

USURPER IN SALVADOR

Artillery General Proclaims Him- self Chief Executive of the Republic.

The Bold Adventurer Disapproves of Proposed Union of Three States.

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Nov. 30.—Gen. Tomas Regalado, head of the revolutionary movement in Salvador, has usurped the presidency and proclaimed himself chief executive of the republic.

A MEAN THIEF.

Trenton Man to Stand Trial for Stealing Wrecks of Railway Wreck Victim.

SLAIN IN THE DESERT.

Caravan from the Sudan Attacked by Tribesmen and Twenty Killed.

MR. HAY'S SUCCESSOR.

Joseph Choate of New York May Be Next Ambassador to London.

A BLUFFING BURGLAR.

Plined a Badly Scared Storekeeper and Made Him Open His Safe.

THE PORTLAND'S DEAD.

An Incomplete List of the Passengers of the Lost Steamer.

STEAMER AINSWORTH SINKS IN THE LAK.

With the Loss of Nine Lives.

THREE PASSENGERS AMONG THE VICTIMS.

The Vessel Was Not Considered Safe.

BETTER GRAZING TO BE HAD THERE.

Even in Montana—Hydraulic Mining Will Pay.

ATLANTA CATTLE COUNTRY.

Two experienced miners, both in place and quartz—Mr. J. Rhinehart and Mr. W. M. Eddy, of Cripple Creek, Colo., are now working in the vicinity of the Atlin district on a recent steamer from Lynn Canal, and they bring out an interesting budget of news.

CARLISLE WATCHED.

Rigorous Precautions Taken Throughout Spain—Organized Band Pursued.

ORANGE MASS.

Nov. 30.—Five bodies have been recovered from the wreck of the steamer "Portland" which was wrecked north of Cape Cod.

PARRISBORO, NOV. 30.

The schooner E. Mayfield is ashore at Deer Island, high and dry on the rocks.

BOREAU, NOV. 30.

Advices received from Bilbao, Spain, refer to a vessel which was wrecked in that district.

PROFITS OF BING FAKING IN AMERICA DRAW A PROPOSAL FOR THE ENGLISH PUGILIST.

London, Nov. 30.—Geo. W. ("Pony") Moore has deposited £200 sterling with the Sporting Life with the intention of raising a match between his son-in-law, Charley Mitchell, and Tom Sharkey, the American pugilist, for £500 or £1,000 a side and the best purse offered.

PHILIPPINES' DISCONTENT

Open Threats of War Upon Americans in Face of Pending Sale by Spain.

DETAILS OF THE PEACE TREATY UPON WHICH AGREEMENT IS CLOSE AT HAND.

By Associated Press. Manila, Dec. 1.—The independent party of the Filipinos is not disposed to accept the result of the deliberations of the peace commissioners at Paris, judging from the tone of the native press.

MANTOBA AND NORTHWEST.

Northern Pacific Extensions to Farming Settlements—A Contractor's Untimely Death.

WINNIPEG, NOV. 30.

The St. Andrew's Society of Winnipeg celebrated the festival of their patron saint to-night at a dinner at the Hotel Grand.

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From Our Own Correspondent. Vancouver, Dec. 1.—At the police court in New Westminster this morning Donald Perrier, who murdered Jennie Anderson in a house of ill-fame last night, came up for hearing.

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SHIPPING AT VICTORIA.

Comox Bark Sails In Without a Pilot and Incurs Heavy Bill for Salvage.

SEAMEN'S WAGES FOR 'POSTWISSE SHIPPING REDUCED TO THE LOWEST ON RECORD.

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DEAF WOMAN RUN OVER.

Crossing Railway Tracks at Brockville and Did Not Hear the Engine.

WANTONLY KIDNAPED.

Trenton, Nov. 30.—Miss Elizabeth Wright, sister of Professor Ramsay Wright, was knocked down by a runaway horse and sustained somewhat serious injuries.

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VANCOUVER'S BUDGET.

Lacrosse Match Awarded to Westminster—A Scared Chinaman Under Guard.

DID WESTMINSTER CONCEAL LACK OF WATER SUPPLY LEST INSURANCE SHOULD BE RAISED.

From Our Own Correspondent. Vancouver, Nov. 30.—The steamer Cutch brings news that the committee of the citizens of Skagway are taking steps to round up the Snaggy Smith gang who they fear will destroy the city by fire if left at large.

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CUSTOM HOUSE RETURNS.

Sealskins Take a Prominent Place in the Exports for Month Just Closed.

Victoria's exports during the month of November included several large shipments of sealskins, forwarded to London.

The revenue collected at this port for the month was very large, and included considerably over \$7,000,000 as head of the Customs.

The returns for the month are as follows: Duties collected \$60,339 52

Free \$1,000 00 Total \$61,339 52

EXPORTE. Produce of Canada \$106,328

Not produce of Canada 74,487 Total \$180,815

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The Colonist.

MONDAY, DEC. 5, 1898.

THE ALBERNI CONTEST.

