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TO FIGHT AT FUSHUN

A Battle Is Hourly Expected According to the Reports From Mukden

JAPS ATTACK THE RUSSIAN LEFT

Continued Attempts to Turn Kuropatkin's Flank Have Been Unsuccessful Thus Far — Series of Rear Guard Actions May Come Before the General Engagement.

BULLETIN.
Ting Tau, Sept. 22.—Several columns have arrived here within the last ten days. It is believed the cargoes are intended for Port Arthur, where the Russians are offering stupendous inducements for delivery.

BULLETIN.
Tokio, Sept. 22.—While official confirmation is lacking, it seems certain the Japanese possess a fort on another height westward of Fushun, which they carried by a desperate assault and still retain. Both these heights overlook Port Arthur, offering excellent gun positions which materially weakens the Russian defense.

BULLETIN.
Mukden, Sept. 22.—A battle is hourly expected to occur in the vicinity of Fushun, thirty miles east of here. At present all is quiet. The weather is turning cold.

BULLETIN.
St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—Kuropatkin telegraphs under yesterday's date that the Japanese continue their attempts to turn the Russian left, but without success. According to latest information Oyama's advance forces are still thirty miles south and southeast of Fushun. The war office does not expect a battle at Fushun until after a series of rear guard engagements.

BULLETIN.
Mukden, Sept. 22.—Wednesday, with the exception of a slight skirmish at Pass there were no developments.

BULLETIN.
Chefoo, Sept. 22.—No news of importance was received here from Port Arthur or elsewhere.

BULLETIN.
St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—The Japanese operations against Mukden are rapidly developing. Kuropatkin announces the Japanese army at Bentlapuzze is beginning an advance northward. Outposts yesterday tried to capture Kaoutou pass, commanding the road to Fushun. The Russian are offering a stubborn resistance, which is likely to retard decisive operations.

Kuropatkin has placed strong forces at Bentlapuzze. The Russians are also holding all passes of Da Range eastward of Bentlapuzze.

A dispatch from Harbin announces another Japanese regiment is moving further eastward, but it is regarded as improbable the Japanese will move in any considerable force from Diantchan along the roads leading to Mukden, Fushun and Sintsintin. Severe fighting is probable before the Japanese succeed in reaching Hun river.

There is no further news from Port Arthur, but anxiety as to the fate of its gallant defenders has been relieved by foreign telegrams received here announcing the Japanese have not captured any important position.

FAVORS LARGER FLEET.

Skyrdloff's Chief Wants Both Baltic and Black Sea Fleet Sent East.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—Captain Cladot, Vice Admiral Skyrdloff's chief of staff, has arrived here from Vladivostok with important dispatches for the emperor. In an interview the captain informed the Associated Press that repairs to the protected cruiser Bogatry have been completed and that the cruisers Gromobol and Rossia are fit to resume active service. He admits the chief mission of these vessels is to prey upon commerce. Cladot says the Russians will be unable to recapture Port Arthur in the event of its fall, without having mastery of the sea and he urges the dispatch of every available ship to the far east, including the Black sea fleet. The Associated Press is informed on good authority that Grand Duke Alexis, high admiral, favors sending out the Baltic fleet to the far east by way of Cape Horn, but it is still undecided whether the fleet will start this year.

List of Liao Yang Dead.
St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—The general staff has issued a revised list of the Russian casualties at Liao Yang showing 1,810 men killed, 10,811 wounded, 1,212 left on the field. Fifty-four regimental officers were killed, 252 wounded, two generals killed, three wounded and five officers left on the field.

Of those wounded at Liao Yang 1,000 were and thirty-four officers have

already returned to duty. Those reported missing are probably dead.

Oku on Liao Yang Battle.
Tokio, Sept. 22.—General Oku has written an extended report of the operations preceding the capture of Liao Yang and in conclusion he expressed the opinion that Kuropatkin had determined to hold Liao Yang, his plan being first to attack and defeat Kuroki and then assail the Japanese center and armies. Oku declares the stubborn resistance of the Russians at Liao Yang proves their retreat was not prearranged.

DON'T ACCEPT ESTIMATE.

Novoe Vremya Thinks English Picture of Japanese Forces is Incorrect.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—Russ and Novoe Vremya refuse to accept the low estimate of the Japanese financial and military resources contained in the English dispatches. They say they have no more reason to suppose they are more correct than pictures of the situation in Russia published in the British press. Russ is convinced that the Japanese are able to place as many as a half million men in the field as France, whose capacity, Russ says, is two and a half million men. The paper admits Russia is growing handicapped by distance of her army from headquarters here and urges doubling of the Siberian railroad line.

