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CHINESE BATTLE IN JUST CAUSE

Winnetka Minister in Orient
Contradicts Lurid Tales
of Extreme Violence

BLAME ON FOREIGNERS

Students and the Educated
Classes Seek Reforms

The turmoil in China today, concerning which the press of the western world is penning sensational and lurid paragraphs, is not, despite popular belief, a blood-thirsty uprising of the illiterate masses, but, on the contrary, an orderly expression of protest registered by the students and other educated Chinese against the overbearing attitude and conduct of many, if not most, of the foreigners in China.

That information comes to readers of WINNETKA TALK from Paul R. Reynolds, minister of the Winnetka Congregational church in China, who recently directed a letter regarding the Chinese upheavals to William Ayer McKinney, a leader in the local church. Of particular interest is the following extract from the letter:

Misinterpret Cause
"You have no doubt been following affairs in China during these days of turmoil. Personally I greatly fear that because of the distance, the problems of misinterpretation and other factors, the true picture has not been given to the American public. It is compared to Boxer days whereas it is as far from that sort of a movement as pole from pole."

"That movement was made up of the ignorant masses stirred to frenzy by the officials. This is a movement of the students and the educated classes. That is violence. This is definitely opposed to the use of violence and despite the lurid write-ups of blood-thirsty mobs, more than 90 percent of the killing and wounding has been by foreigners. That was a flare-up. This will continue to grow until it achieves its purposes. This movement is not primarily anti-foreign. It is against extra-territoriality; the unequal treaties, the foreign concessions, etc. It is against the overbearing attitude and conduct of many, if not most, of the foreigners in China. It is against the injustices and brutalities in the foreign mills. It is reported to be Bolshevik. There is no doubt but that the Bolshevik agents were on the job, but, as Harry Ward says, much of this student interest in the conditions of the working men and effort to help is a direct outgrowth of our mission program of religious education."

"Reds" in Minority
"A small wing of the student movement is 'Red' but only a minority. The present control is in the hands of a splendid group of leaders many of whom were trained in our Christian schools. They will hold control, unless their hand is forced by the Bourbon tactics of the foreigners. It may be that this affair will eventuate in general violence. If it does, not only the distant causes but the present factors leading to that violence will rest with the foreigners. In the face of repeated firing into unarmed groups, in the face of machine guns, armored cars, gun boats, increased landing of marines, in

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Rev. Richards to Return to Pulpit September 13

Rev. James Austin Richards, pastor of the Winnetka Congregational church, will return to his pulpit Sunday, September 13, it was announced this week. He has been at his summer home in Connecticut since early in the summer, taking a complete rest at his physician's order. Dr. Allen Hoben, president of Kalamazoo college, Kalamazoo, Mich., has been occupying the pulpit during the month of August, and will preach tomorrow and the following Sunday. Dr. Hoben is a member of the American Sociological society, the Religious Education association and the Academy of Political and Social Science. He is the author of "The Minister and the Boy" and "The Church School of Citizenship." He has been prominent in church and educational circles for many years and has been very popular with Winnetka church-goers.

HOME FROM VACATION
Miss Fisher of the Winnetka Community House staff returned Monday from her vacation which was spent at Winona Lake, Indiana. During her stay there she attended the Bible Conference and visited with friends.

Chicken Dinners Suffer as Frank Masters G. O. G.

Strenuous measures are to be adopted by Northbrook authorities, it is stated, to cause one Frank Bartelme, erstwhile conscientious director of the celebrated chicken dinner habitat in that community, to resume strict attention to duty at that notable eating haunt of the roving citizenship of Chicago's north shore.

Frank, it would appear, has passed out of the picture—in a manner of speaking. No, not that, exactly. But he simply hasn't been in evidence at the tavern for lo, these many bright sunny days.

The chief of police over there instigated a sweeping search the other day with the result that Frank was eventually located coming out of the rough at the Bunker Hill golf course.

Frank—by way of enlightening the gentle reader—had, until quite recently, adhered strictly to the class that regarded golf as an old man's game. Now, after being touched with the celebrated "bug", he finds that it is rapidly making an old man of him, so assiduously has he been chopping the tall grass and groping after the pellet in the pesky sand traps.

FAVOR TOWNS' CIVIC GROUP

Suggest Federation of North
Shore Interests

Winnetka officials, it is believed, will lend their approval to the idea, expressed recently in a letter directed by Mayor Charles Bartlett of Evanston to the Glencoe Chamber of Commerce on the occasion of that organization's Glencoe Day, of formulating a non-governmental federation of north shore communities for the purpose of protecting the common interests of the municipalities in question.

