

RUSSSIANS WERE ROUTED

Fled in Disorder At Fenshuiling

JAPS OCCUPY THE TOWN

The Japanese Casualties Will Not Exceed 100, Reports Baron Hayashi.

London, June 28.—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister here, this morning issued an official report of the fight between the Russian and the Japanese forces which landed at Takushan. The Japanese were victorious.

WAR SHIP ON THE ROCKS.

Russian Vessel Was Running Back to Port Arthur.

Tokio, June 28.—It is reported that another battleship has been discovered stranded off Tiger Rock, near the entrance of Port Arthur. It is presumed that the vessel was wrecked while running back to Port Arthur from the fight Thursday night last.

CABINET CRISIS IS LOOKED FOR

Believed That British Ministers Cannot Tide Over Difficulties To Fall.

London, June 28.—In British political circles it is generally understood that the final days of the present cabinet are fast approaching. Premier Balfour, it is said, will be unable to hold his party together over autumn.

CORNELL PICKED TO WIN.

Regatta Day at Poughkeepsie Opened With Clouds.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 28.—Regatta morning dawned with clouds and a north half wind. Upon the river a small sea was running, with breezes behind, making rowing difficult. All the crews were given their final practice spins over half the course this morning, each apparently to be in fine fettle.

A WOMAN EXPLORER.

Mrs. MacMillan of St. Louis Returns From Visit to Menelek.

London, June 28.—Mrs. W. N. MacMillan of St. Louis has reached London after traversing Abyssinia at the head of her own caravan. This American is the first white woman to cross Emperor Menelik's country from west to east.

He Feared Cloaca.

Macer, a Roman official of Cloaca's time, banded himself when informed that the great orator intended to appear against him in his trial for peculation.

French Peasants.

Raga are rarely seen in France. It is said, and a tear is considered a disgrace. The clothes of the peasants are patched and darned till scarcely any of the original is left, but they are never ragged. The peasant woman would be ashamed to let her husband or children appear in a torn garment.

NEW PYTHIAN HALL WAS DEDICATED

Marshfield Lodge Had Gala Occasion Last Evening, With Banquet and Speeches.

Marshfield, June 28.—The new Pythian building, recently erected by the local lodge, K. of P., was dedicated last evening in the presence of a large company of Knights and their families, the dedication service of the order being used. The work was in charge of the following officers of the grand lodge: G. C. C. pro tem, V. W. Brown of Barton Landing, G. V. C. H. W. Buchanan of Barton Landing, G. P. G. H. Knox of Groton, G. M. at A., M. B. Ladd of Island Pond, G. E. of R. of S., F. O. Tinker of St. Johnsbury.

Following the work of dedication a short literary programme was rendered, song, "You're As Welcome as the Flowers in May," Mrs. J. Burton Pike; recitation, "When Father Bode the Goat," Master Edmund Pike, declamation, "The New South," Arthur E. Pike. He was heartily cheered and responded with a pleasing selection by Mark Twain.

At the close of the exercises the company repaired to the banquet hall, to partake of the bountiful repast which had been prepared by the ladies, who did all in their power to make this a success, as every one knows they are fully capable of conducting an affair of this kind with consideration and satisfaction to their guests. Menu, beans, brown-bread, pickles, cold meats, rolls, strawberries, and various kinds of pie, cake, coffee and ice cream.

LEAGUE BASE BALL.

American Champions Beaten By New York Yesterday.

Yesterday's American League scores: At Boston, New York 8, Boston 4. At Detroit, Chicago 18, Detroit 6. At Washington, Phila. 3, Washington 2. Yesterday's National League scores: At Brooklyn, Boston 2, Brooklyn 1. At New York, New York 10, Philadelphia 3. At Chicago, Pittsburg 6, Chicago 4.

ANOTHER WRESTLING MATCH.

R. Ewen and Con. Sullivan to Meet July 16.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to wrestle a match, catch as catch-can style, best three in five falls, under same rules which governed Ross-Ewen match, Jerre Donahue of Northfield to act as referee. Said match to take place in Barre on the 16th day of July or as soon thereafter as suitable places can be secured for a purse of fifty (\$50) dollars donated by W. H. Noonan, and the net receipts to be divided, seventy per cent going to the winner and thirty per cent to the loser.

Barre Club Winners.

