

6 CHINESE SLAIN IN BOMBARDMENT

Estimates Are Practically
Complete on Nanking-
Socony Hill Affray

SHANGHAI, Mar. 31 (AP)—The Chinese casualties from the Anglo-American bombardment of Socony hill, Nanking, last Thursday were estimated by the Cantonese commander, Chang Kai-Shek, in a statement today as six killed and 15 wounded, with the majority of the victims civilians. From 40 to 50 houses were destroyed.

Chang asserted that the full and accurate report was not yet available and that these figures were subjected to revision.

This is the first definite estimate of the number of Chinese casualties from Thursday's shelling which was undertaken to protect Americans and other foreigners on Socony Hill who were menaced by soldiers in Cantonese uniforms. Fantastic figures as to the number of casualties have been disseminated in China, one report saying 200,000 Chinese had been killed.

Chang said he had instructed the Nanking garrison commander to lodge a protest with the British and American naval authorities against "what I consider the unjustified bombardment," he added, "and no time was allowed in which to take measures to protect foreign lives and property. The nationalist military authorities consider the bombardment a great indignity, and our officers and men in Nanking are deeply aroused and incensed."

Reports concerning Nanking.

which he characterized as exaggerated had "created a tense international atmosphere," he said adding:

"As a result of these reports it is feared we have lost much of the sympathy which formerly existed for us among liberty loving people. The nationalist leaders want friendly relations with the foreign powers."

Policy Outlined
"We are not anti-foreign, but pro-Chinese. Our aim is to secure international equality—to become an equal in the family of nations. Any nation willing to treat us as equals is our friend, although it may have oppressed us in the past."

Chang protested the presence here of foreign troops and warships and the elaborate measures taken for the defense of the international settlement, which, he claimed, "only create a feeling of suspicion and mistrust."

"They are the measures usually taken by empire builders toward their colonies," he said, "measures which it would be fitting to adopt toward savages or semi-civilized peoples."

The authorities in the foreign settlements he continued, had not permitted the nationalists to share the work of protecting the Chinese masses within these settlements. He termed this "an intolerable condition," and added: "I hope the settlement authorities will of their own accord abolish martial law, withdraw their troops and warships and permit the nationalist authorities to undertake what is their duty, the function of protecting foreign lives and property within Chinese territory."

Scores Preparations
He asserted that the barred wire entanglements on the borders of the French and International settlements were a constant provocation to the Chinese, remarking:

"As I approached Shanghai by the river, I noticed the large number of foreign warships and also the sandbags and barbed wire ashore. This produced a very unfavorable impression on me."

"Foreigners must understand that the old policy of force and warships which prevailed in China in the last century no longer serves any useful purpose. Every additional warship and soldier sent out to China fails to produce the desired effect, and really does the sending nation more harm than good."

PERRY PERSONALS

PERRY (Special)—Mrs. Clara Johansen and Mr. and Mrs. David Johansen were La Grande visitors the first of the week.

The Tolson-Thompson family reunion held at the community hall Sunday was very successful. About 62 members of the two families were present.

Miss Golda Pohrman, of La Grande, spent the week end here. Mrs. Guy Troland and Mrs. C. E. Troland were shopping in La Grande one day the last of the week.

Budd Lark and wife were shopping in La Grande Saturday.

Frank Larsen, who was recently operated on at the Grande Ronde hospital, is recovering and expects to be able to return home soon.

Ether Scott was a visitor in La Grande last week.

Mrs. Burt Kall made a trip to the Grande Ronde hospital Monday to see her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hantson, who is ill there.

Leonard and Vernon Strong had as their visitors Sunday their parents from La Grande.

John Starr was a La Grande visitor several days last week.

Torval Hansen and wife visited relatives in La Grande Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Halger Larsen were business visitors in La Grande last week.

Mrs. W. W. Gray, of Hilgard, was a recent Perry visitor.

BISHOP'S ESTATE \$236,775.91
SALEM, Ore., Mar. 31 (AP)—The estate of the late Robert Chauncey Bishop, who died of an accidental wound inflicted by his own shotgun at Pendleton in January was appraised at \$236,775.91 by a board of appraisers whose report was filed here late yesterday.

