

THE UNITED STATES TO ENFORCE PEACE

Warships Will See that Colombian Troops Stay On Their Own Side of the Panama Boundary Line.

Like the Irishman, This Nation Will Have Peace on the Isthmus if It Has to Fight for It—Germany Promises to Give the Cold Shoulder to Any Request by Colombia for a German Protectorate.

Washington, Nov. 10.—As a result of a conference between the secretary of the Navy, Secretary of State Loomis and Rear Admiral Taylor, chief of the bureau of navigation, instructions have been sent to the naval commanders in isthmian waters to stop any attempt on the part of the Colombian government to dispatch troops to the isthmus of Panama.

after German interests. The statement regarding our commercial interests in Colombia and Panama have been much exaggerated, but we hope to see our trade there prosper better after the United States builds the canal.

A QUEER RUMOR

U. S. Said to Have Been Approached by "Interested" Nation. Washington, Nov. 10.—Reports are current that an effort is being made whereby negotiations for a Panama canal treaty may yet be resumed with Colombia, notwithstanding the establishment of an independent Panama government.

GERMANY WILL BE GOOD

The Kaiser Will Not Meddle in Isthmian Affairs.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—The Colombian commission, if it comes here, will receive no consideration from the German government. The correspondent of the Associated Press to-day called the foreign office's attention to the statement made yesterday by Arturo de Brigada, the Colombian consul general in New York, that the Colombians were clamoring for a German protectorate and that the Colombian government had been asked to send a commission to Germany to offer Emperor William certain pieces of land on both seas in return for Germany's protection.

LIND WANTS TO KNOW

Minnesota Congressman May Lead Democratic Fight on Canal. From The Journal Bureau, Colorado Building, Washington.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Representative Lind's motion in the house yesterday, to have the administration furnish congress with all the corresponding information on the canal revolution, was intended to mar the plans of the democrats who had announced their intention to call for this information at the earliest opportunity. The republicans showed their superiority as political strategists.

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THEY REPRESENT \$10,000,000,000

Honorary Pall Bearers at the Elkins Funeral the Index of Billions.

Among the Great Financiers Who Served Were John D. Rockefeller and A. J. Cassatt.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—Financiers say the men chosen to act as honorary pall-bearers at the funeral of William L. Elkins to-day will represent in their private holdings and amounts invested in the corporations with which they are connected, a capital of \$10,000,000,000.

These men are: P. A. B. Widener, Thomas Dolan, A. J. Cassatt, E. B. Morris, C. Stuart Patterson, Dr. C. H. Duhring, General Louis Wagner, United States Senator S. B. Elkins, G. A. Huhn, Thomas F. Ryan, C. A. Grinnon, Isaac C. L. G. Johnson, A. R. Little, N. P. Shortridge, John D. Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers, Dr. L. Fell, William R. Nicholson and Jay Cooke.

The funeral will be quite unostentatious despite this array of wealth. The body will be deposited in the magnificent mausoleum in Laurel for his cemetery which Mr. Elkins quite recently completed.

The contents of the will will not be made public until an instrument is offered for probate. It is understood the document disposes of an estate of \$20,000,000.

The service will be conducted by Rev. J. T. Cole, rector of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal church, in a black-draped room of the Elkins mansion at Washington.

At the moment when the funeral services begin, the trolley system will suspend operations and every car in the city will remain in motion for five minutes as a tribute to the memory of the traction magnate.

CAPITAL BESIEGED

Revolutionary Forces Bombarding San Domingo—Government Rejects Demand for Surrender.

San Domingo, Republic of Santo Domingo, Saturday, Nov. 7.—The revolutionary forces which surrounded this city attacked San Domingo last night, using artillery, but no damage was done.

The revolutionary commander this afternoon sent a messenger under a flag of truce to demand the surrender of the capital, which was refused and hostilities were resumed.

ROCKEFELLER IN STEEL TRUST

John D. Said to Have Secured Virtual Control of the United States Corporation.

New York Sun Special Service. Cleveland, Nov. 10.—Cleveland financiers who are more than likely to be on the inside believe that John D. Rockefeller now controls or will soon control the United States Steel corporation. They say they can see in the retrenchment plans now under way the hand and the methods of the oil king.

There is no doubt that Rockefeller's influence caused the change in the dividend policy and the concentration plans now being carried out, which are likely to end in H. C. Erick being placed at the head of the big trust, all show the hand of the Standard Oil magnate.

VAG SAYS HE'S A NOBLEMAN

Tells a Pathetic Love Story to Chicago Police and Beggars a Night's Lodging.

