

SCANDINAVIAN LADIES SPEAK.

Conduct Services at the Assembly Hall Today—An Address by Mrs. Minnie Snow—Hearty Congratulations.

The exercises at the Assembly hall this morning formed one of the most interesting features of the Scandinavian jubilee, which has been such an unqualified success so far. The stand was handsomely decorated with palms, potted plants, choice cut flowers and vines, while the front of the organ and choir gallery were made beautiful in the same way. The decorating was all done under the direction of Mrs. Julia Brixen, and credit upon the committee. Today's exercises were under the auspices of the ladies, Mrs. Minnie Snow presiding, and the following ladies were present to the stand: Miss Emma Berglund, Mrs. E. Skerfving, Mrs. Tomlinson, Mrs. Anna Widdow, Mrs. Christine Sjodahl, Mrs. Gaarden, Mrs. Mary Jensen, Mrs. Julia Brixen, Mrs. J. Bromander, Mrs. P. W. Madson, Mrs. Agnes Teidt, Mrs. Olivia Jensen, Mrs. Campe, Mrs. Johanna, Mrs. Johanne Broberg, Mrs. Antonia, Mrs. O. C. Hansen, Mrs. Miss C. Jensen, Mrs. Johanne Broberg, Mrs. A. H. Lund, and Miss Halvorsen. The harmonium choir furnished music, and after the opening hymn, Elder C. D. Fjeldstedt offered prayer.

PRESIDENT SNOW'S REGRETS. Mrs. Minnie Snow then briefly addressed the meeting, extending a welcome to all, and congratulating the Scandinavians upon this happy occasion. She conveyed to the meeting President Snow's hearty greetings, and all had expressed deep regret at his inability, on account of illness, to attend. Mrs. Snow's remarks were in Danish.

MRS. ANNA B. SNOW. Mrs. Anna Beckstrom Snow, widow of the late Apostle Erastus Snow, was introduced as the first woman to speak at the jubilee. She had been introduced as the first woman to speak at the jubilee. She had been introduced as the first woman to speak at the jubilee. She had been introduced as the first woman to speak at the jubilee.

AN ORIGINAL POEM. Mrs. Annie Stevenson, of Ephraim, read an original poem by C. C. A. Christensen. It presented a picture of the Scandinavian people, and their triumph, and concluded with a glowing picture of the future. Mrs. Augusta Larson Ohlud made a short address, in which she presented a testimonial to the truth of the jubilee.

ROSE JORGENSEN, of Mant, sang a song with excellent effect. Mrs. Anna Widdow spoke in Danish and bore a powerful testimony to the truth of the Gospel. The lady especially upon the honored place occupied by women in this Church and in Utah.

Mrs. Agnes Olson Thomas sang a beautiful selection.

JUBILEE NOTES. During the exercises today, Apostle Lund was presented with a basket and bouquet of flowers, and the jubilee was closed by others prominent in the jubilee, and President A. M. Cannon.

After the services today, a flash light photograph was taken of the stand and those who participated in the meeting. The Scandinavians are out at Lakemore today afternoon. An interesting program will be given at this resort this afternoon and evening, including the Maypole dance, singing, dancing, and an exhibition of fireworks.

The jubilee proper ends tomorrow. In the morning there will be a banquet and reunion meeting at the Assembly hall, and a general meeting at the Tabernacle at 2 p. m. In the evening at 7 o'clock there will be a testimonial meeting at the Assembly Hall.

NO NEWS FROM CONGER. Admiral Kempff called on for a statement of situation. Washington, June 16.—Not a word of news came to the state department over night from Minister Conger, who has been out of communication since Tuesday. Even the United States consuls in north China ports were silent. Admiral Kempff has not been heard from since yesterday. This silence of official reports has given rise to grave apprehension here. It was expected that there might be a report from Mr. Conger, but in the case of Admiral Kempff, an early report was looked for, and it is feared that the officer of the foreign fleet at Peking has been prevented from reporting by open hostility of the Boxers or by the sinister orders of the Chinese government.

