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LAND 100,000 MEN--- THE JAPS READY FOR A STRENUOUS FIGHT

Another Attack By Torpedoes on Russian Fleet Is Reported.

Blowing up of a Russian Cruiser Confirmed---The Czar Shows His Shame at Defeat.

RUSSIA'S INVADING FORCE GETS BUSY NOW

JAPS FLEET ATTACKS.

Tokio, Feb. 17.—A report reached here today that the Japanese torpedo fleet again attacked the Russians at Port Arthur February 14. It is thought one Russian ship was damaged.

TO HAVE TELEGRAPH WIRE.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 17.—A telegraph line direct to Port Arthur has been ordered completed within a month. This will give direct communication to the Far East.

JOLLIES HIS SAILORS.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 17.—Admiral Alexieff has issued orders to the Russian troops under his control in which he lauds their courage, and predicts a victory over the Japanese.

THE CZAR UNPATRIOTIC.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—The Morgen Post asserts that bitter discontent is prevalent in Russia because the czar has ostentatiously shown his displeasure at the outbreak of the war between Russia and Japan.

His manifesto refused to go to Moscow to issue his customary proclamation and he also refused to attend a service at Kasan Cathedral. The czar is accused of a lack of patriotism.

TURKEY TO FIGHT RUSSIA.

London, Feb. 17.—The Paris correspondent of the Central News says that great disquietude is felt in official circles as a result of reliable news to the effect that Turkey is actively preparing to open immediate hostilities against Russia.

MANY FREEZING TO DEATH.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 17.—Via Frontier—Russian troops that are being sent to the Far East are encountering almost insurmountable difficulties. They are being sent in ordinary freight cars, 25 men in each car, with but one small stove in the center to warm them. The temperature is about 30 to 60 degrees below zero.

RUSSIA CLAIMS VICTORY.

London, Feb. 17.—The Times says that the Russians admit the loss of 70 men killed, but claim they have driven back the Japanese in a land fight near Oainy, February 12 and captured a hundred and fifty.

RUSSIANS ACT AS POLICE.

New Chwang, Feb. 17.—The civil administrator here, having represented that he is unable to maintain order with the police force at his command, a Russian infantry force of fifteen hundred men marched in Monday and now occupy the town as officials.

WIJU AN OPEN PORT.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The state department is advised by Minister Allen, at Seoul, that the Korean government has declared Wiju, on the Yalu river, an open port.

TO SEND STORES.

Toulon, France, Feb. 17.—Orders have been received from Paris for immediate dispatch to Saigon, French Cochinchina, of all available stores, ammunition, and war material, by quick steamers from Marseilles.

DESTROYED BY MINE.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 17.—The Russian second class cruiser Boyarin was blown up by a mine February 13 similar to the Russian torpedo transport Yusei. One hundred and ninety-seven officers and men, it is understood, were lost.

The report that the Boyarin was blown up and all her officers and crew lost has been confirmed from a private source.

The Boyarin was 148 feet long, 84 feet beam and 16 feet draught, of 3200 tons displacement and her trial speed was 25 knots. Her armament consisted of six 4.7-inch guns, eight 1.8-inch guns, two 1.4-inch guns and three machine guns. She was also fitted with six torpedo tubes. The Boyarin was last reported as having taken part in the engagement of February 9 at Port Arthur.

SIX HUNDRED FROZEN.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tagliche Bundschau says that six hundred Russian soldiers were frozen to death while marching across Lake Baikal, Eastern Siberia. The correspondent adds that the temporary railroad across the lake is not yet completed, that a large detachment of troops was sent on a 23 mile march over the ice-covered lake and that it is presumed that part of these troops lost their way in a snow-storm and perished.

JAPAN TRAPS THREE.

Seoul, Feb. 17.—The Korean government has granted Japan the right to traverse the country. It is said that Japanese warships have trapped three Russian ships off Yongpho.

WAR NEWS SUMMARY.

New York, Feb. 17.—The Herald publishes the following summary of its war news:

Now it is gravely asserted that the Japanese strategists intend to land one hundred thousand men on the coasts of Liao Tung, between the Yalu and Port Arthur. There are further intimations from Port Arthur that the Russian fleet is ready for an offensive movement.

A skirmish between torpedo boats in the gulf of Pechili is reported.

The Japanese fleet is said to have established a base on Elliott Island, near Port Arthur.

The Russians have heavily reinforced Kin Chow and Nuchwang.

