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## Impenalists Won Sweeping Victory According to Report

kow Say Revolutionists were
Forced to Fall Back Across
River Abandoning City After
Battle.

Cals stationed here and a massacre is feared if the city falls.

Manchus Flee in Disguise.

Amoy, China, Oct. 28.—Revolutionary sympathy has developed to such an alarming extent here that Taotai Ching, the only high Manchu official in Amoy, today sent his family to Functional to Functional As a precaution all the

Sent Out by The Desparate Manchu robes. Government to Bolster its Faltering Cause—Situation Desperate.

By Associated Press.

Siaokan, China, Oct. 28.—(From a advice: "I has

first began at 6 o'clock in the morning, south of Shekou at Saotao bridge towards Lui Cha Miao. Supported by war-ships the imperial troops forced the rebels from their position at Liuchia temple, which was captured at 11 you begin at the top it gets harder all

Fighting was renewed in the direction of the Tchih gate at Kankow. The rebels were strongly entrenched west of her back and work both ways." of the race course

The imperialists forced their way attempts to Steal Exhibits across Sactao bridge and seized the town of Liuchia. Driving the enemy before them, the loyal troops entered the native city of Hankow. The imperialists lost about 40 killed

ers were wounded. The rebels lost effort to convict James B. McNamara.

independence. Thec ity has declin-storage batteries, used, it is charged, ed to contribute men or money for in making infernal machines; a small the support of the government in the

Sha now in possession of the rebels. and prominent business houses and By Associated Press. The recapture of Pi Hsien, a city in manufacturing plants of different ci-Sze Chuen province by the govern- ties. This material, it is said, was takment forces, is officially confirmed. The adherents of Yuan Shi Kai, who McManigal in Detroit. has been placed in supreme command of the land and naval forces, met today with prominent radical members the national assembly for an entirely new Chinese cabitnet, a constitutional government and the im-

troops there yesterday caused a flut- ed with last week. ter in Shanghai today. The reports were received even in official circles were received even in official circles with incredulity. Rebel sympathizers Believe Lovett declared that the dispatches were undoubtedly sent from a government source to bolster up a faltering cause.

The wireless dispatches were caught by some of the German naval operators. They gave no details, but said tors. They gave no details, but said that there was fighting all day yester that there was fighting all day yester momentarily expected in connection and on talesman Walter N. Frampton, by some of the German naval operators. They gave no details, but said that there was nghting all day jester day at Hankow and that the result momentarily expected in connection also under challenge by the defense compelling the revolutionists to aban-week ago, when he was run over by a resenting James B. McNamara, the don Hankow and fall back across the night train.

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Nan River into Nan Yang. Whatever the situation around right was killed some distance from the of the defense that the court should have matters have grown more desper- was killed some distance from the of the defense that the court should have announced its intention kow, matters have grown more desperate was knied such as the control of the government cause in the attention of the government cause in the place where the dismembered portions are made.

This Judge Berdwell declined to do that the widening of DeKalb avenue guilty of the murder of Vincent Alignment fixed at life. Attanta to the widening of DeKalb avenue for the Yang Tse river. Lovert is reported to have had \$100 that Ching Kiang, 150 miles above that Ch hands of the rebels. Ching Kiang is been found. A blood-stained shovel, the first of the series of lower river forts above Shanghal and is regarded have been found a half mile below the Wu Sung will quickly follow. Wu Sung the track to conceal the murder. is 10 miles above Shanghal, and marks

thing Kiang three important cities, Nanking, Yang Chow and Wu Hu are

Wireless Dispatches From Han-cials stationed here and a massacre is

protection. As a precaution all the Reports Thought to Have Been members of the household on their voyage northward wore the clothing of the native Chinese, discarding their

WHEN "HUBBY" IS THE MAID

Chicago, Ill Oct. 28.—A worried husband has appealed to a newspaper on the better way to button his wife's dress—whether to begin at the top or bottom. One expert handed him this

Siaokan, China, Oct. 28.—(From a correspondent with the imperial army under General Yin Tchang)—The native city of Hankow was recaptured from Chinese rebels yesterday after a day of sanguinary fighting. The imperialists captured a large amount of rebel guns and ammunition.

Two engagements were fought. The labels of the looks or buttons are liable to Two engagements were fought. The the hooks or buttons are liable to

#### IN MCNAMARA CASE REPORTED.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 28.--It was reported that an attempt was made to including a captain and two lieuten-ants while one hundred and fifty othhe report could not be verified, but

Yesterday's fighting took place dur- it is a fact that these exhibits are ing a heavy rain. The troops fought guarded with unusual care, armed with great valor, the imperial gener-watchmen being stationed day and al Yin Tchang, declares in a dispatch night at the apartment in the hall of the government.

