

PHILIPPINES FOR THE FILIPINOS

Taft Clearly Explains Policy of President Roosevelt Toward Islands.

PREPARE FOR HOME RULE

At Banquet by Natives, He Says They Will Be Instructed in Principles of Democracy, Then Given Self-Government.

MANILA, Aug. 11.—A banquet given by natives to the Taft party tonight attracted great interest, as it was expected that Secretary Taft would outline the policy of the present Administration. For some time past the feeling among the natives has been that the Administration was deviating from the McKinley policy, and as a result there has been a noticeable disaffection among politicians with the insular government and much unrest. This attitude was met fearlessly by Mr. Taft, who upheld the Administration's insular policy. When he finished his address, he was loudly cheered. He said in part, in response to the toast, "The present Administration in the Philippines."

On my part, it is due you that, if I do nothing else tonight, I should make clear the views of the administration upon the present and future of the islands.

The American people are divided upon the question I am discussing into three parties. There is a considerable number who have the real imperialistic idea of extending the influence of America by purchase and conquest into the Orient, enlarging the power of the American Government for the purpose of controlling the Pacific and securing the largest share possible of the Oriental trade yet undeveloped during the last 100 years.

Prepare People for Home Rule.

There is a second party, and this is much the largest, who regard our taking over of the islands from Spain after the war with the gravest reluctance and who would have been gratified in the extreme if the assumption of the burden could have been placed upon the issue has been under consideration by this party, and, indeed, by the whole American people, and the attitude of mind they now hold respecting the Philippine question is the result of some accuracy. They have come to the conclusion that, however reluctant they were to accept the task upon which they are, it is their duty to meet the responsibilities with promptness, courage and hope. They believe that they have become the trustees and protectors of the whole Philippine people and must prepare that people to maintain the stable government now there.

There is a third party which favors giving the islands immediate independence. This party may be divided into two classes, having different motives. The first class is anxious to rid the United States of the burden of governing the Philippines for the benefit of the United States. The second class is anxious to rid the Philippines of the Government of the United States, on the ground that the Filipino can make their own government. This third party has twice been defeated in a national election on this issue.

Government of Preparation.

The second party has for its chief exponent President Roosevelt. He believes that it is the duty of the United States to prepare the Filipino for self-government. This may require a generation, but he believes that the form of self-government will be left to the individuals who will control the two parties at that time. It follows that the President—and he himself desires no say in the matter—wishes the Philippines to be prepared for self-government by the United States.

Secretary Taft in forceful language stated that the Filipinos who wish to rule this country must first learn the principles of democracy by sending their children to the common schools and invite the United States to transfer the trust which has been thrown upon them to their shoulders. To make a self-governing and popular democracy, primary education, habits of greater industry and thrift must always be kept, he said, before the young patriotic Filipinos.

"In a number of the provinces," Secretary Taft said, "the people with the greatest difficulty avoid starvation. This is not due to the soil or unfavorable agricultural conditions. All these are easily overcome by the industry which is manifest in Java and Japan. The foundation of a great nation like Japan is in the industry, thrift and intelligence of the people."

The Secretary affirmed that a popular assembly would be formed, if no insurrection exists, in April, 1907.

The Administration's policy, he said, was "the Philippines for the Filipinos." If the American officials were not in sympathy with this policy and the natives, they would be recalled. Mr. Taft said in conclusion that it was the President's desire that all must work for their benefit.

Representative Hepburn spoke along the same lines.

Miss Roosevelt was entertained early this evening at a dinner by Commissioner Ide. On entering the banquet room she was loudly cheered.

TELL ROUGH-RIDER YARNS

Roosevelt's ex-comrades in Philippines Visit His Daughter.

MANILA, Aug. 11.—The Rough Riders now residing here, headed by Colonel Alex Brodie, ex-Governor of Arizona and now attached to the Military Secretary's department, and Governor George Curry, of the Island of Samar, called upon Miss Roosevelt today and discussed the days they served under her distinguished father. They presented her with a photograph of Manila's police launch named the "Bucky O'Neil."

