

Did Not Loot, but Provided for the Destitute Men and Women on Their Hands.

VICTORIA, April 23.-In an interview with the Kobe Heraid, Minister Conger, who is on his way to San Francisco, said:

There were really no acts on the part of the missionaries there that were not entirely sustified when the circumstances are known. The missionaries did not loot. They found 2000 destitute men and women on their hands. There was no povernment, ne organized authority. There were houses of men who had been firing on the foreign quarter, directing the attacking leaders of the Boxers; their property had been abandoned as a re-sult of the state of war, and it was taken in order to suppose hundrady of authority. in order to succor hundreds of suffering and destitute Chinese whose lives the original owners had been laboring to destroy. Winter was coming on and meas-ures of some kind were imperative and the appropriation of property for the ends in view was inquestionably justified. That, briefly, was the situation. I am prepared to justify the conduct of the American missionaries before the siege, during the sloge and after the slege. If you wish to get at the facts, there is a missionary on board who would probably give you all the particulars you

The missionary was Dr. Ament, who told the reporter that goods taken by the so-called loot committee were goods left in stores by people who had sought refuge in the legation during the slege, and the goods were taken to prevent their destruction. The clothes and bedding were given to men working on the barri-cades, and the committee handed Sir Claude MacDonald the key of the room in which all the valuables were stored. These goods were sold and the proceeds divided among the British soldlers. His

mission received but Sin. Previous to this a sale of garments and curios was held and the \$400 netted was given to the American mission board. Most of the goods were taken from buildings that the military authorities had ordered burned. Some of the goods were restored to the owners and other owners were recom-pensed for their losses. Dr. Ament ex-plains the sule of goods in the Mongol Prince's house where he took up his quar-ters by saying they were without food and sold the goods on the advice of Mr. Conger, and had they not taken possession the place would have been destroyed by the Russians. About \$4000 was realized by this sale and it was devoted to the needs of the native Christians. In conclusion Dr. Ament snid:

"The Chinese dammed up the canal and were going to drown us out. They supposed the foreigners had subterranean burrows in which to take refuge, and were certain that underground passages had been made from the logation to the Fu, so they resolved to drown us out like rats in a trap."

THE FRANCO-GERMAN EXPOSITION.

Allied Columns Have Arrived at the Great Wall,

BERLIN, April 23.-The German War Office has received the following advices from Co Aprfl 芸: ount von Waldersee, dated Pekin, Patrols sent out for the Kalgan dis-

trict found no gathering of Chinese troops there. Li Hung Chang informs me that General Liu's troops retired into the Province of Shan Si last Wednesday. The execution of the murderer of Capitain Earliech, of the Second Infantry, will take

ace at the scene of the orime, "The columns under General Bailloud and General Ketteler have arrived at the

great wall, the boundary of the Province of Shan SI, without opposition." Without reference to the assertion ca-bled from the United States that Ger-many has adopted an uncompromising at-titude in the matter of Chinese Indem-with the Mattered Zeitung cays. "It the National Zeitung says: "It id be borne in mind that Germany's nity. whole bearing hitherto shows how much

withdrawal of the Americans will make the others remain longer. There are also people who do not desire to see any of the soldlers go, fearing anarchy and an uprising against foreigners. The soldiers who return do so with all the bonors of war. Field Marshal von Waldersee has made an application that the gate of the forbidden city be guarded by German troops after the departure of the Amer-Icans. General Chaffee has replied that American soldiers will continue to guard the gate. At this the Germans are indignant, saying this impugns their hon-esty, and that if the United States desires to do her share of policing the city she should leave behind enough troops for that purpost; that merely a few men be. longing to the legation guards should con-trol the gate, which will be within the American quarters, cannot be allowed. If General Chaffee persists in this course, diplomatic representations will be made

in the matter. The Ministers of the foreign powers are meeting daily. They do not at present show a disposition to reduce the claims, which many think to be extremely reasonable.

ROCKHILL'S EFFORTS.

Trying to Prevent the Unnecessary Shedding of Blood.

