

LAY FOUNDATION FOR PARLIAMENT

Empress of China Appoints Men to Frame First Measure.

FOLLOW IN JAPAN'S STEPS

Former Minister to United States Starts Machinery Moving on Return Home—Local Autonomy and Compulsory Education.

PEKIN, Sept. 20—An imperial edict was issued today authorizing Prince Pu

zhan, who will be the Chinese envoy at the St. Louis Exposition, and Sun Chi Anal, in co-operation with the Grand Council, to frame resolutions for the establishment of a council of deliberation to aid the government "so that the foundation may be laid for a Parliament."

Both Chang Chi Tung and Yuan Shi Kai since coming to Pekin on their appointment as grand councilors, have urged the establishment of a constitutional form of government, recalling the fact that this reform has been promised and that China and all the rest of the world expect to see it carried out.

GOT IDEAS FROM AMERICANS

China's Latest Step Result of Chen-tung Liang Cheng's Study.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The important edict referred to in the Pekin cablegram relative to the establishment of a council of deliberations has been in course of preparation for more than six months. As in the case of Japan, America is ready to lend every assistance to China in adopting modern methods of government and in attaining to the rank of a fully civilized state.

There is reason to believe that the decision of the throne to publish the edict at this time was an immediate result of the return to China of Sir Chen-tung Liang Cheng, who spent the best part of his four years' stay in Washington in devising plans for the inauguration of reforms in the administrative system in China.

While the purpose of the edict is to secure a constitutional or parliamentary form of government, the Chinese people are not ready, through inexperience, for a full-fledged parliament. Intermediate steps are provided for in the edict. The most important is the creation under section four of the decree of a "chihchen yua" or ministry for discussion of state affairs.

Other points of the edict forecasted by reports received at the State Department are in brief as follows: The Franco-Japanese agreement is to be studied in its effects upon China and means devised to safeguard the National Integrity.

The extension to the other provinces of the model local government system erected in Tien Tsin.

Adoption of compulsory education.

Establishment of government good faith with the people.

Reorganization of the Luchun, or War Board.

Preparation for the gold standard.

Punishment of Chinese officials who discriminate between Manchus and Chinese.

NO OFFER OF ARBITRATION

Operators Say Delegates to Neill Exceeded Authority.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Thomas L. Mahan and Arthur G. Douglas, officials of the local Telegraphers' Union, had no authority to go to Washington and request Labor Commissioner Neill to take steps looking to arbitration of the present strike, according to a statement made at the headquarters of the strikers' union in the city today.

HAVE NOTHING TO ARBITRATE

Companies Will Not Deal With Strikers—Many on Blacklist.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—General Superintendent Brezik, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, said today that his company had nothing to arbitrate.

"We have all the men we desire," said Mr. Brooks, "and there is no need for us to seek to secure the services of the men who left the employ of the company. Furthermore, we will never again tolerate the conditions that existed before the strike. The action of the union operators before the strike in deliberately interfering with the business of the company and in abusing those who failed to join their organization will never occur again in the operating rooms of the Western Union. There are 175 operators who

were employed in this city by this company prior to the strike who will never again secure work with the company. They were all trouble-makers."

BOYCOTT ON TELEGRAPH LINES.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 20.—Next Wednesday night the representatives of the telegraph corporations in Seattle are cited to appear before the Central Labor Council on complaint of the striking telegraphers to show cause why they should not be placed on the unfair list by the Labor Council. The officials summoned are R. T. Reid, superintendent of the Western Union; John A. Fox, superintendent of the Postal Telegraph Company; and S. B. Vincent, Portland, Northwestern correspondent of the Associated Press. The decision was reached tonight at a meeting of the Labor Council.

FROST FRIGHTENS BEARS

BULLS DRIVE WHEAT UP TO RECORD PRICE.

Active Foreign Demand and Bad News About Northwestern Crop Cause Wild Day.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—(Special.)—Wheat for delivery next May soared to \$1.18 1/2 today, the highest point so far in the year. The advance was due to active foreign demand and an active export demand from continental Europe as well as from the United Kingdom, and gloomy reports from the Northwest concerning the Canadian crop.

Washington is now a high price town, with an excise board discriminating against all places against which the police have a bad record. An appeal will be made to Congress to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in the District and, in view of the wide public sentiment, it is believed by the friends of prohibition that few Congressmen will vote on record against making Washington a dry town.

