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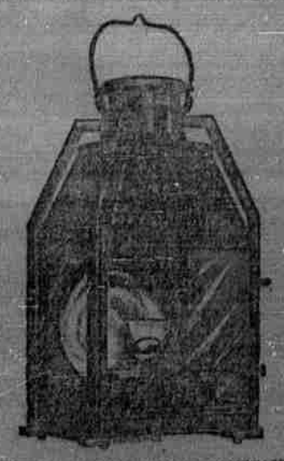

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EXPRESSIONS OF OPINION ON THE MESSAGE.

Republican Congressmen Generally Attempt to Belittle It—Democrats Commend It.

PRESS OF BOTH PARTIES GENERALLY INDORSE IT.

Big Appropriations Recommended for Texas Rivers and Harbors—Estimates of the Government's Expenses—Briefs.

Washington, December 4.—It is not often that the public awaits the president's message with the interest manifested in the document sent today to congress. The views of members on the document are pertinent and interesting.

Ex-speaker Reed said: "I dislike to comment on the message, because it would not be seemly to do it in adequate terms. It is exceedingly disappointing both in matter and manner. It is largely made up of a wearisome resume of the reports of secretaries which are hardly improved by condensation. On the Hawaiian question we are left as much in the dark as ever and must await the news of the next steamer. That part of the message relating to the tariff is most surprising. It asserves that the house committee in charge of that subject has formulated plans and devised methods of taxation which as a member of the committee I have not even heard proposed. It is a rather unusual sensation to learn of the deeds of the committee not in the committee room and from the president."

Mr. Springer of Illinois said: "In reference to our part in the affairs of Hawaii and Japan, in the matter it was receive the cordial commendation of every democrat in the land and of many others, who realize our progressive system is injurious to the best interests of the people. The proposition of extremely opposed to that system per cent tax on the circulation of state banks.

"In reference to Hawaii the president takes the only course consistent with international honor and comity."

Mr. Holman of Indiana said: "It is an able and logical document. The earnest explanations of economy contrast strongly with the messages heretofore presented."

Mr. McCreary of New York said: "It is an able and appropriate document."

Mr. Bates of Arkansas said: "It abounds in certain parts in information about the departments, but makes few recommendations."

Mr. Wilson of West Virginia said: "The president's message is all right, especially on the tariff."

Mr. Dorsey of Missouri said: "I am heartily in accord with the message and conclusions."

Mr. Tracy of New York: "I am satisfied with it."

Mr. Gear of Iowa: "The president says he will restore Lunokulani and gives the history of the way and means committee away on the income tax and agrees with Hancock that the tariff is a local issue and asks the people not to kick."

Mr. Bynum of Indiana says: "It was a concise, clear statement of a multitude of things for congress to consider. The principal views meet my unqualified approval."

Mr. Pickler of South Dakota said: "The assertion that there are gigantic frauds in connection with the pension roll and a large number of fraudulent pensioners upon the rolls is wholly unsubstantiated by the facts."

Mr. Boutelle of Maine says: "It is the first executive document which directly impugned and charged malfeasance in office and practically treason upon a United States minister against whom nothing was charged by the administration up to the time his resignation was accepted."

Mr. Payne of New York said: "It is a remarkably disappointing document."

Mr. Dingley of Maine said: "It is voluminous in its resume of the work of the several departments and wearisome in its repetition. The message on Hawaii was brief, but only one great foreign question, which congress as well as the country ought to know the exact situation to wit: Hawaii, the message is silent as the grave, beyond the repetition of the announcement made by Mr. Gresham."

Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania: "The portion relating to the tariff shows what a hidebound theorist the president is and how facts weigh nothing with the tariff reformers."

Mr. Hepburn of Iowa: "Do not think the message will add to the president's fame or harmonize the contentions in his party."

Senator Voorhees: "The message is a sound, strong document."

Senator McPherson: "It is excellent all the way through."

Senator Kyle: "Nothing striking in the message, though it contains some good points."

