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THE MALACCA INCIDENT

is Settled In Accordance With Demand of Great Britain.

Vladivostok Fleet Sinks Neutral Steamer and Captures Two—Butchers' Strike Renewed—River Boat Afire—President Roosevelt to Be Notified Wednesday.

The steamer Malacca is at Suda bay, island of Crete, where under the agreement between Great Britain and Russia, she will be perfunctorily inspected jointly by the consuls of the two countries and released, together with her cargo, unless palpable contraband of war intended for the Japanese shall be found, in which case only the contraband will be held. The British government stores on board the vessel will not be examined. Orders have been sent to the volunteer fleet steamers St. Petersburg and Zolenski to refrain from interference with foreign shipping.

It is expected these steamers will eventually join the Baltic fleet and be replaced by ordinary warships. London papers express satisfaction that the Malacca incident has been settled in accordance with the demands of Great Britain, though there is an inclination to await the settlement of the broader question of the passage through the Dardanelles of the volunteer fleet steamers before believing that all danger has been averted.

Work of Vladivostok Fleet. The Vladivostok squadron sunk the British steamer Knight Commander from New York off the province of Izu, after transferring the crew of the Knight Commander to the steamer Tselan, which took passengers and crew to Yokohama.

The Vladivostok squadron also captured a German vessel believed to be the Arabia, with 39,000 tons of flour, and an unknown British steamer. The two vessels were sent to Vladivostok in charge of prize crews. The American Trading company are the agents for the Knight Commander.

Fighting Near New Chwang. A report from New Chwang states that Sunday's battle was at Ta Hsu Tong, six miles distant, and that the Japanese were successful.

In the engagement of Saturday the Russian losses are reported to have been 700. The Japanese are slowly nearing New Chwang. Great excitement prevailed in that city during the two days' fight.

Many Chinese refugees arriving at New Chwang have reported that nine Japanese gunboats from Port Arthur have arrived at Tah Ting Shan.

Kuroki Takes Kiao Tung. General Kuroki, after a severe fight, captured Kiao Tung on July 19. The place had been fortified by the Russians who defended it stoutly.

In the fighting General Kuroki's troops drove the Russians from their strongly fortified position on the Chi river which is northwest of Motien pass and east of Anping, inflicting upon the enemy more serious losses than they sustained themselves. The fight began on the 18th and continued on the 19th. The Japanese lost 424 men in killed and wounded. The Russian losses are estimated at 1,000.

Democratic Leaders in Council. Leaders of the Democratic party conferred Monday night in the rooms of former Senator D. B. Hill at the Hoffman House and at the close made public a statement to the effect that the chairmanship of the national committee had not been discussed.

Privately, it was said the judgment of all present was that the interests of the party would be best conserved by leaving the committee absolutely free to elect its chairman. Judge Parker was said to favor this course.

The meeting gave a number of those present the first opportunity of congratulating Mr. Davis, who has had since his nomination at St. Louis and the reception accorded him was hearty.

It is expected many prominent Democrats will go to Espous this week in an effort to enlist the aid of Judge Parker to the support of various aspirants for the national chairmanship. That any one will be successful in this is asserted to be very doubtful.

Good Fall Trade Looked For. Good progress by most crops strengthens belief in favorable fall trade following the present season of comparative quiet and inactivity.

While damage to winter wheat, both in quality and yield, is now freely admitted, spring wheat, corn and cotton have had neither favorable week, and the third week of July has been reached without any real crop scare arising.

Among the industries quietness and even dullness is still the feature, but rather more is doing in the leather trade, forecasting later developments in the shoe business, and the steadily continued, with a resulting firmer tone to pig iron prices.

Business failures for the week ending July 21 number 159, against 181 in the like week in 1903.

Strike Ended and Renewed. The strike of packing house employees, which has demoralized the packing industry throughout the country, was settled at Chicago on Wednesday night at a conference between representatives of the packers, the

officials of the Meat Cutters' union and representatives of all the allied trades employed at the stockyards.

The whole controversy will be submitted to a board of arbitration, both sides agreeing to abide by whatever decision this board may reach.

Pending the decision of the arbitration board, the men will be taken back to work as rapidly as possible by the packers, and it is agreed by the packers that all the old employees are to be reinstated within 45 days from the date work is resumed.

