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CHINESE PROCLAIM A REPUBLIC AND IMPERIALIST COURT FLEES

LI YUEN HUNG PROCLAIMED PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT WILL PUT PRINCES TO DEATH

Proclamation of the Republic Threw the Imperialists into a Panic and Leading Manchu Officers at Once Fled to the North—Reports That the Baby Emperor Has Been Smuggled From the Capital Are Not Credited—General Slaughter of Manchus Sure to Follow Rebel Success.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Peking, Oct. 27.—Proclamation by revolutionists today of the Republic of China, threw the Imperialist court into a wild panic and hundreds of Manchu officers are fleeing northward, while the few remaining, are prepared to leave at an instant's notice.

Rumors that the baby emperor is already smuggled from the city are generally discredited here.

THE SENIORS PUT IT OVER THE JUNIORS

The past few weeks, at Willamette, have witnessed a severe contest between the senior and the junior "Laws" for supremacy in the debating management of the classes. The seniors determined to secure this at the beginning of the school year, but as the juniors are the larger class, they were at this time unsuccessful and a member of the junior class was elected to manage the debating. But the seniors would not abide by this decision and so hatched a scheme whereby the debating council of the entire Willamette student body would manage all of the debating of the school, and then, as a result, they were successful in securing a majority of that board and now it is up to the juniors to allow their future debates to be managed by them. The juniors were not asleep all this time however, and they now have it in their power to keep the seniors entirely out of the debate as a law class, but in so doing they also keep themselves out as well. So it is supposed that the juniors will surrender this time to their more experienced brothers and look for another opportunity to get "square" even if they have to wait until they are seniors and take it out on some succeeding junior class.

MUST ANSWER THE CHARGE OF MURDER

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Sacramento, Oct. 27.—Having made a confession in the presence of 17-year-old Annie Reid during her last hours at the county hospital, that he performed a criminal operation resulting in her death, Dr. J. S. Herndon is today in the county jail, charged with murder. In her statement, Miss Reid said that Thomas J. Hunt, of Oak Park, a school chum to whom she was engaged to be married, was responsible for her condition but that she held him blameless. She had scarcely finished this statement when she died.

Herndon who is 65 years old and married, came here about three years ago from Washington.

An Heiress Missing.
New York, Oct. 27.—Paralleling the case of Dorothy Arnold, the New York heiress, who disappeared some months ago, Miss Consuelo Fajardo, 19, a Porto Rican heiress, is missing here today. She left the hotel Felix-Portland, October 18, saying she was going to buy a magazine and has not been seen since.

The man who makes a specialty of getting there makes a habit of success.

ernment's promises of reform are bona fide.

Prince Ching and Chang Yuen Hual are reported to be virtually under arrest in Peking, and undoubtedly will be executed if the government comes to the conclusion that their deaths will placate the rebels.

Hual's railroad policy is given as one of the principal causes of revolt, his concessions to foreigners and the belief that there was graft behind him stirred up intense hatred for him.

Fear Troops and Sailors Will Mutiny.
Shanghai, Oct. 27.—It is feared that the capture of the customs house at Foo Chow by the rebels, will be followed by a mutiny of Cantonese and Fo Kinese sailors manning the warships.

Admiral Sah Cheng Ping has arrived here in disguise after escaping from Kiu Kiang, where the garrison of 1500 men joined the revolutionists. There was no blood shed.

CAPTAIN ELI TO GET THERE TOMORROW

Captain Eli is to be the entertainer tomorrow night at the Y. M. C. A., the occasion being the first "Poplin" social of the season. Captain Eli is well known all over the northwest as a humorist. He keeps his audiences in a roar of laughter and at the same time imparts knowledge never to be forgotten. Better than medicine is the "dose" of merriment that he gives. Mr. Eli is a retired sea captain and is full of experiences of whaling expeditions. The stunts do not commence until 8:30 on these Saturday Popular evenings so those whose work may get the full benefit.

On Sunday afternoon R. R. Perkins, of the Portland Y. M. C. A., will speak at the 4 o'clock men's meeting regarding the "Men and Religion Forward Movement." This is the greatest religious movement before the American people and every citizen in Salem should become familiar with it.

Tough for His Age.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Portland, Ore., Oct. 26.—Although J. M. Johnson, aged 80, was struck by a speeding street car and was pitched from a trestle into the Clackamas river, 25 feet below, he was practically unharmed.

