

Assemblemen's Demands Are Granted Imperial Edict Means Birth of New China

Throne Apologizes for Neglect and Promises Cabinet With Nobles Excluded

has been a perceptible tensioning everywhere. The legation quarter is preparing for emergencies and in some cases temporary fortifications have been erected of bags of sand.

Strong detachments of troops guard the palace and the gates of the city, but while the throne has made haste to comply with the demands of the 20,000 soldiers of the third and twentieth divisions and the Second mixed brigade, composing the Second imperial army for the Yangtse campaign, which were presented by the national assembly, it can not be said that Peking is yet safe from attack.

Effect of Edict Good

The imperial edict has been widely discussed and it is generally believed it was issued in order to provide Yuan Shi Kai a powerful lever to use in his negotiations with the rebels. Its effect in Peking already is good. The fear of the people, which was great this morning when it became known that the capital was threatened with an attack, unless the government acceded im-

mediately to demands of far reaching importance, had somewhat subsided tonight, although 600,000 Chinese continue to fear a massacre, while 100,000 Manchus are in dread of a Chinese attack.

At Tientsin today the foreign troops marched around the concession to impress the natives with their numbers, armament and general preparedness. The customs commissioner received a letter signed by Shuh Yen Fang in behalf of the Tientsin branch of the revolutionary committee, announcing its intention soon to take possession of both Tientsin and Peking.

The government has received reports that the rebels from Taiyuanfu, capital of Shansi province, have marched eastward and cut off General Yin Chang's railway communication with Peking. Taiyuanfu is 250 miles southwest of Peking and has been reported before as having rejoined the rebellion.

Rebel Reverses Not Serious

TOKYO, Oct. 30.—The reverses of the Chinese rebels at Hankow are not considered here as serious. Strategically the city is valueless, and its possession would heavily handicap the rebels. It is probable that they will strongly fortify Wuchang and make that city their headquarters.

The request of the Chinese government for a loan from the Yokohama Specie bank having been made through Sheng Hsuan Huan, the then minister of posts and communications, fell through as a result of the minister's removal and disgrace. As a result of the general chaos in China, the Manchurian loan has been definitely refused.

The attitude of the capitalists here evidently has changed, and they are not likely to entertain any loan proposition from Peking for some time.

Republic of Kwantung Is Reported Fallen

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The provisional government of Kwantung recently declared by citizens of that province, according to state department advices today. The collapse is ascribed chiefly to its repudiation by the viceroys and the principal civil and military authorities, and the fact that the troops in the province remained loyal to the viceroys.

BOMBARDMENT OF WUCHANG TO BEGIN

Admiral Sah Notifies Consuls to Order Foreigners to Leave City

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lists in front of them and were subjected from the flank to a raking crossfire from Admiral Sah's warship, they held their ground until nearly 500 had been killed and 1,500 wounded. At last they were compelled to retire. Their ranks were broken, but there was no panic.

The advance of the loyalists was a splendid justification of the training which these northern troops have recently received under European instructors. Ten thousand strong they crossed into the rebel territory during the night and attacked the entrenched revolutionary forces at daybreak Friday morning.

REBELS NUMBERED 5,000

There were about 5,000 of the rebel troops. These were behind well planned fortifications and had little to fear from the attacks of the troops. It was the guns of Admiral Sah's fleet which finally decided the day against them.

Sah's eight vessels approached the rebel positions successively and advanced until the rebels began to fire, but did not fire. After a little while the eight ships silently retired, as if they had decided not to participate in the attack. When they returned, this time ready for business.

The range was short and the gunners mercilessly poured in their shells on the rear of the rebel positions. The slaughter was appalling. The rebel batteries replied ineffectually and were finally silenced. The gunboats drew still nearer and the revolutionists were compelled to retreat.

The loyalists, whose losses had been slight, advanced on the abandoned trenches in splendid order, fresh from the rear of the rebel positions. They advanced at double quick, cheering like eager schoolboys. They attacked the loyalists vigorously, but the fight was one-sided.

REBELS FORCED TO RETREAT

The trained imperial soldiers raked the armed rabble in front of them with their rapid fire guns and modern rifles. The rebels held their ground gamely, but were ultimately compelled to withdraw. They saved their field guns and carried off their wounded. Admiral Sah and his ships did not participate in the afternoon engagement. During the retreat through Hankow many stray shots found their way into the foreign concessions. One Chinese was killed in the French concessions and the American, Kepler, was seriously wounded.

The Red Cross hospitals here are packed today with the wounded soldiers, and arrangements for extra accommodations are being made. The foreign superintendent of telegraphs is leaving, as he has been unable to reach an agreement with the republicans.

