

JAPANESE EMIGRATION.

RESTRICTIONS AT TOKIO.

Opposition Making Active Campaign—Canada's Attitude.

Tokio, Nov. 16.—The Foreign Office has informed the emigration companies that 400 Japanese will be allowed to enter Hawaii during this month and December. It is understood that the government intends to exercise a close supervision over those going as students to San Francisco. There is reason to believe that considerable fraud has been practised by registering laborers as students and that this has escaped the scrutiny of the emigration inspectors.

Mr. O'Brien, the American Ambassador, has had a conference on this subject with Count Hayashi, Minister of Foreign Affairs, who has issued most stringent instructions to the inspectors, and it is understood that further restrictions are under advisement. The Japanese government is said to be considering the advisability of shutting off all emigration to the United States and to Canada for the present on the ground that economic conditions render it inadvisable for citizens of Japan to visit foreign countries unless they are able to show that they are amply self-supporting.

Among political leaders and business men the importance of the approaching session of the American Congress and the possibility of the introduction of special measures to restrict immigration are fully realized. The opinion here is that such legislation is not likely to be enacted, but the fact of its introduction and the inevitable debates on the subject, it is thought, are likely to increase the difficulties of the government in adjusting the situation by arousing the Chauvinists on account of discrimination against Japan, which is affording ammunition for an increasingly active opposition, in view of the general election in 1908.

As an instance of the methods employed to raise the issue in behalf of the opposition, the "Hochi" organ of that party and supposed to represent the views of Count Okuma, will to-morrow contain an editorial entitled "The Deception Practised by Diplomats," in which it gives as an example the speech of Secretary Taft at the recent municipal dinner in Tokio. The paper says that this was nothing except a piece of deception by which the Secretary sought to place himself in the most favorable light.

The "Hochi" appeals to the Japanese government to deal frankly with the people. It insists that the administration is tamely yielding to foreign powers, while at the same time cleverly hiding the facts from the public of Japan. The editorial concludes by saying that the visit of Minister Lemeux affords the best opportunity of solving the immigration question, once for all, if it is frankly handled. Mr. Lemeux has established an office at the British embassy, and is in frequent conference with officials of the Foreign Office. He expects a favorable outcome of his mission, saying to-day: "I am not proposing any change in the existing treaty, but desire to reach an agreement with a friendly nation looking to the adoption of a programme for the future which will be beneficial to both countries concerned."

LONG TRIP OF JAPANESE CRUISERS.

Tokio, Nov. 16.—The Japanese cruisers Tsukuba and Chitose, returning from the Jamestown exposition, arrived at Yokosuka this morning. During their voyage, which occupied 250 days, they travelled 32,000 miles and visited thirteen countries. They have not been home since leaving Japan.

CHILIANS OPPOSE JAPANESE LABOR.

Valparaiso, Nov. 16.—Mamuru, chancellor of the Japanese Legation at Mexico City, arrived here to-day to study the climatic conditions of Northern Chile and report to the Emperor of Japan on the advantages to Japanese immigration. The engineers employed on the Arica Railway look with mistrust on M. Mamuru's mission, as they consider it probable that collisions between Chileans and Japanese laborers are likely and may lead to strained relations between the two countries.

MR. REDMOND'S EFFORT FOR UNITY.

Limerick, Nov. 16.—John E. Redmond, the Nationalist leader, speaking here to-day, said that he intended to put forth his best efforts to effect Nationalist unity. He thought the day not far distant when all would work shoulder to shoulder as in the days of Parnell's power.

WATERWAY COMMISSION.

To Meet on 25th and Announce Scope of Its Work.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The Inland Waterways Commission will meet in this city on November 25 to formulate a report on its operations in the last summer, including inspection of the Mississippi River with President Roosevelt in October. The commission will then announce that its work is not confined to navigation, but extends to the utilization of the water resources of the country from all points of view.

The commission was largely responsible for the President's announcement at Memphis that he would call a convention to meet in Washington to consider the conservation of the natural resources of the country, including not only water but timber, minerals, oil, etc., and its members are giving much attention to that meeting. It was at first announced that the conference would be held in January, but its postponement until May has been determined upon, as the Governors of a number of states will be unable to attend at the earlier date. Instead of being a mass convention, as was at first expected, the present intention is to make it a quiet conference between the President and some of his advisers with the Governors.