Yesterday Admiral Kempff was called upon by direction of the President for an explicit statement of the situation and his needs. It was for him to say whether he required reinforcements and if he is cut off from reply, the government must act without waiting much longer. Of course, in that case there would have to proceed upon the assumption that the situation is such that troops, perhaps, is needed. The element which advocates the use of troops at once is finding strong support in the apparent inability of the fleet to reach Peking. They say that sailors and marines are well equipped in operations along the coast, but that they are helpless in a



ROCHESTER'S WELCOME TO MAJ. GEN. ELWELL S. OTIS.

GOT A MURDEROUS INVITATION.

Mrs. Henry Goeschner, Deserted by Her Husband, Attempts to Shoot Her Two Children—Says Her Husband Gave Her a Gun for the Purpose.

Mrs. Henry Goeschner, living at No. 33 east Second North street, was thought to have attempted suicide this morning, but investigation by Doctors Behle and Glazy proved the report to be untrue. It is claimed that on Wednesday last, Henry Goeschner, the husband, who works at the Germania smelter, deserted the home, taking with him \$175 which they had saved, and leaving with his wife a pistol and an invitation to shoot herself and her two children. Yesterday Mrs. Goeschner made an attempt to kill the children, a girl aged 9 years and a boy aged 7, but an A. D. T. messenger happening to be in the vicinity took the pistol away from the excited woman in time to save the lives of her little ones. The neighbors then took the children into their own care, fearing that during the night their little lives might be taken away from them by the mad mother, or to be on the verge of mental collapse. Probably the absence of husband and children wrought upon the poor woman's mind to an almost unendurable degree, for this morning she became hysterical and began to scream to such an extent that the neighbors suspected her of an attempt to poison herself. Dr. Behle was summoned and administered an emetic, and Dr. Glazy was sent to the house by the police department. The physicians detected no odor of poison, but thought the woman's condition to be due to hysteria, probably superinduced by mental unbalance. Mrs. Goeschner's condition and actions will be closely watched and she will be given proper attention in an endeavor to bring her to a normal condition.

TO BE TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN.

Senator Wolcott Selected by the Republican Committee—He Favors Irving Scott for Vice Presidential Candidate.

Philadelphia, June 16.—The Republican national committee has selected Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, for temporary chairman of the convention. Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, arrived today and immediately announced himself as favorable to the candidacy of Irving Scott, of California, for the vice presidency.

A Chapter of Accidents. London, June 16, 2:30 p. m.—A collision between an express train and a train filled with race goers occurred at Slough. Six persons were killed and forty were injured.

New York, June 16.—Patrolman Irwin B. Cornelius, of the Brooklyn force, killed Patrick Farley early today. Farley, who was a pugilist, had been arrested by the officer for beating his wife and threatening to kill her, and was shot when trying to escape.

Dover, June 16.—Congressman Henry Hoffecker, Delaware's only representative in the lower branch of the national legislature, and who is said to have been the only Republican both factions of the party could agree upon for such position, dropped dead today in Smyrna, Pittsburg, Pa. June 16.—Five persons were painfully injured and twenty others were more or less hurt by the wreck of the Carnegie accommodation on the Pan Handle railroad this morning. The accident was caused by a landslide from Mount Washington, over one hundred tons of rock and earth tumbled over on the train.

BUBONIC PLAGUE PRECAUTIONS.

Federal Authorities Issue Orders to Railroad Companies.

S. F. WILL DISREGARD THEM

Asiaties May Not Leave California Without Health Certificates—Caucasians May.

San Francisco, June 16.—All railroad and steamship companies have been notified by the federal authorities at Washington that Asiatics will not be allowed to leave California unless provided with a health certificate issued by the United States marine hospital officials here. Whites will be allowed to leave without certificates, but it is recommended that they provide themselves voluntarily with certificates to avoid possible delay.

At first the order from Washington read that whites as well as Asiatics must have health certificates, but this order was modified later, exempting Caucasians.

This action has been taken to assure people in other States that every precaution is being taken in California and there is no possible danger of the spread of plague if it should exist in San Francisco.

When seen by a representative of the Associated Press today regarding the quarantine order issued by State Quarantine Officer Kinyoun, T. H. Goodman, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific company, stated that his company had been served with such order, but that it had been decided not to obey the order so far as whites were concerned, but that Chinese or other Asiatics would be compelled to show a certificate from the marine hospital service before transportation to other States would be sold them. He said that whites would be informed of the order and cautioned of the possibility of their being held up at the State line and compelled to swear that they have not been within the infected district within fifteen days of the date of their leaving the city. Mr. Goodman stated that he has been advised by the law department of the Santa Fe road that that road would ignore the order entirely.

Governor Gage is now in communication with the authorities at Washington regarding the matter and he hopes to have the order rescinded in view of his statement to Secretary Hay that no plague has existed or does exist in this city.

ORDERS TO NEVADA HEALTH OFFICIAL.

Reno, Nev., June 15.—An order was received last evening by Federal Health Officer McQuestin in this city. It was sent by Quarantine Officer Kinyoun in San Francisco. The local officer was ordered to search all eastbound trains for passengers from San Francisco at the State line. These were to be required to show certificates signed by the United States marine hospital. In the event of their failure to produce this document they were to be turned back toward their journey.

Dr. C. A. McQuestin, government sanitary inspector, who has been stationed in this city for the past month looking for bubonic plague cases on trains from the west, was ordered last evening by Dr. J. J. Kinyoun, chief government inspecting officer of San Francisco, to proceed at once to Truckee, Cal., and allow no passengers from San Francisco traveling east to pass that station without presenting a clean certificate of health, signed by the officials of the United States marine hospital of that city. Dr. McQuestin says that two United States officers will be at Truckee tonight to assist him in carrying out his orders. He will go to Truckee on the first train out to enter immediately upon the discharge of his duties.

San Francisco, June 16.—Dr. L. Baret, a member of the state board of health, and also of the San Francisco board of health, has sent his resignation as a member of the state board to Gov. Gage. In an interview he states that he took this action as an expression of his disapproval of the message sent by Gov. Gage to Secretary Hay in which the governor stated that plague does not and has not existed in San Francisco.

Waldeck-Rousseau and Socialists

New York, June 16.—A dispatch to the Times from Paris says: "Continuing the present impasse must be found in the appointment by the representatives of the powers of an imperial viceroy as has so often been successfully done in other eastern crises. Otherwise, the hideous calamity of China falling to pieces may in a few months be exciting the cupid and overtaxing the capacity of all the ruling powers."

Commenting upon the supposed, hesitation of the United States to participate in the movement to suppress the Boxers as reported in cable dispatches from Washington, the Statist says: "No European power will misunderstand the present hesitation of the United States and jump at the conclusion that American feeling and opinion may be disregarded. The United States will undertake military operations in China as it did against Spain, if the protection of its citizens require them, or if the powers threaten to exclude American merchants from their rights in China acquired by treaty. Unless the British ministers muddle matters, Great Britain can reckon on the assistance of the United States and Japan in maintaining even by force the policy of the open door in China."

A cabinet meeting held today under the presidency of Lord Salisbury was concerned almost entirely with the situation in China.

THE DREYFUS CASE UP.

Government Cannot Deprive Him of Right of Rehabilitating Himself. New York, June 16.—A dispatch to the Times from Paris says: "It results from a declaration made in the chamber by M. Waldeck-Rousseau that the government cannot deprive Captain Dreyfus of the right of completely rehabilitating himself by any scheme of general amnesty. The amnesty act must give Dreyfus the right of reinstatement with his previous grade. M. Waldeck-Rousseau, therefore, opposes the general bill but he will guarantee the support of the government to a bill in which certain specific individuals concerned in the Dreyfus case will be exempted from criminal prosecution."

It is believed here that Dreyfus will make another attempt at complete rehabilitation at the close of the exposition.

PEKIN LEGATIONS ALL DESTROYED

German Minister Reported Massacred—Imperial Troops Join the Boxers—Incendiary Fires in Tien Tsin.

London, June 16, 4 p. m.—A special dispatch from Hongkong says all the Pekin legations have been destroyed and that the German minister, Baron Von Kettler, has been killed.

Detroit, June 16.—Baron Von Kettler, the German minister to China, who is reported to have been killed in the "Boxer" riots in Pekin, was a son-in-law of Henry B. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central railroad. The baron was married to Miss Ledyard in 1897. When the news was conveyed to the Ledyard home, it was their first intimation or what is said to have occurred. Members of the family stated that the baron's wife was with him in Pekin, and that a cablegram had been received from them a week ago saying all was well.

