

Shantung Issue Settlement Is Finally Reached

Delegates Hope to Have It Ready for Signatures in Week—Cable for Authority to Sign.

By GRAFTON K. WILCOX. Omaha News Leader Wire. Washington, Jan. 31.—The Shantung controversy is settled. Today the Japanese and Chinese delegates announced that they had reached an agreement. They have cabled Tokyo and Peking for authority to sign the treaty, but that is considered a formality, understandings having been reached with the home governments as to the terms.

The drafting is being done as rapidly as possible. The delegates hope it will be ready for signature this week. Today the conferees agreed that the financial details of the Tsing Tao-Tsinanfu railway arrangement, whereby China will take over the railroad, paying for it in Chinese treasury notes to cover a period of 15 years, with a redemption option after five years, shall be left for settlement at some later time. Among the financial questions which must be cleared up later is the rate of interest China shall pay.

Chinese in Control. The director general of the railroad will be Chinese. In China every foreign loan railway has such an official, who supervises the road. The traffic manager will be a Japanese and there will be two chief accountants, one a Chinese, the other a Japanese, who will co-ordinate their functions. This is a system which has been generally adopted in China.

Dr. Chung Hui Wang, a member of the Chinese delegation, said today that the drafting of the treaty ought to be completed in two or three days and be made public then. It was made known the restoration of the leasehold of Tsingtao to China will take place "as early as possible," and not in any event later than six months after the coming into effect of the whole Shantung agreement. The salt fields held by Japanese nationals also will be turned over to China not later than six months after the treaty becomes effective. The Tsingtao-Tsinanfu railway would be handed over to China as early as possible, but under no circumstances later than nine months after the treaty becomes operative.

Thanks to Hughes. Dr. Wang, speaking for the Chinese delegation, said tonight: "We feel grateful to and have to thank Mr. Hughes and Mr. Balfour for the friendly help and advice which they have given and which have brought the conversations to a happy conclusion. "The settlement will have a much better effect upon the Chinese people when they see China actually in control. Therefore, the execution of the treaty ought to be expedited as much as possible."

Hog Price Advances Above \$9 a Hundred

Hogs went above \$9 a hundred on the local market yesterday, making a gain of 25 cents over the top price of Monday, with a top price for yesterday of \$9.25. Receipts of hogs yesterday reached 19,700 head, as compared with 18,426 on Tuesday last week, or a total of 21,734 head for the two days of this week, as against 32,691 for the same two days last year.

Reports Rosebud Country in Pretty Good Condition

According to E. J. Hickey of Dallas, S. D., who brought in a shipment of cattle yesterday, rye and wheat crops in the Rosebud country are in pretty good condition and not in need of much moisture. He said the late snow was not doing much good as the ground was frozen rather deep and most of the moisture would run off when the thaw comes.

Asks \$10,000 for Injuries in Riding Over Bad Road

Suit for \$10,000 was started against Douglas county in district court by Dorothy Rose, 20, daughter of George Rose, for injuries she received when an automobile in which she was riding struck a trench in a road near Eighty-second and Maple street, January 1. Miss Rose alleges that she suffered four fractured ribs.

Six Young Men Fined for Beating Two Detectives

Six young men accused of having beaten Detectives William Lickert and Leslie Warner of the automobile theft bureau, last Saturday night, were arraigned in police court yesterday. Robert McMullen, 6124 South Twenty-fourth street, alleged leader of the gang, was fined \$25 and the others \$10 each.

Chief Deputy Young Quits; Thomas Promoted to Post

Earl Young, for four years deputy in the United States marshal's office, quit yesterday, to engage in the hardware business at Twenty-fourth and Harney streets. Young has been acting chief deputy for the last three months. Deputy Harvey Thomas will now hold this post.

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Brief City News

To Plan Celebration—The Fontenelle Park Celebration association will hold a meeting next Monday night in the city hall.

Judge Returns to Bench—District Judge James Fitzgerald, who had been ill for several days, resumed his seat on the bench yesterday. He had been suffering with a severe cold.

Fee Exonerated—Police Officer Ernest Fee was exonerated yesterday of any blame in the death of Harry McCloud, 1191 South Twenty-fourth street, by an inquest of a coroner's jury.

Boleshevik Chaser Club—A Boleshevik Chaser club has been organized by a group of Omahans. The members are persons who have operated against the boleshevik. Harry O. Palmer is secretary.

