

**MORE TROUBLE WITH VENEZUELA**

American Secretary and Charge d'Affaires at Caracas Has Withdrawn.

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Governance of Diplomatic Relations is Now Technically Complete—Result of Deliberation.

Washington, June 24.—(Senior Veloz-Gotticoa, the Venezuelan charge d'affaires in Washington, was a caller at the state department today. He talked with Acting Secy. Adee, but the latter declined to indicate what the nature of the conference was. Mr. Veloz-Gotticoa has not the remotest idea of demanding his passports as the outcome of the withdrawal of Jacob Sleeper, the American secretary and charge at Caracas. Mr. Sleeper is coming home by direction of the state department, and it is admitted in official circles that the act means a practical cessation of diplomatic relations with Venezuela. Mr. Veloz has been in New York for several days and only returned to Washington at 10 o'clock this morning, and knew nothing of what had occurred in Venezuela in connection with closing of the American legation there until he read the morning papers.

A COMPLETE SURPRISE.

Nothing had prepared him for this action on the part of the state department, and the latest mail from his own country, dated the 12th inst., reported that everything was quiet and there was not even any mention of the buleonic plague, which is said to be prevalent in some of the ports, and even in the capital at Caracas. So Senior Veloz was somewhat taken aback at this last news, but after all he was not much disconcerted, for Venezuela has had many similar ruptures in the past and is even now not on speaking terms with France. Certainly in the absence of any direct instructions from his government, the charge will make no demand for passports, and it is quite evident that he scarcely expects such instructions. He will probably, in an unofficial way, take steps to learn the disposition of the state department toward himself and it may be stated that personally Senior Veloz is highly esteemed in official Washington.

DONE DELIBERATELY.

It develops that the program adopted by the state department is, after all, not one of the moment, but is the result of careful deliberations on the part of Secy. Root and Asst. Secy. Bacon, dating back to last winter, when at the request of Senator Lodge the state department submitted to the senate all of the great mass of correspondence that has been exchanged between Washington and Caracas within the last few years in regard to American claims. The withdrawal of the American legation from Venezuela was a complete surprise to President Castro, and that he was somewhat startled by the drastic action of the

American government there is no doubt.

What the next step in this international complication will be is a problem that no one connected with the administration appears able to answer, and it is said that the present is a time to await developments, especially to see whether President Castro, always resourceful, is willing to permit the United States to take the next step without any intervening move on his part to mend the situation which he brought about. Castro alone is the dominant figure in Venezuelan affairs, and it is believed here that he will continue to play that role as he has done for nine years, unless conditions should be developed to break his one-man power.

CASTRO'S ORGAN TALKS.

The publication in the Constitutional (Castro's personal organ) suggesting that in spite of the action of the American government in withdrawing its legation, "the brotherhood and high consideration of the Venezuelan people toward the United States" would not be weakened, is regarded with considerable interest here, because the columns of that paper have been filled with denunciations of the United States. The Constitutional is to such an extent regarded as the personal organ of Castro that there is little doubt that he personally dictated the tone of the editorials, if not its exact language.

Acting Secy. Adee has communicated with Secy. Root, and it is probable that a conference will soon be held between Secy. Root, Asst. Secy. Bacon and Acting Secy. Adee, and as a result all of the correspondence that has passed between Washington and Caracas since the department of state submitted its voluminous answer to the lodge resolution, may be made public.

RELATIONS SEVERED.

The severance of diplomatic relations between America and Venezuela is regarded here as technically complete, and it is not necessary for the state department to serve upon the Venezuelan government any further notification of the determination that was conveyed to that government by Mr. Sleeper in person when he withdrew from Caracas and indicated that the Brazilian diplomatic representative would be placed in charge of the archives of the American legation.

The declaration of the Venezuelan government to issue passports to Mr. Sleeper at his request is regarded by the Latin-American element in this city as a rather hopeful sign. They believe that Mr. Sleeper did not demand his passports (which, of course, he might have had if he persisted) as a political step, but rather with the purpose of insuring free passage for the legation party through the rigorous quarantine lines which would have to be crossed in order to take ship.

