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Society Night At

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Show Is Revolution To All

Turning from society to the main object of the meeting—the exhibits the throng examined and re-examined the cars. Every booth was filled constantly, with interested on-lookers—many prospective buyers. The chassee attracted particular attention, for they told "the reason why." There are three of these curious looking things which suggest the skeletal remains of some prehistoric animal: one in the Maxwell booth one on the Studebaker stage, one in the Ford booth. All three were in operation last night.

First Sale.

The first sale recorded at the show was made by the American Motor Car Co. The car sold was a Whiting. It was bought by a gentleman from Statesville. The company was proudly displaying the cheque for the sale last night. The sale was made by Mr. W. R. Smith.

Costly Exhibits.

The cars attracting attention by reason of their cost, as well as elegance are the Winston, Six—a six cylinder—costing \$3,500; Stoddard—Dayton, \$2,800 and Pullman \$2,250.

The North Carolina Cars.

"Have you seen the cars made in North Carolina?" was a question heard last night as often as that "Have you?—I have" question proposed by Mr. Fletcher, of the National Chemical Fire Extinguisher. Every Tar Heel feeling a just pride in these North Carolina cars made by the Corbitt Automobile Company, of Henderson, N. C., was telling every other Tar Heel about the car. There was a crowd around them all evening.

Accessories Exhibited At Show

Mr. W. P. Monroe, of Wilmington, has a booth in the Auto Show in which he is demonstrating the value of his body polish which is used on automobiles. He also handles Auto Shine, which is used in polishing metals. His booth is visited by many ladies, where all are given souvenirs of value.

Mr. M. H. Epps, a well known Charlotte man, representing the J. P. Daviles Company, of Dayton, Ohio, is in charge of the Dayton booth, where the products of the Dayton factory are shown. "Buckeye Cleanser," the soap which cleans and polishes without scratching, and "Whiz," the hand soap, are given special attention. The former is a lined soap, of purely vegetable composition, and is used extensively in laundries.

The American Motor Car Company has a vulcanizing and paint department, which occupies a conspicuous place in the accessories exhibits.

The Handy Company, showing a large line of accessories, maintains a booth where many people stop and listen to the explanation of the courteous attendants.

Paraphrasing the Mutt and Jeff catch line Mr. Fletcher, of the National Dry Chemical Fire Extinguisher has a little pendant on the reverse of which is found: "I have you." His exhibit, in the southeast corner of the Auditorium is the most important showing.

All sorts of tires are to be found in the booth of the Shawmut tire people. The Consolidated Tire and Oil Company, of this city, is the distributor of Shawmut tires. The Shawmut production is shown alongside others, which shows the differences in a striking manner.

The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., and the Diamond Rubber Company have fine exhibits of tires. The latter company has a demonstrator on the floor—Mr. A. A. McCoy, of the company's factory.

Turn Of The Motor

Mr. Zeb Vance Taylor last night expressed amazement and pleasure when he surveyed the Automobile show and declared that it so far surpassed anything he had hoped to see that he was astonished and could scarcely realize that this is Charlotte's show.

