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Fair Tonight

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Fair Tomorrow

PRICE FIVE CENTS

CABINET CHANGE

EMPEROR WILLIAM WILL TRY NEW SET OF ADVISERS.

SCHOOL MASTER TO PRESIDE

He Worked Kaiser's Unpopular Educational Bill Through the Diet, and Then Resigned When the People Sat Down on Its Operations—Is in the Saddle for Another Race.

(By Associated Press.)

Berlin, May 4.—In well informed quarters, the representative of the Associated Press hears the sensational news that Emperor William wants Count Zedlitz Truetschler to become Prussian minister of the interior.

His being summoned here is generally interpreted as a sign that reactionism will reign in the new cabinet.

The Associated Press hears further that Baron von Rheinbaben, Prussian minister of the interior will succeed Dr. von Miquel as finance minister.

It is understood Dr. von Miquel, who has resigned the office of minister of finance, will be elevated to a higher rank.

WERE LOOKING FOR TROUBLE

Cubans Thought the Presence of an Officer at Election Registration Was a Menace.

(By Associated Press.)

Santiago de Cuba, May 4.—Yesterday was the last day for registration for the municipal elections in June.

There seems to be no doubt of the success of the whole republican party, notwithstanding the overwhelming majority of the nationalists.

CORRAL THE STOGIE TRADE

Long, Cheap Smokes Join the All-Pervailing Trust—May Have to Go Back to Pipes.

(By Associated Press.)

Wheeling, W. Va., May 4.—It is learned on indisputable authority that at least three and probably others of the Wheeling Stogie Manufacturing establishment have been approached by a syndicate made up of mostly New Yorkers.

Several Pittsburg concerns have been approached, but it is not known here with what success the members of the syndicate have met.

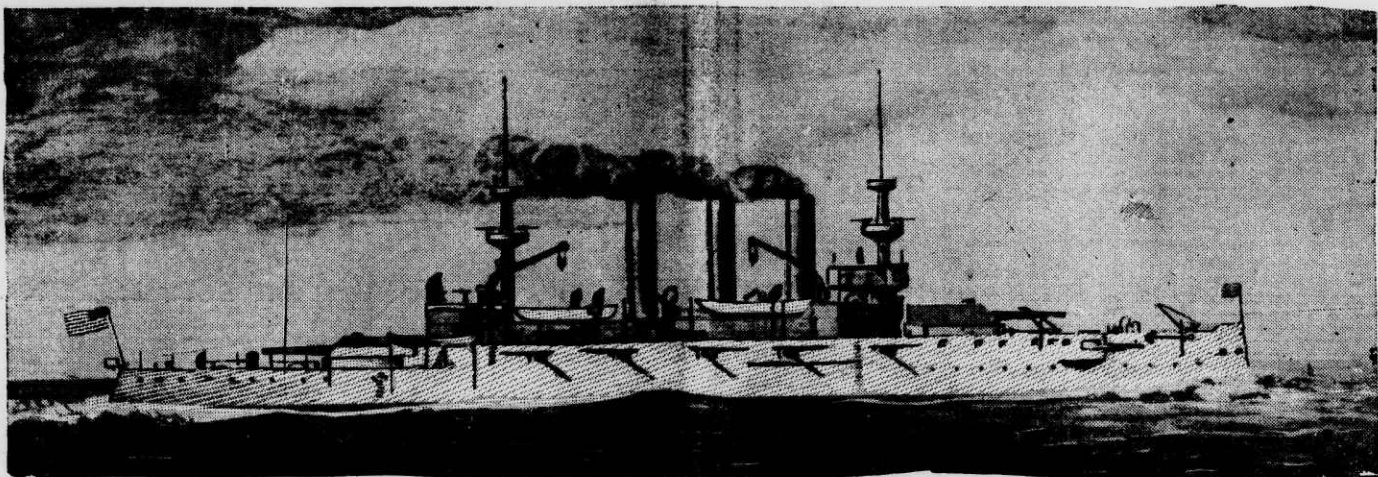
SAVED BY A FURIOUS STORM

Sealing Schooner Was Shut Up in a Vast Ice Floe, and in Danger of Being Crushed.

