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OLDEST AND BEST PAPER IN THE COUNTY.

JAPS LOST HEAVILY AT PORT ARTHUR

Over a Thousand Killed During Night Attack.

OTHER FAR EASTERN WAR NEWS

Emperor Nicholas, in State, Returns Call at Petersburg—Russia Celebrates Holy Festival of Ascension Cross—Special Services Held.

London, Sept. 27.—A telegram to a local news agency from St. Petersburg says a dispatch has been received by the official news agency there from Harbin, saying that the Japanese lost 1,300 men killed during the night attack on Port Arthur, Sept. 18. The Russian warships, it is added, rendered valuable assistance in repulsing the Japanese.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 27.—The general staff has received the following dispatch from General Sakharoff, dated yesterday: "The enemy's vanguard, consisting of one battery and two squadrons of cavalry, has assumed the offensive, probably for a reconnaissance in the district between the Mantaria road and the heights of the village of Toumytsa. This advance was stopped by our troops. They retreated along the whole line, pursued by our cavalry. The enemy has not yet advanced north of Daven on the left bank of the Liao river, but an increased force has been observed in the neighborhood of Sanchan. Japanese cavalry have appeared in the valley of the Liao river."

Tokio, Sept. 27.—The emperor proceeded in state today from the imperial palace to Shiba palace and returned the call of Prince Charles, of Hohenzollern, with whom he remained some time in conversation. Tonight at a dinner given at the German embassy Prince Charles will meet the members of the Japanese embassy, admirals and other statesmen. Prince Charles is being shown every consideration. The prince will travel for another fortnight, and will then leave for the Japanese army headquarters at the front.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 27.—Russia today celebrated the Holy Festival of the Ascension cross, one of the most important religious holidays of the year. Services were held in all the churches and the government departments, the theaters and other places of amusement were closed.

NO DECISION REACHED.

LaFollette Faction and the Wisconsin State Ticket.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 27.—No decision was handed down by the supreme court today covering the right of the LaFollette "Stalwarts" faction to be represented on the state ticket at the November election.

The court room was jammed to its capacity by attorneys and politicians anxious to hear the decision and its postponement was a keen disappointment.

Right or wrong, it is generally believed that the opinion is in the hands of Chief Justice Cassidy, and he was detained at his house by illness. He was in his chambers for a short time yesterday and was reported as much improved today. If he is able to appear on the bench tomorrow, there is a strong hope that the decision may be rendered.

TORPEDO BOAT LOST.

British Vessel Goes Down Off Island of Cephalonia.

London, Sept. 27.—The British torpedo boat destroyer Chamois has been lost off the island of Cephalonia in the Mediterranean.

All on board were saved. The Chamois was 215 feet long, was of 390 tons displacement and 5,900 indicated horse power, and carried a crew of 62 officers and men. She was built in 1896 and carried one 12-pounder quick-firing gun, five 6-pounder quick-firing guns, and two training tubes for 18-inch torpedoes.

DEATH LIST NOW 64.

Masonic Emblem Identifies Body of One Wreck Victim.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 27.—The body of one of the victims of the New Market wreck, upon whom was found a Masonic emblem, bearing the letters G. B., was this morning identified as G. W. Brown, of LaFollette, Tenn. He was a prominent citizen of that town. The death list still stands at 64.

Sour Stomach.

When the quantity of food taken is too large or the quality too rich, sour stomach is likely to follow, and especially so if the digestion has been weakened by constipation. Eat slowly and not too freely of easily digested food. Masticate the food thoroughly. Let five hours elapse between meals, and when you feel a fullness and weight in the region of the stomach after eating, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and the sour stomach may be avoided. For sale by T. B. Twitty.

FIGHT BECOMES SERIOUS.

Augusta Ministers Want License Placed at \$100.

Augusta, Ga., Sept. 27.—The conflict between the ministers of the city and city council has taken definite shape, and is assuming serious aspects.

The ministers met Monday at noon and for the first time gave positive intimation of their plans. They declined an invitation to again come before council and make their contentions, and came out positively for \$1,000 fee for city licenses for bar rooms.

