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Another Story of the Tragic Death of Crown Prince Rudolph.

Society People Are Spending Money Lavishly-Shopkeep ers Jubilant.

(Associated Press.) London, June 24.-Royalties were much in evidence during the past week. Almost daily the members of the Royai family have been advancing the cause of charities, opening bazaars and sales of ellework, or giving garden fetes. Tuesthe anniversary of Her Majesty's ssion to the throne, was a specially day. The Duke of Connaught renewed the Yeomen of the Guard at Buckingham Palace. It was a brilliant ociety function.

The Duchess of Albany's garden parheld on behalf of charity, was the lezvous for the most fashionable peo-The Albert Hall bazaar, in aid of the

funds of the Charing Cross hospital was The Crowning Charitable Function . of the season. The admirable and untirng work of Mesdames Paget and Ronalds in connection therewith, is a matter of general comment, and promises to ad to demands for their services in all future events of similar character. It over \$60,000.

The season on the whole is proving ressmakers are jubilant. Money seems n every way more plentiful. The lavish entertainments of past seasons have been surpassed this season, and the sums paid and judicial reforms." singers and pianists for private entertainments are fabulous. Madame Melba is booked for eleven private parties for which she receives about \$2,100. The International Council of Women

July 5th. An interesting feature will ca to a total of 40,000 men. be the attendance of Chinese delegates.

Soldiers in Reading The Countess of Aberdeen, president of th Council, has been notified by the Chinese minister of the appointment of the wife of Shen, an attache of the Chinese for Capetown. legation, as an official delegate. She will be accompanied by an interpreter and other Chinese ladies. A crowd of American women of all professions-will be in attendance.

Baroness Von Shuttner, who has takan active part in the work of the has just arrived from the Hague. She said to an Associated Press epresentative yesterday: "I am most hopeful of practical

Results From the Peace Conference. I have already won notable support in Australia, but it is to the great country beyond the sea we look as a propagandist of peace. I deplore, as do so many Americans themselves, the necessity of appealing to arms last year. But we are not a peace-at-any-price people. We cent engagements. It is not thought like-special to the Herald says: believe a righteous call to arms is still by the Tagallas will be able to capture necessity of the age. It is impossible the Khalifa. or me to believe there will be any future creat resort to arms among civilized peole after the splendid awakening of the zar, and with Anglo-Saxons in the var of the peace movement, nothing in that

ection is impossible." The Queen arrived at Windsor Castle vesterday after spending a month at Baloral Castle, where the weather enabled to enjoy constant driving. Great preparations are being made at Aldershot camp for

The Review of Troops Her Majesty on Monday. Most of the princes and princesses will be pre-

The success predicted for Nat Goodvin in "An American Citizen" seems to have been realized. Crowded houses are the rule at the Duke of York's theatre. Nance O'Neill, a California actress, supported by McKee Rankin and a number of other Americans, makes her London debut at a trial matinee on Tuesday

Every now and then new versions of version of the affair is:

Wrote a Letter to the Pope !

aying for a dispensation and intercesion with the Emperor to allow him to inquish his title to the throne and reinto private life. The Pope sent the etter to Emperor Francis Joseph, and an onizing interview between father and followed, and lasted all night long. ally Rudolph promised to give up Baroness and the lovers met at his ting box at Haverling for the last The company at dinner inded Prince Philip of Coburg and unt Hoyls. Wine passed freely and oning was spent in singing. The ty of Prince Rudolph and Baroness Vetsera, however, seemed forced. ward one o'clock in the morning the oness complained of being ill and reto her bedroom. At two o'clock lolph bade his friends good night and tered the Baroness's bedroom. The premier, yesterday prorogued the Italian lages. morning Rudolph's confidant, Brathah, knocked at the door, and getting no

lainted at

represe, entered. He staggered back and

with wild flowers, was Vetsera, dead. Alongside her lay her lover Rudolph, clutching a heavy cavalry pistol, the back of his head shot off. A doctor was summoned and his evidence refutes the statement that the lovers died together. He certifies that the Baroness died at one o'clock from strychnine poisoning and that Rudolph died at two from a pistol shot. The Baroness left four let ters to the Emperor Francis Joseph her mother, her cousin Baltazzia, and to Prince Rudolph. The latter was the cause of the Crown Prince's death. Grief-stricken at the sight of the dead woman, he found at her bedside a pen illed note wet with tears as follows "My only beloved Rudolph. I die beause I cannot live without you. You romised to make me your wife, but you nave broken your word. I forgive you. If you love me, come, follow me.' note is now in the possession of the Em

## to mark the grave."

peror Francis Joseph. Baroness Vet-

sera's body was not removed to Venice

as asserted. It was buried in a little

And Relieve the Tension in South Africa-Business is at a Standstill.

