

in centuries The new ruler has been married 20 years. He expects to clean up all intrigue in the palace. While the cause of his monogamy possibly is have been inspired by the fact that his father, a sultan, and his brother, ex-crown prince, both committed suicide by cutting the veins of their wrists on account of being a bone of contention in their harems.

vomen were allowed the palace staff as dancers, singers, ladies in waiting, servants and cooks, but the the feminine contingent still fur- ariser About 25 per cent of the pal-girls were Circassians, noted for their beauty.

Girls Given as Gifts.

If a prominent Turk had a daughher mother to the sultana, who in-spected and examined her and if she passed was immediately put into the

the palace treasurer, who obtained the money from the government. When Mohammed VI slipped aboard a British warship last week he drew all the women's allowances for October and November and left without paying them, leaving them

a sort of missing link between the harem and the outside world, for they are the only exceptions to the sultan who is allowed to enter the sacred precincts. How much the new sultana will accept the arrangement is not known, but she will probably modify it extremely, as she inaugurated an unpreceduted innovation when she occupied a box at a public theatrical performance here, remaining unveiled for the whole

How many of the ex-sultan's wives she will retain as ladies also has not been decided, but probably they will all retire in private life on state pensions.

TIERNAN DIVORCE VOIDED

(Continued From First Page.) times. Her oldest daughter bore out the story of beatings, telling how he hit her across the face with a heavy purse last Saturday until it broke, when he picked up a choir to use on her, but desisted

the divorce, is aroused by Tiernan's hasty second marriage, and announces he will go to the bottom that, if collusion is shown, the divorce will be annulled, in which case Tiernan stands as a bigamist, in addition to facing prosecution for tricking the court into granting the divorce

Mrs. Tiernan, the deserted one, said Tiernan left her without a nickel to buy food for herself and the three children. In her anger today she declared she would kill Tiernan if he returned and attempted to take her daughters from her.

SHIPPERS DEFEND UNION

(Continued From First Page.) the two lines would seriously weaken both, and they could not expect the service they are now receiving from the companies as unified.

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