

DISMARCK'S LATEST PLAN.

IT CREATES A DECIDED SENSATION IN EUROPEAN CAPITALS.

His Alleged Scheme to Annex Heligoland to the German Empire, Great Britain is a Furry for a While, But a Reaction Has Now Set In.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The sensation caused during the past few days by reports of Prince Bismarck's preparations to gobble up Heligoland has been an alarming one, but a reaction has already set in. It is beginning to be realized that Bismarck is not in the habit of carrying out his proposals in quite an open, bold and un diplomatic a fashion. Several other considerations are also advanced to throw doubt upon the correctness of the theory that Germany is on the point of absorbing the country of the North Sea.

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MRS. CLEVELAND'S VACATION.

She Attends Morning Service at Merton and Takes a Drive With Her Uncle.

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 7.—Last evening Mrs. Cleveland entertained Col. J. H. Merton at her home. Mrs. Cleveland was accompanied by her uncle, Mr. Merton, and her sister, Mrs. Greely.

THE INTERNATIONAL DRILL.

The Marine Band May Furnish the Music for It.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The international military exercises to be held here from Oct. 1 to 20 promise to be a grand success. Representative military organizations are expected from a number of European nations.

One of the features of the engagement will be the music furnished by the United States military band. The band will be directed by its conductor, Mr. Merton.

THE TRIAL YACHT RACES.

The New York Yacht Club Decides on the Dates.

COTTAGE CITY, N. J., Aug. 7.—The New York Yacht Club has decided to hold its annual regatta here this morning, and was greeted by a large crowd. The number of yachts increased to 200 by the coasts who went out to greet them.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

A Family Row at Its Sunday Meeting—Strike at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

New York, Aug. 7.—A stormy meeting of the Central Labor Union was held this evening, caused by Edward Finkelschtein's criticism of the executive committee's action in excluding socialists from the party organization.

NEVER REACHED WASHINGTON.

Col. Cochrane Starts to Accept a Clerkship and Disappears.

New York, Aug. 7.—Col. John I. Cochrane, of Newark, N. J., a well-known G. A. R. man, has been missing since a week ago. He is believed to have accepted a clerkship with the New Jersey Central railroad.

A JUVENILE MURDERER.

An Ten-Year-Old Boy Confesses to Kill His Mother.

FELTON, N. J., Aug. 7.—At the coroner's inquest into the cause of Horron Smith's death, his son, Mentor, aged 10 years, admitted firing the shot which killed him. He claims that he was instigated to do so by his mother.

A Prison Murder Over a Game of Cards.

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 7.—In the state penitentiary, the evening William Ferguson was convicted of murdering a fellow prisoner over a game of cards.

The Texas Election.

GALVESTON, Aug. 7.—The election here received last night was meager, and ended in a draw. The result was a tie between the two candidates.

Minister McLane in New York.

New York, Aug. 7.—The Hon. Mr. McLane, United States minister at Paris, and Mr. M. L. Devoy, French minister at New York, were in the city today. They were seen at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Murder Over a Salvation Lease.

ELTON, N. J., Aug. 7.—John Willard, aged 35, was shot and killed by a man named Foster in a quarrel over a lease on a piece of land.

Dr. Stone at Elizabethtown.

ELIZABETHTOWN, N. J., Aug. 7.—Dr. R. S. Stone preached an eloquent sermon at the Methodist church here last evening. He was accompanied by his wife and children.

Murder in Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 7.—A man named King was shot and killed by a man named Smith in a quarrel over a piece of land.

No Democrats in Cincinnati.

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Minister Elopes With an Editor's Wife.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—A man named Elton, minister at New York, was seen in the city with a woman named Smith, who is believed to be the wife of an editor.

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A White Frenzy in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—The thermometer registered 100 degrees this morning. A white frenzy was seen in the city, with many people suffering from heatstroke.

GENERAL SPORTING NEWS.

ITEMS CONCERNING THE DIAMOND FIELD AND RACE TRACK.

Gossip About the Local Base Ball Team—Standing of the Different Clubs in the League and Association—Entries for the Races and Other Notes.

The battle for the first honors in the League championship race goes bravely on. Detroit still continues the leader, but from present indications it is only a question of time when the Wolverines will be supplanted by the Chicagoans.

THE LANGSTON TRIAL.

Every Indication That It Will Drag to an Unreasonable Length.

PETERSBURG, Va., Aug. 7.—The first week of the trial of Frank Langston for the murder of John H. Russell closed yesterday, and there is every prospect that next Saturday will not see the conclusion of the case. The trial is expected to last several weeks.

MILLIONAIRE FLOOD DYING.

Mackay Burying Home—A Heavy Loser in the Wheat Deal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—The statement in the market today was that the wheat market was a heavy loser. The price of wheat has fallen significantly.

MICHIGAN TERRORS.

Toughs from the Salt Regions on a Tour of Plunder.

TOLEDO, Mich., Aug. 7.—The town of Toledo is terrorized by a gang of ruffians. On Friday last they entered the town and committed several acts of violence.

SHERIFF HAS THE BEST OF IT.

He Will Force Saloon Keepers to Support Him.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 7.—Sheriff Deas, Democrat, is a candidate for reelection, but is opposed by the German party. He is expected to win the election.

KILLED INTO ETERNITY.

Two Boys Killed at an Anti-Prohibition Celebration.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 7.—During a bonfire and pyrotechnic celebration of the defeat of prohibition yesterday a keg of powder on which James Lacey, aged 17, was seated, was exploded by a rocket.

NEW HAVEN'S CHIEF OF POLICE.

He is Severely If Not Fatally Injured.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 7.—Edward McDermott, a ruffian, severely, if not fatally, injured Chief of Police Ballman today. McDermott was arrested on a charge of assault on Officer Tighe.

The Adventists' Camp Meeting.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 7.—The Seventh Day Adventists are holding their annual camp meeting in the city. The meeting is expected to last several weeks.

SPOTTING ITEMS.

Keating has been released. Rather a late day and without a trial. Indiana was visited by a heavy rain. The Washington was in the city.

YEN & WALL PENNSYLVANIA ANNO.

First race—Three-quarters of a mile, selling—100 pounds; Spinetto, 108; 120 an Queen, 107; 110; 115; 120; 125; 130; 135; 140; 145; 150; 155; 160; 165; 170; 175; 180; 185; 190; 195; 200; 205; 210; 215; 220; 225; 230; 235; 240; 245; 250; 255; 260; 265; 270; 275; 280; 285; 290; 295; 300; 305; 310; 315; 320; 325; 330; 335; 340; 345; 350; 355; 360; 365; 370; 375; 380; 385; 390; 395; 400; 405; 410; 415; 420; 425; 430; 435; 440; 445; 450; 455; 460; 465; 470; 475; 480; 485; 490; 495; 500; 505; 510; 515; 520; 525; 530; 535; 540; 545; 550; 555; 560; 565; 570; 575; 580; 585; 590; 595; 600; 605; 610; 615; 620; 625; 630; 635; 640; 645; 650; 655; 660; 665; 670; 675; 680; 685; 690; 695; 700; 705; 710; 715; 720; 725; 730; 735; 740; 745; 750; 755; 760; 765; 770; 775; 780; 785; 790; 795; 800; 805; 810; 815; 820; 825; 830; 835; 840; 845; 850; 855; 860; 865; 870; 875; 880; 885; 890; 895; 900; 905; 910; 915; 920; 925; 930; 935; 940; 945; 950; 955; 960; 965; 970; 975; 980; 985; 990; 995; 1000; 1005; 1010; 1015; 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