

PORT ARTHUR'S FALL IMMINENT. Japanese Have Entered on Last Stage of a Memorable Siege. FINAL ATTACK NEARING END.

Correspondents for First Time Allowed
To Send Dispatches Direct from
Port Arthur.

London, Nov. 3.—The fall of Port Arthur seems imminent. Detailed reports of the operations against the position indicate that the prolonged attack is nearing its end, and that the Japanese are now entering upon the last stage of the memorable siege. For the first time correspondents with Gen. Nogi's army have been permitted to send dispatches direct from Port Arthur, and these show that practically all of the outlying defenses are in the hands of the Japanese, who are sanguine of immediate victory.

A censored dispatch from a correspondent with the Japanese army does not give any particulars of a general engagement of Japanese troops from Port Arthur, but it is certain that occurred, and that some forts were captured. Terrible explosions heard here indicate that the Russians have exploded mines and destroyed other property.

Gen. Kuropatkin, under date of today, reports that a bombardment occurred during the night of Nov. 1, when the Russian sharpshooters destroyed some of the Japanese entrenchments. Reconnaissance were made on the night of Nov. 2, but there were no indications of serious engagements anywhere. Some movements of Japanese troops from the eastward were observed today.

NO NEWS IN ST. PETERSBURG.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 4.—There is a scarcely noted feeling of relief throughout the city that the war has passed without bringing news of the fall of Port Arthur. There had been deep fear that the Japanese might push home the final attack today. It is now felt that there may come another period of respite. The authorities state that they are without direct news from Port Arthur, and everyone is depending upon foreign sources for tidings of the devoted garrison.

Nothing of importance has developed in the region of Mukden.

JA PANEE SHIP SUNK.

Officially Admitted that the Yashima Was Blown Up.

Paris, Nov. 3.—The Associated Press was put in a position today to state positively that its dispatches from Chefoo, Port Arthur and Tokio last June to the effect that the Japanese battleship Yashima had been sunk by a mine off Dabny, which dispatches were denied by the Japanese authorities at the time, have finally been officially confirmed. The Japanese government has notified foreign governments of the loss of the ship. The number of men who went down with the vessel is not known, but it is believed to have been small. The official details show that the Yashima struck a Russian mine and later attempted to make Dabny harbor, but this proved impossible and she sank in deep water.

The loss of the Yashima has been concealed by the Japanese, though the Russian authorities have believed for some time that the reports that the battleship had been destroyed were correct. It is important since it is now disclosed that Japan has only four modern battleships remaining. These are the Asahi, Fuji, Mikasa and Shikishima. Another vessel claimed as a battleship is the Chinyen, taken from China in 1894, but she is old and not of much fighting value. Naval experts say that the small battleship force possessed by Admiral Togo was responsible for the tactics she observed at the naval battle of Aug. 16, when Admiral Michitomi attempted to escape from Port Arthur, the Japanese battleships refusing to come to close quarters with the enemy, but pounding them from a distance and sending in the torpedo boat destroyers to make night attacks.

The Yashima was one of the finest battleships of the Japanese navy. Her displacement was 12,300 tons, about the size of the American battleship Maine, and she had a speed of 19 knots. She carried a heavy battery of four 12-inch, 16-inch and 24-inch guns of smaller caliber.

Russian Squadron at Port Arthur

Berlin, Nov. 2.—The North German Lloyd steamer Lahn, which was sold to Russia several months ago, has undergone reconstruction and will serve as a captive balloon ship. She will leave Gostemunde for Russia on Saturday.

Gen. Stoessel Wounded.

London, Nov. 3.—A dispatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says that Gen. Stoessel, commander of the Russian troops at Port Arthur, is reported to be wounded in the leg.

A POSTOFFICE ROBBERY.

Robbers Refused to Stop and One Was Killed.

Chattanooga, Wash., Nov. 4.—As a result of a holdup of the Camden post-office last night, in which two men robbed the safe of \$4, one man was killed and the other is thought to have been wounded and last night was hid in the brush about a half mile from Chattanooga.

After the robbery, Deputy Sheriff E. C. Pratt, in company with his son and others, drove toward Chattanooga to head the robbers off. The posse laid in wait in the brush at the crossing. Two men were seen driving toward Chattanooga from the direction of Milan. Deputy Sheriff Pratt called on the two men to stop, which, with an oath, the men refused to do. The deputy sheriff fired and struck one of the men in the head, from the effects of which he died half an hour later.

Pama Indians Not Starving.

Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 4.—Much agitation has ensued in reports that the Pama Indians on the San Carlos reservation in Arizona were suffering from a scarcity of food and a government commission is now at the agency investigating the matter. The commission is headed by Commissioner Jones, of the Indian bureau. So far the com-

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SUED HIS SWEETHEART.

Alleged She Returned Worthless Rings for Returned Diamonds.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Alleging that the woman to whom he had been engaged three years returned to him a worthless ring in place of a valuable diamond, Henry P. Seppelberg has begun suit for \$25,000 against Mrs. Eva H. Wood, widow of John H. Wood, and formerly Miss Eva Lowry of Maysville, Ky.

Beagle Canal Demarcation Plan.

New York, Nov. 4.—Vergara Donoso, the Chilean minister, has, according to a Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres, Argentina, handed to the minister of foreign affairs a note embodying a scheme for the demarcation of the Beagle canal. The only point along the frontier where the boundary has not yet been definitely established.

Forged Cleveland's Name.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Charles Ithstrom has pleaded guilty to forging the name of ex-President Cleveland to a check for a small sum. His arrest occurred several weeks ago. A letter from the ex-president was read, stating that the prisoner had been in his employ as a coachman for a year and a half, during which time he had always been honest. The ex-coachman was given six months in the county prison.

Vt. Defeats Woman Suffrage.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 4.—After a spirited debate the Vermont house of representatives, by a close vote of 99 to 57, has refused a third reading to the bill granting municipal suffrage to women who are tax payers. The judiciary committee had reported favorably, but the measure went the way of all similar bills introduced for many years.

A Deadly Street Duel.

Stockton, Cal., Nov. 3.—In a street duel at Douglas Flat, Calaveras county, last evening, William Harris, a miner, was shot to death by Owen Roberts. Shortly before the shooting Harris had made threats that he would kill Roberts because of an old grievance concerning a mining claim.

TREATY WITH HUNGARY.

Relates to Money Orders Passing Between Two Countries.

New York, Nov. 3.—Postmaster-General Wilson today signed a supplemental treaty with the Hungarian government relating to money orders passing between the two countries. Under its terms the rate of commission paid by the country of origin to the country of payment is reduced from one-half of 1 per cent to one-fourth of 1 per cent. This applies to all classes of international money orders. At the same time it effects a corresponding reduction in the fees charged for the use of money orders in the United States as well as the use of the money orders in Hungary. So far as this country is concerned the fees are reduced from 5 cents to 50 cents, whereas formerly they were from 10 cents to 81.

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He Addressed Four Enthusiastic
Audiences in the Nutmeg
State.

CHIEF SPEECH AT HARTFORD.

Discussed Local and National Issues
—Militarism, Tariff and
Trusts.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 3.—Four enthusiastic audiences greeted Judge Parker today on his only visit to the state in the campaign, and in several other places through which his special train passed he was given rousing impromptu welcomes. The Democratic candidate left New York during the forenoon and speed was slackened at Stamford and South Norwalk before the special train reached Bridgeport, where the first stop was made. The principal speech of the trip was in this city tonight, though other receptions were held in Bridgeport, New Haven and Meriden, where an address was made from the rear end of the train.

The meeting in this city was the greatest of this state. Judge Parker was given a warm welcome from the time he reached the city at 6 p. m. When the special train bearing the judge and his party, the candidates for governor and lieutenant governor and several members of prominent senators arrived at the Union station, several thousand persons were gathered to greet the candidate.

He was driven through the crowds to the Hartford club, where the town committee was the host at dinner. After the frequent changes that the government is neglecting its wards.

mission has found no case of starvation. Several cases were found of individuals who had gone several days without food but all were provided with ration tickets and could have secured food by application at the agency. It is believed the investigation will add to the frequent charges that the government is neglecting its wards.

SPEECH AT NEW HAVEN.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 3.—A large and enthusiastic crowd filled the New Haven station as Judge Parker's train rolled in. There was cheering when the presidential candidate was recognized, crossing the platform accompanied by Judge Robertson, the party candidate for governor. The party carried a number of drivers and slowly through a number of streets to Music hall, where Judge Parker spoke. Judge Parker said:

"For a number of years now I have been delivering a course of lectures at the Albany law school. This work and the personal contact with these bright students of the law—many of whom are helping themselves as did I when taking my law course at that same institution—gives me an interest in young men which is steadily growing."

"It is, perhaps, inaccurate to say that this work has given me this interest. It is probably due more than to anything else, to a kindly act of a great judge, Chief Judge Church. The recollection of the way his ready sympathy helped me gave me the motive for a deep interest in young men. I remember as if it were yesterday standing before that great jurist in my first case, weighted down with the responsibility of making an effective presentation of my client's cause. At the moment I rose to begin my argument I feared failure. Chief Judge Church divining my difficulty, bowed and said, 'Now we will hear you, Mr. Parker.' My nervousness disappeared as he made way under the influence of his friendly aid and kindly tone. I plunged into the argument at once. When the decision came down, my case had been won, as good fortune would have it, and the chief judge had written the opinion."

