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## RUSSIAN CASE GROWS DESPERATE

News From Port Arthur Is Very Discouraging, and the Outlook Gloomy.

## FINAL SORTIE OF SQUADRON.

It May Be Expected at Any Time and Must Not Let Japs Get One Ship.

## KUROPATKIN PLANS A MYSTERY.

Crane Will Require Some Time in Order to Prepare for Another Aggressive Movement.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 16, 1904 p. m.—The Japanese are now expected to redouble their efforts before Port Arthur, where the news received is not encouraging. In spite of the success which hitherto has attended the defense, the Russian lines are being drawn closer, the garrison is undergoing severe privations, and its resisting power is weakening under the strain. A final sortie of the Russian squadron at Port Arthur may be expected at any time. When the command of the squadron was turned over to Rear Admiral Witte he received strict instructions that if the fortress falls not one of the Russian ships must fall into the hands of the Japanese.

There is considerable mystery about Kuropatkin's plans. Although all the information obtainable indicates that his army is still around Mukden and the official intimations are that Kuropatkin does not contemplate retiring further at present there is considerable speculation on these points. About all that is definitely known is that a considerable number of his troops have already gone north; that the heights near the Liao river at Tie pass have been fortified; that the pass has been secured, and that cavalry is scouting wide on the Russian flanks to signal the first indication of a new turning movement on the part of the Japanese. Only outpost skirmishes of little importance have been reported. News from the front is exceedingly meagre, and the present lull in the operations in Manchuria is expected to continue for several weeks. Ever since Gen. Kuropatkin's retreat was definitely accomplished, the best informed military circles were convinced that Field Marshal Oyama could not immediately renew his aggressive tactics. All the information since received regarding the condition of the Japanese armies has strengthened the conviction that Oyama will require a considerable time to organize a new advance, and it is now believed that he will probably await reinforcements of men and guns, to make good his losses at Liao Yang. These, it is reported, will be ready to leave Japan at the end of the month. Moreover, it would create no surprise here if a Japanese diversion were made in the direction of Vladivostok to prepare the way for a renewal of aggressive operations against Mukden. In the meantime Kuropatkin is also obtaining reinforcements. A large number of guns and some independent troops are on their way to the front, and the first detachment of the Odessa corps is expected to be on its way east by train tomorrow.

## JAPANESE NOW CONCENTRATING.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 16, 6:35 p. m.—The Associated Press dispatch from Mukden announcing that according to information from Chinese sources the Japanese are leaving a garrison at Liao Yang and their main force is concentrating at Bentsiaiputze, 20 miles southeast of Mukden, and that another force, whose strength has not been established, is moving up the Liao valley. The greater part of Field Marshal Oyama's party, however, is still near Yen Tai, encamped along the heights between the mines and the railroads. While the war office does not expect an immediate advance the preliminary dispositions of the Japanese forces are taken to indicate that the Japanese intend when they advance to strike from the eastward. They seem to be avoiding the territory west of the Liao river, possibly because it is flat and would give the Russians the advantage of their superiority in cavalry.

## CHINESE RESIDENTS FLEEING TO MUKDEN.

Gen. Sakahara, telegraphs a formal denial of several of Oyama's statements. He says the alleged dum-dum bullets found at Liao Yang are simply the regulation square-nosed bullets of the service revolver. They are of the same caliber as the Russian rifle, and the bullets are all lead, are not jacketed and are in no wise dum-dums. The general also denies the statement that the Japanese captured a large quantity of ammunition. He says they only obtained possession of a few boxes of empty cartridges, and says it is not true that the Russian rolling stock fell into the hands of the Japanese. Only two old trucks, he adds, were left on a siding.

## CAPTAIN OF THE LENA AQUIESCES IN DISARMAMENT

Washington, Sept. 16.—Announcing that Capt. Berlinsky, commanding the Russian transport Lena at San Francisco, acquiesces in all the details of the process of disarmament prescribed by this government and would at once proceed to take advantage of the permission, reached the navy department last night in a telegram from Rear Admiral Goodrich, commander-in-chief of the Pacific.

Capt. Pillsbury, acting chief of the bureau of navigation, today transmitted copies of the instructions sent Rear Admiral Goodrich to the secretary of the department of treasury and commerce and labor.

San Francisco, Sept. 16.—The Russian transport Lena, which reached this port in a weather stained condition, is being painted a brilliant black. Last night given a dinner on board of the Lena were by the war department officers of the latter, the flagship's band giving a concert.

