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MORE FIGHTING ON THE LAND

Scripps News Association
London, May 25.—A correspondent of the Central News wires from St. Petersburg that there are persistent rumors heard in naval circles to the effect that a naval battle has commenced off the island of Formosa.

RUSSIANS FALL BACK

London May 25.—A correspondent of the London Times wires from Manchuria as follows: "General Mestobenko, after four days abortive fluster on the Japanese flank, retired on May 22nd twenty miles North westward. He made no attempt on the Japanese lines of communication."

JAPS SUFFER LOSS

St. Petersburg, May 25.—General Linevitch reports that on May 22nd the Japanese were deluged from a post at Manchoua after a fight in which they suffered considerable loss.

LEAVES FOR VLADIVOSTOK

St. Petersburg May 25.—Admiral Birlieff today left St. Petersburg for Vladivostok on a special train. All other trains will be sidetracked in order to permit the admiral to reach his destination as soon as possible.

Disturbances Continue

(By Scripps News Association)
Warsaw May 25.—The disturbances in the Jewish quarters continued all day. Four who were injured in the earlier fighting, died this afternoon in the hospitals. The Polish revolutionists notified General Macinovich today that the campaign by bombs will continue as long as martial law is maintained in Poland.

Russian Vessels Seen

(By Scripps News Association)
Shanghai May 25.—It is reported that five volunteer cruisers of the Russian fleet, accompanied by three colliers and one regular cruiser, arrived at the mouth of the Yangtze river this afternoon. Later, the regular cruiser departed and three of the volunteers came to Woo Sung.

AMERICAN YACHT SEEMS TO LEAD

Scripps News Association
New York May 25.—The British steamer Haverham reports sighting the schooner "Hamburg" on May 21 eight hundred and thirty miles east of Sandy Hook. On the same day the American yacht "Atlantic" was sighted by the White Star liner "Armenian" nine hundred miles out. The indications are that the "Atlantic" leads all yachts by ninety miles.

Des Moines Selected

By Scripps News Association
Winona Lake, Ind May 25.—The Presbyterian Assembly has selected Des Moines, Iowa, as the place of their next meeting.

Jews Lead Attack

By Scripps News Association
Warsaw, May 25.—The fighting which began in the Jewish quarters yesterday was renewed this morning. The Jewish socialists took the lead in the attacks upon the rough characters who infest the quarter. It is estimated that sixty have been killed and wounded.

May Be Settled

Scripps News Association
New York May 25.—The Boillon-Brokawa breach of promise suit has been transferred to the June docket upon motion of counsel for the defendant, millionaire Brokawa. The counsel stated that efforts would be made to adjust the differences, and it is believed that the suit will be settled outside the courts.

Corn Corner settled

(By Scripps News Association)
Chicago May 25.—The corner in May corn, said to have been engineered by James A Patton and William H Bartlett, ended today in a settlement by the shorts at sixty five cents per bushel. May corn opened at sixty eight and after the settlement, dropped to sixty one amid exclaiming scenes.

Horse Stealing

By some of the stock owners in this vicinity, it has been thought for some time that a systematic stealing of horses was being perpetrated, but no clue or positive proof of this kind has been forthcoming heretofore. Now it seems that a foundation of facts has been discovered, upon which may be built the evidence to connect the perpetrators with the crime. Yesterday, Mr. Frank Reed, having missed one of his horses from his pasture, made investigations and found that there were also foreign horse tracks from the pasture leading up Mills canyon following the direction of the tracks for the purpose of finding his own horse. Mr. Reed proceeded up the canyon and in a secluded spot found his own horse and six others tied up, supposedly stolen. He took his own horse, and returning to the city, informed the officials concerning what he had discovered. It was stated that parties had been seen going to and from this place where the horses were secured, so deputy sheriff Tom Johnson and constable J H McLachlin started last evening for the place, and throughout the night watched the horses, waiting for the parties who had secured them to return. However, their long watch was not rewarded by the appearance of the parties who had secured the horses, and they returned early this morning to the city with the horses which are now in the corral at the barn of Joe Woods.

At eleven o'clock this morning Deputy Sheriff Tom Johnson arrested Fred McBride upon a warrant charging him with being one of the persons responsible for stealing the horses. Other arrests are expected to follow soon.

Hobson Marries

(By Scripps News Association)
Tuxedo Park N Y May 25.—The marriage of Miss Grizelda Hull to Capt. Richmond P Hobson took place at four o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents.

Hunters License

J F Robertson of Perry was the first Union county man to procure a hunters license under the new law, and A J Pitts was the second. These are the only two licenses so far issued.

MORE TROUBLE IS PREDICTED

Scripps News Association
Chicago May 25.—With a spread of the teamsters' strike to the hardwood lumber concerns which now seems inevitable, several hundred more teamsters will be involved. The managers of the hardware companies announced this morning that they would start to make deliveries to the "strike bound" concerns, in spite of the declaration of the teamsters that they would walk out when such a demand was made.