CARLOADS OF DEAD

A visit to Saokan after the fighting revealed the fact that the losses of the loyalists for a week past have been underestimated. A correspondent saw several carloads of dead. The corpses, even including some who were wounded, were hurriedly sent away, their officers apparently fearing a spread of the disaffection.

During the fighting a Chinese gunboat fired from the shelter of Japanese gunboats until the latter moved away, leaving the Chinese warship exposed.

Advice to Those of Baggy Cheek and Chin

Let the woman whose cheek muscles are beginning to sag and who by the same token is acquiring a double chin, remember to keep her head up, is the advice of a celebrated beauty expert. Let her bathe her face, neck and chin in a solution made by dissolving an ounce of saxolite in a half pint with hazel. The result will surprise her, the lotion being so quickly effective. This treatment tightens and reduces skin and muscles, also strengthening and toning up the same.

Naturally the tightening effect disperses wrinkles and furrows. The lotion is very refreshing. Be sure to ask the druggist for the powdered saxolite.

REBELS ALLEGED VICTIM OF PLOT

Local Chinese Believe Gold Is Being Used to Split Revolu- tionary Army

Chinese gold and Chinese friendship are being used to split the revolutionary army under President General Li Yuan Hung by Imperial Commander in Chief Yuan Shi Kai, according to a prominent member of the Chinese Empire Reform society in Chinatow yesterday. The statement was based upon the receipt of the following dispatch by the Sai Gai Yat Bo (Daily World):

Peking—An edict at the palace announces that the throne has erred in the past and presents an apology. It is further decreed that the reformers of 1898 are pardoned.

This refers to the Reform society leaders, Kong Yue Wei and Lian Kai Chu, who fled to Japan in 1898 to escape the imperial decree forfeiting their lives for supporting Yuan Shi Kai. The rescinding of the order is believed by Chinese here to mean that Yuan Shi Kai will use government money and the influence of the two refugees, on their return, to persuade the republican general to dishonor his former ally with the army of Yuan, which has proclaimed in favor of a parliament and a constitution.

Local leaders of the Young China society admit that Li Yuan Hung has been friendly with Yuan Shi Kai and that a considerable portion of the republican army would go to Yuan with proper inducement. According to them, only about half of the revolutionary forces favor the abolition of the throne and the declaration of a republic. Moreover, Yuan has the support of the foreign powers. This fact, however, increases the fear in Chinatow that a demonstration against reformers may be made by the rebels favoring a republic should aid be given Yuan Shi Kai in his plans for the establishment of a constitutional monarchy.

STUDENT SUSPENDED FOR JOINING SECRET SOCIETY

High School Boy Did Not Know Law Against Action

ALAMEDA, Oct. 30.—Admitting that he joined a student fraternity previous to knowing of the law against such action, Raymond Durney, a student at the Alameda high school, has been suspended until an investigation can be made of his case by the board of education. Durney says that he is ready to accept any punishment that may be meted out for his violation of the law. Because Durney did not attempt to conceal his connection with a secret oath bound society of students, Superintendent of Schools Will C. Wood is inclined to recommend that he be leniently dealt with.

PARLIAMENTARY PAUSE JEOPARDIZES PLACES

Resolution Lacks Second and Board of Supervisors Waits

OAKLAND, Oct. 30.—The Alameda county detention home narrowly escaped being deprived of the services of a matron and an assistant matron today when the appointments of Mrs. S. D. Riego and Miss Beadie Hayes to the positions came before the board of supervisors for confirmation. Supervisor Bridge introduced the resolution, but after a long wait for a second, John F. Cook, clerk of the board, passed to other matters. Kelley then got permission to second Bridge's resolution and the vote was unanimous.

This morning, from 9 a. m. to noon, the beautiful bathorium of the Lurline Ocean Water Baths, Bush and Larkin streets, is reserved exclusively for women bathers.

PROMISES PLENTY, PROTECTION NONE

Bloom Peeved Over Lack of Honor Among Finn's Poli- tical Associates

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Finn's campaign fund and I could not get it back," said Bloom regretfully yesterday.

Under the Finn-Hamilton-McDonough agreement Bloom opened three games, one at 53 Third street, another at 174 Eddy, only a stone's throw from the central station, and one at 20 Ellis street. The last was a den de Luxe fitted up with an eye to high class trade. It was closed within an hour after opening.

All the dens contained gambling paraphernalia usual to such places, such as craps tables, faro, stucco poker and blackjack layouts and roulette. All of these illegal games were started at the solicitation of Hamilton, under sheriff under Finn, and therefore a state officer.

Pete told him, he said, that things would be all right in a few days and to keep calm in the meanwhile.

Finn et al Called "Bilks"

"I have been trying to keep calm ever since, and it is now six weeks since the games were closed," said Bloom yesterday, "but I have reached the conclusion that Hamilton, Finn and the McDonoughs are bilks and I advise all gamblers to give them a wide berth.