The present license is \$200. The ministers went before council at the last regular meeting and asked that two liquor licenses in purely residential localities, for which applications had been made, be not granted. They also made protest over the previous action of council in granting Broad street for a street fair, which was done over a standing petition of the Ministerial Alliance.

Council granted the two liquor licenses and ignored the street fair protest. The result was that a general liquor crusade began to be rumored and from nearly every pulpit in the city preachers thundered out against existing evils.

The mayor and members of council decided to have another meeting and give the preachers a second opportunity to make their protest.

GEORGIA DAY AT FAIR.

Every Congressman Will Be Invited to Attend.

Macon, Ga., Sept. 28.—Every congressman in Georgia is to be invited to attend the state fair on Tuesday, Oct. 25. Governor Joseph M. Terrell, Senator A. S. Clay and Senator O. A. Bacon will also be invited, and it will be called Georgia Day.

At a meeting of the directors of the fair association the secretary was instructed to send out invitations to these distinguished gentlemen at once. A specially interesting program will be arranged for the occasion, and it is expected this will be one of the best days of the fair.

It was also decided to urge the association of Live Stock Breeders in Georgia to hold a meeting here during the fair.

General Manager Calvin reported that in his opinion there would be at least one third larger attendance upon the fair this year than last. One reason for thinking this was that the advertising committee had worked so much more systematically and thoroughly this year under the direction of Mayor Bridges Smith, and more people in the state are talking about the fair. Mr. Calvin also reported that a great deal more interest is being manifested in the live stock feature of the fair than seemed likely a week ago. He thought there would be a fine display of live stock.

MASSACHUSETTS PRIMARIES.

Spirited Contests Held For Congressional Nominations.

Boston, Sept. 27.—Spirited contests for congressional nominations in various districts led to general interest today in the primaries which were held in 22 cities and towns.

Two of the most vigorous contests in the state are in the tenth district, where Joseph F. O'Connell is trying to defeat Congressman William S. McNary for the Democratic nomination, and in the sixteenth district where four Republicans seek the nomination.

These include Eugene N. Foss, who has been an active supporter of Canadian reciprocity for several years; Stephen O'Meara, former editor of the Boston Journal; former State Senator Isaac H. Hutchinson, and former State Councillor Isaac E. Allen.

FATAL ACCIDENT ON TRAIN.

Baggage Man Shot While Swapping Pistols.

Rochelle, Ga., Sept. 27.—Baggage-master Henson, of the eastbound passenger train to Savannah, between Penza and Seville, was shot and mortally wounded. Mr. Paschal, roadmaster of the road, did the shooting, which was accidental.

Both parties were in the baggage car and were in the act of swapping pistols, when the pistol in the hands of Mr. Paschal accidentally went off.

The ball struck Mr. Henson in the stomach on the right side, just below the ribs.

Judge Suspends Sentence.

New York, Sept. 27.—Judge Asplund, in Kings county court, has suspended sentence in the case of Antonio Cucozza, the Italian who recently pleaded guilty to the charge of kidnaping growing out of the abduction of Tony Mannino, the little son of a Brooklyn contractor. The judge declares his belief to be that the lad was made an instrument in the hands of older persons and promised him the protection of the court instead of sending him to prison.

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JUDGE ALTON B. PARKE, Democratic Nominee for President.

STRIKING PARAGRAPHS FROM JUDGE A. B. PARKER'S LETTER.

Already the national government has become centralized beyond any point contemplated or imagined by the framers of the constitution. How tremendously all this has added to the power of the president. It has developed from year to year until it almost equals that of many monarchs.

The issue of imperialism which has been thrust upon the country involves a decision whether the law of the land or the rule of individual caprice shall govern. The principle of imperialism may give rise to brilliant, startling, dashing results, but the principle of Democracy holds in check the brilliant executive and subjects him to the sober, conservative control of the people.

Even now the argument most frequently urged in behalf of the Dingley tariff reform generally, is the necessity of caring for our infant industries. Many of these industries, after a hundred years of lusty growth, are looming up as industrial giants. In their case, at least, the Dingley tariff invites combination and monopoly, and gives justification to the expression that the tariff is the mother of trusts.

