

THERE WILL BE NO EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS THIS SUMMER.

Cabinet Has Decided the President Has Ample Authority to Govern the Philippines.

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Opinions Rendered by Attorney General Knox and Secretary Root Concurred in by All the Cabinet.

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Supreme Court Decisions Discussed by an Indianian.

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It has been suggested that there is a difference in the application of the principle in the Porto Rican cases to the Philippines.

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Minneapolis, Minn., June 4.—State regulation of vice was one of the leading topics at this morning's session of the National American Woman Suffrage Association.

Iron Mountain, Mich., June 4.—By the explosion of a quantity of powder and the suffocating fumes that followed, eight men were killed early today in the mine at Iron Mountain.

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SERIOUS FIGHT DETAILS OF THE DISASTROUS ENGAGEMENT AT VLAKFOUSTEIN.

British Lost Six Officers and Fifty-One Men Killed, Six Officers and 171 Men Wounded, Eight Missing.

Boers Also Lost Heavily LEFT FORTY-ONE OF THEIR NUMBER DEAD ON BATTLEFIELD.

British Fought with Great Valor After Recovering from Surprise of the First Attack.

Engagement Was Desperate GUNS TAKEN BY THE BOERS AND RECAPTURED BY BRITISH.

Jamestown, in Cape Colony, Occupied by the Enemy—General Lord Kitchener's Despatches.

LONDON, June 4.—Lord Kitchener, in a despatch from Pretoria, dated June 4, says: "The result of the fighting at Vlaakfoustein, forty miles from Johannesburg, May 29, just received. On our side 1,450 men, with seven guns, were engaged. The force was returning to camp at Vlaakfoustein when the enemy, under cover of a mist, consisting of the Twenty-eighth Battery and the Yeomanry, surprised us."

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MOODS NEEDY MAY BE NECESSARY TO PREVENT FURTHER DELAY AT PEKING.

Settlement of Indemnity Question Possibly Will Be Held in Abeyance for a Time.

JOINT GUARANTEE OF BONDS CANNOT WELL BE SANCTIONED BY THE ADMINISTRATION.

Constitution Does Not Provide for Such Action in the Absence of Legislative Approval.

BRITAIN OPPOSING RUSSIA PREFERS THAT CHINA ISSUE BONDS TO EACH NATION.

United States Also in Favor of Dealing Directly with the Chinese Government.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—The plan of a modus vivendi on the subject of the Chinese indemnities is now receiving the earnest attention of those interested in the Chinese negotiations, the purpose being to prevent the indemnity question from causing an interruption in the concert of the powers and at the same time remove the indemnity issue itself, so that progress can be made on the remaining subjects of negotiation.

Switch Engine Is Believed to Have Been Deliberately Run Into a Southern Passenger Train.

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ARRESTED AT SAN JUAN. From Porto Rican Union Who Had Funds of Gen. Uribe-Urbe.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, June 4.—Louis Munoz, a relative of the former President of the Federal party, was arrested today by the police on the arrival of the United States transport McClellan from New York. He is now under detention at the residence of Chief of Police Bernos.

Desperate Break for Liberty by Three Burglars—Constable Killed.

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