SCRUPLES MAKE JURORS HARD TO GET

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Opelousas, La., Oct. 27.—Scruples of the Southerners against hanging of a woman is militating here seriously against securing a jury to try Mrs. James P. McCrea, who is charged with the murder of Allen Garland, a prominent club man.

Mrs. McCrea, the wife of a prominent official of the Frisco railroad, shot and killed Garland in her home, claiming that he insulted her. The prosecution claims that such relations existed between Garland and Mrs. McCrea that makes the insult theory impossible.

REFUSE TO LEND MONEY TO CHINA
(Continued from page 1.)
Pekin, Oct. 27.—War loans to China have been turned down by American, English, German and French bankers, and their representatives here have been instructed not to consider them. It is understood that this decision is the result of advices from their respective governments.

More than 300 teachers are attending the joint convention of Jackson and Josephine county teachers at Medford.

Miners' Strike Settled.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—It is announced that a settlement of the miners' strike in Alberta has been reached as a result of a conference which Minister of the Interior Rogers, the miners and representatives of the mine owners held today.

The agreement provides for a ten per cent increase in wages, restoration of the check system and reforms in the contract system. These propositions will be submitted to the strikers by referendum. It is understood that the agreement will be effective for three years. The men have been out eight months.

ATTEMPT TO GET POSSESSION OF THE BOOKS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Indianapolis, Oct. 27.—The Iron Workers' union will fight the government's attempt to obtain possession of the books and documents of the union, which were obtained in a raid of its headquarters here after the arrest of John McNamara, H. S. Hockin, acting secretary and treasurer of the union, said today that legal proceedings to block the attempt would soon be filed in the state courts.

"The federal investigation," said Hockin, "is a deliberate attempt for the McNamara prosecution to get our books into the hands of the U. S. courts, the prosecution probably would be able to obtain an order to take the books to Los Angeles."

Jury Is Secured.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Opelousas, La., Oct. 27.—The jury in the case of Mrs. J. P. McCrea, charged with the murder of Allen Garland, whom she shot and killed in her home, was completed today at noon. The trial began this afternoon.

Were After Cheng.
Pekin, Oct. 27.—An attempt was made here today to assassinate Cheng Hsu Juan who was removed from the post of minister of communications yesterday. He narrowly escaped by seeking refuge with the American legation from whose quarters he was escorted by a squad of soldiers to Tientsin.

ACKERMAN TALKS ABOUT MONMOUTH

President Ackerman, of the State Normal school, was a patient waiter in the Southern Pacific station last night. The professor is, on his way to Medford, where he is to speak before the teachers' institute on the subject "Educational Progress in Oregon, Past and Future," and the train was three hours late.

When asked by a representative of The Journal as to the general conditions at Monmouth, the president answered that every department of the school was now in the best of shape, and at excellent work was being done by the 100 students who are already enrolled there.

President Ackerman has a novel plan for both advertising the school and instructing the public in newspaper work. This is to have each student write several articles concerning the school and send them to their home papers, under the students' signatures. Credit will be given for this, as for any other work. The various student organizations have been completed, and everything points to a most successful year.

JOHN DOE IS ARRESTED BY THE MINISTER

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Pendleton, Ore., Oct. 27.—John Doe is sobering up in the Pendleton calaboose today. John was taken to the city lockup by Rev. Quinn, rector of the fashionable Episcopal church here. John annoyed women members of the church choir who were homeward bound and they fed to the pastor and told the minister. Quinn acted quickly. He grabbed John by the coat collar and trousers' seat and "turkey footed" him to the bastille where the famous John Doe was jailed on a drunk and disorderly charge.

Whipped the Judge.

Seattle, Oct. 27.—During the progress of court today Mrs. Christian M. Olson drew a horse-whip from her skirts and whipped Superior Court Judge Main. She was arrested and placed in jail. The woman is a litigant, and the jury returned a verdict in her favor. The court set the verdict aside, and she called him a "thief," and followed it up with her whip.

THE SUIT AGAINST THE TRUST

Is Declared by Politicians to Be a Political Move on the Part of the Regulars to Steal Democratic Thunder.

EVEN M'LEAN ROASTS IT

The Post, Always a Warm Supporter of the President, Says: "The Suit Is the Most Spectacular Piece of Trust Busting Thus Far Attempted—Its Effect Will Be Injurious—Such Strife Is Anarchy, and Must Cease."

