IS CERTAIN TO FALL

RUSSIAN REFUGEE FROM PORT ARTHUR SAYS JAPS WILL CAPTURE STRONGHOLD.

CASUALTIES LESSEN GARRISON

BUT BESIEGERS ARE CON-STANTLY REINFORCED.

Chefoo. Aug. 8.—"Port Arthur cer-tainly will fall inside of one or two mths, depending upon how fast the

This opinion was expressed by an lucated Russian who has just arrived here from Port Arthur by junk. He occupied an important semi-official po-sition at Port Arthur and his views are regarded as valuable. He says that, while the Japanese constantly receive reinforcements, every Russian casualty decreases the defensive efficiency of the garrison, as the Russians cannot be reinforced. General Stoes-sel, commander-in-chief at Port Arthur, is compelled to husband his amunition. He can manufacture shells, but it is impossible to make proper explosives. The necessity of protecting the men for the final stand explains the retreat of the Russians from the strong outpost positions, where their losses were far less serious than

their losses were far less serious than those sustained by the assailants.

According to this Russian General Stoessel is in daily communication with General Kuropatkin.

The three days' fighting of last week was done chiefly with artillery.

FIGHTING WAS HEAVY.

Port Arthur Newspaper Describes Recent Three Days' Battle.

Chefoo, Aug. 8.—A newspaper published at Port Arthur gives fragmentary details of the recent heavy fighting there. The Japanese artillery opened a desultory fire on the afternoon of July 25. That night the Russian statement of the statement of

break of July 27. The battle commenced under the rays of a scorching sun. The Russian right wing was commanded by Major General Kondratenko, who was compelled to undergo the brunt of the terrific cannonading. To this fierce fire the Russians replied with deliberation. The naval battery was again made the target for the heaviest fire and it was evident that the Japanese were trying to silence the most dangerous Russian position. A perfect shower of shrapnel was thrown into the valley behind the Russian batteries. As the day wore on sian batteries. As the day wore on conciliation held at the request of sian batteries. A

Japanese Fire Increased. In the moanwhile the Russian infantry,

In the meanwhile the Russian infantry, passive witnesses of the artillery duel, lay in their trenches awaiting an attack. They were well protected and but a few shells fell among them.

At 9 o'clock volley firing gave warning that the Japanese assault would follow swiftly. As the Japanese infantry advanced the Japanese artillery fire slackened somewhat, but the Russian batteries replied with increased visor while the Russian riflemen vol vigor, while the Russian riflemen vol-leyed rapidly and with great anima-tion. For an hour the Japanese advanced intrepidly in the face of a fire which is described as a thousand vol-canoes in simultaneous eruption. The Japanese advance against the Russian Japanese advance against the Russian right wing ceased and the Russians cheered, but at this moment news arrived from General Stoessel, the commander-in-chief at Port Arthur, announcing that the terrific pounding was nothing more than a mask to cover the concentration of Japanese troops preparatory to an attack upon the Russian left wing, of which Wolfs mountain was the key.

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At noon the Japanese, who had been attacking, suddenly ceased firing and presently observers, with the aid of field glasses, could see the enemy juictly eating rice. After this the right wing was occasionally reminded of the presence of the Japanese by of the presence of the Japanese by the descent of a huge shell, but the worst was over. In the meanwhile the main attack, which resulted in the capture of Wolfs mountain, had been developed.

SHIPPING IN DANGER.

Should Not Enter Yinkow Until Mines

Washington, Aug. 8.—Mr. Griscom, the American minister at Tokio, has otified the state department that the ommander-in-chief of the Japanese orces in Manchuria deems it neces

forces in Manchuria deems it necessary that foreign war vessels should neither enter Yinkow nor anchor therein until order has been entirely restored in that region.

This action is made necessary by the fact that the waters of the Lower Liao river adjacent to Yinkow, which is the port of Newchwang, and the approaches thereto were thickly planted with submarine mines by the Russians when in occupation, of which fact notice was duly given to the government of the United States and other maritime nations by the Russian government. As the Japanese have assumed responsibility of foreign shipping in the occupation of Newchwang and Yinkow such shipping will have to wait for entrance until the mines are removed.

