

YUAN SHI KAI
WILL NOT TAKE
POST OF PREMIER

Leader Telegraphs to Chinese Board
that Health Will Not Permit
Him to Do the Work.

GLOOM SETTLES OVER THRONE

Means that General Shang Will Not
Renew Allegiance.

LATER NOTE MORE CHEERFUL

Yuan Says He May Arrange Terms
with General Li.

NEW CONSTITUTION DRAFTED

Chinese Scholars Work on Docu-
ment for Thirty Years.

CONVENTION MEETS IN SHANGHAI

Delegates on Way to Conference
Where Fundamental Laws of
the Republic Will Be
Adopted.

PEKING, Nov. 11.—The throne and government alternated between hope and despair today. This morning a telegram was received from Yuan Shi Kai in which he said he was unable to come to Peking and expressed a pessimistic view of the situation. A second message coming several hours later struck a more cheerful note.

The dispatches were directed to the foreign board and in the first Yuan Shi Kai said the "outlook is decidedly gloomy. I do not expect to be able to effect the desired pacification. Moreover my health is so feeble that I am unable to come to Peking and assume the post of premier."

Gloom settled deeper over the official family when this was read, for they had in mind yesterday's announcement of the Chinese that Yuan Shi Kai had been invited by General Li Yuan Heng, the leader of the revolutionists, to become president of the republic of China, pending the assembling of Parliament.

Last Prop Gone.
It seemed as though the last prop of the throne had given way, for the expectation that General Chang Shao-Tsen, who as the real commander of the Twentieth division of the imperial troops, holds the key to the situation in the north, might come to Peking and renew his allegiance to the government, rested on the assumption that he would meet in conference Yuan Shi Kai and Hui-Liang, former viceroy of Manchuria.

Yuan's second telegram, however, was a cheering surprise. It informed the foreign board that negotiations with General Li Yuan Heng had taken a turn for the better and that General Li had showed signs of becoming less freeloading and possibly would agree to a peaceful compromise in order to avert further bloodshed.

New Constitution Drafted.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 11.—Eighteen Chinese scholars, who have been engaged in the task for thirty years, have completed the Magna Charta of China. According to Ho Leo, president of the Young China society lodge here, it will be promulgated as the constitution of the United Republic of China, he said, just as soon as the fall of Peking is announced.

While republican in form, the government promised by the savants will be far in advance of that in vogue in the United States or elsewhere, Ho Leo declared today. Economics and the welfare of the proletariat were the chief concerns of the constitution makers.

Trusts will be prevented and rich must pay a scale of taxes prescribed by the government.



SNOW AND COLD
SEIZE WEST IN
THEIR ICY GRIP

Nebraska, Kansas, Dakotas, Wyoming and Colorado Are Swept
by Cold Wave and Gale.

ZERO WEATHER IN MANY PLACES

Thermometer Drops Rapidly and
High Winds Prevail.

DOWN CLOSE TO ZERO AT OMAHA

Mercury Drops Twenty-Four De-
grees in Twelve Hours.

LIGHT SNOW HERE, HEAVY WEST

Heavy Blanket of White in Western
Part of State

BITTER COLD IN BLACK HILLS

Many Places in Nebraska Have Tem-
peratures Below Zero and
Mercury Was Falling at
Last Reports.

With the mercury at 3 degrees above zero last night and still going down, there was a good promise today that would break records for frigidity for early November.

After several warm days the temperature began to drop Friday night. At 5 o'clock Saturday morning the thermometer stood at 23 and in twelve hours it had dropped twenty-four degrees. A light snow fell at intervals Saturday.

The "black flag," indicating a cold wave, is floating over the federal building for the first time this year.

Since late Friday night, the entire country from the Rocky mountains, east to the Mississippi river has been in the embrace of a cold wave and covered by a storm that in many localities, has assumed the form of blizzard. This report comes from the railroads centering in Omaha.

Along the line of the Union Pacific and its branches, from 100 miles or so west of Omaha, Nebraska is covered with snow ranging from three to five inches in depth. In many places the mercury Saturday morning touched 19 degrees below zero, a strong wind prevailing, drifting the light snow until in some localities it is piled to a depth of six and eight feet.

Heavy Snow in West.
On the Kansas and Colorado divisions of the Union Pacific all Friday snow continued to fall and was drifted along by a high wind. Through these sections the temperature ranged from 1 to 6 degrees below.

The Northwestern lines west of the Missouri river fought with snow and cold all the way into the Black Hills and out in Wyoming to Lander, the western terminal. At Deadwood, Friday morning a temperature of 10 degrees below zero was recorded and the ground was covered by six inches of snow. Conditions were practically the same from Rapid City, across to Pierre.