WASHINGTON, April 23 .- It is said at the State Department that, no doubt without intention, the Pekin dispatches representing the United States as joining in the demand for more heads and more punishment in China do not correctly portray the position of this Government. As a matter of fact, Mr. Rockhill, our special commissioner at Pekin, is aiming to do all within his power to restrain the unnecessary shedding of blood His pres-

ence with the Ministers in their consid-eration of the subject of punishments of provincial officials is, therefore, distinctly palliative and deterrent. He is seeking to minimize the punishments, and it is not doubted that he can do this with greater doubted that he can do this with greater success by adhering to the councils of the Ministers than by completely with-drawing himself from their deliberations, even though the appearance is thereby conveyed that he is in full accord with

their demands. It is understood here that Prince Ching and Id Hung Chang are prepared to give a guarantee to the powers for the pro-tection of all foreigners in China, if the foreign troops now stationed there are withdrawn. Thus far the retention of the foreign forces has been urged as neceseary in order to preserve order and pro-tect foreigners, but the Chinese authorities say that order has been so far reestablished that the Imperial Government is fully able to direct the Chinese troops in such a way as to secure complete safe ty to the interests of all foreigners. This is understood to be the basis of the with. drawal of 10,000 French troops, and it is cornestly hoped among Chinese officials that this will be followed by a similar movement on the part of the other foreign forces in China,

Li Hung Chang Censured.

LONDON, April 23 .- A dispatch from Pekin says that Li Hung Chang has been censured severely in a special edict be-cause, after the French and Chinese had agreed upon boundaries, the Germans, who have no concern with this matter, marched west and threatened the Chinese The edict, it is said, orders Li Hung Chang to prevent the expedition, and says that if he fails, the responsibility for the con-sequence will rest on him. The Emperor, in the edict, says that Viceroys Liu Kun Yi and Chang Chih Tung were appointed joint negotiators with Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching, but that Li Hung Chang purns their opinions. Hereafter, it is dded, Li Hung Chang must consult with them on all important matters.

More Executions Demanded.

NEW YORK, April 23 .- A dispatch to

the Herald from Pekin says: The Ministers of England, France, America, Holland, Belgium and Italy, to whom the question of provincial punish-ments was assigned, have submitted a re. port to the diplomatic corps that they de-mand four more beheadings, and the pun-ishment by exile and degradation of 50 more officials. The demand was imme-diately sent by the diplomatic corps to the Chinese plenipotentiaries,

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family were prepared to do. Mrs. Hart.

taminy were prepared to do. Mrs. Hart-man is exceedingly rich, has a hand-some house in Berkeley Square, is a sis-ter of the Countess de Jacourt of Paris, and is not a friend of the King.

Italy's Trade Threatened.

been the dearest wish of the Budhess of Cornwall and York, a daughter of the late Duke of Teck, to get back her old BRITISH SHIP SUBSIDIES LONDON, April 23.-Mrs. Hartman, to whom King Edward has "granted the use of the White Lodge" (Richmond Park), is PARLIAMENT ORDERS AN INVESTI-GATION OF THE SUBJECT. or the white Longe (Richard has no connection with America, The phrase "granted the use of" is liable to misconception. As a matter of fact, Mrs. Hartman has tak-en a long lease of White Lodge, which has been a sort of white elephant on the bands of the averal femilie sizes the desth Income-Tax Resolution Adopted by the House of Commons-Sugar Duties Will Not Be Revised. hands of the royal family since the death of the Duke and Duchess of Teck. The place required a great deal of renovating and is expensive to keep up. This neith-er the Duke nor Duchess of Cornwall and York nor the other members of the royal family were meanand to do Mas Hart. LONDON, April 23 .- In the House

Commons today various members sharply criticised the budget's increase of the in-come tax, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, replied that more money must be raised somehow, and none of the objectors suggested a better way. He hoped that the additional taxation might bring home to the country the virtues of economy. The income tax the virtues of economy. The income tax resolution was adopted by 353 to 88 votes.

Later in the day, Evelyn Cecil, Con-servative, moved for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into the question of subsidies paid by foreign coun-tries to steamship companies, and the advisability of Great Britain granting simi-lar subsidies. In the course of the de-bate which followed, Gerald Balfour, Con-

ed States, he said the provisions of the treaty of commerce between France and the United States, if they had been apservative, announced that the government had already been considering the question proved by Congress without an equiva-lent understanding with Italy, would have driven Italy out of the American marof subsidizing a steamship company to stabilsh direct steamship service between | ket. A kind of universal fury is spreading



M. DELCASSE, FRENCH MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, NOW AT ST. PETERSBURG.

Great Britain and Zanzibar, and were willing to appoint a committee to inquire generally into the effect of foreign subsidies and shipping on British trade. This question of bounty, continued Mr. Balfour, was one on which grave apprehensions were entertained, and inquiry into the matter might do service, as he was dis-posed to think it would prove the fears entertained were exaggerated. At any rate, he concluded, it would be of ad-vantage to know where the government stood. Mr. Cecll's motion was amended in accordance with Mr. Balfour's sugges-tion, and was adopted. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir

Michael Hicks-Beach, informed a deputa-tion of brewers today that he could hold

fruitgrowers of California and Florida have forbidden their Government grant-ing the slightest facilities to Italy in treaties between Italy and United States. Signor Luzzatti alluded to the Agrar-ian Protectionists' demands in France, ian Protectionists demands in France, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Switzer-land, and asked: "Must we resign ourselves to our fate or defend ourselves, and how shall we defend ourselves? I shall answer these questions at the agricultural meeting to

in the United States, he said, where the

be held in Florence in May, but I am inclined to believe that the voice of the Agrarians is not that of their Govern ment.'

ation of Singing Societies.

