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THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

Chief Magistrate Leaves Chicago After a Very Busy Day.

HE HAS A VERY NARROW ESCAPE

From Possible Serious Injury by the Running Away of His Horse—Two Floats in the Industrial Parade Take Fire and Several People Injured.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—At 11:30 o'clock last night President McKinley and the members of his cabinet left Chicago for Evansville, Ind. His departure, with the cheers of an immense throng ringing in his ears, brought to a close a day of genuinely hard work, in which the president had scarcely a moment of leisure for himself. The crowds which greeted him at every turn were so good natured and so disposed to cheer that the president, although wearied when he reached his train, expressed himself as having thoroughly enjoyed himself.

The final numbers last night on the president's extraordinarily lengthy list of engagements were a magnificent banquet by the Commercial club and his visit to a meeting of the Chicago Bricklayers' and Stone Masons' union, of which he was a fortnight ago elected an honorary member.

An exciting incident varied, and for almost a moment threatened to upset the president's ceaseless round of activities. While in his carriage on Congress street en route to Memorial Hall to greet the members of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee, one of the horses attached to the president's carriage became fractious and evinced a desire to run. The driver had all he could do to restrain the animal, and after he had been tugging at the lines for several blocks the horse finally broke away and started on a run.

Captain Matt Pinkerton, of the Chicago Hussars, a detachment of which had joined the procession, galloped beside the unmanageable steed and grasped its bridle, bringing the animal to a slow trot. The captain maintained his hold the balance of the trip.

The last parade of the fall festival, the industrial parade, was held last night. The people had evidently been surfeited with parades, for only a very small crowd turned out to witness it, although a drizzling rain doubtless prevented many from coming down town. The parade was confined to floats sent out by business houses and was short, being not over half an hour in passing a given point.

A display of fire not on the parade program took place when the industrial procession was passing along State street. A float representing a man reclining on a mountain of collars and cuffs caught fire, and the frightened horses tried to rush upon the sidewalk, which was lined with spectators. At this moment another float collided with the one on fire, and in a twinkling both were blazing fiercely. By this time the people on the street were in a panic. The police were busy with the burning floats and could not stop the crushing and roughness in the crowd. Children were stepped on and women reeled back into the crowd exhausted. To add to the excitement a bunch of fireworks on one of the floats exploded. Through the smoke the police saw two women and three men on one float imprisoned in the burning rack. They fought to get to the side of the wagon, but were unsuccessful for a time. When the fire was put out it was found that Harry Lovell, who had impersonated an Indian on one of the floats, was severely burned. He will recover. A number of others were slightly injured.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues, with the exception of Senator Dobell, Mayor Prefontaine and Mayor Payment, left the Dearborn station last night for Canada. The depot was crowded with cheering people as the train pulled out.

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Chattanooga's Republican Mayor.

Chattanooga, Oct. 11.—Joseph Wasman, the straight Republican candidate for mayor, was elected yesterday by a plurality of 37. He had two opponents, the Democrats being split on the question of early closing of saloons. The Democrats elected six out of eight aldermen.

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Suicide of a Clergyman.

Toledo, Oct. 11.—Rev. W. L. Woodward, a prominent minister of Oak Harbor, suicided Monday night after preaching to his congregation. He invited a number of friends to his house after church, and before the last of them had fairly started home he shot himself through the heart. No cause is known for the act.

Young Mothers.

Croup is the terror of thousands of young mothers because its outbreak is so agonizing and frequently fatal. Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure acts like magic in cases of croup. It has never been known to fail. The worst cases relieved immediately. Price 25 cts., 50 cts. and $1.00. Sold by P. D. Kirlin on a guarantee.

DUEL BETWEEN EDITORS.

New Orleans Journalists in a Street Fight. Both Seriously Wounded.

New Orleans, Oct. 11.—A desperate duel occurred in front of Newspaper Row, on Camp street, yesterday, in which Dominick C. O'Malley, proprietor of The Evening Item, and a well known promoter of sport, and C. Harrison Parker, state tax collector, chairman of the Democratic state campaign committee and editor-in-chief of The Delta, the anti-lottery organ, were seriously if not fatally wounded. The trouble is aid to have originated over a cartoon in The Item last Sunday, representing Colonel Parker as a little dog being led by a string by Governor Foster and labeled "Me Too." By the time the duel was over the men were only about 30 feet apart. It was then found that each man had been hit twice. A newsboy fully a hundred feet away was shot in the head by one of O'Malley's bullets, but the ball did not penetrate the skull and the boy will recover.

