AIMS AT NEW COAL

Japanese Army Moving to Attack Vladivostok.

TRANSFER BY WIDE CIRCUIT

Only Enough Troops Left in Front of Linlevitch to Hold Him Back-Soldiers Are Devoted to the New General.

TOKIO, April 3.-(Noon.)-A part of the Kalyuan force drove the Russians from Mienbauchich and occupied the village and northern heights March 31. The altuation in other directions is un-

GUNSHU PASS (108 miles north of Tie Pass), April 2 .- The situation is unchanged. General Mistchengo, has moved forward into close touch with the Japanese and keeps up constant skirmishing. Elsewhere everything is quiet.

General Mistchenko, when he learned of the beginning of the punic during the retreat from Mukden, though an unbesled wound forbade his walking. drove in a carriage to his force and assumed command, which he has since retained, though he is unable to ride over the deeply mired roads, which are beginning to dry.

Native reports, which may be taken for what they are worth, state that the Japanese are leaving before the Russian front only a screen capable, with the help of the Muladen and Tie Pass fortifications and garrisons, of holding in check General Linievitch, and are transferring the bulk of their five armies to Vladivostok, and by means of a wide movement through Mongolia to Tsitsibar. Considering the great distance involved, the plan appears too bold and almost impracticable; but Japanese intoxication from continued success, bold in initiative and determined perseverance, must be regarded. The situation affords an opportunity for Russian cavalry, which thus far has played an insignificant role, to distinguish itself by ascertaining the Japanese intentions.

General Linievitch has ordered the resumption of drills, keeping the soldiets occupied in the daytime, and music in the bivouacks at night. An energetic regime is being instituted. Toe soldiers are much attached to the new commander on account of his simple, soldierly style of living.

Reports that berl-berl has been prevalent among the Russian troops at any time are unfounded. No case has been reported.

The army is being resupplied with equipment for the Summer, which the officers especially need, several regiments during the retreat throwing away all the officers' baggage.

CAN'T USE THE RUSSIAN SHIPS Japanese Claims Disputed by English Military Expert.

SPECIAL CABLE. LONDON, April 3.—The military expert of the London Daily Times has just completed an inspection of the sunken battleships in Port Arthur harbor sponsible for the statement that the Japanese declarations that nearly all of them could be rendered serviceable again is not founded on fact. He says that the Japan one will be lucky if they can save the Poltava, Perceviet and Pallada, with just a chance that the Bayan can be raised.

The Retvizan will never be of any fur ther service, and the damage to the Pobleda is so great that, even if they succeed in raising that vessel, it is extremely doubtful if she will be serviceable.

The Sevastopol, taken out by her gallant captain to face three repeated final attacks of the Japanese torpedo craft, for some time staved off the attacks with the assistance of a boom and torpedo net, but finally the boom was blown up and a torpedo, finding its way through the netting, struck her astern, carrying away the steering gear. Then, unable to do anything for his country. Captain you Esser and his small crew steered her with her twin screws out into deep water, opened her aluice cocks and let her sink in 150 feet of water. Her exact position has never since been learned.

LEFT ONE-THIRD BEHIND.

Scouting Detachments Explored Russian Position at Great Cost.

WITH GENERAL KUROKI'S ARMY IN THE FIELD, April 1, via Fusan.-Two detachments of Japanese cavairy have returned to the army after the most extensive and dangerous scouting exploit of the war. The detachments were sent north early in January under the leader-ship of Colonel Naganuma and Major Sasegawa, and numbered each 150 men.

Only 100 men of each detachment returned. They explored the Russian positions west of Mukden. They encountered and eluded many forces of Russian cavalry and penetrated General Mistchenko's Then, going northward, they crossed the railroad, cutting the road and tele graph line during the battle. Afterward they visited Kirin and explored that place of Kalyuan.

DO NOT EXPECT TO RETURN

Russians Destroy Railroad Thoroughly as They Retreat.

LONDON, April 3.—The correspondent at Tokio of the Times says: "Reports from Manchuris show that the Russians are destroying the railway much more thoroughly than hitherto. The evident inference is that they do not ontemplate recovering the situation.

