

JAPAN SENDS BUSINESS MEN

Delegation on Junketing Trip to America and Britain in Seattle

ARMAMENT IS OPPOSED

Mutual Commercial Problems to be Discussed With Leading Men

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 29. — The Japanese businessmen's mission to America which arrived here today issued the following statement: "With greetings to the citizens of the United States. "The Japanese business men's mission to America and the United Kingdom at once declares itself to be, not a party of professional men or politicians, but a group of businessmen representing various economic and industrial interests who have proposed to themselves a four through America and the United Kingdom, for the purpose, as outlined in a statement, of meeting your representative businessmen in order to exchange views of financial, economic and industrial problems.

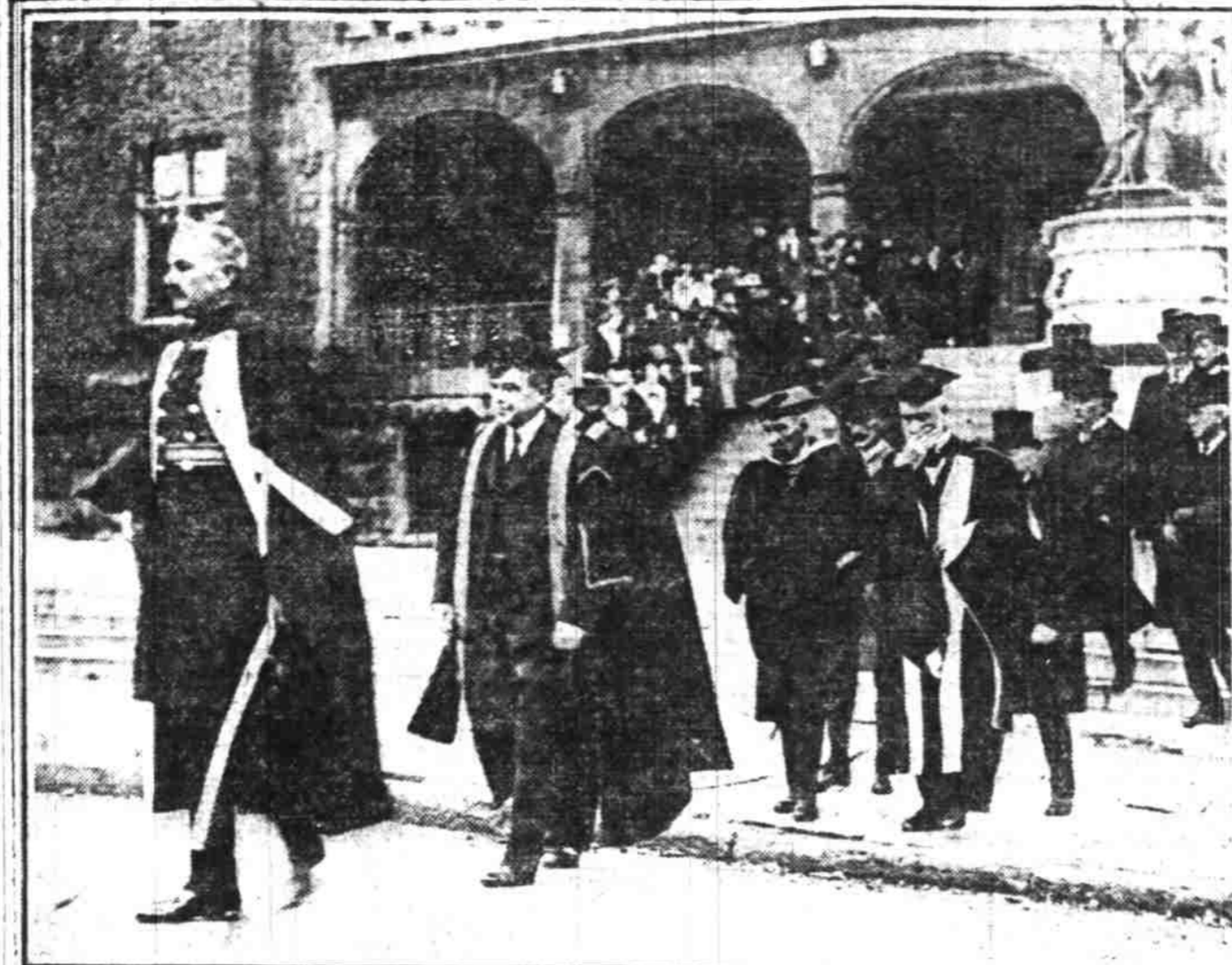
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Dr. Dan I-layed "We regret that Dr. T. Dan, the leader of the mission, was prevented from leaving for Seattle with the rest of the party by his slight indisposition. He will, however, soon join us, having left Yokohama on the 22nd inst. by the Empress of Russia bound for Vancouver.

