

# HORDES OF JAPS CROSS MOUNTAINS

Tindall Meets With Legislators to Consult on Action Against Menace

Japanese aggression, popularly believed to have been confined to the Coast districts, has crossed the mountains.

The Oriental invasion has not only begun, but rapidly threatens to be the controlling factor in the Yakima valley!

So serious has the situation become, that the Wapato post of the American Legion has addressed an appeal to all posts to join in a vigorous campaign to bring about the necessary legislation at Olympia to curb this foreign influence.

## JAPANESE QUESTION FOREMOST IN HOUSE

With the governor's code out of the way, the house is now prepared to take up general legislation. The Japanese question will be the foremost of these.

Sunday, Councilman Tindall, representing local veterans, met with several members of the legislature.

Rep. J. T. Jones, of Kent, will probably introduce a bill, drafted by Attorney Marion Houser, corresponding with the provisions of Initiative Measure No. 37. Rep. Thomas F. Murphree, a member of the powerful rules committee of the house, who attended the Sunday conference, is to introduce such other legislation as the American Legion may formulate. Rep. Trippe has already introduced a measure to bar the intermarriage of whites with those of other colors.

"Today, the Japs are leasing the best land upon the Yakima Indian reservation," declares the committee appointed by Wapato post to report to the American Legion and the legislature.

## PAY MORE THAN LEASES ARE WORTH

They are able to do this, it is asserted, by paying more than the leases are worth, and more than any white man could.

But, the leases prove losing propositions, the Japs are supplied with enough money to hold on, it is charged.

## The Wapato Post makes this significant statement:

"Japs on this reservation have gone broke this year, lots of them, but from some places comes money enough to tide them over. And those who cannot get the money simply disappear and new Japs appear to take their place."

"The Jap lives in a hovel, his women folks work in the fields, and they have been seen in the fields working with children strapped to their backs, and in baby carriages, which a white man would not allow his wife or daughter to do."

"The outstanding reason the American cannot compete with the Jap on the bidding on Indian land is simply he cannot pay the rent the Jap is willing and able to pay, because he cannot live the life a Jap is only too glad to live."

## COMING OF A WHITE CHILD A CALAMITY

"If you know anything about farming you know that the average American farmer cannot pay from \$2,000 to \$4,000 rent a year and have anything when he is thru. He cannot educate his children; in fact he can hardly raise them. And from our observation of the present and past conditions upon the leased lands of the reservation, the coming of a child is almost a calamity, and raised under such conditions is he going to be a good citizen?"

"The Jap is buying property, taking the title either in his American-born child's name or in the name of a renegade white man who holds for the Jap."

"Each month sees more Japs on reservation. The Jap breeds faster than any other element in the American nation. Where the ones come from who come from outside we do not know, but the fact remains, they come."

"We are rapidly approaching the following condition: Either the Jap leaves, or the white man will have to leave. The white man cannot live in competition with the Jap. We are fighting as hard as we can."

The Wapato post committee handling the Japanese matter is composed of R. K. Fay, Roy S. Campbell and Joe W. Knight.

## GEMS GONE



Mrs. J. A. Mango, wife of a wealthy Greek ship owner living in London, is the loser in the greatest jewel theft in England in a decade. A \$150,000 necklace of 69 pearls (which she is wearing in this photograph) was stolen. She discovered the loss while returning from a dinner party at a London hotel.

## HOW DR. MATTHEWS TURNS THE OTHER CHEEK



## JAPAN PREMIER FOR FRIENDSHIP

Hara Favors Cordial Alliances

BY HENRY W. KINNEY

TOKYO, Jan. 24.—(Delayed)—Addressing the opening session of the diet, Premier Hara said Japan and America are discussing the possibility of growing out of the California-Japanese situation in a most friendly spirit.

The government anticipates a satisfactory settlement, Hara declared. Discussing disarmament, the government's spokesman said: "As a matter of principle, disarmament will be welcomed for the general welfare of the human race. The Japanese government is paying special attention to the question. The matter, however, is very important and complex, bearing on every nation, and realization may be impossible unless all nations act in accord and good faith."

The premier declared all thoughtful people in both nations want a continuance of the "wholesome spirit" of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. He said Japanese-American relations are "as cordial as ever," and that there are "no insurmountable obstacles which might disturb the basic factors governing it."

