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The Japanese.

Attack of Aug. 10 and 20 on Fortress Was Repulsed With Terrific Loss.

**RUSSIANS MAY** 

Berlin, Aug. 24 .- In a dispatch from Liao Yang under date of Aug. 28, the correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger says:

"The indications are that the initiative is about to pass to the Russians. The Japanese plan of campaign, including the attack upon Liao Yang, has apparently been deranged by the unexpectedly stubborn resistance at Port Arthur.

"Gen. Kuroki's army has been withdrawn to the south of the Taitze river and only outposts are near the river.

"Japanese troops under Gen. Ukashima are reported to be in the Liao river . valley

valley, "It is rumored that the mikado has recalled Gen. Nogi and has ordered Field Marshal Yamagata, chief of the general staff at Tokio, to assume com-mand of the besiegers at Port Arthur."

ST. PETERSBURG IS GLUM.

ST. PETERSEURG IS GLUM. St. Petersburg, Aug. 24. 3 a. m.-With all Russia hanging breathlessly on the fate of Port Arthur, even such a na-tional event as the christening of the czarevitch is robbed of much of the prominence which would otherwise be accorded it, and St. Petersburg tought is dim and silent, with no sign of activ-ity. Although the fairy-like grounds of Peterhoff are gry with flags and decorations in Fradiness for tomor-row's celebration, and though the great palace is filled with distinguished guests, the scene resembles a weighty international conference rather than a international conference rather than

gathering of merry-makers. The capital tonight is filled with sin-ister rumors of Port Arthur's desperate straits. The superstitious are predict-ing the fail of the fortress on the day of the baptism of the czarevitch, but this is easily traceable to the fact that

this is easily traceable to the fact that several big Russian reverses have oc-curred on Russian fete days. It is reported that a message was re-ceived from Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel to-night which was sent from Port Arthur night which was sent from Port Arthur on the night of Aug. 22 by way of Che-foo, saying that a desperate assault by the Japanese had been in progress dur-ing the previous 48 hours. No con-firmation of this report can be had. While the general staff does not con-ceal its anxiety, the best military au-thorities have not abandoned the hope that Gen. Stoessel will be able to hold out.

This more hopeful view is somewhat borne out by an unofficial dispatch from borne out by an unofficial dispatch from Lino Yang, saying that in a two days' assault, on Aug. 19 and Aug. 20, the attackers, like their predecessors, were beaten off with heavy loss. The situation at Liao Yang itself is quiet, but the improving weather pres-sages the renewal of military activity. It is believed that if Gen. Kuropatkin is contemplating a diversion in favor of Port Arthur it will not be long delayed. Conservative critics, while they are

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reports that the Japanese have succeed-ed in occupying Antszchan fort as well as another fort, probably Etzshan, about a mile southwest of Antszchan. They have driven the Russians from the parade ground, which lies about two miles north of the harbor: they have de-stroyed two forts at Chaochanko, which stroyed two forts at Chaldenance, and is within the eastern fortifications, and they have advanced to a point near Chaochanko. This news confirms infor-mation received here previously and which the focal Japanese were not inlined to believe

junk heard firing until midnight of Aug. 22

of Aug. 22. Scarcely a building in Port Arthur re-mains undamaged. The town hall, which was used as a magazine, has been destroyed. Four large warships unable to fight are at Port Arthur. Only one ship, a yessel with two masts and two fun-ols bes guns on board.

nels, has guns on board. The fire of the forts not captured by the Japanese, together with the effect of the land mines, is given as the rea-son why the Japanese have not as yet conquered the Russian stronghold.

