

Fair today and tomorrow with rising temperature. Temperatures yesterday—Maximum, 58; minimum, 38.

The Herald has the largest morning circulation, and prints all the news of the world, with many exclusive features.

PRESIDENT MAKES FINAL APPEAL TO GOV. JOHNSON TO CHECK ANTI-ALIEN BILL

Message of Secretary of State Bryan Urges California Executive to Withhold His Signature to Bill.

REGARDED ONLY AS AN EFFORT TO GAIN TIME

SECRETARY OF STATE BRYAN'S MESSAGE TO GOV. JOHNSON

Hon. Hiram W. Johnson, Governor, Sacramento, Cal.

The President directs me to express his appreciation of your courtesy in delaying action on the bill now before you until its provisions could be communicated to the Japanese government and considered by it.

His Excellency Baron Chinda has, on behalf of his government, presented an earnest protest against the measure. As you have before you but two alternatives, viz.: to approve or to veto, it will avail nothing to recall to your attention the amendments suggested to the Legislature; and as the President has already laid before you his views upon the subject, it is unnecessary to reiterate them.

He passes over questions affecting treaty rights for two reasons—first, because the bill passed by the Legislature is avowedly intended to conform to treaty obligations, and second, because any conflict complained of would be a matter for the courts; but the President feels justified in expressing again his desire that action on the subject be deferred for this session, and he expresses the hope that the Legislature can be reconvened at any time the welfare of the State requires it.

It is fully alive to the importance of removing any root of discord which may create antagonism between American citizens and the subjects of oriental nations residing here, but he is impelled by a sense of duty to express the hope that you will see fit to allow time for diplomatic effort. The nations affected by the proposed law are friendly nations—nations that have shown themselves willing to co-operate in the establishment of harmonious relations between their people and ours.

If a postponement commends itself to your judgment, the President will be pleased to co-operate in a systematic effort to discover and correct any evils that may exist in connection with land ownership by aliens.

The President's final appeal to California to desist from any anti-Japanese legislation at this time was made public last night in the form of a telegram sent to Gov. Johnson yesterday by Secretary of State Bryan.

Secretary Bryan urged the Governor to withhold his signature from the alien land bill, in order to allow the government of the United States an opportunity to take up the question diplomatically with the government of Japan.

California in connection with the ownership of land in that State by Japanese.

Sparring for Time. The grounds upon which the Japanese base their protest against the California bill are not given by Mr. Bryan in his communication to the Governor.

The Secretary was also careful not to commit the President to a belief that the pending bill would involve violation of the treaty of 1881. In fact, he recites that the bill is avowedly intended to conform to treaty obligations of the United States.

The Secretary's message was regarded here last night solely as an effort upon the part of the Wilson administration to gain time by securing delays if possible. Recognizing the attitude of Japan as one of great earnestness, and one which might possibly involve the United States most seriously with that government, President Wilson and his advisers have come to believe that the interests of the nation as a whole demand that the matter be prevented from being brought to a sharp issue in the immediate future.

The message was drafted by Secretary Bryan yesterday in accordance with a decision reached during a conference between himself and President Wilson Saturday afternoon. This conference at the White House followed a series of discussions with the Japanese Ambassador, Viscount Chinda, during which the Ambassador made a complete presentation of his case.

From the viewpoint of both the Ambassador and the President, nothing now remains but for Gov. Johnson to decide whether he shall sign or veto the alien land bill. He has until Tuesday to make up his mind whether the bill is to become law or not. It is the expectation here, even in official quarters, that Gov. Johnson will reply to the Bryan message by signing the bill.

Clear indications of the President's intention to support California as against Japan in case the alien land bill becomes law were found in the Bryan message tonight. The total absence of anything suggesting that California has acted wrongfully in the present issue, and the careful avoidance of any phrase implying that the administration agrees with the Japanese view that the proposed law is in violation of the treaty with Japan, were interpreted last night as showing that the President is prepared to defend the State in what the California Legislature regard as their rights in the matter, should the Governor sign the bill.

Japan Referred to Courts. The message likewise indicated beyond doubt that should the bill become law, the President will notify Japan that she may find her recourse in the Federal courts of California. The Bryan message recites that questions affecting treaty rights and any conflict complained of would be a matter for the courts. It is now regarded as quite certain that Ambassador Chinda will be told that if his government still complains of treaty violations, their best return will be to have one of their sub-

Continued on page three.

MAY NOT BE AS BAD AS HE THINKS.



FRIEDMANN AID SAYS HE'LL TALK

Threatens to Reveal Serum Secret and Sues for \$100,000.

CLAIMS ATTORNEY'S FEES

American Assistant Wants Big Sum for Part in Sale of "Cure," Papers Are Served.

New York, May 11.—Dr. M. A. Sturm, for two months the confidential assistant to Dr. F. F. Friedmann, succeeding Dr. Benjamin, the laboratory assistant Dr. Friedmann brought to this country forty-eight hours he would make public the secrets of the Friedmann vaccine. He declared that he would give the secret to the Rockefeller Institute, a committee of the New York County Medical Society, and any reputable physician who desired it for purposes of research and experimentation.

