

SHANTUNG CRISIS
STIRS CONFERENCE

Japanese and Chinese Delegates in Tangle Over Kiaochow Railroad

NAVAL AGREEMENT NEAR

By the Associated Press
Washington, Dec. 14.—The naval treaty and Shantung, now the two overshadowing issues of the Arms Conference, both were at a crucial stage today, but with varying prospects of immediate settlement.

There was every indication that the naval treaty discussions were proceeding favorably, and some of the delegates believed a final solution would be reached at the conference of the "Big Three" late today.

The Shantung negotiations, on the other hand, have developed a situation described in official circles as "very delicate," and the Japanese delegates have referred to the matter of the Kiaochow railroad, a point which has developed into an issue. It is hinted that the Chinese and Japanese plenipotentiaries may refer their differences directly to a "Big Four" composed of heads of the American, British, Japanese and Chinese delegations.

Japan's desire to retain her new battleship Mutsu is the issue about which center the naval discussions, with the Japanese apparently ready to accept the American "five-five-three" plan if permitted to keep the Mutsu and scrap instead an older vessel.

Would Balance Naval Concessions
Similar concessions for the British and American navies would be requisite in effect, and the Japanese demand all the technical details involved is one which requires considerable discussion.

In the Shantung negotiations, in the matter of the Kiaochow railway, China has made pledges of payment, which her delegates think ample to compensate the Japanese for improvements which have made on the road, but the Japanese delegates are unwilling to accept the offer, and consequently have called Tokyo for further instructions as to what form of security should be required.

A British spokesman pointed out today that Japan's suggestion for retention of the Mutsu would result in the Japanese having a fleet of the largest type, the Mutsu and the Negato. Then, said the spokesman, the British and Americans would have to make a commitment of the list if the five-five-three ratio was to be maintained. The British might have to build two more Hood's, and on the other hand the Japanese might have to scrap some additional ships of the same types, in order to maintain the ratio.

Japanese-Chinese Crisis
Failure of the Chinese and Japanese delegates to agree as to the Kiaochow railroad probably would bring some proposal from the British and American plenipotentiaries to help in the dispute out of the conference proper. British spokesman said today. If this proposal proved futile, he added, more than likely Messrs. Hughes, Balfour and Kato, and a Chinese representative would take a hand in a further attempt to effect a settlement satisfactory both to China and Japan.

The dispute is no doubt in Congress, but a Chinese representative in Japanese has reached a crisis in the discussions concerning the Chinese offer to purchase outright the railroad.

Discuss Spheres of Influence
The situation of foreign-leased territories in China and special spheres of influence were taken up again by the Far Eastern Committee, but no action was taken and only a brief session was held on this subject.

CHRISTMAS PLEA MADE FOR STARVING RUSSIANS
Federal Council of Churches Asks Money to Save Children
New York, Dec. 14.—In behalf of the starving children of Russia the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America will issue a Christmas and New Year's appeal to the churches, the Sunday schools and to the Christian homes of the United States. It will ask for money to help save 5,000,000 children from starvation. A generous response is expected.

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FAIRVIEW SALE NEARS END
\$3,400,000 Already Realized in Auction of U. S. Houses
It is expected that the public auction of the Government-owned village at Fairview will be concluded today with the sale of the remaining 175 houses, which will go under the hammer this afternoon.

WILLIAM PENN CHARTER SCHOOLBOYS TO GIVE COMEDY



The "Tailor-Made Man" will be given on Friday evening of this week in the hall room of the Bellevue-Stratford. It's the nineteenth annual entertainment of the Penn Charter Literary Society. In the cast are: Top row (left to right)—G. B. Taylor, Jr., J. W. Gage, H. W. Jones, K. R. Clark, W. N. Freeman, H. K. Partridge, W. H. Chandler, T. M. Farr, D. B. James, Jr., E. A. Farrington, Jr., Middle row—J. D. Jolly, A. P. Willcocks, M. H. Armstrong, H. L. Williams, G. E. Mann, A. N. Strong, T. E. Frame, Jr., F. K. Schanche, E. Pains, Jr., J. T. Rugb, Jr. Front row—F. S. Cooke, R. Richardson, Jr., E. W. Cose, E. S. Mills, Jr., R. G. Farrington, R. R. Campion, F. L. Tinker

TO ACT ON BONUS EARLY NEXT YEAR

House Committee to Tackle Issue Immediately After Christmas Recess

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Washington, Dec. 14.—The House Ways and Means Committee, now that the tariff and tax revision are off its hands for the present at least, will take up the soldier bonus question immediately after the Christmas recess.

BIG PROBLEM IS FINANCING

Chairman Fordney announced today that the committee's first order of business for the new year would be consideration of adjusted compensation legislation. Its primary concern, he added, would be to determine how funds with which to pay a bonus can be raised.

The House members, according to present indications, will be divided in its views as to how bonus payments should be financed. The opinion appears to be general, however, that such a bill must provide a means of raising the funds to be distributed. It is also contended by some that if a bonus is voted, it should in some way be linked up with settlements by foreign nations of the debts owed the United States.

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BOSTON'S POLITICAL UPSET

Curley's Election as Mayor Surprise to Forecasters

Boston, Dec. 14.—(By A. P.)—The election as mayor yesterday of James M. Curley who was defeated for reelection four years ago, was discussed today as one of the greatest political upsets in the city's history. Opposed by all Boston newspapers except one, and with only a minority of the 2,000,000 votes, Curley gained a plurality of 29,000 votes over John R. Murphy, the candidate of the Good Government Association.

