

KOREANS GIVE JAPS EXCUSE

Riots in Seoul and the Residence of the Premier, Yi Wang Yang, Burned.

PALACE BEING GUARDED

HERMIT KINGDOM IN CLUTCHES OF OPPRESSORS.

Tokio, July 20.—A dispatch from Seoul says that an enraged mob of 1,000 persons has attacked and burned the residence of the Korean premier, Yi Wang Yang. The premier was absent at the time on a visit to the palace.

Seoul, July 20.—This afternoon the rioters surrounding the residence of the premier were dispersed by the Japanese police with the assistance of artillery. The premier sought refuge in the palace.

Seoul, July 20.—The streets were being cleared at noon when desultory rifle firing was heard in different parts of the city, presumably by the deserters from the Ping Yang regiment, whose plotting continues.

A concentrated effort was made at 2 p. m. today (Saturday) to murder the entire cabinet. After haranguing at the Temple of Heaven a mob of 2,000 marched a mile to the mansion of Iwanoy, which they sacked and burned. The same fate was then visited on the homes of the prime minister and others.

Repulsed by Japs. The same mob then proceeded to the home of the minister of war, near the old palace, but here they were met by Japanese guards, who repulsed the rioters, wounding and killing many. Marquis Ito delayed his arrival at the emperor's audience an hour, while the foreign consuls general awaited.

ITO AT THE PALACE. The environs of the American and British consulates are guarded on account of their proximity to the palace.

Not a Grain of Comfort for the Poor Old Emperor. Tokio, July 20.—The following, it is claimed, was the gist of the conversation between the ex-emperor of Korea and Marquis Ito, at the audience granted the latter on Thursday last, July 18.

The emperor, asserting his ignorance of the dispatch of the deputation to The Hague, the Marquis Ito replied that he had not come to ask the origin of the authority for the deputation. When the emperor asked Marquis Ito's opinion regarding his abdication of the throne, the latter is said to have answered that the affair was one purely for imperial consideration in Korea, and a matter which no foreign subject could pass judgment.

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ceived the former emperor's petition asking him to aid in subduing disorders, immediately ordered General Hasegawa to send troops to the scene. The soldiers arrived half an hour before the time of the intended dash of the Korean general from the barracks opposite the palace gate.

USELESS FORMALITY.

Japanese Government Notified of Emperor's Abdication.

Seoul, July 20.—The Korean cabinet has formally notified the Japanese government of the abdication of the emperor and the accession of the crown prince. During the night the imperial deputation visited the mausoleums and made the same announcement to the spirits of their ancestors.

The events occurring here which are working to the advantage of Japan, are not commented on at the Japanese residency general except as they do not affect the program already planned. The new emperor will occupy the old palace, the former emperor remaining in his old refuge, adjoining the American and Russian consulates. The cabinet continues in office, but on account of their alarm two men have in turn refused to accept appointment to the vacant position of the household ministry.

TEN JAPS KILLED.

Not Thought Worth While to Count the Korean Victims.

Seoul, July 20.—At 11:30 o'clock last night General Hasegawa's troops garrisoned the palace and were also stationed at all important places. During the night the Ping Yang regiment, said to be the best in the Korean army, was disarmed on account of having furnished yesterday's mutineers and also because it was suspected of plotting to capture the palace, in an attempted coup d'etat. The students of the military school are reported to have attempted to collect military supplies on a hill overlooking the city. The Korean army is widely distributed throughout the country and is not feared.

Yesterday's disorder extended to the suburbs for a distance of two miles, where a station master on the Chemulpo railway is reported to have been killed.

Korean Victims Not Numbered. An official report this morning states that a total of ten Japanese were killed and thirty wounded during the rioting. The number of Korean victims has not been reported.

The shops of Seoul have been closed now for thirty-six hours. Today the crowds are greater and the native spirit is higher, necessitating a greater show of military force, as the people are encouraged and inflamed by the successful killings of yesterday. General Hasegawa has two machine guns turned in the barracks opposite the gate. The number of machine guns was doubled, covering all the main approaches to the palace.

Troops are patrolling the main streets of the city in the face of a mob inflamed to frenzy by students. The anger of the Korean mass appears now to be directed less against the Japanese than against the Korean ministers, all of whom they have vowed to kill. The situation appears to warrant the proclaiming of martial law, but Ito, desirous of avoiding interference except to protect foreigners and the throne, is exceedingly reluctant to resort to military rule.

Consul General Not Alarmed. Seoul, July 20.—United States Consul General Sammons late yesterday afternoon, in reply to Marquis Ito's offer of protection to foreign consulates, stated that he would leave the matter of protecting Americans to Ito's discretion, as he was without information regarding danger from mobs.

