

ARRIVAL AT NEWPORT

Russian Plenipotentiaries Will Finish Journey by Rail.

JAPANESE STAY ON DOLPHIN

Arrival Was Delayed at Rhode Island Port for Some Time on Account of the Thick Weather Outside.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6.—Instead of arriving at Portsmouth on Monday, the vessels placed at the disposal of the Russian and Japanese peace delegations will probably not reach that city before Tuesday morning.

Commander Winslow, of the Mayflower, the flagship of the squadron, issued instructions tonight to defer sailing until tomorrow. The vessels will, therefore, be unable to reach their destination before Monday night or Tuesday morning.

Commander Winslow signalled the dispatch-boat Dolphin, which had the Japanese envoys on board, and the convoy Galveston to enter Newport and leave for Portsmouth tomorrow.

As the Mayflower got under way this afternoon, M. Witte, who stood on the bridge with Commander Winslow, directed his hat to the Galveston and waved a hearty greeting.

VIEWED BY A CURIOS CROWD

M. Witte Much Amused by Experience at Newport.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 6.—The converted yacht Mayflower, with M. Witte and Baron Rosen on board, arrived here this afternoon, and arrangements were made for M. Witte to continue the journey to Portsmouth, N. H., by train.

The dispatch-boat Dolphin, which is conveying the Japanese representatives from Oyster Bay to Portsmouth, anchored at Brenton's Reef lightship, but after a few minutes' delay, it was ordered to return to the harbor.

HONOR FOR FRENCH FLEET

Great Demonstration to Be Made by England at Cowes.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The arrival of the French fleet in British waters today will mark the commencement of a notable week of festivities in honor of the victors.

SCENE OF PEACE CONFERENCE

Government Has Spared No Pains in Fitting Up Building.

vide the building are large dining-rooms, where midday luncheons will be served to the respective missions, and in the eastern dining-room, Admiral Mead, Commandant of the navy-yard, will give a banquet to the envoys, their suites and about 60 invited guests.

The fireproof rooms have been fitted up for the storage of documents. The conference room is impressively furnished. A mammoth table in the center is surrounded by huge chairs, beautifully upholstered in black leather.

The walls of the rooms are draped with flags contributed by the Navy in making the international code signals. The flags relieve the bare walls in all of the rooms, and are the only decorations. Handsome books, tables and chairs make all of the rooms up in elegant dignity. Persian rugs are laid on the floors.

It cost the United States Government \$15,000 to equip the quarters for the conference. The building, which is a costly structure, is now ready for occupancy.

Every available room in the hotel where the missions are to be quartered has been taken. The city is filled with a small army of newspaper correspondents, representing, in addition to the press associations and the great dailies of the United States, journals in Europe and Japan.

WITTE KISSES CONDUCTOR.

Russian Envoy Also Shakes Hands With Fireman and Engineer.

BOSTON, Aug. 6.—M. Witte and party arrived here from Newport at 11:49 tonight and were immediately driven to the Hotel Touraine. It is said the party will leave early tomorrow for Portsmouth.

Watching Witte's Movements.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 7.—(12 A. M.)—The morning newspapers appear to be full of commenting bitterly on the possibilities of the Portsmouth peace conference, but the movements of M. Witte and the others are followed closely and with interest by the people in the daily papers.

Pokotiloff Spends Day in St. Paul.

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The French squadron, consisting of 21 warships, is expected to anchor off Cowes about noon. The British squadron is lying off Spithead and the whole roadstead and surrounding waters present a brilliant scene.

Chimney Fire Attracts Crowd.

A chimney of the Hotel Barrie, at the corner of Sixth and Stark streets, caught fire last night about 11:30 o'clock, but burned out before the arrival of the firemen.

Chamberlain's Cough, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Three years ago we had three doctors who could do nothing for my little boy, and everything that they could do seemed in vain.

PROUD OF HER TWO BOYS

Mrs. Taggart Says She Is Fighting for Her Reputation.

WOOSTER, O., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—Grace Violet Taggart, the belle of more than one garrison and the defendant in a rather bitter divorce action, in an interview this afternoon, not only revealed herself as a woman of courage and purpose, but as the loyal mother of two of the finest boys that ever stepped into knickerbockers.

"Do you wish to make any statement which might correct any false impressions from your divorce?" she was asked. "Yes, there is one thing that I wish to say. It is for the sake of my little boys that I have come to Wooster to fight a case which involves, not only my own reputation, but the reputation of my children and to vindicate myself against the false charges," she replied.

"Do you feel the strain of the courtroom proceedings?" she was asked. "Yes, I do feel the strain very much. It is very trying and annoying. But I know that the truth and justice will prevail ultimately."

"Is there any reason why the Army woman should be depicted as less discreet than her sister?" she was asked. "Her eyes blazed with resentment. It was an impertinent question, but she forgave it after a few moments of reflection. Then she said slowly and distinctly: 'The Army life of a woman is not like the life, perhaps, of a woman of the small community like this. But ladies are charged against themselves with the same discretion and propriety that they do elsewhere. This parade of misconduct, improperly charged against the ladies, is gross exaggeration in the extreme.'"

"After the case is decided what are your plans for the future?" she was asked. "I hope to locate myself conveniently," she said. "I have always been devoted to the care and education of my boys. I love the little fellows. They never in their lives called me 'maw' or 'mamma.' It has always been 'mother.' I consider myself the proudest woman in the world to be the mother of these children. When the boys come to see me, the cloud of unpleasantness which envelops me in the courtroom, all goes away."

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VIEWERS AT A DISANCE

Telegraphers and Railway Officials Both Confident.

STRIKEBREAKERS SENT OUT

President of Operators Confident These Men Were Hired Under False Representations and Will Not Take Places.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 6.—There continues to be a wide variance between the official statements given out by the contending sides in the strike of the Order of Railway Telegraphers against the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads. Officials of the roads claim that the strike is practically at an end, and refuse to believe more will see its finish; that strikers are applying for their old positions, and that new men are being constantly employed; that regular trains are on schedule time, and freight is being moved promptly.

On the other hand, President H. B. Perham said to the Associated Press tonight that the situation, as reported to him, is more favorable to the operators than it has been at any stage of the strike, and that he is confident of victory. He admitted that the company was sending strikebreakers West, but not in such large numbers as the companies claimed. These men, he averred, were being hired under false pretenses, and that as soon as they became cognizant of the true state of affairs, they would quit the work and join the strikers.

Mr. Perham exhibited reports from various chairmen in the Western divisions showing that perhaps a freight was being moved, and that in many cases the yards were blocked, and little or no freight was being moved. One report stated that the Anetta line of the Great Northern, in North Dakota, had been struck, and that only one freight train had been run since the strike began. Only one night office was said to be open between Minot and Williston, N. D., on the Great Northern.

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