

BOXER CHIEFS HELD.

Several Now Awaiting Punishment in Peking.

FEW LIKELY TO BE BEHEADED.

Foreign Envoys Meet to Decide the Fate of Prisoners, but Result is Not Made Public—Two New Chinese Envoys.

PEKING, Jan. 29.—Hsu Cheng I, son of Hsu Tung, the notorious anti-foreigner of the hair appendix, and also "Chih Shun," a member of the tang-hyamen, and the Boxer leaders captured in the Japanese quarters are being held for punishment.

A meeting of the foreign envoys was held yesterday morning which was attended only by those whose fellow countrymen have been killed in the internal provinces, the object being to decide what punishment should be inflicted upon minor officials. A report will be made to a general meeting of the ministers to be held probably after the funeral of Queen Victoria. The ministers refuse to state the decisions arrived at, but it is believed that few will be beheaded and certainly not the highest officials.

Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have, on their request, had Sheng an Chong, Fu appointed to assist in the negotiations. Chong Fu is the newly appointed treasurer of Chi-li and was formerly Chinese minister to Korea.

The Germans have begun building a barracks for their legation guard. Reports from the province of Honan say that the native Christians there are molested, but that they are boycotted and suffering considerable distress in consequence.

Some Shanghai Rumors. LONDON, Jan. 29.—The Daily News publishes the following from its Shanghai correspondent: "Sheng, the tao-tai, has received a telegram from Li Hung Chang saying that the Russian representatives in Manchuria presented to Tseng Chi, the Tartar general at Sheng-king, nine peace conditions, restoring Manchuria to China, but giving Russia absolute control of the province, she undertaking in case of war to support China. As Tseng Chi rejected these conditions, Li Hung Chang ordered Cho Ha Pan, the new Tartar general at Hallung-kang, to undertake the negotiations." "Strong evidence exists," says the Shanghai correspondent of The Morning Post, writing yesterday, "that negotiations are on foot between China and Russia with regard to the cession of the three eastern provinces."

Baron Rothschild Dead. FRANKFORT, Jan. 28.—Baron Wilhelm von Rothschild, who died at noon yesterday, was the grandson of Mayer Anselm Rothschild, who founded the great Rothschild banking house. He was born in Naples May 16, 1828. His father, Karl, was one of the five sons of the founder and established a branch in Naples. He was the oldest son and was taken into the business by his uncle, Anselm, who had no son. For the same reason all of the sons of Karl were taken into the Frankfort business. It is intimated that the whole Rothschild banking system represents something approaching a billion dollars. The Paris branch has a nominal capitalization of \$10,000,000, but its resources can be surmised when it is said that in 1841 it lost \$60,000,000, but not for a moment was the house checked in its business. The 20 Rothschild families in Europe in spite of their numerous charities cannot spend half their income.

A Fight With Moonshiners. JACKSON, Ky., Jan. 28.—The sharpest fight in the history of Kentucky moonshining occurred Friday morning between a revenue party of five and a force of moonshiners on Elk Horn creek, on the line between Pike and Knott counties. Elk Horn is ten miles from Hindman and 30 miles from Jackson, the nearest railway station, and this, added to the fact that the entire posse of deputy United States marshals was captured, prevented the news from reaching revenue officials sooner. United States Marshal James received official notification of the fight from the revenue officer at Hindman and will send a strong party of revenue officers into the country to capture the outlaws.

The Peoria Robbery. PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 28.—The exact loss sustained by the revenue office from the visit of the robbers Friday night last has been determined to be \$31,976. This plunder taken consisted of revenue stamps of various denominations carried off by the robbers in the original package. The weight of the plunder was nearly 300 pounds. No clue has as yet been discovered that throws the slightest light on the matter. J. W. McGinnis, revenue agent of this district, is here, as well as several of the secret service men from Washington and Chicago who are at work on the case, but apparently with little hope of success.

Bignami Howard Pleads Guilty. NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Public curiosity in the George W. Howard bignami case has been disappointed again. There was a throng of the curious in and about the county courthouse in Brooklyn yesterday morning when the case was called for trial, but the defense sprung a surprise, entered a plea of guilty, and in less than 20 minutes from his appearance before Judge Hunt Howard had left the courtroom to go to Sing Sing, sentenced to pass the next two years and ten months of his life at hard labor. The maximum penalty under the statute is five years.

