

JAPANESE FOSTER THE BOYCOTTING

They Are Now Charged With Instigating the Feeling of Hostility That Is Spreading Over Country

SITUATION GROWING FAR MORE SERIOUS

Chinese Buy Australian Flour, Paying More Than What the American Product Is Offered For

According to business men who arrived here from the Orient yesterday on the Coptic the anti-American boycott in China, although maintained less openly, is growing in scope and strength and may before long develop into a general anti-foreign demonstration.

The Standard Oil Company, the Sperry Flour Company and the American Tobacco Company have been the heaviest losers by the boycott. These concerns represent limitless capital and powerful influence, but in spite of all their efforts to stem the tide of opposition four-fifths of their trade in the Chinese market has been swept away.

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MOSCOW IS AGAIN CUT OFF FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD

Brief Message Indicates Fresh Horrors.

Rebel Women Exceed the Men in Ferocity.

Poland to Cast Off the Yoke of Russia.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Call-Herald staff correspondent cables as follows from Moscow: "The revolution here is a colossal swindle, engineered by a small number of manipulators, who are manufacturing terror with the criminal complicity of the sensational press. This I hope to prove."

MOSCOW, Dec. 27.—The cannoning continues and the list of casualties is swelling. The revolutionists are operating in three sections. There are about 1000 of them in each section. They are all armed with revolvers and rifles. The women who are participating in the fighting are guilty of the worst cruelties.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27, 11:36 p. m. There is no further news from Moscow to-night. A press correspondent there succeeded in getting the St. Petersburg Telegram office to telephone this evening, but he had only uttered the words: "I am going to tell you a horrible story," when he was cut off. Since then nothing has been heard from the correspondent.

The Semenovskiy regiment of guards was dispatched to Moscow by train to-night. This is considered rather ominous. According to information received by the revolutionaries here, an armed rebellion on a large scale has been planned in Poland. The Socialist revolutionaries, encouraged by the success of the insurgents in the Baltic provinces and by the situation at Moscow and in Russia generally, have decided that the moment has come to try to cast off the yoke of autocracy. The tactics to be followed are the same as those adopted at Moscow, rising to be preceded by a general strike, which has already come into operation, bringing all the railroads in Poland to a standstill.

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FAMOUS RUSSIAN CAVALRYMAN, THE HERO OF MANY DARING FEATS DURING THE RECENT WAR, WHO NARROWLY ESCAPED CAPTURE BY THE REVOLUTIONISTS WHILE ENTERING MOSCOW.

Kolpino, near St. Petersburg. The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at St. Petersburg, as an instance of the ferocity of the struggle conducted at Kharkoff, gives the following account of what he calls a "typical incident":

"A little boy was seen approaching Konny square, where a detachment of Cossacks was stationed. The boy, a child, and the boy was allowed to approach unmolested. On arriving at the spot he paused, swung his right hand vigorously and then turned and ran. A violent explosion prevented the Cossacks noting his further movements.

"The boy had thrown a bomb, which plowed up the ground. Fragments of horses were all around and some of the Cossacks were convulsed in the agonies of death, while streams of blood were flowing along the torn-up roadway."

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BOMB HURLED AT TRAIN. Badly Made Missile Does No Harm to Passengers.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Journal, in a dispatch dated December 27, says: "Another bomb was thrown at the Vilna station to-day, when the German express arrived there. The missile was badly made, however, and the explosion which resulted did not cause serious damage."

There is no doubt that the aggressive spirit of the Chinese has been decidedly increased by the late war and the successful maneuvers of the Chinese northern army in October. Japan's victory has encouraged to Chinese to believe that they could be equally successful.

The Petit Parisien's correspondent at St. Petersburg, telegraphing on Wednesday, says that a train carrying a regiment of cavalry to Riga was derailed and that a number of persons were injured.

FRONTIERS LAUGHTER IN MOSCOW

Casualties Will Reach Fifteen Thousand and the Struggle for Possession of the City Is Not Yet Ended

GENERAL MISTCHENKO HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Famous Cossack Leader Almost Captured by Revolutionists on the Outskirts of the Ancient Capital

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—The Slovo declares it has learned that the bloodshed at Moscow will reach 15,000. About 100 Red Cross workers have been dispatched from St. Petersburg to Moscow to aid in caring for the wounded. The paper says it has learned that the arms of the revolutionists mostly came from Germany and Belgium, whence they were shipped to England, transhipped there and smuggled into Russia through Finland and the Baltic provinces.