The stockyards strike was renewed Friday in Chicago and all the other points where the big packing companies have branches, because the strikers were dissatisfied with the manner in which the employers proposed to reinstate their former employees pending a settlement by arbitration.

According to estimates 8,350 men were directly affected in Chicago by the second strike.

Determined on a fight to enforce the demands of the striking butchers, a sympathetic strike of all the union workmen employed in the meat packing industry throughout the country, with the exception of the teamsters was declared Monday morning.

Settlement of the strike may be insisted upon by Mayor Harrison, if developments show that the public interest absolutely demands it. In the meantime arbitration through the good offices of the mayor is a remedy open to the opposing sides on request from either. Such was the position outlined by the mayor, who was called back to Chicago from Marquette, Mich., on account of the renewal of the strike. Mr. Harrison deplored the continuation of the strike, but said that just at present he did not see his way clear toward doing anything of his own volition toward the adjustment of the trouble.

St. Lawrence River Boat Afire. The steam yacht Custant of the Visger line, returning from Kingston to Clayton Friday afternoon with a load of 150 excursionists, caught fire in midstream.

The captain, Barnes Nunn, turned his boat on its course, headed it for the shore followed by the steam yacht Nokomis, belonging to W. H. Nichols of New York, which was a mile away when the blaze burst out.

The burning boat was beached on Cedar island and in a moment the Nokomis was run behind her. The transfer of passengers was quickly made without the loss of a life and the united efforts of both crews extinguished the blaze.

\$10,000 a Front Foot. In order to keep out speculators and hotel builders William K. Vanderbilt bought the ground on the opposite corner from his Fifth avenue mansion last week. The price paid was \$850,000, the highest ever paid for Fifth avenue land. The property includes three old dwellings on Fifth avenue and a four-story dwelling on Fifty-third street. At the rate paid the Fifth avenue frontage brings over \$10,000 a front foot.

Official Notification Wednesday. The arrangements have been completed for the official notification of Theodore Roosevelt of his nomination for the presidency by the Republican party. The ceremony will take place on Wednesday next the 27th inst., at 12:30 p. m. Following custom, the notification will be at Mr. Roosevelt's house, Sagamore Hill three miles from Oyster Bay.

Folk Nominated For Governor. The Missouri Democratic state convention at Jefferson City, nominated the following ticket: Governor, Joseph W. Folk; lieutenant governor, Thos. L. Rubey; secretary of state, Samuel B. Cook; auditor of state, Albert O. Allen; treasurer of state, Judge James Cowgill; attorney general, Elliot W. Major; railroad and warehouse commissioner, H. Rubey Oglesby.

Mrs. Maybrick at Liberty. Mrs. Maybrick has been freed conditionally. She is on ticket-of-leave, but to all intents she is as free as any other person; can go where she will and will not have to make a report to the British authorities, as once Mrs. Maybrick is abroad she will be outside British jurisdiction. She will make her future home in France.

Army's Meat Supply. The commissary department of the army, at Washington, does not anticipate any trouble in procuring supplies on account of the butchers' strike. A large amount of meat, especially bacon, already had been supplied to the army and the only difficulty might be the filling of orders for canned meats in the Philippines.

Change in Transvaal Government. During discussion of South African affairs in the commons Colonial Secretary Lyttelton stated that the government intended next year to give the Transvaal representative institutions by substituting elected for nominated members of the legislative council.

Judge Parker Did Not Accept. Judge Parker did not accept nor decline an invitation given him Sunday to speak at a Democratic ratification meeting to be held in Chicago on Aug. 20, when William J. Bryan will be one of the speakers.

Amount of Stocum Relief Fund. A statement given out by Jacob H. Schiff, treasurer of the General Slocum relief fund, shows that \$122,625 has been contributed to the fund to date.

SANK A 'NEUTRAL VESSEL

Story of Sinking of British Ship Near Japan.

Besides Sinking the Knight Commander and Halting the Tselan the Vladivostok Fleet Sank Two Japanese Vessels and Captured German Vessel Arabia and British Ship Cheltenham

Yokohama, July 26.—Captain Brown of the steamer Tselan, which brought the crew of the steamer Knight Commander into port, says that the Knight Commander met three Russian warships at 7:30 o'clock Saturday morning off the province of Izu.

