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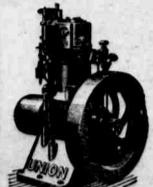
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hensive Review of the Import-Many Readers.

on Liao Yang.

econd loan in Germany. General Wood has sent a force to

punish the Moros who slayed the Ame ican soldiers. Great Britain has sent a warship to port near Niu Chwang in case it is

seeded at that place.

Russia is clearnig the Port Arthur hannel by blowing up the stone landen ships sunk by the Japanese.

Japan declares the train her troops until after the Russians on board had

A former New York policeman, now serving a sentence in the penitentiary for taking money from police candidates, says all positions in the fire and police departments were bought by the

Fire in Portland destroyed the plants of the Multnomah Trunk & Box company, the Ira F. Powers Furniture company and the Day Lumber company, valued at \$335,000. Insurance carried on the three plants was \$106,000.

In a battle at Karola the British killed 200 Thibetans.

The government funds for the Lewis and Clark afir are now available.

The Russians have re-established railway and telegraph communication with Port Arthur. Senator Mitchell has been asked to

name a successor to Postmaster Pancroft, at Portland. Ernest Hooley, famous as a pro-

moter, has been arrested in London on a charge of conspiracy to defraud. Cotton has been declared a contraband of war on account of its being

used in the manufacture of high ex-A Russian general took over a half million dollars of Red Cross money with plenty of artillery, is now march

and lost it gambling. The dowager The government will not take up the

Malheur, Oregon, irrigation project if there is any dispute over water rights, in which event it may turn to the Russian authorities at Niu Chwang

for a time refused to allow United States Consul Miller to cable the con- landing at that point. ditions there to Minister Conger at cured the transmission of the message. stroyed by the Russians. Russia is rapidly evacuating Niu

neadquarters to Harbin. Turkey is negotiating with Chile

or the purchase of two cruisers. Brazil and Peru will settle their roubles without resorting to arms.

Another 100,000 men are on the way fice of 10,000 men. to Manchuria to reinforce General

The secretary of the interior has set

aside \$2,000,000 for the Malheur, Oregon, irrigation project. is an unusual amount of sickness

among the troops in Manchuira. Twenty thousand Japanese soldiers

blockaded the Port Arthur entrance. Information is given by a merchant who left Port Arthur recently that the

warships there have only enough coal

contains supplies for but a three ens severe punishment.

Present indications point to a long war between Russia and Japan.

The latest Japanese victory gives her control of much valuable territory. the St. Louis fair in a short time.

and prunes in California this year. Nicholas.

There will be small crops of apricots

John Mitchell advocates a trade agreement as the solution of the strike money will go to the ked Cross. Admiral Togo reports that his cas-

salties attending the bottling up of Port Arthur were large. and carrier pigeons to maintain com-munication with Port Arthur.

France believes that the supreme struggle will come soon at Mukden. A noted Chinese revolutionists is

supposed to be in San Francisco to incite the natives there to revolt. The St. Louis fair remains closed on Sundays except to those who hold passes and these are not allowed in any

of the buildings.

WASHINGTON BILLS TO WIN.

Policy of Leaders for Economy Disas trous to Many.

of the Washington delegation for the session just closed does not compare very favorably with that of the delegation from Oregon, nevertheless, the failure of the men from Washington ant Happenings of the Past Week, is largely attributable to the fact that Presented in Condensed Form, Most the leaders in congress used every Likely to Prove Interesting to Our means within their power to hold down appropriations, and to prevent the passage of all but necessary legislation.

Washington has no Lewis and Clark General Kuroki is rapidly moving bill, but loyally supported the men from Oregon in their efforts to secure Russia denies that she will float a the passage of their bill. There was tary situation in Manchuria are forene way in which Oregon could reciprocate, so Washington had to take the together on its own shoulders, with sion. the result set forth below.

During the session just closed Senator Foster introduced 26 public bills, most of them of local importance to or as amendments to appropriation bills; four passed the senate, but failed fired on did not show the Red Cross flag in the house; six were favoraably reopened fire and the Japanese answered and the others were never even report- Chwang would pass into their hands. ed by committees.