Rear-Admiral Train and Representative Foss, chairman of the House committee on naval affairs, who is naturally interested in naval matters, paid a visit to the Olongapo, and the University Club held a reception.

An executive session of the Commission was held all day, the business being devoted to the cost of the insular government. Representative Grosvener has issued a call for data regarding the shipping question, which will be taken up next.

On the night of Thursday, July 10, Filipino ladies of the city entertained Miss Roosevelt at a prominent native residence, where a brilliant reception was held.

Singers Will Come by Steamer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 11.—(Special.)—The Norwegian Singing So-

NEW OREGON LINES

OPERATORS' SIDE OF CASE

PRESIDENT PERHAM SAYS THAT TRAFFIC IS PARALYZED.

Leader of Strikers Gives Version of Conditions on Railroads—Managers Refuse Arbitration.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 11.—The Telegraphers' strike on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railways is developing into one of the most extraordinary struggles between capital and labor that have taken place in years. The freight traffic on the two transcontinental railroads is paralyzed on account of a quarrel about an insignificant question in relation to wages. Movement of grain over the two roads has practically ceased. Not a train came into Minneapolis this morning over the Northern Pacific, and the Great Northern brought in one car. Shipments are usually light at this time of the year, but no such remarkable showing as that of today has ever been seen in the history of the roads.

Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, at the instance of many commercial bodies, has requested all parties to the dispute to submit their differences to arbitration. The telegraphers have agreed to submit their cases to an unbiased tribunal and have advised the Governor. The Governor of Montana and Washington have been requested to take up the matter in the same way. The Minnesota State Railroad Commission summoned the general managers of the two roads before them this afternoon and investigated the matter of railway stations being closed for traffic.

Hundred Stations Closed.

Over a hundred stations are closed in the state. The Spokane division of the Great Northern has two men out of forty-two working; the Portland division, of thirty-two; Spearhead to Cutbank, 125 miles, without a telegrapher; Troy, Mont., instead of five men station has one man; Cutbank, the same; Montana Central Railway has no telegraphers. The sidings all along the line seem to be congested with loaded cars.

The companies are hiring numerous strike-breakers, but the telegraphers have a perfect system of organization and pickets soon persuade them to quit again. Division officials are traveling over the lines constantly, but the pickets are doing the same thing and the strike status quo is steadily maintained. There is no violence. It is a peaceful cessation of work. Both sides are determined to win. The Leonard mine, at Butte, Mont., shut down to day on account of the telegraphers' strike.

Famine Prices for Board.

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CALLS STRIKE THING OF PAST

Missoula Superintendent's Opinion.

Operators Discuss Return to Work.

MISSOULA, Mont., Aug. 11.—Rocky Mountain Division Superintendent Gibson returned from the West late tonight and states he considers the telegraphers' strike a thing of the past, as traffic is moving with dispatch and almost all trains are running on time.

No action was taken by the striking telegraphers tonight relative to refusing the terms suggested by Manager Horn. The matter was informally discussed among the strikers but no definite conclusion was reached. The subject will come up before a meeting tomorrow and the result of the vote will be sent to President Johnson of the O. R. T. The latter wired the local chairman today to stand firm, as the outlook for winning was good.

Stations Nearly All Open.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 11.—The meeting of General Manager Horn, of the Northern Pacific, and Superintendent Gibson, of the Great Northern, with the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission this afternoon was barren of results, as no effect on the telegraphers' strike.

The railroad officials, in answer to the question as to why a number of stations were closed, informed Judge Mills, chief of the Commission, that 96 per cent of the Northern Pacific stations were open and that 92 per cent of the Great Northern stations were doing business. The latter stated that in three or four days every station on both lines would be open.

Ask Tools to Arbitrate.

