

CHINA' FACING

Revolution with Purpose of Overturning Imperial Government and Declaring Republic is Spreading Rapidly

SANKOW, Oct. 12 .- The revolution that has been hanging over China for months, and of which the rising in the province of Szechuen was only a small part, has begun in earnest. It is a concerted movement to take the empire and declare a republic.

If plans do not miscarry, the noted exiled revolutionist, Dr. Sun Yat Sen, leader of the anti-Manchu party, is to be elected president. He was the delegate of the revolutionary party to the United States in 1910, and is believed during that tour to have made arrangements for financing the movement.

Sun Yu, a brother of Dr. Sun Yat, who is now in Hankow, has been elected president of the provincial assembly, and Yang Hun Lung, the retiring president, has been elected governor of Hu Peh.

The whole assembly has seceded from the imperial government. The rebels are well organized and financially

strong. They have confiscated the local treasury and banks, and are issuing their own paper money, redeeming the government notes with this, as foreign banks are refusing government notes.

The revolutionaries have captured Wu Chang, the native section of Hankow, and Han Yang, all adjoining cities in Hu Peh province.

Chang Sha, capital of Hu Nan, is reported to have risen in revolt, and Nanking, capital of the province of Kiang Su, is on the verge of a rising, several public buildings having been destroyed.

Thousands of soldiers have joined the mutiny in Hu Peh. Many Manchus have been killed, and the terrified people are fleeing from the cities to the country, carrying their belongings. The prisons have been opened, and

criminals have been liberated. There has been fighting in the streets and the most stringent orders have been issued that lives of foreigners and their property shall be respected. An American expedition dispatched from Hankow to Wu Chang to aid the missionaries there, returned here with all the missionaries with the exception of Miss R. A. Kemp of the Episcopal society, members of the Roman Catholic mission, including the sisters, and the London mission, who have decided not to depart.

There was a brief exchange of shots between the Wu Chang forts and a local Chinese cruiser. The firing ceased after British and French officials protested that it endangered the foreign possessions.

Impressed with Danger PEKIN, Oct. 12 .- The Chinese gov-

verthrow the Manchu dynasty. He said "They have gained a signal victory the capture of Wu Chang, and if they can hold it, it may mean success. The rebels are composed of the young and tive men of the empire. They want a w government that will insure justice peor, as well as rich."

KILLED BY CAVE-IN

ness Employee of Vancouver Port-land Cement Crushed to Death Last Evening

Trushed under a mass of earth when a save-in of one of the sides of the pit in which he was working occurred, a China-man name unknown, was fatally injured at the Vancouver Cement Works at Tod inlet last night shortly before 6 o'clock. With a gang of men the Chinama was usy excavating when the cave-in happened without warning. It was some time before the man was uncovered and life was al-most extinct. A broken arm, severe works extinct. A broken arm, severe four the city by telephone and the Vie-dorie transfer company's ambutance was also called. The Chinaman succumbed be-ore this assistance arrived. The body was prought into the city to the undertaking company. Government street. An inquest with be heid.

Through running over the root of a tree at the cement works the ambulance was overturned and suffered considerable dam-age though note sufficient to prevent the bringing into the city of the body of the deceased.

STRUCK FROM LIST

Lengthy List of Companies No Longer on Provincial Register

The weeding out of such of the many hundreds of provincial com-panies as, although duly incorporated and registered, have latterly failed to comply with the law's exacting reuirements, proceeds apace, as evidenced by notices appearing in the current issue of the Gazette in which innouncement is made that unless ompliance is made with the statutory provisions before the 5th December the following companies will be struck from the British Coumbia register: Keough Gold & Copper Mining Co. (foreign), Iron Hope Mining & Milling Co. (foreign), British, Columbia Electric Co. (foreign), Eldon Gold & Silver Mining Co. (foreign), English-Canadian Gold Mining Co. (foreign), Arlington Hotel Co. (foreign), United States & British Coimbia Mining Co. (foreign), Kohinoor Gold Mining Co. (foreign), Saattle Mining & Smelting Co. (foreign). Blue Bird Mining Co. (foreign), Cottonwood River, B. C., Alluvial Gold Mining Co. (foreign), British Development Association Ltd. (foreign), Spokane-Kaslo Mining & Milling Co. (foreign), Trilby Mining Corporation Ltd. (foreign), L X. L. Gold Mining, & Milling Co. (foreign), White Bear