## COLORADO HAS JAP PROBLEM AND ALIEN BILL

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 24.—"Japanese are becoming a nuisance in Colorado," said Representative Joseph L. Miller of Denver and Otero counties when asked to explain his alien property ownership bill, just introduced in the Colorado legislature.

"They affiliate with the Methodist church, they offer to join the chamber of commerce at Rocky Ford, but they make a complete report of their business each year to the government of Japan," he said.

## SEVEN-MILE STRIP MONOPOLIZED BY JAPS

"Down in Otero county there is a strip of country seven miles square in which nothing but Japanese farmers live. They own the land, the American farmers out of their district by their methods of cheap living. The little red schoolhouse in that district was closed because the white children were not numerous enough to pay to maintain the school."

"The Japs are not desirable citizens. They own from 40 to 320 acres and raise children as fast as possible to help work the land. They hold meetings in which no word ever comes forth to prove that they are not really conspiring against the health and peace of the community."

"As neighbors they are negligible. They do not mix except to the detriment of the young Americans. They will borrow anything in sight and never pay back."

"They have secured much land by buying the property in the names of their American-born children. As fast as a child arrives in the world they immediately acquire more acreage in the name of that child."

"If possible I want this bill to leave to the vote of the people the right of aliens to purchase property in this state. The conditions in Otero county are deplorable and must be straightened out, by all means," declared Representative Miller.

Miller has a map of the county showing the exact location of the Japanese. It is in the heart of the Rocky Ford melon district. These melons are known all over the world and the Japs are raising them in large quantities. The American farmer finds out he can not compete with the Japs because the Jap women and children work like the men and as late as midnight.

## School Chief Will Answer Mrs. Preeston

A. S. Burrows, county superintendent of schools and a member of the commission which drafted the school administration code, will address the Municipal league Tuesday noon at Blanc's cafe.

"Mr. Burrows will answer the arguments advanced by Mrs. Josephine Corliss Preeston, state superintendent of public instruction, in her address before the Municipal league last Tuesday," said James T. Lawler, president of the league.

## Weds 'Kissless' Bride—Marriage Annulled

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24.—No kisses, no honeymoon. Well, it couldn't be a marriage. So Judge Crall here annulled it and Morton Berdman and Sybil Berdman are once more free. Berdman declared his wife was a "kissless" bride and that there had been no honeymoon.

Since 1776, more than 6,000,000 Germans have come to this country.

## TRUCK GROWS TO BIG GIFT

Wins \$4,000,000 Home for Children's Society

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Rudolph Dagner wanted a motor truck.

He's an officer of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children. The society was forced to give up its old quarters and the truck was needed to transport children and teachers to their new shelter.

Dagner appealed to a rich relative, August Heckscher.

Heckscher said he'd "investigate." He asked Mrs. Heckscher to investigate with him.

The result was that they gave \$4,000,000 for a new home.

It will be on Fifth ave., across from Central Park. It will have every modern facility, including moving picture theatre, swimming pool and safety tunnel leading across busy Fifth ave. into the park.

"Everything is in readiness—site, plans and so on," said Mrs. Heckscher today. "But building is difficult these days and even undertakings aimed at the welfare of needy children are more or less in abeyance."

"We hope spring will see all difficulties cleared away and the building well started."

The "difficulties" are raised by the conditions in the building industry in New York unsearbed by the Lockwood investigation, which has shown graft and various forms of hold-ups.

## YOU'D NEVER KNOW IT

Golfer (apologetically to caddy): Missed again! Shows I'm out of practice, eh?

Caddy:—Oh, you're played before, then?—Cincinnati Enquirer.



## Scout Committee to Plan Camp Reunion

The Boy Scout "committee of 13" has named. This committee is of scouts who attended Camp Parsons, the 16-acre camp for Seattle scouts on Hood's canal. They will arrange the details of a Camp Parsons reunion banquet for the 200 scouts who have been at camp. The committee will meet Wednesday at Boy Scout headquarters, 4192 Arcade building.

## THE BON MARCHÉ BARGAIN BASEMENT

The COST Reduced The VALUE Kept Up

By eliminating every unnecessary expense the Bargain Basement brings you dependable merchandise at a much lower figure. Every penny we save is passed on to you—it's our business to save you money—and our prices are convincing evidence that we're doing a good job!