A match was held between the Barre and Granite City Quilting club on Burnham's Meadow last night. The following is the score:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Barre: J. Spence 14, W. Brown 17, J. Emalie 1, J. Fraser 21, H. Casalini 2, W. Mackie 18, G. Cowie 21, J. Lambert 21. Granite City: W. B. Scott 21, D. Stephen 21, G. Robertson 20, R. George 8, F. Dale 8, W. Milne 21, W. Smart 19, J. Gauld 17.

Gas is an Ideal Fuel.

Gas is an ideal fuel. Just stop and consider! It is delivered as you use it, through a pipe under ground, without trouble or dirt. The products of combustion, smoke, ashes, dust, etc., are left at the Gas Works, where all the necessary worrying is done. You buy just as much as you want for immediate use, no more, no less. You pay for it after you use it, a month after, not before, as with oil, gasoline, coal or wood. You don't have to store gas; once let it, that you can't see it until after it is burned; you run no chances whatever. As for coal strikes, they cause no worry to those who cook with gas.

NOT READY TO BE FREE

Secretary of War Taft Speaks of Filipinos

A NOTABLE UTTERANCE

Says That the United States Took the Only Course Open, in Cambridge Address.

Cambridge, Mass., June 28.—Secretary of War Taft, in a carefully prepared address, discussed before the Harvard Law School Alumni association today some phases of the Philippine situation. The first part of his speech was largely historical in character, in which he tried to show that in justice to the Filipinos themselves, the United States could not well have either turned the islands back to Spain or have given the insurrectionists their freedom.

GILSON-BENJAMIN.

Quiet Marriage Yesterday at the Rev. F. A. Poole's.

Miss Ellen Alice Benjamin of Hartland and Richard A. Gilson of this city were married yesterday by the Rev. Francis A. Poole, at his residence on Eastern Avenue. The groom has been a student at Boston University for the past two years and is at present employed in this city.

BOY'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Francis Latour Pelled Out of Lake Champlain as He Was Sinking.

Burlington, June 28.—A young man by the name of Francis Latour had a very narrow escape at the lake yesterday afternoon. Latour lives at 65 Cedar street and was fishing with several friends at the Linsey slip. When moving about on the edge of the pier he fell into the water, which is very deep at that point. His friends were unable to help him and he was going down the third time when C. D. Fisk, who was working some distance away, arrived in response to the cries of the drowning lad and his fellows. Mr. Fisk came in a boat and by leaning his body far into the water was able to catch Latour's foot at a depth of about four feet. The boy was sinking at the time and had his rescuer been a few seconds later on the scene the boy would have been beyond help.

Funeral of Claire Emma Loranger.

The funeral of Claire Emma Loranger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Loranger, was held yesterday afternoon, with interment in the Catholic cemetery. There were many floral tributes, including the following: roses, from Miss Lulu Morgan, Mrs. O. Canton, Miss Ethel Marston, Mrs. Henry Frenier, Dorothy Parks, Mrs. Gouldsbury, Mrs. William Wright, carnations from Mrs. P. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burke, Mrs. William Mackie, Francis and Mary Noonan, Mrs. Thompson, Urie's Parson, Miss Emma Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gravelin, Mrs. John Gonn, Antoinette and Albertine Grenier, Mr. and Mrs. James Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Griffin; roses and carnations, Mr. and Mrs. McHugh, Miss Lena Ely; roses and forget-me-nots, Miss West; roses and pinkies, Mrs. William Cole; carnations and sweet peas, Misses Alice and Bella McKenzie; carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mitchell.

CASTLE PARK THEATRE.

Judging from the frequent outbursts of applause given their efforts the Pauline Hammond Co. "caught on" last night at this theatre.

Miss Hammond has an attractive personality and by her methods of acting wins her audience at once. Her singing and dancing were well received.

The company proved to be a most capable one, each and every member coming in for their share of approval. The numerous specialties provided by the management of the attraction proved a popular feature. The moving pictures and illustrated songs were excellent, while the singers all have good voices. The patrons of the park are assured a good entertainment this week. Tonight "A Mexican Outlaw" will be given.

Edward Visits Kiel Shipyards.