The Russian officers who boarded the Knight Commander took her captain back with them and ordered the crew of the Knight Commander to come on board one of the Russian warships within 10 minutes. The Russians then sank the Knight Commander.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Russian vessels met the Tselan and transferred the crew of the Knight Commander to this vessel. An Indian boatswain of the Knight Commander says the Russians boasted that they sides sinking the Knight Commander and halting the Tselan, they had sunk two small Japanese vessels and that before meeting the Knight Commander they had captured a German steamer, believed to be the Arabia, belonging to the Hamburg-American line, and the Cheltenham, a British vessel.

The Russians said they had plenty of coal. Before leaving the Tselan, Captain Brown was ordered to blow off steam and not to move his vessel until the Russians had disappeared over the horizon. When last seen at 7 o'clock in the evening the Russian warships were steaming in a southerly direction toward the mouth of Tokyo bay.

The American Trading company, agents at Yokohama for the Knight Commander, deny that the vessel had any contraband on board, according to her manifest.

Three Russian warships which sank the Knight Commander are reported by Captain Brown to be crowded with men. Their bottoms are foul and they look grim and ugly. The Russian vessels are thought to be short of prize crews. The Tselan brought in a number of passengers, including women and children from Australia.

Americans are anxious concerning the possible fate of the Korea, belonging to the Pacific Mail Steamship company and the American steamer Shawmut which left Puget Sound on July 16 for Hong Kong. It is not known whether either of these steamers carries contraband.

Also Shooting Towers on Twelve-Foot Stockade at Joseph Leiter's Town. Carbondale, Ill., July 27.—More than 1,000 non-union men have been turned back from Zeigler, the town owned by Joseph Leiter. A large party that had been shipped to Brush were brought to this city and later sent to St. Louis by the miners' union. Italian workmen cannot be induced to enter the place, owing to the stand made by their leaders against going there.

Guards patrol every approach to the city. A searchlight is being installed on the mine tippie 160 feet high, which will cover the entire 12 square miles of land owned by Leiter. The United States postoffice and the Illinois Central railroad station have been moved outside the dead line.

A stockade 12 feet high, constructed of two-inch plank, with shooting towers, or guard places, will be added to the stockade. Absolute quiet reigns at Zeigler, and no trouble is expected until Leiter has completed the stockade.

MANSON GAVE HIMSELF UP. Pursued by Posse For Two Days After Killing His Father-in-Law. Syracuse, July 26.—Fred Mason, the farm hand who shot and killed his father-in-law, David Wilson, at the latter's house near Amber Sunday, surrendered to the sheriff last evening.

He was brought to Syracuse and locked in the court house cells. Several deputies and farmers hunted Sunday night and yesterday for Mason, but got no track of him until late in the afternoon, when a farmer living a few miles from Amber rode to that village and told the officers that the murderer had come to his place and offered to give himself up.

A couple of deputies drove to the farm and got the man who readily surrendered. His case will be presented to the next grand jury.

Heat Proves Fatal to Priest. Chicago, July 26.—Rev. Thomas Rowe, a Roman Catholic priest living at Lyons, Ia., died at the Alxian Brothers' hospital as a result of heat prostration which he suffered last Friday. He was returning from a visit in St. Louis, and while waiting for a train to his Iowa home took a walk to the north side. He was overcome at Illinois and Clark streets. The body was forwarded to Iowa for burial.

Hooker Hearing Continued. Rochester, July 26.—Some evidence was submitted in the Hooker matter yesterday afternoon and the summing up commenced. The date of the next session has not yet been fixed.

on the hills south of Taktchokiao and by a tremendous fire forced the Russians to retreat.

"The Japanese firing line extended 15 miles.

"After two more hours of an incessant storm of shot and shell they swept the last hill and the plain clear of Russians."

To Consider Knight Commander Case. London, July 26.—The British Cabinet will meet again today to consider the case of the steamer Knight Commander and the general situation arising from the action of the Russian war ships.

The report of the captain of the Malacca was presented at the foreign office yesterday and the demand of the Peninsular and Oriental steamship company for compensation will probably be considered.

The London newspapers this morning consider that Premier Balfour's statement in the House of Commons yesterday proves that the situation is still exceedingly grave and they insist the government shall act promptly in demanding an explanation of the Knight Commander incident.

NEW YORK TO ST. LOUIS RUN.

