

## HOW RUIN CAME TO ROJESTVENSKY

Japanese Officer Tells First Complete Story of Battle of Sea of Japan.

### DEADLY TORPEDOES' WORK

In Response to Togo's Historic Signal His Three Divisions Enveloped the Doomed Armada in Circle of Fire.

TOKIO, Wednesday, May 21.—(2 P. M.)—A Japanese officer who has returned to Sasebo gives the following account of the sea fight off Tsu Islands:

"At 9:30 Saturday morning a wireless message, reading: 'Enemy's squadron is in sight,' reached the naval base. This message was transmitted to all our ships by the flagship, with instructions to get ready for action. Our squadron left the rendezvous and headed for the eastern channel off Tsushima. Our men seemed to be filled with new inspiration and were eager for the long delayed fight to begin. When Tsushima was sighted to the southwest, the sea was rough and the torpedo-boats were forced to run for the shelter of the island. Our third fighting squadron with the Takahashi to port reconnoitered the Russian course and at 11:30 A. M. informed the main squadron by wireless telegraph that the Russian ships were passing into the east channel, whereupon our main squadron, changing its course somewhat to the southward, came in sight of Okinoshima at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The third division arrived later and joined the main squadron. The first and second divisions, accompanied by the destroyer flotilla, changed to a westerly course, while the third division and the fourth destroyer flotilla headed slightly eastward."

Togo's Signal to His Men.  
"During this maneuver the Russian flagship appeared to the southward at 1:45 o'clock. The Russians steamed up in double column to the southward, but no living being was visible. The Russian ships seemed to be in good order. Our ships hoisted the flag of action, the Mikasa signalling: 'The destiny of our empire depends upon this action. You are all expected to do your utmost.'"

"Our men seemed to silently weigh the significance of this signal. Our first and second divisions kept in close touch with the preceding two divisions. Russians Open Fire.  
"With the Japanese ships proceeding in this order, it was 2:13 o'clock when the Russians opened fire. The first two shots fell short of our line, and it was some minutes later before we commenced firing. Then the battle was on, with firing from both sides. Our destroyers kept on the port side of the main squadron, and in this formation we pressed the Russians against the coast of Klushima and they were obliged to change their course to the east. We also maneuvered our ships so as to have their bows parallel to the north side of the Russian line. So the Mikasa of our first division, which had been leading, changed to the rear of the line, while the Kasuga headed the line."

Doomed Fleet is Enveloped.  
"The engagement now became very fierce. The Borodino was seen to be on fire. A little later the Russians headed west and we changed our course accordingly. Five ships of our second division concentrated their fire on the Borodino. Our first division now began firing vigorously, proceeding parallel with the Russian line, and, as we began to press against the head of

the Russian line, our third division veered to the Russian rear, thus enveloping their ships. The engagement proceeded hotly. Our second division followed a course parallel with the northern side of the Russians and this movement completed the envelopment. "The Russian ships were seen trying to break through and our destroyer flotilla intercepted their new course. This state of envelopment continued until the following day, with the ships at varying distances. Thus enclosed on all sides, the Russians were helpless and powerless to escape the circle. Previous instructions had been given the destroyers and torpedo-boats to attack the Russian ships. Following instructions, the fifth destroyer flotilla advanced against a Russian ship, upon which the second division had been concentrating its fire, signalling: "Torpedoes Sink Big Ship."

"We are going to give the last thrust at them."

"The Russian ship continued to fight, and, seeing the approaching torpedo-boats, directed its fire on them. Undaunted, our destroyers pressed forward, the Chitose meantime continuing its fire. The torpedo flotilla arrived within 300 meters of the Russian ship and the Shiranusi fired the first shot. Two other torpedo-boats fired one each. The Shiranusi received two shells, but the other boats were not damaged. The Russian ship was sunk. Sundown saw the battle raging furiously. Our shells were evidently telling on the Russians, who showed signs of confusion."

"Our fifth torpedo flotilla, after destroying the Borodino, followed in the wake of our second division, the signal reading: "Something like the Russian submarine has been sighted. Attack them."

"The flotilla followed and located the object, which proved to be a sinking ship with its overturned bottom showing. Thirty survivors clung to the wreck, crying for assistance. Firing ceased with the approach of darkness."

Third Torpedo Attack Succeeds.  
"According to orders previously given for a torpedo attack after dark, all the destroyer flotillas divided into two squadrons to attack the Russians during the whole night. The Russians frustrated the first and second attacks with searchlights. A third attempt was carefully made and the Yugiri sank a ship of the Borodino type and also hit others."

"During the night the Russians continued to move and we preserved our enveloping movement some distance from the Russian position. The Russian ships headed northeast after dark, hoping to reach Vladivostok. Our officers and men were determined that not a ship should escape and resolved not to relax their efforts until they had succeeded in either sinking or capturing every Russian ship. Our ships always kept ahead of the Russian line."  
Heaviest Losses on Sunday.  
"The battle was resumed at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, 12 miles east of Chrysopy Bay, and lasted all day. Here the Russians suffered their heaviest losses. They seemed quite unprepared to repel night attacks. During our first night attack the Russians showed nine searchlights and frustrated the attacks, but clearly gave us the location of the fleet, which brought success later."

