# HOLD THEIR FIRE

Japanese Anticipate a Great Battle.

#### LITTLE CHANGE AT MUKDEN

Artillery Is Quite Active, but Little Damage Is Done.

WEATHER IS STILL PLEASANT

Soldiers of Opposing Outposts in Close Proximity Engage in the Exchange of Cigarettes and Other Luxuries.

MUKDEN, Nov. 10, via Tientsin, Nov. II .- An artillery fire from both sides is continued at intervals. It is heavier on the Russian right wing, where, all day on November 9 and also during that night, the Russians shelled the Japanese postgions with their heavy guns. Neither side on that date gained any advantage. During the bombardment last night the Russians threw 60 large Melinite shells into the Japanese camp opposite Manalon Hill. The Japanese, who, during the previous

cannonading, seemed to have successfully used a searchlight directed against the used a searching in the purpose of cov-ering their operations for the purpose of cov-ering their operations at night in the ex-tension of their field works in the region of the railway, did not reply last night when the Russians attacked them further to the east.

The Japanese are notably economical in

the use of ammunition, as though antici-pating an early battle when great quantithes will become necessary.

It is known that the Japanese have placed guns of large caliber in the vicinity of the Shakhe railway station, bring-

ity of the Shakhe railway sinton, the ing Schiatum, the next station to the north, within the range of their fire.

As a result of the heavy bombardment by the Russians the Japanese have withdrawn some of their batteries from the advanced positions. It is believed that not being ready to attack they are falling has to the bills.

back to the hills. The Russians have a great advantage in Lone Tree Hill. This hill commands a large part of the plain over which the

The operations are about the same each day. There is artillery firing most of the time and frequent clashes of infantry at night. As has been the case in most wars, but entirely unexpected in se must advance. most wars, but entirely unexpected in this one, the soldiers of the opposing outposts in close proximity engage in the exchange of cigarettes and other luxuries. The great precautions taken by the Russians, their continued vigilance, and the disposition of their forces would seem to guarantee their army against any repetition of disasters of enormous magnitude. The Russian army is celebrating the distribution of presents of food, clothing and confectionery sent by the Empress to the officers and mea.

Regimental bands are playing from camp to camp along the line, and the army, which is now in better spirits, appears to be much more formidable and homogeneous. The soldiers are active in cellecting and storing all the crops left by the Chinese in the fields, which they are conserving for use both as food and fuel.

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appears to continue only along the firing line, where their destruction is reported necessary for strategical purposes.

Owing to the mildness of the weather and the prevalence of sunshine the solutions are harbing in the country.

is now generally known here, and ap-pears to be regarded as highly magnani-

The prevailing conviction is that the reinforcements received by the Japanese have been much larger than reported and consequently it is expected that they will

Russian Scouts Very Daring. MUKDEN, Nov. 11.-The Russian scouts MUKDEN, Nov. II.—The Russian scouts are daring in secretly reconnoitering along the Japanese lines, some even creeping up to the Japanese trenches and lying concealed there all day and returning at night. The Japanese have constructed in many places double and even triple and quadruple. lines of trenches, wire entanglements, mines and pits.

A Cossack patrol on November 10 pene-trated as far as Sandiapu, where they in-flicted a blow against a large force of Japanese and then returned rapidly to the Russian main line without loss. A patrol also got in the rear of two Japanese companies moving to attack a Russian position. The Cossacks defeated the Jap me and returned safely to the Russian

#### RESERVISTS MAKE MANY RIOTS Russian Call to Arme Causes a Reign of Terror.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—The difficulty Russia found in bringing the reservists to the colors, according to reports recently published, was much greater by far than these reports indicated. The Morning Post learns from its Moscow correspondent that the calling of the reservists to the colors was accompanied by riots, the description of which in the reports published hitherto was but a feeble picture compared to the reality. From official statements it appears to the Post's correspondent t appears to the Post's correspond that 19 districts were the scene of disthat 19 districts were the scene of dis-orders. The solders kept the localities in question in a state of terror for three days, and the police were power-less to cope with the situation. The outrages perpetrated by the troops were of the most barbarous character. In addition the local authorities evinced a strange disinclination to send the reserve troops.

#### FORT HAS NOT YET FALLEN.

Confirmation of Sensational Reports About Arthur Is Lacking.