On account of the fact that the American consulate general adjoins the former emperor's private house, it is daily thought that the ex-ruler will seek it as an asylum of safety, giving cause the presence of Japanese troops for the alleged purpose of preventing his escape or a possible accident. It is said, however, that since November, 1905, the Koreans have not hoped for American aid.

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General Hasegawa's troops still garrison the palace, and a regiment from the Ping Yang arrived at Seoul this morning to reinforce the Twentieth regiment already here.

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SMALPOX IN COUNTY JAIL

Mayor Schmitz and Witness Zimmer Vaccinated—Latter's Sentence Had Expired.

San Francisco, July 20.—Judge Lawler was compelled to postpone until next Thursday his decision on the motions to set aside the indictments against Patrick Calhoun, Thornton Mullaly, Tiley L. Ford and William M. Abbott of the United Railroad; Frank G. Drum, Eugene DeSaba, and John Martin of the gas company; Louis Glass of the telephone company; Eugene E. Schmitz and the Rief, because the minutes of Judge Graham's department have not been amended to conform to the facts.

Schmitz was not allowed to leave the county jail and was not in court this morning, Judge Lawler having instructed the sheriff to permit no one to leave the jail so long as there is evidence of smallpox contagion there. This order had the effect of prolonging the imprisonment of E. J. Zimmer, the official of the telephone company whose refusal to testify in the Glass case brought upon him a sentence of five days in jail. His term of imprisonment ended at 12:30 today, but he was not allowed to leave the jail.

The danger from the threatened epidemic of smallpox at the county jail is about passed. Health Officer Watkins, with a corps of assistants, made a thorough inspection of the prison house this morning, excelling the inmates as furnished the cells. Only four cases have thus far been discovered. The patients were promptly moved to the city hospital, where they are now under treatment.

Eugene E. Schmitz, who has been exposed to contagion, refused to be vaccinated by the health officer, but summoned his own physician to perform the operation. E. J. Zimmer, under sentence for contempt of court in the Glass case, made no protest and, with the other inmates, submitted while the virus was introduced into his arm.

AMERICANS WED IN LONDON

Dr. David Moffat Gillespie United in Marriage to Lillian Brechemin.

London, July 20.—An interesting marriage ceremony was celebrated at St. Margaret's chapel, Westminster, the scene of so many royal weddings, on today. Dr. David Moffat Gillespie, son of the late William Gillespie of New York, and a nephew of David Moffat, the Denver financier, was married to Lillian Brechemin, daughter of Lieutenant Colonel Louis Brechemin of the United States army. The bridesmaids were given by her father, Captain Sydney A. Cloman, the American military attaché, was the best man, and Miss Helen De Young was maid of honor.

The bride, who is a blonde, was robed in a gown of Ninon point lace, and wore a chain of pearls and a diamond gift of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. De Young. She also had on a brooch of diamonds and rubies, the gift of the groom. Helen De Young wore a gown of pink chiffon trimmed with Valenciennes lace and a large white hat covered with feathers. Among those who attended the ceremony and the wedding breakfast at the Westminster Hotel were Mrs. Mary Gillespie, mother of the groom; Mrs. Brechemin, mother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. De Young of San Francisco, and their daughters, Miss Catherine and Kathleen; Mrs. Mexica Capron and Mrs. Natalie of Washington; Captain and Mrs. Cloman and Sigmund Bell of San Francisco.

NEW YORK WAS FIRST.

Prizes Awarded for Elks' Lodges Outside of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, July 20.—Announcement was made today that the New York City lodge of Elks had won the grand prize of \$500 for having the largest number of men in Thursday's parade. Kansas City, Mo., was second with a prize of \$300, and the third prize, \$100, went to the Scranton lodge. These prizes were for lodges located more than seventy-five miles from Philadelphia. The first prize of \$300 for the lodge having the greatest aggregate mileage was awarded to New Orleans, Denver was given second money, \$150, and El Paso, Tex., third, \$100.

STATE REGALIA PAWNED.

Social and Semi-Political Scandal at Dublin, Ireland.

Dublin, July 20.—Sensational rumors are current here in regard to the theft from Dublin Castle a few weeks ago for a portion of the state regalia. The regalia, valued at \$100,000, are now being traced out that the gems may soon be "discovered" without any explanation as to where they have been or who returned them. It is said they have been deposited as security for a loan, and the name of the alleged creditor is freely mentioned in connection with hints of a tragic social and semi-political scandal. It is of course impossible to verify these rumors, but they are being freely circulated in circles whose channels of information undoubtedly are good.

THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT.

