

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY OF ST. PAUL.

IF THEY ARE NOT, THEY WILL HAVE TO LEAVE WEST POINT FOR GOOD

MILLS' ACTION IS COMMENDED

TEXT OF SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT RECOMMENDING DISMISSAL OF SECOND CLASS MEN

NAMES OF THOSE DISMISSED

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The names of the cadets who have been dismissed from the military academy, at West Point, as the result of the recent disturbances there, are as follows: Henry L. Holly; John Cleveland; Tranquet F. Teller; Raymond A. Linton and Hirsch O. Mahaffey.

The dismissed cadets are from the following states: Holly, Nebraska; Cleveland, Alabama; Teller, New York; Linton, Michigan; and Mahaffey, Texas.

The following cadets have been suspended: Olan C. Aleshire, Illinois; Benjamin F. McClellan, Mississippi; A. Shanahan, Minnesota; and Charles T. Wood, Utah, all of the second class. Also Thomas N. Gimpelring, O., and Harry Hawley, New York, of the third class.

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NEW MEXICAN JUSTICE

BULLETS FLY THICK IN COURT—ONE MAN KILLED. SANTA FE, N. M., May 22.—William Park was shot and killed at Central Grant county in the office of Justice of the Peace Joseph Crowley, during the preliminary examination of May Emond, charged with a serious crime.

BULLETIN OF IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE DAY

Weather Forecast for St. Paul: Showers, Warmer.

1.—Lesson for Cadets. Troops Leave Pekin. Flood in Tennessee. Shamrock a Wreck. Fred Barrows Convicted.

2.—East Talking Tom Johnson. Phones for Fire Department. South St. Paul Business. Altonzo Whiteman Here.

3.—Mangled by a Train. Lambert's Washington Mission. Editorial Page. Schubert Club Annual.

4.—Sports News. St. Paul Wins. Minneapolis Goes Higher. Results of Eastern Games. General Strike Situation.

5.—News of Railroads. Extending Gould Lines. Popular Wants. To Talk Read Today.

6.—Markets of the World. Chicago July Wheat, 73 1-2. Bar Silver, 59 7-8. Stocks Dull; Firm.

7.—Clears Innocent Man. Postmasters Adjourn. Homeopaths Want Full Course. To Investigate Johnson.

THE WEATHER.

Minnesota—Fair in western, showers in eastern portion Thursday; warmer; Friday fair; fresh southwesterly winds. Wisconsin—Showers Thursday and in eastern portion Friday; fresh south or southwesterly winds.

Iowa—Showers Thursday with lower temperature in southeast portion; Friday fair and warmer; southwesterly winds. North and South Dakota—Showers in eastern fair in western portions Thursday; Friday fair and warmer; variable winds and showers.

Montana—Fair Thursday; warmer in western portion; Friday fair and warmer; variable winds and showers. St. Paul—Yesterday's observations, taken by the United States weather bureau, St. Paul, P. E. Owens, observer, for the twenty-four hours ended at 7 o'clock last night—Barometer corrected for temperature, 30.2; highest temperature, 60; lowest temperature, 54; average temperature, 58; daily range, 6; barometer, 29.85; humidity, 92; precipitation, .54; w. p. temperature, 55; wind, north; weather, cloudy.

Washington time (7 p. m. St. Paul) River Bulletin. Danger Gauge Change in Stations. Line Reading, 24 Hours. Davenport... 4.8. La Crosse... 5.7. St. Louis... 10.0.

AROUND THE HOTELS.

At the Merchants—H. J. Miller, Lawrence Lease, D. Mickeljohn, E. P. Bauer, M. J. Leary, J. J. Campbell, Frank B. Plimpton, W. G. W. Somerville, Sleepy Eye, L. J. Abbott, Delavan.

TROOPS LEAVE PEKIN

YANKEE SOLDIERS HAD ESCORT OF HONOR FROM FORCES OF THE ALLIES

FAREWELL TO GEN. CHAFFEE

DISTINGUISHED PARTY SAID GOOD-BYE TO THE POPULAR AMERICAN COMMANDER

STRUGGLE WITH INDEMNITY

PEKIN, May 22.—The last of the American troops here, with the exception of the legion guard, left Pekin at 7 o'clock this morning. The headquarters staff departed at 10 o'clock, in spite of the early hour and the long distances they had to march, all the bands of the British troops escorted the Ninth United States Infantry from the temple of agriculture to the depot, where the Japanese band awaited the troops. All the British generals and their staffs and all the officers of duty were present. The scene was one of great enthusiasm.

As the later train left a great crowd was present to wish Gen. Chaffee farewell. Count von Waldseer, Gen. Yamaguchi, Gen. Guasche and all the other generals and members of the legations were among those present. The Seventh Rajputs acted as a guard of honor.

