

CRISIS OVER BUDGET

Dispute in Japanese Cabinet Over Financial Affairs.

TWO MEMBERS BY POSITIONS

Ministers of Finance and Communication Retain

SAIONJI RETAINS PORTFOLIO

Mikado Refuses to Accept Resignation of Prime Minister.

DIFFERENCES OVER TAXATION

Proposed to Reduce Appropriations for Internal Improvements Causes Dissatisfaction Throughout Empire.

TOKIO, Jan. 14.—A cabinet crisis is imminent. After a conference of the cabinet ministers this morning Marquis Saionji, the prime minister, visited the emperor at the palace this afternoon and was quickly followed by Prince Ho.

It is understood that difficulties exist over the budget which are irreconcilable. This evening it was announced that Yoshida Saburo, minister of finance, and Iwano Yamagata, minister of communication, have resigned from the cabinet. Their resignations have been accepted. The resignation of Marquis Saionji, the prime minister, has been refused. Marquis Matsuda, minister of justice, will combine the portfolio of finance and justice. This leaves the cabinet without any new element and removes the discontent which has been the cause of the crisis since the resignation of Iwano Yamagata as minister of communication, announced by the Associated Press on January 11, was evidently correct, and the official record made on the following day was probably intended to tide over the period during which there was a possibility of an adjustment.

The whole matter now is believed to be settled. There probably will be some changes of terms in the budget and probably the government may decide not to increase taxation, but instead reduce the appropriations for the army and navy. It is possible that it may be decided to issue a loan to cover the deficiency.

Heated Debate in Meeting.
The cabinet council this morning gave rise to some discussion in the taxation department. The resignation of Saionji, who is responsible for the budget, which will be introduced in the Diet today and who is blamed by the cabinet ministers and the public because in 1907 he promised that there would be no increase in taxation, but instead reduced the appropriations for the army and navy, it is possible that it may be decided to issue a loan to cover the deficiency.

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THE WEATHER.
FOR OMAHA, COUNCIL BLUFFS AND NEBRASKA.—Fair Wednesday.
FOR IOWA.—Generally fair and cooler Wednesday.
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Temperature at Omaha yesterday:

Hour.	Temp.	Deg.
5 a. m.	32	F.
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DECEASED.
Nearly 200 persons were killed in the theater panic at Boyertown, Pa., the details of the disaster proving full of many pathetic stories.

DECEASED.
Evidence of insanity in Thaw's family and of early traits of his peculiar disposition were introduced at the murder trial.

DECEASED.
An Albany, N. Y., professor has discovered a system of instructing imbecile children.

DECEASED.
The Atlantic rate war has been stepped up by a cut made by several English companies.

DECEASED.
Former Lincoln editor has been fined and sentenced to jail in Ohio on a charge of fraud in securing a certificate to practice law.

DECEASED.
Governor Haskell is on his way to attend the democratic banquet in Lincoln this week.

DECEASED.
Elementary teachers are extremely scarce in Chicago.

DECEASED.
James Eads Howe leads an army of unemployed persons to the city hall in St. Louis asking for work.

DECEASED.
T. L. Lewis is named president of the United Mine Workers by a large vote.

DECEASED.
Arguments in the Walsh trial by the state are that the banker is in the same plight as a speculating cashier.

DECEASED.
Former Governor Beckham of Kentucky took three votes short of being selected United States senator on first ballot.

DECEASED.
Indian republicans declare for Fairbanks.

DECEASED.
Secretary Taft denies he will resign from the cabinet to devote his entire time to the campaign.

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DECEASED.
Live stock markets.

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Movements of Ocean Steamships.

BRAZIL EXTENDS GLAD HAND

Brilliant Reception to Officers of American Fleet in Southland.

PRESIDENT PENNA IS GRATIFIED

Ambassador Dudley Gives Elaborate Fete at Petropolis, Participated in by Diplomats and Officials of Country.

RIO JANEIRO, Jan. 14.—The first of the many official functions to be given in honor of the visiting American naval officers during their stay took place yesterday. The first event was a visit to the Brazilian minister of marine, Admiral Alencar, and this was followed by a reception by the president of the republic, Dr. Penna, and a banquet by the American ambassador, Irvin D. Dudley.

