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"NOT VERY WELL" HEAVY BLOW TO JAPANESE

SIX HUNDRED TROOPS REPORTED LOST ON SUNKEN TRANSPORT

BY RUSSIAN SUBMARINE BOAT

Russian Torpedo Boats Blow Up Japanese Merchantmen in Gensan Harbor.

Japanese Troops in Manchuria Attack Russian Garrison but are Repulsed—Russian Land Battery Forces Gunboat to Retire Down the River—Russian Fleet Intercepts Japanese Wireless Message.

600 Japanese are Lost.

PARIS, April 28.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Journal reports that a Russian submarine boat has sunk a Japanese transport which was conveying 600 men to Corea and all the troops were lost.

Japs Tear Up Railway.

London, April 28.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Irkutsk, Siberia, under yesterday's date says that the Japanese have blown up a portion of the railway at Khailar, but the damage is insignificant.

Merchantman Destroyed.

St. Petersburg, April 27.—The Emperor has received a message from Vice-Admiral Alexieff as follows: "Rear Admiral Yeszen, who is at sea with cruisers and torpedo boats, dispatched the latter to Gensan, Corea. The torpedo boats blew up a Japanese merchantman in the roadstead."

Attack is Repulsed.

Liao Yang, April 27.—The Japanese troops which crossed the Yalu north of Euijion (Tehangjion) charged during the night of April 26-27 the Russian position near Lizavena, a village on the

Manchurian bank of the Yalu. They were repulsed but their loss is not known.

Russians Catch a Message.

PARIS, April 27.—The correspondent at St. Petersburg of the Echo de Paris says that he learns Vice-Admiral Alexieff's telegram to the Emperor reporting the sinking at Gensan of the Japanese merchantman was published only in part.

People Want the News.

THIN PEOPLE want to get fat and fat people want to get thin—human nature. If you are fat don't take Scott's Emulsion. It will make you gain flesh. If you are thin Scott's Emulsion is just what you need.

It is one of the greatest flesh producers known. Not temporary gains but healthy, solid flesh that will fill out the body where it is needed.

There's nothing better than Scott's Emulsion for weakness and wasting.

Reports Not Reliable.

London, April 27.—No further light has been thrown upon the operations on the Yalu and on the absence of official dispatches little attention is paid to the Russian reports of Japanese reverses which, it is believed, are spread with the motive of influencing European money markets in favor of Russian financial operations.

Their Usual Tactics.

London, April 28.—The Tientsin correspondent of the Standard sends a report that 4000 Russians are harassing the Chinese villages west of the Shuang Tai Su river, midway between Chin Chau and Yinkow.

Russians Bridging the Liao.

London, April 28.—The Tientsin correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says the Russians are constructing pontoon bridges across the Liao river twenty miles above Tin Gwang Tai.

And Fortifying the Same.

London, April 28.—The Chefoo correspondent of the Standard says he learns both banks of the Liao river have been strongly fortified and he estimates 100 guns have been mounted.

Two Wives Separated From Their Husbands On Grounds of Cruel and Inhuman Treatment—Partition Suit Tried and Taken Under Advisement By the Court.

Judge Boise set the machinery of the divorce mill in motion yesterday, and the day's grist netted two decrees, which severed the bonds of matrimony which had for many years existed between the wives and husbands who

BONDS SEVERED

JUDGE BOISE SETS MACHINERY OF DIVORCE MILL IN MOTION.

J. M. Poorman Appointed Administrator of the John E. Ross Estate.

J. M. Poorman of Woodburn, was yesterday appointed administrator of the estate of John E. Ross, deceased, with the will annexed.

The estate consists of real property valued at \$1100, and personal property valued at \$1851.30, and the bond of the newly appointed administrator was fixed at \$4000.

By a recent order of the probate court the bond of Charles Sappingfield

was reduced from \$10,000 to \$500, and the new bond was filed yesterday and approved by the court.

"Now good digestion waits on appetite and health on both." If it doesn't, try Burdock Blood Bitters.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by an order of the county court of Marion county, Oregon, has been appointed as administrator of the estate of Minnie Kehrberg, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Marion county, Oregon, did on the 21st day of March, 1904, duly make, render and enter of record an order appointing Frank K. Lovell administrator of the estate of G. W. Statesman, deceased, that said administrator has duly qualified and hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him with proper vouchers at the Secretary of State's office in Salem, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit, the first day of April, 1904.

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New Today

WE ARE PAYING 16 CENTS CASH for eggs, Commercial Cream Co.

FOR SALE—FRESH MILCH COW. J. A. Blankenship, three miles west of Salem on Route 2.

I WANT TO BUY—LIVE HOGS AND pigs, also ducks, spring chickens, and will pay the highest cash price for same. Qiong Hing, 254 Liberty street, Salem, Oregon.

REPORT CARDS—OUR SCHOOL REPORT cards are printed to fit the school register. The prices are: Twelve cards for 10 cents; twenty-five for 20 cents; one hundred for 75 cents. Statesman Publishing Co., Salem, Oregon.

A HOME RANCH—WEST OF TURNER, Oregon; 80 acres; 51 in grain, balance grass and timber; purchaser gets one-third the grain. Possession October 1st. Excellent soil; running water all year; house 14x28. Write The Bosphor Co., 251 Alder street, Portland, Oregon.