Kiel, Germany, June 28.—Emperor William and King Edward spent the morning visiting the German and the Imperial shipbuilding yards, inspecting the battleship Braunschweig and the men's recreation rooms. Subsequently their majesties were the guests of Admiral von Koester, in command of the first active squadron, at luncheon on board the battleship Kaiser Wilhelm II, whence they witnessed a procession of boats.

Counsel of Canal Commission.

Washington, June 28.—Charles E. Magoon has been appointed general counsel for the Isthmian canal commission. Judge Magoon has been the law officer of the bureau of insular affairs since the office was created in 1899, and his work has been of high character and great value.

VICTORY IN CLOSE GAME

Barre-Montpelier Defeated St. Albans

A NOTABLE UTTERANCE

Both Dresser and Cox, "Southpaws," Were Wild But Were Hit But Lightly.

And another one. But no so easy.

The two leaders in the Northern league race came together on the local diamond yesterday afternoon, and St. Albans went down before Barre-Montpelier, while 2,000 enthusiasts yelled themselves hoarse. The game was not won until the last St. Albans man was out in the ninth inning, and then the score stood six to five. It was a battle royal for nine innings, and the big crowd was kept on pins and needles all the way through. By winning that game the intercity team retains its place at the head of the league, while St. Albans drops below Rutland, by the latter's winning from Plattsburgh yesterday.

The attendance yesterday was all that could be desired, and while not as large as that of the opening game Saturday was too large for the seating capacity of the park. The bleachers were again packed with fans, while there was scarcely a vacant seat in the grandstand. The overflow ran along the right and left field lines, and teams and automobiles were lined up alongside. The game was much more exciting than the one Saturday with Burlington as the teams were not nearly matched. At the start Barre-Montpelier went in and ran up five scores, before St. Albans fairly got a-going. Then the visitors woke up and tallied four times. In the sixth they crossed the plate once more, tying the score. That was the last they saw of the home plate, however, as the home team staid down and held them safely.

The two "southpaws," Dresser and Cox, were pitted against each other, and honors were about even. Dresser allowed the visitors five hits and the Bowdoin college star was touched up for only four. Both of them were as wild as hawks, however, and it was due to the excellent work of the teams back of them that the scores were not larger. Cox passed eight men to first on balls, and Dresser was good to six, besides hitting one man. But the free passes by Cox were more costly, and figured directly in the home team's victory. He was the cause of his own defeat in spite of his good pitching. Cox fanned eight of the home team, and Dresser did the fanning act to five St. Albans men.

Capt. Morgan of the Barre-Montpelier combination again showed up well, with the stick, securing two hits and sending in three of the six runs secured by the home team. Morgan also played a pretty game in the field, accepting his five chances without an error. Burke did well on first, and gave one of the prettiest exhibitions of base running seen here for a long time. In the seventh inning Burke was on first base when Capt. Morgan tapped the ball into center field. Like a flash Burke was off, and before the ball could be fielded in to the plate he had crossed the rubber with the run which proved to be the winning tally. It was a remarkable exhibition, and Burke got the cheer that he deserved.

Umpire Heckman performed more satisfactorily than on Saturday, but there was considerable kicking over some of his decisions, the St. Albans team putting up the most vigorous protest.

In the first inning after Laughlin and Grant had lifted a foul which Apparicus gobbled, the home team succeeded in tallying twice through the kindness of Pitcher Cox who seemed to have great difficulty in locating the plate. Poland struck out and Dorman went out easily, from Cox to Gladfelter. Then the balloon went up. First Bowcock was sent to first on balls, then Apparicus, then Nash, filling the bases. To change the monotony Burke hit Pattee who fumbled, and Bowcock and Apparicus crossed the plate. Morgan was also sent to first for four bad ones, but Stewart doubled him up at second. Following the example of his opponent, Dresser, just to show there was no hard feeling, passed Bennett and Higgins to first. But Bowcock took a hand, and on Uniao's sharp grounder he was the starting point of a pretty double play, of which Burke was the receiving end. Burke finished the inning by scooping in McGraw's fly.