Collided With Russian Cavalry. OKIO, April 2-(1 P. M.)-The follow-

ing official advices have been received from army headquarters in Manchuria: "Our scouts advanced toward Hailung and collided with 300 of the enemy's cavairy at Shauciengtzu, 35 miles northwest dlung, on the morning of March 28. The enemy, 4000 men strong, retreated to Haflung, leaving 2000 troops. There are large stores of cereals at various points between Ylengecheng and Sanchengtzu. Ylengecheng is 35 miles north of Hieng-

The situation is unchanged in the Changohun and Kirin directions."

Search for Arctic Explorer.

SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

TEA ROOM

Second Ploor. Under the Auspices of Portland Y. W. C. A.

MENU FOR MONDAY, APRIL 3. Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Milk served from bottles, Chicken Soup. Cheese Omelet,

Fruit Salad. Ponched Eggs on Anchovy Toast. Ham Sandwishes. Hot Rolls. Bread and Butter. Mariner Tea Cakes.

Such Values as These Bring Busy Days to the Knitwear Aisles. RARE BARGAINS IN WOMEN'S, MISSES', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY

Women's white cotton vests, sleeveless; Swiss ribbed, mercerized tape, neat, narrow trimming, each 10¢ vests; sleeveless, very neatly trimmed;

Women's white Swiss and Richelien ribbed, sleeveless vests; neat erochet and lare; trimmed, made of fine select-

sleeveless; Swiss and Richelieu ribbed, plain, neat crochet trimming. Many houses ask 50c each for not so good'a vest; our price, each35¢ Women's fine white lisle vests; crocheted yoke and shoulder piece; silk tape;

beauty, each 50¢ Women's white cotton union suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace trimmed at knee; Women's merode white cotton union

suits, high neck, long sleeves, low neck no sleeves, knee length, suit ... 75¢ Women's merode white cotton union suits; half open front, silk erochet trimming, high neck, long sleeves,

black and fancy stripes, all black, lace lisle hose; this is a great buy to sell Women's black gauze cotton hose, full finished; a great bargain, pair. . 25¢ Women's black lace, black gauze liste,

black gauze cotton; a great assortment; special value, pair 35¢ Women's black lisle hose with embroidered boots; black lisle with lace and embroidered boots; tan, navy blue and Dresden blue, with embroidered boots, all beauties, pair......50¢

Same as above, but in finer grade and far greater assortment, pair65¢ Women's all lace lisle and lisle with elaborately embroidered boots, in black, tan, Dresden blue, navy blue and plain gauze lisle, in onion, mandarin, emerald green, morocco; in short in all the newest shades; a generous assortment. These are the best selling lines of the new season; 75¢. 85¢

Children's 25c and 35c Hosiery 18c Pair. Trade has been exceedingly brisk the past month in the children's hosiery lines, and the result is we have already broken into several lines and shattered them badly. These we have combined so that though sizes may be broken on this line -or that, in the combined lot is every size and a splendid assortment. placed an immense gathering of such

broken lines on a Hosiery Bargain Counter

In center aisle; all marked at sharp reductions. Black cottons and lisles predominate. Some 25c values-none less -and from that up to 35e; choice the coming week at, the pair 18¢

Have You Seen the \$200 Set in the Bijou Millinery Salons?

See it as you pass through today or tomorrow, or any time you may be in the store during the week. The beautiful imported set consists of a HAT, PARA-SOL and STOLE. Throngs of folk admired it as they gazed upon its magnificent yet dainty beauty last week, during the openings in our corner show window. The hat is a "Maxine Elliot" model of fine horsehair braid and trimmed with superb ostrich plumes. The parasol and stole are very elaborate ereations of plaited mousseline, very light and dainty and most bewitchingly arranged in ruffles and folds. One must see this wonderful \$200 ereation to fully appreciate its beauty. Have a peep to-

SOLE PORTLAND AGENTS FOR ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS, SECOND FLOOR, ANNEX SALONS.