San Francisco, Sept. 16.—The United

## STATES CRUISER BOSTON RETURNED TODAY

from her short cruise outside of this harbor. She is not reported as having sighted any foreign naval vessels. In speaking of their trip, Admiral Goodrich said:

"I deemed it best, in the interest of this government and also of the merchant marine, to send out the Boston. There had been so many conflicting rumors that I felt that it was advisable for her to cruise up and down the coast. She kept me closely informed of her movements by means of her system of wireless telegraphy. The workings of the machine have been absolutely perfect, and this practical test of the system has been of incalculable value."

## ARMENIAN CHURCHMEN.

### Eminent Ones Coming to Plead Cause of Armenians in Turkey.

London, Sept. 15.—H. Sarabian, archbishop of the Armenian church in America, and Dr. Jean Louis Melik, representing the Armenians of the Caucasus, are expected to arrive by the supreme patriarch of the Armenian church to visit the chief representatives of the great powers and appeal to them to compel the sultan of Turkey to preserve order and tranquility in Armenia, will sail for New York tomorrow for the purpose of visiting the Armenian patriarch in the Armenian church in the city of Constantinople.

## FRENCH WORKMEN.

### A Delegation of Them Coming to Study American Ways.

Paris, Sept. 15.—A delegation of French workmen, sent at the government's expense, will sail for New York tomorrow on its way to St. Louis. The industries represented are the manufacture of cotton, musical instruments, shoes, hats, machinery, tools and railway supplies. Experts in commercial affairs and in mail distribution and the heads of the national labor organizations, MM. Burion and Roussau, accompany the party.

## UNITED MINE WORKERS MAY LEAVE FEDERATION.

Pueblo, Colo., Sept. 15.—The United Mine Workers of America, under the leadership of Charles H. Moyer, of the Western Federation of Miners today to discuss the advisability of cutting itself off from the national organization of United Mine Workers and join the Western Federation. The negotiations have been conducted secretly, and the exact status is not known, but according to the best sources of information the change will be effected. The executive board withdrawing its financial support for continuing the strike in this district last fall, which at the time caused much bitter feeling among the miners. There is some opposition to the proposed change, but it is not expected to be strong enough to defeat the movement.

## WOUNDED COSSACKS.

### Twenty-Six Are Brought into Mukden.

Mukden, Sept. 15.—Early this morning 26 wounded men belonging to Maj. Gen. Mitchenko's Cossack division were brought into Mukden. Particulars of the skirmish are not available. It is not clear whether it was a simple outpost affair or the beginning of the real Japanese advance on Mukden.

## CALLERS ON JUDGE PARKER.

New York, Sept. 16.—Callers began to arrive at the Hotel Astor early to see Judge Parker. Among the first to arrive was Congressman Sulzer. Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall, was in close conference with Judge Parker for half an hour, but nothing was given out as to the matters discussed. It was said at the hotel that James J. Hill probably would call.

## ROCK ISLAND ROBBERS.

### Men Suppose to be They Elude Pursuing Posses.

Winfield, Iowa, Sept. 16.—The men discovered last Wednesday on a farm six miles from here and who were believed to be the Rock Island train robbers, have eluded the posses.

## NAPOLEON SHIPLEY DEAD.

Pittsburg, Sept. 16.—Napoleon Shipley, a former postmaster at Washington, D. C., and for years one of the most successful and largest oil speculators in the country, died yesterday at the city poor farm, aged 53 years. Although the possessor of a large fortune, he had been bankrupt for some time, and his estate was valued at over \$200,000 being sunk in a single oil venture. Shipley was prominent in political circles at the national capital at the time of the Civil war, and when he died well to do relatives in Baltimore, Cleveland, Parkersburg, Pittsburg and New Orleans.

## GYPSUM PLANT BURNED.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Fire destroyed the plant of the United States Gypsum company in South Chicago today; loss, \$75,000.

## STRIKE ON PENNSYLVANIA.

### Employees Are Voting Today on The Proposition.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 16.—Grand Master Morrissey, of the Brotherhood of Trainmen, referring to the ballot now being taken by the members of the organization on the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh in connection with the proposition to strike, said today:

"There is no question of recognition of the brotherhood involved. There are no issues between the employees and the company which could not be readily adjusted if the officials would meet the commission representing the men on the same basis and in the same spirit that prevails on railroads generally, including the lines of the Pennsylvania company east of Pittsburgh and Erie."

"The questions involved are simply the adoption of working rules similar to those in force on other trunk lines in the territory. Some requests for increase of wages have also been presented, which, of course, are doubtful. But the men have had no fair opportunity to discuss these with the Pennsylvania manager."