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Forest Fires in Wisconsin.

Oconto Falls, Wis., Oct. 11.—Forest fires are raging in this vicinity to an alarming extent. The air is filled with smoke, and the sky reflects a deep red hue at night. Six farm houses have been burned and a large amount of hay consumed. Unless rain comes at once a large amount of property will be destroyed.

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Coming Events.

Oct. 25.—The Famous South Africans will appear at the Trinity Reformed church.

Oct. 30.—First annual ball of the Shenandoah Base Ball Club in Robbins' hall.

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Trains leave Frackville for Shenandoah at 7 35, 11 46 a. m. and 5 36, 7 36 p. m. Sundays 11 01 a. m. and 5 36 p. m.

Leave Pottsville for Shenandoah (via Frackville) 7 10, 11 20 a. m., 5 10, 7 10 p. m. Sundays 10 35 a. m., 5 10 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, (Broad street station), for Shenandoah at 8 35 a. m., 4 10 p. m. week days. Sundays leave at 6 50 and 9 22 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia (Broad street station) for Pottsville, 5 30, 8 35, 10 19 a. m., 1 20, 4 10, 7 11 p. m. weekdays. Sundays, 6 50, 9 22 a. m. and 6 02 p. m.

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Express—Week-days, 2 20, 4 05, 4 40, 5 00, 5 18 6 50, 7 38, 8 25, 9 50, (10 21, dining car), 11 00, 11 48 a m, 12 00 noon, 12 35, (Limited 1 00 and 4 22 p m, dining cars), 1 43, (2 30, dining car), 3 20, 3 50, 4 02, 5 03, 5 36, (dining car), 6 00, 7 02, 8 10, (dining car), 10 00 p. m., 12 01, night. Sundays 2 20, 4 05, 4 40, 5 00, 5 18, 8 25, 9 50, (10 21, dining car), 10 43, 11 43 a m, 12 03, (dining car), 12 35, 2 30, (dining car), 4 02, (Limited 4 22 dining car), 5 20, 5 56, (dining car), 6 35, 7 02, 8 10, (dining car), 10 00 p. m., 12 01 night

For Boston without change, 11 01 a m. week-days, and 8 10 p. m., daily.

For Sea Girt, Asbury Park, Ocean Grove Long Branch, and intermediate stations, 8 25, 11 10 a m, 2 20, 4 02 p m weekdays.

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For Baltimore and Washington, 3 50, 7 20, 8 32 10 20, 11 23, a. m., 12 00, (12 36 dining car) 1 12, (dining car), 3 12, 4 41, (5 25 Congressional Limited dining car), 5 34, 6 17, (6 55, dining car), (7 21 dining car), p m., and 12 05 night week days. Sundays 3 50, 7 20, 9 12, 11 23, a. m., 12 09, (1 12, dining car), 3 12 4 41 (5 20 Congressional Limited dining car), 5 34 (6 55 dining car), (7 21 dining car), p. m., and 12 05 night.

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TRANSVAAL'S DEMANDS.

England Ordered to Withdraw Her Troops From the Border.

VIRTUAL DECLARATION OF WAR.

Great Britain Is Earnestly Requested to Return an Answer Not Later Than Today—The Action of the Boers' Government Causes No Excitement.

Cape Town, Oct. 11.—The Transvaal government has sent an ultimatum to Great Britain. The ultimatum, which is signed by F. W. Reitz, secretary of state, concludes with the following four demands:

"1—That all points of mutual difference be regulated by friendly recourse to arbitration or by whatever amicable way may be agreed upon by this government and her majesty's government.

"2—That all troops on the borders of this republic shall be instantly withdrawn.

"3—That all reinforcements of troops which have arrived in South Africa since June 1, 1899, shall be removed from South Africa within a reasonable time to be agreed upon with this government and with the mutual assurance and guarantee on the part of this government that no attack upon or hostilities against any portion of the possessions of the British government shall be made by this republic during the further negotiations, within a period of time to be subsequently agreed upon between the governments; and this government will, on compliance therewith, be prepared to withdraw the armed burghers of this republic from the borders.

