

SINCERITY OF CHINESE IS DOUBTED

Soviet Government Doubts Genuine Desire to Settle Railway Dispute—Newspapers Say False Documents Produced—See 'American Demon' Behind Chinese Attitude.

MOSCOW, Sept. 6.—(Sp.) Serious doubts are now entertained by the Soviet government as to the sincerity and genuineness of the Chinese nationalist government's proposals for settlement of their dispute over the Chinese Eastern railway, in the light of editorials today in the official newspapers Pravda and Izvestia.

Both journals, one of which represents the government directly and the other the communist party stress "hostile statements" by Chinese Minister C. C. Wu at Geneva and by J. J. Mantell, adviser to the Chinese government on railroad administration at Mukden.

Documents and figures produced by each of these speakers were declared "false and fake."

Pravda makes vague references to "imperialistic masters" behind Dr. Wu and Mr. Mantell, obviously meaning the United States.

Under the caption "The American Demon" it prints a cartoon showing a towering figure of Uncle Sam guiding the diminutive figure of a Chinese official as the latter prepares the Chinese government's reply to the Soviet proposals.

Pravda and Izvestia, again called attention today to fresh border raids by Chinese troops in Manchuria and to repeated outrages and excesses committed against Soviet citizens by Chinese authorities.

The newspapers even allege that many Russians have been beheaded and Pravda adds that "hundreds of our citizens are still in Chinese prisons where they are subjected to indignities and torture worthy only of the middle ages."

NANKING, China, Sept. 6.—(Sp.) C. T. Wang, foreign minister, informed newspapermen today he was mailing new notes to the United States, Great Britain, France, Norway, and Netherlands, urging them to give up their extraterritorial rights in China without delay.

Dr. Wang said the note to the United States would be mailed today, to Great Britain and France tomorrow, and to Norway and the Netherlands next week.

He said there had been no change in the Sino-Russian situation since last week, that China was awaiting Soviet approval of the Nanking draft of a joint declaration for operation of the Chinese Eastern railway, and a report from the Chinese minister at Berlin who at present was in Geneva.

FORMER RESIDENTS OF CLIMAX BACK ON VISIT

CLIMAX, Ore., Sept. 6.—(Special.) Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jantzen arrived for a visit with the Wertz-Hanson families, after an absence of a year. During the last year they have traveled from Canada to Mexico and in the last two months have been on a tour of the United States, having visited many interesting places, including Grand Canyon, Niagara, Washington, D. C., New York City and Yellowstone Park.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gleason made a business trip to Medford Friday. The Misses Beth and Verne Chigodis of Eagle Point have been visiting Nellie Gleason this week. Miss Clara Jantzen of Central Point is a guest at the Wertz home.

W. F. Charley is home after working a few months at Rogue River.

The following were dinner guests at the Olivers in Rogue River Sunday: Elvira Blah, Irene Charley, Owen Austin and Roy Spaulding.

Owen Austin is engaged in making posts for L. H. Wertz. Miss Evelyn Charley is attending high school in Rogue River.

SCHOOL OPENS 16TH SAMS VALLEY DIST.

SAMS VALLEY, Ore., Sept. 6.—(Special.)—School will open this year, September 14, being delayed due to so many students working in the orchards.

Young peoples' meetings are progressing nicely in spite of busy times. The subject Sunday was "Loyalty to Our Work" and proved a very interesting topic.

THOMAS FAMILY AT ROGUE RIVER PURCHASE HOME

ROGUE RIVER, Ore., Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thomas, who recently purchased the bungalow belonging to Mr. Laws have moved into their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson will occupy the house vacated by them.

Mrs. Jane Smack entertained with a dinner Sunday at the Waldorf hotel. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shepherd and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Borlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dengler spent Saturday in Medford.

Mr. Westerfield and Mrs. Perry L. Waite were calling on local poultry raisers Friday morning.

John Long and Ira B. Riddle of Roseburg and S. B. Ziegler of Portland were business visitors in Rogue River Friday.

14 SCHOLARS AT ANDERSON CREEK

ANDERSON CREEK, Ore., Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Our school started Monday with an enrollment of 14 pupils.

Mrs. Jas. McDowell and Mrs. Holtman spent Saturday in Medford.

Jas. Mays and Geo. Young are picking pears at Mr. Schuette's place this week.

Sunday guests at the Mays home were Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sholey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Black, John Schuette and mother and Mrs. Schuette's grand-daughter from California.

D. C. Hale and family were out to Medford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. MacDowell spent Tuesday in the valley.

Mrs. Sticker is in Ashland for a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Sanders.

Jas. Mays and family and E. J. Center spent Friday evening at Mr. Skooter's.