In the afternoon the officers went out to Petropolis, the home of the diplomatic corps, twenty-two miles distant from the capital. They were accompanied by many high Brazilian officials and representatives of the various legations. At the railroad station of this suburb they were received by the private secretary of Ambassador Dudley and joined shortly afterward by the ambassador himself.

Dr. Dudley presented Admiral Thomas to the president and then introduced each officer in turn. Dr. Penna said: "I am extremely gratified at the presence here of our officers and representatives of the friendly nation of the north, a nation to which we owe much for her services to our country. You have arrived punctually on your destination in spite of the great difficulties which you have had to overcome. You are cordially welcomed here and I trust that your stay in Brazil will be happy."

In response Admiral Thomas made a short speech of thanks.

Upon leaving the residence of Dr. Penna the officers were driven to the home of Mr. Dudley. The banquet was superb. The entire house and grounds were illuminated by Venetian lamps and colored electric lights. Within the salons were placed graceful illuminations and colored flowers. The tables were laid in two of the salons and were decorated with cut glass, beautiful silverware and more flowers. Among those present were the admirals, the commanding officers of each battleship, the Brazilian minister of marine, the Brazilian minister of war, the chief of the naval staff, an official representing the minister of foreign affairs, Baron de Rio Branco, and a number of deputies and senators.

MULAI BEGS EAR OF FRENCH
Preferrer to Throne of Morocco Sends Delegation to Paris Making Protest.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—A commission from Mulai Hafid, the newly-proclaimed sultan of Morocco, arrived in Paris tonight. The sultan's private secretary, M. de Lamoignon, is in the city, accompanied by M. Pollet, who is the sultan's representative in Paris. The sultan is in a state of protest against the French action in Morocco, and is demanding that the French government should respect his rights as sultan.

OCEAN RATE WAR LIVELY ONE
Canadian Lines Make Substantial Cuts in Charges for Eastward Passage to Liverpool.

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—Following the action of the White Star and Cunard lines in cutting rates, representatives of the Allen, Dominion and Canadian Pacific steamship companies at a conference held here today decided yesterday to make a cut in eastward rates in second cabin and steerage to Liverpool and Scandinavian ports. The reductions are from 25 to 30 per cent, second rate to Liverpool being cut from \$42.50 to \$30.

COUNT BONI MUCH PROVOKED
That is Reason, He Says, Why He Spat in Face of Prince Helie de Sagan.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—Count Boni de Castellane, the divorced husband of Anna Gould and Count Jean de Castellane's brother, appeared in court today to answer to the charge of assault brought by Prince Helie de Sagan, their cousin. Count Boni admitted that he had spat in his cousin's face, but only after provocation.

CZAR RECEIVES DIPLOMATS
New Year's Reception This Year Takes Place with Emperor Absent Through Illness.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 14.—John W. Riddle, the American ambassador, and the staff of the embassy went out to Tsarskoe-Selo this evening for the annual New Year reception. For the first time in several years the emperor did not take part in the ceremony. This was an account of her illness. She was represented by the dowager empress.

REPUBLICANS FOR FAIRBANKS
Conventions in Indiana Declare for Him for President—Roosevelt Recommended.

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DEMOCRATS GATHER FOR FEAST

More Talk of State Politics, However, Than of the Bryan Campaign.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 14.—Special Telegram.—Democrats to-night are gathered at the headquarters at the Lincoln hotel and are enjoying a banquet. The speaker is Hon. M. P. Harrington and he is in favor of the party being held in Douglas county. He is in favor of the party being held in Douglas county. He is in favor of the party being held in Douglas county.

FEW CHANGES IN THE BANKS
Switzer Made Vice President of Nebraska National Vice L. S. Reed.

National banks of Omaha and South Omaha held annual meetings Tuesday, and the officers were elected for the coming year. The Nebraska National bank and the Omaha National bank. Changes in the officers were made in the vice presidency of the Nebraska National bank, where Warren Switzer succeeds L. S. Reed, but Reed remains on the board of directors.