Canton is practically in a state of The collection includes five small

matic revolvers, two time clocks, one small camera with which McManigal, it is asserted, took pictures of structures. The government has succeeded in tures blown up by him and McNamara, obtaining a large loan from a French and Belgian syndicate. The amount is not divulged.

The foreign board states that 3,000 loyal troops are marching on Chang loyal troops are marching on Ch en from the valises of McNamara and

#### NEW YORK CLEARING HOUSE.

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 28 .- The statement mediate summoning of a parliament. of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold \$17,239,750 Shanghai, China, Oct. 28.—Wireless reserve in excess of local requirements. dispatches from Hankow reporting a This is an increase of \$2,035,800 in the sweeping victory for the imperial proportionate cash reserve as compar-

## Was Murdered

was a sweeping government victory. with the death of John Lovett here a were eagerly awaited by counsel rep

forts above Shanghai and is regarded have been found a half mile below the bere as the keystone of the defense of the city. If it falls it is conceded spot where the body was found. The that all the forts below it as far as theory is that the body was placed on

#### the city's last line of defenses. West of Shanghai the wealthy city of Su Chow is threatened, while above Quieter 10-day

the dismissed minister of posts and created product yestern and doubtrul, he said if the Times ex. Mexico. Small craft are advised to be communications is coming to Shang wild trading in United States Steel plosion had been caused by dynamite cautious. This disturbance is presumed to be had, where he has a magnificent home.

banks here by Peking and other centers.

Great Alarm at Ching Kiang.

Ching Kiang, Province of Kiang Su, Ching Kiang, Province of Ching Kiang, Province of Kiang Su, Ching Kiang, Province of Ching Kiang



Women in Linnell poison mystery. On the left reading from top to bottom are Miss Alfreda Chase, the Rev. Rioheson's former sweetheart; in the center, Miss Alice F. Howe, a former sweetheart of Richesons'; On the bottom Miss Violet Edmands, the present fiancee of the accused pastor. On the right is the latest photograph of Miss Avis Linnell, the murdered sweetheart of the minister; below is the photograph of Miss Nellie Barkhouse, an intimate friend of the murdered girl who will be an important adjaces for the prosecution. Miss Barkhouse turned over to the Boston police authorities a letter written to her by Miss Linnell which will have an important bearing in the trial of the accused minister.

## Diags Along

lindianapolis, Ind., Oct. 28.—That according to information in the possession of the United States district his stay in Chicago. attorney, an illegal conspiracy to transport dynamite from state to state has existed with the headquart-ers in the offices of John J. McNamara here, is the statement of a petition filed in the county criminal court today praying for possession of evi-dence in the case to be used in a federal grand jury investigation.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 28.-When dissatisfaction among counsel for the ago, had reached sufficient proportions ager of the hotel where the association to overshadow most other interests of commerce banquet will be given

among spetators. defendant but neither ruling, from the nature of the cases, could throw fur- Special to The News. an River into Nan Yang.

Evidence is claimed showing that he ther light on the insistent contention Atlanta, Oct. 28.—The Seaboard

of the trial and are usual in Los Angeles county, although not in all cases specified by statute.

believed to be in danger. All four of these cities reported today that while these cities reported today that while the situation was still quiet, there is open sympathy for the rebel cause and probably little effective resistance will be offered to attack.

It is believed here that Sheng Huai, the dismissed minister of posts and there was no hint of the excitement produced yesterday by the defense late yesterday. He was doubtful, he said if the Times excitement produced yesterday by the doubtful, he said if the Times excitement produced yesterday by doubtful ye

have arrived here from Peking, addressed in the care of a foreigner.

The business situation is still precarious. The money market is in an alarming state on account of the vast alarming state on account of the vast amounts of specie withdrawn from the banks here by Peking and other centers.

Great Alarm at Ching Klang.

The account of the vast amounts of specie withdrawn from the siderable demand for steel stocks. The same steel stocks was over the same as good many dyster the sto

#### The McNamara Case Plenty of Pie For The President

By Associated Press.

During the president's long tour of the west he has been denied pastry generally and pie in particular. From this evening until Mordey of the president's second day in Chicago called for a variety of functions.

the command issued by the general Monday. committee at its meeting.

The manager of the hotel where the McNamara murder trial opened to-day it was evident that a little cloud of three of several lunches will be given th president has ordered that pumpkin defense, first visible only a few days pie be served on each menu. The manago, had reached sufficient proportions ager of the hotel where the association

has also agreed to the pastry schedule.

#### Seaboard's Big Suit Against Atlanta a luncheon given by the Chicago Bar Association.

Then Darrow, under direction of the court continued his examination.

