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WARM GRASP OF FRIENDSHIP

Was Exchanged Between Russian and Japan Envoys Yesterday

BELLS PEAL OUT THE JOYFUL TIDINGS

The Ringing of Church Bells and Belling of Guns Announced That Peace Between the Two Nations Was An Accomplished Fact.

(By the Associated Press.) Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 6.—At the signing of the treaty of Portsmouth yesterday afternoon the firing of a national salute of 19 guns was the signal which told the people of Portsmouth, Kittery and Newcastle that the peace of Portsmouth was an accomplished fact, and the church bells in the three towns were soon pealing forth a joyful refrain.

For 47 minutes those outside the conference room anxiously awaited the signal. Suddenly an orderly dashed to the entrance of the peace building, and waved his hand to the opening shot of the salute rang out on the clear air of the soft September afternoon, proclaiming peace between Russia and Japan.

With Hands Tightly Clasped. Up to the moment of signing the treaty, no word had broken the silence of the conference room. Throwing his pen aside, Mr. Witte, without a word, reached across the table and grasped Baron Komura's hand. His conferees followed and the Russian and Japanese delegates remained for a moment in silence, their right hands tightly clasped across the conference table. The war was over—Russia and Japan were once more friends.

When Peace Has Dawned. Life in this picturesque section of New England, which for the last four weeks has centered around the proceedings of the peace conference, began slipping back into normal channels, with the departure of M. Witte and the Russian mission on a special train for New York and of the members of the Japanese entourage, who did not go with Baron Komura last night. At the navy yard, work has already begun of restoring the general store, to its former condition. The furniture will be shipped back to Washington, including the table on which the treaty was signed.

TROUBLES OF THE CZAR.

The Anarchists of Russia Are Plotting Against Lives and Property.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 6.—All of the czar's troubles have not ended with the decision between Russia and Japan to make peace, and the frequent discovery of anarchistic plots has led to the appointment of special police to go into the Baltic provinces to break up all anarchist meetings. The first detachment went today to work among the Letts. Within the past few months in towns and provinces of Gouland and Livonia there have been four attempts on the lives of officials, six attacks on private persons, six attempts against the lives of police officers and two cases in which bombs were thrown. Attempts to damage the railroad lines have also been numerous of late.

CHARGED WITH LARCENY.

(Special to The Evening Times.) Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 6.—C. K. Cooley and his wife, who have for some time been traveling in the South, telling fortunes here and there, were arrested at Wrightsville Beach Monday night, on advice from Kalamazoo, Mich. It is believed Cooley and his wife are Prof. and Mrs. Harrington, whom the Kalamazoo authorities charge with the larceny of \$700. The pair stoutly deny that they are the ones wanted.

MORE HIGH POINT PROGRESS.

Another Manufacturing Plant Will Be Established—Burial of David Petty. (Special to The Evening Times.) High Point, Sept. 6.—The Hill Veneering Company has just been

organized at this place with a paid-up capital stock of \$10,000. The capital will be increased as soon as the business demands. The company expects to do a large business in quartered oak and other grades of veneer. The papers of incorporation have been forwarded to the Secretary of State and upon their return the officers will be named. Mr. Carl Hill, late manager of the Globe Veneer Company at Winston, will have control of the new concern which bears his name. He is a man of business and well equipped to make a success of the plant.

Messrs. Allen, of Haw River, who have leased the Mrs. Dr. Cox building on North Main street, were here yesterday making preparations to open for business. The firm will carry a large line of dry goods, notions, shoes and hats.

The remains of the late David Petty arrived here from Greensboro last afternoon and were conveyed to Springfield church where they were interred.

GRANTED AN EXTENSION.

Armour Car Lines Company Must File Their Answer By Sept. 10th.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., Sept. 6.—The Armour car lines company has been granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission an extension until September 10th in which to file an answer to the inquiry concerning the relations between refrigerator lines and the railroads. Several railroads have been granted extensions ranging up to September 25th. The Southern Railway, the Atlantic Coast Line and the Central of Georgia have filed answers, declaring they are in no way responsible for charges made by the Armour car lines and state expressly that their tariff rates do not include refrigeration.

SALMON HAS RESIGNED.

And There is a Rumor that It Was By Request of the President.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., Sept. 6.—Mr. David E. Salmon, Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, of the Agricultural Department, has tendered his resignation. While the announcement is made that his resignation was purely voluntary, there is a well authenticated rumor, that President Roosevelt was not satisfied with the conditions shown by investigation into the charges of Salmon's connection with a printing concern, which furnished meat inspection tags to the Government, but on which he was exonerated.