The bills that finally passed authorize the sale of Puyallup allotted lands; public park; allow vessels of less than them. 30 tons' burden to engage in trade between Puget sound and the islands of British Columbia; made appropriation for the new Dungeness lighthouse station, and validate sales of right-of-way lands, made by the Northern Pacific.

SOON SHBLL IT.

Japanese are Preparing to Attack Port Arthur by Land.

Shan Hai Kwan, May 14 .- According to reports brought here by Chinese churia. runners, the investment of Port Arthur, from the land side, is well under way. The entire second army under General Oku is taking a position across the peninsula, and is bringing heavy siege guns into position to shell the defenses

of the town. While it is thought that the Russians will make a stubborn resistence, the Japanese are declared to be confident of their ability to reduce the town.

A detachment which is said to be nu-merically strong, and to be equipped came from.

Blow Up Dainey.

St. Petersburg, May 14.- Viceroy Alexieff has tele raphed to the czar announcing that the Russians have blown up the docks and piers at Port Dalney, Liao Tung peninsula, presuma-

bly to render more difficult a Japanese Later telegrams received indicate that

OUGHT TO HAVE BEEN HELD.

Viceroy Alexieff has transferred his Russian Position at Feng Wang Cheng Deemed Impregnable

London, May 13.—The correspondent of the Times, cabling from Wiju, says: The Russian position at Feng Wang Cheng, if properly held, ought to have been impregnable, even with the sacri-

Judging from their disheveled appearance, the Russians must have been river Dasaw, it may be concluded that in the trenches for several days.

est kindness to the wounded prisoners, and the captured Russian offigers are Tayang at Hondonhanya, on the left Russian anthorities deny that there being treated by the highest among the Japanese as respected guests. The censorship is becoming very se-

Twenty thousand Japanese soldiers vere. I am forbidden to transmit the the road from Feng Wang Cheng to crossed the Yalu at Changseng and volunteered to man the fireships that names of divisions and units, or to re-Salidza, 14 to 16 miles from Feng Wang Cheng by a The balance of opinion inclines to the veal where our headquarters are estab- | Wang Cheng. lished. was the robbery of the Rusisan dead we discovered that the Chinese had

and wounded. After the action many warned Japanese troops of an ambus-Chinese roamed the battlefield, strip- cade, which had been arranged by cos-Japanese commanders declare that ping the Russians. The Japanese gen. sacks." nstead of 32,000 men at Port Arthur eral is greatly grieved, and is establishthere are only 8,000, and instead of be- ing a system of patrols to check a ing provisioned for a year the fortress repetition of the occurrence and threat-

Properor Reviews 50,000 Troops. St. Petersburg, May 14.-Emperor

Nicholas, who was accompanied by the empress and several of the grand dukes and a brilliant staff, reviewed 50,000 Russia will have a large exhibit at troops on the champs de Mars this morning. A great concourse viewed the brilliant spectacle. As ea h regiment marched past the emperor the soldiers shouted: "Good health, Your It is reported that Viceroy Alexieff Majesty.' The imperial party was acple. Seats on balconies overlooking the review grounds sold for \$25. The

Bored Through Train.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 14 .- A train on the Pacific Eeletric railroad, bound from Los Angeles to Whittier, crashed Russia relies on wireless telegraphy into a Santa Fe passenger train from San Diego at Los Nietos crossing, ten miles from this city, tonight. Four- of lyddite, the basis being pieric acid. teen persons were injured, four on the He declares it explodes under water, Santa Fe train and ten on the electric and may be used in all weapons. car. The injured were all residents of Whittier and Los Angeles: The impact of the electric train broke the Santa Fe train in two.

Take Part of Wussian Loan

New York, May 14 .- Part of the Russian loan issued in Paris has b en

ON TO HAICHENG

Washington, May 14.—The record JAPANESE ARE PUZZLING ADVER-SARIES BY RAPID MOVES.

> Investment of Niu Chwang Will Follow Kouropatkin at Liao Yang.

