GREAT OPENER, THIS.

Crooked Work Characterized the First Day at Jerome Park.

BANQUET SOUNDLY HISSED.

His Race With Sir Excess the Worst Kind of a Farce.

JOCKEY SIMMS SUSPENDED.

Gentry and Carbonate Will Try for Records at Galesburg.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—This was a discouraging day at the opening of Jerome park. Only twenty out of forty-two entries went to the post. In the handicap all were scratched but Banquet and Sir Excess, with the former as a strong favorite. When the flag fell the two went away at a very slow pace, amid the jeers of the spectators, and when they reached the grand stand in the back stretch the hooting was louder than had been heard on a track in years. It had no effect on the jockeys, for they fairly walked their horses around the club-house turn and never tried to race until the stretch was reached, when both made a rush, and they finished with Sir Excess three parts of a length in the lead, amid the hooting and hissing of the crowd. Then came the match between Harry Reed and Gotham, in which the former was an odds-on favorite. On the turn under the club, Gotham tried to bite Harry Reed several times, but he could not reach him, and then Simms rode close to Gotham and Taral had to pull for fear of going over the fence. Gotham never got near to Harry Reed at the end. Loud shouts of foul were heard everywhere, and the stewards promptly disqualified Harry Reed, giving the race to Gotham. Then to complete their work the stewards fined Simms $200 and suspended him for the rest of the meeting. In the opening race Stonenell was a prohibitive favorite and won without being urged. In the second race came another Dwyer victory, for Kennet won from the favorite, Manchester, who quit when called upon for the finish. Four out of ten entries went to the post in the fifth race, and St. Michael was the favorite. He could not negotiate the turns and finished third. Adelbert beat Arab by a short neck in a driving finish. Summaries:

First race, five furlongs—Stonenell 122 (Simms), 1 to 20, won; Blackhawk 116 (Taral), 15 to 1, second; Parthena, 93 (Coudrier), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:02.

Second race, five and a half furlongs—Kennet, 112 (Simms), 3½ to 1, won; Manchester, 112 (Taral), 2 to 5, second; Tuscan, 100 (R. Doggett), 200 to 1, third. Time, 1:10½. The Coon and Bellicose also ran.

Third race, American Jockey club handicap, mile and a furlong—Sir Excess, 108 (Doggett), 2½ to 1, won; Banquet, 120 (Simms), 1 to 3, second. Time, 2:08¾.

Fourth race, Jerome stakes, five and a half furlongs—Gotham, 118 (Taral), 2 to 1, won by a foul from Harry Reed, 115 (Simms), 9 to 20. Harry Reed was first by three lengths. Time not given.

Fifth race, mile, selling—Adelbert, 108 (Simms), 12 to 5, won; Arab, 104 (Jones), 8 to 1, second; St. Michael, 109 (Taral), 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:46¾. Jodan also ran.

Sixth race, five and a half furlongs, selling—Armitage, 107 (Simms), 7 to 20, won; Halton, 101 (H. Jones), 3½ to 1, second; Pulitzer, 99 (Lamley), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Terrapin also ran.

Entries for Today:

First race, mile — Beldemere, 124; Flirt, Florinda, Stonenellie, 97; White Wings, 107.

Second race, Bedford stakes, Titan course—Patrician, Dorian, Dobbins, 122; Harrington, 119; Rubicon, 122; Galilee, 122; Stonenellie, 119.

Third race, five furlongs, selling—Metropolis, 108; Midgley, 101; Pouch colt, 98; Utica, 108; Cockade, 107; Romping Girl, 95.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth—Jack Rose, Jordan, 107; Lightfoot, 104; Galloping King, 102; Indra, 97; Paris, 94.

Fifth race, maidens, five furlongs, straight—Mohawk, Pouch colt, Tuscan, True Penny, Forger, Parthenia, 108; Kalinhoe, Belvina, Curious, 105.

Sixth race, Titan course, selling—Shelly Tuttle, 108; Shadow, 104; Long Bridge, Gov. Sheehan, 101; Darkness, 107; Agitator, Speculation, 101.

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RACED LIKE PLUGS.

Events at Latonia Decidedly Slow.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 24. — In the presence of 2,000 people, on a fast track, fifty-nine horses out of seventy-six entries went to the post. Except in the last race, which was fast, the time was barely respectable. The fifth race was the only one won by a favorite. Summaries:

First race, one mile — Judith won, Pittsburg second, Resplendent third. Time, 1:42¾.