St. Johns, Newfoundland, May 4.—The sealing steamer Virginia Lake, with 270 men on board, that has been frozen in the lee at White Bay for the past six weeks, has been freed by a furious hurricane driving the ice back into the North Atlantic.

A hurricane is now sweeping Newfoundland's coast line and many of the fishing craft are seeking safety.

The Battleship Ohio, Our New Floating Fortress, Which McKinley Will Dedicate.



San Antonio, Texas, May 4.—President McKinley and party at 2:35 o'clock this afternoon. The president was up at 6 a. m. and sat alone on the back platform of the car reading a newspaper.

building. In front of which the president and Governor Sayres, walked with their hats off. The president reviewed the throng, made a brief speech, reviewed the troops at Fort Sam Houston and the school and college children and left at 12:50 for El Paso.

The battleship Ohio, which President McKinley will launch on his arrival at San Francisco, is one of three identical ships the Ohio, Missouri and Maine, authorized in 1898 and 1899.

will have an indicated horse power of 16,000 and will reach a speed of 18 knots an hour. The batteries will be 4 13-inch guns, 14 6-inch, 20 8-pounders and 8 magazine guns.

TWO LOUISIANA LYNCHINGS

Two Dangerous Louisiana Negroes Strung Up for Crimes Against the Blacks.

(By Associated Press.)

Shreveport La., May 4.—Two lynchings were reported in special to the Times. At Rhodessa, 24 miles above here, Felton Brigman, a negro, was lynched for assaulting and brutally abusing a six year old colored girl.

At Alden Bridge, six miles from Benton in Bossier parish, Grnt Johnson was strung up by a mob. Johnson kept a negro gambling house and was a menace to the peace of the neighborhood.

GOVERNMENT IS INDIFFERENT

Great Britain Stands Idly by While Ping Industries.

(By Associated Press.)

London, May 4.—The Daily Mail protests editorially, this morning against "the difference of the government while British trade is being ruined by foreign state, aided competition.

"If there were any certainty that Great Britain would retaliate, an American subsidy would probably be averted by some years at least, but there is no such certainty."

The Brooklyn Will Participate.

(By Associated Press.)

Melbourne, May 4.—The flagship Brooklyn, with Admiral Remy on board, has arrived at Hobson's bay. She will participate in the ceremonies attending the opening of the first federal parliament on May 6.

Gomez Pleads for Conciliation.

(By Associated Press.)

Havana, May 4.—In an open letter to a Havana paper, Gen. Maximo Gomez makes a strong plea for better relations between Cuba and the United States.

Member of Parliament Dead.

(By Associated Press.)

London, May 4.—Stanley Leighton, who had represented the conservatives of Shropshire in the house of commons since 1884, died at 6:10 this morning.

Did Not Get Coaling Station.

(By Associated Press.)

Berlin, May 4.—The foreign office authorizes an official denial of the statement that Germany has secured a naval coaling station on the island of Margarita, off the coast of Venezuela.

Miss Mary Daly to Wed James W. Gerard of New York.

This morning an announcement was made which greatly excited the Butte friends of the Daly family. The engagement of Miss Mary Augusta Daly, known here as "Molly" was announced.

The first announcement was made in Anaconda and soon flashed over the wire to Butte. No one knew who the happy man was, but had heard the rumors.

Some time ago the engagement of Miss Daly to another New York man was announced. It was of short duration though, and was broken off by Miss Daly for reasons she has never divulged.

148 BLOCKS OF THE HEART OF JACKSONVILLE SWEEPED TO RUINS

FIFTEEN MILLION DOLLARS LOSS—CHARRED AND BLACKENED SKELETON OF ONCE BEAUTIFUL CITY—RUMORS OF MANY LIVES LOST—TEN THOUSAND PEOPLE HOMELESS—FEAR OF OUTBREAK.

