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## RIOTING IS STILL ON IN JAPAN

Determined Character of Up-rising Causing Grave Uneasiness in Tokio.

### PUBLIC BUILDINGS HEAVILY GUARDED

Trouble Suppressed in One Section Soon Breaks Out Elsewhere.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Tokio, Feb. 11.—Rioting, which broke out here yesterday, following parliament's refusal to censure the cabinet on account of discovery of graft in the navy, continued throughout the night and was still in progress in several parts of the city.

The determined character of the rising caused grave uneasiness and the authorities were doing their utmost to suppress it. As often, however, as they succeeded in restoring order in one quarter, trouble would begin in another. Public buildings were heavily guarded, and unpopular officials were careful not to show themselves except with strong escorts.

Reports were current, too, of disturbances in other cities, but not much could be learned concerning them, as the government, though trying not to give an appearance of suppressing the news, was minimizing it as far as possible.

### FIGHT OVER BOOKS RESULTS IN RECEIVERSHIP

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Portland, Or., Feb. 11.—The series of melodramatic situations in the case of the United States Cashier company against which a suit has been filed for an accounting reached a climax today when Judge Gatens granted a petition for a hearing for the purpose of determining whether the receivership shall be continued.

The books of the United States Cashier company were removed from the manufacturing plant at Kenton, a suburb, last night by Receiver James E. Hunt and are now in his possession pending some action of the court. According to attorneys for the International Money Machine company, successor to the United States Cashier company, the books were seized stealthily under cover of darkness.

### MEXICAN GUNBOAT ARRIVES OFF NEW ORLEANS ON MISSION

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] New Orleans, La., Feb. 11.—The Mexican federal gunboat Zaragoza arrived here today from Vera Cruz, firing a 21-gun salute as it passed Jackson barracks, without receiving any response.

According to one version, the gunboat's mission, after visiting the city, was to lie outside the three-mile limit in wait for an improvised fighting craft it was reported the rebels planned to equip in New Orleans and dispatch to shell federal ports. Another account was that it came to buy arms and ammunition.

Immigration Commissioner Redfern had heard it brought three important visitors—a Frenchman, an Italian and a Mexican—and had an inspector waiting at the dock to see that the immigration laws were not violated.

### UNDEERTAKER LOSES JOB.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Hopkiss, Wash., Feb. 11.—Called to the home of Sam Ranichich, today, to prepare for burial the infant Ranichich son, Mrs. C. C. Pinnick, undertaker, heard the baby gasp when she lifted the supposedly lifeless body. She wrapped the child in cotton and warm clothes and it started to cry and kick. Indications are that the infant will live.

### FIRST TIME LEGAL HOLIDAY.

Portland, Or., Feb. 11.—The birthday of Abraham Lincoln will be observed in Oregon tomorrow for the first time as a legal holiday. The last legislature passed a law to this effect.

## Hoff Briefly Says What He Will Do

### ANNOUNCEMENT OF STATE LABOR COMMISSIONER, CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION IS MODEL OF BREVITY.

For brevity, the announcement of O. P. Hoff, of his candidacy for re-election to the office of labor commissioner is a model.

He states his whole case and quits, which it is modestly suggested is a good example for other candidates to follow. His announcement in full is as follows: "Re-elected, I shall continue a fearless, economical and progressive administration, giving my entire time to my official duties, strictly enforcing every law, as interpreted by our courts, coming under my jurisdiction, to the best of my ability; considering every man and woman on the same level before the law."

### CONTRACT FOR JOCKEY NEYLON BRINGS \$10,000

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Portland, Or., Feb. 11.—The contract for Jockey Anthony Neylon has been sold by John W. Shore, of Memphis, Tenn., to J. F. Livingstone, of Chicago, for \$10,000. Neylon, who is here visiting relatives, made the announcement today. The contract calls for Neylon's services for three years more.

Neylon, who is but 16 years old, is one of the leading jockeys of America. He has had a very successful season at Juarez, and is here on a short leave of absence.

### SPAULDING DISAPPEARS.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, Feb. 11.—Captain James Spaulding, former Idaho state senator, and an expert judge of timber, disappeared from Roseburg, Or., December 6, and his relatives here claimed today that no word has been received from him since then, and that no information whatever as to his movements is known to them. Spaulding is a man passed middle age. Up to the time of his disappearance he resided in Seattle.

## BLIND SENATOR FACES \$30,000 DAMAGE SUIT BROUGHT BY WOMAN

Mrs. Minnie Bond Says He Defamed Her and Also Sought to Assault Her.

### CALLED POLITICAL PLOT

Defense Asserts Gore Is Victim of Conspiracy to Prevent Re-Election and Wife Stands by Him.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 11.—The suit of Mrs. Minnie Bond against United States Senator Thomas P. Gore went to trial here today before Judge Clark. She asks \$25,000 damages, alleging defamation of character and that Senator Gore attempted to assault her in Washington two years ago.