Senator Hoar: "The most remarkable message in several respects. It treats of no great questions of the welfare of the country feebly at a briefly."

Senator Lodge: "The clause about Hawaii appears to announce the extraordinary doctrine that it is our duty to overthrow a government we have recognized in order to recognize another. On this theory we ought instantly to restore Texas to Mexico and France, which entered into an alliance with us during the revolution, ought now to restore us by force, if necessary, to England."

Senator Lowell: "I understand the message was printed in London late morning. It should have been given out there yesterday, so our British neighbors could have had more time to tell us what to do about it."

Senator Hawley: "The message lacks vigor and is a disappointment."

Senator Dubois: "It is lacking in force, strength and American tone and must prove a disappointment to the country. Concerning his recommendation about bonds and internal revenue, and monetary commission, I can only say it looks decidedly as if the president thinks he can deal with the financial affairs of the country better than congress and the people."

Mr. Jones of Nevada: "The message contains no suggestions or recommendations which hold out any hope for silver, while the present administration is in power."

Senator Stroup: "I am disappointed to ascertain that the president has not made any recommendations for the recognition of silver, and am surprised to hear that an international conference will be abandoned."

A number of senators, most of whom are democrats, were seen by the Associated Press and declined to express their views. Among those were Messrs. Sherman, Aldrich, Hill, Daniel, Mills, Coke, Jones, Cockrell and Harris.

Mr. Manderson said: "The message as a digest of the reports of the cabinet officers is valuable. As a communication recommending to congress such measures as the president shall deem necessary and expedient it is of little value. With incased obstinacy and malice stubborness that persists in wrong doing, when full enlightenment shows a wiser course, the administration having hauled down the flag in Hawaii it now proposes to trample it in the dust. We are to turn down a Christian republic to uphold heathenish absolutism. We are to trade the Goddess of Liberty for a harlot. Blount is to be maintained as paramount."

The Senate.

Washington, December 4.—The first regular session of the Fifty-third congress convened at high noon today.

Blind Chaplain Milburn was led up to the vice president's desk, and after an eloquent prayer, while all the senators present in the chamber remained standing, Vice President Stevenson called the senate to order, and roll call showed fifty-six present.

The usual resolutions notifying the house of representatives of the meeting of the senate, and a resolution for two senators to join a similar committee of the house to wait on the president and inform him that congress had assembled and was ready to receive any communication he may desire to make, were offered and agreed to. The chairman appointed Mr. McPherson (dem.) of New Jersey and Mr. Sherman (rep.) of Ohio as a committee on the part of the senate.

Recess was then taken until 1:30. Upon reassembling a message was received from the house announcing the appointment of a similar committee. Another recess, and the senate reassembled at 1:30.

The committee announced that the president would at once communicate with each house in writing.

Private Secretary Pruden at once stepped forward and delivered the message, and it was laid before the senate by the vice president, who ordered its reading.

The secretary of the senate then began reading the message. (See message printed elsewhere.)

All present, with few exceptions, gave close attention when the reading began.

Mr. Cameron at first seemed more interested in a newspaper he had, but said it aside, and afterward listened for a short time.

Mr. Dolph gave attention to his old file of bills for a few moments, but pricked up his ears as the reading reached the Hawaiian paragraph.

There was a general changing about in seats as soon as the portion of the document dealing with Hawaii was approached. Many senators had, however, anticipated the secretary's reading by turning in the printed copies to this portion, so that very few apparently observed that the page containing the president's brief communication on Hawaii was turned, and nothing read by the secretary.

Mr. Kyle was one of the few men who followed the reading in the senate sufficiently close to observe the omission, and he called attention to the oversight by sending up a note calling attention to the fact. After this incident there was an evident falling off of interest, but attention was revived when the paragraph concerning bonds was reached. The reading was concluded at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Dolph immediately rose and said there had been distributed in the senate printed copies of what purported to be the message, and on turning to page 9, he found a part of a page devoted to Hawaii, and he did not hear that portion read from the desk. He desired to know, and thought the country did, also, whether that part was inadvertently or purposely omitted by the secretary, or whether the copies circulated were not true copies of the message.

