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PREDICTS WAR WITH JAPAN YOUTH HELD FOR BURGLARY

HOBSON LOOKS FOR CONFLICT WITHIN 10 MONTHS TIME

Argues in House in Favor of Definite Constructive Defense Policy, Citing Our Weakness

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Congressman Richmond P. Hobson of Alabama, speaking in the House yesterday, predicted that the United States would be at war with Japan within the next ten months. The Merrimac hero made this assertion during a stirring speech in favor of a definite constructive policy of defense, declaring that Japan was financially prepared for the fight, but that the United States would be forced, under present conditions, to make a long exhausting struggle, ending in probable disaster.

Returning Activity

The determination of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads to complete their double-track line from the Missouri river to San Francisco and to Portland is simply a recognition of the fact that railroads must keep up with their business whether conditions be favorable or not. The country served by these lines is developing rapidly, and while the improvements now proposed involve the expenditure of \$75,000,000 it is believed that they are or soon will be necessary to meet the actual demands for transportation.

The necessity for such increased trackage is evidently more urgent on these Pacific lines than east of the Missouri, for the reason that they are still incomplete, the percentage of single track being very much larger than remains in the East, while the new sections through which they pass are among those whose population must continue to expand at a growing rate. Moreover, the Western lines are receiving a relatively better compensation for their traffic than has been thus far allowed in the East, so that they are less affected by the present disturbances of credit, or in a better condition to increase their outlay. General financial and economic conditions, however, are applicable all over the country, and this resolution to leave off waiting till all uncertainties have been removed will do much for the general strengthening of confidence.

The more expenditure of so large a sum as is here proposed, in connection with other large undertakings of similar kind, is in itself a stimulus to business activity. Even the least hopeful have reached the conviction that, after all, the country does not mean and will not consent to treat the railroads destructively or with permanent injustice. Efficient transportation service is of the first necessity to the whole public. To be efficient, it must be reasonably profitable and secure. The demonstration of persistent enterprise undeterred by hostile agitation will prove the most effective means to silence it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

DEEDS AWAY PROPERTY TO ATONE FOR FATHERS SIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—In expiation of the sin of his father, Charles Rigdon, who committed suicide here last July after having wounded Mrs. Amy Young, Jay Rigdon filed a deed conveying to Mrs. Young all his interest in the elder Rigdon's estate. The consideration is placed at \$19,000, the value of property of which Mrs. Young claimed the elder Rigdon had defrauded her before attempting her life.

RUSSIAN STUDENT STRIKE DISORGANIZING UNIVERSITIES

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 20.—The ranks of the faculties of the Russian universities are being depleted rapidly through resignations and dismissals resulting from the students' rebellion, which has become general throughout the empire. One hundred and twelve chairs are now vacant.

DEMURRERS IN NORRIS CASE ARE OVERRULED

Circuit Judge Benson Tuesday overruled the three demurrers filed in the J. W. Norris case by Attorney C. M. O'Neill. Norris then entered a plea of not guilty to the three charges against him.

EIGHTEEN YEAR OLD LAD IS LODGED IN COUNTY JAIL

Broke Into Lorella Postoffice Saturday Night—Arrested in This City Monday Night

For robbing the postoffice and store at Lorella, 18-year-old Clayton Anderson, son of a well known resident of Langell Valley, is in the county jail, awaiting a hearing. He was arrested in bed at the American Hotel Monday night by Chief of Police Townsend and Patrolman Hall, and readily confessed.

The robbery occurred on Saturday night, and \$20, some rabbit scalps, a pair of gloves and some purses were taken. Young Anderson's hearing will no doubt be held tomorrow. Once before he was in trouble, through forging a check, but his father made the amount good.

"Unconstitutional, futile and a subterfuge," were the reasons given in the California senate for voting down Senator Sanford's bill to take a vote of the women on the suffrage question. So says the Sacramento Bee.

EVEN SWEDEN IS AMAZED

SCANDINAVIAN SAYS OUR BUILDINGS ARE GREAT

Declares This Country Easily Leads The World In Structural Work

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—That the United States beats the world in the construction of skyscrapers is the conviction of S. G. Monseh, a Swedish contractor and builder, who is paying this country a visit for the purpose of making a close study of our methods of building such structures. He is particularly struck with the immensity of some of the tall buildings in Gotham, and is satisfied that we can teach the world the art of building into the air.