Covers Entire State.
From Omaha to Long Pine 18 above zero was the lowest temperature reported, with one to five inches of snow. West of Long Pine and out as far as Casper, the mercury ranged from 6 to 10 below. High winds prevailed and the four to eight inches of snow drifted badly.

On the Burlington lines, through the South Platte country, all Saturday, snow fell from Omaha to Denver. From Lincoln west conditions were decidedly blizzardy, with a temperature of zero to 10 above. On the line to the northwest and far up into Wyoming a regular old-fashioned blizzard started in Friday night and continued all Saturday. At Sheridan the temperature was 10 below. Similar conditions prevailed in the Big Horn country, though the wind was not so high as to the north and east.

Zero Weather Eastward.
Trains arriving this morning from the north and east brought reports of heavy snow and high winds throughout Iowa and Minnesota, the temperature being about the same as in eastern Nebraska and hovering around zero.

Coming to the above being so widespread, Saturday there was scarcely a train that arrived in Omaha on time. Stockmen coming from the range are of the opinion that unless the storm should continue for a couple of days there will be no loss of stock. Cattle and sheep are reported to be in fine condition and with the wind blowing the snow from the range they will not suffer for want of food.

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KAISER REBUKES
CROWN PRINCE

Emperor Takes Exception to Crown
Prince's Demonstration in
the Reichstag.

COLOGNE GAZETTE PRINTS STORY

Young Man's Approval of Bellicose
Criticism of Throne's Moroccan
Policy Rebuked by
Royal Father.

BERLIN, Nov. 11.—A public and semi-official rebuke has been administered to Crown Prince Frederick William through an inspired telegram from Berlin published in the Cologne Gazette today, and which fully confirms the report that Emperor William reprimanded his son for having openly demonstrated his approval of the attacks on the government's Moroccan policy and the bellicose utterances in the Reichstag Thursday.

For a similar instance of public censure for the crown prince one must go back to 1896, when Crown Prince Frederick was rebuked for criticisms of Chancellor Bismarck's policy in a speech made at Danzig.

Text of Dispatch.
The dispatch to the Cologne Gazette says:
"We believe it to be the right and duty of the heir to the throne to take an interest in politics. He cannot be reproached for forming his own opinion, even if it is not consonant with the imperial policy."

"We further do not desire that the crown prince be prevented from expressing his opinion in a fitting manner and place; not, however, in the way chosen in the Reichstag, the effect of which we consider extremely grave."

"It goes without question that the episode and the press comments thereupon were reported to the emperor, and the absence of the crown prince at Friday's sitting was due to the emperor, to whom Thursday's events and the considerations involved therein cannot be agreeable."

The crown prince will return to Danzig this evening.

Referred to Budget Committee.

BERLIN, Nov. 11.—At the close of the debate today the Reichstag referred the Morocco-Congo treaty with France to the budget committee to whom the government is asked to make further explanation. Resolutions demanding an extension of the Reichstag's rights regarding the conclusion of treaties were referred to the same committee.

Kansas Democrats
Declare for Clark
for President

DODGE CITY, Kan., Nov. 11.—Champ Clark, speaker of the national house of representatives, was endorsed for the nomination for president in 1912 by the democratic convention of the Seventy Kansas congressional district here this afternoon.

Mr. Clark, who was the principal speaker at the convention, was cheered lustily.

George Neely of Hutchinson was nominated to contrast to succeed the late E. H. Madison, republican.

Daughter of Dawson
Will Regain Health

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—The friends of "Tom" Dawson learn that his 11-year-old daughter, who several weeks ago while playing fell and sustained a fractured skull, is rapidly unwell, and it is hoped will soon be about again. The child was sent to Johns Hopkins University hospital, Baltimore, where a most delicate operation was performed by a specialist, with the result that after nearly three weeks in hospital the child is now on the road to complete recovery.

Fred Briggs Found
Guilty of Robbery

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 11.—Fred A. Briggs, former Minnesota politician and cigar salesman, was found guilty of highway robbery by a jury in the criminal court here today. Briggs, it was charged in the trial, was a companion of the late Jerry McCarthy, Minnesota-born outlaw and ex-convict, and of Peter Juhl, who recently shot and killed Detective Frazer of the St. Paul force.

EXPERT ON WITNESS STAND

Francis B. Courtney Says Sister of
Mrs. Larsen Wrote Letter.

CHIEF WITNESS IS INVOLVED

Declaration that Woman Who Testifies Against Sister Wrote Incriminating Letters to Herself.