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 11.—Governor J. H. Toole received today resolutions adopted by a mass meeting of Helena citizens, asking him to arbitrate the present difficulties between the Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railroads and the telegraphers. The ground that the present conditions are a detriment to the livestock and general business of the state.

Shonts' Yacht May Be Lost.

MOBILE, Ala., Aug. 11.—Fears are entertained here for the safety of Theodore P. Shonts' yacht, Marguadora, which left here more than a week ago bound for Greenwich, Conn. According to reckoning, the vessel should have arrived at one of the Atlantic ports several days ago. When last heard from the Marguadora passed over Mobile bar in a howling westerly gale.

Sudden Attack of Dysentery Cured.

A prominent lady of Brooklyn, N. Y., writes to inquire where she can obtain Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. She says: "While stopping at a ranch in South Dakota I was taken ill of what seemed to be cholera. I tried one of those pills of this medicine and it cured me. I brought a bottle home and have taken it since. It has cured me of dysentery and it helped her immediately. For sale by all druggists."

NEW OREGON LINES

Harriman Confers With Chief Engineer Hood.

FIRST QUESTION TAKEN UP

Head of Great System in San Francisco—Rumored Combination of Big Financials to Oust Him From Control.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—(Special.)—E. H. Harriman arrived in town this morning from Portland and at once went to his offices. His room is two doors below the chief engineer's office. Manager Calvin and the ante-room was full of people who were anxious to have a talk with the big man. Among those who called upon him were L. Helms, Jr., and W. H. Crocker and several officials of the Southern Pacific. Mr. Harriman, however, had a pressing appointment with Chief Engineer Hood, and he was only in the building a few minutes before he went to see that official. The interview lasted about an hour and then those who had made engagements with the great chief were ushered into his room.

Mr. Harriman and Mr. Hood discussed the new lines which Mr. Harriman proposes to build in Oregon. He consulted the chief engineer as to the size of the undertaking, the problems involved and the cost. It is shown that Mr. Hood has been figuring on the situation and was able to present a very complete statement before his chief. Mr. Hood has given special attention to the Coos Bay line.

It is known that Mr. Harriman places great faith in Mr. Hood and as soon as Mr. Hood is ready Mr. Harriman will give the order to build.

COMBINATION TO OUST HIM

Rumors That Harriman May Lose Control of Union Pacific.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—(Special.)—Is E. H. Harriman in danger of losing control of the Union Pacific system? Rumors that he is were in circulation today. They were based largely on the fact that a group of financiers, who had not participated to the extent expected in the general buoyancy of the present bull market. The general opinion seems to be that they are undoubtedly well advanced, had not powerful influences been exerted to keep them down, so that the interests behind these influences might work out a compromise with the stock at the lowest possible rate to assert control.

It is stated that there are now three interests in the Union Pacific, a combination of which could take away control from Mr. Harriman. The interests have never been antagonistic to one another. On the contrary they have on the whole been regarded as friends. The two of them at least a close alliance is known to have existed. These interests are represented by J. P. Morgan, J. J. Hill and J. D. Rockefeller.

Harriman in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—E. H. Harriman, president of the Southern Pacific Company, arrived today on his way to the Orient. He was accompanied by Julius Kruttschnitt, General Manager Calvin and other officials of the company. The party traveled from Portland by easy stages. Mr. Harriman will sail for Japan on the Siberia next Tuesday and expects to devote his trip entirely to rest and recreation.

CHINESE GIVEN WARNING

PRESIDENT CALLS ATTENTION TO PROVISION OF TREATY.

Interference With the Landing of American-Made Goods Will Not Be Tolerated.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 11.—The alarm regarding the impending commercial crisis in connection with the American boycott, is increasing, now that the information has got abroad that President Roosevelt has instructed Minister Rockhill to warn the Chinese government that America will insist upon the full observance by China of article 15 of the Tientsin treaty of 1858.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Article 15 of the Tientsin treaty provides that at each of the ports open to commerce, citizens of the United States shall be permitted to import from abroad, and sell, purchase and export all merchandise of which the transportation or exportation is not prohibited by treaty.

