

CLASSED AS SPIES

Russia Objects to Writers Using Wireless Telegraph.

NOTICE GIVEN ALL NATIONS

Neutral Steamers Carrying Apparatus for Communicating News Will Be Seized as Prizes of War.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The Russian government has given notice that newspaper correspondents using wireless telegraph will be treated as spies and shot.

This notice was served on the State Department by Count Cassini, the Russian Ambassador, today, and it is understood that similar communications were made to all foreign offices.

"It is sufficient now if Port Arthur is invested on the land side and there is no longer urgent need to land a great train of cannon and make a supreme effort to capture what was, but no longer is, the seat of the Russian naval power, Port Arthur can be left to starve in its own juice, and if the Japanese so decide, its fall can be allowed to depend upon the course of hostilities elsewhere."

WAGE WAR ON VICE

Churches Organize for a Spirited Crusade.

MASS MEETING WILL BE HELD

Side Doors and Boxes of Saloons and Restaurants and Spread of Dives Will Be Attacked by Association Which Is Forming.

The meetings at the various Presbyterian Churches Thursday night have resulted in a movement to organize a crusade against vice, which many speakers asserted has spread into the heart and resident section of the city.

"On dark nights, it would be almost impossible for the searchlights of the batteries to pick up torpedo-boats, however carefully the lights were manipulated."

JAPANESE GUARD EMPEROR.

They Also Take a Prominent Part in Extinguishing the Flames.

LONDON, April 15.—The Japanese Legation has received the following account of the fire which destroyed the Imperial Palace at Seoul:

WIRELESS COMPANY PROTESTS

Hay is Wired It Claims the Protection of the United States.

NEW YORK, April 15.—The American De Forest Wireless Telegraph Company has telegraphed to Secretary Hay at Washington a protest against the attitude of the Russian government relative to the use of wireless telegraphy by correspondents in the zone of war.

NEW ACCORD MAKES FOR PEACE

Expert Terms Anglo-French Treaty as First Glimmer of Light.

LONDON, April 15.—The military correspondent of the Times says: "The Anglo-French accord is the first glimmer of light in the darkness in the Far East."

PORT ARTHUR NOW SEALED UP

Correspondent Off Korean Coast Learns Japanese Plan Succeeded.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE LONDON TIMES AND PORTLAND OREGONIAN. HAI WEI, April 15.—By De Forrest Wireless Telegram from steamer Hainan, off Korean Coast.—We have received official confirmation of the torpedo attack on Wednesday morning last, which resulted in the sinking of the Russian warship Petropavlovsk and one destroyer.

CLING TO SUBMARINE THEORY

Officers at Port Arthur Say They Know Japan Has Such Boats.

PARIS, April 15.—The Matin's St. Petersburg correspondent sends an interview which he had with Grand Duke Vladimir, in which, after giving the details of a telegram from Grand Duke Boris relating to the escape of Grand Duke Cyril, Vladimir said:

Believe Other Ships Were Damaged.

KOBE, Japan, April 15.—It is asserted in naval circles here that the Japanese arranged to lay 20 mines at the entrance of Port Arthur, and then entire the Russians out. The mines were placed in position, and Port Arthur was bombarded April 12. Several Russian ships besides the Petropavlovsk were damaged.

Demonstrations Against the War.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Serious demonstrations against the war are reported in Kharkoff, according to a World dispatch from Vienna. Kharkoff is the center of the densest industrial population in Russia. All the schools and colleges have been closed pending the return of tranquillity.

CARE NOT FOR PORT ARTHUR.

Japanese Will Now Hardly Deem It Worth the Cost of an Assault.

Grand Duke Tells of His Escape.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 15.—A telegram from Grand Duke Boris to Grand Duke Vladimir, dated at Liao Yang yesterday, gives Grand Duke Cyril's account of his escape from death in the disaster to the Petropavlovsk. According to his story, Cyril fell at the moment of the explosion to the port side of the bridge, and from there he lowered himself to the deck. He was then swept away by the incoming waves and sank to a considerable depth, but succeeded in regaining the surface. By his own efforts, he caught a floating fragment of the Petropavlovsk's steam launch to which he clung for about ten minutes, when he was picked up by the destroyer Bezhumil. The telegram adds that Cyril's aide-de-camp, Lieutenant von Kube, perished.

Noted Painter Now Known to Be Lost.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 15.—The Admiralty has received official information that Verestchagin, the celebrated painter of battle scenes, was among those lost by the sinking of the Petropavlovsk.

Disguised Japs With Chinese Army.

PARIS, April 15.—The Journal publishes the following received from St. Petersburg correspondent, under yesterday's date:

Business Items.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth. Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children's teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, relieves all pain, cures whooping cough and diarrhoea.

GRIP THAT FAILED

NARROW ESCAPE OF A WELL-KNOWN FARMER AND HORSEMAN.

One of the Worst Assaults Known—John H. Robinson Attacked Three Times and Given Up for Dead.

An encounter with highwaymen on a lonely road in Dutchess County, New York, would have been preferable to the experience through which Mr. John H. Robinson, of Manchester Bridge, N. Y., actually passed. In the former case he would doubtless have been quickly relieved of his watch and money, and would have been left in a more or less bruised and dazed state by the roadside.

"I was attacked three times during three years by grip, complicated with pneumonia, and my sufferings were terrible. I had some of the best physicians in the country, but none of them could give me any relief from the fearful pains in the back of my head, just at the base of my skull. For two weeks I was so low that no one except the doctor and my wife was permitted to come into my room, and once I was given up for dead."

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