TODAY MARK

Suffering in West Virginia.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia Beat Boston by a Close

St. Louis Bent Pittsburg

errors of the visitors. Attendance, 3500

St. Louis . 10 10 3 Pittsburg . 4 8

Batteries-Harper and Schriver; Wad-dell, Chesbro and Zimmer. Uhpire-

Games Postponed.

CINCENNATI, O., April 23.-Cincinnati-

Chicago game postponed; wet grounds. NEW YORK, April 23.-New York Brooklyn game postponed; wet grounds.

THE DAY'S RACES.

Winners at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.-Favorites scored in three events at Tanforan today, and the other events went to well-played

by riding three winners, while Ransc put over two. Results:

First shot, second; Estro, third, Time

Races at Nashville.

one-eighth seiling-Scotch

horses. Dominick carried off the

One mile selling-Mount Eagle

R. H. E.!

Dwyer.

R. H. E.

Score.

FLOOD AT CINCINNATI HAS NEARLY REACHED ITS HEIGHT.

City Bounded on Three Sides by Water-Suffering in the Tenement-House District.

CINCINNATI, April 23 .- While the Ohio

along the river fronts, after a shut-down of three days, and within 45 hours all the plants will be again in operation. River is reported tonight as falling from Pittsburg to the mouth of the Big Kanawaha, almost 300 miles, there is still The rivers continue to recede here and much distress from that point to Cincinat the headwaters. nati, about 209 miles. The Weather Bu-

reau still predicts that the limit will be HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 22.-The Ohlo River is \$3.5 feet and rising an reached tomorrow, and there will be still onio raver is say feet and rising an inch an hour. One foot more of water is expected here. News of great suffering from the flood comes from the interfor counties. The rain ceased at midnight for the first time in almost six days. less trouble below this city. While alarming reports come from Portsmouth, Hunt-

BARI, Italy, April 23.—Signor Luzzatti, ex-Minister of the Treasury, delivered an important speech today on the commercial relations between Italy and other countries. Referring to the Unitington, Cattlettsburg and intermediate points today, the Weather Bureau says the outlook is really encouraging and the beginning of the end will reach Cincinnati tomorrow, when the stage will not exceed 58 feet. The Big Sandy and other lower tributaries are falling, as well as the headwaters.

The most encouraging news today cam

from Point Pleasant, where the river be-came stationary, and later reports show that it is failing as far down as Marietia PHILADELPHIA, April 23.-In the eighth inning, today's game between Bos-ton and Philadelphia looked like a vic-tory for the visitors, but a timely triple by Delahanty with three men on bases and Parkersburg. In some of the smaller places bells were rung, cannons fired and ollification meetings held when the stabrought in the winning run for the home team. Attendance, 1215. Score: tionary stage was reached. Preparations are being made for demonstrations of re-Boston 3 10 2 Philadelphia 5 joicing throughout the Pomeroy Bend tomorrow. Pomeroy, Middleport and other places in that district have been badly and Douglass. Umpire-Colgan. inundated and hundreds of families driven from their homes. The railroad stations

at these places were under water, and the officers moved to higher ground. Since the crest has passed, there is great alarm at Ashland, Ironton, Huntington, Ports-mouth and lower points, where the crest

of the flood is now passing, and where fulse reports have been circulated about another rise. One of these reports was that there had been a cloudburst up the Big Sandy, seriously affecting Cattletts-burg. The flood had caused the natural

gas pipe line supplying that place to burst, and the people were left without light or fuel there. The large rolling mills and factories were compelled to shut down for the same reason. From that point to Cincinnati, the rise fluctuates from one-tenth of an inch in some hours

to almost three-tenths in other hours. and when it increased tonight there was renewed alarm at Ironton and Portsmouth and points opposite them. The Weather Bureau here, however, reports tonight that a second rise is not threatened, and that the flood continues to pass out of the

Ohio Valley more rapidly. At 6 o'clock tonight the stage of the river here was 55.11 feet, and rising at the rate of two-tenths of a foot per hour. This is more than five feet above the

