

## JAPAN IS BITTER TOWARD FRANCE

Cause is Assistance that Has  
Been Given Russian Second  
Pacific Squadron.

### MAY INVOKE BRITISH ALLIANCE

English Authorities Believed to Have  
Used Friendly Counsels With  
Both Sides.

Tokio, May 9.—The feeling of resentment against France for the assistance given to the Russian Second Pacific Squadron continues to run high and is finding expression in a variety of ways. The fearfulness of the Russian squadron and the nature of the preparations which Admiral Rojestvensky is known to have made in French waters seem to have suddenly convinced the people that it would have been impossible for Rojestvensky to come to the far east without outside assistance, which has given a sinister tone to the popular resentment.

In the crisis many eyes are turned toward Great Britain for assistance. It is argued that France rescued Rojestvensky from absolute failure to reach the China sea and that the final aid given to the Russians in Indo-China amounts to an act of belligerency, and there are many demands that Japan invoke the alliance with Great Britain.

Formerly a large section of the public was inclined to view with leniency the French acts of friendship for Russia on account of the former's delicate position as ally and creditor. The suspicion that Rojestvensky was not a welcome guest at Kamranh bay and that he was presuming upon French hospitality also tempered the feeling of resentment. But recent events are removing these attitudes and the national sentiment is uniting in unconditional insistence that France preserve neutrality.

The Japanese government has not taken the people of this country into its confidence. Since the Kamranh bay incident nothing has been officially made known except that the government was making vigorous representations at Paris, while proceeding carefully and cautiously, not desiring to resort to extreme measures while a hope of an adjustment exists.

#### BRITISH SENTIMENT.

Paris, May 9.—The arrival in Paris today of Paul Cambon, the French ambassador in London, from a conference with Foreign Secretary Lansdowne, probably will permit the authorities here to learn the sentiment in British official circles concerning French observance of neutrality.

Thus far only informal representations have been made from Great Britain, but it is gathered that informal talks between officials in London and Paris have permitted the British authorities to use friendly counsels with both sides toward preventing the controversy from acquiring an acute form. Premier Rouvier, Foreign Minister Delcasse and Colonial Secretary Clemenceau are acting together in the adoption of various measures to secure the observance of neutrality. Admiral Touchard, chief of the naval staff, holds frequent conferences with M. Rouvier and M. Delcasse relative to orders to the French squadron in the far east. The officials here having done their utmost, are holding Admiral De Jonquieres and other officers in Indo-China personally responsible for the execution of their orders.

The newspapers do not show a menacing attitude.

French naval critics maintain that Japan's real intention is to induce France to drive Admiral Rojestvensky northward, thus assisting in the execution of Admiral Togo's naval strategy.

#### JAPANESE PRESS COMMENTS.

Tokio, May 10.—The Jiji hopes that France will cease her flagrant and deliberate breaches of her pledges of neutrality, in reference to the treatment accorded the Russian Second Pacific Squadron in French waters, and satisfaction is expressed at British representations to the government in Paris, showing that England is alive to the danger menacing Japanese interests.

The Nippon says that French interests in Russia are more of a financial and economical character, than political, and that the alliance between the countries has ceased to be of any practical benefit in Europe. It expresses the belief that France is upholding the alliance because her honor is pledged diplomatically.

#### LOEB'S LUCKY ESCAPE.

Not Served With Summons in  
Suit of Mae Wood.

Missouri Valley, Ia., May 9.—William Loeb, Jr., secretary to the president, passed safely through Des Moines without being served with summons in an action filed by Miss Mae Wood, demanding \$35,000 on a charge of conspiring to deprive her of certain misadventures alleged to have been written to her by a United States senator. The secretary's escape from service was the result of a change in the itinerary of the presidential special by which the train was diverted to the tracks of the Elkhorn division of the Chicago & Northwestern at Fremont, Neb., and run in Missouri Valley, Ia., where connection was made with the main line. The change left Douglas county, Nebraska, and the sheriff with his summons about 30 miles off the route of the special. No announcement had been made of the altered plans until

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### EQUITABLE LIFE DIRECTORS SERVED WITH SUMMONS

New York, May 9.—The directors of the Equitable Life Assurance society were all being served today with the summons in the suit being brought by Senator Edgar T. Brackett at Saratoga Springs, on behalf of Mary Young, who sues as a policyholder and stockholder, for an accounting by all the directors of the Equitable.