Kerr Pleads Guilty. PATERSON, N. J., Jan. 29.—George J. Kerr was brought before Justice Dixon in the court of oyer and terminer yesterday morning, and his counsel, John W. Harding, announced that his client would plead non-vult contumacia in charge of rape. Prosecutor Emley accepted the plea. This means that the indictment for murder will not be moved. The extreme penalty which may be imposed now is 15 years' imprisonment at hard labor and a fine of \$1,000. Kerr was very pale and careworn and sat during the court proceedings with downcast eyes.

Died From Snowball Blow. MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Lee Conkling, 17 years old, a son of David L. Conkling of this city, is dead as a result of being struck in the back of the head by a snowball at school. For several days he lay in an unconscious state.

A DAY OF MOURNING.

Saturday to Be Observed in England. Funeral Arrangements Incomplete.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—It was officially announced late last evening that King Edward had ordered Saturday to be observed as a day of general mourning. All the banks will be closed and business suspended.

The arrangements for the funeral have been only partially determined. Almost everything thus far is provisional and subject to the approval of the king, who will come to London today to look over what has been proposed and to give his approval or disapproval.

By order of the king the office of works directs that all draperies displayed by citizens shall be of purple. The procession from St. George's chapel royal at Windsor to Frogmore has been abandoned, and the coffin will remain in the chapel until the day of interment, which will probably be Monday.

The king and queen, with the kaiser, will attend the memorial service in St. George's chapel, Windsor, Sunday.

In order to give Londoners a full opportunity to witness the funeral procession it has been decided to extend the route, which is now fixed to pass Buckingham palace, through St. James' park and past St. James' palace to Piccadilly, then along Piccadilly to Hyde park corner, through Hyde park, emerging at the marble arch, then along Edgware road to Paddington station. This is doubtless the length of the route originally intended and will occupy fully two hours. For similar reasons the route at Windsor has been extended to include High street, Park street and Long walk before entering the castle.

Flowers for the Burial. COWES, Jan. 29.—The king's wreath for Queen Victoria, resting on a white cushion 5 feet 6 inches square and made of orchids, lilies of the valley and Parma violets, with the lettering in violets "Good and Beloved," has arrived at Osborne House. The officers, surgeons and nurses of the American hospital ship Maine sent a ten foot floral shield surmounted by an eagle.

FUNSTON REPORTS PEACE.

His District Practically Quiet—The Commission at Work.

MANILA, Jan. 29.—General Funston reports that practically all the organized insurgents in his district have been dispersed with the exception of disconnected bands in the mountains.

Sixty-five more rebels in the island of Panay have surrendered to the United States authorities at Cabatuan.

George T. Rice, editor of The Daily Bulletin, who was ordered by General MacArthur to be deported because of the publication in his paper of allegations against Lieutenant Commander William Braunschreuther, captain of the port, has sailed. It was ordered that he be held as a prisoner until his arrival at San Francisco.

The Philippine commission has passed the act of annulling that portion of the Spanish code which disqualifies judges and magistrates for trying cases on account of alleged incompetency. The act declares that the judges are incompetent only when peculiarly interested in the litigation or related to a litigant.

The general criminal and civil codes are almost completed. The hearing on the municipal government bill is finished, and the measure will be enacted on Wednesday. Only two natives objected to the church property taxation feature, and no objection was entered on behalf of the church or other organization.

Reports from southern Luzon say there is much disaffection in the insurgent camps. A thousand persons swore allegiance to the United States in a church at Malabon Sunday.

FIGHTING THE BOERS.

British Commander Reports Numerous Engagements.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The war office has received from the commander in chief in South Africa a dispatch from Pretoria reporting numerous engagements, the following being the most important:

"Cunningham was engaged at Middlefontein and Koppfontein Friday with Delarey's force. Babington, while moving north from Ventersdorp, threatened the enemy's flank, whereupon the Boers retired west. Cunningham's casualties were 2 officers wounded, four men killed and 37 wounded.

"In the engagement at Lichtenberg Jan. 17 some 200 men were captured. These have since been released with the exception of a major and three men. No details are yet at hand.

"Smith-Dorrien had a successful engagement of five hours while on the march from Wonderfontein to Carolina, where the Boers had lately been concentrating. The enemy were in considerable strength and held the river, but were driven out. Our losses were 1 officer killed and 2 officers and 13 men wounded."

Lord Kitchener confirms the report that a British train with troops and military stores on board was waylaid and captured at Shikhiip, near Fouriesdorp, last Friday, but says the Boers retired on the arrival of the armored train sent in pursuit.

Railway Tickets Stolen. NORTH NORWICH, N. Y., Jan. 29.—The Lackawanna railroad station at this place was broken into and the ticket case containing about 1,500 tickets stolen.

New York Markets.

