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Prominent Member of Asiatic Exclusion League of Vancouver Says Coast Is on Slumbering Volcano—Has Studied Situation.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 3.—Public opinion here continues to be strong against the Japanese. The people are aroused by the unwarranted attack upon the three firemen New Year's day, and the belief is freely expressed that serious trouble will ultimately result from the attitude of the little brown men. Prominent people here do not hesitate to make their opinions of the attack on the firemen public, and they are almost unanimous in the belief that it is not the desire of the Japanese to prevent trouble.

Chief Looks for Trouble. The Japs are a problem which is mighty hard to solve, says the report of Chief of Police Chamberlain. "They have no haught in making of the laws and have no confidence in the force to carry them out. I would rather any day have five hundred Chinese to deal with than five hundred Japanese. They are constantly armed and very prone to use knives at the slightest provocation."

Japanese Consul Morikawa and Consul General for Canada Nohas who is in the city on his way to Japan from Ottawa, will say nothing except that they regret the occurrence.

Strict measures will be taken by the police for complete and constant surveillance of the Japanese quarters and if they are found with any weapon whatsoever will be made.

Ball has been refused the three Japanese arrested and they are being held in the city jail, awaiting trial. Detectives are at work on the case and every effort will be made to secure incriminating evidence, despite the handicap of difficulty in personal identification.

Reports from the hospital state that Richard Frost and George Anderson, two of the firemen stabbed, are doing well but it is not yet possible to say for several days. The third member of the fire department in the affray, Alexander McDonald, was only slightly cut in the neck and is able to go about.

Motion Filed in United States Court Asks That Funds Be Held Up Pending Decision—Depositors Agree to Terms Offered by Ladd in Title Guarantee Affair.

Negotiations between the American Surety company and W. M. Ladd over the status of the Surety company claim against the state school fund and Trust company are deadlocked pending either the agreement of Mr. Ladd to accede to the demands of the Surety company or the decision of the federal court regarding the classification of the funds kept on deposit by the state.

W. C. Bristol, representing the Surety company, this morning filed a motion in the United States court asking that the receiver of the Title Guarantee and Trust company be restrained from paying any trust funds, of which about \$34,000 are due, until such time as the court should be advised as to whether or not the state funds were trust funds.

Judge Grants Delay. Judge Wolverton granted Mr. Bristol's motion to delay the action until after the next meeting of the court on Monday, Jan. 13, at which time he will hear and determine Mr. Bristol's motion.

Many Words in Demand. In 25 pages of closely typewritten matter Mr. Bristol, in the dual capacity of special solicitor for the state and attorney for the American Surety company, states alleged uncertainties in the reports of the receivers, demands a more complete accounting and calls for a determination of the question as to whether the claim of the state should not be paid first of all.

Confidential Agent of Brown Confesses to Making False Entries in Books of California Safety Deposit & Trust Company.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Jan. 3.—That \$1,000,000 was falsely added to the assets of the California Safety Deposit & Trust company to deceive the state commissioners is one of the statements in the confession made by H. L. Storrs, one of the bookkeepers of the bank and confidential agent of J. Dalzell Brown.

Breaks Down. Storrs at first denied that he had anything to do with the false entries, but when confronted with the proof as revealed under Kytka's microscope his nerve broke and he confessed that he had made the entries. "I made the entries," he said, "I made the entries. I made changes as directed by Mr. Brown and Mr. Robertson."

Will Hire Attorney. At a meeting of the Depositors' association, which is to be held tonight, the matter of hiring attorneys to prosecute the suit will be taken up, and by the first of next week it is probable that a new board of directors will be elected.

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Six People Wounded in Riot Among the Strike Sympathizers When Unknown Fires Shotgun Into Crowd—Jails Overflowing.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Muncie, Ind., Jan. 3.—A more serious phase presented itself in the car strike and the excitement was increased this afternoon when some one emptied the contents of a shotgun into the crowd. Six persons were wounded, but none seriously. All cars were removed from the streets.

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Dr. Pohl in Annual Report Shows Farical Side of "Sanitary" Stamp—Portland Remarkably Free of Disease and Plague.

In his annual report of the work done by the city health department, Dr. Luther C. Pohl, city health officer, states that the so-called sanitary milk bottles are a farce and that the word "sanitary" marked upon the bottle means nothing at all. "The bottle may have been properly washed before being refilled or it may have been taken from the bedside of a person suffering from an infectious disease."

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JEROME STOCKS TO OLD COURSE

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Jan. 3.—District Attorney Jerome announced today that the plans he followed in the first Thaw trial will be adopted in the second hearing. He will again be assisted by Garvin, assistant district attorney.

FAMOUS SURGEON, DR. SENN, DEAD

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Chicago, Jan. 3.—Dr. Nicholas Senn, one of the most widely known surgeons in the United States, died here yesterday. During the Spanish-American war Dr. Senn was chief of the operating staff of the army in the field.

ROSEBURG PACKERS TO ENLARGE PLANT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Roseburg, Jan. 3.—The plant here for packing prunes is being enlarged by every dealer in the country. Owing to the fact that the packing plant in this section the H. S. Gile Fruit Packing company of Salem, which has been operating a large plant here for several years will erect a new and much larger plant this year.

IDAHO GIRL SAYS SHE FORGED CHECKS

Boise, Ida., Jan. 3.—Florence Daly, daughter of Ex-Sheriff and Ex-Auditor J. B. Daly of this (Idaho) county, has just been arrested, charged with forging. She was placed at \$500, which she was unable to furnish, and she was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

POLICE TRY TO BRING UP VISITS 1907

There were just 287 more babies born in Portland in 1907 than in 1906 and according to a table compiled by the city health office there were 133 births for every 1,000 residents in the city based upon a population of 225,000.

SAN FRANCISCO GRAFT CASES ARE CONTINUED

San Francisco, Jan. 3.—Eddie Graney, Jimmy Coffroth and Willis Britt of the prize fight ring appeared in Judge Dunne's court room this morning and had their cases continued until January 10.

POSSE SEEKS DEMENTED MAN

Barlow, Or., Jan. 3.—A man was seen Wednesday afternoon in the woods about 1 1/2 miles from Barlow, who was thought to be a demented man. A posse was organized to search for him and a posse is searching for him today.

DEDICATE THE NEW ODDFELLOWS HOME

Dedication exercises of the Odd Fellows Home at Woodstock will take place at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The exercises will be conducted by the Oregon Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows. All the leading Odd Fellows in the state are expected to be present at this ceremony, which is to crown the efforts of the order in furnishing a comfortable home for its aged and superannuated members.

CHINESE HOBO RARITY IN POLICE CIRCLES

The spectacle of a Chinese vagrant is so rare an occurrence that when Ying Chee was taken into the municipal court this morning on a charge of vagrancy there was a craning of necks on the part of the old-timers who warm the courtroom chairs from day to day.

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LOCOMOTIVE WRECK ON WENDLING BRANCH

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Jan. 3.—A locomotive was wrecked on the Wendling branch of the Southern Pacific at Yarell station about 10 miles from Eugene and the Wendling last evening about 8 o'clock.

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ST. JOHNS LEVY HEAVIEST OF ALL

St. Johns taxpayers will be the heaviest contributors on the tax roll of Multnomah county this year. The citizens of Portland are second and Gresham is third. The total assessment in St. Johns will be 16.1 mills, Portland 14.2 mills, Gresham 13.4 mills.

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