Senator Denew and Vice President Hyde had been served yesterday. A big corps of process servers started out today with summons for the remainder of the 50 directors. None of the defendants had been served with the complaints today.

The reply of President James W. Alexander of the Equitable Life Assurance society to the complaint of Vice President James H. Hyde that the interests of the Hyde stock of which Mr. Alexander has been trustee, was made in a brief filed in the New York state supreme court in Brooklyn today.

The case of a life insurance company conducted on the mutual plan, as the Hyde stockholders contend, is the real parties in interest are the policyholders, and the legislature has the undoubted right to give the policyholders the control of their own interests.

Concerning the allegation that Mr. Alexander had been delinquent in his duty as trustee of the Equitable stock held by the Hyde estate, the brief asserts:

"Any charge that Mr. Alexander has in any way wronged Mr. Hyde is absolutely without foundation."

### A SHOOTING IN TEXAS.

W. T. Eldridge Shoots and Kills  
Edward Calhoun on a Train.

Houston, Tex., May 9.—Edward Calhoun was shot and killed on board an incoming San Antonio & Aransas Pass train at Falls today by W. T. Eldridge of San Antonio, Tex., formerly vice president and general manager of the Cane Belt railroad. Calhoun is a brother-in-law of Captain William O. Donovan, who was killed by Eldridge at the same place on a passenger train on the same road. Eldridge was recently acquitted of murdering Capt. Donovan.

Today's tragedy grew out of the murder of Donovan and subsequent attempts made upon the life of Eldridge. Eldridge was shot through the lungs by an unknown party, but recovered. Dissection over the control of the Cane Belt railroad, in which Eldridge and Donovan were jointly interested resulted in the killing of Donovan, since which time a feud is said to have existed between relatives of the deceased and Eldridge. All of the parties are prominent.

### SCHILLER FESTIVAL.

Impressive Ceremonies Bringing  
Feast to a Close.

Chicago, May 10.—Impressive ceremonies have brought to a close the festival with which the German Americans of Chicago have been commemorating the hundredth anniversary of the death of Frederick Schiller.

## RUSSIAN SOLDIERS LOVE LINEVITCH.

Day After Day He Goes About Inspecting  
Troops, Saying Something to Each Company

### GREAT IMPROVEMENT NOTICED

Jealousy and Bickering Have Decreased—  
—Spirit of Self Seeking Has  
Disappeared.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.  
Gunshu Pass, April 22.—Day after day, since his assumption of the command, Gen. Linevitch goes steadily about the inspection of troops, both those on the positions, and the units arriving from European Russia. Mounted on a small sorrel horse, wearing an old overcoat devoid of embroidery and trappings, and with only the simplest indication of rank, Linevitch, accompanied by his adjutant, two orderlies and the chiefs of the reviewed troops, but almost without further suite, rides along company after company, battery after battery, finding something to say to each, sometimes a jest, sometimes a reproach, recognizing here and there veterans, not only of the Chinese expedition, but also of the Turkestan campaign. This simplicity and the faith which soldiers have in the fighting ability of "Papa" Linevitch make a most inspiring impression on the troops.

Regularly, at the termination of the reviews, Gen. Linevitch gathers about him the chiefs of the various subdivisions, and in brief, incisive and oft times quaint words sets forth his opinion of the situation of affairs, the conditions of the troops and his demands, orders and suggestions for improvement. He uses no pretty phrases, full of the promise and transparent names to which the officers were formerly accustomed, but the language of a soldier, breathing strength, determination, firm faith and full realization that his task is most difficult and heavy, that the work for him and his subordinates is colossal.

Given the non-military observer, however, can note decided changes for the better in comparison with the Kuro-pukin regime. Jealousy and bickering have noticeably decreased. There is apparently less of the spirit of self advancement, more subordination and team work. Suggestions are no longer frowned upon and the subordinate with a plan or criticism is given a hearing.

