CHINESE AMAZED BY **OWN VOICES IN HORN**

Commissioners Drop Dignity Before 'You Talk, He Talk Your Talk Back' Machine.

DAY SPENT WITH EDISON

We Would Like to Have Him in Shanghai," Comment Member of Party Visiting Inventor at Plant in West Orange.

NEW YORK, June 9 .- "Kong Ling-Kong Ling"-and Henerary Commer-cial Commissioner Sing Ming Kuns grinned all over as he rushed over to crab young Chang and drag him over to "Wizard" Edison's wonderful ma-chine into which you talked one second and which the next talked back to you in your own voice.

you in your own voice.

Yang went into ecstasies over the invention and so did all the rest of the Chinese Commission who talked into it, not once but several times, while a chorus of "Kong Ling, Mr. Edison" went up. Kong Ling translated into English means "your very good bealth forever." health forever.

n all-day visit to Thomas A. Edi-plant in West Orange, N. J. Mr. n turned over the whole works to

There were marvels of inventive conius in pienty to look at, but what impressed the Chinese most was the new Terescribe (not yet on the mar-ket), and some remarkable talking-moving pictures. Chinese Music Is as Tonic.

The Chinese Supeared deeply interested in all they saw. They listened with comprehending interest to the necessarily technical description of the Edison storage battery which was perfected only after \$5,000 individual experiments, but it was when the phonograph department was reached that their enthusiasm rose to the greatest leights.

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Half a dozen Edison talking machines were turned loose simultaneously producing a melody of grand opera, light opera, rag-time and Chinese acted like a tonic; the Commissioners gathered around the machine and smiled and nodded approval.

Then came what Kung described "the you talk, he talk, your talk back" machine. Commissioner Kung was invited to talk into a tube. "I no talk English," he protested. "Then talk Chinese," said Mr. Hutchison. Gravely Mr. Kung accommodated. "Now put the tube to your ear," commanded Hutchison. Kung obeyed. The demonstrator pressed a button. A moment later a broad, delightful smile spread over the Commissioner's face.

Commissioner Leses Gravity.

Commissioner Loses Gravity.

He dropped the tube and his gravity. He dropped the tube and his gravity. This American wender machine had talked in his own voice. Over he rushed to Chairman Chang's son and talked volubly in Chinese, dragged him to the instrument, then rushed to Tui. The delight of the Chinese over this new toy was as unaffected and unconcealed as any child's could have been

Edison Presides at Lunch.

The visitors were Mr. Edison's guests at luncheon served in the storage bat-

tery building of the plant,

GOVERNOR HORSES' FRIEND

BERLIN TO RELEASE BREAD Flour Reserve Doubled Since First Supply Census.

LONDON, June 14.—The Times says it is learned from a reliable source that

The Times says the existing German flour reserves are about twice as large ms when the first census of supplies was taken, and that it is estimated it will not be necessary to begin the continuity of the Monroe doctrine will not be necessary to begin the continent," said Senor Perez, "that end of September.

CHINESE COMMISSIONERS ON VISIT TO "MAGIC MAN,"



-Photo copyrighted by Underwood & Underwood COMMISSIONER LING-MING KUNG AND THOMAS A, EDISON AT ED-ISON'S PLANT.

DEFENSE TO BE IMPROVED BOY OF 16 ROUTS BURGLAR

Daniels No Longer Forceful as Onponent of National Preparedness and Stronger Army and Navy Is Made Possible.

They all pressed forward in their cagerness to take turns at talking into the tube and then listening to their own voices. And it's a safe bet that of all the things they have seen and done in their visit here this left the deepest impression.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 13.—With Secretary Bryan out of the Cabinet and Secretary Bryan out of the Cabinet and Secretary manager of the Oregon Taxicab Company. Mr. Warren has just moved into their visit here this left the deepest into his own and the Administration of the capture of the original points.

lown on Carrison Daniels' Views Changed.

Now that Bryan is eliminated and the President has awakened to the folly

Progress no Longer Blocked.

Union County Association Told Good
Stock Will Pay.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallia, Or., June M.—(Special.)—Tou't give up the horse, was about the Navy and its needs; but members of Will seed the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he ever held and the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he will henceforth carry little weight he one will he and the only one he ever held and the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he is likely ever held and the only one he extra the hour held in the like fair. J. J. Kadderly spent one the fair. J. J. Kadderly ever helair

Pan-American Compact to Supplement Monroe Doctrine Suggested.

June 12. - A covenant among all American nations to supplement the Monroe doctrine and preserve the integrity of the Western Hemithe German government is about to announce an increase of the daily bread ration for people engaged in hard manual work, and also to make concession with regard to the compulsory use of bread tickets in tourist resorts.

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Monroe doctrine has closed effectively the continent to European conquest, but it has not prevented the exercise of conquest in both sections of the con-

"I am formulating no indictment; my contention is purely analytical. It should be enacted and covenanted among all nations of the continent that the territory of the American nations is no longer a subject for conquest, either from within or from without the hemisphere."