THE "QUALITY SHOP" PORTLAND'S FORE-MOST STORE. WITH LARGEST STOCKS ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

EMBROIDERY LESSONS FREE IN THE ART SHOP--Annex, Second Floor

Sole Agents in Oregon for "Bonnet" Silks-Agents for the world famous "Block Lights"-they save half the gas billsthird floor-"Quick Meal" Ranges-Gas and Gasoline Stoves-bake quickly and save fuel-Third Floor.

A GRAND DISPLAY OF

Homefurnishings and Decorations

CLAMOR TO SHARE YESTERDAY'S PAGE OF MENTIONS OF TODAY'S EXTRAORDINARY VALUES IN AP-PAREL AND GOODS FOR PERSONAL WEAR.

New Things Usually Come Here First

The fact has been asserting itself the past month in an unusually emphatic way. In the silks and dress goods; in the laces and embroideries, the neckwear, the gloves, the hosiery; in the costumes, coats, wraps and waists; in the lingerie, in the millinery. The men's furnishings and shoes share the honors. Every day there is something of novelty which has a first peep at Portland in this store-not only among the things to wear and for personal use, but in the furnishing and decorative departments-carpets, curtains, draperies, rugs, etc. Whoever fails to visit this store frequently misses much that is here only.

In the Great 4th-Floor Housefurnishing Shops

Is displayed in grand array all that is newest and handsomest in Carpets, Rugs, Mattings, Linoleums, Portieres, Draperies, Couch Covers, Curtains, Beds and Bed Millinery, Baby Go-Carts, Etc..

A REMARKABLE

SALE OF SUPERB

AND MAGNIFICENT



Rare old gems, selected by experts; fit |

tion pen could paint. Each year, about this time, we make a resolute clearance of the majority of Oriental Rugs left from the year's gathering. They are sold not only without profit-

for heirlooms; rich beyond any descrip-

but at an average considerable loss on Does it sound like a foolish thing to do?

Storekeeping isn't all sunshine and certainly isn't all profit. No matter what the line of goods, it is essential that frequent and resolute clearances be madeelse salespeople lose interest and the goods, no matter how elegant, would elog the store.

The rug business here is successful because it is conducted on artistic lines. Skill and a true love for these textile poems govern the selection and management of the business. But the truly commercial end-the pricing and business foreing-is in the hands of people who throw sentiment to the wind and mark rugs in the same matter-of-fact way that we mark shoes or dress goods.

This list shows the actual price reductions made for this elearance—the old tags remaining for purposes of compari-

But one must see the rugs to fully appreciate what this sale means-

Handsome Oriental Rugs, in small, medium and carpet sizes, including Fehrehan, Cobestan, Khiva, Bokhara, Shiraz, Dayhestan, Shirekin, Savouk, Kirnair Shah, Analolias, Bergamas, Kazak, Mossouls, etc.:

amous Old Oriental RUGS \$18.00 value, special, each ... \$15.00 \$19.00 value, special, each \$15.75 \$20.00 value, special, each....\$16.50 \$23.00 value, special, each....\$19.00 \$25.00 value, special, each....\$21.00 \$27.50 value, special, each \$23.00

\$30.00 value, special, each ... \$25.50 \$33.00 value, special, each \$28.00 \$35.00 value, special, each....\$30.00 \$37.00 value, special, each ... \$32.00 \$40.00 value, special, each ... \$34.00 \$45.00 value, special, each \$39.00 \$50.00 value, special, each....\$44.00 \$60.00 value, special, each....\$52,00 \$65.00 value, special, each....\$57.00 \$67.50 value, special, each....\$59.00 \$75.00 value, special, each....\$65.00 \$80.00 value, special, each....\$69.00 \$85.00 value, special, each.... \$73.00 \$90.00 value, special, each ... \$78.00 \$95.00 value, special, each....\$82.00 \$100,00 value, special, each ... \$85,00 \$125.00 value, special, each. . \$105.00 \$140.00 value, special, each. . \$117.00 \$150.00 value, special, each. \$125.00 \$175.00 value, special, each. \$145.00

\$200.00 value, special, each .. \$168.00 Portieres and Couch Covers.