MURDERED A GIRL.

Then the Nephew of Madame Witte Shot Himself.

(By the Associated Press.) St. Petersburg, Sept. 6.—A sensation has been caused at Moscow by the suicide of Madame Witte's nephew, M. Khotinsky, who shot a girl through the heart and then shot himself. Khotinsky was a volunteer in a dragoon regiment. Four of his brothers died under somewhat tragic circumstances.

NAT GOODWIN'S NEW PLAY.

The Well-Known Comedian Opens His Season at the Lyceum Theatre, New York City, To-Night.

New York, Sept. 6.—Mr. Nat Goodwin will open the theatrical season at the Lyceum this evening with the London Haymarket success, "The Beauty and the Barge." He is supported by a large cast. The comedy, which was written by W. W. Jacobs, the English novelist, is expected to be one of the hits of the season.

WEATHER FAVORS RIFLEMEN.

And It Is Expected That To-Day's Scores Will Be the Best So Far.

(By the Associated Press.) Sea Girt, N. J., Sept. 6.—Bright sunshine favored the riflemen who began competition in the regimental team match and the Wimbledon cup match. The former started this morning and the latter are scheduled for this afternoon.

DEATH OF W. E. GILL.

Died in Philadelphia at the Age of Fifty-nine Years.

(By the Associated Press.) Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—William E. Gill, formerly the district superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company and vice president of the Bell Telephone Company, is dead, aged 59 years.

Costly Fires Still Burning.

(By the Associated Press.) Baku, Caucasus, Sept. 6.—The "Black Town" district is still burning and also the works at Balakan, Bibibat, Nomaani and Sabunto. The losses will amount to millions of roubles.

ARE ANGRY OVER RECOILED ON TERMS OF PEACE HIS OWN HEAD

Several Riots Took Place Yesterday in Tokio and Several People Were Injured, But the Public Disposed the Rioters, Fighting Mob.

(By the Associated Press.)

Tokio, Japan, Sept. 6.—The riotous turbulence, attendant on the popular anger over the terms of peace, took place yesterday, when a large crowd in a mass meeting voted in favor of resolutions, denouncing the nation humiliated and denouncing the terms, upon which the treaty of peace was arranged. The crowd was serious, rather than angry, and the police handled it discreetly. The gathering eventually dispersed in an orderly manner. Later on the crowd attempted to hold a meeting in the Shinjomi theatre and the police dispersed it. A portion of the crowd then proceeded to the office of the Kokumin Shinbun, the government organ, and began hooting.

Three employees of the paper armed with swords appeared at the door of the building and checked the attack and the police again dispersed the crowd. A portion of the crowd made a rush at the building, hurled stones and damaged some of the machinery. Several persons were injured during the attack, but the police eventually cleared the streets and arrested a number of the rioters.

The disorder was not general and the situation is not serious. Similar meetings have been held at Osaka and Nagoya, which in round terms denounced the government and asked them to resign.

The general sentiment throughout the country seems to favor reactionary measures but it appears clear that the majority of people will eventually accept the result of the peace conference, however disagreeable it may be.

NEGRO MOB MAY FIEND KILLS CAUSE A RIOT LITTLE CHILD

A Crowd of Twenty Negroes Surrounded the House of a White Man and Threatened Violence But Police Came to the Rescue.

(Special to The Evening Times.)

Wilmington, Sept. 6.—Last night between 11 and 12 o'clock the police received a call to send a riot squad to the northern section of the city, where it was reported a crowd of 10 or 20 negroes had surrounded the house of his mother and threatened to do violence to a young white man named Lee Rivenbark, a flagman on the Atlantic Coast Line. Chief Williams responded to the call personally and went over in his buggy. He took the young man and started to the hall with him, but when about a block from the house on his way to the city hall, about a dozen negroes ran out in the road and called to the party to halt.

As he was unarmed for such an emergency, the chief laid the whip on the horse and brought Rivenbark to the hall. He later returned with the young man to his home and established a guard of police with riot guns to guarantee protection to the young man. It is said that young Rivenbark had trouble with some negroes at Rocky Point and that friends of the blacks took it upon them to do violence to the flagman. The scene of the trouble of last night is only a few blocks from where the negroes fired into the party of white men inaugurated the riot of November, 1898. If the mob of negroes continue their demonstrations serious trouble will certainly result, for the police are determined.

BLIND MAN'S DAY.