CRUISER AT THE CANARIES.

Russian Fighting Ship Refused Stores at Las Palmas, C. I.

Las Palmas, Canary Islands, Sept. 21.—The Russian cruiser Terek, which has been stopping British vessels in the vicinity of Gibraltar, commenced coaling here yesterday, but on orders received today from Madrid, she was ordered to leave here during the morning. Her commander replied that he was unable to put to sea owing to the engines needing repairs. She was forbidden to take on board any more coal, water or stores.

Captured Several Japs.
St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—During the repulse of the recent Japanese attack on Da Pass, General Peterhoff took several prisoners and captured a quantity of arms and ammunition. The Russian lost three men and three men killed and forty-five wounded.

Jap Prisoners Honored.
Kologra, Russia, Sept. 22.—An entertainment last night in honor of Japanese officers who are detained here as prisoners of war society leaders view with each other in showing them every attention.

COAL FOR THE RUSSIANS.

Fuel Is Reported Being Loaded In Germany For War Use.

Emden, Germany, Sept. 21.—Three steamers chartered by the Hamburg-American Steamship Company are loading coal here, and it is reported the fuel is destined for the Russian fleet. The captains of the steamers are to sail from here under sealed orders.

China Makes Apology.
Paris, Sept. 22.—The foreign office has received a report from the French minister at Peking saying that China has given a complete apology and reparation for the attack of Chinese soldiers upon Captain Laribe, of the French legion guards on Monday at Peking. The captain was insulted and struck with a stick, but not seriously injured. The Chinese general condemned five of the ringleaders to punishment only a degree short of death.

Colorado Democrats.
Denver, Sept. 22.—The democratic state convention assembled today to complete the state ticket. E. W. Ammons, of Douglas county, was nominated lieutenant governor; Horace W. Havens, Leadville, secretary of state; Frank E. Wheeler, auditor.

Parade for Umbrellas.
(The Century.)
Surakarta is the paradise of umbrellas. They are carried proudly over the heads of every official and every nobleman, but invariably are shut up at the approach of a person of higher rank, and inside the kraton no umbrella may be carried open, except that of the emperor himself. The umbrella is the crown, the wand of office, the outward sign of rank and position. There are umbrellas of gold inside and out for the emperor, of gold inside only for the empress, with a stripe of yellow satin for the emperor's brothers, with a wider stripe of the same material for his illegitimate brothers, of white silk with a narrow gold stripe for the illegitimate sons of the legitimate brothers, and so on, ad infinitum.

Every general, every military officer, exhibits his rank in his umbrella, which is invariably held from behind by an attendant whenever he leaves the house, in sunshine or in cloudy weather. There is an official guide-book of the umbrella labyrinth of Surakarta, which contains not less than 300 various designs, in all imaginable colors and ornamentation.

Wrong Side of the Fence.
(Boston Post.)
Santos-Dumont tells this story: "A lunatic leaped over the fence of the asylum grounds, watching a repair job that was going on. Finally he took the pipe from his mouth, blew a fragrant cloud of smoke into the air, and said with a languid interest to the middle-aged man who was digging a hole with a spade in the hard, stony soil: "What wages do you get, friend?" "Six dollars a week, said the laborer, and he unknotted the red handkerchief that encircled his neck and wiped the sweat from his face. "Are you married?" continued the lunatic. "I am," said the laborer, "and I am the father of eleven young children besides."

"The lunatic, puffing his pipe, mused a little while. Then he said: "I'm thinking, friend, you're on the wrong side of the fence."

ASSOCIATED PRESS ELECTIONS.

Famous News Gathering Bureau Chooses Officers For the Year.
New York, Sept. 22.—The board of directors of the Associated Press chosen yesterday organized today by electing the following officers: President, Frank B. Noyes, Chicago; first vice president, Gen. Charles H. Taylor, Boston; second vice president, H. H. Cabaniss, Augusta, secretary, Melville Stone, assistant secretary, Charles S. Dwyer, and treasurer, Valentine P. Snyder.

BISSELL FOR ELDER.
Ex-President of Upper Iowa May Get a Place.

Waterloo, Sept. 22.—Rumor has it that Dr. J. E. Bissell, pastor of Grace Methodist church, of this city, will be chosen a presiding elder at the meeting of any denomination in Waterloo. For a number of years he was president of Upper Iowa University. Grace church is already looking about for a suitable man to fill the place of Rev. Bissell. The members of the First M. E. church have had a meeting and have named a committee to attend the conference and use all influence possible to keep Rev. F. L. Loveland for the

past two years pastor of that church, in charge of the church here. It is understood that several churches have been making efforts to secure the appointment of Rev. Loveland to their churches during the session of the conference.

