

WANT BARILLAS' BLOOD

REIGN OF TERROR IN GUATEMALA'S CAPITAL.

Massachusetts Democrats Renominate Gov. Russell—Duluth Sending Wheat Direct to Europe—Blow Up the Police Station—Doings of the Ball Players.

Upset in Guatemala.

A dispatch from the City of Mexico says a revolution has been precipitated in the Republic of Guatemala, which will unquestionably become general. The people of Guatemala were celebrating the anniversary of their national holiday. President Barillas had personally appointed the order of the day. To the masses took exception, and when the orators took the rostrum it was a signal for a shower of stones, which set them to flight, they being chased across the big plaza by a howling mob, which shouted "Down with the Government! Down with despotism and tyranny! Die, Barillas!"

Depredations by Chinese Pirates.

Chinese pirates say that the pirates have burned the village of Trung Ba on the Black River. One hundred pirates attacked the village of Luong, but were repulsed, one villager being killed. At Haidu pirates and their henchmen killed and carried off the bodies of the dead. When the pirates were driven back into the mountains, where they are hemmed in. Pirates attacked a boat near Swatow and robbed passengers of \$4,000. In the riot at Ichang the premises of the Catholic and American missions and Messrs. Cain, Aldridge and Dean's houses were burned. While Mr. Cockburn's house was looted. All foreigners are on board the steamer Paohoa, and the customs officers are under arms.

Duluth Sending Wheat to Europe.

A. D. Thomson, head of the grain firm of A. D. Thomson & Co., Duluth, Minn., which is probably the largest wheat-exporting firm in the West, was asked about the wheat exports from Duluth in the last six weeks, which have been reported to be large. He said that of the 6,500,000 bushels of wheat which has been shipped out of Duluth in six weeks about 4,000,000 bushels were for direct export. The bulk of this, probably seven-eighths, has gone to the United Kingdom—to Liverpool, London, and other ports—and the rest to several countries on the continent. This amount of export business is at least twice as heavy as ever before.

Wheat in the Northwest.

The Northwestern Miller computes the stock of wheat in private elevators of Minneapolis at 599,000 bushels, or 1,050,000 less than the previous week. The total stock at Minneapolis and Duluth is 975,000 bushels, or 47,456 bushels less. The Market Record gives the stock of wheat in country elevators of Minnesota and the two Dakotas at 1,326,500 bushels, an increase of 344,300 for the week. This makes the aggregate stock in the three States 7,306,320 bushels, or 391,756 bushels more than a year ago.

Blow Up the Police Office.

The Jeffersonville (Ind.) Police Station was blown up by dynamite. The doors and windows were blown to pieces and the stone walls cracked. It is thought to have been the result of a plot to kill certain of the police who had been prosecuting criminals with great vigor of late. The explosion occurred at the time when the night officers lunch at the station. There was no one in the building at the time, three officers having left five minutes previous. No clue has been found.

Around the Diamond.

Following is a showing of the standing of each of the teams of the different associations:

Table with columns for NATIONAL LEAGUE, W. L. Pct., Chicago, Boston, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Cleveland, St. Paul, Baltimore, New York, Washington, Louisville, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Boston, Chicago.

Killed Him with a Rifle.

At Mankato, Minn., in a row in Mother Bros' brick yard between employes, a young man named Brown struck Elias Gustafson with a stick of wood, from the effects of which he died. Brown has disappeared. The evidence at the inquest tended to show that the deed was committed in self-defense. Deceased leaves a family in destitute circumstances.

Yet Another Thirty Days.

Ignatius Donnelly, President of the Minnesota Farmers' Alliance, said the other day that he was in favor of the farmers holding their grain for thirty days more. He has recently issued a circular to that effect.

Russell Renominated.

The Democrats of Massachusetts renominated Gov. Russell by acclamation. The convention adopted a resolution opposing the free coinage of silver.

Bucked the Gold Brick.

John Appelman, of Buckhorn, Pa., was sentenced out of \$3,500 with two strangers with "gold bricks" recently.

A Double Hanging.

Ed Powell and James Lewis were hanged at Gatesville, Texas, for the murder of John T. Mathison.

Bennington's Air Ship Blown Away.

At St. Louis, Mo., Bennington's air ship, which was under test at Fair Grounds in readiness for a trial, was caught up by a storm and blown away. As no trace of the ship has been found, it seems probable that it was destroyed. The trial has been abandoned.

Suffering in Russia.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg describes in detail the terrible famine that prevails in that empire, and the horrible extremities to which the people have been reduced.

