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turn to it. My Indiana friends have been most devoted and faithful, and I am their grateful debtor. The Republican party has twice in national convention given me its endorsement, and that is enough. I think the voters of our party are now entitled to have a new name. For the sentiment, great or small, that has been manifested for my nomination I am grateful; and of that wider respect and kindness—breaking party lines—which have been shown me in so many ways, I am profoundly appreciative.

"I cannot consent that my name be presented to or used in the St. Louis convention, and most kindly ask my friends to accept this as a sincere and final expression on the subject.

"BENJAMIN HARRISON."

**BENJ. R. TILLMAN,**

**South Carolina's Senator, Who Denounced Cleveland in the Senate.**

Senator Tillman, who recently started "the most dignified legislative body on earth" by his virulent denunciation of President Cleveland, was born on his father's plantation at Chester, Edgefield County, S. C., and during the war he attended school at Liberty Hill, thirty miles away. The boy's craving for learning and his indomitable will were displayed when he was 15 years old. He knew that at 16 he must enter the Confederate army. His



SENATOR TILLMAN.

elder brothers in the field wrote back to him that he must make the best of his opportunities while at school, for the war might last so long that he might never have educational advantages. So young Tillman, when supper was eaten, would carry a lighted pine knot to the woods, and there in the solitude of night study his Greek roots and Latin conjugations. In March, 1860, the farmers' alliance met to nominate a candidate for Governor. Tillman was nominated, and then followed the bitterest campaign South Carolina has ever had. Gen. Earle was his opponent, and they met in joint debate. Three-quarters of the men assembled carried revolvers and trouble was expected at the speech making. Gen. Earle asked of his opponent how old he (Tillman) was at the close of the war and why he was not in the Confederate army. Tillman turned upon the general in a fury. Hands sought triggers, expecting an outbreak. "As for your insinuations of cowardice and lack of patriotism," thundered Tillman at his adversary, "I spit them out at you and spurn you and them with contempt." Not a shot was fired. It was a miracle. Applause greeted the speaker, and from that time forth he controlled the multitude.

The riots attending the carrying into effect of Gov. Tillman's famous dispensary system are matters of recent happening and are well remembered. His quitting of the trouble with troops of farmers armed with every conceivable manner of weapons is very indicative of the man's force and of the regard in which his constituents hold him.

The American Savings and Loan Association at Minneapolis went into the hands of a receiver, application to the court having been made by Attorney General Childs. Maj. W. D. Hale was named as receiver.

**TWO MILLIONS LOSS.**

**Furious Flames Destroy Big Buildings in Philadelphia.**

Chestnut street, Philadelphia, was visited the other morning by one of the fiercest fires the city has known for years. The seven-story building of Charles H. Haseltine, 1416 and 1418 Chestnut street, and the adjoining five-story structure of the Baptist Publication Society and the American Baptist Historical Society were destroyed. The buildings damaged by fire and water and falling walls were the four-story dry goods house of Homer, Le Bonfillier & Co., 1412 and 1414, the dwelling at 1422 owned by the Wistar estate and the Hotel Lafayette at Broad and Sanson streets. On either side of the main entrance to the Haseltine building were the piano warehouses of Hallett & Davis at 1416, and of Steinway & Co. at 1418. The two Baptist societies lost large and valuable collections of paintings, books and curios. The detailed losses have not yet been made up, but a conservative estimate places the aggregate at close to \$2,000,000. It is thought that this is covered by insurance.

It was shortly before 2 o'clock, when Policemen Rice and Howard, while patrolling their beats at Broad and Chestnut streets, detected the smell of smoke. They ran to the Lafayette Hotel and went from floor to floor, looking for the fire. When they reached the sixth a fierce blaze met their sight. It was in the rear of the Haseltine building, which reached dangerously near to the back of the hotel building. An alarm was struck immediately, but before the first engines could reach the scene a strong west wind had carried the flames throughout the entire building.

