

JAPS LOSE ON LAND BUT ARE SUCCESSFUL AT SEA

Small Landing Force Near Port Arthur Cut Off and 400 Put to Death.

REPULSE ALSO AT PIGEON BAY

Sink More of Czar's Ships--Russians Fire on Own Torpedo Boats by Mistake.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Information has reached here that nearly 20,000 Japanese troops were landed at Chemulpo yesterday, the first division of a large number which will be thrown into Korea as rapidly as possible in the effort to thoroughly occupy the strategic points in the Hermit kingdom while the Russian fleet is bottled up in Port Arthur.

and that they were met by the Russians, who engaged them in a hand-to-hand fight. The reports say the Japanese were given back. It is also reported that Japanese troops have been landed forty miles further west.

Coal Ships Captured. Nagasaki, Feb. 15.—Six Norwegian steamers chartered by a Russian naval contractor have been captured. The vessels are the Lena, Activ, Sentis, Seirstad, Argo and Hermis. They carried coal cargoes. The Hermis has arrived here under convoy of a cruiser. It is rumored that 1,800 Japanese soldiers have been killed, presumably by the sinking of a transport.

SANBORN ADMITS THAT HE WAS TWICE MARRIED

New Orleans, Feb. 15.—Lawrence S. Sanborn, the young man who figured in a sensational marriage ceremony here, appeared in Judge Downing's court accompanied by the first Mrs. Sangorn, who was a Miss Chase. Sanborn admitted that a ceremony had been performed in an Episcopal church in Brooklyn for himself and Miss Chase. He said he was not prepared to say that he had been married. He had been told that as he and Miss Chase were both under age the marriage was not legal.

He was a Harvard student at the time. When he returned to Boston he said he announced that he had been married to Miss Chase, and that Boston papers printed stories of the wedding. Sanborn said he was a Protestant and Miss Chase a Roman Catholic, and that since their marriage Miss Chase had been trying to have him secure the sanction of the church to the ceremony, but he had failed to do so. Judge Downing told him that his marriage to Miss Olson had been completed and that Miss Olsen had the certificate.

DEATH OF SON CAUSE OF SUICIDE OF BREWER LEMP

St. Louis, Feb. 15.—William J. Lemp, president of the Lemp Brewing company, committed suicide at his residence by shooting himself in the right temple with a revolver. He died an hour after firing the fatal shot. Growing depression over the death of his favorite son, Fred Lemp, three years ago, and the loss of Frederick Pabst, of Milwaukee, a life-long friend, is believed to have been the cause for his rash act.

Lemp, who was 68 years old, and a native of Germany, had lived in St. Louis for forty-eight years. He stood high in business and social circles. His estate will schedule well up in the millions.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at the family residence, with private interment.

RUSSIAN SETTLERS ARE IN HASTE TO BE CITIZENS

Hays City, Kan., Feb. 15.—As a result of the war in the Orient the district court here is besieged with applicants for citizenship. There are hundreds of Russians in this county, who now seek naturalization papers to avoid taking chances of being compelled to return to their native land to be drafted into the army.

DUCKS AND GULLS STARVE

Can Catch No Food in Lake Michigan Because It Is Frozen Over. Chicago, Feb. 15.—With Lake Michigan practically frozen over seals and ducks of thousands are starving to death because they cannot find open water in which to catch their food. At the few little open patches around the harbors, both ducks and gulls are gathering in great numbers, but they are so weakened by lack of food that many of them are helpless.

The Chicago river is full of gulls as far as Rush street bridge, and some gulls, hungrier than the rest, have got as far as Lake street. Hundreds of ducks are frozen to death on the ice floes off the harbor. Even the live ducks are not worth shooting, as they are too poor to eat.

ILLINOIS CORN DISPLAY AT ST. LOUIS

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 15.—The Illinois State Farmers' Institute has made arrangements for the gathering and exhibition at the state institute here, Feb. 23, 24 and 25, of the Illinois corn exhibit for the World's fair. The Illinois fair commission has offered \$500 in premiums for the corn display.

ACCOUNTS SHORT

McCUTCHEON, Suicided President of Holstein Bank, \$1000,000 Behind.

