



REBELS NEAR PEKIN

Control Wuchang Province and Declare New Republic.

Revolutionist Forces en Route to Meet Imperial Troops—Foreign Consuls Notified.

London—A dispatch from Shanghai to the Central News says that a republic has been declared at Wuchang and that the rebel leader at Hankow has notified foreign consuls that a new government has been established.

The rebellion is spreading rapidly. Formidable outbreaks have been reported at Tientsin and Paoingfu, and similar outbreaks are expected at any moment at Canton and Nanking.

The authorities at Peking are in a panic. A strong force of rebels has left Hankow to meet the imperial troops from the north.

The rebels have commandeered trains and forced terrified engineers to take them where they demanded to go.

Revolution Nears Capital. Peking—With a revolution nearing the gates of Peking, the government has partly abandoned its efforts to minimize the situation, and it now admits not only that the republican uprising has gone beyond the confines of the more central provinces, but that the entire imperial army is honeycombed with disaffection.

Both these practices had the effect of continuing a monopoly on an article of commerce until the patent had expired, by tying up its sale with a patented article which the trade required.

Washington, D. C.—Legislation authorizing the president to appoint four senators and representatives to nominate candidates for admission to the West Point military academy, and a \$3,000,000 appropriation for completing buildings there, is recommended, and admission of foreign students to West Point strongly disapproved.

Washington, D. C.—Secretary of the Interior Fisher has selected Alfred H. Brooks, for ten years geologist in charge of all work in Alaska, to succeed A. Willard Hayes as geologist in chief of the geological survey.

Rome—Four aeroplanes have arrived here from France. They will be sent to Tripoli, where it is proposed to make experiments in the use of flying machines in actual warfare.



Above (Left to Right), Minister of War Yin-Chung, Prince Tsai-Fu, of the Imperial Guard; Prince Tsai-Hsun, Minister of the Navy; Prince Tsai-Jen, President of the War College; Prince Tsai Tao, Commander Imperial Guard; Duke Lin, of the Imperial Guard; Prince Pa and Admiral Tsai, Vice-Minister of the Navy—Below, Larger Pictures of General Pa and Prince Tsai Hsun and Portrait of Prince Tsai Chuan.

ELECTRIC TRUST BEATEN.

Big Monopoly Can No Longer Dictate Retail Prices.

Washington, D. C.—By the sweeping decree entered in the United States Circuit court at Toledo, the backbone of the so-called electrical trust was broken and in the judgment of Attorney General Wickersham the government was equipped with precedents of genuine value in its prosecutions of commercial combinations forbidden by the Sherman law.

The important principle was laid down, according to the attorney general, that once a lamp is sold by a manufacturer, the price at which it is resold by a dealer or jobber must be open to free competition.

The National Lamp company and all its subsidiary companies are ordered to be dissolved, and the General Electric company is forbidden hereafter to conduct any business in the manufacture or sale of electric lamps except in its own name.

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WAR ON "SOFT DRINKS."

Dr. Wiley Begins Inquiry Into Ingredients Used.

Washington, D. C.—An order for the immediate consideration of the perplexing questions, "What is beer?" "What is vinegar?" and "What is a soft drink?" was passed by the board of food and drug inspection at a meeting in the office of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry and chairman of the board.

The government police power will give Dr. Wiley the opportunity to enforce his rulings in Washington by confiscating impure drinks at local soda fountains.

CORN CROP WILL BE SHORT.

Flax Only Leading Staple to Show Increase Over 1910.

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DOINGS OF THE WEEK

Current Events of Interest Gathered From the World at Large.

General Resume of Important Events Presented in Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

Taft urges California women to use the ballot, now that they have won it. Henry Hona, a laborer, completed a walk from Jersey City, N. J., to San Francisco, in 71 days.

The Wright Brothers are working on a new type of aeroplane, safety being the first consideration.

The Panama canal commission predicts the early opening of the canal and urges congress to fix tolls.

A woman agent has been sent by the government to study the price of foodstuffs in Portland markets.

Sixty-five thousand Chinese rebels are marching to meet the imperial troops, being sent against them.

Suffragists trailed a candidate for governor of Massachusetts through five towns and broke up his meetings.

Promoters of the Pacific highway from Oregon and California met and exchanged greetings in the Siskiyou mountains.

