

BLOODY BATTLE ON BOARD SHIP

OVERTURES AT PRETORIA.

Arabs Refuse to Leave a German Vessel at Beira.

ONE KILLED, 36 WOUNDED.

over Fifty Jump Overboard During the Fight With Portuguese Police on Deck.

Beira, Portuguese East Africa, Jan. 5.—On the arrival of the German steamer Hertzog at Beira with one hundred and thirty-six Abyssinians and Somalis for the Rhodesian mines, the "boys" as they are called, were informed by the men that they would be compelled to work in chains. Thereupon they refused to go ashore.

Portuguese police and troops were summoned, and a big fight ensued. The "boys" barricaded the foredeck. Victory rested with the police after an hour's fighting.

One Somali was killed and thirty-six were wounded. Nine of the police force were wounded.

Subsequently, it was found that there were only fifty "boys" on the steamer, the remainder having jumped overboard.

MINERS STRIKE.

Men Employed at Colorado Fuel & Iron Company's Mine Walk Out.

Gallup, N. M., Jan. 5.—The men employed at the mines of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company have struck. The men working in the mines owned by Senator Clark and others are still at work. A telegram from Mr. Mitchell, chairman of the Mine Workers' association, advised the employees of the C. F. & I. company's mines to strike, saying that they would be supported. Several hundred men are out.

Aspen, Colo., Jan. 5.—The miners of the San Mine have struck because of the attempt of the owners to enforce a 10-hour day system.

Special Inauguration Feature.

Washington, Jan. 5.—It is proposed that one of the most conspicuous features of the forthcoming inauguration parade shall be a section composed of college men from all the leading universities of the United States. Arrangements are making to secure the attendance of a very large contingent of these men and assurances have been received from the leading universities indicating the presence in the parade of delegations of from 50 to 200 men each from forty-three educational institutions. It is proposed that each body of students shall wear the distinctive colors or insignia of the college or university it represents.

Mrs. Fairbanks for President General

New York, Jan. 5.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: At a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Mary Lockwood, one of the founders of the Daughters of the Revolution, Mrs. Fairbanks, wife of Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, was requested to submit the use of her name as a candidate for the office of president general of the order.

Mrs. Fairbanks was seen, and said: "Besides the request of the regents have received numerous letters requesting me to be a candidate. The assurances given me are in that cordial spirit which impel me to accede to the wishes of my friends."

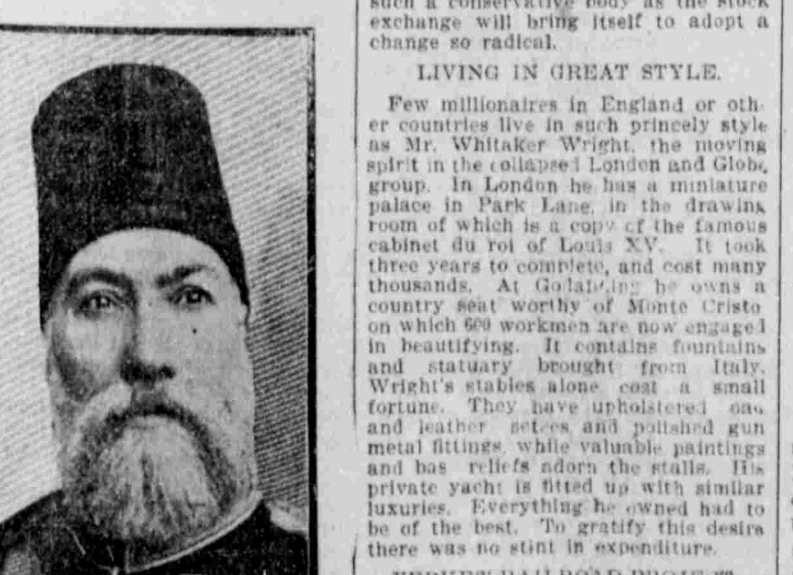
MAY SUCCEED SCHLEY.

Captain R. D. Evans Said to be Stated as a Rear Admiral.

New York, Jan. 5.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Captain R. D. Evans, who commanded the battleship Iowa during the war with Spain, is an applicant for sea duty. As the commander of the battleship Illinois has not been selected, Captain Evans is eligible for duty on board this vessel. It is understood, however, that Secretary Long is considering the advisability of giving this assignment to the late Rear Admiral Schley's successor in command of the Atlantic station.

