

SOURCE OF FRAUDS

Chinese Minister Defends the Chinese Officials.

DENBY'S QUICK REJOINER

Charge That Certificate Frauds Are Committed by Chinese Officials Causes Controversy Between Prominent Men.

MINISTER VIOLATES ETIQUETTE

WASHINGTON, April 16.—(Special.)—The Chinese minister, Sir Chenkung Liang Cheng, may have to leave this country. He has committed a grave breach of etiquette in commenting upon matters pending before the lawmaking body of the Nation to which he is accredited.

Frontier Found at Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 16.—(Special.)—The body of an unknown man was found floating under the Northern Pacific docks at this place at about 3 o'clock this morning. The discovery was made by a deckhand on the steamer Charles R. Spencer as the boat was loading freight at the dock.

Fine Specimen of Moose.

CENTRALIA, Wash., April 16.—(Special.)—A monster moose is being mounted here for Edward Hylton, of Oakville, last December, while Hylton and a companion were hunting in the mountains of the British Columbia line, they ran into a herd of moose and succeeded in killing the largest bull in the herd.

Pioneer Ends His Own Life.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 16.—James Gratton, a pioneer settler of Carver County, Minnesota, and for many years a member of the Minneapolis police force, shot himself today near the University of Washington.

Frauds in Foreign Countries.

None of these officers has been authorized by the Chinese government to issue the required certificates, and none is subject to the control of the Chinese government. When Mr. Denby says that China is the most flagrantly guilty party in this matter, does he mean that the above-named countries are parts of the Chinese empire, and, therefore, the officers of these countries are Chinese officials?

Denby Makes Prompt Reply.

Mr. Denby made this statement tonight: It was to have been expected that His Excellency would not admit that the Chinese officials have been guilty of fraud, because he is the Chinese minister.

Traces Fraud to Chinese Officials.

I do not believe there is any man in Congress more friendly to China or more eagerly anxious to see the relations on a permanently friendly basis than I cannot be brought about, however, by the United States simply declaring against the blame for any causes of irritation that may exist.

Disgraced for Allowing Murder.

LONDON, April 15.—The Morning Post correspondent at Shanghai telegraphs that an imperial decree has been issued dismissing Hu Ting Kuo, Governor of Kwang, for his connection with the recent murder of French missionaries.

In Circuit Court at Oregon City.

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MR. E. V. CARTER, Candidate for State Treasurer:

Dear Sir—As you have established the precedent in this campaign of writing open letters to the other candidates for the office which you seek, I take this opportunity of returning the compliment by presenting some queries to you.

Do you carry in your pocket two letters, both addressed "To Whom It May Concern," signed by A. L. Mills and J. C. Ainsworth respectively, supporting your candidacy?

Did you not come to Portland last week for the express purpose of seeking the support of the brewing and liquor interests?

Did you not personally visit them and ask for their support on the ground that you had succeeded finally in getting your home town, Ashland, "wet"?

Did not these gentlemen tell you that the State Treasurer's office had no connection with their business and that they did not propose to get into a fight which was none of their affairs?

Did you not say that if you could not get the organized support of these interests that you would seek the organized support of the Anti-Saloon League and certain political preachers?

Is it not a fact that Mr. A. L. Mills has written many letters to the correspondents of the First National Bank throughout the state, asking that they support your candidacy?

I regret that you have seen fit to introduce personalities into this campaign, but I do not propose to sit idly by and let you mislead the public. Yours respectfully,

Rephel Hoyt

Candidate for State Treasurer.

Advertisement for 'TOURIST' \$3.00 Lady's Shoe. Features a woman in a hat and dress, and text describing the shoe's quality and price.

Advertisement for MACKINTOSH'S TOFFEE. Features a portrait of John Mackintosh and text describing the candy's quality and availability.

Large advertisement for HUNTER HUNTER BALTIMORE RYE. Features multiple illustrations of bottles and text promoting the product's strength and purity.

Small text at the bottom of the advertisement, including contact information for the publisher and printer.