"They haven't got the first principle of a gambler—loyalty to a friend. They took my money and gave me nothing in return. I warn every man who thinks of opening a game here to give Finn and his managers a wide berth. They promise protection, but they don't give it. They are willing enough, though, to take your money for Finn's campaign fund, and make a lot of promises, but that's all you get—promises.

"I want every one to know what they did to me," continued Bloom. "I want the world to know that Charlie Hamilton, Finn's brother in law, and the McDonough brothers, took my money under the promise of giving me police protection, but did not do it. When I demanded my money back they told me to wait. I have finished waiting—now for the truth."

"I was running a little game over in San Mateo county, when a manager of Joe Gleason, came to me and said that the pickings were good in San Francisco and that we could get in right through Charlie Hamilton, the sheriff's brother in law, who, he said, was strong with Captain Colby, at that time in charge of the southern station. Acting on Gleason's advice, I saw Hamilton and paid him \$100 as the initial payment to open a game at 53 Third street, and agreed to give him 25 per cent of the weekly profits. The money would go, he told me, into the campaign fund of Tom Finn, who was having a lot of big bills to meet for printing and other things.

PROTECTION MERE PROMISES

"I opened the game at 53 Third street and ran for a few days, but was closed when Captain Shea was transferred back into the district. I looked up Hamilton and asked him what I should do. He told me to meet him in McDonough Brothers' saloon and he would fix it that night.

"I met him, as agreed, and in the presence of Gleason paid Pete McDonough \$250, the amount agreed upon as weekly payments, for wide berth, Hamilton having informed me that they could not do anything on a percentage basis.

"Hamilton told me to come up on the north side of Third street with my game, as the sheriff was strong with the captain in charge of the downtown district. I opened at 174 Eddy, and did so nicely that I determined to open another game.

"I met Hamilton again at McDonough's, and he told me to go ahead

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DR. C. A. GLOVER indorses DR. J. M. TONER For CORONER

AND GIVES HIS REASONS FOR SO DOING

Dr. J. M. Toner, San Francisco, Cal., October 25th, 1911.
Coroner of the City and County of San Francisco.

My Dear Doctor:
I take pleasure in congratulating you on the magnificent showing made at the recent primary, wherein you were nominated for the office of Coroner.

This office requires a competent physician and surgeon, as well as that of a man who has a knowledge of human nature and a spirit of fairness, such as you now possess.

To my personal knowledge you have been fair and impartial toward all classes; that you have treated the office as a public trust; that you are competent, capable and conscientious; that the unfortunates who have come under your supervision have been properly cared for; that the Morgue has not been used as a show place for the morbid curious; that you have respected the wishes of the friends and relatives of the dead; that you have been courteous and ethical toward all who have had dealings with your office; that you have not been dominated by any firm of undertakers, but have been fair to all; that you have given your professional services freely to the poor and needy and have been courteous to all who have been called to serve as jurors and witnesses at inquests.

I therefore extend to you my full and undivided support and request my friends who voted for me at the recent primary to do likewise for you on November 7th. Wishing you every success, I am, yours very truly,
C. A. GLOVER, M. D.

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OREGON SHORT LINE TO LOSE IDENTITY

Southern Pacific Officials at Reno Conference Change System of Supervision

[Special Dispatch to The Call]
RENO, Nev., Oct. 30.—Following a meeting of Southern Pacific officials and operating officers of the Oregon Short Line as a distinct entry in the Harriman system were perfected and will go into operation November 1.

General Superintendent Davis from Sacramento, Assistant Superintendent D. Hickey and H. L. Bell of the Oregon Short Line from Sparks, Superintendent E. C. Manson and Assistant Superintendent T. F. Rowlands of the Oregon Short Line from Ogden and Vice President E. E. Calvin from San Francisco met at Inlay tonight to arrange a new system of supervision to follow the elimination of the Oregon Short Line. It is stated that President Brown, W. W. Herrin and Vice President E. O. McCormick may arrive tomorrow to join in the conference. This is not confirmed.

Superintendent Manson is to be located at San Francisco and Rowlands at Sparks.

The new arrangement will affect the territory from Ogden to San Francisco and from Hazen to Keeler.

One effect of the change will be the fixing of Ogden as the place where the time will change from Pacific to mountain time.

It is also reported that the Goldfield train will be scheduled several hours later than at present to meet a popular demand.

LOS ANGELES CHOSEN BY EPISCOPALIANS

Next Department Council Will Be Held There

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 30.—Los Angeles was fixed upon today as the next meeting place of the eighth department council of the Episcopal church of America. A brief prayer service this morning brought the annual five day convention to a close.

The selection of Los Angeles was practically decided upon in caucus several days ago.

