

GERMAN TRADE IS ON THE INCREASE

STILL THE DEPRESSION WHICH HAS WEIGHED UPON THE FATHERLAND IS STILL FELT.

INDICATIONS THAT THE CONDITION IS IMPROVED

The United States Have the Bulk of the Commerce in and Out of Germany and Their Relations With Us Are the Bright Spots in the Teutonic Horizon, Around Which the Lightning Plays.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Washington, Nov. 3.—Frank H. Mason, consul general of the United States at Berlin, furnished to the bureau of foreign commerce of the state department a report upon the trade of Germany for the year 1901, together with a review of the financial depression in that country. He says:

"The period of industrial reaction and financial depression in Germany, which began during the summer of 1900, has met with varying and often suddenly fluctuating conditions throughout 1901 and down to the date of the present report. It is true that certain branches of manufacture, notably that of the textile industry have, during the past eight months, shown encouraging signs of recovery and there were apparently at the close of 1901 various indications that the worst of the crisis is past and that the recovery, however slow it may prove, has been definitely begun. Since then, however, these favorable prognostications have only been measurably confirmed, and but for an active, well-sustained foreign trade, it is difficult to say wherein the general economic situation of this country is improved on the early autumn of 1901. It is not too much to say that the steady increase in imports from year to year, especially the strong sustained demand for German manufacturers in the market of the United States now forms the brightest spot on the commercial horizon of the Fatherland.

Increase in Foreign Trade. "The total foreign trade of the empire for the year is given as \$2,552,888,912, which, notwithstanding the depression, is an increase over all previous years. In respect to origin of merchandise imported into Germany last year, the United States again heads the list with a total, according to statistics, of \$248,019,800, or 18 per cent of the entire bulk of imports, as against \$242,950,400, or 17 per cent in 1900.

"On the other hand German exports to our country reached a total valuation for 1901 of \$91,820,000, being the formidable balance of \$156,189,800 in favor of the United States.

"It is to be remarked, however, that the foregoing import includes the vast amount of American merchandise landed at Hamburg for Russia, Austria-Hungary and Switzerland, which did not, therefore, belong to Germany at all. But with these deducted, the balance was still largely in favor of this country.

WEALTHY INDIAN ROBBED OF SAVINGS OF A LIFE

Three Half Breeds Said to Have Been Hanging About the Reservation Thought to Be Thieves.

ALBERT LEIGHTON RAWSON

Writer and Illustrator of Ripe Old Age Dead.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] New York, Nov. 3.—Albert Leighton Rawson, known in this country as a writer and illustrator of Biblical works, is dead at his home in this city, aged 73. He spent many years of his life in the Holy Land and received degrees from a number of institutions of learning.

In 1872 Dr. Rawson married the daughter of Laura Keen, the actress, who came into fame through being the leading woman on the stage at Ford's theater in Washington on the night President Lincoln was assassinated.

Boer Is Willing to Serve.

London, Nov. 3.—The Boer commandant, Vellejoen, has written a letter to Earl Roberts in which he offers his services to the British army if Boers are enlisted to take the field against the forces of the mullah in Somaliland.



Napoleon Heinze—Great Scott! I can never win with that gang.

KAFFIR LABOR IS NOT TO BE FOUND

AND THE BRITISH HATE TO PAY THE LIVING PRICES WHITE MEN ASK IN THE MINES.

SO JOE CHAMBERLAIN HAS A HARD PROBLEM

British Volunteers Are Agog Over an Order to Spend Certain Days in Camp and Resignations Are Pouring In—Unusual Activity in Shipping and Dockyard Circles From the Combine.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

London, Nov. 3.—One of the many different problems confronting Secretary Chamberlain during his visit to South Africa is the question of supply of labor for the Rand mines. In former days all the mine laborers were kaffirs, but owing to the war this field of employment became disorganized. Most of the kaffirs who were driven from their work have not returned and it is generally admitted that the supply of kaffirs is now insufficient to an alarming extent.

The British government has always charged itself with the protection of the native races in South Africa and disastrous consequences might ensue if unfair pressure was put on the kaffirs to induce them to return to the Rand. The National Review contains an article advocating the proposal that native labor in the mines should be largely supplemented by the employment of white men, but this scheme is objected to on the ground that it would mean an enormous addition to the cost of production.

The Volunteers Dissatisfied.

England's volunteer system is virtually on trial. War Secretary Broderick has decided that the volunteers must spend six days in camp at a fixed period, and this regulation has caused a great deal of dissatisfaction. Numerous cases of resignations of officers have been given and there is a big falling off in the recruiting returns. The exact state of affairs will not be known until official statistics are issued.

A report that J. P. Morgan is about to buy up a share in the Staffordshire coal fields created lively interest in that district. The greatest reticence is observed, but it is stated that a meeting of local coal owners will be held on Wednesday to consider that matter.