LUBITANIA SAILS—STEEERAGE FULL.

The Cunard liner Lusitania sailed for Liverpool yesterday, attracting as much attention along the waterfront and at the Battery as when she sailed from this port on her first eastward voyage. She had a large cabin passenger complement for this season of the year, and after taking aboard 1,180 steerage passengers, the capacity of her steerage compartment, three hundred persons wanting accommodations were turned away. Of that number fifty paid the difference and went in the second cabin. The others were sent to the Anchor Line pier and sailed on the steamer Columbia.

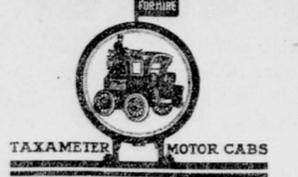
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TAFT'S OHIO STRENGTH.

State Solid for Him, Says President Thompson.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Washington, Nov. 16.—President M. O. Thompson, of the Ohio State University, who arrived here to-night, says he is convinced that Secretary Taft will have practically no opposition when the Ohio delegates to the Republican National Convention are chosen.

"Mr. Taft will be put forward as one of the best products of our state," said Mr. Thompson. "He has convinced the people that he is capable of doing them great honor in every capacity, and it has been strongly brought home to them that they must let nothing interfere with a powerful demonstration of their appreciation. He has been so dignified and manly about his candidacy that his boom is increasing every day, and every Ohioan seems to consider it his duty to speak loudly for Mr. Taft without the borders of our state. There is a great deal more talk of Ohio's opposition to Mr. Taft in outside papers than there is in those of Ohio, and this gives an erroneous impression. Mr. Taft is the candidate of the people of Ohio, and if a primary were held now that fact would be made evident beyond doubt. We are all confident that he will shortly be in the White House."

"Despite some talk to the contrary, there is no doubt that Secretary Taft will have the unanimous support of the Ohio delegation in the next Republican convention," declared Harry Daugherty, of Columbus, one of the staunch supporters of Secretary Taft, to-day.

"He is just as strong in the state to-day as he was a few months ago, if not stronger," continued Mr. Daugherty. "The people of Ohio look upon him as the greatest man in the state and the logical man to carry out the policies advocated by President Roosevelt; yet he is no man's man, and will, if elected President, exert his own strong individuality. It is generally believed that Senator Foraker is fighting him in order to remain in the Senate another term, and not with any idea of securing the nomination for the Presidency himself. Senator Foraker is a great man, but I doubt whether he will succeed in defeating Taft."

"Did the defeat of Representative Burton for the mayoralty of Cleveland have any dampening effect on the Taft candidacy?" "Not a bit; that was an entirely local affair, and had nothing to do with the national situation. Mr. Burton will not be harmed in the slightest way, so far as his public career is concerned, by his defeat. The defeat has had nothing to do with the Taft situation in Ohio."

"Are the Taft people anxious that the convention shall be held in Kansas City?" "I think not. I know of no reason why that would harm or help his candidacy. Personally, I am inclined to favor Chicago as the next meeting place, for that city has the best facilities, by all odds. The hotels are within a radius of a few blocks, and are equipped to care for the delegates, who will be men who can afford to have, and will therefore desire, the best accommodations. Wherever the convention is held it will not be a walkover for the nominee, even though Secretary Taft should be that nominee. It will be one of the most interesting conventions ever held by the Republican party."

WEST VIRGINIA'S FAVORITE.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Washington, Nov. 16.—"West Virginia will instruct its delegation for Mr. Taft, and that without much opposition," said C. C. Swisher, Secretary of State for West Virginia and Republican candidate for Governor, who arrived here this afternoon for a political conference. "West Virginia has come to be a certain Republican state, and its greatest Republican strength now lies mainly in the fact that the administration has given it its richest area of prosperity. But it is not alone because we want a certain continuation of the Roosevelt policies that we like Mr. Taft. He appeals to our people from every point of view. We believe that he is not a person who will be subservient to any interests if he is in the White House, and that is the one thing that the State of West Virginia absolutely balks against. Our interests are so diversified that the slightest favoritism would place our largest concerns on an uneven footing. I am heartily in favor of Mr. Taft, and am sure that I am reflecting the opinion of the Republican party in West Virginia when I say that he will be the almost unanimous choice of her delegates."

ALLEE WILL FIGHT FOR ROOSEVELT.

