

JAPAN PREPARES FOR WAR WITH CHINESE EMPIRE

Pekin, March 9.—The Tatsu Maru incident has not been fully settled. China has given satisfaction regarding the hauling down of the Japanese flag, but the disposition of the steamer and the matter of indemnity are still subjects of negotiation between China and Japan.

Tokio, March 9, 10:30 a. m.—There were no new developments throughout Sunday or today in connection with the Tatsu Maru affair. In the meanwhile Japan is undoubtedly preparing for eventualities. The entire decision in the matter rests with Premier Saionji and Foreign Minister Kiyomasa. There has been no official statement of any kind that is an indication of any policy. The Associated Press informed at the Japanese foreign office that it is presumed that Yuan Shi Kai will require three or perhaps four days' consultation with the viceroy of Canton in the consideration of the entire matter, consequently no decision may be reached before March 19 or 21.

Activity in Naval Circles.—What action Japan will take in the "independent action" is a matter of speculation in diplomatic circles in Tokio.

It is believed that it is entirely improbable that Japan will make any effort to restore the Tatsu or send warships to Canton waters. While war is considered most improbable, the naval base at Sasebo is extremely active.

Coal Rushed Aboard Ships

It is announced that a part of the first squadron will leave port March 14. The armored cruiser Chiyoda suddenly left port last night. Coal is proceeding rapidly, a number of torpedo boat destroyers having already sailed. Enormous supplies in storage at Sasebo are being hurried aboard the vessels.

At the office of the admiralty it is pointed out that the first squadron expected to start on training maneuvers this week, a fact announced two months ago, therefore the activity at Sasebo should not necessarily be considered with the Tatsu incident.

RECEPTION COMMITTEES HAVE BEEN NAMED

In pursuance with a resolution passed by the Commercial Club last evening to have the members' wives tender Madame Blauvelt a reception next Thursday afternoon, President Williams appointed Mrs. L. L. Whitson and Mrs. C. B. Willoughby on the committee to act with President Campbell. The latter, having to leave the city, has appointed Mrs. Charles Hardy to act in his place. All three of the ladies have accepted.

STATE PRISON IS HUGE OPIUM DEN

Lincoln, Neb., March 9.—Nebraska's penitentiary is not a reformatory, but a huge opium den, according to R. E. Griffin, prison surgeon, in his report to Governor Sheldon. Of the 431 prisoners confined between 100 and 150 are addicted to the morphine habit and are regularly supplied by prison doctors and attendants, whose identity is unknown.

COMPERS CALLS LABOR MEN FOR A CONFERENCE

Washington, March 7.—The far-reaching character of the recent decision of the supreme court of the United States, affecting labor organizations, has led President Compers, of the American Federation of Labor, to call a meeting of the executive council of the Federation in this city in the early part of the week beginning March 16. The call expresses the hope that the executive officers of the International Trade Union of America will meet with the executive council on March 18, "there to consult with and take such action as the importance and merits of the subject herein dealt with may be considered and determined as setting forth the position and demands of labor."

MURPHY AND HENEY CLASH IN COURT

San Francisco, March 9.—The hostility and bitter feelings between the prosecution and defense in the case of Abraham Ruef, who has kept up a running fire of affidavits during the past month, to which no reply has so far been made by the prosecution, broke out in court this morning when the He was passed between Frank J. Murphy, associate counsel for Ruef, and Francis J. Henevy. Murphy objected to the postponement of the United Railroads trolley cases as asked for by Henevy until March 16. Henevy replied: "All right, then, we will go on with the trial immediately." "We are ready, call the jury," said Murphy. The court immediately set the case

HOBOS ENTER BOX CAR AND STEAL GOODS

(From Monday's Daily Guard.) Some time last night hobos broke into a car loaded with general merchandise, consigned to several Eugene merchants, and stole a number of articles of wearing apparel, some tobacco and other things. The seal on the door of the car was broken and the thieves used a candle inside the car, the candle having been left there when they got through their work. They broke into several boxes consigned to Nicklin & Neal and containing mostly ladies' wear, but some of them contained men's socks and the hobos no doubt stocked up well with these. A box of tobacco for Julius Goldsmith was broken into and a box of ladies' skirts for Hampton Bros. was rifled, but none of the skirts were taken. Chief of Police Farrington has made an investigation of the robbery and sent a description of the goods stolen to the officers up and down the line. There is no clue to the identity of the miscreants.

TWENTY THOUSAND FEWER IDLE CARS

New York, March 9.—That railroad traffic is increasing is shown by the fact that 29,000 idle cars were reported on February 19 that in January, though the number of idle cars still concern the railroad managers, the surplus being 319,264.

BEGIN PROBING OF CHARGE MADE BY LILLEY

Washington, March 9.—The special committee of the house appointed by Speaker Cannon, at the request of Representative Lilley, to "investigate the conduct of the Electric Boat Company of New Jersey, and its predecessor, the Holland Boat Company, respecting the methods employed by said companies in connection with past or present legislation before Congress," began its investigation today. Lilley will be the first witness in order to get his facts before the committee.