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BELEIVE TWO MEN SLEW SHOPKEEPER

Entire Detective Force Turned Loose to Run Down Murderers of Mark Harris

VICTIM'S HEAD IS CRUSHED

The entire detective force has been ordered to seek the murderer or murderers who attacked Mark Harris, fifty-five years old, yesterday, in his furniture store at 712 East Passyunk avenue, and beat him to death in one of the most brutal assaults of recent months.

Police believe there are at least two men responsible for the crime. They believe that one entered the store and engaged Harris in conversation while the other beat him over the head with a chair, fracturing his skull and inflicting deep gashes in his body. Harris died without regaining consciousness, in the Pennsylvania Hospital.

Mrs. Minnie Harris, wife of the victim, is almost paralyzed at her home, 1822 North Thirty-third street. Nathan Harris, who was associated with his father in business, is aiding in the police investigation. Mrs. Harris arrived at the hospital just before her husband died.

On Mr. Harris did not smoke, the crump of a cigar found on one of the murderers. It is the only thing that the assailants left behind. The robbery was the motive of the crime, police say. The safe had been ransacked. Harris' watch was gone and only four cents was found in his pocket. Receipts for his store in his pockets, relatives say.

Victim Clutched Pad
Police found a pad clutched in the victim's hand, and written upon it was the last order that he had taken. It called for a dozen chairs to be sent to a house on Fifth and Chestnut streets. Police investigated and found that the name was fictitious, and that the chairs were not needed at the address. There was a pencil scribble on the pad, and a blood stain marked the lower half of the paper.

According to Isaac Dash, a life-long friend and neighbor of Harris, the furniture dealer was carrying large sums of money. Dash declared that Harris has been in the neighborhood of Fifth and Chestnut streets for twenty-five years. Until five years ago he lived above his store at 1822 North Thirty-third street.

H. C. Ludlum, a salesman for a bedding firm in South Philadelphia, was the first to discover Harris. Ludlum was about to enter the store at 2:30 o'clock when he noticed the body. He immediately notified the neighbors. Ludlum was questioned by the police last night, but was not detained.

One of Harris' van drivers was the last to leave the store yesterday afternoon. He told the police last night that he saw Harris' body on the floor of the store near 2:30 P. M. Harris is survived by his widow, son, Nathan, and two daughters, Mrs. Meyer Luber and Miss Hannah Harris.

NEW HOSPITAL BUILDING

Open Section Tomorrow for Prevention of Children's Diseases

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Balaconne, Eighteenth and Fitzwater streets, will open a new building tomorrow, which is devoted exclusively to the prevention of disease.

TELLS OF RADIUM'S POWER

Dr. Goodspeed Explains Atomic Force to Academy Audience
If it were possible to extract the total extra-atomic energy of the gram of radium presented to Madame Curie here it would be sufficient to transport her and her two daughters by automobile from Philadelphia to their home in Warsaw, according to Dr. Arthur Goodspeed, of the University of Pennsylvania, who delivered a scientific discourse on radio activity in the foyer of the Academy of Music yesterday afternoon.

SAYS MISSION RATES NOT RAISED

A number of men arrested Monday night for loitering on the streets told Magistrate O'Brien the next day that they were unable to get lodgings because of the "mission" rates. He said that rates for a dormitory had been raised from fifteen to twenty-five cents. This was denied today by W. B. Baldy, superintendent of the mission. He said that rates of a dormitory bed had not been raised in the last eighteen months. At that time he said the rates were raised from twenty to twenty-five cents.

HOTEL RECEIVERS NAMED

Judge Patterson today appointed Bishop W. H. Heard, Edward W. Henry and Henry Nutter receivers to conduct the business of the Hotel, Broad and Catharine streets, as a going concern. The hotel, patronized by Negroes, has 104 rooms, and, according to the petitioners, was a prosperous business if efficiently conducted.

STOP WORK WHEN WAGE DROPS

Chester, Pa., Dec. 14.—Between fifty and seventy-five workmen were missing from the ranks of the Holden Locomotive Works yesterday, following a wage reduction of \$1.00 a day.

Slain in Store

LAST WORDS ISSUE IN HUMANN TRIAL

Girl Accused of Luring Man to Spot Where Another Shot Him

HIS FIANCEE IN COURT



MARK HARRIS whose head was crushed by assailants in his furniture store at 712 East Passyunk avenue

BLUECOAT SLAYER IS AGAIN ACCUSED

Patrolman Wm. Drennan, Convicted of Killing 'Patsy Joyce,' Up on Civil Suit

CAN'T PAY \$300 JUDGMENT

Patrolman William Drennan, who was convicted of voluntary manslaughter yesterday for killing "Patsy" Joyce, today tried to escape the consequences of another case in which a civil jury decided he had been the aggressor. Drennan, in civilian outfit, appeared before Judge McMichael in Common Pleas Court No. 3 and asked to be relieved from paying a \$300 judgment against him for assaulting another bluecoat.

His petition to the court the convicted man said he is without means to pay the judgment. He asked to be discharged under the insolvency act.

Drennan furnished \$200 bail following his conviction yesterday. His counsel has moved for a new trial. Joyce, who was twenty-three years old and lived at 2810 10th street, was shot and killed by Drennan at 7:30 o'clock on the night of October 29 and 30. Both called were women.

Dr. Pondola, interne at Mary Immaculate Hospital, was asked to testify to the state of Joyce's mind at the time she was shot. On cross-examination he testified he had not heard Garbe asked whether he knew he was going to die. Detective O'Connell testified the statements had been secured piecemeal, because Garbe, who was very weak, lapsed at times into "apparent unconsciousness." On redirect examination he said he meant by that that from time to time Garbe's mind was too weak from exhaustion to talk, but he had the full use of his senses.

CALL MILITIA TO PROTECT MINES FROM WOMEN MOBS

Relatives of Howat Strikers Prove Tarrants to Kansas Authorities
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