Second race, six furlongs—Alto June won, Al Boyer second, Residna third. Time, 1:16½.

Third race, five furlongs—Crescent won, Fabia second, Buck Fly third. Time, 1:09¾.

Fourth race, mile and thirty yards—St. Maxim won, Oakwood second, Henry Young third. Time, 1:47¾.

Fifth race, five furlongs — Royal Spirit won, Porthos second, Spiritualist third. Time, 1:03½.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Mollie B won, Cyclone second, Robinhood third. Time, 1:14¾.

Entries for Today.

First race, seven furlongs—Tuscarora, 106; G B Cox, 106; Warplot, 109; Bedford, Master Fred, Tom Elmore, 103; Ixon, 111; Invercauld, Emma Mc, 114; Tenny Jr, John Berkley, 105.

Second race, mile—Alethia, Allen, 97; Crevasse, 100; Strathrol, 102; King Charley, 103; Clara Bauer, 104; Eli, Mezzotint, 107; Clementine, 108; Rhettgoode, 100; Remorse, 112; The Ironmaster, 114.

Third race, mile and a sixteenth—Charley McDonald, 97; Resplendent, 106; Pritonia, Lakeshore, 102; Buckwa, 104; Vorhees, Chant, 107; Henry Jenkins, Plutus, 110.

Fourth race, six furlongs, Kimball stakes—Malmason, 108; F B Morris, Galen d'Or, Islin, 111; Dominican, Curator, Sunburst, Canewood, Free Advice, 114; Ellsworth, 114; Gath, 118; Satsuma, 121.

Fifth race, four and a half furlongs—Sevilla, Amie Goodwin, Annie M, Conjecture, Rebecca, 105; Lottie, Alter, Jane, Staff, 108; Elskit, Pure Delight, 112; Daisy, Rosa, Nellie Wagner, Meteor, Nora Howard, 115.

Sixth race, seven furlongs—Equator, Ren Avon, Fraulein, Sister Anita, Miss Lilly, 108; Rightmore, 111; Interior, Charmarion, Darella, 114, Plutus, 117.

HARLEM EVENTS.

Diggs Defeats Irby in the Third Race.

HARLEM, Sept. 24.—First race, six furlongs—Ald. Morris won, Ledalia second, Lucinda third. Time, 1:16.

Second race, mile and an eighth—Eagle Bird won, Joe Murphy second, Evanatus third. Time, 1:56.

Third race, six furlong—Diggs won, Senator Irby second, Amelia May third. Time, 1:14.

Fourth race, five and a half furlongs—Linette won, Vinctor second, Midas third. Time, 1:09.

Fifth race, mile and seventy yards—Nephew won, Wolsey second, Little Cripple third. Time, 1:46½.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Eli Kendig won, Onyx second, Flora May third. Time, 1:16.

Entries for Today.

First race, five furlongs—Cinder Sal, Ella Brooks, Roma, Baby B, Why Hebo, Couronne d'Or, 103; Occula, Pattie Todd, Alvaretta, Ida Sauers, Weola, Eugenia, Sundown, Sue, 110.

Second race, mile and seventy yards—Donnell, Portugal, Gracie C, 90; Bobolink, 102; Red Glen, 104; Prof. S, Mulberry, 110.

Third race, five furlongs — Scamp, Soon Over, Walter O, Katie B, Mandolina, Norvos, 91; Anna McNairy, Venus, 95.

Fourth race, one and one-sixteenth miles—Parl N, My Luck, Bessie Bisland, 97; Cicily, 99; Janus, 100; Hawthorne, 104.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Walkove, Sallie Calvert, Bejure, 91; Momus, Madeline, Miss Alice, 95; Dick Behan, 98; Leo Lake, 101; Coria, 105.

Sixth race, mile and seventy yards—Damask, Artie, Fern, Teeta May, 91; Paulus, 95; Revolver, 101; Fakir, Vallera, 104; Snowball, Rapidan, Rico, Sly Lisbon, 105; Buck McCann, 106; Francis Pope, Vulture, 108.

Housekeepers who have been induced to try some new brand of baking powder immediately become more emphatic than ever in their approval of Dr. Price's.