(Associated Press.) London, June 23 .- A dispatch from Cape

Town to the Outlook says: "The tension is extreme. Business at a standstill, and the general feeling is that England must promptly bring matters to an issue. The League will have no difficulty in preventing meetings supporting Sir Alfred Milner's attitude, the San Fernando have been stopped for sevdesire being to refrain from embarrassing the Imperial authorities.

"The Orange Free State government is urging the Transvaal to make further was an immense success. The receipts franchise useless without the granting of rounding Point Engano on the north twelve seats in the mining centres and most successful, and shopkeepers and raad, otherwise it will be impossible to select representative men. Failing these they prefer a treaty providing security

Statement By Mr. Chamberlain. London, June 23.—Mr. Chamberlain, Colomial Secretary, in the House of Commons to-day in answer to a ques-The International Council of Women tion denied the government were rein-will open on June 26th and last until forcing the British troops in South Afri-

> in June 23.—The Shr in readiness for immediate embarkation

Friendly Natives Claim to Have Killed Five Fights.

(Associated Press.) Tagallas, a friendly body of tribesmen. The latter claim to have killed five hundred of the Khalifa's followers during re-

FROM VANCOUVER

(Special to the Times.) ed Charles Koehler on the charge of havafterwards murdered by Perrier, now un-Koehler was wanted at Port Townsend new department." on several charges of burglary, agreed on the Rush's return to an American port to hand over the man to the officers of the law. Koehler, however, deserted the Rush at Comox and made his way here.

FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED.

(Associated Press.) bound midnight freight train on the Cen- tion. cars were destroyed, and traffic was "Revolutionary Socialists." blocked for several hours.

PLAGUE OF LOCUSTS

(Associated Press.) has appeared at Tashkend, capitol Russian Turkestan, and is ravaging ers of Ferghana are working night and warm. day with all the hired workmen they can command, endeavoring to check the threatened invasion of their province.

ITALIAN PARLIAMENT PRO-ROGUED.

(Associated Press.) Rome, June 23.—General Pelleux, the parliament, after three weeks of suc-cessful obstruction by the opposition and many violent scenes, without having secured the passage of the government's bills to modify the rules of parliamentary has destroyed much tobacco and vegeprocedure and to restrict the liberty of tables. At Guanjibes a house was over lying on the sofa; completely covered the press and freedom of speech.

### Sleeping on Rossland Their Arms

Have Another Fight With

Filipinos.

Men to Attack General McArthur. (Associated Press.) Manila, June 23.-General Aguinaldo does not seem to be satisfied with monastery, near Mayerling, with nothing

the attempt of the insurgents to retake bringing 2,000 men from the Antipolo go off last night, exploded. region. He is exceedingly troublesome. Last night his men wounded two men of the 17th regiment.

ly on the alert to repel attacks, sleeping upon their arms. The General sincerely hopes the Filipinos will give him andiers really enjoy the opportunity to fight them when they can do so without marching through swamps to catch them. The railway trains between Manila and

eral days while permanent repairs were being made to the bridges along the route, but to-day the traffic was resumed. The transport Centennial, which arrivconcessions. Many people consider the ed here, had an exciting experience while coast of Luzon on the way to this port: the right to speak English in the Volks- She struck a rock on Wednesday and re- mine, nrained fast for several hours, during which time she was surrounded by concessions the Johannesburgers say swarms of natives in canoes, who became menacing. Captain Eagle was compelled to throw overboard a hundred tons of supplies in order to lighten the ship sufficiently to get her affoat. Before this was effected the Filipinos had towed the cases ashore and were fighting over the grounded on the same point, but the natives feared to approach her.

Reinforcements for Manila, San Francisco, June 23.-Four com-

try and 150 recruits sailed for Manila others were married or not. last night on the transport Zealandia. The transport also carried an immense amount of provisions and supplies for the army in the Philippines.

New Regiments to Be Formed. New York, June 23 .- A special to the Herald from Washington says President McKinley will anthorize of additional men for the Philippines when he returns to Washington. The administration has at last come to recognize the necessity of reinforcing General Cairo, June 24.—Deserters who have Otis' command. It is apparent some of reached the British lines says the Khal- the department officials are figuring on ifa is confined in a narrow valley by the the advisability of emisting sufficient men to form ten complete regiments.