"In Sweden and all over Europe," he says, "the largest buildings rarely exceed eight stories in height. Had I known the perfection to which the builders of this country have carried their work in the construction of big buildings, I would have been over here long ago. It is marvellous—not only the height to which the buildings go, but the stability with which they are constructed. I have been particularly struck with the iron and steel structural work and the reinforced concrete, which replaces stone, brick and wood. There is no question that this is the best sort of construction, that it will last almost forever, and that it is practically fire proof."

SPANISH TROOPS BEATEN IN BATTLE AT MOROCCO

MADRID, Spain, Feb. 20.—The Rif tribesmen in Morocco have inflicted nothera severe defeat on the Spanish forces. According to advices of a battle received here, more than 200 of Alfonso's soldiers were killed or wounded when two regiments were ambushed.

SAMPSON'S SON FAILS IN TEST AND LEAVES NAVY

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 20.—Because of failure to pass his semi-annual examinations, Harlod B. Sampson, youngest son of the late Admiral William T. Sampson, has forwarded his resignation to the navy department.

Troops Wield Firebrands

PUERTA PLAZA, San Domingo, Feb. 21.—Five thousand Haytian troops, commanded by President Fomon, are in the Northern provinces of Hayti, stamping out the rebellion there with fire and sword. Juan Mendez, which fell before their attack, was burned.

WANT COTTON TAX USED IN SUPPORTING RURAL SCHOOLS

FAYETTE, Ark., Feb. 20.—The faculty of the University of Arkansas has adopted a resolution similar to that recently passed by the Arkansas legislature asking congress to return to the states the cotton tax for the benefit of the rural schools.

GOVERNMENT ENGINEER AND PARTY AFTER PHOTOS

Trip Will Determine the Old Question of Condition of Crater Lake in Winter Time

MEDFORD, Feb. 21.—For the purpose of securing views of Crater Lake while it is held in the icy grip of the frost king Benjamin F. Heidel, government engineer in charge of the construction of the Crater Lake road, M. L. Erickson, supervisor of the Crater national forest, and Harry H. Hicks of the Mall-Tribune, left Sunday afternoon for the lake. They will be forced to make the greater portion of the trip on snow shoes. Between two and three weeks will be necessary to make the trip.

The appearance of Crater Lake in the winter time has long been a mooted question. Opinions differ as to its freezing over. The party will carry with them different delicate instruments in order to make observations in the national park. In addition to observations they will each carry a camera and will snap shoot the lake from various points of advantage. So far as is known there are no pictures of the lake in winter in existence.

From Medford to Prospect the trip will be made by stage. There they will be forced to take to the snow shoes. After reaching the lake they will drop down on the Klamath side and return by way of Odessa and Four Mile Lake, where Mr. Erickson will inspect the reseeded work now being done within the national forest. The trip will cover 230 miles, of which 144 miles will be on the "webs."

BUYS INTEREST IN RANCH

M. P. MICKLER PART OWNER OF CRYSTAL SPRINGS RANCH

Sells His Interest in Klamath Valley Warehouse Company to Remaining Stockholders

M. P. Mickler has sold his interest in the Klamath Valley Warehouse company to the remaining stockholders, and has purchased the interest of John Ellis in the Crystal Springs ranch. Mr. Mickler will move to the ranch and assume charge of the operation of the property. Wm. L. Albright retains his interest, and the new firm will be known as Mickler & Albright.

The Crystal Springs ranch was formerly owned by Lewis & Sutton. It contains 924 acres, and is well watered by dozens of springs and small lakes. It is sometimes spoken of as Noss Lake farm, and it is here that the local sportsmen have their game preserve and duck hunting grounds. It can be easily made one of the finest and most beautiful places in the county.

Mr. Mickler stated that after remaining here for the past year and getting acquainted with the needs and conditions of the country, he became convinced that the opportunities were greater for the farmer than for the business man. He believes that the development and future progress of the county rests almost entirely with the farmer, and that the opportunities here are unsurpassed in that line.