Opening statements occupied the morning session of court. Mrs. Gore led her husband into the court room. A. C. Cruce, brother of ex-Governor Lee Cruce of Oklahoma, is acting as Senator Gore's chief attorney.

Each venireman was asked his politics and whether Senator Gore's political prestige would prejudice his consideration of the case. During the examination of the veniremen Gore leaned forward, turning his sightless eyes on the jury box. Mrs. Gore consulted with the attorneys.

The defense was expected to contend that Gore is the victim of a political plot to prevent his re-election.

### CAPTAIN BERRY ON TRIAL

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Philadelphia, Feb. 11.—Government investigators today began the trial here of Captain Berry on a charge of negligence in connection with the sinking of the liner Monroe by the steamer Nantucket near Norfolk about two weeks ago, with the loss of nearly 50 lives. Captain Berry commanded the Nantucket. Most of the Monroe's survivors were prepared to testify today. It was expected the trial would be a long drawn out affair.

## HEROIC EFFORT MADE BY TACOMA MOTHER TO SAVE CHILDREN FAILS

One of the Children Dies and Mother and Other Child Will Not Survive.

### DASHES INTO THE FLAMES

Breaks Away From Spectators and Staggeres Out With Child Under Each of Her Arms.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 11.—In spite of the heroic efforts of her mother to save her life, little Margaret Yope, two years old, is dead here today while the woman and a younger child are fatally burned as a result of a fire that destroyed the Yope home at Long Branch late yesterday.

Mrs. Yope had left the children alone while she went to the home of her mother, several blocks distant. Apprised by the neighbors that her house was on fire, Mrs. Yope ran wildly through the streets, followed by a crowd of men and women. Flames were already eating their way into the bedroom where the children were asleep.

Breaking away from spectators who sought to detain her, the frantic mother plunged into the blazing house. A moment later, she staggered out with the clothing practically burned from her body, but with a child tightly clasped under each arm. Reaching the open air, Mrs. Yope fell unconscious. The babies were terribly burned. All three were rushed to a hospital in Tacoma, where Margaret died early today. Little hope is held out for the recovery of the other two.

## SUIT TO DIVORCE S. P. AND C. P. FILED IN SALT LAKE CITY

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Salt Lake, Utah, Feb. 11.—United States District Attorney W. W. Ray, filed suit in the United States court here today to divorce the Southern Pacific and Central Pacific railroads.

The government holds that the Southern Pacific's control of the Central Pacific is a combination in restraint of trade. It charges that, through leased and direct control of the Central Pacific, the Southern Pacific is enabled to discriminate against the Union Pacific and Central Pacific, thus stifling competition in the transcontinental transportation of freight and passengers.

By allowing the Central Pacific equipment to deteriorate, the government alleges the Southern Pacific is enabled to force the bulk of the transcontinental traffic to its own direct line, the Sunset Route. The Central Pacific, the complaint alleges, is unable to enter into traffic agreements with the Union Pacific and connecting lines, and it recites that this has practically closed the Ogden gateway to transcontinental business.

### TRAIN ROBBER SENTENCED.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, Feb. 11.—Joan Labanta, the confessed train robber and wholesale forger, was sentenced today by United States Judge Dealing to 25 years in San Quentin prison. Labanta recently pleaded guilty to looting two mail cars between San Jose and San Francisco last fall. Labanta was arrested in Auburn, Cal., about a week ago. He confessed to robbing two trains and also boasted of forgeries which, he said, netted him \$40,000.

### The Weather

The Dickey Bird says: Oregon, rain west, rain or snow east portion tonight and Thursday; southeasterly winds.

## Ill-Health of Kaiserin is Regretted by Loyal Germans



Empress of Germany.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Berlin, Feb. 11.—Loyal Germans, who were recently alarmed by reports that the empress of Germany was seriously ill, have been reassured by late reports. The empress long ago became deeply beloved through her realm and by German-Americans here. The kaiserin was born in 1858 and named the Princess Victoria of Holstein-Sonderburg-Augustenburg. She had already been married to Crown Prince William when he ascended the throne June 15, 1888. Seven children blessed their union.

## EVERS FIRED AND WINDY CITY ROARS

Twenty Thousand People Sign Petition Agreeing to Boycott National.

### ACTION DUE TO IDEA EVERS LIKED FEDS

President Murphy Also Angered by Remarks Made by Manager of Cubs.

### BY HUGH FULLEBTON.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Chicago, Feb. 11.—The summary discharge of Johnny Evers as manager of the Chicago Cubs by Charles Webb Murphy today caused an eruption in Chicago baseball circles.

