

### JAPANESE PUSH CHIRIKOFF BACK

#### Swarm Over Mountains in Movement on Kai-chau—Jap Plans Mysterious.

Ta-tche-kiou, Wednesday, July 6.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The Japanese swarmed over the mountain crests early this morning and advanced on Kai-chau, compelling General Chirikoff, with the center of the Russian vanguard, to fall back. A whole brigade of Japanese, with masses of cavalry, followed and occupied the village of Nan-tai, driving out two companies of Russian infantry and two companies of Cossacks, who were entrenched there. The Japanese arrived within five miles of Kai-chau. It was then nightfall.

### BIG BATTLE DENIED

#### Wounded Are From Keller's Raid—Where Armies Are.

St. Petersburg, July 7, 6:03 p.m.—The war office denies that a battle is in progress as reported by the London Daily Telegraph, who in a dispatch under today's date, said that a severe battle was proceeding twenty-five miles from there and that numbers of wounded were being brought in from the mountains. The officials of the war office repeat the substance of the explanation given in their dispatches today, saying that the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph probably referred to the reconnaissance made by Lieutenant General Keller, July 4, in the direction of Mo-tien pass, east of Liao-yang.

At this time the Japanese main forces are on the Si-tan-yen-tai-chung and Kai-chou-Ta-tche-kiou roads at Vandiapudze and Shi-kai-hou respectively, thirty-seven miles from Kai-cheng, and fifty miles from Ta-tche-kiou and Kai-chau.

According to official information received by the war office, the Japanese began their advance toward Liao-yang June 29, one column moving along the main and the other over the direct road, the former reaching On-fang-kou, ten miles beyond the main, and the latter reaching Liao-kiou pass, twelve miles northwest of Mo-tien pass. They halted at these points till July 3, the Russian falling back to Lang-tse pass, thirty miles from Liao-yang. The Japanese advanced guard, consisting of 1,500 men, went two miles east to Russian position. The next day occurred Keller's reconnaissance in force, when the Japanese were discovered to be trying to break through in the direction of Lian-dian-san. This is the last fighting reported northward, but still further north a Japanese force, numbering to hold another Fan-shui pass, twelve miles northwest of Salmatza, on the road leading to Liao-yang and Mukden, and eighty-five miles east of the latter place.

### JAPANESE VESSELS SUNK

#### St. Petersburg Report Credits Vladivostok Fleet with Victory.

Paris, July 7.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris writes that the Japanese fleet on the sea off Gensan a squadron of Japanese torpedo boats and a protected cruiser which was searching for Russian warships in the Gulf of Korea, was captured and has been brought to Vladivostok. It is stated that a Japanese transport, two Japanese torpedo boats and the cruiser were sunk.

### HOT FIGHT AT LAN-YAN-SAN

#### Russians Say They Caught Japanese Napping.

London, July 7.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that early on Wednesday morning General Kashtan's troops surprised and attacked the Japanese at Lan-yang-san, a mountainous region, advancing through heavy rain-storm. The Russians reached the outlying villages of the Japanese without an alarm being raised. They finally rushed the camp of the main outpost, killing every one in it.

### RUSSIANS PASS DARDANELLES

#### Three Vessels of Volunteer Fleet Sail as Commercial Carriers.

Vienna, July 7.—Telegrams from Constantinople state that three vessels of the Russian volunteer fleet, ostensibly laden with arms and war material, have passed through the Bosphorus and Dardanelles, outward bound, since Monday. One telegram gives the names of the vessels as the St. Petersburg, Orel and Smolensk, but a telegram to Die Zeit declares that the steamer Sebastopol, carrying guns, war material and soldiers for Vladivostok, was stopped by the Turkish authorities at the entrance of the Bosphorus yesterday, but was allowed to proceed after the Russian embassy in Constantinople had pointed out that the vessel was sailing under a commercial flag.

### Heavy Fighting in Progress.

#### New York Sun Special Service.

Tokio, July 7.—Heavy fighting has been in progress the last two days near Fort Arthur, Hai-cheng and Kai-ping. The result at present is unknown.

Plans are being maturing whereby Japan can place a million men in the field in event of the war lasting until next June.

The Japanese gunboat Kaimon struck a mine and sunk in Taitienwan bay on July 5.

#### Car to See Troops Off.

St. Petersburg, July 7, 1:05 p.m.—It is reported that the emperor will leave St. Petersburg Saturday for the Volga region and visit Kazan, Penza, Samara and Syzran, to bid farewell to the fifth and sixth Siberian army corps, which will be held in reserve at Irkutsk.