Chairman Boutelle asked Lilley if he was ready to go ahead with his facts, but the latter was not prepared to proceed, as he had not secured an attorney. He, however, submitted a number of documents to the committee stating that he had been shadowed by detectives and that in order to have the shadowing stopped he would ask to have summoned three operators connected with a local detective agency. He stated he did not wish to be the first witness, and asked to be allowed to name the manner in which the witnesses would be called.

Boutelle stated that Lilley must first tell what he knows, and to permit him to procure an attorney adjournment was taken until Thursday morning.

EMPEROR WILLIAMS' LETTER WAS PRIVATE

London, March 9.—Hope that the letter sent by Emperor William to Lord Tweedmouth, first lord of the admiralty, would be published was dispelled by Mr. Asquith in the house of commons this afternoon, when he told A. J. Balfour and other questioners that he had nothing to add to the statement of Friday, and that, so far as he knew, "Tweedmouth had nothing to add to his declaration beyond the fact that he had showed the letter to Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, who agreed with the recipient that the letter had no official character."

"It is clearly out of the question," said Asquith, to lay private and public correspondence on the table. Later in the house of lords Asquith described the letter from Emperor William as "quite informal and very friendly."

CONGO TREATY MAY YET BE DEFEATED

Brussels, March 9.—Minister of State has decided to oppose the treaty of association of Congo independent state to Belgium on account of the clauses granting recognition to private concessions and providing a grant of ten millions of dollars to King Leopold. The defection of Beernart may mean the defeat of the treaty.

NO USE TO DIE

"I have found out that there is no use to die of lung trouble as long as you can get Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. J. P. White, of Mahanora, Pa. "I would not be alive today only for that wonderful medicine. It loosens up a cough quicker than anything else, and cures lung disease even after the case is pronounced hopeless." This most reliable remedy for coughs and colds, is grippe, asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness is sold under guarantee at W. A. Kuykendall's drug store, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

WENT TO DEATH WITH CHEERFUL SMILE

Ossining, N. Y., March 9.—Antonio Strollo, an Italian, who killed Antonio Lorusella in Van Cortlandt, N. Y., last August, went to his death in the electric chair with a cheerful good-bye and a smile on his face.

Best Healer in the World.

Rev. F. Starbird, of East Raymond, Maine, says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for several years, on my old army wound, and other obstinate sores, and find it the best healer in the world. I use it too with great success in my veterinary business." Price 25 cents at W. A. Kuykendall's drug store.

J. A. Martin, brother of J. M. Martin, the drayman, has just returned from a three-months' visit in Missouri. He reports a solid winter in the "show me" state this year, but it got pretty cold, anyhow, and he is glad to get back to Oregon. He will go to Portland in a few days to resume his work there.

HARRY ORCHARD MUST STAND TRIAL

Biose, March 9.—Harry Orchard, charged with the murder of ex-Governor Steiensen here, will be taken from the state penitentiary to Caldwell tomorrow and his case will be called for trial.

PROMINENT CHINAMAN VICTIM OF HIGHBINDER

Portland, March 7.—Lee Dai Hoy, a member of the Quong Sang Wa Co., was shot and fatally wounded tonight by a hater man who had been imported from San Francisco for the purpose of killing Lee. The trouble is said to have been due to internal dissensions in the Bow Wong tong. The trouble is of a financial nature, according to the statements of other Chinamen. They say there were two factions of the Bow Wong tong, one of these being headed by Lee. The other faction is said to charge that Lee refused to account for some money of the company, which this faction asserts he had in his possession. They also say Lee's friends are on the warpath tonight, and according to the custom of the race, will exact reprisals on the opposing faction, probably before morning.

NOBODY SPARED.

Kidney Trouble Attack Eugene Men And Women, Old and Young Alike. Kidney ills seize young and old alike—Quickly come and little warning give. Children suffer in their early years. Can't control the kidney secretions. Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain. Women worry, can't do daily work. Robust men have lame and aching backs. Old folks, weak, rheumatic, lame. Endure distressing urinary ills. The cure for man, for woman, or for child. Is to cure the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys—Cure all the varied forms of kidney suffering. Eugene testimony guarantees every box. Mrs. A. J. McKinney of 69 Lawrence Street, Eugene, Oregon, says: "For several years I had attacks of kidney trouble at odd times and recently it became more acute. There was backache and more or less irregularity of the kidneys. Being induced to try Doan's Kidney Pills I found relief almost from the first dose. The backache soon left me and I felt better and stronger. As I continued their use every symptom of my trouble disappeared. Other members of our family have also had good results from using Doan's Kidney Pills." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no others.