Again the clearings of Salt Lake are up with Denver. Both cities passed the eight million mark last week, and Salt Lake was only a trifle behind in the odd figures. And Hartman has bought Saltair and the Northwestern is building down from Casper, Wyo., and Second street from the temple to popper-ton is taking on her drive form and getting ready to become the best, shadiest and altogether loveliest of streets for pleasure driving.

Speaking of popper-ton—or rather, speaking of Federal Heights, which lies next to popper-ton—have you then been to see how the scenery and views are making it ready for beautiful homes? If not, why not? It is unfolding in beautiful curves and will be one of the best-dressed homestead localities in all the west.

Don't put off going. "Do it now." See what genius and money can do in the making of the suburb beautiful. Right next to it, on the same slightly eminence, is popper-ton. There are no lots for sale in popper-ton, but there is no law against looking at it, and, maybe, maybe, you will have a chance to pick up something to put the four corners of a home upon.

The songs we sing of popper-ton, you have written you a poem for the fleeting years of time. The verses of this poem are from Nature's facile pen. And are written on the land itself to please the eyes of men.

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THREE BIG DAYS OF JOLLITY

Promised by Citizens of Nephi on Occasion of War Veterans' Encampment.

Nephi, Utah, July 20.—Three days of "big time" is the program for the Indian war veterans' encampment to be held here on the 23d, 24th and 25th instants. The program for July 23, forenoon, raising of flags, serenade of bands and pitching of the big camp; afternoon, tug of war company; Levan and Moroni, horse races, grand parade, field sports, baseball between Nephi and Payson, complimentary ball to veterans in the evening, big tent assembly.

Wednesday, 24.—Program at 10:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. Afternoon, big sham Indian horse race, evening, basket ball, Nephi vs. Marifi, colored minstrel show, two dances.

MOVE FOR BETTER SERVICE

Tintic Commercial Club Forwards R. G. Western Co. a Series of Grievances.

Eureka, July 19.—The Tintic Commercial club is not going to remain dormant, as it has been for some time past. It has been sent in to the R. G. W. railway company. In this matter the entire district is with them, as the service over that system has been very execrable.

KILLED ON THE TRACK.

San Francisco, July 20.—Peter Sheridan, an aged man, who lived at 222 Cheney street, was struck by a train at Bernai street, near College Hill, this morning, and was killed. The engineer sounding the bell, but Sheridan evidently did not hear it. Sheridan was 65 years old and was formerly employed as tender of the Fourth street bridge.

BANK FOUND INSOLVENT.

Washington, July 20.—The Farmer's National bank of Boyertown was today ordered closed by the comptroller of the currency upon a report of National Bank Examiner Bingham, showing it to be insolvent. J. W. Scoville, bank examiner, has been appointed receiver. The bank has a capital of \$50,000.

INJUNCTION REFUSED.

Omaha, July 20.—Judge Mulger in the United States district court, today declined to issue an injunction prayed for by the five express companies to restrain the state railway commission and attorney general from the enforcement of the law reducing express rates 25 per cent.

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ORGANIZATION PERFECTED

Carpenters and Joiners of Eureka Form Union With Enrollment of Twenty-five.

Eureka, July 19.—The Carpenters and Joiners of Eureka have organized and last evening twenty-five of them became members of the Carpenters and Joiners' union, which is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. J. N. Spaulding has been in the district for some time working in the matter and his efforts have resulted in the formation of Eureka council No. 68, with the following officers: Jesse J. Matthews, president; Andrew Mitchell, vice president; Thomas Wilson, financial secretary; H. A. Irvine, recording secretary; Luke Robinson, treasurer and John Harris, warden.

KNOT IS TIED AT EUREKA

Cassius Darnell and Miss Clara Cronin Joined in Happy Wedding by Rev. O'Donohue.

Eureka, July 19.—Cassius Darnell and Miss Clara Cronin were joined in marriage yesterday at the residence of Rev. Father O'Donohue on Church street. The ceremony was a very simple one. The bride's sister, Miss Katie Cronin, who was bridesmaid, and H. E. Boyer, who was groomsmen, being the only ones present. After the ceremony the bride party was entertained at an elaborate wedding breakfast at the home of Mrs. Patrick Cronin, sister of the bride, and at which a few of the near relatives of the bride were present. Mr. Darnell is a very popular young man and the bride is one of the prominent young ladies of Eureka. After a short honeymoon, the young couple will return to Eureka, where they will reside.

TWO CRITICAL CASES.

Boston, July 20.—The condition of two more of the survivors of the battleship last Monday assumed a serious aspect today, and one, Seaman John H. Bush, was lower than at any time since he was taken to the hospital. Seaman Louis Deese, whose condition the doctors said was dangerous, had declined considerably during the night and was in an extremely critical condition today. Most of the other injured are believed to be recovering and two have so far convalesced as to be able to walk about the grounds.

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