Up to the close of office hours today Mr. Sleeper had not formally reported his departure from Venezuela, although word from him to that effect

is expected at any time. The lack of word is attributed to interruption of cable communication between Porto Cabello and Willemstad, island of Curacao.

**YOUNG ROOSEVELT IS HUNTING FOR WORK**

Oyster Bay, June 24.—Secy. Loeb today made public a statement in reference to the published report that the president's son, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., intended entering the employ of the United States Steel corporation. The statement indicates that the president's son may not continue his studies at Harvard. The statement of Secy. Loeb follows:

"The story as regards its implication is pure falsehood. John Greenway, who was in the president's regiment, has told young Roosevelt that he will try him on a job simply as one of the ordinary miners and exactly as he tries hundreds of others every year and is trying hundreds this year. Young Roosevelt is at this moment off seeing if there is a chance at another job, where he was told he might get employment, having given up going on the Mayflower to the boat races for the purpose of looking up this particular place, which is in connection with a well-known manufacturing concern. He probably will not decide for two or three months which he will try.

"Except for the publication in the newspapers, neither the president nor young Roosevelt knew that the company for which Greenway is superintendent had any connection either directly or indirectly with the steel corporation. If it has it will of course make no difference. Young Roosevelt, if he goes into it will be hired as a laborer and stand or fall strictly on his own merits. The president does not know where Mr. Greenway's company has any connection with the steel trust, but he knows Mr. Greenway well and knows that not all of the officials of the steel trust could persuade him to put on or put off a single man unless it met with his approval. This offer was purely of Mr. Greenway's own volition, and the president does not believe a humor being connected with the steel trust knew anything about it.

"The statement that young Roosevelt accompanied several officers of the steel corporation on an inspection of the works last summer is false. He went out to visit Mr. Greenway and it was at that time Mr. Greenway offered to take him on and try him as a laborer just as any one else is tried."

**THINKS IT SAVED HIS LIFE.**

Lester M. Nelson, of Naples, Maine, says in a recent letter: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery many years for coughs and colds, and I think it saved my life. I have found it a reliable remedy for throat and lung complaints, and would not be without a bottle than any other I have without food." For nearly forty years New Discovery has stood at the head of throat and lung remedies. As a preventive of pneumonia, and healer of weak lungs it has no equal. Sold under guarantee at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept. 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Woodmen of the World State Day, Lagoon, June 26th.

**DID IT IN THREE YEARS.**

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., Gets Bachelor's Degree With Extra Honors.

Cambridge, Mass., June 24.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., son of President Roosevelt, was given his bachelor's degree today by Harvard university after three years of study, having taken extra honors.

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**MRS. BERT DUNHAM TAKES HER OWN LIFE**

Reno, Nev., June 24.—Mrs. Bert Dunham, 19 years old and pretty, left the following note on the dresser in her room:

"Dear Bert—I am not guilty. God knows it. Goodbye, Elmer, and then taking carbolic acid, died in horrible agony.

Bert Dunham, her husband, is at a loss to understand the note and the reason for his wife's rash act. They went shopping early today and she was in the best of spirits.

Mrs. Irish, landlady of the apartment house where the Dunhams lived, states that just before noon a woman called on Mrs. Dunham and had a short conversation. Soon after Mrs. Dunham was found dead. It is thought the woman accused the young wife of some wrongdoing, and the latter, fearing her husband would hear of it and believe it, killed herself.

Mrs. Dunham's father, John Estes, conducts the Seima hotel in Oklahoma City.

**AMERICANS MURDERED IN THE PHILIPPINES**

Mantle, June 25.—A telegram received here today from the island of Negros tells of the murder of H. D. Everett, a government forester, T. R. Wakeley, a school teacher, and four Filipinos, by hill tribesmen. The party had started across the island of Negros, which is one of the least civilized of the extreme southern group of islands, and had been missing for six weeks. No details of the murder have been received here.

**FUNSTON'S SUCCESSOR**

Col. Maus, of the Twentieth Infantry, Designated Temporarily.

San Francisco, June 25.—The Examiner will say today: Col. Marion P. Maus, commanding the Twentieth Infantry, which is stationed at the Presidio at Monterey, was designated by the war department yesterday as temporary successor of Brig-Gen. Frederick Funston as commander of the department of California, when the latter shall be transferred to Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Aug. 10.