RUN ASHORE AND BLOWN UP  
Captain of Izumrod Tells Fate of His Cruiser.  
ST. PETERSBURG, June 1.—Official reports bearing on the naval battle are beginning to be received by the Emperor and Grand Duke Alexis, the High Admiral. The most important of these reveals the fate of the cruiser Izumrod, being a telegram from her captain, Baron Fersen, dated June 1, saying that he had blown up the cruiser at the entrance of Vladivostok Bay and briefly describing the battle.

The Baron says that before dark on May 21, the Ocella, Alexander III and Borodino had been sunk and that the Kniaz Souvaroff, the Kamchatka and the Ural had been seriously damaged and were lost to sight. The command then devolved on Rear-Admiral Nebogatoff. In the evening the Nikolai I, the Orel,

the General Admiral Apraxine, the Admiral Benavente, the Admiral Ouhakoff, the Sissoi Veliky, the Navarin, the Admiral Nakhimoff and the Isamrud sailed northward, the last named being charged to transmit orders to the battleships. Two other cruisers were cut off from the fleet and were not again seen. The battleships, steaming at 14 knots, were repeatedly attacked by the Japanese torpedo boats, especially at the extremities of the line. At dawn it was ascertained that the battleship division consisted of the Nikolai I, the Orel, the General Admiral Apraxine and the Admiral Benavente.

At sunrise May 22, smoke of the Japanese ships reappeared on the horizon, whereupon the Admiral gave orders for increased speed. The Admiral Benavente and General Admiral Apraxine dropped behind. Toward 1 o'clock the Japanese fleet appeared first to port and then to starboard, while the cruiser division maneuvered behind the Russians to starboard. Baron Fersen's account continues:

"I was cut off from the squadron and, finding it impossible to rejoin it, resolved to make for Vladivostok. I put on full speed, and the enemy's cruisers came in pursuit. Owing to the insufficiency of my supply of coal and the certainty of meeting the enemy's cruisers, I subsequently headed for Vladivostok Bay, where I arrived on the night of May 23. At 1:30 o'clock next morning, in pitch darkness, the Isamrud ran full on a reef at the entrance to the bay. Having only 30 tons of coal and seeing that it would be impossible to refuel my vessel, I ordered the crew ashore and blew up the Isamrud to prevent her falling into the hands of the enemy. Ten of my sailors were wounded in the battle, but the officers and the rest of the crew are all safe."

WICKED WIND WAS HIS RUIN  
Rojestvensky Says Gale Cleared Fog and Betrayed Him.  
TOKIO, June 1, 11 A. M.—A telegram from Sasebo says that Admiral Rojestvensky stated in an interview that he hoped to clear Tsu Island in a fog, but a sudden southwesterly gale cleared the fog and revealed the presence of his fleet.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS TAKEN  
Chicago Newspaper Men's Steamer Seized as Contraband.  
SPECIAL CABLE.  
TOKIO, June 2.—The steamer Industrie, on board of which were several men who represented themselves to be war correspondents for the Chicago Daily News, was captured last Thursday by the Japanese near Chinghai Bay. She is to be treated as a contraband and confiscated.

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- 18x36 heavy bleached Huck Towels, regular 18c at.....12c
- Full size White Crochet Bedspread, regular \$1.25 at.....95c

## June Sale Silks

- 50c India Silk at.....39c
- 60c India Silk at.....45c
- 75c India Silk at.....63c
- 85c India Silk at.....75c
- \$1.00 India Silk at.....84c
- \$1.25 India Silk at.....\$1.05
- 75c Taffeta Silk at.....63c

## June Sale Gloves

- Women's 3-pearl clasp White Lisle Gloves, Paris point embroidery; regular \$1.00, at.....79c
- Women's 1-pearl clasp White Lisle Gloves, Paris point embroidery; regular 85c at 68c
- Our 2-clasp White "Dena" Kid Gloves; regular \$1.25, at.....98c
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- Our 3-clasp White "Consuelo" Kid Gloves; regular \$1.75, at.....\$1.49

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- Sheets 63x90; regular 45c, for this sale.....40c
- Sheets 72x90; regular 50c, for this sale.....43c
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- Cases 45x36; regular 17c, for this sale.....12c

## Dress Goods Sale

- 50c Dress Goods 39c
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## June Sale Ribbons

All pure silk, heavy Taffeta Ribbon, 4 inches wide, white and cream; regular 25c at 17c

## Handkerchief Sale

- Women's plain white, hemstitched, all pure linen Handkerchiefs, 1/8 and 3/4-inch hem—Regular price 20c, at.....13c
- Regular price 25c, at.....17c
- Regular price 30c, at.....22c
- Regular price 50c, at.....29c

## White Suiting Sale

- 30-inch White Oxford Suiting; regular 16c at.....14c
- 36-inch White Madras Suiting; regular 20c at.....16c
- 32-inch White Etamine Suiting; regular 20c at.....16c
- 30-inch White Striped Swiss; regular 12c at.....10c
- 30-inch White Checked Swiss; regular 10c at.....7c

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- W. B. Erect Form, C. B. a la Spirite, Nemo Curvold, Kosmo Corsets.
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