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Russians Move on Fort But Are Driven Back.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 29.—General Kourapatkin, in his first report to the Emperor from the scene of the war, announces that offensive land operations had taken place against the Japanese upon the sixth anniversary of the occupation of Port Arthur by the Russians. These operations took the form of a cavalry attack yesterday by six companies of Cossacks, led by General Mishchenko against four squadrons of Japanese cavalry, which the General believed to be beyond Chong Ju, but which he found to be in occupation of that town.

Pays Tribute to Japanese.

Despite a cross fire which General Mishchenko cleverly directed against the enemy, he pays a tribute to the tenacity and bravery of the Japanese, who only ceased to fire after the combat, which lasted for half an hour. Before the Russians could follow up their advantage, three Japanese squadrons galloped toward the town. Two of them succeeded in entering, while the third was driven back in disorder, men and horses falling. The fire maintained on the town was so destructive that the Japanese were unable to make an effectual return.

Retires Without Embarrassment.

Further Japanese reinforcements arrived an hour later, and in view of the superiority of the enemy, General Mishchenko determined to retire, doing so without embarrassment, although he carried with him three killed and 16 wounded.

General Mishchenko's Cossacks have been endeavoring for some days to come in contact with the Japanese patrols, but the latter refused to combat.

The skirmish of today will have the effect of encouraging the Russians to retard as much as possible the advance of the Japanese army.

General Kourapatkin's dispatch reporting General Mishchenko's operations as published does not give the place of its origin, but it is presumed that the Commander-in-Chief is either at Liao Yang or enroute to Niu Chwang.

Report of Kourapatkin.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 29.—The report of General Kourapatkin to the Czar on the battle of Cheng Ju is as follows:

"I have the honor respectfully to communicate to Your Majesty the report of General Mishchenko dated 28, at 10 P. M., which says:

"For three consecutive days our small outposts attempted to draw the Japanese cavalry into action, but their patrols, after contact was established, retired beyond Cheng Ju, about 50 miles northwest of Ping Yang.

Lying in Ambush.

"In the town, a company of infantry and a squadron of cavalry were lying in ambush. Our men were reinforced by three companies and attacked the Japanese with a cross fire. Notwithstanding this and our commanding position, the Japanese gallantly held their ground, and it was only after a fierce fight of half an hour's duration that the Japanese ceased fire and sought refuge in the houses. The Japanese hoisted the Red Cross flag at two points.

"Soon afterward, three squadrons of the enemy were seen advancing along the Kasan road at full gallop toward the town, which two of the squadrons succeeded in entering, while the third fell back in disorder under repeated volleys from our troops. A number of men and horses were seen to fall.

"For an hour afterwards our companies continued the fire on the Japanese in the town, preventing them from leaving the houses.

"An hour and a half after the beginning of the engagement four companies were seen on the Kasan road, hastening to attack. I gave the order to mount, and the entire force, with a covering squadron, advanced in perfect order and formed in line behind the hill. The wounded were placed in front and the retirement was carried out with the deliberation of a parade.

Infantry Arrives Too Late.

"The Japanese squadron, which was thrown into disorder, was evidently unable to occupy the hill which we had just evacuated, and their infantry arrived too late.

"The detachment protecting our rear guard arrived quietly at Kasan, where we waited for two hours in order to give attention to our wounded. At 4 p. m. our force reached Niu San.

"It is supposed the Japanese had heavy losses in men and horses. Our side, unfortunately, had three officers severely wounded, Stepanoff and Androok in the chest, and Vassilovitch in the stomach. Schinikoff was less seriously wounded in the arm, but did not leave the field.

Judge McBride did not attack the report of the experts, Clark & Buchanan, saying that he thought they were capable men, but said that the balance brought against Ford was the result of a misapprehension of the law.

Cattle Growers' Convention.

There will be a Convention of the Cattle Growers of Oregon held in Portland, April 16th, beginning at 10 a. m., and continuing in the evening. The people interested in this great industry are earnestly requested to be present, as subjects will be discussed of the greatest importance to all cattle men. The meeting will be held at the Auditorium, between Taylor and Salmon, on Third st. GRANT MAYS, Secretary.

Take Homesteads for Chittim Bark.

CORVALLIS, Or., March 26th.—Since Chittim bark reached the sensational price of 16 cents per pound last season many Corvallisites have taken advantage of their homestead rights and located chittim claims in the Alsea county. Last fall some of our prominent citizens roamed through the mountains of the coast range in search of the precious bark, and now every patch of chittim that can be profitably handled has been located and a homestead entry made on the land on which it grows.