The vice president responded that the portion relating to Hawaii was inadvertently omitted by the secretary, and directed it to be read.

This was done and Mr. Dolph gave notice that he would tomorrow address the senate on that portion of the message. The message was ordered to lie on the table.

Numerous bills were introduced and referred.

A joint resolution permitting Colonel Anson Mills, U. S. A., to serve as engineer on the commission to survey and fix the boundary between the United States and Mexico was passed.

A message was received from the house announcing the death of Messrs. O'Neil and Lilley.

Senator Cameron offered a resolution expressive of the sorrow of the senate at the sad intelligence and a committee was appointed to attend the funeral, and as an additional mark of respect, the senate adjourned.

The House.

Washington, December 4.—The spectating galleries of the house, except those reserved for the president and diplomatic corps, which looked gloomy and vacant, were filled to overflowing with eager and expectant persons when Speaker Crisp, dignified and stately, ascended the rostrum at 12m. noon today and rapped the regular session of the Fifty-third congress to order. Forty-three hundred members were in their seats. Conspicuous upon the floor were the two vacant chairs of Representative O'Neill of Pennsylvania, "father of the house," and his colleague, Mr. Lilley, their desks were draped in black and covered with floral tributes.

Among the distinguished visitors on the floor while the house convened was ex-Postmaster General Dickinson of Michigan.

Rev. Heaby, in his invocation, referred feelingly to the death of "Father" O'Neill and Mr. Lilley.

According to the rule at the opening of the session the Speaker then directed the clerk to call the roll in order to officially ascertain the presence of a quorum.

Roll call showed 240 present.

H. E. Binny of Ohio, successor to the late Representative Enochs, was then sworn in.

Formal resolutions necessary to set the wheels of the legislative machine in order were then adopted.

During the reading of the first portion of the message, ex-Speaker Reed burst through a side door and came rushing across the area in front of the speaker's rostrum. When he reached his seat he deliberately lighted a cigar and sat puffing away at the cigar complacently while the reading proceeded. As reference to Hawaiian affairs was reached members straightened up and gave the closest possible attention, but no expressions either of approval or disapproval were indulged in. There seemed to be a general air of disappointment, however, as little was the message alluded to this question.

When the reference to the tariff was reached the members crowded about the clerk's desk. The force of the utterance relative to the duty of congress on tariff question and the party improvement given the Wilson bill seemed to please the democratic members greatly, but much surprise was evident when that section of the message was read stating that the ways and means committee had embraced in its plans several additional internal revenue taxes and a small tax on the incomes of certain corporations. It was understood that the internal revenue features and the income tax were not absolutely decided upon, and the president's announcement came in the nature of a surprise.

A roar of applause greeted the conclusion of the reading of the message.

Mr. Cheatham, selected by the Pennsylvania delegation to make the announcement of the deaths of Representatives O'Neil and Lilley, was then recognized.

A committee was appointed to attend the funeral of the late Representative O'Neil and then, at 2 p. m., as a further mark of respect, the house adjourned.

Recommendations relative to the International monetary conference and request for further authority of issue of bonds caused many significant shakes of the head on the part of the extreme silver men. The president's bold increasement of the pension policy of the interior department, civil service reform and appeal for rigid economy in appropriations also attracted attention.

Appropriations for Texas Harbors.

Washington, December 4.—In the letter of the secretary of the treasury transmitting to congress today estimates of the appropriations required for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, the following items are of interest to Texas:

For continuing harbor improvements at Galveston, Texas, $250,000.

Continuing improvement of Buffalo bayou $50,000.

Completing improvement of Sabine river $50,000.

Completing improvements of Trinity river $22,500.

Continuing channel improvement in Galveston bay $50,000.

Completing channel improvement in West Galveston bay $14,000.

Continuing harbor improvement at Sabine Pass, Texas $1,000,000.