DEPOSIT OF WOODMEN SAFE

Gallon, Ohio, National Bank Unable to Meet All Demands.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 15.—Appraisers appointed by the court to examine the condition of the McCutcheon bank at Holstein after the suicide of its president, E. H. McCutcheon, member of the Republican state central committee, caused a sensation by filing a report indicating that a shortage of nearly \$100,000 exists. The liabilities are \$230,000 and the assets are \$130,000, a considerable portion of which is not good. The Modern Woodmen of America had \$100,000 on deposit, but this was secured by bond. E. H. McCutcheon's personal account was overdrawn \$25,000. Oscar Berger, an employe, who was \$2,300 short, attempted to get away, was arrested, and then settled the case out of court.

Ohio Bank Closed. Gallon, Ohio, Feb. 15.—The Gallon National bank did not reopen for business this morning by order of the directorate. The officials admit they are unable to pay their obligations or realize on their collateral.

ARRESTED FOR DEED DONE 36 YEARS AGO

Application for a Pension Leads to Apprehension of Iowa Man.

Muscataine, Iowa, Feb. 15.—Thirty-six years ago Charles Cackley killed Reuben Fenstemmer at Farmington, Iowa. Yesterday he was placed in the county jail at Keosauqua and soon will be tried on an indictment more than a quarter of a century old on the charge of murder. Cackley's capture was due to the pension office. He applied for a pension while a resident of Ironton, Mo., under the name of John Beck. Beck's name was already on the pension rolls, and this fact led to Cackley's arrest on the charge of endeavoring to defraud the government. He confessed that his true name is Cackley. His record was looked up and it was found that he enlisted at Farmington. Correspondence with the authorities at that place elicited the fact that Cackley had killed Reuben Fenstemmer, a constable, while the latter was endeavoring to arrest Cackley on the charge of theft.

MAY CAUSE CLOSING OF THE SILK MILLS

Effect War in the Orient is Likely to Have on Industry Here. Belding, Mich., Feb. 15.—The Russo-Japanese war has a peculiar significance for this town, in which the principal industry is silk manufacturing. The silk factories employ hundreds of men and women, and a long continuance of the war would mean that they would have to shut down for the lack of raw material.

Over one-half of the silk used in the mills comes from Japan and the remainder comes from China. At present enough stock is on hand and under shipment to run the mills for several months yet, but not later than long enough to fill the spring orders, the fall sales being extra large.

MURDERER CUTS THROAT IN COURT AT END OF TRIAL

Butte, Mont., Feb. 15.—As the judge was delivering his instructions to the jury in the case of Alfred Beckman, accused of murder, the accused drew a razor and cut his throat. He fell to the floor fatally wounded.

FORMER WIFE OF RANSBARGER PROTESTS AGAINST HIS LIBERATION FROM JAIL

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 15.—For the first time in the history of this state a charming woman has appeared before the pardon committee of the legislature and protested against the pardon of her former husband. Many have begged for clemency between sobs and tears, but to stand erect with wide, dry eyes and declare that the liberty of a prisoner not only meant peril to herself and child, but to society at large, remained for Mrs. Hattie Haley, the former wife of Frank Ransbarger, one of the notorious Ransbarger brothers, who are asking their freedom. As she stood before these men there was no passion or bitterness in her voice when she recounted the terrible details surrounding the murder of her father, Enoch Johnson, with their blighting consequences to her own happiness. She was 16 years old when she became the wife of Frank Ransbarger and two years later was nursing a 5-month-old child, when her husband was convicted of murdering her father and she was cast adrift on

SHAFORTH STEPS OUT

Colorado Congressman Voluntarily Resigns Seat.

ELECTED BY FRAUD

Senate to Vote on Panama Canal Treaty Feb. 23.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Representative Shaforth, from the Denver district, voluntarily relinquished his seat in the house at the convening of that body today. A contest for his seat was made by Robert W. Bonying, and an examination of the ballots, he said, revealed fraud in 29 precincts.

If he was a judge on the bench he would have to find for himself, and he invited the elections committee to present a resolution seating Bonying. The house unanimously agreed to a resolution declaring Bonying elected to the seat. At 12:44 the house adjourned.

QUEEN LI TURNED DOWN

The bill to pay \$150,000 to ex-Queen Liloukalanai failed to pass the senate today on a tie vote.

BULGARIANS AND TURKS FIGHT A BRISK BATTLE

Berlin, Feb. 15.—The Frankfurter Zeitung's Salonica correspondent telegraphs that a Bulgarian band numbering 100 has been attacked at Dehumbala by Turkish frontier guards, who were reinforced by two companies of infantry. The battle, the correspondent reports, lasted a long time, and the Bulgarians fled at night, leaving twelve dead on the field. The Turkish loss was one man killed and two wounded.