FLYERS AT GALESBURG.

Gentry and Carbonate Will Try at the Records.

GALESBURG, Ill., Sept. 24.—The races today were not fast, owing to the rough condition of the track and a high wind, and this closed the fall programme. Five weeks' racing opens tomorrow. Carbonate goes against the two-year-old pacing record tomorrow, and John R Gentry goes against the world's record Wednesday. Alix left today for Columbus, O. Summaries:

2:16 pace, stake $1,000—

Joe Patchen	1	1	1
Frank Agan	2	2	2
Susie	3	3	3
Dollie Spencer	5	4	4
Baron Bell	4	5	5

Time, 2:14¼, 2:12¾, 2:13¾.

Two-year-old trot, Futurity stakes, $8,000—

Pansy McGregor	1	1
Buffington	2	3
Impetuous	3	2
Cappie Woodbine	4	5
Coupon	5	4
Ambi Dexter	6	6
Slate Minx	7	7
Ammonite	8	8

Time, 2:19¾, 2:19¾.

NEW NATIONAL A MYTH.

Officers of the New York Club So Characterize It.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—William B. Wheeler, director of the New York National League; Base Ball club, was seen this morning at his office, 66 Broadway, and asked about his position in regard to the new base ball association, rumors of the proposed organization of which have been floating in the air for several days past.

"The very first thing I wish to say about this matter is this," said Mr. Wheeler. "I have never been approached in any way by any one with regard to the formation of a new association. I am highly indignant over the use of my name in connection with the scheme, and wish you would put me down as saying the use of my name was entirely unauthorized. I have never discussed with anybody the formation of a new league.

"I don't believe that if there is such a scheme on foot that it amounts to much, or more would have been heard of it by this time. The whole thing seems to be mythical.

"In regard to my relations with the New York club, I may say they are just as friendly as ever at present."

Secretary Stackhouse, of the New York Base Ball club, discredits the report that the entire Boston league team has signed with the New York National association for next year, as stated in a dispatch from Boston.

"That," said Mr. Stackhouse, "is impossible, as I understand the National association has fallen through. Pat Powers, president of the Eastern league, W. B. Wheeler and John B. Day deny any connection with it. The Pittsburg men, Scandrett, Buckenberg and Nimcks, have also backed out."

Princeton's Kickers.

PRINCETON, N. J., Sept. 24.—The Princeton 'varsity lined up against the scrubs today in the first practice game of the season. Capt. Trenchard has selected the following to play on the 'varsity: Brown and Trenchard, ends; Lea and Church, tackles; Wheeler and Taylor, guards; Crowdis, center; Poe, quarterback; Rosengarten, Barnett and Morse, halves; McCormick and Burt, fullbacks. The alumni of Princeton have manifested a great interest in the team's welfare, and a number are already on the grounds coaching.

St. Louis Wants Another Club.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 24.—The establishment of a ball club in the proposed National association at this point is being discussed here, but who the prospective backers are is not known. It has been ascertained, however, that a railroad and a ferry company here are willing to aid the project if grounds are secured on the east side of the river. Another proposition is to locate the grounds near a street car line here owned by a brother of Al Johnson. Whatever may be determined upon, it is certain a new club here is contemplated.

Football Challenge.

The Columbia Football club, of Northeast Minneapolis, hereby issues a challenge to any football club in the Twin Cities or their suburbs whose average weight does not exceed 140 pounds. For further particulars address the manager, Bert Cooley, 314 Central avenue, Minneapolis.

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Metropolitan and Grand Play a Rival Engagement at Base Ball.

GRAND WINS BY ONE TALLY.

Fifteen Metropolitans Struck Out and Carried Away on Shutters.

GRANDS ALSO STRUCK OUT.

American Beauties Cut a Big Figure in the Eventful Day.

The Metropolitan and Grand opera house employes have had it out on the diamond, and the Grand aggregation proved the winners by one tally.