These are in the main identical with the recommendations of Chief Engineer Casey's report given in The Post some time ago, but were officially given to congress by the secretary of the treasury today.

Can Not be Compelled.

Washington, December 4.—The United States supreme court today rendered an opinion which while affirming the constitutionality of the alien contract labor law, will embarrass to some extent the practical enforcement of the law. The question came up on an appeal of Jos. Lees and John S. Lee, from a decision of the United States circuit court, fining them $1000 for importing Fred Graham of England to perform labor in their mill at Bridgeport, Pa.

The court holds the act valid, but when the accused is compelled to give evidence against themselves in criminal proceedings, their constitutional rights are violated and hence reverses the decision.

Ordered to Honolulu.

San Francisco, Cal., December 4.—The United States revenue cutter Thomas Corwin is under special orders for a 2500-mile trip. Her destination is Honolulu, without doubt, and she may be expected to leave this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

Whether any person in diplomatic authority is coming here from Washington to go to Honolulu on the Corwin is not known. It is quite likely, however, that a special messenger, envoy, a wise secret matters of state, will be the amissary who will occupy one of the state rooms already set apart in the after cabin. The greatest secrecy has been maintained since the special orders were received Saturday night turning the cutter over to the state department and placing her under waiting orders. Instructions were given to prepare for a 2500-mile voyage and to be ready to sail in forty-eight hours.

Expenses of the Government.

Washington, December 4.—The book of estimates for appropriations for the fiscal year 1894-95 was sent to congress today. The amount estimated necessary to carry on the government for the fiscal year is $451,870,041, against estimates for 1893-94 of $451,870,041.

For rivers and harbors, a total of $12,-526,500, an estimated increase of more than five million dollars over the appropriations for the current year. Of this amount $7,500,000 is to be expended as directed by congress. Among the items in the list is Galveston, $50,000.

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, December 4.—In the supreme court today the case of Rudolph Zimmerman, plaintiff in error, vs. V. B. Oliver from the Western district of Texas, was dismissed with costs, pursuant to tenth rule of the court.

The case of William A. Cole, plaintiff in error, vs. United States, (the well known book agent swindling case) was dismissed because of death of plaintiff.

Cherokee Indian Committee.

Washington, December 4.—The committee to ascertain the per capita allowance due the Cherokee Indians were appointed on Saturday by the president, as follows:

Wm. H. Hendricks of Manard, I. T.; Geoffe Woodard of Tahlon, I. T.; Thomas P. Knight of Vinita, I. T.; James M. Keyser of Watson, I. T.; Davies H. Ward of Tahlonteeh, I. T.

Ways and Means Committee.

Washington, December 4.—The ways and means committee held a meeting this morning and discussed to a general way the method of procedure upon the new tariff bill. There were submitted to the republican members of the committee partial comparisons of the new bill with the present law.

Reserve Agents Approved.

Washington, December 4.—The comptroller of the currency has approved the selection of the following Texas National bank reserve agents: Continental National of Chicago for Ballinger National; Hilling Sisters National of New York for Campbell National; National of Hillsboro, for Louis National for White City National.

He Declined to Talk.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 4.—Ex-President Harrison was asked today if he had read the message. He replied he had, but declined to talk for publication.

Press Opinions.

Washington, December 4.—The Evening Star (independent) says: "The message is not in any sense a surprise. By most democrats it will be lauded and by republicans belittled."

The Evening News (independent) says: "The country has not agreed with the administration on the Hawaiian question and is not likely to be converted by the message. On the currency question the message is excellent and sound to the core. The president writes sensibly on the tariff."

Minneapolis, Minn., December 4.—The Tribune (rep.): The goal which the president places before him is not the immediate goal of "revenue only," but the welfare of industry. This is protection. His aim is to advance our manufacturing industries by improving their conditions. Revenue is not in it. The president then by spite upon the Chicago platform, but in accordance with the planks of the Dupont company at Wilmington, Del.