New York Sun Special Service. Chicago, Nov. 10.—Leon Premieniski, who says he is a Polish nobleman, asked last evening for lodging at the West Chicago avenue police station.

"Eight months ago," he said, "I left my father's palace in Poland. At home I fell in love with a noble's daughter on a neighboring estate and won her consent to an early marriage. Almost at the time of the wedding another suitor appeared and took her from me. I witnessed the ceremony that made them man and wife. Then I fled from the country twenty hours later."

ELLIOTT BEFORE PROBATE COURT

Inquiry into His Sanity—Information Filed by Deputy Sheriff Johnson.

The probate court this afternoon inquired into the sanity of Peter Elliott, the man who made strenuous efforts to call on President Roosevelt some time ago. Elliott was taken into court on information filed by Deputy Sheriff Frank Johnson. The document was simply a statement that Elliott was insane.

The examining board, consisting of Probate Judge Harvey, Dr. A. P. Williamson and Dr. W. A. Jones, began to take evidence in the case at 2:30.

HAMILTON TO BE RELEASED

The State Board of Pardons Decides to Commute His Sentence.

He Will Accordingly Become Eligible for a Parole at Once.

The Condition of His Health the Main Reason for This Action.

The state board of pardons has shown mercy to Frank H. Hamilton. Solely on account of his health, the board has decided to commute his sentence to five years. This makes him eligible for parole at once. The state board of control may open the prison's doors for him at the next meeting, which will be held in a few days.

MOTHER JONES IN COLORADO

Striking Miners Hail Her with Enthusiasm at Meetings Held in Their Camps.

Strike Is Practically Complete—All Over the Affected District—No Lawlessness.

Denver, Col., Nov. 10.—The tie-up in the Colorado coal fields in consequence of the strike order, issued by President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, is more extensive than either operators or union leaders had expected.

MANY FILING AT CROOKSTON

Long Line Was Before the Land Office When It Opened for Business To-day.

Johnson and Carlson of Minneapolis the First to File at Cass Lake.

Police Outwitted by Tactics of the Crowd—Just an Ordinary Day at Duluth.

Crookston, Minn., Nov. 10.—Some striking miners were snatched this morning when the government land office was thrown open for the receipt of entries on the Red Lake lands. The line before the door began reforming with the first break of day, and before the office was ready for business the crowd had increased to Special to The Journal.

COLLINS WILL RUN VAN SANT WILL NOT

The St. Cloud Jurist Formally Announces That He Will Be in the Race.

His Announcement, According to His Own Statement, Is Made Only After He Was Satisfied that Governor Van Sant Would Not Be a Candidate—Resignation from Supreme Bench Looked for.

Judge Loren W. Collins is a candidate for the republican nomination for governor.

The announcement was made to-day that his legal adviser, the St. Cloud Journal-Press, in the following interview which speaks for itself:

"It has been well known for several years I have aspired to the position of governor of this state, to which I came in its territorial days and where I have lived for nearly fifty years. My friends say that the time to announce an open and active candidacy has arrived.

"My personal relations with Governor Van Sant, and my conviction that his legal efforts to prevent what his legal adviser, the Journal-Press, pronounced a violation of our states should be sustained by every conscientious citizen, have prevented the taking of any steps by me looking toward a nomination, while the governor felt disposed again to become a candidate.

"I do not regard the recently published interview in which he assumed his position as indicating that he is in the field, on the contrary I consider it as an indication of his determination to keep out and to be considered a possibility no longer.

"He is absent from the state, but I know that many of his friends put the same construction upon the interview, and assert that if he had purposed becoming a candidate he would have said so in no uncertain way.

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THE DEER SHOOTING SEASON OPENS And Preparations for the Worst Are Made at Both Ends of the Line.

The order filed to-day commutes the sentence from seven to five years. Hamilton's record is perfect, and he is entitled to parole on serving half the five years. He has been in the penitentiary since Feb. 20, 1901, and has therefore two years eight months and several days.

The case has been hanging fire for several months, but the board is now convinced that his health will be permanently impaired if he remains longer in prison.

The order filed to-day reads as follows: In re application of Frank H. Hamilton. Clemency for the petitioner is urged on several grounds.

Only one of them, however, appeals to the board. The board is satisfied that petitioner's trial was fair and the verdict and sentence just, but it is also satisfied from the official report of the warden and the prison physician and other evidence that he has been afflicted in the past with tuberculosis, and unless his time is shortened, so that he may be released and thereby avoid confinement within the prison during the coming winter, his health will be permanently impaired by a recurrence of tuberculosis.

REBELLION

Hottentots Menace Cape Colony—Volunteers Are Called Out and Heavy Fighting Expected.

