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St. Petersburg, June 23.—There is no likely to be any further move in the direction of armistice until plenipotentiaries are appointed and the time of meeting definitely fixed. Japan is unwilling to discuss any new issue until these two questions are settled. Both countries seem perfectly willing to name negotiators but each apparently desires the other to show the lead first.

On account of Foreign Minister Lamsdorff's illness Ambassador Myer was unable to have a personal interview with him either yesterday or today. It is believed that communications from Washington are passing in written form.

Negotiations Delayed. Washington, June 23.—It is learned from official sources that owing to the illness of Count Lamsdorff there has been a slight check to negotiations. Specifically stated, this does not imply that there has been any delay, but simply that negotiations have been unavoidably delayed.

Newspaper Suspended. St. Petersburg, June 23.—The minister of the interior has prohibited the publication of the Russ for a month. General Alexieff has been appointed a member of the council of the empire.

Man With Bomb Arrested. Warsaw, June 23.—A man carrying a bomb was arrested this morning at the entrance of the Malewki police station. Bomb threats are anticipated in consequence of the recent shooting of a woman at Lodz.

Bloody Collision; Many Killed. Lodz, Russian Poland, June 23.—A bloody collision between soldiers and a crowd of people occurred today. Many were killed.

EMIGRATING TO AMERICA. Migrants Following Advice About Coming to This Country to Escape Oppression. St. Petersburg, June 23.—A letter from Caucasus says the Nokolans have agreed to follow the advice of Donkubors and are beginning to immigrate to America to escape official oppression. Count Tolstoi has been largely instrumental in inducing Donkubors to get to Canada.

WILL JEROME PROSECUTE? Court of General Sessions Will Not Take Regular Vacation Pending District Attorney's Move. New York, June 23.—The regular summer vacation of the court of general sessions will be suspended this year so the court may be available for the trial of Attorney Jerome begins prosecution in connection with the Equitable society. This action is taken upon request of Jerome.

OYAMA HAS THEM GUESSING. His Pause in Operations Causes the Russians to Wonder. St. Petersburg, June 23.—According to news from the front the Japanese advance has paused yesterday and the doubt exists as to whether a weak offensive is the precursor of a big battle or a diplomatic maneuver. Belief in a prompt conclusion of peace is weakening. The heat is intolerable. Even nights afford little relief.

SPAIN'S NEW CABINET. Personal Meets With Approval of Alfonso—General Weyler Minister of War. Madrid, June 23.—King Alfonso has approved of the new cabinet with General Weyler as premier and General Weyler minister of war.

VALUABLE JEWELS FOUND. One Containing \$32,000 Worth of Jewelry Found in Mentor Wreck. Cleveland, June 23.—A bag containing \$32,000 worth of jewels belonging to C. Beckwith, killed in the Mentor wreck was found in the wreckage today.

BA. K. CASHIER SHORT. New York Bank Officer Surrenders and Gives Bail—Several Thousand Shortage. Buffalo, June 23.—Fred R. Green, cashier of the Fredonia, N. Y., National bank, surrendered and gave bail today. The bank was closed by the comptroller of currency Monday. The warrant charges Green with several thousand dollars shortage.

ANOTHER WARRANT FOR HILL. Additional Charges of Forgery Have Been Brought Against Former Bureau Chief. Philadelphia, June 23.—Another warrant was issued today for the arrest of John W. Hill, formerly chief of the filtration bureau, on the charges of forgery. Hill is now under \$8,000 bail for trial on similar charges.

TWO FREIGHTERS SINK. River Boats Go Down Near Detroit—Two Men Drowned. Detroit, June 23.—The freighters, City of Rome and Linden, laden with coal, were sunk today in St. Clair river. Cooks Harly and Wise of the Linden, were drowned. Other members of both crews were saved.

RUSSIAN COUNTESS UNDER SUSPICION

New York Man and Several Other Guests at St. Petersburg Hotel Robbed of Jewels and Money. Suspicion Rests on Countess, But no Arrest Made.