St. Petersburg, May 13 .- Impending next month. responsibility for local legislation al- out late last night by the war commis- it was agreed by everyone that the he has been in a semi-conscious condi-

cautiously moved from Feng Wang the state of Washington. Out of that miles east by north of Niu Chwang, must be well and favorably known, as number, five were passed by both and it is the opinion of the general houses, either as independent measures, staff that they should certainly reach chief engineer. their destination within two days. If ported to the senate, but did not pass, Port Arthur effectively cut off, Niu written to Mr. Wallace asking him to determination to be a man of mark. The entire Liao Tung peninsula, in fact, save Port Arthur and perhaps with Stuyvesant Fish, president of the he had acquired an education. He grant lands to Port Angeles for use as a Haiping, would be commanded by Illinois Central, who thus spoke of sailed as cabin boy on a ship to New

> The troops sent by General Kuroki is regarded probable, the plan to complete the mastery of Southern Man-

Besides acting energetically in Southern Manchuria and moving on Haicheng, General Kuroki kept in mind the necessity of outflanking General Kuropatkin at Liao Yang, as is shown in the fact that on the morning of May 10 he started a formidable force, constatement that an examination May 10 statement that an examination May 10 statement that an examination May 10 ships before leaving the place. pedition which relieved Emin Pasha, General Kuroki's forces, who are operating from Feng Wang Cheng, are who against Liao Yang. Wang Cheng failed to show the presence of Japanese, the authoritis are Paris, May 12.—The Mat puzzled as to where the Japanese force

to General Kuroki's army.

CHINESE WARN JAPANESE.

They are Thus Able to Pacape Ambuscade Arranged by Cossacks.

St. Petersburg, May 13.-General Sakarohoff sent a dispatch to the general staff today communicating a report Pekin. A strongly worded protest se- the whole of Port Dalney has been de- of Lieutenant General Zassalitch, dated

May 10, as follows: "Troops which appeared to be a division of the Japanese guard have been advancing for the last two days from Feng Wang Cheng westerly in the di-

rection of Haicheng. "It is reported that a Japanese force consisting of about a division of inlantry intended to march on Saimadza

with 40 guns and 1,500 cavalry. "From reports received from the the Japanese army is concentrated in The Japanese are showing the great- three groups, the two southern groups being on the lower section of the river bank of the river at Dayan and at Donamyo, in the same locality, and the northren group opposite Habalina on ere. I am forbidden to transmit the the road from Feng Wang Cheng to

"It is difficult to obtain information A painful incident of the Yalu battle from the local Chinese. In one case

Admiralty Scouts the Idea.

St. Petersburg, May 13 .- The idea that the Russian squadron at Port Arthur has been destroyed to prevent its falling into the hands of the enemy is scouted at the admiralty. "We are not going to repeat the mistake made jestvensky, commander of the Baltic worst, the squadron will put to sea, engage the enemy and inflict as much lamage as possible before going to the bottom. But you can say that it is a little early yet to talk of such despera-

New Powder Great Success. Vancouver, B. C., May 13.—Issa Tanimura P. H. B., LL. B., of Tokio, Japan, trade commissioner to Canada arrived on the Empress of Japan, and gives details of the new explosive used by Japan, referred to in an Associated Press dispatch from St. Petersburg. He says it was invented by a Japanese chemist, an is aparently a development

Caught in Ambush by Moros. Manila, May 13 .- Lieutenant Win-

field Harper and 39 men of company F of the Seventeenth United States infantry were caught on May 8 in an ambush by several hundred Moros. Two American officers and 15 men were At least 20 people were killed in the City being among those participating. The ambush occurred at Simpatem, on of Mindanao.

TO BE ENGINEER.

Panama Canal Position Given to John P. Wallace.

Chicago, May 12 .- John F. Wallace, general manager of the Illinois Central railroad, will be chief engineer of the Panama canal. After having the offer under advisement for some time, he in Short Order - Kuroki, Besides today wired Admiral Walker, chair-Working in Manchuria, is Keeping in man of the commission, his acceptance. Mind the Necessity of Outflanking The position will pay \$25,000 per year. Mr. Wallace will leave for Washington to enter upon his new duties early

events of great importance to the mili- During the recent trip of the Panashadowed in official dispatches given the appointment of the chief engineer. about two weeks ago. Since Sunday man selected must possess exceptional On May 8 the Japanese forces qualifications; must be not only an Cheng toward Haicheng, which is 32 and yet energy of accomplishment, and their famous patient dropped off almost chief engineer.

