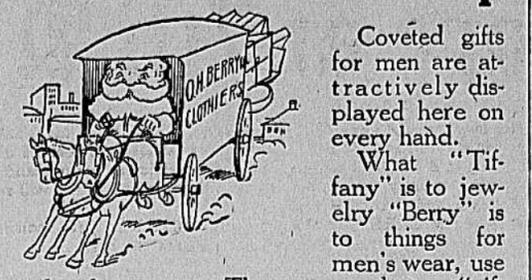


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DR. SHIPLEY SAYS IT IS TARANTISM

There has upon the whole been worthily exercised by his present occupants. It is the literature of feeling, of regret and repulsion that we see the President of the United States descending into the gutter of controversy and endeavoring to outvie the very Bowery of New York in vindictiveness and coarseness of his abuse.

ENDS ITS WORK

Parliament Will Meet Again Monday and Then Be Prorogued. (Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.) LONDON, December 19.—So far as practical work is concerned the first session of Parliament under the present constitution has come to an end to-day.

STORIES OF CASTRO

To Sing in Graphophone, Name a Sausage and Other Things. (Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.) BERLIN, December 19.—President Castro by the radio broadcast stories which are printed daily and go to the rounds of the press. He receives hundreds of begging letters every day and makes mistakes, and times, such as an old, who offer to marry him and who are evidently unaware that the President of Venezuela is already fully married.

NO REAL PROGRESS

Solution of Crisis in Europe Has Not Advanced Very Far. (Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.) LONDON, December 19.—Another week has passed without any real progress towards the international conference which many suppose offers the only solution of the European crisis.

WANT A DIAMOND?

You Can Get One Out from the Gullman for Only \$5,000.

IN DIRE STRAITS

Japanese Legation Investigating Condition of Koreans in State of Yucatan. MEXICO CITY, December 19.—The Japanese legation is investigating the condition of several hundred Koreans.

who are said to be in dire straits in the state of Yucatan. The Japanese Minister in Yucatan stated that he did not know the actual facts or number of Koreans in the state of Yucatan, but it is estimated that in the past three years fully 1,000 have landed for the purpose of seeking employment on the isthmus.

TO GIVE HOUSE-FARMING

Ambassador Hill Will Enter into American Colony in Berlin. (Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.) BERLIN, December 19.—Dr. Hill, the American ambassador, and his wife will be established in their new home about January 1st. A few days afterwards they will issue a general invitation to the American colony for a house-farming reception, and the 2,000 odd Americans here will probably attend, although the ambassador's new house will hardly accommodate more than 500.

WHISTLER MEMORIAL

England Asked to Contribute to Second Edition of Whistler Memorial. (Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.) LONDON, December 19.—The Whistler Memorial Company has called upon the Government of England for a contribution towards the cost of a second edition of the Chelsea memorial, which is now in Rodin's studio, which shall be a tribute to America of England. In the course of a message from Rodin he says:

WEDDING POSTPONED

Wedding Postponed. (Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.) LONDON, December 19.—Because of the illness of the bride, the wedding of Miss Violet Brockley has been postponed to January 2, 1909.

ANARCHIST ARRESTED

PARIS, December 20.—A dispatch from the police reported that on Saturday an anarchist of the name of Louis Bouchard was arrested in his clothes a bomb and a number of papers comprising certain prominent persons.

DARK ROBBERY

ROME, December 19.—A daring robbery was attempted here to-day in the Victor Emmanuel Library. An un-

OBITUARY

Miss Minnie Fowlkes. Miss Minnie Fowlkes died yesterday afternoon at the residence of her father, No. 3115 N Street, in this town, of heart disease. She is survived by her father, her stepmother, two sisters and one brother.

Thomas I. West. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BUCKLAND, Va., December 19.—Thomas I. West, aged seventy years, a well-known citizen of this place, died last night at his home in Berryville due to a general breakdown.

Henry A. Taylor. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WARSAW, Va., December 19.—Major Samuel J. C. Moore, eighty-five years old, a noted Virginian of the old school, died in his home in Berryville, Clarke county, this morning, after a ten days illness of paralysis.

Henry A. Taylor. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WARSAW, Va., December 19.—After an illness of several days, Henry A. Taylor, of Mount Airy, Richmond county, died at his home in Berryville, Va., this morning at 6:15 o'clock, aged about seventy-two years.

Ben Chambers. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WARSAW, Va., December 19.—Hon. Ben Chambers, aged sixty-seven years, of Lodge, Northumberland county, died at 11:15 o'clock at his home at 1215 E. Main street, this morning, after a long illness.

Ernest F. White. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, Va., December 19.—Ernest F. White, of the firm of J. T. White & Co., who was a secretary and treasurer, and one of the best known young business men of Norfolk, died at his home at 1215 E. Main street, this morning, after a long illness.

Benjamin C. Hutton. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) MELEA, Va., December 19.—Benjamin C. Hutton, a prominent business man and highly respected citizen of the Eastern Shore of Virginia, died at his home at 8 o'clock to-night.

BUCHANAN. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BUCHANAN, Va., December 19.—Mrs. Maggie Deisher, wife of Capt. George M. Deisher, died at her home in Dargers Springs, passed away at her home Wednesday, December 16th.

BUCHANAN. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BUCHANAN, Va., December 19.—George M. Smith, a bagman of the Southern Railway, died very unexpectedly at 10 o'clock last night at his home at 211 North Patrick Street.

BUCHANAN. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BUCHANAN, Va., December 19.—Mrs. Martha Eller, who once lived in West Point, died for several years at the Episcopal Hospital, died in her home Friday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

BUCHANAN. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BUCHANAN, Va., December 19.—Mrs. Fannie A. Newell, aged eighty-one years, died at her home at West Point, Va., on Monday, December 14th.

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Big Sale of Linen Drawn Work, 10c to \$1.00. C. stopped over in Roanoke last night en route to West Virginia, and to-day died in a cab while going to the depot.

DEATHS

CLAIBORNE.—Died, December 7th, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Timberlake, EASTER CLAIBORNE, aged sixty-five years. Capable, trustworthy and faithful friend as well as a devoted family member.

FOWLKES.—Died, Saturday afternoon, at 3:45, in her home, 3212 N Street, Miss MINNIE FOWLKES, twenty-five years old. She is survived by a father, stepmother, two sisters and one brother.

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