St. Petersburg, June 23.—Theodore S. Darling, of New York, and several other guests of the Hotel de L'Europe, have been robbed of all their valuables. Darling lost a diamond necklace and a sum of money. Subsequently the necklace was discovered in a pawnshop. With assistance of the American embassy, efforts are now being made to recover the stolen property. Considerable mystery surrounds the robbery. Suspicion fell on a Russian countess, but when accused she threatened to sue the proprietress of the hotel and no attempt has been made to prosecute her.

WAS NOT ON THE FLYER. Uneasiness For a Business Man Disappeared When It Was Found That He Was Not on the 20th Century Train. Boston, June 23.—Telegrams from W. H. Abbott of Boston, manager of the Wheeling Corrugating Company, among those reported missing after the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited, show that he was not a passenger on the train.

Another Reduction in Sugar. New York, June 23.—All grades of refined sugar are reduced ten cents a hundred pounds.

PANAMA'S FIRST SHIP. Entire Navy of the Isthmian Republic Invades Harbor of Charleston. Charleston, June 23.—The entire navy of the republic of Panama floated in Charleston harbor yesterday for a few hours in the form of the small steamer Orineta, recently built at New York and now en route to the infant republic. It was the first time that the flag of Panama waved from the mast of a vessel in Charleston harbor, the flag consisting of four square, two of white, one in the upper left and the other in the lower right hand corner, and two squares, one each of red and blue. In one of the white squares there is a single star of blue and in the other a red star. The vessel is about 180 tons and 125 feet in length, built at a cost of about \$35,000. She is in command of Capt. Lovelace, with a crew of fourteen men. At Jacksonville a crew from Panama will meet the boat and take formal possession of her. Seven small guns are to be mounted on her upon her arrival at Colon. She stopped here for coal.

PUBLISHERS' PAPER COMPANY. New Name Substituted For the Eastern Timber Company, in Conformity With Court Ruling. New York, June 23.—The stockholders of the Eastern Timber Company met today, in conformity with a recent decision of the Supreme Court of Maine, and changed the name of the corporation to the Publishers' Paper Company. The issue of two and a half millions in bonds was approved. These directors were elected: Victor P. Lawson, Frank B. Noyes, and Augustus S. Peabody, of Chicago; Robert Van Courtlandt, Oakleigh Thorn, H. B. Hollins, B. E. Yeakum, J. R. Burnett, H. E. Parsons and J. P. Ackerman, of New York, and George B. James, of Boston.

FRANCO-GERMAN SITUATION NOT YET RELIEVED. German Government Circles Note With Some Concern That Powerful Intrigues Are Going On, Having for Their Object War Between France and Germany.

French Note on Subject of Proposed Moroccan Conference is Handed to German Foreign Office. Situation Exactly Where It Was Before. Berlin, June 23.—The French note on the subject of the proposed Moroccan conference was handed to the foreign office this morning. The foreign office admits that the note leaves the situation where it was before. The points of disagreement between Germany and France has not been removed. It is expected the negotiations will continue a long time before a positive result is reached. While the delay might under ordinary circumstances be of advantage in affording time for excitement to subside, German government circles note with some concern that powerful intrigues are going on, having for their object war between Germany and France.

ONE THOUSAND REPULSED. Japanese Pursued the Enemy's Infantry, Inflicting Heavy Loss—Heights Captured—Officially Reported. Tokyo, June 23.—The following official dispatch has been received from headquarters of the Japanese armies in Manchuria: "In the vicinity of Yingcheng on June 21 our forces repulsed one thousand and the enemy's infantry with heavy loss and pursued them to the vicinity of the Weiyuanpaomen. The enemy, consisting of three battalions and four squadrons with twelve guns, advanced through the eastern districts of Kirin road and moved southward on June 21. Our force, after a few hours engagement, assaulted this offensive and completely repulsed the enemy, captured the heights and pursued him. "Otherwise the situation is unchanged."