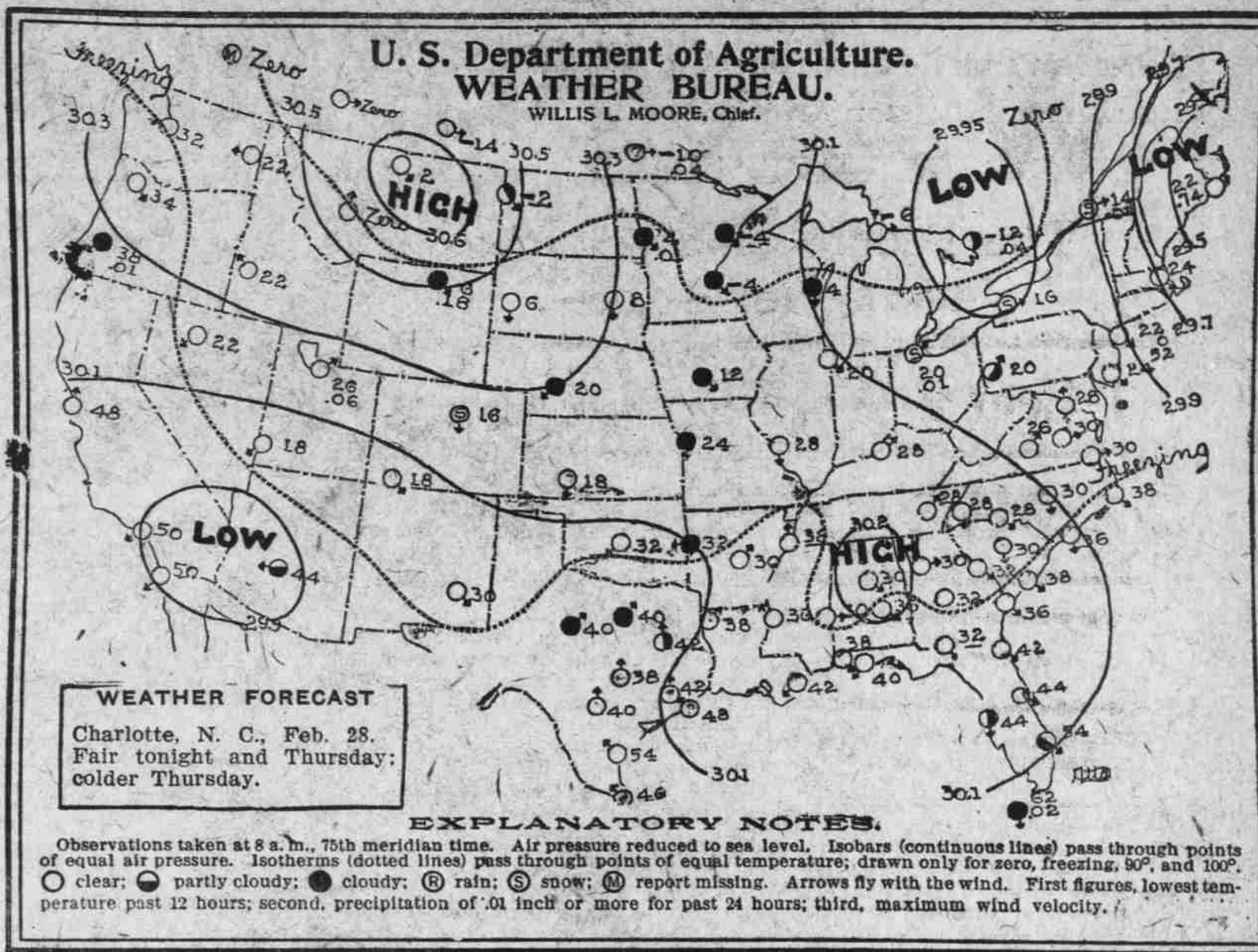
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The showing of the battleship gray runabout built by the Corbitt Automobile Company, of Henderson, this state. Mr. Taylor spent some time going over the North Carolina built machine.

A pretty touch of color was given the Automobile Show last night when the Mecklenburg Automobile Company, in whose section the trophies won by the Pullman Automobile Company's cars were shown, filled these handsome cups with beautiful Killarney roses from Charlotte's green houses, and throughout the evening this section was a point of attraction for the visitors to the fair. Manager George A. Howell, and his handsome son, Mr. Wallace Howell, of the Mecklenburg Automobile Company, were present and showed all visitors every possible courtesy, but was compelled to refuse to allow the ladies to "thin out" the handsome pink roses.

The Ford Company waxed so generous last night that they gave away auto-unique auto books in the shape of autos, perfect representatives of



Wire Goods

We invite you to call and see the Wire Cooking Baskets, New Wire Egg Whips.

These are all new stock and you will be pleased after using.

WEDDINGTON

HARDWARE CO. 29 East Trade St.

Dealers Wanted for Regal Motor Cars

MR. J. E. PETERS, representing the REGAL MOTOR CAR CO., of Detroit, Mich., is attending the Charlotte Automobile Show and is prepared to appoint agents in unoccupied territory and will be pleased to meet any owner of a Regal Car.

He is stopping at the Selwyn Hotel where he will remain until the show closes, or may be seen at The Charlotte News booth at the show.

WE ARE BEAT

We thought our showing of Auto Gloves, Caps, Rain Coats, etc. were fine, but after Visiting the Show Last Night Ours compared with that just about as a "lightning bug to the noon day sun"—It's Fine But Look at Our "Sorosis" Shoe Window

H. C. LONG CO.

LONE CASH CLOTHIERS

New York Stock Market

New York, Feb. 28.—(Wall Street)—Trading was light and featureless at the opening of today's stock market. Aside from a decline of 1 point in Bethlehem Steel, changes were only fractional with losses exceeding gains. The market reversed its course soon after the opening, growing active and strong. All the speculative favorites moved upward as did also Louisville & Nashville, Atlantic Coast Line, American Sugar, American Telephone & Telegraph and the copper shares. Activity soon gave way to dullness and prices eased off. The short interest was given a twist in the afternoon when large purchasing orders were executed simultaneously in the principal stocks. Reading was the leader of the movement and its rise of 2 points was supplemented by advances of about half as much in Union Pacific, Lehigh Valley, Amalgamated Copper, American Smelting and U. S. Steel.