LONDON, Nov. II.—No confirmation has reached London of the rumors current on November 10 of the capitulation of Port Arthur; that General Stoessei was asking for an armistice, etc. According to the Dally Telegraph's Che-

for correspondent Japan has consented to open the port of Antung to steamers char-tered by silk merchants when the latter obtain special permits. This action is due to China's protest that exclusion of neu-tral shipping would ruin the silk trade.

Every Protection Assured Squadron.

shortly after the arrival of the Russian Consul there, it is said today that owing to prevalent rumors that attempts may be made to wreck vessels of the Russian squadron while passing through the canal, the Chief of Police is taking stringent precautions against blockading, and a strict surveillance on both sides of the canal will be exercised during the transit of the Russian squadron.

Insurance Men Figure on Place. LONDON Nov. 12.—The insurance cor-

respondent of the morning says:

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The feeling in regard to the cessation in the feeling in regard to the various feeling in the same of the sa "The feeling in regard to the casaston of the Russo-Japanese hostilities is slightly more hopeful. It is due to the various rumors of intervention, and has made itself felt in raising the ratio of policies providing against the end of the war by March 1 next. The rise in the policy rate is between 15 and 20 guineas per cent."

French Assurance Satisfies Japan. PARIS, Nov. 11.-The Japanese Minis-

Dr. Motono, had a long conference Poreign Minister Delcasse today rel ative to the observance of neutrality, particularly in regard to the recoaling of the Russian second Pacific squadron at Mad-agascar and other French possessions. It is understood that a satisfactory under standing was reached.

ST, PETERSBURG, Nov. 11-A dispatch received here today from General Sakharoff announces that last night passed quietly. He also reports that there

All Still Quiet at Mukden.

were a couple of unimportant outpost affairs the previous day.

VILNA, Russia, Nov. II.—The rumor that General Grippenberg, commander of the second army, has been stricken with apoplexy is false. His health is good. He leaves for the Far East November 17.

PRESS CRITICISES WAR LOAN It Regards the Rate of Interest on

New Loan Excessive. TOKIO, Nov. 11.-A majority of

the newspapers of Tokio sharply criticise the terms under which the new Japanese loan has been placed in London and New York. They pronounce the rate as being too high, considering that the amount of the loan is a comparatively small one. The Asahi Shimbun expresses the opinion that it was unwise to place the loan before the fall of Port Arthur.

The new Japanese loan is for the amount of \$50,000,000, half of which will be offered in London and half in New York. The price is to be \$9%, with interest at 6 per cent. The loan will be secured by a second charge on Japanese customs duties. A dispatch from London November 8 said that dealings in the loan had already commenced there at 14 premium. It was definitely stated in New York Wednesday last that Kuhn, Loeb & Co., of that city, had organized a syndicate to finance one-half the loan. The dicate to finance one-half the loan. The first Japanese loan, which was a first mortgage on Japanese customs, was placed at 80% but is now selling in the New York marks; at 90%. The new loan, which is a second mortgage on the same securities is offered at 80%.)

FRANCE WILL NOT BROACH IT Mediation Would Be Distasteful to

Russia, and Impair Alliance.

the alliance. In fact, some of the re-ports of France's intention to influence Russia are attributed to certain European diers are bathing in the open.

Reports of the grave condition of the besidesed at Port Arthur have reached Mukden, and as a consequence the Russians will not be surprised to learn of the capitulation of the fortress.

The course taken by the government of Great Britain in the North Sea incident is now generally known here, and an anamer which Russia does not regard as contrary to her interests. political sources which are aiming to break the Franco-Russian alliance in orly to influence Russia in a manner wherein her role would be solely to influence
Russia in a manner which Russia does
not regard as contrary to her interests.
Several newspapers print categorical
denials of the statement of Sir Thomas
Barciay (who has been prominently identified with the movement which led to the
Anglo-French arbitration treaty), that
M. Cambon, the French Ambassador to
London, after conferring with Lord Leas-London, after conferring with Lord Leas-downe, came to Paris to discuss the An-glo-France mediation. The officials also say that Sir Thomas' statement is purely speculative. One who talked lengthity with M. Cambon while he was at the For-eign office, says he discussed a number of eign office, says he discussed a number of current questions, but did not mention mediation.

