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LONDON, Nov. 2.—The negotiations between the British and Russian governments in regard to the international commission which is to investigate the North Sea incident are progressing, apparently, to the satisfaction of both sides.

The Foreign Office further stated it knew of no hitch in the proceedings. The Associated Press understands that at the audience which Ambassador Hargrave had with Emperor Nicholas at Tsarsko-Selo, October 31, and the audience which King Edward granted to Ambassador Benckendorff yesterday, both sovereigns expressed satisfaction at the prospect of a satisfactory settlement.

It was now regarded as almost certain that the commission will be composed of five naval officers, one Russian and one British, each power to choose another member, and the four to select a fifth. Russia has practically named Admiral Kasnakoff. Great Britain expressed intention of asking that a United States Naval officer sit on the commission.

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WILL CONTEST MUST PROCEED Superior Judge Denies Motion for Delay in the Dolbeer Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2.—Superior Judge Coffey today denied a motion for a postponement of the contest over the million-dollar estate left by the late Bertha Dolbeer. Her will, dated April 21 last, is opposed on the ground that Miss Dolbeer was then of unclouded mind and was unduly influenced by her companion, Etta M. Warren.

It Wants No More "Surprise Mobilizations" Without Explanation.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—Yesterday's attack of nerves, due to misinterpreted statements in the London newspapers, has given way to extreme calm. The newspapers angrily assailed the government for leaving London to wrangle with its fears all day long, when a word would have dispensed of all the alarms, and they suggest that if the Admiralty would require Vice-Admiral Lord Charles Rojestvensky to refrain from "surprise mobilizations" and other interesting maneuvers during the next few days it would not only add to the tranquillity of the country, but would smooth the way to a final settlement of the dispute.

TORPEDO-BOAT IS MISSING. Russian Admiral May Find He Has Fired on His Own Boats.

ALGIERS, Nov. 2.—It is stated that one of the torpedo-boats of Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron is missing, the torpedo flotilla having put in at this port. This dispatch, if found to be founded on fact, would seem to bear out the reports which have been current for several days past, that Admiral Rojestvensky fired on his own boats. The Admiral, in his explanation of the Dogger Bank tragedy, stated that one of the torpedo-boats which he fired on disappeared, and it may be that the boat now reported missing is the one sunk by a Russian shell.

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WILL BE JULY 4 IN PANAMA. Anniversary of Independence Will Be Celebrated Today. PANAMA, Nov. 2.—Tomorrow being the anniversary of the independence of the Republic of Panama, the occasion will be celebrated in various ways throughout the country.

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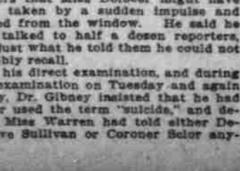
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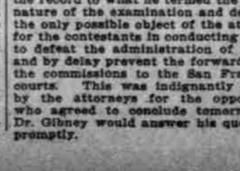
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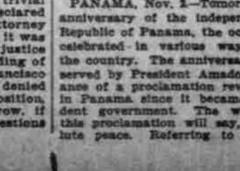
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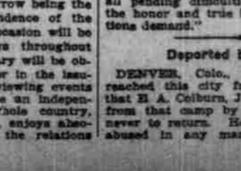
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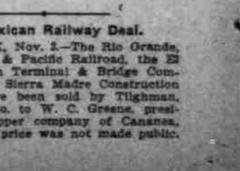
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