

# IMPORTANT NEWS OF THE WEEK

The bureaucracy freed from the incubus of the war is resuming oppressive measures in Russia, thereby fanning the flames of discontent and revolt all through the empire from Finland to Caucasia.

A contract for the hotel and subsistence concession on the Panama canal zone, awarded to Jacob E. Markel of Omaha, Neb., by President Theodore P. Shonts of the Panama Railroad company will stand. This in effect, is the decision of President Roosevelt who approved a report on the subject made to him by Mr. Shonts.

Charged with using his railroad pass in violation of the law W. B. Angelo, an attorney for the Wisconsin Central Railway company, and holding a position as a notary public, was formally placed under arrest at Plainfield, Wis., on complaint of W. H. Berry, editor of a newspaper at Waushara, Wis. The action is for the purpose of testing the anti-pass law by the last legislature.

The Standard Oil company advanced the selling price on all grades of refined oil half a cent per gallon. The quotations on the various grades of refined oil and gasoline are now as follows: Ohio state test, 8 1/4 cents per gallon; Water White Ohio state test, 9 1/2 cents; Headlight, 175 degrees oil, 10 1/2 cents; Eocene oil 11 1/2 cents; V. M. and P. naphtha, 11 cents; deodorized stove gasoline, 12 cents; 74 degree to 76 degree gasoline, 14 cents.

The American board of foreign missions at Seattle, Wash., by a vote of 46 to 40 decided to table all resolution on the question of "tainted money." The action is considered a defeat for Dr. Washington Gladden, who has led the campaign in opposition to accepting the Rockefeller gift of \$100,000 and similar contributions, which he styles "predatory wealth." The issue was precipitated by Dr. Gladden who introduced the following resolution: "Resolved, That the officers of this society should neither solicit nor invite donations to its funds from persons whose gains are generally believed to have been made by methods morally reprehensible and socially injurious.

In spite of the strong undercurrent of indignation pervading all classes over the terms of peace arranged with Russia, typical business men in Tokio are following the wiser course without repining over an accomplished fact. An important organization representing eighty-one leading business interests has been formed under the presidency of M. Iwade, a millionaire, which aims to work for the development of home industries and foreign trade with redoubled energy. A significant feature of the organization is that it consists of a wealthy and conservative element, representing an enormous combination of capital. Its interests and energy will be principally directed toward the exploitation of trade with Korea and China. The organization is prepared to co-operate in this direction with foreign capitalists.

A French correspondent, Gaston Richard, who sent the false report to Paris in regard to Roosevelt being fearful of Japanese commercial rivalry, was sent a bitter letter by Secretary Loeb in which he denounced the correspondent for having gained admittance to the president under false colors, and denying that the cor-

respondent had any interview with the president on the matters reported. "The president had no conversation with you," says Mr. Loeb, "about the terms of peace and your account of your alleged interview with him is a fabrication from beginning to end without any foundation in fact, and both your untruthfulness and obtaining permission to see him under false pretenses the president considers highly dishonorable."

At the Jefferson club banquet in honor of William J. Bryan in Chicago the distinguished Nebraskan took occasion to set at rest the movement to nominate him for a third time for the presidency. There had been warm words of praise for Mr. Bryan, particularly from Former Congressman Ollie M. James of Kentucky, and Judge J. B. Tarvin of Covington, Ky., who had declared unqualifiedly for Mr. Bryan as the democratic nominee for president in 1908, and from Alexander Throup, of New Haven, Conn., who declared that Mr. Bryan was the natural and legitimate leader of the Democratic party in the coming campaign. Mr. Bryan said: "I want to make my position perfectly clear; I want to say to you that not only am I not announcing a candidacy, but I am not permitting a candidacy. I am not now a candidate for any office. I have never said that I would never again be a candidate for office, but I want to say now that talk of candidacy for office does not affect me as it once did. I believe that my place in history will be determined not by what the people are able to do for me, but what I am able to do for the people." (Applause and cheers).

The imperial ukase abolishing the retaliatory duties on American imports has been granted at St. Petersburg and has been placed in immediate effect at all the customs houses by telegraphic orders from the ministry of finance. The ukase is as follows: "Acting on the recommendation of the minister of finance September 7 the emperor has decreed: First—To revoke the order placing a higher duty on certain goods of United States origin which are included under sections 82, 150, 151, 152, 153, 161, 167 B and 173 C of the general customs tariffs for European trade and to revoke also the necessity for showing a declaration of origin of manufacture. Second—This order shall be published in the index of laws and telegraphic instructions shall be given to all customs houses to put it into effect at once." The imports affected by the foregoing sections include resins, tars, finished and unfinished castiron, wrought iron and steel and manufacturers thereof, such as boilers, tools, sewing machines, agricultural implements, traction engines, and gas and water meters. These are now importable under the general European tariff and after January 1 under the schedules of the new Russo-German commercial treaty.

**MEIER & MEIER, ATTORNEYS, 1241 O STREET.**

Ernest Adams, you are hereby notified that on the 6th day of September 1905, Jesse D. Van Horn commenced an action against you before G. H. Risser, a justice of the peace in the city of Lincoln, in and for Lancaster County, Nebraska, to recover the sum of \$25.75 and costs; that on said 6th day of September, 1905, said justice of the peace issued an order of attachment and garnishment of money and credits due said Ernest Adams from the Chicago, Burlington & Quin-

cy Railway Company to the amount of \$25.75 and costs; that under said order money and credits due said Ernest Adams in the hands of said Railway Company have been attached. Said cause was continued to the 23d day of October, 1905, at 9 o'clock a. m.

**JESSE D. VAN HORN,**  
By **MEIER & MEIER,** his Attorneys.

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**W. E. Unland, M. D. Wilson, L. E. Wetling, W. J. Adamson, T. C. Lanier.**

**I. H. HATFIELD**

To William J. Crouse, non-resident defendant:  
You are hereby notified that on September 15, 1905, Miriam Archer as plaintiff began an action against you

and other defendants in the District Court of Lancaster County, Nebraska, to foreclose a mortgage on lots 11 and 12, block 1 in Gibbons' Addition to the city of Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska, made by Ralph W. Whited and Ada B. Whited to secure the payment of a note of \$700 dated September 6, 1902, on which there is now due \$721 with interest at 10 per cent from September 6, 1905. Also a mortgage on said land made by Ralph W. Whited and Ada B. Whited dated September 6, 1902 to secure a note of \$100 of which there is now due \$45 with interest from September 6, 1905. The plaintiff prays for a decree of foreclosure and sale of said lands to satisfy said liens and for general relief.

You are required to answer plaintiff's petition on or before October 30, 1905.

**I. H. HATFIELD,**  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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