The State Department some days ago directed the attention of Minister Rockhill to this particular article, in view of the public dispatch to the effect that the intention of those managing the boycott against American goods to interfere with the landing of American goods and to prevent their entrance by Chinese ports. It is the opinion of the State Department that any such act in violation of article 15, and which is being done by the Chinese government, is a violation of the treaty, with a view of preventing any interference in the handling of American goods by Chinese ports.

It is supposed that the department has taken action on Minister Rockhill's communication and officials at different ports have been instructed to see that the provisions of the treaty are not violated. No complaints have been received at the State Department from vessels in the hands of American goods by Chinese merchants in many cities of China. A. G. McNear, vice-president of the Exposition, presided. The following resolutions were presented by directors of the Exchange and unanimously adopted:

ALARMED AT THE BOYCOTT

Resolutions Ask President to Ascertain Reason.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—(Special.)—Members of the Merchants' Exchange and State Department yesterday afternoon met at the Merchants' Exchange building this afternoon and started a movement to overcome the boycott that has been placed on American goods by Chinese merchants in many cities of China. A. G. McNear, vice-president of the Exposition, presided. The following resolutions were presented by directors of the Exchange and unanimously adopted:

Present conditions are serious to trade interests of the United States, rendering it imperative that the boycott should be removed.

THE ST. GROUS SHORTER DAILY

Buyers Coming From All Directions Take Up One After Another.

Several New Ones Including Ivers & Pond, Kurtzman, Wing & Son and A. B. Chase, Added Today. All of These Pianos Go at Virtually Half Price. Rent One of Them if Not Prepared to Buy.

This morning an elegant mottled walnut Ivers & Pond piano at \$225, a fancy mahogany Kurtzman at \$155, a great big, quarter-sawn oak, nearly new Wing & Son \$125, and a very fine, medium-sized, fancy mahogany A. B. Chase piano for an even \$200, have been added to stimulate interest in this great closing-out sale of these used pianos to the last.

Price cuts no more with us just now; we must have these pianos out of the way to make room for the balance of our World's Fair piano sale. The pianos are priced named as for cash, but any instrument will be sold on easiest of monthly payments for the additional simple interest, or we will rent any of these pianos with the privilege of applying six months' rental payments toward purchase of these present sale prices. This is a chance that may never come again. It will probably be several years if ever, before such a collection of really good instruments will be offered at such a sacrifice. Come in without delay and investigate the matter for yourself.

A fine mottled walnut Knabe, practically new. Price \$285.00. (Pay at \$20.00 a month.) A beautiful large-sized elegant mahogany case Lister, the \$225.00 style, now \$155.00. (Pay \$20.00 a month.) A very fancy oak case Fischer upright, \$250.00. (Pay \$20.00 a month.) Another Fischer, dark case, \$112.50. (Pay \$10.00 a month.) A large-size fancy mahogany Emerson, \$250.00. (Pay \$20.00 a month.) A very pretty mottled walnut, large-size Hardwood upright, excellent condition throughout. Price \$100.00. (Same terms.) Very largest oak case, fancy carved, Ludwig upright, exactly as new, \$135.00. (Same terms.)

A very fine, nearly new, mottled mahogany case, the \$225.00 style, now \$155.00. (Pay \$20.00 a month.) A very elaborate Conover Pommador Grand, or as now called, Conover "Symphony" Grand, \$350.00. (Pay \$20.00 a month.) Our price to close out, \$235.00. (Payment of \$30.00 a month.) A large-size mahogany Singer upright, \$180.00. (Same terms.) A large-size mahogany Singer upright, \$180.00. (Same terms.) A German-made upright piano, surely worth \$250.00, now \$155.00. (Pay \$20.00 a month.) Another upright, \$250.00. (Pay \$20.00 a month.) A large-size mahogany Singer upright, \$180.00. (Same terms.) A large-size mahogany Singer upright, \$180.00. (Same terms.)