The impression made by a raid along the positions now occupied in attacking it. It is difficult to believe that the well clothed, well shod troops, heavy in spirit, and even gay of face, are the same men who, a month ago, underwent such superhuman hardships and the supreme test of a mortifying defeat.

In the corps of Gen. Tserpitsky, which, holding the extreme southwest corner of the mountainous Mankeden, withstood the brunt of the fierce Japanese attack, strict, almost parade order prevails. Though some complaints, the language of a soldier, too heavy, stern, the soul of this warlike corps is its commander, and the result of his strictness is patently.

The troops on the positions, officers included, are now living in tents, various considerations rendering the housing of the men in huts impracticable, though the dampness of the ground and the climatic conditions are not especially favorable to life under canvas. A great deal of discomfort is the result. Difficulties in provisioning the troops, due to various complications which cannot be touched upon, add to the onerousness of life, but with the advent of settled weather a decided improvement of conditions may be looked for. At that time, too, the present era of insignificant skirmishing and reconnaissance work may be expected to give way to really serious operations.

### Chinese Sovereignty Recognized.

Tokio, May 10.—The Japanese civil administration of occupied territory includes only those portions which Russia formerly administered upon, and is practically limited to the Liao Tung peninsula.

Military control is continued in Chinese territory occupied by Japanese troops but Chinese sovereignty is recognized.

Chief Counselor Ishizuka of the Formosan administration will be the administrator of Liao Tung peninsula, and the administration will largely follow the plan now in vogue in Formosa.

### Eleven Women Drowned.

Vienna, May 9.—It is reported from Bratislava, Hungary, that a row boat containing 11 persons was capsized while crossing the river yesterday, with the result that 11 women were drowned.

### Broker Firm Bankrupt.

New York, May 9.—On complaint of Wriggway Bowker, of Camden, N. J., Judge Lacombe today appointed Walter D. Edmunds of New York and James D. Colt of Boston, receivers in this state of the Hight & Freese company.

Roger Foster, counsel for the receivers, charges that the Hight & Freese company is insolvent; that it has for a long period been engaged in defunctive brokerage transactions, and is further charged that members of the company have been guilty of misuse of its assets. The receiver, Edmunds, was in charge of the company's main

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office today, but was unable to give any estimate of its assets or liabilities. Judge Lacombe granted an order restraining New York banks and trust companies from paying out any monies deposited by the firm. Mr. Foster said later that some assets of the firm had been found in the Standard & Consolidated National banks, but they were insufficient to meet the debts.

### AMERICAN STOCK CROWERS' ASSOCIATION CONVENTION

Denver, Colo., May 9.—The American Stock Crowers' association, which was organized last January by members from the National Livestock association, is holding its first annual convention in this city. Several hundred cattlemen were present at the opening session in the Broadway theater today, at which addresses of welcome were made by Governor Jesse F. McDonald and John W. Springer, former president of the National Livestock association, and a response by W. W. Turner, president of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association.

Discussion among the American Stock Crowers' association indicates that affiliation with the National Livestock association is out of the question at present. President J. F. Hagenbarth of the latter association is in attendance at the convention, but the executive committee of the association, of which he is the official head, has not assembled, as anticipated.

At the opening of the convention today, President J. F. Hagenbarth announced the death of President Schaefer, Colonel William E. Hughes of Denver was elected temporary chairman, and Fred P. Johnson was elected assistant secretary.

With President F. J. Hagenbarth and Secretary J. H. Quinn, W. A. Harris of Chicago, general manager of the National Livestock association, is watching the proceedings of the convention.

"We are here to extend the olive branch to the American association," said Mr. Harris today. "We are willing to make any reasonable concessions to the new organization, and shall be very glad to have it join us. Our executive committee consists of 11 members, seven of whom are stockmen, and if the American association desires to come in we will enlarge the committee and give the new organization two members."

### AM. BEET SUGAR CO.

Stockholders Re-elect Old Board  
Of Directors.

New York, May 9.—Stockholders of the American Beet Sugar company at their annual meeting in Jersey City today re-elected the old board of directors with the exception of George Foster Peabody, who was succeeded by Chas. Jones Peabody. The report of the auditor showed the prospective profits for nine months ending March 31, the date of the fiscal year having been changed to be \$101,352, and the net surplus \$191,352.

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