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Czar Will Order Recess of Parliament, Which Will Refuse to Move.

NICHOLAS GOING YACHTING

Russian Nation Will Have Choice Between Despot and Parliament—Revolution Gains Among Soldiers.

(Special Cable to the Central News and Oregonian.)

LONDON, June 16.—Returning parties from Madrid, who went there to see that magnificent pageant, the Spanish royal wedding, have brought some really delightful stories back with them about the young King and his younger bride. The most delicious of these was told by a lady-in-waiting in a Mayfair boudoir the other day and is already the story of all the ladies' clubs. It happened on the wedding day. The bride and groom had been made one and were apparently as lively as crickets after the many gorgeous ceremonies that had tired everybody else out. The great ball and reception had begun at the palace. Alfonso and Victoria had been seated on the throne and had received the homage of grandees for an hour. The royal quadrille was over. General dancing and promenade was going on.

The Queen-Mother stood in a rather large group, which included the Prince and Princess of Wales, other foreign royalties and some of their lords and ladies-in-waiting. They were talking animatedly, when suddenly the Queen-Mother stopped and looked about her. She raised her Majesties, the bride and the bridegroom. She is a great stickler for etiquette, is the Queen-Mother. She deserted one of King Alfonso's personal aides-de-camp and beckoned him to her.

On Still Hunt for King.

He is a particularly youthful officer, a playfellow of the King, and only recently appointed. The Queen-Mother told him to find the King at once and demand his presence. The youth bowed and departed. "The King is in Spain," he said. "He then just at 8 o'clock at night. In ten minutes the youthful aide-de-camp returned. He was out of breath and in a very excited state. He interrupted the Queen-Mother's conversation and blurted out: "Oh, Your Majesty, I cannot deliver your message. Their Majesties have gone to bed. The royal guards are locked and chamberlains guard the ante-rooms. They would not—" But the Queen-Mother stopped him and waved him away. The royal circle was dumfounded and for the moment disconcerted. Nobody dared laugh, but laughter bubbled over their faces, and their eyes sparkled with mirth. The Queen-Mother immediately broke up the circle, but not before she had whispered an epigram in the ear of the Princess of Wales, which was loud enough to be caught by others. "The poor children," she said. "They are almost too blentot."

Where English Falls Short.

She spoke, of course, in the universal diplomatic language, French, and I find it very hard to "do" the word "blentot" properly into English. But what astonished everybody who knew was when two hours later the young King and his blushing bride made their reappearance and joyfully led the way to the grand banquet. Later in the night, without a wink and with innocent faces, they allowed themselves to be led in state procession to the bridal chamber. First went the Queen, who was handed over to her ladies-in-waiting, her maid of honor and her ladies of the bedchamber. Then went the King, in charge of his retinue of lords and chamberlains of the chamber. It was a very late hour when, with the state blessing, the youthful couple were officially left alone to their slumbers.

It has come out since the wedding that the King of Spain really proposed first to another English Princess. At that time I stated that the Princess Patricia of Connaught would probably be the next Queen of Spain. Princess "Pat," as she is popularly called, was willing to become a Queen, but refused to change her religion. So Alfonso's proposal was rejected. It is a few women who can boast of refusing a King.

Mrs. C. P. Huntington's Ball.

The American hostesses are saving up their entertainments for Mrs. Lonworth, and we will from now on have almost a continuous performance of American dinners, concerts and balls. The ball given by Mrs. C. P. Huntington in the beautiful Clock House, on the Thames embankment at Chelsea, will go down in history as the most gorgeous floral display of the season. The cost for flowers alone is, I understand, over \$30,000.

SAYS POPE HAS CANCER.

ROME, June 15.—There has been many alarming reports and all sorts of contradictions regarding the Pope's health. Dr. Lapponi, the Papal physician, has given out several interviews, including one of special interest, to "La Stampa" of Turin. "The Pope," he said, "has had, so they tell me, gout for these six years. He has had only two attacks, however, since he set in the Papal chair, and since I have had the honor of attending him."

Dr. Lapponi refused, but he let drop the significant remark, "La malattia per se presenta in modo che nessuno mai credette che fosse gotta" (The malady, however, presents itself in such a manner that nobody would ever dream it was gout). Other physicians asked to dissect this remark refused to do so, pleading professional etiquette.

One noted savant, whose name is not made public, however, said that in an inner circle of the medical fraternity it is known that the Pope is suffering from cancer of the stomach and that at a special consultation of experts held two weeks ago it was declared that his malady had reached such a state that it was incurable. In other words, a death sentence inside of two years was pronounced.