The toleration of tyranny over others will soon breed contempt for freedom and self-government, and weaken our power of resistance to insidious usurpation of our constitutional rights.

There is not a sentence in the Republican platform recommending a reduction in the expenditures of the government; not a line suggesting that the increase in the cost of the war department from \$34,000,000 in 1896 to \$116,000,000 in 1904, should be inquired into; and not a paragraph calling for a thorough investigation of those departments of the government in which the dishonesty has been recently disclosed.

Shall economy of administration be demanded or shall extravagance be encouraged?

Shall the wrongdoer be brought to bay by the people, or must justice wait upon political oligarchy?

Shall our government stand for equal opportunity or for special privilege?

Shall it remain a government of law or become one of individual caprice?

Shall we climb to the rule of the people, or shall we embrace beneficent despotism?

If called to the office of president, I shall consider myself the chief magistrate of all the people and not of any faction, and shall ever be mindful of the fact that on many questions of national policy there are honest differences of opinion. I believe in the patriotism, good sense and absolute sincerity of all the people. I shall strive to remember that he may serve his party best who serves his country best.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Aids Nature.

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GRAND DUKE IS TO COMMAND ARMIES

Czar Will Displace Alexieff and Knopiatkin.

JEALOUSIES ARE IN THE FIELD

These Have Caused the Russian Ruler To Take Most Active and Radical Measures in Regard to the Leadership of the Armies.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 27.—1:16 p.m.—Although an official announcement to the effect is not expected immediately, since it will require some little time to get Russia's second army in the field, the designation of Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholasovitch, inspector general of cavalry, as commander-in-chief, is regarded as practically settled.

Some of General Kuropatkin's friends still cling to the hope that he may yet be appointed, especially if he now achieves a notable success against Field Marshal Oyama, but the idea is not shared in the best informed circles.

The situation at the front with two and perhaps ultimately three big armies, is considered to demand above all else that the supreme commander of special authority as to be beyond jealousies and the possibility of intrigue on the part of subordinates, and such a man the emperor now realizes can only be supplied by a member of the imperial family.

Grand Duke Nicholas is regarded as being extremely well fitted for this great responsibility. He has youth and an iron constitution, but above all resolution and untiring energy. With these qualifications whatever he lacks in military experience and ability as a strategist, can be supplied by placing at his disposal the most able military advisors of the Russian army. The suggestion that Kuropatkin might become chief of staff and thus, in fact, if not in name, the real commander of the army as Field Marshal von Moltke was the actual commander of the German armies, although nominally only Emperor William's chief of staff, is generally rejected.

Grand Duke Nicholas will not rely upon a single advisor but on a staff comprising the ablest strategists of the general staff, who, in reality, will continue on the board of direction of military operations. Moreover, the officers who are best acquainted with Grand Duke Nicholas believe he may develop military genius of a high order.

Viceroy Alexieff is regarded as almost certain to return here. The report that he may become chancellor of the empire, however, is exploded. He is more likely to retain his title and come to St. Petersburg, nominally in the capacity of advisor to the emperor and will thus efface himself as a factor of the military situation in the Far East.

MOSSBY'S CAMPAIGN HAT.

Relic of the Dark Days of the Confederacy.

New York, Sept. 27.—After having lain for 50 years in a southern home, the campaign hat worn by Colonel James Mosby, the confederate cavalryman, and lost by him when he was shot by two of the thirteenth New York cavalry, in Virginia, in November, 1864, is about to be returned to its original owner.

For many years it has been in the possession of a woman living in this city. Recently she communicated with one of Colonel Mosby's comrades now living in Orange, N. J. Colonel Mosby was notified and replied that the relic was undoubtedly the hat which he wore. It will be returned at once to his comrade in Orange and presented to the military museum in Washington.

AN UNUSUAL CASE.

Member of British Embassy in Contempt of Court.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The state department today called on the department of justice to take action in the case of Hugh Gurney, third secretary of the British embassy, who was fined yesterday by Justice Phelps, of Lee, Mass., for contempt of court and for speeding his automobile.

