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BRITISH FISHING BOATS FIRED ON BY RUSSIANS

Russian Fleet Inflicts Severe Damage on Vessels in North Sea

London, England, Oct. 24.—Only one of the British fishing fleet arrived this morning from the attack by the Russian Baltic fleet on the fishing vessels. The reports state that the Russians fired 300 shots at the fishing fleet at a distance of a quarter of a mile. The may-hull has telegraphed Premier Balfour requesting the government to take the speediest and strongest measures possible to insure full redress and complete security against further outrages. Six of the fishing vessels in the fleet have not yet reported and it is now definitely known that the Weiden went down with all on board.

The North Sea. While sailing through the fleet of trawlers, the Russian warships opened fire upon them, and rained shot and shell upon them for 20 minutes.

The headless bodies of two fishermen were brought to Hull last night. Over a dozen wounded fishermen are aboard what is known as the mission ship at Hull, and more of the trawlers was sent to the bottom.

London, Oct. 24.—Joseph Smith, son of Captain George Smith, of the fishing boat Crane, who was killed by one of the shots fired by the Russian squadron, and two skippers of the fleet, arrived in London this morning, and drove to the foreign office.

Portsmouth, Eng., Oct. 24.—A strong fleet of British warships, together with several torpedo boat destroyers, are here ready to sail at a few hours' notice. There is great eagerness among the officers and crews for orders, but notice has not yet arrived.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 24.—Count Lam-

THREW LIGHTED LAMP

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 24.—Geo. Blount, a leading negro politician, was taken from the station house at Berkeley, at 3 o'clock this morning, and shot and beaten to death by a mob. Saturday night Blount threw a lighted lamp into the face of a policeman, who entered Blount's restaurant to arrest another negro, charged with shooting.

dorff, minister of foreign affairs and British Ambassador Scott held a very lengthy conference this afternoon.

Hull, Oct. 24.—The fishing vessel Wren is now reported safe.

London, Oct. 24.—After a conference at the foreign office Lord Lansdowne sent a strongly-worded message to Ambassador Scott, at St. Petersburg, for delivery to the Russian government. The foreign secretary is now in conference with Admiral Fisher, first lord of the admiralty.

Portsmouth, Oct. 24.—The report has been confirmed that the Russian Baltic fleet stopped and searched merchantmen off the Isle of Wight.

Washington, Oct. 24.—The supreme court today advanced for hearing to November 28th the writ of error in the case of Senator Burton, of Kansas.

FRANK COULDN'T WAIT

New York, Oct. 24.—Frank Gustafson, the convicted wife murderer, who was to have been sentenced today to die in the electric chair, committed suicide this morning by hanging himself in his cell at the toms.

Have Arrived at Cherbourg.

Cherbourg, Oct. 24.—The advance guard of the Russian Baltic fleet, consisting of torpedo boats in the outer harbor, but the ships which fired on the fishing vessels in the North Sea have not arrived. The utmost precaution is being taken to guard against an attack. It is reported that the Russian fleet had learned that a Japanese attack might be made on the squadron in the English channel.

Actor Was a Bad One.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Lee Kertin, a young actor from Kentucky, was arrested today charged with stealing jewelry valued at \$7000 from room in downtown hotels. Much of the booty was recovered.

Bryan Talks.

Barton, Ohio, 24.—W. J. Bryan began his tour of Ohio here today, with a short speech to the miners. He will travel 400 miles and make 16 speeches today.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF SHAKHE BATTLE

Port Arthur Garrison Is Compelled to Use Horse Meat as a Diet

St. Petersburg, Oct. 24.—A dispatch from General Stoessel dated October 20th, says: "The chief suffering among the members of the garrison at Port Arthur is due to a lack of warm clothing. The soldiers are manufacturing for themselves shoes from all kinds of material. There is still an immense quantity of flour, but only a little horse meat. The garrison is determined to fight until the last man is dead and the last drop of blood spilled."

rifle shot of each other. General Kurapatkin has ordered a renewal of the offensive movement.

Rome, Oct. 24.—A dispatch from Tokio states that the Japanese losses at Port Arthur were 8300 killed and 26,000 wounded. The Japanese, it is said, lost 31 guns during the engagement.

London, Oct. 24.—At 12:15 o'clock today the Russian Baltic fleet passed Alderney island, in the English channel, off the coast of Normandy.

Gibraltar, Oct. 24.—The British channel fleet arrived off here this morning, and an officer immediately boarded the flagship with dispatches.

Tokio, Oct. 24.—Marshal Oyama reports further information regarding the battle of Shakhe, which shows the number of Russian prisoners taken at 709 and the corpses found on the battlefield numbered 13,333.

Copenhagen, Oct. 24.—The Russian icebreaker Ermak arrived in the roads in a damaged condition.



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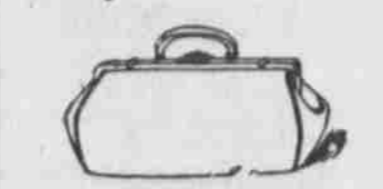
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