Flour—State and western turned a shade easier with wheat, but was not quotably lower; Minnesota patents, 3.35; winter straights, 3.10; 3.50; winter extras, 3.25; winter patents, 3.25. Wheat—Weak and heavy under liquidation, weak cables, heavy Russian shipments and large northwest receipts; May, 91 1/2; July, 88 1/2; c. i. f., New York, ear lots; No. 2 western, 88c; f. o. b., 89c.

CORN—Quiet and a trifle easier with wheat; May, 43 1/2-44 1/2. OATS—Quiet and barely steady; track white, state, 33 1/2-35c; track, white, western, 33c. HAY—Firm; mess, 13 1/2-14 1/2; family, 12 1/2-13 1/2. BUTTER—Steady; prime western steam, 7 1/2-7 3/4. CREAMERY—Steady; fancy, large, full made, 14 1/2-15 1/2; fancy, small, full made, 14c.

EGGS—Barely steady; state and Pennsylvania, 20c; western, at mark, 20c. LARD—Raw quiet; fair refining, 23 1/2; centrifugal, 26 test, 24c; refined dull, crushed, 25c; powdered, 25 1/2c. Japan, 24 1/2c. TALLOW—Quiet; city, 7 1/2; country, 7 1/4. HAY—Steady; shipping, 7 1/2-8 1/2; good choice, 8 1/2-9.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and tersely told.

The estate of Philip D. Armour is valued at \$15,000,000. Widespread damage by snow and wind was reported in England.

Supreme court sustained Missouri against Illinois in drainage canal case. Services commemorative of General Armstrong were held at Hampton institute, in Virginia.

Professor Brushhear of Allegheny has completed instrumental equipment for observation of solar eclipse.

Chinese pirates attacked a European ironboat, killing the boatmen and wounding two occupants.

The steamer Holland was lost at the entrance to the river Maas. Eighteen persons are believed to be drowned.

Henry C. Nieman was fined \$25 by Judge Jerome in the New York court of special sessions for spitting in an elevated railway car.

Monday, Jan. 29.

The pope issued an encyclical on socialism. Andrew Carnegie offered to give \$50,000 for a free library at Lewiston, Me.

A fire in a big grocery store in Chicago caused a loss of between \$300,000 and \$400,000.

Fifty thousand Filipinos in Iloilo province have taken the oath of allegiance to the United States.

The Boers have captured a post of Dublin fusiliers, a train with supplies and damaged a railway in the Transvaal.

A student at Williams college was kidnapped, bound and gagged and carried several miles by masked men as a practical joke.

Secretary Long signed contracts with the Newport News Shipbuilding company for two armored cruisers to cost upward of \$7,500,000.

The office of the United States internal revenue collector in Peoria, Ill., was entered by burglars, who broke open the safe and stole war revenue stamps believed to amount to \$100,000 in value.

Saturday, Jan. 28.

The Delaware senatorial deadlock was unbroken. Heavy snow closed the mines in the Shamokin region.

Verdi suffered a relapse. His early death is expected.

Julian Arnold was sentenced in London to ten years' imprisonment.

Six New Bedford fishermen were lost by being caught in a school of whales.

Chief Justice Depee of the New Jersey supreme court has announced his retirement.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, temperance crusader, refused to eat at a hotel in Hope, Kan., fearing poison.

A formal deed declaring their desire to be married was signed by Queen Wilhelmina and Duke Henry.

Friday, Jan. 28.

A successful operation was performed on Mr. Kruger's eyes.

British steamer Starcross went ashore on the Maryland coast.

Thermometer at Forty Mile, Alaska, registered 78 degrees below zero.

Benjamin F. Silliman, 95 years of age, the oldest member of the New York bar, died in Brooklyn.

A new White Star line ship is to be built. It will be 8,000 tons bigger than the Oceanic, but not as fast.

Thursday, Jan. 24.

First issue of William J. Bryan's paper at Lincoln, Neb.

The Panama railroad decided to meet the Pacific Mail's cut in rates.

The new well at Beaumont, Tex., is producing 25,000 barrels of oil a day.

Many vessels overdue at Pacific coast ports practically have been given up as lost.

The Morgan syndicate bought 75,000 acres of coal lands in western Pennsylvania.

Rochester and New York capitalists have combined to control Genesee water power.

Reports showed a large increase in metal produced on this continent last year. Montana is now the leading one producing state.

Wednesday, Jan. 23.

The Bulgarian cabinet has resigned. Ex-President Kruger has gone to Utrecht.

Rutgers students egged a New Brunswick editor.

Maurice Thompson, the author, is reported very low.

Senator Sewell was re-elected by the New Jersey legislature.