Gold Mining Co (foreign), Bowen Isl-N. Parent, erstwhile premier of Quebec, and Mining Co (foreign), Black Rock mayor of Quebec, president of the Que-Gold Mining Co. (foreign), Quesnelle Mining & Leasing Co. (foreign). Pleace Hardware Co. Ltd., Montreal, Red Mountain Goldfields Co., Ltd., Milling Co. of British Columbia Ltd., Mary May Mining Co. Ltd., Western

Exploration Co. Ltd., Superior Mining Co. Ltd., Kelley Creek Gold Min-

ing & Milling Co. of British Columbia. Ltd., Lookout Mountain Mining Co Ltd., Waneta & Trail Crek Gold Mining Co. Ltd., and Randolph-Elmore the new minister with a strenuous fight Quartz Mining & Milling Co., of Fair-

these conditions in which life is so comfortable and in which we are mak-ing material progress never before dreamed of," said he, "unless He had intended to place a responsibility on us to use these resources for the im-provement of the entire world, and we shall be lacking in our appreciation of our duty unless we take the place in advance of the column and say to the poor common people, and plain people of all the word, especially of Europe, where they are burdened down with armaments: 'We will lead Date Selected for Polling in the Case of Ministers Falls on down with armaments: 'We will lead you on and take every step possible All Saints' Day-Delay Will to abolish that awful curse of war."

PRISON FARM

OTTAWA. Oct. 12 .-- It looks like John tanfield of Colchester, N. S., to suc ceed Hon. G. H. Perley, as chief Conservative whip. Mr. Stanfield was assistant whip in the last parliament and made a great success of the job. Ottawa tonight is a castle without a government. The three branches of parlament are all absent. Extraordinary preparations are being

nade to extend a fitting popular welcome to the royal governor general and his consort when they arrive on Saturday. The city is already ablaze with bunting, and steps have been taken to

hide the ugliness attendant upon the building of the Chateau Laurier and the new-station There was no meeting of the cabine this morning. Mr. Borden was in his office from an early hour and the minis-

be Few Days Only

ters were hard at work in their respec tive departments. Everything is running smoothly, and the only sign that political revolution has taken place is the new faces which look up from behind the desks in the ministers' private

offices. Premier Borden stated this morning hat on account of November 1st, the day fixed for polling in the by-elections, being All Saints day, and therefore a public holiday in the province of Quebec, nominations and polling would be little later. No date was fixed upon, but, it is not expected to be more than two or three days later than previously arranged. Announcement will be made im

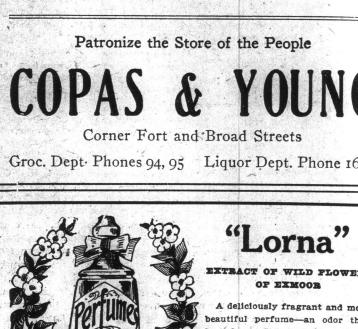
mediately when the cabinet returns from Quebec on Saturday. In the meantime some progress has been made in locating the seatless ministers. Hon. Robert Rogers is to have Alex Haggart's seat in Winnipeg, George Gordon is likely to make way for Hon.

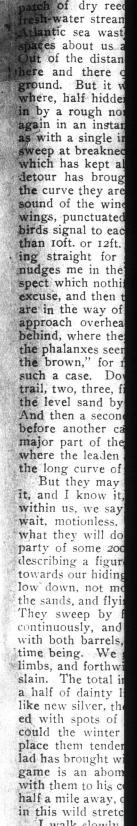
Frank Cochrane in Nipissing, and Hon. W. T. White stands a chance of getting East Middlesex if a senatorship can be found for Peter Elson. There is no guarantee that the new ministers will be returned unopposed. the disposition here being to refuse any arrangement looking to the return of Hon. W. S. Fielding, and Hon. George P. Graham to parliament. Moreover, S.

bec Bridge company and lately chairman of the National Transcontinental Railway, is encouraging a report that he will oppose Hon. L. P. Pelletier in his old riding of Quebec county. Another Quebes Rumor

QUEBEC, Oct. 12 .- There is a rumor here, that strong opposition will be made to Hon. L. P. Pelletier for re-election as postmaster general in the county of Quebec. Liberal organs here threaten







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danger o the revolution in Hu Peh province. General Yin Tchang, the minister of war, departed hurriedly today for Pao Ting Fu, 100 miles south of Pekin, where the sixth division of the army making hasty preparations to deart tomorrow for Hankow.

