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The Daily Times.

The Peace Movement.

In the Spanish section of our Wednesday issue, there appeared an article with the heading, "Si se peacen, pura bellum." This is a Latin proverb, meaning in English, "If you wish for peace, prepare for war."

It is this principle which the great Powers of the world are always following. So soon as one great nation builds a Dreadnought, her rival lays the keel of a bigger, and so the process goes on, millions being spent every year on this perpetual preparation for war. While the respective rulers of these countries meet from time to time and fall into each other's embrace, the dogs of war are straining at their leashes in the background and snarling at each other for all they are worth. The question as to the necessity for all this military preparedness has engaged the attention of statesmen and politicians in every age, but so far a satisfactory solution of the difficulty has not been arrived at. Great thinkers have been turning their thoughts in another direction, that of abolishing armies and navies altogether and submitting all matters of international importance to a tribunal of arbitration. The establishment of the Peace Conference at the Hague was the outcome of the idea, and although it cannot be said that that Tribunal has been either a success or a failure, no matters of serious import having yet been submitted to it, yet in a measure it has served as a moral deterrent in a number of cases where the possibility of war became almost a probability. In this country we have our Peace Court erected through the generosity of a phi-

lanthropic Scotelman who has very pronounced and advanced ideas on the subject. The latest move on the part of Mr. Carnegie (who by the way, is expected to pay this country a visit in the near future) is to hand over to a body of trustees the magnificent sum of eleven and a half million dollars, the interest on which is to be used "for the establishment of a universal peace by the abolition of war between nations and such friction as may impair the progress and happiness of nations." The object is a good one, but we fear that the scheme is Utopian. Humanly speaking, our prophetic eye cannot see the day even in the most remote future "when war shall be no more." There is the question of authority to be considered. Granted that a permanent Court of Arbitration is established and that all the great Powers sign a treaty agreeing to submit all their differences to that tribunal and to abide by its decision, we should then have war between those Powers, as far as they themselves are concerned, relegated to a place among the things that have been. But war in these days is hardly so much a question of difference between two great powers, as attempts at conquest by one or another of them of smaller states. The eye of avarice is cast over some distant territory owing to its natural wealth, and preparations are made to acquire it, by craft if possible, if not, by force. But a second Power wants a slice of that particular cake, and no court of arbitration sitting at the Hague or elsewhere will be able to adjudicate as to who is right, since both are wrong. We are not so sure that Mr. Carnegie's millions will do the trick. Such reforms cannot come from without. It must be a conviction of the contending parties themselves, but it must extend to those smaller states over which the big stick and the mailed fist are being continually shaken. If England and Germany are to respect the rights of each other, they must also mutually respect the rights of any of their Republics.

England must not try to ride the high horse in that State, or Germany will be wanting to know what for. Any movement to bring about an era of universal peace will be welcomed by every student of history; but such movements to be of value must aim at including all humanity in the same category, and allowing equal rights to all. The lion and the lamb must go together. Just now the idea of the lion is to travel with the lamb, but with the lamb inside of the lion. That policy will never help forward the peace

movement. We shall watch the development of Mr. Carnegie's pet scheme with a great deal of interest.

He is Untruthful.

Mr. Editor,
Dear Sir—With reference to the letter of James A. Brown which appeared in your issue of yesterday, I beg to say that I was present when the statements were given to your representative by Brown, and the article headed "A hard case," which I was careful to read in Wednesday's issue, was almost word for word what he said on that occasion. If Brown realized the necessity for climbing down, he might have done so without trying to damage the reputation of another. Possibly his head was still lost when he made the statements to your representative.
I am yours, etc.
F. W. Fairweather

The British Consulate.

On Sunday last, Christmas Day, Mr. Harry DePass, the British Consular Agent in this port, paid a visit in his official capacity to the U. E. Co.'s camp where the St. Kitts men are housed. He found the premises in an insanitary condition, and advised the men for their own sakes to pay more attention to the cleanliness of their quarters. Considering the number of the men who are succumbing to fever, Mr. DePass' advice is very opportune, and we hope that the men will profit by it. He has done the right thing, and we congratulate him on the interest he is displaying in his duties as Consular Agent.

Personal.

My wife Frances C. Taylor left my house on the 29th day of Dec., 1910. I am not responsible for any debt she may contract.

Charles T. Taylor,
Limon, C.R.

Eleven 'Izes of a Teacher.

To organize a school, to harmonize the board, to socialize the community, to vitalize the course of study, to ruralize the city children, to urbanize the country children, to Costa Ricanize the foreigner, to spiritualize the girls, to civilize the boys, to agriculturalize them all and to immortalize himself.