Neither team tallied in the second but it looked like a score for St. Albans in the third. Gladfelter secured a life on Bowcock's error on his hit, and Cox sacrificed him to second while a few Burlingtonians who were rooting for St. Albans, howled with delight. There was nothing doing, however, as Laughlin and Grant, the next two batters, were easy outs. After Bowcock had struck out in the same inning, Apparicus banged the leather to right field, and by good base running got two bases. Pitcher Cox filled the bases then by giving free passes to Nash and Burke, although he kicked vigorously against the umpire's rulings on balls and strikes. Capt. Morgan came to time by sending a grounder down the first base line just out of the reach of Gladfelter, and Apparicus and Nash tallied, while Burke roosted on third. Stewart placed a pretty punt down toward first, and while he was going out to Gladfelter, Burke dashed in. "Bobby" Dresser closed the inning by striking out.

The local pitcher had his troubles in the fourth. He started off by fumbling Pattee's hit, then threw poorly to second to cut off Pattee on Bennett's weak hit to the pitcher. He then poked Higgins in the back and the bases were full. To change the method, Dresser gave a base on balls to little Uniao, and Pattee was forced in with St. Albans first score. McGraw fled to Stewart in deep center, and Bennett crossed the plate. Gladfelter was given four bad ones, but Cox struck out. Then Laughlin dropped a measly little hit to short right, and two more runs came in. The crowd breathed again when Dresser gobbled in Grant's grounder and threw him out at first.

Barre-Montpelier was blanked in the same inning, although Dorman hit to center field for a single. And the home team squeezed out of a tight hole in the fifth. In the sixth, Cox again concluded that he was being misused by the umpire and then the St. Albans team had a heart to heart talk with that official.

St. Albans got one more tally in the sixth, being started off with a base on ball to McGraw. Gladfelter sacrificed and Cox scratched a hit to second base. Laughlin hit to second and on the out at first McGraw scored. The score remained tied until the last of the seventh, when Barre-Montpelier scored the winning run. After Apparicus had fled out to Benef, and Nash had struck out, Cox gave a base on balls to Burke, and that was his undoing. Capt. Morgan came to the bat. He let one go by him, and then slammed at the next. The ball went on a line for center field, and with the crack of the bat, Burke was off for a three-quarter circuit of the diamond. No one thought he would make it, but the feet-footed runner got set up for a minute, and crossed the plate, amid the cheers of the crowd, with the run that gave the victory to the home team.

McGraw made a beautiful catch of Stewart's fly to deep center and was given a send-off when he came to the bat in the next inning. He responded by cracking out a single. St. Albans then tried the bunting game. Gladfelter bunted to the pitcher and was safe on Burke's error. Cox bunted to third and was out. Grant placed one down in the same corner and was also out, while Grant struck out. St. Albans' last attempt was weak. Pattee fled to Dorman, Bennett put a weak grounder up to Dresser and was out. Higgins singled to left field but Uniao closed the game by flying out to Poland in right field.

The score was as follows:

Table with 10 columns: Team, A, B, R, H, P, O, A, E. St. Albans: 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 0 0-5. B. & M.: 2 0 3 0 0 0 1 0 x-6.

LOOKS LIKE

J. A. DeBOER

No One of the Three Candidates

WILL WIN ON 1ST BALLOT

State Convention at Montpelier Thursday Will Be An Interesting One

The Other Candidates

The Republican state convention to nominate a candidate for governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer and state auditor, meets at the Armory in Montpelier at 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

Secretary of State F. G. Fleetwood, State Treasurer John L. Bacon and State Auditor F. C. Graham will, undoubtedly, be re-nominated without opposition. The contests in the convention will be over the nomination of candidates for governor and lieutenant-governor. Charles H. Stearns of Johnson, John A. Mead of Rutland, W. W. Highbee of Charlotte, and Henry Ballard of Burlington are the candidates for the latter nomination, and their chances are about as they are named above.

The real interest in the caucus centers in the nomination of a candidate for governor, and this interest is due in a great measure to the large number of unpledged delegates to the convention. Charles J. Bell of Walden and Zed S. Stanton of Roxbury, have each been conducting personal campaigns for the nomination nearly two years but in the face of this, caucuses in various parts of the state have instructed their delegates for a man who says he is not a candidate, and more than a third of all have failed to indicate their preference at the caucus. It is this unusual condition of things in Vermont that lends interest to the caucus.

