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JAPAN WILL INSIST
Tokyo Expects Solution Without Yielding Treaty Rights.

NO RESORT TO ARMS NECESSARY.

Mikado and His Adviser Will Not Sacrifice Honor or Prestige of Their Kingdom—Conference to Discuss School Question.

TOKYO, Feb. 4.—After a careful survey of public feeling here regarding the prospect of a satisfactory solution of the San Francisco school controversy it may be stated that while the approach of the termination of the disagreeable affair is welcomed, yet the report from Washington that a solution may be effected by a mutual treaty excluding the immigration of laborers is generally disbelieved as unreasonable.

According to the prevailing feeling, a solution must be effected on Japan's treaty rights pure and simple.

However, confidence continues that a solution of the question will be reached without the least sacrifice of Japanese honor and prestige or that a resort to arms will be at all necessary.

Baron Kaneko, a member of the Japanese house of peers and a special ambassador recently detailed by the imperial government to visit America and study political and economic conditions there, has just been interviewed on the San Francisco school question. In the course of the interview he said:

"From the outset I knew it to be a local question, unindorsed by American public opinion, and I have been speaking of it to my friends in that light. This is more than confirmed by President Roosevelt's message, which I consider the greatest utterance since the farewell message of President Washington. It is unprecedented in the way it so strongly advocates a foreign cause. No stronger or abler advocate could be found for Japan. Had the same school question arisen elsewhere a crisis would have occurred and lend defiance have been uttered the length and breadth of the Japanese empire.

"As a sincere friend of America, I could not help but regret that San Francisco officials should have chosen innocent children for effecting their political ends.

"All my friends who have recently returned from abroad, making comparative observation of educational systems in civilized countries, concur in giving the first rank to the American system. The fact that such an excellent fruit of civilization has been refused to the children of a friendly power, and that, too, in a country acknowledged as the practical exponent of humanitarianism, only tends to alienate it from the sympathies of the civilized world. Before this injustice Japan rests peaceful and quiet. Not a single soul has ever thought that the San Francisco affair would endanger the friendship of both nations. The affair, disagreeable and regrettable as it is, has served the unique purpose of demonstrating to the world how deep rooted is the friendship between Japan and America."

A conference between President Roosevelt, Secretary Root and the San Francisco board of education, which Mayor Schmitz will attend, is expected to be held in Washington on Friday or Saturday to discuss the Japanese school question. It is understood that the president will endeavor to induce the board of education to rescind its action excluding the Japanese children from the schools.

Farewell Banquet For Bryce.
LONDON, Feb. 4.—James Bryce, British ambassador to the United States, is to be tendered a dinner by the Pilgrims of London at the Savoy on Feb. 6. Several cabinet ministers have accepted invitations, and many other notable persons will be present. The American ambassador, Whitehall Reid, probably will propose the health of Mr. Bryce, and the speeches of the two ambassadors are expected to sound the keynote of the friendly relations existing between their respective countries.

Pittsburg Gets Park After Long Wait.
PITTSBURG, Feb. 4.—Secretary of War Taft has made an order leasing the upper portion of the United States arsenal grounds to this city for park purposes. For over thirty years efforts have been made to secure the ground for a park. A few days ago Congressman James F. Burke, a member of the military committee of the house, unearthed an old law covering the case, and for the rental of \$5 a year the property is turned over to the city by the government.

Pioneer Dead at Kearney.
KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 4.—Moses H. Sydenham, a pioneer, died suddenly here, aged eighty years. Mr. Sydenham fought in the Indian wars with the Sioux and Cheyennes and later assisted in the establishment of the state government. He published the Kearney Herald, the first newspaper issued on the then "Great American desert."

Two Women Burned in Tenement.
CINCINNATI, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Johnnan Wolf and Mrs. Mary McIlvaine were burned to death during the night in a fire that destroyed the Marcellus tenement house. Several other persons were slightly injured. All of the other forty families in the building escaped without injury. The loss is \$10,000.

