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SEVENTY MINERS DEPORTED

Affecting Scenes as Wives, Mothers and Sweethearts Bade the Men Good-bye at the Depot.

Over Sixty Were Retained in the Bullpen to Answer to the Charge of Murder.

TAKEN TO KANSAS LINE

Kansas Citizens Have Entered Protest Against Colorado Miners Being Dumped in That State.

Colorado Springs, Colo., June 10.—Seventy-six miners were deported by General Bell today from Victor. They will be taken to the Kansas line. Another party of exiles will be sent out tomorrow.

About 60 were confined in the bullpen to await trial before the civil authorities for murder. There were affecting scenes attending the loading of the miners today. Among the crowd to see the men loaded were mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts of the men, crying good-bye and trying in every manner to push through the lines of soldiers for a parting handshake. Most of the women, however, had been admitted to the armory this morning before the men were marched away. In answer to a request, Clarence C. Hamlin, as "head of the vigilantes," a statement was issued by him. He denies there is a vigilantes committee, the only approach to it being Monday after the outrage at Independence, when determined citizens took measures to force the resignation of incompetent and weak officials. He says the position of Cripple Creek operators has been placed in a false light in the east, when it is stated that the troubles are the outgrowth of the failure of the eight-hour law to pass the legislature. He says the eight-hour law has been in practical effect for ten years, and that the strike is due to the fact that the striking power is lodged in a few leaders, criminals themselves, and dependent upon crime to attain their ends.

The real purpose of the strike, continues Hamlin, is to compel every miner in the district to join the Western Federation of Miners or leave the country. This organization, he says, has a record of lawlessness, murder, arson and dynamiting in Coeur d'Alene, Telluride, Leadville, Idaho Springs, Telluride, Cripple Creek and elsewhere paralleled only by the outrages of the Mollie Maguires in Pennsylvania.

"Our fight," concludes Hamlin, "is not against unionism as such, but against criminal organization, and it will not be discontinued until no member is left in Teller county."

Peabody Talks.

Denver, Colo., June 10.—"I believe in stamping out this set of dynamiters," said Governor Peabody today, "and I intend it shall be done. The supreme court has granted me the power that policemen and sheriffs have and I am exercising that power."

CHEERED PEABODY.

Commercial Travelers Applaud His Speech to Convention.

Denver, Colo., June 10.—Fully 1000 commercial travelers from all over the west are attending the fourth grand council meeting of the United Commercial Travelers of America which began here today. Governor James H. Peabody delivered an address, in which he referred to the labor disturbances as follows:

"You can be of great assistance in putting an end to the present strike. Traveling as you do from town to town, your influence is felt in more ways than one."

A delegate proposed three cheers for Peabody, who, he said, was "governor for all the people all the time," and they were heartily given.

ELUDED THE POSSE.

Colorado Train Robbers Giving Their Pursuers Hot Chase.

Newcastle, Colo., June 10.—Numerous reports that the large posse which is pursuing the two remaining Denver & Rio Grande train robbers were about to close in on them were received today, but the latest information received here tonight is to the effect that at no time today has the posse been within rifle range of the hunted bandits. It is now believed that the men have escaped into Gunnison county, which is in the opposite direction from that in which they were going when the posse encountered them yesterday and shot one of their companions. The chase is being continued.

THREE PERSONS DROWNED.

Waterspout Causes Loss of Life and Property.

Oklahoma City, I. T., June 10.—Three persons were drowned during a waterspout which fell near Mill Creek, I. T., early this morning.

A small stream near the town became a raging torrent half a mile wide and several houses were swept away.

CHIEF OF COSSACKS KILLED IN A CHARGE IN BATTLE OF SIU YEN

Japanese Sharpshooters Are Picking off the Russian Officers All Along the Advance.

Details of the Battle of Saimatze---Japanese Suffered Heavy Losses ---All Is Reported Well at Port Arthur---Russians Allow Foreigners to Leave on Norwegian Steamer--- Channel Not Blocked.

St. Petersburg, June 10.—The czar has received from General Kuropatkin the following telegram, dated June 9:

"On the morning of June 8 a Japanese infantry brigade, two mountain batteries and five squadrons of cavalry, marched against Siu Yen. About 11 o'clock the Japanese appeared before the town on the south side, but were checked by the fire from our batteries.

"The Japanese infantry then began advancing against the town from the east, and came in contact with the Cossacks holding the pass. After two hours of fighting the Cossacks were obliged to retreat, and our artillery opened fire along the pass, not allowing the Japanese to establish themselves. At this moment the Japanese mountain battery arrived and took a position to the south, but after firing a few rounds was silenced by our battery.

"The second Japanese battery did not succeed in getting into action, but was compelled to evacuate its position under the fire of our guns.

