

REBELS HAVE CRUSHED DRAGON

Negotiations With Revolution-
ists to Follow Appointment
of Yuan as Premier

IMPERIALISTS HAVE
HALTED HOSTILITIES

Resignation of Ministers Ac-
cepted in Edict Providing for
Administrative Changes

PANIC IN PEKING IS
PRACTICALLY DISPELLED

A Glance at Chinese Revolution Situation

Appointment of Yuan Shi Kai as
premier of China will cause
opening of negotiations with
revolutionists.

Panic among people of Peking
has been dispelled.

Report says cities in provinces of
Yunnan, Anhwei and Fukien
have gone over to the rebels.

Planters are taking advantage of
the confusion resulting from
the rebellion to raise huge
crops of opium in defiance of
the law.

Dispatch from Shanghai says the
rebels have seized Nanchang,
the capital of Kiangsi province.
Rebellious troops in province of
Chili are appeased by the ap-
pointment of Yuan Shi Kai as
premier.

Yuan Shi Kai sends telegram to
the imperial government out-
lining his plans for peace.

BULLETIN

PEKING, Nov. 2.—The war
office has received a report that
the imperialists have captured
Hankow and massacred the
population.

PEKING, Nov. 1.—The appoint-
ment of Yuan Shi Kai today
as premier of China will be
followed by a cessation of hos-
tilities on the part of the imperialists
and the opening of negotiations with
General Li Yuan Heng, leader of the
revolutionists at Hankow.

An imperial edict providing for im-
portant administrative changes also
accepts the resignations of the minis-
ters, but until Yuan Shi Kai returns
to Peking Prince Ching will continue
to perform the duties of premier, and
the present cabinet will remain in
office.

All the ministers attended a secret
session of the national assembly to-
day, which, it is understood, practi-
cally agreed to the demands of the
disaffected Lanchow troops. A mem-
ber of the war board was appointed to
confer with the troops and express
the assembly's views.

Loan Arrangements Discussed

The assembly also discussed the
recent loan for which arrangements
had been made with a Belgian and
French syndicate. The ministers ex-
plained that the loan was needed for
the purpose of carrying on field op-
erations. The assembly thought there
was a good prospect of the termina-
tion of hostilities, and in that case the
loan would not be necessary. It was
finally decided to refer the matter by
telegram to Yuan Shi Kai.

A member brought up the question
of the Shanghai taotai's failure to pay
the installment of the Boxer indemn-
ity, and a minister explained that
two months' grace, with 4 per cent in-
terest, had been allowed.

Panic Is Dispersed

The panic among the people of Pe-
king, which ensued after the issuance
of the first imperial edict, has been
largely dispelled, and the newspapers
are beginning to sum up the results
of the 17 days' rebellion.

The Daily News considers that the
appointment of Yuan Shi Kai will
change the entire political complexion,
restore peace, inspire the people with
confidence, command the respect of
foreign countries and place the empire
on a sound basis.

Reports received here state that Yun-
manfu, Nganking and several smaller
cities in the provinces of Yunnan,
Nganwei and Fukien have gone over
to the revolutionists. The soldiers in
north China are avowedly awaiting the
action of Yuan Shi Kai.

The government troops and the Shan-
si rebels are encamped not far apart.

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Near Zero in East: Bet You're Real Glad to Be Here

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 1.—A
real foretaste of winter, bearing
snow and freezing temperature,
swept over the Missouri valley
states early today. From a tem-
perature of zero in Bismarck,
N. D., the thermometer graded
down to 28 degrees in northern
Kansas and Missouri.

The mercury reached 6 de-
grees above at Huron, S. D.,
and was near zero at Sioux
City, Ia.

Snow fell this morning
through north central Kansas,
in western Iowa, parts of Ne-
braska and South Dakota.

According to the local United
States weather forecaster, the
wave of cold is sweeping south-
ward and freezing temperatures
may be expected tonight and to-
morrow in Oklahoma and
northern Texas.

At Traverse City, Mich., a
blizzard is raging. Trains are
blocked by the snow.

At Deadwood, S. D., from
three to six inches of snow fell
last night, the storm approach-
ing a blizzard in the northern
hills. It was followed during
the early hours of the morning
by below zero weather.

At South Haven, Mich., the
worst early season blizzard in
years is raging. No serious
damage has been reported.