### RUSSIAN PRISONERS.

### They Are Quartered in Japauese Temples.

Reston, Aug. 23.—The American board has received from Rev. Sidney L. Gullek of Matsuyama, Japan, a re-port of missionary work which states that more than 1,200 Russian prisoners have been brought to that city. The unisoners are quartered in several prisoners are quartered in several large temples, are lightly guarded and are given unusual liberty for prisoners. Some, at least, are permitted to walk around lown with a small guard and even to go for baths in the sea and to the mineral hot spring's a mile

east of Matsuyama. Special buildings have been erected the drill ground north of the city for use as a hospital where some 700 wounded have been or are being treated with best care the country can provide. Out of the total number treated only five have died, one is considered hopeless, but of the wound ed thus far reaching Matsuyama 99 per have been successfully treated. Many cases have been terrible. The chief surgeon apparently takes great pride in the showing. He attributes it to the special character of the Jab-

it to the special character of the Jap-anese rifle, a variety the general adop-tion of which he has urged five or six years ago on the score of the hu-mane nature of the wounds it inflicts, disabiling and not killing. He feels that his prediction has been wonder-fully verified.

Five persons who escaped were cap tured after a sharp resistance with knives. To escape from the Island is practically impossible

CASE OF THE COMEDIAN.

the authorities of the Catholic univer-sity became dissatisfied with the man-ner in which the funds of the institu-tion in Mr. Waggoman's hands were tion in Mr. Waggoman's minus action invested and secured, and after nego-tiations between them a new arrange-ment was effected. This new arrange-ment was embodied in the settlement in which the deed of trust was a part. The friends of the university say they think that it will lose nothing if the deed of trust recorded yesterday can be sustained as against the general creditors of Mr. Waggoman.

Addicks State Ticket.

Dover, Del., Aug. 23.—The Union, or Addicks, faction of the Republican par-ty met in state convention here today. The following ticket was named: Governor-Henry C, Conrad, Wil-minston

mington. Lieutenant Governor-I. Thomas

Representative in Congress-Dr. Hi-ram R. Burton. Attorney General-Sylvester D. Town-

send, Jr. end, Jr. State Treasurer-Thomas Curry. State Auditor-Rev. David S. Clark. Insurance Commissioner-Dr. George

Presidential Electors-Thomas H. Savoy, Manlove Hayes and Dr. William P. Orr.

P. Orr. The electoral candidates are those named by the regular Republicans at their recent state convention. The Union state committee will endeavor to make changes in the nomina-tions in order to harmonize with the regular Republican faction.

The platform endorses the national Republican platform.

### Chancellor Andrews Injured.

Portland, Or., Aug. 23.—Chancellor Andrews of the University of Nebraska, sprained his ankle while alighting from a street car this afternoon. The in-jury is not a serious one, but will in-convenience Mr. Andrews for a week or two. two.

### Seal Hunter Shot.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 23 .- Walter York. boat puller connected with the scaler "armencita, Capt. McLain, was shot and dangerously wounded by natives and dangerously wounded by natives of Copper Island, off the Siberian shore of Bering sea, Aug. 2. He and two oth-er men were in an open boat, seal-hunting. They were within 200 yards of the island when the natives opened fire. Nearly 200 shots were discharged this and other boats belonging to e Carmencita. One ball penetrated at this and othe the Carmencita. York's face, shattering six teet's the lower jaw. He was taken to Dutch harbor, where he boarded the steam-

ship Senator for Seattle. Castro Doesn't Like It.

Washington, Aug. 22.—President Cas-tro has not received favorably Minis-ter Bowen's request for restoration of the property of the New York & Bermudez Asphalt company of Venezuela pending legal proceedings. The min-ister cabled the state department to day from Caracas that President Cas-tra thought the United States govern ment should await the conclusion of the legal proceedings, allowing the asphalt lakes and property to remain mean while in the hands of Receiver Carner Nothing further has been done about the matter, but it is expected that the state department will take some action

to secure the asphalt company against loss until the Venezuelan court an-nounces its decision next week.

## Rifle Shooting at Fort Riley.

Fort Riley, Kan., Aug. 23 .- The secwas the program on the national range today. The firing commenced at 8 o'-clock this morning and was not finishd until near 6 o'clock this evening. The program was slow fire at 800 and 1,000 yards, in which the possible for cach team was 1,200 points. The possi-ble the first day was 2,400. In the two days' shoot the scores of teams follow: Now York rational guard team, 2,-

be the record of the world's fair in St. Louis. Honored by being four times elected to the United States sen-ate, his career gave ample evidence that he was worthy of the trust with which he was charged by his fellow citizens."