As the peeling season approaches, arrangements are being made for a sojourn on these possessions, and within the next two weeks quite a number of our citizens will leave town, taking their usual summer's outing several months earlier than has been customary. Those that are married will take their families with them, for the work is light, and with prospective high prices all hands can make wages. Residents from Alsea, Lobster and Five Rivers state that there is quite an activity in those sections preparing for the coming season's work. Nearly every man, woman and child in that part of the county are directly interested in the industry, and the admirable feature of the chittim business is that it brings money direct to the class of people who are striving to build themselves homes in these out-of-the-way and mountainous sections.

Democratic County Convention.

Notice is hereby given that the Democrats of Tillamook County, Oregon, will meet in convention at the Opera House, in Tillamook City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 16th day of April, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various county offices to be filled at the coming general election. To elect delegates to the state and congressional conventions, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

That the convention will be composed of 70 members apportioned among the several precincts of the county as follows:

- Nahalem 5
- Foley 2
- Garibaldi 4
- Bay 3
- Tillamook 12
- Hoquarton 8
- Fairview 8
- South Prairie 5
- Barnegate 1
- Netarts 1
- Carnahan 1
- Sandlake 2
- Beaver 3
- Blaine 2
- Hebo 5
- Union 5
- Little Nestucca 2
- Dolph 1

And that the primaries in the several precincts will be held on Saturday, April 9, 1904, at the hours of 1 o'clock p. m. at the regular polling places in said precincts.

By order of the Democratic County Central Committee.

JOHN SHEETS, Chairman.

THOS. COATES, Secretary.

Death of William Hedges.

Wm. F. Hedges who has been afflicted for some months past, with a chronic illness, from which he suffered intensely, passed away at 1 o'clock last Thursday morning the 24th. He had recently been sent to Portland with the hope of finding relief through an operation, but it was found, upon examination that it would be in vain. He returned weaker, and with less hope of recovery. He was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. J. Riggs, about thirteen miles south of Tillamook, where he remained until death.

The funeral services were held at the U. B. Church at Beaver, conducted by E. M. Patterson of this city. The deceased was born in Washington county, Oregon, on Feb. 9, 1877.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved!" writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by Chas. I. Clough, Druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Delegates to County Convention.

Nehalem.—E. H. Lane, Herman Tohl, H. V. Alley, S. Scovell, Fred Zaddach, Hugo Effenberger, G. W. Cox, Oscar Bergman.

Foley.—R. D. Sales, G. Knight. Garibaldi.—Wm. Mills, P. Svenson, N. McMillan, Lee Alley.

Bay.—C. Patterson, A. Fynleson, Will Hare, C. A. Elliot, J. Kodad, S. W. Elliot.

Barnegate.—J. A. Biggs, Geo. H. Higgins.

Fairview.—Henry Leach, Morrison Mills, Frank Severance, Grant Mills, J. J. Rupp, Henry Olds, S. V. Anderson, W. Tinnerst, Wm. Maxwell.

Hoquarton.—C. Wallin, Homer Mason, M. W. Harrison, F. R. Beals, B. L. Eddy, C. A. Johnson, W. H. Cooper, F. M. Trout, A. T. White.

Tillamook.—R. D. Peckham, Andrew Anderson, H. T. Botts, C. E. Hadley, H. E. Weston, W. H. Cary, W. J. Stephens, O. W. B. Rush, F. D. Vincent, W. S. Hays, A. McNair, A. W. Severance.

South Prairie.—Henry Rogers, H. B. Johnson, T. W. Lvster, Dan Murphy, Guy Vaughn.

Netarts.—J. M. Morgan, C. B. Wiley, C. T. Desmond.

Carnahan.—Jacob Blum, Chas. Blum, C. H. Blake.

Sandlake.—Ed. Hayes, James Atkinson, E. E. Webb.

Beaver.—Jos. Bixby, Isaac Hiner, E. K. Gilbert.

Hebo.—Chas. Rav, John Iler, Frank Worthington, C. C. Jensen.

Union.—W. R. Robedece, E. P. Wells, H. A. Miles, Louis Fletcher, Frank Norburg.

Little Nestucca.—C. Christensen, A. W. Fletcher, T. H. Wilson.

Blaine.—E. E. Roland, J. J. Hollett, John Creecy.

Dolph.—M. Peterson, — Doty.

FORD DOES NOT OWE

Washington County Has No Claim on ex-Sheriff.

HILLSBORO, Or., March 24.—Judge McBride this morning decided that the County of Washington had no case against ex-Sheriff Henry P. Ford, and dismissed the case, giving the defendant judgment for his costs.

Mr. Ford was Sheriff of the county from 1892 until July, 1896, and with the exception of the last year or so, was under the old free system. When he went out of office he settled with the county upon their own figures and took their clearance. His books had been experted several times by prominent business men, appointed by the several grand juries drawn from the Circuit Court.