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There are several questions of a more general character upon which the voters of Alberni have the satisfaction of being able to give an opinion. One of these is the action of the Lieutenant-Governor in dismissing Mr. Turner and his colleagues.

The people of Alberni ought not to forget that one of the planks in the policy of the Semlin government is the reduction of the representation of Vancouver Island.

We refuse to believe for a moment that if the people of that district had realized that by electing Mr. Neill last summer they were going to put Joseph Martin in absolute control of the province, that they were aiding a plan to make British Columbia a satrapy for this banished politician from Manitoba.

A PROPER COURSE.

In the North Yale election case yesterday Mr. Justice Martin adopted a very proper course. He declined to hear the case. He also stated that he had acted in other cases against his will.

Punch has a clever cartoon on Egypt. It simply transforms the Sphinx into a lion and puts the face of John Bull on it. The legend is "A Fixture."

We understand that the present gold commissioner of the Atlin district will be removed and that Mr. Graham of Revelstoke will take his place.

COORONERS AND THEIR DUTIES.

Attorney-General Martin has undertaken to make laws in British Columbia, and he is trying his pretence hand on the important and honorable office of coroner.

In commenting upon his act, we desire to be understood as recognizing that in many cases inquiries are necessarily held. This is the case everywhere and will probably continue to be the case until the end of the chapter.

We draw attention to the circular somewhat in detail. It first informs the coroner that he will not be paid any fees at all unless he makes the declaration in the form accompanying the circular.

But the declaration, this humiliating declaration, is not enough to satisfy a new tyrant. If the coroner humiliates himself, to make the declaration and hunt up a justice of the peace—an officer inferior to him—to attest it, the attorney-general does not propose to be content.

The second paragraph of the circular deals with the matter of medical testimony. The attorney-general proposes to fine the coroner, if in his report he does not state the opinion of the coroner.

While we deny the authority of the Attorney-General to make law in this fashion, we admit that, while he has his present position in the government, he can refuse to sanction the payment of coroners according to any rule that suits his own sweet will, and there is no power short of the legislature that can render unnecessary the certificate which the Auditor-General will require.

There is little profit or glory in the office of coroner under any circumstances, and men will have no desire to incur the risk of not only being put to trouble and expense for nothing, but of being fined, when it suits the fancy of an arbitrary attorney-general.

Vancouver is not content with simply wanting the seat of the parliament, but it actually flees in or out of sight, but it is actually fleeing in Omelca because it has had a meteor, which exploded in a very sensational manner.

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TRAVEL

Two Notable Victoria G... Missionary W... Avail in K... Mr. T. V. Twiss known throughout the province and Mr. Sydney...

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OLD WORLD COMMENT.

Kitchener's Military Railway in the Soudan of Great Permanent Value.

Rulers of Austria and Germany Contrasted: Experimental Boycott of Bachelors.

From the London Times. A GIFT TO THE KAISER.—In October, 1852, an eccentric miser named James Camden Neild was kind enough to leave a quarter of a million to the Queen "for her own private use and advantage."

From the London Saturday Review. ROYAL TACT.—If any one wants an instance of tactful statesmanship as opposed to the bombastic ineptitudes of the German Emperor, we commend to his attention a little act of the Emperor of Austria this week that has passed practically unnoticed.

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A MILITARY RAILROAD.—Last week we had occasion to allude to Sir Herbert Kitchener as being, though not perhaps, a diplomatist of much foresight yet a good soldier.

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the bachelor legislator, as the sitting would be too dull for them to sit on. But it is a retrograde measure in any case.

WHALESHIP.—One of the wealthiest owners a Few Years Ago is Now Penniless.

A San Francisco paper says: Capt. James McKenna, who six years ago was one of the wealthiest owners of whaling vessels in the world, is now practically a ruined man.

In 1838 the season's catch was a poor one and the sea breeze was wrecked on the Alaska coast. Then McKenna determined to go steam whaling, and in Norway purchased the Fearless.

In 1835 and 1836 neither vessel took a whale, so the bark was sold in 1837, while trying to return to San Francisco, the Fearless, with the rest of the crew, was caught in the ice.

During Captain McKenna's absence his creditors took the Northern Light and Hunter and sold her. They were afterward put on the run to Kotzebue sound when the gold discoveries were made there.

MAILS TO THE YUKON.

Sealed tenders addressed to the postmaster-general at Ottawa were received at Ottawa on the first day of February, 1899, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's mails between the Yukon and Bennett in the Yukon district at least once per week during the season of navigation of 1899.

GHIT WAR SONG.—B.C. 1808. Hurrah! hurrah! for Martin Ghit, he is a matchless hero, Come Eastern Grits, for your bit bids Columbia be his prey.

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ATLINA'S COMMISSIONER

Capt. Rant Reached the City Yesterday to Report to the Government.

Winter Has Set Her Seal on the Northern Country and the Lakes Are Freezing.