Forest Fires in Montana.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 24 .- A Miner spec

al from Hamilton, Mont., says:  $\Delta$  most disastrous forest fire is rag-ing on the side of the mountain west of Hamilton and word was brought in tonight that two farm houses had been desiroved by the destroyed by the spreading flames. Word was sent post haste to Supt Thomas Blackmore of the Anacondi Copper Mining company, that the fire was sweeping down upon the compa-ny's camps, which, it was feared, would e destroyed. Supt. J. E. Tottman gathered a crev

of men and left at once in a caboose pulled by the engine of the logging train for the scene of the fire. The fif is on Saw Tooth creek and has al-ready destroyed much valuable timber.

#### Boy Burned to Death.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 23.-Wilford Agers, aged 16, was burned to death to hight, and Leslie Curtis, aged 13, a burned. The dead boy, was severely burned. The family of W. J. Agers were sleeping when fire broke out in their residence. Three adults and three children escaped in safety. The Curits boy escaped in safety. The Curits boy escaped by climbing to the ground. After the fire was extin-guished, the body of the dead boy was found in another room than that in which he was sleeping.

### A Tornado in Italy.

New York, Aug. 24 .-- In the tornado which has swept Sorrento, Italy, says which has swept sorrento, fully, says a Herald dispatch from that city, the cathedral and monastery of San Paol almost fell to the ground. One house gave way, burying three persons be-neath the ruins.

The town presents a spectacle of greatest desolation. Unroofed houses are on every side. There are broken are on every side. There are broken windcys, heaps of plaster and mortar are lying in the streets, while bits of wreckage from the bay were hurled right into the town and lie there, add-ing to the general aspect of confusion. The blow lasted only two minutes.

#### Fire in Portland, Or.

Portland, Or., Aug. 23.-A fire con umed a grocery store, a bakery and confectionery at Grand avenue and Hawthorne avenue at 11 o'clock tonigh caused a loss of \$10,000. Five out o eight horses housed in a barn at the rear of the buildings were burned to  $de^{-a}$  the other three being led out in safety. a b a dia

#### 167652595 Jewelry Stolen from suit Case.

Albany, Or., Aug. 23.-Mrs. J. W. Pratt of Seattle, who is visiting here, reported to the police today the loss of \$1,000 worth of jewelry from a suit case. Her grip was checked in Seattle for Al-bany, and on its arrival here the pack-age of jewelry was found missing. Mrs. age of jewelry was found missing. Mrs. Pratt says she packed the jewelry in the case herself before checking it. The grip was apparently undisturbed when unpacked, the satchel containing the jeweiry alone being missing.

### Chamber Maids Go on Strike.

New York, Aug. 24.—A new manager of the hotel opened here sometime ago for the exclusive entertainment of women has caused a strike by dismiss-ing the housekeeper. The new manager is a man and the assertion of his power was quickly resented by 19 of the 24 chambermaids, 10 scrub women and

ness.

cleaners, 6 waltresses, 2 stewards and cleaners, 6 waitresses, 2 stewards and 3 cellarmen. They walked out in a body, leaving the beds unmade and rooms undusted. For a time the service was paralyzed, but a telephone girl and the stenographer took hold and in a few hours had things running, with the aid of servants procured from em-phonent acculas. ployment agencies.

## PRESIDENT PETITIONED.

To Intervene in Behalf of Men Deported from Cripple Creek.

Denver, Aug. 24.-A petition has been multed to President Roosevelt, auting him to intervene in behalf of the men denorica from Cripple Creek last Sal-urday right, and protect them in their a volumineus affair, and includis a pera volumineus affair, and incluits a pa-coral statement of John H. Murnay, general counsel for the Western Fed-eration of Miners, the affidavit of Thomas H. Parfet, one of the deposited men, who claims that he was badiy beaten by members of the mob, and a sworn statement of his physician to the first that Parfet suffering from

sworn statement of his physician to, the effect that Parfet is suffering from injuries that may result seriously. The whole case is based on the alleged abuse received by Parfet at the hands of the mob. Affdavits and preliminary papers necessary to the commencement of criminal actions against alleged headens of the mob have alter been preleaders of the mob have also been pre pared and forwarded to the district at torney of Teller county. The affidavits are signed by all the men driven from the district last Saturday. Teh petition to the president was for-warded to his home at Oyster Bay.