The other closing features of the convention was the public meeting at the Diepenbroek theater last night, when four bishops made addresses. The speakers were Right Rev. W. F. Nichols of San Francisco, whose topic was "The Challenge of the World's Need"; Right Rev. F. S. Spaulding of Salt Lake on "Social Conditions at Home"; Right Rev. Joseph H. Johnson of Los Angeles on "The Call of the Great City"; and Right Rev. R. W. Keator of Washington on "The Empire of the West."

WOMAN, 101, REGISTERS FOR NEXT ELECTION

"I Think I Am Old Enough to Vote," She Says

WHITTIER, Oct. 30.—"I think I am old enough to vote," said Mrs. Lydia Head Sharpless, 101 years old, today, following her registration as a voter. She said that she was a Quaker, a prohibitionist and a progressive. She is the first woman to register in this district and says she is the oldest voter, man or woman, in California.

LIEUTENANTS SAIL ON RETURN AIR VOYAGE

Hydro-Aeroplane Triad Starts Back to Annapolis

FORTRESS MONROE, Va., Oct. 30.—Lieutenants Elyson and Towers, who made a successful trip in the naval hydro-aeroplane Triad from Annapolis, Md., to Fort Monroe last Wednesday, sailed in the Triad for Annapolis at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails. E. W. Grege's signature on each box. 2c.

ANDERSON DEFENDS BANK OF SHASTA

Former State Examiner Says Depositors Will Get Every Dollar Back

ALDEN Anderson, former state bank examiner, came to San Francisco last night from Redding, where he has been superintending the affairs of the defunct Bank of Shasta County.

He ridiculed the charges of mismanagement in the liquidation of the bank preferred by Superintendent of Banks W. R. Williams and declared that the depositors will be paid 100 cents on the dollar. Anderson has taken over the assets of the institution personally and expects to pay the depositors within a short time.

Replying to Williams' assertion that his predecessor in office is realizing a profit in the venture, Anderson said he bought the assets of the bank as a business investment. He declared he is doing his part in paying dollar for dollar.

SEATTLE CENSUS MAN FINED FOR BOGUS COUNT

Dr. F. J. Shadd Pleads Guilty to Padding Figures

SEATTLE, Oct. 30.—Dr. Furman J. Shadd, who was federal census enumerator of the second precinct of the fifth ward, Seattle, pleaded guilty today to the charge of turning in fraudulent names, and was fined \$300 and costs.

Shadd was indicted by a federal grand jury at Tacoma.

There were four counts against Shadd. It was alleged that he enrolled 14 imaginary Chinese from pier 7, 100 bogus names from a leading Seattle hotel and 100 fictitious mariners from pier 6.

GAS SHATTERS GLOBE AND INJURES CLERK

Cigar Stand Explosion Scatters Broken Glass

OAKLAND, Oct. 30.—Gas accumulating in a large ornamental light globe from a leak for which a plumber was searching, exploded today in a cigar stand at 454 Twelfth street, and the scattered fragments of glass cut Clarence P. McHale, a clerk, about the head and face. The lighting of a match by the patron of the place caused the explosion. Several stitches in McHale's wounds were taken at the receiving hospital. Damages to the place were gauged at \$100.

Local Brevities

FEDDER CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

Alleging that Patrick Fedder, a peddler, attacked her in her home, 83 Church lane, Mrs. Lutz swore to a complaint yesterday, charging him with assault.

FURBER IS ARRESTED

R. S. Bosworth, a pursuer, was arrested yesterday, charged with molesting Mrs. Lutz. He is charged with molesting Mrs. Lutz. He is charged with molesting Mrs. Lutz.

WARRANT FOR M. GOLDBERG

Police Judge Weller issued a warrant yesterday for the arrest of Morris Goldberg, a diamond merchant. W. M. Morris, 621 Kearny street, is the complainant, who alleges the embezzlement of a diamond ring.

TEAMSTER'S LEG FRACTURED

Kava Abrams, a teamster of 1835 Polson street, suffered a fractured right leg yesterday morning when his horse kicked him.

LETTER FOR HEAVY WEIGHT

L. J. Robson, a peddler, said to weigh almost 300 pounds, is the object of a search by the police. The peddler has a letter which they wish to deliver to him.

FARMER INVOLVED

Thomas Hildebrand, a dairy farmer of Colusa, died a painful death yesterday in the United States district court, paying his debts at \$1,470.20 and his assets at \$200.

WILSON TALKS POLITICS

St. Louis, Oct. 30. Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, returning from Davis, was met at Union station at noon today and for an hour discussed the political outlook nationally with several leading state and local democrats.

FOOTBALL PLAYER ROBBED

Alameda, Oct. 30.—George Waldier, a football player, has reported to the police that \$250 was stolen from his clothing in the dressing room of Lincoln park yesterday.

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