

HOUSE OF EMPIRE

Balfour Discusses Danger to India and England.

MUST BUILD RAILROADS

Plan to Offset Russian Advance on India—Civilized Nations Should Forbid Submarine Mines. Naval Defense Plans.

LONDON, May 11.—In the House of Commons today Premier Balfour said that having regard for the changes in the sea power of other nations, a redistribution of the fleet and army is desirable for colonial defense.

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Mr. Balfour said that the development of Russia toward India has, from time to time, caused great alarm.

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Mr. Balfour's statement was made in the course of a reply to a question on the subject of the defense of commercial ports.

He Believed Civilized Countries would Check the Sowing of Mines in the Waters of the World.

Mr. Balfour stated that in considering the difficulties of an invasion, he was obliged to base his calculations on the supposition that the enemy would be France.

Plans for Defending England.

Further detailing the plans evolved by the committee for the defense of the coast of Great Britain, the Premier said that, assuming the absence of the Mediterranean, Atlantic and some fleets in distant seas, the Admiralty would have ready for service within a few hours six battleships and six first-class cruisers.

AMERICAN'S FAREWELL GIFTS

Ambassador Porter Loaded With Them by Paris Colony.

PARIS, May 11.—A delegation from the American Art Association called on General Porter, the former American Ambassador, and presented to him a gold medal and a set of resolutions adopted by the association.

COUNT VICTIMIZES BANKERS

Divorced Husband of American Woman Accused of Fraud.

PARIS, May 11.—Count Czikowski, from whom his wife, who was Miss Edith T. Collins, of New York, secured a divorce, was arrested charged with obtaining money under false pretenses from Patrice & Tosi, bankers of this city.

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HARMONY WITH ALL. Stockgrowers Push Aside Hagenbarth's Glad Hand. REFUSE TO INDOORSE HIM. New Association Completes Organization and Refuses Alliance With Old One—Irish Discuss Range Problem. DENVER, May 11.—By a resolution adopted today, the American Stockgrowers' Association pledged itself to "work in harmony with all livestock associations, whether local, state or National."

The Right Hand of the Busy Man is the minute hand on an ELGIN WATCH. AFTER all it's the way a man looks in a Kirschbaum Suit that makes the difference. The good cloth and the good tailoring are there, of course, but to get the sum of all the good points try the clothes on. Ask for Kirschbaum Clothes (Warranted). Good stores everywhere, \$12 to \$25. Insist on seeing the Kirschbaum label inside breast pocket of coat. New Style Book free if you'll write for it. A. B. Kirschbaum & Co. (Makers) Philadelphia and New York.