The game was played yesterday afternoon at the West Side Athletic park. The score stood 10 to 9 in favor of the Grand, indicating if one did not see the score card that a bang-up, red-hot game had come off. No outsider will ever know the true nature of that game, unless he chases down the scorekeepers and draws the information out of them with a cerkscrew. But no one is likely to find the scorekeepers, or to even find out who they were, for it is said that Veach has run his scorekeeper out of town, and that the Grand scorekeeper has been served likewise. However, a party, whose name it is not safe to record, ventured the information last evening that the scorekeepers started out to keep track of the errors, etc., and that after they had covered a dozen sheets of paper—not with anything in the line of the "etc."—they found their stock of paper exhausted, and only their cuffs left on which to keep the tallies and whitewashes. The Grand boys celebrated their victory by making a bonfire of the dozen sheets of paper. So the game will pass down in stage annals as one of the greatest "nits" on record.

The boys lined up in positions about like this:

Metropolitan.		Grand.
Straff	Catcher	Snow
Perreout	Pitcher	Bonn
North	First base	Galvin
Swift	Second base	Zimmerman
Schulz	Third base	Maynard
Carlson	Shortstop	U. Nelson
Al Carlson	Right field	Benner
Veach	Left field	Birch
St. Clair	Center field	J. Burch

The "Rush City" theatrical troupe was out in full force to see the game and cheer the Grand boys on, and they turned their lungs loose to the wild winds.

Charles W. Benner, who played in the right field, is the advertising agent of the Grand. He was the proud recipient of a bouquet of American Beauties, donated, it is said, by an American beauty. Why it was done and who she is he knows, and he won't tell.

It is reported that George Bonn, in the box for the Grand, struck out fifteen men, and this is called the feature of the game. But just what is meant in this case by striking out men seems to be involved in doubt. From the looks of Charlie Veach it might be inferred that he was struck out twice fifteen times. But seven innings were played and possibly Bonn was too liberal with his striking out.

But all jokes aside the game was a good deal better than a five-cent sideshow, and everybody taking part or looking on had more fun than an elephant could carry. It was only a "one-night stand." At least nothing has been said about a return game.

The score by innings was as follows:

Metropolitan	2	2	0	0	3	0	2	—	9	
Grand	1	0	4	2	2	0	1	—	10	

Mr. Bulger, of the Rush City company, was the umpire for the Grand, and Mr. Murphy umpired for the Metropolitan.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Millers Drop Another Game to the Detroits.

DETROIT, Sept. 24.—The Detroits won another one from the Millers today. The Millers almost won out in the ninth by a batting streak. Attendance, 500. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Detroit	0	0	1	2	1	0	1	1	0—6	9	3
Minneapolis	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3—5	7	3

Earned runs, Detroit 3, Minneapolis 3; time, 2:05; umpire, McDonald; batteries, Gayle and Jantzen, Parvin and Wilson.

Hoosiers Wind Up With Victory.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 24.—Indianapolis won the closing game of the season from Milwaukee today by bunching two singles, a two-bagger and a three-bagger in the fourth inning. The day was raw, but 200 people saw the contest. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis	0	0	2	4	1	0	0	0	2—9	15	3
Milwaukee	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	3—6	10	3

Earned runs, Indianapolis 6, Milwaukee 1; time, 1:25; umpire, Sheridan; batteries, Pepper, Cross and Gray, Stevens and Bolan.

Sioux Drop One More.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Sept. 24.—Killeen was an easy mark for the Rustlers today, while the visitors were unable to find Rhines with more than ordinary effect. The visitors excelled in making costly errors, which made the game too much like a jug-handle to be interesting, and everybody had enough of it at the end of the eighth inning. Attendance, 850. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Grand Rapids	6	2	2	0	5	3	2	0—20	19	4	
Sioux City	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	1—7	14	7	

Batteries, Rhines and Spies, Killeen and Boyle; earned runs, Grand Rapids 9; time, 2:00; umpire, Kerins.

Blues Go Down a Peg.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 24.—The Toledos batted the Kansas City Blues out of second place today after losing the game in the third inning by fielding errors. Daniels was hit hard, and in the second inning was replaced by Darby. The latter had no control, and gave ten bases on balls. Cold, windy weather kept the attendance down to 400. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Toledo	2	2	0	4	3	0	3	2—16	17	5	
Kansas City	0	2	7	1	0	0	0	0—10	13	2	

Batteries, Foreman and McFarland, Darby and Daniels and Stallings; earned runs, Toledo 9, Kansas City 2; time, 2:00; umpire, Manassau.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Luck of the Orioles Deserts Them.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 24.—The Clevelands struck a batting streak in the first part of today's game. In the first and second inning they piled up nine runs and knocked Gleason out of the box. Both Brodie and McKean were ordered out of the game for quarreling on the base lines. Weather cold. Attendance 500. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	2	7	0	0	0	3	0	0—12	15	5	
Baltimore	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0—7	9	2

Earned runs, Cleveland 5, Baltimore 2; umpire, Lynch; time 2:05.