Port Arthur, panic stricken during the bombardment is again tranquil. There were four hundred torpedoes on the Varis, two-thirds of Russia's entire store in those waters.

Russia's minister to Korea has left the country by order of the Japanese. The latter are in full control of the peninsula.

SAD NEWS.

OF HIS MOTHER'S DEATH RECEIVED BY ATTORNEY W. V. EATON.

Attorney W. V. Eaton received a telegram this afternoon stating that his mother, Mrs. John L. Eaton, dropped dead this morning at her home in Scottsville, Ky.

Mrs. Eaton had been in failing health for some time, from rheumatism and dropsy. She was able to be up this morning however and death came entirely without warning.

She was 54 years of age and left a husband and four children besides her son here. Attorney Eaton left for Scottsville this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Spaulding have returned from Morganfield, where they carried the remains of their little daughter, Annie Laurie, for burial.



NICHOLAS II., CZAR OF RUSSIA.

TROUBLE PILES UP.

FOR THE REBELS IN SAN DOMINGO.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The rebels in San Domingo committed another breach of international law, which may justify the United States government in intervening to restore order and protect the property in the island. Minister Powell reports to the state department that he received belated advice from Jean Villain, the vice-consular general at Samana, dated February 9, to this effect:

"Insurgents entered our consulate at Samana with armed force and took two refugees out."

The state department promptly communicated to the navy department with a request that proper action be taken to protect the United States consulate. It is the belief that Admiral Wise will demand the punishment of the perpetrators of this outrage and if the provisional government is not able to do this he will employ the United States naval force to chastise the insurgents.

COMMITTEE ON HAND

TO MEET TRAIN BRINGING NON-UNION MEN.

Mr. Bruce Filley, employed by the E. Rehkopf Saddlery Co., who is now in Texas employing non-union leatherworkers, was expected home today with a force of workmen and a committee of local union leatherworkers who are on a strike against the Rehkopf people, were at the train to meet the men and ask them to return home and not work here.

Mr. Filley did not arrive, however, but is expected tonight. The committee from the union will continue to meet the trains and will try to persuade the newcomers not to work here.

BOLD THEFTS.

TWO MEN LOSE MONEY AND PROPERTY AT INGRAM HOUSE.

A man named Ivy, of Graves county, reported to the police this morning that last night at the Ingram House, on Fourth street, near Monroe, where he was stopping, some one entered and stole a suit of clothes, watch and pocket change.

A man named Tobe Scott, of Woodville, claims that from the same room some person took \$20 from his pocket book containing \$400. The money was under his head, and why it was not all taken he does not know.

Mr. Robert McTyre was called to Sturgis last night to attend the funeral of his mother, who died yesterday.

TOUCHING SCENES

Funeral of the Late Senator Hanna at Washington.

Eminent Men There—Oration By Chaplain Hale—Floral Designs Were Magnificent.

TO BE TAKEN TO CLEVELAND

Washington, D. C., Feb. 17.—The state funeral of Senator Hanna in the senate chamber Wednesday was very impressive. It was attended by the president and cabinet, diplomatic corps, members of the house and senate and the galleries were filled with prominent men and women. The funeral oration was delivered by Chaplain Hale. Floral tributes were numerous and the most exquisite ever seen in Washington. The remains, accompanied by the family leave for Cleveland this evening.

In appearance the features of the dead statesman are very life-like. They indicate little emaciation, and on account of the oxygen used during the last days of the senator's sickness there is an absence of the ashen pallor peculiar to the dead.

The house convened at 11:45 a. m. today when the members marched in a body with Speaker Cannon at their head, to the senate.

Secretaries Taft, Cortelyou and Wilson will go to Cleveland to attend the services there.

The remains of Senator Hanna were conveyed from the hotel to the capitol at 11 o'clock this morning. Preceding the hearse and the carriages containing the members of the family and invited friends was a detail of mounted police. The casket bearers were officers detailed from the capitol police force.

The casket will not be removed from the senate chamber until 5 p. m., but the chamber will be closed.

Shortly before that time the committee on arrangements will meet to escort the remains to the Pennsylvania depot. The body will be conveyed at 5 o'clock to the Pennsylvania station and at 6 o'clock a special train bearing the body and the members of the family and their invited guests will leave for Cleveland. Governor Herrick, General Charles Dick, Andrew Squire, Dr. Carre and Secretary Elmer Dover will accompany the remains from Washington.

