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### LOSSES NOT SO HIGH.

#### Japanese Declare Port Arthur Estimates Too High.

Tokio, Oct. 8.—The Imperial headquarters tonight published a series of extended reports, covering operations against Port Arthur until the end of July. The reports cover the operations between the battle of Nanshan, May 26, and the actual investment of Port Arthur, which began July 30. The reports are chiefly interesting as showing that the Russians desperately resisted the Japanese advance southward along the peninsula. Indeed, the Russians assumed the aggressive during July and attempted to drive the Japanese back and retake Dalny. The Russians erected an elaborate series of fortifications on the hills skirting the eastern coast and also along the railway, by means of which they delayed the actual investment of Port Arthur two full months. Many desperate encounters marked the slow advance of the Japanese southward early in June. The Russians erected defense works east of Shih-sha-kow. On June 13 the Russians assumed the aggressive, but they were repulsed. The Russians then erected defenses at Soutaikou.

The Japanese began the general advance June 26. After severe fighting they succeeded in occupying a line from Antuz Mountain, on the right, to Souting Mountain, on the left. On July 3 the Russians began a general attack. The fighting, which continued until the night of July 5, included desperate night attacks, the men frequently closing hand to hand and using bayonets. Russian destroyers and gunboats came from Lungwangtao and shelled the Japanese. The Russians were finally beaten back. The Russians next fortified Antau Pass. The Japanese mounted at Langnichia 12 guns captured at Nanshan and also naval 12-pounders, west of Chuantsunoo. Desultory fighting succeeded until July 26, when the

Japanese began a second general attack against Soutaikou and Antau Pass. All three of the Japanese columns engaged in the desperate fighting, which raged until July 27. On the morning of July 28 the Japanese renewed the battle. The Russian line broke and began to retreat. Practically the entire Port Arthur garrison, with 60 guns, participated in this engagement. The Russians retired inside the last line of their defense.

The Japanese spent July 29 disposing their forces and supplying their ammunition. At dawn, July 30, the Japanese attacked the Russian forts. The guns of the Russian fortress were used for the first time in this attack. The Japanese advanced within two and four miles of Port Arthur, July 30, occupying Takushan Heights, and commenced siege works immediately thereafter. The Japanese captured 14 guns between Nanshan and Takushan. The Japanese casualties during this period are withheld, but they are said to be lighter than has been previously reported from various outside sources.

#### Says Yellow Peril Ridiculous.

London, Oct. 8.—Viscount Hayashi, Japanese Minister to Great Britain, in an interview published in the Weekly Review, denies that the Japanese losses at Port Arthur are heavy. He says he has good reason to think the remainder of the Russian fleet will soon make a sortie. The end of Port Arthur, he declares, will then be near. The war has done Japan marvelous good. Foreign trade is better than ever before. There is not the slightest anxiety on the subject of raising a big loan. The idea of the "Yellow Peril" is ridiculous. Free trade and fair play to all is the peace cry. "I believe the only way of bettering ourselves is opening up the Far East to European capital and enterprise."

Paul Hogan, a 12-year-old boy, is under arrest for arson at Kalamazoo.

## Morrow County, Oregon.

Morrow County is a new country, and like all other new countries, is awaiting development.

Located in the Columbia river valley, and skirted on the South with a spur of the Blue mountains, within the boundaries of Morrow county is a territory 75 miles in length by 35 miles in width, and containing 1,313,280 acres of land. Formerly stockraising was the principal industry, but lately the fertility of the land is bringing agriculture to the front. Immense wheat crops are grown with little cultivation, the soil being mixed with a volcanic ash which is very rich in wheat producing qualities. The 1904 crop will aggregate 1,400,000 bushels, much of it from virgin soil.

Morrow county has thousands of head of sheep, horses and cattle. The wool production for 1904 was 2,500,000 pounds. Alfalfa and fruit growing are profitable industries, rapidly growing in importance. The county has also a great coal field, soon to be developed.

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