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JAPANESE MAKE ANOTHER ADVANCE

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SUFFERED SOME LOSS MONDAY.

They Employed Five Hundred Korean Bearers to Carry Their Wounded to Anju.

ACCOUNT OF FIGHT AT CHONG JU.

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JAP LOSS AT CHONG JU. R. Petersburg, March 30.—A later official dispatch from Gen. Mischchenko reports that on the authority of the inhabitants of Chong Ju, Korea, the Japanese lost 40 men killed, 100 wounded and a number of horses during the fighting there Monday.

OFFICIAL REPORT ON FIGHT.

London, March 30.—The Japanese legation received the following official report from Tokyo of the fighting between the Japanese and Russians near Chong Ju Monday:

"On March 28 a portion of our cavalry and infantry force occupied Chong Ju after defeating the enemy. The enemy, who numbered 500 men, retreated in the direction of Wiju. Our casualties were Lieut. Kano and four other killed, Capt. Karakawa and 12 others wounded of the cavalry force. There were no casualties among our troops either side of the river. The Japanese were conveyed in an ambulance to two men, apparently officers, and wounded bandages were found scattered around. The enemy must have sustained losses at least equal to our own."

ALL QUIET ON THE YALU.

Newchwang, Tuesday, March 29.—A reliable report from the vicinity of the Yalu river states that everything is quiet in the interior cities. Native theans are running and the Chinese are prohibited except at Antung, where all the large shops have been closed. The natives have been forbidden to cross or recross the Yalu river.

WARNING TO ALL SHIPS.

Newchwang, March 30.—The commander of the Russian fleet has issued the following notification:

"Every vessel of war or commerce discovered within the sphere of our war lights or flags and failing to render light or flags after being warned to do so by a cannon shot will be considered an enemy and will be sunk."

WILL ENCOURAGE TRADE.

Newchwang, Tuesday, March 29.—M. Protzeff, Viceroy Alexieff's financial agent, says that it is not Russia's intention to strangle the shipping trade at Newchwang and he consents to negotiate terms which will facilitate it.

ENGLAND WON'T INTERFERE.

Newchwang, Tuesday, March 29.—Sir Ernest Satow, the British minister at Peking, has informed the residents of Great Britain in Newchwang that Great Britain will not interfere to keep a warship here and he advises them to accept the situation as it is.

PETTINGILL & CO'S AFFAIRS.

Petition in Bankruptcy Filed Against the Firm.

Boston, March 30.—A petition in bankruptcy against Pettingill & Company, an advertising agency, was filed today in the United States district court by several New York and Boston newspapers. The liabilities are placed at \$1,000,000. The assets are estimated at about \$250,000.

SENATOR BURTON'S CASE.

Sentence Will Probably be Passed on Him Tomorrow.

St. Louis, March 30.—No action was taken today in the case of United States Senator J. B. Burton of Kansas, convicted of having received payment for protecting the interests of the Hlatto Grain & Securities company in the post-office department. It is probable that the bill of exceptions that the counsel

for the defense is preparing will be finished to tomorrow and will be filed in court, together with a motion for appeal. Sentence then will be passed on Senator Burton and he will be required to give a new bond pending the re-hearing of the case on appeal.

Nominated for Congress.

Philadelphia, March 30.—Republican congressional conventions held here today nominated the following:

First District—Henry H. Bingham. Second District—Robert Adams, Jr. Third District—George A. Castor. Fourth District—Reuben O. Moon. Fifth District—Edward Morrely. Sixth District—George D. McCrea.

Striking Driver Sentenced.

Kansas City, Mo., March 30.—Leo Overstreet, a striking member of the Truckdrivers union, convicted of violating the federal injunction which ordered the strikers not to interfere with the non-union men who had taken their places, was today sentenced to 60 days in jail.

THE KAISER'S HEALTH.

Alarming Reports about it Are Utterly False.

Berlin, March 30.—Inquiries here in consequence of a report published in Paris that alarming reports had been received concerning Emperor William's health elicited the announcement that the condition of his majesty's throat is normal and the report is otherwise discredited.

Situation at Saginaw.

Saginaw, Mich., March 30.—The flood situation here is somewhat today the river gauges showing a decrease in the water level. Business, however, is still at a standstill. A tug went to Garrettsville and the surrounding district today to carry supplies and render whatever assistance is needed.

