

BIEBER CHARGES DECLARED FALSE BY MR. BARTHOLDT

Demanding "a retraction as public as the manner in which the charge was made," Representative Bartholdt of Missouri, chairman of the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, sent a letter today to Senator Carter of Montana, pointing out to the Senator that he totally misrepresented the Public Buildings and Grounds Committee when he charged that the committee had made a misleading report to the House, intentionally, upon the Bieber land grants.

FOREIGNERS FLEE HAITI; OUTBREAK AGAINST ALIENS

United States. In any event, it is certain that he will be able to get himself or the revolutionists will overwhelm him. Prisons overflowing. Following Sunday's and Monday's executions of twenty-seven accused revolutionists, scores of arrests are being made today, and the prisons are filled to overflowing. Even foreigners except the confession of Maximilien Colco, who was shot Sunday, as truthful. It was from him that the government learned the details of the plot for March 15, the assassination conspiracy, and obtained evidence that Firmin had been planning the uprising from the French consular residence at Port Au Prince, the situation is less alarming here than at Gonaives.

Executions to Continue, Dispatches to Paris Assent

PARIS, March 17.—Official dispatches received here from Port Au Prince today say the executions reported in Haiti all took place Sunday, and that there were more yesterday, although the exact number is not known. Executions will probably take place today. Advice are anxiously awaited following the arrival of the French cruiser d'Estres at Gonaives as it is feared the situation has probably prevented the situation being reported as it really is.

The Des Moines Sent to Haiti; No Intervention

Immediately upon the receipt of dispatches at the State Department this morning, confirming the report of the gravity of the situation in Haiti, the cruiser Des Moines was dispatched from Guantanamo, Port au Prince. The Des Moines is under command of Commodore Potts, and he will relieve the gunboat Eagle, which left Guantanamo. The Eagle will return to her survey work in Cuban waters. It is the general impression here that the Haitian government has not transgressed its prerogatives in executing the participants in the latest plot. It is also conceded that, in principle, the government has a right to demand the delivery of those alleged conspirators who have taken refuge in the foreign consulates. American interests in the island are slight and have not yet been involved. Although there are no refugees at present in the American consular agencies, it is likely that they will be impossible to keep them out. If the present reign of terror continues. Several times within the last few weeks, the agencies have been cleared, only to be occupied again by refugees. As soon as one detachment is ushered out of the door, another finds its way in through the window. If there were a general scramble for protection, the United States would be in the same situation as France and Germany. The present disposition of the State Department is to allow the Haitians full way in working out their own prob-

Mothers' Congress Hears Papers Telling History of Day Nursery

Germany Pensions Mothers and One Charity Is Not Needed.

The history of day nurseries in the United States and foreign countries was the subject of a series of papers read this morning before the International Congress of Mothers. The congress will adjourn tonight with an address by Dr. G. Stanley Hall, of Clark University, Worcester, Mass., and the presentation of officers elected yesterday morning.

Two-thirds of the delegates and visitors had apparently returned to their homes today. The attendance this morning was unusually small, although the session was one of the most instructive and interesting of the congress. Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, president of the Federation of Day Nurseries, of New York city, told of the early establishment of these institutions, the first being in France. Mrs. Dodge said that all the important cities of Europe had day nurseries except Berlin, and when this fact was investigated it was learned that the German government pensions the mothers of the country, decreasing the pensions as the children near the wage-earning age. She said that \$3,000,000 a year is spent by the government in this way in Berlin.

WHIP POLICEMAN THEN GO TO JAIL

Honobach Roughly Handled by John Jackson and Wife.