Mayor Bartlett's suggestion this week was seconded by Mayor Farwell Winston of Lake Forest, who, when interviewed, declared himself as being unreservedly in favor of the proposition.

Mayor Winston stated that the proposition is not only desirable but an ultimate necessity, adding that it has frequently occurred to him that a body of men similar to a board of directors with representatives from each town would be an invaluable influence in solving common problems of sewage, drainage, transportation and in protecting common interests against any endeavor on the part of Chicago to dissolve the individual identities of the various communities.

The Lake Forest executive emphasized the fact that the seven north shore communities, Evanston, Wilmette, Kenilworth, Winnetka, Glencoe, Highland Park and Lake Forest occupy a strategic position in relation to the expansion of Chicago. Rapid developments to the south and west of the north shore, encouraged by the new extension of the North Shore line to Libertyville provides a condition which commands the concerted alertness of the several communities that will be so directly affected, he asserted.

Signboard Ordinance Is Given More Consideration

The proposed new signboard ordinance, which has been under consideration by the village council for some time came up at the meeting held Tuesday evening of this week, but action was deferred until the next council meeting in September. This was done to give the special committee which was appointed to investigate the matter more time to consider suggestions of the Winnetka Chamber of Commerce. Some action on this matter will probably be taken at the next council meeting.

Lutheran Congregation Plans Mission Benefit

Members of the Lutheran congregation which meets every Sunday at Christ Church Parish house will give a benefit for the mission work of the denomination Sunday afternoon, August 30, at 3 o'clock, on the lawn at 379 Rosewood avenue. The benefit will be given under direction of the Rev. G. O. Mona of Chicago and the program will include music by a string band and speeches. Everyone interested in mission work is invited to attend, it is announced.