The Times has made as thorough a canvass of the situation as possible since the conclusion of the caucuses Saturday night, and from what it has gathered the first ballot in the convention will stand approximately Bell 280, Stanton 236, DeBoer 212. Of course, there is always the possibility of dickering the night before which will change this vote, but as it stands no one of the three has enough delegates to nominate on the first ballot, and every succeeding ballot will tend to increase the vote for Mr. DeBoer. If it is not decided before the third ballot, the latter is almost certain to be the nominee.

The Republican League of Vermont. The convention of the Republican league of Vermont is to be held at Montpelier, June 30th, immediately upon the adjournment of the state convention, for the election of officers, and organization for the coming campaign.

SHOWED THEIR ESTEEM.

In Substantial Presents to Mrs. James McKernan.

Mrs. James McKernan, 14 Foster street, will sail for Aberdeen, Scotland, on July 2nd on a vacation of six or eight weeks, to visit relatives and friends. About 50 of her friends visited her home Saturday night and in token of the high esteem of neighbors and friends she was presented a very handsome parlor lamp, a beautiful Morris chair, a gold mounted umbrella, a nice dress suit case, and forty presents from neighbors and friends besides a purse of gold and silver. All was presented to Mrs. McKernan through Michael Keefe. Music was furnished by the Sullivan Bros. and refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. McKernan, assisted by Mrs. R. Pails and Mrs. J. Connel and A. Ambrosini. All had an enjoyable time and left for their homes at an early hour in the morning, wishing Mrs. McKernan a safe voyage and return to her many friends in Barre.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS.

State Convention in Barre June 30 to July 3—This Programme.

The Vermont State Epworth League convention will be held in Barre June 30 to July 3. The programme is "Forward Movement" throughout and opens Thursday evening, June 30 with an address on "The New Forward Movement of the League," by one of the strongest ministers in the Vermont conference.

Friday evening Rev. A. C. Crews, D. D., general secretary of the Epworth League of Canada, and editor of the Canada Epworth Era, will deliver an address on the "Elements of Success in Epworth League Work."

There will be several papers on different phases of and discussions on important subjects. It is hoped that a great many of the Vermont Epworthians will be present to receive the help and inspiration that such a gathering can give.

Green Mountain Lodge.

At the meeting of the Local Green Mountain Lodge last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Noble Grand, Charles W. Williams; Right Supporter to N. G., Jas. Graham; L. S. to N. G., John Begg; Vice Grand, Alex. D. Smith; R. S. to V. G., R. J. Attridge; L. S. to V. G., Alex. J. Cordier; Per. Sec., Peter W. Mitch; Treas. Sec., Elec. Sec., James Criswick; treasurer, Chas. Oliver; L. M. and C. K. Wm. Oliver; warden, D. Joli; Con., S. Sinclair; I. G., Geo. B. Lake; 1st S. S., Jas. Hecroft; 2nd S. S., Jas. Rogers; lodge secretary, Dr. J. S. Desiel, 10, Merchant street.

The auditing committee will meet in the lodge room Wednesday evening, July 29, at 7 o'clock.

A POOR EXHIBITION.

Plattsburgh Lost to Rutland Through Many Errors.

Plattsburgh, N. Y., June 28.—Schulise, short stop, and Gallagher, third base, made a total of ten errors for Plattsburgh yesterday and Rutland won by the score of 5 to 4. With decent support, Scanlon, who pitched for the home team, would have won, Rutland getting but five scattered hits. Capt. Duff of Rutland played the whole game for his side. The score by innings:

Table with 10 columns: Team, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, Total. Plattsburgh: 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 2-4. Rutland: 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0-5.

Summary: Earned runs, Plattsburgh 2; two-base hit, Schulise; three-base hit, Saunders; first base on balls, off O'Brien 6, off Scanlon 2; struck out, by O'Brien 10, by Scanlon 6; left on bases, Plattsburgh 15, Rutland 10; double plays, Cosgrove to Gallagher, Cosgrove to Flynn; wild pitch, Scanlon; first base on errors, Plattsburgh 9; hit by pitched ball, Davis, O'Brien; sacrifice hits, Plattsburgh 3; stolen bases, Plattsburgh 1; Rutland 0; time of game, 2h. 30 min.

Northern League Standing.

Table with 4 columns: Team, Won, Lost, Pct. Barre-Montpelier: 2 0 1.000. Rutland: 1 0 1.000. St. Albans: 1 1 .500. Burlington: 0 1 0.000. Plattsburgh: 0 2 .000.