JAPAN'S WAR TAX PROGRAM.

Special Diet Approves the One Submitted by the Cabinet.

SPECIAL TAXATION REDUCED.

Estimated Deficit to be Met by Cutting Down the Expenses of Administration.

Tokio, March 29.—(Tuesday 9 p. m.)—The special diet concluded its labors today, finally passing the series of war tax and financial measures proposed by the government. It will finally adjourn tomorrow.

Almost the entire financial program submitted by the cabinet was approved although several changes were made. The amount to be raised annually by special taxation was reduced from \$24,000,000 to \$21,000,000. The government plans to make up the deficit thereby created in the estimates by cutting down the administrative expense.

Another change in the program was the refusal to sanction the creation of a salt monopoly.

An interesting feature of the financial program is the passage of an act authorizing the banks to issue savings prize debentures. The total issue of these debentures is limited to \$15,000,000 per year. The rate of interest and the amount of the prizes and a lottery drawing scheme are limited. The whole plan ends when the war is over. The government has the right to borrow the money realized by the sale of the savings prize debentures but the management, sale and redemption of the debentures is entirely in the hands of the banks.

The changes in the customs tariffs become effective after six months. The articles affected include confectioneries, preserves in sugar, silk fabrics, alcohol, kerosene, sugar, molasses, syrup, crepe de chine, satins, manufactured tobacco, Chinese spirits, ordinary sake and all alcoholic beverages containing over 50 per cent of alcohol. Consumption taxes are levied on woolen fabrics and kerosene oil.

RUSSIA PROTESTS

Against Destruction of Quarantine Station at Sanshamtao.

Tokio, March 30.—(4 p. m.)—The Russian government has lodged a protest with the Japanese government against the destruction of the quarantine station at Sanshamtao during the fourth Japanese attack on Port Arthur.

The protest is based on article 25 of the Hague international peace convention, a copy of which is submitted with it.

Responding to the protest Baron Komura, minister of foreign affairs, informed the French minister that the Japanese government had received no report from Vice Admiral Togo concerning the destruction of the quarantine station; but whether the station had been destroyed or not, the article of the Hague convention quoted related only to land battles, the convention having left the question of naval bombardments unsettled.

Japanese military and naval officers who are familiar with Sanshamtao declare that the quarantine station there did not exist before the war.

RUSSIANS SINK STEAMER.

Vessel Mistook War Fleet for the Japanese.

Chefoo, March 30, 11:30 a. m.—The captain of foreign passenger of the Japanese coasting steamer Hanyei, arrived at Taku Chow this morning and reported that the Russian fleet had sunk and sunk by the Russian fleet near the Maotao islands on the morning of March 27. It also reported that the remainder of the crew, Chinese, Chinese and Japanese, 17 in number, had been taken prisoners by the Russians.

The captain of the Hanyei has arrived here. He says he mistook the Russian warships for the Japanese fleet until he had approached to within one mile of

RUSSIANS WILL RAISE THE AMERICAN FLAG

U. S. Consul Miller at Newchwang Makes a Strong Representation to Civil Administrator that He Had Invaded Neutral Rights When He Ordered It Down.

Newchwang, Tuesday, March 29.—(Delayed in transmission).—Under a strong representation made by United States Consul Henry B. Miller that the civil administrator had invaded neutral rights when he ordered the lowering of the American flag from buildings belonging to American citizens, even though it was done through the apprehension that the flag was illegally used by Chinese for the purpose of resisting police inspection, the civil administrator has promised to duly and in proper form through the military to raise the flag over the building from which it was removed. The British flag which was ordered taken down will also be allowed to remain.

London, March 30.—A correspondent of the Times at Newchwang, cabling under yesterday's date, says: "The Russians today ordered the American flag on the correspondents' mess to be hauled down. "The proclamation of martial law completely paralyzes the whole commerce of this port."

PARKER WILL HAVE N. Y. DELEGATION

New York, March 30.—A summary of the returns from the Democratic primaries held in the most important counties for the selection of delegates to the state convention, shows, according to the Herald, that the Empire State delegation to the national convention will be instructed to vote for Judge Alton B. Parker as nominee for president.