CRIME AND CASUALTY.

John J. Wells, of Omaha, Neb., shot at Dr. H. H. Birney, the bullet striking his watch and flattening out. Beyond a slight contusion of the skin Birney was uninjured.

Riley Smart, a prominent young man near Madison, Ind., has just died from the effects of being stung in forty-two different places by yellow-jackets.

Advices from St. Johns, Newfoundland, report the loss at Green's Pond of the Labrador schooner Palestine, Captain John Kane, with all hands, and the Amazon, Captain James Noble, with three of her crew. Both vessels were owned by J. and W. Stewart.

By the premature bursting of a bomb at an Italian celebration at Newark, N. J., four persons were killed and eighteen injured.

Advices from Peru report the murder of four American explorers on the River Marañon. They were Californians, prospecting for gold. The natives mistook them for ecclesiastical emissaries and spies.

Ephraim B. Ewing, Jr., formerly editor of the Jefferson City (Mo.) Tribune, is believed to have been murdered in Alaska, together with another white man and five Indians.

At Newark, N. J., Ernest Lehman, the rejected lover of Emma Bush, treated her with paralytic gas. She had quarreled recently. Lehman offered to poison the girl to soda water before parting forever and went out and procured several bottles of soda water. Miss Bush drank a glass and was seized with convulsions, dying in great agony.

At Marysville, Mo., ex-Governor Albert P. Morehouse committed suicide. His mind had become deranged.

A severe earthquake shock was felt in many towns in Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and Tennessee. It lasted from thirty seconds to two minutes, and while causing no great damage or loss of life, was so severe as to awaken sleepers and cause people to run in alarm through the streets.

The general trend of the vibrations was from north to south. The shock occurred almost simultaneously at all points, not more than two minutes' difference being reported. The hour was 11 p. m.

Warden Hale, of San Quentin Prison, Cal., says the conspirators who have been in solitary confinement have confessed at last, and the prisoners and cartridges concealed by them have all been surrendered.

At the inquest into the killing of Carr and his family at Quincy, Ky., evidence was adduced leaning toward the fact that Thomas Carr did not do the killing.

Ten negroes were sentenced to be hanged at Charleston, S. C., Oct. 23, for the murder of another negro.

A report from Yellville, Ark., says the depredations of a gang of marauders, their bands, taken together as a secret organization, have terrorized the inhabitants of Marion County. The gang made a general raid in Cowan Barron's neighborhood which would put to shame the worst class of outlaws on the Western borders.

The houses of William Hamblett, Sr., William Hamblett, Jr., Rev. Ed McCarty, Judge J. S. Owens, Richard West, and Thomas Sasser were visited and fired into by marauders. Windows were smashed in, and at Rev. Ed McCarty's some children sleeping in a front room were hit and severely injured with rocks. Judge Owens' horse was taken from the stable and his ears cut off. William Hamblett, Jr., was killed. The authorities are greatly excited, and every effort is being made to apprehend the leaders.

Superintendent Dunham, of the Alabama Midland Railroad, with a Winchester rifle shot and killed a party named Cunningham, a society man, aged 29. Cunningham was a clerk in Dunham's office and had frequently met his wife. An intimate friend and the attorney of Dunham says that Cunningham wrote Mrs. Dunham a letter asking her to meet him in a suburban park. This letter was turned over to Dunham, and he got a friend to send Cunningham a letter signing Mrs. Dunham's name to it. When Dunham's friend reached the park he found Cunningham there. When the fact was reported to Dunham he immediately went in search of Cunningham with the above result.

It is learned that a most destructive storm has passed over the southern part of Beltrami County, Minn., felling an immense amount of timber and causing some loss of life. Particulars are impossible to get, owing to the remoteness of the section, which is unsettled and unoccupied except by claim holders and cruisers for timber and mineral lands. Whole townships are known to have been swept away. The timber being leveled as grain before the reaper.

Deputy Sheriff Armstrong and three assistants went to English Bay, near Vancouver, B. C., to serve a writ of ejectment on Samuel Greer. The latter, however, barricaded the house and refused to admit the officers. An attempt was made to force an entrance, whereupon Greer fired a shotgun, severely wounding the Deputy Sheriff and slightly injuring one of his assistants. Later a warrant was issued for Greer, who was taken into custody.