Portieres of heavy tapestry, fringed both top and bottom; prices the pair, \$8.50, \$7.50, \$6.50, \$5.50, \$5.00, \$4.00 and\$3.50 Portieres of heavy tapestry, in solid colors, with corded edge and bottom or fin-

ished with Gobelin border; priced at, the pair, \$15.00, \$12.00, \$10.00, \$8.50 and \$7.50 Velour Portieres, very heavy, doublefaced; priced at, the pair-\$25.00 up to \$50.00.

prices, each, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50 to \$7.50 A Monster Showing of White Enameled, Brass -

Couch Covers of heavy tapestry, in Ori-

ental designs; fringed all around;

Trimmed Iron Beds and Child's Cribs and All-Brass Beds.

White Enameled Iron Beds, priced at, each-\$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$9.00, \$10.00, up to \$25.00. Children's Cribs at, each, \$7.50 to \$15.00. Solid Brass Beds at, each, \$30,00, \$35,00. \$37.50, \$40.00, \$45.00 to \$80.00.

Children's Brass Cribs, priced at, up to\$50.00 Top Mattresses and Bed Springs, of all kinds-quality the best and prices the

Baby Go-Carts, folding, adjustable, all rubber tires, priced at, each, from \$3.75 to \$12.50



Baby Go-Carts with reclining back, adjustable foot rest, automobile gear; complete with cushions and parasol; prices each, \$11.00, \$13.00, \$14.00 up to \$40.00.

A Season of Laces

THE LACE STORE IS STOCKED IN BOUNDLESS PROFUSION, AND THE PRETTIEST LACES YOU EVER SAW-1ST FLOOR.

Wonderworks of needlecraft, these dainty laces. And laces are needed as never before. In the making of the silk waists laces are indispensable, while woel waists and dresses call for laces and braids in plenty. For the dainty wash dresses one must needs provide dainty valenciennes laces and insertions. These latter we provide as low as 3¢ a yard, or 25¢ the dozen yards.

Embroideries up from, yard 5¢ Point venise and insertions up from, yard10¢ Linen Torchons up from, yard 5¢ Real torchons, yard\$1.50 New net tops, Ball de Naige, embroidered Angeles and bluebell designs all with bands to match.

St. Gall bands and edges in new and beautiful designs from the lowest up to, yard\$8.00 New rose point edges up to, yard \$16 New Russian point edges, bands and allovers to match, from, yard \$1.50 to\$7.50 We stand in a class by ourselves in the

EXTRA SPECIAL VALUE TODAY and until closed-We place on sale today and shall offer until sold a lot of narrow venise galloons and bands, wide valenciennes laces and insertions, black wool laces and colored laces of same for trimming of skirts and petticoats

extent and exclusiveness of our show-

at the very special price of, yd. 10¢ Special Sale of Ladies' Collars. A new lot, just from their makers, of dainty white embroidered collars,

values in the lot up to 25c each, divided in three lots, as follows, at special sale today and until closed-

Lot 3, special at, each 10¢ New Shot Glace Ribbons in all colors, 5-inch widths and an extra quality, Special 'Kerchief Values-Half Price.

What woman can possess too many of these dainty requisites? Assortments are at their best here now. We invite your attention today to a special value. We saved the cost of boxing and stock laundering on a lot of pure linen initial Handkerchiefs that in a regular way are worth 20c each. Buying direct from the makers in Belfast we are able to offer them to you, unlaundered, at, the half-dozen60¢

Another Special 'Kerchief Value is a lot of sheer linen and linen cambric Handkerchiefs; special at, each 10¢

Result of I. C. School Vote

at S P. M. Saturday
Reginald Carter,
Bellboy, The Norton132,200
Arthur Taylor, M. & A. Shogreu116,983 Mae Hughes.
Knight Shoe Co 89,684
Guy De Pue. Portland Delivery Co 27,668 Chas. Adler,
Woodard, Clarke & Co24,808 Arthur Lindborg.
Lindborg Grocery 6,238
396,900 Scattering 56,338
Grand total

Dress Goods

OF THE WANTED SORT, AND SILKS OF SURPASSING RICHNESS, AT SPECIAL PRICES THIS WEEK.