At the primaries 80 out of 228 Parker delegates are counted as having been successful. As there will be a total of 450 the Parker forces claim they will have a large working majority in the convention.

COURT HEARS BRYAN'S APPEAL.

It is on Exclusion of the \$50,000 Sealed Letter as Part of the Bennett Will.

Was It Intended As Such? Counsel for Mrs. Bennett and Heirs Argues That It Never Was.

New Haven, Conn., March 30.—The hearing of the appeal of William J. Bryan from the decision of the probate court excluding the \$50,000 "sealed letter" as a part of the will of Philip S. Bennett was continued today in the superior court. Ex-Judge Stoddard, counsel for Mrs. Bennett and other heirs, regarding the admissibility of the "sealed letter" today supplemented his argument of yesterday by a brief address in which he reviewed the main points, the jury being meanwhile excused. Mr. Stoddard laid special emphasis on the assertion that the courts of this country and England have never admitted a document like the "sealed letter," and he referred to many authorities and decisions. The fact that the letter was signed by the testator makes no difference in a case of this character, he said.

Black River Rising.

Piedmont, Mo., March 30.—Black river has steadily risen during the past week until today it is five feet higher than a year previous record. The country is inundated for miles, buildings being floated from their foundations, thousands of feet of lumber have been destroyed. Three persons were drowned near here in the destruction of a farm house. At Mill Springs, many are living on their house-tops.

Postoffice Appropriation Bill.

Washington, March 30.—The postoffice appropriation bill as amended by the postoffice committee was printed and placed in the hands of senators today. Among the amendments not heretofore announced from the committee are the following: For separating mails at third and fourth class postoffices the appropriation is reduced from \$1,000,000 to \$500,000. For allowance to third class offices where the salaries of the postmasters exceed \$1,000 per annum, to cover the cost of clerk services \$500,000 provided that no allowance in excess of \$40 shall be made to any one office.

JAESCHKE ARRESTED.

Boy Charged With Robbery in Hands Of the Police.

A warrant was issued this morning for the arrest of George Jaeschke on a charge of robbery. The boy is now in the custody of the Ogden police. Some time ago he was charged with inebriability, and was in a fair way to becoming an inmate of the reform school. Upon the promise of his father to take him out of the state, sentence was suspended, and the boy was taken to California. He re-appeared in Ogden a few days ago, and his arrest followed. He will be brought back here to face the new charge that has been preferred against him.

WAITER STABBED.

Bad Cutting Scrape in a Second South Lunch Room This Morning.

Burt Leroy, a waiter in a luncheon room on East Second South street, had a narrow escape from being stabbed to death shortly before 2 o'clock this morning by Jpe Brown, an employe of the place. The two had been close, warm friends for some time, but this morning they became engaged in a row over some trifling thing and Leroy struck Brown in the face. The latter became enraged beyond self-control, and seizing a sharp butcherknife, assaulted Leroy and cut a fearful gash in the latter's back. The wound was about four inches long and an inch deep. Leroy bled profusely and for a time it seemed that he would bleed to death. Dr. Giesy was summoned and dressed the wound and closed it. Brown was placed under arrest by Officer Armstrong and lodged in jail. A complaint, charging him with assault with a deadly weapon will be filed against him. At

Tomorrow's Semi-Weekly

Will be the last issue before Conference. The crush of advertising orders from city merchants who desire to reach the country people in their homes before Conference, compels the announcement that no orders for large advertisements can be received after 10 o'clock tomorrow.

THE SPRING AND CONFERENCE EDITION

Will be issued on Saturday next. All Semi-Weekly subscribers to the News are invited to call and receive a copy free.

MOYER IS RELEASED AND REARRESTED

Telluride, Colo., March 30.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who has been held in jail here since Saturday on a charge of desecrating the flag, was released today by County Judge James H. Wardlaw on furnishing a bond for \$600, but was immediately rearrested by a squad of soldiers acting under orders of Adjt. Gen. Sherman M. Bell. The nature of the charge on which he is held by the military has not been made public.

Sheriff Rutan has gone to Denver for the purpose of arresting William D. Haywood, secretary of the federation, as a warrant has been issued charging him with desecration of the flag.

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