(By Associated Press.)

Jacksonville, Fla., May 4.—Today the hot sun of May rose smoke enshrouded over the devastated city. The fire which broke out yesterday at noon and aided in its work by a southwest gale spent its force by 9 o'clock last night.

The damage is enormous. One hundred and forty-eight blocks were swept by the flames and as far as known seven persons lost their lives. A report is in circulation that a party of twenty persons driven to the docks along the St. John's river were forced into the water, all attempts at rescue by boats were futile.

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all of old Jacksonville has been destroyed, nothing being left but a few suburbs and Riverside, the most fashionable part of the city.

It is believed the fire is the largest in the proportion to the size of the place that has ever visited any city. Many families lost libraries, pianos and household goods after they had been moved to a supposed place of safety.

Slept in the Street.

A conservative estimate places the number of homeless people in the city at 10,000. Most of these spent the night in the parks on the docks, on barges and some slept on what few belongings they managed to save from the general wreck.

The St. James hotel, which was destroyed, had been closed since April 19. The loss on this building is \$175,000. Among the buildings destroyed are:

ing, the largest office building in the city, the Hubbard building.

No Hint of Lawlessness.

Mayor Bowdon said to the Associated Press this morning:

"Say to the world, please, that the loss to Jacksonville is greater than ever before inflicted by a fire upon a city of the south, but her best wealth survives in her people.

"There is not a hint of lawlessness; our people of every race and condition have shown the most helpful spirit to each other and I cannot find words of commendation strong enough to express my admiration of the work done.

City a Veritable Furnace.

At 1 o'clock this morning a cordon composed of militiamen, deputy sheriffs and policemen were thrown around the entire fire swept district. The fire was still burning fiercely in many sections of the ruins but the exhausted firemen giving up the fight for the time being, sought rest, leaving the fire to burn itself out.

The most important retail business portion of the city and the buildings the entire length of Beaver street from Davis to the creek and over Liberty street have been burned. This covers 34 blocks.

Dynamite the Houses.

The local military companies were called out to keep back the crowds and the fire department began to use dynamite to blow up the houses a block from the fire and thus prevent the fire from spreading.

Weekly Fruit Service.

Kingston, Jamaica, May 4.—The legislature has passed a resolution in consequence of the successful fruit shipments to England, calling upon the imperial government to urge Elder, Dempster & Co. to establish a weekly service.

TRIES HER WINGS

SHAMROCK II. STARTS IN HER RACING CAREER.

BEAT THE ERIN DOWN THE BAY

Sails Faster Than Steam—Spreads the Largest Canvas Ever Made—Challenger Comes to Grief in Low Water, and Falls to Run on Dry Land—Stuck in a Mud Bank.

(By Associated Press.)

Southampton, May 4.—The new cup challenger started on her first trial sail this morning under excellent conditions. The sun shone bright and warm and a steady northeasterly breeze was blowing.

An immense amount of preparatory work has been satisfactorily carried out during the past week, and everything essential was ready when the Shamrock II left her berth.

Saluted by Americans.

While the challenger was preparing for her first sail, the American Lino steamer St. Louis passed her. There were a number of Americans on board, who closely scanned the challenger.

During the forenoon the breeze steadied and hardened until a fine, crisp northeasterly was blowing sufficiently to raise the white caps. The jib and staysail of the challenger were hoisted at an early hour, and when the word was given to raise the mainsail the speed with which it was hoisted from the deck, in American fashion, demonstrated the hardness of the appliances adopted.

The challenger hoisted her mainsail at 11:40 a. m., and shortly afterward slipped her moorings, and, lying over until her lee rail was almost awash, went reaching down Southampton water at a pace that made the Erin drive along at full speed to keep her in view.

The Shamrock went aground at low water off the Warner Lightship, after being out but a few hours. The Erin soon arrived to help her, and shortly succeeded in towing her free. Little damage was done, it is thought.

