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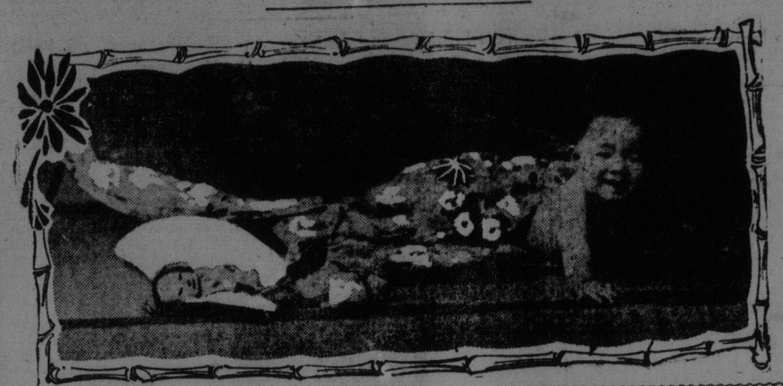

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In this day and age of the world, when the one really permanent topic of conversation is the feminist movement, when the question of woman's usurpation of man's place in the world's activities is continually before our notice, it is interesting to see that some of the best organized bands of fighting men are commanded by women.

More than 50 of the most prominent women in Europe today are colonels in famous regiments. Tommy Atkins' sister has taken command of Tommy himself. He fought hard and covered himself with glory when he was commanded by a man, but he fights infinitely harder when his officer is a woman. Tommy was brave before, but now that he is under the special patronage of some pretty princess his courage has become the wonder of his less fortunate comrades in arms, who are still following the leadership of some gruff old duke.

It was King Frederick William IV. of Prussia, who started the movement. And this was quite early in the 19th century. It was a startling innovation ot that time and caused a great deal of comment. But Frederick William was the kind of a man who cared nothing for what people might say. He did what he liked. His sister Charlotte was a pretty, vivacious young girl—a great deal too much for her time. This was long before woman had begun to realize that she was anything more than a creature for men to marry. In those days she was essentially feminine, and a woman who was anything more was considered a tomboy and consequently vulgar.

But Princess Charlotte of Prussia cared nothing for public opinion, and even took pleasure in shocking people. So she rode astride and hunted alone in her father's preserve. She attended all the military reviews on horseback and cheered lustily when a crack regiment went by. She liked the army and was proud of the Prussian soldiers. The general public was horribly shocked by her actions, but the soldiers were delighted with the interest which she took in them and idolized her. Old Frederick William was essentially a warrior himself, and Charlotte was his favorite sister, so he abetted her in her "vulgarity."

She was one of the few royal women of that time to be happy in her marriage. Her brother let her choose her husband for herself, and she picked out one of the best soldiers among the European kings. She married Tsar Nicholas I. of Russia. The two were thoroughly congenial. As a mark of his esteem for his sister's husband Frederick William gave Nicholas a commission as colonel in the famous Sixth Regiment of Cuirassiers, and when the Tsar died he caused a sensation throughout Europe by passing the commission over to his sister, the Tsar's widow.

This appointment created great comment in the European courts. It was an innovation which few could understand. Much fun was poked at the female colonel, and the soldiers who allowed themselves to be led by a woman. But Charlotte was so popular with everybody, in spite of her startling tomboy tendencies, as they called her vivacity in those days, and her regiment was such a perfect military machine that Europe was obliged to take her quite seriously. And in the long run Charlotte won. Other monarchs began appointing women to colonelcies in their armies, until today there are more than half a hundred regiments commanded by princesses and duchesses.

The most of these women officers are in the German and Russian armies but there are a few in some of the others and the number is rapidly increasing. In some cases the appointments are not so happily conceived as was that of the Empress Charlotte. The custom has sometimes degenerated to a mere means of conferring a honor upon some princess whose country the monarch wishes to propitiate, and who is not in the least in sympathy with the regiment she is supposed to command nor idolized by her soldiers for her personality as Charlotte was.

Queen Victoria as a colonel of the First Regiment of Prussian Dragoons of the Guard is a striking example. She was undoubtedly a good queen, and was certainly popular among the English soldiers as the "Widow of Windsor."

The present Crown Princess Sofia of Greece and the Princess Margaret of Hesse, who are the kaiser's youngest sisters, have both been popular with their regiments. They are chips of the old block and take the same interest in things military that their father did. They are true sisters of their militant brother. The Crown Princess Sofia is colonel of the Third Regiment of Prussian Grenadiers of the Guard and her sister is colonel of the Eightieth Regiment of Hessian Fusiliers. Both these regiments are famous. They have received numerous decorations for valor on the field of battle. The Third Grenadiers covered themselves with glory in the African campaigns, and the shooting of the Eightieth Hessian Fusiliers is famous the world over.

The kaiser's daughter, Princess Victoria Louise, is a still more striking figure among the "colonettes" of Europe. She is the second head of the Second Regiment of Hussars of the Life Guard, which her brother Frederick commands. She is her father's only daughter and youngest child. She has reached the ripe age of 19 years and is an excellent officer. No military review takes place without the Second Regiment of Hussars. They became known as the best body of soldiers in the Prussian army immediately after their exploits during the Franco-German war.

The Empress Alexandra has the honor of commanding more regiments than any other woman in the world. She holds the rank of colonel in five regiments—the Twenty-first Regiment of Eastern Siberian Sharpshooters, which made itself famous at the battle of Mukden, the Regiment of Lancers of the Guard, which is named for her; the Fifth Regiment of Hussars, the Regiment of Crimean Cavalry, and the Second Regiment of Prussian Dragoons of the Guard, which is a German regiment called after her the "Tsarina Alexandra of Russia." Whenever she visits Germany it is always this regiment which acts as her escort.

Only a very few of the many queens of Europe have received colonelcies Queen Alexandra never received one, nor did Queen Helen of Italy, although Queen Victoria was thus honored, and Dowager Queen Margaret of Italy is colonel of the Eleventh Battalion of Prussian Light Infantry. There is a touch of humor in this last commission, as the Dowager is anything but light. Queen Charlotte of Wurtemburg is in command of the Second Wurtemburg Regiment of Lancers, which was the favorite of the Kaiser's father. Wilhelmina of Holland commands the Fifteenth Prussian Hussars, and her mother, the Dowager Queen Emma, the Second Westphalian Infantry.

Queen Mary fared better than her mother-in-law, for she is the colonel of the Fifth Prussian Hussars, the regiment which guards her carriage.

Queen Olga of Greece holds a unique place among her sisters-in-arms. She is the only she-admiral in existence. In fact, no other woman holds any command in a European navy. She is the cousin of the late Czar Alexander III. and devotes much of her time to helping Russian sailors who are stranded in Athens. Her father the late Grand Duke Constantine Nicholaievitch, was an admiral in the Russian navy. It was in recognition of these two things that her cousin gave her a commission as admiral in the Muscovite navy and special command of the armored cruiser Admiral Makarov, which is her flagship. There are many more royal women who have army commands, but Queen Olga is the only one thus far to enter the navy. The idea of giving women colonelcies has in recent years become extremely popular in Europe, and it is expected that the number will increase

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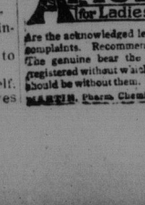

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