News.

At a dairy show in America a cow was exhibited of Guernsey breed, which produced 14,562 pounds of milk, 860 pounds of butter-fat, and 1003 pounds of butter in one year. The income from that one cow was \$700 gold. What a pity the admission had to be made that she was of English extraction!

At the same show the largest cheese was exhibited, made from 40,283 lbs. of milk, the produce of 2100 cows, which required 400 milkers and 7 cheese-makers. It weighed 4,482 lbs. was forty-five and a half inches high and 55 inches in diameter. Chinese shop-keepers and others, please note.

Shipping News.

The Hamburg American S.S. Prinz August Wilhelm arrived yesterday morning at 6 a. m. from New York via Kingston, Ja. and Colon with the following passengers:— Messrs N. J. Haynes, Manuel Sala, W. Russel, F. Pallares, Ladies: Miss H. L. Rojas (Colon), Mrs. N. Pallares, Miss C. Carrera & Child, 9 in transit, 60 Deckers. 10 head of steers for the United Fruit Co. 6 mules were originally shipped but one remained to have a last sip of good old Jamaica. We hope that the five won't play tricks like the ALL WEES.

Current News.

The Minister for Mexico in San Jose arrived here on the presidential car on Wednesday on his way home on a holiday. The car returned to San Jose attached to the passenger train yesterday.

Henry Mathews will be more than extra careful in his dealings with ropes. On Tuesday while working with the pile drivers' gang at the National Pier his fingers got caught by the rope used to control the winch. On his crying out the engineer quickly stopped the engine, while another labourer cut the rope with a knife. His fingers were severely wounded. It was only a week ago that he was caught by the same rope on his leg and was saved by the promptness of the engineer.

The Launch "Washington" will sail for Bocas del Toro on Friday 30th, at 5 p. m. taking Mails and passengers.

Thieves are still at work removing Electric bulbs from the Baptist Church in this town. New bulbs have been provided for the windows, but the panes of glass have been broken and entrance effected in that way. A number of bulbs also have been taken from St. Mark's Church and Schoolroom. A few private houses with Electric fittings on the verandas have also been visited by the thief or thieves.

The Consul General of Costa Rica in New York, Doctor J. Ulloa, has resigned, and Don Manuel González Zeledón has been appointed in his place.

A New Jamaica Prodigy.

Marvels of Foga. Discovered in the Bush. He loves to swallow coins. The boy prodigy having had his day, another local wonder has appeared in the person of a Maroon who goes by the name of Foga. He was discovered in the Cock Pit country some days ago by Mr. W. Thomas; and it is hard to tell the marvels he cannot perform. When found he was quite naked, a perfect child of nature. Immediately on his discovery he began to do marvelous things. Chewing fire, swallowing glass, iron or such odd things are all in his line. He keeps his purse in his stomach, too. You give him a penny, he swallows it and produces at will. Six-pennies he treats just the same, and even a dozen or more. He eats glass just as you might enjoy a bit of gum, and he has been seen to lick red-hot iron with his tongue. In fact he has a special fondness for fire. At times he will take a blazing wick, stick it in his mouth and keeps it there for three minutes or more. His skin is impervious to shape shell. He will take a sharp razor and slash his throat without any discomfort. Indeed, it is said that he can eat that he was caught by the same rope on his leg and was saved by the promptness of the engineer.

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Obituary.

On Wednesday morning there passed away at Malina Mr. J. Heath, after a short but sharp illness. Mr. Heath was a Jamaican, and has been identified for a long time with the Anglican Church at that section, of which he was Churchwarden and Treasurer. His place in the church will be hard to fill. We tender our condolences to his widow and other relatives.

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A Woman Hater.

Cecil Clough was charged in the Police Court on the 27th £10.75, for illtreating his wife. They are only here two months. A change of wife requires a change of country. Wives watch your husbands they are like fires. Go out at nights.

English Lightweight Champion Won on a Foul.

Cardiff, Wales, Dec. 20.—Fredie Welsh, the lightweight champion of England, won his fight with Jim Driscoll, the featherweight champion, in the tenth round to-night on a foul. The fight was a 20-round match, for a purse of \$12,500, the largest ever put up in Wales for little n.e.a. A crowd of several thousand witnessed the go, and, notwithstanding that the betting favoured Welsh, the spectators were greatly disappointed when the contest came to an unexpected end, due to Driscoll butting his opponent under the chin with his head.

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