

KOREA IMPROVED UNDER RULE OF JAP.

Remarkable Transformation in the fourth time to answer the charge of Country Since End of War in libeling General Count Kuno Moltke, Country Since End of War in

assumed the supreme power as resident | central criminal court, under the presi

try and America at the high-handed second trial took place before the cenaction of Japanese officials. Land was tral criminal court of the empfre at sulted and deprived of its rights, and seven postmen and policemen were or mere pretenses removed from their ed the former trials of Herr Harden on this charge. Public interest was expositions, which in turn were taken up this charge. Public interest was ex-by "low-bred" Japanese soldiers. Al tremely languid, and only three witthis, and more, was alleged against the nesses were summoned-General Count new administrators, and the Marquis Kuno Moltke, Count Ernest Reventlow GERMAN'S DAILY LIFE BIG Ito came in for a full share of per- and Baron von Berger.

And now, at the end of four years' Herr Harden was willing to make a experience of the new regime, what do formal statement that he never intendwe learn? A revolution has been ef. ed to make certain charges against Genfected of a character that does more eral Count Moltke, and that the count than honor to the model by which the was willing to accept this settlement Japanese statesman determined to be out of court. The public prosecutor guided. First, the imperial household however, declared that he could not has been cleansed of the auctioneers of agree to any such course, but that he offices, diviners and fortune tellers, and must insist on the trial being carried men and women of questionable char- through to a conclusion. acter, whose sole object was "to cheat and extract money from the imperial purse," have been sent about their

determined according to the amount of the bribe offered by plaintiff or defendant; and criminal cases by the arbi- face of St. Helena? is the question asked trary will of the judge. Torture was by the Hon, H. W. Solomon, of the commonly resorted to as a means of executive council of the island, who procuring evidence required by the has issued a plea on behalf of the dismagistrate. The conviction of innocent tressed inhabitants, people and the confiscation of their | "It is over two years since the gar

These abuses are almost obliterated._ Women convicted of major crimes | the St. Helena committee, "and were often executed by poisons calcu- though we appreciate the action of the lated to inflict terrible agony before colonial office in giving a subsidy to death ensued. Prison administration start a hemp mill, as well as a grant was often prostituted to private ends. for teaching the girls lace making, yet so that innocent people were frequently much more remains to be done. At thrown into jail simply at the dictate the request of former governors the of political or personal vengeance. As farmers improved the breed of their to sanitary measures, nothing was pro- live stock, being assured that they vided. Most of the prison buildings in would always be required for military the provinces were mere shelters, often purposes. The result is that the farmwith earth floors. In winter, when the ers are to day left with some 2,000 thermometer fell below zero, there cattle on their hands which are practiwere many eases of death from cold | cally useless, as on account of the In hot summers prisoners often fell great poverty, the people have no victims to epidemics. Now, the advan- money to purchase meat. These cattle ced prison code in Japan, which some also are a great impediment to the experts hold to be a vast improvement I growing of hemp, occupying pasture upon European codes, is being steadily, lands which would otherwise be used applied, with satisfactory results, to the for hemp cultivation. Money is also

The finances—imperial, provincial and

Many other reforms, relating to sani- from decay. tation, education and local government have been carried out with, it is admitted, ruthless disregard of the class prejudice of old Koreans.

"Double strength" Tarine moth proof bags are sold in Kingston a Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Repairing and upholstering attended to at James Reid's.

Excuses are too often accepted in our self-examination.

Why Liquid Catarrh Remedies Fail They go direct to the stomach, have very little effect on the linings of the nose and throat, and entirely fail to cure. Only by cleansing the air passages by relieving the inflammation and killing the germs is cure possible. No an arrest may be expected at any combination of antiseptics is so successful as Catarrhozone. In breathing of Mrs. James on Dominion street, on 121c. Rolls Or Half Rolls 121c. it, you send the richest pine balsams April 22nd. Four of the best city de- Rolls bacon, 124c. Crawford's. ri ht to the sent of the disease. Irri- tectives are still working on the case, tating phlegm is cleared out, hoarse- and they claim to have discovered ma- "Carnation day." Just to cele- away furs, clothes, etc. All sizes, at ness, coughing and hacking are cured. terial circumstantial evidence which brate the opening of the soda foun- Wade's drug store.

\$1. at all dealers.