In the South Annex Salons-First Floor. The choicest weavings and colorings from the best looms of the world are marked at discounts from usual prices. A magnificent assortment from which to select. Our splendid Dress Goods and Silk Stores are not only showing a beautiful collection of the best fabrics made in Europe and America, but each yard is

marked at a decided money-saving price. We are pleased, indeed, at the many flattering remarks overheard the past week anent our splendid stock of dress fabries, Especially pleasing has been the praise accorded us by the city's leading modistes. In addition to the most generous choosing of down-to-date fabrics accorded by any Western store, we offer this week some wonderful values to buyers of such. We quote example bargains:

\$2.00 Novelty Imported Spring Suitings, in Panamas, English mohairs, silk and wool mixtures, in all colors and the newest styles; specially priced, 45-inch Novelty English Mohairs, all

new colors and patterns, splendid fabries for shirtwaist suits, waists, coats and skirts; specially priced, at, per yard 98¢ Colored French Voiles, all pure wool, with the new finish: \$1.75 quality, 54-inch, specially priced

per yard\$1.46 \$1.50 quality, 46-inch, specially priced, per yard\$1.22 \$1.25 quality, 43-inch, specially priced, both street and evening shades; also

blacks. \$1.00 Novelty Mohair Suitings, in neat stripes, dots and shepherd checks; all colors in the line; specially priced, per yard 69¢ 50e all-wool Albatross, all colors, and new mixed Tailor Suitings; specially priced, per yard39¢

SILKS

Regular \$1.25 Novelty Suit Silks, the largest and newest assortment to choose from on the Coast-unequaled at the regular price; specially priced, per shepherd checks, dots, stripes and changeable figured styles, specially

Dependable Black Taffeta Reduced. 21-inch, regular \$1.00 value, special, yard69¢ 24-inch, regular \$1.10 value, special

yard\$1.39 Black Dress Goods Bargains. 2200 yards imported black English Mohair Sieilian, fast dye and riehly finished; splendid 85c value, special, only,

This sale should be of more than ordinary interest, coming, as it does, at the opening of the Spring season, when making of Spring Gowns occupies the thoughts and busies the fingers of multitudes of dressmakers and home sewers.

JUST IN-THE

Latest Modes in Petticoats Annex-Second Floor.

Just arrived Saturday by express. A lot of new black satine Petticoats with the sunburst flounce and 25-inch knife plaiting and double ruffles \$1.50 and\$2.25

trade and the giving or taking of rebates

Stewart Will Dwell in Tonopah.

WASHINGTON, April 2-Ex-Senator

stewart, of Nevada, after many years

pent here in public life, left Washing-on today to make his home at Tonepah.

Tutt's Pills

Cure All

Liver IIIs.

months, will start May 3 for Tromson finally returned to the army north Norway, where the steamer Terre Nova, one of the finest vessels of the Arctic scaling fleet, is fitting out. The journey will be begun late in the month, Cape Flora, at the southern end of Franz-Josephiand, being the objective point. W.

S. Champ commands the expedition. Russia Will Not Borrow More. LONDON, April 2 -- A news agency dis patch from St. Petersburg says that the report published Saturday that a new

saued is now discredited. Russlan Loan Oversubscribed. ST. PETERSBURG, April 2-It is annced that the internal lean has been to largely subscribed that applicants will

Disappears at Night on Lake. ALGOMA Wis. April 2.-Edward Deckto Manitowoo last night on a Pere Marquette steamer. It is supposed he was ac-cidentally drowned. When he was last seen the boat was about 15 or 20 miles out of port. He complained of a headache and took a powder. It is presumed he stepped to the boat's rail to obtain fresh air, and, becoming faint, fell overboard. Mr. Decker was connected with various gers are well provided for. The Mid-

COLORADO, NOW UNDER SNOW Drifts Block Railroads and Slide Wrecks Mining Camp.

DENVER, Colo., April 2 .- The storm which held Colorado and a portion of New Mexico in its grasp for 26 hours cloudy and threatening. For the first time this Winter the Santa Fe road found it necessary to use snow plows Internal loan of \$100,000,000 would shortly between Pueblo and Colorado Springs. In Pueblo two inches of moisture fell during the storm, this being a record, according to the weather officials.