Death, sudden and fearful, put an end to a pleasure excursion in Chicago one night last week. The party consisted of a party of five, including a woman, who were dining at the Washington street bridge. Captain Rufus Terry drove his cab in the darkness into the open and unprotected bridge draw, and he and Miss Green, one of the occupants of the vehicle, were drowned. Isaac Shelton, the lady's escort, came to the surface and was rescued when life was almost extinct.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Fire destroyed the business portion of Bradley, S. D., causing a loss of \$40,000. The church of St. Gabriel and St. Barnabas, at Brooklyn, N. Y., burned. The total loss is \$25,000.

Thirteen houses in Oakcliffe, Texas, a suburb of Dallas, were burned. Loss, \$39,000; insurance, \$16,000.

Fire broke out in the oil warehouse of Phillips & Cunningham, at Philadelphia, Pa., and the building was completely destroyed. The fire spread through the inflammable stock of the building and the structure was ablaze from cellar to roof in twenty minutes after the flames first broke out. Loss, \$700,000.

POLITICAL POINTS.

The Republicans of Nebraska have nominated the following ticket: A. M. Post, Associate Justice Supreme Court; Charles Marple, H. F. Shumway, Regents State University.

The New York Mail and Express prints this special from Washington: "Mr. James G. Blaine will, soon after the first of the new year, notify his friends and admirers, who are now urging his nomination for the Presidency, that under no circumstances

could he accept such an honor. This information is given the Mail and Express on the authority of a man whose name is national and whose position as a friend of Mr. Blaine is unquestioned."

THE OLD WORLD.

Although the Italian government has withdrawn its opposition to the holding of a Catholic congress in Rome, it is said that the authorities will attempt to nip the venture in the bud. The opinion is adverse to the unity of the Italian kingdom and in favor of the temporal power of the Pope. Italy has so strongly protested against such utterance in Germany, Spain and other countries that she can not, with any consistency, permit similar language in the Italian capital.

The steamship Empress of China has arrived from Hongkong and brings the following advices: In the Oita Prefecture of Japan 3,000 cases of dysentery are reported, with 700 deaths. During the celebration of the feast of lanterns at Jokotecho, Akita Prefecture, a bridge fell, owing to the pressure of the throng, and more than 100 persons were precipitated into the water. Over twenty were injured and several lives were lost.

Nine boxes of dynamite and six sacks of powder have been discovered at Port San Giovanni, intended for shipment to Italy. Several arrests and searches have been made in connection with the discovery.

England is likely to have to pay Canadian sealers \$500,000 or more as an indemnity for being driven out of Behring Sea.

London economic experts agree that the net addition to the normal imports of American grain has not exceeded \$100,000,000, of which nearly one-third is in the form of gold. If the extravagant buying of American railroad securities continues the English indebtedness will be further enhanced and will lead to an increase of bullion shipments. Mr. Giffens' recent estimate that £10,000,000 in gold would be the limit of the export to New York is not disputed. There is a strong opinion expected to entail an increase of the Bank of England rate to 5 or 6 per cent.

The Natural History Museum, London, will in all probability soon have a wonderful collection of spiders and beetles. It has just been offered a collection which numbers fully 10,000 different specimens, collected in all parts of the world.

Advices from China report that the pirates have been taken in Java. Pirates have attacked villages, and in one instance drove out the inhabitants and burned the houses.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

At St. Louis, during the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, Past Grand Master Col. T. P. Rixey was taken violently ill. His malady seems to be a high fever accompanied by a severe congestive chill, during which it requires the utmost efforts of several brother Odd Fellows to hold him. Medical attendance will be taken in New York. Rixey is a graduate of the State of Missouri, and has been actively employed during the summer.

Large contributions are being made at Havana to the fund for the relief of the sufferers by the recent disastrous floods in Spain. The convicts in the Havana jail have contributed over \$2,300 for this purpose, one prisoner alone giving \$254. Medical attention will be taken in New York. Rixey is a graduate of the State of Missouri, and has been actively employed during the summer.

The St. Paul Railway is alleged to have purchased the route of the Chicago and Mississippi at Prairie du Chien for the purpose of running all through traffic over the Prairie du Chien division instead of by LaCrosse as at present.

W. H. English, of Indianapolis, Ind., candidate for Vice President on the Democratic ticket in 1880, is engaged in compiling a history of Indiana.

President Harrison has appointed a committee, composed of Lieutenant Colonel John W. Barlow, Captain Thomas W. Seymour, and Professor A. T. Mosman, to relocate the boundary line between Mexico and the United States.

The most beautiful piece of paper money ever produced by the United States Treasury is the new \$2 silver certificate. Superintendent of Engraving Cassin regards this new promise to pay as his chef d'oeuvre and gleefully defies the counterfeiters to imitate it with success.

