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A NEW NOTE ON CHINA

American State Department Again Addresses Itself to the Powers.

POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES

Best Means of Securing Objects Common to All Pointed Out—Arrangement of New Bases to Bridge Over Impossible Situation at Peking.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—The secretary of state has addressed an identical note to the powers in regard to the Chinese situation, setting out tersely and freely the attitude of the United States government as to China, and pointing out how such objects as are common to the powers can best be secured. The note marks the initiation of fresh negotiations on our part on the arrangement of new bases to tide over the impossible situation created at the last meeting of the ministers in Peking. Some responses already are at hand, and it is stated that generally our advances have been well received and the state department expresses satisfaction with the progress so far achieved.

It is believed that the note is an appeal from the extreme course suggested by some of the powers as to the treatment of China, especially in the matter of punishments and indemnities to which the ministers at Peking seem inclined. The intent is to push the negotiations on a more rational and business-like basis.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—The Times this morning comments editorially in a somewhat incredulous tone upon Secretary Hay's fresh note to the powers, saying that it cannot imagine Secretary Hay as objecting to the execution of the guilty officials after, as was understood, assenting to the French proposals. It admits that, so far as outsiders can form an opinion, "the United States appear to be the leading obstacle to the working of the concert of powers in China."

With reference to Mr. Wu Ting Fang's speech in Cincinnati, promising the United States better commercial chances when peace is restored, the Times says: "We would not advise Chinese ministers in Europe to enter upon such a line of argument, as there are countries where so gross a proposal would be resented as an injury."

The Daily News, evidently dependent as to the outcome of the negotiations in Peking, says: "The concert must either dissolve or compromise. We hope Mr. Hay may be able to suggest a compromise which all the powers will agree to adopt firmly and in union."

The Daily Chronicle remarks: "Even if the powers are won over to the views of the United States we do not see how matters would be advanced, unless the Chinese court can be induced to return to Peking."

STOPS BUSINESS AT PANAMA.

Rebel Forces Hold Railroad Line and Threaten to Attack.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 24.—The British steamer Barbarian, which has just arrived here from Colon, reports that severe fighting occurred Monday and Tuesday at Culebra. The government forces attacked the rebels, who occupied a good position, with the result that the losses of the former were heavy. The fighting was proceeding when the steamer left Tuesday night.

The stores and restaurants at Colon were closed and the rebels held a portion of the railroad line.

Another rebel force was reported to be engaging the government troops near Panama. Business is entirely suspended at the latter place and both Panama and Colon are in a state of terror.

The rebels are attacking in a determined manner and it is feared the slaughter will be great before decisive results are reached. The liberals, it is asserted by the passengers of the Barbarian, still hold Buena Ventura, though the Colombian government is making a great effort to regain possession of it.

ON VERGE OF STARVATION.

Several Hundred Indians in a Pitiful Condition.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Nov. 24.—Several hundred Indians in this county are threatened with starvation. They have made no provision for the winter and are now suffering for want of food.

Mrs. Mary Watkins, the teacher of Mesa Grande reservation, where there are 306 people, of whom 27 are so old that they are helpless, writes of having visited seven of the reservations and found the Indians in a dreadful condition of want in all of them. Children and women are almost naked and there is not enough food in many of the lodges to keep the inhabitants thereof alive through the winter.

The Manzanilla berries were a failure and the acorns dropped from the oak trees in June because of the lack of moisture.

Cork Not Open to Kruger.

CORK, Nov. 24.—As a protest against the refusal of the lord mayor of Cork to entertain a motion to confer the freedom of the city upon Mr. Kruger, the corporation adjourned today, the adjournment resolution being adopted by a large majority, after an exciting debate.

Boston Tea Tax an Issue.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 24.—Tea merchants in this city have begun a movement looking to a removal of the war tax imposed on imported tea since the Spanish war. A petition is in circulation asking the chairman of the ways and means committee at Washington to consider the petition of the tea dealers before deciding not to take off the tax. The petition says that the tax of ten cents on a pound has resulted in a sale of the lower grades and that the tax helps coffee, which is free.

MINISTER CONGR IS SILENT.

State Department Hears Nothing Official Concerning Disagreement at Peking.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The State department so far has heard nothing from Minister Conger respecting the "impasse" reported to have been reached by the foreign ministers yesterday at Peking. In fact, save a brief expression respecting the insufficiency of the punishments proposed by the Chinese government to be inflicted upon the responsible leaders of the Boxer movement, Mr. Conger has not communicated with the department for more than a week.

Without taking issue with Mr. Conger respecting this matter of punishments, the State department has earnestly advised him not to insist on impossible conditions in the negotiations.