Capt. Rant, government agent and gold commissioner for the most northern section of British Columbia, including the now famous Atlin gold fields, reached the city by yesterday's noon train from Nanaimo, having made the trip from Skagway to the Coal City on the steamer Couch.

The great big lake was partly frozen, and the smaller lakes between Bennett and the Summit were covered with ice sufficiently strong to hold a man, but not a horse.

Very cold weather was experienced on the trip from Lake Bennett to Skagway, the thermometer at Log Cabin recording 20 below zero.

Mr. John Partridge Loses His Life by an Accident at the Lake. A drowning fatality that robs Victoria of one of her best known and most energetic citizens occurred at Shawanigan lake yesterday.

THE VOLUNTEER ORGANIST. The great big church was crowded full, and broadcloth was worn, as usual, on such an occasion that gathers on our shores.

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DOG-BITTING ORTHERRISERS.

English Soldiers Treated at the Pasteur Institute for Hydrophobia.

Two more parties of soldiers bitten by mad dogs in the East have recently arrived at the Pasteur Institute of Paris and a third is on its way.

The largest party consists of a sergeant and nine men belonging to the Fourth Dragoon Guard, stationed at Rawul Pindi, in the Punjab. They were bitten in the middle of June, and are now nearly all cured.

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STOCKS, METALS AND PRODUCE. General Recovery of Prices, but a Quiet Day in London—Activity in New York.

New York, Dec. 1.—The Evening Post's financial cable from London says: "The absence of any news today in the Bank of England rate and the cessation of gold shipments to New York caused a general recovery of prices in the American market."

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Motion to Strike Out the Petition Against Mr. Deane's Election is Refused.

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Mr. Gordon Hunter opposed the application, which was heard before the Chief Justice. The Chief Justice dismissed with costs the application to strike out the petition.

AUSTRIA'S PREMIER MUST GO. Otherwise the German Government Will Not Want to Play in Their Neighbors' Yard.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—In government circles there is a strong feeling against the Austrian premier, Count Thun-Hohenstein, because of his recent speech in the Austrian reichsrath, regarding the expulsion of Austrians from Germany.

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MURDERED HIS FATHER.

The Terrible Charge Upon Which a Quebec Farmer Has Been Gaoled.

St. John's, Que., Dec. 1.—Chief of Detectives McCaskill arrived here last night from Montreal, and driving out to St. Bridget arrested Frank McCall, suspected of murdering his father, Francis McCall, aged 83, who was found dead in the woods on Tuesday evening, about seven miles from home, with several wounds on his head and body.

A KIDNAPPED CHILD. Courts of Three States and Territories Engaged in Attempt to Recover It.

Cleveland, Dec. 1.—John A. Barnes today won an important point in the Barnes-Magowan litigation for the possession of little Ethel Barnes, recently kidnapped. Judge Ong dissolved the injunction restraining Barnes from interfering with Mrs. Barnes-Magowan in the possession of the child.

EMPEROR'S WELCOME HOME. His Trip to the East, He Says, Has Left a Magnificent Impression.

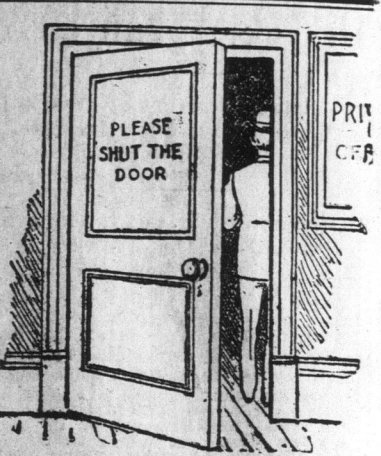
Berlin, Dec. 1.—In welcoming home the Emperor, the burgomaster referred to the works of peace achieved by His Majesty and by the Empress, who, as His Majesty's faithful companion, had shared all his exertions.

COOK INLET GOLD. Output of Last Summer Over \$150,000—Tendered Seized By Mosquitoes.

Seattle, Dec. 1.—The conditions in the Cook Inlet country are set forth as follows in a letter received from the U. S. Geological Survey, located at Homer:

EXPORTS OF COAL. Foreign Shipments From the Mines of Vancouver Island for the Month Just Closed.

From the Pall Mall Gazette. ANTI-BACHELOR MOVEMENT.—According to a note in the Courier de Paris the Athenians and Greeks collectively intend to elect all bachelors to their parliament.



Don't Leave An Opening

For disease to enter your system. Each illness which weakens makes the way easier for more dangerous diseases to get a foothold.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt. Taken daily, builds up the broken-down tissues and strengthens the nerves.

EPPS'S COCOA. Distinguished every where for Delicacy, Purity, Superior Quality, and Nutritive Properties.

Carbolic Tooth Powder. Prepared with CALVERT'S pure Carbolic Acid, it cleanses the teeth and prevents infection by bacteria.

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ST. ANDREW

Scotsmen Celebrate Saint's Annulet

Songs and Water and Speeches

The Scotsmen of pride in celebration of their patron of the world St. Andrew, more universally known as the fisherman.

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