Continuing, the Slovo remarks: "When our plenipotentiary sought to prevent the sailing of these vessels, through the Consuls, the latter refused to act, as all the vessels flew foreign flags."

In spite of the bad prospects here the leaders of the revolutionists are continuing their desperate efforts to bring on a general conflict. At Kharkoff yesterday the flag of armed revolt was raised, but according to reports the troops, which had been largely reinforced by the outbreak marchers, the members of the so-called provisional government, composed of twenty-two delegates, which had been sitting there, were captured early in the day, and later when the red flag was hoisted and the outbreak marchers, which armed revolutionists were holding, cannon were brought up and the revolutionists were given ten minutes to surrender. They refused to do so, and an emissary, who was seized by the military commander, who then gave the command to the artillery to open fire on the works, which were literally battered down over the heads of the revolutionists.

Although unable to make a defense, he until three-quarters of their number were killed or wounded, when the remnant, 137 men, surrendered.

MISTCHENKO ALMOST CAPTURED. Lieutenant General Mistchenko, who commanded the Cossack brigade in Manchuria during the Russo-Japanese war, had a narrow escape from capture by the revolutionists at St. Andrew's monastery on the outskirts of Moscow, where the railroad track was being worked by freight and passenger cars. The general and members of his staff managed to get a sleigh and reached Moscow by making a wide detour, but fifty officers returning from Manchuria, who were left behind, were captured and forced to give up their arms. They begged to be allowed to keep the gold swords given them for bravery, but the revolutionists refused their request.

Violent collisions between the troops and the revolutionists, which are almost 50,000 strikers, are taking place constantly in St. Petersburg. Cossack patrols are charging and dispersing workmen whenever they collect. The most serious affair occurred at the Narva gate and on the Volka canal, in which fifty persons were killed or wounded. Automatic rifles have been mounted on the bridge over the Fontanka canal, from which they can sweep the Nevsky prospect in either direction, and in the ways of the canal. The batteries are inclosed by a trench in order not to attract too much attention.

GUERRILLA WARFARE IN MOSCOW. A brief message from Moscow telling of to-day's events says that troops with artillery are pouring into the city, but that the situation has not greatly changed. The revolutionists hold portions of the Moscow-Kazan road.

Desultory firing is taking place. The military patrols are engaged in guerrilla warfare with the revolutionists, who are seeking refuge on the roofs of houses and in the narrow thoroughfares.

Following the example of the authorities at Moscow, about half the police of St. Petersburg are now armed with rifles, and the unwonted spectacle of policemen with revolvers on their rifles adds to the public alarm.

The news from the provinces to-day showed an alarming extension of the strike. Koknov, a fortress town of Lithuania having about 80,000 inhabitants, seems absolutely in the hands of the Socialists, who have summoned the people to an armed rising, and the situation so serious at Kremenchtug, South Russia, that the Governor has declared martial law for the purpose of restoring peace and insuring the elections to the National Assembly.

The situation is really far more serious in the Baltic provinces, Caucasus and other non-Russian provinces, where the entire populace is hostile. In the case of the Baltic provinces it is realized that it may be necessary to practically reconquer them. The first divisions of the First Army Corps, which belongs to St. Petersburg province, have begun to arrive here from Manchuria, but they are being dispatched to the Baltic provinces without stopping here.

WOMEN DISPLAY FEROCITY. A later message from Moscow says that during the night the artillery worked at destroying the barricades. The revolutionists, this message says, are divided into three armies. The first, consisting of 800 men, armed with rifles and pikes, is operating between Moscow and Petrovo, using the railroad, which it controls. Artillery and cavalry are being employed against this force.

