

BARON TAKAHIRA WAR RUMORS

Declares That Nothing So Overdrawn as Talk of Armed Conflict.

STARTED WITH NEWSPAPERS

Otherwise He Cannot See How Jingoism Took Up the Cry and Spread It Over the World.

New York, Feb. 16.—Declaring that war between the United States and Japan would be the "most inhuman event in the world's history" and was "too hellish" to be thought of, Baron Kogoro Takahira, the new Japanese ambassador to Washington, said today, upon landing in New York from the steamer Etruria, that the Japanese people knew absolutely nothing of a break in the cordial relations which have been historic between the two nations.

Baron Takahira will leave for Washington tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock to present his credentials to President Roosevelt. He is a warm personal friend of Mr. Roosevelt, and is looking forward to his meeting with the chief executive with a great deal of pleasure. The baron is returning to the American capital after an absence of two years spent in Rome as ambassador to Italy. "The baron left Washington as a minister and was subsequently elevated to the rank of ambassador. He was one of Japan's envoys at the Portsmouth peace conference."

"I am pleased to come back to this country in my present capacity," said Baron Takahira to a representative of the Associated Press. "I started my diplomatic career as an attaché at our legation at Washington some 30 years ago and I always have regarded that city as my cradle."

Baron Takahira is a man of great energy and vigor. He is a native of Japan and has spent most of his life in his native country. He is a member of the Japanese nobility and has held several high positions in his country.

A Nurse's Story

If you are a sufferer from headache, neuralgia, or pain from any cause you should read the following letter from a nurse.

"For sometime I have felt it my duty to tell you that I was having my doctor twice every week for headache. All he did for me was to give me something to ease the pain. Sometimes the pain was so severe that I could not sleep and I gave up. I read the circular very carefully, and found that I had a great deal to learn. I took the Pain Pills, according to directions and I felt I was getting better. So I sent to the drugist for a box and took them until I was much better. When he met me sometime after he wanted to know how I was, and I told him what I had done, and he replied: 'If you have found anything that will help you, stick to it; and so I have. Being a nurse I have recommended them to a great many grateful people. One case I will mention. I saw a doctor go to a neighbor every week for months because she had such awful headaches, but for a long time I dared not suggest anything to her. One day I met her and gave her a half a box of Anti-Pain Pills and she used them and had no more headache. She said that she was a great blessing to her and said, 'why didn't you tell me about this medicine? It could tell you of many similar cases.'"

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC CHARGED WITH REBATING

Washington, Feb. 15.—Prosecutions are to be instituted by the government against the Southern Pacific company and against certain officials of the railway organization on a charge that they paid rebates to shippers.

Information which is to be a basis for these prosecutions was obtained by Franklin K. Lane, of the interstate commerce commission, last autumn in the course of an extensive inquiry made by him into the affairs of the Southern Pacific railway.

SEVEN ARE DEAD; TWELVE INJURED

Collision of Passenger Train and Electric Car at Toledo is Scene of Horror.

SIGNALS WERE UNHEEDED.

Conductor Told Motorman to Stop but He Continued Ahead, His Car Plunging to Death.

Toledo, O., Feb. 15.—Seven persons were killed and a dozen injured when a Big Four passenger train struck a Toledo & Western electric car at the Michigan Central crossing in West Toledo tonight.

THE DEAD. James Meyers, motorman, Toledo. Roy Fisher, West Toledo. Mrs. William Fisher, West Toledo. Clarence Beach, Sylvania. Unknown Woman and two children.

THE INJURED. Mayor Jones and wife of Sylvania. Clara Sutton, Tully, seriously. Joseph Buchmeyer, Tully, fatally. Charles Dolph, Sylvania, slightly. George Bragdon, Toledo, fatally. Rust Blankley, Sylvania, badly hurt. Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Parker, Sylvania. John Conroy, Sylvania, slightly. James Young, Sylvania. Clayton Young, 24 years old, Sylvania. O., both legs broken and internally injured; will die. Chester Burns, 30 years, Sylvania, O.; chest crushed; will die. Hiram Parker, 65 years; skull fractured, injured internally; will die.