STEAMER AFIRE
LONDON, Mar. 31 (AP)—A Lloyd's dispatch from Gibraltar says the Spanish steamer Tordera, carrying troops has signaled that it is afire near the rocks of Velez de la Gomera, Morocco. The steamer Castilla went to the rescue.

ENTERS LADIES HANDICAP
MELTON MOWBRAY, Eng.—The Prince of Wales entered his horse "Clark Courtier" in the Ladies' Steeplechase and the Ladies' Hurdle at the Melton Hunt Steeplechases.

BEFORE THE MIX

FIDAY'S PROGRAM

KEX—Portland (447m-671kc) 7 to 8, dinner music; 8 to 9, studio program.

KOAC—Corvallis (250.2m-1070kc) 7:15 to 9, short talks.

KGO—Oakland (361m-520kc) 8:55, markets, news, weather; 9, program of old favorites by International four.

KOWW—Walla Walla (285m-1022kc) 8 to 9, studio program; 9 to 10, Walters Sisters concert orchestra.

KFI—Los Angeles (467m-640kc) 7, organ recital; 8, request program; 9, classical selections; 10, ballad hour.

KPO—San Francisco (428m-706kc) 6:30, States Restaurant orchestra; 7:30, sports; 8 to 10, Walter Krausgrill's Balconades ballroom orchestra; 10 to 11, orchestra.

KFSB—San Diego (245.8m-1220kc) 8, studio program; 9, La Bohemian dance auditorium; 10, U. S. Grant Hotel program.

KYA—San Francisco (399.8m-750kc) 8 to 9, studio program; 9 to 10, Rose Brown and Katherine Laguna; 10 to 11, Herb Meyer-Luck's Cliff Hotel dance orchestra.

KGW—Portland (491m-610kc) 6 to 7, dinner concert; 7, utility service; 7:30 to 8, poultry talk; 8 to 9, Mission Bell orchestra concert.

cert; 9 to 10:30, Cole McElroy's orchestra; 10:30 to midnight, Hoot Owls.

KHQ—Spokane (394.5m-760kc) 9 to 10, studio program; 10 to 10:30, dance music.

KOIN—Portland (219m-649kc) 6 to 7, dinner concert on pipe organ; 8 to 9, studio program; 9:10 to 9:30, popular songs; 9 to 10, Mucha Pelza orchestra; midnight to 1 a. m., frolic.

KTAB—Oakland (302.8m-999kc) 8 to 9, program of songs; 9 to 10, Goat Island goats.

KOMO—Seattle (366m-980kc) 6 to 7:30, Totem concert orchestra; 8, farm school "Dairying"; 8:15 to 10, musical program; 10 to 12:30 Totem broadeners.

Rich Cat Put To Death by S. P. C. A.

LONG BEACH, Cal., Mar. 31 (AP)—Kitty Boy's enjoyment of the legacy which became his when his mistress died here three weeks ago and named her pet cat as her sole heir was brief. His caretaker reported yesterday that the wealthy feline had been "humanely" chloroformed.

Kitty Boy came into possession of two houses and other valuable real estate here by the terms of the will of Mrs. Elizabeth Lynch. The testament provided that should the cat die within nine years the estate would become the property of the Long Beach Humane society.

Kitty Boy's death was recorded in a veterinarian's certificate which stated he had been found suffering from an incurable mange.

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RUMMAGE SALE

will be given by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid in the church basement Sat., Apr. 2 at 5 o'clock. 3-31-11

HENE AND PRINCESS DOGO

These two patterns of dinnerware, an appeal this week at Richardson's Art & Gift Shop. Sets in Irene at \$7.50. In Princess Dogo at \$5.50. Also in Rose and Blue Laughlin at \$6.75. It will pay you to take advantage of these prices. 3-30-27

TO TEACH INDIANS

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DANCE POSTPONED

In Park Addition on Russell St. April 1st. 3-30-31b

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In
ZUBER HALL
TONIGHT

Music By
O. A. C.
BAND

ORCHESTRA

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Bohnenkamp's Present The Newest In Furniture



Re-furnish at least one room in the house this year and see what a difference it makes, what a pleasure it will give you in the years to come!