**JAPANESE WILL RETALIATE.**

On Chinese in Hawaii for Boycott of Japanese Goods.

Honolulu, June 18, (via San Francisco, June 25).—The Japanese of Hawaii have decided to retaliate on the Chinese of those islands for the Chinese boycott of Japanese goods growing out of the West Borneo affair. The fisheries of the islands have for several years been completely in control of the Japanese. Japanese fishermen catch practically the whole of the fish supply of the islands. But the retaliating of the fish is almost exclusively in the hands of the Chinese. Chinese buy the fish of the Japanese fishermen and sell them in the market. The Japanese have united and organized a company to build a market for the retailing of fish by Japanese. The Japanese fishermen entering into an agreement not to sell fish to Chinese retailers.

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**ACHIEVED MOST THRILLING RESCUE**

Engineer Brings Train to Sudden Stop. Jumps from Cab and Rescues Drowning Boy.

**LAD FISHING FROM BRIDGE.**

Was Scared and Leaped Into Water or Was Knocked Off by the Express.

Chicago, June 25.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Fond du Lac, Wis., says: Bringing his fast express train to a sudden stop to leap from his cab and plunge into the waters of Mud creek, Engineer J. A. Tynan, by a quick swim and dive, achieved a thrilling rescue of a drowning boy yesterday.

Tynan is a passenger engineer on the Wisconsin Central, and when approaching Mud creek, near Hilbert Junction, on his run from Manitowish to Neenah, he caught sight of the lad seated midway on the bridge fishing, wholly oblivious to the approaching danger. There was an instant closing of the throttle and application of the air, but before the train could be stopped, the bridge had been passed. The boy in his fright either jumped into the water or was swept off by the train.

When Tynan leaped from his engine the little fellow was struggling in the stream below, absolutely helpless. The engine driver plunged down the bank into the water, wading, swimming and finally diving to reach the boy, and emerging a few moments later with his victim almost exhausted.

The boy, whose identity could not be learned, was placed on the train and taken to Collins and turned over to the care of a physician, while Tynan, after finishing his run at Fond du Lac, reported the affair in a perfunctory way to his superintendent.

**BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE WINS.**

Tom Moore, of Rural Route 1, Cochran, Ga., writes: "I had a bad sore come on the instep of my foot, and could find nothing that would heal it until I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Less than half of a 25c box won the day for me by afflicting a perfect cure. Sold under guarantee at Z. C. M. I. drug dept."

**PENNY POSTAGE.**

J. B. Lonsdale, Conservative, Wanted It Inaugurated on July 4.

London, June 25.—Speaking in the house of commons, John B. Lonsdale, Conservative, suggested that the prescribed date for the inauguration of penny postage between Great Britain and America be changed from Oct. 1, "to the anniversary of American independence, as a token of amity and good will."

In reply Postmaster General Buxton said this proposal has been considered but the postmaster general at Washington, Mr. Meyer, and himself had decided that for administrative reasons, Oct. 1, was the better date. Mr. Buxton said in this connection:

"The actual date is really of minor importance, the arrangement in itself is a token of amity and good will."

**MURDERER CONFESSES.**

Missoula, Mont., June 24.—James Hayes was locked up in the county jail today on a statement he made that while a private in the British army he had murdered a corporal named Joseph Walsh at the St. Louis barracks, near Quebec, about eight years ago. His mind is believed to be affected.

**SEAMAN MURDERS SEAMAN.**

Victoria, June 25.—While the steamer Aki Maru, which arrived today, was on her way across the Pacific on June 14, four days out from Yokohama, Y. Matsumi, an able seaman, murdered S. Kawasaki, a fellow seaman, following a quarrel in the forecastle, owing to the victim's refusal to turn out for his watch.

The murderer will be taken back to Japan for trial.

**NEW DIRIGIBLE BALLOON.**

Soissons, France, June 25.—The new dirigible balloon belonging to the war department, the Republique, has made a successful initial flight here. The airship carried a cargo of 2,800 pounds, including its crew and remained in the air 35 minutes, traveling at an average height of 300 feet.

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