1:43. Half mile, purse—St. Philippina danger line, and within three feet of the limit expected during this flood. The Weather Bureau announces tonight that the river will become stationery here some time tomorrow, and that it will not exceed 53 feet, or eight feet above what is known as the danger line. The water reached the first floor of tenement-houses along the river front at 45 feet, but it

ment-houses along the river front, known as "Sausage Row" and "Rat Row," is over 10 feet deep on the first floors, and will likely be over 13 feet deep tomorrow. These tenements are so densely packed that there is no room in the upper stories for extra lodgers. The people were re-moved from the first floors yesterday, and from the second floors today. The coal and lumber yards along the river, as well

Six furlongs-Echo Dale won, Jim Clark econd, The Thrush third; time, 1:18%. Half mile-Baby Dixon won, Margary One mile seiling-Sue Johnson won, A Winner second, Grey Forge third; time, :43%. With the Ohio River on the south, the

Hall, on Third street, at the second stories. One hundred families have been driven out by the flood. bird shooters saying that the London match between the American and English teams must be held early in July in-stead of August. Secretary Paul North, of the American trap shooting team, said Health Inspection at Pittsburg. of the American trap shooting team, said today: "Unfortunately, we had already arranged for two shooting tournaments in this country in July. However, we will endexvor to have the home dates changed in order to be in London as the desired time." Mr. North stated that the American team would probably PITTSBURG, Pa., April 23-The offi-cials of the Allegheny Bureau of Health commenced a therough inspection of the flooded districts today. Every house that was inundated will be inspected and the occupants notified thoroughly to cleanse and distinfect it to prevent disense or plague. If the order is not obeyed within five days, the occupants will be proseagainst teams in Glasgow and Dublin following the London match. cuted. A similar inspection will be made in this city by the Pittsburg officials. Work was resumed today at many mills

Major Taylor's Victory.

NEW YORK, April 23 - According to & Major private disputch from France, Major Taylor, the American short-distance cycle champion, scored a signal victory a big field of European cracks. In an international open kilometer race (about 1993 yards) held at Roubaix yesterday, the colored wonder finished first. There were 10 competitors in this racing event, in-cluding Grogna, the Belgian champion, who finished second. A rider named who finished second. A rider named Dangia was third. The significance of the victory lies in the fact that Grogma has twice won the grand prize of Roubaix in 1859, defeating Tommaselli, the Italian champion, and last year Jacquelin, the French champion and greatest of all European riders.

Pugilist Smith's Condition.

LONDON, April 21.-"Billy" Smith, the American pugliist, who was knocked out a a contest at the National Sporting Club w last night, is still unconscious. His condition has been much worse since 10 o'clock tonight.

King Purchases a Mansion.

NEW YORK, April 21-There is very good reason to believe, says the Tribune's London correspondent, that the report that King Edward has purchased a Weish R. H. E. Batteries-Willis and Kittredge; Orth residence at Giynillfon, near Carnavon, is well founded. Princess Victoria, during her recent visit, stayed at this place, and

it is known that she was enthusiastic in praise of it. The King may make a pres-ent of the marsion to the Duke of Carn-ST. LOUIS, April 23.-Waddelt allowed St. Louis only three hits up to the seventh, then went wrong and Donovan's men piled up five runs, assisted by the many wall after he has been created Prince of Wales.

Rockefeller-Stillman.

NEW YORK, April 25.-Mahei Goodrich Stillman, daughter of James Stillman, and Percy A. Rockefeller, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rockefeller, were married at St. Bartholomew's Church today. The wedding was followed by a reception at the Stillman home. The newly-wedded

the Stillman home. The newly-wedded couple will prohably make a short Amer-lean tour and later go abroad.



Women suffering from female troubles and weakness, and from irregular or painful menses, ought not to lose hope if doctors cannot help them. Physicians are so busy with other diseases that they do not understand fully the peculiar ailments and the

delicate organism of woman. What the sufferer ought to do is to give a fair trial to

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druggists.

Parizade, second; Redan, third. Time 1:47%. Six furlongs selling-Gusto, won; Jingle Hingle, second; Gilssando, third. Time, 1:14%. Six furiongs selling-Boundies Flamero, second; Handlcapes, third. Time, 1:14%. Mile and Plaid, won; Goldone ,second; Castraophe, third. Time, 1:54%. Six furlongs selling-Hindoonet, won; Bood Hope, second; Mocorito, third. Good Time, 1:14.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 23 .- Sumas the warehouses in the lower part of the city, are submerged, but will suffer comparatively little loss because of the warning from the Weather Bureau. Judg-ing from the rafts of logs and drift in the river, many persons along the tribu-taries of the Ohio did not get the Weather Bureau reports, and were surprised.