## MEXICAN INDEPENDENCE.

### Ninety-Fourth Anniversary of It Is Celebrated.

St. Louis, Sept. 16.—The ninety-fourth anniversary of the independence of the republic of Mexico was celebrated at the Mexican national world's fair pavilion today with a concert by a Mexican military band and a reception. In the Mexican exhibits badges bearing the Mexican national colors were distributed to visitors.

## Return of Prest. to Washington.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 16.—Arrangements have been made for the return of the president and his family to Washington. They will leave Oyster Bay at 11 o'clock on Thursday, the 22nd inst., in a special train.

## COST OF PANAMA CANAL BUILDING.

### Chief Engineer Wallace Asserts It Can Be Greatly Reduced Below the French Figures.

Washington, Sept. 16.—R. M. Arango, a graduate of one of the American technical schools, has been appointed consulting manager on the staff of Chief Engineer Wallace in the Panama canal construction. He is practically charged to assist in building an aqueduct to supply the city of Panama with water. It also is proposed in the interest of the health of the employees to lay pipe lines to supply fresh and pure water to the great force of laborers at the Culebra cut and at other camps along the line of work. Chief Engineer Wallace has been making estimates of the cost of the work already done with the result that he feels safe in asserting that the cost of the canal construction can be greatly reduced below the French figures through the employment of modern high grade American machinery as a substitute for manual labor.

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## COLOMBIA NOT SATISFIED.

### She Still Wants Redress for Panama Incident.

Paris, Sept. 15.—A violent interview with Gen. Jorge Holguin, one of the commanders of the Colombian troops, who marched on Barranquilla when Colombia contemplated an attempt to invade Panama, is printed here. In Gen. Holguin, arguing the letter of M. Bunsau-Varilla, former minister of Panama in the United States, published here Sept. 12, maintaining the correctness of the American course throughout the Panama transaction and declaring that President Roosevelt, in protecting Panama against Colombia performed his bounden duty. His whole policy and his duty, beyond his duty, asserts that M. Bunsau-Varilla and the United States adopted an irregular course and declares that Colombia has not abandoned the intention of securing redress.

## EMPEROR NICHOLAS CONGRATULATES KUROPATKIN

London, Sept. 16.—A dispatch to a news agency from Mukden dated Sept. 15, says that in a general order issued by Gen. Kuropatkin today the following message from Emperor Nicholas to the general was published:

"I see from your report that you were unable to hold the fortress of Liao Yang owing to the enemy threatening to cut off your communications. The retreat of the whole army in such difficult circumstances and over such terrible roads was an operation excellently carried out in the face of great difficulties. I thank you and your splendid troops for their heroic and continued self-sacrifice. God guard you."

(Signed) NICHOLAS.

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"I am quite sure that in the work that lies before the Manchurian army every soldier will put forth his best efforts to achieve victory over the enemy and become worthy of the confidence of the emperor."

Kuropatkin ordered to emperor's message to be read to all the troops with solemn ceremony.

## KILLED BY SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 16.—August Koch, restaurant proprietor, was run down and killed by a Southern Pacific train within the city limits this morning during a dense fog.

## ALTMAN-DUNCAN FUED.

### It Breaks Out Again, Two Men Being Killed.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 16.—The Altman-Duncan feud at Baxter has broken out again. It is reported that two men have been killed and a number wounded. Dispatches from Baxter say the situation is critical and unless troops are speedily brought to the scene there will be further bloodshed.

## Canadian Thanksgiving Day.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 16.—An order has been passed by the government appointing Thursday, Nov. 17, a day of thanksgiving in the Dominion.

## STRIKERS REHired.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Almost 500 former strikers were hired today to take their old places at the Union stockyards, and an exodus of non-union men began. All told about 17,000 strikers are at work, 8,000 still awaiting employment.

## Sen. Fairbanks in Washington.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Senator Fairbanks of Indiana, Republican nominee for vice president, arrived here today. Accompanied by Senator Scott of West Virginia and Col. Daniel Randall, the sergeant-at-arms of the senate, Senator Fairbanks boarded the special train, on which he will make his campaign trip throughout West Virginia. The special immediately pulled out for Parkersburg, where he will participate in the opening of the campaign in that state today. The senator made a number of speeches en route, the first one being at Harper's Ferry.