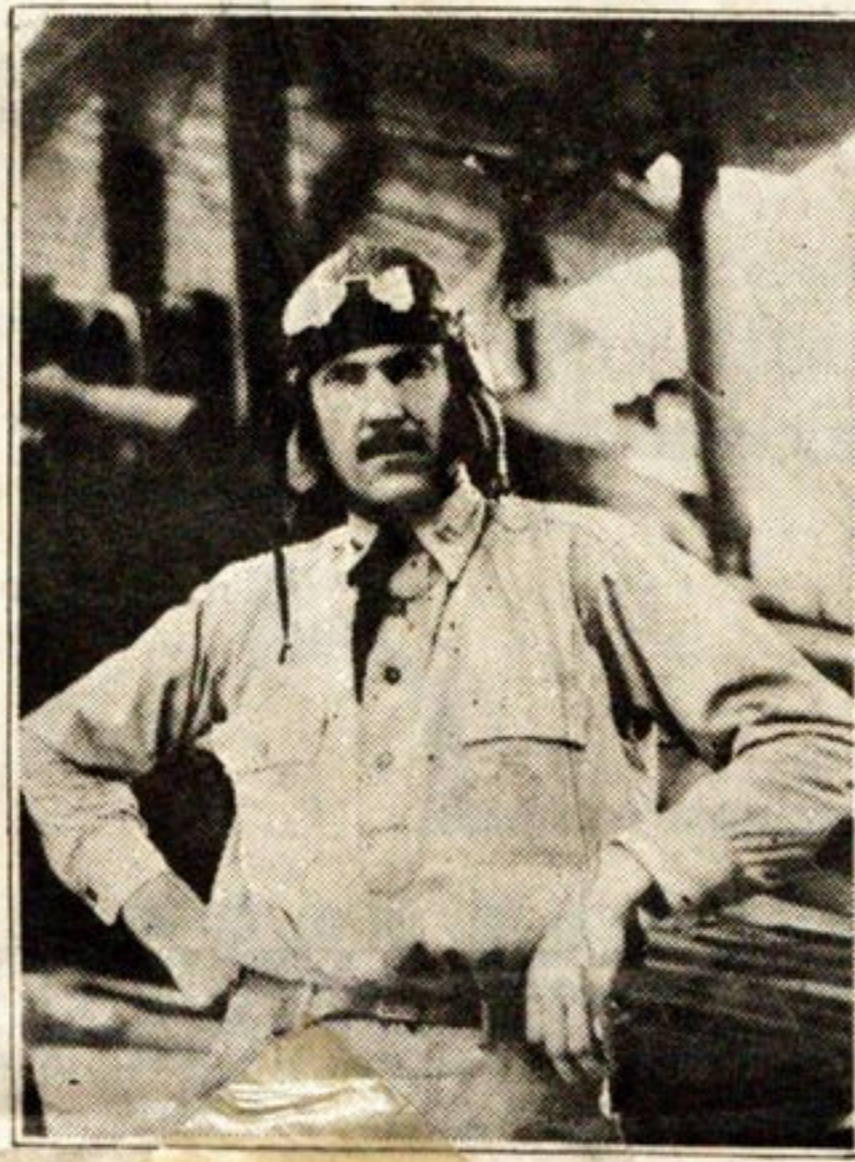
HALE TRAGEDY SHOCKS VILLAGE

Untimely Passing of Capt.
Fraser Hale Is Mourned
by Entire Community

VETERAN OF 2 WARS

Won Envious Reputation in
Aviation Service

Winnetka this week is mourning the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens in the untimely passing of Capt. Fraser Hale, U. S. army pilot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Hale, 761 Foxdale avenue, who was instantly killed when his plane fell on a golf



Capt. Fraser Hale

course at White Sulphur Springs, Va., Sunday.

Captain Hale's mechanic, Earl C. Norris, also was killed. Services for Capt. Hale, veteran of the World war and the Punitive expedition into Mexico, were held Wednesday afternoon at Arlington cemetery and were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Hale, a brother, Norris, and the Rev. E. Ashley Gerhard, rector of Christ church. In the course of the military service army planes flew over the grave, symbolizing the air men's final honors to a fallen comrade.

Guest at Country Club
Captain Hale had been spending the week-end with friends at White Sulphur Springs, having flown from his headquarters at the Bolling aviation field near Washington on Saturday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Payne of Atlanta, Ga., at the Green Brier resort near White Sulphur Springs. His plane had been parked on one of the fairways of the Green Brier golf course, preparatory to the return flight and a large group of guests at the club casino witnessed the fatal accident when the plane, rising to an altitude of about 100 feet, suddenly fell into a nose dive, crashed to the ground, was enveloped in flames and brought instant death to the pilot and his mechanic.

Fraser Hale was born at Park Hill, Ontario, Canada, February 4, 1893, and came to Winnetka in 1894. He was

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Elmer Is Still Reminded of His Glorious Victory

The gentlemen who faded before the prowess of one Elmer E. Adams and his partner, Fred Radner, at horse-shoes last Winnetka day, are welcome to the consoling information that Elmer's gain in one regard was a painful experience in another.

Elmer, commander-in-chief of the local postal establishment, has been all but hobbling to and from work these days. Only the other night he gave out the interesting information—with appropriate demonstrations—that he was still physically impaired as a result of the strenuous, not to mention painful victory.

Nevertheless Elmer and Fred are the recipients of numerous challenges for matches and it is not unlikely that the court on the rear lawn of the Nash C. Cazal residence at 860 Pine street, may become the scene of a thrilling tournament before the long winter evenings replace the outdoor sport with the fire-side checker engagements.

Elmer will be pleased to harken to all challengers, but don't call him during business hours.

LAST CALL FOR TEACHER HOMES

P. T. A. Anxious to Hear
from Householders

Last call for homes for our public school teachers!

The plea is sounded by Mrs. C. L. Byron, who, in the name of the Winnetka Parent-Teacher association, is interested in securing adequate housing facilities for the teachers who are soon to arrive in the village to assume the duty of instructing the youth of the community.

While residents have been responding heartily to the request for household furnishings for the new teacher apartments in the Eckart building, the Parent-Teacher association has been unable as yet to guarantee a sufficient number of rooms for all the teachers.

Mrs. Byron, who is charged with the duty of securing these rooms in various Winnetka homes, is anxious to hear from householders who may have rooms to rent during the school season. She may be reached by calling Winnetka 461.

In commenting upon the matter of securing furnishings for the teacher apartments, Mrs. Byron expressed gratification over the splendid response from local householders.

"We have secured most of the essentials" she said, "but could use a variety of those colorful things that contribute so richly to the home-like atmosphere of living quarters. We suggest, for instance, curtains, portieres, day bed covers, table covers, lamps and lamp shades, pictures and picture frames, book-ends, candle-sticks, bric-a-brac, book-shelves, rugs and other of the incidentals which mean the difference between a room that is merely a living place and one that constitutes a real home."