The second army is armed especially with bombs and revolvers, and is composed of 100 persons, in whose ranks are many women, who display not only bravery but ferocity. This force is operating in the region between Sadovskiy district and the Jewish Market. It has many barricades and has summoned the people to an armed rising, and is operating in small groups and attacking patrols. When pressed these revolutionists disappear into alleys and

DIVORCE FAILS TO DEFT CUPID WIFE OF "FITZ" LAUGHS AT HIM

Harry Gray, Son of a Rich Santa Rosan, Remarries a Pretty Jewess of Chicago

LOVE WEATHERS STORM Separated by Girl's Father After Elopement, but Wed Again When She Is 18

Special Dispatch to The Call.

DENVER, Dec. 27.—Two years ago Harry B. Gray of Santa Rosa, Cal., and Jean Adelman, a pretty Chicago Jewess, eloped to Des Moines and were married. Miss Adelman was the daughter of Herman Adelman, a wealthy Chicago merchant, and was only 18 years of age. They lived together only a week, and on October 2, 1905, were divorced in Des Moines. Last Monday Miss Adelman became 18 years old. On that day she left Chicago, and on the day before her former husband left Santa Rosa. They met in Denver to-day and were quietly married by Judge B. B. Lindsey at noon.

"We knew that we could never be happy away from each other," Gray told Judge Lindsey. "At the time of our first marriage Miss Adelman's parents objected because of the difference in our religious beliefs. We ran off to Iowa and were married. But Mr. Adelman became angry. He threatened to carry out plans which would have ended in my arrest and disgrace. On that account we decided to let Mrs. Gray secure a divorce and return to her parents until she was 18, when she agreed to meet and marry me again. We carried out the programme and we will go back to Santa Rosa."

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 27.—Harry B. Gray, who remarried in Denver to-day the young woman with whom he eloped two years ago, is the son of James H. Gray, a local capitalist. The family are well-known society people of this community.

houses. Artillery, cavalry and infantry are used against this body. The third and largest army is operating in the region between the Brest railroad station and the Triumphal Gate. It also has many barricades and is engaged in guerrilla tactics, making it difficult for the troops to locate it. Some of the barricades were battered down by artillery, but they were re-erected by the survivors.

RUSSIA TO ISSUE MORE BONDS. Two Hundred Million Dollars Will Be Raised by Their Sale.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—The budget for 1906 estimates the ordinary revenue at \$50,000,000 in excess of the ordinary expenditure, but shows that the Government will require \$195,000,000 additional to liquidate the war expenses. The Emperor has signed a ukase empowering the Minister of Finance to issue \$200,000,000 short-term gold bonds for sale abroad.

PREPARING FOR A BATTLE. Sixty Ambulance Stations Established in the City of Warsaw.

WARSAW, Russian Poland, Dec. 27.—The shops in the Jewish district are closed, and this afternoon bands of revolutionists ordered the banks to be closed. Alarming rumors of a coming outbreak are in circulation. Maxim guns have been posted at all the police stations, the police have ordered all the doors of houses to be locked, the union of physicians has requested its members to be ready for emergencies, and sixty ambulance stations have been established throughout the city.

BOLD THUG ENTERS LOS ANGELES HOME

Special Dispatch to The Call. LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—Joseph Mate, aged 77 years, was the victim to-night of a kind of hold-up new in Los Angeles. Mate lives with his aged wife and married son on Florence avenue. The other members of the family had retired when his doorbell rang. When he opened the front door an unmasked man covered him with a revolver and ordered him to throw up his hands. Mate obeyed and was forced to return to his own parlor and there stand with his hands against the wall above his head while the robber searched him, taking all the money he had, about \$10. The robber then backed out of the room and escaped.

Will Wed Missouri Girl. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 27.—Charles T. McEvery of San Francisco and Florence Matthews of Salisbury, Mo., secured a marriage license to-day.

New Year's at Hotel Del Monte. Enjoy the glass-bottom boats, hot salt water swimming, riding, driving, tennis and golf on the finest course in California. Special tickets, good leaving San Francisco any train from Friday, December 31st, by any train Tuesday, January 2. Round-trip rate, including four days' accommodations at Del Monte, \$15. Through train with parlor car, leaves Third and Townsend streets daily at 3 o'clock, returning leaves Del Monte 8:30 a. m.

New California Postmasters. WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The following postmasters have been appointed for California: Greenfield, Monterey County, William E. Skinner; Secret, Lassen County, Martha M. Tipton.

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