"In the course of the fight a flank-of Japanese infantry was observed northeast of Siu Yen, threatening our line of retreat. Consequently our Cossacks gradually withdrew five miles from Siu Yen, keeping up their fire from a battery on the dense column of the enemy at a range of 600 yards. The fire slackened about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Among our losses were Cheremissineff, chief of the Cossacks; Cornet Kemarovski and Lieutenant Colonel Possonoff.

"At Saimatze, June 7, an outpost company on the Ai Yang road was attacked by the enemy. A detachment of chasurs was sent as reinforcement. The chasurs at first pressed the Japanese, inflicting losses, but their advance was checked by a very severe fire. Reinforcements now joined the enemy, at which time the commander of our detachment ordered a retreat. Our wounded included Captain Makharoff and Lieutenant Ronjitski. Both officers, however, remained in the ranks. About 100 men were killed or wounded. The enemy suffered heavily."

ALL WELL AT PORT ARTHUR.

Foreign Residents Allowed to Leave the City on Steamer.

St. Petersburg, June 10.—Novoe Vrmya has received a message from the officers of the battleship Peresviet at Port Arthur reporting "all well." It was sent to Liao Yang June 9. The Port Arthur date is not specified. The communication may have been brought to Niuchwang by a Chinese junk.

Russians Kept Guessing.

St. Petersburg, June 10.—News of fighting at Siu Yen furnishes food for much speculation concerning the real Japanese objective point. Whether the advance constitutes a forward movement in force, the military authorities do not pretend to know. Its character depends largely on whether Kuroki has the number of troops with which reports credit him. If he has, it is thought possible that the Japanese may attempt to push across the peninsula and establish a base at Niuchwang.

The direct road to Niuchwang passes south of Hai Cheng. Such a movement on the part of Kuroki might precipitate a serious engagement in the neighborhood of Hai Cheng, if Kuropatkin thought the time ripe to contest the advance. But it is also pointed out that the Japanese movements to Saimatza and Siu Yen may be either feints or merely a continuation of the effort to distract the Russian attention from Port Arthur.

Harbor Entrance Clear.

Chefoo, June 11.—(Noon.)—Letters received here from foreigners in business at Port Arthur state that application has been made to the Russian authorities to allow the Norwegian steamer Sentis to take foreign noncombatants away from Port Arthur, and it is thought that the Russian authorities will grant the request. The fact that the application has been made would indicate that the entrance to the harbor of Port Arthur is at least partially clear, as the Sentis is a large ship.

RAN AWAY FROM HOME.

Boy Could Not Bear Reprimand From School Teacher.

Portland, June 10.—Albert Wyatt, 14 years of age, of Corvallis, chafed under a reprimand given him last Wednesday by his teacher in the Newton school, for not being able to do a sum in arithmetic, and successfully did a disappearing act thereafter that caused his parents, relatives, friends and the school ma'am no end of trouble and mathematical thought.

When Albert failed to come home that evening, his father, John Wyatt, a well-known farmer, started a search that reached as far as Portland, and until last night Albert kept a safe distance ahead of the mathematical problem that was working to find him. It was found yesterday that the boy had walked, moneyless and hungry, from Corvallis to Albany, a distance of 12 miles. In Albany the clue was gathered that he had boarded the 4:30 train to Portland. Further inquiry disclosed that he had reached the home of an aunt, Mrs. Conner, 275 Montgomery street, this city, about 10:30 o'clock, had rapped on the door and gained admission, but gave the aunt no tangible clue as to why he bobbed up in Portland, his first visit to the city, in that mysterious fashion. He jumped out of Portland yesterday and went to Perrydale, where he had sisters to visit.

With singular cunning, young Wyatt evaded the efforts of his aunt here to learn the reason of his flight from home. To all questions he gave indefinite answers. His father came from Corvallis to Perrydale to get him today.

UPRISING IN SIAM.

Rebellion Threatens to Be the Most Serious in Years.

Paris, June 10.—A rebellion has broken out in Siam, which is the most serious in recent years. Several fierce battles have been fought in the interior provinces, and the whole empire threatens to become overrun with a most bitter civil war.

From many points come reports that prominent officials have been murdered and public buildings sacked or given over to incendiary flames. The damage in this latter respect includes valuable historical relics and archives in some of the larger cities.

A battle has been fought between the Siamese troops and rebels at a small station known as Hondrapura, in which there were heavy casualties on both sides. The rebels were finally driven to retreat, but the troops were so decimated by the fighting that they were unable to follow their advantage, and were compelled to withdraw to a point where reinforcements could be reached.

Crew Gallantly Fought the Waves.

San Francisco, June 10.—The vessel which yesterday made signals of distress off the Farallon islands was the schooner Antelope, from the Coquille river, Oregon. She sprung a leak and her cargo of lumber shifted, compelling the crew to take to the rigging. She was towed into port today by the tug Sea Rover.