Easy for Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 24.—The batting of Cross and Beckley and Menefee's fine pitching were the features. Attendance, 1,000. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1	1	3	0	0	4	1	0	*—10	15	3
Brooklyn	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—4	6	2

Earned runs, Pittsburg 3, Brooklyn 1; time, 2 hours; umpires, Betts and Gaffney; batteries, Kenefee and Weaver, Stein and Kinslow.

Eight Goose Eggs for Browns.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 24. — The Browns barely saved themselves from being shut out today by the Phillies, who outplayed the home team at every point. Numerous errors at critical points and poor batting lost for the Browns. Attendance, 700. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1	10	6
Philadelphia	0	5	5	0	1	2	0	0	8—21	22	0

Earned runs, St. Louis 1, Philadelphia 11; umpire, Hurst; time, 1:40; batteries, Clarkson and Twineham, Johnson and Buckley.

Colts Win the Last.

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—The Colts took the last game of the season from the Senators with but little effort. Griffith lined out a three-bagger on the first ball pitched, and from then till the finish Stockdale was batted at will, while Hutchinson kept the visitors down as he pleased. Eleven of the Chicagos today signed contracts for next season. Weather cool. Attendance, 2,900. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	2	4	0	2	0	2	6	0—17	20	3
Washing'n	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	1—5	12	4

Earned runs, Chicago 6, Washington 1; time, 2 hours; umpire, Emslie; batteries, Hutchinson and Schriver, Stockdale and Dugdale.

Meekin Won for Giants.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24. — Both Meekin and Knell pitched good ball today, but Meekin batted out his own game. Score:

									R.	H.	E
Louisville	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	—7	7	3
New York	1	0	3	2	0	0	2	*	—8	9	2

Earned runs, Louisville, 3. Batteries Knell and Grim; Meekin and Farrell. Time 2:35. Umpire, Keefe.

Bostons Won by Luck.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 24.—Boston won today's game through Smith's errors, which cost three runs. Although they outbatted and outfielded the Reds, the latter bunched their hits and made a strong showing up to the seventh inning. Attendance 800. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0—4	6	4
Boston	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1—7	12	2

Earned runs, Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 3. Time 1:40. Umpire, McQuaid.

The California Midwinter Exposition was a dazzling success. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder took the highest prize for purity, strength and excellence.

QUAKERS WENT DOWN

OVERWHELMINGLY DEFEATED BY BRITISHERS.

Visitors Played a Faultless Game and Piled Up a Lead of 131 Runs.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—The international cricket match between Lord Hawke's eleven and the Gentlemen of Philadelphia terminated this afternoon in an inglorious defeat of the local team, who fell under the overwhelming majority of 131.

When stumps were drawn the Philadelphias were 153 runs behind the visitors, who still had two wickets to the good. Notwithstanding this, however, a great many persons were sanguine of a victory for the home players. As the day's play progressed their hopes were gradually shattered, for one wicket fell after another, and at 3:40 p. m. the match was ended, the Britons having 422 to the 291 of the local team. The Englishmen played in faultless form today, but the credit for the victory is due largely to Bathurst's phenomenal bowling. He made the great record of eight wickets for 44 runs, and most of them went down in quick succession. The locals put up a good all-round game, but they could make no headway against the young Oxonian's puzzling bowling. At the fall of the third wicket in the second inning today the Philadelphias began to lose heart, for they had only then accumulated 39 runs, while the visitors improved at every point.

The Englishmen were highly elated over their victory, and Lord Hawke immediately dispatched two telegrams announcing the victory—one to John Wright, at the Walker House, Toronto, and the other to a Miss Haughton, at Brookline, Mass. It was stated that the proposed Baltimore match has been declared off, and in the interim between today and Friday, when the second match with the local team will be played at Manheim, the Englishmen will remain in this city.

Following is the detailed score of the second inning.

Englishmen.