SIGNAL FAILED. According to an eyewitness of the wreck, which occurred shortly after 6 o'clock, the conductor stopped at the crossing to flag the car across. Seeing the train coming, he motioned to the motorman to stop, but this signal was either misunderstood, or not seen, or disregarded, for the car came ahead, with sickening results.

CITIZENS WHIPPED BY NIGHT RIDERS

Eddyville Visited by Well Drilled Band Three Hundred Strong.

Eddyville, Ky., Feb. 16.—Night riders 200 strong visited Eddyville at 1 o'clock this morning (Sunday) and whipped 10 men, four of them white and six negroes. The white men, who are today suffering from sore backs as the result of a severe chastisement with switches, are: Police Judge C. W. Rucker; Lesel Woods, former city marshal; Press Teshaw, who occasionally acts as deputy city marshal, and Grace Robertson, a saloon porter.

The connection between the whipping of the white men and the negroes and the tobacco war in western Kentucky is not apparent, and no one has been able to offer any explanation. None of the victims was known to be either active or influential in opposition to the farmers' pooling movement. No attempt was made at destroying stored tobacco.

RIDERS WELL DRILLED.

The riders were well drilled and well armed. About 250 entered the town from the direction of Trigg county and the remainder from the opposite direction. Over 1,000 shots were fired during the course of their stay, but the only casualty reported is that of a young woman whose face is said to have been grazed by a stray bullet. The home of Judge Rucker was badly damaged before the riders were able to get hold of him, the walls being riddled with bullets, doors and shutters torn off, etc.

After the whipping had been administered the mob awakened County Judge W. L. Crumbaugh and warned him that his immunity from similar punishment hereafter depended entirely upon the friendship he was expected to show to the tobacco growers' association. He was told that his gray hairs alone were responsible for his being spared this time. The only tobacco man visited was J. M. Bradshaw, who is a tobacco raiser and a member of the growers' association. Mr. Bradshaw was ordered to close up a billiard hall which he owns.

On leaving town the riders announced that they had not finished their work, and that they would return before many days.

CUTICURA CURED MY SISTER

Of a terrible humor.—Mrs. L. C. Walker, 5 Tremont St., Woodford, Me.

STERNBERG SAYS STORY IS FALSE

Germany's Stand in Balkan and North Sea Affairs Outlined By Ambassador.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Cablegrams from London and St. Petersburg recently published in American newspapers on the Balkan situation and the North sea treaty, questioning Germany's sincerity with regard to her announced policies regarding these matters, were called to the attention of Baron Sternberg, the German ambassador at Washington today. The ambassador declared the public statements made in the press as to Germany's attitude in Europe by refusing to adhere to the rules of reform in Macedonia, laid down by the international program, and even hinted, he added, at the existence of a secret treaty between Germany, Austria and Turkey. The ambassador's statement follows:

TREATY NEVER SIGNED.

"Those statements are absolutely false and unfounded; no such treaty has ever been made. On the contrary, Germany will give her full assistance to any steps taken by Austria and Russia. In accordance with the 'Munster program' the German government has further agreed—in principle—with the judicial reform favored by England, and has directed her representative at Constantinople to sign a collective note to the sublime Porte. With regard to the railroad concession in the Balkans, a question started exclusively by the American government, Germany is doing her best to relieve the situation which has arisen through the question between Austria and Russia, and has done so with every promise of success.

"Germany considers the extension of the railway system in the Balkans a most important factor in aiding the progress of civilization in parts of the globe, where it is especially needed.

ERRORS MADE ELSEWHERE.