A dozen lines of hose were turned on the Chestnut street front, but the light wood and paper which stocked the second, third and fourth floors were easy food for the flames. The upper portion of the Lafayette Hotel was ignited by sparks flying from the burning buildings on Chestnut street, but the blaze was confined to the upper floors. The fire was not controlled until long after daybreak.

The Haseltine building was valued at \$200,000 and was fully insured. It was erected in 1888, and the first two floors were "fireproof." The loss on paintings on these two floors is between \$200,000 and \$400,000, uninsured. Among those destroyed were two by G. H. Selous, valued at \$20,000 each; one by Robert-Fleury, valued at \$10,000.

**INSURGENTS IN GOOD TRIM.**

**Reported Critical Situation of the Two Leaders Is Denied.**

The following gives a resume of the operations of the insurgents in Cuba during the past few weeks, incidents of the campaign eliminated by the press censor from cablegrams sent to the United States:

When Maximo Gomez and Antonio Maceo with two large columns of mounted men invaded Havana province, coming almost to the gates of the capital city, and burning cane fields, destroying railway bridges, stations and cars all over the province, the two rebel leaders separated at the Pinar del Rio line. Gomez passed the line of troops thrown across the island south of Havana and Maceo began the conquest of Pinar del Rio. According to Spanish official reports Maceo's band has been defeated many times. As a matter of fact, he entered the province with 2,000 men and he now has 5,000. All are mounted, armed and well equipped. He also has plenty of ammunition. He obtained 11,000 rorabats at Cabanas and a large quantity at Guanacay. He captured one mule train containing 100,000 rations on its way from Colema to Pinar del Rio City, and food has been scarce in the capital ever since.

At San Cristobal, one of the first towns entered, Maceo found the houses covered with white flags in token of surrender. He was welcomed with cheers. He rested there one day, added forty volunteers to his army and marched on, after hoisting a Cuban flag on the town hall and appointing a local government. At Pinarico Consolacion del Sur and nearly a score of other towns the same scenes were repeated until Mantua, the most western town of the invading army and Maceo stood as godfather to a newly born child.

**DEMANDS INDEMNITY.**

**Minister Terrell Asks \$100,000 for Burning American Missions.**

United States Minister Terrell has demanded of Turkey an indemnity of \$100,000 for the burning and pillaging of the American missions at Marash and Kharput. He also asked for the immediate granting of firmans for rebuilding them.

Reports from Turkish sources, believed to be fairly accurate, say that it is believed that the Zeitonis are still holding out. The Turks have made seven different attacks upon the town, but all have failed, and their losses are reported to amount to 10,000. It is alleged that 50,000 troops will be needed to capture Zeiton. It is believed that the Zeitonis number from 15,000 to 20,000, well armed, and provisioned for a year. There is a doubtful report that 4,000 Russian Armenians crossed the Persian frontier and defeated the Turks at Six, eighteen hours from Zeiton, and have now joined the Zeitonis.

**SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.**

As the result of a conference between Edridge T. Gerry and President Roosevelt it is probable the New York police will abandon the employment of children to obtain evidence against saloonkeepers.

The czar has promised to stand as godfather to the Bulgarian Prince Boris (son of Prince Ferdinand, ruler of Bulgaria) in his conversion to the Russian church, and afterwards to appoint a Russian minister to Sofia.

The steamer reported ashore at New Inlet, N. C., proves to be the American steamer James Woodall with a cargo of sugar and molasses from New Orleans, La., for Baltimore, Md. The crew of ten men were saved by the life savers.

John Rodgers, who confesses to having been implicated in the robbery of the postoffice at Rockport, Ill., while left momentarily alone in one of the rooms of the United States district attorney's office at Springfield, stepped out of a door, supposed to be locked, and escaped.

William D. Himes, vice-president of the Gettysburg National Bank at New Oxford, Pa., is dead at the age of 84 years. Mr. Himes was among the most intimate personal friends of Thaddeus Stevens in his early career in Adams County and was associated with him in various business enterprises.

**Dr. Parkhurst and Young Men**

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