The One Time of All the Year, When the Sorrow of "Misery Lane," is Changed to Joy and Gladness.

New York, Sept. 6.—East 26th street between Bellevue Hospital and the Morgue is called "Misery Lane" every day in the year but one, and to-day was the exception, for the blind women and men, as well as the children of Manhattan Island, were given their yearly allowance by the Department of Charities. The distribution amounted to nearly \$50,000, each person receiving \$47.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 6.—The investigation made by the Keop commission disclosed serious condition of affairs in the management of the office. Prominent men in the office were charged with charges detrimental to the interests of the government. The commission created much bitter feeling among the men holding high positions in the office. One of the directors at this feeling was the demand made by Public Printer Palmer for the resignation of Ricketts and Hall. As the Keop commission inquiry so far as known, developed nothing to the disadvantage of Ricketts or Hall, the President took the whole matter out of Palmer's hands. A successor to Palmer has not been selected.

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On a Dark Stairway in a New York Tenement House the Horribly Mutilated Body of a Small Girl is Found.

(By the Associated Press.)

New York, Sept. 6.—A child murder of unusual cruelty came to light when the body of a 3-year-old girl was found on a dark stairway in a West Side tenement house. Both legs had been broken at the knees and there were nine stab wounds in the face, evidently made by a pen-knife, and numerous bruises. The body was hidden under a newspaper when a janitor found it, after other persons in the building had walked over the same stairs without seeing it. Eighteen families live in the tenement, but none remembered having seen the girl before. The body was well dressed and was later identified as that of Gertrude Riemont, a daughter of Mrs. Agnes Riemont, who lives in a tenement at 431 West Forty-fifth street. The identification was made by the janitress of the house where the child's mother lived.

The police arrested Mrs. Riemont and Charles Denzer, the latter of whom also lives at 431 West Forty-fifth street. That the child was murdered in some other part of the city and her body brought to where it was found, or that she was lured to some place in the neighborhood to be killed, is the belief of the coroner. Before removal to the morgue more than 1,500 persons of the neighborhood had viewed the body and none of them had seen her before. The face wounds are entirely superficial. Death was caused by an ugly bruise on the side of the head, which physicians think may have

been caused by the child being swung headlong against a post in some one who held her to the wall. It is believed that the body was partially washed and fully recovered after the crime. The absence of any bloodstains made grease on the stairs and the sullied condition of the floor lead to the belief.

Strange Children at Lexington. Lexington, Sept. 6.—The police here today received information from the Sheriff of the county that a number of strange children were seen in the town yesterday afternoon and were seen in the public place. The children were seen in the afternoon and were seen in the public place. The children were seen in the afternoon and were seen in the public place. The children were seen in the afternoon and were seen in the public place.

Theological Seminary Selects a President.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 6.—The executive committee of the Columbia Theological Seminary has today also held all the meetings in an effort to select a president of the institution. They did this indirectly only, having recommended to the trustees that Dr. Theobald H. Rivers of Atlanta be elected to the position. Dr. Rivers was leader in the movement to have the seminary moved from Columbia and consolidated with Clarksville University into a big Presbyterian university at Atlanta. The board of directors will meet October 10th.

Barn at Pittsboro Burned.

Pittsboro, N. C., Sept. 6.—Lightning struck the barn of Mr. W. H. White, six miles south of Pittsboro, Monday night and burned it to the ground, together with two good mules, a lot of grain, forage and farming implements. Exactly nine years ago the barn on this lot was burned under similar circumstances.

STREET RIOTS CONTINUE.

And the Ranges of Russia are Killing and Wounding Many.

(By the Associated Press.) St. Petersburg, Sept. 6.—Private advices from Kishineff say that the street fighting continues and ranges are attacking Jewish shops, killing or wounding many inmates. It is said that over a score of soldiers have been killed.

CHOLERA'S VICTIMS.

Berlin Has Already Had 26 Deaths From the Disease.

Berlin, Germany, Sept. 6.—Thirteen new cases of cholera and two deaths were reported during the 24 hours, ending at noon, making a total of ninety cases and 26 deaths.

Third Case Discovered. Hamburg, Sept. 6.—The third case of cholera has been found in the heart of the business and hotel districts here.

AT THE INVESTIGATION.

Former Governor of New York State Will Appear as Counsel for the Equitable.

New York, Sept. 6.—Former Governor Brock appeared as counsel for the Equitable Life Assurance Society before the joint legislative committee, when the committee commenced the investigation of life insurance conditions.

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