Papers found on three Chinamen arrested at Grand Forks, N. D., prove that they were smuggled from the Dominion. They came from Winnipeg, making the only landing of European contraband of celestialis in expected from Winnipeg, every Chinaman in town was arrested to prevent possible communication.

Two lots in the town of Chandler, just platted in the land opened in Oklahoma Territory, were offered for sale for a hair sandwich, but no buyers were found.

John W. Adams has agreed to match Alberton against Bobbie's Nany Hawks, at Lexington, Ky., Oct. 12, for a purse of \$8,000, the winner to take all.

John L. Ganzhorn, the patriarchal be-whiskered and bibulous Kansas City (Mo.) Justice of the Peace who has figured so often before the public of late, is no longer a dispenser of justice, so-called. In the Criminal Court he was convicted on the charge of having been drunk while attempting to attend to his duties Aug. 18, fined \$50, sentenced to thirty days' confinement in the county jail, and deposited from office. Some weeks ago Justice Ganzhorn had a quarrel with a California politician, principals in a common-law market performed in a saloon by the barber. A week later he sold his whiskers, which are long and white, at auction in the same saloon. He gave a bill of sale for them, but they were not delivered.

Richard Chute, a California politician, was fined \$500 and sent to jail for five days for failing to appear before a Grand Jury at San Francisco to testify concerning Legislative scandals.

The schooner Ocean Belle arrived at Victoria, B. C., with a cargo of 1,200 seal-skins, obtained, it is claimed, on the Russian coast.

The Kansas State Board of Railroad Commissioners, after making a tour of inspection of the Lawrence and Burlington branches of the Santa Fe road, have rendered a decision and have ordered the company to pay \$100,000 in damages to the Ottawa and from Ottawa to Burlington, substituting steel for the iron rails which have been in use twenty years.

Owing to the scarcity of farm laborers in the Red River Valley of North Dakota, the Great Northern Railway is making

special rates for thrashing outfits and carrying five men free with each. Without additional help thousands of acres of wheat will not be thrashed before snow flies. Hundreds of men can get work at from \$2 to \$3 per day.

Peter Johnson, of Dassel, Minn., claims to have rediscovered the lost art of tempering copper.

St. Joseph, Mo., was visited by a remarkable plague in the shape of myriads of little green bugs which filled the air in countless millions. For a time business was almost suspended.

Workmen were prospecting for coal on the farm of Thomas Heaver, Jr., in Susquehanna County, Pennsylvania, a paying vein of gold was discovered. Small quantities of gold were found a year ago. The discovery has caused great excitement.

Dr. B. F. Bell, of Parrottsville, Tenn., read before the East Tennessee Medical Society a paper on the wonderful case of exostosis, or the ejection of bones from the human body. The victim of the peculiar disease is a lady named Sarah Heas, 71 years of age, residing in Caney Branch.

The first line of steamships established under the reciprocity agreement between the United States and Brazil was in Maryland, from Baltimore to Rio Janeiro and Santos. The Elvaston, of that line, arrived at Baltimore recently with a half cargo. She will unload and proceed to England. The line is discontinued, or, as Patterson, Ramsay & Co., the agents, announce, it is suspended until the commercial affairs of Brazil are straightened out. The reason that the line is withdrawn is that it is so difficult in getting cargoes into Brazil. In Rio Janeiro the Elvaston had to wait fifty-seven days before she could get to the wharf to unload, and then could get only a half cargo for her return trip. She reports that recently seventy-four steamships were lying in the harbor of Rio Janeiro waiting to be loaded.

At San Francisco, Edward Livenshaw, a country journeyman, was arrested while masquerading the streets in the garb of a negro wench. He carried with him a small satchel, which, when searched at the city prison, was found to contain a bunch of keys and two bottles, one containing chloroform and the other containing cyanide of potassium, with wearing female attire, and his ball was placed at \$500. Livenshaw claimed that the whole thing was a practical joke. He had dressed in a woman's garb and blacked his face with cork, intending to present himself for service to a lady acquaintance.

The following letter from Assistant Secretary Nettleton, of the Treasury Department, to the Commissioner of the World's Columbian Exposition, is authority for the partial suspension of the contract labor law:

In your recent communication addressed to the chief clerk of this department, you ask on behalf of the Consul General of Great Britain, under the regulations of this department in regard to contract labor to be employed in connection with foreign exhibits at the approaching exposition. While the formal regulations have been promulgated by this department in this connection, you are authorized to assure the Consul General of Great Britain and all others with whom you have communication that in connection with the employment of foreign exhibitors and coming to the United States in connection with the exposition, the contract labor law will be subjected to no delay or hindrance of any nature. Whatever regulations shall be promulgated by the department will be formulated in due season and furnished to all interested parties through the proper channels.

FINANCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL.

Messrs. Charles H. Hurood & Co., Crerar & Clinch, and Mr. Bartoletto of Chicago leased the Duluth, Minn., blast furnace, the first coke furnace built in the Lake Superior region. The furnace is 100 feet in diameter and has a daily capacity of 150 tons, and will employ 150 men. This will be the commencement of iron manufacture at the head of Lake Superior.

Joe Bacon, agent of the Montana Stage Company of Great Falls, Mont., left a few days ago when he heard that C. G. Felt, the General Auditor, was coming on his regular inspection tour. Bacon's shortage was about \$7,000.

At Boston, Mass., the American Waltham Watch Company has just announced a reduction in the wages of between 800 and 900 of its employes—about one-third of its entire force. The cut ranges from 15 to 20 per cent.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Exports to and money markets are generally favorable. Collections are fairly good almost everywhere. The great industries are doing well. The business failures occurring throughout the country during the week ending Sept. 22, 1892, were 24, as compared with 239 last week and 214 the week previous. For the corresponding week ending Sept. 22, 1891, there were 223 representing 192 failures in the United States and 27 in the Dominion of Canada.

THE MARKETS.

Table with columns for CHICAGO, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, OATS—No. 2, RYE—No. 2, CORN—No. 2, EGGS—Fresh, BUTTER—Choice, INDIANAPOLIS, CATTLE—Shipping, HOGS—Choice, SHEEP—Common to Prime, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, ST. LOUIS, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, CINCINNATI, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, TOLEDO, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, BUFFALO, BEEF CATTLE, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, ST. PAUL, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, MINNEAPOLIS, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, MILWAUKEE, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, NEW YORK, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, PITTSBURGH, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, PHOENIX, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, PORTLAND, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, RICHMOND, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, SALT LAKE CITY, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, SPOKANE, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, WASHINGTON, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2, YONKERS, CATTLE—Common to Prime, HOGS—Fair to Choice, SHEEP—Fair to Choice, WHEAT—No. 2 Red, WHEAT—No. 2 White, CORN—No. 2, OATS—No. 2.

SIX STATES SHAKEN. CURRENT COMMENT.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS FELT AT MANY POINTS.

Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Tennessee, Missouri and Kentucky Visited—People Flee to the Streets—Duration of the Disturbance from Ten Seconds to One Minute.

The Earth Trembled.

Three almost continuous vibrations of an earthquake, oscillating from east to west, were felt one night recently in parts of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Missouri, and Kentucky. At St. Louis the shock was quite severe, and buildings were shaken violently. People were aroused by the disturbance and rushed in terror, half-clad, to the street. It is said by many that the shock felt there was similar to that experienced on the night of the memorable Charleston disaster. The shock lasted two minutes. Considerable cracks in brick and glassware was demolished, and some wooden stables on the outskirts of the city toppled over. Buildings facing the north and south were visibly affected by the shock.

The shock was distinctly felt at Indianapolis, and while reports as to its duration differ, the best information says it lasted at least eight seconds.

Louisville, Ky., had a good shaking, and, although no serious damage was done, it caused considerable excitement all over the city. The bell in the City Hall tower was rung by the vibrations of the building, and the watchman in the tower thought his last hour had come. At the Galt House and other hotels the bells were rung, water-pit hoppers were overturned in the upper stories, and guests came hurrying down-stairs in a panic, it requiring much persuasion to induce the more timid to return to their quarters. Several doors, broken bottles and prematurely mixed drinks.

In the residence part of the city the shock caused much alarm, the people rushing into the street, and when the shock subsided formed long ranks of excited groups anxiously discussing the probabilities of a recurrence of the shock. No casualties occurred anywhere in the city, and no damage of consequence was suffered by buildings. The vibrations were from east to west, and lasted only a few seconds.

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Danger Signals.

England seems determined that the Behring Sea question shall remain unsettled as long as she can find any obstacles to throw in the way of a calm solution of a very simple problem.—Baltimore American.

The latest news is that Great Britain has serious designs of annexing Formosa, in the South China Sea, which is the most important island belonging to China. Japan has long been casting hungry eyes on Formosa.—Detroit Free Press.

Out of all the contradictions of recent years, the most striking is the fact of jealousy between sovereign authorities, the fact