

NOT PARTY ISSUES

Butler Calls for Settlement of Vital Problems.

TRUSTS, RAILROADS, MONEY

Beveridge Denounces Sectionalism, North and South, and Says Expert Commission Alone Can Settle Tariff Question.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 19.—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, speaking tonight at the annual dinner of the Kansas City Commercial Club, declared that the great questions of banking and currency and of the regulation of the transportation systems of the country and of trusts were not party questions, but that they were national questions, and that they should be settled by a commission of experts, and not by a party caucus.

"It is the first duty of the patriotic and intelligent business interests of the country," said Dr. Butler, "to apply themselves to the task of settling the questions in which politics and business border so closely upon each other."

Dr. Butler and Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, were the guests of honor at the annual dinner of the club held in commemoration of the signing of the John Jay commercial treaty.

Sectionalism Subtle Danger.

Mr. Beveridge said all sectionalism should be abolished and referring to the North and South said:

"There is no more sense in a solid South and a solid North than there is in the class divisions of Scotland 500 years ago. Sectional lines based on the heredity of prejudice are a more subtle danger than most of the conventional perils which we fear."

"The time has come for this condition to pass away. Let every section of this country solve its local problems for itself, but upon National problems let every section set not as a section but as a part of the Nation. It is absurd that New England should have a traditional allegiance to the Republican party and that the South should be under a traditional mortgage to the Democratic party."

Speaking for the creation of a tariff commission, Mr. Beveridge said:

Need Tariff Commission.

"As our tariffs have heretofore been constructed by both parties, they have been scientific and wise. Nothing but our great natural resources, utterly overwhelming those of other nations, have saved our foreign trade from extinction. We are ashamed by the fact that comparatively Germany sets today ten times as many tariff duties abroad where we sell one. Germany has been able to do this chiefly by her double tariff system. This she built up by having an expert commission solve the question."

"A wide tariff law cannot be struck off by men not students of the question working for a few weeks without trying aptitude for their work. The demand of the business and producing classes of the United States for a modern tariff commission cannot longer be ignored."

REFORMS ARE TO CONTINUE

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myriad of affairs and my strength and my heart are weary. Since last Summer I have been ill and not able to assist in the multitudinous affairs of the government with tranquillity. For long I have been without appetite, nor have I been able to sleep. On November 14 came the death of the Emperor and it was then impossible for me to exercise self-control. Following this day my illness increased until now I am not able to rise from my couch.

"I look back today over 50 years of sorrow and trouble and even at the end of my life my anxieties still are with me and I can find no appetite."

"Reform in the methods of government has begun and these ideas will be continued and developed. The Regent and all his officials should exert themselves in strengthening the foundations of the Empire. Let the Emperor, Pu Yi, make the affairs of the Empire of first importance, and to this end let him be adequately instructed."

Barbarous Scene at Death.

Accurate information concerning the last days of the Emperor was obtained today from officials of the palace. The various foreign legations have abandoned the palace grounds.

The Emperor made a speech less than one hour before his death. He passed away during a period of the greatest excitement and confusion. His native physician gave orders that the Emperor be dressed for death and that imperial yellow clay be spread over the road leading from the Winter Palace to the Forbidden City. At the same time an imperial conveyance was made ready to convey the Emperor to the bedchamber.

Lived at San Francisco.

The dead man is a member of the Sailors' Union of San Francisco, with relatives living at the Bay City, Mich.

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ASKS PRESIDENT'S SYMPATHY

Prince Ching Sends Letter to Roosevelt in Behalf of Emperor.

PEKIN, Nov. 19.—Prince Ching, president of the Board of Foreign Affairs, has forwarded direct to President Roosevelt a personal letter in the name of Pu Yi, the infant Emperor of China, setting forth the crisis through which the throne has passed during the last week. Similar letters have been sent to all the other powers friendly to China. These communications make an appeal for sympathy for, and understanding with, the new rulers of China, and emphasize the efficiency with which the events of the past week have been conducted.

Several of the foreign legations here have expressed their surprise and gratification at the manner in which the Government is managing the situation. It has been expected, up to the present, that the death of the Dowager Empress would precipitate trouble, but the way in which the new government has assumed its responsibilities has created confidence among the diplomatists and many of the foreign observers declare today that China has done as well under these trying circumstances as could any government confronted with similar difficulties.

FUTURE OF EMPIRE SAFE

This Is Belief at Shanghai if Yuan Shi Kai Is Retained.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 19.—The recent events at Peking have been fully reported here and it is felt in Shanghai that the future of the empire is safe, provided the Regent, Prince Chun, retains the support of Yuan Shi Kai and Chang Chi Tung, the two members of the Grand Council who are, at the same time, the strongest of the present day statesmen of China. The fact that the revolutionary societies will make trouble, and no troops have been sent from Shanghai or its vicinity to Peking.