A. J. L. Hill b. Clark	32
C. E. De Trafford c. Scott b. King	24
C. W. Wright c. Muir b. Baily	2
R. S. Lucas b. Clark	25
Lord Hawke c. Baily b. Muir	39
G. J. Mordaunt c. Ralston b. Patterson	62
L. C. Bathurst c. Wood b. King	0
J. S. Robinson c. Wood b. Patterson	4
G. W. Hilliyard b. Baily	1
G. R. Bardswell c. Ralston b. Muir	7
W. F. Whitwell (not out)	12
Byes	18
Leg byes	7
No balls	2
Total	235

Runs at the fall of each wicket. England, 11, 58, 77, 95, 104, 111, 115, 155, 208, 235.

Americans.

J. W. Muir b. Whitwell b. Bathurst	18
A. M. Wood b. Hillyard	1
F. H. Bohlen c. Wright b. Bathurst	5
R. D. Brown b. Bathurst	24
W. W. Noble b. Bathurst	1
G. S. Patterson c and b. Bathurst	37
E. W. Clark Jr. b. De Trafford b. Bathurst	1
H. P. Bailey b. Bathurst	8
J. A. Scott c. Hillyard b. Hill	5
F. W. Ralston (not out)	5
Extras	7
Total	122

Runs at the fall of each wicket: Gentlemen of Philadelphia, 18, 28, 39, 91, 97, 99, 107, 109, 113, 122.

Sharpshooters in Blue.

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—In the army shoot at Fort Sheridan today Sergeant Hugh Griffith, Eighth cavalry, leads in the distinguished marksman class with a total score of 467. Private Martin, Seventh cavalry, leads in the department contest with an aggregate of 439.

Purse for the Flyers.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 24.—The Narragansett Racing association today offered a special purse of $5,000 for a mile race between Henry of Navarre, Domino and Clifford or between two of the horses named, to take place on Oct. 2.

Put Up or Shut Up.

Special to the Globe.

ROSEMOUNT, Minn., Sept. 24.—The Rosemount Clippers hereby accept the challenge of the Minnesota Packing and Provision company's ball nine to play for $100 a side on Sept. 30, 1894, at the Rosemount diamond. Answer by Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning.

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Celestials Are Concentrating Troops for the Defense of Mukden.

FORCES ARE POORLY ARMED.

Europeans Believe Peking to Be the Real Point of the Japs' Attack.

ANOTHER YALU BATTLE

Considered Inevitable---Chinese Poorly Prepared for the Encounter.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—A dispatch from Shanghai says: Capt. Tang, commander of the Chinese war ship Chih Yuen, which was sunk in the engagement of the Yalu river, is among the saved.

The British steamer Irene, from Hamburg, with large quantities of munitions of war, has safely arrived at Taku and landed her cargo.

It is understood that the governor of Manchuria is concentrating all the troops raised in that province upon Mukden, and that on the route to Wi Ju extensive earthworks are being thrown up. The levies are composed of hardy North Chinamen and are excellent material, but they are badly armed, only about 4,000 of them having good military rifles. Further supplies, however, are being hurried up from the southern arsenals.

The Chinese force entrenched upon the Yalu river is estimated to number 38,000 men. Many of these are raw levies and also badly armed. The loss of field guns, rifles and ammunition suffered at Ping Yang has greatly embarrassed the Chinese war department. It is recognized that a

Battle Must Be Fought

on the Yalu, and the Chinese are straining every nerve to retrieve the disaster at Ping Yang.

European officers here doubt whether Mukden is really the immediate objective of the Japanese. It is considered more probable that if they attack Wi Ju, the Japanese will make a descent from the sea upon Neu Chwang with an expeditionary force. If this movement should be successfully made the Japanese would cut the Chinese main line of communication and could attack the Yalu army in the rear. Neu Chwang in the possession of the Japanese would form a base for a movement upon Mukden, or upon Pekin itself, and the forces landed there could co-operate with the army advancing from Corea. This is the plan credited by experts to Field Marshal Yamagata.

The island Yattantan, in Corean bay, has been made a coaling store and station, from which the Japanese can keep a constant watch upon the mouth of the Gulf of Pe Chi Li, nine Japanese gunboats being stationed there.

The emperor of China holds a war council every afternoon at 4 o'clock. He is completely under the influence of his former tutor and aged adviser.

