

# 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 Pientsin, Nov. 11.—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 positions with their heavy guns. Neither side on that date gained any advantage. During the bombardment last night the Russians threw 60 large mortars shells into the Japanese camp opposite Manan Hill.

The Japanese, who, during the previous campaign, seemed to have successfully used a searchlight directed against the Russian positions for the purpose of covering their operations at night in the extension 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 anticipating an early battle when great quantities will become necessary.

The Russians have a great advantage in the use of the plain over which the Japanese must advance.

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 this one, the soldiers of the opposing outposts in close proximity engage in the exchange of cigarettes and other luxuries.

Reports of the grave condition of the beleaguered 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 appears to be regarded as highly magnanimous.

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 attack.

Russian Scouts Very Daring.

MUKDEN, Nov. 11.—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.

RESERVISTS MAKE MANY RIOTS

Russian Call to Arms 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 than these reports indicated.

FORT HAS NOT YET FALLEN.

Confirmation of Sensational Reports About Arthur is Lacking.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—No confirmation has reached London of the rumors current on November 10 of the capitulation of Port Arthur.

Every Protection Assured Squadron.

SUEZ, Egypt, Nov. 11.—Confirming the previous announcement from Port Said

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 Peace. LONDON, Nov. 12.—The insurance correspondent of the London Times this morning says: "The feeling in regard to the cessation 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 rate of policy provisions and in 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 Minister, Dr. Motono, had a long conference with Foreign Minister Delcasse today relative to the observance of neutrality, particularly in regard to the recouping of the Russian second Pacific squadron at Madagascar and other French possessions. It is understood that a satisfactory understanding was reached.

All Still Quiet at Mukden. ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 11.—A dispatch received here today from General Shtrombom states that last night passed quietly. He also reports that there were a couple of unimportant outpost affairs the previous day.

Rumor is Denied. VILNA, Russia, Nov. 11.—The rumor that General Gripenberg, 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.

TOKYO, Nov. 11.—A majority of the newspapers of Tokyo sharply criticize 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 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 \$60,000,000, half of which will be offered in London and half in New York. The price is to be 90%, with interest at 4 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 1/2 premium. It was definitely stated in New York that the loan had been organized by the J. P. Morgan & Co. of that city, had organized a syndicate to finance one-half the loan.

FRANCE WILL NOT BROACH IT Mediation Would Be Distasteful to Russia, and Impair Alliance.

PARIS, Nov. 11.—The officials here profess to be unaware of the reported joint mediation proposed in Great Britain, France and the United States. It is pointed out that the main features of the situation are these: Japan is evidently weary of the war and desirous of re-establishing peace.

Japan naturally looks to Great Britain and the United States to assist toward a cessation of hostilities. France, as the ally of Russia, has influence at St. Petersburg, whereas Great Britain and the United States do not exert strong influence at St. Petersburg. Therefore, France's only activity in such a joint effort would be at St. Petersburg.

But this involves important considerations relating to Russia's relations with European powers. France does not desire to exert influence on Russia, which would be distasteful to her or tend to weaken the alliance. In fact, some of the reports of France's intention to influence Russia are attributed to certain European political sources which are aiming to break the Franco-Russian alliance in order to profit thereby to France's detriment.

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, confirming the statement made in these dispatches that Japan had indicated her intention to accept a permanent evacuation from President Roosevelt or King Edward, created much interest here.

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 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 it.

The Associated Press learns that Queen Alexandra has been in constant communication with the Dowager 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.

Will Offer Bonds at New York. NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Half of the new \$60,000,000 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—\$4.87 per pound sterling.

Official Adviser to North Sea Board. ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 11.—Baron Taube who is connected with the Foreign Office has been designated as Russian judicial adviser to the international commission which is to inquire into the North Sea incident.

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Tillamook to Have New Courthouse. TILLAMOOK, Or., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—In conformity with the wish of the citizens of Tillamook County, expressed at a recent mass meeting, the Board of 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.

Gambler to Be Brought to Book. TILLAMOOK, Or., Nov. 11.—(Special.)—Judge Burnett will convene the Circuit

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## \$7.50 Plaid Waists \$5.80

Told you about this splendid waist bargain yesterday—told you that they were absolutely unmatchable—Some women "looked around" anyway and came here and bought; sufficient evidence of the "bargaining" quality of the waists, isn't it?

These Waists are made of fine plaid silks in a large variety of handsome patterns—have full pouch and fancy sleeves, shirred yokes, fancy stock collars and French back; regular selling price is \$7.50—choose today at ..... \$5.80

## Three Neckwear Specials

### 13c for 20c Venise Lace Top Collars

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, mousseline de soie trimmed with steel beads; taffeta silk trimmed with silk applique; all of them \$1.25 and \$1.35 values, for 98c.

## Millinery Bargains Galore

Women who have need for an extra hat for Winter wear will find this store the most economical store for the supplying of their need. Prices are very low now because it's clearance time.