SULTAN'S WORD IS BROKEN

American Ships Alone Can Secure Rights of Missions. BOSTON, June 15.—Conditions in Turkey are described as worse than ever in a letter just received at the Christian Endeavor headquarters in Boston. The letter, written by Dr. D. D. president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, written after a stay of nine days in Turkey. Dr. Clark writes:

"Our own missions and schools are in a more perilous condition than ever, and since our American fleet was withdrawn from Smyrna, there is only the verbal assurance of the Porte that our schools and churches would have as many privileges as those of other nations. The assurance, however, has been repeatedly repudiated, and there seems no likelihood of Americans getting their rights until another fleet visits Turkish waters."

Why Kaiser Visits Haakon.

BERLIN, June 15.—The court notes with surprise Emperor William's approaching visit to King Haakon, of Norway, as it is customary for a new sovereign to make the first visit. The probable reason for the step to be taken is that the Emperor desires to set at rest the stories that he was opposed to King Haakon's election and wanted a grandson of King Oscar to become King of Norway.

Castro to Resume Presidency.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—President Castro will resume the Presidency of Venezuela, July 5. The State Department received today a dispatch from the Venezuelan government announcing that on June 11 President Castro declared his intention to resign the Presidency and a delegation from the United States had requested him to resume the Presidency.

Submarine Mine Kills Fifty.

TOKYO, June 15.—The Japanese transport "Toyotomi" struck a mine Thursday evening and sank immediately, when 24 crew members were killed and 50 are missing.

FIGHT AT BIALYSTOK.

(Continued From Page 1.)

The rioting and giving the approximate number of dead and wounded. Black Hundreds, as well as revolutionists, are said to be mustering their forces for an impending conflict at Moscow. Their value to the regions of reaction, if it comes to an actual conflict, is small, however, as the dreaded Black Hundreds in the December revolt, though blustering and combative before that event, showed the white feather and took very little part in the actual fighting.

MASSACRES BECOME GENERAL

Continue at Bialystok and Extend to Other Cities. WARSAW, June 15.—The rioting is said to have extended to Lapy Station, on the St. Petersburg Railroad, and to Starosie Station, of the Southwestern Railroad. At both places the Jewish shops were looted and Jews were murdered or beaten.

Angry at Cannon's Snub.

Samuel Gompers and many other leaders have been angry all winter, and their anger has not cooled. They threatened Speaker Cannon early in the year with the displeasure of every unionist if he did not see to it that certain labor bills were passed. Mr. Cannon told Mr. Gompers and his associates that the interests of the whole country must be consulted, and that class legislation, even for labor, must be well considered before action can be taken.

Use Letters in Campaign.

Most of the letters were answered, and at the meeting next week Mr. Gompers will show them to the executive committee and ask them to decide whether they shall be made public at once or held until a more opportune time later in the campaign. It is said that the answers returned by some members are equally revealing. Those which are not to the liking of the labor unionists undoubtedly will be used to defeat the writers.

Fight for Eight-Hour Bill.

At present the influence of the leaders of labor is being exerted to secure the passage of the eight-hour bill. This bill provides that on all Government contracts eight hours shall be the limit of a day's work. There is a law in force that this shall be the limit of the working day of men employed directly by the United States, but the new legislation will extend the law to men who make contracts with the Government. This bill was in the hands of the committee on labor for months. Finally it was reported favorably to the House, but it stands virtually no chance of passage at this session. It never would have been reported favorably if some members of the committee believed to be opposed to it had been present when the report was voted.

JEWS FIRING FROM AMBUSH

Dead at Bialystok Number 100. BIALYSTOK, Via Warsaw, June 15.—In order to avenge the victims of massacre, Jewish revolutionists hidden on the roofs of houses, behind fences and the draperies of windows have fired all day with revolvers and rifles at the Government buildings and at workmen and peasants passing in the streets, and one band ambushed in a factory fired on the station and approaching trains.

Play "Newcome" in America.

LONDON, June 15.—E. S. Willard has secured the American rights for "Colonel Newcome," Michael Morton's dramatized version of Thackeray's "The Newcomes."

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Strive for Defeat of Congressmen Hostile to Labor Bills.

HAVE CANVASSED HOUSE

Federation's Council Will Consider Action on Letters of Members Who Refuse to Support Labor Legislation. WASHINGTON, June 15.—(Special.)—Political leaders in Washington believe that by their attempt to influence Congressional elections it will be possible to get a "straight line" on the power of the majority to influence votes. Within a few days there will be a meeting in this city of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, which plans to be laid for the defeat of those mem-

FATHER DESMARAIS OBTAINED APOSTOLIC BENEDICTION FOR HIS OREGON FRIENDS

ROME, Italy, May 26.—(To the Editor.)—It is a great pleasure for me, through the columns of your esteemed journal, to make known to all my friends, Catholic and non-Catholic, in Oregon, that in a faraway private audience granted me today by His Holiness the Pope I obtained a special apostolic benediction for their intentions. In the letter referred to by the Holy Father, the second article reads as follows: "Facultatem impertienti benedictionem apostolicam, nomine sanctissimae meae, omnibus parentibus et amicis tuis, neonem fidelius omnium miserationum in quibus, dum in Oregonio vesperet, adlaborasti."

