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German Works

The great armor making firm of Krupp has made another important addition to its enterprise by acquiring control of the Westphalian Drahtindustrie Works of Hamm, the largest wire works on the European continent. For \$1,500,000 the Krupps take over the Drahtindustrie company's new issue of preference shares and secure for a period of forty years paramount influence over the company's entire business.

Krupps will also acquire an option on the Drahtindustrie's branch works at Riga in Russia. The firm further assures itself the privilege of taking over the Drahtindustrie's entire capitalized property for the sum of \$4,650,000. Krupp's share capital, which has been increased from time to time to permit of the acquisition of new works of all kinds, now aggregates \$45,000,000.

Another direction in which the Krupp firm is displaying activity is in the establishment of German engineering schools in China. According to the *Berliner Tageblatt* Herr Krupp von Bohlen-Halbach, the head of the firm, has given \$25,000 toward a scheme for three such institutions which are intended to break the American and English monopoly of technical and scientific education in China. This project has the active support of the German Foreign Minister, Admiral Tirpitz, and many other influential personages.

Yet another instance of the efforts that are being made to increase German influence in the Middle Kingdom is announced today. Herr Dernburg, the former Colonial Secretary, who recently returned from a tour in the Far East, is about to undertake a gigantic task which is broadly described as the electrification of China and Japan.

Herr Dernburg not long ago became a director of one of the biggest electrical concerns in Europe, the Allgemeine Electricitats Gesellschaft of Berlin, with a view to becoming president when Herr Emil Rathenau, who is over 70, retires. Herr Dernburg's ambitious scheme includes contracts for electric railroads and street car systems in China and Japan, the introduction of automobile omnibuses and the installation of electric light and power plants in various Chinese and Japanese cities. This also has the warm support of the German Government.

Recognise a good man

We are informed that Revd John Henderson expect leaving here on or about 9th April. He has got an appointment at Belize, British Honduras. Mr. Henderson was employed by the United Fruit Company to administer to the spiritual want of the people on their farms; but since the recent trouble with the St. Kitts men and the company Mr. Henderson was politely asked to resign on some pretext or other. Mr. Henderson has laboured hard among the people that he was put in charge and spared no pains not only to preach the gospel he taught but he was untiring in his efforts to give them temporal aid and his leisure time. He was always at their command in giving them sound advice, which if acted

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upon, would in very many instances worked well.

The Jamaican and other West Indians here ought to show their gratitude to the Revd. gentleman, even by way of an address, acknowledging the good he did for them. Indeed we know of a case where Mr. Henderson personally superintended and had carried to the hospital a black Jamaican that worked for the company, and after his demise his house and effects that he possessed were seized, but he Mr. Henderson stepped forward (he being the executor) and avoided what would have been a disgrace to decency by asserting his rightful power and sympathy for the deceased man's mother, who was at Jamaica. Show yourselves to be men worthy the name of your country, you that received well at hands of this gentleman.

(Communicated)

Zacheus Come Down

Editor «The Times»

Sirs

Please grant me space in your column for a few lines in reference to an article which appears in your issue of this date under the heading of «The President interviewed by Consular Agent of Limon» and which to say the least is most «refreshingly ludicrous»; our Chief Magistrate, according to the article, expressed himself as being highly pleased with the manner the Consular Agent handles the affairs of his Government during the absence of the Vice-Consul. Ye gods! he who live in Limon have been painfully reminded day by day of the utter absence of representation in this particular department, the abrupt, discourteous, replies to the most civil question put by British subject on every occasion, is too well known to need comment; that, the Chief Magistrate was sincere in saying that he was willing to render all assistance in his power to British subjects in Costa Rica, we have not the slightest doubt, but if we are to depend on the Consular Agent to inform him of the many «Wrongs that need resistance» then God help us! Now Mr. Editor I feel that I voice the sentiments of the 40,000 British subjects in Costa Rica in saying, that at no period of Consular representation in the Republic have the people been so utterly bereft of protection than they are at present. It is rumored that the British Vice-Consul has resigned his post to take effect in the coming month, if the rumor is correct as I have every reason to believe, the time has arrived for every British subject to rise up in protest and petition His Majesty's Minister to appoint an Englishman, and an independent man, to represent the British Empire at our sea port, the Consular Agent says he is an «Imperialist» what Limon needs is a «MAN», who, while in sympathy with the people placed under his protection, possesses the high moral and

firmness requisite to demand and obtain the rights accorded foreigners in countries other than their own; «The Voice of the people is the Voice of Gods» and our worthy British Minister at Panama the Hon. C. C. Mallett, C.M.G., who has a reputation second to none for sound judgment and fair dealing towards British subjects is not likely to turn a deaf ear to the thousands of His Majesty's Subjects—here, if approached in a proper manner and petitioned to appoint a responsible Vice-Consul. We have no doubt the Consular Agent means well; BUT!

