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Hats.

WON OUT

"Irene D," John H. Glassford's fast won out in the 2.19 pace at the London races yesterday. was driven by Art. Bedford, and a hasaber of Chathamites went down to see the race. The party included fam. Massey, J. H. Glassford, James haikle, Herb Mount, W. Jahnke, R. Hales, Reg. Pleasence, J. O'Brien and W. Sheldon.

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HOUSE-WARMING

A very enjoyable old-time house warming was held at the splendid new residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sparks, Head St., last evening, when about forty of their friends called on them and spent a very pleasant evening in social amusements. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks were married about two months ago, and a couple of weeks ago they took up their residence in the new home prepared by Mr. Sparks. The 21th Regiment Band was in attendance and furnished excellent music for dancing, which was enjoyed on the verandah. At twelve o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Sparks invited their friends. to a splendid supper which had been prepared, and, after ample justice had been done the good things provided, the company broked up, every one voting Mr. and Mrs. Sparks excellent entertainers, and wishing them every prosperity and happiness during the remainder of their lives.

JUST WHAT EVERYONE SHOULD

Mr. J. T. Barber, of Irwinville, Ga., always keeps a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand ready for use. Attacks of colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea come on so suddenly that there is no time to hunt a doctor or go to the store for medicine. Mr. Barber says: "I have tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which is one of the best medicines I ever saw. I keep a bottle of it in my room as I have had several attacks of colic and it has proved to be the best medicine I ever used." Sold by All Druggists.

Improvident people are often up in the clouds looking for some of those silver linings.

******* THE NURSES HOME

PHONE 454 Miss Berhorst. *******

The Bewitching Month of June - MONTH - FOR - WEDDINGS

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handsome shapes \$2 to \$15

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Silver-plated Knives, Forks and Spoons, a really necessary part of the equipment. A good assortment to choose from. Cold Meat Forks, Pie Knives, Berry Spoons, a new lot of Silver-plated and Gold-lined goods.

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A GUARDED STATEMENT

Czar of Russia Accepts Peace Offers "In Principle."

of Publishing Text of Its Official Reply to President Roosevelt, the Russian Government Issues a Statement Summarizing Status of Negotiations — Doubt Expressed Whether Russian Response Is Satis-

factory to Japan.

St. Petersburg, June 15.—Instead of publishing the text of its official reply to the message from President Roosevelt regarding the initiation of peace negotiations with Japan, the Russian Government, with the purpose of taking the public into its confidence regarding the public into its confidence regarding the prospects of peace, issues a statement summarizing the status of negotiations, which appeared in the form of a communication in the Foreign Office Gazette vesterday.

This statement expresses in a general way Russia's willingness to negotiate, without entering into particulars which cannot be considered to be definitely determined until the receipt of the Japanese reply. The Russian Government under the circumstances has deemed it best to leave to the Washington Government the publication of the Russian note.

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"The President of the United States instructed his Ambassador to the Imperial court to request a private audience in order to convey directly to the Emperor assurances of the unfailing friendship the United States entertains for Russia and to express President Roosevelt's personal desire to contribute as much as possible, in the interests of the whole world, toward the cessation of hostilities in the Far East.
"The Ambassador was instructed to add that the President was making simultaneous overtures to the Japan-vie Government.
"The Emperor was pleased to receive the American Ambassador on June 7 and gave benevolent attention to President Roosevelt's initiative, which had, moreover, met an entirely sympathetic reception on the part of friendly Powers.

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"Russia being convinced that Japan was equally disposed to accept President Roosevelt's proposal, which was transmitted through the intermediary of the representatives of the republic at St. Petersburg and Tokio to the Imperial as well as the Japanese Government, received favorably the official communication from the Ambassador, and notification to this effect was published in Washington.

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"In reply to this communication the Foreign Minister, acting under the Emperor's orders, informed the American Ambassador in a note dated June 12 that the Emperor, deeply sensible of the sentiments expressed by the President, was pleased to see thereby a fresh mark of the traditional friendship uniting Russia and America, and precious proof that President Roosevelt was in complete accord with the views the Emperor held on a general settlement so essential to the good progress of the whole of mankind.

"As for an eventual meeting of Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries charged with ascertaining how far it would be possible for the two Powers to elaborate conditions of peace, the Imperial Government would have no objection in principle to such an attempt if the Japanese Government expressed a desire therefor."

ALL IS NOT SMOOTH.

Japan Wary and it is Doubted if Reply is Satisfactory.

Washington, June 15.—Russia's formal response to President Roosevelt's appeal to the Far Eastern belligerents for a cessation of hostilities has beencommunicated to the Tokic Government by the President Doubt is expressed in important quarters whether the Russian response is satisfactory to Japan. The Government of the Island empire is wary of Russia, and has indicated its intention of not sacrificing its dearly bought victories at arms in the conflict of diplomacy which is now being waged.

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Minister Takahira is inclined to look askance at that part of the Russian note, which reads: "As for an eventual meeting of Russian and Japanese plenifotentiaries charged with ascertaining how far it would be possible for the two Powers to elaborate conditions of peace, the Imperial Government would have no objection in principle to such an attempt if the Japanese Government expressed a desire therefor."

Japan has indicated plainly that if there is a conference between its plenipotentiaries and those of Russia, it must be held with a definite understanding that a sincere effort to reach a permanent peace agreement is to be made.

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Prospects Not Se Bright.