COTTON CROP PREDICTION. Southern Cotton Association Estimates the Next Crop at 10,285,876 Bales. Atlanta, June 23.—Reports from the correspondents of the Southern Cotton Association through the cotton belt, based upon existing conditions, indicate that the yield of cotton for the season 1905-06 will be 10,285,876 commercial bales. The percentage of estimated reductions in yield by states, as compared with the last crop, follows: Alabama, 7.89; Arkansas, 22.16; Florida, 22.17; Georgia, 23.11; Indian Territory, 21.98; Louisiana, 25.70; Mississippi, 27.25; Oklahoma, 25.70; North Carolina, 30.70; South Carolina, 29.45; Tennessee, 18.0; Texas, 23.96; various, 20.0.

JUROR SLEPT WHILE TRIAL WAS GOING ON

Counsel for Southern Moves That Verdict for \$4,000 in the Brown Case be Set Aside Because it is Excessive and Against Weight of Evidence. The jury in the case of Sallie Brown administratrix of Charles Brown, against the Southern railway, brought in a verdict this afternoon awarding the plaintiff \$4,000 damages. Counsel for the Southern filed three motions.

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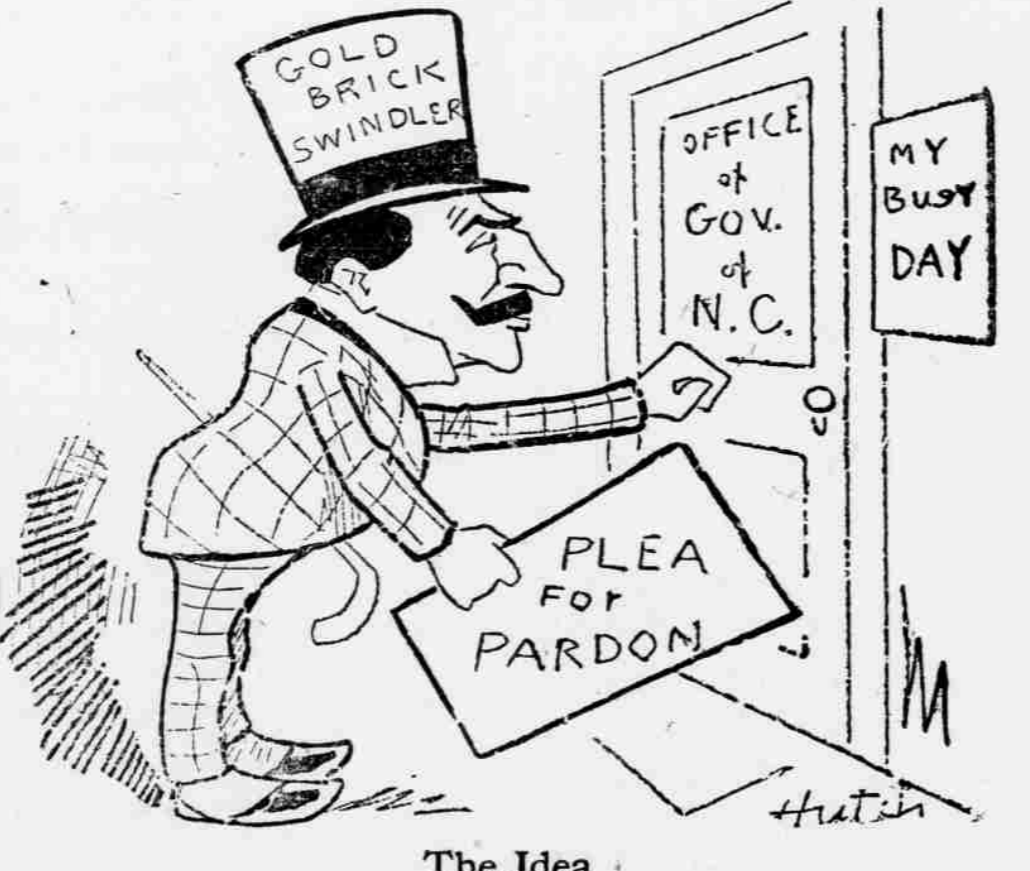
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