Robber Surprised at Suburban Home Drops Loot, Runs Under Fire.

Robert Warren, 16 years old, surer's home on Green Hill, just outside the city limits beyond Council Crest about 9:30 o'clock last night. The burglar had collected a quantity of silverware, but dropped it as he fled from the building under a hall of shot from

impression.

The telescribe afforded them keen pleasure, too. This is a newly perfected Edison invention, which telephones and writes the conversation at the same time.

Mr. Yul next talked into an Edison record. He addressed his talk to Mr. Edison, ranking the inventions. When he finished Mr. Hutchison exclaimed: "Well, I don't know how well it got you, but we will see," and, to the amazed delight of the Chinese, from a bin born in another part of the room came Yul's voice in strong, firm tones, repeating his talk.

"He what you call magic man," confided Commissioner Kung, to a reporter, of Mr. Edison. "Like to have him in Shanghai."

Edison Presides at Lunch.

Knights of Columbus Investigators Report Results of Inquiry.

The inventor tasted the soup, but that's as far as he got with his own meal, and hurried away at the close to the accompaniment of ringing cheers and in a haze of cigar and cigarette smoke. Not one of the Chinese Commissioners could get a job under the "wizard." They are all devotees of the clearette.

During the talking-moving picture show the shrill whistle of a siren sounded. Two sharp and three long whistless; the fire alarm for the plant: There was an instant, ominous hush, a startled rush for the door, instantly repressed. Then came the signal again, this time three long, followed by one sharp blast—31, and a great sigh of relief went up.

Edison folk will never forget the great fire which destroyed the plant and when by mistake the wrong signal was sounded, giving notice of another, the entire Edison fire-fighting force had manned their apparatus before the second and right signal sounded.

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FROM MEXICAN TRIP

Picturesque Figure of Former Days in Oregon and Idaho at Exposition.

EXHIBIT AMAZES MEAT

Much to Be Learned About Industrial Development of Cattle Busi-- Races Enjoyed by Lover of Horses.

BY ANNE SHANNON MONROE. OREGON BUILDING, Exposition Grounds, San Francisco, June 9.— Colonel Idaho Bill, with his long blond nair waving iuxuriantly below his gray ombrero, took a little spin over from Arizona for a day at the exposition, which he spent in the Oregon and Idano buildings. Then he cut back to his cattle ranges. The Colonel, who was battle ranges. The Colonel, who was baptized B. R. Pearson, is an old-time indian scout well known to Oregon and Idaho and more recently known as a trainer of cowboys in their wildest Wild West stunts. Roy Hunter, famous buildogger at the Pendleton Roundup, learned his buildogging from the Colonet.

More recently still the Colonel has been courting fresh danger in Mexico. He has cattle ranches in Nebraska and cattle that range pretty well west to the Pacific. He thought this was a good time to buy steers and see life in Mexico, so he organized a cowboy outfit, gathering up 20 of the best-known and most daring cowboys of Oregon and Idaho, and went into Mexico. He found plenty of stockmen ready to sell at \$30 a head, for real money is scarce, and soon he had gathered up 300 long-horned rangers. There was an exciting fight getting them out of the hillis, for the Colonel says they are the wildest cattle on earth they are the wildest cattle on earth and not amenable to the requirements of a roundup and drive.

Lawless Element Makes Trouble.

In two weeks, with rough work, they made it out toward the border, and then the trouble began. The lawless element of Mexico, made up of Indians, Mexicans and American outlaws, who lead and initiate, objected to the cattle's being taken out of the country, just as they object to any and every thing that will give them an opportunity to let blood. They have been warring so long that these outlaws have the blood-taste—it's a game with them. Lawless Element Makes Trouble.

Well, the Colonel had a perfectly good horse shot from under him and one of his best men got a crippled leg, but otherwise they came out whole. The cattle cost about \$50 a head by the time they reached the ranch, and they were thin, but they are exceptionally healthy and, with a year's good feeding in the North, will come out all right.

out all right.

The Colonel met Villa while in the south and was impressed with his leadership, particularly among the lower classes; they believe in him like a god, he says.

American "Bad Men" Numerous.
The border troubles, according to the Colonel, arise largely from Mexico's having become a stamping ground for American "bad men." Any "bad man" can get away once he crosses the border, and there he joins the outlaws and goes in for guerrilla warfare. The Mexicans are not good shot, and not as good riders as American cattlemen, but they are long on roping. The Texas rangers will not cross into Mexico even for the cheap steers. It is too dangerous among the "cannibals."

On reaching safety with his outfit, the Colonel left his men to proceed with the drive and he came on to visit the Oregon building. He had no time to see much of anything else, but expressed himself as perfectly repaid for his journey, for the Oregon building. He had no time to see much of anything else, but expressed himself as perfectly repaid for his journey, for the Oregon building. He saw every booth, picture, and enjoyed the big log fire, where he told some of the killed was George H. Hensew every booth, picture, and enjoyed the big log fire, where he told some of the killed was George H. Hensew every booth, picture, and enjoyed the big log fire, where he told some American "Bad Men" Numerous.

saw every booth, picture, and enjoyed the big log fire, where he told some wonderful stories of "escaping from the Mexican cannibals." Ment Exhibit Attractive.

