

THE SPANISH CUBAN DEBT.

A Small Portion of it May Be Assumed by the United States, According to Paris Rumors.

A Military Plot for the Overthrow of the French Government Has Failed, So It Is Rumored.

Paris, Oct. 14.—It is rumored here that America may finally agree to assume a small portion of the Cuban debt. This important point is now before the peace commission and will be decided today.

Paris, Oct. 14.—It is said that a military plot against the French government has proved a failure.

AGUINALDO

Has His Troubles Also—His Southern Chiefs Have Now Rebelled.

They May Join the Spanish Forces to Hold the Islands for Spain.

Manila, Oct. 14.—Reports have reached here of the rebellion of Aguinaldo's chiefs in the southern islands against the authority of Aguinaldo. The Spanish authorities in those islands are trying to secure the aid of the rebellious chiefs to enable them in holding the islands against American aggression.

WORK DONE.

Odd Fellows Elect Officers, Select Meeting Place and Adjourn.

Winchester, Ky., Oct. 14.—The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of Kentucky has closed. Officers were elected as follows: Grand Master, J. W. Potter, of Bowling Green; Deputy Grand Master, C. F. Hess, of Louisville; Grand Warden, Thomas Reed, of Covington; Grand Secretary, R. G. Millett, of Lexington; Grand Treasurer, G. W. Morris, of Louisville. Paducah was selected for the place of meeting in 1899 and Louisville in 1900.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 14.—The Odd Fellows' Widows' and Orphans' Home was dedicated here yesterday with impressive ceremonies. A special train brought the grand lodge from Winchester. A large crowd was present to hear an address by Sam Small. Mrs. Mary Clay was selected as permanent matron. Officers of the Grand Lodge have been established here.

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TROUBLE PREDICTED.

Another Attempt May Be Made at Virden, Ill., to Use Imported Negroes in the Mines.

All Is Quiet Now—Five Hundred Soldiers Are Now on the Ground—People Still Intensely Excited.

Pana, Ill., Oct. 14.—It is reported here that Lukens, the manager of the mines at Virden, will make another attempt to land negroes in his mines. The rumor has created the most intense excitement among the union miners and their sympathizers. There is no doubt at all but that such an attempt would result in more bloodshed, as the miners are more determined than ever.

All is quiet here today. Five hundred troops are here to keep order.

Wednesday's shooting resulted in fourteen deaths so far, as follows: Ernest Kitterly, Ellis Smith, Ed Welsh, Wm. Blue, Ernest Kemler, A. H. Brennan, Frank Bilyen, Ed Green, Ernest Long, Wm. Harmon, all miners; D. N. Kiley, chief detective, Chicago; A. W. Carroll, guard on train; A. W. Morgan, guard in stockade; Thomas Preston, guard in stockade. The injured will not exceed twenty. Of these a few are critical.

TROUBLE EXPECTED.

Virden, Ill., Oct. 14.—The depot here is surrounded by armed men. It is reported that more negro miners are to be brought here on the four o'clock train this afternoon.

FIRST KENTUCKY.

It Is Ordered to March to San Juan, the Capital of Porto Rico.

Ponce, Porto Rico, Oct. 14.—The First Kentucky regiment today received orders to be ready to march to Porto Rico, where it will do garrison duty.

CHARGES

Preferred by G. W. Jolly Against Franks and Van Rensselaer.

Washington, Oct. 14.—The Civil Service Commission has received a letter from Hon. George W. Jolly, of Owensboro, asking that a complete investigation be made of charges he incloses. Then follow several typewritten pages devoted to specific charges against not only Franks and Van Rensselaer, but many other persons connected with the Internal Revenue and Postal Service. The Commissioner of Civil Service has had prepared and signed yesterday two letters, one to the Secretary of the Treasury and the other to the Postmaster General, asking the earnest co-operation of their departments with the Civil Service Commission in bringing about a thorough investigation. The character of the answers received from the Treasury and Postoffice Departments will greatly affect the result of the case. Luke-warm assistance will cause the investigation to be little more than a farce, as the charges preferred really come under the jurisdiction of these departments, being violations of executive orders, which are embodied in the rules of the departments.

NEW RAILROAD,

Which, if Built, Will Be of General Benefit to Paducah.

Will Reach Golconda, and Will Undoubtedly Come to Paducah.

The Cairo Bulletin says: The people of Saline, Pope and Hardin counties are rejoicing greatly over what they consider are almost certain prospects for a railroad through that almost inaccessible region of Egypt. It will run from Galatia to the Ohio river at Golconda. To get there, however, it has to strike the river six miles above and skirt the bluffs, with which the place is surrounded along the river bank. These three counties are supposed to be rich in undeveloped mineral wealth. Saline has large coal deposits; Hardin, iron ore, and Pope, lead spar and other minerals, all of which will come to light if the road goes through.

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SITUATION ALARMING.

Yellow Fever Still Spreading in the Southern Cities—One Death at Jackson and Several New Cases.

Spreading in Louisiana—A Government Expert Gives His Explanation of the Very Rapid Spread of the Disease.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 14.—Three fever cases have appeared at Amite City, and the town is quarantined.