"The mission hails the Washington conference with fervent enthusiasm because it recognizes in the avowed object of the conference the assurance of conditions most congenial to the attainment of the legitimate and most cherished ends of our commercial interests.

Armaments Held Nuisance "The raising of heavy national burdens for armaments and the removal of all causes of international misunderstanding in the Far East are conditions that render possible and is most conducive to Japan's economic and industrial development. This statement was expressed by our associated chambers of commerce prior to the issue of the invitation to the conference. The present mission, in its desire to see this sentiment

GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CANADA AWARDED LL. D. DEGREE



Lord Byng, Governor-General of Canada, and Chancellor E. W. Beatty of the McGill University leaving the main building after degrees had been conferred upon them. Lord Byng is seen in front, while Mr. Beatty is the second figure.

rendered an accomplished fact, declares itself the staunchest supporter of the Washington conference and adds its own to be fast swelling voice of the Japanese nation acclaiming the convocation of the conference and wishing for its complete success. Unless the United States and

Japan stop fortifying the south Pacific, a conflict between the two countries is inevitable, and for the sake of peace and harmony both countries should refuse to spend another cent for this purpose, declared Kotara Melizuki, leader of the Kenzukai party in Japan, on his arrival here today on the Shinyo Maru which brought several Japanese groups bound for the Washington conference.

"You should destroy your fortifications in Hawaii, the Philippines and Guam, while we in turn should raise ours on Formosa and other island approaches to Japan," he said. "If that is impossible, let us at least stop where we are. God did not make the Pacific to be disturbed by conflict, but to be a 'holy water.'"

Mochizuki said he had been advocating disarmament since 1917. He is a member of the Japanese parliament and founder of the liberal news agency.

Immigration Studied Viscount E. Shibusawa heading the Japanese-American relations committee of Tokyo, said the people of Japan felt the cause of humanity as well as the crushing burden of taxation demanded reduction of armaments. His party, returning the visit of the Frank Vanderlip party to Japan last year, will study immigration problems in California on their return from the Atlantic seaboard, he said.

The call for the Washington conference has made limitation of armaments probable and even practicable, according to E. Kimura of the Japanese foreign office who said this object was the main one of the conference, Pacific and Far Eastern problems being of only secondary importance. Cooperation such as has been effected in the master-key to all the problems of the Far East, he stated.

China Mistrusted "China would welcome an armament race between Japan and the United States because it would be decided on the basis of strength versus weakness and would result in America crushing even the legitimate interests of Japan in co-operation in the economic development of China and Siberia," Mochi Zuki declared in discussing the open door question in China.

More Notables Arrive Prince Takuwaga and Admiral Kato, two of Japan's envoys to the Washington armament conference, arrived with their party at Victoria, B. C., this morning. Proceeded aboard the steamship Kasuma Maru to Seattle, where they disembarked this afternoon. The delegation left immediately for Washington.

The Japanese commercial group coming on the same ship, parted company with the diplomats here. The commercial mission will remain in this city and vicinity for several days.

Battleship Issue Will Be Offered Legislature

"I am extremely pleased to see such a widespread sentiment among organizations and the people at large urging that the battleship Oregon be brought to this state and maintained here," said Governor Olcott yesterday.