He was particularly interested in the Union Meat Company's exhibit, naturally, and this brought my attention afresh to all the curious ways our civilized life depends on the products and by-products of our livestock. The Union Meat Company has an attractive booth, framed in sanitary-looking white, and each of the products is a tribute to modern methods in the Portland plant. Another thing—the exhibit is not overdone; there is no confusion from too many things of a kind as and this brought my attention from too many things of a kind, as happens in so many of the California building special booths. There is an exquisite lamb pelt of snowlest white, soft as a baby's hair; highly polished hoofs are thown, and these are used in

hoofs are shown, and these are used in button-making; shinbones on an at-tractive platter proclaim themselves as material for tooth brushes; then there are ground bone for feedin- poul-try, mutton and tallow for soaps, blood meal for stock and poultry, beef blood meal for stock and poultry, beef scraps prepared for poultry, horns that are utilized in the manufacture of combs, and dozens of other curiously interesting suggestions of livestock by-products for various industries, in addition to the meats, lards and the famous "Columbia" products of the big plant. It's really wonderful how much you can learn from an exhibit like this. Utility livestock used to mean sausage, hams and lard to us. Now it means just about everything we wear or use in order to be civilized.

Mr. Kadderly Enjoys Races.

lighted him.

The Oregon college band boys are having a treat in hearing the world-famous bands, including that of Sousa. They say modestly that it seems wrong for them to play in the midst of such a concourse of world-famous bands, but they are making a hit. Portland Visitors Numerous.

Recent Portland visitors to the fair Recent Portland visitors to the fair have been:
Burt Warford, Miss Janie Thomas, Miss Peggy Vickers, Mildred Lee Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Keenan, Mrs. James F. Faling, N. P. Peterson, Martha E. Habich, Donald Poulsen, John Murphy, I. H. Hegsted, Mr. and Mrs. C. Guness, Mrs. F. L. Bergman, Mrs. Jessie Searing, Miss Bertha Hity, Edith Metaler, H. W. Kerrigan, L. E. Warford, A. M. Kerr, Mrs. C. W. Beecher, Harry R. McRae, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cooley, Mary C. Townsend, Mrs. L. A. Spangler, L. A. Spangler, J. D. Abbett, E. H. James, Jorry A. Barnes, Mrs. C. A. Eosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coffman, William H. H. Dean,

GRADUATES.

President Penrose Opens Commen ment Week With Baccalaureate Sermon to Sentors.

WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla,

preaching of the baccalaureate sermon to the 33 members of the graduating class by President Penrose, the commencement exercises at Whitman Col-lege started today. All of the Walla Walla churches closed for the occasion and the college chapel was crowded. Dr. Penrose took for the text of his sermon "Christo et Patriae" (Christ and Country), the motto inscribed on the seal of Whitman College. He gave as examples of the text the lives of the Whitman missionary martyrs, and then proceeded to talk to the graduating class on the problems presented by the present world crisis. He said the great war which is now in progress made it necessary for all Americans to analyze their patriotism. "The question which we must answer," he said, "is, "What are the relations of the individual to the state.""

the state?" President Penrose pointed out that the success of Germany lies in this issue. "In Germany," he said, "the state is sovereign; the individual is a subject not a citizen; conscience may be disregarded at the dictate of the state, whose ethics ends in nationalism."

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Answering the question before the American citizen President Penrose said that the people of this country should stand for the opposite of the Gorman. The subordination of the state to the individual should be the idea, he held. "This makes progress coming from individuals freely developed rather than from compulsion." he said, "and such a nationalism aims at internationalism." Dr. Penrose concluded with the statement: "To be an American, then, means to be a citizen of the world."

11 CONDEMNED AS SPIES

Germans Uncover Conspiracy With Headquarters in Holland.

AMSTERDAM, via London, June 13 .dispatch received here from Berlin

"Since the beginning of the war ene mies of Germany have employed spies for collecting information. The Ger-

French Associations Lose Heavily on Account of War.

VESSELS COLLIDE; TWO DIE ings, widely-known horseman, which was heading for this city. One of the killed was George H. Hendrick, of Boston, president of the Masser

PARIS, May 20 .- War has considerably reduced the number of French athletes. Their champion association football team, winner of the cup of the Association Sportive Francaise, has had all but one of its men in the firing line. Four players were killed, two severely wounded, and of the remaining four, one has received the begion of Honor and the other the military medal. Bon Remy, captain of the team, has been trepanned twice and exempted from further military service ed from further military service.

The Association Sporting Perpignannaise, the rugby champions of France,
has had six out of 15 men killed.

Among the athletes fallen in battle
are Jean Bouin, holder of the world's hour record for running; Gaston Lane captain of the French international

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