It is the plan of the new manager to improve the property and make an immense big stock farm. Special attention will be given to the breeding and raising of Jersey and other dairy cattle, and also to the raising of hogs. With the abundance of water for irrigating and other purposes this farm can be made one of the famous places of the county. Springs abound on nearly every portion of the land, and it makes an ideal place for the handling of pure bred stock.

WASHINGTON EXPECTS CHINA'S APPEAL

ULTIMATUM MAY BE SENT BY THE FIRST OF MARCH

State Department Frowns on Russia's Action in the Hour of China's Plague Epidemic

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 17.—It has been semi-officially announced that unless China yields to Russia's demands before March 1st an ultimatum will be sent.

Minister Korotovitz has been instructed to deliver China this note: "Recent negotiations have convinced the Russian government that China does not wish to abide by the provisions of the treaty of 1851. These provisions have been ignored by China or not interpreted in accordance with the spirit of the letter. The

imperial government is convinced that with such an attitude on China's part, a continuance of the present friendly relations is impossible. She is anxious for a maintenance and consolidation of these relations, but Russia finds it necessary to make the foregoing declaration, and request China to conform without delay to her agreement to observe the points contended for by the imperial government."

Washington Favors China

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 17.—The state department expects China to appeal to Washington for help against the Russian menace. Pending Russia's statement of the case the state department sympathizes with China. It is regarded here as incongruous of Czar Nicholas to try to bully China when half her country is depopulated from the effects of the plague and famine.

Europe Says "Go Slow"

LONDON, Feb. 17.—European chancelleries are warning Russia to proceed cautiously in the matter of a military demonstration against China. The English newspapers are apprehensive.

Choir Goes on Strike

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The choir in one Chicago church has gone on a strike. The trouble started when Dr. Isaac Campbell was dismissed as the choir master of St. Andrews Episcopal church. The singers refused to join in the services unless he was reinstated. Strike breaking singers conducted the musical program at the church, but were pelted with snowballs for their pains.

SUMMONS: Suit in Equity to foreclose mortgage.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon; for Klamath County.

William Belmont, Plaintiff, vs. Abel Ady and Leona C. Ady, his wife, Charlie A. Howie, Charlton E. Howie and Amy L. Howie, his wife, and James Edwin Howie, Defendants.

To Carlton E. Howie and Amy L. Howie, his wife, defendants above named:

In the name of the state of Oregon, You, and each of you, are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 1st day

of April, 1911, that being the day of the last publication of the summons, and the last day within which you are required to answer, as fixed by the order of publication of this summons.

If you fail to appear and answer the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Said suit is brought to foreclose a mortgage on the following described real property, to-wit:

Lot 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16; the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter, Section 17, also south west quarter, Section fourteen; also lots 8 and 9, and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter and the north half of the northwest quarter, Section 22, all in Township 40 South, Range 8 East, Willamette Meridian, and containing in all 708.66 acres, more or less.

Said mortgage being executed by Abel Ady and Leona C. Ady, his wife, on the 1st day of March, 1907, in favor of one L. Ottolini, to secure the payment of a note for \$6,566.00, payable to the order of the said Ottolini, due as follows: \$790.50 due on or before April 1, 1907, and \$5775.50 due on before the 1st day of Jan-

uary, 1908, on which there remains due and unpaid the sum of \$5,775.50, together with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from date until paid; and reasonable attorneys' fee for attorneys' services herein; said note and mortgage being afterwards assigned to this plaintiff, of which he is still the owner and holder. The following of said property, to-wit:

"The N 1/4 Sw 1/4, the Se 1/4 Sw 1/4 Sec. 14, and such portions of lot 2 in Sec. 14 and lot 8 in Sec. 15, as lie and are situate North of the channel that connects the Klamath River and the lower Klamath Lake, and all being in Tp. 40 S. R. 8 E. W. M., in Klamath County, Oregon; being, subsequent to the execution and recording of said mortgage, transferred to you by the said defendants, Abel Ady and Leona C. Ady, his wife.

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STONE & BARRETT, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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