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KING OSCAR TO ARBITRATE.

The Fifth Arbitrator in the Venezuelan Controversy.

FOUR OTHERS TO BE SELECTED

Two of These Will be Chosen by England's Lord Chief Justice and Two by Chief Justice Fuller—The Arbitrators Will Probably Meet in Stockholm.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The king of Sweden and Norway, Oscar II, has been chosen by treaty between the United States and Great Britain as the fifth or final arbitrator of the Venezuela boundary question. The other arbitrators, four in number, are to be designated, two by the lord chief justice of England and two by the chief justice of the United States.

This is the final and most important feature of the treaty for the complete adjustment of the long pending Venezuela controversy. The treaty was concluded on Monday at the British embassy, Sir Julian Pauncefote representing her Brittanic majesty and Secretary Olney the United States. Since the return of Sir Julian from London, three weeks ago, negotiations toward a final settlement have been proceeding. Most of the meetings were of such an important character that they were held either at Mr. Olney's residence or at the British embassy, the two houses being but two blocks separated.

It happened that the concluding meeting was at the embassy on Monday, and special interest was given to it from the fact that Lord Salisbury, the British premier, was to make a speech at Guildhall, London, in the evening. It is an annual event, at which the premier usually takes occasion to review the status of the most important international questions. For this reason it was desired, if possible, to acquaint Lord Salisbury of the final and satisfactory adjustment of the Venezuela question in order that he might make such announcement as he thought fit concerning it.

When Mr. Olney and Sir Julian reached their final conclusion a cablegram was at once dispatched to Lord Salisbury, notify-

KING OSCAR.

ing him of the result. It reached him within one hour of the time when he went on the platform at Guildhall, and it was the basis for his announcement to England and to the entire world that the Venezuela controversy was settled.

Thus Washington and London participated in this eventful scene, by which the two leading English speaking nations reach an amicable means of adjusting one of the most troublesome international questions of recent years. Although Lord Salisbury's statement was without details it is possible to give all of the essential features of the treaty. The main point, as already stated, is that King Oscar II is the fifth or decisive arbitrator. It was deemed best to make this choice rather than to leave it to the selection of the other four arbitrators. The latter are assured of being men of eminent judicial attainment, as their choice is left entirely to the respective countries.

The other essential feature of the treaty is that fifty years' actual possession is to constitute title. With this limitation as to the settled districts, the entire sweep of Venezuela boundary is placed in the hands of the court of arbitration. The treaty covers only Venezuela, and the question of general arbitration between the United States and Great Britain is left to future negotiations.

As a king seldom leaves his country, except on state visits to other sovereigns, it is not expected that King Oscar II will go outside of Sweden for the meeting of the arbitrators, and the court is likely to sit at Stockholm, the capital of Sweden, where King Oscar's palace and the halls of the Swedish reksdag are located.

The choice of King Oscar appears to have been a most fortunate one, as he is universally regarded as a man of great attainments, of judicial temperament, and of eminent fairness. Among the monarchs of Europe he is probably the most popular, as he goes freely among the people and is thoroughly democratic in his ways. The feeling entertained for him is shown by the fact that the Scandinavian residents of the United States are at present raising large sums with which to buy him a present on the celebration of his 65th birthday.

He is known also as the "Giant King," as he stands six feet three inches in height, towering above most men and a central figure in all assemblages. He comes from noble stock, being the grandson of the French Marshal Bernadotte, who is considered first among the marshals of France, and, save Napoleon himself, undoubtedly the greatest character upheaved by the French revolution. When, in 1810, the last of the Vasa line of kings was childless on the throne of Sweden, the reksdag turned their attention to Napoleon's generals, who were then victoriously sweeping over all Europe. In August, 1810, the reksdag unanimously elected Bernadotte as crown prince of Sweden, and on the death of the reigning king Bernadotte succeeded to the throne.

King Oscar is not only a ruler whose statesmanship has advanced Norway and Sweden, but he has also a reputation throughout Europe as a linguist, an author and poet and musician. He speaks half a dozen languages fluently, and has a thorough command of English, which will be of especial advantage in the present arbitration.

While most cordial towards the United States, King Oscar is not the less friendly to Great Britain, although there are no ties of immediate kinship with the British royal family.

The learning and judicial fairness which King Oscar has shown in several recent arbitrations has led to the feeling that he is pre-eminently qualified for the responsibility involved in his present choice by the United States and Great Britain.

Mrs. McKinley's Illness.