JOIN THE BOXERS. Shanghai, June 16.—According to information received here from foreign sources, 10,000 imperial troops which were between Pekin and the international force advancing on that city have disbanded and joined the Boxers. It is asserted that the government of China does not consider itself responsible for any encounter which may take place.

The native banks at Chin Kiang closed business yesterday, fearing trouble from the Boxers. Excitement prevails in the Yang Tse valley, but all is quiet at Che Foo, in

spite of alarming rumors to the contrary.

DISCREDITED IN WASHINGTON. Washington, June 16.—Nothing has been heard here by officials to confirm the alarming reports of the destruction of the embassies and legations in Pekin, and in view of the fact that the government itself is not able to open communication with the scene of the troubles, the officials are inclined to doubt that private enterprises could do more.

In other words, they do not believe the report. Minister Wu, of the Chinese legation here, called at the state department this forenoon, but he declared that he was without any advice from his own government, and said that his visit to Secretary Hay had reference to a personal matter.

INCENDIARY FIRES IN TIEN TSIN.

Shanghai, June 16.—Last night's advances from Tien Tsin report that large incendiary fires occurred in the eastern part of the city, where three English and American churches were burned besides the residences of many foreigners. Telegraphic communication is interrupted, the poles having been burned and there is no hope for immediate repairs being made.

BOXERS CONTROL TIEN TSIN.

New York, June 16.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Tien Tsin says: Boxers control Tien Tsin, and the native city officials have been burned at the stake. A great panic prevails among the Chinese.

BOXERS MURDER NATIVE CONVERTS

Catholic Cathedral at Pekin is Burned.

THE PERILS OF FOREIGNERS

London, June 16, 4:47 p. m.—The war office has received the following message from Lord Roberts: "Peking, June 16.—Rustenberg was occupied yesterday by Baden-Powell. A column starts from this place tomorrow to meet Baden-Powell and repair the telegraph between Pretoria and Rustenberg."

"Hunter is moving from Potchefstroom. His advance brigade expects to reach Johannesburg June 19."

Buller is hope is at Standerton. Heidelberg will be occupied from this place tomorrow, and the Orange River Colony will be completely cut off from the Transvaal."

"Baden-Powell reports that the districts through which he passed is settling down satisfactorily. Over one thousand stand of arms were surrendered and Haneloff and Pletkruger, son of the president, were made submission to him yesterday, having been previously disarmed. They have been decorated with filthy insignia. That this has been done with the consent of the leaders is proved by the fact that while in Charlestown every house was wrecked, in Volksrust, two miles off, but in the Transvaal every house was intact."

WATCHING THE RODERICK DHU.

Has Sailed for Hawaii With a Cargo of Wine, Beer, etc. San Francisco, June 16.—The bark Roderick Dhu, now on her way to Honolulu, will be watched for by the United States revenue officers in the New Hawaiian district. The vessel left Thursday afternoon carrying a cargo made up largely of wine, beer and other taxable goods, on which revenue duties have not yet been paid. Under the law, which went into effect on Thursday at noon, merchandise of this class cannot be landed in the new Territory until the revenue taxes have been paid, and the goods properly stamped. The commissioner of internal revenue has been asked to allow ships now at this port and partly loaded to proceed to Honolulu on depositing a bond large enough to cover the taxes which are to be paid at Honolulu.

ROBERTS AND KRUGER.

Negotiations for Surrender of the Boers Said to be Under Way. London, June 16.—A rumor is rife in the city that Lord Roberts is negotiating with President Kruger and General Botha, through their wives, regarding terms of surrender.

Bp. Keane to be Archbishop.

Washington, June 16.—Advices have reached the papal legation here from Rome, indicating the early appointment of Bishop Keane as archbishop of Dubuque. The appointment, it is said, would have been made before this, but for the antagonism of the German priests in that see, who favor the selection of Father Carroll, a professor at the Dubuque seminary, for the vacancy. It is understood that their opposition to Dr. Keane arises from his attitude in the Schroeder case when that professor some months ago was removed from the Catholic university in this city.

BOXERS BURN CHAPELS.

Berlin, June 16.—A semi-official dispatch from Tien Tsin, dated June 15 (Friday), reads as follows: "The foreign settlements here are adequately protected. Bands of Boxers have appeared in the native town. They burned three chapels and are spreading terror among the inhabitants."