Seventeen Motor Cars of the Automobile Club Arrived at Poughkeepsie. Poughkeepsie, July 26.—Seventeen motor cars of the Automobile Club of America arrived here on the run from New York to St. Louis, Poughkeepsie being the end of the first day's run. Those who reached here and will continue the run are: Carl Paige with W. H. Newton and M. R. Green; August Post, chairman of the tour's committee, with John Gerrie and J. R. Thompson; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gillette; Ray D. Lillibridge with Miss Lillibridge and W. E. Sonnonstine; Webb Jay with S. Edensner; Percy Magale with R. G. Megarley; William B. Huribert with J. C. Wetmore and John Speck; S. C. Easlestin with G. L. Bradley; F. Ed Spooner with Dwight Huff; A. L. Pope with A. W. Pope and George Soules; A. J. Seaton with J. W. Seaton; A. D. McLauchlin with A. C. Miller and G. H. Bowler; C. W. Burchard with George H. Kauffman; B. C. Swinehart with L. S. Yale; R. P. and C. S. Scott with R. P. Wanson and George Behrens.

The journey will be resumed to Albany, where the New York tourists will be joined by the division from Boston.

F. A. LaRoche, who is trying to break the continuous run record to St. Louis and return, passed through Poughkeepsie at 3:15. At Utica he expects to be relieved by Lieutenant A. LaBlance, U. S. A., who will drive the car to Buffalo while LaRoche goes on by train. The latter expects to reach St. Louis on Thursday and start back immediately.

SEARCHLIGHT FOR STRIKERS.

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AMERICAN ARMY SUPPLIES.

On Board British Ship Ardoeva Seized in the Red Sea. Washington, July 26.—A fact developed which might have led to serious complications had it not been announced earlier in the day that the Russian government had given orders for the release at Suez of the British ship Ardoeva, which had on board a large quantity of supplies being shipped by the war department to the Philippine government. Including about 250 tons of powder and much other material that would fall within the Russian definition of contraband.

The stores were being shipped through the house of George W. Pea body of New York and the Orient, who have telegraphed the war department that the Philippine stores were aboard the Ardoeva and asked the department to exert itself to secure their release.

The application was taken at once by Acting Secretary Oliver to the state department, but in view of the subsequent release of the Ardoeva it is improbable that any action will be taken by the department.

The case of the Knight Commander is regarded here as complicated and difficult of treatment, although a more complete statement of facts is expected to simplify the problem. It is apprehended that if the contention of the shipper's agents that the cargo contained no contraband is correct the general doctrine of "neutral flag covers" has been violated by the destruction of the ship and cargo.

FOURTEEN HOURS' BATTLE.

Russians Compelled to Retreat Towards Haicheng. London, July 26.—Cabling under date of July 24 the Daily Mail's New Chwang correspondent describes a 14 hours' desperate battle with heavy losses on both sides and which resulted in the Russian position at Tatche kia being rendered untenable by reason of which the Russians will be compelled to retreat towards Hai cheng.

"The battle began at 6 o'clock in the morning," the correspondent says "the Russians resumed the attack on the Japanese position on the heights east of Tatchekiao.

"After a few hours the Japanese left flank from Taping mountain captured the village of Tanghulituen, compelling the Russians to retreat to Tien ghuatuen, six miles from their base.

"The Russians, now reinforced, maintained the position until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, when the Japanese right flank made a sudden appearance

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Pointed Paragraphs Chronicling the Week's Doings.

Long Dispatches From Various Parts of the World Shorn of Their Padding and Only Facts Given in as Few Words as Possible For the Benefit of the Hurried Reader.

Wednesday. Pope Pius X, it is stated, regards the dissolution of the French concordat as absolutely certain.

The German government entered a protest against the seizure of mails from the Prinz Heinrich in the Red sea.

In a desperate encounter at Mo Tien pass the Russians attacking the Japanese position were repulsed with a loss of 1,000 killed and wounded.

According to the Chicago Bulletin, the world's wheat crop for 1904 is 140,000,000 to 150,000,000 bushels less than last year. An increase in Asia will offset the decrease in the United States. The decrease is chiefly in Europe and mainly in Russia, Roumania, Austria, Hungary and Italy.

Thursday. Report on immigration, made public in Washington, discloses the fact that nearly 45,000 aliens are in prisons, asylums and poorhouses in the United States.