At Franklin, La., there are 26 new cases. Jackson, Miss., Oct. 14.—Fourteen new cases have appeared here today and there has been one death. Thirty-six new cases are reported from other parts of the state.

Washington, Oct. 14.—Dr. Carter, the yellow fever expert in charge at New Orleans, has wired the surgeon general that the spread of yellow fever from New Orleans took place before it was quarantined, and that Lake Charles caught the fever from Alexandria, and Canton from Madison. Of the 168 cases of admission to the detention camp near Franklin, La., 111 have been discharged. Of twenty-five admitted to the hospital at Franklin, six have been discharged. There are three hundred and twenty persons at Camp Harahan.

HELD AN INQUEST.

An Infant Found Dead by Its Parents This Morning.

Coroner Phelps Found That it Died of Natural Causes.

Coroner Phelps was notified this morning that the three-months' old child of Berry and Ellen Harbert, colored, who live in the Kahn yard on South Fourth street, was found dead this morning.

He went to the house designated and ascertained that the child was put to bed last night apparently well and was found dead in the night by its mother. There were no marks of violence on its body, and the coroner came to the conclusion that it died from colic or some other natural cause. This was the verdict in the case.

41 DEGREES.

The Mercury Takes Another Tumble Towards the Zero Point.

The Lowest Point Reached in Twenty-Four Hours Was Forty-One.

The thermometer at its lowest point today was forty-one degrees above zero, about nine degrees below yesterday's mark. Last night was a cold one, and those who came in from Cairo thought they had struck the Arctic zone when they reached Paducah. As told elsewhere, there was a frost, but it was a "white" frost. Today overcoats and stoves are visible where last week there were crash suits and electric fans.

WAS A FALSE ALARM.

The Prosecuting Attorney Thought He Had a Burglar.

City Prosecuting Attorney J. W. Campbell went home about 11 o'clock last night, and as he opened the hall door, thought he heard a window crack, as if someone had raised it to get out. Hastily striking a light, he ran upstairs, got a pistol, and ran back down to slay the marauder, for he was confident there was someone in the house. He made a complete tour of the place, however, and there was not a sign of burglar. He finally abandoned the search, and put away his pistol. He has never been able to ascertain what occasioned the noise, however, as he is not a superstitious man, and is confident it was not a spook.

POLICE COURT.

The case against Abe Bradshaw, colored, for pointing a pistol, which has been on the docket for several days, was again left open this morning.

The case against Lee Boyd, for allowing a billiard to run at large was also left open.

Several license cases were dismissed or left open.

Frank Waggoner was fined \$3 and costs for a breach of the peace.

WANTED.

PROMINENT SUICIDE.

Well Known Owensboro Drummer Found Dead in His Room in a Henderson Hotel.

The Act Was Caused by Despondency—His Death a Great Surprise to His Friends.

Henderson, Ky., Oct. 14.—Thomas Frayser, a member of one of the wealthiest families of Owensboro and a popular and well known coffee drummer, committed suicide in his room in the Hotel Henderson last night. He shot himself with a pistol. The cause of his terrible act was evidently despondency. His death was a great surprise to his friends, who regarded him as a young man of fine prospects.

A BIG TIME.

Louisvillians Take Possession of Henderson Today in Grand Style.

Henderson, Ky., Oct. 14.—Eight hundred Louisville people came in today on a special train. They were royally entertained by the merchants of this city. After dinner they marched in a body to the fair grounds.

\$130,000 LOSS.

Macon, Ga., Oct. 14.—The Winn Johnson candy and cracker factory and the oil and paint store of T. C. Burke burned. Loss \$130,000.

NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Cairo, 12.0, rising. Chattanooga, 5.7, falling. Cincinnati, 6.8, falling. Evansville, 6.6, falling. Florence, 4.5, falling. Johnsonville, 7.9, falling. Louisville, 5.3, falling. Mt. Carmel, 3.7, rising. Nashville, 6.1, falling. Paducah, 8.8, falling. Pittsburg, 5.7, falling. St. Louis, 4.2, falling.

A timber rise in the Kentucky and Green rivers.

Six million bushels of coal ready to float south will start as soon as water permits.

The City of Paducah passed out of Tennessee river last night with a full cargo mostly for St. Louis.

The Dick Fowler's excursion yesterday to the street fair of Cairo was a bonanza—there were 585 tickets sold.

There were forty-four big coal tubboats laid up at Pittsburg last Sunday waiting for a rise in the Ohio.

Weather quite cool; overcoats, no objection; weather clear, stiff, chilling; northwest breeze. Business at the wharf very good today.

The City of Sheffield is due from St. Louis today en route for Sheffield, Ala., and intermediate way landings on Tennessee river.

The Joe Fowler from Evansville arrived 9:30 this morning with an unusually large passenger trip and load of freight; departed 11:30 on her return to Evansville.

Capt. R. W. Wise, superintendent of the Memphis and Cincinnati Packet company and the Cincinnati and New Orleans line, was in St. Louis looking after the interest of the Buckeye State, John K. Speed and State of Kansas, which at present are under charter to the Anchor line during the low water season.