SENSATIONAL CASE ENDS Herr Harden Fined For Libel on

Moltke. Berlin, May 8.—Herr Maximilian Harden, proprietor and editor of the weekly review, Zukunft, appeared one day this week in the law courts for the

This trial, like the second trial, took London, May 8 .- When Marquis Ito place before the fourth chamber of the general of Korea, in 1905, he publicly dency of Judge Lehmann. The first avowed his determination to imitate trial took place before the Schoeffenthe example of Lord Cromer in Egypt gerich, consisting of the judge and two in his administration of the Korean jurors. This court acquitted Harden whereupon the government ignored the The immediate sequel was a series of verdict and caused the public prosecustrongly worded protests in this count for to indict Herr Harden, whose dishonestly appropriated, concession Leipzig, which quashed the verdict and rights abrogated, Korean nobility in ordered a new trial by the same court sulted and deprived of its rights, and There was a complete absence of all

It was announced at the outset that

NO MONEY FOR MEAT. Civil cases were for the most part St. Helena on Verge of Direst Poverty.

London, May 8 .- What is to be the

property were common occurrences." rison was removed," says Mr. Solomon in a letter to A. G. Wise, secretary of

needed for the upkeep of the roads. "Large numbers of children are unlocal-have also been overhauled, and provided for. There is, besides, the a considerable reduction of debt ha mestion of the children who are growbeen brought about. The banking laws ling up, and for whom employment have been revised. Roads are being re must be found when they leave school." paired. The postal system has beer | Financial assistance is needed from modified, and a saving on that alone the authorities at home if this island, of 140,000 years per annum has been the which has played such a conspicuous part in British history, is to be saved

> A Boy's Strange Death. Fredericton, N.B., May 8.-Victor, a four-year-old son of Samuel Cameron, St. Mary's, met a tragic death at his nome while playing with another boy in the yard. They started to climb through a hole in the woodshed. The companion got through safely, Cameron slipped and fell, catching by his chin on a board at the bottom of the twilight and is reported for having he hole. His chum, being unable to release him, rushed to the house of the boy's mother, and when she arrived wife, using cards which do not bear Bliven, a broker, was sentenced from

cided the shock killed him.

Expect To Make An Arrest. For a permanent cure for catarrh, points strongly to the guilty party, tain at Gibson's Red Cross drug store, nothing equals Catarrhozone, 25c. and sufficient, in fact, to warrant his com- each customer at the fountain-will re- Returning good for evil is generally mitment for trial.

Abdul Hamid II, who last week lost his job as ruler of the Ot toman empire, is probably the most remarkable character in recent European history. He combined in a marked degree the character istics of cruelty, personal cowardita, and diplomatic shrewdness which aided him to play the European powers against one another

for thirty-three years. He had 210 wives and concubines, but only thirteen children.

SERIES OF FINES.

How Average Citizen Breaks 1 Laws a Day.

flicted in Germany. To explain how Mrs. A. E. Russell, who had subthis large sum is accumulated, the leased a part of the house, was stand-Munich humorous journals Jugend en-umerates the misdemeanors committee from its hinges by the explosion, and in a single day by a respectable trades- narrowly escaped injury. man, costing him \$30.75 and a week's Live coals which were scattered about

blown back by the wind, breaking the glass, which falls into the street. Fifty

While at breakfast he fills in the necessary forms to report to the police | done. that he had engaged a maidservant week previously. For not having reported her within the specified time of three days, \$1.25 fine.

On his way to business he runs after a tramway car. For jumping on to the car while in motion, \$1.25 fine.

His goods are so effectively displayed in his shop windows that an obstruc tion is caused by the crowd in the street. Two dollars and a half fine. His window dresser had displayed some articles in such a manner that the nerchant's Christian name on the sign was hidden. One dollar and

uarter fine. At noon he returns home by railway and loses his season ticket. One dol-

He is awakened from an after-dinner nap by the government inspector of the Md-age Pension and Insurance Department, to whom he has to produce the insurance card of his servant. He has ffixed-all the adhesive stamps correctly but has forgotten to cancel them. Two dollars and a half fine.

Then he receives a visit from a constable, who informs him that his chile was vaccinated two days after the regulation time. Five dollars fine.

ped by a constable for having forgotter | folks, will be one of the liveliest places | his cyclecard (75 cents). He is stop on the river this season. C. R. Remped again for riding too fast (75 cents) Vington of this city has erected a hand-A third constable stops him for riding | some new summer home at a cost of for not holding the handlebars (7: enjoyed a splendid season last year will

He returns home from business in year.

her child was dead. The doctor de the imperial dury stamp. Seven dollars three to four years in Sing Sing Prison

of the fire brigade (\$2.50), he retires former state comptroller, turned over to bed, tired out, and forgets to draw 300 shares of stock to Bliven to raise Winnipeg, May 8.-It is learned that the blind of his bedroom window. One money to fmance a company that was

ceive a carnation.

HOUSE WRECKED.

urnace and Connections Blown to

Ogdensburg, N.Y., May 8.-A large house in Ford street, owned by Kelly & Capron and occupied by Mrs. George Ralph, was badly wrecked by the ex-Humorous Journal Points Out plosion of awauxiliary hot water heater in the basement,

The furnace and connections were leclared that this sport, a child o smashed to pieces, the windows were Berlin, May 8.-Police fines to the blown out and all the glassware and nount of \$2,500,000 are annually in- light furniture in the house was broken

set fire to barrels in which Mrs. Rus-On rising in the morning he open sell's household goods were packed. the window. The window is violently but the firemen soon stopped the blaze. It is thought the explosion was almost of peony size, its bright red caused by the supply to the cast-iron flowers, richly clove-scented, measuring water ring being accidently shut off. Damage to the extent of \$2,500 was

WALTZED FOUR HOURS Neither Couple Gave Up-Was De

Montreal, May 8 .-- A Marathon dancng contest was held in Stanley Hall when two couples kept on the floor, for four hours. The participants were S LaSalle, of Boston, who had with is as partner Miss Sarah Fitzgerald, and S. Vineberg, who waltzed with Miss Rose Barbeau LaSalle holds the Quebec champion-

clared Draw.

ship, and Vineberg that of Ontario, Asneither couple were played out at the end of the four hour limit it has been decided that they shall try over again within a month, when no time limit will be set, the couple, outlasting their opponents, to be declared the cham-

At the end of the dance last evening while neither of the couples could be said to finish fresh, the ladies showed Crawford's. less fatigue than the men.

Improvements At Park. . Watertown, N.Y., May 8.—Early appearances indicate that St. Lawrence Cycling back to business he is stop Park, a favorite resort for Watertown

through a street not open to cyclists \$8,000, moving his former place back (75 cents). A fourth stops him for not a bit. He, will rent the former cottage, sounding his bell properly (75 cents3 | A decided improvement has been made A fifth, because he had no brake (75 on the shore line by the construction' cents). A sixth, for having removed of a cement sea wall the entire distance. his feet from the pedals- (75 cents) | Practically all of the cottages are mak-By a seventh constable he is stopped ing improvements. The hotel, which be under the same management this

Broker Gets Four Years. After supper he plays piquet with his New York, May 8.-Charles A on conviction of grand larceny. Mrs. Having omitted to appear at the drill Harriet N. Kilmer, Troy, widow of a

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Jut in United States, They Reach

London, May 8.—Several remarkable loral novelties were exhibited at the

Royal Horticultural Society's show at

ts hall in Vincent Square, Westminster,

Chief interest in the crowded hall

centred round a vase of while roses

which were cut in America and brought

o England in the cold storage room of the Mauretania. They looked fresh-

er yesterday than many of the home grown white roses exhibited.

Messrs. Hugh Low were responsible

for this horticultural achievement, and

he sose, which is now the rage among

American floral experts is a sport from

"he old favorite pink Killarney. It is

chance, will become the finest forcing

I white rose on the market. It is a very

deep flower of pure white, with

pointed bud and great substance in the

Another rose novelty was a new

climber from Germany of a violet-blue

color, called Veilchenblau, which flow-

ers like the well-known crimson rambler.

maison carnation, Lady Coventry.

ten inches across. It was granted an

A magnificent collection of open grown rhododendrons, primulas, mag-

nolias and camellias in full flower was

a silver medal. This exhibit was one

"Three weeks ago to-day," Sir Ed-

mund's gardener said to an express

representative, "these plants were sub-

jected to about ten degrees of frost

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secret of this splendid display of

bloom at this early date. Sir Edmund

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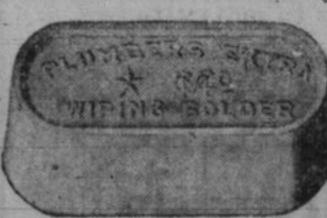


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