Kenhardt, Cape Colony, Nov. 10.—Hottentot rebels numbering about 3,500 men are approaching the border. Police have been dispatched to the scene, the volunteers have been called out and severe fighting is expected.

TO BUILD R. R.'S IN THE ORIENT

Edwin Hawley, President of M. & St. L., Interested in China Construction Company.

New York, Nov. 10.—The report that Harriman-Hawley-Huntington intended to build a new company to develop the railroad interests of the Chinese empire was confirmed yesterday. The China Investment and Construction Company of America has been incorporated under the laws of New Jersey for the purpose of obtaining concessions in China.

large proportions. Many of the land seekers were up all night, and prior to that had traveled long distances. These appeared weary and worn, but there was no lack of interest and determination.

The officials had everything so well arranged that there was no confusion. The applicants were admitted to the building and as fast as possible their papers were examined and their entries recorded. The office floor had been increased and the work moved off in good order and precision.

It is estimated that about 250 filings will be made before the close of business to-day. This will probably be the big day here. While a great number of filings will be made, United States commissioners at Chief River Falls and at other points adjacent to the lands will take a good many and the applicants will not be obliged to appear before the office here.

Too Sharp for Police. Some of the "sooner" who were anxious to be first at the desk of Register Peterson when the doors opened for the filing line, were imbedded in the United States land office this morning figured out a scheme to outwit the police. The officers twice yesterday frustrated their plans to form a line, and the flat went forth that they would not be allowed to gather at the door of the office rooms in the second story of the building until 6 o'clock this morning.

Several were unable to get rooms in the hotel building in which Uncle Sam has his office, or at any place near at hand, but secured from the obliging land attorneys whose offices are on the same floor the privilege of sleeping on the floor in their rooms.

In consequence, rolled in blankets or sleeping in fur overcoats, a large number, sufficient in fact to cover the floors of the office, dreamed last night of success in their efforts to secure a farm on the morrow. As there are six large office suites on the same floor as the United States land office many were able in this manner to get accommodations at close range, in fact directly on the firing line. Every man had his papers made out to cover the particular piece of land desired. The papers had been examined and re-examined by competent authorities so that there was no doubt of their being in proper form. A flaw would result in delay that might be fatal to their hopes.

Filings Before Commissioners. Register Peterson said to-day: "I do not look for a large number of claimants at once, but the papers will continue to come for a week from commissioners all over the northern part of the state. The cause requiring homesteaders to file the land before they make entry is responsible for this. They go to look at the lands and will file with the nearest commissioner."

Speaking of the land and the business to be done Receiver George said: "The lands are not what the intending settlers expected to find, and in

FILING AT CASS LAKE

First Entries Made by Two Twin City Men. Special to The Journal.

Cass Lake, Minn., Nov. 10.—The rush for the land thrown on the market for homestead entry at the Cass Lake office began in earnest last evening. After the close of the office for the day a line of men to the number of fifty, was quickly formed outside the door. As the evening passed the line was augmented in numbers until at 10 o'clock there were about a hundred.

It was then agreed to give out numbers among the crowd, one being chosen to distribute them. This was done so that the men would not have to stay in a standing position all night.

As the night trains came in more men were added to the crowd and at daylight this morning the line was again formed and the men took their stations according to the numbers.

The first woman to appear on the scene was Miss Nellie Boyd, of Lac Qui Parle county. She is a cripple and the men generously gave her a seat at the head of the line.

Peter Johnson of Minneapolis and John Carlson of St. Paul, headed the line and were the first to make a filing.

Register Jones has provided police to see that order is kept and arrangements are made to handle the crowd as expeditiously as possible. It is learned that most of the land considered as being "fair to good" has been occupied by squatters for several days. It will be rather slow work

hundreds of those who have gone to see them will not file. The struggle will come in cases where rival squatters are claimants, and there will likely be many contests later on. We will experience no trouble in taking care of the business, and it will extend over a fortnight owing to the fact that many filings will be made before commissioners. This will relieve our office of much of the work."

Minneapolis Men First. The land office was opened promptly at 9 this morning and with the police to keep order everything moved like clockwork. The first man to file was Peter Johnson of Minneapolis, who made entry on the southeast quarter section of 26, 152, 2. John Carlson of Minneapolis was next, and filed on the southwest quarter of 36, followed by Frank Arbe of Chicago, who filed on the northwest quarter of the same section.

The work of taking the filings was rapidly done, thirty-two being handled in the first hour. The Red Lake reservation land this morning that not an entry on the reservation account has been made to-day. Probably a few squatters along the Rainy lake in the Duluth district have appeared before a commissioner at Koochiching and filed on lands they held before the reservation was opened.

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