

MASTER OF EUROPE

Kaiser's Plan to Humiliate France Made Clear.

HER ALLY NOW POWERLESS

Convinced That Germany Need Fear Nothing From Dual Alliance.

CHICAGO, June 15.—(Special.)—The Daily News Berlin correspondent says: "The authority of high officers of the German general staff, your correspondent is able to state that the possibility of an early return to Europe of Russia's Manchurian army will not have the slightest effect on Germany's plan to force France into a position of second-rate importance in Europe. As these dispatches have consistently pointed out, Morocco is only an incident in the Kaiser's plan for humiliating France."

WEDDED IN ROYAL STATE

SWEDISH PRINCE AND BRITISH PRINCESS UNITED.

Chapel Royal at Windsor Becomes Blaze of Uniforms and Jewels.

WINDSOR, England, June 15.—Windsor, the scene of many historic events, particularly during the reign of the late Queen Victoria, was in holiday attire today for the wedding of Princess Margaret of Connaught, daughter of the Duke of Connaught, to Prince Gustavus Adolphus, eldest son of Crown Prince Gustave of Sweden, all the arrangements for which were made under the personal direction of King Edward. Throughout the morning a procession of royal trains proceeded from London to Windsor, carrying representatives of most of the royal families of Europe, forming one of the most imposing gatherings since the King's coronation. Magnificent Summer weather greeted the young couple and showed the pretty town of Windsor at its best. The solemnity of the occasion was broken by the brilliant and brilliant decorations and brilliant ladies in full court dress with coronas as tiaras and wreaths many jewels.

FRENCH FLEET AT TANGIER

Ready for Business in Case of Trouble in Morocco.

SPECIAL CABLE.

FRANCE SAVED FROM WAR

Delcasse's Resignation Prevented a Conflict With Germany.

PARIS, June 15.—When M. Delcasse resigned the portfolio of the Foreign Affairs a few days ago, Germany and France were on the verge of war. M. Delcasse thought that Germany was bluffing. Prime Minister Rouvier, remembering 1870, believed that Germany had been for some weeks strengthening her garrisons near the French frontier. France responded with a similar move. The Kaiser, ignoring the Rouvier's invitation to the alliance, and had refrained from the military movement, Germany would consider it an unfriendly act. This, of course, was equivalent to an ultimatum, and M. Rouvier sent a conciliatory reply.

INSURGENT BAND KILLED OFF

Turks Make Complete Job With Macedonian Rebels.

Donegal Elects a Nationalist.

Case of Plague in England.

TANNER-CREEK SCANDAL

Attorney R. W. Montague Wants to Reopen the Subject.

CONGRATULATES FORMER KING

Norway's Diplomatic Course on Royal Wedding.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, June 15.—Flags are flying today from all the public buildings in honor of the wedding at Windsor of Prince Gustavus Adolphus to Princess Margaret, of Connaught.

Norway Not Mobilizing Army.

Split Among Dancing Masters.

PERSONAL MENTION.

La Grande's New Warehouse.

Dr. W. J. May, of Baker City, is a guest at the Perkins.

C. K. Henry and wife, of Hillsboro, are registered at the Fortlawrence.

W. A. Baker, a well-known attorney and politician of McMinnville, is stopping at the Imperial.

LET DOWN THE BARS

Taft Suggests Repeal of Chinese Exclusion Law.

CAUSES LOSS OF COMMERCE

Secretary of War in Commencement Address Discusses Several Live Questions of Public Affairs in Plain Terms.

OXFORD, O., June 15.—The feature of the eighth commencement of Miami University here today was the address of Secretary of War William H. Taft. It was delivered in the commencement tent erected in the campus among the forest trees. The unusually large audience made frequent interruptions with applause. In opening his speech, Secretary Taft touched on the racial question, stating the South and in this connection said: "Another encouraging feature of the present increase of wealth is that a large proportion of this increase has been in the South, a part of the nation which heretofore has been largely agricultural and poor. The change in the material conditions in the South, in spite of the political difficulties that certainly are there, is creating a better state of things with reference to the racial question. The work of Booker T. Washington in teaching his people how to use tools, instead of giving them a special university education which they cannot use, added to industrial demand for skilled labor, will, I am certain, put the negro population in a better position materially, and when that is brought about their spiritual and intellectual uplifting is much easier. The Southern States are engaged in adopting conditions which seem intended to exclude the negro from the ballot in fact without infringing the 15th amendment so palpably as to lead to their annulment by the Supreme Court, that I am hoping earnestly that the experiments of this sort will fail, but if they will lead to a result in which the laws shall exclude ignorant whites and blacks equally from the ballot, there is no reason to quarrel with the procedure, which will be square and honest."

Effects of Expansion.