Nebraskans After Trophy—The retail credit men of Nebraska are making a strong bid for the membership trophy to be offered at the national credit men's convention at Cleveland in June.

Smallpox Cases Few—Only three cases of smallpox, compared to 83 cases last year, is the record for the month of January, according to the city health department. One case of typhoid fever has been reported.

Re-arrested After Parole—Mississippi Will Pickens, dope peddler, given his freedom as a Christmas gift December 23, was re-arrested by the police last Monday night. He had broken his promise and sold drugs after his release. He is charged.

Realtors Launch Move to Cut Taxes

W. G. Ure Heads Committee to Suggest Measures of Retrenchment. Maintaining that taxes have increased too much during the last 10 years, the realtors committee of the Omaha Real Estate board, headed by W. G. Ure, former city and county official, will endeavor to make investigations which will lead to the elimination of duplication of energy and the discouragement of extravagance in the local governments.

Taxes in the city have risen from 1.684 cents to 2.890 cents a dollar between 1911 and 1921, according to figures prepared by the committee. Total levies have increased from \$3,057,503 to \$9,262,520 during the time.

"We think," the committee said in its public statement, "that careful examinations, which we intend to make, will reveal that some of our public expenditures are unnecessary and that there are duplications of effort, which can be eliminated. We think the public, in some instances, asks for services that it does not need when the cost is considered."

Witness in Liquor Case Confused as to Dates

Judge Cooley won the first skirmish in a liquor case before U. S. Commissioner E. E. Bolender, yesterday, by tangling Jack Waugh, prohibition agent, on dates on which he made purchases from Ed S. Haynes, Cooley's client, who lives at 1416 Chicago street.

Didn't Know Load Was Beer, Says Man With Heavy Sack

A man who gave his name as Bill Anderson was arrested Monday night while attending a party near Seventeenth and Leavenworth streets.

Detectives Trapp and Munch spied him struggling up the stairs with a heavy sack. Investigation showed the sack contained 43 pints of beer. Bill protested that he knew not what the sack contained. The woman of the house had asked him to go from the second floor apartment to the basement and bring up the sack, he said.

Two Ordinances Provide for Sale of \$700,000 Bonds

City Commissioner Joseph Koutsky presented to city council yesterday an ordinance to authorize the sale of \$600,000 bonds to finance public improvements. From Commissioner J. B. Hummel of the park department the council received an ordinance which provides for the sale of \$100,000 park bonds.

Under the city charter, these bonds may be sold without submitting the propositions to the voters. Both ordinances were referred for consideration in committee of the whole.

Widow of Slain Detective Hurt by Falling in Street

Irene Murphy, 3406 Grand avenue, widow of Detective Frank Murphy, killed in a gun battle several years ago, fell on the sidewalk near Sixteenth and Harney streets about noon yesterday, suffering a badly bruised and sprained right knee. Police Surgeon Kinyoun attended Mrs. Murphy and later removed her to her home.

Chief Engineer Denies City Water Unhealthful

Frank P. Larson, chief engineer of the Metropolitan Utilities district, denied yesterday that the city water contained too large a percentage of albuminoid as found by Dr. A. S. Pinto, health commissioner. "We make daily test of the water," said the engineer. "It is all right. Drink all you want three times a day."

Pierce to Take Stand Today in Damato Trial

"Inside Story" of Fogg Murder to Be Told by Man on Whose Statements Murder Charge Is Based.

Frank Pierce, "ace" of the state witnesses who are to testify against Mike Damato, on trial for the murder of Frank Fogg last July, will take the stand today to tell the "inside story" of the shooting.

It was Pierce's statements that prompted County Attorney Shotwell to file first degree murder complaints against Damato and Walter (Finger) Stevens.

Ten witnesses testified yesterday afternoon. They told of having heard the fatal shot and having seen a man running from the drug store, but no evidence was introduced that would point to Damato or Stevens as the man seen running from the scene of the shooting.

Those who testified were W. E. Barnett, Albert Douglas, Albert Samuelson, Robert Banks, Emil Rokucek, Dr. Earl Connolly, M. L. Jensen, Fred Franks, E. J. Coot and Edward Hoffman.

"We have good witnesses other than Pierce," said Chief Deputy County Attorney Coffey, who is helping Shotwell. "We have worked hard on the case and are now ready to leave the verdict to 12 men."

