ABERDEEN'S EULOGY

The Governor-General Entertained at a Banquet

IN THE ANCIENT GRANITE CITY

Points to Canada's Financial Stability in the Stern.

Scottish Commoners Ably Defend Canadian Cattle - President Gardner Would Like to Raise the Embargo - But the Decision of the Experts Cannot be Meddled With.

Glasgow, Aug. 5.-The dinner to Lord Aberdeen in the county hall at Aberdeen, which the Scotch people, and also last night, was a brilliant success. In fact the most imposing social function in the north of Scotland for many years. The company, exceeding 200, included men of all parties. Lord Aberdeen in the course of his speech referred to Canada's stability during the recent financial troubles elsewhere, and again declared that it was necessary for the governor-general to abstain from all political preference.

Canadian Cattle Discussed - London, Aug. 5.-A discussion on the Canadian cattle question in the commons in committee lasted several hours last night. Hon. John Long, member for Dundee, put the case for Canada and the Scotch farmers very forcibly, arguing that there is absolutely no risk of disease. The main point of President Gardner's reply was that in view of the advent of his autumn, and also this summer, he could not override the decision of the experts. He suggested it is Canada's duty to show that the disease is not contagious pleuro-pneumonia, as the boards of finals had declared. He was awaiting a reply to the representation to the Dominion government. Nothing would give him greater pleasure than removal of the restrictions, and he would welcome the day when it became possible. Mr. Chaplain and the county members generally supported Mr. Gardner, the former saying that he himself ought to have scheduled Canadian cattle earlier. The Scotch members on the contrary supported Mr. Long, but no division was taken in compliance with President Gardner's appeal.

The Money Market - New York, Aug. 5.-The stock market this morning shows a reactionary tendency, the pace set yesterday having proved too fast to last. As a rule leading issues opened slightly lower and then made a further decline as compared with yesterday's finale. The loss in the past ten minutes of business was 1-4 to 1 per cent.

France and Siam - Bangkok, Aug. 5.-The Siam papers are declaring that there were some severe fighting between Siam and French on the 20th of July on the Mekong river. It is said 300 Siamese were killed while the French loss was slight. The French have occupied several more islands.

First on Record - London, Aug. 5.-The umpires in the naval contest between the red fleet, commanded by Vice-Admiral Fairfax, and the blue fleet, under command of Rear-Admiral Fitzroy, have decided that the red fleet, which was assumed to be the fleet of the enemy failed in its objects, and has awarded victory to the blue or defensive fleet. This is the first time in the history of British manoeuvres of this kind that the defensive fleet has won.

Sunday at the Fair - World's Fair Grounds, Chicago, Aug. 5.-The gates of the White City will be open tomorrow, that is some of them, and so will some of the buildings, but by far the larger number will be closed. No programme of music or special attractions of any kind have been arranged to make Sunday at the fair pleasant for visitors. The restaurants will be closed and the cars on the incumbered railway will not be run. Chair parties will take the day off, so will the gondoliers and the men who manage the electric launches. Director-General Davis and President Higginbotham have gone out of town to stay over Sunday, and all the other top administration buildings will be deserted. As yet the resignation of Theodore Thomas as director of music has not been handed to Director-General Davis, and it is not probable it will be before Monday, as he is not in the city. In the meantime he will be in the matter is not known.

Extensive preparations are being made by the executive committee to make "British day," Saturday, Aug. 19th, a grand success. The programme as at present arranged consists of a parade and procession down town, forming on the lake front, in which every country of the British empire now represented in the city will partake. Captain Gordon, commanding officer of the British troops now stationed at Stock palace, will be chief marshal of the day. At the conclusion of the parade cars will be taken for the World's Fair, where the ceremony of "Trooping the Colors" will be performed at 2 o'clock by the British troops, assisted by uniformed Sir Knights, Sons of St. George, Royal Scots and other bodies in front of the Victoria House. From thence the procession headed by a military band will move to Festival Hall, where a demonstration will be held at 3 p.m. Col. Hayes Sadler, British consul, has consented to take the chair and there will be addresses by commissioners from all parts of the empire. Professor Tonna has been appointed chairman of the music committee and provide a choir of 1000 voices to sing British and American patriotic songs. In the evening the gathering will attend the military tournament in the stock pavilion, on which occasion a gold medal will be presented to Corp. Evans for distinguished bravery at the recent cold storage warehouse fire. A grand display of fireworks will bring the day's festivities to close. All British, Americans and British exhibitors and visitors interested in the day are cordially invited to be present.