Electric Railroad tracks. Both passenger

and freight trains on all the steam rail-roads are arriving and departing as usual,

although most of them are using subur-ban tracks. In the flooded district in

Four and a half furlongs, the William stake 2-year-olds-Jordan won, Ice Water second, Baccle third; time, 0:56%, Seven furlongs selling-Fellx Bard won,

Chopin second, Ben Lodi third; time, Little Miami on the east of the city, and

does not reach any of the business houses below 50 feet. The water in the tene-

she desires to re-establish order in Chi na as soon as possible." The Cologne, Volks Zeltung prints cor-

sionary in ndence from a German mis respondence from a German missionary in China, which says that in Southern Pe Chi Li the Boxers are preparing for an-other great rising, especially in the dis-tricts of Kuang Ping Fu and Nat Ming Fu, where the population sympathizes with the Boxers because of famine there. The population persistently disregards the decrees issued. Referring to Yu Hsien (the ex-Governor of Shan Si), the cor-respondent says Emperor Kwang Hsu was fully informed on the subject of Yu Hsieh's murders of foreigners, and ordered the Provincial Judge at Kan Su to decapitate Yu Hsien, who has since fied and disappeared.

Officials here emphasized by deny the re-port cabled from London that new com-plications have arisen in the Chinese question, and Washington, London and Berlin are busily coferrig on the subject.

JAPAN'S GAIN IN PRESTIGE.

Recent Triumph Not Spoiled by Undue Exultation.

YOROHAMA, April 12, via Victoria, B. C., April 23-There is no doubt that Japan has saved the situation in the far East so far in her determination to resist the Russian demands in Manchuria. All that was needed was for one of the powers to take a bold stand against the disturber of the peace, and the youngest and weakest of them all has been the one to seize the opportunity. Every vessel in the Italy, in consequence of the importance of their interests in certain South Ameri-fect efficiency, with a thoroughly organized transport service, and an army of 200,000 ready at a moment's notice, All this was, of course, fully known at St. Petersburg, and was the determining factor in the Russian back-down. Japan is now in no mond to let matters rest, and the entire press of the empire is unanimous in demanding that steps be taken to safeguard Manchuria for all time against Russian encroachments.

Through Russia's loss Japan has made an extraordinary gain in prestige. In as-sisting in the relief of the legations, and in her recent triumph, she has twice put nations of the world under lasting obligations. It is significant, however, that there is as yet no undue exuitation or bluster, while a manifest disinclination to indulge in any undue exhibition of triumph shows that Japan has assumed her place as a power to be reckoned with

in the future. Dr. Ament, of Pekin, while en route for San Francisco has thrown some new light on the death of Professor Hubert James. It ecoms that in the early days of the slege he was imprisoned for refusing to bend the knee to the Generalissimo, and was beheaded seven days later, his head being exposed at the Flowery Gate. Identification of the latter has placed his fate

April 10 a terrible fracas occurred between a party of 30 English and 30 Fre sailors. One Englishman was killed, while the French suffered severely. While the details are not yet to hand, it is reported that the British were the aggressors. The last of the Russian warships left in Japanese waters, the Sevastopol and the Zablynk, left Nagasaki yesterday at an

GUARDING A PEKIN GATE.

Dispute Between General Chaffee and Count von Waldersee.

PEKIN, April 28 .- Many applications have been made to Mr. Rockhill and Gen. eral Chaffee by Chinese of all degrees for the retention in China of the American troops until the general withdrawal of the troops of the powers. Many of those

ANTI-AMERICAN ALLIANCE. Little Interest in Washington in

Canevaro's Talk.

NEW YORK, April 23.-A special to the

Pimes from Washington says: Little serious interest is manifested here n the London reports suggesting the possibility of a world alliance against the United States for the reason set forth by Admiral Count Canevaro, of Italy. There have been discussions of the report among diplomatic scholars in the departments and in the Army and Navy, but most of those who have discussed the suggestions speak of them as idle and insational, being neither probable as inmercial supremacy." dicating an experiment or the allianc practicable, if really proposed to be un

dertaken. It is assumed that there are foreign ticians and statesmen who regarded with disfavor America's assertion of the Monroe doctrine while this Government is equiring territory in the, West Indies ind in Asiatic waters, the obvious cause