"Over two years ago I took this matter up with the navy department and was advised it would require approximately \$25,000 a year to finance the care of the battleship as long as it remained in Oregon waters. Secretary of the Navy Daniels later corroborated this in person when in Oregon. At that time I made every effort to advance some means for financing and bringing of the battleship here, and even had the promise from private parties of the amount necessary, but eventually this failed to materialize.

"Now we are advised that the navy department has revised its figures so the estimated cost of maintaining the ship here is \$15,600 a year, in addition to wharfage costs. As far as the finances are concerned the matter stands as it did when I first took hold of this effort. "At the first opportunity, however, at a regular session of the legislature, I contemplate calling the attention of the legislators to what I believe to be the overwhelming sentiment of the state in bringing the Oregon here and making proper provision for financing its maintenance."

Teacher Training School Will Open Monday Night

The Salem community training school for teachers and parents will open its third annual session at the city library on Monday night, October 31, at 7:20 o'clock.

A splendid course of study has been outlined, under a thoroughly competent and an excellently equipped teaching force. The course will include the following classes:

"Life of Christ," Prof. J. T. Matthews; teacher; "Religious Education in the Home," Dr. Kantner; teacher; "Administration of the Church School," Dr. W. T. Milliken; teacher; "Program of a Christian Church," Dr. Kantner; teacher; "Christian Training for Citizenship," C. A. Kells; teacher; "Story Telling," Miss Chapler; teacher.

Additional Contracts Are Let by Commission

The state highway commission announces the award of the contract for grading the Summit Springs section of the Crane-Well Hill market road in Harney county, to Jersey Brothers of Narrows, Ore., at \$18,441. This contract is a county project and was advertised for the county.

The state highway commission also announces the award of the contract for grading two miles of the Ochoco highway at the east end of the Ochoco forest project and extending toward Mitchell, to Curtis Gardner of Portland, at \$17,723.

Both of these bids were received at the meeting of the state highway commission held in Portland on October 26, but the awards were deferred pending acceptance by the counties, since these were county cooperative projects.

Does Your Food Taste Good?

Is Your Appetite All Right?

When your food does taste good you may be sure that your health is good; that your blood is rich, free from scrofula, eczema, rheumatism and other diseases, and that your system is built up against that tired feeling and the prostration after influenza and fevers. Hood's Sarsaparilla enriches the blood, creates an appetite, aids digestion, promotes assimilation, secures you the full nutritive value of your food. Get it of your druggist and begin taking it today. If a mild laxative is needed, take Hood's Pills. They give entire satisfaction.—Adv.

The Stovebuilders' Masterpiece



Lang's Langwood Range

Bakes and holds fire twice as long as any other range with less wood, or your money back. If your dealer will not supply you, send for catalogue and price list. We sell ranges that save you money.

PEOPLE'S FURNITURE STORE 271 N. Com. St. Salem, Ore.

W. COHEN WILL OPEN NEW SALEM BUSINESS

The Square Deal Hardware & Furniture company will open for business at 229 North Commercial street, tomorrow. W. Cohen, the proprietor, is well known throughout the Salem district. For several years he successfully conducted the Capital Hardware house which he recently sold to his former partner. In his new store Mr. Cohen has

put in a very attractive stock, all absolutely new goods—hardware, stoves, cooking utensils, dishes, plumbing supplies, builders' hardware, tools, etc.

Mr. Cohen says he intends to increase the volume of his stock as rapidly as possible, and that he is sure his low prices will bring a large patronage.

In speaking of the matter, he said: "I have always given the public a square deal and my policy will be the same in my new store."

That's why I have named it "The Square Deal."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—MINK FUR NECKPIECE, near library, State street. Call 654-J. FOR SALE—JERSEY COW TO freshen soon, matched span mules and harness. Phone 1297-R.

Dress Goods



An assortment of Silk and Woolen Dress goods that is sure to please. Satins, taffetas, serges, tricelines, etc. Quality and price are the predominating features in the entire store. Every yard guaranteed.

