

## HOW CHINESE WERE KIDNAPED

Contractors Induced Them to Board Steamer Promising to Take Them to Mexico.

SAID PLACE NEAR HONGKONG.

Thirteen Days Out Became Alarmed, Threatening to Kill One of Their Deceivers—Now on Sonora R. R.

Mexico City, Aug. 2.—The sequel of the dramatic story of the cruise of the steamer Maori King was told at the Chinese legation here today. Some months ago the vessel left the Asiatic coast carrying 335 Chinese and 250 Russians. Investigation has disclosed the fact that the Chinese were kidnapped. The men were employed near Vladivostok on the Trans-Siberian railroad. Three contractors induced the men to board the steamer on the promise to take them to a place called Mexico, which the contractors declared was situated in China near Hongkong. After the boat had been out for 13 days and no land had been sighted the Chinese became alarmed and threatened to kill one of the contractors who had remained aboard. The man's life was saved by the captain, who locked him in a stateroom. Later, as has been published, a pitched battle was fought between the Chinese and Russians. When the steamer put in at San Diego, Cal., 20 armed Americans boarded the ship and acted as guards on the trip south to the port of Guaymas.

Mexico. Here the quarantine laws prevented the ship landing and the men again became alarmed, fearing that they would never reach the port of Mexico in China. They agreed the officers took possession of the ship's boats and vectors making for the shore. In border when assistance was asked of the Mexican government and a gunboat and a lighthouse tender turned them back. They are now working on the Sonora railway and are pleased with the outlook.

### BATTLESHIP CONNECTICUT.

Unusual Interest Attached to its Forthcoming Trial.

New York, Aug. 2.—Unusual interest attaches to the trial trip of the battleship Connecticut, which will be made over the Rockland, Me., course Aug. 8 and 9. Rear Admiral Evans will be aboard the Connecticut during her speed test.

The fact that the Connecticut is the first battleship of the first class to be built by the government instead of by contractors explains the exceptional public interest in her. Naval men expect to obtain valuable information from a comparison of the Connecticut with the keels of the ships were laid at the same time, the former's by the government at the Brooklyn yard and the latter's by contractors. It is believed the Connecticut will demonstrate the government's ability to produce battleships of the first class that are in all points equal to those built under the contract system. The Connecticut will leave the navy yard this morning for Hampton Roads, where she will take on 1,000 tons of selected coal. She will then go to Rockland for the trial.

### GLASS TRIAL POSTPONED.

San Francisco, Aug. 2.—The retrial of Louis Glasse, manager of the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph company, will not begin next Monday, as Superior Judge Lawlor first arranged. A delay will be granted until the case is called on that day, to allow the defendant to procure counsel to take the place of D. M. Delmas and H. C. McKee, who are now engaged in the trial of T. V. Halsey. Atty. T. C. Coogan reported to Judge Lawlor today that Prosecutor Heney had consented to a short delay, until the attorney matter is settled, although the prosecution is

desirous of expediting the Glasse case. Judge Lawlor then consented to postpone the trial when it is called next Monday, until the following Wednesday. A further delay may be then granted if necessary.

### NO INDUSTRIAL EXPLOITATION OF FALLS OF RHINE.

Schaffhausen, Aug. 2.—The romantic Rhine falls, in the vicinity of this city, have been rescued by the local council from modern vandals, in the shape of industrial exploiters, by whom they were threatened.

The majority of the councilors have refused to permit the erection of new water power works for the supply of electricity to the surrounding district. Their reply to the application of the exploitation company was decisive.

The council is of the opinion that not only should the falls not be further exploited, but an effort should be made to prevent an extension of the concession already granted at its expiry in 1928.

"The destruction of the present works," continues the official document, "would restore the original imposing magnificence of the falls, and the water power obtained from them could easily be preserved at some other point. The council, though aware that this is not immediately realizable, is resolved to do everything in its power to prevent any further damage to the beauty and romantic effects of the falls."

Thousands of tourists from all parts of the world will applaud this decision.

### BATHING AT SALT LAKE.

A warm day pleasure. Go.