Mexican Federal troops surrounded a force of Zapatist rebels and killed over 200 of them, wounding and capturing several hundred more.

The captain and third officer of the steamer Santa Rosa, wrecked off the California coast in July last, have been suspended for 12 months.

An alleged plot to dynamite a railroad bridge in Southern California just before the presidential train was due, was frustrated by a watchman.

The Chinese rebellion is growing and seems to be well directed and well financed.

Arbuckle will make war on the sugar ad, declaring it only helps the beet sugar interests.

A tremendous submarine landslide is believed to have caused the recent break in the Alaska cable.

Italy is rapidly landing troops at Tripoli and will proceed against the Turkish forces in the surrounding country.

The Great Northern railroad expended for new construction and equipment the last year, \$6,404,037.83, the largest sum ever expended in one year for that purpose.

A tidal wave leaped the sea wall at Guayamas, Mexico, causing several deaths and immense damage.

Taft's car looked like a florist's shop when he left Oregon and his voice was husky with speechmaking.

Late returns from the California election changed indications and make it practically certain that woman suffrage has carried.

Vice President Sherman severely rapped Pinchot's conservation ideas in speech at the opening of a new municipal power plant at Sturgis, Mich.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—Export basis: Bluestem, 83c; club, 80c; red Russian, 80c; valley, 80c; forty-fold, 80c.

Butter—Oregon creamery, solid pack, 3c; prints, extra, 3c.

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The Courtship of Miles Standish

With Illustrations by Howard Chandler Christy

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Sailing of the Mayflower

Just in the gray of the dawn, as the mists uprose from the meadows, there was a stir and a sound in the slumbering village of Plymouth: Clanging and clinking of arms, and the order imperative, "Forward!"



Take His Musket, and So Stride Out.

Take his musket, and so stride out, friend of the white men, Northward marching to quell the sudden revolt of the savage.

Many a mile had they marched, when at length the village of Plymouth

Wolfe from his sleep, and arose, intent on its manifold labors. Sweet was the air and soft; and slowly the smoke from the chimneys rose over roofs of thatch, and pointed steadily eastward.

Butter—Oregon creamery, solid pack, 3c; prints, extra, 3c.



Standing Dejected, Unconscious of All.

Standing dejected, unconscious of all, heard and repeated the sound, the signal of departure!

Meekly, in voices subdued, the chapter was read from the Bible, Meekly the prayer was begun, but ended in fervent entreaty!

Foremost among them was Alden. All night he had lain without slumber, Turning and tossing about in the heat and unrest of his fever.

Often he had come to the bed, and stood there a moment in silence; Then he had turned away, and said: "I will not wake him; Let him sleep on, it is best; for what is the use of more talking!"

Often his lips had essayed to speak, imploring for pardon; All the old friendship came back, with its tender and grateful emotions;

Soon were heard on board the shouts and songs of the sailors Heaving the windlass round, and hoisting the ponderous anchor.



The Common Cares of the Household.

Saw him go forth to danger, perhaps to death, and he spake not! Then he arose from his bed, and heard what the people were saying.

There with his boat was the Master, already a little impatient. Let he should lose the tide, or the wind might shift to the eastward.

But as he gazed on the crowd, he beheld the form of Priscilla. Standing dejected among them, unconscious of all that was passing.

The Hidden Purpose

A young lieutenant from a New York regiment surveyed the Texas scenery gloomily and reflected upon his great distance from the lights of Broadway.

Strange is the life of man, and fatal or fated are moments, Whereupon turn, as on hinges, the gates of the wail adamantine!



How Good You Have Been to Me.

So, with the blessing of God, shall it be the last at the leaving!

Meanwhile the Master alert, but with dignified air and important, Scanning with watchful eye the tide and the wind and the weather.

Soon were heard on board the shouts and songs of the sailors Heaving the windlass round, and hoisting the ponderous anchor.

Long in silence they watched the receding sail of the vessel, Much endeared to them all, as something living and human;

Then, as if filled with the spirit, and rapt in a vision prophetic, Baring his hoary head, the excellent Elder of Plymouth

Said, "Let us pray!" and they prayed, and thanked the Lord and took courage.

Moanfully sobbed the waves at the base of the rock, and above them bowed and whispered the wheat on the hill of death, and their kindred

Seemed to awake in their graves, and to join in the prayer that they uttered. Sun-illumed and white, on the eastern verge of the ocean