

U. S. CHINESE PLAN IMPRESSES JAPAN

International Control, Said to Be American Idea, Discussed by Tokio Cabinet

PREPARE FOR CONFERENCE

By the Associated Press

Tokyo, Aug. 15.—Report from America that the United States may suggest control of China by an international commission are understood to have been considered at the meeting of the Japanese Cabinet yesterday.

Viscount Uchida, Foreign Minister, told members of the Cabinet, according to the Yomi-Uri Shimbun, that if such a suggestion was made, it was a matter of grave importance upon which Japan must carefully deliberate.

Japan is studying the advisability of proposing an international standing council for the guidance and development of China, says the Kokumin Shimbun. The work of the council would be based upon the idea of the Powers' abandonment of spheres of influence and all other measures, including extra-territoriality, which are inimical to China's complete sovereignty.

HIGHWAYMEN GET \$95,000

Peabody Coal Co. Robbed of Money to Meet Payroll

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15.—(By A. P.)—A. E. Traeger, auditor of the Peabody Coal Company, said last night that \$95,000 was secured in the payroll robbery at Kincaid Saturday.

BRITISH CONCESSION RECALLED

Santiago, Chile, Aug. 15.—The recent decree extending the term of the concession to a British railway transporting nitrate from the Province of Tarapaca was recalled by President Alessandri yesterday after a report by the Council of State that it would be necessary for Congress to approve the concession.

TROUSERS STOLEN; VICTIM MAROONED IN HIS OFFICE

Police Search for Thief, But Decline to Supply Pants

New York, Aug. 15.—A hatless mechanic was tinkering wearily at an automobile in front of a garage in West Forty-fifth street, between Broadway and Eighth avenue last night about 6 o'clock, when the window of an office in the building opposite was thrown open and the head of a man appeared.

"Hey!" he yelled, "have you got an extra pair of pants? I've been robbed. I haven't got a thing to wear but a bathrobe."

'KIDNAPPER SENDS LETTER

Woman Assures Mrs. Woodland Her Children Are Well

Cape May, N. J., Aug. 15.—Captain Walter Bennett, manager of Sunnyside Villa, from which little Margaret and Jack Woodland, children of Mrs. Robert Emmet Woodland, who are kidnaped early in July, said yesterday his wife received a letter bearing no postmark and saying that the Woodland children were well.

Scranton Man Cries Victim

Atlantic City, Aug. 15.—Believed to have been accidentally asphyxiated during the sleep by gas escaping from a small stove in his hotel in a hotel at Missonri and Arctic avenues, the body of David Howell, of 15th Crisp street, Scranton, Pa., was discovered Sunday morning. A verdict of accidental death was rendered by Lewis Souder, County Physician.

HELD AS SHORE SWINDLER

Spaniard Said to Admit Getting \$1000 at Atlantic City

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 15.—Atlantic City police, acting under orders of Mayor Edward L. Butler to look out for confidence men, arrested Charles William Cabrera, a man of Spanish birth, on the Boardwalk. He admitted, according to the police, that he was one of two men who swindled Milton Warren, an Atlantic City man, out of \$1000 while Warren was on a vacation at Niagara Falls a few weeks ago.

AUTOGYST HITS TWO WOMEN

Philadelphia Car Injures Pedestrians at Allentown

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 15.—Misses Alice Wall, sisters of the Allentown Hospital, are in a seriously injured condition as the result of being run over late Saturday night at a busy street corner, by an automobile driven by Victor Winterberger, of Philadelphia, who was coming back to her home.

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\$575.00 Chinese Imperial Blue, size 12.2x9.2	\$295.00	\$875.00 Kirman-Islamabad, size 12.3x9	\$450.00
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