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IN BLOOD AN INCH DEEP.

From that on it was a grim hand-to-hand struggle. The effect of the shot depended a great deal on guess work. Both vessels were enveloped in smoke and maneuvering was almost out of the question.

The two vessels followed each other around in a circle like two pugilists in a ring, each endeavoring to keep her bow facing the other so as to offer the smallest target. It was difficult to keep track of things from that time. Nothing particular happened and everything was happening. The smoke was so dense that the only mark for the gunners was the flash of the enemy's guns.

The next instant one of the most tragic incidents of the fight occurred. Throughout the whole engagement the Chinese gunners had not displayed the slightest bit of fear. The mangled bodies of their comrades were strewn about the decks and were piled about the wreckage.

Within a few seconds Li Yang had the gun trained on the conning tower. The shell struck it below the armor and exploded. The whole thing went into the air and there was a big splash. What was left of the mainmast was also carried overboard, and the remains of the shattered bridge were blown into the air and thrown into the water.

His description of the vessels after the engagement and the awful scenes of carnage her decks presented go a long way to substantiate the assertion that civilized countries will never engage in a combat with their modern engines of destruction. No country could afford the loss of life entailed.

ing the pleasure of the enemy. Before action could be taken the Japanese fleet could be seen approaching through the smoke which hung low upon the water. The moment the Japanese sighted their game, they opened a hot fire, which the Chinese did not take time to return. She put for refuge with all speed and managed to elude the Japanese.

The place was worse than a slaughter-pen. From her upper to main deck the ship was completely stripped, and all the bodies that had not been blown overboard by the explosions, found lodgment on the main deck. Blood an inch deep covered the deck fore and aft, and in the swing of the ship the crimson fluid washed and splashed upon the beams.

"It seemed a brutal thing to do, but it was all for the best. I accompanied the doctor on his rounds and helped dispose of the bodies. The most heart-rending feature of the poisoning business was the eagerness with which the sufferers reached for the medicine.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. C. E. Bayard is in Portland on a business trip. Mr. T. H. Johnston of Dufur is a visitor at the fair.

Mr. Wilbur Bolton is in from Antelope seeing the fair and other sights. Frank Menefee, Esq. of The Dalles, is spending a few days in Portland.

Mr. F. A. Phelps and wife arrived in town on the Regulator last evening. Mr. J. B. Curren, a prominent merchant of Goldendale, is registered at the Umatilla.

Mr. F. H. Rowe, the owner of the lumber mill at Lyle, came up on the boat last evening. Mr. Cecil Boner, an attorney of Portland, passed through the city on this morning's passenger.

Mrs. H. Gourlay of Goldendale, wife of the editor of the Klickitat Republican, is visiting friends in the city. Mr. I. H. Taffe, of the Celilo fisheries, is in the city today. He reports things as usual in that historic hamlet.

Hon. Thos. H. Brents of Walla Walla, ex-delegate in congress from Washington, was in the city this morning. Mr. R. W. Baxter, formerly superintendent of the Union Pacific, will, it is rumored, be given the position of general agent for that line in Portland.

Tom and Jiggs Parrott, who represent Oregon in national baseball, are in the city today. Tom filled the box for the Cincinnati club, while Jiggs played second base, Chicago.

Mr. T. A. Hudson, who has been seriously ill for some weeks, was able to come up town this morning. He looks as though he had a hard attack, but this bright sunshine will soon restore him to health and vigor.

MARRIED. In The Dalles, Oct. 10, 1894, Mr. Wiley Weaver and Miss Lizzie Vogeli, both of this city, Rev. J. Whisler officiating.

Strayed. From the fair grounds, one black mare, white hind foot, small white spot in forehead, and one light sorrel horse, white hind foot, small white strip in face and saddle marked, both branded on left stifle. Horse also branded A on the right hind leg. A liberal reward will be paid for information which will lead to their recovery, by the undersigned. A. S. MACALLISTER, The Dalles, Or.

The Pioneer of the Country Dead.

Died—this morning, Edward Crate, aged 86. Mr. Crate had been, for a man of his great age, in ordinary health, but after riding to town, complained a little and lay down. Dr. Hollister was sent for, but before his arrival the great recliver came and for this aged man all earthly troubles were over.

When the first eyes that ever looked upon this part of our fair land—with the hope of making here a home—are closed by death, it is fitting that we who have entered into the labors of those who came so long before us, should give more than a passing thought to him who has gone. Mr. Crate was born in Sorelle, Canada, but brought up in Montreal. In 1830 he took service with the Hudson Bay Co. This was to all Canadian youths who loved adventure the only outlet that gave promise of what could gratify their craving for romance and hair breadth escapes by flood and field.

Closed Friday.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our respective places of business at 12 m., Friday, Oct. 12th, and remain closed for balance of the day, for the purpose to allow ourselves and employes to attend the fair: Farley & Frank, Pease & Mays, Mays & Crowe, L. Rorden & Co., H Herbring, M A Moody, J M Patterson, E Jacobsen, Chrisman & Corson, Maier & Benton, H C Nielsen, H H Campbell, French & Co., A M Williams & Co, M Honeywill.

In looking at the public school report, which was published yesterday, a curious fact is noted in the number of school children now in attendance as compared with the number when the railroad shops were here. There are some persons who think The Dalles has not grown much in late years but there are enrolled now in our city schools 207 more pupils than there were in 1890, when the shops were here.

Wheat continues to pour in notwithstanding the low price. The roads leading to town from all directions are covered with wagons heavily loaded. The terry boat plies continually, carrying teams from Klickitat county. It is an interesting sight to see The Dalles attracting products from a wide radius of territory. The price is higher here than any where else in the surrounding country, and with a little fixing of the roads the city is capable of easy approach.

A sidewalk is being built west from the Cosmopolitan hotel, to take the place of the one washed away by the flood. Almost all the disturbance made by the June waters has been removed, and now a stranger visiting the town could hardly conceive what a scene of desolation was everywhere when the waters receded from our streets. The pluck of our citizens has often been put to a severe test and has always conquered, but it must have been trying to the best of grit to face such a mess as the Jane sun looked down upon.

The bank of J. H. Rinehart and son of Summerville, has wound up its affairs, balanced the books and gone out of business. Their action is purely voluntary and is done because their extensive milling operations require their entire attention. The depositors will be paid in full. The late Dr. Rinehart, of this city, was one of the directors and stockholders in the bank.

We are in receipt of a postal card from the Sun Publishing Company of Portland announcing that they will issue a daily and Sunday morning newspaper, the first number to appear on October 15th. Capt. John O'Brien, the well-known printer of Portland, is the manager of the company. A tax receipt belonging to Mrs. Nancy A. Wilson was found by Mr. D. P. Ketchum in the Umatilla House. The owner can have the same by calling at THE CHRONICLE office.

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