Lookout for Campaign Lies and Campaign Liars.

WITH DYNAMITE HE IS REVENGED

JEALOUS LOVER BLOWS UP FAMILY OF THE GIRL WHO HAD REFUSED TO WED HIM.

HER FATHER'S BODY IS TORN TO LITTLE SHREDS

Remainder of Flock Have Barely Time to Escape From Burning Ruins of What Had Once Been a Happy Home—Room Mate of Lover Gives Damaging Evidence Against Him.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

London, Nov. 3.—A dynamite bomb, the weapon of a deranged assassin, blew up the home of Joseph Kordeck in Chicago Heights yesterday, killing two members of the family outright and injuring several others. The house was set on fire and burned and that of a neighbor caught fire and was also destroyed. Dead: JOSEPH KORDECK, arms and legs broken off.

LUCY KORDECK, two years old, body blown to pieces.

Injured: Mrs. Lucy Kordeck, flesh blown off right side, injured internally, may die.

Seven children who escaped were injured, but not seriously. The explosion occurred while the family was asleep. The father and mother with the daughter, Lucy, occupied a room in the front of the cottage. On the other side were rooms occupied by the rest of the family. The cottage stood two feet from the ground on wooden posts.

The bomb was placed under the room occupied by the parents and the impact of the explosion tore a hole in the floor, blew the bed to pieces, dismembered Kordeck and scattered into fragments the body of Lucy, who was sleeping with her parents. Pieces of flesh, the size of a man's hand, were the largest remnants of the child's body that could be found.

Torn to Shreds.

The force of the explosion was directly upward and tore a piece of flesh from Mrs. Kordeck's side, and blew her through a window. The noise aroused the rest of the family and they barely had time to escape from the flames which destroyed the cottage. Kordeck's body, torn to pieces, was found in the debris after the fire.

Charles Smith, a former boarder at the Kedreck house, who was paying attention to one of Kordeck's daughters, has been arrested, charged with the crime. The Kordeck girl was to have been married to another man next week.

Smith declares he is innocent, but neighbors declare that he made threats that if the girl refused to marry him he would blow up the entire family with dynamite. Smith was absent from his room at the time of the explosion. His roommate, Thomas Kobilinski, claims that Smith returned to his room greatly excited shortly after the explosion.

FATHER IGNATIUS IS SICK

Priest Who Is Well Known in This Country Dying in Wales.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] London, Nov. 3.—Father Ignatius is gravely ill and may die.

Father Ignatius belongs neither to the Episcopal nor to the Catholic creed. At one time he was curate of St. Peter's Episcopal church in Plymouth, but from here he went to Wales, where, in 1870, he founded Llanthony abbey and took up the life of a monk. In 1886 he visited this country and aroused much interest through his vivid style of preaching.

CEDAR MOUNTAIN IS FOUGHT AGAIN

ROOSEVELT GOES OVER FAMOUS VIRGINIA BATTLEFIELD WITH A MAN WHO WAS IN IT.

HEARS FROM EX-REBEL AN ACCOUNT OF FIGHT

Later He Attends a Little Country Church and Shakes Hands With Some Who Wore the Gray and Their Thriving Progeny—Enjoyable Day Spent Among Scenes That Will Live in History.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Brandy Station, Va., Nov. 3.—President Roosevelt passed several hours yesterday afternoon on the battlefield of Cedar Mountain. Accompanied by Secretaries Root and Cortelyou and Dr. Rixey, the president drove to the scene of the sanguinary struggle and there received from an eye-witness and participant an accurate account of the fight.

The drive to the field was as pleasurable as could be desired. The president reached the battlefield shortly after 3 o'clock. The party were followed by a procession of carriages, containing people from Culpeper and the surrounding country. The president drove to the battlefield over the road which, years ago, was the stage route between New York and New Orleans.

A Participant Talks.

Arriving at the battlefield, which is dotted here and there by monuments marking the positions of the troops during the fight, the contest was explained to the president by Judge Grimesley, who is a member of the bench of this judicial circuit. The judge was a captain in the Sixth Virginia cavalry and was a participant in the fight.

The president, a cavalry man himself, was interested particularly in the account of the famous first cavalry charge made during the battle of Cedar Mountain.

The union and confederate cavalry met in a depression not far from Cedar mountain. While the battle did not last long and was brought on quite unexpectedly, it was frightfully sanguinary, the losses on both sides being about 3,200.

The president was notably interested in a monument erected last August on the anniversary of the battle by the survivors of the Twenty-eighth New York infantry, who lost in the engagement 59 per cent of their men, including every commissioned officer.

An Informal Reception.

In the very heart of the battlefield President Roosevelt held an informal reception. Many people had gathered from the surrounding country, and after Judge Grimesley had described the battle the president received informally those who had assembled on the field. Subsequently the president was given a shell that had been dug up on the battlefield as a memento of his visit.