Demand for immediate ruling by the court formed the second step by the defense in seeking to alter conditions governing examination of talesmen which obtained at the beginning of the trial and are usual in Los An-Dallas, Texas, Oct. 28.—Governor

#### STORM WARNING.

#### President Spends A Busy Day

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Facing a day's Chicago, Oct. 28.—President Taft work that calls for his constant attend-will get all the pie he wants during ance from the middle of the afternoon until late at night, President Taft rose

this evening until Monday afternoon he will be given all the pie he wants and as many kinds as he may choose.

"Whatever President Taft wants while in Chicago let him have it," was the accommodal in the laying of the cornerstone of the Hamilton Club's new building on Monday.

Directly following the issuance to the president of a union card, Mr. Taft's program demanded an address on "Conservation as related to min- dent for several weeks. ing." His plans for government opera-tion of Alaskan mines as an example to lessees were placed before the mining congress last night by Secretary

of the Interior Fisher. From mining the president was called to discuss the recall of the judiclary

LIFE IMPRISONMENT FOR CHCAGO MURDERER.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Il., Oct. 28.-Maurice Bright, man, and his punishment fixed at life imprisonment. Enright shot Altman, also a labor organizer, in the bar room of a down-town hotel.

ARRIVES IN DALLAS. In a long confession made shortly ifter his arrest, Enright admitted that he killed William Gentleman, a labor union delegate, but denied that he had

EXPRESS TRAINS.

London, Oct. 28.—The American boat express train for Liverpool was in collision today with a local train av Colwich. It is known that some persons were injured but details have not been received here.
Officials of the London and North-

estern railway state that they have information that no passenger was injured in the wreck at Colwich, which described as not serious. They discredit a report from Stafford that a score of persons have been killed.

No passengers on the boat train
were injured. Three persons on the
local were injured, two seriously.

CONVENTION OF COLLEGEGS.

bama at Tuscaloosa, November 2nd and 3rd.

## Great Cotton Conference Will Open In New Orleans Monday

## FIRE DISCOVERED AT LITTLE-LONG'S YESTEROAY AFT

Yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock an alarm of firewas turned in from box 36, the Square, fire being discovered in the engine room of the Little-Long Company, one of the largest dry goods establishments in the city, or state. The department was at the scene in a minute. The blaze, which had been confined to the engine room, was extinguished by means og chemicals.

The fire was caused by the negro fireman piling kindling wood too close of agriculture, together with promi-

Jones were in the basement; also men in attendance, the conference Mrs. J. L. Pitkin, who was buying some next Monday morning to discuss the smoke. Mr. Overcarsh went to the en- a better price for cotton is expected smoke. Mr. Overcarsh went to the engine room instantly. As he opened the door he found it in flames. Slamming the door he rushed up stairs and through the store, to the fire alarm.

The clerks thought he was running to see the flying machine, and those not busy followed him. In a moment the big that the specific object of the meether that the specific object of the meether and the specific object of the meether that the specific object of the not to be told that there was fire. most valuable staple, particularly in A rush was made for the street. Mr. regard to the interest of the produc-J. L. Staten was on the first floor. Mr. Walter Cuthbertson, also of the firm,

was in his office. The women clerks on the third floor hastened down on the cotton producing state be present," elevator. Those on the second floor fol-said the telegram, "and it is my inlowed with the exception of Mrs. tention to sacrifice other matters Jesse McDonald and Mrs. Monroe, who to attend this meeting rather than were the last to leave. The building send a representative." was so full of smoke that they had to Governor Mann, of Virvinia, and was so full of smoke that they had to leave by way of the window next to Ed. Mellon & Co.'s, passing across on the window ledge. Messrs. Zeb Shelton and John Craig, helping them Carolina, will arrive Sunday. Governor Noel, of Mississippi, probably will arrive Sunday night.

There was a great deal of smoke, much fright and excitement, but fortunately for Charlotte, but little fire. Had the kindling piled up close to the engine ignited at night Charlotte would have witnessed one of the greatest conflagrations in its history, for the hurning of Little Long's would the burning of Little-Long's have meant the burning of the block on Trade and Tryon of which the Realty building stands at the head of the

corner. Mrs. Pitkin, the lady who was in the basement, was overcome by the smoke She fainted. She was cared for in Parker-Gardner's until able to go home.

AMERICAN CONSUL A SUICIDE.