It is expected Attorney General Moody will send a special district attorney to Lee to investigate the matter.

Canterbury in New York.

New York, Sept. 27.—Most Rev. Thomas Randall Davidson, Archbishop of Canterbury, has arrived here from Washington, accompanied by J. P. Morgan, Mrs. Davidson and his two secretaries. The party was driven to an uptown hotel. The primate of England will remain in New York one week sightseeing and filling social engagements.

A Power For Good.

The pills that are potent in their action and pleasant in effect are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. W. S. Philpot, of Albany, Ga., says: "During a bilious attack I took one. Small as it was it did me more good than calomel, blue mass or any other pill I ever took and at the same time the effect was pleasant. Little Early Risers are certainly an 'old' pill." Sold by Dr. T. B. Twitty, Crowell & Wilkie, Forest City.

ALTMAN-DUNCAN FEUD.

Those Charged with Florida Lawlessness Placed on Trial.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 27.—Under guard of the Jacksonville Light infantry those who are accused of murder and other lawless acts in connection with the Altman-Duncan feud in Baker county, in this state, were taken to Macclenny, the county seat of Baker county, Monday, for a preliminary trial.

The prisoners are W. Hardy Altman, J. W. Eddy, Andrew Hardy, Lonnie Dowling, G. J. Johns, W. H. Dowling, Charles A. Altman, Hilary Altman, Iver Harvey, Cauley Johns, Willie Dowling, A. D. Dowling, Altman, W. H. Johns, F. B. Crews, A. B. Crews, C. Y. Rhoden, Riley Rhoden and Jesse Sapp.

The prisoners were under a military guard. W. H. Ellis, attorney general of the state, is here to watch the conduct of the case. Governor Jennings will grant the requisition of Governor Terrell for Hilary and Charles Altman for the murders committed on the train in Charlton county, Georgia, if the men are not held here for complicity in the murder committed by this mob.

The first case brought before County Judge Berry was that of assault with intent to murder W. M. Duncan from the postoffice at Baxter, Sept. 12. Fifteen men were involved in this charge.

SECOND SESSION HELD.

American Barristers—Abbott of Georgia Makes Address.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—The second session of the American Bar association was called to order today by President Hagerman, Amos M. Thayer, United States circuit judge of St. Louis, delivered the annual address on the "Louisiana Purchase; Its Influence and Development Under American Rule."

Following Judge Thayer's address, the session was occupied with the reports of standing committees.

At the conclusion of the reports a recess was taken. When the association again assembled Benjamin F. Abbott, of Georgia, spoke on "To What Extent Will a Nation Protect Its Citizens in Foreign Countries?"

The association then listened to reports of special committees.

RAN AWAY FROM HOME.

Four Valdosta Boys Seek Adventure in Long Star State.

Valdosta, Ga., Sept. 27.—Four Valdosta boys, from 15 to 17 years of age, members of prominent families, ran away from home and started to Texas, unknown to their parents.

The boys walked to Mineola, on the Georgia Southern road, expecting to board a train there, but telephone messages to the towns up the road intercepted them and they were detained until they could be sent for from this city.

The boys had been told that farm laborers were paid \$18 per month and board in Texas, and the comforts of home having become stale, they decided to work on some big ranch. Incidentally, they might kill a few Indians and grizzly bears and see something of the world.

WAR ENDS; GREAT REJOICING.

Much Satisfaction in Montevideo Over Coming of Peace.

New York, Sept. 27.—There is great rejoicing in Montevideo at the ending of the revolution, says a Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres. Fireworks were burned Saturday, bands were playing patriotic airs. Five thousand people made a demonstration in front of the presidential residence. The president toasted the union of all Uruguayans. Archbishop Solzer has ordered a Te Deum in the cathedral. All political prisoners will be set at liberty.

Passes Away After Winning Verdict.

Macon, Ga., Sept. 27.—Mrs. Mary O. Humphreys, 68 years old, died Monday. Last week she won a verdict for \$100 against the city of Macon for injuries sustained by her in a fall over an obstruction in the street. Her family thinks the fall and the subsequent strain under which she was kept for some time had a great deal to do with her death.

