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CZAR'S FLEET SLIPS FROM VLADIVOSTOK AND SINKS JAP SHIP

Four Fast Cruisers that Were Ice Bound Appear at Gensan, Corea, and Evidently in Search of Transports Carrying Mikado's Troops.

Baltic Squadron Sails this Week and Will Later Be Joined by Ships from the Black Sea—Combined Fleet Goes to Relieve Port Arthur.

TOKIO, April 25.—The Vladivostok squadron of the Russian Navy as appeared at Gensan, on the east coast of Corea, where it sunk a Japanese merchant steamer and bombarded the town.

This is the first definite information of the whereabouts of the four first-class Russian cruisers composing the Vladivostok squadron received in several weeks.

The fact that the Russian warships are as far south as Gensan leads to the fear that they may run across the Japan Sea and attack Japanese ports or may seriously interfere with the Japanese transport service.

The merchantman sunk at Gensan was the Goyo, of 600 tons.

A brief telegram received from there to-day says three Russian cruisers had entered the harbor and that they were still there when the telegram was sent.

Their arrival created consternation in the unprotected Japanese colony at Gensan. It is thought in Tokio that this Russian naval movement was made in the hope of intercepting unprotected Japanese troop ships. It is not believed the squadron will remain at Gensan long.

The Vladivostok squadron consists of the cruisers Rossia, Gromboi, Rurik and Bogatyr. The last is a protected and the others are armored cruisers, the four being among the most powerful in the Russian Navy.

Gensan is about 350 miles southwest of Vladivostok.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 25.—A strong detachment of the Baltic fleet will start for the Far East from Libau on Thursday, under command of Admiral Rogesvansky. The rest of the powerful fleet is nearing completion and will sail in time to make a junction with the squadron starting to-morrow.

It is the plan now for the Baltic fleet to pick up a few vessels of the Black Sea fleet in the Mediterranean and proceed through the Suez to the Far East.

The Emperor, in replying to Viceroy Alexieff's application for leave, is said to have telegraphed his refusal, adding that he hoped the Viceroy would be able to send good news soon.

The Czar, with the full concurrence of the Imperial family and his advisers, has firmly declared not only to reject all proposals looking to intervention, but to prosecute the war with all the resources of the Empire until victory crowns the Russian arms, and then when the time comes for peace to make terms directly with the enemy. The interference of outside powers will not be tolerated. There is to be no repetition of the Berlin Congress.

Furthermore, the Associated Press is authorized to state that Russia will in no wise consider herself bound by the propositions made to Japan prior to the war. The hostilities have wiped out the engagements Russia offered to make with Japan regarding Corea and Manchuria. Russia will consider herself free to impose such terms as she desires.

EIGHT KILLED IN "MAN HIGHER UP" TORNADO'S SWEEP MADE \$100,000

Several Other Persons Injured in Big Storm That Hit Texas, Arkansas and Indian Territory, Doing Heavy Damage.

PRYOR CREEK, I. T., April 25.—Six persons were killed by a tornado which swept through the country about four miles south of here early to-day.



HIGHLANDERS BEAT SENATORS

Griffith's Team Take Another Game from the Washingtons To-day, Making Third Victory They Have Won from Them.

NEW YORK table with columns for team, runs, hits, errors, and other statistics.

WASHINGTON table with columns for team, runs, hits, errors, and other statistics.

Highlanders... 0 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 4... Score by innings...

(Special to The Evening World.) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 25.—

Clark Griffith's Highlanders tackled the Senators again today and expected to make this game their third victory.

Powell was slated to pitch for the visitors, while Wilson did likewise for the locals.

Better weather for baseball could not be wished for. The sun shone with midsummer heat and the air was tempered with light breezes.

This was really the first hot day the Highlanders have struck this season and they were able to throw out and beat down some of the stiffness that still bothers them.

First Inning. Conroy was out on a hard rap to Wilson. Pultz filed out to Selbach. Keeler bounded to Stahl. NO RUNS.

Second Inning. Elberfeld dropped a low fly back of second. Williams attempted to complete a double. Elberfeld out stealing second.

Third Inning. Thoney caught Ganzel's fly. McGuire singled. Elberfeld grounded to Powell. Powell reaching third. Conroy doubled.