Leaky roofs cause trouble and expense. Use Carey's. No trouble. No expense. Both prices 37c. See W. G. Notch Company.

### STRIKE AND PANIC IN INSANE ASYLUM

#### Attendants Walk Out and Incapable Throw Things Into Wild Disorder.

New York Sun Special Service. Elgin, Ill., July 7.—Angered because Supt. Whitman of the Elgin insane hospital refused to reinstate A. M. Mitchell, who was discharged last night for fighting while on duty, the officers of the Hospital Attendants' union ordered a walkout of the employees at 9 o'clock. Twenty-one guards left their places.

### BURNING OIL ENVELOPS LAKE IN WILD FLAMES

#### Special to The Journal.

Wander, Wis., July 7.—The keeper of the Belgo-American oil property, while burning the surplus oil that escaped from the wells there yesterday afternoon, lost control of the blaze, which swept down a small rivulet that communicates with a lake a hundred feet from the wells. Immediately great columns of black smoke rolled into the air, while flames hundreds of feet high quickly transformed the scene into a veritable hell.

### NEW YORK AUTOMOBILIST AND WIFE ARE STONED

#### New York Sun Special Service.

New York, July 7.—Joseph H. Hoadley, president of the International Power company, was stoned in his automobile at Eleventh avenue and Thirty-fourth street this afternoon, while he was driving with his wife. Neither was injured. The police arrested Benjamin Wintons, 9 years old, a crowd of boys and young men, as well as a crowd of men who surrounded the car, and shot around the corner, let drive a volley of stones. The woman ducked her head and shrieked. Mr. Hoadley dodged. A second shower of stones was again heaved. A policeman seized one boy, Mr. Hoadley drove to the stationhouse and entered a charge of disorderly conduct.

### HOMELY TEACHERS GET CHANCE IN CHICAGO

#### New York Sun Special Service.

Chicago, July 7.—Chicago young women need no longer be Venuses to get places as teachers in the public schools. The board of education yesterday did away with the rule that applicants for teachers' certificates must be perfectly proportioned.

### SUES FOR A DIVORCE

#### Mrs. Edwin S. Bronson of Stillwater Brings an Action Against Husband.

Special to The Journal. Stillwater, Minn., July 7.—Mrs. Edwin S. Bronson has begun an action for a divorce from her husband, alleging habitual drunkenness. The defendant is a grandson of the old board of directors of the State of Minnesota, who resided near the asylum for John Mayhew, who escaped several days ago. Mayhew's right name is Harry Blunt. He is a degenerate, and served two terms in Iowa prisons for criminal assaults before coming to Minnesota and committing the offense in this state.

### 'Andrew Carnaygie's Hayro Fund'

#### Mr. Dooley will discuss in Saturday's Journal.

You'll miss a mighty good thing if you miss that.

### Low Rates via the North-Western Line.

St. Louis and return, \$13.00  
Coach excursion, tickets on sale July 11 and 25, good seven days.  
Atlantic City and return, \$32.75  
New York and return, \$24.25  
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### Profit and Loss

Treats of the gains or losses in business transactions, but is not applicable to other gains or losses. For instance, one could hardly explain his profit or loss in fish during the year, tho he might with due propriety say that his losses are insignificant when compared with the gain in strength and vigor he derived from daily use of Pillsbury's Vitex.

### CHICAGOAN TRAPS A RELIC OF THE OLD INDIAN

#### Man Is Caught When He Calls for Money—Letter in Evidence.

New York Sun Special Service. Chicago, July 7.—Charged with attempting to extort \$3,000 from Alexander H. Revell, a prominent and wealthy merchant, by means of a threatening letter, Howard C. Lynch, a metal polisher, was arrested yesterday by United States postal inspectors in the office of Revell's store.

### OMAHA TRAIN KILLS THREE

#### A RIG DRIVEN BY CHILDREN STRUCK NEAR BRANDON, S. D.—TWO KILLED OUTRIGHT.

Sloux Falls, S. D., July 7.—The incoming twice-daily passenger train on the Omaha road, due here at 8:45 o'clock last evening, when about one mile east of Brandon, ran down a rig in which three children were riding, instantly killing the two younger children, boys aged 8 and 10, and fatally injuring the oldest child, a girl of 12.