Well Known Pastor Dead.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—Dr. Patrick Gibson Robertson, aged 77, one of the best known ministers of the Episcopal church in St. Louis, is dead at his residence here after an illness of eleven years. He was born in Richmond, Va. A widow and five children survive him.

Senator Hoar's Condition.

Worcester, Sept. 27.—Senator Geo. Hoar was still alive this morning. His condition was apparently much the same as it was yesterday, and he has gained no strength. It was announced that his exact condition would be given in a bulletin which would be issued. Subscriber to THE TRIBUNE.

TRIAL OF CHIEF OF POLICE AT ALBANY

Charges Brought by Rev. Lem G. Broughton, of Atlanta.

WAS A SENSATIONAL AFFAIR

Recent Trouble at Albany in Which Atlanta Divine and Albany's Chief of Police Were the Prominent Figures.

Albany, Ga., Sept. 27.—The trial of Chief of Police R. D. Westbrook, on charges first preferred by Dr. Len G. Broughton, of Atlanta, Ga., in a sermon here during a revival meeting and afterwards formally brought before the board of police commissioners by a committee of citizens, commenced yesterday and continued today.

The charges allege immoral character, drunkenness and that the chief was a habitual protector of houses of ill-fame, and the affair was made all the more sensational by Westbrook attacking Broughton with a rawhide. About a hundred witnesses have been summoned and the testimony of the first half of that number has been rather disappointing to the prosecution.

There is better feeling, the Broughton and Anti-Broughton line having been drawn in the community, and the witnesses who talked freely when the sensation was first sprung now appear wary on the witness stand. The trial may last several days or possibly be concluded tonight.

MAKES ADDRESS.

Booker Washington Defers a Brooklyn Institute.

New York, Sept. 27.—Booker T. Washington, president of Tuskegee Institute, has addressed the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences at Association hall, Brooklyn, on his way among fellow negroes.

In speaking of the recent charges, he said:

"Within the last few weeks, a public sentiment stronger and more deeply rooted, I think, than ever before, has gone forth from the words and actions of governors, the daily press, the pulpit, confederate veterans and grand juries, which is saying in thunderous tones, that we, as a nation, must not only be hearers of the words which teach us to protect the weak, but we must be doers when it comes to an important enforcement of the law."

"A white man cannot shoot down a negro without cause, and not lower himself. A mob of white men cannot lynch a negro and not bring shame on themselves and their race."

RACE RIOT IN MISSISSIPPI.

Fatal Shooting on Plantation in that State.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 27.—Two negroes were killed and three were fatally wounded in a race riot near Lynchburg, Miss., 15 miles south of Memphis.

The shooting took place on the plantation of J. J. Johnson who went into a field to gather a load of corn. The field was worked on shares by a negro family named Kennedy.

As the white men were driving their wagon from the field a fusillade from a party of blacks met them. The fire was returned with the result that two negroes were killed outright and three were fatally shot.

A number of whites joined Johnson and his friends, and are now searching for others of the attacking party.

TRAIN DITCHED.

Accident on the Iron Mountain Road. Many Injured.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—A passenger train on the St. Louis and Iron Mountain road known as the Hot Springs special, was ditched near Piedmont, Mo., 125 miles from St. Louis, today, and about 25 persons injured.

At the office of the general manager it is stated so far as known no one was killed.

Created a Metropolitan.

Pekin, Sept. 27.—Noo—Tang Sha-ohki Tatal, of Shantung, has been commanded to proceed to Tibet and investigate and manage the affairs there. He has been created a metropolitan of the third rank, and also promoted to the military rank of lieutenant general. Tang Shaohki was educated in America in Yale college and was formerly secretary to Yuan Shaiki, viceroy of Fochih province. He is known to be conversant with foreign affairs and is not regarded as anti-foreign, although jealous of Chinese interests.

Lumber Company Incorporated.

Albany, Ga., Sept. 27.—The East Lake Lumber company, of Buffalo, was incorporated today with a capital of \$500,000. The directors are E. W. Holt, of Buffalo, and R. E. Johnston, and W. J. Kramer, of Greenville, S. C.

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