One thousand Filipinos swore allegiance at Vigan and 400 at Malabon.

Thieves attempted to wreck the Union Pacific overland express near Kearney, Neb.

More outrages by insurrectionary Crooks are reported from the Indian Territory.

The torrential rains continue to do great damage to the banana fields in Jamaica.

Hotel Fire in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Fire broke out about half past 2 o'clock Sunday morning in a small room on the first floor of the old portion of the building occupied by Willard's hotel and which adjoins the new structure now in course of construction. The flames were confined to this room and the halls immediately adjoining, and the property loss will not exceed \$5,000, but a half hundred guests, including several congressmen and their wives, were badly frightened. All, however, managed to escape in safety.

ONLY STALWARTS ARE ON GUARD.

Regular Republicans Capture All House Employes and Figure on Important Committees.

GOVERNOR STONE KEEPS PLEDGE.

At His Instance a Bill Has Been Introduced For the Protection of the Dairy Interests and Making the Law Against the Sale of Oleo Colored as Better Most Drastic, With Heavy Fines and Imprisonment For Every Conviction.

(Special Correspondence.) Harrisburg, Jan. 29.—None but stalwart Republicans have been put on guard on important committees of the house of representatives, and the insurgents have come to realize that they are to cut but a small figure in this legislature.

There has been an open rupture between the insurgents and their Democratic allies, and the chances are that before the session shall have gotten along very far the stalwarts will practically be unopposed in carrying out their various plans.

Speaker Marshall did not announce his committees before every employe of the house that has to be elected by a direct vote of the members was chosen. They were all included in one resolution, and this resolution went through easily. The insurgents had given up the fight and the Democrats contented themselves with going through the formality of nominating a lot of Democrats whom they knew could not be elected. Had the scheme of the Flinn-Martin insurgents been successful these places which go to good Republicans would have been shared with the Guffey Democrats, and Republican Pennsylvania would have been treated to the spectacle of Bryan Democrats crowding out Republicans from places which rightfully belong to Republicans by the votes of the people.

INSURGENTS WERE SHUT OUT. Former Representative Garvin, of Delaware, carried off the big prize, the chief clerkship, and the canyons for the stalwarts were divided among the stalwart members in different parts of the state. The insurgents did not get a man. When these party wreckers went home to their constituents without having gotten recognition of any kind in the matter of appointments, their action in lining up with the Flinn crowd was generally condemned.

Speaker Marshall, in the appointment of his committees, took care that none of the insurgents was given place on any of the important committees. The stalwarts were given the responsible chairmanships, and on several of the most important committees there is not a single insurgent. Representative Bliss, of Delaware, is chairman of the committee on appropriations. He was very active in the canvass for the stalwart side this time, and his efforts are thus properly recognized. The veteran Thomas V. Cooper is made chairman of the committee on railroads, and Alexander Colville, of Philadelphia, is at the head of the committee on municipal corporations. Former State Treasurer Beacom is made chairman of the committee on ways and means, and Mr. Kendall, of Somerset, gets the chairmanship of the committee on mines and mining.

Twenty-five Democrats of the most partisan character and the worst of the insurgents are dumped together on the committee on "retrenchment and reform." There is not a stalwart Republican put upon this committee, which is looked upon as an unnecessary adjunct to the legislative body. Among the insurgents on the committee are men like Doughty of Forest, Godcharles of Northumberland, Mahon of Luzerne, Alexander of Clearfield, Hoskins of Erie, Emery of Venango and Reed, Linton and Ray of Philadelphia, who are among those Republicans who deliberately violated their pledges and bolted the Republican caucus on the speaker and the senatorship.

Over 200 bills were introduced in the senate and the house last week providing for all manner of legislation.

STONE KEEPS HIS PLEDGE. The stalwart Republican leaders are going right ahead carrying out the promises made in the recent campaign. Governor Stone has taken a keen interest in the subject of reform legislation to stop the sale of oleo colored in imitation of butter. At his instance Senator Snyder introduced a bill in the senate last week which will be calculated to meet all the requirements of the situation. This bill imposes a fine of \$500 and imprisonment for six months upon all persons found guilty of selling oleo colored in imitation of butter. In order to meet the objectionable features of the present law, which permits the accused to continue in business pending an appeal to a higher court, this new act will make injunctions against all accused parties permanent, so that while their cases are pending they cannot do business.

In order to prevent schemers who would have "figureheads" do business for them, this new law will make principals responsible the same as the principals, and another provision of the act will require all parties selling oleo to keep their books open for inspection at any time by state officials.

