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DALNY HARBOR CLEARED OF RUSSIAN MINES

Japanese War Ships Have Entered the Port Without Danger

Russian Transport Train Is Reported to Have Killed a Number of Women and Children

St. Petersburg, June 2.—Late Tokio dispatch says that a number of Japanese gunboats have entered Dalny bay, the bay having been cleared of all Russian mines.

Has Not Entered Protest.

London, June 2.—In the commons chamber Earl Percy, under secretary of foreign affairs, said that no representations had been made to Russia on the subject of naval mines outside of territorial limits in the Far East.

St. Petersburg, June 2.—The semi-official estimate of the Russian casualties at the battle of Kin Chow places 10,000 killed and wounded at 30 officers and 800 men. Mukden dispatches state that the local governor is doing his utmost to arouse the people against the Russian government, and trouble is feared.

War Train Killed Women.

Berlin, June 2.—The Vossische Zeitung reports that the last force of 100 men sent from Kharkoff to Manuria, refused to enter the train, and finally had to be pitched bodily into the cars. The wives of the soldiers saw themselves on the rails ahead of the engine. When they were forcibly removed, others took their places. The commanding officer gave orders to proceed, regardless of them, and several women were killed and wounded by the train.

Land Plenty of Troops.

Chefoo, June 2.—Chinese reports who are arriving from Takushan report that the number of Japanese troops landed there during May was between 6000 and 10,000, and they proceeded to Feng Huang Cheng, with reinforcements from other points are also sent.

Passed Through Lines.

St. Petersburg, June 2.—A Mukden dispatch dated yesterday reports that Lieutenant-Colonel Gourko has just reached there from Port Arthur, after escaping the Japanese lines.

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SOLDIERS TERROR STRICKEN

Four Murderous Assaults on Uncle Sam's Men Leads to an Inquiry

Burlington, Vt., June 2.—The soldiers at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., are panic-stricken by three mysterious murders in the ranks, and the savage attack on an infantryman, who is dying from the wounds received. The details are being kept secret by the officers, who refuse to make public the names of the victims. General Corbin is expected here at once to take personal charge of the inquiry. It is believed that a homicidal maniac is at liberty, and is guilty of the crimes. An extreme brutality marks the murders, as the bodies are being hacked to pieces.

MCDONALD WRONG PARTY

Prominent Indiana Lawyer Makes a Deathbed State- ment of Case

Bedford, Ind., June 2.—Qlin Bundy, a member of the citizens' committee in the investigation of the murder of Sarah Shafer, a school teacher, and who recently died in Indianapolis, made a deathbed statement exonerating James McDonald of complicity in the crime. Bundy was a prominent attorney, and collapsed under the strain of the work. In the statement he said that the police had the wrong man, and only wanted a victim.

Has Important News.

St. Petersburg, June 2.—General Gourko is the bearer of important information concerning the Port Arthur situation, which is embodied in a long cipher dispatch to the war office. Gourko also brought accurate reports of the Russian losses in the battle of Kin Chow.

Wyoming for Hearst.

Cheyenne, Wyo., June 2.—The Democratic state convention met today, and a fight developed over the instruction of the delegates, but the majority appears to be in favor and have declared for Hearst.

Prominent Banker Dead.

Portland, June 2.—E. M. Sargent, one of the most prominent Northwestern bankers, dropped dead on the streets here today, of heart disease.

Veatch and Whitney Spoke.

Col. Robert M. Veatch, commonly known as "Bob, the Miller," who is now the Democratic candidate for congress, and Judge J. J. Whitney, of Albany, made political speeches at the city hall to a very small crowd.

Chairman Tooze Speaks.

Hon. Walter L. Tooze, chairman of the congressional committee, will leave to night for Douglas county, where he will make several speeches during the remainder of the week.

ILLINOIS DELEGATES ARE FIRM Mohammedans Plead With Bandits STOLE MONEY FROM BANKS Population Philippines 7,635,426

DELEGATES WERE RELEASED

Candidates for Governor of Illinois Sign Compact to That Effect

Springfield, Ill., June 2.—The Republican state convention met again this morning, after a stormy session of caucuses during the night. Three propositions were made to settle the deadlock. They were as follows:

First—To discontinue the roll calls and vote by secret ballot. This came from a Duncen delegate, H. H. Cross, of Chicago, but was repudiated by Duncen, and most of the other candidates.

Second—To refer the governorship back to the party through primaries to be held on the same day throughout the state. This was proposed by Yates, but the other candidates were a unit against the plan, and it was lost by a vote of 2 to 1.