CANTON, O., Nov. 11.—President-elect McKinley is anxious to leave with his wife for Cleveland, but their departure is delayed, as Mrs. McKinley has not gained in strength as rapidly as was hoped. She spends most of the day on a couch in her room, and her devoted and ever watchful husband makes a hundred trips a day across the hall to see to her comfort and welfare. No matter who the caller be, nothing is allowed to prevent his frequent presence at the side of Mrs. McKinley. He also finds time to call on his mother, nearly a mile away, every day, and the charming old lady, 87 years old, makes frequent trips in her one horse surrey to the historic house of her son.

Two Killed at a Crossing.

READING, Pa., Nov. 11.—A fast freight train on the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday ran into a carriage containing a man and woman at the Gibraltar grade crossing, this county. Both were instantly killed and the man's body terribly mangled. It was afterwards recognized as that of Charles F. Bright, aged 49 years, a wealthy citizen of Reading, and owner of considerable real estate. The woman was identified as Catherine Boyer, a 16-year-old working girl, unmarried. Bright had taken her for a drive, unknown to her friends, who were under the impression that she had gone to her regular employment.

The Deadly Mine Gas Again.

SCRANTON, Pa., Nov. 11.—An explosion of gas in Storr's shaft, No. 1, owned by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company, burned Thomas P. Williams, a miner, of Scranton, and his Hungarian laborer so severely that they will die, and burned six others, laborers and track layers, about the face and hands.

At Breen's Rialto Cafe.

Oysters on toast will be served as free lunch to-night. Plenty for everybody.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.
Meals served at all hours.

Taffy Party.

A taffy pull party was held last evening at the residence of Mrs. Schurz, on North Jardin street, in honor of her daughter, Grace, at which many guests from Girardville, Ashland and town had a good time. At ten o'clock the taffy was served, after which vocal and instrumental music was rendered.

Bickert's Cafe.

Our free lunch to-morrow morning will consist of calf's liver and potato salad.

Flour Stolen.

E. B. Foley's warehouse on West Centre street was robbed at about seven o'clock last night of a quantity of flour, which had been stored but about two hours. The front door of the warehouse was forced open. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of two young men who are under suspicion and they will probably be arrested to-night.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.

Sour kraut and pork to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Might Have Been Killed.

A sad accident befell 12 year old Patrick Gaughan, a slate picker at Packer No. 5 colliery, late yesterday afternoon. He was walking along a plank in the breaker which was not guarded by a rail, when he suddenly tilted and fell a distance of 25 feet. His both thighs were badly bruised and several of his ribs were broken. He was removed to the home of his parents in Rappahannock.

At Kepchinski's Arcade Cafe.

California bean soup to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Died at the Hospital.

William Lewis, a resident of Peach alley, died at the Miners' hospital last night from hemorrhage of the lungs. He was an old member and Past Grand of Plank Ridge Lodge No. 880, I. O. O. F. He leaves a widow and several children who are said to be in destitute circumstances.

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THE COUNTY COURT CASES.

Many on the Calendar of Interest to Shenandoah People.

THE BRENNAN ROBBERY RECALLED

How the District Attorney's Office Secured the Evidence That Convicted Lowther and Zollner and Hope to Secure Kline's Conviction.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

POTTSVILLE, Nov. 11.—The third day of the criminal court opened here this morning with a large delegation from Shenandoah in attendance. There are many important cases from the latter town on the calendar to be disposed of at the present term of court, among them the numerous suits instituted by and against Anthony Flynn, arising out of the construction of a stone wall across the creek in the First ward. Mr. Flynn and his family were first arrested for threatening the lives of Chief Burgess Burns, Supervisor Llewellyn and George Kautt and Robert Fishburn, who were sent by the Borough Council to tear down the stone wall, and he retaliated by causing the arrest of the Chief Burgess and Supervisor for trespass. Mr. Flynn also has suits for trespass against Michael Graham and his two sons and still another against Michael Grafton as sole defendant, and Graham has a suit against Flynn for maintaining a public nuisance. It is believed that the trial of one case will dispose of the whole batch. At all events, the problem which has brought about the many suits will be pretty well solved by the trial of one of the suits. Many of the Shenandoah borough officials were in attendance to-day to go before the Grand Jury.

Among the many other interesting suits to be tried is one in which Shenandoah sewerage rights are involved. The parties interested are Frank and Mary McAndrew and Maggie and Andrew Kileoyne. They are neighbors in the First ward of Shenandoah. It seems that Frank McAndrew and Andrew Kileoyne secured permission from the School Board to connect their properties with the latter's sewer. McAndrew subsequently allowed another party, for a money consideration, to connect with the joint extension and Kileoyne objected, claiming that he should have been paid half the price paid by the third party for the connection. A fight ensued, in which it is alleged that Kileoyne hit McAndrew with stones and Kileoyne claims he sustained two fractured ribs in a beating administered by the McAndrews. The grand jury yesterday found true bills for assault and battery against all the parties and they came down to-day to prepare for trial.