## ITALIAN SOCIALISTS.

### They Have Decided on a General Strike Throughout Italy.

Rome, Sept. 16, 1:25 p. m.—To protest against a conflict between strikers and a Saradinian and Sicilian, the Socialists have decided upon a general strike throughout Italy, which began today at Milan and threatens to spread through the whole peninsula. The government has taken extraordinary measures to suppress the strike and has stopped all telegrams referring to it.

## Passengers Shaken Up.

New York, Sept. 16.—Two train loads of passengers were badly shaken up and four persons received cuts and bruises in a rear-end collision on the Fifth Avenue line of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit today.

## AN HEIR TO THRONE OF ITALY IS BORN.

### His Title Will be Prince of Piedmont and He Will be Christened Humbert.

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## W. E. LYONS GOES BACK TO HIS WIFE.

### Divorce Case Which Gave Promise of a Sensation is Called Off.

"I received today a telegram from the American government in the matter. While, of course, it is for my government to indicate its views in the matter, I doubt not that the promptness of the American officials will cause satisfaction to the authorities at Tokio."

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## NEW PARTY THE RESULT OF TOM KEARNS'S MISERABLE FAILURE.

This interesting item is clipped from the editorial columns of the Ogden Standard of today evening:

"The new party is the result of the failure of Thomas Kearns in his effort to dictate politics in Utah. For two years past Senator Kearns and his followers have given it out cold that 'the first presidency would guarantee to return Thomas Kearns to the United States senate or he would pop.' The following conversation took place between the editor of this paper and an employee of Senator Kearns, and one who stands high in the councils of the Kearns campaign:

"Editor:—The Republican executive committee is going to meet with your boss tonight and patch up peace."

"Kearns:—Patch up hell."

"Editor:—What's the matter with you?"

"Kearns:—Employment—The Republican executive committee can't patch up anything with Kearns; send down Joseph F. Smith. He is the man we want to do business with and he will either return Thomas Kearns to the senate or a new Liberal party will be organized and raise hell with the Church."

"The editor of this paper called several men to listen to the above conversation, too, and if the Tribune had the names of the employees, we would gladly publish it."

"We simply give this one conversation to show that the Salt Lake Tribune and Senator Kearns have started a fight on the Mormon church influence, but because they refused to use it in behalf of Thomas Kearns."

## IN SORE DISTRESS.

### "Americans" Figured on Herald But Didn't Get It.

Well grounded rumor hath it that the promoters of the "American" party (head office United States district attorney's rooms, branch office, Atlas block) has experienced a dash of cold water in the face by learning that it could not count on the support of the Salt Lake Herald. The organizers (head office United States district attorney's rooms, branch in the Atlas block) would fall in behind the Tribune, and that they would have two full-fledged party organs. It is well known that the Herald people did some active wiring to Senator Clark, and in some circles it was thought that that gentleman's close business affiliations with Senator Kearns might induce him to follow the suit of the former Republican organ. Senator Clark's answer, however, was firmly and vigorously to the effect that an entangling alliance should be formed, and that the Herald should keep away from the "American" movement altogether.

The Associated Press dispatches of the 15th say that Senator Clark was in conference with Chairman Targat that day, and that he pledged Montana for the Democratic party.

## A NOTE OF WARNING.

### Editor Glasman Gives Some Wholesome Advice.

In a recent issue of the Ogden Standard Editor Glasman has this to say:

"Our advice is for Gentiles to go slow in their effort to unite the non-Mormons into one party in opposition to the Church of Utah. Two can play at that game."

Do we want the old conditions brought back? Do we want business at a standstill? Do we want progress here? Has not the "Mormon" majority of Utah been fair to the Gentile minority in distributing offices? Would the Gentiles under the present conditions have given the "Mormons" as

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## SUMMIT REPUBLICANS.

### Nominate Fred Rasband for Senate and Name County Ticket.

At the senatorial convention held yesterday in Park City, the Republicans of Summit county nominated Fred Rasband for the Legislature on the first ballot. The convention was called to order by John Pickett and Alma Eldredge of Coalville was made permanent chairman, with C. P. Pisk as permanent secretary. Commendations were named as follows: Creditors, James Don, George Beard and William Archibald; resolutions, Henry Welsh, L. V. Wright, H. L. Hansen; permanent organization, J. M. Lockhart, Alex. Wright and Peter Martin. Nineteen delegates were selected for the senatorial convention, and these met at 1 p. m. and nominated Mr. Rasband of Park City on the first ballot.