During the forenoon a petition worded, "never again," was circulated against the National league club. It was signed by more than 20,000 persons, who agreed to support the Federal league club here when the Chicago Americans were away from home.

Murphy's action, it was asserted, was due to a suspicion that Evers was flirting with the Federals. A month or more ago Evers remarked that "all a fellow has to do is get rich in his Murphy in the nose." He meant by this that the Club players were rebelling because those who refused to obey orders were rewarded by being sent to other clubs, where their salaries were raised while the faithful boys got nothing.

### Murphy is Angry.

This made "Chubby Charley" angry. Later Evers said to me jokingly: "Go over to Federal league headquarters and see what they will give for me." Murphy also heard of this. Later Evers said to me: "The Federals saved my job for me. Murphy intended to fire me as manager but the new league movement made him change his plans." At this time Murphy had excluded Evers from his private office.

### Warns Murphy of Danger.

Later Evers warned Murphy that the Federals were becoming dangerous. He was informed of their plans and advised Murphy to get his players signed up as quickly as possible. At that time 17 Club players remained unsigned. Murphy scoffed and delayed, but soon he became frightened and summoned Evers to his office. Then Johnny got busy, traveled 25,000 miles and signed up most of the players.

Up to the day he went to New York Evers believed that his clashes with Murphy were ended, and that Murphy had agreed not to attempt to override the orders of his manager again.

### Evers is Summoned.

New York, Feb. 11.—President Tenor, of the National league, telephoned today to Evers to come to the Waldorf Astoria hotel, where the National league magnates are meeting.

Hank O'Day, the new manager of the Cubs, said that if Evers will not play with his team he will get another second baseman immediately.

### Confers With Evers.

President Gilmore of the Federal league conferred here this afternoon with Evers. Later Gilmore said he would not offer Evers a contract until it was found that his dismissal by Murphy cancelled his five-year contract with the Cubs.

"We have \$20,000,000 back of us," said Gilmore, "and we are willing to pay some of it for such players as Evers. We know what we are up against and we also know the best way to use our money."

### Has Nothing Against Murphy.

Evers reached the Waldorf Astoria at 1 o'clock and was given the "glad hand" by the magnates gathered there. Before conferring with Governor Tenor, Evers said:

"I have nothing against Murphy. (Continued on page 5.)"

## Game Protection Cost \$37,500 too Much, Says West

Governor West this morning gave out the following letter addressed to the State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners:

I have been handed a report showing expenditures from the game protection fund during the past three years, which shows, in round numbers, the following:

1911	\$4,000,000
1912	123,000,000
1913	137,500,000

As the statement rendered did not include classification of the expenditures for December, estimates have been made for that month in arriving at the division of expenses hereinafter made. It would appear from the statement rendered that the following expenditures were made during the year 1913:

Trout propagation	\$42,000
Game fund	7,000
Deputies and expenses	58,500
Office expenses	9,000
Other expenses	23,000
Total	\$137,500

I am satisfied, upon an examination of the expenditures, that the same results as have been obtained can be had through the expenditure of far less, and I would recommend that the expenditures for this year be so regulated as to have the amount not exceed \$100,000, which is \$37,500 less than expended last year, and to this end I would suggest the following budget:

Trout propagation	\$30,000
Game fund	5,000
Office expenses	5,000
Deputies	45,000
Sundry expenses (biological and other departments)	15,000
Total	\$100,000

It may be that the expenditures for January and February, which have been running as in the past, might make the keeping within the proposed limit seem

difficult, but, in my opinion, it can be accomplished without the least embarrassment to the service, and, in fact, I believe, with the proper reorganization of the service, the employment of active deputies and the installation of a system of reports which will show the daily activities of each deputy would prove that the above budget will amply provide for every need. In fact I have reason to believe that similar reductions could be made without impairing the service.

It is needless for me to call your attention to the fact that there is a cry from all sides against extravagance in our state, county and municipal governments, and if the taxpayers are to secure relief it can only come through each and every governmental department performing its full duty in the direction of economy and retrenchment.

### REMARKS FOR THE SERVICE.

Respecting for these recommendations your careful attention and assuring you of my hearty co-operation in all matters which will make for the good of the service.

### HEAD OF AUTO CLUB DIES.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] New York, Feb. 11.—George F. Chamberlain, first president of the Automobile Club of America, died suddenly tonight at his home in Harrison, Westchester county. He was a lawyer in this city, and was identified with charitable and philanthropic enterprises. He was 52 years old.

### BABIES DIE NEEDLESSLY.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Feb. 11.—Making her first annual report to Labor Secretary Wilson, Miss Julia C. Lathrop, chief of the federal children's bureau, estimated that 800,000 American babies died last year, and said at least half would have lived under proper hygienic and sanitary conditions.