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Washington, Oct. 27.—That the government's suit against the steel trust will figure in the 1912 campaign, and that there are endless political features attached to it is general opinion among party leaders.

The Democrats claim the credit of forcing the administration to act through the house investigation committee, which with Representative O. Stanley, of Kentucky, as chairman, held sittings in Chicago and New York to investigate the methods employed by the trust in conducting its business. They charge that the Republicans, by a bold stroke, are endeavoring to forestall Stanley and head off the work of his committee which is to resume its session on November 15.

The Washington Post, John R. McLean, publisher, which has always been a warm supporter of the president, roasts the suit today. It says in part:

"The suit is the most spectacular piece of trust busting thus far attempted. Its effect upon honest business interests of the country will probably be most injurious. War between the government and its own people cannot last long. Such strife is anarchy and must cease."

Senator Geo. E. Chamberlain, Democrat of Oregon, declared:

"I believe that the suit has already been too long delayed, and in all human probability, it would not have been begun now if it had not been for the persistent course of the Democratic house in prying into these commissions in restraint of trade. They ought not only to proceed with this suit, but bring another."

MAY SEND BIG FLEET TO CHINA

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Los Angeles, Oct. 27.—That the revolt in China may cut short the visit of the Pacific fleet in San Pedro harbor, is the belief here today of naval officers, who predict that it will be necessary to send at least a portion of the squadron to the Far East to protect the lives and property of Americans in the Orient.

The American legation in China has already cabled Washington that warships are needed, and as the only fighting craft this government has available for duty in China, will assemble in San Pedro, November 1, it appears certain that a portion of the squadron will be detailed to duty in China.

Twenty-six of Uncle Sam's fighting craft will assemble in San Pedro harbor November 1 to take part in the greatest naval show ever held on the Pacific Coast. Nothing in the way of entertainment for the officers will be overlooked.

The vessels which will participate are: Armored battleships and cruisers: Oregon, California, South

TURKISH ARMY IS EXTERMINATED COMMANDER NECHIAT BEY KILLED

Chicago the Capital.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—Chicago will be temporarily the nation's capital for a few days, beginning tomorrow, when President Taft will confer frequently with five of his cabinet officers, Geo. Von Meyer, of the navy; Franklin McVeagh, of the treasury; Walter Fisher, of the interior, and Postmaster-General Frank H. Hitchcock. Besides conferring with his cabinet the president will address nearly a score of meetings, making the coming three days some of the most strenuous of his term in office.

M'NAMARA CASE IS STILL ALL JUST TALK

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Hall of Records, Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 27.—The defense in the McNamara case secured a substantial concession from the state today when District Attorney Fredericks agreed to examine witnesses alternately so that each man interrogated for cause shall be disposed of by both sides before another man is taken up.

The defense had argued that the methods in the superior court here, whereby the defense was forced to pass 12 men before the state took a hand in interrogating any of them, gave the prosecution a decided advantage. Last week the defense asked Judge Bordwell to change the procedure, but this was not necessary as the district attorney was willing to aid the defense in this point at least.

Substantial progress was made during this morning's session by the defense which finally, after a lengthy interrogation, passed J. M. Rush, a farmer, for cause. He was being examined by the state when the luncheon recess was ordered.

Selected Good Place.
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Oakland, Oct. 27.—Standing in the doorway of an undertaking establishment today, Mrs. Fred Fass, wife of an Oakland barber, placed a revolver to her heart and ended her life. She is thought to have been temporarily unbalanced.

JUST A BABY BUT POLITE TO OLD FOLKS

If there is any one thing on earth more pleasing to the horse editor than any other, it is politeness in children, and that this lovable trait is being thoroughly inculcated in the youngsters of South Salem, is an assured fact, and one that was given a practical demonstration to the horse-editor yesterday evening.

The Equine Journalist was winding his way home on foot, and out on South Commercial near Miller street met a little fellow—short of skirt and somewhat "wabbly" of leg, who was trotting down the sidewalk towards the store. He had a smile on his jolly little mug that was good for tired old eyes to look at, and he was evidently intent on business that to him seemed important. Just as he reached the horse editor, one "wabbly" little foot caught on the sidewalk, and in half a jiffy he was on his little "tummy." His head bobbed up in a rebound and without looking up, he said, "How do do?"

He was helped to his feet and went on his way smiling and happy, and to tell the truth, the horse editor felt better, too.