Dover, Del., Nov. 16.—Former United States Senator J. Allee, on his return to his home here from Washington to-day, declared that he intended to be a candidate for delegate to the next Republican National Convention, and if successful would vote for the nomination of President Roosevelt. He said:

"I am going before the Republican party of my country and will seek the co-operation of the people for the following line of action: That I and three others of their choice be elected as delegates to the Republican National Convention to vote for and insist on the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt for President of the United States, and to insist on and vote for a prohibition plank in the platform of the Republican National Convention. "I have informed Mr. Roosevelt that I propose, stand or fall, to labor for the election of myself and those associates who would pledge to do these two things." Mr. Allee declined to tell what President Roosevelt said to him on his proposition.

MIDDIES MUST NOT LEND COATS.

Annapolis, Nov. 16.—Commander William S. Benson, commandant of midshipmen, has issued an order calling the attention of the midshipmen to that part of the regulations governing discipline at the institution which prohibits midshipmen from allowing unauthorized persons to wear their uniforms or parts thereof.

This new edict puts a ban on the practice that has been in vogue among the midshipmen in surrendering their overcoats or Mackintoshes for protection of female spectators from the chilling blasts or rain while watching the football games and the practice. It was promulgated after the Midshipmen-University of West Virginia football match. That game was played in a driving rain-storm, and a number of women braved the down-pour throughout the entire game, protected by the overcoats of their midshipmen escorts.

The new order is similar to the one issued at West Point, which caused much protest.

HAVANA'S POPULATION 299,278.

Havana, Nov. 16.—It was announced to-night that the recent census taken in this city shows that Havana has a population of 299,278, an increase of 6,380 over the census of 1899.

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ARMY AND NAVY NEWS.

Atlantic Fleet To Be in Battle Order at President's Review.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Washington, November 15. REVIEW OF ATLANTIC FLEET.—While the programme for President Roosevelt's review of the Atlantic battleship fleet before its departure to the Pacific has not been completed, it practically has been determined that the Mayflower, on which the President will make the trip, will be anchored off Hampton Roads at a point where all of the vessels can pass in review. It is the intention to make the coming review conform as nearly as possible to battle conditions.

STUDY OF FOOD SUPPLIES.—Steps taken in the last year in the bureau of supplies and accounts of the navy and the commissary department of the army to maintain the integrity of food supplies form an interesting chapter of the annual report of Paymaster General Rodgers of the navy, which was issued to-day. These departments have had men studying the method of inspection of tinned and salted meats by the bureau of animal industry and the bureau of chemistry of the Department of Agriculture. Mr. Rodgers says: "During the summer an officer of the pay corps visited the packing establishments at Kansas City, Omaha and Chicago, and carefully studied the processes. He then went to the Department of Agriculture and took the full term of study of the chemistry of foods and the analysis of food products. Another officer of the corps is now taking the same course, and others will follow as fast as they can be spared from other duties. It is hoped by this plan to secure in a few years trained experts in the inspection of foods, and the result cannot be other than good."

ORDERS ISSUED.—The following orders have been issued: ARMY. Colonel GARRIETT J. LYDECKER, corps of engineers, placed on retired list, with rank of brigadier general. Major THOMAS C. RAYMOND, surgeon, from Philippines February 15, to San Francisco. Captain WILLIAM H. MILLER, retired, detailed as professor of military science at Kentucky Military Institute, London. Captain JAMES S. SURVEY and CHARLES W. KUTZ, First Lieutenants ERNEST D. PEEK and GEORGE H. SPALDING, and Second Lieutenants ROBERT S. THOMAS and ROGER G. POWELL, corps of engineers, to general hospital at Washington Barracks for required preliminary physical examination, and if found physically qualified to Fort Myer, to undergo prescribed test in horsemanship; then to Army Building, to go home. First Lieutenant HOWARD S. MILLER, coast artillery corps, from 106th Company, to unassigned list; to report to commanding officers of artillery district of corps for assignment. First Lieutenant GEORGE W. HARRIS, 1st Infantry, from San Francisco to Vancouver Barracks, pending arrival of his regiment. NAVY. Lieutenant Commander H. H. CALDWELL, detached as inspector of ordnance at Philadelphia; to the Milwaukee. Lieutenant Commander G. H. BURRAGE, to navy yard, Washington. Lieutenant Commander A. RUST, detached from navy yard, Washington, to bureau of equipment. Lieutenant E. S. PARKER, detached from staff of commander in chief of Pacific fleet, on the West Virginia, to go home. Passed Assistant Surgeon R. H. MITCHELL, to continue at navy recruiting station, Kansas City. Assistant Surgeon J. H. BROWN, detached from navy recruiting station, Omaha; to the Missouri. MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS.—The following movements of war vessels have been reported to the Navy Department: Nov. 15.—The Rocket, at Washington; the Paducah, at target grounds off Cape Cruz. Nov. 16.—The Albany, from Salina Cruz, Mexico, for La Yula, San Salvador; the Paducah, from Guantanamo for target grounds off Cape Cruz; the Supply, from Yokohama for Guam; the Nebraska, from Bremerton for San Francisco.