Porelains Works Burned.
TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 4.—The Imperial Porelains works of this city were completely destroyed by fire. It is supposed to have originated from one of the kilns. The loss is estimated at \$100,000 and fully insured.

To Learn German War Methods.
SHANGHAI, Feb. 4.—The new Chinese ambassador to Berlin, Yang Teheng, has recommended that the Chinese government send a large number of officers to Germany to study the German arsenal system.

JUMPED TO HIS DEATH.

H. P. Frothingham, Delirious From Nervous Breakdown, a Suicide.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Howard P. Frothingham, who while delirious from a nervous breakdown jumped from the second story of his home in Seventy-seventh street, died just before midnight.

Nervous strain, due to recent reverses in Wall street, is believed to have caused the despondency which resulted in the deed. Mr. Frothingham was one of the best known men in the financial district.

He had passed his forty-fifth birthday and was a native of New York city. He was probably the biggest and best known loan banker in the country, lending more "call" money annually than any other man or firm. He handled money for nearly all the largest financial institutions, and his acquaintance in that line was almost universal. He had a summer home at Deal Beach, N. J.

Recently his physician persuaded him to take a rest, and Mr. Frothingham went to Atlantic City, where he stopped a few days. Returning to his home here, he was ordered to bed and nurses stationed in constant attendance. When one of the nurses opened a window in the sickroom Mr. Frothingham sprang from his bed and, thrusting aside one of the nurses who had seized him, jumped from the window. He fell to the area, alighting on the back of his head, receiving a compound fracture at the base of the skull.

MURDER AT WASHINGTON.
Body of Miss Frances Martin Found in Forest Building.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Feb. 4.—The body of Miss Frances Martin, eighteen years old, was found in a room in the Forest building in North Main street here at an early hour. Whether she was murdered has not yet been determined.

A young man named John Innes, with whom Miss Martin attended the Lyric theater the night previous, had been arrested and is being held to await the action of the coroner.

The body was discovered by John V. Cook, stage manager of the Lyric theater, which is across an alley from the Forest building, in which Cook lives. There are indications that the girl died late at night in the Lyric theater building and that her body was then taken across a little bridge which connects the theater and Forest building.

Cook and his wife say they cannot account for the presence of the body in their room. They did not know Miss Martin nor had they ever seen her before.

A postmortem examination was held by Dr. Shannon, but he refused to make a statement. There were no marks on the body indicating violence. Coroner W. H. Sipe and District Attorney Underwood, who investigated the case, say it is a mystery. Miss Martin formerly lived at Indiana, and it is said her mother and sister still live there.

Coal Mine For Want of Cars.
KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 4.—The coal industry of east Tennessee and southeastern Kentucky has been paralyzed the past week on account of a coal car famine which has prevailed on both the Southern and Louisville and Nashville railroads, the only two lines penetrating the districts. Only one day, Monday, were any cars wharfed given the mine operators, and as a result they have been unable to even partially supply the large district in the southeastern states, which relies on this section for its coal.

Hotel Man a Suicide.
NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—G. Sinclair Moulton, a well known hotel man, committed suicide by shooting in the Grand Union hotel some time between noon Saturday and noon Sunday. At the time of his death he was president of the Park Gate Hotel company, owner of the Manhattan Square hotel on West Seventy-seventh street. He had been suffering severely from stomach trouble for some time, and it is believed that his illness was the only cause for the deed.

Standard's Chief Counsel Buried.
FRANKLIN, Pa., Feb. 4.—The funeral of the late Samuel C. T. Dodd, for twenty-five years chief counsel for the Standard Oil company, was held here in the First Presbyterian church. Several of the high officials sent floral tributes. Among the offerings were clusters of roses from Henry H. Rogers and Illias from John D. Rockefeller. A set piece of roses accompanied by a card inscribed "From a Friend, 28 Broadway," is said to have come from John D. Rockefeller.