IF THE OTHER DEAR CHARMER WERE AWAY

Reno, Nev., Oct. 27.—Perry H. Brewington, charged with bigamy as a result of his marriage to Mrs. Mary De Remer, made a confession to District Attorney Woodburn here today admitting that he married Mrs. DeRemer in Sacramento, knowing that he was still bound to his first wife, who lives at Greeley, Colo.

Mrs. DeRemer is a wealthy widow possessing considerable property here. Brewington is well known in Colorado.

Wife No. 1 discovered Brewington's second marriage through a newspaper clipping and his arrest followed.

ONE TURKISH BATTLESHIP IS SUNK, ANOTHER DAMAGED AVIATOR WON THE BATTLE

Yesterday's Battle Said to Be the Fiercest of the War, and the Turkish Army Was Practically Annihilated—The Italian Government Is Closely Censoring All News Dispatches and Only Meagre Accounts of the Situation Can Be Obtained—Even Commercial Messages Being Censored.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]
Rome, Oct. 27.—Directed by aeroplane signals, the Italians at Tripoli won what is described as the fiercest combat of the campaign, 1500 Turks being killed and wounded and Nechiat Bey's staff being practically annihilated. Official despatches here fully confirm the reports. Maneuvering over the field, Captain Piazza in his aeroplane signaled the positions of the Turks to the artillery commanders, who were well secured behind fortified positions, and the Italians' fire mowed the Turks down.

The Mohammedans fought valorously and many times they charged right up to the muzzles of the Italians' belching guns, only to be bayoneted after desperate fighting.

Nechiat was apparently determined to win at any price. He led his men splendidly and was found later under a heap of dead, his body riddled with bullets. Fully two-thirds of the Turkish army was killed or wounded. The decisive battle lasted all day, following several days' of

aggressive movements which had resulted in placing the Italian force in Tripoli in an embarrassing position. There was a wild panic in the city when it was feared that a massacre of non-combatants would follow a Turkish victory, and everyone able to do so, arranged to flee to Italian ships in the harbor if the Turks won. Then, in order to extricate himself from a dangerous position, the Italian commander determined on an attack which proved futile.

The unofficial version is that the Turks attacked and took the Italians by surprise, but they rallied and defeated the Turks. This version said that the attackers actually turned the Italians' left, broke through their center, and were apparently sure of victory, when the Italians recovered, closed their lines and began what proved to be the victorious rally.

Piazza's aeroplane is reported to have had more to do with the Italian victory than any other factor in

THE CAPITOL BOULEVARD IS GIVEN A BIG BOOST

ONE THOUSAND RAISED AND COMMITTEE FORMED WHO WILL GET ALL MONEY NEEDED TO ASSIST IN CONSTRUCTION WORK.

About 40 Salem business men sat down to lunch today and before they got up had a thousand-dollar fund raised to help Governor West undertake the construction of the Capitol Boulevard, that is to connect this city with all the state institutions. Those present at the lunch, given in the men's grill room at the Hotel Marion, were:

Governor West, Mayor Laehmund, President Buren of the Board of Trade, John H. Albert, Alderman Eldridge, Senator Patton, Ed. T. Barnes, Dave Eyre, Wm. Brown, Walter Winslow, Ed. Hazard, J. L. Stockton, R. C. Bishop, H. H. Olinger, Jas. R. Linn, Secretary Hofer of Board of Trade, F. G. Deckebach, F. J. Lafky, Alderman White, R. P. Boise, J. W. Willson, Henry W. Meyers, Wm. McGilchrist, Walter Stolz and E. Hofer, of The Journal.

President Buren spoke of the work to be undertaken as of great importance to the city. It meant the construction of a fine crushed rock road or boulevard from the city in a circle connecting all the state institutions. He hoped all business men would give whatever was undertaken on their hearty support.

He introduced Governor West, who recited what he had offered the Marion county court in the way of labor and material. The state had an abundance of rock and labor at its disposal and could furnish fuel and drivers and teams to place the rock on the roads. Five teams would haul off all the rock that a crusher would turn off. A rock crusher had been loaned by a Portland firm. A man was needed to superintend the construction. A traction engine was needed. Work should commence between the asylum farm and the penitentiary. The city of Salem would furnish a steam roller. The road could be built around to the mule school. Then open through North Winter street to the Mule school. That would complete the circular boulevard connecting the city with all state institutions, so that visitors could see all of the state property.

Those Fussy Scratch Hats

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