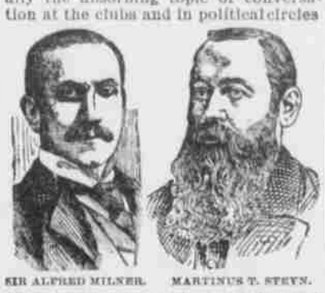
"4—That her majesty's troops which are now on the high seas shall not be landed in any part of South Africa."

To these demands is appended the definition of the time limit for a reply:

"This government presses for an immediate answer to these four questions and earnestly requests her majesty's government to return an answer before or upon Wednesday. It desires further to add that in the unexpected event of an answer not satisfactory being received by it within the interval, it will with great regret be compelled to regard the action of her majesty's government as a formal declaration of war."

It cannot be doubted that England's reply will be a flat rejection of President Kruger's demands, and that at 2:15 this afternoon, English time, an actual state of war will exist.

The Transvaal's ultimatum is naturally the absorbing topic of conversation at the clubs and in political circles


SIR ALFRED MILNER. MARTINUS T. STEYN.

There was no apparent excitement, however, but a general feeling was expressed that the Boers had made a mistake, as their forcing matters would tend to alienate the sympathy which might have been extended to them had they thrown the stigma of declaring war on Great Britain.

The stolidity, if not the placidity of the English character was never better shown than it is in London today, when England is face to face with war. There is not a trace of the excitement attendant upon the announcement of the result on the night after the first race for the America's cup. It is a fact that the enthusiasm in London signally fails to compare with that which was shown in the smallest American city upon the announcement of the war with Spain.

But this must not be interpreted to mean that England is not alive to the realities of the situation. The audacity of the Transvaal's dispatch momentarily stunned the public, and it was only when under the glare of the music hall lights and listening to the stirring bars of the national anthem and other patriotic airs that the effect of the momentary rebuff was lost in demonstrations that shook the rafters. At the Alhambra General Sir Redvers Buller was present. The first bars of "Rule Britannia" brought the entire audience to its feet, and for a quarter of an hour the house resounded with the choruses of national airs and with cheers.

Underneath all, however, officers, subalterns and civilians recognize the fact that the Transvaal campaign will not be a picnic, and the sober reality of this gives a sterner note to London life than anything that has occurred since the days of Gordon and Khartoum.

The text of the Boer ultimatum was sent with all speed to Lord Salisbury, who came to town yesterday afternoon, and a dispatch box was sent to the Prince of Wales, which is only done in cases of especial urgency.

The Portuguese minister to Great Britain, Senhor Soveral, called at the foreign office in the afternoon and had an interview with Lord Salisbury, and his visit is naturally connected in the public mind with the alleged purchase by Great Britain of Delagoa bay. A dispatch tending to confirm the report of this purchase comes from Lourenzo Marques. It states that the British third class cruiser Philomel is anchored 15 miles off the port, and is supposed to be waiting the arrival of transports and warships to pilot them into the harbor. It is quite certain, however, that the transports would not go to Lourenzo Marques unless the British were about to fly their flag over the port.

War preparations by Great Britain are being pushed with the greatest energy. The Woolwich arsenal has already forwarded to South Africa over 3,000,000 cartridges for rifles and machine guns and the reservists continue to respond eagerly to the mobilization proclamation.

Dr. Gavin Brown Clark, Radical member of the house of commons for Caithness, who all along has worked hard for peace, has just received a characteristic letter of thanks from Commandant General Joubert, in which General Joubert declares that Cecil Rhodes, Dr. Jameson and Mr. Chamberlain are responsible for the mischief. He says:

"The Johannesburg clique say that Mr. Chamberlain regards the existence of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal as two blots, which, as Cecil Rhodes has said, must be wiped out from the map. He seems desirous to do this with the blood of the Afrikander people and of the poor British soldiers. We do not desire war. We know we are not a match for the powerful armies of Great Britain and her united colonies. We never have been able to do anything against England's might.

"Mr. Chamberlain is trying to drive us into the Red sea, but I still hope God will speak to the kind heart of her majesty, the queen, and that of her noble people, and that they will not allow this wicked Haman to cool his hatred against our lands Mordecai. We are convinced that Chamberlain will try to conquer our country, and we shall try to prevent him, by the help of God, to the last drop of our blood."