By Associated Press. Cieba, Honduras, Oct. 28.—Allen an American consul here, committed

Taft's program demanded an address suicide yesterday by shooting himself before the American Mining Congress through the head. He had been despon-

# OF MRS. M'RAE

day of the first week of the McRee the provision of the city charter. Secmurder trial opened today with Mrs. onded by W. F. Stevens and carried Henry L. Garland, Sr., the aged grend-mother of the slain Allan Garland on the witness stand. When court ad-meeting adjourned." interrupted by an objection from counsel for the defense to a question concerning the prisoner's attendance upon night meetings of a lodge and according aujourned."

Bank Apportionments.

Commercial National Bank ..... 50,000.00

Charlotte National Rank ..... 50,000.00 

The simplicity with which the aged grandmother of Mrs. McRee's victim related the incidents of the day of the tragedy made a marked impression on the spectators. With deep affection she constantly referred to Allan Garland as "my poor boy" and nothing could have been more dramatic than her statement of how Mrs. McRee calmly told her: "I assure you he is dead, Mrs. Garland, I shot him three

behind the testimony of today was expected to deal with the motive which the state contends was not protection of the prisoner's honor, as she claims.

#### KILLING IN FLORIDA.

By Associated Press.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 28.—Thirtynine institutions of learning, including
16 universities, have definitely announced that they will be represented
at the coming convention of colleges
and preparatory schools of the South
ern states, according to letters now
being sent out by Dr. B. E. Young, of
Vanderbilt, secretary. The meeting
will be held at the University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa, November 2nd

St. Augustine, Fla., Oct. 28.—C. L.
Hall, a plantation foreman, was killed
by a negro workman near Eikton
this morning. The negro was badly
cut, presumably by Hall. Details of the
duel are not known. After being stabbed, Hall got into a buggy and started
for a nearby settlement. The mule
he was driving ran away and overturned the vehicle. Hall's body was found
beside the road.

Trip.

He raises his hat to the crowd
often that it does not last long.

He wears a 7%.

High Point, N. C., Oct. 28.—Mr.
Raymond, of Indianapolis has
completed arrangements to open
hardwood warehouse that will
all kinds of hardwood veneers

Indications Point to Large Attendance of State Officials, Business Men, Journalists And Laymen—Effort to Get Legitimate Price for Cotton.

Conference Will Be of National Importance — Matters of Vital Interest to Cotton Growers to Be Considered And Acted Upon.

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, Oct. 28.-With a dozen or more governors of Southern States and as many commissioners nent members of the farmers' union Mr. Bryan Overcarsh and Mr. Rufus and eastern and foreign newspaper goods from Mr. Jones. They detected problem of marketing and getting

building was full of smoke, and the ing would be to better conditions clerical force and customers needed surrounding the South's greatest and

"I deem it a matter of the highest importance that every governor of a

Mrs. Monroe had left her purse and some valuable papers in the drawer in the desk. She made the return trip on the window ledge, accompanied by Mr. Shelton.

AND CITY BANKS

### The fires under the aldermanic pot lever die out. Today the "curb brokers" are talking about the distribu-tion of "city pie" in regard to the city

bonds as among the banks. Some of the aldermen have recalled and Gard, who was relieved this week as reproduced the following motion recorded at an August meeting of the board, which reads thus: Motion. "Mr W. W. Phifer moved that the proceeds from the sale of the water bonds, as above, be received by the

city clerk and treasurer and be deposited by him in equitable amounts in the different local banks to the credit of tue city of Charlotte, to be paid out only upon voucher checks countersigned by the chairman of the finance committee of the board of water commis-sioners, and approved by the mayor and signed by the clerk and treasurer, the mayor and city clerk and treasurer being ex-officio chairman and ex-officio clerk and treasurer, respectively, of the Opelousas, La., Oct. 28.—The final board of water commissioners, under

"On motion of W. W. Phifer the

National Bank ..... 13,000.00 American Trust Company .275,000.00

Total .....\$465,000.00 Mr. Wearn, the city clerk and treasarer is not in the city and could not therefore make a statement.

The finance committee consists of Messrs. R. F. Sifford, E. W. Thompson, E. S. Williams, W. W. Phifer, J. L. Sexton, J. P. Carr, W. F Stevens It is supposed that the American

Trust Company was given the lion's Allan Garland and introduced evidence as to the position of the body and the bullet wounds which the prosecution asserts prove that he was shot from Mr. Wearn or the finance committee can explain.

Taft Orders Another Silk Hat.
Chicago, Oct. 28.—President Taft
has placed an order for another silk
hat. This will make the third one
he has purchased during the present

He raises his hat to the crowds so

Hardwood Warehouse to Open.

Special to The News.

High Point, N. C., Oct. 28.—Mr. H. W. Raymond, of Indianapolis has about completed arrangements to open a big hardwood warehouse that will carry all kinds of hardwood veneers.