615 Samples of Those Captivating "DOVE" Undermuslins at Unbelievable Prices

Surely you have heard of these unusually charming undergarments! They're advertised extensively in the Ladies' Home Journal and other high-class magazines.

Such beautiful styles—such dainty Lawns, Nainsooks and Longcloths—and all generously cut for lasting, comfortable shapeliness.

Being samples there are few duplicates in the lot. Both white and flesh are shown in

Camisoles at 98c

Bloomers at 98c

Hand Embroidered Styles at \$1.39 and \$1.69

Gowns at \$1.59 and \$1.95

Hand Embroidered Gowns at \$2.45

Chemises at \$1.69 and \$1.89

Hand Embroidered Chemise at \$2.00

## Baker, Peeved, May End Career of 5-Cent Loaf

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Everybody in New York would like the answer to this question:

"How can Piccirillo sell a 15-ounce loaf of bread for 5 cents?"

Andrew Piccirillo will not tell. Indeed, he's quite peeved because he's asked.

And he's about ready to punish his questioners.

How? By raising the price of his bread! Nevertheless, Piccirillo hints darkly at having a secret invention which enables him to manufacture bread more cheaply than other bakers.

## SELLS FIVE-CENT LOAF TO POOR PEOPLE

He sells the 5-cent loaf at only one of his two stores.

"Because people in the neighborhood of one store are poorer than people in the neighborhood of the other store," he explains.

He has been selling 1,000 loaves at 5 cents every day.

Other bakers say this can be done only at a loss.

"Money does not mean everything," says Piccirillo. "I can't say just now whether I am losing. I'll know when I check up after a trial. To me it appears a strange thing that people should be concerned over what I sell my bread for."

"It's MY bread, isn't it?"

"But right now I'm mad—clear thru! Everybody's asking too many questions. The people have no gratitude."

## 'The Wayfarer' to Be Shown Here July 1

First performance of "The Wayfarer," a religious pageant, written by Dr. James E. Crowther, former pastor of the First Methodist church, will be given at the University of Washington stadium July 1, according to present plans.

A scratched picture of a man-moth's tusk found in a French cave is believed to be the earliest artistic attempt of men now extant.

## LEG CUT OFF IN ACCIDENT

Auto Hits Motorbike Driver on Highway

With his leg amputated at the knee, Earle Robertson, 1804 1/2 23d ave. W., was in Kent hospital Monday as a result of a collision Sunday night between his motorcycle and a "bug" automobile on the Pacific highway.

The auto was driven by E. C. Fellows, Fourth Co. mounted police, and two other soldiers.

Two young women who were in Robertson's side car were uninjured.

## Crown Gems Found in Street Excavation

SHANGHAI, China, Jan. 24.—Pieces of a jewel-studded gold crown were found here by workmen excavating for sewers. The laborers fought to get the gems and bits of gold, and some 40 fragments were found.

## Fireplace Built on Raft for Fisherman

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 24.—Edward W. Jacques, of the Milton Yacht club, sits in a rocking chair before a fireplace and fishes. He has had a fireplace built on an inclosed raft. He drops his hook thru a hole in the floor.

## Irish Are Staying Home to Fight Now

DUBLIN, Jan. 24.—The emigration from Ireland during the first ten months of last year is about half what it was for the average of the five years preceding the war. Of the 12,752 emigrants, 7,988 were women.

## They Have to Say 'Hello' in Tagalog

MANILA, P. I., Jan. 24.—Hello girls of Manila must be able to converse intelligently in Spanish, English and Tagalog—hence considerable difficulty is experienced in getting them. There are now 129 operators.

## London Dancer Is Slain by Her American Lover



LONDON, Jan. 22.—The well-known dancer, Sophia Taylor, is dead, the victim of a lover's quarrel with Augustus Taylor, an American, who shot her and killed himself.

She was one of the most popular dancers in London, and leaves an estate of \$100,000.

## Three Are Held for Carrying Weapons

Carrying of concealed weapons was the accusation made Monday against Mike Corch, 36, by Patrolmen C. V. Harvey and O. K. Holschmaker. Wing Sing, 57, and Joseph Darrow, 52, a negro, are held on an identical charge. They were arrested in the south end Sunday by Lieut. G. V. Hasselblad and Patrolman P. E. Knapp.