Kingston to Borrow \$5,000,000.
KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 4.—The reconstruction committee appointed by the Most Rev. Dr. Nuttall, lord archbishop of the West Indies, to carry out proposals for the rebuilding of the city met here and passed a resolution to ask the imperial government to advance a loan of \$5,000,000 at a low rate of interest to be repaid in twenty years.

Steamer Warren Aground.
NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 4.—The steamer General Warren of the Enterprise Transportation company, which ran aground early yesterday on "The Dumpings," off Connetquot island, in Narragansett bay, while on the way from Fall River to New York, remains hard and fast on the rocks despite the efforts to release her.

Ex-Governor Higgins Improving.
OLEAN, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Former Governor Frank W. Higgins passed a good night, and Dr. Hibbard said that the patient is slightly better. Dr. Schott left, saying the symptoms are slightly improved.

Crown Princess Ill.
KARLSRUHE, Feb. 4.—Crown Princess Victoria of Sweden is ill here with influenza. Her temperature is high.

Tobacco Plant Destroyed.
CINCINNATI, Feb. 4.—The Day and Night Tobacco company's plant here has been destroyed by fire; loss, \$95,000.

DRYDEN WITHDRAWS
New Jersey Senator Warned by Physicians.

STRAIN ENDANGERS HIS HEALTH.

Had Called Meeting For Today to Explain Why, in His Opinion, He Was Entitled to Re-election.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—United States Senator John F. Dryden of New Jersey has authorized the announcement that he has withdrawn his name as a candidate for re-election to the United States senate.

This action was taken on the advice of the senator's physicians, who warned him of the danger to his health if he persisted in attending the public meeting arranged at his request and held in Trenton today. It was Senator Dryden's intention to address the Republican members of the legislature and set forth the reasons, in his opinion, why he should be re-elected to the senate.

Senator Dryden said he had hoped at the meeting to be able to convince the eight Republicans who refused to be bound by the action of the party caucus that their opposition to him is based upon mistaken grounds. The speech which the senator intended to deliver before the Republican caucus at Trenton will be made public.

In explaining the senator's withdrawal from the senatorial race his private secretary made the following statement:

"Senator Dryden concluded that a continuance of the deadlock would tend to injure the party and the state. Accordingly he has formally announced his intention to withdraw. Senator Dryden is not dangerous ill. His condition is such, however, that his physicians and family consider it of vital importance that he should be relieved at once of any further strain upon his strength and that complete rest from all cares is absolutely necessary."

Indications here are that State Senator Frank O. Briggs will be Mr. Dryden's successor. Mr. Briggs has authorized the statement that he is a candidate in the sense that he is willing to accept the place.

Other names mentioned include former Governor Griegs, State Senator Bradley of Camden, State Senator John J. Gardner of Atlantic City.

There is some talk also of Governor Stokes.

Much Concern For Mrs. Longworth.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, wife of Representative Longworth of Ohio and daughter of the president, is ill at her home here with a slight attack of grip. The president and Mrs. Roosevelt spent some time at the Longworth home yesterday and were very much concerned about their daughter's health, as her temperature had gone up to 102. Mrs. Longworth contracted a severe cold while attending the White House reception on Thursday night and has been confined to her bed for three days.

Seneca Barks Bark Off Sea Girt.
NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 4.—After battling with head winds and heavy seas for seventeen days and when within a few hours of her destination, the bark Charles Loring, carrying 350,000 feet of lumber from Savannah to New York, was run into and sent to the bottom by the Old Dominion steamer of Seneca during the night four miles off Sea Girt, N. J. The collision occurred in a dense fog. No one was injured, and no lives were lost.

Old Grimes' House Destroyed.
HUBBARDSTON, Mass., Feb. 4.—The "Old Grimes" house, one of the landmarks of Hubbardston, was destroyed by fire. Everett M. Felton and his family, who lived in the house barely escaped death. The house was built in 1761 by Joseph Grimes, whose son, Ephraim, was made famous by Albert Gordon Greene in the song "Old Grimes is Dead." The loss is estimated at \$2,000.