We will ship any of these pianos subject to examination and trial by any part of the States of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, or California, upon receipt of deposit to show good title, equal to one-tenth of the sale price of the instrument. In ordering, please mention second choice. We have a large number of very fine organs for homes and churches that are closing out at just about half price, on account of the fact that the instruments will be taken up by the Piano House toward payment of any new purchases. If you are interested, please call for list or call and see them.

Complete assortment of new Chemisettes, embroidery and lace trimmed, at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Bargains in Caps

Infants' Swiss Caps and Bonnets, slightly mussed; sizes 15 and 16 only—

Regular price \$.25 to \$1 at 15c

Regular price \$1.25 to \$2 at 25c

INFANTS' REEFERS HALF PRICE

The balance of our Infants' Pique, Linen and Crash Caps and Reefers to CLOSE AT ONE-HALF PRICE.

Apron Gingham 6c

Best quality Apron Gingham Checks, blue and white only; very special at 6c.

Best Prints at 5c

Best Prints in navy, cadet blue, brown and white ground with small figures; very special at 5c.

New Duck Hats

At 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25

Women's and Misses' White Duck Outing Hats, all this Summer's latest shapes, Tam-o-Shanter, Maxine Elliott, French Tailor, etc. Fully trimmed with velvet and ornaments; special values at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Wash Goods at 15c

In the Wash Goods Store, the greatest offering ever made of new, up-to-date Wash Goods, none but this season's most popular fabrics, a large variety of colorings; regular price \$1.00, 75c, 60c and 50c, for this sale. 15c.

How would it do for you

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grocer as he sells Schilling's

Best?

Moneyback!

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\$4.50 Tan Linen Coats \$1.95
Natural Tan Linen, 30-inch Box Coats, plaited back and front; regular price \$4.50, while they last. \$1.95

\$8.00 Shirtwaist Suits \$3.85
White Lawn Shirtwaist Suits, all this season's newest styles, some hemstitched, some lace and embroidery trimmed; regular price \$8.00, \$7.50 and \$6.75; while they last. \$3.85

\$1.75 Lawn Shirtwaists 85c
Lawn Shirtwaists, embroidery trimmed, also white ground with small figures and dots, all this season's goods, not one old waist in the lot; regular price \$1.75 and \$1.50, while they last. 85c

Child's Wash Suits
Regular \$2.25, \$2.00 and \$1.75 at 98c
Regular \$3.50, \$3.00 and \$2.75 at \$1.95
Regular \$6.00, \$5.00 and \$4.50 at \$2.45
Dolly Varden Dresses, Buster Brown Suits and Russian Sailor Suits.

White Silk Gloves
Women's 2-class Amsterdam double-tipped, finger Milanese Silk Gloves, Fosterine embroidery in white; special values at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Long Silk Gloves
Women's 16-button length Silk Gloves in white, gray and champagne, all sizes; special value at \$1.00.

Ribbons, Special 33c
1000 pieces All-Silk extra quality Faint Ribbon, 6 inches wide; the very newest soft effect in ribbon; black, white and all colors; extra special for Saturday only. 33c

50c Handkerchiefs 25c
100 dozen Women's all pure linen Novelty Valenciennes lace trimmed Handkerchiefs; a large variety, new designs; values up to 50c; choice today at 25c.

15c Torchon Lace 4c
Cotton Torchon Lace and Insertion, 1 1/2 to 3 inches wide, new patterns; values up to 15c, for this sale. 4c

50c Embroidery 17c
Nainsook Embroidery, 3 to 9 inches wide, in the very latest patterns; values up to 50c, for this sale. 17c

New Neckwear

Today we place on sale 100 dozen Women's Neckwear, the largest assortment shown this season in Point Gaze Lace Stocks, Embroidered Hemstitched Collars, Novelty Lace effects, tailor made Wash Stocks, Turnovers and a complete line of Collar and Cuff Sets; real value 35c, today. 25c

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