DAIRY FARM FOR SALE—215 Acres divided into 40 acre fields. New eight room house, barn 48x60, fine milking stable. Will rent dairy herd of 30 cows, averaged last year \$61 per cow net. Great opportunity to be right party. Write at once to The Bosphor Co., 251 Alder street, Portland, Oregon.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS. OREGON SONGS—THE JUNE NUMBER of the Oregon Teachers' Monthly contains 62 Oregon songs, words and music complete, as follows: "Sweet Oregon," "Farewell Oregon," "Oregon, My Oregon," "Oregon," "The Beautiful Oregon Shore" and "Beautiful Willamette." The book contains a number of other good songs. Price, 10c. Address Oregon Teachers' Monthly, Salem, Oregon.

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PORTLAND BUSINESS DIRECTORY Some of the Reliable Men and Concerns of Oregon's Metropolis.

CLEANING AND DYEING. If you have clothes to clean and press. The Fashion Tailors are the best. Dyeing, steam cleaning and repairing. Satisfaction guaranteed. 433 Washington St., between 11th and 12th, Portland, Oregon.

ELECTRIC AND GAS SUPPLIES. Portland Electrical Works, Estab. 1882. Oldest house in Oregon. Headquarters for Gas and Electric fixtures. Dynamos and motors installed and repaired. Telephones, bells, etc., houses wired. 351 Stark Street, Portland, Oregon.

Private Telephone Lines are being installed by all progressive farmers. The cost is small in comparison with the benefits derived. Get our estimates. Western Electric Works, No. 61 Sixth Street, Portland, Oregon.

M. J. Walsh Co., dealers in mantels, grates, tiling, gas and electric chandeliers, supplies; replace furniture. 343 Washington street, Portland, Oregon; telephone 879 Main.

Dr. Wing Lee, Chinese physician. He makes a specialty of treating those who have chronic diseases which other doctors fail to cure. His skill is indispensible. 280 Burnside street, Portland, Oregon.

Portland Cancer Institute 1817 1/2 First street, Dr. Voose, Cancer treated without knife; 15 years experience. Also catarrh, asthma, consumption and all chronic and spinal diseases permanently cured. Consultation free. Mail orders have immediate attention.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAUS. Portland Woman's Employment Company. For ladies only. We furnish the best of domestic help of all kinds; stenographers and office girls. Satisfaction guaranteed. Miss Josephine Rice, Manager, 216 Alinsky Building, Third and Morrison streets.

CREAMERIES. Oregon Creamery, Portland, Oregon. Manufacturers of butter and cheese. We are in the market for sweet and sour cream. Write for prices. Reference London & San Francisco Bank, Limited.

FARMERS SUPPLIES. Pacific Mail Order Company, sells everything you use, eat or wear, at wholesale prices. Buys everything you raise, make or sell. Send for our illustrated catalogue. 229 to 235 Salmon St., Portland, Oregon.

WHOLESALE SHOES. Krause and Prince, wholesale dealers reliable footwear; recently removed to 86-88 Fifth street. Dealers' attention called particularly to Packards; retail \$3 to \$5. Flintstone \$3.50 shoes. Send for illustrated catalogue.

SHOE DEALERS. If you can appreciate bargain in men's up-to-date footwear we can do business with you. Not cheap shoes but good shoes cheap. Every pair made to wear. Spring lines including Oxford now complete. From \$3 up. Agents for Nettleton's fine shoes \$5 and \$6. Vanduyne & Walton, 270 Washington Street.

HOTELS. Hotel McCauley—European plan; rooms 25 cents to \$1. Convenient to all theaters and places of amusement. Near Morrison Street Bridge. First-class bar. 210 Morrison street. B. F. McCauley, proprietor.

Vendome Family Hotel. Elegantly furnished rooms at lowest rates. Includes steam heat, bath, etc. First-class trade solicited. Take car to 13th St. corner 13th and Alder Sts., Portland, Oregon.

Hotel Scott, new building, elegantly furnished and centrally located; first class restaurant in connection. Steam heat; electric lights; European plan; rooms 75 cents to \$2 per day. Seventh and Ankeny streets, Postoffice block. Free bus. Portland, Oregon.

FANCY STATIONERY. Wedding and visiting cards, also monogram stationery. W. G. Smith & Co., Washington Building, Portland, Or.

HOTELS. The Imperial Hotel Co., Phil Metchan, president; C. W. Knowles, manager; Seventh and Washington streets, Portland, Oregon. European plan only; \$1, \$1.50, \$2. First class restaurant in building.

PHOTOGRAPHER. E. W. Moore, photographer. We make a specialty of enlarging in oil colors, crayon, or pastel. Our photographic instruments are the latest and we have all the requirements for first-class work. Seventh and Washington Sts., Portland, Oregon.

HAT FACTORIES. Northwestern Hat Factory Manufacturers of all kinds of hats by union hatsters. Hats made to order at manufacturers' prices. The only practical hat makers in Portland. 429 1/2 Washington St.

FLORISTS. Prompt attention given to outside orders on choice cut flowers and floral designs. We also carry a large assortment of vase bushes. Thomas G. Bodley, 124 5th St., Portland, Or.

REAL ESTATE. Real estate wanted for Eastern buyers. If price is right I can sell your land. Do not wait exclusive sale. Write full particulars. B. S. Cook, 251 Alder St., Portland, Oregon.

RESTAURANTS. Watson's Restaurant, 109-111 Commercial street, between Washington and Stark, Portland. Family restaurant. W. F. Watson, proprietor.

Morris' Quick Lunch and Coffee House. A temperance restaurant noted for cleanliness, good cooking and quick service. No Chinese employed. Washington street below Imperial Hotel, Portland, Oregon.

FERRY'S SEEDS. Deserve your confidence. They have never failed—won't fail now. Sold by all dealers. 1904 Seed Annual. R. E. FERRY & CO., Detroit, Mich.