Mrs. L. C. Jones was in Ashland Monday.

RIVIERA FAMILY MOVE ON DEL RIO ORCHARD

RIVIERA, Ore., Sept. 6.—(Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chisholm, Jr., who have been visiting his parents on Foote creek, have moved to the Del Rio orchard.

Mrs. Chayles Wahl was calling on Mrs. Dick Swaker in Rogue River Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lamb and daughter, Dorothy, of the Riviera plantation were in Medford Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Prefontaine and children were calling on Mrs. D. L. Hiles Sunday.

Mrs. Marion Lance was calling at the Chas. Wahl home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hiles and family were in Rogue River Wednesday.



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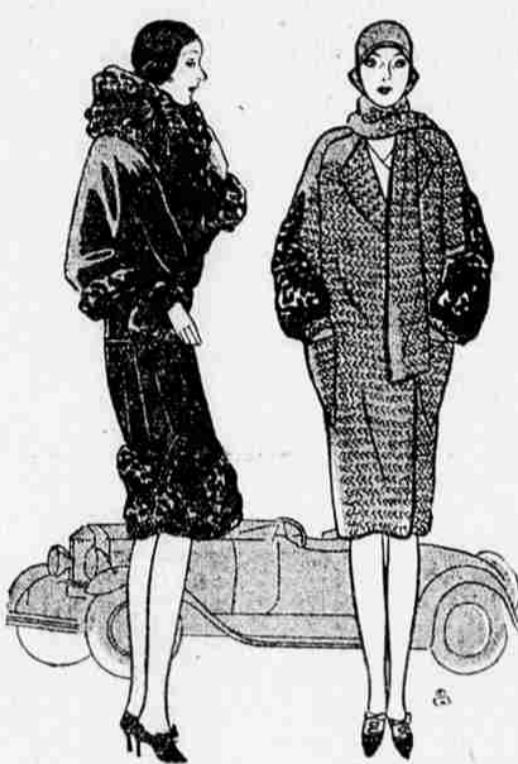
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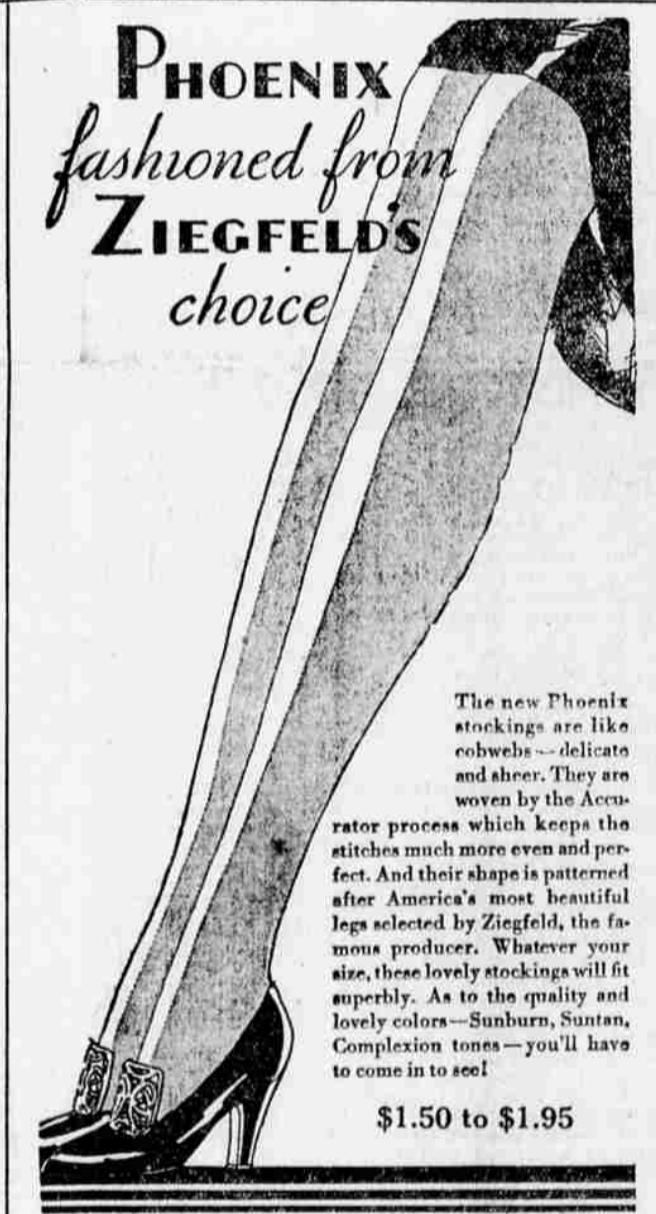
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"The Willamette"
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