**\$3 Hats for \$1.19**  
Balance of our Ready-to-Wear Street Hats that sold at up to \$3.00—all of them this season's goods—every wanted shape and combination of trimmings—Turhans, Sailors, Round Hats—medium and large dress effects. Sold at up to \$3.00—while they last ..... \$1.19

**\$7 Shapes for \$2.69**  
The balance of our \$5.00, \$5.00 and \$7.00 untrimmed velvet, taffeta, chenille, plush and fancy braid shapes—the entire fashionable color range represented. At the sale price these beautiful shapes will sell fast. Remember, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 shapes for ..... \$2.69

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

Children's Sailors, with small and large bell crowns, fancy brims, of scratch felt, some with silk streamers; choice ..... 89c now.

## \$1.75 Cambric Skirts \$1.25

Women's White Cambric Skirts, Point de Paris and Cluny lace trimmed, one, two and three rows of insertion. Hemstitched tucks, dust ruffle, \$1.75 value for \$1.25.

**\$1 Cambric Gowns 79c**  
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 trimming.

## Stationery

Best Game Counters, each ..... 1c  
Wire Card Racks, each ..... 8c  
Fancy Crepe Paper, roll ..... 10c  
Silk Candle Shades, each ..... 25c  
Large Sheet Blotters, each ..... 2c  
Programme Pencils, all colors, each ..... 1c  
Eye Shades, each ..... 8c

## Sheets

Ready-to-use Sheets, torn and hemmed, soft finish, good weight, 72x90-inch; extraordinary value for ..... 44c

## Handkerchiefs

Women's all pure linen hemstitched Squares and Handkerchiefs, offered at very low prices.

### Hemstitched Squares

All pure linen hemstitched Squares—nine-inch—choice of 1/2-inch and 3/4-inch hems:  
Reg. 25c Squares, special at .18c  
Reg. 35c Squares, special at .24c  
Reg. 50c Squares, special at .33c

AT 7c—worth 12 1/2c—Women's pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs—1/2-inch hem, all perfect; great value at ..... 7c

AT 10c—worth 15c—Women's pure linen, 1600 count, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/2 and 3/4-inch hem; very special at 10c

AT 14c—worth 20c—Women's pure linen, 1800 count, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/2 and 3/4-inch hems; excellent value at ..... 14c

AT 18c—worth 25c—Women's pure linen, 2100 count, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/2 and 3/4-inch hem; very special at 18c

AT 24c—worth 35c—Women's pure linen, 2300 count, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/2 and 3/4-inch hem; extraordinary value at ..... 33c

AT 49c—worth 75c—Women's pure linen, 2400 count, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/2 and 3/4-inch hem, very special. 49c

## Men's Furnishings Less

### 50c Suspenders 29c

Men's Suspenders, made of extra quality of hiele elastic webbing; cantab ends, leather tips and castoffs. These are a genuine 50c value, for ..... 29c

### \$1.50 Underwear \$1.19

Men's Camelhair Undershirts and Drawers; shirts have self-front and ribbed skirts; drawers self-bands; double gusset suspender tape and pearl buttons.

### Handkerchief Special 12c

For 20c all pure Irish linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/4 and 1/2-inch hems.

3 FOR 50c—Of the regular 25c pure Irish linen embroidered initial hemstitched Handkerchiefs.

## Three Glove Specials

88c Per pair for Gloves worth fully \$1.25. Fifty dozen Women's one-clasp half pique mocha Gloves, with Paris point embroidery. Choice of brown, slate and brown.

**\$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; oxford 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" overseas real kid Gloves; fancy embroidery with welts to match; white, mode, brown, lavender, pink and sky.

## Children's Apparel

75c FOR CHILDREN'S \$1.00 APRONS—Made of fine white lawns, Mother Hubbard, waist and strap styles, daintily trimmed with embroidery and laces; real \$1.00 values for ..... 75c

**\$1.50 FOR CHILDREN'S \$2.00 AND \$2.25 DRESSES**—Made of colored cashmeres in cardinal, navy, brown and light blue, short and long waists—2, 3 and 4 year—\$2.00 and \$2.25 values for ..... \$1.50

**98c FOR CHILDREN'S \$1.25 and \$1.35 HEADWEAR**—Children's colored silk caps and bonnets, all newest styles, French close fitting caps—cardinal, navy and brown; best \$1.25 and \$1.35 values for ..... 98c

## 8 Packages Gold Dust 25c

We offer for today 10,000 packages Fairbanks' Gold Dust, the regular 5c size, and will sell same 8 Packages for 25c—No 'phone orders taken.

## Sale of Rogers "1847" Plated Ware

The sale of Rogers "1847" Plated Ware closed last night. The prices quoted yesterday (see below) will remain the permanent prices of this celebrated ware at this store.

Fruit Knives, 6 in box, special per set ..... \$1.15  
Berry Spoons, special ..... .75  
Teaspoons, set of 6, special ..... .80  
Dessert-Spoons, set of 6, special ..... 1.45  
Tablespoons, set of 6, special ..... 1.65  
Dessert Forks, set of 6, special ..... 1.43  
Table Forks, set of 6, special ..... 1.65  
Knives and Forks, plain or satin finish, set of 6 ..... 3.50

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