### CRIPPLES MEET IN RUSH AT BONESTEEL AND WED

#### Special to The Journal.

Bonesteel, S. D., July 7.—Miss Minnie Morris of Cincinnati, a cripple, one of the women who met at the Bonesteel and Wed, was married here after a romance of a day to James Winsom, also a cripple, of Memphis, Tenn.

### CHILDREN ELECTROCUTED AND PLAYMATES LOOK ON

#### New York Sun Special Service.

Chicago, July 7.—While their horror-stricken mothers stood a few feet away shouting hysterically for help, Eugene Gothe and Anton Ceska, each 12 years old, were electrocuted last night.

### IRRIGATION ENGINEER

#### Chandler of Grand Forks Appointed by Governor White.

Special to The Journal. Bismarck, N. D., July 7.—Governor White has appointed Professor E. F. Chandler of Grand Forks as state irrigation engineer to work in co-operation with the federal reclamation service. The appointment was asked by the state irrigation association, and a fund of \$5,000 has been guaranteed to defray the expenses of a state irrigation bureau.

### DYNAMITE PLOT REVEALED

#### Explosive Found Under Bridge on the New Haven Road.

New York Sun Special Service. Stamford, Conn., July 7.—A quantity of dynamite was found on the Fourth of July under the New Haven railroad bridge at Norwalk. The fact was kept very quiet, but the following is the statement. It is believed their reticence is the result of the letter recently received by President Miller, stating that the special train of Connecticut delegates to the Chicago convention would be wrecked.

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### International Convention Baptist Young People's Union of America

Detroit, Mich., July 7.—The Chicago Great Western railway will on July 8th to 7th inclusive sell round trip tickets at one fare plus 25 cents to Detroit, Mich. Tickets good for return until July 12th. For further information apply to L. C. Raina, General Agent, corner Nicollet avenue and Fifth street, Minneapolis.

### A RELIC OF THE OLD INDIAN

#### LETTER OF THOMAS JEFFERSON TO SOUTHWEST INDIANS.

#### When Wars Were Threatened in 1806, Chiefs Were Called to Washington and Conciliated by a Stroke of Diplomacy—Jefferson's Letter Has Been Preserved by the Indians.

Kansas City Star. Oklahoma City, Ok.—Hubert Darman, now living on a farm near Jones City, this county, has an interesting relic which he obtained from the Indians prior to the opening of Oklahoma to settlement and which he proposes to exhibit among other curios at the world's fair next year. The relic is an autograph letter written by Thomas Jefferson, April 11, 1806, and given to a delegation of Indians who had visited Washington to see Mr. Jefferson, who was then president.

It is not remarkable that a letter written by Thomas Jefferson should be extant for Mr. Jefferson wrote letters by the thousand, and at a time, too, when his fame would cause them to be treasured, but it is remarkable that a fragile sheet of paper could be kept for eighty-five years by a roving band of Indians who had no other habitation than bark huts. The letter was addressed to the Poncas, Otoes, Iowas, Osages, Sacs, Foxes, Pottawatomies and Sioux, and was no doubt treasured highly by those into whose hands it was given by President Jefferson. The Indians from whom Mr. Darman obtained it seemed to have no knowledge of its import, but were keeping it among their curiosities as a historical relic. Mr. Darman lived among the Indians and learned to talk their language fluently, and it was while he was staying at the home of the Indians he found the letter. It is interesting and the fact that it is addressed to the only inhabitant, at that time, of Oklahoma, gives additional interest to it.

### Long Journey to Washington.

The journey made by the Indians was in considerable contrast to the usual close railway connections, a long and tedious journey to Washington from Oklahoma. The journey was made in 1806, and the Indians were on their way to Washington Irving made a similar trip upon which his story, "Tour of the Prairies," was based. Twenty years before Secretary Calhoun negotiating treaties with the five tribes to migrate to this territory, a place so remote that Calhoun thought white settlements would never surround it, it was of the great before the westward migration began. At that time the Osages occupied southern Kansas and the country now known as Oklahoma was a vast prairie. The tribes were kept far from the west and spent most of their time in the open prairie.