The men on the Antelope suffered severely before being rescued. For ten hours Mate Back clung to the foremast and frantically signaled for help, and the four other members of the crew vainly endeavored to save the little craft from going to the bottom. When the cargo shifted, owing to the force of the wind, the rudder snapped and was carried away, soon to be followed by the smashing of the aft hatchway and the steering wheel. The starboard bulwarks were smashed, the waves whipped the docks with a fury that rendered repairs impossible, and Skipper Cuthrell ordered the lifeboat in readiness to be put to sea, but this was rendered unnecessary by the arrival of the Sea Rover.

MUST RESIGN.

Commander of Canadian Militia Displeases His Superiors.

Ottawa, June 10.—Lord Dundonald, commander in chief of the Canadian military and a veteran of the South African war, must resign his position or his appointment will be cancelled by the Canadian government.

The cause of the rupture was a speech delivered recently by Lord Dundonald in which he said the appointment of officers in the militia was by political preferment.

Will Be Released.

London, June 10.—The release of Perdicaris and Varley may be expected in a few days, says the Tangier correspondent of the Daily Mail. Practically all of Raisulis' conditions have been accepted by the sultan.

Fought to a Draw.

Savannah, June 10.—Tommy Feltz of Brooklyn and Eddie Lenny of Chester, Pa., boxed 20 rounds to a draw tonight.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Pacific Coast.

At Los Angeles—Portland, 1; Los Angeles, 6.

At San Francisco—Oakland, 1; San Francisco, 6.

At Seattle—Tacoma, 7; Seattle, 1.

Pacific National.

At Salt Lake—Boise, 0; Salt Lake, 4.

American.

At St. Louis—Boston, 7; St. Louis, 1.

At Cleveland—Philadelphia, 1; Cleveland, 3.

At Detroit—Washington, 4; Detroit, 1.

At Chicago—New York, 5; Chicago, 8.

National.

At New York—Chicago, 0; New York, 5.

At Brooklyn—St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

At Boston—Pittsburg, 8; Boston, 4.

MRS. ELIAS FREE FROM THE CHARGE

Negress Charged by Millionaire With Extortion Discharged by the Judge in New York.

Milionaire Platt so Excited and Ashamed He Could Not Answer the Questions.

WAS AT ONCE RE-ARRESTED

Crowd on Outside of Courthouse Hissed and Hooted as Old Man Was Helped to Carriage.

New York, June 10.—Mrs. Hanna Elias was today discharged on the motion of Assistant District Attorney Rand at the conclusion of the testimony of John H. Platt, the old millionaire who issued a warrant for her arrest for extortion.

Platt proved a disappointing witness. To the questions bearing directly on the charges on which the woman's arrest had been made, he answered repeatedly, "I don't know." His helplessness and his apparently unreliable memory surprised those who attended his examination. He did not remember whether he had given Mrs. Elias large sums of money during the last ten years, as charged, and did not remember signing certain papers in connection with his charges against her.

The ordeal was a trying one on the old man and his replies became scarcely audible toward the last. As soon as he had left the witness chair, Assistant Attorney Rand said: "Your honor, I think the parties to this miserable scandal ought to be allowed to stew out their own troubles. There is no evidence before you that will possibly serve to hold the woman on a charge of extortion. I recommend that she be discharged." The magistrate thereupon discharged the woman.

Immediately afterward Mrs. Elias was rearrested on a writ in the civil suit originally brought against her by Platt to recover $680. She was released a few minutes afterward on $5000 bail. Several thousand persons,

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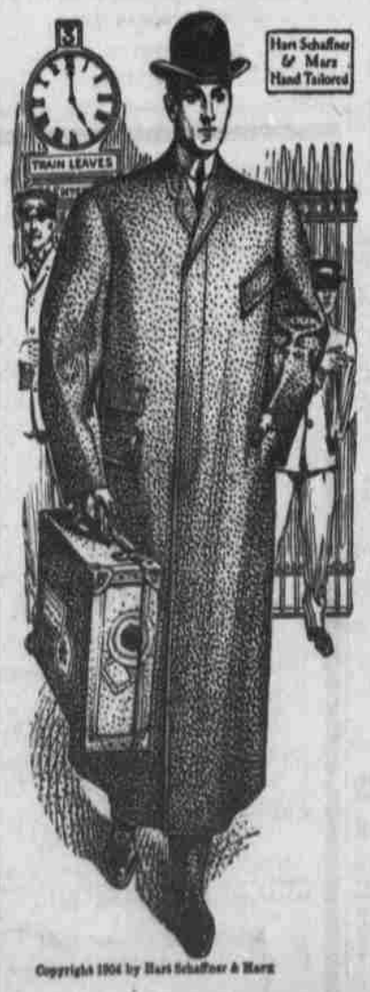
FOR ALL WEATHERS!



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