

PRESIDENT IS THE GUEST OF HARVARD

Makes Addresses, Cables German Emperor and Attends to Affairs of State.

Cordial Welcome Given

In All Nearly a Thousand Degrees Are Bestowed by the University, Including Secretary of War Taft.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 28.—Although nominally celebrating with the class of '89, the 25th anniversary of the Harvard University, President Roosevelt was today the honored guest of America's most ancient seat of learning. No degrees of honor were conferred upon him, as he already holds the highest degree the university is empowered to bestow, but the welcome accorded him by Cambridge citizens, alumni and college officials was most cordial.

The President entered heartily into the spirit of commencement day and played a leading part in all the functions incident to the occasion. It was scarcely 9 o'clock this morning when the Lieutenant-Governor, representing the commonwealth, called at the home of Bishop William Lawrence, where the President spent the night, to escort him to the Harvard Yard, where the academic procession was to form for the march to Sanders Theater.

Following the commencement exercises, the President made three public addresses, one at the Harvard Union, a second, and the principal one of his tour, at the annual alumni dinner in Memorial Hall, and a third from the steps of Memorial Hall to the members of the alumni who could not gain admittance to the Memorial Hall exercises. The speech in Memorial Hall, which was a general discussion of the mission of the college, evoked the greatest enthusiasm.

Second Day at University. President Roosevelt Attends Commencement Exercises.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 28.—The second day of President Roosevelt's visit to Harvard College to participate in the celebration incident to the 25th anniversary of the graduation of the class of 1880, included a varied programme. Among the earliest of the President's visitors today was Mary A. Taylor, the colored woman who did his washing while he was at college here.

Youngsters at the Baths. Amphibious youngsters made a run for the Portland Public Baths yesterday morning, for the establishment opened for the season. About 80 boys had swarmed and splattered in the shelving tank when closing time came.

Mrs. Sarah J. Ingie Dies. Mrs. Sarah J. Ingie, an aged pioneer, died at her home in Oswego, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. She was 92 years of age and had been ill for some time.

Cole Wins High Scholarship. AMHERST, Mass., June 28.—Among the students who received the highest scholarship ranking at Amherst College commencement today was Nelson Franklin Cole, of Walla Walla, Wash. Cole was voted the cum laude rank by the faculty, one of the highest scholarship rankings awarded any student at this commencement. He is the only far Western student in the graduating class.

A Missionary Rally. Last night, at Volunteers of America Hall, 20 Ankeny street, interesting addresses were given by Rev. W. J. Rogers and wife, who are on route to their mission field in India. They spoke of the late families in that country, the "Sacred City," women in bondage, and superstitions of Hindoism. Another meeting will be held at the same place tonight, to which all are invited.

French Club Will Not Take Part. PARIS, June 28.—The committee of the French Automobile Club has decided that France will not participate in the race in 1906 for the James Gordon Bennett International motor race cup, no matter what the result of this year's contest, may be.

Waiting on Russia

Japan Cannot Start Peace Mission Until Czar Decides.

QUESTION OF NUMBER

Rank of the Plenipotentiaries From St. Petersburg Must First Be Known by the Mikado's Government.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—Japan has expressed her willingness for the Washington conference to convene early in August, but it is impossible for her mission to wait until Russia officially names her plenipotentiaries and agrees upon the number of them, whether there shall be two or three. It is for which the President is waiting.

PRINCIPAL PRESENTS TO YALE. Million From Rockefeller Added to Million From Alumni.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 28.—President Hadley, of Yale, announced at a special dinner this afternoon that a gift of \$1,000,000 had been recently made by John D. Rockefeller. The gift is the largest single donation ever made to the university.

Choate Elected Class President. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 28.—Joseph H. Choate, of the class of '82, late ambassador to Great Britain, was elected president of the Association of the Alumni of Harvard College today.

Degrees Awarded at Yale. NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 28.—Degrees were awarded to 698 candidates at Yale today in connection with the formal exercises which annually mark the closing day of the commencement week festivities in New Haven.

Baron Rosen Sails for New York. PARIS, June 28.—Baron Rosen, the new ambassador to the United States, and Baroness Rosen left Paris this morning for New York on the Kaiser Wilhelm II, of the North German Lloyd line. They were accompanied by the depot by intimate friends and Russian officials.

Chinese Request Not Confirmed. ST. PETERSBURG, June 28.—The report that China has asked to be represented at the Washington peace meeting finds no confirmation here.

ARMY PRESENTS ARROW FRONT. Russian Planks in Manchuria No Longer Widely Extended.

Plot to Destroy Bridge Is Foiled. HARBIN, Manchuria, June 28.—A desperate plot to destroy the bridge over the Heilong River has been frustrated in time. Under orders from the Japanese commandant at Fiamenkeing is alleged to be serving the interests of Russia.

FRANCE PUSHED IN

Great Britain to Blame for Crisis With Germany.

SO SAYS RUSSIAN PAPER

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RUSSIAN ARMY IS FALLING BACK

General Linievitch is not attempting to retreat, but is drawing in his outposts lines upon Pleskau.

GUNSHU PASS, Manchuria, June 28.—The most disquieting feature of the strategic situation of the Russian armies in the persistence of the reports that Japanese cavalry and infantry with field and machine guns are working northward of Krlin and west of the Grand Trade route toward Bodune. The Japanese cavalry on the west is under the command of Generals Tamara and Akama.

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