St Petersburg. June 15.—The words in the last line of the Russian foreign communication to The Gazette, saying the Imperial Government has "no objection in principle" to the meeting of plenipotentiaries proposed by President Roosevel: if the Japaness Government expresses a desire therefor." are causing much comment and some little depression.

The Associated Press, however, learned from the most authoritative source that there is not the slightest quention about the completeness and satisfactoriness of Russia's official reply, the words of which are not actually given in the communication.

Oyama Preparing a Coup.

Toklo, June 15.—The Japaness Government still maintains silence regarding peace negotiations. It is apparently awaiting action at and advices from Washington and St. Petersburg. The newspapers continue to be faitly opposed to an early armistice, which would deprive the army and navy of the advantages within their grasp. It is generally thought that Oyama's plans are rapidly maturing, and that the next great drive will sweep Gen. Linevitch back and carry the Japaness army into Russian territory. The good faith and ultimate intentions of Russia toward peace are openly and generally questioned.

M. Witte 1s Gloomy.

ritations.

"Russia," he said, "could prolong the war for five years in the hope of comming out victorious were it not for the svents in the interior, to which they are closing their eyes and stopping their ears and trying to know nothing about. Here lies the horror of the present situation in Russia. Every hour of delay is fraught with danger, Down, dewn, lower and lower, step by step."

"GLAD TIDINGS" FROM FRONT.

n Spite of the Mud, the Armies Are Not Hindered. n, June 15.—The Japanese corent of The Daily Telegraph at

respondent of The Daily Telegraph at Moil, Japan, says:

The rainy season has started in Manchuria, and the mud in the roads is kree-deep, but this will not interfere with military operations, glad tidings of which may be expected within a few days.

Chelera in Russia.
St. Petersburg, June 15.—Three sus picious cases, believed to be cholera have occurred at Tula, 120 miles south of Moscow.

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What Britain Will Do it is As Yef Impossible to Say.

London, June 15.—The Fereign Office yesterday, when shown the despatch announcing that Germany had determined to fortify Kiaochou Bay (the German concession on the Shantung Peninsula, China), said it was impossible to say what effect this action would have on the proposal to abandon the British naval station at Weihaiwei. So long as the British-Japanese alliance lasts, Weihaiwei will not be considered an important place except as a naval resort during the summer months, but it is quite possible that with Kiaochou fortified, Weihaiwei will receive more consideration.

SUBSCRIBE FOR HER DEFENCE.

Madoo Citizens Secure Counsel For Mrs. Diamond.

Madoc, June 15.-Mrs. Diamond wa Madoc, June 15.—Mrs. Diamond was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detec-tive Murray, and will remain in cus-tody of Constable St. Charles until this morning at 10, when she will appear before Magistrate Wood for prelimin-

before Magistrate Wood for preliminary examination.

When arrested she broke down and wept, but speedily recovered her composure.

As the woman is without funds a subscription has been taken up in Madoc for her defence, Lawyer Masson will act for her. Evidence strongly in her favor has been secured.

And the control of th Auto Rills a Man.

Toronto, June 15.—An unidentified man is in the morgue of the Emergency Hospital. He was struck by an automobile at College and Clinton streets at 7 o'clock yesterday morning and died two hours later in the hospital. The dead man was about 50 years of age, medium height, dark grey hair, partially bald, grey beard and moustache. He wore a grey tweed sult and carried a dinner pail. The driver of the machine was H. D. Smith, employed by F. D. Robins. Mr. Robins at once communicated with Crown Attorney Curry, promising to have Smith present at the inquest to-night.

Drewns While Sathing.
Wroxeter, June 15.—A drewning accident occurred here last night, when George Lains, second son of Mrs. Robert Laing, was drowned while bathing. He is supposed to have taken cramps. The body was recovered in about 28 minutes, but attempts to resuscitate him proved futile.

C. A. R. Sends Successful,
London, June 15.—(C. A. P.)—It is
announced that the Canadian Atlantio
list closed at noon yesterday. As, according to the prospectus, the list
might have been kept open till Friday,
it may be presumed the issue met with
a Zavorable response.

Poli From a Cable.

Port Hope, June 15.—Brinsley Lowe, who works for the Bell Telephone Co., fell from a cable which he was climbing near the bridge at the Nicholson File Works and broke his left leg above the ankle.

Roche Elected in Cork,
Dublin, June 15. Augustine Rocho.
Nationalist, was elected yesterday
without opposition to represent Cork
City in the House of Commons, succeeding James F. X. O'Brien, deceased.

Flood Danger is Over, Hannibal, Mo., June 15.—All danger from the floods is over, and the Missis-sippi River is falling.

Swedish Minister Dies.

Paris, June 15.—H. Akerman, the Swedish Minister here, died Tuesday night.

An Event in Sydney Mills.

Halifax, June 15.—The first steel rail was rolled yesterday in the Sydney mills.

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GREAT PROSPECTS

More Oil Men Arrive in the City to Look up Leases and Inspect Chat-ham Oil Fields—Oil Boom Quite Probable.

It was stated in The Planet a couple of days ago that Chatham would have another oil boom in the course of a few months, and every day the

ing over the field to-day. Mr. Kev was accompanied by his wife. They arrived at the Garner House last evening, but have not much to say until they have investigated the field They are, however, convinced that the Chatham oil fields are of the first-class variety.

UNHAPPY PAIR

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