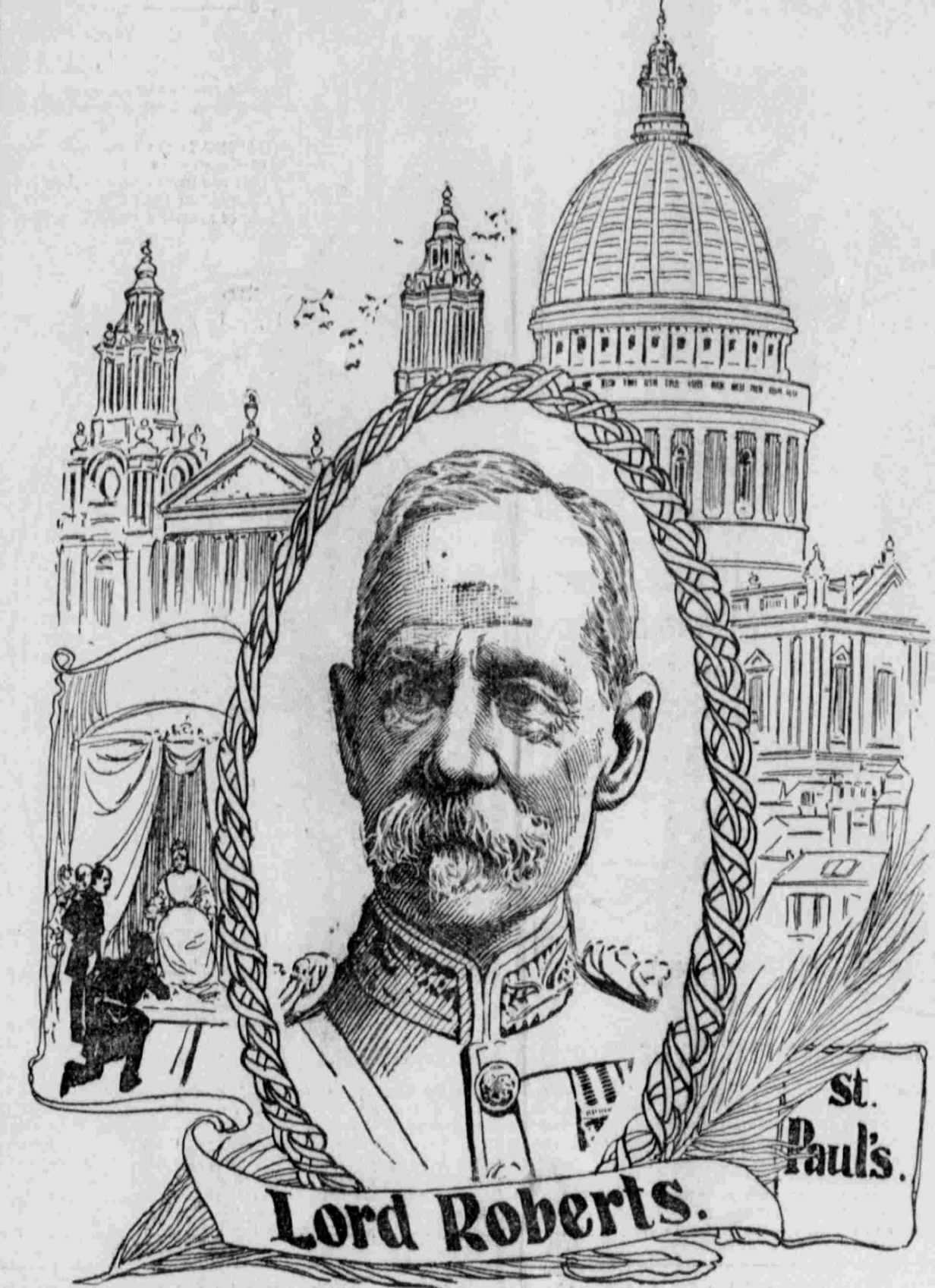
SULTAN IN DEADLY FEAR.

Threat of Osman Pasha to Bolt From the Blue to Europe.



YERKES' RAILROAD PROJECT.

Both Mr. Howard Abel of Chicago and Mr. Henry T. Davis of New York, the agents of Charles F. Yerkes, are now installed in London, busily engaged in pushing the underground work which they hope to have in good shape by the time Mr. Yerkes arrives here in March. The days in the plans for the electrical installation in the district underground railroad are said to be due to insufficient capital, and have caused a reiteration of the rumors that Mr. Yerkes will take a hand in the scheme. With a dozen theaters within a short radius of Trafalgar Square, giving two performances daily, and half as many more giving eight performances a week, London theaters have no reason to complain of lack of amusement. New theaters are rapidly springing up in all directions, but the managers complain of vexatious delays in their completion. Lowenfield's new house, The Apollo, contiguous to Daly's, where it is expected "The Belle of Bohemia" will be produced in a few weeks, will be the



ture home of many American productions.

George C. McLean has just returned to London for the purpose of hurrying up the work of the new Adelphi, which will be opened early in the spring with one of the Morton and Kerker's new plays.

ASSAULTED BY A BRUTE.