### SUIT TO COMPEL RECOGNITION OF MAYOR'S AUTHORITY

San Francisco, Aug. 2.—Application for a writ of mandamus to compel Auditor Horton to recognize his authority and the validity of his appointment was made to the supreme court today by Harry G. McKannay, secretary to Mayor Taylor. The supreme court justices have signified that they will give the matter immediate consideration, and a decision may be had early next week.

This action, which will determine the

legality of Dr. Taylor's selection as mayor, was decided upon as the best means of settling the claims of Schmitz to hold the office after his conviction. The suit is begun in the name of McKannay, and the decision will determine the status of Mayor Taylor, inasmuch as McKannay received his appointment from Taylor.

### SECY. TAFT WILL TAKE A REST.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Secy. Taft hopes to spend several days in Yellowstone national park on his coming western trip. If the arrangements he has made are carried out, he will go into the park at what is known as the Montana entrance after leaving Denver where he expects to make a speech Aug. 30, and will leave the park in time to meet his engagement to speak at Portland, Or., Sept. 6.

### LOST BULLION MINES CASE.

Denver, Aug. 2.—The trial of the famous Lost Bullion Spanish Mines conspiracy began in the federal district court this afternoon. The session was occupied with the securing of a jury. By agreement the taking of testimony will be deferred until Monday.

### ANTI-CLERICAL FEELING.

Spezzia, Italy, Aug. 2.—The anti-clerical feeling which has been running high as a result of the alleged immoral practices of Salesian fathers in their school at Varazze culminated today in a violent anti-clerical demonstration. The fathers attacked a detachment of carabinieri with stones and attempted to disarm them. The crowd then mixed in and shots were exchanged. Four carabinieri were wounded. One of the manifestants was killed and two wounded.

### KION LACE FACTORY TO BE SOLD

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Announcement was made yesterday in Zion City that arrangements practically were completed for the sale of the lace factory, to a well known local dry goods firm for approximately \$25,000. It was said that the papers would be signed before Judge Landis of the United States court on Monday. It is declared that the purchaser will make arrangements at once to improve and extend the plant, at a cost of \$1,000,000, and operate it day and night to its full capacity.

The sale carries with it the lease restrictions prohibiting liquor or tobacco

on the premises or the use of profane language by the employees. It had been supposed that in order that the same might not be happened, the lease restrictions would be removed.

### DENTIST TO SULTAN.

New York, Aug. 3.—Bringing royal gifts of great value and the title of "dentist to his highness the sultan of Morocco," with him, Dr. Frank C. Postwick has arrived on a three months' vacation after a busy season in the sultan's court. He was summoned last spring to repair the teeth of his majesty, his wives, his father, brothers and other members of the royal household.

Dr. Postwick is an American but has been practicing dentistry in Morocco for many years. He was retained by Spanish royalty and in this way was brought to the attention of the sultan. In speaking of his stay at the court, the doctor declared he received exceptionally kind treatment. He found that the men were cowards when it came to enduring the pain that accompanies dental operations. The women, however, underwent the ordeal in a matter of fact way. The sultan winced andidgeted like a schoolboy while in the dentist's hands.

### FREE DANCING, SALT LAKE.

Afternoon and evening. Fine music.

### WANTS COOLIE LABOR ADMITTED.

Washington, Aug. 2.—According to H. D. Keeneval, prominent fruit grower of Sacramento, Cal., who is in this city, the International Equality league of California, of which he is a member, has adopted and will present to President Roosevelt and the immigration authorities a petition demanding the admission of Asiatic labor and enterprise to California "under no other restrictions than are imposed upon the admission of European labor and enterprise to our Atlantic seaboard."

### MARQUETTE WRECK VERDICT.

Northville, Mich., Aug. 2.—The coroner's jury in the Pere Marquette wreck inquest returned a verdict tonight blaming the freight crew which collided with the excursion train, the two operators at Plymouth who copied and delivered the order to the freight crew and the Pere Marquette railway for op-

## No More Hair Germs

erating under defective rules. It was in this wreck that 32 people were killed and scores of merrymakers injured.

