## NICHOLAS IS TAKEN TO TSARSKOE-SELO

Deposed Ruler Escorted to New Palace. Where He Joins His Wife and Children.

CLOSELY GUARDED

Tsarskoe-Selo, Russia, March 22 .-(Via London, March 23.)-On his arrival here today in the custody of four members of the Duma, Nicholas Romanoff, the deposed emperor, was turned over immediately to the Tsarskoe-Selo commander and taken to the Alexandrovsky palace, where the former Empress Alexandra was already interned. The special train carrying the former ruler arrived at 1:30 o'clock on the branch line outside Alexandrovsky park. On leaving the train Nicholas entered an automobile, accompanied by his adjutant. Prince Dolgoroukoff, the only courtier of the first rank who accompanied him, and by the four Duma commissioners. They were driven to the palace. Nicholas was met at the door in the left wing of the palace by Count Benckendorff, who was his marshal of the court, and is now under arrest. The former ruler held himself creat, looking calm and indifferent, although he stepped from the automobile with nervous haste. A battalion of the first rifle guard regiment was at the railroad depot. interned. The special train carrying

Delivered to Commander. The commander at Tsarskoe-Selo is Colonel Kobuilinsky, formerly commander of the Petrogradsky regiment, stationed in peace time at Warsaw. To him the Duma commissioners an-

"Our mission of handing over the emperor is finished. We now go to Petrograd to announce this fact to the Duma."

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The correspondent drove to the old Tsarskoe-Selo palace, which is deserted and without guards, and then to the new palace, where the former imperial family is interned. The palace lies in a large park, which is surrounded by a plain, spiked fence, five feet high, coated with silver paint. Within the park, over the broad expanse of snow, not a single person was visible. Apparently there were no guards within the park, but outside the fence, every fifty yards along the roadway, were double sentries from the Petrogradsky regiment, in long blue coats, with fixed bayonets.

Near the east wing of the palace is a detached building, which formerly served as the kitchen. It is now occupied by the staff officer in command of the troops guarding Nicholas. Further on it the chief part of the palace, a long two-story building of pale yellow stucco with white Corinthian columns reaching to othe roof and two vast projecting side wings. The palace when seen through a blinding snow storm makes a desolate and unattractive appearance.

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Concerning Alexandra and other members of the family the following information was given: All the five children are in bed with the measles, for which reason Alexandra has not been outside the palace walls for two days. So far as is known no order has been issued to prevent her from walking about the grounds. She has been forbidden to use the telephone and telegraph or have any communication with the outside world. This morning she requested permission to telephone to Princess Baratoff, a friend, asking as to her health. The request was refused.

At the Nicholas gymnasium, a big building near the city hall, 200 adherents and courtiers of the former empetor are under arrest.

Palace Spies Locked Up.

Palace Spies Locked Up. In a big room on the first floor the correspondent found seventy per-sons in civilian dress, formerly palace spies and provocative agents. Here also were four Russian officers with German names, who had been arrested on suspicion of having sent

formerly private secretary to the emperor and in recent years director of the palace.

Outside of Putiatin's room three members of the civil militia armed with bayonets are on guard. The prisoners are well treated and the corridors are crowded with children waiting to see their parents.

## Entente Losses in Warships 850,000 Tons, Says Berlin

Berlin, Tuesday, March 20.—(By Wireless to Sayville, March 23.)—En-tente losses in warships have now reached a total of 850,000 tons, says an Overseas News agency announce ment today. This computation in-cludes the French battleship of the Danton class recently announced to have been sunk by a German subma-rine in the Mediterranean. The state-

rine in the Mediterranean. The statement says:

"By the destruction of a ship of the Danton class the warship losses of our enemies, excluding auxiliary ships, have reached in round numbers 850,000 tons displacement. This is equal to the combined tonnage of Russia and Japan at the beginning of the war and is only 60,000 tons less than the tonnage of the United States navy, which was the third largest in the world at the beginning of the war."

## **Charged With Shipping**

Carload of Bad Eggs Sioux Falls, S. D., March 23.—
(Special.)—Arrested by the federal authorities on the charge of shipping a carload of had eggs from Yankton to eastern markets, John T. Bellman, a Sioux Falls produce dealer, was held under bonds of \$500 pending action on his case by a United States grand jury, which will convene in this city in April. The information against Bellman was filed by United States Attorney Stewar?

## Lamentations of the Last Czar; What the Autocrat of Russia Said; Bee Readers Supply His Soliloguy

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9. R. S. Honey, Uehling, Neb.
10. C. F. Reynolds, Griswold, Ia.

### The Ten Best Answers

I.

It's off at last, my heavy jeweled crown;

Twas my own seris themselves that threw it down.

Scorn, sneers and hate all follow in my train,

No home, no friends, have I in my domain.

Oh! Can it be they've gone beyond recall,

And I'm a lonesome mortal after all?

Twas ever thus, from history's earliest hours,
Man continues to succumb to woman's wily powers.
Had Adam barred his ears to Eve's alluring fairy tale,
They'd not been driven forth from Eden's flowery vale.
And if my frau had kept her proper sphere at home,
I'd still be reigning car upon the Russian throne.

Golden in show, is but a wreath of thorns,
Brings dangers, troubles, cares and sleepless nights
To him who wear the regal diadem,
When on his shoulders each man's burden lies."
—Faradise Regained.

IV. — Paradise Regained

IV. Thou little cap of gold, with gems set round,
Why lie ye there to mock me from the ground?
Hadst thou, the sign and symbol of a czar,
But taught me wisdom to foresee afar.
How best to right my people's wrongs and woes,
To shield from greed within, and foreign toes.
My destiny fulfill To guard and guide,
Though all the powers of darkness were allied.
Four hundred years my sires on Russia's throne,
An empire swayed. Today I am alone!
Than thou, no toy more furtile 'gainst the blast
Of scorn and hate that hails me an outcast.

V.

Czar Nicholas sat all alone on his throne
As happy as king could be.
Till his brother came around,
Dashed his crown to the ground.
Said "Leave the finishing of those Germans to me!"

Now that I have quitski
I'll have to think a bitsky
Of all my future life and what I'll do with it.
For the blasted Duma mobski
I've given up my jobski.
And with all but me I've made a mighty hit!

Once I had an easy time, the people did my bidding.
But now I am no longer boss, for they were only kidding.
They've kicked me down from off the throne and out

Some of the Other Good Answers.
Somebody siways has to take the joy out

Backward, turn backward. of life;

I sit alone
On a piece of stone
Far away from the haunts of men;
I curse my fale
As I ruminate
Of the things that might have been.

I'm a Romanoff, And I've been thrown off And told to vamouse the Grad Roaming off I am And I give a If everything goes to the bad

But as I look down
On my old crown,
Comes a thought to reconcile.
It's a little lough.
But I'm sure enough
Crowns are going out of style.

This must be powder that I smeliski, I guess I'd better hike like heliski. My life sin't worth a safetypinski Unless the kaiser'll save my skinski.

"The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh aws:." But it is a bitter pill to awallow, for you were a good old crown, and good crawms are almost extinct. You were the "Open Breame" to lots of pleasant affairs and I shall miss you. United we were some pumpitus and controlled the designes of millions, but divided we are as nothing. You will be thrown into the melting pot and will gu to the four quarters of the kingdom, and I will probably lose my standing with the I. W. Wa and might

# Holland Will Bar

arrested on suspicion of having sent communications from the former empress to Berlin. In a neighboring room sat the difector of the Tsarskoe Lyceum school, who was a general in the army and a close friend of Rasputin as well as a reactionary member of the district court.