A Young Woman Cut About the Neck by Her Assailant.

Marietta, O., Jan. 4.—At Hackney, Morgan county, tonight, Miss Nellie Morris, aged 19, handsome and accomplished, was brutally assaulted. Miss Morris was returning home from the postoffice, by way of a path through the fields, and was accosted by Walter A. Weinstein, a young man, aged 18 years, who lived near her home. He made indecent proposals to her and she immediately started to run. He seized her and threw her to the ground. She screamed and fought hard, finally getting to her feet. Weinstein drew a razor from his pocket and cut her across the neck, severing the neck muscles and laying bare the jugular vein.

Miss Morris grasped the razor, and her hands were cut into pieces in her mad attempt to save herself from her assailant. Her fingers were cut off and her breast badly cut as well as her right arm, and her left arm was badly disfigured. Her dress was torn from her in shreds, and when people arrived she was almost naked.

Physicians say the young woman cannot live many hours, and late tonight it was reported that she was dead. She was the daughter of Benjamin Morris, a business man in this city, and was prominent in society in this city and Parkersburg.

Weinstein was seized by a crowd of men, who bound him with ropes, hand and foot, and removed him to a building, where more than 1500 men watched him. A telephone message was sent to McConnellville for officers to come and get him, but the people were getting ready to start for Marietta at 10 o'clock tonight with their man and place him in jail. There is talk of lynching him. Weinstein recently returned from the reformatory, where he served a term for attempting to kill his father, Jacob Weinstein, a rich farmer of Morgan county. He is a young man of powerful build.



WHERE KRUGER MAY MAKE HIS HOME.

The Chateau de Numeries, which has been offered to "Oom Paul" Kruger as a home by a Belgian admirer, is a historical old palace, which the exiled president of the defunct South African Republic could find much comfort. Kruger is now on his way to Europe, and he is expected to land at Marseilles, France, within a short time.

IS NOT A QUESTION OF MEN

Bishop Potter Speaks on Causes of Present Municipal Degeneration.

Police Captains Are Not to Blame, He Says, as They Do as They Are Told.

New York, Jan. 5.—Bishop Potter spoke on "The Causes of Our Present Municipal Degeneration," at a meeting of the City club last night. The bishop began his address by making a plea for tolerance. He said that conditions as they existed were largely the result of the complexities of human nature. He was not prepared to maintain, he said, that the police as a body were corrupt and said he believed that there were among them as many men who had aspirations toward good, and aims that were commendable as among any other body of men of the same size.

"But they are the creatures of a system," said the bishop. "It did not come here to say pleasant things, and the system exists largely because of your indifference and mine. The resolution of the problem lies in individual activity and vigilance. A man sorry for one thing, my friends, and that is that in spite of the approval with which my remarks made in St. Paul's chapel seemed to have met with at the time, they really fell absolutely dead. What have any of you done along the line of personal vigilance in spite of your evident desire to bring about changed conditions? You will never get results until you get up

vigilance and when you can achieve that there comes the awakening of a great enthusiasm. The rest will be an easy matter."

Alleged Swindler Arrested.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Hume David Brown, said to be an swindler in New York, Philadelphia, and other cities for alleged insurance swindles, aggregating \$30,000, was arrested at the Revere house last night after eluding the authorities for ten years.

He is about 40 years old, and has a wife and two children in New Orleans.

Smallpox at Harvard.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 5.—One of the students at Harvard, G. O. Carpenter, Jr., of St. Louis, on returning to Cambridge, from the Christmas vacation, was taken sick with a mild case of variola.

As he has not been in Cambridge for over two weeks and has been entirely isolated from the other students, there is not the slightest particle of fear of smallpox.

STEAMER IAQUA WRECKED.

All on Board, with One Exception, Believed to Have Perished.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 5.—The steamer Iaqua, which left this city yesterday afternoon for San Diego with a cargo of general merchandise, was wrecked some time last night on Duxbury reef, just outside the Golden Gate, and all on board, with the single exception of Chief Engineer Burrill, who was washed ashore on an overturned boat after being in the water two hours, are believed to have perished, says the Morning Call. Details are meagre, but it is known that there were between thirty and forty persons on board the ill-fated vessel at the time of the accident.

The Iaqua sailed from Eureka several days ago for San Pedro and put in here yesterday to land some passengers. As soon as that duty had been attended to, Capt. Barch put to sea again. How the disaster occurred is not known, but there was a heavy swell on outside the heads last night and it is probable that the unfortunate vessel, drifting too near the reef in the haze that overpread the water, was thrown upon the rocks by the swell. She is a total loss.

Chief Engineer Burrill reached the shore and telephoned to Wm. G. Muzan, representative of Dolbeer and Carson, agents for the vessel in this city, saying the steamer was in distress and asking for assistance. Tugs at once started for the scene of the disaster.