CAR DYNAMITED; SCORE IN PANIC

Passengers Have Remarkable
Escape in Mysterious Mis-
sion Street Explosion

More than a score of men and women
passengers barely escaped death at
8:55 o'clock last night when a cem-
eteries car crashed into dynamite on
the tracks and was wrecked in the terrific
explosion that followed. The heavy
car was lifted several feet and the air
was filled with flying glass, yet not a
single passenger is known to have been
injured.

The explosion occurred in Mission
street between Thirteenth and Four-
teenth. It was outbound cemetery car
1291, in charge of Motorman J. Barrie
and Conductor J. B. Carlson, that ran
into the dynamite. The car was travel-
ing at a high rate of speed when the
crash came.

Motorman Barrie says he did not
notice anything on the tracks and it is
the opinion of some of the United Rail-
roads officials that the explosive sub-
stance may have been partially covered
over and weighted down between the
rails.

For a considerable distance in the
roadbed the street was torn up. Paving
stones were thrown in all directions,
and a hole of some depth was made in
the middle of the outward car tracks.

Many of the passengers were panic
stricken. The air was filled with
screams of the frantic men and women
immediately after the explosion, and
there was considerable excitement dur-
ing the wild scramble of the passengers
to get out.

The police and railroad officials are
at a loss to explain the cause of the
explosion. Many theories were ad-
vanced last night to account for the
dynamite, but nothing tangible was
learned up to a late hour. Several de-
tectives are on the case.

SWEETHEARTS END LIVES IN SUICIDE COMPACT

Girl of 19 and Youth, 22, Take
Poison

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

WOOSTER, O., Nov. 1.—What ap-
pears to have been a suicide compact
developed today when Rufus Billard,
aged 22, was found dead in Wooster
cemetery with an empty strychnine
bottle by his side. Miss Carmen Hum-
phrey, aged 19 years, to whom Billard
was engaged, died in convulsions last
night at her home after returning from
a Halloween party. Billard left a note
saying:

"Dear mother: Forgive me. Bury us
together."
RUFUS.

JUDICIAL NOMINATION IS CALLED CONSPIRACY

Democratic Leaders and Can-
didate Are Charged

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—An infor-
mation charging criminal conspiracy
against four persons—among them the
democratic leaders of the two Long
Island boroughs of New York city and
a democratic candidate for the supreme
court bench—was filed late today by
Assistant District Attorney William A.
de Ford of New York county. The con-
spiracy is charged in connection with
the nomination of William Willet as a
democratic candidate for supreme court
justice.

POLICE WEAVING WEB OF DEATHS AROUND WOMAN

Mysterious Taking Off of Nine
Persons Under One Roof
Starts Investigation

Two Husbands, Two Suitors
and Two Children Among
the Buried Ones

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Chicago police
went deeper today into investi-
gation of the deaths of nearly
half a score of relatives and
acquaintances of Mrs. Louis Vermilya
to learn positively whether the simi-
larity of their taking off constituted
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POWDER PLANT FIRE KILLS SEVEN GIRLS

Flames Confine Victims Behind
Counter Where They Were
Working

CHEHALIS, Wash., Nov. 1.—Fire that
destroyed the powder factory of the
Imperial Powder company at Chehalis
late today caused seven young women
to lose their lives, and an eighth will
die tonight at the hospital.

Only two girls escaped, though a
dozen were unhurt.

THE DEAD

Verna Mulford,
Thelma Rashback,
Sadie Westfall,
Eva Gilmore,
Bertha Hagie,
Ethel Tharp,
Mrs. Ethel Henry.

Miss Bertha Crown was so severely
burned that she will die.

The cause of the fire is a mystery.
One report is that a pot of paraffine in
the mixing room was allowed to boil
over by a careless workman and that
part of it ran into some powder. A
flash followed and soon the whole
structure was ablaze.

The girls were hurried down together,
and, owing to the rapid spread of the
flames, could not escape from behind a
counter on which they were working.
There was no explosion, the powder be-
ing of the nonexplosive character, un-
less confined. A flash started the fatal
fire. Four of the company's buildings
were destroyed, together with equip-
ment and many tons of manufactured
powder, entailing a financial loss of
\$20,000 or more.

Seven bodies are at the Chehalis
mortuary tonight, but none of the rela-
tives is able to identify them. One
girl's father picked out the body of his
daughter by a ring she had worn.