On the, second floor in a squafe room Frince Putiatin is held, Prince Putiatin was one of reactionary Russia's most powerful men. He was formerly private secretary to the emperor and in recent years director of the palace. sion of American armed merchantmen in Dutch ports and that consequently the Dutch harbors will be closed to American and British ships.
"The government," adds the newspaper, "will assume a great responsibility whichever way the decision may fall. The government seems to believe Germany would interpret as an

lieve Germany would interpret as an unfriendly act any decision on our part by which we would come into line with international usages, the justice of which Germany recognized before the war."

Fear of reprisals by the United States or Great Britain now or after the war is expected by the newspaper but the Dutch government, it declares, must do only what justice and the interests of the Netherlands dictate.

### **Huron Votes Bonds for** City Hall and School

City Hall and School

Huron, S. D., March 23.—(Special.)

—At a special election held yesterday, bonds were voted in the sum of \$180,000 for the erection of an \$80,000 municipal building and a \$100,000 addition to the high school building, in the form of a "junior" high school. The school bonds passed by a majority of 165, but the municipal building issue squeezed through with a majority of only 15. Besides housing the various departments of the city government and the fire department, the municipal building will include a large suditorium, of proportions great enough to accommodate any gathering that will be held in South Dakota.



So now I'll have to go to work and earn my bread and

butter.
I used to like this ruling game, but now I think it's punk,
Before me lies my jeweled crown, a lovely piece of junk.

ore me lies my jeweled crown, a lovely piece of VIII.

As I sit here and soliloquize
That crown I see makes me realize
That I have lost. The Russian throne
Can be no longer called my own;
For I've lately made a proclamation
In which I voiced my abdication.
The Duma called and said, "Well, Nick,
If you don't want to feel a kick,
You had better go while the going's good."
And I have told them that I would.
Now since they've acted so, I fear,
They do not care to have me here.
Goodbye, Russia! Come along my son,
We've no more say how things shall run.
IX.

TIX.

Tell me not in lightest numbers
Life is but a blissful dream,
I have had my fling and blunders.
And a crown is not what it seems.
Sands of time are swift descending.
Footprints will not pass away,
I'll be thankful if surrendering
Leads me not Siberia's way.

X

X.
O Solitude, where are the charms
That sages have seen in thy face?
Better dwell in the midst of alarms Than reign in this horrible place. I once was the ruler of Russ.

But now I am sad and forlorn;
And the people, they don't give a cuss
If Nicholas 'd never been born.

Old Crown, you are out of a job, You'd make a good bird nest, I trow; But if you'd been grabbed by the mob, You'd be selling for junk about now.

Backward, turn backward.
Oh Time, in your flight:
Make me a czar agin
Just for tonight;
'Till I punish the traitors
Who knocked off my crown
With a high priced potato
And then threw me down. I have been "Miked" by my own brother Michael. I now know just what Napoleon meant when he said, "This is Helena."

And he that was come of all Russia hath

Here everybody me haites:
It is getting a little too hot.
I'll go to United States
Hefore they have me shot.
Rutsky. Bootaky, Belanks.
I'll drink ne more vodks:
I'll drink ne more vodks:
I'll shuve the wool off my face
And salt is Omalo my face
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## WHAT IS GOUT— AND RHEUMATISM?



accumulation in the blood, is the cause of gout. And Prof. H. Strauss, attributes a gouty attack to the heaping up of poisons where there is an abundance of uric acid which is precipitated in the joints and sheaths, setting up influemation. Before the attack of gout or rheumatism there is sometimes a series of disturbances, such as headache, or what is thought to be neuralgia, or rheumatic conditions such as lumbago, pain in the back of the neck, or sciatica. As Prof. Strauss says, "The excretion of uric acid we are able to effect by exciting diuresis." Drink copiously of water, six or eight glasses per day, hot water before meals, and obtain Anuric tablets, double or triple strength, at the wearest drug store and take them three times a day. It is just as important to keep the kidneys active, to throw out the uric acid poisons as it is to stimulate the liver to greater action to throw out the poisons which cannot be provided and deposited in and about the joints where an inflammation is set up in the soft tissues, nearby.

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