The facts were communicated by Mr. Dolbeer early this morning, but he could give no further particulars. Mr. Dolbeer owned one-eighth of the vessel and the other seven-eighths were owned by the Humboldt Steamer Mfg. association, by whom she was loaded. Mr. Dolbeer said the steamer was on her way to this port, but in this he is evi-

PROPERTY MUST NOT BE TOUCHED

Policy Regarding Manchuria Defined by Czar of Russia.

DECREES MUST BE ENFORCED

Emperor Wires an Order to Admiral Alekoff in Regard to Looting in Orient.

New York, Jan. 5.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Your correspondent has obtained copies of important decrees issued by the czar of Russia, which go to show that the St. Petersburg government contemplates no departure from the policy of evacuating Manchuria as soon as circumstances permit. These decrees, which are in the form of instructions to military and naval commanders, further show that the czar has been strenuous in his orders to avoid looting or ill-treatment of the inhabitants of the territory occupied by his troops.

One telegram sent by the minister of war to Gen. Grodekoff, commanding the Russian troops in Manchuria, reads: "His imperial majesty orders me to send you the following instructions: "His majesty's desire is not only that there should be no annexation of Chinese territory to Russia, but as has been published in the official communication of September 1, that our troops should later be recalled from Manchuria, if there be no hindrance thereto by the course pursued by other powers. In accordance with this imperial decision you will do all that is possible to bring the military operations in Manchuria to a speedy end.

"At present Russia's principal object is the continuation and completion of railways we are building. Your efforts must be directed to help this work and guard the workmen. Russian administration must not be introduced in the last shot of the battle. Life, honor, property and customs of the natives must be sacred to the troops."

STRICTEST DISCIPLINE.

The czar had many weeks before wired this order to Admiral Alekoff: "Strictest discipline, irreproachable internal order, respect for the peaceful citizen, compassion for the vanquished, regard for their property must be enforced by you with an iron hand. This was followed by these orders to both General Brodekoff and Admiral Alekoff just after the Russian troops had crossed into Manchuria: "Circumstances having obliged our troops to cross the frontier in Manchuria, we will soon have quelled the rebellion. Order will be restored equally soon on the Manchurian railroad, and work will be resumed under the protection of our armed forces. But that is not enough. It is absolutely necessary that the peaceful inhabitants of Manchuria should not join the rebels and create the painful necessity of making war upon the whole Chinese nation."

"His imperial majesty, therefore, directs me to instruct you to take stringent measures, so that war shall be conducted with the inexorable inherent to all warfare, only against Chinese troops and armed citizens; they must be defeated, deprived of their arms and the fortifications destroyed.

"But the peaceful residents, their homesteads and their property must not be touched by our valorous soldiers or by border Cossacks. No unnecessary cruelty or devastation should be allowed. Destruction of cities or villages and burning of farms may be resorted to only in extreme cases, as punishment for heavy and bloody crimes. Such measures increase the population against us. Any kind of looting by soldiers or Cossacks must be punished with the utmost severity, including the corporal punishment of offenders. All subsistence provided by the inhabitants shall be paid for in cash."

MUST BE HUSH.

"Terrible in battle our soldiers must, in the recent past, they have always been everywhere and at all times, kind and humane, not only to the peaceful citizen, but also to the conquered foe. The very next day after the battle you must endeavor to be on a friendly footing with the inhabitants. So have we always done, with great success, in the Caucasus and in central Asia. In giving you these instructions his imperial majesty is confident that you will not dim their glory by any kind of cruelty to peaceful unarmed citizens. The emperor expects that every man will do his best to maintain good and friendly relations."

Information received in an official quarter here is to the effect that instructions as given above have been carefully observed.

Reports are current here that because of the recent decree issued by Russian officials in Manchuria, seeming to imply a protectorate over that Chinese province, the United States might have asked from the St. Petersburg government an explicit explanation of its purposes. So far as can be ascertained officials here have no such power.

Other reports asserted that this government had sounded or would sound European capitals with reference to Russian conduct in Northern China. It is stated emphatically here that no negotiations are in progress respecting China except those in Pekin.

Helen Gould to Sick Soldiers.

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—A letter of holiday greeting from Helen Gould to the sick soldiers at the Presidio, has been received at the general hospital and printed copies of the missive will be distributed to the men.

One hundred and thirty-two of the four hundred bodies on the Grant have been transferred to the Presidio morgue and the balance will be moved as soon as practicable.

German Expedition Returns.

Tien Tsin, Jan. 4.—The German expedition which started Christmas for Lien Ching Hsu, under command of Col. Greuder, returned Thursday. Greuder reports the capture of forty-three Krupp guns and the destruction of 5,000 rifles and large quantities of ammunition.