An imperial edict today ordered the immediate despatch of two divisions to the disaffected provinces, about 20,000 being Manchus. It is against the Manhus that the revolutionists have risen. Orders have been issued for the assembling of a fleet of warshins in the Yangtse Kiang river to unite with the land forces against the rebels. According to official reports, at least

10,000 troops have mutinied in the province of Hu Peh alone. It is reported that they captured 30 modern guns at Wu Chang. There is an unconfirmed report that the revolutionaries occupied Chang Sha on October 10.

Extra precautions have been taken in Pekin to prevent a rising, and large bodies of troops are guarding the palace.

Insurgents to Grow Stronger

A dispatch from Cheng Tu says that the insurgents in Sze Chuen province hold all the country west of the Min river between Kia Lienge, which is 85 miles south of Cheng Tu and Kwan Hsien, 15 miles north and 35 miles west of Cheng Tu.

Five hundred troops have joined the rebels and the fighting continues daily.

An imperial edict, issued today, orders the minister of war, General Yin Tchang, to proceed to Hankow with two divisions of Pekin troops, about twenty thousand of whom will be Man-The commander of the Chinese navy, Admiral Sa Chin Ping, is commanded to assemble a fleet of warships

in the Yangtse Kiang river and join the land forces in the attack on the rebels now in possession of Wu Chang, Hankow and Hang Yang.

The edict cashiers the viceroy at Wu Chang, who fled before the rebels, but at the same time orders him to return to his post and retrieve his reputation. He is threatened with severe punishment if he fails to capture Wu Chang. It is expected that the revolutionists will dynamite the bridges of the Pekin and Hankow to prevent the arrival of troops. Extraordinary precautions are being enforced hiere. Chinese passengers are forbidden to travel on the Pekin and Hankow railroad beyond Chumation Human province.

A dispatch to the British legation from Chung King says that the rebels of Eze Chuen hold the Min river and the country west and confirms earlier reports of daily fighting in the vicinity.

Upholds the Rebels

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 12 .- Rev. L. A. Lagerquist, in Omaha on a vacation, after spending 21 years in China as an inland missionary in the province of Hu Peh, stuotly champions the cause of the revolutionists in the civil war now raging in the empire. He says they are the progressives and seek justly to fore the close of the year.

view B C Ltd This week's new provincial companies, as reported by Registrar Whiteside in the official Gazette include the Arkansas-Vancouver Timber*& Lumber Co. Ltd., B. C Brass Ltd., Builders' Trust Corporation Ltd., Canadian Power & Land Co. Ltd., Dominion Match Co. Ltd. Kolts & Taylor Co. Ltd., Maple Apartments Ltd., Nanoose Harbor Land Co Ltd., Northern Investment Co., Ltd., Pither & Leiser Ltd., R. Harris & Co Ltd., Sunset Mfg. Co. Ltd., Utica Mines Ltd. (non-personal liability) Victoria Steam Laundry Co. Ltd., and Windsor Hotel Co. Ltd. The newly registered or licensed extra-provincial

companies of the week are the Canada Malleable & Steel Range Mfg. Co. Ltd., Fancy Goods Company of Canada Ltd., Scottish Insurance Corporation Ltd., Tooke Bros. Ltd., and H. E. Gleason Co.

JURY-BRIBING CHARGE

Cross Fire of Affidavits in Case of Dr. B. Clarke Hyde, on Trial for Murder the Scoond Time

gine.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 12.—"There's-a fel-low on that jury that can be bought, Leave it to me and I'll fix it." In the foregoing words, according to an affidavit made by Dr. B. Clarke Hyde, Harry Hoffman, a deputy county marshal, sought a bribe from the physician on March 6, 1910, during his first trial for the alleged murder of Col. Thomas W. Swope. The affidavit was introduced in the crim-nial court here today during a hearing on the application of Dr. Hyde's attorneys for the application of Dr. Hyde's attorneys for the application of Dr. Hyde's attorneys for the form him was made while he was being taken from the criminal court room to his cell in the county jail. Hoffman, he sald, broached the subject in this way: "Doctor, I am very friendly with you and aympathize with you in your trouble and have your interests at heart. I have something to say to you, but I am afratd to say it." Dr. Hyde in his affidavit, said he 'asninutes, while Lieutenant Powers did the piloting.

something to say to you, out I am arrate to say it." Dr. Hyde in his affidavit, said he as-sured the deputy that he need not be afraid to say anything to him, and Hoff-man finally continued: "There's a fellow on that jury that can be bought. If you will give me \$1,500 for him, you will have a hung jury. This fel-low says, however, that if there is an ac-quittal, he must have \$2,000."