FOR A NEW CAPITOL. There is every disposition to advance the project for the completion of the new state capitol building. This structure is an eyecore to the people of Harrisburg and a disgrace to the officials of the state. Owing to the factional fighting in the last session of the legislature, the insurgents, with their Democratic allies, succeeded in blocking every effort to finish this building. They will be unable to do this now. There is a desire on the part of all fair minded men to finish the structure as quickly as possible. With that in view Senator Fox, of Harrisburg, has introduced a bill calling for appropriations aggregating \$6,000,000 for this work. The idea is not to spend more than \$1,200,000 a year and

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the work shall be performed under the auspices of a commission to be appointed by the governor. The Democrats have a bill in the house on the same subject, but in that they name the members of the commission, with several Democrats included in the list. The purpose of the Republican leaders is to have Republicans supervise this work and let the Republican organization get the credit for completing the capitol building, as they should.

The old McCarrell bill has come up again, Mr. Hoy, of Clarion, being the sponsor. It makes it unlawful for district attorneys to stand aside jurors in the trial of any indictment charging felony or misdemeanor in any court in the commonwealth and regulates the challenging of jurors by defendant and commonwealth. It provides that in all trials for misdemeanor the commonwealth and defendants shall each be entitled to six peremptory challenges; in trial of felonies other than those triable in oyer and terminer and general jail delivery, each shall be entitled to eight peremptory challenges, and on trial of felonies exclusively triable in oyer and terminer, 20 such challenges, all of which shall be made when the juror is called. This is the bill which was fought so vigorously last session because it was supposed to have been introduced to help Col. Quay in his trial in Philadelphia.

TWO ANTI-KIDNAPING BILLS. Two anti-kidnaping bills were introduced one by Mr. Roth, of Lehigh, providing a death penalty; the other, by Mr. Fuert, of Wayne, fixing imprisonment for life.

The libel bill which is to take the place of the present law if the latter can be repealed, will be along the lines of the bill presented by Mr. Voorhees, Philadelphia. An act amending the libel law of 1897 so as to provide that in all criminal and civil prosecutions and indictments for libel if the matter charged as libelous is, in the opinion of the court, proper for public information and was published without malice, the truth may be given in evidence to the jury; provided, however, before the truth may be so given in evidence the defendant must prove to the satisfaction of the court that the person affected was informed in writing of intended publication and personally served with a copy thereof, unless he be a fugitive from justice, and given full opportunity to deny the truth thereof, and that the denial, if any be made, was published at the time and together with the said matter charged as libelous.

The stalwarts passed the reform anti-fee bill in the senate last week, and expect to rush it through the house.

Babies to Give Away. NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—There are just now about 200 babies under 2 years old in the Foundling asylum on Randall's island. The superintendent of outdoor poor thinks that there are many persons in and near the city who would gladly adopt one of these little ones and provide a good home for it. He invites applicants to apply at his office at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street.

Nebraska Deadlock Continues. LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 29.—The vote for United States senator yesterday was as follows: Allen, 45; W. N. Thompson 33; Hitchcock, 12; Grouse, 5; Currie 18; Hinshaw, 12; Melckjohn, 25; Martin, 6; Rosewater, 17; D. M. Thompson 65; scattering, 15.

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WM. L. LAWRENCE, Register. Register's office, Lajporte, Pa., Nov. 12, 1900.

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Incorporation Notice. Notice is hereby given that an application for the incorporation of a Borough, to be called the Borough of South Laporte, has been presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the County of Sullivan, acting forth, in that the Borough of Laporte includes within its limits two villages and that a majority of the freeholders residing in the most southern of said villages, desire to have said Borough divided, and the part which they reside, and which in said application is fully described, set off and incorporated into a new Borough which application by order of the Court has been filed by the clerk, and the same will be heard by said Court at the next regular term following the presentation of the application to wit: at the term commencing on the fourth Monday of February 1901, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided.

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Forksville Boro. and Forks Twp., at Forksville House on Wednesday, February 6, 1901.

Hills Grove Twp., at Hotel Keele on Thursday, February 7, 1901.

Fox Twp., at township house in Shunk on Friday, February 8, 1901.

Eldred Twp., at election house in Eldredsville on Saturday, February 9, 1901.

Laporte Boro. and Laporte Twp., at County Com. office on Monday, Feb. 11, 1901.

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All Assessors are requested to be present at the time the appeal is held for his district without fail.

A general appeal will be held at the County Commissioners' office in Laporte on the 4th day of March, 1901.

W. C. GRAIFLEY, Com. REuben Brown, Com. ADAM BAUMK, Com. T. E. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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