their destination within two days. If While the committee was at sea on from poorhouse to palace entirely the Japanese occupy Haicheng with the way to the isthmus, a letter was through his strength of character and meet the members in New York on He was born at Denbigh, Wales. He Subsequent y there was correspondence 3, and remained there 10 years, until Mr. Wallace:

"There is no professional engineer in my acquaintance who, I think, has, to the southwest of Feng Wang Cheng, in a higher degree than Mr. Wallace, which troops, it established, do not be- the special commercial and diplomatic long to a third army, none having tact which I conceive will be required. landed at Takushan, crossed the Tay- He not only has commended at landed at Takushan, crossed the Tay- knows the value of money, but also has knows the value of money, but also has ang river May 7, and should by this a very rare capacity in dealing with later accompanied the British army time be operating in the Liao Tung men, whether they be above him, his through the Abyssinian war as the corpeninsula, provided they continued, as peers, or under him. It goes without respondent of the New York Herald. He was sent by that paper to Africa to

RUMORS OF F.OHT.

Russians Overtaken at Mao Tieng Ling Pass and Defeated.

Tokio, May 12 .- Admiral Togo reports that since the 6th of May many which was badly needed by charto-explosions have been heard coming graphers. Coming back to civilization sisting of a division of infantry and 40 their cause has not been ascertained. and British science societies. He went guns and 1.500 cavalry, toward Saim- The impression here is that the Rus- back a third time and established tradatsi. In view of General Kuropatkin's sians, despairing of their ability to de- ing stations along the Congo from its

Paris, May 12 .- The Matin's St. Petersburg correspondent says it is persistently rumored that there has been A Japanese detachment is reported a big fight near Mao Tien Ling pass minster Abbey. He was elected to ing on saimathi with the object of out- officially to have occupied Kwangtien- between the Russians and General parliament from the Lambeth district, empress made good the sum to the so-ciety.

flanking General Kuropatkin's forces, sien on May 6, but it is believed likely Kuroki's army. The Russians, he had been active in the English political Zassalitch was among the killed.

Another J-panese Victory. London, May 12 .- The Daily Chronicle's correspondent at Shan Hai Kwan says the Japanese first army from the Yalu river is already threatening the Russian position at Haicheng. second army, marching in three divis- says: Kuroki, has defeated the Russians general retreat, and no doubt intends near Wafungtien with great loss, the to avoid a battle until he has sufficient correspondent says. He adds that the forces. He actually has at his disposal Japanese artillery was splendidly not more than 150,000 men, exclusive

handled. The Daily Chronicle notes that there are two Wafungtiens, one on the rail- Niu Chwang of 15,000. road north of Port Arthur, 20 miles from Pitsewo, and the other 40 miles west of Kaiping, on the road to Feng Wang Cheng.

CREDIT FOR VICTORY. Japanese on the Yalu Did Not Take Feng Wang Cheng.

Tokio, May 12 .- It appears that the London Believes He Will Overtake the capture of Feng Wang Cheng was effected not by the troops which fought on the Yain, but by a mixed brigade under Major General Sassaki, which, by marching eastward on April 20,

The sole object of the Japanese foreign loan is to secure a gold currency system and to maintain the convertibility of notes. The loan will not be vantage. the entire proceeds will be kept as a

currency reserve, probably in London. Japan Buying Submarine Boats.

Newport News, Va., May 12 .- From own battleground. reliable source comes the information that a contract has been awarded the at Sebastopol," said Vice Admiral Ro- Newport News Shipbuilding company for the construction of four submarine commanding the Asiatic fleet, to send fleet. "If the worst comes to the hoats destined for service with the Jap- two warships to Chefoo, where they anese navy in the Far East. Shippard will be held in readiness to proceed to officials here refuse to confirm or deny Niu Chwang, a day's sail. This is in the report, but it is believed here that view of the possibility that Chinese the yard has been rushing work on bandits will attempt to pillage Niu warships contracted for in an indirect Chwang in the interval between the way for the mikado's government for Russians' expected evacuation of the some time past.