Imagine how much prouder you'd be of a living room with lovely new davenport and chair, a new lamp and occasional table and chair! Or think of the added pleasure, not only in entertaining your friends, but in the daily family routine, that a new dining room suite would bring!

The bed room is no less important and if not adequately and prettily furnished now you'll be surprised at the low price for which you can get one of the newest and most charming bed room suites that will provide you or your guests with the attractive surroundings and sensible comfort so desirable.

There are a host of new suites and pieces on our floor—the choicest creations of the nation's market—and the values that are now possible will please your pocket-book, too. You may have any reasonable terms, if desired, and you can enjoy the new comfort and new beauty while paying for them out of income.

Spanish Dining Room Suite

A beautiful 9-piece suite just received. Strictly Spanish in style and design—heavy wrought iron hardware, fine walnut stock, lacquer finish. This includes buffet, china, six chairs, table, at—

\$320

Kroehler Living Room Suite

Here's a wonderful suite at a remarkable price. It has a solid mahogany, hand-carved frame that is a real work of art in design and finish. It is covered in fine mohair with black-and-gold damask reverse cushions with black welts. Davenport and chair—

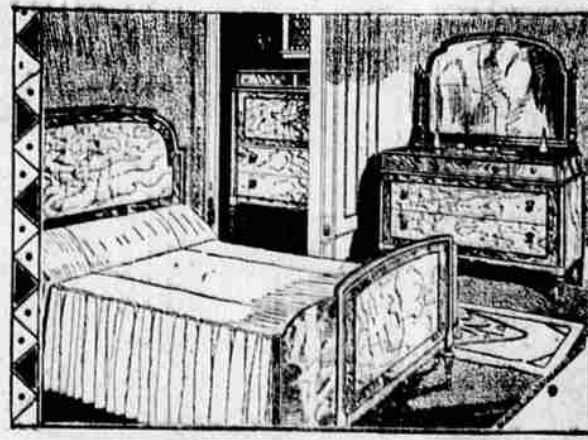
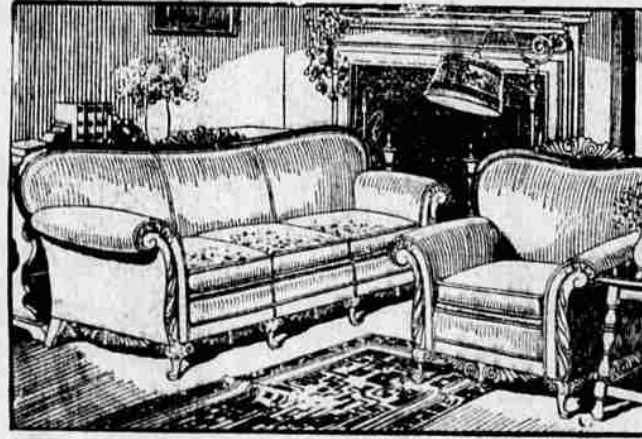
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Blended Walnut Bedroom Suite

This is one of the new bed room suites, a 2-toned blended walnut finish, modern American design. Every piece is a beauty. The bed is bow-end and the artistically shaped head and foot boards have mahogany overlays as decorations. Each piece also has beaded trim that adds charm to the suite. The vanity and chest of drawers are dust-proof construction and the suite includes a tapestry-covered bench. The four pieces are a special value at—

\$196

These are only three of the many new suites that are just being shown—and there are dozens of new tables, new occasional chairs now so much in vogue, and a special shipment of new bridge and stand lamps that will interest you especially. The standards are decorated wrought iron and the newest shades are trimmed with colored glass beading. Some beautiful lamps are in this lot.



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LAST SHOWING TONIGHT

"THE PRINCE OF PILSEN"

With
ANITA STEWART
and
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A veritable laugh fest—
a riot of fun and merriment.

Comedy—"SO IS YOUR MONK"