TOPEKA, Kan., December 4.—Preparations are completed for the Interstate convention to be held here to advance the interests of Governor Lewelling's exceptional request. A North and South Dakota railroad from Dakota to the gulf, built and owned and operated by the states through which it passes. The estimated cost of the road is $1000 a mile. Governor Lewelling requests governors of Nebraska and Oklahoma, Governors Ireland and Hubbard of Texas will be present.

AUGUSTA, Ga., December 4.—The Baptist convention will begin in Augusta, Ga. The Rev. Dr. W. H. H. Faunce and the Rev. Walter Rauschenbusch of New York and Professor A. W. Small of Chicago will discuss "The Church and Money Power." Other topics are "Emotionalism in Religion," "Shall Our Young People Be Organized for Christian Work?" "Missionary Work," "Valid Baptism," "Biblical View," "Foreside Conception of Salvation" and "The Indwelling Christ."

NEW YORK, December 4.—Those interested in the movement to secure better canals in New York will be held in the rooms of the New York board of trade. Chairman James R. Soymour, of the joint committee on canals, has invited each of the commercial and industrial organizations of the state to send five delegates to the conference. What the policy of the State toward its canals and character of improvements necessary will be discussed.

NEW ORLEANS, La., December 4.—The case of C. Abarnetis against the city of New Orleans, involving $1,000,000, came for trial. The plaintiff is a brother of Antonio, one of the Italians killed in the parish prison on March 14, 1891. The suit is for $25,000 damages. Suits have been pending concerning relatives of all the eleven victims. Decision of this suit will be the first one to be tried on the merits. It will be a trial by jury.

CHICAGO, December 4.—The regular meeting of the board of appeals of the American Trotting association will be held at the Auditorium hotel today. Horsemen are interested in this meeting, at which all cases of discipline will be brought up today.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, December 4.—The International Harness Horse association opens here the meeting on Monday evening, to be finally decided and a National movement to its interests is to be inaugurated.

NEW YORK, December 4.—The board of review of the National Trotting association holds a regular meeting of the Murray Hill hotel here tomorrow evening. M. M. Morse of Hartford is secretary.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, December 4.—The eleventh annual convention of the National Guard association of Ohio will be held in Columbus, commencing tomorrow.

CHICAGO, December 4.—Tomorrow is the only day of registration fixed upon for the municipal election which will take place December 19.

FULTON, Mo., December 4.—Missouri horticulturists meet in annual convention. The gathering will be in session three days.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., December 4.—The State Unitarian convention opens. President Lewis of Madison will preside.

BALTIMORE, December 4.—Maryland's State Christian Endeavor convention opens here.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

The Post's Bulletin Board of What Will Transpire.

RICHMOND, Va., December 4. — The Grand Lodge of Good Templars will hold its twenty-sixth annual conclave at Falls Church, and continue in session for one week. Dr. D. H. Mann of New York, supreme templar of the world, is expected to preside over the meeting. Other prominent officers of the order, who are among the best known and most representative temperance people of the world, and who are expected to grace the meeting with their presence, and lend interest to the deliberations, are: Mr. Whitney, of Indiana, Lemuel Bakke, J. H. Dunaway and Rev. Dr. [illegible] of New York, Governor William Hancock of Minnesota, Chaplain John Bolsdell of Iowa, Dr. Airey of Philadelphia and Miss Frances E. Willard of Chicago, president of the National Women's Christian Temperance Union. There will be about 250 delegates from the state lodges in attendance.

NEWPORT, R. I., December 4.—Arrangements have been completed for the intercollegiate Yale-Harvard crew race on the Thames river next June. It will be the first outdoor event by college societies under the auspices of a management wholly outside the schools concerned. Through correspondence carried on by the management of the two aquatic associations, it has been decided that there shall be no decision by judges on the merits of the excellence of the crews—that there shall be no rebuttals, and that each speaker's address shall be short. Two theatrical men speak each night. Professor Samuel A. Wells and William E. Thoms have been selected, and from Harvard A. S. Apsey and F. G. Parsons are chosen.

WASHINGTON, December 4.—Bids for smokeless powder for the army will be opened by General Flagler, the army chief of ordnance. The powder is intended for the Lee magazine rifle, and 10,000 pounds will be purchased in the first lot. It is expected that certainly three, and perhaps four, firms will present bids. One is a Virginia man named Leonard, whose samples have been successfully tested at Sandy Hook. Another is a San Francisco concern which makes a smokeless powder called the Peyton composition. The third is a powder already used by the navy, and is made by the Dupont company at Wilmington, Del.

TOPEKA, Kan., December 4.—Preparations are completed for the Interstate convention to be held here to advance the interests of Governor Lewelling's exceptional request. A North and South Dakota railroad from Dakota to the gulf, built and owned and operated by the states through which it passes. The estimated cost of the road is $1000 a mile. Governor Lewelling requests governors of Nebraska and Oklahoma, Governors Ireland and Hubbard of Texas will be present.

AUGUSTA, Ga., December 4.—The Baptist convention will begin in Augusta, Ga. The Rev. Dr. W. H. H. Faunce and the Rev. Walter Rauschenbusch of New York and Professor A. W. Small of Chicago will discuss "The Church and Money Power." Other topics are "Emotionalism in Religion," "Shall Our Young People Be Organized for Christian Work?" "Missionary Work," "Valid Baptism," "Biblical View," "Foreside Conception of Salvation" and "The Indwelling Christ."

NEW YORK, December 4.—Those interested in the movement to secure better canals in New York will be held in the rooms of the New York board of trade. Chairman James R. Soymour, of the joint committee on canals, has invited each of the commercial and industrial organizations of the State to send five delegates to the conference. What the policy of the State toward its canals and character of improvements necessary will be discussed.

NEW ORLEANS, La., December 4.—The case of C. Abarnetis against the city of New Orleans, involving $1,000,000, came for trial. The plaintiff is a brother of Antonio, one of the Italians killed in the parish prison on March 14, 1891. The suit is for $25,000 damages. Suits have been pending concerning relatives of all the eleven victims. Decision of this suit will be the first one to be tried on the merits. It will be a trial by jury.

CHICAGO, December 4.—The regular meeting of the board of appeals of the American Trotting association will be held at the Auditorium hotel today. Horsemen are interested in this meeting, at which all cases of discipline will be brought up today.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, December 4.—The International Harness Horse association opens here the meeting on Monday evening, to be finally decided and a National movement to its interests is to be inaugurated.

NEW YORK, December 4.—The board of review of the National Trotting association holds a regular meeting of the Murray Hill hotel here tomorrow evening. M. M. Morse of Hartford is secretary.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, December 4.—The eleventh annual convention of the National Guard association of Ohio will be held in Columbus, commencing tomorrow.

CHICAGO, December 4.—Tomorrow is the only day of registration fixed upon for the municipal election which will take place December 19.

FULTON, Mo., December 4.—Missouri horticulturists meet in annual convention. The gathering will be in session three days.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., December 4.—The State Unitarian convention opens. President Lewis of Madison will preside.

BALTIMORE, December 4.—Maryland's State Christian Endeavor convention opens here.

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Denver, Colo., December 4.—A copy of the pronunciamento of the Mexican revolutionists received at the headquarters of the department of Colorado today, reads as follows:

Mexican soldiers: Today we direct ourselves to you in confidence. We are going to talk with our own brothers. We are sons of the same mother. Ours is one race, one territory. We speak the same language and seek the same aggrandizement of country and mutual felicity. Why then do we meet with arms in our hands destroying one another? Because the tyrants of the villages are cunning enough to deceive us. The army in democratic countries is composed of free men and citizens who love their country so they may defend it of as many dangers as threaten it. But you do not grasp arms of your own will.

You lived in tranquility in your own town by the side of your mother and brothers, you had a wife that took care of you and children that greeted you with caresses. From night until morning you were confined in a jail and afterward, by subordinate officials, taken to a road, where you registered and in the name of your country, deprived of your liberty.

Your mother and brothers remained abandoned; your wife and children have no protection and since then you live piled together like stubble and guarded like cattle.

Is this the condition of freemen that subject themselves to military discipline? Answer with your hands on your hearts. No, a thousand times no. Does our country demand these sacrifices for us? He deprives you of your liberty, or would deprive you of right to live in tranquility by the sense of your family.

It is not the country, but Porfirio Diaz, that has Mexican who has mortgages Mexico in foreign markets, that the cursed son murders his brothers and debases them. You then grasp arms to defend a despicable tyrant, but not to save the country from any danger.

We must face to face because you attempt to defend an injustice. You are strength sustained by a tyrant that tortures a country to pay you with wretched wages. We are a strength of right. We think what we do. Nobody gave us to grasp arms. The wicked and lackeys strip us the name of brothers, and they do not deserve to give us the names of patriots. We want to live free or die, but not to be slaves.

We have read the book written with the blood of our forefathers. There we are shown to elect our constitutional officers by means of free elections. There we are shown as citizens and are elevated to the category of freemen. That book is named the political constitution of 1857.

If the tyrant who pays you to murder us would govern by the constitution, we would live in peace, cultivating our land and caring for our families. But we see injustice committed every day. We perceive the danger in which the country is found and have not hesitated a moment to abandon everything, and have risked into the battle field to defend the rights of our outraged people.

Mexican soldiers, if you want to avoid bloodshed, join the revolution. It is not just that our mothers remain unprotected. Our wives are made widows and our sons orphans to favor a tyrant called Diaz who is the spirit of evil of the nation. We revolutionists defend a principle and seek the salvation of the country. You defend a man who makes you slaves and seeks his aggrandizement. Down with the tyrant! Hurrah for the revolution! Hurrah for Democracy!

Now we pass to manifest to the entire nation the last account of the 7th of April, 1893, to date. After having been defeated neither for lack of resources nor for lack of greater strength of forces, we had to abandon the place we occupied, making our movement under the banner of league from the place of start the soldiers and chiefs of love would have exterminated the revolutionists. These events having passed, they should have followed us and succeeding in arrest, should have gone to competent authority that we might be tried according to law.

We have seen an official paper which gives the number of dead to be forty of the revolutionists, which is not correct, and at the same time is a deceit. In the battle of Santo Tomas only twenty-three died.

Now, according to the list we have before us, there were what thirty-one more. Of this number certainly five are not to be guilty of revolution; the rest were prisoners. If the tyrant has believed to deceive us with fear, converting himself and his power into murderers, he will find in the contrary, as powder has not died out, neither more offended, and do not mean to grasp our arms and protect with our last breath in struggling for the defense of our brothers and our country.

Oh, fatal destiny! He has blinded very and engendered malice in your hearts. He is a second Nero, a Moloch, delivering the sons of Mexico under the knife of the degraded and fatal enemy of justice.

The Suppressed Papers.

El Paso, Texas, December 4.—James Cread, who delivers the Mexican papers to its subscribers in Juarez, was arrested this morning while in the discharge of his duties. He was taken before the alcalde, who had him under guard. After a short time he was released, but the papers taken from him were not returned. The alcalde refused to give any reason for the seizure of the papers, but contain no reference to Mexican affairs. It is the carrier was informed with the impression that the policemen thought the papers contained matter relative to the revolution. The Times has been neither secure on the streets of Juarez since the publication of the first issue.

The boy who distributes the papers in Juarez is a son of ex-Governor Ahumada and at times is threatened with violence. He reported to the police that a man had threatened to kill him if he delivered papers to subscribers. The man has not been arrested, although the police have been notified of the threat. The Times has been notified that a mercury carrier has been arrested in Juarez and that the charge against him is selling papers without a license. The boy has been released on bail and the case will be tried tomorrow morning. The arrest is considered by the Times as a political move.

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