An excursion to the great wheat fields of the Northwest for the entertainment of representatives of agricultural and foreign commissioners has been arranged through the courtesy of the Milwaukee,

St. Paul & Northwestern railway. The journey is to enable commissioners of foreign countries who are especially interested in agricultural interests to gain from personal observation an accurate estimate of the resources of the Northwest. The party will probably leave Chicago on the 21st instant. They will be entertained at St. Paul and Minneapolis, from whence the trip to Minnesota will be taken, staying over one Sunday upon the shores of that beautiful lake. Proceeding on their journey the excursionists will see the great wheat farms, and the opportunity will be afforded them of seeing 10,000 acres of wheat cut, a feat in agriculture which cannot be equalled in any other country in the world. Fifty miners who flocked to California in early days came to the fair to-day and were entertained at the California buildings. They mingled together under the palms and related stories of early times when they left their families and sailed around Cape Horn to the gold fields on the Pacific slope. California, recognizing that the state's prosperity and advancement are to a large degree a result of this early immigration to her shores, played the host in a charming manner. Dr. N. J. Bird, California commissioner, made the old timers a speech of welcome which was responded to by Addison Ballard, president of the Western Association of California Pioneers, under whose charge the reunion was held. A poem, describing the life of the argonauts of '49" was read by Mrs. Martha Vincent. Impromptu speeches, reminiscent of the days of the gold fever, were made by California pioneers. A reception was held by the California commissioners after the exercises.

SCOTTISH CROFTERS.

Sir Geo. Trevelyn Deprecates the Wasting of Money on Them.

Ottawa, Aug. 5.-The English Hansard which reached here to-day, states that Sir George Trevelyn, in answer to a question in the House, said that money could not have been worse wasted than in giving it for the emigration of Scotch crofters to the Northwest. Had Sir Charles Tupper been coming to Canada a commission would have been appointed to look into their condition.

BLOODSHED IN ARGENTINA - Four Hundred Men Slughtered in Sorrios From La Plata.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 5.-Hard fighting is accompanying the progress of La Plata. The provincial forces have made repeated efforts to cut their way through the lines of the Civico Nacionales, but have failed. During these engagements 400 men have been slaughtered. The steers has not yet been raised and there will be a great deal more fighting around the city before the trouble is ended.

Another revolution has been started in the province of Corrientes against the government. It is reported that there have been fights in various towns between the police and the citizens, who oppose the governor. The revolutionists have appealed to the national government for aid in getting rid of the executive. It is reported that the national government has decided to continue its policy of non-intervention for the present and give the province every opportunity to overthrow the corrupt local governors and put honest men in office.

HOWARD'S SWINDLES - Exposure of a Doctor of Divinity Who Appreciated Human Weakness.

Jackson, Tenn., Aug. 5.-News was received here today of the arrest of Dr. Fred K. Howard of this city in Chicago, where he and his family were attending the World's Fair. Howard is charged with using the United States mails for fraudulent purposes in connection with his European claims agency. The authorities have been on his track for years, and they allege he has been operating under the names of "St. Leger," "A. Goodfellow," "F. Howard," "Wm. Lardmore," and "G. F. B. Howard," and did business in New York, London and Jackson. His reported victims, who paid fees for fictitious claims across the Atlantic, objected vigorously when their British possessions were not forthcoming, and especially when Howard broke off the correspondence.

A lively correspondence sprang up on the subject between Secretary Gresham and Premier Gladstone. Hoke Smith's attention was also directed to the matter and federal officers were put to work to run the suit for \$50,000 against two newspapers and leading members of the First Baptist church of this city, who had published an article ventilating his record and accused him of bearing a false name. The jury awarded him one cent damages.

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