REV. CLINTON LOCKE, NOTED CHICAGO DIVINE, IS DEAD

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Rev. Dr. Clinton Locke, pastor emeritus of Grace Episcopal church and for nearly half a century regarded as one of the greatest of Chicago divines, died unexpectedly at Biloxi, Miss., where he had gone to seek restoration of health. His body has been brought here. He was forty years rector of Grace church, and was born at New York city, July 24, 1820.

JAPANESE DYNASTY IN CONTROL 2,564 YEARS

Tokio, Feb. 15.—On the occasion Friday of the 2,564th anniversary of the accession of the Emperor Jimmu, founder of the dynasty, a banquet was given by the present emperor at the imperial palace and his majesty addressed his guests.

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WRECKED BY FIRE

Peabody Insurance Company of Baltimore in Receiver's Hands.

LOSSES \$700,000, ASSETS \$300,000

Fifteen Militia Companies Relieved From Duty in Fire District.

Baltimore, Feb. 15.—Richard F. Post was appointed receiver today for the Peabody Fire Insurance company, of Baltimore. The company lost \$700,000 by reason of the fire. It had assets only of \$300,000.

Troops Go Home. The authorities have decided the 15 companies of troops now policing the fire district are no longer needed and the militia has left for home. All savings banks opened for business today and deposits were made at all of them.

WARRANTS ISSUED FOR WHOLE GANG

Bloomington, Ind., Feb. 15.—Judge J. R. Wilson issued a bench warrant for Peter Starag and a gang of about fifty Greek laborers who are employed at the Stanford tunnel camp of the Indianapolis Southern railway, near this city, on a charge of riot and attack upon Constable Norman, who attempted to arrest one of the laborers. Sheriff Thrasher was handed the warrant with the injunction to take with him a sufficient armed force to enable him to make the arrests. It is known that a number of arms and ammunition has been purchased by the Greeks, who have threatened violence to any officer who interferes.

The trouble has grown out of an alleged deficit in wages. Instead of going on a strike the laborers have done considerable damage to the property of the railroad company. Governor Durbin has telephoned to Judge Wilson, commending him for his action, and advising that he might call upon the state for arms, if necessary, but in any event not to hesitate to suppress the uprising.

IMPORTANT WORK OF MISSOURI MAN

Discovers Hog Cholera Can be Cured by Inoculation Process. Columbia, Mo., Feb. 15.—After experimenting for three years Dr. R. E. Graham, recent bacteriologist of Missouri university, has announced that hog cholera can be cured by inoculation, the same as "Texas fever" among cattle.

One hundred hogs were recently inoculated with a serum and then exposed to the disease, and none was infected. Several hogs that had cholera were cured by inoculation.

MINES TO OPEN MARCH 1

Shippokin, Pa., Feb. 15.—Notice has been issued from the office of the Lehigh Valley Coal company that all the collieries in this district which have been idle since Oct. 1 will resume operations March 1. Two thousand men and boys will be given employment.

EDITOR MURROW TO RESIGN

Cleveland, O., Feb. 15.—The Cleveland Leader announces that James B. Morrow, its editor-in-chief, will resign on March 1. Morrow has been with that paper for many years and has been editor-in-chief for the past ten years.

SENATOR HANNA IS ON THE VERGE OF THE FINAL SLEEP

Pulse of the Dying Statesman Has Virtually Ceased to Show Action.

UNCONSCIOUS FOR THE LAST 48 HOURS

Life During That Period Has Been Sustained Only by Artificial Processes.

Washington, Feb. 15, 2:35.—The physician's bulletin reads: "Hanna is sinking slowly. Respiration 30; pulse, scarcely perceptible; temperature, not taken." Washington, Feb. 15, 12:48.—Hanna's pulse is entirely imperceptible. The end is near. All members of the family are at the bedside.

BRANDY AND WATER INJECTED

Oxygen Used Continuously—Rally Astounds the Attending Physicians. But the fight was by no means won. Although the afternoon relapse had been railed from it had left a badly weakened frame for future battles. The restoratives were continued and the senator dozed again into a stupor. Asked as to the future outlook Dr. Carter replied: "We can only work and hope."