The shooting case in which Constable "Jack" Dando, of Shenandoah, was shot through the thigh a few weeks ago will also be among the first cases to be tried, the grand jury having found a true bill against the accused, John Flomena, yesterday on a charge of assault and battery. In this case Dando went to arrest Flomena on a charge of assault and battery preferred by the latter's boarding boss. Flomena attacked the constable with a large club, knocking him down and rendering him unconscious. In a dazed condition, and fearing his life was in danger, Dando drew his revolver and fired several shots. One entered the abdomen of a Polish woman who was a spectator and another passed through the constable's thigh. Fortunately the wound the woman received did not prove very serious, Flomena was subsequently taken into custody by several officers at the point of a revolver. It is believed that the court will deal severely with him.

Among the notable attendants at court to-day was Thomas McManus, chief of the Secret Service at Pittsburg, and brother of Captain McManus, who is chief of the service at Philadelphia. Mr. McManus came here this morning from Shenandoah, where he spent last night preparing to take the stand in the trial of Michael Kline, against whom the grand jury yesterday found three true bills for burglary. About three years ago the house of Daniel E. Brennan at Shenandoah was robbed of $1,800 by Kline, and two young men named Lowther and Zollner. Kline disappeared and was a fugitive until a few weeks ago when he was arrested on leaving the Sunbury jail after having been acquitted of another charge. The other two were arrested soon after the burglary and convicted. Zollner was discharged from jail a few days ago after completing his sentence. Lowther is still in custody. Soon after the first arrests, McManus, who was then in the employ of a Pittsburg detective agency, was summoned to Shenandoah and placed under arrest on a fake petty charge. Justice Cardin committed him to jail. McManus was locked in a cell with Zollner and soon won his confidence, getting all the details of the burglary and the names of all parties connected with it. There were four young men implicated in the case, Zollner, Lowther, Kline and another who disappeared immediately after the burglary and has not since been seen by the Shenandoah authorities. It was chiefly upon McManus' testimony that Zollner and Lowther were convicted and the District Attorney hopes to convict Kline by the same means.

Concert To-morrow Night.

Samuel Largman, the great Hebrew song composer, will give a grand concert in Robbins hall, North Main street, to-morrow night, commencing at 8:30. Admission 25, 35 and 50 cents. 11-11-2t

Property Improved.

Mrs. Annie Williams has had her property on South Jardin street very much improved by the addition of a front porch extending the full width of the premises and having an ornamental roof. The porch is a very attractive one and was built by Jesse B. Davis.

Brennan's New Restaurant.

Potato soup to-night.
Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Health Reports.

The following cases of measles were reported to the Board of Health during the past twenty-four hours: Agnes Cardin, 7 years, West Lloyd street; Ludwig Radjawicz, 11 months, East Huckleberry alley; George Auzulis, 2½ years, South West street; Annie and Ella Polovinski, 7 years and 7 months, respectively, East Raspberry alley.

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KILLED ON A RAILROAD.

Mangled Remains Identified as Those of a Townsman.

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LEHIGH GREEN, Nov. 11.—At about 8:30 o'clock last night as a cattle train on the Lehigh Valley railroad was running west and midway between this place and Brownsville the engineer saw by the flashes of the headlight of his engine the mangled remains of a man on the track. The train was stopped and the remains picked up and brought here. They were terribly mangled and both legs cut off. The man was fairly well dressed. He was evidently killed by the passenger train that left here for Shenandoah at 8:15 last night.

The body was placed in the freight depot and many people called there during last night and this morning, but failed to identify it. A butcher book showing that "Joe Subofski" had an account with a Polish butcher of Shenandoah was taken as a clue by Constable Joseph Peters, of Wm Penn, and to-day he succeeded, after inquiry at several Shenandoah shops, in establishing the identity of the deceased and finding his widow in that town. Mrs. Subofski claimed the remains this afternoon and they were sent to Shenandoah. Subofski had been visiting friends in Lost Creek and was walking home when killed. The place where the accident occurred was near the sped where Conrad Wink met his death a few weeks ago.

Got a Black Bear.

Robert Smith, the huckster, has on exhibition at his place a live black bear caught a few days ago in Center county.

Foot Ball Match.

The Shenandoah and Mahanoy City foot ball teams will play a match game at the Trotting park next Saturday, at 3 p. m.

Worth seeing—Brumm's show window display.

Seeking Health Improvement.

William Kelly left town yesterday for North Carolina in the interest of his health. He was accompanied by his brother, Martin.

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