"The treaty guaranteeing the territorial integrity of Norway has likewise given rise to similar publications, totally misrepresenting the attitude of Germany with regard to the North sea. In suggesting an agreement on this subject Germany laid special importance on the participation of Holland as the ideal annexation of Holland by Germany has also recently been spread by a portion of the western European press. The Dutch government has taken part in the negotiations from the very beginning and has expressed its high appreciation with regard to the German proposals.

"So far as Belgium is concerned, the intentions of Germany in the North sea give no rise to suspicion whatever at Brussels. Former treaties of integrity are a sufficient proof of Germany's clear and peaceful policy with regard to Belgium. Hence in the United States not the slightest suspicion is noticeable as to the attitude of Germany in the North sea question."

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SOLDIERS TO GET INCREASE IN PAY

Enlisted Men in All Branches Will Receive Higher Scale.

MARKSMANSHIP RECOGNIZED.

If Man Behind the Gun is Up in His Business It Will Add Materially To His Stipend.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The house committee on military affairs today agreed to report the army appropriation bill, having completed its amendment increasing the pay of enlisted men or the various grades of service. The bill as it will be reported to the house will carry \$56,555,066, which is \$3,413,381 less than the estimates submitted. The amending increasing the pay of enlisted men is intended to place the army service on a footing comparable to the naval service. The scale agreed upon is as follows:

COVERS WIDE RANGE.

Master electricians, master signal electricians, \$75; engineers, \$65; regimental sergeants major, regimental quartermaster sergeants, regimental commissary sergeants, sergeants major, senior grade coast artillery, battalion sergeants major, sergeants major of engineers, post quartermaster sergeants, post commissary sergeants, post ordnance sergeants, battalion quartermaster sergeants of engineers, sergeants first class, signal corps and first sergeants, sergeants first class hospital corps, electric and armorers, sergeants first class, battalion sergeants major of infantry and field artillery, squadron sergeants major, sergeants major, junior grade coast artillery, battalion quartermaster sergeants second class, sergeants of engineers, ordnance and signal corps, quartermaster sergeants of engineers and ordnance, sergeants of field artillery, blacksmiths and farriers, saddlers, wagoners and artificers, \$24; privates, first class of engineers' ordnance, signal corps and hospital corps, \$18; privates, hospital corps, \$18; trumpeters, musicians of infantry, artillery and engineers, \$15; privates of cavalry, artillery, infantry, signal corps and privates second class engineers and ordnance, \$15.

CONTINUOUS RECORD PAY.

An honorably discharged soldier who has served the period of his enlistment will be entitled to continuous record pay if he re-enlists within three months on the following scale:

Three dollars monthly during the second and third enlistments each for privates, cavalry, artillery, infantry, signal corps, and \$1 monthly during each subsequent enlistment up to and including the seventh, after which there will be no increase.

Soldiers qualifying as marksmen will receive additional pay of \$2 per month, as sharpshooters \$2 per month, as expert riflemen \$6 per month, as second class gunners \$2 per month, as first class gunners \$3 per month, as gun pointers, gun commanders, observers, second class, chief planters and chief loaders, \$7 per month; as plotters, observers of the first class and casemate electricians, \$9.

No change is made in rates of increase for foreign service. The pay of enlisted men in military bands, exclusive of the band at the United States military academy, is fixed as follows:

Chief musicians, \$75; principal musicians and chief trumpeters, \$40; sergeants and drum majors, \$38; corporals, \$30, and privates, \$24, with continuous service pay. It is provided that army bands or members thereof shall not receive remuneration for furnishing music outside the limits of military posts when the furnishing of such music places them in competition with local civilian musicians.