With the approach of the noon hour the market's apathy increased and further cancellation of some of the earlier gains were recorded. Bonds steady. Central Leather, preferred, gave way over two points on the publication of the annual report which showed a deficit of over \$2,000,000 after fixed charges and dividends. The rest of the market was not influenced and even advanced slightly in spots. The market closed strong. Activity increased in the closing hour and there was a further expansion of the buying movement. Union Pacific and Lehigh Valley increased their gains 2 points and many other stocks also rose materially. Trading fell off greatly before the close but the general market retained its strength.

New York Stock List.	
	Last sale.
Amalgamated Copper	57 1/2
American Beet Sugar	53 1/2
American Car & Foundry	51 1/2
American Cotton Oil	64 3/4
American Locomotive	32 1/2
American Smelting	12 1/2
American Smelting pfd.	61 3/4
American Sugar Refining	119 3/4
Anasconda Mining Co.	36
Atchafalaya	104 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	136 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	102 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78 1/2
Canadian Pacific	230
Chesapeake & Ohio	31 1/2
Chicago & Northwestern	112 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	105 1/2
Colorado & Southern	64 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	171
Denver & Rio Grande	62 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	61 1/2
Erie	21 1/2
Great Northern pfd.	133 1/2
Great Northern Ore Cts.	38
Illinois Central	113 1/2
Interborough-Met	18 1/2
Interborough-Met pfd.	58 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	153 1/2
Missouri Pacific	29 1/2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	27 1/2
National Biscuit	114 1/2
National Lead	54
New York Central	110 1/2
Norfolk & Western	111
Northern Pacific	117 1/2
Pacific Mail	28 1/2
Pennsylvania	122 1/2
People's Gas	106 1/2
Pullman Palace Car	115 1/2
Reading	155 1/2
Rock Island Co.	23 1/2
Rock Island Co. pfd.	48 1/2
Southern Pacific	108 1/2
Southern Railway	27 1/2
Union Pacific	166 1/2
United States Steel	61 1/2
United States Steel pfd.	103 1/2
Wabash	7
Wabash pfd.	18 1/2
Western Union	85
Lehigh Valley	159 1/2
International Harvester	105 1/2
General Electric	160 1/2

London Stocks.

London, Feb. 28.—American securities were quiet and featureless during the early trading today and at noon prices ranged from unchanged to 1-2 closing. In the afternoon Amalgamated Copper improved while the rest of the list sagged. Close quiet.

Money Market.

New York, Feb. 28.—Close: Prime mercantile paper 3-4 to 4-1-4. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4-4-1/2 for 60 day bills and at 4-8-1/2 for demand. Commercial bills 4-8-3-4. Bar silver 58 7-8. Mexican dollars 47. Government and railroad bonds steady.

New York Money.

New York, Feb. 28.—Money on call steady at 1-2 per cent; ruling rate 2-3-8; closing bid —; offered at 2. Time loans firm; sixty days 2-3-4; ninety days 3-1-8; six months 3-1-1-2.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 28.—Turpentine firm 46 1-2. Rosin firm, F 672 1-2; G 675.

Crude Cotton Seed Oil.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 28.—Crude cotton seed oil 33.

Brandt Released From Prison

By Associated Press. New York, Feb. 28.—Folke E. Brandt, former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, sentenced to thirty years imprisonment for burglary in the first degree, was formally released from the toms today, details of his bail bond having been adjusted. He left the criminal courts building immediately followed by a large crowd.

MRS. JORDAN TO RETURN TO GEORGIA.

Mrs. George Jordan, who has been spending several months with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John L. Caldwell, expects to return soon to Georgia, to spend some time with her husband's family.