of the European dissatisfaction being the inhibition by that doctrine of continental nvasion and acquisition of South American territory. To these American officers who how free from desire to acquire know South American territory is the Admin istration and probably the great majority of the people, this report is regarded as calculated to create more alarm in South America than here. For if any of the South American countries obtained the impression that Germany or France or colonizing experiments after grabbing territory, the first hint of such a purpo would lead at once to an arrangemen that would involve not only the invaded country, but the whole continent in a controversy with the continental alliance. That distrust of the United States that has been manifested in Chile, Argentina Venezuela and other South American re publics would be forgotten in the event of any appeal to the Monroe doctrine, with the probability that the commercial interests of the invaders would be in-jured so badly that it would take years me the damage wrought in a very brief campaign of occupation and

olonization The common opinion among State De partment people about this suggested anti-American alliance is that until Europe can find a source of food supply more convenient and cheaper than the United States there is not likely to be an alliance for covering a scheme of land acquisition in South America or for any other undertaking involving no one can tell what complications, or what Euro-pean disturbances would be the outcome of a hastily devised plan to arrest the expansion and prosperity of the United States.

Edna May in London.

LONDON, April 23.-Edna May, in "The Girl From Up There," had a kindly re-ception at the Duke of York's Theater tonight and received abundant applause The expectations of the public wer were rather disappointed, as another "Belle of New York" had been looked for. While the morning papers al declare that "The Girl From Up There" falls to equal "The Belle of New York," the criticisms are fairly favorable and Miss May is corwelcomed. dially

Sale of an Arizona Mine.

PRESCOTT, Ariz., April 23 .-- E. T. Wells and W. C. Parsons, of Prescott, and Hugh McCrum, of San Francisco, sold today the McCabe mine to a syndicate of Chicago capitalists, headed by Frank Jager, the troops until the general withdrawal of the troops of the powers. Many of those who are making this request think the

cose duties. Commenting upon the placing of consols in the United States, the Liverpool Post

says; "It is an event of immense financial and economic significance. It shows that the balance of indebtedness is being changed. The United States is becoming Great Britain's creditor, and the change of relationship will necessarily have a very di rect effect on trade. It may influence the international financial position. If Lon-don's pre-eminence as the financial center of the world is lost and New York shares the position with London, the new situa. tion will be decidedly less favorable than the other to British financial and com-

Will Interfere With German Trade.

BERLIN, April 23 .- Semi-official correspondence emanating from persone near Dr. Von Miguel, Minister of Finance, ad-mits that the British sugar duty will stop the export of German sugar to the United States by way of England in order to avoid the countervailing duty.

PLOT AGAINST THE KAISER.

Emperor William Regards the Report as "Tartar News."

BERLIN, April 23 .- Emperor William regards the news of the plot against his life as "Tartarent nachricht" (Tartar news), but he approves the comprehensive steps now taken to arrest all the alleged plot ters. The Empress saw an account of the plot and immediately warned the Em-peror, who joked about the matter, thus removing her disquiet.

BREMERHAVEN, April 23,-Although the police made an unusually rigorous examination of the passengers and baggage of the steamer Halle, which arrived from Buenos Ayres today, in hopes of captur-ing the anarchist Romagnoli, who is said to have been deputed to assassinate Em. peror William, nothing positive resulted. The police, however, are suspicious of an Italian who landed here, and are having him carefully watched.

TURKISH TRANSPORT WRECKED. From 180 to 200 Men Lost Their

Lives.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 22.—The lat-est reports show that from 180 to 200 men were drowned or killed at the time of the wreck of the Turkish transport, Aslan, near Yembo, the first news of which was telegraphed from Jiddah, Arabia, April 1. According to the narrative of a survivor, there was savage fighting between the sailors and soldiers for possession of the few boats belonging to the transport. The captain and a portion of the crew, the survivors add, seized the boats and abandoned the ship, stabbing and belaboring with bludgeons the soldiers and pil-

grims bound for Mecca, of which latter there were 500 on board, who attempted to enter the boats. A mad panic ensued many hurling themselves into the water where they were drowned. At the ex-piration of 48 hours from the time the transport went ashore, boats from the coast rescued the survivors.

Disposed of a White Elephant. NEW YORK, April 23 .- A dispatch from London to the World says:

"It is rumored that King Edward has granted the use of White Lodge, Richmond Park, to Mrs. Hartman, a well-known American member of the "smart society," who resides in No. 33 Berkeley Square. The gift, which is for Mrs.

Hartman's life, is a most extraordinary and unexpected development. White Lodge has always been the most desirable of all the royal residences outside of those occupied by the monarchs. It was last tenanted by the late Duke and as of Teck, and it is known to have this afternoon.

BERLIN, April 23 .- Following the Em-peror's hint, a federation of male singing societies is now being organized for the

purpose of being able to offer regular prizes to composers for melodious, deepfeeling folk songs, and to foster their masterly rendition. His Majesty has promised 30,000 marks toward the fund, At Emperor William's express wish, the masterly promised German singing societies abroad, especial-ly those of the United States, will be invited to join the federation.

British Fusiliers Mutinied.

LONDON, April 23 .- Two hundred of the Royal Munston Fusiliers refused to pa-rade at Carlisle Fort, in Cork, last Monday, as a mark of their disapproval of being transferred from Spike Island to Carlisle Fort. As a precautionary meas-ure the officers of this battallon locked up the men's arms and notified military headquarters at Spike Island of the oc currence. It is understood soldiers from another battalion will be sent to Carlish Fort to bring the insubordinate soldiers pefore Thursday. under control.

Row in the Reichsrath.

VIENNA, April 23 .- Violent scenes between the Christian Socialists and Herr Voelki, the Pan-German, marked the carlier part of today's sitting of the Reichsrath Herr Voelki was denounced as a liar by Herr Wohlmeyer, and the former retorted: "You are a perfidious today. scoundrel. You are a disgrace to your y." In the subsequent uproar only exclamations as "dirty liar," "rep-and "traitor" were distinguished. party." tile" The din subsequently subsided,

German Tariff Basis.

LONDON, April 23.--A disputch received here from Berlin says the scale of cus-toms which it is proposed shall govern toms which it is proposed shall govern future commercial treatise is as follows: Wheat, rye and oats, 5½ marks per 100 kilograms; maize, 3½; barley mait, 5½; other mait, 8; steers, cows and caives, 5 marks per 100 kilos, live weight; oxen, 9; sheep, 14: hogs, 8.

Gold Discovery in Scotland. LONDON, April 24.-In connection with

the recent discovery of gold at Leith, Scotland, by workmen who were prepar ing the foundation for a hospital, it is announced that the crown authorities have informed the owners of the propof their intention to claim all the gold found.

Admiral Biriloff Decorated.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 22.-Admiral Birlloff, now commanding the Russian leet in Spanish waters, has received the grand cordon of the Spanish order of "Merito Naval." It is said that Admiral Biriloff will be replaced by Admiral Kreuger, who is now at the head of the cadet orps,

The Genoa Dock Strike.

GENOA, April 23.-The Premier, Signor Zanardelli, has telegraphed the strikers here that he would arbitrate their differ. ences with their employers if both sides agreed. Upon the receipt of the commu-nication the shipowners filso wired Signor Zanardelli to arbitrate the matter,

The Heir Apparent Called Down.

LONDON, April 24.-A dispatch from Vi-enna to the Express asserts that as an outcome of the violent agitation, Archduke Francis, the heir apparent, has, at the command of the Emperor, severed his connection with the Catholic Union.

Onhir Sails From Singapore. SINGAPORE, April 23.-The steamer Ophir, en route for Australia, with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York on board, sailed from here at 2:40 o'clock

the raging Mill Creek on the west, Cin-Five and a half furlongs selling-Zancinnati is bounded by water on three one won, Laureata second, Bansborough sides, and by hills on the north. From third; time, 1:00%. these hills a sea of water is in sight. The Big Miami today washed away much of the Cincinnati, Lawrenceburg & Aurora

Races at Aqueduct. NEW YORK, April 23.-Aqueduct sum

Five and a half furlongs-Hesper won All Gold second, St. Finnan third; time :09. Five furlongs selling-Carroll D won Red Damsel second, Lady Handy third,

the southeastern and western parts of the city today, the trimmers of the street electric lights made their rounds in boats tlme, 1:04 3-5. Five furlongs selling-Spry won, Walk-about second, Himyarine third; time,

instead of wagons, and had no trouble in reaching the lamps, The Cincinnati Base-1:04 1-5. The Canarsie stakes, four and a half furlongs-Golden Cottage won, Tamah Nawls second, Oom Paul third; time, ball Park, located in the Mill Creek Valley, on the west side, is under water tonight. The Reds opened the season by 0:56 4-5.

postponing seven games out of the first eight consecutive dates. They will play Mile and 70 yards selling-Knight of the Garter won, Double Dummy second, Blue n Chicago Friday, and be away for 19 away third; time, 1:49 3-5. days, by which time their grounds will be ready. The races at Newport are run under difficulties, but they will continue