Reference was made by Secretary Taft to "the enormous material expansion of this country," and to its standing among the nations beyond that which could be

LOSSES OF EACH ARMY IN BATTLE

Table with columns: Russian, Japanese, Engaged, Lost. Rows include battles like Tientsin, Khabarovsk, etc.

TO INVESTIGATE SHARKEY

Councilman Flegel Will Subpena Many Witnesses in Case.

ITS REFUSAL TO COMPLY

Action of Louisiana Purchase Corporation Will Be Reported.

Warrant Out for Howe.

File Incorporation Articles.

Dr. Wise Will Speak.

Effect of Unpunished Crime.

WHIST PLAYERS COMING

PLAY WILL BEGIN IN PORTLAND ON WEDNESDAY.

Pleasant Congress of North Pacific Whist Association Is Anticipated.

Whist players of California and the Northwest will gather in Portland next week and participate in the 12th annual whist congress of the North Pacific Whist Association. In addition to the players of the Pacific Northwest it is expected that a large number of clever Eastern whist players who are in Portland attending the Exposition will take part in the congress and the officials who will have charge of the convention are looking forward to one of the best and largest gatherings in the history of the organization.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Dr. Walker, 151 First Street, Corner Yamhill, Portland, Or.

RACES

SPRING MEET PORTLAND HUNT CLUB Saturday, June 17 At Irvington Racetrack

NINE RACES—NINE RACES

Three-Mile Paper Chase

Two-Mile Run Mile and 50 Yards 6 1/2 Furlongs 4 1/2 Furlongs

Music in Grandstand by Brown's Band

Races Commence at 1:30 P. M. Sharp Admission (including Grandstand) 50c.

awaken the indignation and emotion of the people and so call for prompt punishment.

Regarding divorce, Secretary Taft said: "Last year there were 612 divorces out of every 10,000 marriages. If this continues to grow, what will become of that which is today the foundation of our civilization and our state—the home and the family?"

He advocated giving Congress power to pass a universal law on the subject.

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Statistics on Russo-Japanese war, based on information compiled by General Tasker H. Bliss, of the General Staff, U. S. A.:

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acquired by them to one which had no insular possessions and confined itself within the seas. He continued:

The powerful influence which it has exerted to bring about peace between the Russian and Japanese empires is itself a source of pride to the President.

The honorary degree of LL. D. was formally conferred on Secretary Taft.

It is quite evident that the investigation of Councilman Sharkey, which is scheduled to take place tomorrow morning at 3 o'clock, before a committee composed of Councilmen Zimmerman, Bentley and Whiting, will assume unusual proportions, unless the plans outlined by the issuance of a quantity of John Doe subpoenas, which it is presumed, will be served upon all the witnesses who testified against Mr. Sharkey before the recent grand jury of Multnomah County, and whose evidence resulted in the membership from the Eighth Ward being severely censured by the inquisitorial body, it being alleged in their report that Sharkey was a member of the Wilds Construction Company, and in such capacity shared in the profits of the municipal contracts that were awarded to the corporation.

Flegel refused to divulge the names of those for whom the bank subpoenas were issued, claiming that any publicity in that respect would have a tendency to cause those wanted to run to cover, thus operating to defeat the ends of justice.

A warrant for the arrest of Charles H. Howe was placed in the hands of the police for service late yesterday afternoon. It was issued upon complaint of Professor Newell, of the Newell Academy, and charges Howe with assault with a dangerous weapon.

Howe is the man who shot at Arthur Fogarty, aged 14, a cadet at the Newell Academy, the bullet taking effect in the right shoulder. The boy is now confined at St. Vincent's Hospital, where he was taken afterwards and an operation performed. The boy was in the park with Howe's young daughter when shot.

Incorporation articles of the Hoefler Manufacturing Company were filed yesterday in the County Clerk's office by R. Hoefler, R. V. Jones and E. G. Miller; capital stock, \$25,000. The objects are to operate a plant for the manufacture of confectionery, etc.

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4-Extra Specials-4 FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Boys' Norfolk Suits (ages 3 to 10) in Worsteds, Cassimeres, Fancy Tweeds and Home-spuns—regular \$4.45, \$5.00, \$5.45 and \$6.00 values. This sale

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Sailor Blouse Suits (ages 3 to 9) in Worsteds, Cheviots, Fancy Tweeds and Blue Serges—regular \$4.45, \$5.00, \$5.45 values. This sale

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Boys' Knee Pants Regular 50c values. This sale

25c

Boys' Waists (ages 5 to 12) Plain and Fancy—regular 50c values. This sale

25c

Sam'l Rosenblatt & Co. RELIABLE CLOTHIERS

Corner Third and Morrison Sts.

Autoists Meet Death and Injury.

LYNN, Mass., June 15.—William Butler Woodruff, a prominent Boston business man, was killed in an automobile accident in Sagawee early today, and a man named Wood, of New York, was seriously injured.

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