### ARBITRATION A FAILURE.

Because Teamsters and Employers Did Not Have an Umpire.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Arbitration without an umpire proved to be a failure in the case of the packinghouse teamsters and their employers. Negotiations were broken off today after the arbitrators for the second time had failed to agree on an umpire. A strike of the packinghouse teamsters was averted several weeks ago by an agreement being entered into to arbitrate the question of an increase of 4 cents an hour to all teamsters. At a meeting held on the eve of the threatened strike, the teamsters decided to defer the action in the interest of arbitration. The strike vote still stands, as no motion was recorded to rescind the action taken by a vote of the membership. The business agent of the teamsters' union may call a strike of the teamsters at any time, without voting to place the matter before the rank and file of the union.

### LEATHER PLANT BURNED.

Tomahawk, Wis., Aug. 2.—Fire which started in one of the buildings of the Tomahawk branch of the United States Leather company tonight laid the entire plant in ruins. Only the office was untouched by the flames. It is probable that the big plant will be rebuilt and on a more extensive and modern scale. The plant was one of the tanneries absorbed by the big combination several years ago when the smaller concerns were amalgamated. The loss is about \$1,000,000.

Falling hair is caused by germs at the roots of the hair. Dandruff is caused by germs on the scalp. Your doctor knows why Ayer's Hair Vigor, new improved formula, quickly destroys these germs. Makes the scalp clean and healthy. It publishes the formula for all our preparations. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

### N. C. RATE CASE.

The President Has Nothing Whatever to Do With It.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 2.—President Roosevelt entertained at luncheon today Peter A. Kay of Rhode Island, the newly appointed secretary to the American embassy at Tokio, and Alfred W. Cooley assistant United States attorney-general.

When Mr. Cooley left Oyster Bay he said the president had discussed with him in a general way the North Carolina rate case.

"The impression seems to prevail in some quarters," said Mr. Cooley, "that the president can do something in this case. As a matter of fact, the only thing the department of justice can do is to see that the process of the federal court is served and that the orders of the court are obeyed. In this case there has been no difficulty in serving the process and no disposition to disobey the orders of the court. There is nothing else the executive department of the government can do in the matter."

### MORE LAND WITHDRAWN.

Los Angeles, Aug. 2.—By proclamation of President Roosevelt issued July 28 and made public at the local United States land office today 20,000 acres of land is added to the Trabuco canyon national forest reserve. The land is west of Elsinore and southwest of Los Angeles.

### SUNDAY CONCERT, SALT LAKE.

Fine Program, afternoon and evening.

The Growth of a savings account is something remarkable, when the depositor sets out to push things. Our Facilities for handling such accounts are among the best. Interest knows no Holidays—we pay four per cent. Banking Department, Keith-O'Brien & Company.

# Keith-O'Brien's August Linen Sale

Decided reductions for one week. Bargains that will be long remembered. Qualities out of the ordinary. Beautiful linens, snow-white and tempting. New stock entirely. Not a piece shelf-worn. Thousands of customers eagerly await our big linen sales--events never excelled by other houses. Experience has taught them that Keith-O'Brien's carry out every promise.

No restrictions. Customers can buy one yard or a piece—an article or dozens at the sale price.

ARE THE LINENS RELIABLE?  
THAT IS THE FIRST THING TO BE CONSIDERED.  
THE LINENS ARE RELIABLE

These linens are new, of quality, of pleasing patterns, and of broad assortments. They are from Scotland, Ireland, Germany and other big linen centers. Keith-O'Brien is a large buyer. Linens are a conspicuous feature in this store. Year after year we have striven to control the leading linen trade of Salt Lake. Whether we do or not certain it is that our stock is always fresh and nice, our prices reasonable, our sales offering real reductions.

Bleached and unbleached table linen, white linen suitings, bed spreads, scarfs, Irish hand-embroidered linen scarfs and squares, sheets and pillow cases, breakfast cloth and numerous other needs

10 per cent discounts, 20 per cent discounts, 25 per cent discounts. The reductions reach nearly to 33 1-3 per cent. These discounts represent a considerable saving to the housewife—for the reductions are from close-selling prices.

### WHITE LINEN SUITINGS—ALL PURE LINEN.

35c grade for	16 2-3c	65c grade for	43c	85c grade for	65c
45c grade for	27c	75c grade for	55c	100c grade for	73c
50c grade for	33c			150c grade for	98c

Our entire line, \$3.000 worth of Japanese Drawn Work Linens at exactly half price.