1:04. tomorrow, and the crisis will be passed

At some places the conditions are quite had on the Kentucky side, notably around Newport, Bellevue and Dayton, Ky. These suburbs have arranged for light and water and there will be no suffering when the flood reaches its limits tomorrow. The Newport water works was unable to pump The large rolling mills and steel works there were compelled to close down. The number of people who have been

driven from their homes on the Kentucky side is not large. There has been no need of special relief work on either side of the At Ironton, the Ohio River, after be-

coming almost stationary at 3 o'clock this afternoon, began rising one inch per hour, which continues tonight. The stage was 57.1 at 6 o'clock. Many business houses were preparing to move their stocks on the strength of a reported rise up the river. There is much distress at Ironton on account of the scarcity of coal and the cutting off of the natural gas supply. Schoolhouses and public buildings have been opened to flood sufferers. At Pomeroy tonight the Ohio River is still rising slowly, and lacks 15 inches of reaching the great flood mark of three years ago. the great flood mark of three years ago. It is expected to become stationary be-fore morning. There was bright sun-shine today, taking off the snow. At Parkersburg, W. Va., the river gauged 43.6 feet tonight and was rising less than an inch per hour. Besides the loss in the manufacturing and wholesale districts in Parkersburg, many laborers are idle and about 1000

many laborers are idle and about 1000 people have been rendered homeless. At Charleston, W. Va., over 300 people were rendered homeless, and the loss of tim-ber in Elk, Poca, Cauley and Coal River has been very great. At Huntington, W. Va., the guage this evening was 46.4 and the river was still rising. Adjacent towns were submerged, the water in many intances being in second stories. Ove 000 persons are homeless in the distric Over around Huntington and many are destitute. In Harvey, near Central City, there are not half a dozen inhabited houses and it is expected that these will be vacated. All the towns in the valley that are lighted by natural gas are in darkness and without fuel, as the natural gas mains burst near Gallup, Ky.

gas mains burst near Gallup, Ky. At Marietta, O., about 59 families are homeless. The Ohlo became stationary there at 10 A. M. and afterwards fell slightly. Its rise tonight is due to a flood in the Muskingum. At Point Pleas-ant, W. Va., the water is all over the lower part of the city, over 200 families being driven from their homes. The Courthouse is full of colored neoning fed courthouse is full of colored people, fed by the clty. The large brick and tile works have been greatly damaged. At Ripley, O., the flood has reached Main street. Boats are used at the Ripley Bank, on Second street, and at Atwood's

Five furlongs selling-Ante Up won, Monad second, Fennimore third; time, A preparatory school of the highest grade for boys. Its students enter Leland Stanford and Eastern universities without examination. Lays Races at Newport. a most thorough foundation for suc-CINCINNATI, April 23 .- Summary at cessful study, including physical preparation. Football, baseball and Newport: Six furlongs-Grandma won, Miss Redtennis the year around. Only manly wood second, Madeline third; time, 1:30. Six furlongs, selling-Dan Rice won, Blackford second, Guerdon third; time, boys with highest recommendations taken. Charges reasonable.

:20%. Four and one-half furlongs-Rose of

Red won, Montana Ploneer second, Lady Alsea third; time, 1:00. Seven furlongs, selling-Ben Frost won, Peter Duryea second, Get About third;

time, 1:55%. One mile, selling-Heriba won, Myrian D second, Brown Vall third; time, 1:55%.

Haces at Lakeside.

CHICAGO, April 23 .- Summaries at Lakeside: Four and a half furlongs-Hoodwink won, Miss Cnele second, Poppy A third,

time 1:00 3-5. lime, 1:00 3-5. Six furlongs-Shut Up won, Sunro sec-ond, Avator third; time, 1:17. Six furlongs-Braw Lad won, Patroon

econd, Aaron third; time, 1:182-5. One mile-Leonewell won, Lord Lisa second, Give All third; time, 1:474-5. One mile-Jim W won, Tillie second Host third; time, 1:453-5.

One mile selling-Chancery won, Pres tar second, Oxnard third; time, 1:47.

Races at Epson.

LONDON, April 22.-An excellent programme and Summer-like weather at-tracted unusual crowds to the Epson Spring meeting today. The great Metro-politan Stakes was won by Evasit with Johnny Refff in the saddle. William C. Whitney's Billow II, the only American representative in the 17 starters, was unlaced. In the North Park plate, Rich ard Croker's Scotchman II, ridden by L Reiff, was third, Royal George winning La Luna won the great Surrey ap of 500 sovereigns, H. J. King's Esmi-alda H. ridden by L. Reiff, finishin hird. The Banstead plate of 200 sov reigns at six furlongs, was won b Gillarue, "Patsy" McDermutt having th Klilarue, "Patsy" McDermutt having the mount, Mr. McCreery's Escurial came in second with Danny Maher up.

International Clay Bird Shoot. CLEVELAND, O., April 23.-Referring o the cablegram from the British ciap

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