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SIGNAL CORPS TO HAVE COMPLEMENT OF AIRSHIPS

Washington, Feb. 15.—Another effort was made today at the signal office to obtain satisfactory bids for the construction of a dirigible balloon, when proposals were opened in Gen. Allen's office. A month ago six bids were received, but because of the incompleteness of the specifications accompanying them all were rejected. The specifications cover the construction of a dirigible balloon to carry a combined weight of 350 pounds and at least 100 pounds of ballast. It is to be designed to have a speed of 20 miles an hour in still air, but the bidders were required to submit proposals for cost depending upon the speed attained during the trial flight, according to a schedule of lesser down to 15 or a greater speed up to 24 miles. There is to be a trial endurance flight of two hours, during which the airship is to travel continuously at an average speed of 70 per cent of that which the balloon accomplishes during the trial flight for speed. The trial flight will be held at Fort Meyer, Va.

WIDE RANGE IN BIDS.

Ten bids in all were received. They include some of the well-known manufacturers, and, in addition, one from Paris, France, from Louis Lupetit, who offered to construct a balloon for \$25,000, 180 days; Raymond Anglemire, Chicago, no price stated; 90 days; Hamburg & Heinemann, St. Louis, \$10,000, 150 days; Louis Lupetit, Paris, \$20,000, 90 days; Carl E. Meyers, Frankfurt, N. Y., \$11,994, 120 days.

The following is a list of the bidders: Harry R. Schuller, Philadelphia, \$23,500, 180 days; Soren C. Rockwell, Philadelphia, \$25,000, 180 days; Raymond Anglemire, Chicago, no price stated; 90 days; Hamburg & Heinemann, St. Louis, \$10,000, 150 days; Louis Lupetit, Paris, \$20,000, 90 days; Carl E. Meyers, Frankfurt, N. Y., \$11,994, 120 days.

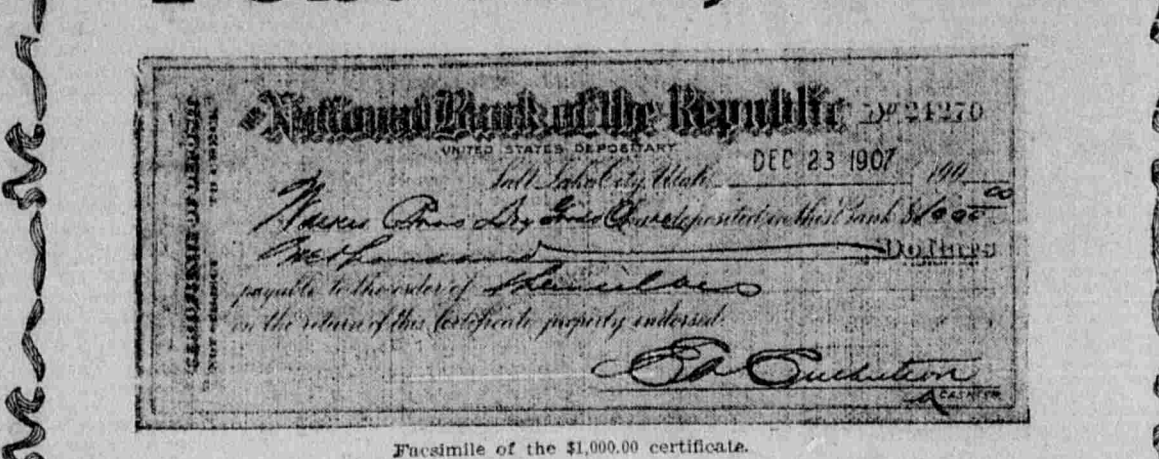
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Drawing was conducted by the advertising managers of the five daily newspapers of this city—Mr. Rees of the News, Mr. Critchlow of the Herald, Mr. Manly of the Tribune, Mr. Hale of the Republican and Mr. Cole of the Telegram.

Provision has been made for the contingency that might arise should any of these winning corresponding number to be decided the winner this case a second drawing has been made, the be brought in by February 25th—Provided an should any of the numbers announced fail to not appear within the 10 days allowed them—in should not be presented, the announcement of the second drawing will be made at that time.

Be sure and present your coupon ticket before Feb. 25th. If any of the winning numbers do not appear by that date, they will forfeit all rights in this contest.

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