The Pittsburg News says: "Capt. Dan Scott has had a number of persons ask him to take the new City of Pittsburg to New Orleans for the Mardi Gras festival. One party of twenty-five from Pittsburg are anxious to make the trip. While nothing has as yet been decided on, it is not unlikely that Capt. Scott will accede to the wishes of his friends and make the trip."

GERMAN EVANGELICAL.

There will be no preaching and no Sunday school at the German Evangelical church Sunday, Oct. 16th as the congregation will attend the Mission festivities at Rev. A. Seffzig's church five miles from Brooklyn, Ill. The Bible Owen has been chartered for the occasion; she will leave the wharf at 8 o'clock sharp Sunday morning and will leave Brooklyn for the return trip at about 5 o'clock p. m. A nominal fare will be charged to cover expenses. Transportation from Brooklyn to the church gratis. Dinner will be served at the church free of charge.

Other information may be had from the pastor.
B. F. WULFMAN, Pastor.
1402

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ROMANTIC MARRIAGE

Mr. T. J. Tolleson Will Marry a Girl He Never Saw.

He Has Corresponded With Her Since He Was a Member of the Army.

Mr. T. J. Tolleson, who is employed by the local agent of a brewery, will leave the city Sunday morning for Whiteville, Tenn., to be married to a young lady of that place, Miss Mollie Hazelton, who lives at Cedar Chapel, Tenn., a few miles from Whiteville.

The wedding will be the sequel to quite a pretty romance that dates back six years, when Mr. Tolleson was a member of Co. H, 13th U. S. Infantry. He was then stationed in Oklahoma Territory, and one of his soldier friends gave him the name of the young lady mentioned above, whom he knew at home. He bade him write to her, and he did. The correspondence was kept up, and in the course of time the young couple exchanged pictures, and finally a proposal of marriage was made, and the young lady accepted.

She will meet her affianced at the hotel at Whiteville, and the ceremony will be performed there. They will start at once for Paducah, where they will make their future home. Mr. Tolleson was a soldier for several years, and his correspondence with his betrothed has extended over a period of six years. He received his discharge two or three years ago, and has never seen his intended bride, who is quite pretty if she resembles her picture.

M. E. EPSTEIN & CO.

Are Continuing Their Special Sale of Clothing.

While attending the various openings tomorrow the people of Paducah must not forget the great special sale of men's, boys' and children's clothing at M. E. Epstein & Co.'s. This is one of Paducah's best known firms. They are offering the people real, genuine bargains. You will make a mistake if you don't give them a call.

A PROUD OFFICIAL.

Deputy Clerk Hobson Gets His New Typewriter.

Deputy Circuit Clerk John Hobson was happier today than a small boy with his first pair of red top boots. The occasion of his joy was the arrival of his new typewriter. It is the newest thing in Paducah, and only machine of its kind in the city—a typewriter that writes on a book.

The machine will be used to write the minutes of the court on the record book, and in addition to facilitating the work, will be much easier read. The machine cost about \$175, and the deputy clerk was out at the railroad before daylight to unload the car and get the long coveted typewriter. It has been tested and found to work well.

FINE MONUMENTS ERECTED.

Mr. John Williamson, Jr., Superintends the Work.

Mr. John Williamson, Jr., is back from Calloway and Marshall counties where he went to superintend the erection of two fine monuments made in the marble works of J. E. Williamson & Co. of the city.

One of these was for Mr. D. B. Gilbert, at Murray, and the other was over the remains of the late Mr. S. H. Dees, of Hardin, Marshall county. Both are unusually fine monuments, and the workmanship is unsurpassed.

ODD FELLOWS' NOTICE.

Inglewood Lodge, No. 185, meets tonight at 7:30, in regular session, corner Fifth and Broadway, Yeiser building. All Odd Fellows welcome to attend. J. G. BEATTY, N. G. FRED HILLBORN, Sec'y.

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..GRAND OPENING..
TOMORROW AT 9 O'CLOCK A. M. sharp the doors of "Paducah's Great Cash Store" will be thrown wide open,
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Silks of Every Hue.
See the gorgeous display tomorrow and verify our statement.

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The best gloves made. Men's Gloves, Ladies' Gloves, Children's Gloves—Gloves for everybody.

Hosiery and Woven Underwear.
This department is complete, and great bargains prevail. Fresh from the manufacturers. Look, see and be convinced.

Cloak Department.
Our unique cloak department is stocked with the choicest garments of the latest styles, and especially invite everybody to visit this department and be happy.

New Dress Trimmings.
The season has introduced many novelties, some of the handsomest are rare and hard to get, but we have them, and invite your attention to this elegant line.

Shoes.
We have one of the most complete and up-to-date stock of shoes ever offered the trade of Paducah, and at prices that will surprise.

Boys' Clothing.
We have an elegant line of boys' knee suits and overcoats. Take a glimpse of this department.

We have employed a corps of refined, polite, accommodating and competent sales-people, who take a peculiar pleasure in showing goods. Come to Our Opening and get at least a faint idea of the stock we carry, from which you may select great bargains. 'Tis tomorrow—Come!

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