A New Department, "A new branch of the governm with the title of department of colonial

affairs and foreign commerce, or something similar, is deemed by the administration as absolutely necessary to meet the new condition which confront the Vancouver, June 23.-The Vancouver United States, the result of war with colice last night arrested a German nam- Spain. As a preliminary to the recom mendations to Congress on this subject, ing assaulted Jennie Anderson, who was data is now being compiled concerning the control of colonies by foreign powers and der sentence of death. Koehler, against the extension of American commerce whom a warrant was issued, got away into foreign fields, and members of the and enlisted on the other side of the line cabinet and subordinate officials of the as a fireman on the American revenue administration are giving much thought cutter Rush. The captain, learning that and time to the details of the proposed

FRENCH POLITICAL TROUBLES.

(Associated Press.) Paris, June 23.—The cabinet ministers

The prefect of police, M. Blanc, had a the situation." long interview with the premier, M. Waldeck Rousseau, during the day and as-Collinsville, Colo., June 23.-The east- serted he handed the latter his resigna-

the tragic death of the Crown Prince of tral-New England railway was wrecked The progressive Republicans have held Austria are published and always attract near Canbon by running down a stray a meeting under the presidency of M. interest. The West End now asserts it | cx. The engine and cars were derailed, | Meline. Considerable diversity of opinion has obtained the "true story" of the and a portion of the wreckage caught was developed. One faction decided to tragedy of Prince Rudolph's death, ob- fire. Engineer Tim Farrell was caught oppose the new cabinet, owing to the tained from an undeniable source. This under the wreckage and it required three presence of M. Millerand in the minishours to extricate him. Greatly to the try. The Socialist deputies are also at "As is well known, the Crown Prince surprise of his rescuers he was not bad-variance regarding the entry of General decoly loved Baroness Marie Vetsera. He ly injured. Fireman Dan Dickey was the Marquis D. Gallifet into the cabinet thrown some distance and sustained in- and a portion of that party has decided ternal injuries. The engine and several to found a new group, to be entitled

THE FRASER. (Associated Press.)

Quesnelle, June 24.-8 a.m.-The river Moscow, June 24,-A plague of locusts has fallen two inches. The weather is of cool and cloudy Lillooet, June 24.-8 a.m.-The river is crops in all directions. The cotton plant- about at a standstill. The weather is

KILLING ARMENIANS (Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, June 24.-News comes from Bitlis, Asiatic Turkey, that two hostile tribes of Kurds who are fighting in that district, have killed many Arm enians and burned several of their vil

FATAL STORM.

Havana, June 23 .- A terrific rain storm turned, killing a young Cuban woman.

United States Soldiers Anxious to Another Terrible Accident in the War Eagle Mine To-Day.

Aguinaldo Is Massing All His Three Men Lose Their Lives Through Explosion of a Missed Shot.

(Special to the Times.) Rossland, June 23.-Five men were San Fernando, and has taken the com- of the War Eagle when, about eleven mand of General Luna's army and mass: o'clock, one of the drills struck a missed the largest rebel force yet mobilized, ed hole and the blast, that had failed to

instantly killed and Mike Griffin died General McArthur's men are constant- on the way to the hospital.

Dan Green and Charles Coulson are seriously, if not fatally injured, though this afternoon publishes a dispatch from other chance for a battle, for the sol- it is thought here there are good hopes its correspondent at Rennes, France. for the recovery of the latter.

mine after the explosion, but found him- with four passengers arrived here. The self unable to do so, and a wagon was carriage, surrounded by six gendarmes, used to bring him down to the hospital, and drove to the military prison, where It is only a little over a month since for fear of leakage. The authorities dethe terrible accident by which three clined all information and the railway other miners lost their lives in the same officials are sworn to secrecy,"

The coroner has been to the scene of her father arrived this afternoon. the accident, and will hold an inquest over the remains to-morrow.

that they are not likely to prove fatal, Paris awaiting him. spoils. The cruiser Baltimore recently though he is very badly shaken up and the flesh has been torn from his right

An Order For 180,000 Tons of Rails for the New Roads in Siberia and China.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 23.-The Commerterprises in Siberia and China.