The first bulletin of the evening was issued at 6 p. m., and was as follows: "Senator Hanna was not so well this afternoon, but he has rallied. His pulse is now 120; respiration, 40; temperature, 103.6." A statement was made accompanying the 6 p. m. bulletin that the rally was due to injections of brandy and water under the skin. The physicians used oxygen continuously throughout the afternoon. The rally from a third sinking spell was unusual that the physicians themselves were astounded. They said they believed it due largely to the patient's wonderful efforts to aid in their heroic measures.

It was stated that the recurrence of the sinking spells does not imply that these will continue, and that simply because of the previous depressions there is no reason to look for another drain of like character on his vitality. At the same time the doctors hardly knew just what to expect. Neither could it be said, it was added, when the climax of the fever would be reached. The 8 o'clock bulletin showed no improvement in the senator's condition. Some milk and whisky were administered at 6:30 p. m., and shortly thereafter the patient was given another bath, but it caused no reduction in the temperature.

For an hour after the bath Senator Hanna dozed and was resting comfortably. More nourishment was given at 8 p. m. Throughout the evening the doctors gave oxygen for a couple of minutes at intervals of half an hour. It was apparent at 8:30 that an unusual gloom pervaded the hotel. All hope had been abandoned, and any improvement in the senator's condition which developed in the course of the day was regarded as only temporary. Dover, on coming from the sick chamber, said that there was no chance for life, although the physicians were not preparing for immediate dissolution.

The temperature was taken again at 9:20 o'clock, and registered 104.4. Finding that it had not diminished as the result of the last bath another bath at 10 o'clock was given. The milk and whisky nourishment was abandoned temporarily and a small quantity of champagne administered. At 11 o'clock another official bulletin was issued, stating that there was no material change in the senator's condition. At this time Hanna, although exceedingly feeble, was conscious.

GIVES US AUTHORITY TO QUELL ALL DISTURBANCES

Panama, Feb. 15.—The draft of the constitution of the republic of Panama has been approved by the constitutional convention. The article which authorizes the United States to restore order in the republic of Panama, should order be disturbed, has been retained in the constitution.

WILL FIGHT IN THE RANKS

John R. McLean Tells Ohio Democrats He Wants No Office of Any Kind. Cincinnati, Feb. 15.—In response to inquiries from Democrats of this city whether he would take part locally or at the next Democratic convention or be a candidate for a district delegate or a delegate at large John R. McLean, Democratic candidate for governor five years ago, has written to John E. Bruce, of Cincinnati, a letter, in which he says:

"My work shall be in the ranks as a private—asking for nothing and aspiring to nothing. I shall not be a candidate, directly or indirectly, either for delegate at large or district delegate to the Democratic national convention. I am not a candidate myself and I have no candidate. I shall go to St. Louis as a member of the Democratic national committee, which will have to do with the preparations for an organization of the nation."

IMPROVES ONLY TO GROW WORSE

Another Sinking Spell That Brings the Senator Near Death. At 10:30 a. m. Dr. Osler declared the patient to be entirely recovered from the depression of the earlier morning hours. At this time the doctor left for Baltimore, with the understanding that he would return at 4:30 p. m. At noon an official bulletin was issued, showing a slight improvement, a drop of nearly two degrees in the senator's temperature being looked on as a most encouraging sign. A lapse of nearly two hours then intervened without news except of the most indefinite character when suddenly at 2 p. m. Representative Dick, of Ohio, and Dover came from the senator's apartments with the announcement that the senator had suffered another severe sinking spell, and had failed utterly to respond to all stimulants administered to revive him.

Medell McCormick, the senator's son-in-law, was dispatched in haste for more powerful stimulants. These came, but the next report a few minutes later said that the doctors declared the end to be only a question of perhaps minutes, but at the most of hours. Then within a space of three minutes

the patient rallied, his consciousness returned, and by the exertion of his powerful will power he seemed to pull himself together in what the doctors and those at the bedside regarded as a most miraculous manner.

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On their almost instant arrival his pulse was beating at the alarming rate of 137 and his respiration was above 40. The oxygen apparatus was put into use immediately, and relief secured. At 9:30 a. m. an official bulletin was issued covering this period, simply stating the facts given above. The physicians declined to make further comment on the outlook, but it was noticeable that their optimism of the early morning had been entirely dissipated by the 8 o'clock sinking spell.

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