### CLAIM JUMPER'S BODY.

### Riddled With Bullets it is Found Behind a Log.

St. Maries, Ida., Aug. 23.—The body of Tyler. the claim jumper whose disap-pearance has been coupled with the assassination of Frank. Boulley, in the Marble Creek district, has been found. It was lying behind a log not far from his cabin, riddled with bullets. Three distinct theories of the recent murders have been advanced. One is that Boulley and Tyler were killed and Lin leav and Tyler were killed and Lin Isa' wounded by land owners angry at them on account of claim jumping. A apo is t) at Lindsay and Boulley killed ler and later quarrelled and that Lind-cay then killed Boulley. A third theory is that an avenging husband killed Bculles.







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Port Arthur it will not be long delayed. Conservative critics, while they are not chary in giving the Japanese due military credit for past performances, say in plain language that the pace is too fast to last, and that every day Gen. Stoessel holds out will render the Japanese position about Liao Yang more precarious. Even the most san-guine, however, admit the gravity of the situation from the Russian point of view, and the most serious news from view, and the most serious news from the front would not be received with great surprise.

#### ATTACK REPULSED.

Liao Yang, Aug. 23.—According to the latest information from Port Arthur a furious Japanese attack throughout Aug. 19 and 20 was repulsed with torrific loss. This news was received here

with the greatest joy. There has been no serious fighting in this region, but there has been a small skirmish at Anshanshan, where Japa-nese troops attacked a Russian out-post and were driven off with a loss of six killed.

Liao Yang has experienced two days of bright weather, and there is a touch of autumn in the air. The rainy sea-

on has apparently terminated. The military inactivity is credited here to the fact that the Japanese are concentrating all their attention on Port Arthur.

A JAPANESE SUCCESS.

Chefoo, Aug. 24 (9:30 a. m.).-A junk which left Liao Ti promontory the night of Aug. 21 has just arrived here. She

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British Officials at Durban Ordered to Make a Full Report. London, Aug. 23.-The foreign office has ordered the British officials at Dur ban, Natal, to make a complete repor concerning the examination of the pa by a Russian cruiser off the South Af-rican coast. If the report should con-firm that the Smolensk was the vessel that made the examination then a vigthat made the examination then a vig-orous protest will be made through Ambassador Hardinge. In the event a Russian cruiser actually held up the Comedian the event will be made the subject of representation, on the ground that the steamer was so far

away from the scene of hostilities that not the adgatest reason a ier stoppage. The most important feature of the

incident, however, is the identity of the cruiser. If the Smolensk actually examined the Comedian's papers she, ac-cording to the British officials, violated the assurances given by the Russian government that neither she nor the St. Petersburg would be used again as

The Russian embassy has not been advised of the overhauling of the Com-edian and is inclined to doubt if it oc-curred, that the Smolensk was connectcurred, that the Smolensk was connect-ed with it, in view of the specific in-structions issued by the admiralty at St. Petersburg. So far as official infor-mation is concerned, the matter is so hazy that it is conceded in both diplo-matic circles and at the foreign office that it is desirable to obtain all the facts before formally raising a question which may develop into an independent international dispute.

A BAD FAILURE.