RAILROAD MAY BUILD LINE TO ALASKA

Chicago to Dawson by Train May Be Reality, if Plans of Canada's Premier Materialize.

Juneau, Alaska, May 11.—The active interest taken by Premier Richard McBride, of British Columbia, in the proposed railway extension by the Grand Trunk Pacific to Dawson City has created enthusiastic interest among the trading, canning, and mining concerns of the United States operating in Alaska.

KAISER COUNTERMANDS INVITATION TO MANUEL

Deposed Portuguese King Barred from Wedding of Princess Luisa Because of Part in Royalist Plot.

Berlin, May 11.—It was reported here tonight that Emperor William has countermanded the invitation for former King Manuel to attend the wedding of the Kaiser's daughter, Princess Victoria Luisa, owing to the discovery that the deposed king was implicated in the recent attempted uprising in Lisbon.

CONVICTS NO VEGETARIANS.

Prisoners in Wisconsin Workhouse Weep Over Bill of Fare. Marinette, Wis., May 11.—Prisoners at the Marinette County workhouse, according to District Attorney E. W. Miller, in a statement to the county board, had come to him so unwept that they wept because they had been compelled to subsist on a vegetarian diet of cornmeal mush, potatoes, and black coffee.

When facing other sentences, following such experiences, they have pleaded to be sent to the rock pile at the county jail instead of to the workhouse.

Peter J. Christ, the workhouse keeper, has been suspended, pending his trial on the charge of killing a prisoner in a quarrel. His salary is \$1,650 a year, and out of it he has to board the prisoners.

An investigation by the county commissioners is in prospect.

CHINESE MILLIONAIRE GOES HOME TO DIE

Sing Ho, Who Amassed Fortune in America to Spend Declining Days in Land of Dragon.

Spokane, Wash., May 11.—Worn out and enfeebled from forty years of wealth amassed in America, Sing Ho, Chinese millionaire and probably the richest member of his race in the Spokane country, will leave in a few days to spend his last days in China.

WOMEN DEMAND WRAPPED BREAD

Clubs and Social Service Organizations in Long Fight for Sanitary Staple.

BILL IS NOW PENDING

Senator McCumber of North Carolina Joins Campaign by Introducing Strong Resolution.

Despite earnest representations of consumers in all sections of the District of several women's clubs and organizations for social service and welfare work, and the advocacy of leading physicians of the city, the bakers of Washington have been slow to recognize the necessity of protecting their bread from contamination by dust, insects, and dirty hands by having it wrapped in sanitary paper before leaving their bakeries.

REVOLUTIONISTS OFFER TO SETTLE CLAIMS

R. V. Pesquera, Agent of Carranza Following, Says Success Would Mean Prompt Adjudication.

HUERTA REGIME SHAKY

Promise of prompt settlement of American claims against the government of Mexico was made last night in behalf of the Carranza revolution by Roberto V. Pesquera, agent of the constitutionalist faction.

VINCENT ASTOR ILL.

Unable to Entertain Members of Military Committee. Poughkeepsie, May 11.—Vincent Astor returned to Ferncliffe, his country home at Rhinebeck, this afternoon in a state of collapse, was so ill that the reception which he planned for the members of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs at Ferncliffe was abandoned.

He is suffering from a severe cold, and his throat has caused him much distress. Whether or not he will undergo an operation for his throat trouble is still undecided.

Is 100; Needs No Glasses. Sycamore, Ill., May 11.—Mrs. Margaret Swinbank celebrated at her home in Sycamore her one hundred birthday. She was born in Kendal, Westmoreland, England. She is up and around the home daily, and reads without the aid of glasses.

\$1.00 to Frederick, Keedysville for Anniversary. \$1.50 Berkeley Springs; \$2.00 Cambridge Springs; \$2.50 Gettysburg; \$3.00 Hagerstown; \$3.50 Harpers Ferry; \$4.00 Martinsburg; \$4.50 New Market; \$5.00 Winchester; \$5.50 Williamsport; \$6.00 York. Returning same day.

KISSING PRIVILEGES NOT POPULAR HERE

Union Station Dictator Says that Occasional Machines Are Not for Capital Travelers.

Over at Waterloo Station, London, a tariff has been placed upon kissing. Signs have been hung, nailed, and glued, announcing that any one who cares to walk out on to the platforms and kiss departing friends, sweethearts, and relatives adieu will have to put "tuppence" in a slot machine, which is placed conveniently at the platform entrance.

CONVICTS GIVE BANQUET TO RETIRING WARDEN

Jail Band Plays, Man Convicted of Manslaughter Acts as Toastmaster, and Prisoners Make Speeches.

Special to The Washington Herald. Grand Forks, N. Dak., May 11.—In a prison dining-room, robbed of all conditions common to such places by the liberal use of flowers and palms, with an orchestra made up of convicts playing behind a wall of green, 200 prisoners in the North Dakota penitentiary tendered a farewell banquet to F. O. Hellstrom, the retiring warden, greeting the new warden, F. A. Talbot, at the same time.

WATER IN BAPTISMAL TANK GETS PIPING HOT

Officiating Clergymen Steps Into It and Steps Right Out Again Quickly.