The Pope was deeply interested in the report which I gave him of the missionary work in the State of Oregon. Last Sunday I attended the ceremony of the beatification of the Carmelite martyrs of Compeigne, in France. The Pope, seated in the sede gestatoria, was borne through the vast multitude which had gathered to witness the ceremony in St. Peter's. There were fully 40,000 persons in St. Peter's, and yet when the Pope appeared with his associates, the interest of the multitude was so great that they were full of joy and exclaimed "Viva il Papa," but such demonstrations in St. Peter's are forbidden by Pius X. The procession was led by hundreds of priests vested with cassock and surplice, monsignors and bishops, followed by 24 cardinals in their princely robes, and finally the Pope, with his white cassock and red stole, blessing the tens of thousands as they bowed before him. The deepest impression seemed to be made on the Pope himself. His features were full of love and sympathy, and it is said by those who stood near by that he shed tears on this solemn occasion. There were 18 Carmelite Sisters beatified for having been executed—proper religionem Christi—by the leaders of the French Revolution in 1794.

I leave Rome next Monday, "enchante de mon voyage." Of all cities in the world, past or present, there is no other city so comparable with Rome, the city of the Caesars and Popes. I have spent two months in Rome, and I have seen all the great churches and the ruins of the palaces of old, and I think among them all the grandest edifices ever undertaken and completed by the hand of man are the Villa Adriana (Palace of Emperor Adrian) and the Basilica of St. Peter's. Au revoir.

L. P. DESMARAIS.

County, Georgia, December 12, 1837,

and received his education at Mercer University, in that state, graduating in 1857. He studied law for several years in Savannah, where he commenced the practice of that profession in 1859. When the Civil War broke out he enlisted in the Confederate Army and served with credit. He returned to Savannah in 1865, and soon after became active in Democratic politics. He served in the State Senate from 1870 to 1873, the last three years as president of that body, and was Mayor of Savannah from 1883 to 1889.

PAPER TRUST PROTESTS

Objects to Restrictions Against Price Agreements in Decree.

ST. PAUL, June 15.—Judge Sanborn delivered an oral opinion in the United States Circuit Court this afternoon, directing that the decree asked for by the defendants against the General Paper Company et al. be dissolved. The form of the decree had been under discussion by Judge Sanborn during the day. A part of the decree to which the paper companies objected was that preventing defendants acting as selling agents for their constituent companies. This was waived as not affecting the interests of the public, which was already undergoing dissolution pursuant to the orders of the court.

FREE LOVE IN CHICAGO

"Home of Legalized Mormonism," Declares Divorce Court Judge.

CHICAGO, June 15.—"Hall, Chicago City of free love and legalized Mormonism!" Judge Gibbons, who made his annual report today to the Supreme Court, has made the above startling statement. He says, among other things, that Chicago is the Mecca of all the misguided members of the human family who seek solace in free love and that the law of divorce prevailing and enforced practically establishes legalized Mormonism.

GREAT PARTY'S 50TH YEAR.

Celebration of Republican Jubilee Begins at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—Informal celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Republican party began today, when several hundred delegates met in the rain to the historic Musical Fund Hall, wherein the first National Republican convention nominated John C. Fremont for President. The formal four-day celebration will begin tomorrow afternoon. Indications tonight point to a larger attendance of visitors and delegates to the National and State League of Republican Clubs than the committee expected. The Colorado delegates arrived tonight, and the California and other Western delegates will arrive tomorrow.

Lightning Kills a New Yorker.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 15.—Attorney-General Millman was struck by lightning and killed during a violent electrical storm here this afternoon. Millman, with his wife and child, was attending the pony show in Seneca Park when the storm broke. He was holding a steel-tipped umbrella, and the lightning ran down the rod, killing him and stunning his wife and child.

Insane Patient Hangs Herself.

STOCKTON, Cal., June 15.—Mrs. Phoebe Stecker, who was brought to Stockton from California, where she had been under other patients, committed suicide this morning by hanging herself with a rope made of strips of sheeting, which she attached to her bed.

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COLONEL LESTER DEAD

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The House today adopted the conference report on the bill opening the Blackfoot Indian Reservation, in Montana, to settlement. Although funeral arrangements cannot be completed until Mrs. Morrow leaves it is likely that the body will be taken from this city Monday evening and that burial will be in Savannah, probably Wednesday.

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