TWO THINGS IN WAY OF PEACE

Russian Prestige is at Stake, and the Czar's Advisers Want War.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—The dispatch of the Associated Press from Washington, con-firming the statement made in these disnatches that Japan had indicated her

patches that Japan had indicated her willingness to entertain peace sugges-tions from President Roosevelt or King Edward, created much interest here. Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Minister, said today:

"After the fall of Port Arthur, Japan would, I believe, be ready to treat for peace on no higher essential basis than that Russia should evacuate Manchuria, Japan also surreites to a similar evacuathat Russia should evacuate Manchuris, Japan also agreeing to a similar evacuation. The two great difficulties in the way of any suggestion of peace are: First the apparent opposition of Emperor Nicholas' present advisers to a settlement of any kind; second, the preservation of Russian prestige. When a nation's prestige, if not gone, is severely impaired, it is a difficult matter, even with the best of intentions, to preserve with the best of intentions, to pre

The Associated Press learns that Queen The Associated Press learns that Queen Alexandra has been in constant communication with the Dowagor Empress of Russia and Emperor Nicholas himself during the last few days. This is interpreted here as a good sign and as possibly likely to lead, though not in the immediate future, to the establishment of some modus vivendi where steps looking to arbitration might be initiated without offense to Russia.

The reliteration of the American State Department's determination not to inter-

The reiteration of the American state Department's determination not to intervene except on request from both of the belligerents tailies with the official attitude of the British Government, but it is thought that before long some method may privately be devised whereby this diplomatic barrier to action may be

Baron Hayashi this morning had no news from Port Arthur, and discredited the rumors of its capitulation.

Russian Press Ignores Suggestion. Sr. PETERSBURG, Nov. 11.—It is considered significant that the Russian newspapers ignore Lord Lansdowne's suggestion regarding the Russo-Japanese arbitration

tration.

Referring to Lord Lansdowne's arbitration suggestion, a prominent official of the Poreign Office expressed an opinion to the Associated Press that such an offer even coming from Japan could not possibly be accepted.

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Three Neckwear Specials

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49c For Collars that always sell at 75c—choice of many pretty styles. Embroidered china silk, beaded taffeta, faggoting and lace trimmed, stole end stock collars; all of them best 75c values, for 49c. 98c For collars that sell at \$1.25 and \$1.35. Handsomest, newest styles shown this season. Choice of collars of faggoting, monsseline de soie trimmed with steel beads; taffeta silk trimmed with silk ap-

plique: all of them \$1.25 and \$1.35 values, for 98¢.

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Child's \$1.75 Hats 89c

Children's Sailors, with small and large bell crowns, fancy brims, of scratch felt, some with silk

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Women's Cambric Gowns, high circular and square necks; button front and slip-over styles; trimmed with lace embroidery and hemstitching and ribbon.

\$2 Cambric Skirts \$1.49 Women's Skirts, fine cambric,

lace and embroidery trimmed, tucks in cluster, dust ruffle, blind and open embroidery and Cluny and Point de Paris laces are used as

Street Hats that sold at up to \$3.00-all of them this season's goods-every wanted shape and combination of trimmings-Tur-

at up to \$3.00-while \$1.19 they last .....

\$7.00 untrimmed velvet, taffeta, chenille, plush and fancy braid shapes—the entire fashionable color range represented. At the sale price these beautiful shapes sell fast. Remember, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 \$2.69

Children's Hats that sold up to \$1.75, on sale today at ... 89¢

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stitched Handkerchiefs, 1/8 and 1/4-inch hem; very special at 24¢ T 33¢—worth 50c—Women's pure linen, 2300 count, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/8 and

pure linen, 2400 count, hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, 1/8 and 1/4-inch hem, very special. 49¢

#### Ribbons

25c INSTEAD OF 35¢-Emberoidered Polka Dot Taffe ta Ribbons, navy blue, light blue and pink embroidered with white, white embroidered with navy, pink, light blue, black or red, 31/2 inches wide, all pure silk, 25c 35c values for.....

15c INSTEAD OF 20¢-All Silk Plain Colored Taffeta Ribbon, in white, black, cream, red, navy blue, mais, tan, old rose, lavender, 3½ inches wide 15c

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\$1.39 Per pair for Gloves that always sold at \$1.75. Two hundred and fifty pairs women's one-pearl clasp "London" pique Gloves, fancy fourchettes (the strips between the fingers); two-toned embroidery; oxblood with black or white, white with black, brown with onion, green with blue and blue with green.

\$1.49 Per pair for Gloves worth \$2.00. Two hundred pair women's two-clasp "Consuelo" overseam real kid Gloves; fancy embroidery with welts to match; white, mode, brown, lavender, pink and sky.

### Children's Apparel

75¢ FOR CHILDREN'S \$1.00 APRONS-Made of fine white lawns, Mother Hubbard, waist and strap syles, daintily trimmed with embroidery. 