NORTHWOOD, Ia., Nov. 11.—Francis B. Courtney, handwriting expert, testified today on the stand in the trial of Mrs. Etta Larsen, accused of attempting to poison her father, Douglas Rodenbaugh, that the ten threatening letters alleged to have been written by Mrs. Larsen, were not written by the defendant, but by her sister, Marion Rodenbaugh.

These letters, which formed the important feature of the prosecution's testimony, were addressed to Marion and contained threats of death if she told of the poison plot.

Courtney, as the first witness for the defense, caused surprise in the court room when he testified that the girl, who has been the principal witness against her sister, wrote the incriminating letters and addressed them to herself.

Courtney kept the stand most of the day, and was subjected to a merciless cross-examination by Prosecutor Marking, which, however, did not change his story.

Editor Tells New
Story to Lorimer
Inquiry Committee

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—Fred A. Sterling, editor of a newspaper at Rockford, Ill., who had testified that he heard that "high prices" were being paid for votes to secure the election of William Lorimer, was cross-examined today before the senatorial investigating committee. Mr. Sterling, counsel for Mr. Lorimer, sought to show that Sterling was opposed to Lorimer because of a desire to promote Governor Denson's prospects.

N. C. Dougherty
is Released from
Prison at Joliet

JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 11.—Newton C. Dougherty, former banker and superintendent of schools at Peoria, paroled by the state board of pardons yesterday, left the Joliet penitentiary today after six years of confinement.

BEATRICE BUILDMAKERS
WALK OUT FROM WORK

BEATRICE, Neb., Nov. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Five boilermakers employed here with the Union Pacific went on a strike today. Since the strike on the Harriman lines the company has been sending many old engines here to be repaired, and this is the cause given for the walkout.

MRS. WHITE PRESIDENT OF
DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 11.—Mrs. Alexander B. White of Paris, Tenn., today was elected president of the United Daughters of the Confederacy on the second ballot over Mrs. Livingston H. Schuyler of New York.

CENSURE PASSED
ON ALDRICH PLAN

Prof. Kemmerer of Cornell Says
Bankers Have Too Large
Part in It.

COMPLETELY DOMINATE SCHEME

Forty-One of the Forty-Five Direc-
tors of Central Association
Elected by Bankers and
Representatives.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—The method of choosing directors and the preponderance of banking representation in the proposed Aldrich currency plan were criticized today by Prof. E. W. Kemmerer of Cornell university in opening a session on currency and banking reform of the Western Economic society.

Prof. Kemmerer was the first of a dozen speakers scheduled to express themselves about the plan. Former Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, chairman of the National Monetary commission, will end the session.

Simultaneously with the open discussion here the National Monetary commission began a two days' session.

The public interest in the Aldrich plan arises from two sources, said Prof. Kemmerer. "First, the vital connection between the National Reserve association and the business interests of the country and, second, from the manner in which the association is controlled—by whom its governors are elected."

Too many Bankers.
"In the present formation, the National Reserve association is entirely in the hands of the banking fraternity. Directors of local associations will be chosen by bankers and doubtless will be bankers, and the same may be said of the branch associations."

"The central association is only slightly less in the control of the bankers, for the forty-five directors thirty-nine will be elected by bankers. The two deputy governors will be elected by directors and the selection of the governor by a list submitted by the board of directors completes the number under the control of bankers."

"The secretary of the treasury, committee on labor and the controller are the only members not chosen by bankers."

Would Have President Appoint.
"Would not a provision for entrusting to the president of the United States the appointment of all of a substantial part of the twelve non-banking directors insure a better qualified directorate for the performance of the association's important public functions?"

"The National Reserve association," I believe, "is the best plan that has yet been proposed for improving our banking system. I would rather have it adopted in its present form, trusting to the future for amendments, than not to have it adopted at all."

Subcommittee at Kansas City.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 11.—The subcommittee of the National Monetary commission arrived here this morning from Omaha and is today in conference with local bankers, business men and financiers. The principal subject of discussion is the proposed currency reform.

The committee is making a tour of the country with the object of ascertaining the prevailing opinion regarding the new plans.

Woman Horsewhips
Kansas Official

WICHITA, Kan., Nov. 11.—C. W. Trickett, assistant attorney general, who has been conducting a campaign against liquor sellers and disorderly houses in Wichita, was horsewhipped at his hotel today by Madeline Marie Storch, a fortune teller. She claimed her business had been interfered with by Mr. Trickett.

The woman struck Mr. Trickett across the face with a whip while he sat in the hotel lobby. A man who accompanied the woman tried to strike the assistant attorney general; other guests separated the men. The woman faintly after she struck Mr. Trickett. She went to the police station from the hotel, but no complaint had been made against her.