A dispatch from Pretoria says: Owing to the state of the country generally and the sad circumstances which prevail it was officially announced that there would be no birthday reception at the presidency. Matters are becoming critical, and many of the burghers in the three main commandos are impatient and feel that it is suicidal to wait the arrival of overwhelming reinforcements from Europe. The president has done his utmost to stem this feeling, in the hope that diplomacy might still settle matters.

During the past few days telegraphic conferences have been held with President Steyn, and whatever course shall be taken by the Transvaal will receive the recommendation and support of the Free State.

It is freely rumored in the town and is believed to be correct, that the government assumed its firm position because Great Britain's new proposals have not arrived, though Mr. Conyngham Greene, British diplomatic agent at Pretoria, informed State Secretary Reitz nine days ago that they would be formulated in a few days' time. Consequently the burghers are alarmed at the continued dispatch of troops from England and India.

The Daily Mail's Cape Town correspondent telegraphs that a short and very dignified reply has been communicated to Conyngham Greene, the British diplomatic agent at Pretoria, by Sir Alfred Milner, British high commissioner, to be handed to the Boer government today.

A dispatch from Pretoria to a Cape Town newspaper says that Commandant General Joubert has issued a notice to the troops in the different laagers to hold themselves in readiness for an immediate advance. The Transvaal, the dispatch also says, hopes to arrange to send the European mails by way of Delagoa bay.

"The Jewels of Hope."

Is there any sadder or more pathetic spectacle in this world than that of the poor woman weighed down with wretchedness and suffering who is at last convinced in her very soul that there is no more hope of healthy happiness on this earth? Or is there on the other hand any more delightful and inspiring picture than that of the same woman when the spirit of renewed life comes to her again and holds up before her the jewels of hope, and the regal garments of rejuvenated health and happy complete womanhood?

"I had been a sufferer for more than one year with severe depressing pains in my womb," says Mrs. Annie L. Mathews, a lady living at 910 Broadway, Newport, R. I., in a thankful letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. "I seemed to have no life or energy, I was always in such misery.

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The kidneys, among their many other functions, act as drains to the body. Through them the blood passes to be purified, leaving behind a mass of effete matter, which it is their duty to eject from the system.

When, however, the kidneys become congested and all clogged up, this refuse matter accumulates and becomes an active poison, and, in course of time, infects the whole man, and eventually, if the cause is not removed, it occasions sudden death, the patient drowning, as it were, in his own secretions.

The symptoms which Nature puts forth like danger signals to tell us that the kidneys no longer do their duty are too numerous to set forth.

Nearly always women's peculiar ailments in their more aggravated and protracted forms are traceable to this source, and rheumatism, in all its varied phases; while pneumonia and Bright's disease are but the culmination of an organic trouble, which, had it been treated organically and not symptomatically, could not possibly have had any such fatal termination.

Coughs and colds, strange as it may seem, are oftentimes symptoms of trouble in the kidneys.

What must be done, then, in these cases?

It is surely unwise to treat symptoms, when we can at once heal the organ from whence the symptoms rise.

Let us then at once go to the root of the trouble and heal the kidneys.

There is a remedy, known all the world over, that will strengthen them, so that they can perform their functions; feeding them and cleansing them in such a marvellous manner that the patient immediately feels the good work that is going on, and in a few weeks is able to join the ranks of the many thousands who gratefully acknowledge that they owe health and strength, and sometimes life itself, to this unfailing remedy, Warner's Safe Cure.

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For Reading and Philadelphia, week days, 2 10, 5 38, 7 37, 9 55 a. m., 12 26, 3 09 and 6 09 p. m. Sundays, 2 10 a m.

For Pottsville, week days, 2 10, 7 37, 9 55 a. m. 12 26, 3 09, 6 09 and 7 30 p. m. Sundays, 2 10 a m.

For Tamaqua and Mahanoy City, week days, 2 10, 7 37, 9 55 a. m., 12 26, 3 09 and 6 09 p. m. Sundays, 2 10 a m.

For Williamsport, Sunbury and Lewisburg, week days, 3 27, 11 32 a. m., 12 26, 7 30 p. m. Sundays, 3 27 a m.

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