

PEACE TIES ARE FIRM

American Squadron's Visit to Kiel Fruitful.

COTTON GIVES HIS OPINION

Commander of the Fleet Discusses the Trip on Arrival in Denmark Waters on His Way to England.

KALLUNDORF, July 1.—The European squadron of the United States Navy arrived here today, en route to England from the Kiel regatta. Rear-Admiral Cotton, in giving his personal opinion of the visit to Kiel, said:

The happy intercourse between the officers of high rank and all the surface indications appear to show that the object of the visit was accomplished. Everything possible was done by Emperor William, Prince Henry and others to make our stay pleasant, which was reciprocated. The squadron will arrive in the inner harbor of Portsmouth at 9:30 A. M., July 7.

The squadron, consisting of the flagship Kearsarge, the San Francisco and the Chicago, will sail for Spithead, England, Friday, and will there meet the Mäclars, which passed through the Kiel Canal.

COTTON CABLES MOODY OF DOINGS.

Details Are Given of the Splendid Finale of the Festivities.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Details of the splendid finale of the festivities at Kiel, in honor of the American squadron, reached the Navy Department today in the following cablegram from Rear-Admiral Cotton, dated Kiel, June 30:

Yesterday, self, commanding officers, staff, and other officers of the fleet, together with the Emperor, Prince Henry, their suites and distinguished officials of state, navy and army. Late afternoon, self, staff, commanding officers took leave by special appointment of the Emperor on board Hohenzollern, at which he expressed warmest and most cordial sentiments for the President and the United States, requested our short stay at Kiel, and hoped visit would soon be repeated. Evening our Ambassador, self, staff, commanding officers were guests at dinner of Kiel Yacht Club, at which Emperor and Prince Henry were present. Fine electrical and searchlight display by German and American squadrons.

This morning the Emperor left for Eckernförde to return tomorrow. As Hohenzollern passed, flying royal standard, our squadron manned rails and saluted with 20 guns and German ensign at main, which was recognized by the Emperor dipping her ensign as she passed our squadron. Squadron sails at 6 o'clock today to arrive at Portsmouth, England, July 7. Will stop two days at Kallundborg, Denmark. Mäclars goes through canal today to rejoin squadron of Portsmouth.

KAISER'S BOAT AGAIN LOSES.

Hamburg Defeats the Meteor in the Kiel Regatta Races.

KIEL, Prussia, July 1.—In the handling boat race, the Meteor was the first to cross the finishing line, followed closely by the Orion. The Theres was third and Commodore fourth. The Meteor, which was the Hamburg boat, sailed by Emperor William, by 14 minutes. A strong, gusty, northwest wind was blowing. The official awards were as follows: The Emperor's Ida won the cruising schooner race on time allowance; the Meteor was second on time allowance, and the Hamburg was third. The Meteor, which allowed the Ida 40 minutes, was not officially placed in the race.

POWERS WILL BE HARD ON CHINA.

Payment of the Indemnity in Silver Will Not Be Accepted.

LONDON, July 1.—The Pekin correspondent of the Times telegraphs that since the arrival of Chang Chi Tung, Director of Commerce, and one of the most progressive of the Yangtze Viceroy's, who was recently summoned to Pekin by the Emperor Dowager, he has visited all the foreign heads of legations in whom he declares that China is seriously financially embarrassed, in consequence of which the powers should accept payment of the indemnity in silver. Chang Chi Tung says the Viceroy and other officials were led to believe that the indemnity was only \$50,000,000 in silver, without any reference to fluctuating exchange rates. None of the Ministers except the American representative would agree to the payment in silver. France and Russia were ready to pay out on a gold basis, and the legation of these two powers warned Chang Chi Tung that the powers would insist on the payment of the indemnity in gold and would take strong measures to enforce the terms of the protocol. They said in the event of non-compliance the powers contemplated seizing the salt gabelle, or recouping the native city of the Tientsin.

The consensus of opinion, says the correspondent, is that China does not deserve charitable treatment. The government has not made any attempt at financial reform, and the situation is as great as ever. The money squandered by the court of Pekin would pay double the amount of the indemnity.

AMERICAN TREATY IS UP AGAIN.

China Renews Negotiations Regarding Opening of Ports.

PEKIN, July 1.—Prince Ching, president of the Foreign Office, has returned home from the Summer Palace in order to hold a conference with Minister Conger in regard to the commercial treaty between China and the United States. It is understood that the Russian opposition which the Chinese Foreign Office insists prevents its signature is unchanged, though friends of the American treaty profess to expect that the coming conference between General Kurapatkin, the Russian Minister, and M. Lessar, the Russian Minister to China, at Port Arthur, will result in the removal of the Russian opposition. An official telegram has been sent to the new Viceroy of China directing him to order the troops in the field to exterminate the remaining rebels in Kwan-Si Province, where it is understood, the suffering from the famine eclipses losses caused by the rebellion.

BULGARIA ENTERS A PROTEST.

Attitude of Turkey Is Declared to Be Unbearable.