RUSSIA'S ATTACK HAS ITS EFFECT

China Is Not Willing to Ratify the British Treaty With Thibet

MEANS LOSS OF PRESTIGE

Ratification of the Treaty Would be Abandonment of Suzerainty of China

Over Thibet and Russian Protest is Cause of China Hesitating to Ratify.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 22.—The Russian protest against the Anglo-Thibetan treaty has been presented at Peking. Russian Minister Lessar is understood to have called the attention of the Chinese foreign board to the fact that China would abandon her suzerainty over Thibet, if she ratified the treaty, thus creating a British protectorate. The announcement that China is not willing to ratify the treaty is believed to be the direct outcome of the Russian protest.

STATE DEPARTMENT SATISFIED.

Russian Declaration on Contraband of War Is Approved.

Washington, Sept. 22.—The state department has received from ambassador McCormick a cablegram summarizing the answer of Count Lamsdorff, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, to its protest against the seizure by Russian war ships of food supplies of American origin carried on neutral ships. Count Lamsdorff says that instructions have been sent to prize courts and naval commanders supplementing and explaining the regulations respecting contraband of war originally issued. The conditional contraband character of articles of dual use is admitted in the new instructions. If articles of dual use are addressed to private individuals in Japan, they will not be subject to seizure and confiscation unless such private individuals are shown to be agents or contractors of the military authorities of Japan.

The construction thus placed upon the regulations is eminently gratifying to the state department officials, and it is directly in line with their contentions. The result will be to limit the application of a principle of international law the exemption of food-stuffs conveyed under the conditions described from seizure, a matter which has not heretofore been one of uncertainty. The burden of proof as to the contraband character of the goods is for the first time placed squarely on the naval commanders attempting to make the seizure, and, if the ship's papers are regular the ships will not be regarded as having established prima facie the non-contraband character of their shipment. This is regarded as of great importance to commercial interests. It is understood here that the seizures already made will be examinations by the prize courts which originally condemned the goods at Vladivostok with the purpose of ascertaining whether any of the food was destined to the Japanese government or its agents.

Nothing has yet been heard from Mr. McCormick respecting the machinery and railway material seized, which must be left to further negotiations.

RAISE INSURANCE RATE.

Western Union Fire Underwriters Will Make Extra Charge.

Frontenac, N. Y., Sept. 22.—At a meeting of the Western Union fire underwriters, it has been decided to apply the configuration charge to all western cities and towns where defects exist in the fire department and water supply. Construction of wall and verticle openings will be noted by underwriters. Municipal authorities will be given sixty days to correct defects and if not remedied by that time, an extra charge will be put on real property in the configuration district.

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ENGLISH WOMAN ARRIVES AND RETURNS TO MEET TERMS OF A WILL.

New York, Sept. 22.—A young English woman giving the game as Florence Gray has crossed the ocean and remained a few days at Ellis island, immigrant station and returned to England, in order to fulfill the terms of an uncle's will, which provided she must visit America.

SANTA FE TRAIN WRECKED.

Three Sleepers Leave the Track, But Casualties Were Slight.

Bayard, Sept. 22.—The Santa Fe passenger train, east bound, was wrecked today at Nepeta. Three sleepers left the track, but according to the report of the company, only a few persons were slightly injured. A broken rail is said to have caused the wreck.

TWENTY KILLED

Falling of a Scaffold on a High Bridge Being Erected Over Grand River in Indian Territory Reported to Have Cost Many Lives.

Sloam Springs, Kas., Sept. 22.—It is reported twenty men were killed and many others injured by the falling of a scaffold on a high bridge being built over Grand River, I. T. No particulars have yet been obtained.

CHURDAN PEOPLE MARRIED.

Miss Pearl Horrine Becomes the Bride of Charles P. McDo.

Bayard, Sept. 22.—Charles P. McDonald, son of Mr. McDonald, was married to Miss Pearl Horrine at the home of Mrs. Nellie Horrine, at 8 o'clock last evening. Rev. A. W. Armstrong of Churdan, Iowa, performed the ceremony. The wedding was an elaborate affair. The contracting parties have left for an extended wedding journey including Chicago and the St. Louis exposition.

