

# BRIDE OF THE RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT TO BE ABLAZE WITH MANY DIAMONDS

## SOLEMN GREEK RITES

### Brilliant Ceremony to Occur at Capital Tonight.

### Pavlov-des Plankes Marriage Will Be a Memorable Event in Washington Society.

(Journal Special Service.)  
 WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Artisans and decorators were busy at the Russian Embassy today making the necessary preparations for the wedding of Mlle. Irene des Plankes and M. Alexander Pavlov, Russian minister to Corea, which takes place in the parlors of the embassy late this evening. The wedding will be especially interesting to society folk, as it will be conducted in full accordance with the rites and ceremonies of the Russian Church. The ceremony will be solemnized by Bishop Tikhon, assisted by the Rev. Alexandre Hortovitsky, pastor of the Russian Church of St. Nicholas in New York City. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt, the diplomatic corps, the Cabinet families and many guests from resident society will be present.

The bride will be attended by Countess Cassini, niece of the Russian Ambassador, as maid of honor. The two bridesmaids will be Miss de Smirnov and Mlle. Dedyrensky, daughter of the Russian Consul General in New York. Little Miss Janine des Plankes, the 12-year-old sister of the bride, who, with her mother, has been in Washington for some time, will attend her sister as flower girl. The Russian Ambassador will act as the father of honor, with Mrs. John R. McLean as the mother of honor. Mrs. McLean has been selected for the honor because her sister, Mme. Bakhtiev, is the wife of a Russian diplomat, high in the favor of the Czar.

A pretty feature of the wedding will be the presence of a royal page, clad in white satin, bearing upon a white silken cushion the golden image, the ikon, which is in every room of a Russian



Mlle. des Plankes  
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home. This page will be the 8-year-old son of Mme. von Kreuter.

**In Lace and Diamonds.**  
 The bride will wear a trailing gown of white satin lace, with silver trimmings, and will carry a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Chief among her jeweled ornaments will be the gift of the bridegroom, a magnificent collar of diamonds, which clasps in front with a device of rubies, worth the price of a province. The other jewels to be worn by the bride will be the Russian Ambassador's gift, earrings of solitaire pearls, of unusual size, surrounded with diamonds. The gift of Countess Cassini is a ring of pigeon's blood rubies, set in diamonds. The other wedding gifts from relatives in Europe have been sent direct to Corea, where Mr. Pavlov will take his bride after a brief honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls.

Mlle. des Plankes, the bride-elect, has been a guest since early winter of the Countess Cassini. Since coming here she has created a stir in society circles because of her great beauty and her social position. Her father is the

# PARANAMA CANAL WIFE TELLS OF AN UNUSUAL FLIGHT

## Continuous Session—Morgan Ready for It.

## Describes How Husband After Tragedy Forced to Walk Through Street at Point of a Revolver.

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 WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 19.—In pursuance of the plan adopted by the caucus of Republican Senators, Cullom announced today at noon that he would move that the Senate go into executive session to consider the Panama Canal treaty and remain in continuous session until the treaty was ratified.

Senator Morgan's desk is piled high with reference books in preparation for an indefinite continuation speech against the referendum.

Herr von Protius, the newly appointed German minister to Washington, has been ordered by his government to proceed to Corea immediately.

The nomination of Day to the Supreme Court was sent to the Senate today. The nomination of Henry Hoyt of Pennsylvania to be Solicitor-General was also sent.

Quinn sided with Morgan. He proposes to block all legislation until the Omnibus bill is passed. Today he sent a copy of the Colombian constitution to the desk to be read. It required several hours' time.

The House today adopted an amendment to the military appropriation bill authorizing the superintendent of the Naval Academy to formulate rules to effectively prevent hazing.

## MAY DISCUSS PERJURY CHARGE

### The Walkers May Yet Escape Punishment.

In all probability, the charge of perjury, preferred against W. C. and Henry Walker, will be dismissed by the District Attorney.

The aged father, and his son, who eloped with May Payne and Martha Sims of Grass Valley, will probably escape punishment for their alleged crime, through a technicality of the law.

The seal of Multnomah County was not placed on the marriage licenses, and therefore, it is said, the charge of perjury could not be established in a court. Then, too, there is another phase of the case which renders it almost impossible to convict the Walkers. Henry Walker, the young man who married May Payne, is satisfactory to the girl's parents, and they could not be brought here to testify in the case. This is a very material point, as it is said, if they will not come, conviction could be next to impossible. Henry Walker swore that Miss Sims was over 18 years of age, and W. C. Walker, the father, swore that Miss Payne was over the same age. As Miss Payne's parents will not come here to aid the prosecution, it is pointed out that her age cannot be proved in court. Both men, it seems, took the girls' word for their age, and upon that word, made the affidavits. At least, that is what the men have said, and they would presumably so testify at the trial, if the case ever went so far.

## EDITORS PLEASD WITH OUR CLIMATE

The following message was received from Oregon City by The Journal from the visiting North Dakota newspapermen:

"The editors from North Dakota are delighted with the beautiful Oregon weather. This is the best day they have experienced since leaving home. They are thoroughly enjoying the trip."

## ROSE GARDEN FOR THE FAIR

The Lewis and Clarke Fair will be beautified by a rose garden. For the purpose of having a fine exhibit of Oregon's flora, a committee of the agricultural committee of the Fair will be held Saturday afternoon at which some rose enthusiasts will be present. This committee consists of the following members:

F. L. Willis, A. Bush, John F. O'Shea, George W. Riddle and J. C. Cooper.

Those who were invited to meet with the committee are:

Rufus Malloy, Fred V. Holman, W. H. Bainhart, W. S. Elwood, Fred D. Matthews, G. Otten, George B. Forsythe, Rev. T. L. Elliott, L. L. Hawkins, M. Scheidecker and Charles E. Ladd.

## TO SUCCEED DAY.

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## YANKEE SAILORS FIGHT GERMANS

A lively scrap follows Meeting in Brussels.

## GEER GAINS AND LOSES TWO VOTES

(Continued from First Page.)

for a gentleman whose home is beside the sounding sea, for one who has at heart the great fishing interests and timber interests of the state. I wish to cast my vote for Hon. R. D. Hume."

**Only a Joke.**

There was a shout of laughter as the legislators realized that once more they had been made the victims of a practical joke.

Representative Hodson and Senator A. C. Smith voted when their names were called for Mayor Williams. But both changed to Geer before the result was announced. Senator Smith said in explanation of his action: "I am not a believer in voting flippantly for United States Senator, and therefore I have changed my vote but once. I changed then because I saw that the candidate for whom I had been voting had no chance of election. I now yield to the persuasion of many friends and vote for a gentleman whose strength is rising all the time, who seems to be on the crest of the tidal wave. I vote for T. T. Geer."

There was one minor change in today's ballot which may prove significant. Paulsen of Clackamas, who deserted Fulton for Geer two days ago, on the ground that he could no longer understand the demands of his constituents for the ex-Governor's election as Senator, voted today for Blinger Hermann. Paulsen has evidently satisfied his conscience by the two ballots which he has given. Geer and the fact that the latter is gaining strength is not a sufficient argument to keep the Clackamas member in his column.

The two votes lost to Geer today were Paulsen and Nottingham.

It is expected that Multnomah will caucus again tonight, and the candidacy of Harvey W. Scott will be the absorbing subject before the delegation.

## ACADEMY STUDENTS.

The Fourth years threw out their chests.

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