### Oriental RUGS

During Mr. Ourfalian's absence on a purchasing tour, the Oriental Rug Department is in charge of Mr. Edward Kupelians, a native of the orient and an expert on rugs. During the summer rugs are being sold at a discount, and subject to exchange when the Fall stock arrives.

See Window Display.

### Bleached and Unbleached Table Linen.

64 inches wide, 65c regular, for	33c
72 inches wide, 75c regular, for	55c
72 inches wide, 1.00 regular, for	79c
72 inches wide, 1.15 regular, for	95c
72 inches wide, 1.50 regular, for	1.00
72 inches wide, 1.75 regular, for	1.19
72 inches wide, 2.00 regular, for	1.29

### Huck and Damask Towels

100 dozen Huck Towels, 18x36, 12 1/2c regular, for	30
each	14c
19x38 Huck Towels, 20c grade, for	14c
20x40 Huck Towels, 22 1/2c grade, for	16 2-3c

### Irish Hand-embroidered Linen Scarfs, and Squares, Half Price.

### Pattern Table Cloths

Size 2x2 1/2 Napkins to match.	
\$10.00 regular, for	\$7.38
\$15.00 regular, for	\$10.25
\$20.00 regular, for	\$14.55

### Size 2x2 1/2.

\$12.50 regular, for	\$8.50
\$18.50 regular, for	\$12.45
\$22.50 regular, for	\$16.58
\$25.00 regular, for	\$18.75

### Size 2 1/2x2 1/2.

\$12.50 regular, for	\$9.50
\$18.50 regular, for	\$12.50
\$25.00 regular, for	\$16.50

Our entire stock of fringed and Hemmed big spreads, 25 per cent off Regular Prices.

### Pattern Table Cloths

Size 2x3.	
No. 1000, 81x90, 75c grade, for	\$10.50
\$10.00 regular, for	\$13.50
\$27.50 regular, for	\$19.50

### Sheets and Pillow Cases

No. 1000, 91x90, 75c grade, for	55c
No. 2000, 72x90, 80c grade, for	59c
No. 3000, 81x90, 90c grade, for	65c
Mohawk, 81x90, 1.00 grade, for	83c
Utica & Pequot, 81x90, 1.15 grade, for	89c

Renaissance Scarfs, size 20x54, \$3.00 Grade for \$1.39.

### Pillow Cases

No. 100, 45x36, 12 1/2c grade	79c
No. 200, 45x36, 15c grade	11c
No. 300, 45x36, 20c grade	14c
No. 400, 45x36, 22 1/2c grade	16 2-3c
Our entire line of Embroidered Swisses, values up to \$1.00 per yard, for	49c

### Bleached and Unbleached Turkish Towels

19x38, 20c grade for	14c
20x45, 20c grade for	14c
25c Breakfast Cloths, size 64x84	\$2.00 grade
for	\$1.39
24c Breakfast Cloths, size 64x70, 1.50 grade, for	89c

All Sheetings, 10 Per Cent Discount.

## Our Summer Suit Specials Are very Popular

Our customers are watching for new announcements Each special means a bargain and the suits offered are just what our customers want. The styles are new and very snappy

Linen Eton Suits, elaborately trimmed. These suits are extra good values and are strictly up-to-date, but on account of being slightly soiled we will close them out at a greatly reduced price; regular \$18.75 to \$32.50 for \$8.50

A second feature is an exceedingly pretty silk jumper and shirtwaist. The style is new. Handsome plaids, checks and Roman stripes; neatly trimmed; an extra good quality of fabric; \$18.75, 22.50 and \$27.50 values for \$13.75

Lingerie Princess dresses in white, all-over embroidery, white dotted Swiss, in pink and blue with white dots; also white with pink, blue and black dots; daintily trimmed with tucks and lace, regular \$18.75, for \$9.75

On Monday, On the-Floor-Below, extra fine, silk finish toilet paper will be sold 10 cent rolls for 7 cents and 8 cent rolls for 5 cents. The sale will run until Wednesday Noon.

50 per cent discount Parasols on entire line of Ladies' and Children's Fancy Parasols.

GLOVES Ladies' Silk Gloves, elbow length, in black, white and light brown. \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50 pair. All double tipped, splendid qualities.