

PROTEST MADE AGAINST ANY TREATIES AT PRESENT BETWEEN CHINA AND ANY OTHER POWERS

HAS CAUSED RUSSIA TO HESITATE ANYHOW MANCHURIAN AGREEMENT HAS NOT BEEN SIGNED ALIGNMENT OF THE POWERS.

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The British government has protested against China's making a convention with any power touching territorial or financial affairs until the present troubles in that country are concluded.

BULLETIN OF IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE DAY

- Weather Forecast for St. Paul: Fair; Northerly Winds. 1—Lion Shows His Teeth. Neshrop Draws the Plum. Funston Captures Aguinaldo. Victory for Russian Students. To Prevent a Strike.

HAS BEEN SEIZED THROUGH

MINNESOTA UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT APPOINTED A ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION COMMISSIONER

PERSONNEL OF COMMISSION

FOUR DEMOCRATS AND FOUR REPUBLICANS, WITH ONE YET TO BE SELECTED

PLANS OF WAR DEPARTMENT

Fifty Thousand Men Are to Be Kept in the Philippine Islands Until "Peace" Has Been Established.

WASHINGTON, March 27.—It is learned today that the president still lacks one name of completing the St. Louis exposition commission.

NEED 50,000 MUN.

The present plans of the war department contemplate the maintenance of an army of 50,000 men in the Philippines until order has been completely established under the proposed new civil government.

MCKINLEY'S DIARY

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MANILA, March 28.—Gen. Frederick Funston's daring project for the capture of Aguinaldo in his hiding place in the province of Isabella, Island of Luzon, has proved completely successful.

Aguinaldo was captured there on March 23.

The United States gunboat Vicksburg, Commander E. B. Barry, with Gen. Funston and Aguinaldo on board, arrived here this evening.

The province of Isabella, where the capture of Aguinaldo occurred, is on the island of Luzon, about 500 miles northeast of Manila.

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STATEMENT BY RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, March 27.—The correspondent of the Times has been informed on competent authority that the Russo-Chinese agreement probably

MICHIGAN RIVERS OVER THEIR BANKS

MANUFACTURING DISTRICT OF GRAND RAPIDS IS UNDER WATER—DAMS GIVE WAY.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 27.—Grand river was stationary tonight. The river is 13 feet 6 inches above normal.

RUSSIAN FRIENDSHIP

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LINCOLN, Neb., March 27.—An unfavorable conference of Republicans of the legislature and an equally futile effort to hold a caucus under a new call marked the closing struggle in the Nebraska senatorial canvass.

STRIKE SYMPATHIZERS MOB SILK MILL BOSS

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 27.—A mob of breaker boys and men and women sympathizers with the striking girls of the Bamford silk mill, of water and set upon Supt. Spears and his assistant this evening and for a time it looked as if there would be bloodshed.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Minnesota—Fair Thursday; light to fresh northerly winds; Friday fair.

WASHING TIME (7 P. M. ST. PAUL)

Battleford ... 21 Des Moines ... 28 Bismarck ... 34 Detroit ... 22

JAPAN READY TO FIGHT

YOKOHAMA, March 27.—At a meeting of his parliamentary adherents today, the premier, the Marquis Ito, referring to foreign politics, said Japan had attained a position enabling her to protect her legitimate interests and to take whatever steps the exigencies of the moment required.

RUSSIAN INFLUENCE WANING

LONDON, March 28.—Dr. Morrison writing to the Times from Peking says: "Reports that the Chinese court has definitely rejected the Manchurian convention are acquiring great consistency, and the extreme reluctance of Li Hung Chang's yamen points in the same direction."

AROUND THE HOTELS

At the Merchants—J. R. Donahue, Grand Rapids; J. M. Robinson, E. M. Gaylord, Duluth; W. H. Sawyer, Grand Rapids; Cleveland, Glenwood; C. J. Campbell, Duluth; Sheriff Black, Laverne; W. R. Fergus, Duluth; J. C. Smith, Duluth; W. E. Kempe, Hector; H. C. Hornley, Claret; F. L. Olcott, Cumberland; C. A. Chamberlain, Madison, Wis.; J. H. Robertson, St. Louis; J. D. Johnson, Cumberland, Wis.; F. A. Hodge, Pine City; A. C. Cooper, St. Cloud; Ira H. Higby, Omaha; W. E. Kelsey, Crookston.

At the Ryan—Mrs. Maxstein, Mrs. M. Kaufman, Fargo; G. E. Wells, Minneapolis; C. M. Swift, Grand Rapids; W. B. Persons, Winona; J. C. Paul, Milwaukee; R. Mann, Lewiston, Ia.; James Nolan, Duluth; R. Snow, Little Falls.

At the Windsor—A. E. Peaslee, A. C. Page, Austin; J. W. Lewis, Bloomington; R. A. L. Shobins, Rochester; E. J. Lombard, McIntosh; H. B. Jesmer, Princeton; C. C. Cole, Duluth; J. W. Renwick, Milwaukee; W. N. D. E. W. Fluke, Herman; Rev. Bachmann, St. James; H. H. Beckness, Winham; J. P. Griffin, Hastings.

At the Metropolitan—J. W. Murdoch, Wabasha; W. J. Brown and daughter, Marquette; Mrs. F. E. Smith, St. Paul; G. Dunlap, Grand Rapids; George A. Worthington, Sioux Falls; J. J. Mulaney, Detroit; Cruising yacht, Prince of Wales; J. Williams, Baraboo, Wis.

At the New York Hotels. Astor House—George J. Stanbury, Appleton; W. H. Tucker, Dakota. Holland—Sherman, Finch, St. Paul. Manhattan—Mrs. Nora F. Howard, St. Paul. Bartholdi—Mrs. J. G. Carpenter, Minneapolis. Fifth Avenue—F. L. Langan, Minneapolis. Marlborough—C. B. Clark, Neenah.

RUSSIAN FRIENDSHIP

STRIKINGLY SHOWN AT DISINTERMENT OF SIX AMERICAN DEAD.

PEKIN, March 27.—The bodies of six American marines who were killed during the siege of the legations and buried in the grounds of the Russian legation were removed today for shipment to the United States.

In addition to the American troops in China the Marquis, commander of the Chinese army, has ordered a detachment of marines to be present at the disinterment.

The courtesy of the Russians deeply moved all the Americans. Two Russian companies participated in all the ceremonies. The Russians guarded the disinterred bodies during the night and made arrangements for Russian soldiers to honor to the dead.

It is recalled that in the case of an American marine, who had done duty beside a Russian soldier and who was buried without a coffin, the Russian with the tears streaming down his face, leaped into the grave and arranged the earth as a rest for the head. Those who were present say it was a most affecting scene.

CONFERENCE HELD AT OFFICE OF J. P. MORGAN & CO. ON ANTHRACITE MINERS' CASE

Financial Magnate Promises His Best Efforts to Prevent Trouble, and Says He Thinks There Will Be None.

MORGAN AGAINST A STRIKE

NEW YORK, March 27.—A delegation composed of five men representing trade interests in the Pennsylvania anthracite coal regions with the Rev. Edward S. Phillips as chairman, held a conference today with J. Pierpont Morgan in the private office of Mr. Morgan in this city.

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