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## JAPAN TO TAKE PART

THE MIKADO SENDS WARSHIPS TO CHINESE WATERS.

New Features in the Pavilion of China England Wants a Slice of the Arctic; Empire—France Availing the Arctic; Her Neighbor Across the Channel.

London, Dec. 22.—A dispatch from Yokohama says: Russia has notified Japan of the temporary occupation of Port Arthur, and a large Japanese squadron has left Nagasaki. Sir Halliday Macartney, the English secretary of the Chinese embassy, was asked if Russia's possession of Port Arthur would be temporary. He replied that this plea was usually made a pretext for occupation.

An unconfirmed report is current here that part of the British far eastern squadron will be stationed at Wei Hai Wei this winter. If true, this indicates that Great Britain is working with Japan. The latter still occupies Wei Hai Wei, pending payment of the Chinese war indemnity.

The newspapers are much disturbed over the situation. "What do we get?" is the burden of their complaint, and they all insist on the necessity for immediate action. The Globe says, "Russia and Germany now have the two most important strategic positions in northern China and Great Britain, whose commercial interests there are ten times greater, must be content with the crumbs from the St. Petersburg and Berlin tables."

The Fall Mail Gazette echoes The Standard's inquiry as to America's attitude and remarks: "Of course the partition of the coast, which is bound to come, will not be confined to Russia and Germany. Every naval state in the world is actively concerned in the disturbances of the equilibrium in the far east. Great Britain, France and Japan especially. But the United States cannot be treated as a quantity to be ignored. Tame acquiescence with these seizures is not worthy of our past and is fatal to our future. We may remark that we shall not be without sympathies, as the Japanese will most joyfully back any scheme to redress the bitter

## CONGRESS PROCEEDINGS.

What the Senate at Washington Did During the Week.

Washington, Dec. 18.—In the senate the bill prohibiting pelagic sealing by American citizens was passed by a vote of 14 to 7. There was a spirited debate on the advisability of extending the civil service rules over the census bureau.

In the house consideration of the legislative committee's bill on appropriation was continued, the debate being principally on the proposal made by Assistant Secretary Vanderlip to establish a retired list in the treasury department. Mr. De Armond, Dem. of Missouri, under the latitude allowed in debate on appropriation bills, made a speech reproaching the majority for not voting upon the Cuban bill recently resolution passed by the senate at the last session.

Washington, Dec. 17.—In the senate a resolution directing the secretary of war to send supplies to American and other sufferers in the Klondike region was passed practically without opposition. Senator Wolcott said that the international committee on the Klondike had no report thus far, and upon his request discussion of its work was postponed until Jan. 15.

In the house, the senate bill prohibiting pelagic sealing was passed by a vote of 148 to 78. A bill appropriating \$175,000 for the relief of the distressed miners and others in the Klondike region was passed practically without opposition.

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## A LIFE'S SAD ENDING.

MISS HERBERT COMMITTS SUICIDE AT HER WASHINGTON HOME.

The Daughter of the Former Secretary of the Navy Harleed Herself From a Third Story Window, Receiving Injuries Which Caused Death.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The tragic death of Miss Lella Herbert, daughter of former Secretary of the Navy Hilary Herbert of Alabama, caused a profound shock to Washington society, in which the young lady had for a number of years been prominently connected.

The coroner decided that no inquest was necessary, the facts in the case being clear. At police headquarters the death was reported as a case of suicide, due to melancholia and temporary aberration of the mind, as the result of brooding over long illness.

Miss Herbert's death is traceable indirectly to an accident while horseback riding in Virginia last September. She always had been enthusiastically fond of riding, and during a visit to Virginia she started out one day on a horse that had not been well broken. It stumbled, and she was thrown violently to the ground, sustaining severe injuries to her back. She was brought back to Washington, but recovery was exceedingly slow, and it was not until last Sunday that she was able to get out of the house.

It had been Miss Herbert's custom for several years to take her breakfast in her room and later prepare for the social obligations of the day. Shortly after 10 o'clock she dressed to go down



MISS LELLA HERBERT.

stairs, after descending to the parlor, went to the rear room of the third story of her home, whence she leaped to the ground, sustaining injuries from the effects of which she died within an hour.

Ex-Secretary Herbert reached Washington at 10 o'clock last night, having been on his way from Alabama to spend the Christmas holidays with his family, when the news of his daughter's death met him on the train.

Other Notable Washington Tragedies.

Washington folk are recalling the number of fatalities in prominent official households in recent years. Of the Cleveland cabinet Secretary Bayard's daughter died suddenly, as every one believed at the time, by her own hand. Here was a case of true love with a poor young man attached to one of the foreign legations. He was ordered to a far distant post through powerful influences, and Miss Bayard could not survive the separation.

Attorney General Garland's daughter shot herself in a fit of melancholy induced by too much religious contemplation.

A daughter of Secretary Blaine nearly died from the effects of a pistol shot, wound said to have been an accident, and the horror of the Tracy fire, whose President Harrison's secretary of the navy was afflicted so sorely, comes again to the public mind.

Settlements on the Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg, Dec. 22.—Contracts aggregating in amount almost \$600,000 have been awarded by Chief Engineer Brown of the Pennsylvania railroad for the improvement of the main line of that road between Altoona and the Summit tunnel, on the eastern slope of the Allegheny mountains. Two divisions of the work were awarded to Contractors Drake and Stratton and W. E. Howley & Co. of Pittsburg for a sum aggregating almost \$300,000. Another large division was given to the McManus Construction company of Philadelphia, and the remodeling of the old Portage tunnel to cost about \$200,000, was awarded to Contractors Clements, King & Co. of New York.

GIVES PEARY A SHIP.

Editor Harnsworth Presents the Explorer With the Windward.

London, Dec. 17.—Robert E. Peary, C. U. S. N., sends the following to the correspondent of the New York Sun: "A. C. Harnsworth, England's patron of arctic exploration, has presented his arctic ship Windward to Mr. Peary and will have her overhauled and sent to America for use in his coming expedition."

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speculation, have at last been announced with some positiveness. That the Montana men have secured a high class race horse is undeniable, for the son of Hanover and Lady Reel proved himself to be one of the greatest 2-year-olds in the world. The colt has the perfect action which is so essential for a horse that must run fast and far. He has proved conclusively that he is a phenomenon to carry weight. Whether he can stay the Derby and Realization distances will be unanswered until he goes to the post next spring. The long winter is before him yet, and many things may happen between now and the racing season in this vicinity.

John D. Hart Re-arrested.

Philadelphia, Dec. 22.—John D. Hart, the principal owner of the vessel of the Hart Steamship company, was last evening taken to the Eastern penitentiary. Hart was convicted several months ago of aiding a Cuban filibustering expedition on the steamship Laurada and sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the Eastern penitentiary. Pending decision on an appeal to the United States court of appeals, he was allowed his liberty under \$7,000 bail. Yesterday Jesse Eldridge, one of his bondsmen, notified the court that he desired to be relieved of his security, and Hart's rearrest followed.

Accused of Falsifying Records.

Washington, Dec. 20.—F. M. Gideon, the clerk of the general land office, was referred to by Thomas Heddinger before the senate Pacific railroad committee as having changed the land office records so as to throw 1,900,000 acres of government land to the Northern Pacific road. He has made a clear denial of the charge.



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