East of Pueblo about seven miles bridge and a strip of track on the Missouri Pacific were washed out, and north of that city the Rio Grande experienced some damage by washouts. Several small washouts were reported on the latter road between Pueblo and Salida. All have been repaired, how-ever, and but little interruption of resulted. On the Springs & Cripple Creek road, between Clyde and Fairview, the snow is five feet deep, and rotaries, snowplows and shovelers are endeavoring to remove it. The passenger train due in Cripple

several hours, but reached Cripple

Electric car service and telephone and telegraph lines in and around Cripple Creek are badly crippled. Min ing operations, except in the big properties, have been practically suspended The snowfall was heavy all over the In some portions of the mountains of

subsided this afternoon, but it is still the state a blizzard had raged for three days and the snow is now piled high. In the San Juan country around Telluride, Silverton and Durango the snow fell to a great depth and slides began to run. A fall in temperature checked the thaw and no slides occurred today. Only two men were killed yesterday in the destruction of the buildings of e Bankers National mine near Ouray a siide. Seven men were injured.

The list follows: The dead—George Rabb, John Orth. The injured—A. B. Higginbotham B. Roberts, Barney Burns James Mullins, Walter McEwen, Alex McNeill. None of the injured are seriously hurt.

Says Mormonism Is Spreading. WASHINGTON, April 2.-At the tenth anniversary today of the International Reform Bureau, Mrs. Margaret Dye Ellis, general superintendent of the W. C. T. U., declared that Mormonism was rapidly spreading, and she enumerated several churches of that faith which, she said. NEW TORK, April 2.—William Zeigfinancial projects in this section, two lard terminal trains into Cripple Creek have either been or are being erected in mewspapers—the Green Bay Advocate and the Algoma Record—several manufacturing concerns, and railroad interests. He young Brooklyn explorer, who set out two years ago for the North pole and was 34 years of age.

Fire and Water Combine to Cause Death and Destruction.

PRESCOTT, Artz., April 2-As the result of an explosion in the United Verde mine at Jerome, owned by Senator Clark, of Montana, five men are dead and five others seriously if not fatally injured. The dead: T. W. Crofut, E. R. Ruff Pete Seder, A. J. Halladam, J. M. Roe. The injured: N. Nevonich, B. Garcia, J. Coscio, J. P. Roe, B. Carops, J. Wilovich, M. Sullivan.

The accident happened just as the shifts were being changed, and all the men except 12 had been raised to the surface They were walting at the station of the 200-foot level to be hoisted from the mine when a terrific explosion occurred, killing five instantly and injuring seven others. On account of the recent heavy rains, surface water found its way to that portion of the mine where fire has been smoulder ing for several years, and steam thus gen erated caused the explosion, blowing out the bulkheads erected to keep the fire from spreading. The men were suffocated by smoke and heated steam. Had the accident happened 15 minutes sooner, 100 men would have been caught.

Fifteen minutes later the new shift would have been at work.

The explosion caused the mine to cave from the surface, and the railroad which crossed the property turned over and the rails were twisted in every conceivable

The mine company has had trouble with fire for years, and had constructed a cement bulkhead, which it was thought,

STEAM BLOWS UP COPPER MINE | would keep it under control for years.

Window-Glass Men's Election. CLEVELAND, O., April 2-The executive board of the Amalgamated Window Glass Workers of America was in session here today, counting the second ballot in the vote for president. A total of 4461 votes was cast. No candidate received the necessary majority of votes over all and the third will be taken. Because of the present condition of the glass trade it is said that the workers will not ask for an increase in wages this year.

Bars Cigarettes and Trusts. LINCOLN, Neb., April 2.-The Legisla ture adjourned sine die at midnight las night, after sending to the Governor the Junkin anti-trust bill and the bill probit iting the manufacture and sale of cigar ettes. The anti-trust measure is designe

Six of the housekeeping questions are settled:

coffse flavoring entracts and settled for good.

grocer's; moneyback.

Schilling's Best at your

To those living in malarial districts Tutt's Pillare indispensible, they keep tha

system in perfect order and are an absolute cure for sick headache, indigestion, malaria, torpid liver, constipa-

tion and all bilious diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills