

LEADERS AND PARTIES IN JAPAN.

BLESSED are the peacemakers," we are told in the Scriptures, "but, after all, these are merely facts, and, of course, we are proceeding on the theory of the open door promised by Baron Kaneko in New York and Takehashi in London.

Who would doubt the disinterestedness of these gentlemen? It is true they may have been raising among us loans approximating \$200,000,000, but that is a side issue and a mere trifle after all. Who would suspect these gentlemen of coloring conditions and conditions of trade with patriotic purpose? The more thought it impossible, because—well, because Baron Kaneko is a Harvard graduate, and, as he says, when in Tokio he lives next door to the emperor.

There can be no antagonism between America and Japan if for no other reason than that Baron Kaneko and Takehashi agree on that point. It is to be hoped that no one will doubt the sincerity of these gentlemen, at least one of whom is a Harvard graduate. The Japanese consul in Manila, it is true, furnished arms to the Philippine insurgents (for full particulars see the archives of the general staff in Washington), but was he not immediately replaced by an able official against whom no such breach of consular decorum and neutrality can be proved? It is also a fact that by the creation of the camphor monopoly and the location of vexatious portation of the tea trade, Japan has killed our once flourishing commerce with Formosa,

set us right when inclined to take any but the Japanese point of view!

In other ways the straight news that has been coming from Japan the last few days is illuminating as well as confusing. To begin with, it shows that the Japanese are bound after all to support some anti-Chinese policy. It is a great mistake for the Tokio press not to denounce the anti-Christian and anti-foreign attitude of the street mobs; and what could the city fathers of the Japanese capital have been thinking of when by resolution drawn in cold blood, they practically endorsed it? Does it not look in the light of this lapse from diplomacy as though the Japanese went to war with Korea and Korea merely to save the strategic points necessary to their safety, which are secured by the treaty of Portosmouth, but because she wanted the whole Asiatic main, and bitter has been her awakening?

The peace treaty having become the footfall of Japanese political parties, it would be interesting to point out exactly where they stand and for what they stand, but this is very difficult. There are out there two principal parties around which revolve a number of personal groups seeking prominence and opportunity. The progressive party is led by Count Okuma, "the sage of Washita," who, it is announced, will oppose the ratification of the treaty. Okuma is a bitter fighter, a dynamic bomb in the hands of a political opponent who secured the confidence of the mikado in the stormy days of the revolution and restoration of 1868 rule the country as unquestionably as ever did Grecian oligarchy in the days of Pericles, and like him must have had his awakening when apprised that by the treaty of Portosmouth American soil Russia is only crippled.

The most powerful party, and the one most numerously represented in the diet, is the Constitutional party, cre-

ated and really led by the Marquis Ito, though the actual duties of leadership are apparently left to Marquis Saito or some other young and able man. The party, the self-styled savers by the constitution, which is perhaps the most effective instrument that was ever devised as a palladium of popular rights. Marquis Ito, who is said to have drawn up the instrument with his own hand, chose as his model the sham constitution which Bismarck conferred upon Germany, and in putting the provisions of this document into Japanese he left out or weakened those which would seem to affect in however slight a manner the supremacy of the monarchial principle.

We are often informed by Japanese statesmen that theirs is a constitutional country, and that the power to veto is reserved to the people and is an inalienable right. They do not add, however, that the present emperor has dismissed three or four parliaments that were not pliant to his will, and that up to the present he has done so with impunity—not that the wave of radicalism is not increasing in violence and importunity, but that the calls for sheet of Japanese desire as to be pronounced seneschal actually get control of the ship of state to the confusion of the peacemakers and the quiet of the eastern world.

After all is said, party government

in Japan is a farce or rather a sham, and the elder statesmen who secured the confidence of the mikado in the stormy days of the revolution and restoration of 1868 rule the country as unquestionably as ever did Grecian oligarchy in the days of Pericles, and like him must have had his awakening when apprised that by the treaty of Portosmouth American soil Russia is only crippled.