M'KINLEY IN CLOSE TOUCH

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The president and Secretary of State have been in constant communication with Washington during the journey west. Dispatches from foreign embassies have been continually arriving and the Chinese situation has received special attention. The president has been anxious lest the difficulties thrown in the way of an arrangement by the demands of some of the powers might lead to definite delay and a consequent increase of the indemnity to be exacted. Plans to be settled are, first, the total amount of indemnity and the share of each power; second, the method of payment.

In regard to the first point the president has constantly endeavored to moderate the demands of the powers to an amount which China might pay without financial ruin or territorial dismemberment. He has thought that \$200,000,000 was the maximum amount indicated by the best authorities consulted and he has proved the willingness of this government to make every sacrifice in the interest of the integrity of China and the restoration of normal relations by cutting down other already moderate claims one-half if other powers would make proportional reductions. These propositions have not been accepted by the other governments, though Great Britain has shown a disposition to a conciliatory treatment of the matter.

As to the method of payment it is understood that there are various propositions before the conference of ministers in Peking. One is a loan to be guaranteed by China, another requires a 4 per cent, with a commission of 5 or 6 per cent; another is a loan, not guaranteed, which probably requires an enormous commission and a heavy rate of interest, some 7 per cent. Neither of these propositions were acceptable to the president. Two weeks ago he proposed that the salt and the opium duties be for his share of the indemnity the bonds of China at par and with interest at 3 per cent, provision for meeting the interest and for eventual payment being taken from the salt and opium duties.

Germany is apparently averse to interfering with the like duties, since they are too complicated, requiring too much administrative machinery and too much mixing in the internal affairs of China. Officials here admit the powers are likely to divide into two groups upon the method of settlement, some following Great Britain, in favor of the salt and opium duties, and others supporting payment through increased revenue. It is not expected, however, that a disagreement will disturb the present harmonious relations.

Count von Waldseer, in a dispatch from Pekin, made public today, says a Li Hung Chang, having decided to take energetic action against the Boxers along the southern coast, his resignation, his generals are now operating in conjunction with Gen. Bailou and Capt. Knepper.

Two companies of the Third (German) regiment surprised and dispersed 400 camp-followers of the Chinese army, near Pao-Ting-Fu. Five Germans were wounded.

ARMY OFFICERS DRUNK

DISGRACEFUL SCENE AT CAMP STOTENBURG, MANILA. MANILA, May 22.—It is alleged that, as the outcome of a drunken quarrel, the officers' quarters at Camp Stotenburg, Manila, were set on fire by a private named E. Howell, of the 24th Infantry, and a second lieutenant, Charles R. Lloyd, of the left side of Lloyd's battery, and a private, who was temporarily in command, took flight, leaving 12 on a wild "bike" through the jungles and rice fields of Marikina valley.

Later Howell, Lloyd and Dr. Overton, who dressed Lloyd's wounds, were placed under arrest. The affair is being investigated.

WOULD RETURN A SWORD.

COLUMBUS, O., May 22.—Adj. Gen. Geyer has received a letter asking for information concerning an Ohio officer named McCord, who was captured by the captain of an Alabama company in 1864. The Confederate captain, it is stated, wishes to return to the Ohio officer the sword taken from him. The first lieutenant in the One Hundred and Eleventh Ohio volunteer Infantry, was captured in action at Cedar Bluffs, Ala., Oct. 26, 1864. When last heard from McCord was living at Marshalltown, Io.

VICTOR'S CLOSE CALL.

ITALIAN KING HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH. ROME, May 22.—King Victor Emmanuel had a narrow escape yesterday, turning from a walk he entered the elevator to reach his apartments on the second floor of the Hotel de Ville, an experienced servant set the indicator for the third story, the king was on the point of stepping out as the elevator continued to ascend, but his majesty jumped back in the nick of time and thus escaped being crushed.

RIOTOUS RUSSIAN STRIKERS.

Several Killed and Injured in Collision With Police. LONDON, May 22.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg, dated May 21, says: "The strikers at the Obuchoff iron works, at Alexandrovsky, in this vicinity, had a collision with the authorities yesterday. Some 3,500 rioters stoned the police, injuring twelve of them. The police were reinforced by soldiers, who fired three volleys, killing two men and wounding seven. One hundred and twenty persons were arrested."



UNCLE SAM—"THAT DOESN'T SOUND A BIT FUNNY TO ME."