## 14 CANDIDATES UP FOR COUNCIL

Former Mayor Cotterill Is Among Late Entries

Fourteen candidates had entered the race for the three councilmanic positions to be filled March 5 when the filing period closed Saturday. Late entrants were: George F. Cotterill, former mayor; Charles W. Doyle, business agent of the Central Labor council; Robert E. Dwyer, attorney; C. A. Lagrave, former city accountant; A. Lou Cohen, tobacco dealer, and William Phelps Toten, attorney.

Previous entrants were: Councilmen John E. Carroll, A. F. Haas and F. H. Bolton; C. B. Fitzgerald, former mayor and councilman; J. A. Johnson, former superintendent of buildings; John Bushell, busman; E. W. Melse, assistant clerk in the city comptroller's office; and S. S. Slaughter, formerly in city engineering and streets and sewers departments.

Names of the six candidates receiving the largest vote at the primary, February 21 will be placed on ballot at the March election.

## Legal Fight Over Constable Lambert

Legal questions over the status of James M. Lambert, elected as constable to succeed James Wolf, have kept him out of office and priviled Justice of the Peace C. D. Davis, a constable in his of Lambert pleaded guilty last week to "receiving a bribe," and fined \$300. Accordingly the commissioners have received \$1,000 bond as constable, but not accepted it. The prosecuting attorney will give an opinion.

## Offer Victorian Literature Course

A course in Victorian literature consisting of 12 lectures, will be offered by the University Extension service, beginning January 27 at 4 p. m., in 1044 assembly room, Her building.

None wedding ceremonies from three days to a week.

# The Bon Marché

## New Arrivals in "DAUNTLESS" TROUSERS

### At the New Price Levels

\$5.75 to \$10

Men and young men will find these trousers extra-well tailored—right in fit, in style, in materials, in value. The fabrics are worsteds, cassimeres, serges and flannel cloths in good dark patterns of gray, brown, blue and green—just what a fellow wants for work or semi-dress wear.

If for any reason these trousers fail to give entire satisfaction the maker authorizes us to replace them with a new pair.

**Men's Overcoats Reduced to \$16.45—\$24.50—\$34.50 and \$45.00**

**Men's Suits Are Reduced to \$24.50—\$29.50—\$34.50 \$39.50 and \$44.50**

MEN'S CLOTHES SHOP—UPPER MAIN FLOOR

## Imported Silk Pongee, 33-ins. Wide, Natural Color 85c yd.

Many a mother and housewife will seize this opportunity to get Pongee—for the price is so low—and the scores of uses it may be put to make it most wanted.

Suitable for dresses, children's clothes, pajamas, draperies, pillows, underwear, handkerchiefs, waists and scarfs.

**40-Inch Plain Georgette \$1.45**  
Georgette on the low plane of prices—\$1.45 a yard. Fine quality in pink, turquoise, orange, copper, maize, coral, silver, navy, brown and other colors.

**40-Inch Crepe de Chine Silk \$1.75**  
Good heavy weight of Crepe de Chine for the price—\$1.75. In shades of new jade, orange, rose, emerald, dark brown, navy, black, gray and others.

**35-Inch Navy Satin \$1.95 a Yard**  
The ever-popular Navy Blue Dress Satin at a very low price—\$1.95 a yard; 200 yards, part of a special buy—extra good weight for dresses, waists or skirts.

**35-In. Black Messaline Satin \$1.65**  
Wonderfully rich and lustrous Satin at a low price—\$1.65 a yard. Extra good weight—will make up well for dresses, waists or skirts.

**35-Inch Chiffon Taffeta \$2.25 Yd.**  
Chiffon Taffeta, one of the most popular fabrics for spring wear—in street and evening shades, including Japanese blue, folly, turquoise, shrimp, peacock and others.

**54-Inch All-Wool French Serge \$2.65 Yard**  
French Serge, bought specially—to sell at \$2.65 a yard. Navy blue, finely woven—sold for about double this price a few months ago.

FABRIC FLOOR—(THIRD)

**Calicoes at 10c a Yard**  
2,000 yards of Calico, 24 inches wide, in neat patterns in light or dark shades, for smart spring frocks.

FABRIC FLOOR—(THIRD)

**New Dress Ginghams**  
Pretty combinations in plaids and stripes in the New Ginghams are arriving daily—from 20c to 85c a yard.