Score Amateur Prophets.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 22.—Long range weather prophets, men who make their forecasts and send them broadcast over the country, are being taken to task to time yesterday received the attention of Professor Willis A. Moore, chief of the United States weather bureau, before the convention of weather men. The chief of the bureau delivered a scathing rebuke to what he termed charlatans in weather forecasting and to the unscientific reports published in newspapers.

Charles F. Martin Dead.

Denver, Sept. 22.—Charles F. Martin, secretary of the National Livestock Association, while journeying to Cheyenne, Wyo., from this city, was seized with hemorrhage of the lungs and expired a few minutes after being removed from the train at Greeley, Col. Martin served the Associated Press for several years as its Denver representative.

Andrews Arrested.

Detroit, Sept. 22.—Frank C. Andrews, former vice president of the defunct City Savings bank, whose overdrafts caused the failure of the bank, and who is now located in New York, was today arrested. In the local papers an advertisement appears announcing he will pay the claims of 250 depositors whose names are given.

Receiver For Metals Company.

New York, Sept. 22.—United States District Judge Holt has appointed a receiver for the Metals Company with headquarters at the large and large plants for reduction of gold ore into bullion at Colorado City, Col.

Frosts Hurt In Cerro Gordo.

Mason City, Sept. 22.—Frosts of the past two nights have killed the corn and about 25 per cent will be soft and unsalable. Fifty per cent will be excellent. The average yield of the county is forty bushels per acre.

New York Shivering.

Unusually cold weather for the season has been recorded here during the past twenty-four hours. The temperature was ten degrees lower than the average for the past twenty-five years.

Roosevelt Leaves Oyster Bay.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 22.—President Roosevelt and family left here today on the return trip to Washington, where they are scheduled to arrive at 6 this evening.

Lady Curzon Ill.

London, Sept. 22.—A bulletin issued this morning by the physicians attending Lady Curzon of Kedleston (formerly Mrs. Leiter of Chicago), says her indigestion is seriously ill.

Funeral of Dr. Lorimer.

New York, Sept. 22.—The funeral services over the body of Rev. Dr. George C. Lorimer, who died in France two weeks ago, were held here today.

The Louisiana Safe.

Detroit, Sept. 22.—The Marine Reporter at Port Huron reports the steamer Louisiana for the safety of which fears were felt, passed down early today.

Cold In Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 22.—This was the coldest September day on record in Philadelphia. At 6 the official thermometer recorded forty degrees.

Parker Goes to New York.

Esopus, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Judge Parker started early today for New York, where he will confer with the democratic campaign managers.

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CAMPAIGN SONGS IN GREAT DEMAND

State Central Committee In Need of Campaign Song Writer

A GOOD STORY ON HANNA

Doctors of the State Doing Well With Their Reports of Health Statistics—Courts Not Likely to Help Kickers Who Are Now Suing the Capitol Commission.

Special to Times-Republican.

Des Moines, Sept. 21.—Iowa republicans are decidedly happy over political conditions in the state. They are so happy that they want to engage in singing quite as much as anything else during the campaign. The demand is for campaign songs. The clubs have been formed and the marchers are ready with caps and canes and flags and "rough rider" togery of various kinds; and now what is wanted is something that will enable the boys to express their feelings so that all may know just how they regard the matter. A good many queries have come with regard to securing campaign songs for use of the republicans.

Chairman Spence, of the state committee, will have to advertise for suitable songs or offer prizes for acceptable songs for the campaign as the supply is short, and the poets and musicians have not yet begun to get into the game very deep. There is also a demand for buttons and badges and lithographs of the candidates to be used in the county meetings.

Literature of all kinds is not very plentiful and the clerks in charge of the handling of this stuff have not been able to get out all that is asked for. Chairman Spence and Manager McNeely, of the state committee, have gone into Chicago to secure a fresh supply of all these campaign accessories. The songs, especially, are wanted that the campaign may be made as merry as possible. In the absence of a newspaper writer from the state, the song business has gone to pieces. He has been the poet laureate of political campaigns a good while but is busily engaged in wrestling with various world's fair problems.

The Polk county republicans are going to set a pace that will be hard for others to follow in the matter of club arrangements. The Polk County Republican Club, which has been somewhat criticised for its allowing all sorts of republicans to talk there, and by a Des Moines republican newspaper was ridiculed very much, is to have nearly a thousand men mounted in a parade for Speaker Cannon.

The club is holding several sessions each week for practice and will in due time be held in a grand hall. It has been suggested, and this will be acted on if practicable, that they invite ex-Speaker Henderson to come from Dubuque to greet the present Polk county club.

Republicans here scoff at the suggestion of Chairman Babcock of the congressional committee to the effect that there is danger of a loss of the house of representatives at the coming election, and they declare that it is only a ruse to secure more funds for the committee.