Representative William Alden Smith, of Michigan, related at the White house a touching incident of a recent conversation he had with Senator Hanna. He went to Senator Hanna in the senate chamber one day and invited him to attend, as one of the distinguished men of the country, semi-centennial celebration of the founding of the Republican party, to be held at Jackson, Mich., on July 6 next.

"I don't know where I will be then," was the senator's pathetic reply to the invitation.

"Why, you will be right here, of course," replied Representative Smith reassuringly.

"No," replied Mr. Hanna, "I'm afraid I won't."

"I walked to the rear of the senate chamber," said Mr. Smith, "and, looking back at the senator, wondered if he had a premonition that he might not live long. The impression made by his words never left me."

SHAW ON HANNA.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw was deeply affected when the news of Senator Hanna's death was brought him. Mr. Shaw said:

"Senator Hanna was one of the noblest characters I ever knew. As a business man he was very successful; as a politician he ranked with the most potent; as a statesman he was broad-minded, far-seeing and intensely patriotic, and as a friend he was the truest of the true. Not by luck nor by circumstances did he work his way from a position quite generally misunderstood, to universal respect and

confidence. It was a real character, real patriotism and real worth. His loss is national and in the sad bereavement the humblest will be participant."

Mr. Cannon, speaker of the house of representatives, said:

"As business man, politician, manager and legislator, combining the qualifications which distinguish men in each of these groups, Mr. Hanna was the most forceful citizen of the United States. Others may have done greater work in each of these lines of endeavor, but no man of this or preceding times so far as my recollection or study of our history goes, has combined these qualifications and deserved and won greater distinction in each and all. And he, more than any citizen of his time, welded these interests together, fulfilling the highest ideals of the statesman. To him the great business and labor interests and the great body of the people turned, having full confidence in his judgment and patriotism, making him the most trusted arbiter in the most important public questions arising for solution. His death is a public loss in the full measure of that expression."

HANNA'S SUCCESSOR.

Cincinnati, Feb. 17.—As the Ohio legislature is now in session, Senator Hanna's successor will not be appointed by the governor, but at once elected for the terms expiring in March, 1905, and in March, 1911. Less than seven years ago Mr. Hanna, who had never before held office, succeeded John Sherman as senator and had over seven years yet to serve, having just last month been re-elected. During the past week there has been much comment about the senatorial situation. Among the names mentioned in this connection have been those of Governor Herrick, Charles P. Taft and George B. Cox of Cincinnati; J. H. Hoyt, of Cleveland; J. Warren Kelfer, of Springfield; General Asa W. Jones, of Youngstown and Congressmen Dick, Grovesnor, Burton, Nevin and Warnock.

Senator Hanna lived in Northeastern and Senator Foraker in Southwestern Ohio. It is believed by some that the geographical condition is likely to add to the chances of Governor Herrick or Congressman Dick, who reside in the lake districts. For years candidates for United States senators have been endorsed by state conventions, so that the legislative action was merely perfunctory, but now there is every indication of an old-time free-for-all fight before the legislature.

WAS WARMER.

BUT A COLD WIND MADE IT DISAGREEABLE.

The temperature this morning was higher than yesterday but the wind was rather strong and the change, although great enough to have been felt under ordinary circumstances, was not noticed for this reason.

This afternoon a drizzling rain fell and froze as it struck the pavements, rendering it very slippery and unsafe for pedestrians. Warmer weather is promised, however.

FIRST LEGAL SALOON

IN KENTUCKY'S HISTORY ESTABLISHED AT JACKSON.

Jackson, Ky., Feb. 17.—For the first time a legal saloon was established here when Matt Crawford took out a license, paying \$500 therefor. Recently the town council passed a resolution licensing saloons, in the face of a legislative enactment prohibiting saloons in Jackson. Numerous blind tigers are still in operation here.

THE MARKETS.

WHEAT	HIGH	LOW	CLOS.
May	88	86	87
July	89	87	88
CORN			
May	56	54	55
July	53	51	52
OATS			
May	44	42	43
July	40	39	39
COTTON			
Mar.	13 08	12 54	13 07
May	13 42	12 85	13 42
July	13 40	12 85	13 46
AUG.	12 99	12 40	12 70
Oct.	11 49	11 07	11 35
STOCKS			
I. C.	128	127	127
L. & N.	104	103	103
Mo. P.	89	89	89
U. S.	111	111	111
U. S. P.	272	264	264