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THE VICTORY FOR CANADA

In the Second Race of the Series.

HOW THE DOMINION BEAT THE CHALLENGER.

Looks as if the Cup was Going to Stay in Canada.

MONTREAL, Aug 16.—The second of the series of international yacht races between the Dominion and the Challenger for the Seawahanka Cup, this afternoon, resulted in a victory for the Dominion by about half a mile. The course was triangular and the wind was a good sailing one, although light at the start. All morning the lake was like a mirror and the race was postponed till one o'clock. The Challenger fouled the Dominion slightly at the end of the first leg and had the Challenger won Duggan would have protested, but as he won anyhow he merely reported the incident.

Speaking of to-day's race McVey, the Boston yachting expert, said: "It has been clearly shown by the racing thus far that the Challenger is the faster boat down the wind. As on Saturday in the strong puff the Dominion went through better than the Challenger. There can be no question as to the Dominion's greater stability, and this she gets from her two hulls, each of which has its own centre of buoyancy. From what I have seen of the two boats the Challenger has not shown sufficient speed in her down-the-wind work to offset the gain the Dominion pulls out going to windward. There is nothing in the Challenger's showing thus far to warrant the prediction that the cup will leave Canada. In fact, it looks as if it had a permanent home here."

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OUTRAGE BY THE SPANIARDS

Hauled Down the Stars and Stripes

WHICH THE INHABITANTS OF MUADO HAD RAISED.

Spanish Soldiers Came Along and Tore the Flag Down.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]
PONCE, P. R., Aug. 17.—The first report of outrages by the Spaniards within their own lines was brought from headquarters by Gen. Wilson yesterday. The inhabitants at a place twenty miles north-east of Muado raised the American flag after the Spanish troops had left. The troops returned, tore down the flag, and mached ninety inhabitants.

MITCHELL WINS AGAIN.

Secures two Firsts and one Second at Antigonish.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

ANTIGONISH, Aug 17.—Dick Mitchell won two first prizes and one second at the bicycle races held here yesterday beating Keith of Halifax. Mitchell intends to take part in the Maritime Sports to be held at Charlottetown on the 24th September.

Duty on Klondyke Supplies

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

OTTAWA, Aug. 17.—The Customs department collected nearly a quarter of a million of dollars in duties on Klondyke miner supplies at Chilkoot and White Passes during the past fiscal year, ending June 30th.

Tranquil Havana

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

HAVANA, Aug. 17.—This city remains entirely tranquil. Everybody has resumed his ordinary duty, thinking only how he can recover something of what he has lost.

SECRETARY OF STATE HAY.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, Aug 17.—Ambassador Hay at London, has accepted the office of United States Secretary of State.

Britain Takes Them.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug 16.—Mail advices received here say that the British warship Mohawk has raised the British flag over the Santa Cruz and Duff Islands and taken possession of them.

The islands are in a remote part of the South Pacific. The Santa Cruz group has seven large islands. The Duff or Wilson group consists of eleven islands.

Severe Condemnation.

LONDON, Aug 16.—The Santiago correspondent of the Times who acted as interpreter for General Shafter during the interviews preceding the surrender of Santiago, describes fully the fighting and capitulation of the city and criticizes severely the tactical blunders made, the opportunities missed and the lack of the information of the enemy's movements displayed by both Spaniards and Americans. The correspondent says the necessity for the surrender of Santiago is no more evident now than it was before.

Russian Intentions.

LONDON, August 16.—The semi-official Journal des St. Petersburg deprecates the tone of the British press and says:—"Russia does not contemplate fresh acquisition in the Far East. Her only object is to preserve the advantage recently gained. The Russian Government does not desire to injure the economic interests of Great Britain any more than those of any other power."

GREAT BRITAIN IMPATIENT

Demand for Energetic Action.

SITUATION HAS QUICKLY GONE FROM BAD TO WORSE.

