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Japan's Celebration in Honor of Fleet Eclipses Any Similar Event in History.

DEEPEST FEELING SHOWN

Whole Country Pays Homage to America in Unprecedented Reception and Warmth of Hospitality at Tokio.

TOKIO, Oct. 22.—The capital of Japan witnessed tonight the most extraordinary evidence of the spirit of the new Japan. After his audience with the officers of the American battleship fleet on Tuesday the Emperor issued an order directing the people to increase in every way possible the enjoyment, comfort and pleasure of the American visitors, who came, he said, as historic friends of the Japanese nation. The response to this imperial mandate was seen and heard tonight.

Originally a torchlight procession of 15,000 people was planned as part of the programme, but this feature went far beyond expectations and developed one of the greatest popular demonstrations and outpourings of an enthusiastic people ever witnessed in any country. Japan's war celebrations after the Russian, London's Mafeking night and even New York's election night revel would seem almost insignificant compared with Tokio's celebration tonight. It would be impossible to estimate the number of people who took part in the parade and the myriads of spectators.

Parade Miles Long.

Mile after mile, through madly cheering people, the great procession wound its way. Representatives of various guilds, university schools of every class for boys and other organizations took part in the parade, and each individual carried a lighted lantern held high on a long pole with American and Japanese flags intertwined. Admiral Sperry and the other chief officers of the American fleet viewed the procession from a special stand, standing with bared heads above the sea of waving lanterns, the deafening roar of cheers and the clash of the music from scores of bands which played the American National hymn continuously. So dense became the crowds around the stand where the American officers stood, that the entire procession was blocked until Admiral Sperry was forced to leave in order to keep an engagement at the dinner given by Minister of Foreign Affairs Komura.

Ovation to Officers' Wives.

Again at the American Embassy the great procession halted and the climax of this enthusiasm was reached, although Ambassador O'Brien was not at the Embassy at the time. He, too, had left to attend the function at the residence of the Foreign Minister. When the head of the procession arrived at the Embassy and halted, Mrs. O'Brien and the other ladies of the Embassy appeared upon the veranda and received a prolonged ovation from the crowds, every man and boy among the paraders lifting his hat to the ladies, while there were continuous shouts for the American Ambassador.

The entire grounds surrounding the Embassy were lighted with lanterns and the demonstration at this point lasted for two hours, the ladies of the Embassy viewing it until they were forced to leave to keep a dinner engagement. Even then, the parade was not resumed for more than an hour. Every band in Tokio turned out for the parade and their favorites, such as "Yankee Doodle," "Dixie" and "John Brown." Thousands of the paraders wore fantastic costumes characteristic of Japanese celebrations.

Every foreigner in Tokio was deeply impressed by tonight's remarkable demonstration, coming as it did, from an ordinarily unimpassioned people.

Series of Entertainments.

The entire day was taken up by a series of elaborate entertainments to Admiral Sperry and the other Admirals of the American fleet and their aides. The American fleet commander together with the other Admirals and their aides will leave Tokio at 2 P. M., October 23, when the scene of celebrations will be changed from this city to Yokohama and will

close with a reception on board the flagship Connecticut on next Saturday. At the dinner given by Minister of Foreign Affairs Komura tonight, the Minister in proposing the health of Rear-Admiral Sperry, said he was bidding him a reluctant good-bye. He only asked the Admiral to take back to the people of the United States the message of good will and kindly feeling seen on every face and heard in every voice of tens of thousands, which was a sure reflection of the sentiments of the loyal subjects of the Empire. Japan never forgot, said Minister Komura that in her hour of stress she had not looked in vain to the great Republic for sympathy, while in her forward struggle she had had the example and encouragement of the American people.

Rear-Admiral Sperry, in replying, earnestly said that the character of the welcome given the fleet by Japan could not be mistaken and it must be perpetuated for generations for no better gauge of lasting friendship could be given than the bazilis of the tens of thousands of children massed in the streets.

Nations Clasp Hands.

"No two countries," said the Admiral, "ever clasped hands across the sea closer than on this occasion. Both countries may rest content that intelligent, friendly sympathy has drawn the ancient friendly ties closer than ever before."

During an interlude of the magnificent theatrical entertainment given tonight by the Bankers' Club, Rear-Admiral Sperry, the other Rear-Admirals and their aides appeared on the stage together with a committee of bankers on behalf of whom Baron Shibusawa presented the Admiral Sperry graciously expressed his thanks. At Yokohama today 500 girls, all pupils of a music school, visited the flagship Connecticut and sang American National airs in English. The Japanese girls all carried American flags and on leaving the ship in lighters sang "Hail Columbia," all the way across the bay.

