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MARINES LANDED
ANGLO-GERMAN FLEET TAKES POSSESSION OF LA GUAIRA.
SITUATION IS MOST CRITICAL
ARRESTS AT CARACAS REGARDED AS A DECLARATION OF WAR.

LaGuaira, Dec. 10.—The combined Anglo-German fleet is entering this harbor. The first vessels are not 300 feet from the custom house. The landing of marines has begun.
A Call to Arms by Castro.
Paris, Dec. 10.—The Venezuelan government, in a communication issued here, states that President Castro has appealed to the Venezuelan people to take up arms against Germany and Great Britain.

Boven Demands Release of Prisoners.
Washington, Dec. 10.—Minister Bowen, at Caracas, advises the state department that he has secured the reluctant consent of President Castro to the release of the principal prisoners among the German and British subjects arrested yesterday.
British Cruiser Captures Gunboat.
Kingston, Island of Vincent, Dec. 10.—The British cruiser Charybdis seized the Venezuelan gunboat Bolivar in the harbor of Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, last night.

Venezuela in Defiant Mood.
Paris, Dec. 10.—The Venezuelan government, in a communication to its representative here, protests that Great Britain and Germany, acting in concert, have committed an act of hostility in a manner as arbitrary as it is unprecedented.

Hostile Demonstration at Caracas.
Willemstad, Curacao, Dec. 10.—There was great patriotic demonstration in rived that British and German warships had seized the Venezuelan war vessels at LaGuaira.

Arrests of Foreigners Ordered.
The excitement was still intense when at 10 o'clock at night the government ordered the arrest of the German and English residents.

Central railway, and Mr. Wallace, manager of the telephone company, who escaped to the plain safely.
Sixty-seven Germans were arrested, among them the German consul, Valentine Blohm and Herr Kropp, manager of the German Central railway.

LaGuaira, Venezuela, Dec. 10.—Ten German and four British cutters captured the Venezuelan fleet yesterday. They went alongside the vessels and ordered them to surrender, and without a shot being fired the British and German crews landed on the shore.

Troops are expected from Caracas, as the government is credited with the intention of repulsing any landing by the allied forces.
The stores and banks are closed. Great excitement prevails, as the population fears the town may be shelled tonight.

A Practical Declaration of War.
Washington, Dec. 10.—It was said at the British and German embassies today that the action of President Castro in ordering the arrest of the British and German subjects at Caracas was without precedent in the history of civilized countries.

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STATEHOOD FIGHT ON
QUAY AND BEVERIDGE THE LEADERS IN SENATE BATTLE.

HOUSE HEARS THOUGHTFUL SPEECH
AGED G. A. GROW, SOON TO RETIRE, DELIVERS HIS VALEDICTORY.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Almost the entire session of the senate today was devoted to a discussion of the omnibus statehood bill, which came over as unfinished business from the last session.

Just before adjournment, Senator Nelson secured permission to withdraw the substitute in order to perfect it.
Senator Quay promptly insisted that the substitute, if withdrawn, should be sent back to the committee, but the chair ruled against him.

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SAD TRAIN COLLISION.
Bloomington, Ills., Dec. 10.—In a heavy fog a passenger and a freight train on the Illinois Central met in collision to-night near Birkbeck. John Roberts, conductor, and Thomas Duke, baggage master, of the passenger train, were fatally injured.

needs of deserving institutions in the Southern states. The understanding is the institution will be put into shape for business soon after the bill has received the president's signature.

George Sawyer, consul at Antigua, British West Indies has been appointed to succeed the late Thomas Nast as consul general at Guayaquil, Ecuador.

General conference of the house Republicans will be held on the 16th inst. to discuss the pending currency bill.
A favorable report on the consular reform bill, as an amendment to the diplomatic appropriation bill, was today authorized by the senate committee on foreign relations.

MINER CHARGES BRIBERY.
Offered Money, He Says, to Induce Union to Vote a Return to Work.
Scranton, Dec. 10.—John Early, president of the Gypsy Grove local union, today testified before the strike commission that former Mine Foreman Michael Grimes had offered him and another mine worker \$250 each to show the local union, \$250 each to get a resolution passed sending the men from the locals back to work.

STRIKERS SCORE ON NOVEL POINT.
Question of the Standing of Organized Labor at Last Brought Into Court.
Camden, N. J., Dec. 10.—For the first time in the history of this country, the great question of whether or not organized labor has the same legal standing with organized capital, has at last been brought before a court by the granting today of an order by Vice Chancellor Gray requiring the Jones Glass company to show cause why an injunction should not be issued restraining it from interfering with the legitimate business of the strikers.

BETTING IS TABOOED.
Ann Arbor Students Who Indulge Will Be Suspended.
Ann Arbor, Dec. 10.—The faculty of Michigan University has decided to suspend students as a penalty for betting on any event in which the university shall participate in the future.

GREAT NILE DAM IS OPENED.
Assuan, Egypt, Dec. 10.—The great Nile reservoir and dam were opened today in the presence of the khedive and the Duke of Connaught and British officials.
The opening ceremony occurred in the afternoon, when the khedive turned the key which put the electric machinery in motion, whereupon the sluice gates were opened and a great body of water rushed through them.

