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**ALEXANDER III.**

Alexander III, Czar of Russia, has yielded to the Great Destroyer—the King who conquers all that is mortal, whether in palace or novel.

The death of a man who holds absolute sway over a sixth of the habitable earth, and controls the destiny of more than one hundred million people, causes us to pause and in thought look backward as well as forward.

Russia, in the history of European nations, seems rather the story of a few lives—strong, both for good and ill—savage, cruel and despotic, yet gradually evolving characters more in accord with their time.

Like silhouettes on a stormy,—often a bloody—background, Peter the Great, Ivan the Terrible, Catherine II, and even Nicholas, grandfather of the late Czar, pass in review before our minds. That Russia less than fifty years ago was more than a century behind any other great European power in civilization, must be considered in any estimate of the character of her recent rulers.

In 1855 Alexander II was crowned at Moscow and began a reign of nearly thirty years. Mild and peace-loving, his reign is characterized by two events as we recall it—the emancipation of the serfs in 1861, and the kindly friendship shown the United States during our civil war.

Nihilistic wrath culminated in the assassination of Alexander II in 1881, and his second son succeeded to the throne as Alexander III, though he was not formally crowned until 1883. By education, character, and careful training in statesmanship and kingscraft, he was eminently fitted to rule wisely and well.

His close relations by marriage to so many royal houses of Europe has tended to cement a friendly bond between Russia and the other powers, and to bring Russia in touch and harmony with the political and intellectual progress of the present age.

In power, the Czar was the foremost man of Europe, being uncontrolled by any legislative, or even advisory body. Few men wielding this absolute sway over men, minds and money, would have succeeded in ruling themselves so admirably.

In character he was upright, moral and just, with a keen realization of the responsibilities imposed on him by his position.

That his life should end before he reached his fiftieth year is due not to his own acts, but rather to inherited tendencies.

His own words, when told that there was no hope of his recovery, seem the keynote of his character: "It is said that a man of my years should hate to die, though personally I do not cling over much to life. If God still deems my life of use to my country, he will make me well."

From a tribute to the dead we turn an expectant look to the future. "The king is dead. Long live the king."

**THE TAMMANY OF ASIA.**

The Chinese are frightened at the advance of the victorious "vermin," as their emperor called the Japanese in his proclamation of war, and are removed to have evacuated Port Arthur, their naval stronghold on the gulf of Pe-Chi-Li, as soon as the Mi-

kado's men were reported to have crossed the Yalu river, which separates Corea from China. The port is strong in front, where fortifications command the water, but weak on the land side.

The Japanese have won another victory, at the Yalu, on Chinese territory, and are in possession of the Chinese fortress just above Wi-ju. The victorious Japanese force was composed of riflemen entirely, and they routed the cavalry and infantry of the Celestials and took two field pieces and many muskets.

Up to date the Chinese cavalry have not shown any great usefulness, and "dead cavalrymen" are even more scarce than they were said to be in the early part of our own civil war.

Yet they seem to be no worse than the artillery, and fully as good as the infantry of the "Son of Heaven." These last abandoned the fort after a few rounds, although the Japs had no field pieces, and but for the cavalry, who covered their retreat, would have been cut up or gobbled up before they could reach the shelter of the batteries further down the river.

This stroke gives the Japanese an eligible crossing place for the main body of the army, which was expected to move at dawn yesterday over pontoon bridges. The Chinese army seems to have massed on the road to Mounken, but before Sunday the Japs will be at them.

The islanders are evidently not waiting for snow to fly. They understand the advantages of a short, sharp, and decisive campaign, and, in the interests of fair play and the progress of civilization itself, should not be interfered with by any European power.

Whatever concessions they are able to wring from the big Asiatic bully, China, they should be allowed to do, without "let or hindrance" from other powers. China is the Tammany of Asia and should be disciplined.

Published in another column are resolutions passed by business associates of the late Mr. J. K. Armby, of Chicago. Mr. Armby died at West Baden, Germany, on the 15th of last month, after a brief illness of three days. He was the father of the distribution of salmon and other canned goods of the Pacific Coast, east of the Rocky Mountains, and was well known in Astoria, having made frequent visits to this city.

It might be well to say in this connection, that the first man to extensively handle Pacific Coast canned goods throughout the East was the late W. T. Coleman, of San Francisco.

The progress which is made in the Southern states in the manufacture of the coarser grades of cotton textile fabrics, has occasioned some little concern among those manufacturers in New England who are employed in a similar class of work.—Boston Herald.

Well, would it not be better, shouldn't you think, to provide free raw material for these people? We are told, in the tallest public speaking going on, that if only we give our manufacturers free raw material, they would conquer the world. Why not apply the promise and principle to cotton.

**FINAL ACCOUNT.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed her final account, as administratrix of the estate of Charles T. Strom, deceased, in the county court of the State of Oregon for Clatsop county, and the time for hearing thereon, by said court, set for Monday, December 3d, A. D. 1894, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., and all persons having objections thereto, will then and there appear, and show cause if any why the same shall not be allowed, and the administratrix discharged.

October 30th, 1894.  
 ELIZABETH STROM,  
 Administratrix.

**EXTENDED SYMPATHY.**

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**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATORS.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed by the county court of the State of Oregon for Clatsop county, administrators of the estate of HONG CHONG, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, as by law required, to the undersigned at No. 543 Commercial street, Astoria, Oregon, within six months from this date, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to forthwith pay unto the undersigned the amount of such indebtedness at the place aforesaid.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1894.  
 ARK NONG,  
 HONG SUB PING,  
 Administrators of the estate of Hong Chong, deceased.

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**NOTICE—ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL ACCOUNT.**

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of James Dalgity, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator in the county court of the state of Oregon, for Clatsop county, and that such court has appointed Monday, November 5th, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., (being the first day of the November term, 1894) for the hearing of objections thereto, and the settlement thereof. Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 2nd day of October, 1894.

WM. EDGAR,  
 Administrator.

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