"After saying repeatedly that I must keep this to myself," said Dr. Hyde, "and not mention it to my attorneys or any other person, the deputy said: 'If you will leave this to me, I'll handle the entire matter for you."

Hoffman, the accused deputy, denied the charge against him in absolute and plain terms. Counter charges of attempts of jury orbing by the friends of Hyde were made in affidavits presented by the prosecution.

in affidavits presented by the prosecution. Wirgll Conkling, county prosecutor, intro-duced an affidavit by Clare Wilson, who at the time of the Hyde trial, was em-ployed by the hotel where the jury board-ed. In her affidavit she said she was ap-proached by a man named Thomas McAn-any, who asked her if there was not some way to get to the jurymen in the hotel. The affidavit declares that McAnany said: "You are getting along in years and there is \$5,000 here for somebody and you might as well get it as anyone else." Mrs. Wilson said she ignored the propo-sition.

Work on the new geological map of the Nelson district is well advanced and O. E. Le Roy, who has charge of the work, will have the map completed be

ecause they are not satisfied with the French-Canadian representation in the Borden cabinet. The name of Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice of Canada, is mentioned

as the "strong opponent." SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT

U. S. Navy Officers Try Experiment of Alternating as Pilots of Aeroplane -Trouble with Machinery

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 12 .- Reportng that their flight, even though it did not last to the previously set destination, was in every way successful, Lieutenants G. Ellison and J. H. Towers, the navy aviators, who started for Fortress Monroe yesterday af-

ternoon, returned to the government aviation field this morning. An overheated bearing in their engine forced them to land at Smith's Point, 75 niles from Annapolis.

After taking their plane to pieces and loading it on the decks of the torpedo boat Bailey, the aviators left Smith's Point at 2 o'clock this morning. Another attempt to reach the capes will be made with a new en-

The naval officers were, particular. ly pleased with the success of their xperiment to prove that by the use of "shift control" two men, taking alternate turns as pilot, can avoid the fatigue that has accompanied all lights heretofore. Leaving Annapolis, Lieutenant Ellison acted as pilot for 20 minutes, and then rested for 20

THROUGH OREGON

President Taft Speaks to Many People on His Way to San Francisc Plea for Arbitration

ASHLAND, Ore., Oct. 12,-His oice a bit husky from constant use, but strong, President Taft "spoke" his way up the Willamette valley and cross the state of Oregon today. For hour after hour his train travelled a land that blossomed in flowers and fruit, and the folk who came to the little towns where his train paused for a minute or two brought tributes

of all sorts to the chief executive. Mr. Taft spoke on many subjects. Ie declared several times that the old battleship Oregon should be the first vessel through the Panama canal, an announcement that always brought forth cheering. He spoke on peace and arbitration and a half dozen other copics. The strain told a little on his voice, but present indications are that

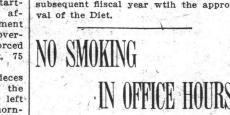
by the time he reaches San Francisco morrow the president will be speaking again with his full power. The apparent prosperity of the country through which he travelled led the president to make a new plea for ' the

arbitration treaties. "God has not given us all this pros perity, all these happy people and all

will have to be submitted to the Parliaments of the respective countries for approval. Inasmuch as the convention roes into operation from December 5th next it is impossible to defer the promulgation of the law. until after the Diet meets toward the end of that

the form of an urgent Imperial Ordinance in this country. In regard to the institution of patrols in the closed area which is enforceable simultaneously with the operation of the Convention,

he thinks the duty should properly be delegated to warships, but no arrangement is yet made concerning the matter as it entails an outlay which is to be in cluded in the Budget for the next and subsequent fliscal year with the appro-



instant, Wednesday next.

Order-in-Council Prohibits the Civil Servants of Provincial Government Using Tobacco **During Business**

Among the members of the Provincial civil service throughou: British Columbia who are numbered among the devotees of My Lady Nicotine there is hamentation. The cause is found in the recent adoption by the Irovincial Executive of an order-in-council upon which has been based an official circulav which will be mailed during the next. few days to all and sundry affected, advising them that smoking while in

the property shall be turned over to the city. It is proposed to utilize the site for civic purposes only.

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