Think Lord Salisbury Should Show Russia Britain Means Business.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Discussing the Eastern question the London correspondent of the Evening Post, cables:

"The situation in China has gone from bad to worse this week by leaps and bounds. Contemptuously rejecting England's offered support against foreign aggression, the Chinese Government has definitely thrown in its lot with Russia, and has demonstrated the alliance by cancelling the contract with the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank for the railway to Neu Chwang. This contract the British Government is publicly pledged to uphold, but an anxious fear dominates all minds that Lord Salisbury will again give away. Lord Salisbury is not a weak man. A weak man would not venture to persist in a policy condemned by the country and many of his own party. Another rumor has been received to explain the meekness of his diplomacy. It is said the Queen has laid upon him her command that at all costs peace must be maintained for the remainder of her reign. She will not sign, she says, a declaration of war against a European power. I give you the rumor for what it is worth. One hears it whispered where one would not expect to find it. If there be a grain of truth in it, Lord Salisbury's position is a difficult one."

Harold Frederic in his London cable letter to the Times says:—"It is recognized everywhere now that England and Russia are being drawn more and more swiftly toward an impasse where either of the two must retreat or a great conflict will ensue. I imagine what gall and wormwood it must be to a proud Englishman to encounter the universal opinion from the press of the four quarters of the globe that he will be the one to turn tail when the ultimate crisis arises. Literally no one can imagine what a saddened disgust weighs down like platinum on British spirits. The idea that Lord Salisbury is not coming back to the Foreign Office, which has been mentioned of late in these despatches as timidly shaping itself in a few brains, has not become almost general property among politicians."

ACCEPTED BRIBES.

Continuing he charges that both the Empress and Li Hung Chang are taking Russian money with both hands to the knowledge of everybody, and, of course, each underlayer in the worn-out mass of Pekin officialdom is absorbing as much of the same alluring metal as it can. "This," he says, "is painfully immoral, and the English hold themselves to be an exceptionally moral people, but matters have drifted to such a dangerous, not to say desperate, pass that they are secretly willing to lay aside some of their phylacteries and go in and beat the Russian at his own game. There is, when it is considered impartially, something grotesque in the man with a hundred millions being outdone in a contest of bribery by the man with one million, and Parliament separates with a kind of tacit impression that during the coming six months recess this defect is going to be remedied. It will probably be done by a juggle of Indian finance where, owing to the constant necessity of diverting sums for the bribery of troublesome Rajahs and their favorites, a very elastic system of bookkeeping and public audit prevails."

Again Mr. Frederic says, in the course of his despatch: "Few Englishmen doubt that these coming five years will witness the great struggle on the Indian frontier with the Czar's hordes. The entire military service regard the outcome of such a struggle with serene, almost jocular confidence, but they chafe bitterly at being forced to wait till Russia's railway expansion in mid Asia shall provide her with the maximum of facilities for conducting such an invasion."

Treating of the same question, the London representative of the Tribune says: "Parliament has closed with debates on England's China policy, which have caused dismay among the Government followers, and with the appointment of a viceroy for India, which has filled the forward school with delight. By a singular coincidence the same issue of the Times, which contained the report of Mr Balfour's speech, with hair-splitting polemics on spheres of influence and the "open door" principle, recorded M. Pavloff's success in vetoing the New Chang railway loan, in spite of Lord Salisbury's offer to guarantee China against the consequences of carrying out the contract."

EVACUATION OF CUBA AND PORTO RICO

The Commissioners Have Been Appointed

TO ADJUST THE TERMS OF EVACUATION.

Commissioners Composed of the Military and Naval Leaders.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, Aug 17.—The President has appointed two commissions to adjust the evacuation of Cuba and Porto Rico namely, for Cuba, Major General James G. Wade, Rear Admiral William T. Sampson, Major General Maitland L. Butler; for Porto Rico, Major General John R. Brooks, Rear Admiral Winfield S. Schley, Brigadier General William W. Gordon.

After the Battle.

MADRID, August 16.—The Cuban autonomist government has resigned. It is believed the Spanish government will decline to accept the resignation of Gov.-Gen. Blanco and Augustin.

Havana telegrams represent the Spanish element in the country as favoring American annexation as the best means to ensure prosperity and avert anarchy. M. Cambon, the French ambassador to the United States, who represents Spain in the peace negotiation at Washington, has been decorated with the grand cross of the order of Charles III.

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