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WILL NOT GIVE UP.

Czar Will Send Another Army to Far East.

St. Petersburg, March 13.—The im-
 mediate answer of the Russian govern-
 ment to the defeat at Mukden is the an-
 nouncement that a new army will be
 raised and the forces in the Far East
 recognized; that Vice-Admiral Rojest-
 vensky will be ordered to sail on and
 try conclusions with Togo, and that the
 war will be prosecuted to the bitter end.

This is the present temper of Em-
 peror Nicholas and his dominant ad-
 visers, voiced in a firm official an-
 nouncement that the position of Russia
 is unchanged, and that the initiative for
 peace can only come from Japan. Should
 the island empire choose to tender "mod-
 erate" terms and recognize its adversary
 as the power in the Far East, peace could
 be easily arranged; but the voice of her
 diplomacy in various parts of the world
 indicates that she is not ready to do this,
 and the Russian government, with the full
 magnitude of the disaster at Mukden still
 undetermined, but with the 1905 cam-
 paign seemingly already hopelessly com-
 promised, retreat to Harbin inevitable and
 Vladivostok practically lost, declares
 that the time has not yet come when
 Russia can be forced to humble herself.

It is reported that the dispatch of two
 new army corps, including the 14th,
 from Poland, and several smaller units
 has already been determined upon, and
 that plans for further mobilization are
 under discussion.

But while this is the official attitude,
 nothing but peace talk is heard in St.
 Petersburg. The difficulties of another
 mobilization on a large scale will be
 enormous; in fact, it is stated in some
 quarters that it will be impossible.
 Nevertheless, it might be accomplished.
 The real hope, however, for anything
 like a successful termination of the war
 is admitted to rest upon the prospect
 of the financial exhaustion of Japan.

Russian resources, it is figured, can-
 stand the drain better than those of
 Japan, and a protracted campaign, it is
 hoped, will bring about Japanese finan-
 cial ruin. Financial Minister Kokov-
 soff, at the conclusion of a conference of
 the National Resources, a few days ago,
 is said to have tapped the table before
 him and explained:

"We can win the war at this desk."
 The Russian capital is still in igno-
 rance of the feature and extent of the
 reverses in Manchuria. The only in-
 formation of its magnitude is that which
 has been derived from the few Tokio
 telegrams that have been allowed to be
 published here. To the censor at Tie
 Pass the word "prisoner" does not
 exist, and not the slightest intimation of
 what, if any, units and organizations
 have been cut off and captured has
 reached this city, either in General
 Kuropatkin's official dispatches or in
 reports from correspondents at the
 front.

Aside from the reports given out by
 the War Office, there is practically no
 further information of the progress of
 events, the newspaper dispatches re-
 ceived yesterday being principally those
 filed before the retreat began and
 transported to Tie Pass among the
 papers of the telegraph office.

It is declared that, at the moment
 that General Kuroki's wedge, aided by
 the dust storm, and taking advantage
 of the failure of several Russian orga-
 nizations to occupy appointed positions,
 drove itself in the open to the Russian
 flank, and disarranged all his plans,
 General Kuropatkin was on the point of

launching a momentous counter-stroke;
 but where it was to be accomplished is
 not stated.

General Kuropatkin has telegraphed
 to Emperor Nicholas, assuming him-
 self all the responsibility for his defeat,
 making no excuses, except that the
 strength of the Japanese was miscalcu-
 lated, and refusing to place any of the
 blame upon the council of Generals, up-
 on whose advice he determined to give
 battle. This manly course and the
 General's personal exertions in direct-
 ing the retreat will, however, hardly
 save him. His reputation as an offen-
 sive strategist is gone, and though the
 Emperor's military advisers know not
 where to look for a better General, his
 resignation will be accepted.

It will be difficult to find a capable
 successor, but it is said now that it
 probably will be General Grodekoff,
 Governor of the Amur, although in-
 casting about for another Commander-
 in-Chief, some military officials are
 turning to General Dragomiroff, who is
 considered to be Russia's great strat-
 egist, but he is a feeble, old man, suf-
 fering with a heart affection, and it is
 highly improbable that he would be
 able even to make the long trip to
 Manchuria.

In losing General Kuropatkin, the
 army will lose the ideal of the private
 soldier; an officer who, in spite of the
 intrigues of his Generals and his failure
 to win a battle, has won their confi-
 dence and affection.

TO BE TRIED IN JUNE.
**Mitchell, Hermann and William-
 son Must Stand Trial.**

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 nounced that the cases against Senator
 Mitchell and Representatives Hermann
 and Williamson, of Oregon, for alleged

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complicity in public land frauds, will be
 brought to trial at Portland early in
 June. District Attorney Heney, who
 secured the indictments, left for Oregon
 Saturday, after a conference with the
 president, Secretary Hitchcock and At-
 torney General Moody. He expects to
 secure a number of indictments of
 prominent men on the coast. Hitch-
 cock assured the president of his ability
 to obtain convictions in the cases now
 pending, and in fact staked his reputa-
 tion on it.

The government realized over
 \$400,000 from duties on goods im-
 ported to exhibit at the St. Louis
 exposition.

A seat on the New York Stock
 Exchange has been sold for \$82,-
 500. This is the high record
 price. The name of the purchaser
 has not yet been disclosed.

Ten thousand converts have
 been made in Philadelphia to the
 Christian religion, during the re-
 vivals in progress in different
 parts of that city during the past
 two months.

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