EIGHT WADE OUT TO DEATH of the Drovers'

Hand-in-Hand,

Alton, Ill., Aug. 8.—While bathing in the Mississippi river Michael Riley his daughter and six of the latter's little girl friends were drowned. One child who was in the party was re-

Riley lived near the river in the southern part of the city and was ac-customed to bathe on the beach in front of his home after his return from work. His little daughter begged to go with him and Riley took her and seven of her little girl friends to the beach with him.

When they entered the water Riley bade the children join hands and they all waded into the river and walked along a sandbar which stretches out into the stream at that point.

They had gone some distance from shore when suddenly the whole party disappeared beneath the water, having in the darkness stepped from the

sandbar into the deep channel.

The children struggled and screamed fighting desperately to reach the sand bar, where the water was only a foo or so in depth. Riley, who is said to have been a good swimmer, is though to have been made helpless by the girls clinging to him and hampering his efforts to save them. The only one in the party to regain the sandbar was Mary Timiny, eight years old. -

EDUCATED IN UNITED STATES. One Hundred Young Filipinos to Take Four-Year Course.

Washington, Aug. 8 .- The 100 young Filipinos, whose arrival at St. Louis has been reported to the bureau of insular affairs at the war department will be placed in educational institu-tions throughout the United States with the opening of the school system this fall and then will go through a four-year course of study. They will spend six weeks at the St. Louis fair.

CONDITIONS STILL IRREGULAR.

Disappointing Reports on Wheat Off-set Good Advices on Corn. New York, Aug. 8.—Bradstreet's weekly review of trade says business and industrial conditions are still ir-regular and render generalization as the future difficult. Continued good reports from the corn crop and absolutely brilliant conditions in cotabsolutely brilliant conditions in cotton tool of July 25. That night the Russians slept on their arms in the trenches. They occupied a line sixteen miles long. The next morning, July 26, the fog cleared away at 6 o'clock and the Japanese then began to fire along the entire line. This fire was kept up until dark. The Japanese marksmanship was most accurate, showing that they had derived benefit from the practice of the preceding day.

Their heaviest fire was directed against the batteries, which included the 12-inch naval guns commanded by Prince Tscheidse and Captain Skrydloff. A perfect shower of shells hit the earthworks or went screeching into the valley behind, doing considerable damage to the artillerymen.

The Bussian right wing was commended to offset undeniably disappointing reports in the premier cereal, wheat. Dispatches to Bradstreets indicate an appreciable enlargement in the distribution of merchandise at Western points, collections show a slight gain and Southern advices are optimistic. The iron trade, too, is showing improvement, and even bituated. Anthracite coal production is curtailed and demand is slack, except where stocks need replenishing. Demand for boots and shoes is less than a year ago, but leather is active and higher, owing partly to the effect of the meat strike upon the hide market. A few large stocks are responsible for considerable idleness in different industries. Gross railway earnings indicate a slight loss from July ton tend to offset undeniably disap-

dilation held at the request of the miners the operators presented a plan for the settlement of the check weighmen and check docking boss questions, which have caused so much trouble in the upper coal fields. The operators ask that the entire con-troversy be submitted to Judge George Gray, chairman of the anthracite coa strike commission, his decision to be final and binding. The miners asked until Aug. 12 to consider the proposal

BRIEF BITS OF NEWS.

The alien labor bill, introduced by Str William Mulock, has passed the Canadian house of commons

Gustavus W. Nagle, a noted bridge builder, is dead at Elmira, N. Y. He was born in Germany. During the Civil war he organized and superintended the bridge corps of the United States military railroads department Rev. Walter J. Shanley of Hartford. Conn., president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, an dounces that he has called the thirty-fourth annual convention of the or-10, 11 and 12.

Union men laid off by the Pullman company last week when the working force was decreased have protested to the Chicago Federation of Labor that they will not be re-employed unless they make application for work through the employment bureau of the Chicago Employers' association.

