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IRKUTSK, Feb. 23.—The movement of troops on the Transiberian Railroad has attained unprecedented proportions...

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PROBABLE IDENTITY OF CAPTURED SHIPS

SUEZ, Feb. 23.—The steamers laden with coal for Japan captured by Russian torpedo boat destroyers are reported to be the British steamer... (from Barry, Feb. 2, for Salang)...

NO FATALITIES IN CROSSING THE LAKE

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—Grave rumors in circulation here concerning the sufferings of the troops crossing Lake Baikal...

RUSSIANS INTERFERE WITH TELEGRAPH

TIENTSIN, Feb. 23.—Russians are interfering with the Imperial Railroad telegraph. On Feb. 21 they demanded that the Chinese officials say that the reported landing of Japanese troops at Posselt bay has not been confirmed.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Table with columns for Stations, Temp. m., Max. 7 p. m., and other weather-related data for various locations like Abilene, Tex., and Buffalo, N. Y.

RUSSIANS EXCITED AND FEAR JAPANESE ATTACK

Eye-witnesses Tell the Story of the Recent Fight at Port Arthur.

EXPELLING FOREIGNERS

YIN-KOW, Feb. 23.—The first reports by eye-witnesses of the engagement at Port Arthur in the early morning of Wednesday...

GREAT SEA FIGHT IS NOT LIKELY TO OCCUR

TOKIO, Feb. 23.—As the campaign progresses it seems that the chances are growing slimmer for a great pitched battle on the open sea between the fleets of modern battleships...

PFLUG REPORTS QUIET TIME AT PORT ARTHUR

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—An official dispatch received from Major General Pflug, Viceoy Alexieff's chief of staff, which is dated Feb. 23, says: "The night of Feb. 27 passed quietly at Port Arthur. The enemy's squadron keeps in this vicinity. Reports are coming in of movements of Chinese troops west of Liao river..."

PRESIDENT ABELL, OF BALTIMORE SUN, DEAD

BALTIMORE, Feb. 23.—Edwin Franklin Abell, publisher of the A. S. Abell Company, died at his residence to-day, aged sixty-four.

HANOVER, N. H., Feb. 23.—Henry J. Hooper, Dartmouth's famous football center, died to-day, following an attack of appendicitis...

PREDICTED HOUR OF DEATH

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23.—Arousing from a feverish slumber before dawn to-day, the Rev. Clarence M. Folsom, assistant pastor of the Church of Spiritual Unity, predicted to his wife that he would be dead before 10 o'clock in the morning. At 2:30 he fully passed away. He had suffered three weeks from erysipelas.

OTHER DEATHS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 23.—John W. Merrill, a pioneer Kansas City lumberman, died in his winter home at Tropic, Fla., to-day of pneumonia. He was aged seventy-seven.

CHINESE TROOPS MOVING

PEKING, Feb. 23.—Since Feb. 23 four troop trains have left Pao-Ting-Fu for the northeastern frontier. The last contingent left to-day on two trains, completing the withdrawal of the Chinese troops from all regulars and their equipment is excellent. They will be replaced here by troops from Shan-tung province.

SHIPMENT OF HORSES STOPPED

LIBAU, Russia, Feb. 23.—A shipment of 600 horses was about to be loaded into a steamer here when it was stopped by the authorities. The horses were believed to have been bought by British agents for Japan.

RESUGES WERE MIASTRATED

NAGASAKI, Feb. 23.—The British steamer Kwang-Ping arrived from Chin-Wang-Tao on the Gulf of Liao-Tung, with 630 Japanese refugees, mostly women, from Manchuria. Many of the women say they were mistreated by Russian soldiers at Harbin.

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PASSENGERS LANDED IN SAFETY—INJURY CAUSED BY STRIKING OBSTRUCTION

CHRISTIANSAND, Norway, Feb. 23.—The Danish steamer Oscar II, of the Scandinavian-American Line (Captain Skjott), from New York Feb. 18 for Christiansand, was wrecked on Sunday morning while entering the harbor this morning, but soon slid over the obstruction. She sprang a leak, however, and was beached in the inner harbor of Flekkero, where she occupies a safe position.

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RUSSIAN MAKES PUBLIC EIGHTY RULES OF WAR

Treatment of Japanese and Neutrals Outlined—Contraband of War Defined.

RIGHT OF ABROGATION

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—Rules of war were published officially to-night. An august decree had been referred to the cabinet for approval. The rules are also for the laying down of the rules which Russia intends to follow during the war with Japan.

Rule 1 says that subjects of neutral states will be allowed, during the war, to remain in the case of the protection of the law and will be permitted to pursue peaceful occupations. Japanese living in the East under the jurisdiction of the victor are excepted.

Rule 2 declares that Japanese merchantmen which are fighting against the Russian navy will be permitted to remain there, but they must leave when they have loaded their cargoes. Sufficient time will be allowed for loading, but in any case these vessels will be allowed not more than forty-eight hours after the publication of this proclamation.

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