VIENNA, July 1.—It is announced that Bulgaria has sent a circular to its representatives abroad, and the ministers of powers in Sofia, calling attention to the attitude of Turkey, which it declares has not only failed to operate in carrying out the reform scheme, but is concentrating troops and artillery on the frontier, where the Turkish soldiers, under the guise of searching for arms, are perpetrating all sorts of outrages on the

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EVERY SALE OF THE WEEK IS ON

IT'S A SAFE TRIP TO THIS STORE TODAY

Large, permanent successes are all based on fairness. Think it over. What businesses have grown big, kept big and continue to grow? It is easy to criticize men and methods, and to offer advice—but be judicial; think it over. Think of this Olds, Wortman & King—"Different Store"—every month's business in its whole history showing growth over its predecessor, and, after its first year, over the corresponding month of the previous year. Lots of stores grow—grow just so big, and then either stick or go backwards. The germ of unfairness is there. The fair store must be fair from your standpoint—with no selfish narrowness obtruding. Shopping is no longer trading—where the purchaser had to look sharp and drive hard bargains. It is now simply drawing supplies from such storehouses as hold tempting things. Too much of the wrong thing bought, then (under pretty liberal interpretation) we are ready to take it back. We will not assume foolish losses, and we do expect you to be fairly prompt in returning goods—else we lose the chance of finding another customer for them.

The store must be as fair as a railroad ticket—seller—and it is as economical as a round-trip ticket.

Price-Pruning Knife Busy in Woman's Wear

New News From the Suit Department—2d Floor

These garments can richly sustain the superlative degree of speech, but we are not rhetoric-mongers—just merchants—and are quite content to limit our advertising to positive statements. We count these goods among the best thing possible for the season. It is a modest collection of smart or halting styles. All of them are very lately from the stockroom of America's leading manufacturers. But all must join the clearance and go now at some price to make room for the soon incoming Fall goods. Money-saving awaits buyers.

Women's Shirtwaist Suits Now Half Price

You may choose at your pleasure from among these seasonable garments now. Just at the time they're needed most, at half the former prices; for instance, values that were from \$30 to \$35, deduct one-half and take them. \$15.00 to \$17.50 to \$15.00

White Wash Suits in the Sale

These pretty, summery suits for vacation wear, or, in fact, for wear anywhere these Summer days, have been radically reduced. Reduced as follows: \$6.98

Smart Walking or Street Suits

All the suits that were \$25 to \$30.00, now \$12.50 to \$15.00 \$18.85

Silk and Lace Waists Reduced

Here are beauties in white and delicate colorings, all-over lace and crepe de chine, with beautiful antique lace trimmings, for calling or theater occasions. Reduced as follows: \$12.50 values for \$6.25 \$15.00 values for \$7.50 \$18.00 values for \$9.00 \$20.00 values for \$10.00 \$22.00 values for \$11.00 \$24.00 values for \$12.00

The "Sunburst" Plaited Skirts Reduced

These handsome calling skirts of pongee, etamine and alpaca, in blacks, navies, whites, reduced as follows: \$12.50 values for \$6.25 \$15.00 values for \$7.50 \$18.00 values for \$9.00 \$20.00 values for \$10.00 \$22.00 values for \$11.00 \$24.00 values for \$12.00

Silk Underskirts Reduced

\$10.00 values for \$5.00 \$12.50 values for \$6.25 \$15.00 values for \$7.50 \$18.00 values for \$9.00 \$20.00 values for \$10.00 \$22.00 values for \$11.00 \$24.00 values for \$12.00

NATIONAL FLAGS AND BUNTING

Is there a flag in the house, ready for Saturday-Independence day? Plenty here, all flag, double warp, well-twisted bunting flags, stars and stripes, 3x5, 4x6, 5x7, 6x8, 8x10, 10x12, 12x15, 15x20, 20x25, 25x30, 30x35, 35x40, 40x45, 45x50, 50x55, 55x60, 60x65, 65x70, 70x75, 75x80, 80x85, 85x90, 90x95, 95x100, 100x105, 105x110, 110x115, 115x120, 120x125, 125x130, 130x135, 135x140, 140x145, 145x150, 150x155, 155x160, 160x165, 165x170, 170x175, 175x180, 180x185, 185x190, 190x195, 195x200, 200x205, 205x210, 210x215, 215x220, 220x225, 225x230, 230x235, 235x240, 240x245, 245x250, 250x255, 255x260, 260x265, 265x270, 270x275, 275x280, 280x285, 285x290, 290x295, 295x300, 300x305, 305x310, 310x315, 315x320, 320x325, 325x330, 330x335, 335x340, 340x345, 345x350, 350x355, 355x360, 360x365, 365x370, 370x375, 375x380, 380x385, 385x390, 390x395, 395x400, 400x405, 405x410, 410x415, 415x420, 420x425, 425x430, 430x435, 435x440, 440x445, 445x450, 450x455, 455x460, 460x465, 465x470, 470x475, 475x480, 480x485, 485x490, 490x495, 495x500, 500x505, 505x510, 510x515, 515x520, 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