Unions Name Committees to Boost for Wilson Fund

Central Labor union appointed a committee, including J. M. Gibb, J. P. Hanson and M. J. Courtney, to receive contributions to the Woodrow Wilson foundation.

Carpenters' union appointed Harry Stroesser, C. E. Woodward and B. F. Ballard and the Machinists' union named groups in each shop where large numbers are employed.

William Carney, Sergeant. William Carney, a patrolman, was yesterday confirmed a sergeant of police by the city council on recommendation of Commissioner Dunn. He will take the place made vacant by the promotion of Sgt. James MacDonald to a captaincy.

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Tea Dance Wednesday from 3:30 to 5:30 Music under the direction of Mr. Robert Cusaden Burgess-Nash—Seventh Floor

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The Cafeteria Special for Wednesday Individual Lamb Pie 25c with Vegetables. Burgess-Nash—Downstairs Store

A Page of New Apparel for Spring Hints at Many Bewitching Things

Color! is the New Keynote in These Cleverly New Hats

For those who prefer them bright, we have the gayest new group of "lip-stick red" models that will be sure to charm, for they are as smart in their lines as they are bright in tint.

For those who look for softer tints there are the loveliest hats in old blues, grays, jade, also black, navy, and brown.

This New Group: \$5.00—\$7.50—\$9.75 Burgess-Nash—Third Floor

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The Very Newest Spring Models in "Jack Tar Togs"

Every mother will be glad to hear that they have the new detachable dark blue collars and cuffs of French serge that make washing most agreeably simple.

And every little girl will too, for they are just as jaunty as they are pictured, made of white twill. Other models are of chambray in open or of unbleached linen.

\$3.95 to \$5.95

New Jack Tar Middies \$1.95 to \$4.25 All white or with colored collars and cuffs. Burgess-Nash—Third Floor

Notions

- Genuine Bee's Wax, piece... 5c
- Hickory Waists, in all ages, each... 49c
- Sanitary Aprons, pure rubber, each... 49c
- Sewing Machine Straps, each... 5c
- Machine Needles, self-threading, pkg... 10c
- Grey Jersey Covered Bust Forms, every size, ea... \$1.69
- J. & P. Coats Thread, every size, spool... 5c
- Gainsborough Hair Nets, all colors, 3 for... 25c

Burgess-Nash—Third Floor

New Strap Pumps Show Center Strap Buckles

Slippers that convince you there is something new under the sun—for they are as varied as cunningly arranged straps, Spanish or Cuban heels and artful buckles can make them. There are Grecian sandals with three or two straps and a center buckle, sure to flatter every instep, some with tips and medallions. There are suedes, patents and dull kids, all fashioned in the most original way. You will surely find in this new lot the very footwear you want for spring. \$12.00 to \$15.00.

Burgess-Nash Shoe Shop—Main Floor



Mina Taylor Dresses In New Spring Styles

These attractive dresses are designed for all home uses—the house, the garden, the porch. \$4.95 They are made of gingham and the newest plaids and checks, many trimmed with sheer organadies.

We are showing many other models besides these pictured at \$4.95—and at prices which range from \$2.95 to \$12.50

- 3003—In check gingham, in blue or pink, with white organdie collar: \$4.95.
- 3030—In check gingham, in blue and white: \$4.95.
- 3004—In blue or pink check gingham, with over-jacket of plain color to match: \$4.95.
- 3026-M—In brown and blue check gingham, in check or plain gingham in yellow and in lavender: \$4.95.

Burgess-Nash Mina Taylor Shop—Second Floor

Blouses Bewitching In Their New Spring Freshness and Chic

Blouses as beautiful as these new spring models have a very definite mission in life, for they can transform the most ordinary suit or skirt into a thing of distinction.

The youthful Peter Pan and roll collars are shown in a variety of tailored forms, tucked and frilled or heavy with real Irish and Filet laces.

All at newly lower prices. Burgess-Nash Blouse Shop—Third Floor

Underthings and Stockings As Welcome As Spring Itself

We have the most complete stock of underthings for grownups and children. Whether they be of silk, lisle of cotton, they are here and in the finest qualities. Silk undergarments in white, flesh or dainty pastels may be had in vests, stepins, knickers, pajamas, nightgowns.

Gauze Vests at 25c, 35c, 50c. Cotton Union Suits: \$1.00, \$1.25.

Women's Hosiery: There are many new arrivals: Imported lises in a variety of colors. Real Sea Island Cotton Hose in black and a most complete array of—Pointex Silk Stockings, including the ever popular chiffons.