Menno Gehman Killed by Train.
ALLENTOWN, Pa., Feb. 4.—Returning from a funeral at Etnaus, Menno Gehman of Zionsville was killed, his wife was fatally injured and their adopted son, John Fidler, was seriously hurt when a carriage in which they were riding was struck by a freight engine of the Philadelphia and Reading road near Etnaus.

Mystery in Mrs. Spencer's Death.
NEWFIELDS, N. H., Feb. 4.—The county authorities are investigating the death of Mrs. Henry Spencer, sixty years old, whose bruised body was found outside of her house yesterday. None of the officials would venture any theory on the cause of death.

Brownsville Affray Hearing Opens.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The taking of testimony concerning the conduct of the colored troops at Brownsville, Tex., which resulted in their dismissal by the president, opened before the senate committee on military affairs in Washington today.

Death of Francis Boylston.
SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., Feb. 4.—Francis Boylston of this city, for fifty years manufacturer of baby carriages and invalid chairs at Rowayton, is dead here, aged eighty-four years, following a paralytic stroke. He was born at Greenfield, Mass.

Cincinnati Fire Cost \$75,000.
CINCINNATI, Feb. 4.—Fire destroyed the plant of the Thomas Kelsall company, manufacturers of office fixtures and billiard tables. A number of houses adjoining were damaged. The loss is \$75,000.

ATHLETIC MEET.
Pennsylvania Relay Team Defeats Columbia Boys.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—That the Irish American Athletic league has flourished since its formation was demonstrated at its indoor meeting in Madison Square Garden. Practically every available space from arena boxes to the uppermost gallery was occupied. In other words, some 8,000 persons apart from the contestants, were present. More than 700 entries had been received, and of these some 600 put in an appearance.

In the seventy-five yard three legged race Harry Hillman of the New York Athletic club and Lawson Robinson of the Irish American Athletic club paired off and covered the distance as the winners in 8 4/5 seconds, establishing a record.

University of Pennsylvania runners carried off the main honors in the two intercollegiate relay races. J. B. Taylor, for the Quaker college, who was running third man in the team, made up twenty-five yards on the Cornell team, the leaders to next to the last relay. He covered his half mile in 2 1/2 minutes 2 seconds, the fastest half of the two miles.

His splendid burst practically assured victory for his college, as he bequeathed an advantage of ten yards to Hoskins, the fourth man on the relay. He won by five yards from Marsh, the last man on the Columbia team.

George Bonahof of the home club easily defeated William Nelson in the special five mile scratch race.

DIED IN THEATER.
Wife of Senator Gallinger Stricken at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Jacob H. Gallinger, wife of Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, died from heart disease while being carried out of Belasco's theater a few minutes after 8 o'clock.

Upon the personal invitation of David Belasco, Senator and Mrs. Gallinger, with Colonel and Mrs. Charles H. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Woodworth of Concord, N. H., were to witness the presentation of "The Girl of the Golden West," with Blanche Bates in the title role. Tunis F. Dean, Mr. Belasco's representative, was ushering the party into the theater when just as they had passed inside, it was noticed that Mrs. Gallinger was faint.

A chair near the door was procured and she was seated. Dr. A. S. Rowan of the Maryland University hospital, in Baltimore, who was a guest of Mr. Dean, was called, but could do nothing as she died almost immediately.

The body of Mrs. Gallinger was taken to Concord, N. H., yesterday, where the burial will take place tomorrow. Funeral services were conducted at the Hotel Normandie by Rev. Dr. Samuel H. Greene, pastor of Calvary Baptist church. Senator Gallinger, his son William and a number of friends accompanied the body to Concord.

Ask Distinguished Guests.
PITTSBURG, Feb. 4.—The board of governors of the Crucible club have extended invitations to J. Pierpont Morgan, Andrew Carnegie, Senator Joseph B. Foraker, Speaker Joseph Cannon and James McCrear, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, to attend the next annual dinner of the club. The Crucible club of Pittsburg is similar to the famous Gridiron club of Washington, and its members are prominent in financial, political and professional circles.

