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LONDON, June 17.—The practical certainty now that the peace negotiations cannot begin for another month leads to the conviction that another battle will be fought in the interval...

STRIVING TO PREVENT BATTLE

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WILLING TO PROVIDE KING

If Sweden Approves Disunion, Oscar Will Appoint Successor.

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All Other Norwegian Diplomats Stand by Their Country.

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WORKMEN FAVOR DISUNION.

Swedish Socialists Parade in Favor of Norway's Liberty.

STOCKHOLM, June 16.—The Social Democratic party this evening organized demonstrations of factory hands and other workers in favor of a peaceable settlement of the difficulties between Sweden and Norway...

SURVIVOR OF RUSSIAN FLEET

Auxiliary Cruiser Seeks Coal at Saigon to Go Home.

SAIGON, Cochinchina, June 15.—The Russian auxiliary cruiser Kouban, formerly the Hamburg-American line steamer Augusta Victoria, has arrived off this port and asked to be supplied with coal sufficient to reach the nearest Russian port...

DODGE IMMIGRATION LAW

Inspectors Discover Men in London Who Post Undesirables.

LONDON, June 16.—Marcus Braun and Mr. Fischberg, the American inspectors who have been inspecting the emigration from Continental countries to the United States, having concluded their labors in Austria, Hungary and Russian Poland, respectively, are now looking up the conditions prevailing at the embarking points of the big Atlantic liners...

TORPEDO KILLS COREANS.

Explodes in Being Dragged Ashore and Sends 35 to Paradise.

TOKYO, June 17.—To the hundreds of Russians who lost their lives in the destruction of Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet can be added the names of 35 Coreans who were blown to atoms by their unfortunate discovery of a torpedo, evidently used in the naval engagement, but which failed to strike and was washed upon the Korean coast...

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Russians Mourn Heroes of Battleship Alexander III.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 16.—A requiem mass will be celebrated tomorrow at the naval chapel for the repose of the souls of the officers and other members of the crew of the battleship Alexander III, who, the Admiralty announces, went down to a man in the battle of the Sea of Japan...

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