BOHEMIA SHARP MAKES HIS ANNUAL PROPOSAL

J. H. "Bohemia" Sharp has returned home to Cottage Grove from a visit to Salem where he was looking after business matters. While at the state capitol some of his friends penned the following and sent it to the Portland Journal as a "special," and Mr. Sharp looks upon it as the best joke of the season. The Journal Dispatch. Salem, Feb. 27.—Bohemia Sharp, as the old miner is known in Lane county, has been paying his annual visit to the state capitol. He makes a formal call on the governor each year when he comes around and has tales of new discoveries, and regularly tenders his hand in marriage to the stenographer in the executive office, whoever she may be. He is regularly refused. Sharp is now in the 70s, but still follows prospecting. Bohemia left today for his home in the mountains, 25 miles from Cottage Grove.

WOOLWINE AND DOW GIVEN JAIL SENTENCES

(From Monday's Daily Guard.) Clyde Woolwine, who had previously pleaded guilty to the charge of fornication, was sentenced by Judge Harris, of the circuit court, to serve six months in the county jail and to pay the costs of the prosecution. Allen Dow, indicted by the grand jury one day last week for selling liquor at Coburg, this morning entered a plea of guilty and waived time for sentence. He was given thirty days in the county jail and the costs of the prosecution were assessed against him.

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We offer 50 couches, various patterns, best blocked velours in all colors for Special only \$9.00 each. These couches are fully 28 1/2 inches wide, 6 ft. 7 in. long and thoroughly reinforced. They have the celebrated angle tie made of the best oil-tempered springs, and are fully guaranteed in every respect. If you want a couch try one of these for 30 days; if not as represented bring it back and get your money back. - Compare our price, consider length, width, quality, strength and weight, and you will see a difference. We have couches as low as \$5.00 each during this three day special.

RUG SPECIALS

We buy our rugs in 250 lots. This way we get the price right. Other dealers buy in small quantities—half dozen at a time, that's why our price is different. Our goods are new—we never allow old stocks to accumulate; old furniture not in use becomes brittle, breaks easy, and old stock rugs are liable to be full of moth eggs—see the point? We offer this season's axminster rugs during this special sale at a very low price. These goods are just in, direct from the factory.

Table with 2 columns: Size and Price. Includes items like Cocoa Mat Specials, Tea Kettle, Carpets, and Rugs.

During this sale we are making special attractive prices on ingrain, Brussels, Axminsters, and new 1908 mattings.

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TEN OF CREW DIE OF EXPOSURE

San Francisco, March 7.—The schooner Czarina, which arrived today from Pirate Cove, Alaska, brought the news that the schooner John F. Miller was driven ashore during the gale on January 8, at Ilatock Peninsula, Unalaska island, and broke in two. So far as is known ten of the crew, including the cook, died of exposure, and it is believed that at least twenty-five of the survivors are still on the peninsula.

SPLENDID DISPLAY OF COPPER AND GOLD ORE

F. J. Hard Saturday afternoon took a Guard reporter to his office in the Chrisman block and showed him his display of ore samples taken from his mining properties in the Bohemia district. The samples are from the Oregon-Colorado, the Vesuvius and the Riverside claims, all owned by Mr. Hard. The samples are very rich in gold and copper and indicate the wealth that exists in the Bohemia district. Mr. Hard has done a great deal of development work on these claims during the six years he has been operating them, having a 1900-foot tunnel in each at a depth of 1000 feet. Splendid bodies of ore have been opened up at this depth. Besides the main tunnels there are a number of feeders. In the spring Mr. Hard expects to start his ten-stamp mill at the Vesuvius mine and begin the shipment of copper ore to the smelter at Tacoma. Some of the samples of copper ore shown the reporter were 34 per cent pure copper and there is a great deal of this in the Oregon-Colorado, from which the samples were taken.

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CATARRH IS CURABLE

Successful Experiments in Abating and Curing This Disease. Catarrh is an entirely unnecessary disease and should not be tolerated for a single day now that Hyomeo is so generally known and has made so many cures in Eugene and other towns. Modern science has disproved the old theory that catarrh was a blood disease. It is a germ trouble and the remedy is Hyomeo, which medicates the air you breathe, killing all catarrhal germs. As there is life and health in the air of the pine forests, filled with fragrant and healing balsams, so there is life and health in breathing Hyomeo. So sure is this prescription to cure that even the worst cases of catarrh, that Hovel's drug store sells it under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it does not do all that is claimed for it.

Good for Everybody.

Mr. Norman Coulter, a prominent architect in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse Hyomeo as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner, and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter; is a blood purifier it is unequalled. 50 cents at W. A. Kuykendall's drug store.

Sheriff Fisk went to Springfield

this morning and closed C. H. Pickett's grocery and hardware store. The place was attached to by R. L. Sabbin, who holds claims against Mr. Pickett for several hundred dollars. The claims being assigned to him by Pickett expects to be able to raise the money with which to settle with his creditors soon, and hopes to be able to resume business within a short time.

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