Boescher Paroled
From Penitentiary

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Nov. 11.—(Special.)—Herman Boescher, sentenced to the penitentiary on conviction of having killed a saloonkeeper named Jarnar at Norfolk, was paroled by the State Board of Pardons this afternoon.

John G. Yeiser of Omaha, member of the board, went exhaustively into the case, and it was on his written opinion that Boescher was released. Mr. Yeiser's idea was that there was reasonable doubt as to Boescher's guilt, as the evidence on which he was convicted was that of disputable characters, and there were extenuating circumstances.

General Strike of
Teamsters Likely
in New York City

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The most dreaded of all labor troubles, a general teamsters' strike, threatens New York unless the city speedily settles its differences with the several thousand laborers in the street cleaning department.

Body of Fred Schacht
Found in Canyon at Caspar

CASPER, Wyo., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—The dead body of Fred Schacht was found in Big Sheep canyon by a searching party today. Schacht fell over a cliff while chasing a rabbit over two weeks ago. His team, which he had left by the roadside with his dog, was found near the spot. The dog was almost starved to death, but the horses had browsed the brush and stunted grass and had eaten snow in lieu of water. The animals were in bad shape, however.

WASHINGTON PROUD OF RACE

Negro Educator Addresses State
Teachers at Des Moines.

HOWING CHANGED ATTITUDE

He Says There is Little Hope for a
Race Which is Content to Live
in Idleness, but Colored
People are Working.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 11.—Special Telegram.—The State Teachers' association closed its session today in a snowstorm, but with a program of rare merit, and nearly all the teachers remained to the end.

The feature of the closing session was an address by Booker T. Washington, an address by Booker T. Washington, and the great havoc was wrought and several lives lost. When are down, a central Illinois has been swept by a terrific wind all afternoon.

A later report placed the number of dead at three, they having been killed when the Methodist church, where many persons took refuge, was demolished.

BELOIT, Wis., Nov. 11.—Reports received here tonight are to the effect that a tornado has done much damage to villages along the line of the Northwestern road throughout Rock county. Hanover, Footville and Magnolia are said to have been hit hard.

King George and
Queen Mary Sail
to Attend Durbar

LONDON, Nov. 11.—King George and Queen Mary left London today for Portsmouth to board the new liner Medina, which will carry them to India for the imperial Durbar to be held in Delhi next month. Their majesties' departure was made with much ceremony.

The streets were lined with people, who gave the royal party an enthusiastic send-off.

PORTSMOUTH, England, Nov. 11.—The Medina, carrying King George and Queen Mary to India, left the harbor this afternoon to board the new liner Medina, which will carry them to India for the imperial Durbar to be held in Delhi next month. Their majesties' departure was made with much ceremony.

California Women
Object to Giving Age
When They Register

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—Woman suffrage is welcomed in California by many of the gentler sex, but telling of ages has caused considerable consternation. Assemblyman C. C. Young, in an address delivered recently, hinted that the publication of women's ages, as prescribed by law, might be a menace to suffrage.

When women register they must declare their ages. Declarations are published. So it is easy for gossiping neighbors to obtain the sworn figures. President Taft declared here recently that suffrage would be a failure unless all the women voted.

Iowa Cities Stirred
Over Many Robberies

WEBSTER CITY, Ia., Nov. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Webster City and community are fairly terrorized over a series of robberies. Last night the Richardson jewelry store, Schroeder drug store and Sheehan billiard parlors were entered. Only money drawers and cash registers were molested and not more than \$25 was secured.

Within the last few days, however, stores in Judd, Woolstock, Blairburg and Kamar have been looted. Business men are aroused and a vigorous campaign against midnight prowlers will be prosecuted. Evidence indicates that the gang are amateurs.

Record-Breaker in Black Hills

DEARWOOD, S. D., Nov. 11.—This was the coldest November day in the Black Hills since the white man took possession. In the southern end of this country 23 degrees below zero was recorded, while Lead showed 22 degrees and Deadwood 15 degrees. Traffic was somewhat delayed, but the homesteaders north of here suffered the most severely.

New Postmasters

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Fourth-class postmasters appointed:

Nebraska—Arnold, Clatsop county, Charles F. McGuire, vice E. Black, resigned; Lowell, Kearney county, Henry Burkhardt, vice O. Hutchinson, resigned.

South Dakota—Wellburg, Stanley county, Mrs. Hilda L. Kregan, vice F. H. Wells, Sr., resigned.

Tickets to American Theater.

Boxes of O'Brien's Candy.
Daldell's Ice Cream Bricks.
All are given away free to those who find their names in the want ads.

Read the want ads every day; your name will appear some time—maybe more than once.

No puzzles to solve nor subscriptions to get—just read the want ads.
Turn to the want ad pages—there you will find nearly every business house in the city represented.