New York, June 23.-A Washington and represents an outlay of between \$4,- you not forget that I am responsible al-500,000 and \$5,000,000. In filling the so for the chiefs of the army, the same States and calls them "Cowards." He nt, order 200,000 tons of pig iron will be as they are responsible to me for all says: given to all the rail mill workers of the count therefore on you, as you may concern for the next two and half years. 'The members of the firm here refuse to confirm or deny the above."

DUPUY'S DOUBLE DEALING. (Associated Press.)

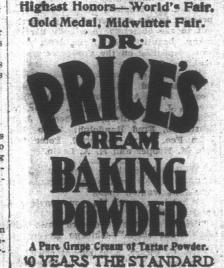
London, June 23.-M. De Blowitz, the Paris correspondent of the Times, says: "M. Quillian, the outgoing Minister of the Colonies had the audacity to say yesterday that he was 'waiting for justice to be pronounced in the case of Dreyfus.' This proves the Dupuy cabinet wanted Dreyfus condemned again in order to absolve Dupuy, who was compromised equally with Mercier. But in this strange affair, at the moments of supreme crisis, some unforseen event always interferes took possession of their offices this morn- to prevent the triumph of iniquity. Faure's death and Dupuy's fall saved

ALASKAN AGREEMENT.

(Associated Press. London, June 23 .- The officials of the foreign office this morning sent the United States ambassador, Mr. Choate, a formal memorandum embodying the temporary agreement reached in the Alas kan boundary question.

COUNT VON BUELOW Berlin, June 23.-Emperor William has conferred the rank of Count upon Mini-ster of Foreign Affairs Von Buelow.

Awarded



Hamilton, June 23.—Ben, Parrott, Jr., convicted of killing his mother, was execut-ed this morning. Parrott yesterday signed statement saying he was sorry for having murdered his mother, and asking for-giveness. He hoped his end would be an example to all young men to avoid in-foxication and lead sober and industrious

Just before leaving his cell, Parrot cursed the policemen who arrested him and asked for brandy, which was given him. His last words were "Give me chew of tobacco." He swore at the hangman on the way to the scaffold. Buffalo, June 23 .- Miss Parrott and Mrs.

Parke, sisters of Ben. Parrott, called at a statement regarding the alleged injustice of their brother's execution. "My brother should not have been hanged," said Miss Parrott, "He has suffered from convulwas responsible for his actions. Another thing is that he did not have a fair trial. drilling this morning in the 625-foot level. If he had he never would have been ex-

### HAS DREVFUS ARRIVED.

Charles Post and Charles Lee were The Agillery Officer Is Supposed to be in the Military Prison at Rennes.

> (Associated Press.) London, June 24.-The Evening News which says: "With all reserve, I send gazetted preventive officer, the report that Dreyfus has arrived here. the coachman was detained, presumably A later dispatch to the Evening News from Rennes says Madame Dreyfus and

Movements of the Sfax. Paris, June 24.-A dispatch to La Patrie from Brest says the French cruiser Sfax, gation, moved that the powers should en-Later-Dan Green is dying, but an with Dreyfus on board, left the vicinity ter into an understanding for a term of, examination of Coulson's injuries show of the island of Medeira, this morning. where her commander found orders from

> Ministers and the Prefects Paris. June 24.—The cabinet has sent a circular to the prefects, saying the new present figures. ircular to the prefects, saying the new ninistry has been formed to deal with the speeches and resolutions were or uptile affairs, and that it puts aside all dered to be printed and circulated, and the discussion adjourned until Monday. isan feeling, which example, it is ted out, should be followed by prefects. The latter are urged to promptly inform the government of all acts affecting respect for established institutions

> and public order, and to be ready in case they are needed to act promptly on their own responsibility. The prefects are also For Accepting Money From the United States warned to let bygones be bygones, and to perform their duties with the utmost

Pittsburg, Pa., June 23.—The Commercial Gazette says: "The Carnegie Steel to the generals as follows: My dear Generals as follows: Company has contracted with representatives of the Russian government to real: I have been forced, to my great to leave my retreat and assume government of the republic, the respon- to time has atacked the American mili-"This, it is said, is the largest order sibility for the army. I am greatly honever placed with one firm in the world, ored and in nowise frightened, and I beg consumed and profitable employment which occurs with their commands. I count on me. (Signed) De Gallifet."