Yesterday morning the president and party attended services at the Baptist church of Culpeper, about five miles from the home of Dr. Rixey. A short time before the services began, it was not known that the president was to be present. No special services marked his presence. Rev. W. Winfrey, pastor of the church, one of the oldest religious organizations in the state, made reference to the president in his opening remarks, but did not allude to him in his sermon.

The Church Crowded.

The church was crowded, and at the conclusion of the services President Roosevelt cordially greeted the pastor and members of the congregation and intro-

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ducued them to those who accompanied him.

Subsequently the party took lunch at the residence of Russell Smith, brother-in-law of Dr. Rixey.

Last night the president was again the guest of Representative John F. Rixey at his country home near this village. Every precaution possible was taken to assure his safety. Two headquartersmen from Washington, in addition to the regular detail of secret service officers, were on guard at the Rixey home.

The presidential special train will arrive in Washington today at 11:15 a. m. Half an hour later the president will leave Washington in a special train over the Pennsylvania for Oyster Bay, where he will vote tomorrow.

MARINES SAID TO HAVE INTERFERED

COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT POSTPONES INDEFINITELY ALL CANAL TREATY NEGOTIATIONS.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Nov. 3.—There is said to be great indignation among residents of the Isthmus owing to the Colombian government's instructions to Minister Concha at Washington, to suspend indefinitely the canal treaty negotiations, cables a Kingston, Jamaica, correspondent. It is even reported that the authorities in Bogota are determined to break off the negotiations altogether because of the United States' recent policy restraining the transportation of Colombian troops on the railroad.

The United States marines, it is asserted, have not hampered the Colombian government. On the contrary, the Americans, by protecting transit on the Isthmus, are declared to have hindered General Herrera from attacking Colon and Panama, and indirectly aided the government which would have been defeated after Agua Dulce fell but for the American marines.

LADRONES ACTIVE ON LEYTE ISLAND

BEHEAD PRESIDENT OF A TOWN AND CARRY OFF HIS BABES—CONSTABULARY UNABLE TO HANDLE.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Manila, Nov. 3.—A portion of a gang of Ladrones, which has been operating on the Island of Biliran, just north of the Island of Leyte, have committed various outrages. They crossed over to the Island of Leyte last Wednesday and entered a small town near Carigara. Here they captured and beheaded the president of the town, murdered his wife with bolos and abducted the president's children. The motive of this crime is said to have been the president's friendliness with the Americans.

Ladrones are again active in the provinces of Rizal and Bulacan, Luzon. Numbers of native constabulary engaged the bandits twice during the past week, at points close to Manila and succeeded in killing a number of them. The constabulary are capable of suppressing these ladrones.

Reports received here indicate the situation on the Island of Samar is better than has been recently reported. A number of Dios Dios, or religious fanatics, are still operating there, but official reports show that the Samar police are able to handle the situation.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Helena, Mont.

October 28, 1902. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court, at Butte, Montana, December 6, 1902, viz.: Ian Johnson, for Homestead Entry No. 13721 on the Lots 1 and 2, east half northwest Section 31, Township 3 north, Range 8 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.: Amel Anderson, Tilda Stevens, Peter De Giambattista, John Papa of Silver Bow, Mont. FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register.

LITTLE BITS BY TELEGRAPH

Tiny Items of News of the World Boiled Down for Busy Readers.

Bad Fire in New York.

New York, Nov. 3.—Fire at Larchmont, Westchester county, yesterday destroyed a section of the business district and wiped out houses in which a dozen families lived. Loss, \$75,000.

They Are Going to Fight.

Paris, Nov. 3.—M. Gerault Richard of the Petite Republique has telegraphed two of his friends to meet the seconds of the Marquis de Dion this morning to arrange for a duel.

Have Fought Long for It.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Beginning today, transfers will be granted on all the lines of the Chicago Union Traction company. It will be possible for a person to travel 20 miles for a nickel.

Der Kaiser Und Frau.

Charlottesville, Prussia, Nov. 3.—The new building for the high school of plastic and graphic arts and music was inaugurated yesterday in the presence of ministers and professors. The emperor and empress attended the ceremonies.

Famous Guide Is Killed.

San Francisco, Nov. 3.—James M. Hutchings, who discovered the Yosemite valley and opened it for tourists, has been killed by his team going over the grade on his way into the famous valley. Mr. Hutchings was nearly 90 years old.

Three Killed in Washington.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 3.—News reached here last night that three men were killed yesterday afternoon while engaged in clearing out a tunnel where a cave-in had occurred on the Chucanut creek cut-off division of the Great Northern railroad.

Better Pay Your Fare.

Whatcom, Wash., Nov. 3.—A man named Watson was found by a conductor on the suburban street car line with his body half submerged in Whatcom river. He died before medical aid could reach him. He tried to ride on a street car without paying his fare and was ejected near the place where he was found.

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