Fourth Inning. Elberfeld singled. Williams was called out on strikes. Anderson singled. Elberfeld reaching third. Ganzel fouled out.

Excelsior Savings Bank, 23d St. and 6th Ave., allows interest from first of every month on sums of \$5 to \$1000.



ROSTAND, WINNER OF THE HANDICAP



EVENING WORLD RACE CHART FIRST DAY AT JAMAICA.

The Evening World's charts are indexed from the first race at Aqueduct.

49 FIRST RACE—\$500 added; handicap for three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Start 8:00. Won driving. Time—1:22.5. Winner, ch. c. by Don De Oro—Ortega.

50 SECOND RACE—\$500 added; selling for three-year-olds and up. One mile and one-eighth. Won driving. Time—1:44. Winner, ch. c. by Orms.

51 THIRD RACE—\$500 added; for two-year-olds, four and a half furlongs. Start 8:15. Won driving. Time—0:54. Winner, ch. c. by Hastings—Belinda.

52 FOURTH RACE—The Excelsior Handicap; for three-year-olds and up; \$5000 added; one mile and a sixteenth. Start 8:30. Won driving. Time—1:45.3. Winner, b. by Russell—Galena.

53 FIFTH RACE—\$800 added; maiden two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs. Start 8:45. Won driving. Time—0:52.5. Winner, ch. c. by Ben Strone—St. N.

54 SIXTH RACE—\$700 added; selling for three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Start 9:00. Won driving. Time—1:14. Winner, br. f. by Harvey—Down.

55 SEVENTH RACE—\$500 added; for three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Start 9:15. Won driving. Time—1:14. Winner, br. f. by Harvey—Down.



GIANTS DEFEAT THE BROOKLYNS

For the Fourth Time in Succession They Beat the Trolley-Dodgers To-Day, This Time by a Score of 9 to 2.

NEW YORK table with columns for team, runs, hits, errors, and other statistics.

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POLO GROUNDS, April 25.—McGraw's men had a regular picnic with the Trolley-Dodgers to-day, winning the first game of the series by a score of 9 to 2.

Mathewson pitched the first six innings for the Giants and showed something of his best form.

Poole, who did the rapid firing for the enemy, had fine control, but it was that which the Giants like. Harry McCormick has at last got his eye on the ball.

First Inning. Gilbert fumbled Strang's hot grounder, giving the batter first. Sheekard beat moved up a peg on Lumley's sacrifice.

Second Inning. Brown captured Mc McCormick's long ascension over the foul line. Bergen's snare was easy for H. McCormick.

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ROSTAND WINS THE EXCELSIOR IN RECORD TIME

Jockey H. Phillips Brings Doctor's Good Four-Year-Old Home in a Hard Drive, Taking the Second Big Handicap of the Early Season.

Buttons, the Favorite, was Left Standing When Barrier Went Up.

Big Crowd on Hand to See the Opening of Tim Sullivan's Jamaica Race-Track Gets All the Worst of It in the Argument with the Books as Favorites Are Beaten.

(Special to The Evening World.) JAMAICA RACE TRACK, April 25.—The Excelsior Handicap was the feature of the opening at Jamaica to-day, and it drew out a big crowd.

The day was faultless and the track so fast that the winner of the Excelsior Rostand, had to run in the record time of 1:45 3-5 to win.

The Excelsior was a grand race, but it is a question if the best horse won. Buttons, who was the second choice in the betting, was probably the best horse. He broke badly and was nearly a dozen lengths behind the field when he made up his mind to run.

From the head of the stretch home it was a magnificent drive. Rostand was the gamest under the pressure, and in the last few strides he drew away far enough to win by a length. The others continued the terrific drive to the end.

Other Races. Outside of the handicap the most interesting feature was the appearance of High Ball in the Spring Handicap. High Ball did not please the sharpsh.

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RESULTS OF TO-DAY'S GAMES. NATIONAL LEAGUE. BROOKLYN AT NEW YORK. PHILADELPHIA AT BOSTON. BOSTON AT PHILADELPHIA. NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING. ST. LOUIS AT DETROIT. AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING. CHICAGO AT CLEVELAND.