In the afternoon the county convention met, when the following ticket was chosen without opposition:

Representative, M. J. Dailley; assessor, Peter Martin; treasurer, James Don; county attorney, Frank Evans; county clerk, Walter Caldwell; recorder, L. Eldredge; sheriff, A. R. Berry; county commissioner, William Archibald (four years); J. P. Hoyt (two years); county superintendent of schools, P. J. Sanders; surveyor, R. A. Jones.

Henry Welsh was made chairman of the county committee and S. L. Radford vice chairman.

## Juab County Socialists.

The Juab county Socialists met yesterday at Eureka and named the following legislative, judicial and county ticket:

For state senator, George B. Hobbs of Nephi; representative, J. Zirkler of Eureka; judge of eighth judicial district, Joseph F. Wilkins of Cedar City; district attorney, Joseph Stevenson of Cedar City; county commissioners, R. T. Bailey of Nephi (four-year term), E. R. Isaacson of Eureka (two-year term); county clerk, M. J. Hansen of Mammoth; assessor, C. A. Wing of Eureka; treasurer, Mrs. Bessie Sparks of Nephi; county attorney, Byron Wheelock of Mammoth; recorder, Nels Lundstine of Levan; surveyor, Reuben Carter of Mona; sheriff, George Stakel of Eureka; county superintendent of schools, Elliott Miller of Nephi.

## POLITICAL POINTERS.

R. F. Clay, Idaho's Democratic nominee for Congress, is in the city to remain for a day or two.

The Republicans of the Fourth precinct will hold a meeting tonight in the Twentieth ward annex on Second street. Those booked for speeches are Judge Frick, James Devine, Judge Bowman, W. W. Hutchinson, Thomas Hull and A. B. Irvine.

The Young Men's Democratic club will have a barbecue at the Salt Palace Sept. 27.

Peter S. Condie emphatically states that he is a candidate for sheriff on the Republican ticket.

When it comes to the "truth in housing" law, did not Judge Hiles swear before the senate committee on privileges and elections that Hon. J. L. Rawlins was a "Mormon"?

A Skotchey Hyslop played to a "full" house at Hogle's yesterday.

P. J. Daly, a prominent tax-payer of this city, who is assessed at \$34, has gone on record as saying that "the avalanche has started." This is awful.

People on the street today are wondering where the candidates for the full ticket will come from, after the Tribune staff is used up.

"One thing Kearns will get out of this move," said an attorney on Main street today, "is an apparent squaring of his back to those who have been in the east, that he would be back, because he found it easy money to buy his way back, by throwing the blame for his defeat on the influences they will join with him in hating. This seems what he wanted most to do anyhow, as the chagrin of remembering things he had said was more than he could bear in the hour of defeat."

It was hard to find a man in Salt Lake today, outside of the few ring leaders of the "Tom" party, who would speak openly in its behalf, and there were not lacking those who considered it to be maliciously harmful to Utah's best interests. It is not thought much harm will be done Utah here is well known that if its leaders could get the offices they failed in getting, the party would die a sudden death.

The great St. Thomas with his life dedicated to a high cause, seems to be taking to the tall timber that the odium of having his gang connected with his name may be less. Portland is a good place to be under the circumstances.

"The organization effected Wednesday night is no mere exaggeration or experimentalists and adventurers. It is made up of the best men," Ed. Thompson, Henry from the gambling joint, Galeazzi, et al., were there. Powers, Allen, Salisbury, Luman, et al., were not.

The Tribune recently stated that Judge C. C. Goodwin bolted from the state to assume editorial charge of the Montana Record rather than face and endorse the Republican ticket here. That he was called by the publication over the signature of Judge Goodwin of a letter in Goodwin's Weekly yesterday, which concludes as follows: "My coming here was due to negotiations begun before the date of the Republican convention, but when the nominations were made, it seemed to me there was nothing to do up to election day but to support the ticket. I am so proclaimed in the Weekly. To everyone who suggested the starting of a new party before election I replied that it would be suicidal, that it would jeopardize the national and state tickets. I have not changed my mind, considering how it was started. I am not a party man. I am a man of the best faith."

"Senator Reed Smoot, Apostle Francis Lyman and Apostle Penrose had a conference in the editorial rooms of the Deseret News yesterday."

We need hardly say that the above is from the Salt Lake Tribune, and is a lie out of whole cloth, manufactured, doubtless, for the purpose of strengthening the old cry of "Church influence."

## WILL NOT ASSAULT PORT ARTHUR.

### Japanese Will Compel Its Capitulations by Famine, Says Baron Hayashi.

Paris, Sept. 16.—The Matin today published a long interview with Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister in London, who is quoted as saying: