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IRRITATING TO THE JAPS

ACTION OF NEUTRAL NATIONS IN SUPPLYING THE RUSSIAN SHIPS CRITICISED.

THOUGHT THEY WOULD GET FAIR PLAY

ISLANDERS DID NOT EXPECT TO HAVE TO PLAY LONE HAND AGAINST EUROPE.

London, Nov. 28.—Baron Suyematsu, son-in-law of Marquis Ito, President of the Japanese privy council, whose comment was fully indorsed by Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister here, discussing the irritation of Japan at the continued supply of British coal to vessels of the Russian Second Pacific squadron, said: "We feel strongly that Europe in general is assisting Russia in a way we never contemplated. Even in England individuals are rendering indirect assistance. Although I do not think that Japanese are unduly nervous regarding the effect of the arrival of the Russian squadron in the far East it would never have been able to put to sea but for the assistance of subjects of neutral states, in some cases more or less officially connived at. Without English coal the Russian squadron could not have gone far, and it is my belief that when contraband is being carried on in such a wholesale fashion, the government concerned should take steps to prevent a continuance of action prejudicial to another nation, especially an ally. There is all the greater necessity for this when the action is prejudicial to the interests of both nations. The value of the alliance to both Japan and Great Britain is undeniable and therefore it is the bounden duty of both to do everything possible to cement it, even to the extent of inventing means for doing so when they do not already exist."

JAP TROOPS DRIVEN BACK.

Made an Unsuccessful Attack Upon Poutloff Hill. Muklen, Nov. 28.—The Japanese Nov. 24 again made a preliminary bombardment of Poutloff hill under the cover of which they attacked, but were repulsed. There were encounters at other places along the front, but they were in the nature of small brushes and mostly took place at night. Friday there was a light fall of snow and the surrounding country now has all the appearance of winter.

BATTLESHIPS REACH SUEZ.

Russian Men-of-War Pass Through the Canal. Suez, Nov. 28.—The Russian battleships Sissoi Velky, flagship of Rear Admiral Volkerson, and the Navarin arrived here during the day from Port Said. The flagship exchanged salutes with the British cruiser Hermione while the band of the Navarin played the British national anthem, followed by the "Marseillaise" and the Khedivial hymn. The rest of the division followed at short intervals, and the whole of the division is now anchored in the Suez roads.

TRAVERSES FISHING GROUNDS.

Second Division of Russian Squadron Traveling at Good Speed. London, Nov. 28.—Shippers of steam herring boats arriving at Lowestoft report that the second division of the Russian Second Pacific squadron traversed the fishing grounds fifteen miles from Lowestoft at about midnight. The warships used their searchlights, signalled each other constantly and steamed southward at a good speed.

ACCORDING TO THE CHINESE.

General Kuroki's Corpse Has Arrived at Yinkow. Berlin, Nov. 28.—The Lokal Anzeiger's Mukden correspondent telegraphs as follows: "According to a report brought by Chinese to Russian headquarters, the corpse of General Kuroki has arrived at Yinkow."

TO OBTAIN CHINESE SYMPATHY.

Japs Begin the Publication of a Paper at Chefoo. Chefoo, Nov. 28.—The Japanese propaganda with the object of securing Chinese sympathy developed here in the initial publication under Japanese management of a bi-weekly newspaper printed in Chinese.

SEIZURE HELD TO BE LEGAL.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—The supreme prize court has confirmed the legality of the seizure of the British steamer Cheltenham and her cargo, captured by the Russians and taken to Vladivostok early in July.

RUSSIAN VESSELS AT CHERBOURG.

Cherbourg, France, Nov. 28.—Some Russian transports and two torpedo boats from St. Lawrence have anchored in the roads here.

WALLACE ANXIOUS TO RETURN.

Michigan Man Held to Await Witnesses in London. London, Nov. 28.—James Wallace, alias James Wilson, who was arrested at Liverpool Nov. 24, charged with stealing stock certificates to the value of \$30,000 from Edward Breitung, a banker of Marquette, Mich., was remanded at Bow street police court during the day to await the arrival of witnesses. His attorney said Wallace was anxious to return to the United States at the earliest possible moment.

BOY SKATER DROWNED.

Minoi, N. D., Nov. 28.—Leon Conley, aged eleven years, son of Engineer Conley of the Great Northern railroad, was drowned while skating on a slough west of town. The body was recovered.

PATTERSON CASE POSTPONED.

Illness of a Juror May Necessitate a Trial.

New York, Nov. 28.—After a respite of two days on account of Thanksgiving holiday, the trial of Nan Patterson for the murder of Caesar Young was continued in the criminal branch of the supreme court. The attorneys in the case took advantage of the recess to exert all their energies toward bringing closer together the material points upon which depends the success or failure of their case. Rumor, which has figured prominently in the case since the trial began, also was active during the interval. One of the stories which gained wide circulation and which, if true, undoubtedly would have added materially to the sensational side of the trial, was to the effect that J. Moran Smith, Nan Patterson's brother-in-law, who fled after he had been subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury, had been found and was locked up at police headquarters. This report was denied by the police. The prosecution has kept up an unremitting search for Smith ever since he disappeared. They charge that it was Smith who purchased the revolver with which Young was shot and that he would prove to be their strongest witness if he could be found. The illness of Juror Edward Dressler caused a sudden and unexpected adjournment in the Patterson murder trial. The serious illness of Juror Edward Dressler may necessitate a new trial in the case of Nan Patterson, as Mr. Dressler is suffering from apoplexy and his condition is serious.

Miss Patterson was in court when the adjournment was announced and she expressed her disappointment at the sudden and unexpected interruption in the progress of the trial.

GREAT WESTERN ROAD SOLD

PERSISTENTLY REPORTED THAT UNION PACIFIC HAS BOUGHT THE MAPLE LEAF.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The Post says: The report that the Union Pacific has purchased the Chicago Great Western road was reiterated during the afternoon with such positiveness and circumstantial evidence in its favor that it received general acceptance. The deal, which has been pending for some time, was said to have been closed and the Chicago Great Western will shortly lose its identity as an independent road and either be wholly absorbed by the Union Pacific itself or distributed piecemeal among the Eastern connections of that system. One report has it that the Chicago Great Western will be divided between the Chicago and Northwestern and the Milwaukee and St. Paul systems, both of which have for several years been close connections of the Union Pacific. The Northwestern, it is said, will take that portion of the Maple Leaf which runs from Marshalltown, Ia., to Kansas City, and the Milwaukee and St. Paul will take the St. Paul end of the line. There is another view of the case, however, which is that the Union Pacific will keep the Maple Leaf and operate it as the Eastern end of its own system. It will, it is declared, give the Union Pacific a very good outlet from Omaha to Chicago and the short line from Omaha to St. Paul.

REPORT NOT CONFIRMED.

Wall Street, However, Thinks Some Deal Has Been Made. New York, Nov. 28.—No confirmation of the reported purchase of the Chicago Great Western railway by the Union Pacific is obtainable. An interest identified with the latter road refused to discuss the report and representatives of the Chicago Great Western had nothing to say. In Wall street it is generally believed that there has been no action of Great Western securities and that some announcement of a deal will soon be made.

ADOPTS A NEW CREED.

Theological Seminary Discards Westminster Confession of Faith. Pittsburg, Nov. 28.—Rev. Dr. David Schley Schaff, professor of church history at the Western Theological seminary, Allegheny City, confirms his report that the Union Theological seminary of New York has discarded the Westminster confession of faith and unanimously adopted a new creed.

THREE PERSONS MISSING.

Believed to Have Been Drowned While Hunting. Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 28.—Carl Yost, aged thirty-three, Mrs. August Namer, aged twenty, and Miss Ada Stoll, aged twelve, are believed to have been drowned in Lake Winnebago. They went hunting Friday afternoon and have not returned. Searching parties are at work.

SPAIN ACCEPTS INVITATION.

Favors Another Peace Conference at The Hague. Washington, Nov. 28.—It was announced at the state department during the day that Spain has accepted in principle the president's invitation for another peace conference at The Hague, reserving for further discussion the fixing of the date for the meeting.

ALLEGED HIGHWAYMAN ARRESTED.

New York, Nov. 28.—The Hoboken police have arrested two men who are believed to be members of the gang of highwaymen that held up and robbed Paymaster Dana White and Superintendent George Eldredge of the O'Rourke Construction Co. of \$5,000 at Great Notch, N. J., on Aug. 24 last.

IBSEN HAS HEART DISEASE.

London, Nov. 28.—Henrich Ibsen, the author, according to a dispatch from Stockholm to the Chronicle, has had several attacks of heart trouble. His condition is dangerous and there is little hope of his recovery.

VISITS THE GREAT FAIR

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT PUTS IN A BUSY DAY AT ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.

CHEERS FOR PRESIDENTIAL PARTY

LARGE CROWDS LINE THE ROUTE OF THE VISITORS THROUGH THE GROUNDS.

St. Louis, Nov. 28.—President's day at the Louisiana Purchase exposition dawned with clear skies and a brisk wind of just sufficient sharpness to send the blood tingling through the veins, ideal weather for carrying out the strenuous programme arranged by the nation's chief executive, who proposes to acquire in one day a comprehensive idea of the greatest exposition in the history of the world. Although President Roosevelt was not officially greeted by the exposition management until after 9 o'clock, the grounds were thronged long before that hour and every car line termination at the world's fair poured its hundreds every hour into the approaches to the exposition gates.

By the request of President Roosevelt's private secretary the itinerary of the trip through the grounds was not made public and consequently while there were no immense throngs congregated at any one spot at one time, the general programme was known and the probable route of the presidential party was lined on either side by hundreds of persons, many of whom had traveled hundreds of miles to see the president of the United States.

The presidential special train arrived in St. Louis at 10 a. m. and was taken at once to the world's fair grounds, where it was sidetracked on the north side of the Transportation building. Extraordinary precautions were taken to prevent accidents after the special arrived within the jurisdiction of the St. Louis Terminal association, 250 men having been stationed along the right of way so close together that each man was in sight of the one stationed on each side of him.

ARMY GUARD THE TRAIN.

When the train arrived at its destination two companies of the Sixteenth infantry went on guard and no other vehicles were permitted within 100 feet of the darkened Pullmans. The distinguished party was early astray, preparing for their record-breaking day of sightseeing. In the party are President Roosevelt, Mr. Roosevelt, Miss Roosevelt, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robinson, Secretary and Mrs. Loeb and Surgeon General Rixey, U. S. N.

President Roosevelt and his party breakfasted in their car, which was surrounded by a great throng. The president sat in full view before one of the windows and seemed as much interested in the crowd as they were in him.

Shortly after breakfast President Francis and Mayor Wells and a committee of exposition officials and directors appeared and paid their respects to the chief executive. Carriages were then taken and the party proceeded to the Liberal Arts building, which was the first of the great exhibit palaces to be seen.

Two battalions of the Eighth cavalry and a platoon of mounted police preceded the twenty-two carriages and another platoon of mounted police brought up in the rear and kept back an immense crowd. The route of procession was thronged with people, who gave the president an ovation and kept him busy responding to their cheers.

Arriving at the Liberal Arts building which, with all the other exhibit places, was closed to the general public, the presidential party made a hasty inspection of the exhibits, an inspection which was the first of the great exhibit palaces to be seen. The party was driven west over the summit of Festival hill and down the western slope to the main portion of the exposition, affording the president a full view of the principal lagoon basin, the cascades and the plaza of St. Louis. Continuing west at a slow center the carriages were drawn into the French pavilion gardens, where light refreshments were served.

The party then proceeded to the pavilion of Mexico, from there to the pavilion of Great Britain and thence to the Holland pavilion, where the president and his wife saw a little Dutch baby which they both fondled for a moment.

From the Holland building the party proceeded to the pavilion of Australia and Sweden and then proceeded to rapidly visit the other different national pavilions. The party drove to the Agricultural building and proceeded to the exhibit of the United States, where the cabin occupied years ago by President Roosevelt in his ranch in that state. He and his party looked with interest at the diminutive shanty and some of the former belongings of the president that hung about its walls.

LETSON BALLETT SENTENCED.

Iowa Man Goes to Jail for Three Months and Pays a Fine. Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 28.—Letson Ballett, who pleaded guilty to charges preferred by the government of using the United States mail with intent to promote a gigantic mine swindle, was sentenced during the day to three months in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$300. During a former trial of the case it developed that Ballett wrongfully received nearly \$250,000 in sale of worthless White Swan Gold mining stock, the mine being located near Baker City, Ore. He was tried and convicted, carried his case to the superior court of appeals and was granted a new trial. Upon a promise of leniency he pleaded guilty the second time and threw himself on the mercy of the court. Ballett is said to have spent the most of his fortune in fighting the case.

THREE MEN ARRESTED

SUSPECTED OF BEING THE BANDITS WHO KILLED A BOY NEAR MINNEAPOLIS.

MASKS AND REVOLVERS ARE FOUND

SUSPICIOUS ARTICLES ARE LOCATED ON TWO OF THE MEN NOW UNDER ARREST.

Minneapolis, Nov. 28.—The Minneapolis police believe they have in custody the desperadoes who held up Mingo's saloon, Columbia Heights, last Tuesday night, killing Freddie King and wounding Ed Mingo. A red mask and another of a dark shade, together with two revolvers, were found in possession of two of the prisoners. All of the suspects, say the police, correspond in a general way to the description of the murderers. Another strong clue is the fact that the overalls and other apparel discarded by the highwaymen after the hold-up were covered with grease and all three of the suspects worked until shortly before the murder at W. S. Nott & Co.'s fire engine factory, near the scene of the holdup, where it is claimed by the police that their shop clothes would become greasy stained. The prisoners are young men; the eldest being twenty-three years of age, the youngest only twenty-one. They are Charles Hammond, John Kolb and O. Calderwit. Calderwit was arrested at his home, 922 University avenue northeast, while Hammond and Kolb were taken into custody at the Central hotel, 110 Second street south.

TRAIN HITS CHEMICAL WAGON.

One Fireman Killed and Four Others Injured. Leicester, Mass., Nov. 28.—The body of Mrs. Emma Brigham, bearing evidence which the police say indicates a most brutal murder, was found partly covered with brush and leaves in a wood lot not far from the home in which Mrs. Brigham lived with her aged mother. The younger woman left her house Friday to gather wood, expecting to be gone only a short time. When the body was found the skull had been fractured, the nose broken and the face terribly scarred and bruised. The ground about the spot gave evidence that a terrible struggle had taken place. There is no clue to the murderer.

MINISTER HANGS HIMSELF.

Yankton, S. D., Nov. 28.—F. E. Brown, aged twenty-eight, an inmate of the state hospital for the insane, has committed suicide here by hanging himself, using a towel and sheet. The sheet was thrown over a gas pipe, and, jumping from a chair, he secured the necessary drop.

NEGRO MURDERER ARRESTED.

Philadelphia, Nov. 28.—Frank Saylor, the negro who shot and killed Henry and George Henderson, colored, at Bethayres last Tuesday night, was arrested during the day at Langhorne, near the scene of the double murder, and taken to Bethayres.

BRIEF BITS OF NEWS.

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COLD WEATHER NEEDED.

Bradstreet's Review of the Present Business Outlook.

New York, Nov. 28.—Bradstreet's says: Cold weather is needed to move retail stocks of winter clothing, dry goods and shoes, retailers for which from jobbers are not brisk. On the other hand the trade in holiday goods has begun well and good feeling as regards this line is coupled with confidence as to trade in spring fabrics, which is proceeding better than a year ago. Manufacturing industry is active in most lines the country over, winter employment in the iron and allied trades is assured and labor is better employed than a year ago at this date. Holding by farmers is credited with affecting collections at several Southern points, but, as a whole, payments are better than a year ago.

PROMISES TO BE INTERESTING.

Socialists May Aid Zest to Proceedings of German Reichstag. Berlin, Nov. 28.—Chancellor von Buelow's system of reciprocal commercial treaties will not be ready to lay before the reichstag when it opens Tuesday because an agreement has not yet been reached with Austria-Hungary. The controversy appears to halt around the livestock paragraphs, but all the schedules are of extreme intricacy and importance, changing as they do the tariff systems of both empires. The session of the reichstag is likely to be of uncommon interest. The Socialists have full magazines for assailing the government on the new military bill, the relations with Russia and the German Southwest African war.

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