THAW BUILDING UP CASE
Prosecutor and Nurse Testify He Was Irrational as Boy—Insanity in the Family.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The attorneys for Harry K. Thaw at his trial today began relentlessly to build up the case of legal insanity which they have interposed in his behalf as a defense for the killing of Stanford White. The two principal witnesses of the case were Dr. Charles T. Kohler of Winona, Minn., who acted as instructor in the Wagoner, O. university in 1886 and Mrs. Amy Grossette of San Mateo, Cal., who attended Thaw as a trained nurse at the Young Men's association in 1887. They both told the jury that Thaw was insane at the time he shot Charles T. Kohler and declared that his manner always was irrational.

REJECTS LAWYERS' OPINIONS
Ohio's Secretary of State Declines Theory Primary Law is Not Applicable.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—That question cannot come before this department for consideration, said Secretary of State Thompson today when the opinion of lawyers at Washington to the effect that delegates to the national convention could not be chosen in the districts by primary elections under the Brown primary election law was shown him. "This action cannot affect a state convention in any way. The fact of the matter is that the Brown law neither gives nor withholds authority to select district delegates to the national convention."

IMBECILE BOY NOW SPEAKS
Albany Professor Develops Youth, Born Deficient, in Remarkable Manner.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Speechless for sixteen years, Gustav Laut has in ten months learned to talk fluently. During the same period he has developed an abnormal intellect. He is now a bright, alert, active, ambitious person, who has grown four inches in height, permanent teeth have come to him against all the beliefs of the dental profession, and he now gives promise of becoming a healthy, normal man.

MURDER NEAR HAYES CENTER
Harrison Weeks Reported to Have Been Killed at That Point.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—A telegram received here this afternoon said that Harrison Weeks, a former resident of Green Mountain, the county seat of Harrison County, was murdered near Hayes Center, Neb., today. Details are given as to the circumstances of the murder. It is believed that the murderer is still at large.

TEACHERS SCARCE IN CHICAGO
Authorities Obligated to Send Pupils Home from Schools to Secure Instructors.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The situation caused by scarcity of teachers in the Chicago public schools reached a climax yesterday. In seventy-three rooms, chiefly in elementary schools, the children were sent home because there were no teachers available to provide them with instruction. The shortage is believed to be a result of the teachers' strike.

MAE WOOD GAINS HER POINT
Justice Newberger Signs Order Directing Senator Platt to Grant Inspection of Papers.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Command for Mae Wood, who brought suit for divorce against Senator Tom C. Platt, secured an order from Justice Newberger today directing the senator to turn over all letters and papers pertaining to the case to the plaintiff's attorneys for inspection. Upon granting of this order, Mae Wood asserts that she was married to the senator in 1901. The senator denies this.

LEWIS NAMED BY LARGE VOTE
Vice President of United Mine Workers Wins in Race for President Over Wilson.

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 14.—A private telegram received here from Indianapolis is said to be authoritative, says that T. L. Lewis, of Bridgeport, Ohio, vice president of the United Mine Workers of America, has been elected president over W. B. Wilson by a majority of sixty thousand in a vote of 300,000.

EX-LINCOLN EDITOR TO JAIL
Senator Austin Searched at Columbus on Charge of Fraud in Getting Lawyer's Certificate.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—The supreme court today sentenced former Supreme Court Clerk Lawson E. Emerson to ten days in jail and State Senator Austin of Toledo to ten days in jail and \$100 fine in connection with the charge of securing the latter's certificate to practice law in this state without proper examination.

GOVERNOR HASKELL ON WAY
Oklahoma's Chief Executive Has Started on Trip to Lincoln for Bryan Dinner.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 14.—Governor Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma arrived here today enroute to Lincoln, Neb., to attend the Bryan dinner tomorrow night. The governor will be the guest of honor tonight at an informal dinner at the Kansas City club tendered him by local Democrats.

STANDARD HAS GRIP ON WEST
Testimony at New York Reveals Company is Control in These Oil Fields.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—More than 96 per cent of the oil business in Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, New Mexico is controlled by the Standard Oil company, according to testimony introduced at the government suit against that company today.

HOWE HEADS ARMY OF HOBOES

St. Louis Millionaire Tramps Expects City to Make Appropriation for Improvements.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 14.—Hungry and out of work, 400 itinerant men marched through the streets and into the city hall today seeking Mayor Wells in order to make application for his assistance in securing employment.

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