Cattle Market

Chicago Cattle.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Cattle, receipts 13,000; market quiet. Texas steers 5.10 @ 8.65 Western steers 5.10 @ 7.15 Stockers and feeders 4.10 @ 6.30 Cows and heifers 2.25 @ 6.80 Calves 5.75 @ 8.20 Hogs, receipts 22,000; market slow 5 higher. Light 6.15 @ 6.50 Mixed 6.20 @ 6.52 Heavy 6.25 @ 6.55 Rough 6.25 @ 6.35 Pigs 4.60 @ 6.20 Bulk of sales 6.40 @ 6.50 Sheep, receipts 25,000, market slow generally steady. Native 3.40 @ 4.90 Western 3.30 @ 4.90 Yearlings 5.00 @ 5.85 Lambs, native 4.50 @ 7.00 Western 5.00 @ 7.10

Chicago Grain

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 28.—Wheat today showed a downward tendency on account of weak cables but commission house buying developed a rally. The opening was 1-3-1-4 lower to a shade up. May started at 100 1-8 to 1-4-3-8, unchanged to 1-3-1-4 off, and reacted to 100 1-2. Generally favorable weather conditions made corn easy. May opened the same as Monday night to 1-3-1-4 lower at 68 to 68 1-8-1-4 but recovered to 68 1-4. Oats suffered from the depression of other grain. May started unchanged to 1-3 lower at 52 to 52 1-8 and later reacted to 52 1-2-1-4. Shorts in provisions covered in lively fashion. Initial sales were at 6-1-5 advance with May delivery 1537 1-2 for pork, 912 1-2 to 915 for lard and \$60 for ribs.

Later the market became bare of offerings and responded quickly to reports that millers were active buyers and that estimates of American reserves were less than half as much at last year. The close was strong with May 2 1-8 net higher at 1.02 3-8-1-2. Country customers picking up corn offerings brought about decided firmness later. The close was strong with May 1-2-5-8 higher at 69. Chicago, Feb. 28.—Cash grain: Wheat No. 2 red 99-1-02 1-4; 2 hard 1.00-1-05; 1 northern 1.01-1-13; 2 do 1.08-1-11; spring 1.00-1-08; velvet chat 99-1-06; drum 99-1-07. No corn. Oats No. 2, 52; 2 white 52 1-2-5-8; standard 52-3-4. Rye No. 2, 89 1-2-9-0. Barley 80-1-29. Timothy 11.00-11-50. Clover 16.42-2.00.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—			
May	102 1/2	100 1/4	102 3/4
July	97	95 3/4	96 1/2
Sept	95	93 3/4	95
CORN—			
May	69	68	69
July	69	67 3/4	69
Sept	69	67 3/4	69
OATS—			
May	52 1/2	52	52 3/4
July	48 1/2	47 3/4	48 1/2
Sept	41 1/2	40 3/4	41 1/2
PORK, bbl—			
May	15.47 1/2	15.30	15.35
July	15.77 1/2	15.65	15.67 1/2
Sept	15.97 1/2	15.85	15.85
LARD, 100 lbs.—			
May	9.22 1/2	9.12 1/2	9.17 1/2
July	9.37 1/2	9.30	9.35
Sept	9.55	9.47 1/2	9.50
RIBS, 100 lbs.—			
May	8.67 1/2	8.60	8.60
July	8.70	8.65	8.65
Sept	8.85	8.77 1/2	8.77 1/2

CHARLOTTE PRODUCE

Eggs, per doz	25
Turkeys	17
Hens, per lb	12
Chickens, per lb	10
Butter, per lb	25
Ducks, per lb	10
Geese, per lb	98
Corn, per bu	95
Oats, per bu	70

Chicago Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Butter steady; Creameries 25-28; Dairies 28-30. Eggs week, receipts 5591 cases; at market, cases included 22-24, ordinary firsts, 24-25; firsts 28. Cheese steady, Daisies 17 1-4-1-2. Twins 16 3-4-1-7. Young Americas 17 1-4-1-2. Long Horns 17 1-4-1-2. Potatoes steady; receipts 56 cars; Wisconsin 110, Michigan & Minnesota 1.08-1.10. Poultry steady, turkeys live 12, dressed 18, chickens live 14, dressed 14-15, springs live 15, dressed 14-15. Veal steady, 7-11.

New York Cotton Seed Oil.

New York, Feb. 28.—The cotton seed oil market closed steady. Closing prices: Spot 5-48; March 5-49-5-50, 100 sold at 5-49; April 5-55-5-57; May 5-60-5-62; June 5-75-5-69; July 5-73-5-75; August 5-83-5-86; September 5-86-5-88; October 5-70-5-75. Sales between third and fourth calls: 1,900 March 5-49; 500 April 5-56. Total sales 10,500.