> PREPARING FOR TROUBLE. Railway Company's Terms of Set-

Cleveland, Ohio, June 23.-The rejection by the street railway strikers mass meeting last night of the terms of settlement unanimously approved by their committee, has put a new face on the situation. The city authorities are now openly preparing for trouble, and the board of control is now in session considering means of protecting the company's property and preserving order. President Everett says the company will run its cars and have no more deal-

ings with the strikers. Police Director Barrett said: "We are ficers for this occasion. The lives and arrested. Ramsey was removed to Belleproperty of the people are going to be vue hospital. He is a ticket seller at protected at all costs. Every thing pos- Madison gardens. sible will be done to prevent the recurrence of such affairs as have taken place since the strike began."

CZAR'S ARMAMEN'T PROPOSALS. The Hague June 23.-M. De Staal, president of the peace conference, at a meeting of the commission this morning introduced the Russian proposals looking to the arrest of armament and read a declaration disclaiming all intention of proposing a reduction of armaments at present. But, he added, he was of the opinion that if a standstill could be agreed upon, a reduction would soon come of itself.

CENTENARIAN GETS A DIVORCE. Columbia, Ind., June 23.-George Wray aged 103, has been granted a divorce by Judge Hord from Susan F. Wray, aged 30. Wray has been married four times. outliving his other three wives. He said his last wife came to him and offered to take care of him if he would marry her. THE FRASER

Lillooet. June 23.—The river is about at a standstill. The weather is a little Quesnelle, June 23.—The river is about at a standstill. The weather is cool and cloudy.

### To Prevent Side-Tracking

Townsites Will Be Protected from Tyranny and Injustice of Railways.

Committee of Privy Council to Decide Where Stations Should Be Placed.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., June 24.-There is a provision in the Crow's Nest Pass charter to compel railway companies holding Dominion charters to erect stations wherever the government may see fit. in the public interest, to order. As this is not general and does not apply to all railways, Hon. A. G. Blair has prepared provisions to be inserted in a bill now before the rallway committee of the House of Commons that in future the railway committee of the Privy Council will have full power to prevent the sidetracking of townsites. The same bill will provide for operating rules for all railways under a Dominion charter.

He started to walk down from the At 5 o'clock this morning a special train CZAR'S ARMAMENT PROPOSALS.

Donald Fraser, Huntingdon, B.C., 18

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come of itself. Colonel Gilinsky, of the Russia delesay, five years, not to increase the efectiveness of the peace footing of their forces, with the exception of colonial troops, and not to increase the amount of their military budgets beyond the

A General Attacks the Military Administration.

Havana, June 23. General Collago furnish that country with 180,000 tons of steel rails for immense railroad enterprises in Sibonic and China and Chin for accepting money from the United

> "Dignity should come before calls of the stomach. What we want is that the interveners should conduct themselves as the American people at large desire, and not in accordance with the wishes of those here and in Washington, who are Cleveland Strikers Reject the Street seeking personal enrichment through lucrative negotiations. Let the administration define the policy that will enable us to know what to do, and in future act in accordance with its spirit. The American people recognize the truth of the report of General Miles and disregard General Alger's greed. Let us speak out candidly and truthfully, telling what we consider our duty and our right. The Spaniards dominated here for four centuries without Decubanizing us. We have no desire to become Americanized."

CUT HER HUSBAND'S THROAT.

(Associated Press.) New York, June 23.-Grace Ramsey, 27 not going to wait for anything more to years old, cut the throat of her husband, happen, but prepare ourselves to meet Harvey J. Ramsey, 50 years old, this any emergency. There is no telling what morning while the man was asleep in bed force might be required. It may be the in their apartments at the Garden Hocity will increase the number of its of- tel on Madison avenue. The woman was

Mrs. Ramsey, when taken to the police station informed the sergeant in charge frequently on the streets of Cleveland that she had cut her husband's throat because he snored and she was disturbed by him. The doctors say he cannot re-

AMERICAN BICYCLE TRUST.

(Associated Press.) New York, June 23 .- The members of the newly formed American Bicycle Company, the so-called bicycle trust with a capital of \$80,000,000, had a meeting at the Waldorf-Astoria to arrange the final details. In all 36 sepaate concerns, operating 41 plants, are in-

A SURPRISE FOR SIR CHARLES.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, June 23.-Sir Charles Tupper te-day opened the investigation into ex-Chief Engineer Coste's accounts while in the Yukon. He discovered that Coste's trip to the Old Country was not paid for at the public expense. Coste had leave of absence.

BRITISH CONSUL IN SAMOA.

Wellington, N. Z., June 23.-Major Nair, a judge of the New Zealand Land Court, has been appointed acting consul for Great Britain in Samoa.