Detroit, May 11.—A small steam pipe delayed a baptismal service 45 minutes at the Woodward Avenue Baptist Church today and came near causing the ceremony to be postponed until another time.

VETERAN GIVES RULES FOR KEEPING YOUNG

Gen. Horatio Gibson, Oldest West Point Graduate, Tells Secrets of Record Service.

If you want to reach the age of eighty years and be hale, hearty, and active as Gen. Horatio Gibson, of 142 Twenty-first Street Northwest, the oldest living West Point graduate, it is not by accident, but by the strictest and take various precautions, according to the old warrior who has seen service in three wars.

NEEDLESS BURDENS.

This is the month when many are either moving or thinking of moving to the country, or mountain, or seashore, and, in packing away, will find any number of things that the household knows will never be used again and that will merely serve as dust collectors in the attic all summer.

VEUVISUS IS ACTIVE.

Rome, May 11.—The volcano of Mount Veuvisus continued to show signs of increased activity today. The earth tremors which have continued for the last twenty-four hours are the most severe which have occurred in this section in many years.

BEBE WEIGHS 7 1/2 OUNCES.

Mattoon, Ill., May 11.—A baby fully developed and weighing only seven and one-fourth ounces was born last week to Mr. and Mrs. R. Russell. The child was one of twins. The other died. The child is said by physicians to be the smallest fully developed child that ever lived after birth.

WORLD'S NATIONS ASKED TO JOIN IN PEACE JUBILEE

Distinguished Conferees to Be Received by Wilson and Bryan Today.

BANQUET THIS EVENING

Sight-seeing Trips Around Capital Will Fill in Visit Till Departure Tomorrow.

Following the adoption at the international conference in New York of a manifesto inviting every nation on earth to join with Great Britain and the United States in commemorating the 100 years of peace between these two countries, the distinguished party of English, Canadian, and Australian statesmen and publicists, now on a visit to the United States for the purpose of arranging a joint celebration, will reach Washington this morning at 10 o'clock.

The distinguished party of English, Canadian, and Australian statesmen and publicists, now on a visit to the United States for the purpose of arranging a programme for the joint celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of peace between Great Britain and the United States, will reach Washington at 10 o'clock this morning.

They will be met at Union Station by a committee of the Washington Committee for International Peace, which will tender a banquet to the foreign delegates and to a large number of citizens of Washington, including members of the Committee of One Hundred to arrange for the centenary anniversary of the Treaty of Ghent. The banquet will be held at the home of Col. Robert M. Thompson in Sheridan Circle.

In the evening the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace will tender a banquet to the foreign delegates and to a large number of citizens of Washington, including members of the Committee of One Hundred to arrange for the centenary anniversary of the Treaty of Ghent. The banquet will be held at the home of Col. Robert M. Thompson in Sheridan Circle.

Senator Elihu Root, President of the Carnegie Endowment, will preside at the banquet and act as toastmaster. The list of after-dinner speakers includes Secretary of State Bryan; the British Ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice; the Right Honorable Lord Wade, chairman of the British visiting committee; Sir Edmund Walker, chairman of the Canadian delegation; the Honorable Sir George Houston Reid, High Commissioner for Australia; Hon. C. DeBryne, Alderman, representing the municipality of Ghent, where the Treaty of Ghent was signed; Eugene H. O'Connell, representing the province of Newfoundland, and Andrew Carnegie.

The ballroom of the New Willard will be spread for thirty-three tables, and trustees of the Carnegie Endowment will be present.

Continued on page three.

'DRIFTERS' ARE MENACE, DECLARES JOHN D., JR.

Son of Oil King Addresses Sunday School Class on Ambition and Ability.

New York, May 11.—Drawing a picture of a man in a boat to illustrate his remarks, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., today addressed the young men's class of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church. "A Dead Weight or a Live Wire—Which?" Mr. Rockefeller condemned the man who is willing to drift, lying back in his boat, saying he might have ability, but he is lazy.

"He likes pleasure, ease, and comfort," said Mr. Rockefeller. "He never does the thing today that he can put off until tomorrow. All he is interested in is what he can get out of today."

The man "who arrives," however, he said, was the one who is not satisfied to do the work that is before him, but will do the work of the other man as well.

"The kind of a man who goes to night school to better his position," he continued, "is the kind of a man you cannot count down, the kind of a man who drifts is a menace to society—a dead weight. But the man who 'arrives,' is the 'live wire.' He is a man whose life has been planned, who makes each day in his life count."

NEEDLESS BURDENS.

This is the month when many are either moving or thinking of moving to the country, or mountain, or seashore, and, in packing away, will find any number of things that the household knows will never be used again and that will merely serve as dust collectors in the attic all summer.

Why not get rid of these unnecessary things in the business like up-to-date way by putting an Ad in The Herald Want Columns, telling exactly what you want to sell, and your burden of useless articles will soon vanish.

This is the common sense way to go about it, too, for then you recover something on your original investment, which often comes in very handy during the summer vacation.

Don't carry needless burdens back and forth from country to town or pay storage charges when Herald Want Ads will get rid of them for you and you will profit by the deal.