

SO NEAR, YET FAR

Both Parties to Strike for Arbitration.

BUT STILL IN A DEADLOCK

Neither Side Will Accept Proposal of Other.

"DICTION," SAY UNION MEN

They Object to Employers Naming the Board—Contractors Will Submit Wages but Not Unionism to Consideration.

Though arbitration is apparently desired by both the union men and the contractors, neither side will accept the proposal made by the other faction.

No answer will be made to the proposal of the association of Master Painters and Master Builders published in yesterday's Oregonian.

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WILL ACT ALONE

United States Will Protest to Russia.

AGAINST HER BAD FAITH

Independent of Other Powers, but on Same Lines.

GERMANY WILL SAY NOTHING

Russia Has Helped to Create Ill-Feeling Against Britain—Manchurian Grab First Step in Partition of China.

The United States will protest against the practical cession of Manchuria to Russia.

This country will act independently of Great Britain and Japan, though in harmony with them.

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HER FIRST TRIAL

Cup Defender Reliance Breasts Waves.

OWNERS ARE SATISFIED

Proves Good Sailing Qualities in Light Breeze.

QUICK TO ANSWER HER HELM

Trip Down Narragansett Bay in Good Breeze Shows New Yacht to be Strong Candidate for Cup Races.

YACHT RACES OF THE SEASON. 50-footer series—May 21, 23, 26, 28, 30. Glen Cove course; June 5, off Sandy Hook; 11th, annual regatta, New York Bay; 12th, off Sandy Hook; 15th, Glen Cove course; 17th, 18th, July 2, 4, 6 and 8, Newport, R. I.

BRISTOL, R. I., April 25.—In a 15-mile beat to windward down Narragansett Bay, out to sea, and a long run before the wind back to her moorings here, the Reliance, the new aspirant for the honor of defending the America's cup, was given her first builder's trial today.

ARMORED CRUISER COLORADO.

PHILADELPHIA, April 25.—The armored cruiser Colorado was launched today at Cramp's shipyard in the presence of a distinguished gathering of officials from Washington and the State of Colorado, including its entire Congressional delegation. Miss Cora May Peabody, daughter of Governor Peabody, of Colorado, broke the bottle of wine on the prow of the cruiser as she glided down the ways at 11:25 and into the Delaware River.

IN PRAIRIE LAND

President Goes From Mountains to Plains.

COWBOYS YELL FOR HIM

He Eats Cowboy Lunch With Black Hills Pioneers.

EXTOLTS THE TRAIL-BLAZERS

Journey Eastward Takes Him Through Land Where Pioneers Labeled—Children and Soldiers Give Him Greeting.

ALLIANCE With Britain Broken. It can be stated on authority that, despite the seeming harmony which existed between Germany and Great Britain in the Venezuelan imbroglio, the unpopularity of the Anglo-German alliance became acute at one time that it looked as if an open rupture would occur.

When the United States protests individually, as it is expected she will, Russia will be prepared to make certain concessions to American trade in Manchuria, which is really America's only vital interest in the matter.

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AS SEEN FROM THE SHORE.

Like All Herreshoff Yachts, She is Fast in Light Wind.

QUAKER HILL, PORTSMOUTH, R. I., April 25.—The trial sail of the Reliance was observed from this point.

When the sail was set for the first time this morning it was evident that Captain Barr did not like the set of it exactly, so it was lowered and the foot hauled out a bit on the boom.

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LAUNCHED AT CRAMP'S SHIPYARD YESTERDAY.

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WYOMING'S WORK FOR IRRIGATION.

In opening his address the President said he wished publicly to express his acknowledgement of the way in which the Wyoming Senators and Congressmen cooperated with him in Washington.

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