BASEBALL SCORES.

National League. At Boston, 3; St. Louis, 2. At Philadelphia, 2; Cincinnati, 5-

on, .381; Brooklyn, .352; Philade phia, .264.

American League. At Cleveland, 0; New York, 5. At Detroit, 4; Boston, 3. At St. Louis, 5; Washington, 4.

At Chicago, 3; Philadelphia, 4. Standing of the Clubs—Chicago, .613; Boston, .604; New York, .602; Philadelphia, .568; Cleveland, .505; St. ouls, .422; Detroit, .398; Washington

At Indianapolis, 10; St. Paul, 6.
At Louisville, 9; Milwaukee, 2.
At Toledo, 1; Kansas City, 11.
At Columbus, 3; Minneapolis, 2—
en innings. Second game—Columbus,
; Minneapolis, 1—thirteen innings;

alled at dark. Standing of the Clubs—Columbus, .622; St. Paul, .618; Milwaukee, .576; Louisville, .559; Minneapolis, .490; Indianapolis, .465; Kansas City, .367; Toledo, .307.

Chicago, Aug. 8 .- When the doors bank at the stock yards opened in the morning about 150 persons were in

New York, Aug. 6 .- A meeting of national executive committee has been called for next Monday morning at House to consider the preliminary steps for the campaign. Headquarters will be selected and the territory ove which the different members of the committee will have supervision will be allotted.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Aug. 6.—Wheat—Sept., 98%c; Dec., 95% @95%c; May, 96%c. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.07%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.04%; No. 2 Northern,

Duluth Wheat and Flax. Duluth, Aug. 6.-Wheat-To arrive No. 1 Northern, \$1.091/4; No. 2 Northern, \$1.05%. On track—No. 1 Northern, \$1.09%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.05%; Sept., 99%c; Dec., 94%c. Flax-On track and to arrive, \$1.23%; Sept.,

\$1.24%; Oct., Nov. and Dec., \$1.24. St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Aug. 6.-Cattle-Good to choice steers, \$5.15@5.65; common to fair, \$3.50@4.50; good to choice Western, \$4.00@4.25; good to choice cows and heifers, \$2.90@4.00; veals, \$2.00@4.50. Hogs—\$4.75@5.25. Sheep—Good to choice yearling wethers, 4.25; good to choice lambs, \$5.50@ 5.75.

Chicago Union Stock Yards. Chicago, Aug. 6.-Cattle-Good to prime steers, \$5.25@6.25; poor to medium, \$4.00@5.00; stockers and feeders \$2.00@4.00: cows. \$1.25@4.00: heifers, \$2.00@4.25; calves, \$2.50@ 5.50. Hogs-Mixed and butchers, \$5.20 @5.50; good to choice heavy, \$5.25@ 5.50; rough heavy, \$4.80@5.10; light, \$5.25@5.50. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$3.75@4.20; Western sheep, \$3.75@4.10; native lambs, \$4.00@6.75; Western, \$5.00@6.00.

Chicago Grain and Provisions. Chicago, Aug. 6.—Wheat — Sept., 97¼ @97%c; old, 98½c; Dec., 96¼c; May, 97%c. Corn—Aug., 51%c; Sept., 52½c; Dec., 48½@48%c; May. 47% @48c. Oats—Aug. 32%c; Sept., Sept., Sept., Sept., Sept., Sept. Dec., 33%c; May, 35%c, Pork—Sept., 52,42½; Oct., \$12,45; Jan., \$12,67½, Flax—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.24½; Southwestern, \$1.17; Aug., \$1.17; Southwestern, \$1.17; Aug., \$1.17; Sept., \$1.17. Butter—Creameries, 13@ 17c; dairies, 12@15c. \(\Gamma\)gg3-12\(\frac{1}{2}\@\) 15\(\frac{3}{2}\)c. Poultry—Turkeys. 10@11c; 15%c. Poultry-Turkeys, 10 chiel.ans, 11%c; springs, 12%c.



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