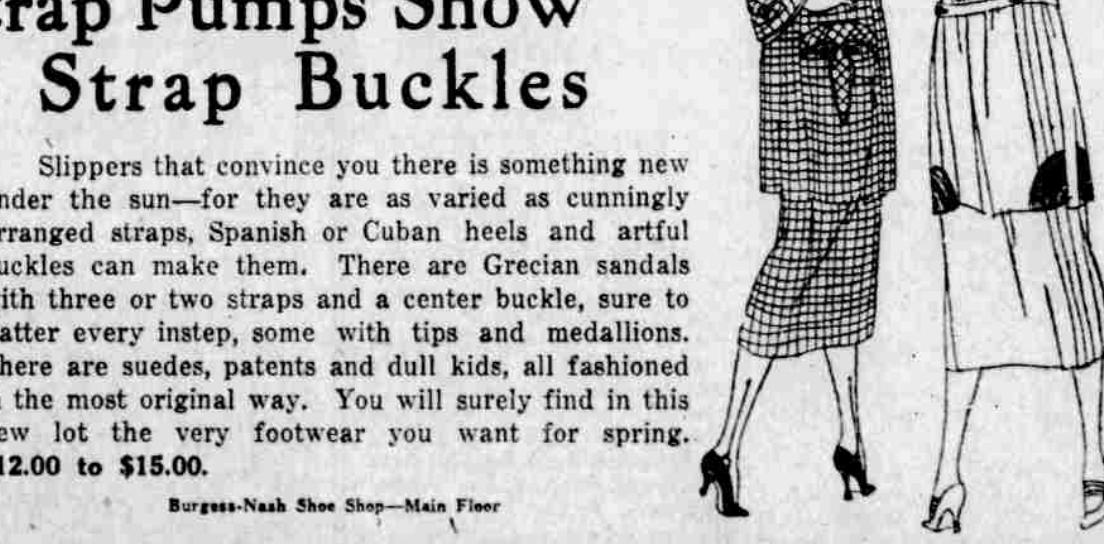
Burgess-Nash Hosiery Shop—Main Floor

Tweed Suits That Carry That Unmistakable Air of Spring

These attractive models have that little touch of masculine severity necessary to smartness this season, and still they retain in the matter of soft silken linings, cunningly placed pockets, and artfully turned cuffs, unmistakable feminine charms.

Not only that—but tweed this year has become a high art. It comes not in its usual heather shades, but also in soft blues and greens that endear themselves to every type. \$45.00 and upwards.

Burgess-Nash Suit Shop—Third Floor



For they are here—the brilliantly colored sweaters, the new shiny black and white hat which Paris is sponsoring, the clocked stocking and the jet earring.

Whatever your whim, so long as it meets with the whim of Fashion, is surely here for your selection.

This page is only a suggestion. We hope you will come and see for yourself how delightfully new and becoming these new fashions are.

And, tomorrow, we will try to tell of new fashions for the home.



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Valentines, favors and decorations. Our "Party Book" furnishes you with novel entertainment suggestions.

Burgess-Nash—Main Floor

The Forerunner of Spring Fashions

New Spring Gingham

The new patterns and colorings seem more fresh and summerlike with each new arrival—and note how reasonable are the prices.

32-inch Plaid Gingham of an unusually good quality are priced, the yard... 45c

The New Tissue Gingham in very attractive colorings, checks and plaids are priced, the yard—69c and 75c

The Celebrated "Peter Pan" Gingham in small and in large checks, as well as plain colors, are especially attractive at the yard... 65c and 75c

Burgess-Nash—Second Floor

The Latest Fashion Notes are Shown in New Silks for Spring

For after all, there is really nothing so crisp and fresh and so suitable for many various occasions, as an attractive silk.

Our New Spring Taffetas in black and in colors range in price, the yard from... \$1.59 to \$3.50

40-inch Crepe de Chine in all possible exquisite shades are priced, the yd., from \$1.55 to \$2.95

40-inch Satin Poplin in an especially good shade of navy blue is very specially priced the yard, at... \$1.95

40-inch Canton Crepe in all silk in correct street shades, the yard—\$2.79 to \$3.49

36-inch Checked Taffetas in navy blue with chalk-line checks, yard, \$1.69

32-inch Kimono Silks in handsome patterns are priced, the yard from—\$1.49 to \$2.00

Burgess-Nash—Second Floor