SUED RUBBER KING'S ESTATE

Millions of Dollars in Litigation—Reach Agreement and Go Out of Court.

(By Associated Press.)

Providence, L. I., May 4.—An agreement has been reached whereby all pending suits between the heirs of Joseph Bannigan, once president of the rubber combine and the United States Rubber company have been reached and the suits will be dropped.

The aggregate amount sued for was over \$4,000,000 and include a \$3,000,000 suit by the Bannigan heirs against the rubber company and a \$1,200,000 suit by the United States company against the Bannigans.

Macedonian Rising Not Popular.

(By Associated Press.)

Athens, May 4.—The Greek press attaches great importance to the forthcoming interview between King George of Greece and King Charles of Roumania, at which an understanding is expected to be reached that will make Bulgaria realize that a rising in Macedonia is not popular.

France Loans No Money to Czar.

(By Associated Press.)

Berlin, May 4.—German financiers having close relations with the Russian government, discredit the report of a Russian loan of 500,000,000 marks from France.

SOLDIERS IN ALASKA MAY BE STARVING

(By Associated Press.)

Seattle, Wash., May 4.—Information was received yesterday by Quartermaster Ruhlen, of this city to the effect that there is likely to be a shortage of provisions at Fort Gibbons, Alaska, unless early shipments are made.

The garrison there, it appears, issued rations to destitute miners to such an extent that serious inroads were made on its own stock of supplies. Shipments of provisions will be rushed north as soon as possible.

MALIGNANT HATRED OF ALL FOREIGNERS

(By Associated Press.)

Pekin, May 4.—A majority of the foreign ministers will leave Pekin next week for the western hills to spend the summer, taking with them military guards for their protection, their intention being to come to Pekin for the purpose of holding meetings and attending to necessary business.

Missionary Owen, of the London mission, says the western provinces are in a deplorable state. Discontent and intense hatred for foreigners prevail in more malignant form than ever.

POPE LEO NAMES HIS SUCCESSOR IN THE WILL

(By Associated Press.)

London, May 4.—The pope, according to a dispatch to the Times from Rome, is understood to have made a will designating his successor, thus, to quote the correspondent, modifying the habitual mode of choosing a pope by a conclave.

Dealing with the rumor of Cardinal Rampolla's retirement from the office of secretary of state, the correspondent says Rampolla is aiming for the high, and that if the pontiff died today the struggle would be between Cardinals Rampolla and Vannutelli.

CANADIAN SEAPORT GREAT LAKES TO BE A

(By Associated Press.)

New York, May 4.—The house of commons, in committee of supply, has voted \$100,000 for widening and deepening the entrance to the Sault Ste Marie canal.

During the discussion of the subject Mr. Blair, the minister of railways and canals, said that at present the upper entrance of the canal has only 18 feet of water and the lower entrance 12 1/2 feet.

In accordance with the plans of the present ministry, it is absolutely necessary to be able to meet the United States competition at every point and with her already great expenditure for canals, Canada feels that she cannot fall in this important particular relating to foreign shipping.

CZAR MAKES HEAVY DEMANDS ON CHINA

(By Associated Press.)

London, May 4.—It is reported that Russia has made the following demands," says the Shanghai correspondent of the Standard, "as compensation for China's refusal to sign the Manchurian convention:

"First, a rectification of the frontier between Kufja and Russian territory. "Second, the cession of a strip of territory in western Tibet, and "Third, a cession for working the gold mines south of the Amur."

RUSSIAN STUDENTS MUST NOT CELEBRATE

(By Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, May 4.—Many students, a number of female students, workmen, liberal leaders, lawyers and literateurs were arrested and five hundred houses were searched here Thursday night; and it is probable throughout European Russia similar tactics were pursued. The object of the movement is to prevent demonstrations on Sunday next which is regarded as Labor Day. The advisability of the step is considered by some to be questionable, as it may easily provoke trouble.