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is inconceivable that Japan at this junc-ture is prepared to offer such terms, I see no chance of ending the war."

Paris dispatches published here say that

cluded the intention of intervening when it proposed its good offices for the settle-ment of the North Sea incident. STRAUS HOPES FOR PEACE.

the French Government expressly

"I have long had the impression," he said, "that we will wake up some morning and find that through the good offices of Great Britain, with the tacit consent of the signatory powers to the treaty of Berlin, an arrange-

ment has been agreed upon by which the Far Eastern questions have been settled by one stroke.

"That is to say, Russia will have come to an agreement with Great Britain, and, secondarily, with the sig-Britain, and, secondarily, with the sig-natory powers, for having free access-to the sea through the Dardanelles, in return for which a permanent adjust-ment of the Afghan boundary and Great Britain's domination of the Per-sian Guif will be granted, and that in the Far East Japan's sphere of influ-ence will be recognized in Corea, while Manchuria with certain rights to ence will be recognized in Corea, while Manchuria, with certain rights to while Manchuria, with certain rights to Japan secured, will revert to China. This done, the peace of the world will be insured certainly for our generation, and by the end of that time the nations will have become so accustomed to availing themselves of The Hague Tribunal that wars will be largely eliminated."

ST. PETERSBURG. Nov. 11.—Baron Taube who is connected with the For-eign Office has been designated as Rus-sian judicial advisor to the international commission which is to inquire into the North Sea incident. Official Adviser to North Sea Board.

Will Offer Bonds at New York. NEW YORK, Nov. 11.-Half of the new \$50,000.000 Japanese loan to be offered in this market by Kuhn, Loeb & Co. will be payable, interest and principal here at the fixed rate of exchange 44.87 per pound sterling. Assurances have been pound stering. Assurances have been given the syndicate managers that the Japanese government will permit the proceeds of the loan to remain on deposit in New York banks, until subject to the requirements of the Japanese govern-

Gamblers to Be Brought to Book.

TROOPS FOR ST. LOUIS FAIR Will Prevent Destruction of Property at Close of Exposition.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—President Francis, of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, recently made application to the War Department for the sending of troops to the Exposition grounds for the Hague Tribunal, expresses the belief that a suden termination of hostilities in the Far East is possible in the near future.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—President Francis, of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, recently made application to the War Department for the sending of troops to the Exposition grounds for the property of foreign nations contained in the exhibits and also of the exhibits of the Philippine Government. This request was based on the This request was based on the

losses to Government, foreign and do-mestic exhibits. mestic exhibits.

Accordingly the Secretary of War directed that headquarters and eight companies of the Sixteenth Infantry be sent from Fort McPherson, near Atlanta, Ga., to St. Louis, there to remain for 45 days to assist in the protection of property in the Exposition.

Fine Art Collection to Be Sold. NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—One of the largest art sales in recent years will be held in this city late in January or early in February, when the Waggaman collection will be auctioned off. The sale has been ordered by trustees

Are impure matters which the skin,

in bankruptcy, who are in possession of the property, which is part of the estate of Thomas E. Waggaman, of All Humors

feeling, bilious turns, fits of indigestion, dull headaches and many other

Tillamook to Have New Courthouse. THILAMOOK, Or. Nov. II.—(Special.)—
In conformity with the wish of the ciffzens of Tillamook County, expressed at a
recent mass meeting, the Board of County
Commissioners has directed the County
Commissioners has directed the County
Clerk to advertise for bids for a stone,
brick or concrete Courthouse to cost from
\$18,000 to \$20,000.

invigorate the whole system.

be arbitrated. The idea is not worth considering. The only possibility of peace now, in my opinion, would be on the basis of a proposition submitted to Russia by Japan, offering to accept less than she demanded before bostilities opened. As it is inconceivable that Japan at this juncture is inconceivable that Japan at this juncture is prepared to offer such terms, I number of arrests will be made on that the second that a number of arrests will be made on that accepts. ington.

There are more than 3000 articles in the collection, including some hundreds of paintings and specimens of ceramic art from modern to early times. It cost Mr. Waggaman about \$506,000 and required 30 years to make the collection, which is now valued at \$1,000,000.

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BERLIN, Nov. 12.—Emperor William intends that many of the valuable objects now included in the exhibit of Germany at the St. Louis Exposition shall be presented to the American collection.

liver, kidneys and other organs can not take care of without help, there is such an accumulation of them. They litter the whole system. Pimples, boils, eczema and other eruptions, loss of appetite, that tired

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