Clinton, Sept. 22.—It has just been learned that Don Lake, who was murdered near Sioux City several days ago, is none other than the former Clinton man, who went to South Dakota two years ago, and who has since been absent from this city. A message has been received at the Dunn farm, on the Comanche avenue road, where Mr. Lake worked several years, telling of the tragic death of the young man who made his home in this city and vicinity for many years, and who was well known here.

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CLINTON MAN MURDERED.

D. C. Lake, Who Was Killed Near Sioux City, Resided at Clinton.

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PECULIAR EVEN AT DEATH.

Hampton Man Directs That His Funeral Be Held in Opera House.

Hampton, Sept. 22.—The funeral of William Glidden, who died Sunday as a result of a stroke of paralysis, was one of the most unique ever held in Iowa. The services were conducted at the Olympic opera house, and the funeral remarks were made by Col. J. B. Raymond. Glidden made the request that a public hall be

that there is such a thing as a parson school where they may get all about military affairs. It is a public announcement that Capt. Erbe, of Sheldon, had decided upon entering the school at Fort Des Moines, a number of persons have written to the adjutant general asking to be assigned. As the school does not open until in November it is possible that they may get into the school.

The doctors of the state are doing very well in the matter of reporting the cases of tuberculosis which have come under their observation. Judge Kinne of the board of control has received 1178 answers to his circular and request, and of these 877 make reports of cases they have treated in some reports as many as twenty cases. It indicates that the doctors have kept very good records.

The kickers are still threatening to prevent the capitol commission from having the decoration of the state capitol done by an artist. They contend that the whole thing can be painted by the ordinary painters who do work in Des Moines for much less than is proposed shall be paid by the state. It is regarded as doubtful if the courts will assist them.

Some of the guard officers of the state are just waking up to the fact

T.-R. BULLETIN

NOTICEABLE NEWS OF TODAY

The Weather.

Sun rises, Sept. 23, 5:48; sets, 5:56. Iowa.—Probably showers tonight and Friday; warmer tonight and in the central and east Friday. Illinois.—Increasing cloudiness with probable showers in the south tonight; Friday, probably showers; rising temperature.

Dakota.—Partly cloudy tonight; Friday, with possibly local showers.

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Telegraphic News.
Battle is Hourly Expected. Japanese Attack Russian Left. Protest of Thibetan Treaty Has Effect.

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and the funeral services held should consist of a story of his life, to be told by some one who was most familiar with it.

Mr. Glidden before death said that he thought it very wrong for people who during life never attended church or helped support them, to rush for a minister when they were upon their death bed and ask the church to take charge of the funeral after death. On this account he requested that a public hall be hired for the occasion. Glidden was, as Mr. Raymond said, a free thinker, and said that he thought death should be a matter of a long, peaceful sleep.

Glidden was a highly respected citizen and had been a resident of Franklin county for over thirty years. He had no relatives here, and had been in Iowa for over fifteen years. He gave his property to a number of his old time friends.

CONTEST OVER SUPERVISOR.

Democrats of Pocahontas County Take Ninety-two Ballots.

Pocahontas, Sept. 22.—The democrats of Pocahontas county met in convention Tuesday, and nominated the following ticket: County auditor, George W. Day; clerk of district court, J. D. Fitzgerald; recorder, J. H. Lampe; coroner, A. L. Schulz. No candidate for county attorney was put in nomination. The convention was not largely attended. S. F. Steinbiller was nominated for supervisor in the Fifth district on the ninety-second ballot.

SHOPS ARE AGAIN CLOSED.

Rock Island Shuts Down Its Big Plant at Cedar Rapids.

Cedar Rapids, Sept. 22.—An order was received here yesterday directing that the Rock Island shops be closed until further action. There is absolutely no information as to how long the shops will remain closed, the sentiment prevails that the suspension is but temporary.

U. S. Court Indictment.

Council Bluffs, Sept. 22.—Indictments against two men were returned to the federal court yesterday in a partial report submitted by the grand jury.

Andrew Sorenson and Christopher Sorenson of Red Oak, two of the trio indicted, were accused of bootlegging. They pleaded guilty to the charge and were each fined \$100 and committed to jail at Red Oak for a period of thirty days.

Postmaster George L. Wilkinson of Neola, charged with a technical violation of the postal laws entered a plea of guilty.

Henry Ertz of Carroll, who is scheduled for trial for sending obscene letters, was brought into court in the morning and will enter a plea of guilty, it is said.