Thanking you for the space Yours,
RADICAL
Port Limon C. R., Feb. 28th, 1911

Swallows The Evidence

Ring Vanishes As Prisoner Is Arraigned For Stealing It

Atlantic City.—Henry Boehl was arraigned before Magistrate Haughey, charged with the larceny of a diamond ring. The complainant was Miss Annabelle Scarborough. The ring was produced in court and Miss Scarborough identified it.

As she laid it down on the table the prisoner seized it, and before any one could interfere he swallowed it. The court officer, who was standing beside Boehl, with the assistance of several others began to pound his back, in the hope that he would cough it up, but their efforts were in vain. The hearing was abruptly ended.

Boehl was taken back to jail, where the physicians began to resort to all measures to regain the ring. Up to a late hour tonight they had not recovered it, and they were inclined to believe that unless Boehl submitted to an operation the damaging evidence would probably be lost for good.

A Sea Institute in Paris

Notwithstanding the comic-opera revolution which was supposed to have threatened his miniaturity principally, Albert Prince of Monaco has been able to open and present to the people of Paris the Institute of Oceanography which he has built at his own expense in a corner of the Latin Quarter.

The natural science of the sea will be taught in this handsome and well arranged building. One of the lecturers will be Jean Charcot, the Antarctic explorer.

Wanted it abbreviated

Jeweller.—What shall I engrave in it?
Customer.—“G. O. to H. L.”
Jeweller.—What's that, sir?
Customer (meekly).—“George Osborne to Harriet Lewis”—but just the initials, please.—Lippincott

Analysis Of Human Breath

The ultra-microscope has enabled Prof. Courtaud of Paris to analyze the human breath far more minutely than it has ever been done before. In a report to the Medical Society of Paris he says that exhaled air contains not only gases, such as nitrogen, carbonic acid, water, vapor, etc., but also a mass of fine solid particles some motionless and others mobile.

The latter, he surmises, may include bacteria, both rod shaped and globular. The presence of minute bits of cell tissue (epithelium) in the human breath he regards as positively proved.

The process followed by the investigator in his experiments was very simple. It was only necessary, he says, to examine a glass plate on which exhaled breath had been allowed to evaporate. Under the ultra-microscope he observed collection of dust composed of as rich a variety of substances as that left by evaporated drinking water.

Dr. Courtaud hopes ultimately to be able to lay down a new standard of health by a series of comparisons of what he calls the “breath dust” of healthy and unhealthy persons.

No African Preference

Botha *U. T.* Announce Withdrawal of British Privilege

London.—“The Sunday Times” understands that General Louis Botha, Premier of the Union of South Africa, will announce at the imperial conference that Africa will abolish the preference extended to British manufacturers.

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Russia Recalls Troops

Evacuating Persia, Trusting in the New Regent

St. Petersburg.—The “Novoe Vremya” announces that Russia will recall her troops from Kasbin, Persia. These consist of a battalion of sharpshooters, five sotnias of Cossacks, a command of sappers, four machine guns and a field battery. This action is intended as a mark of confidence in the new Regent of Persia, Nasr-el-Mulk, who was recently elected in succession to Azad-el-Mulk.

Current News.

The United Fruit Company steamer “Cartago” left here last night for Colon. She carried no cabin passengers, only a few deckers and mails.

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The steamer “Niederwald” left for Colon yesterday afternoon. She carried no passengers but a cargo of 150 sacks horns.

The water supply in the city was cut off yesterday and in consequence the inhabitants were much inconvenienced, having to seek the help of the fortunate ones that keep water barrels.

The Ship Circus Company is now at San Jose performing. It is quite possible they may give us a call before leaving the republic.

A man named Uriah Miller met with a serious accident yesterday afternoon at about 8 o'clock. The man worked at Santa Rosa farm and on this afternoon he went out shooting and while walking with the gun under his arm the trigger got entangled with his trousers and it went off, badly damaging his arm. The most unfortunate part is that the man is already minus of an arm, and it is probable that he will lose the other. On his arrival in Limon he was carried to the United Fruit Company's hospital.

The United Fruit Company steamer “Miami”, from Manchester with mails and passengers is timed to arrive here early today.

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“I am not ashamed of my latest book,” said the author. “Of course not,” said the local critic. “I noticed its gilt edges, and the beautifully colored frontispiece.”

“I was engaged ten times,” says the lady with the double chin, “before I finally married.” “Yes?” comments the lady with the fur bonnet. “It's awfully hard for some women to land a man definitely.”

Minister May Resign

Berlin.—According to newspaper reports, Baron De Rio Branco, the Brazilian Foreign Minister, who is soon to arrive in Berlin, is about to resign his office and settle in this city. Should his health be restored, it is said to be probable that he will be appointed minister to Germany. The Brazilian legation has no definite information on the matter.

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