- 56 inch all wool tricotine per yard.....\$2.98
- 56 inch all wool French serge, per yard.....\$2.45
- 40 inch all wool French serge, per yard.....\$1.75
- 50 inch all wool storm serge, sponged and shrunk, per yard...\$1.75
- 36 inch half wool serge, per yard... .75
- 36 inch half wool tricotine, yard... .98
- 37 inch velvet corduroy, per yard 1.25
- 50 inch broadcloth, sponged and shrunk, per yard..... 3.98

- 36 inch chiffon taffetas, per yard 1.98
- 36 inch silk messalines, per yard... 1.98
- 36 inch silk poplins, per yard..... 1.00
- 36 inch satin duchesse, per yard... 2.49
- 36 inch lingerie satin, per yard... 1.19
- 40 inch lingerie satin, per yard... 1.98

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SPECIALS FOR MONDAY

IN OUR FURNITURE DEPARTMENT



Congoleum and Prolino Your choice of any Congoleum and Prolino in our store. Special for Monday selling at

49c Yard

Dining Tables

45-inch Dining Tables with extra heavy top, quartered oak, golden oak in wax finish. Special for Monday selling at each

\$27.45

Rugs

Your choice of any rug in our entire stock, many pretty patterns to choose from. Special for Monday selling at exactly

1/2 Price

All Furniture at Big Reductions

Worth & Gray

Department Store

177 North Liberty Street Salem, Oregon

Store Hours 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Saturdays included
Portland Cloak and Suit Co.
SALEM, OR.
(Old White Corner)
SALEM'S GREATEST WOMEN'S APPAREL STORE

Women's Plush Coats

In a Feature Showing



Our present showing of Plush Coats is undoubtedly the most remarkable we have ever shown in Salem. High class garments, of best grade plush, short, medium and full length styles, some with collars and cuffs of fur, many in belted models, others with full loose backs, sizes 16 to 48, ranging in price from \$16.50 \$75.00

Young Ladies' and Women's Coats.....\$33.00

Very newest winter models with wide belts, fur collars, patch pockets, etc. The materials used in the making are wool velours, silver-tones and chevrons. All the new shades—taupe, plum, brown, green, Pekin blue, purple, navy. Good range of sizes. Extraordinary values.

\$35 to \$45 Coats.....\$24.75

At this price we've an excellent range of coats, all designed not only for service but also for looks. Smart coats with wide belts, large collars and pockets; some trimmed with fur or plush. Coats with pleats at back or with gathers. Dozens of new styles. Meltons, kerseys, chevrons, burellas and velvets. Extra good value.

Suit Sale---Extraordinary

- Fall and Winter Suits
EXTRA SPECIAL \$24.75
Handsome suits embracing many desirable features favored by the devotees of fashion—these splendid garments, so skillfully designed and carefully tailored, will win instant approval from women desirous of adhering closely to the prevailing modes.
- Latest Suit Models
EXTRA SPECIAL \$31.75
Handsome suits embracing many desirable style features favored by the devotees of fashion—these splendid garments, so skillfully designed and carefully tailored, will win instant approval from women desirous of adhering to the prevailing modes. Though faultless in style, fit and quality, they have been especially underpriced for this event.
- Women's Stylish Suits
EXTRA SPECIAL \$37.50
Regarding this sale, we are safe in saying that no such values have been offered in Salem this season and the women who take advantage of this offer will save money. Not another store in Salem can offer suits of the cleverest style and equal quality at this price.



- Trimmed Hats \$2.98
One hundred new and pretty Jersey and Beaver hats for misses and women; small medium and large size shapes and prevailing colors. Principally black, browns and navy. Special....\$2.98
- Jumper Dresses \$4.95
A special purchase of Jersey jackets and jumper dresses enables us to offer the women of Salem and vicinity some remarkable values; prevailing colors and all sizes. Regular values up to \$7. Your choice \$4.95
- New Skirts \$5.75
Many women find it desirable to have at least one, and some have several separate Skirts. We specialize in women's high grade wool skirts. Tailored and novelty styles; plain colors; also plaids, stripes and checks in abundance.
- New Blouses \$2.98
Immense variety of new and pretty Almonette blouses; all colors and sizes; some beaded, others trimmed with Cherille and wool braids, the kind worn with the new guimpe dresses.