DEER HUNTER KILLS TWO MEN IN ROAD

One Charge of Buckshot Also
Injures Others

MAYS LANDING, N. J., Nov. 1.—
Eager to have a shot at a deer that he
supposed was coming down an unused
road in the gloom of the early dawn
today, Charles Norcross of Ionia, N. J.,
fired into a party of four other hunters,
killing two and seriously wounding a
third.

Norcross is in jail here, awaiting the
action of the coroner.

According to Norcross' statement, he
was standing behind some underbrush
at the side of the road when he heard
a noise. Believing the sound came from
a deer walking down the road, Norcross
says he fired one barrel of buckshot in
the direction of the noise. Before he
could lower his gun there was a shriek
and, jumping out of the underbrush,
he was horrified to see three men lying
in the road.

ARABS MARCH ON TRIPOLI

Italy Indignantly Denies Charges of Cruelties

FIGURES AND SCENES IN THE WAR NOW RAGING BETWEEN ITALY AND TURKEY.
Mahomed V, sultan of Turkey (upper right) and Admiral Ricci d'Olmo, the first Italian governor of
Tripoli (upper left). A type of the Arabs who allied with the Turks is shown at the left center.



Scene in one of the squares of Rome, showing Italian troops leaving for Tripoli.

GOODWIN TRUSTEE TELLS OF BIG GIFT

Edna Goodrich Receives \$25,-
000 After Marriage Besides
Share of Income

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 1.—T. H. Dud-
ley, trustee, has filed his answer as co-
defendant with Edna Goodrich to Nat
Goodwin's suit to set aside the trust
deed that Nat signed in August, 1908,
in consideration of Edna's promise to
marry him. The trustee does not enter
the litigation further than to petition
the court to pay him \$5,000 as fees for
himself and \$1,000 for his counsel, be-
fore any disposition of the estate is made.

Dudley attaches an accounting, show-
ing that Goodwin gave Edna Goodrich
\$25,000 in addition to the fund held in
trust after he married the actress, not-
withstanding the fact that he alleges
that the trust deed was executed against
his will and without his knowledge.

The account further shows that Edna
has had from the estate \$9,999.69 as her
share of the income, which was paid
her between January, 1909, and Sep-
tember, 1911. Her share of the income
from the trust is worth about \$6,000 a
year, but with the steady appreciation
of the property will become considerably
more.

Goodwin appears from the accounting
to have overdrawn his share of the
income. He has received more than
\$17,000. By mutual consent \$25,000 of
the income was applied to paying off a
mortgage on the apartment house in
San Francisco, a part of the property.

The trustee says that he has in hand
something like \$951 with which to meet
his own and his lawyers' claims.

AMERICAN CAPITAL IN \$165,000,000 MERGER

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The amalga-
mation of London's electric tubes and
railroads and the London General Om-
nibus company has practically been
agreed on, according to the Evening
Standard. Much American money is
invested in the railroad. The combined
capital of the undertaking is estimated
at \$165,000,000.

WAR SITUATION VIEWED BY ITALIAN AND TURKISH AMBASSADORS AT WASHINGTON

CONSUL GENERAL LODI-FE, who
represents the Italian govern-
ment in this city, received a
statement from Ambassador Cusani
in Washington, in which he denies
the reports of recent battles be-
tween the Turkish and Italian forces
in Tripoli.

The dispatch follows:

"So that you may be in a position
to deny the false reports of the
Italian-Turkish war I summarize the
present situation: We have been
victorious in all naval and land
battles without exception. We have
occupied Tripoli, Bengasi, Derna,
Homs and Tabruk, overcoming all
resistance and routing the enemy."

"We have everywhere and always
repulsed all attacks which the
Turks have made, inflicting heavy
losses and capturing their flags and
guns. Since our last victory of the
26th at Tripoli and Homs there has
been no other battle."

NAVY YARD SENDS WIRELESS TO COLON

Mare Island and Panama Sta-
tions Exchange Reports on
the Weather

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

VALLEJO, Nov. 1.—Communication
was established for the first time today
between the wireless station at Mare
Island and the government station at
Colon, Panama.

Weather reports were exchanged.
Messages were later read, being sent
from Colon to Key West.

Mare Island operators have been en-
deavoring to establish communication
with the Atlantic coast since the receipt
of a message from Washington 10 days
ago.