TO SAVE MEXICAN WAR TROPHIES.

Flags and Guidons To Be Taken to Governor's Island.

The battle flags and guidons borne by the 1st Regiment, New York Volunteer Infantry, in the Mexican War will be taken to the post chapel of St. Cornelius the Centurion, on Governor's Island, to-day. They have remained furled in cases in the Governors' Room in the City Hall since the war-worn 1st Regiment had a reception on its return to New York, July 27, 1848. Owing to the fact that the emblems were in danger of destruction patriotic societies and individuals got the city to give them into the keeping of the military chapel. At the ceremony on Governor's Island this afternoon President McGowan will represent the Board of Aldermen, and Colonel Asa Bird Gardiner, on behalf of the city, will make the speech of presentation to Major General Frederick D. Grant. The flags and guidons will be carried by six veterans of the Mexican War, four of whom were in the 1st Regiment. Rear Admiral Casper F. Goodrich, commandant of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, with his staff, will represent the navy. The commanding officers of the regiments of the 1st and 2d Brigades, M. G. N. Y., will also be present with their staffs. They will be carried by members from patriotic societies. The officers and their staffs will leave South Ferry on the General Hancock at 2:30 o'clock for Governor's Island this afternoon.

WILSON TO CONFER WITH TAYLOR.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Indianapolis, Nov. 16.—Augustus E. Wilson, Governor-elect of Kentucky, will visit relatives in this city to-morrow, and while here will confer with former Governor W. S. Taylor, who has been a refugee in this state for several years.

Taylor refuses to say whether or not he will discuss his return to Kentucky, but it is known that friends have advised him to return, saying that Governor Hanly would have to honor a requisition from a Republican Governor of Kentucky, and that it is best for him to go back of his own volition.

DAUGHTER OF R. W. HUME KILLED.

Struck by a Train Near Summer Home at Kenosha, Wis. Kenosha, Wis., Nov. 16.—Mrs. Mary Hume Dougine, aged sixty-one years, the wife of Colonel J. T. Dougine, widely known in mining circles, was struck and killed to-day by a train at the Ashland avenue crossing. The Dougines have a summer home just south of Kenosha and Mrs. Dougine was driving to the city.

Mrs. Dougine was a daughter of the late Robert William Hume, of New York and had been prominent in New York City for years. She came to Kenosha last March.

THE ELKINS LAW ATTACKED.

Called Unconstitutional by Attorney at Hearing on Standard Oil Demurrer. Buffalo, Nov. 16.—At the hearing before Judge Hazel, in the United States Court to-day on the demurrer raised by the Standard Oil Company to the indictments reported against it by the grand jury, at Jamestown, last summer, charging the concern with accepting rebates on oil shipments made from Olean to points in Vermont, J. McCormick Mitchell, attorney for the defendant, attacked the constitutionality of the Elkins law.

Mr. Mitchell asserted that the power given Congress to regulate commerce did not include the power to fix rates, and argued that the power to punish a common carrier for transporting goods at a rate lower than the published schedules was a rate regulating power exercised by Congress. Mr. Mitchell contended that the law was defective and invalid in that it did not provide that a shipper should have some remedy if, although he paid a rate lower than the scheduled tariff, it could be shown that the scheduled rate was unreasonably high—a schedule rate which the shipper had no part in making.

Mr. Mitchell raised the question of insufficiency of the allegation of fact in the indictments to show violations of the offence charged, and also raised the question of jurisdiction. S. Wallace Dempsey, special attorney for the United States, answered for the government. Judge Hazel reserved decision.

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