The Prince Regent is regarded here as a good man but inexperienced in affairs of government, and weak. The fact that he is in daily consultation with Chang Chi Tung is regarded as a favorable indication for Chang is well considered in Shanghai. The valedictory of the late Emperor, issued in the form of an imperial decree at Peking, extols his virtues and accords him praise for the reforms he introduced in the matter of schools, local industries, railroad construction, mining developments. Particularly the promise to put the empire on a basis of constitutional government within three years. This decree is considered as presaging the policy the new government, under the Prince Regent, proposes to follow.

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Barring a slight curtailment of the original program for the 'Autumn' armistice, the policy is to be carried out, and orders to this end have been given by the Board of War. Tuan Fang, the Viceroy of Nanking, will remain with the troops during the armistice.

The temporary suspension of a native bank in Peking has had no effect on financial circles at large.

PUSH REFORMS WITH VIGOR

Edicts Show Progressive and Modern Government Intended.

PEKIN, Nov. 19.—An official of the Foreign Board of the government, in reply to a direct request, today gave formal assurance that the new administration would promote with vigor the reforms inaugurated by the late Emperor Kuang Hsu.

A number of edicts with a political bearing have been promulgated since November 15 and they all show that a progressive and modern government for the Chinese Empire is intended. Several specific reforms already have been entailed for fulfillment upon the regency of Prince Chun.

WATCHMAN IS MURDERED

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dicted. This will not be determined until the coroner has time to make an examination of the body. Rasmussen's watch, valuable gold timepiece is missing, and the chain to which it had been attached was found to be broken off at the button hole. The dead man's head was wedged between the main shaft and a cylinder timber, while the body lay across the drum. Rasmussen had been dead more than 20 hours, and it is presumed that the mysterious stranger is responsible for the crime.

He Was Well Known.

The sailors on the Leyland Brothers had become very well acquainted with Rasmussen during the time the vessels were moored together, and had formed a warm attachment for him. They spent most of their spare moments together, and when the watchman failed to appear yesterday morning they became alarmed. One of them boarded the Washington at noon yesterday, but could not find him. At 4 o'clock the foreman of the drydock was appealed to and he recommended a search of the boat, which resulted in the discovery of the dead body.

The stranger with whom Rasmussen was seen on the deck is described as being a well-dressed man of medium height, wearing a gray fedora hat and a well-made long gray overcoat. The two men had been in the engine-room about half an hour when the provision launch Palmer drew up alongside to deliver supplies. When halted by the launch crew, the stranger made his appearance and hurriedly left the vessel. He leaped to the dock and disappeared in the direction of the carline. As Rasmussen did not respond, the provision boat cast off and left on its rounds.

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according to the sailors of the Leyland Brothers, his mother and three sisters live at San Francisco. Their address and names could not be learned, although several letters were found among Rasmussen's effects. However, these missives were written in Danish and an interpreter will have to be summoned to learn their contents. Rasmussen is believed to have had a sum of money in his possession much larger than the \$23.10 found in a drawer under his berth, and in view of the fact that his watch was forcibly removed from his person, it is believed that his murderer secured the balance of the dead man's savings. The sailors of the Leyland Brothers are positive that they will be able to identify the man last seen with Rasmussen, for each of them scrutinized him closely because of the two visits he made to the vessel.

Christmas Island, where she was wrecked by striking a reef on which she was carried by the strong sea encountered on her voyage from the Golden Gate to Australia, via Apia, was sold at Sydney by the underwriters for \$25, according to mail advices received here, and a schooner is being outfitted with a donkey and an interpreter will have to be summoned to learn their contents. Rasmussen is believed to have had a sum of money in his possession much larger than the \$23.10 found in a drawer under his berth, and in view of the fact that his watch was forcibly removed from his person, it is believed that his murderer secured the balance of the dead man's savings. The sailors of the Leyland Brothers are positive that they will be able to identify the man last seen with Rasmussen, for each of them scrutinized him closely because of the two visits he made to the vessel.

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Shoemaker ran and was not arrested until morning, when he was taken to Moscow.

STAB IN STOMACH FATAL

Drunken Man Who Pursues Women and Escort Killed.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 19.—(Special.)—Walter Driscoll, of Fallon, Wash., was stabbed in the stomach at Troy, Idaho, last night and died there today. Evidence brought out at the inquest showed that Driscoll was intoxicated and was following Tilden Shoemaker and several young women who were returning from an entertainment. Driscoll was using vile language. Shoemaker told him if he did not stop he would thrash him. Driscoll threw up his arms to take off his coat and while he had them in the air, Shoemaker turned and plunged a knife into Driscoll's stomach, cutting a gash one and one-half inches long.

Sneezes Himself to Death.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Andrew M. Taylor literally sneezed himself to death in Paterson, N. J., last night. Seized with a fit of sneezing, after some practical jokes had scattered snuff on the floor of the saloon, he fell exhausted and was stricken with hemorrhage.

The "jokers" took alarm at his plight, and physicians were summoned. An examination showed that he had ruptured a blood vessel. The flow of blood was checked temporarily, but broke out anew in a short time, and Taylor expired. He was 46 years old and leaves a widow.

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