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Fancy Knitted Mercerized Golf Gloves in Red, Gray, Brown and Black, mixed with white—a very nobby, neat fitting, warm Glove in all sizes, on sale at...

29c

40c GRADE CHILDREN'S GOLF GLOVES AT 25c.

Children's fancy Knitted the Wool Gloves in Navy, Brown and Red mixed with White—a Glove that's worth 40c a pair, sell here **25c** this week at...

25c

SI. 50 GRADE FRENCH KID CLOVES AT 99c.

25 dozen Ladies' extra quality, 2-clasp French Kid Gloves, not all sizes in every color, but every size in some color—this is a regular **\$1.50** Glove. We discontinue the line and will close them out this week at...

99c

Ready-to-Wear Garment Values!

That will not be passed over heedlessly by those who appreciate excellence, allied to very lowest prices. Just a few of next week's Bargains are chronicled below.



You're Interested in FLANNEL SAVINGS, Aren't You? Well then read on.

Imported Outing Flannels, the kind that will not shrink, fast washable colors, in near stripes suitable for Babies' Slips, Night Gowns and petticoats, 30 inches wide, value 30c-35c, **12c** this week, per yard.

A line of New Scotch Flannels, the Nonshrinkable kind, suitable for Baby's Dresses, Gown's Shirts, Pajamas and Ladies' Shirt Waists, value 40c, Special for this week, **29c**, per yard.

10 pieces White All Wool Flannel, the Baldwinville make, value 60c, Special for this week, per **39c**.

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Shoes at prices way, way below the actual everyday value of the goods. Infants' kid shoes, spring heel, sizes 2 to 5, per pair **60c**.

Infants' kid or box calf shoes, spring heel, sizes 2 to 5, per pair **85c**.

Children's kid lace shoes, sizes 3 to 8, per pair **75c**.

Children's kid or box calf shoes, extension sole, sizes 8 to 12, per pair **1.19**.

Misses' kid or box calf shoes, extension sole, sizes 11 1/2 to 12, per pair **1.39**.

Young ladies' low heel shoes, extension sole, sizes 2 1/2 to 6, per pair **\$1.29**.

Little Gent's calf shoes, extension sole, sizes 8 to 12 1/2, per pair **98c**.

Little Gent's Seamless Shoe, extension sole, sizes 8 to 12 1/2, per pair **1.19**.

Boys' calf shoes, extension sole, sizes 2 1/2 to 5, per pair **\$1.42**.

Boys' Seamless Shoes, extension sole, sizes 2 1/2 to 5, per pair **\$1.69**.

Ladies' kid lace shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 8, per pair **1.45**.

Ladies' Storm Rubber, sizes 2 1/2 to 8, per pair **45c**.

NOTICE OUR BARGAIN WINDOW THIS WEEK.

Not Difficult to Explain the Success of Our Millinery Section. It is due to economy in prices without sacrificing either style or quality.

EVERY RECOGNIZED FALL AND WINTER STYLE IS WELL REPRESENTED HERE. OUR LEADER FOR THIS WEEK—Hats at \$5.75. Their equal cannot be found elsewhere at considerably higher prices. A vast assortment of Hats in accord with the newest fall and winter styles to **\$5.75**.

FUR SCARF SALE—About 100 very nice looking cluster scarfs, made of Brown coney, 78 inches long, **\$2.75**.

IMPORTANT WAIST SALE—Six dozen black mercerized Satin waists, entire front trimmed with small tucks, plaited back, wide sleeve, narrow cuff, very handsome design, values up to \$1.50, while they last **75c**.

LONG CRAVENETTE GARMENTS—for street wear in rain or sunshine. The materials are novelty mixtures in light, medium or dark gray, special at **10.75**.

NEW WALKING SKIRT, made of very best quality Panama. These skirts fit exceedingly well, hang nicely, and you will find them very attractive, colors Navy, Brown and Black, **\$7.50**.

SIX-CLUSTER TAILLS, Special at **10.75**.

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NOTICE OUR BARGAIN WINDOW THIS WEEK.

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