M. Miyabara said it made him fret and moan to think the two new ironclads now being built were not commenced two years ago. With regard to the campaign, he thought that everything pointed in the direction of a Japanese march towards Pekin. Beyond that he was not inclined to say much. Personally he believed that the war would terminate before winter.

"You may depend upon it," he continued, "that Japan will force matters to a finish before November, when the Gulfs of Pe Chi Li and Liau Tong are frozen over. You will probably soon hear of a great battle on the Yalu. The Japanese are good marchers, and therefore, within ten days of the date of the Ping Yang fight, we may expect something important. In the meantime there may be minor fights on the march, or which you will hear nothing, because during the intervals of marching on an important position not a paragraph concerning the movements of the troops will be allowed to be telegraphed."

Proof of the pudding is in the string, of the pie in the crust. None so good as that made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

JAPS IN EXTRA SESSION.

Important Meeting of Parliament Called by the Mikado.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 24. — A rescript has been issued convoking an extra session of the Japanese parliament at Hiroshima, Oct. 15, for seven days, in order to discuss matters requiring the sanction of parliament. A letter received here from Tien Tsin says that the Chinese fleet landed 7,000 troops on the banks of the Yalu river, in spite of the attack of the Japanese squadron.

The letter adds that the Chinese ships engaged in the battle fought off the Yalu river were short of ammunition. They were ordered by Col. von Hannekin to ram the Japanese vessels, but the order was given too late, as the Japanese were already retiring.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The convoking of the Japanese parliament on Oct. 15, as announced in cable dispatches today, excites much interest in Japanese official circles here, as it will bring together for the first time the members elected the first week of the present month. As yet no advices have been received at the legation here as to the outcome of the elections, and they are expected in the next mail. It is said, however, that while parties may be divided on some questions of internal policy, all parties, including those usually against the government, will uphold the war, which the mikado has prosecuted since the last parliament dissolved. Up to that time the Liberals and Radicals, about 120 in number, had supported the government; the Progressionists, about 50 in number, had usually opposed it, the 28 Opportunists were shifting in alliance and the other members were divided into small groups. The issue at that time was over the old treaties, one of which is that by which foreigners exercise extra territorial rights at certain treaty ports in Japan. The opposition to the government clamored for the immediate abrogation of these old treaties. The government would not go this far, saying it would be a breach of faith with foreign nations, though it sought to secure the abrogation of the treaties. The issue aroused such bitterness that personal feeling arose between the parliament and cabinet, whereupon parliament was summarily prorogued and the government appealed to the country. The elections have just been held, and the results are anxiously awaited, although the treaty issue is now overshadowed by the war. The forthcoming session cannot, it is said, check or otherwise affect the war, even should there be a desire to that end, as the emperor and executive branch have the sole power of levying and prosecuting war, and the parliament deals only with making appropriations for the army and navy.

Japs Wildly Enthusiastic.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The Times publishes a letter from Nagasaki dated Aug. 14, which says the people have gone wild over the invasion of Corea. The news of the war is circulated at least by leaflets, but it is all sifted by censors and only reports news of Japanese successes. In addition to 50,000 troops already shipped to Corea, 100,000 more are under arms, and the reserves have been ordered out.

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JAPS IN A HURRY.

They Expect to Settle the War Before Winter.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The Associated Press correspondent had an interview today with M. Miabara, a Japanese naval constructor, who is here supervising the building of two first-class men-of-war for Japan. Each of the vessels is said to be of 12,300 tons, and is to be completed in four years. M. Miyarabara dwelt at length upon the sudden volte face of English opinion in favor of Japan, since her successes in Corea. He said the Yalu battle had by no means disturbed his faith in the vast importance of big armored battle ships. Cruisers, of course, were of undoubted value, but big ironclads were the great determining factors, and that was where China got the pull of Japan.

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Yorktown in Port.

VALLEJO, Cal., Sept. 24. — The United States gunboat Yorktown arrived at Mare Island navy yard, from Bering sea this afternoon.

On September 26th

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Pretext for the Czar.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—A dispatch to the Times from St. Petersburg says: It is reported here that the Chinese marauders have attacked the station of the New Usuresion section of the Siberian railway, plundered the telegraph office and killed eight Russian employes. It is feared that the government will make this a pretext to interfere in the Corea struggle between China and Japan.

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