An interesting problem is suggested by the possibility, which today is almost a probability, that the ministers representing the powers at Peking cannot reach an agreement. If Russia, France and the United States should refuse to accept the German idea, as seconded by the British representative, much would depend upon Japan, and some of the lesser powers represented at Peking by ministers might have great power in swaying the proceedings of the council. The impression seems to be that if a majority of the ministers, or perhaps even one of the representatives of a great power, withholds assent to the agreement, then the whole undertaking falls, and there must be either fresh negotiations directly between the home governments in the effort to agree upon new basis of action, or the powers must proceed to deal with the Chinese situation singly, or in groups, the latter contingency having been provided for in the German-British agreement.

JUNTA WILL RISK EVICTION.

Filipinos Propose to Keep Up Agitation from Safety in Hong Kong.

HONG KONG, Nov. 23.—(New York World Cablegram).—R. Wildman, the United States consul here, has information that the Filipino junta, at a meeting held November 15, decided to brave the chances of deportation rather than quit Hong Kong. Recent correspondence between the junta and the insurgents proves that Aguinaldo is still alive, but he is said to be suffering from a gunshot wound in his stomach.

The Hong Kong junta has also decided to make another attempt to send arms to the Filipinos in a launch, which will probably fly the German flag. The venture will be in charge of Colonel Julio del Pilar. Heyes and Garcia, two Filipino agents, have a large stock of ammunitions of war at Macao.

The Chinese General Pana, who was recently deported from the Philippines, has been conferring with the junta here, but has gone to Singapore.

MANILA, Nov. 23.—Lieutenant Frederick W. Alstetter of the United States engineers, who was captured by the insurgents early last September north of San Isidro, has been released. He entered the American garrison at Gapan, province of Nueva Ecija on Tuesday evening, his appearance there being a great surprise, as Aguinaldo's order for the release of American soldiers included only enlisted men. He will start for Manila tomorrow.

River and Harbor Bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—Chairman Burton of the house committee on rivers and harbors stated today that the committee would meet Monday to begin preparation of a river and harbor bill and he expected to get it through the house before the holidays. Mr. Burton said that nothing definite had been decided upon, but that the committee would draw a strict line between improvements which were for the public good and those for private interests. He also stated that some policy regarding the permanent improvement of the Mississippi river would be determined upon.

Concludes Its Session.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 23.—The interstate commerce commission concluded its session here today and this evening the commissioners left for Washington. Having finished its work in the discrimination cases, the commission held a special session and investigated complaints of under-billing freight to eastern points by a number of shippers. This investigation was begun several weeks ago and some testimony was heard in New York a week ago.

Anxiety About the Czar.

LIVADIA, European Russia, Nov. 22.—Emperor Nicholas, according to the best information obtainable this morning, had a favorable day yesterday. He slept for some time and felt at ease. His temperature at 9 p. m. was 110.6 and his pulse 64. Last night he slept well and on waking this morning was comfortable, his head being quite clear. At 9 a. m. today his temperature was 99.6 and his pulse 68.

Steyn and Dewett Attacked.

MASERU, Basutoland, Nov. 20.—Natives report that former President Steyn and General Dewett, with 1,000 men, traversed the British lines between Alexandria and Warringtonham's store and attacked a British post, subsequently retreating by the road to Dewetsdorp, in the Orange River colony. Conclude its session.

Cattle King a Raving Maniac.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—W. F. Mellick, former president of the National bank at Pocatello, Idaho, and "cattle king" of the snake river, that state, is now a raving lunatic, the result, it is thought, of being sandbagged in Chicago a week ago. He was taken to Morristown, N. J., heavily ironed, and was committed as a private patient to the state hospital for the insane at Morris Plains. The commitment was made at the instance of his father, R. W. Mellick, a wealthy farmer of New Germantown, N. J.

Bound to Be Regular.

Ex-Speaker Reed, being himself a most methodical man, likes those about him to be as punctual in business matters as he is. The other day he reprimanded an office boy for the tardiness of his arrival at the office. "Well," said the boy, "you said there was nothing like regularity, and as I'd been an hour late for the past two weeks, I didn't like to change my method and come in on time today."

Officers Are Scarce.

Brigadier General Merriam, commanding the department of the Missouri, gives in his report an illustration of how foreign service has drawn on the home forces. So few are the officers now available that Lieutenant Delamere Skerrett, besides being first lieutenant of the Third artillery, is an acting captain, an acting judge advocate, chief ordnance officer, chief signal officer and acting engineer officer of the department of Missouri, making separate reports in this various capacities.

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The taking ways of the kleptomaniac may be due to fits of abstraction.

Japanese Smokers.

Smoking is so common in Japan that all men and most women smoke, the girls beginning when they are about 10 years of age. The women have pipes with longer stems than the men, and if one of them wishes to show a gentleman a special mark of favor, she lights her pipe, takes a whiff, hands it to him and lets him smoke.

Presy Adams' Retirement.

Charles Kendall Adams has retired from the presidency of the University of Wisconsin and will go abroad for his health, which has been bad for two years past. He has not actually resigned, and Dean E. A. Birge will act in his place.



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