The saloon people are greatly excited over the situation and have appointed a legislative committee in the hope of stemming the wave.

TAKES SHOT AT ENGINEER

Trainmen Have Exciting Time With Drunken Hobos.

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—A gang of drunken hobos riding on the second section of the southbound Shasta express last night created a serious disturbance on the train, which came near resulting in injury to the engineer and fireman. In the midst of the melee one of them fired into the engine cab and narrowly missed the fireman. The engineer and fireman made the run from Salem to Albany almost in fear of their lives.

The shooting occurred just before the train reached Salem and at that time the trainmen made a vain effort to secure a policeman to take charge of the drunken tramps, as they absolutely refused to leave the train. They then discussed a decision to run the train no further than this city with the hobos aboard, and the Salem operator telegraphed to Albany so the Officer John Catlin was present when the train arrived. He took seven hobos off the train, but a search failed to find any of them armed. The tramps, in discussing a decision to run the train no further than this city with the hobos aboard, and the Salem operator telegraphed to Albany so the Officer John Catlin was present when the train arrived.

The engineer and fireman say the run from Salem to Albany was a nervous one for them, as the men continued their taunting remarks, and they didn't know what time the shooting might be resumed.

REFUSES TO LEAVE CARS

Passengers Who Overcrowd Cause Riot in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.—There were numerous minor riots in the South and Mission districts last night as a result of an attempt by the police to enforce the ordinance designed to prevent the overcrowding of streetcars. When the police tried to carry out orders, the passengers were not aware of the purpose, and those who were perched on top of the cars refused to vacate their positions. These disturbances occurred at a dozen places, but no one was seriously injured.

CAR RUNS INTO ENGINE

One Killed, Three Injured, in Collision—Motorman Is Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.—A streetcar on the Kentucky-street line of the United Railroads this afternoon crashed into a Santa Fe engine at the corner of Twenty-fifth and Kentucky streets. One woman, Mrs. McLaughlin, was instantly killed and three persons were seriously hurt. They are: Ray Timm, Mrs. M. F. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Slisson. Though badly injured, all are expected to recover.

The body of Mrs. McLaughlin, who was killed, was placed between the locomotive and the streetcar and nearly half an hour elapsed before it was extricated. She was the mother of Dr. A. McLaughlin of this city.

MUST CORRECT THE NAMES

Private Banks in Montana Cannot Sell as Savings Banks.

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—Twenty-three private banks in Montana have been directed by State Examiner Timothy E. Collins to cease doing business or else readily comply with a law passed by the recent Legislature, which they have neglected to do. The law provides that private banking institutions using the words "savings," "savings bank," "trust" or "trust company" in their title or advertisements shall upon conviction be amenable to fines ranging from \$200 to \$500 and the responsible persons to imprisonment from 60 days to one year or both.

OREGON FRUIT FOR WYOMING.

FREEWATER, Or., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—Shields Fruit Company shipped a mixed carload of fruit to Sheridan, Wyo., and was private bankers' institutions shipped a carload of peaches to Park N. D., over the Walla Walla Valley Traction Company's line.

TAKE THE CAPITAL

Prohibition Campaign Aimed at Washington.

DRYS TO SCARE CONGRESS

Anti-Saloon Organizations Will Demand Prohibition of Liquor Traffic and Have Frightened Saloon Element by Strength.

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Company of Indiana, which has charge of the marketing of oil in Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Kansas. The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey markets its products in the vicinity of its refineries, said Mr. Tilford. Oil is shipped from the refineries to the distributing stations in tank cars owned by the Union Tank Line, a subsidiary company of the Standard Oil Company.

Some Books Not Produced. Some of the Standard Oil Company books wanted by the Government's counsel have not yet been produced, but several important books have been forthcoming. The agreement of 1882, which was signed by most of the men now in the front ranks of the Standard Oil ownership and management, was put in evidence by Mr. Kellogg, and its authenticity was admitted by the company's lawyers.

How Mr. Kellogg obtained possession of the document is not known. It is said that Detective Flynn, head of the New York branch of the United States Secret Service, has conferred with Mr. Kellogg since the hearing here began.

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Horn Alligator Bags, leather lined and fitted with coin purse; swellest and most novel effects; \$10.00 values; sale price \$5.00

New Leather Belts in all the fashionable colors and shades; \$1 values; sale price 50c

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Men's 25c Hosiery, 19c

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