C. P. RODGERS AND FOWLER SAY 'HELLO'

Transcontinental Birdmen Ex-
change Greetings at Tuc-
son, Arizona

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

MARICOPA, Ariz., Nov. 1.—Aviator
C. P. Rodgers, flying west on his trans-
continental aeroplane voyage, arrived
in Maricopa at 5 p. m. this afternoon,
having made the flight from Wilcox,
a distance of 180 miles. Rodgers left
Wilcox at 11:05 this morning. He
reached Tucson at 1 p. m. and after
exchanging greetings with Robert G.
Fowler, who is eastbound on the same
kind of a voyage, left at 2:45 for
Phoenix. But seeing he could scarcely
make Phoenix before night, Rodgers
alighted here and will resume his
flight early tomorrow.

IGNORANCE OF RACE

"He who asserts that the Italian
would offend women and children
shows ignorance of our country and
race."
"The acts of treachery were due
partly to the efforts of Bedouins, about
15,000 of whom migrate at this season
of the year from the interior to the

TURK LEADS TRIBESMEN TO BATTLE

Constantinople Gets Wire An-
nouncing Victory and In-
tention to Attack Town

NEWS CAUSES FATAL FIGHTS
IN ALEXANDRIA'S STREETS

Premier at Rome Declares False
the Stories of Slaughter
by Troops

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 1.—
The chamber loudly cheered
today the reading of a tele-
gram from the deputy of
Tripoli, Suleiman El Baruni, com-
manding the Arab volunteers.

The telegram was dated October
28, and said:

I reached the coast, accom-
panied by the volunteers, October
26 and delivered a formidable
assault upon the enemy, who were
driven out from their entrenched
positions. Today I am marching
on Tripoli. Thanks to divine as-
sistance, I shall enter the town.

Fatal Riots in Egypt

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, Nov. 1.—
Reports of Turkish victories at
Tripoli were echoed here during the
night in a tumult that at one time
threatened to be serious. The natives
turned out in thousands, calling upon
Allah to confound "the infidels."

Shots were exchanged between the
Moslems and Europeans. One native
was killed and 14 others were wounded
before the police had suppressed the
rioting.

Scores of arrests were made.

Ultimatum to Turkey

CHIASO, Switzerland, Nov. 1.—With
a view to ending quickly the war with
Turkey, the Italian cabinet decided that
the Porte must either accept peace im-
mediately or lose more territory. This
means that some of Turkey's valuable
island possessions in the Mediterranean
will be seized unless she submits to her
fate.

This decision was reached at a series
of secret conferences on Monday be-
tween Rear Admiral Aubrey and mem-
bers of the cabinet. Aubrey arrived in
Rome suddenly and secretly Monday
morning.

Lengthy interviews with the pre-
mier and the ministers of war, navy
and foreign affairs followed. Definite
arrangements were made for sending
the Italian fleet into action against
Turkey's Mediterranean possessions.

It is understood that the new plans
will be set into action as soon as the
Marquis di San Giuliano, minister of
foreign affairs, can reach the necessary
understanding with the interested
powers. It is expected that Italy will
continue to spare the Albanian coast
in order to avoid complications along
the Adriatic and in the Balkan states.

Italy Denies Cruelties

ROME, Nov. 1.—The reports that
have been spread in foreign countries
that the Italian troops at Tripoli have
practiced extreme cruelty in the war
against the Turks and Arabs, killing
women and children, the aged and in-
firm and non-combatants, have caused
intense indignation throughout Italy.

These reports have already been of-
ficially denied, but Premier Giolitti took
occasion again tonight to emphasize
the denial and to make a statement in
behalf of the government and nation.

"If any reproach is admissible," he
said, "it can only be on account of ex-
cess of humanitarianism. We have,
perhaps, through exaggerated scruples,
spared the lives and property of the
enemy, and in so doing have exposed
ourselves to grave risks. This, how-
ever, we have been pleased to do, in
proof that we are civilized and hu-
mane. Perhaps what is the bounty of
the strong may be judged as weakness."

"Our soldiers, trained in the school
of loyalty and accustomed to the up-
rightness of the Abyssinians, who are
open enemies or steadfast friends, did
not expect that the Arabs, after they
had sworn fealty and received grain
and flour and other concessions, would
treacherously break their oaths and
traitorously turn their arms against
the wounded. Among those heroic
dead many were barbarously killed by
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