UNDER A RAGING FLOOD

RIVERS OUT OF THEIR BANKS IN EAST TENNESSEE MAKE HAVOC

EIGHT PEOPLE ARE DROWNED

PROPERTY DAMAGE EXPECTED TO REACH INTO THE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS

MANY BRIDGES WASHED OUT

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 22.—Millions of dollars' damage has been done and at least eight lives lost in upper Tennessee by floods which began their work of destruction in the Holston, spanned by the river at Elizabethton gave way yesterday afternoon. The dead: MRS. PILEY, Mrs. PILEY (colored), THREE CHILDREN of Joseph Hill, UNKOWN MAN, Little mountain streams emptied into the Doe and Watuga rivers swelling those streams beyond all proportions hitherto.

Every Knight and Mason was provided with a small American flag. They waved incessantly all through the exercises and there was a patriotic demonstration that shook the large building. Gen. W. H. L. Barnes opened the program with a graceful speech, introducing President McKinley. Following the introductory address of Gen. Barnes, a choir of 100 voices sang the "Templar's Prayer," with the accompaniment of a band of sixty pieces, and the effect was most impressive. Then President McKinley responded to the address of welcome.

The Philippine commission has passed the following approved sentences: Lieut. Frederick Boyer, thirty-ninth infantry, former depot commissary at Calamba, Nonagu, on similar charges, to be dishonorably discharged and to undergo five years' imprisonment. Both Barrows and Boyer eventually will be removed to Leavenworth prison, Kansas.

NEW ORDINANCE TRUST

COMBINATION OF ARMAMENT AND AMMUNITION MANUFACTURERS. NEW YORK, May 22.—The Herald will say tomorrow: "The information has leaked out that an American ordinance navy armament syndicate is forming, which will consist of the Driggs-Seabury Gun and Ammunition company, of Derby, Conn., and the American Ordnance company, controlled by Charles R. Flint, of this city. This proposed new company, it is stated, will not be identified with the Cramp-Vickers-Bethlehem company, and it is the intention of its management to operate the actual competition with the long-projected Anglo-American Gun and Shipbuilding combination.

The first step toward the formation of the company was taken some weeks ago when the control of the Driggs-Seabury Gun and Ammunition company passed into the hands of a financial syndicate, in which C. R. Flint and C. Williams are interested. No formal merger of the two companies has as yet taken place, nor is there likely to be a complete consolidation of the two companies for some time to come, as other and more extensive plans are pending which, it is stated, must mature before the actual consolidation takes place. The capital stock of the Driggs-Seabury company is \$1,000,000, and arrangements have been made to increase the capital stock to \$3,000,000.

It was learned yesterday in connection with the consolidation of the Cramps and the Vickers-Maxim companies and the purchase of the controlling interest in the Bethlehem Steel company that the gun and ordinance department of the British concern, and not the complete plant, would be bought. This report was confirmed by Henry Seligman, of J. & W. Seligman & Co., who is a director of the Cramp Shipbuilding company.

AFFAIRS IN VENEZUELA.

Renewal of Diplomatic Relations With France May Be Postponed. CARACAS, Venezuela, May 22 (via Havre cables).—Venezuela's refusal to accept the French protocol, covering the renewal of diplomatic relations with Venezuela, was due to the objection of Venezuela to a clause providing for arbitrating all pending claims which originated on account of the last revolution. Venezuela proposed coming to an agreement on a total sum without arbitration. It is doubtful whether France will accept this proposition.

REFUSE TO ORDER TAX LEVY FOR RAILROAD NEVER BUILT.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 22.—S. C. Peden, one of two St. Clair county judges recently sent to jail for refusing to order a tax levy to pay interest on bonds for a railway in that county, the never built, is said to be willing to obey the federal court's mandate. Mob law had previously been threatened in St. Clair county at the slightest sign of paying for the bonds, and if Judge Peden should agree to the levy it is believed by federal officials here that the citizens of that county will deal severely with him. For years the judges of that county have refused to order the levy, and when ordered to do so different sets of judges have been ordered sent to jail by federal courts sitting in Kansas City. Two sets of judges have spent their entire terms behind the bars. A month ago three of the newly elected judges stole into Osceola at night to hold court and to issue a tax levy to run the county. Judge Peden and Judge Thomas Nevitt were arrested and brought here, the third judge escaping to the woods. Judge Peden was sentenced to the Bethany jail and Judge Nevitt to Warrensburg. Judge Peden sent his resignation to Gov. Dockery today and says if it is not accepted he will obey the order of the federal court and sign an order for the tax levy.

KANSAS JUDGES IN JAIL.

HEARTFELT EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE THAT THE KING ESCAPED ARE HEARD UPON ALL SIDES. Many people say he was foolish to go aboard the challenger, but, as Sir Thomas says, "If I did not think everything was perfectly safe, you can never be sure I would never have invited his majesty to get a wetting, but otherwise nobody was hurt. King Edward calmly lit another cigar and continued smoking, after assuring himself that everybody was safe. Later he steamed around the wrecked vessel and carefully inspected the broken bobstay.

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