With his head bandaged and plastered and his entire body in a generally battered condition, Policeman Charles Honobach appeared before Judge Klimball this afternoon as the complainant and principal witness against John Jackson and wife, Mamie, charged with assault to do bodily injury, and disorderly conduct. After seeing the story of the attack made on the officer by the couple in their home in Summer court last night, Judge Klimball sentenced Jackson to eleven months and twenty-nine days in the workhouse, and gave the pugilistic woman a four months' term. Honobach was attracted to the Jackson home by the shrieks of Mrs. Jackson. He found the husband throwing plates and other articles about the room. He attempted to pacify the man, who turned on the officer and attacked him with a bill of wood. The woman joined in the affray and Honobach was roughly handled. He lost his club and helmet and was knocked into a dazed condition by repeated blows on his head. He managed to break from his assailants and escape by crawling out of a back window. He made his way to the street and ran into Sergeant Brown and Officer Scanlon, who told the court that Honobach appeared to be stunned and hard-conscious when he was brought to the Emergency Hospital, where his wounds were dressed.

lems, so long as broad, humanitarian considerations are preserved. It is not likely that any summary demand for refugees would be received complacently. So far the Haitian government has been circumspect in its attitude toward the United States. Whether this will be continued by the new ministry remains to be seen.

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YOUNG MAN DISAPPEARS FROM BOARDING HOUSE

After paying two weeks' board in advance to Mrs. M. Crockett Miller, of 1518 I street northwest, a young man who said he was Hugh Denton, of Chattanooga, Tenn., has been missing about noon Saturday, saying that he would bring his traveling bag back with him. He explained that he would not be in until nearly midnight, and asked that he be given a latch key. Mrs. Miller told him that she would be up when he came back and would let him in. He did not return to the house. About midnight Saturday there was a fight directly in front of Mrs. Miller's home, and it was thought that Denton may have met with foul play. The police say, however, that the fight was between two negroes, both of whom were arrested.

BANK FAILS FOR \$60,000.

MERIDIAN, Miss., March 17.—The Southern Bank of Meridian today closed its doors. Liabilities are given at \$60,000. The capital stock is \$100,000. The recent financial flurry is held responsible for the suspension.

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Marriage Licenses.

Joseph A. Blundon, of Bethesda, Md., and Mary V. Murphy, of Washington. Aldace C. Brent, of Washington, and Isabelle G. Anderson, of Lynchburg, Va. Arthur D. Cutts and Addie L. McInturf, of Washington. Louis H. Kraus and Gussie E. Marks, of Richmond, Va. Harry B. Kerr and Mary E. Sommers, of Washington.

Deaths.

Mary Cleveland, 53 years, 1008 Virginia avenue southwest. John C. Martin, 52 years, 613 Third street northeast. Alice T. Buck, 53 years, 1215 M street northwest. Phillip C. Hammel, 3 years, 2500 G street, northwest. Royal T. Frank, 71 years, 1207 Q street northwest. John W. Wells, 53 years, 914 Sixth street southeast. Charles L. Patten, 61 years, 509 T street northwest. Allie P. Merriari, 27 years, 267 N street northwest. Peter S. Leah, 59 years, 200 Webster street northwest. Leopold Scheffner, 7 months, 609 Brewsters Court northeast. Catherine Coslow, 9 months, 227 Harrison street, Anacostia. Alvrens L. Klunger, 15 days, 404 B street northeast. Male twins of James and Laura Wakefield, 10 minutes, 213 M street west.

EARLY SPRING PREDICTED; WILD DUCKS BUILD NESTS

NEW YORK, March 17.—An early spring is predicted by the observing ones up in Central Park, and as proof of the prediction they point to the activity of the wild ducks there building nests for the annual hatching. The nest building is about a month ahead of the usual time, and Director Smith, of the menagerie, says it is very seldom that wild ducks are fooled in regard to the season. The domestic ducks in the park haven't started in yet to make preparations for housekeeping, but the keepers say they haven't got as much sense as the wild variety.

A MILD YEAR.

"Understand," concluded the struggling young lawyer, "I hold no brief for the trusts." And then he added softly: "I wish I did."—Exchange.

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Died

SMITH—On Tuesday, the 17th instant, at 6:50 a. m., at the residence of her sister, Mrs. George T. Dearing, 108 Massachusetts avenue northwest, YARINA H. SMITH. Funeral will be held at the above residence on Thursday, the 19th instant, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to be present. Interment private mh17-2

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