Had Lunch and Talk With Kaiser.
BERLIN, Feb. 4.—Mr. Meyer, the American ambassador, had an audience with Emperor William yesterday and remained for luncheon with the imperial family and the immediate entourage of the court.

Seated beside Princess Alexandra Victoria of Sleswick-Holstein, fiancée of Prince Auguste William, fourth son of Emperor William. After the luncheon the emperor had a long conversation with Mr. Meyer.

Mid Negro to Avoid a Lynching.
GLOBE, Ariz., Feb. 4.—Some thousand persons during the night surrounded the Globe county jail, intent on lynching the William Baldwin, a negro, charged with the murder of Mrs. Morris and her child at Roosevelt. The prisoner had been taken from the jail and hidden by the sheriff, who gave the keys to the leaders of the mob and allowed them to search the building.

Asks For Food With Pistol.
PITTSBURG, Feb. 4.—Ernest Davis, eighteen years old, who says his home is in Toronto, was locked up in the central police station in Allegheny charged with threatening to shoot Mrs. Charles A. Painter, wife of a retired millionaire steel man, at her home in Western avenue, Allegheny, where he had gone and demanded money and something to eat.

Severe Storm in Missouri.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 4.—The severest storm of the winter is raging throughout Kansas and western Missouri, with a temperature near zero. Snow is falling, driven by a bitter wind. All trains are late.

Oswego Yachtman Dead.
OSWEGO, N. Y., Feb. 4.—James D. Henderson of the lumber firm of Post & Henderson, died here last night at the age of forty-five. He was prominent in business circles and commander of the Oswego Yacht club.

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PREACHERS TODAY LACK SINCERITY

Movement on Foot to Hymn Former Episcopal Pastor to New York to Expose His Views as a Permanent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—To advocate truth telling as the crying need of the day in America Dr. Algernon S. Crapsy, whose withdrawal from the Episcopal church followed his trial on charges of heresy, came to this city to deliver an address before the Genesee society.

Dr. Crapsy at the Hotel Victoria in an interview with a press representative said:

"The trouble in all walks of life is the tendency to sacrifice truth to expediency. Clergymen holding individual and liberal views go into their pulpits and because of expediency advocate things which they do not themselves believe.

"At a gathering of clergymen, some fifteen in number, of all denominations which I attended in Rochester the views that I have expressed were discussed. This was before my trial. Twelve of these clergymen agreed with the belief that I advanced. Later one of these men went into his pulpit to reply to my declarations. While this state of affairs exists there can be no solid basis on which society can rest. If we can only get a man to say what he really believes, then we know what we have to deal."

"There is, we understand, Dr. Crapsy, a movement on foot among the persons here who hold the belief that you have expressed to organize in such a way as to bring you to this city so that they may have the benefit of hearing you regularly at such times as may be agreed upon. Have you been specifically advised of this?"

"I have heard of it," replied Dr. Crapsy, "but in no definite way. My present plans will keep me in Rochester for a time at least on some such arrangement, which is as yet, however, only tentative."

Fishing Village Blown Away.
DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 4.—The entire fishing village at Sand point, near Sebawing, was blown away by the high wind during the night, and after a terrifying trip across the lake on the ice the score of shanties were dashed to pieces on the shore at Fish point. The village was on the ice at the edge of the shore, and for safety the small buildings were fastened to stakes driven in the ice. The fishermen and their families were asleep when the gale swept across the lake suddenly and tore the wooden houses loose. The men and women managed to escape to the shore.

A Traveler's Home Club.
PITTSBURG, Feb. 4.—Over 100 traveling salesmen, representing business houses throughout the country, met here and formed the Traveler's Home Club of the United States. The organization will endeavor to eliminate the many abuses the traveling public is subjected to, and a part of the dues collected from members will be used for the endowment of hospitals where members of the organization can be cared for when sick or injured.

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