Mr. Loomis, Assistant Secretary of State, declared that he had determined to sift to the bottom the mystery of the death of his brother, F. Kent Loomis.

Sir Charles Hardinge, British ambassador in Russia, has presented a strong protest to Russia against the seizure in the Red Sea of the Peninsular and Oriental steamer Malacca.

Japanese are said to have broken through the Russian left flank between generals Keller and Rennenkampf and to be marching on Mukden.

Friday. Republicans all over the state expressed satisfaction at the prospect that Elihu Root would head the state ticket.

Mr. Chamberlain's special commission on the British steel and iron industry advocates three tariffs to prevent dumping.

Textile unions of Fall River, Mass., having a membership of 25,000, voted to begin a strike on Monday against the wage reduction.

England's protest to Russia on the seizure of the Malacca has been well received by Great Britain, which insists that the captive ship shall be surrendered.

Fifty thousand butcher workmen who quit work July 12 in several cities went back to work, a board of arbitration having been agreed upon to settle wages and conditions.

Saturday. The armored cruiser South Dakota was launched at San Francisco.

The British embassy at St. Petersburg has been officially notified that the steamer Malacca has been released.

Mr. Bryan made suggestions for a Democratic policy and announced his intention to reorganize the "progressive and radical" element within the party.

It was unanimously decided by the Manufacturers' association in Fall River to open the textile mills on Monday, despite the projected strike of the workers.

The packing house strike was ordered renewed in Chicago and all other cities involved. Violation of agreement by the packing house proprietors is assigned as the reason.

Monday. Judge Parker will be visited by the Democratic notification committee on Aug. 10.

The Vladivostok cruisers are sighted 80 miles off Japan, evidently seeking merchant steamers.

Yale and Harvard defeated Oxford and Cambridge in the renewal of the international athletic games in London by six firsts to three.

Kuropatkin reports that his forces were defeated in two engagements with the Japanese on the Mukden road. The rains have checked operations in the southern district.

Butchers' strike renewed. Peace conference fails and the stockyards' unions send an ultimatum to the packers, threatening a sympathetic strike Monday unless all the union men are reinstated within 10 days.

Tuesday. The strike of 30,000 cotton mill operatives at Fall River against a 12 1/2 per cent reduction became effective Monday morning.

Minister Conger at Pekin has cabled the state department that he has been informed that the Russians are evacuating New Chwang.

It was announced from St. Petersburg that the British steamer Malacca would be released at Algiers and restored to her owners.

DAVIS DECIDES POINT.

Democratic Vice Presidential Candidate Will Be Notified at White Sulphur Springs.

Bedford Springs, Pa., July 25.—After breakfasting and looking over his mail, former Senator Davis had a quiet talk with Colonel Guffey, but neither would state whether politics was the subject of the conversation.

Later, Colonel Guffey received a delegation of prominent Democrats from Bedford.

Senator Davis decided that his notification will be held at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., either the first or second week of August. Since it is known that the notification meeting would be held in West Virginia the senator has been deluged with telegrams and letters from towns all over the state, the city of Wheeling bringing all the pressure possible to have the notification meeting held there, but after mature deliberation, Senator Davis decided to have it held at White Sulphur Springs.

Colonel Guffey, on being asked whether any of the leaders would accompany him to Bedford Springs to see Senator Davis after the conference in New York, replied that they would not. One of Senator Davis' closest friends said that the senator would stump his native state during the campaign, with other speakers of national prominence.

Despite the threatening weather, the senator took a horseback ride before dinner, passing through the historic town of Bedford, nodding here and there to friends whom he recognized. Senator Davis will leave here next Thursday and will go direct to his home at Elkins, W. Va.

CANCER HOSPITAL.

Philadelphia Will Have a New Institution For Treatment of Malignant Growths.

Philadelphia, July 25.—This city is to have a hospital devoted exclusively to the treatment and study of tumors and cancerous growths. At present there are only two institutions in the city—the almshouse and the Home for the incurables—where persons suffering from cancer are admitted. Inasmuch as the disease has doubled in 40 years, the demand for a special hospital for the treatment of it has become great.

The promoters of the plan are: George H. Earle, Jr.; George H. Stuart, Jr.; the Rev. Dr. Floyd W. Tompkins, Frank L. Patterson, Dr. Boardman Reed, Richard Cadbury, Dr. G. Bolton Mas