Protest to the Powers.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—Russia has sul Miller asks for them. rotested to the powers, signatory of The Hague and Geneva conventions, against the action of the Japanese in firing on the Red Cross trains from Port Arthur, May 6, when of 200 sick and wounded, two were struck by the hold Laio Yang, but has the consent of Japanese bullets. The general staff is the Russian general staff to retire so authority for the statement that the far into Manchuria as the exigencies of health of the Russian troops is excep- the situation may warrant. It is con-

Says Transports Were Sunk. Paris, May 12 -According to the St.

Petersburg correspondent of the Matin, a high official of the naval general staff, declares that the entrance to Port number of Japanese transports.

STANLEY IS DEAD

NOTED EXPLORER PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY OF PLEURISY.

Vas a Weish Boy Who Rose Prom Poor Farm to Palace-Won Fame in Wilds of Africa-Rescued Dr. Livingstone and Relieved Emin Pasha When He Was Penned in by Hostile Natives.

London, May 11 .- Sir Henry M. Stanley, the famous African explorer, one of the subjects of discussion was attack of pleurisy, which developed tion, and while the doctors had no hope of his recovery, they did not expect the engineer, but an administrator and ex- end to come so soon. Heart trouble ecutive; must have mature judgment complicated the case, however, and

before they knew it. Probably no man in recent years has the commission would depend upon the chief engineer. been more worthy of the title "self made man" than Stanley, who rose their return and talk over the matter. was placed in a poorhouse at the age of Orleans when 15, and was adopted by a merchant there whose family name of Stanley he assumed instead of his own of John Rowlands. He enlisted in the Confederate army as a youth, was capt.

tured and enlisted in the Federal army. He went to Turkey at the close of the war as a newspaper correspondent, and He was sent by that paper to Africa to find Dr. Livingstone, who had been lost in the Congo region for two years. He accomplished the task and was honored by England and the Royal Geographical society for his clever work.

He went back a second time, and secured information about Central Africa from the vicinity of Port Arthur, but he was decorated by numerous French governor of Equatorial Africa, who was

penned in by hostiles. Mr. Stanley married Miss Dorothy Tennant on July 12, 1890, in West-

field.

TO AVOID BATTLE. Kouropatkin Will Retire to Mukden or

Paris, May 11 .- The correspondent The at St Petersburg, of the Echo de Paris, ions in order to co-operate with General General Kouropatkin has ordered a

> of the garrison at Port Arthur, which consists of 30,000, and the garrison at A general, who knows the secrets of the mobilization, tells me that the last 1,000 men making the required 500,-

000 men will leave Kasan July 21, adding: "We will be very sick if the railroad

is not working well. KUROKI MAY BLOCK PLAN.

Russians Soon London, May 11 .- In the absence of further stirring news from the seat of war, the London newspapers are discussing the probable course of events. moved on Feng Wang Cheng by a belief that General Kuroki will succeed in overtaking the Russians between Feng Wang Cheng and Liao Yang, and

will comple him to fight at a disadused to finance the war, and therefore ble for General Kouropatkin, depend-It is argued that it will be impossiing upon a slender line of railway and with his army encumbered with baggage, to make his retirement speedy enough to enable him to choose his

American Ships Co.

Washington, May 11 -Orders were cabled today to Rear Admiral Cooper, city, and the Japanese occupation of it. The warships will not be sent to Nin Chwang unless United States Con-

So Much (Inined by the Russians. St. Petersburg, May 11.-General

Kouropatki is under no obligation to tionally good, considering the filthy sidered by the general staff that the Chinese hovels along the line of march. greater distance General Konropatkin places between himself and the enemy ncreases the difficulties of the Japan-

Russia Places Order for Rifles. Paris. May 11 .- It is learned that

taken by New York banks, the National killed and five men were wounded. Arthur is still free, and that the squad- the Russian government has placed an ron went out on May 9 as far as Pitse- order for 200,000 Lebel rifles, the same cyclone which swept over Northwest No public invitations to subscribe will the east shore of take Ligusan, island wo, where the torpedo boats sank a to be delivered in St. Petersburg at the rate of 50,000 a week.