The other tribes occupied Oklahoma at certain seasons of the year, but at times roamed over Kansas. All of the tribes depended for their living upon the herds of buffalo which were then in the country. The westward migration of the Indians was a matter of diplomacy. The letter Jefferson gave them was a stroke of diplomacy. The letters were, in 1806, strong enough to wage war against the government, with chances for frequent victories. At that time the government made treaties with Indian tribes, which were to last as long as water continued to run and grass to grow; but often the terms of the treaty were broken before the ink upon it was dry. Perhaps President Jefferson had sent for these Indians to visit Washington in order to impress upon them the future of the country and to give them a strong feeling of their dependence upon the Great Spirit, which we must all submit. My children, you have had opportunities of seeing many things among us. You have seen how, by living in peace, cultivating the earth and practicing the useful arts, we, who were once but a few travelers landing on this island, are now a great people and growing daily greater. You, too, possess good land, and abundance of it. By cultivating that and living in peace you may become as we are. You have seen here some of the Cheokas and Chickasaws, who are just now beginning to follow our advice, to raise food in plenty from the earth, to make their own clothes, to learn the useful arts, and to live in peace. Instead of lessening in their numbers, as they did while they followed war and hunting, they now begin to increase and to live in peace and plenty. It will give me great pleasure to see all the other nations of red men following their example and advancing in knowledge, prosperity and happiness. We shall do everything in our power, my children, to encourage and aid them in this. We cannot do it at once to all, because there are many nations, but we will proceed as fast as we can in furnishing them what is most useful.

### A Desire for Peace.

Tell them how many days' journey you have traveled among your white brethren from St. Louis to this place, from this place to Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston and back again, that everywhere they received you as brethren, and have shown to you a sincere friendship. Tell your chiefs, your warriors, your women and children that they will find me in peace with one nation that they love and children may be safe in their houses; that they may have leisure to provide food in plenty from the earth, and to make clothes for themselves, that they may raise children and become strong and happy.

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### NEEDED A BRONCHO BUSTER

#### Chicago Tribune.

There was an unruly young centaur who had to be given his bent or he'd break up the school. For he'd kick like a mule, and would have in the ribs of his mentor.

### Did You Ever See an Ocean of Wheat?

This is the best time of the year to see the wheat fields of North Dakota. The sight-seer's excursion tickets will be on sale July 5 to 12 by the Northern Pacific. Less than one fare for the round trip. Tickets good for ten days. Call at the Northern Pacific city ticket office for information.

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Boys' linen crash suits. Fancy trimmed, varied patterns. Worth fully \$1.00. Friday, special, 48c.

Boys' celebrated A & Z blouses and shirt waists, in chambrays and percales, different patterns and shades; detachable waist bands. Values up to 48c. Special for Friday, 19c.

### Men's Furnishings

Men's fine balbriggan shirts and drawers. Strongly sewed and taped, pearl buttons. Choice Friday, 19c.

Men's French balbriggan underwear, reinforced seat, full fashioned. Especially good values at 75c. Friday clearance, 33c.

Men's hosiery, in blacks, tans and fancy effects. 15c values. Friday, 5c.

Negligee shirts, all sizes, in percales and madras. Neat stripes and figured patterns, some with detached collars, others made in golf style. Worth 75c. Special Friday, 33c.

### Shoe Specials

Men's \$2.50 vici kid and satin calf shoes, McKay sewed. A slightly and good-fitting shoe. Very special Friday, \$1.50.

Men's \$2.00 satin calf flats, good, snappy last; easy fitting; strong, soft, serviceable leather. Special for Friday, 98c.

Men's and boys' lawn tennis shoes, 8-oz. duck tops, serviceable and lasting rubber bottoms. Either in Oxford or Bal. styles. Special for Friday, 50c.

### Special Hat Reductions

75 dozen men's straw hats, in yacht, soft rolls and Optimo shapes. In splits, Cantons, Sennits and Javas. Worth up to \$1.50. Unlimited choice Friday, 50c.

25 dozen men's soft hats in browns, pearl and nutria. All new colorings. All spring shapes, including the new Mashee shape. You will be surprised to get such good values. Hats that sold up to \$3.50. Friday, while they last, \$1.65.

10 dozen boys' sample caps, Yacht and Norfolk styles, blue, tan and fancy suitings. Caps worth 75c to \$1.00. Friday, 25c.

## BLACKS ARM TO RESIST LYNCHINGS

### Lives of "Negro Haters" Threatened—Baltimore Police Investigate Letter.

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St. Louis and Return, \$16.25. The "Rock Island" will sell tickets to St. Louis and return, account Democratic National Convention, for \$16.25, July 24 to 28th, good for 15 days. Trains leave Minneapolis at 9:10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Solid trains Minneapolis to St. Louis. Quick service. Dining cars on all Rock Island trains. For particulars call on A. L. Steece, City Passenger Agent, Minneapolis, Minn. W. L. Hathaway, District Passenger Agent, 322 Nicollet Ave.

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