Prompt response to the appeal of the Parent-Teacher association is desirable since but two weeks remain before the opening of schools when the teachers must be established in their rooms. Articles contributed may be left at the Horace Mann school, or, in the event that is not possible, the Parent-Teacher association will be pleased to attend to the matter of providing a conveyance.

New Trier Opens Doors for New Year Sept. 14

New Trier High school students and faculty will begin their season's work Monday morning, September 14, at 8:30 o'clock, it was announced by the high school authorities this week. At that time all students who plan to attend the school are expected to report. There will be a special meeting for all teachers Saturday morning, September 12, in Room 215 at 9 o'clock.

The book store at the school will be open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings before the beginning of school, it was announced, so that those pupils who wish to avoid the Monday morning rush may be accommodated.

A very large enrollment is expected this year and with the new facilities and improvements which were completed last year and are contemplated in the future, the school will be one of the most completely equipped in the United States, it is said. Twelve new teachers have been added to the faculty.

CHURCH LEADERS AT STONE RITES

Chicago and Evanston Men
to Conduct Sacred Heart
Ceremonies Sunday

PROCESSION FEATURES

Loyola University President
Gives Sermon

Sacred Heart parish, Hubbard Woods, will celebrate the laying of the cornerstone of its new church edifice with impressive ceremonies next Sunday, August 30, at which Monsignor P. L. Bierman of Evanston will officiate. The rites will be attended by church people throughout the north shore.

The new church to be located at Tower road and Burr avenue, Hubbard Woods, is to be of early English Gothic architecture, constructed of Bedford stone. It promises to be one of the finest church structures on the north shore, and will stand as a monument to the efforts of the pastor, the Rev. F. J. Haarth, who started the parish some 25 years ago.

Altars of Marble
The main altar and the two side altars, the communion railing and the pulpit will be of marble. The windows are imported. There will be an entrance from the church to the new parsonage, in which will be located an office that can be reached from the church building as well as the parsonage. Off of the entrance will be a room to be used by the ushers.

The architect is Herman Gaul, of Chicago. The contractor is Albert P. Kloepfer, of Winnetka. The mason work is being done by Anton Wagner.

The parish has grown from a few families to more than 300 families, a circumstance which has made this new building necessary.

Start With Procession
The stone-laying ceremonies will begin at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon when a parade will form along Center street between Tower road and Elm street. Each family of the parish has been requested to be represented in this parade with an automobile decorated with flags or banners. The boys' band from St. Mary's Training school at DesPlaines has been secured to head the parade. The procession will be in charge of Col. John V. Clinin, marshal, and Maj. William H. King, Jr., as his aid. It will move at 3 o'clock from the corner of Center and Elm streets, and the line of march will be as follows: south on Linden to Willow street, east on Willow to Maple, north on Maple to Elm, west on Elm to Lincoln, north on Lincoln to Tower road, Tower road to Green Bay road, thence north on Green Bay road into Greenleaf avenue, Glencoe, north on Greenleaf to Park avenue, west on Park avenue to Greenwood, south on Greenwood to Tower road and east on Tower road to the church. The cars will then park west of Burr avenue on Gordon terrace, and on north and south streets west of Burr avenue. There will be no parking on the blocks surrounding the church.

Loyola Head to Preach
The children of the parish will assemble in the old church building, and there will be a procession consisting of the children, the clergy and the Holy Name Society Glee club, from the old church building to the new building. At 4 o'clock the cornerstone laying ceremony will take place. Monsignor P. L. Bierman, of Evanston, will officiate. The Very Rev. William Agnew, S. J., president of Loyola university, will preach the sermon.

Service Yard Building Will Be in Use Soon

Winnetka's new service yard building, on Center street between Pine and Fig streets, is now nearing completion. Great care was taken in designing this building to provide something at once beautiful and servicable and the result is said to be the most artistic building of its kind on the north shore. Village Manager H. L. Woolhiser announced this week that the Village expects to occupy the new building within the next two weeks.

ANNOUNCE SUNDAY SERVICES
The Scandinavian Evangelical church will hold its regular services Sunday, August 30, with H. O. Olney as the principal speaker. On Wednesday evening there will be a service at 8 o'clock, and the Young Peoples' class will meet Thursday evening, the services to be conducted by Mr. Olney.

DID
YOU
FIND A
SUIT CASE?

LOST—STRAW SUITCASE
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Shore electric, 2:30 p.m.
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Indian Hill and Church st.
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or for information. 67 Warwick
Ave., Winn.

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