### T. O. Waggoman of Washington Makes a Big Sensation.

Makes a Big Sensation. Washington, Aug. 23.—A sensation was caused in financial and real estate circles in this city today when it be-came known that a petition in bank-ruptcy had been filed by three of the leading national banks of the city against Thomas E. Waggoman, a prominent real estate and insurance agent of this city and treasurer of the Catholic university. The petition at the same time seeks to set aside a deed of trust recorded yesterday on Mr. Waggoman's property for approximate-ly \$376,000 in favor of the \*Catholic university, on the ground that it is void as being an attempt by an insolvent as being an attempt by an insolvent debtor to prefer one of his creditors. The petitioning banks were the Sec-ond National bank, the National Met-ropolitan bank and the National Bank of Washington, each of which alleged it held overdue and unpaid paper of Mr. Waggoman's, the total amount held by the three exceeding \$40,000, of which \$30,000 is due to the Metropolitan bank. Mr. Waggoman had been in the real estate business here since 1873 and was reported generally to be a man of large means. He was the possessor of the finest private art gallery in th city, and some comment was caused several months ago when a brief anseveral months fugo when a brief an-nouncement appeared in the papers to the effect that his art works had been turned over to the Catholic university. At the time it was explained as a mat-ter of convenience, but it is stated now that security to the university for money had to do with the matter. There is handling the moneys of the money had to do with the matter. Beside handling the moneys of the university Mr. Waggoman controlled large amounts of money in the aggre-gate belonging to other persons both in this city and away from here and it is stated that to some extent at least Mr. Waggoman's personal notes were given as security to those whose money he controlled. For some years

noney he controlled. For some years the has been engaged in extensive op-rations in the suburbs of Washington Tt is understood that some time ago thereby

New York Lational guard team, 2, 580: army, infantry, 2,806; United States marines, 2,758; District of Columbia, 2,762; United States navy, 2,756; Massa-chusetts, 2,730; Rhode Island, 2,715; army cavalry, 2,713; Pennsylvania,2,700; Maryland, 2,592; Washington, 2,582; Iowa, 2,579; Connecticut, 2,550; Georgia, 2,529; Florida, 2,011; Michigan, 2,741; 1,529; Florida, 2,011; 1,529; Florida, 2,529; 1,529; Flo 2.528; Florida, 2.401; Michigan, 2.244; Kansas, 2.109; Alabama, 1.735.

Tomorrow will finish the work on the national team match. The entries are now being made for the national individual match, which will commence Monday.

## NEUTRALITY OF CHINA.

London Standard Thinks United States Should Protect It.

London, Aug. 24.—The Standard this morning, unable to conceal its disap-pointment that the United States gov-ernment is not prepared to protect the neutrality of China at Shanghai, edi-torially contends that the United States could have taken the lead in the mat-ter without arousing the jealousies and auspicions which must follow interven-tion by any European power.

tion by any European power. The Daily Telegraph publishes a strong editorial demanding that the government adopt rigorous measures to stop the molestation of Britsh shipping by Russian volunteer fleet vessels, claring that "If diplomacy fails, the British navy must clear the high seas of the offenders." The other morning newspapers show

less excitement, because it has not yet been satisfactorily proved whether the

heen satisfactorily proved whether the vessel that stopped the Comedian was really the auxiliary cruiser Smølensk. The outcome of the serious situation at Shanghai is watched with the great-est anxiety. According to the Daily Telegraph's St. Petersburg corre-spondent, the Russian government sup-ports the refusal of the Askold and Grozovol either to disarm or treat China is a power capable of enforcing neutrality.

The Daily Chronicle's Chefoo corre-spondent says: "The entire Chinese squadron has left here, doubtless in order that it shall not be mixed up in further incidents of the Ryeshitelni kind." kind. No further news regarding Port Arthur has reached London.

### Texas Republican Ticket.

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 23.-The Re-publican state nominating convention was held here today. The ticket is as follows: Covernor-J. C. Lowden of Taylor

> ounty. Lieutenant Governor-Sam Davidson, Assistant Justice of the Court of criminal Appeals-Lock McDonald. Attorney General-Charles W. Ogden. Comptroller General-John M. Claiorne

Land Commissioner-H. O. Neal. State Treasurer-C. B. Dorchester. Railroad Commissioner-Carl

Oriek. Superintendent of Public Instruction

Albert Ernest. -Albert Ernest. There are no negroes on the ticket. Ceell Lyon was elected state chairman. Lyon is also national committeeman for Texas and thus acquires complete mastery of the party. The platform endorses the national convention platform, opposes state banks and demands a look at the state books.

Resolution on Vest's Death.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 24.-Resolutions have been passed, adopted by the board of directors of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, deploring the death of form-