"In the many years I have been on the bench, in hardly a case has a young man appeared in court that Chief Judge Church's kindness to me did not flash over me. And I have been trying all these years to discharge the debt I owe him by treating the young men as I was treated by him."

"In my own experience I can recall no stronger illustration of the truth of the saying that 'the good we do lives after us.'"

Judge Parker then discussed "the strenuous life," as follows:

"It has become a fashion during recent years to exhort our young men to lead what has been called 'the strenuous life.' Not content with our universal activity in industry, our universal in the conquest of a continent and the effort to spread our popular ideas into all the world, and thus to make ourselves an example for other peoples who are looking toward freedom and opportunity, the conclusion seems to have been reached that somehow we had overlooked something."

"We always had an efficient army of brave soldiers well commanded. It has been sufficient for our needs that we have been able to resist the onslaught of the savage, to ward off foreign aggression and to settle our own internal troubles, but this does not seem to satisfy. We must be strenuous, not alone in all things which make for good, for safety and for permanence, but we must be strenuous in adventure, for personal glory and even in looking for a fight. It is apparently not enough that we shall be brave in every moral and religious movement, in everything that can promote education and the discipline of our youths. These apparently do not assure real progress. So we are invited to turn aside from these into those lines of activity and adventure which smack of the crusades and of the time when the moated castle was the only home in which human beings could be fairly said to have a right to live."

which he found himself, to his parents who, perhaps, were making great sacrifices to enable him to be better fitted for the duties of life and to himself. This activity goes even further, until we find that in all the great colleges of our country now a fourth, now a third, and almost a half, willingly and cheerfully take up any kind of employment which can yield sufficient money to carry them through their college course, whether academic or professional. You here in Yale have known strong, energetic, able young men who belonged to families in which this process has gone on through several generations. They have furnished to their country great jurists and lawyers, great physicians, eloquent divines, who have carried our traditions into every part of the world they have gone and upheld our honor. They have gone forth to find new communities, to promote new business enterprises, and to play a strong and effective part in our life. How much greater activity in this respect is demanded by our times than were those of the past."

ATTACKED THE TRUSTS.

Meriden, Conn., Nov. 3.—The only rear platform address made by Mr. Parker was when his train stopped here for five minutes on the way to Hartford. It was an impromptu address in which he flayed the Republican party because of the financial aid that party is alleged to have received from trusts.

He charged that every monopoly is doing everything in its power to bring about the election of the Republican ticket. This speech created a sensation, both in the audience and among the members of the judge's party. The mention of the Standard Oil company in this connection is the first time the Democratic candidate has made to the charge that the Standard Oil company is preparing to assist financially toward his election. Said Judge Parker:

"Of late we have had presented to our attention a question of far more importance than any issue presented by our national platform—a question that was not understood at the time, and that the party could not contemplate. That is the question whether it is possible for trusts of this country to control the elections without money. When the trusts of this country united for the purpose of raising a fund that was to be large enough to control the election, it became your duty and mine, without regard to any other issue, to settle the question once and for all whether money or manhood suffrage should control."

"We met the gauge of battle which they threw down and from one end of the country to the other men are saying to each other what you and I are saying—this country shall not pass into the hands of the trusts."

"We have had a very remarkable situation presented. After the recommendation six or eight years ago that action should be taken towards curbing the trusts, the Republican party passed a statute to that end, but when they examined the statute closely we find that it authorized the president to appoint a cabinet officer to investigate the trusts. The information he receives may be given to the people or kept private, as the president may direct."

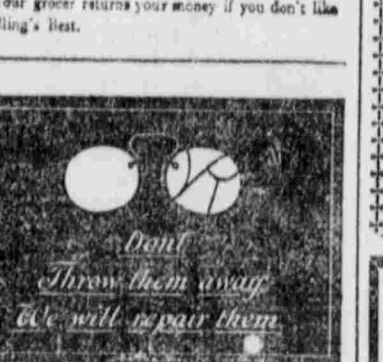
A GREAT OVATION.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 3.—This city became wildly enthusiastic over Judge Parker and a monster rally held in the Opera House tonight. Democrats from all parts of the state came here, and the accommodations for the audience were entirely inadequate. The candidate was first greeted with a demonstration on the arrival at the station of the special train from New Haven, where the Hartford escort was in waiting. He was immediately driven to the Hartford club, where dinner was served. An informal reception followed, but before it was over a great throng had gathered outside to serve as a volunteer escort to the Opera House.

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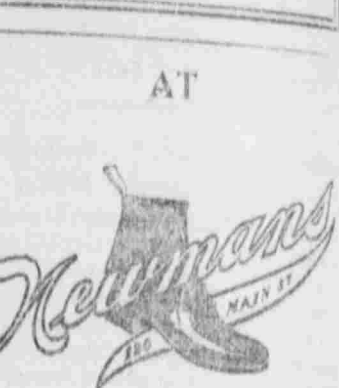
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