Aycock To Speak Here April 14th

Ex-Governor Aycock is to speak in Charlotte about the 14th of April. This statement was given to the News today by friends of ex-Governor Aycock. He will open his campaign in Raleigh, coming soon after to Charlotte. "You can say," said an enthusiastic Aycock man, "that Governor Aycock is in the race to the finish—the winning finish."

BOOKKEEPER IN LUMBERTON POSTOFFICE ARRESTED.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 28.—At Lumberton postoffice inspectors arrested E. F. Stephenson, bookkeeper of the Lumberton postoffice for the last five years, on the charge of being \$400 short in his accounts. He was committed to jail in default of \$700 bond. He protests his innocence.

New York Cotton

New York, Feb. 28.—Cotton opened steady at an advance of 3 points on February but generally 1 to 3 points lower in response to disappointing Liverpool cables. During the early trading it sold off to a net decline of about 6 to 7 points under realizing or liquidating pressure from local sources. Trading was not active. The unfavorable western belt forecast steadied the market during the middle of the morning and prices worked 3 or 4 points up from the low but there was no improvement in the volume of business. The undertone continued more or less unsettled with prices at midday about 3 to 6 points under the closing figures of last night. Spot quiet; middling uplands 10-45 nominal.

Close New York Spots.

New York, Feb. 28.—Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10-45; do Gulf 10-70; no sales. Trading was very quiet during the early afternoon and the market ruled some 3 to 5 points net lower. Close New York Futures. New York, Feb. 28.—Cotton futures closed quiet and steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	10-46	10-48	10-48	10-45-47
Feb	10-19	10-16	10-15	10-10-13
Mar	10-11	10-13	10-08	10-11-12
Apr	10-11	10-13	10-08	10-08-10
May	10-22	10-20	10-20	10-18-20
June	10-29	10-29	10-23	10-27-28
July	10-38	10-40	10-33	10-37-38
Aug	10-41	10-41	10-35	10-37-39
Sept	10-36	10-36	10-35	10-35-37
Oct	10-40	10-42	10-38	10-39-40
Nov	10-40	10-40	10-41	10-43
Dec	10-48	10-48	10-44	10-46-48

New Orleans Cotton

New Orleans, La., Feb. 28.—Cotton futures opened steady at a decline of 2 to 5 points on disappointing cables. Even with Liverpool futures lower than due the market did not have much or any selling power. The weather map showed decided improvement in conditions over the cotton belt but the new crop months were fairly well held up nevertheless. Bulls offered no support but allowed the market to take care of itself. Traders on both sides were rather disposed to wait for the labor situation in England to clear. At the end of the first half hour of business prices were 4 to 5 points under yesterday's close. The market was dull and featureless after the middle of the morning. Business was practically a scalping nature. At one time bulls were said to be giving out a few buying orders, but their purchases were not large enough to materially affect the market, which was steadied chiefly by the promise of unsettled weather over the cotton belt. At noon prices were two points under yesterday's last quotations, on the trading moment.

Liverpool Cotton Market

Liverpool, Feb. 28.—Closing cotton: Spot in fair demand, prices 2 points higher. American middling fair . . . 6.56 Good middling . . . 6.18 Middling . . . 5.92 Low middling . . . 5.62 Good ordinary . . . 5.24 Ordinary . . . 4.98

Charlotte Cotton

Good middling 10% Cotton seed, per bu 27c

Southern Spot Market

Macon, Ga., Feb. 28.—Spot cotton middling 9-7-8. Augusta, Ga., Feb. 28.—Spot cotton middling 10-5-8. Savannah, Ga., Feb. 28.—Spot middling steady 10-1-4. Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 28.—Cotton spot steady, unchanged; middling 10-1-2.

Night Riding Reported.

By Associated Press. Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 28.—When reports of "night riding" at Kennedy, in southern portion of Christian county, were received here this afternoon a special session of the grand jury recently empanelled was immediately ordered. Meagre reports were to the effect that two negroes had been dragged from their beds early this morning and whipped unmercifully.

Republican Troops Revolt.

Hankow, China, Feb. 28.—A portion of the republican troops stationed at Wu Chang revolted during the night. Considerable fighting occurred but no details have reached here regarding the casualties. The city gates have been closed. The outbreak is attributed to dissatisfaction among the soldiers because of non-receipt of pay. The foreign gunboats stationed here have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for eventualities.