WILL INVOLVE MANY

This strike, which will no doubt occur, will involve nearly a thousand employees of the mills and lumber yards which will be compelled to shut down. Fifty men responded this morning to a call for a thousand additional policemen issued by mayor Dunne last night. Twenty four hundred officers were sent out this morning guarding twenty five hundred wagons.

MAY CALL TROOPS

If the new installment of police which the mayor has called out is unable to cope with the situation, he will ask for troops. At twenty ninth and Dearborn streets this morning, five men attacked Louis Flint, a colored strike breaker, and he was beaten into insensibility. His assailants escaped. Flint is in a critical condition and may not live.

EXPRESS DRIVERS REFUSED

Senator Platt, president of the United States Express Co in a statement issued in New York, announced that the striking teamsters would be referred by the company. He declared that the men, in leaving, had violated their contracts as well as the rules of the company to which they had subscribed. And consequently, he stated, the former drivers could not be trusted to perform their important duties properly.

WANTS SHEA IN JAIL

In the contempt hearing before Judge Kohlsaat today, attorney Mayer specifically asked that president Shea, of the teamsters, be sent to jail for contempt in refusing to answer the questions designated by the court. The attorneys for president Shea made an answer to Mayor's motion.

WILLING TO HELP

Vice-President Fairbanks reached Chicago today on his way to Portland to attend the opening of the Lewis and Clark exposition. When questioned in regard to the report that he would be requested to use his influence in settling the strike, he said: "Of course I feel an interest in the strike situation in Chicago, and I would exert myself to bring about an amicable agreement between the parties, if my offices were considered in the same manner as that of the efforts of any good citizen." It is not known that Fairbanks has been asked by either of the parties to take a hand in an effort to effect a settlement.

UNDER ADVISEMENT

2 p m.—At one thirty this afternoon Judge Kohlsaat took the contempt cases of president Shea and the other labor leaders under advisement.

Brokers Fail

By Scripps News Association
Cincinnati Ohio May 25.—The failure of Holtzman and Company, brokers of this city, was announced this morning.

The failure was officially announced this afternoon, and the debts of the concern amount to a quarter of a million dollars.

More Brokers Fail

(By Scripps News Association)
Boston Mass May 25.—Burnett, Cummings and Company, brokers of this city, filed a petition in involuntary bankruptcy today. The liabilities are \$1,714,368 and the assets are uncertain, but it is reported that not more than two hundred thousand dollars is available. The cause of the failure was financing street railway properties.

Delhi Wins

By Scripps News Association
Gravesend, N. Y., May 25.—Delhi won the suburban handicap, Graxiallo second and Sir Brillar third. Time 2:00 2-5.

POSSESSION IS FORCIBLY TAKEN

By Scripps News Association
Philadelphia May 25.—Mayor Weaver today took forcible possession of the office of the director of public safety and of the director of public works. Neither of the officers offered any serious resistance. Four detectives are now on guard at the offices.

SUPERCOEDIAS GRANTED

The Supreme Court this afternoon granted a writ of supercoedias, suspending the injunction against directors Potter and Ackor which was granted by Judge Kalston yesterday. The two officials immediately resumed their interrupted duties.

Bank suspends

Scripps News Association
Stockton, Cal May 25.—Following the attempted suicide of Louis Kahn, cashier of the Bank of Oakland Wednesday, the bank closed its doors this morning. The state bank commissioner has been sent for. Hundreds of depositors from miles around, gathered in front of the bank before nine o'clock this morning in order to begin a run on the bank. At the hour of opening, the temporary suspension of the bank was announced.

Commits Suicide

By Scripps News Association
Savannah, Ill., May 25.—Rothwell Pulford, a wealthy druggist, whose name is connected with the mysterious shooting of representative Daniel S Berry, committed suicide this morning.

HAD PROVED ALIBI

Pulford went to his barn at seven fifteen this morning and shot himself in the head. Although strongly suspected of the murder, Pulford proved a complete alibi by two witnesses, and strongly protested innocence of the murder. He was of a nervous temperament and it is thought that possibly the serious charges preyed upon his mind and led to the suicide. Gosip connected Berry with the name of the dead druggist's wife.

Republican Platform

(By Scripps News Association)
Columbus, Ohio, May 25.—The platform adopted by the republican state convention today reaffirms the state and national platforms of 1904; it stands by the principles of protection to American labor and American industries, indorses Roosevelt's enforcement of the laws against monopolies, combines and trusts in restraint of trade, and also all his efforts to stop discriminations of railroads, including rebates.

2 p m.—Governor Herrick was renominated by acclamation at the republican convention today, and General Andrew L Harris was nominated for lieutenant-governor.

Royalty Will Visit

London May 24.—The king of Spain it is now definitely arranged, will arrive in London one week from next Monday, and will be the guest of King Edward and Queen Alexandra for five days. The royal guest will reside at York house, St James' palace during his stay. King Edward is to send the royal yacht Victoria and Albert to Cherbourg to bring King Alfonso across the channel.

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