Third—That the candidates be required to release their delegates from

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FRANCE WILL ASSIST

Minister Has Promised to Help United States in Morocco Case

Paris, June 2.—United States Ambassador Porter saw Foreign Minister Delcasse this morning and handed him the request of America for French aid in the release of Perdicard's. Minister Delcasse promised his support, and sent instructions to this effect to the French minister at Tangier. A dispatch this morning from Tangier says that the Angerra tribe has sent a delegation of leading men to have a personal interview with Bandit Raisull, in an endeavor to elicit a promise from him to release the captives, and thus to avoid the landing of foreigners who are opposed to the Moslem faith on the Moroccan shores. It is believed that their arguments will have considerable weight. The Italian cruiser Dogali arrived at Tangier this morning.

PAIR BANK RASCALS

Two Trusted Employes Use Firms Money to Specu- late and Then Leave

Washington, D. C., June 2.—Willard Meyer, assistant note teller in the National Savings Deposit Company, has disappeared, taking, so the concern charges, \$17,000 in negotiable certificates. He was last seen on Saturday, and the bond company is endeavoring to locate him.

New Haven, Conn., June 2.—Douglas M. Smith, teller of the National Tradesmen's Bank, has confessed that he is a defaulter in a large sum, probably \$25,000. A warrant has been issued, but Smith cannot be found. The cause of his downfall was speculation.

Paris, June 2.—A Shanghai dispatch dated at 5 o'clock this afternoon, says that 15 large Japanese transports were sighted off the west coast of Corea, their objective point apparently being the mouth of the Yalu river.

ISLAND CENSUS FINISHED

United States Government Publishes First Official Enumeration

Washington, June 2.—The detailed report of the census of the Philippine Islands has just been published, and shows a population of 7,635,426, of this number 6,987,686 were civilized, or partly so. The population of Manila is 219,928. There are 40 uncivilized tribes, of whom the Higitos are believed to be aboriginal. The census contains much useful information concerning the insular possessions.

Woods Returns from Expedition.

Washington, June 2.—Gen. Wade, commander in the Philippines, cables notice of the return of General Wood from an expedition to Lake Liguasan, and the list of names of the men killed since May 8th, in an action with Datto Allis and band. All the wounded are doing well.

White Waistings
Our entire stock of waist materials—sheer and medium weights—all cotton, linen and cotton, all the most popular weaves of the season on sale at reduced prices.



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THE "WHITE CORNER" (TRADE MARK)

Go-Carts
The Gendron kind. The good kind. This week's special offerings of folding carts at
\$2.95, \$3.85, \$4.45

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JUNE WHITE DAYS

FOR SALEM.

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Our 18th Friday Economic Sale
Some special leaders in connection with our June White Days. These are for Friday only.

SPECIAL NO. 1.
Economic Friday sale on our entire stock of ready made
Skirts
All at special prices for Friday only.
Second floor.

SPECIAL NO. 2.
Extra special for Friday economic sale. White cambric.
Gowns, Chemise, Drawers
Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 values.
68c
Second floor.

SPECIAL NO. 3.
Friday's grand bargain day. Our entire stock of new.
Wrappers
At special prices for Friday only.
Second floor.

SPECIAL NO. 4.
Special value for economic Friday sale. A line of colored and fancy figured.
Skirts
Regular 15c to 20c values, yd
12c
Second floor.

St. Louis Fair Contest
Some one is to get this trip free of expense. For every 25c you spend at this store you receive one vote, two with a 50c purchase, and so on. Vote for your favorite candidate. The vote up to 6 p. m. last evening:

Total No. of votes cast.....8483	Total No. persons voted for.. 53
Miss Meilen, East2436	Miss Knight, Music 354
Miss Shelton, Music1865	L. Patrick, Eastern Star .. 181
Miss Cosper, East 923	Miss Prunk, Elocution 141
Miss Thomas, Park 895	Miss Gordon, North 138
Miss Bushnell, Park 710	Miss Kramer, East 133

New Jackets
We have just received a large line of the new Tan Covert Jackets in the latest styles. Handsomest coats we have shown this season. Extra values at the extremely low price of
\$9.85

Silks
New shirt waist suit silks just received in brown, blue and black effects. The newest designs shown.

Our 18th Friday Economic Sale
These extra special values are for Friday only.

Remnants Half Price
On this special Friday.

SPECIAL NO. 5.
Extra bargains for Friday only in a line of
Linen Suitings
Etamines in green, tan, blue and gray. Regular 65 cent value
47c
First floor.

SPECIAL NO. 6.
Extra special for Friday economic a splendid line of
White Pongee
Of regular \$1.00 quality, Friday only, yard
82c
First floor.

SPECIAL NO. 7.
A beautiful collection of
French Challies
Of regular 50c and 65c values for Friday, yard only
37c
First floor.

SPECIAL NO. 8.
Ladies' pure linen embroidered
Handkerchiefs
Regular 35c and 60c values for Friday, each, only
28c
First floor.