Later on Clark & Buchanan were selected to expert the county's books, and they returned a shortage of \$3052.22 against Sheriff Ford, and several minor shortages against other officers. The other shortages were immediately paid, but Mr. Ford employed attorneys and demurred upon the ground that he did not owe the county a cent; that the fees collected by him and charged against him as belonging to the county were earned by him before the salary law went into effect, although yet uncollected by him when the law went into force. These fees constituted the main balance alleged due the county. Judge McBride, in summing up the decision, said:

"This officer had had repeated settlements with the county, and upon their figures. His books had repeatedly been experted by business men, whom I know to have been capable and trustworthy. The fees collected by him were earned by him under the fee system, before the salary law went into effect, and that he did not collect them before the law did take effect, did not disqualify him from claiming and taking what was his own.

"While he might have turned the fees over to the county, and then presented a bill to the county, and which they must have paid under the law in vogue, when he made the collection, his action was only a matter of method, and does not in any way affect the county has laid claim. At this late hour he could not collect under the statutes of limitation, and I do not feel disposed to give the county judgment for an amount that was earned by the ex-officer.

"Mr. Ford does not owe the county one cent; he settled with Washington County like an honest man and like an honest officer."

Henry P. Ford lived for years in the vicinity of Tualatin, where he was engaged in ranching. He was very popular in his vicinity, and when he received the nomination for Sheriff, he was elected by an overwhelming majority, voters of all parties coming to his support. Since his retirement from office he has been employed by the City of Portland as city detective, and since leaving the Detective Department has been in business for himself in the same line. The ex-officer was today receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

Botts, for abstracts.

C. Holden for County Clerk. Card, 5lbs., 60c.; 10lbs., \$1.20, at 10c. a lb.

John Grey is on the sick list this week. The new games, Flinch, Pit, and Pan, at Clough's.

W. C. Bailey, timber locator and estimator.

A new lot of Village School Shoes at Todd's.

Choice table peaches, \$2.00 per dozen at Todd's.

The steamer Geo. R. Vosburg came in Monday with passengers and freight.

Skillings' Golden Gate, and Monopolie Baking Powder, 37 1/2c. per pound at Todd's.

Green wood, direct from the mill, \$1.80. Dry wood, \$2.50. At Tillamook Lumber Co.'s mill.

The Red Front shoe store will have their Spring and Summer stock of shoes on display next week.

W. C. Bailey is the local agent for A. H. Averill & Co., Russell engines and saw mill machinery.

Do not forget that Mrs. Sturgeon can furnish you an Easter hat that is correct in style and reasonable in price.

Fred Christensen came in from Oregon on Monday, and will take charge of the South Prairie cheese factory.

C. A. Davis and family, who had charge of the Bay City hotel, left on the steamer Elmore on Tuesday.

The Sue H. Elmore went out Wednesday with the following passengers: J. P. Cline, A. Fowler and Mrs. Harduan.

The stable previously occupied by W. Easter and son, has been sold to the Dawson Brothers, and will be used for a feed stable.

Ralph Ackley purchased the agency for the Mitchell, Lewis and Staver wagon and implement business from I. F. Larsen.

The schooner Volant was towed in on Tuesday by the Sue H. Elmore to load lumber at the Tillamook Lumber Company.

The riggin of the wrecked schooner Gem was shipped to San Francisco on the schooner C. T. Hill, and the hull was sold to James Wilson for \$57 00.

W. Harris and M. Webb of Sandlake have purchased the Kays sawmill, and will move it on Mr. We's place where they will operate this summer.

The best place in the city to buy your meat is at the Palace Meat Market. Prime meats, hams and bacon always on hand.—SMITH & JENKINS, proprietors.

When you want a nice meal go to the Model Restaurant. Everything first-class and up-to-date. Those who are boarding should give the Model Restaurant a trial.

The boiler in C. E. Donaldson's sawmill blew up last week, and as it happened in the morning before starting up no serious damage was done. Mr. Donaldson will go out this week to purchase a new boiler.

C. W. Talmage, who was operated on by Dr. Goucher for an abscess last Friday, is improving quite rapidly and his friends expect to see him on the streets again soon. He was in a very precarious condition when he arrived in this city.—Exchange.

The Steamer Sue H. Elmore came in Saturday with a full cargo of freight and the following passengers: Mrs. M. Adams, Mr. Bandon, J. Swiger, Wm. Mallon, A. Swiger, Mr. J. Smith, J. Hellen, Mr. Holden and daughter, W. Batterson, Miss May Jones, Mrs. Hume, J. J. Crine, J. Marolf, Mr. Indolf and Mr. McClellan.

The Oratorical Contest, between the Emersonian and Ciceronian Literary Societies, held on Friday evening in the opera house, was attended by a large and appreciative audience, in which fifty per cent of the marking (on merit of manuscript), was decided slightly in favor of the Emersonians.

The Sunday school of the M. E. Church will give a program suitable to the season next Sunday evening, April 3rd, beginning at 7:30. The church is to be decorated for the occasion, and the public is cordially invited. The children are making an effort to raise a missionary fund. They will appreciate your contribution.

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