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[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

St. John's, Nfld., June 9.—The Government will decline to recognize the French claim for indemnity for the burned lobster factory on the ground that no direct evidence is forthcoming as to how, when, or by whom the factory was destroyed.

Although Ingram Taylor, now under arrest at Boone Bay, on the charge of burning the factory, boasts that he did it, there is really no evidence, whatever, apart from this statement, to connect him with the case.

A Papal Consistory.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

Rome, June 9.—It is officially announced that the Pope, at a secret consistory on June 19th, will create twelve Italian Cardinals, including the Nuncio at Madrid, Archbishop of Coriza, Archbishop of Toulon, Latin Patriarch of Constantinople and Antioch and others.

THE SPANISH ISLANDS.

Conditions of Germany's Purchase For \$5,000,000.

Berlin, June 8.—The Minister of Foreign Affairs, Baron Von Buelow, in the Reichstag, made a statement on the subject of the German-Spanish treaty for the cessions of the Caroline, Ladrone and Pelew Islands. He said that in order to round off the German possessions in the Pacific, and in view of German commercial interests which had long existed in the Caroline Islands, "we considered it our duty to take care of this group, so that in the event of a change in ownership, it should not be lost to Germany." The Minister then read the text of the agreement, which was concluded February 12, 1899: "First, Spain cedes to Germany the Carolines, Pelew, and Ladrone Islands, except the Island of Guam, in consideration of a compensation of about \$5,000,000.

"Second—Germany concedes the Spanish trade and agricultural enterprises in these islands the same treatment and facilities as the German trade, and concedes to the Spanish religious orders in the islands the same rights and liberties as the German Orders.

"Third—Spain will establish naval, mercantile and coaling stations in the Carolines, Pelews, and Ladrone, and will be allowed to retain them in case of war.

"Fourth—This agreement is to be submitted for the constitutional sanction of the two countries and is to be ratified as soon as the sanction is given."

"An understanding has also been arrived at with Spain regarding the mutual granting of conventional tariffs, such as correspond with the wishes and interests of German, as well as Spanish trade. So soon as the Cortes has sanctioned the sale of the islands, we will immediately submit the necessary bills to the Reichstag, which will have the opportunity of a thorough and practical examination of the matter. Until then we hope the Reichstag will defer its discussion, out of international courtesy."

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TROUBLE IN SOUTH AFRICA

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MEETING AT BLOEMFONTEIN WAS UTTER FAILURE

London Newspapers Refer to the Dangerous Situation.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, June 9.—Advices received from South Africa emanating from British sources show more completely the utter failure of the recent conference at Bloemfontein between President Kruger and Sir Alfred Milner.

The London newspapers all refer to the dangerous situation.

The morning papers talk seriously of the possibility of a war in South Africa.

Mr. Chamberlain in the House of Commons yesterday announced that his reply to the Uitlanders petition which was held back pending the result of the conference at Bloemfontein would now be presented to the Transvaal.

The reply is semi-officially described as "explicit but conciliatory," but it is believed to be in the nature of a practical ultimatum.

The resources of diplomacy are considered as exhausted with the failure of the conference.

Nothing is left, it is felt, but a resort to force.

Lively old Gentleman.

COLUMBUS, Mo., June 8.—In the case of George Wray vs. Susan Wray, for divorce, which is on trial here in the Circuit Court, the plaintiff is one hundred and two years old and the defendant only thirty-seven.

Wray was born in Londonderry, Ireland, May 1, 1755, where he spent his youth. He came to this country at the age of thirty and settled on Long Island. He remained there and in New York City for nearly seven years, when he came to this State and settled in Brown County, where he has lived ever since. Wray has been married three times. The first wife he married in New York, the second in Edinburgh, and the third here on November 30, 1890. Her maiden name was Susan E. Clesier, and she had never been previously married. He has had twelve children in all—six by his first wife of whom three are living; three by the second wife, of whom two are living, and three, who are living by his last wife. He lived with the present Mrs. Wray until 1890, when they separated. The divorce proceedings were begun in 1898, and the case was brought here on a change of venue from Brown County.

The trial has been continued till June 20. Wray owns land valued at \$10,000.

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Opposition Insist Upon Their Rights

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Mr. Blair Forced to Bring Forward His Statement.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

OTTAWA, June 9.—The first all-night sitting since the Remedial Bill debate, ended at two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The Government would not relent in the determination that the Grand Trunk deal must go through at the sitting, and the Opposition was disposed to facilitate business, but for the absence of a statement from Blair as to the respective amounts of traffic handled last year by the Grand Trunk and I. C. R. over the lines used jointly.

This information, promised to Mr. Borden a fortnight ago, was not forthcoming.

Mr. Blair said that there were no records in the department giving this information.

Mr. Foster led the opposition till 6 o'clock yesterday morning, when he went home.

Arrangements were made to keep up the discussion until Mr. Blair brought the facts, or Saturday night came.

Towards noon Sir Charles Tupper came in and the Premier, in the course of the morning, succeeded Sir Louis Davies as leader of the House.

A cabinet council was held in the afternoon and shortly after Mr. Laurier went over to Sir Charles and told him that Mr. Blair desired to make a statement. Mr. Gillies was then in a midst of a speech, but at a hint from Sir Charles he brought it to a close.

Then Mr. Blair announced his own backdown. He assured Mr. Borden that he held him in high esteem and intended no discourtesy. He had obtained from the Grand Trunk offices the return asked for and would be glad to communicate it to House. He did so giving figures in full as far as he had them.

Sir Charles Tupper expressed his satisfaction that a way had been found out of the difficulty. Mr. Foster stated to him privately that if the information was given the discussion would be closed. Sir Charles saw no reason why it should now continue much longer.

Recess was then taken till 3 o'clock, when the committee again met and after two hours discussion reported the bill.

The House was in supply till 6 o'clock, passing the remainder of the Davies estimates when it adjourned for the night.

The medals for the Canadian veterans will be forwarded in lots to Canada, as the rush of work at the royal mint prevents the whole number being struck off at once. It will take about three months to secure the full order, but sufficient for presentation on Dominion Day will be received before that date.

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MICHAEL DAVITT, M. P.

Makes House of Commons Divide on Kitchener Vote.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, June 9.—Both the House of Lords and the House of Commons have passed a vote of thanks to General Kitchener at Khartoum with the other officers and men engaged in the Sudan campaign.

Mr. Davitt, the Irish Nationalist member for South Mayo, protested and challenged a division, with the result that there were 321 votes in favor of the motion and 20 against.

Mr. A. J. Balfour the Government Leader remarked that Mr Davitt attended the House "as an avowed enemy of our country," adding that he understood a British reverse would not break his heart.

Uneasy France.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

PARIS, June 9.—Indications are increasing that there will be violent scenes at Longchamp's on Sunday. Every precaution will be taken to prevent disorder.

The Pope's Health.

NEW YORK, June 8.—In a private letter just received in this city from a New York Catholic priest now in Rome, the writer thus speaks of the condition of the Pope: "I was fortunate enough the other day to have an audience with the Holy Father. Like all others who have seen the Pope lately, I could not fail to mark his pallor and the alertness of his mind. He is a man with great reserve fund of will power, and no one's present talks much about the next Pope."

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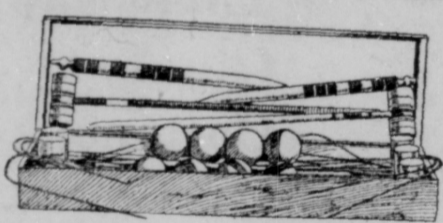
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