Mayor Pays High Tribute.

The official luncheon of the Mayor was an extremely elaborate affair. In his address Mr. Oaki expressed the most sincere gratitude of the nation for America's evidence of a friendly support of Japan in sending the fleet to Yokohama. "I may be touching a delicate subject, but I feel that I would be doing less than my duty if I failed to convey the assurance that in this welcome the real heart of the Japanese nation speaks to the heart of the great American Nation. We ask you to send to your people this message: 'Japan believes that war between America and Japan would be a crime against the past, the present and the future of both countries. We sincerely believe that the great navy, which you are so proud to possess, and we are so proud to welcome, stands for those sublime principles which in supreme moments can rise above the question of race and color. We are your friends forever.'"

Fleet Sails From Honolulu.

HONOLULU, Oct. 22.—The Pacific cruiser fleet was commended by Rear-Admiral Swinburne, sailed at 9:15 o'clock this morning, with the accompanying torpedo-boat destroyers in tow, for the Pacific coast. The cruiser will proceed to Magdalena Bay for target practice, after which they will visit the west coast of South America.

Plan Welcome to Fleet.

AMOY, China, Oct. 22.—Admiral Sah, of the Chinese navy, and Mr. Sun, the provincial treasurer of the reception committee to welcome the battleship fleet to this port, arrived here today on the Chinese cruiser Fei Eng.

TO PROBE COUNTY RECORDS

Grand Jury Has Been Convened by Judge Rice at South Bend.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., Oct. 22.—(Special.)—By order of Judge A. E. Bloch, a grand jury will convene in this city November 17. Prosecuting Attorney J. J. Brunbach, who has filed several informations in alleged fraud cases brought to light by Expert George R. Clark in his investigation of the county records, secured the order for a grand jury investigation.

John Carmody, who, according to Expert Clark, overpaid more than \$200 on his contract for grading the South Bend-Willapa road, has written a letter to a friend in this city claiming that he was not overpaid, but did the work and was paid according to contract.

Guilt of Embezzlement.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.—J. J. Lynch, the broker accused of embezzling bonds of the Ocean Shore Railroad Company, was this afternoon found guilty by a jury before Judge Conley, who is sitting in Judge Cook's department of the Superior Court.

OKLAHOMA UNDER WATER

TORRENTS OF RAIN SWELL RIVERS, FLOOD COUNTRY.

Pawnee is Inundated, Many Farms Swamped, Railroad Tracks Washed Out.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 22.—Serious floods threaten portions of Central and Northern Oklahoma, the result of a steady downpour of rain that has prevailed for the past three days and is still continuing. In some portions the rainfall has amounted almost to the proportions of the cloudburst. Numerous reports of loss of life, made yesterday, are unconfirmed and they are believed to be without foundation. No single report of loss of life has been verified.

At Tulsa and vicinity the Arkansas has risen ten feet in the 24 hours ended this morning and was then still coming up. This brought the stream to within three feet of the highest stage reached in the flood last Spring. Many farms around Tulsa were flooded and farmers and their families were compelled to move out. The town of West Tulsa is threatened with inundation.

In the vicinity of Perry last night all streams rose suddenly and hundreds of acres of crops were flooded. A third of the town of Pawnee, with 1500 inhabitants was covered last night with six feet of water.

In the valley of the Canadian River the valleys for several miles between Shawnee and McLoud are inundated and several parts of the Rock Island, Missouri,

Kansas & Texas and Santa Fe tracks have been washed out. In many directions, telegraph service is interrupted and details are lacking.

LEAVE THEIR HOMES IN BOATS

Arkansas and Grand Rivers Swelled by Heavy Rains.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Oct. 22.—The heaviest rainfall occurring in this section in many years began at midnight last night and continued today. The Arkansas and Grand Rivers are rising. The lowlands of Muskogee are flooded and in some sections residents cannot leave their homes without the aid of boats. Much damage to matured corn has resulted.

High Waters Keep 200 From Work.

EL RENO, Okla., Oct. 22.—Two hundred workmen were unable to reach their work in the Rock Island Railroad shops and the new yards today and the night crews were compelled to go to their homes in boats on account of high water from Four Mile Creek filling the lowlands between the city and the yards.

Burn Unlucky Auto in Street.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Oct. 22.—Aggravated by the misfortune that has attended his effort to operate a red touring car, obtained against his will, J. Leppo, a business man of this city, has obtained the permission of the Council for a bonfire to be held in the street on election night.

Leppo obtained the car on attachment proceedings, and seems to have encountered more than his share of the ill-luck that attends amateur chauffeurs.

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