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JAPANESE CAPTURE IM- PORTANT FORTS

Renew Assault on Port Arthur Receive Reinforcements on Shahke River

Tokyo, Nov. 3.—Information from these sources indicate that the Japanese have captured a position on the east side of Port Arthur at the mouth of the river, and practically sealing the entrance to the harbor. For the capture of the citadel. For the capture of the citadel. For the capture of the citadel.

Everything connected with the inquiry, which will be held at Vigo, is reported as proceeding smoothly.

Tokyo, Nov. 3.—News from Port Arthur is to the effect that today's bombardment is of the fiercest description. Five Russian warships in the harbor are reported seriously damaged.

Rome, Nov. 3.—A telegram from Chefoo asserts that Marshal Oyama has been reinforced by 23,000 men and 93 guns since the first battle of Shahke river.

Rome, Nov. 3.—A dispatch from Tokio states that the Japanese have tunneled from Pigeon Bay to within eight miles of Golden Hill fortress.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 3.—A telegram from Mukden reports that the Japanese on Tuesday night advanced against the Russian right flank on both sides of the railway, but were repulsed.

New Chwang, Nov. 3.—Explosions occurred early this morning inside the Port Arthur fortress. It is believed that magazines or mines were blown up.

turned. Many are reported injured. Physicians and police have gone from this city to the scene of the accident, which is four miles east of here.

Lawrence police, on the scene, have telephoned for ambulances from this city. They report 20 persons seriously injured, and at least one critically.

GENERAL STOESSEL WOUNDED

London, Nov. 3.—The Exchange telephone has a St. Petersburg dispatch that General Stoessel has been wounded in the leg at Port Arthur.

WRECKED SAILORS KILLED

Arabia, Nov. 3.—The captain and 21 members of the crew of the steamship Baron Innerdale were massacred, after being wrecked on the Arabian coast. Troops have been sent to avenge the murder.

Special Car Derailed.
North Andover, Mass., Nov. 3.—A message from North Andover says: A special electric car carrying the Hon. Witches and Danvers Jolly Tars, campaign companies, which participated in a Republican parade in this last night, while running at a high rate of speed, was derailed and overturned.

The Credit Buyer Pays For The Accomodation

he pays for the credit extended to his neighbors. The only way to pay for goods that other people bought and failed to pay for is to cash at a cash store.

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LINN COUNTY THIEF SLIPS SHERIFF WHITE

Officer Had Him Out for An Airing and He Took Leg Bail

Albany, November 3.—Albert Connett escaped from the jail yard in this city last evening while under the charge of Sheriff R. L. White. Connett is charged, together with his brother, Ira, with stealing a rifle from a mountain cabin last summer, while Ira was escaping to Eastern Oregon, after breaking out of the Sodaville town jail. Ira was captured near Prineville shortly after, but escaped from a stage while being brought back by Sheriff White.

About a month ago Ira broke out of the Linn county jail, and it cost the county considerable money to recapture him. The forgery charge was dismissed against him, but he was rearrested, and Albert was also taken into custody on the charge as above stated.

Last evening Sheriff White took Kelso or King, the Salem bicycle thief, and young Connett out to the wood shed to carry in the wood. No sooner had Connett set foot on the fresh grass than he longed for liberty, and he started. The sheriff did not have a weapon on him, and was compelled to stand and hold Kelso and watch Connett make rapid strides toward the outskirts of the city. Sheriff White will organize a posse and go in pursuit of his man at once, as he is determined to capture him. Many are inclined to criticize the officer for allowing the prisoners too much freedom. By the time Linn county gets through with the Connetts it may be necessary to levy a special tax.

PANAMA JUST ONE YEAR OLD

Colon, Nov. 3.—The first anniversary of the independence of the republic of Panama was celebrated today with fitting ceremonies. The city was decorated in honor of the occasion, and several meetings were held at which the leading orators of the republic addressed the people.

Tonight there will be a fireworks display. Among the decorations of the city are a number of American flags and pictures of President Roosevelt are hung in many windows. No trouble is reported in the canal zone. Marines are patrolling the zone and safeguarding property from any attack.

Escaped the Law.

Long Creek, Or., Nov. 3.—Rather than face the charge against him, William Wiebel, a prominent stockman of the Monument neighborhood, shot himself in the head a few days since, and has just died of the wound. During his residence here of six years Wiebel had created scandal among his neighbors or account of his alleged relations with his stepdaughter. Just before the attempt at suicide he would have killed both wife and step daughter in a family row, but for their timely escape to the house of a neighbor. A warrant was sworn out for his arrest, but the man had mortally wounded himself before it could be served.

TALKS IN NUTMEG STATE

New York, Nov. 3.—Parker left New York at 10:15 o'clock this morning, to make three speeches in Connecticut, at Bridgeport, New Haven and Hartford. He will return to New York tomorrow. Committees of prominent Connecticut Democrats met the nominee at the Grand Central station, and will accompany him on his tour of the state.

Bridgeport, Conn., Nov. 3.—The Parker special train arrived here at 11:45 this morning, and hundreds of people were at the station and cheered the candidate. He was driven to the residence of Rev. Mr. Gibney, where the candidate's mother, Mrs. Harriet E. F. Parker, of Derby, Conn., greeted him. The meeting was unexpected, as Parker did not anticipate seeing her until after the election. After lunch he was driven to the armory, where he addressed 2000, and then left for New Haven.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 3.—Parker's special train arrived here at 3 o'clock, and was greeted by a big crowd. He was heartily cheered.

He spoke to 3000, mostly students. His reception was not so enthusiastic as at Bridgeport.

It is reported from Tokio that the Russian prisoners of war of Jewish and Polish origin now held in Japan have expressed to the officers in charge of them their desire to become naturalized Japanese after the war.

VOTERS MUST CAST BALLOTS ONE WAY

Can Not Vote for Prohibition in Precinct and Against It in County

The sample ballots for the election in Marion county are prepared and contain the names of the presidential electors of the five parties, and the prohibition law. There are three separate ballots on the last.

A petition was filed asking for the submission of the prohibition question in a district composed of Salem precincts Nos. 2, 3 and 4, a petition for prohibition in a district composed of Stayton and Sublimity precincts, and a petition for the entire county.

In Salem precincts Nos. 2, 3 and 4 the ballot will read for or against prohibition in Marion county, and for or against prohibition in the district embracing precincts Nos. 2, 3 and 4. In Stayton and Sublimity precincts the question will be voted on for the entire county, and also for the district embracing those two precincts.

If a voter wants to vote for prohibition in Salem precinct No. 4, for instance, he must vote for prohibition for the entire county, or vice versa. A voter cannot vote for or against prohibition in the county and the opposite in the district, or he will lose his vote, and his ballot will not be counted.

Many persons in the sub-division wish to vote on prohibition for that part of the county separately. The law does not, however, permit them to do so. E. C. Bronough, author of the law, said yesterday that the law is so clear on that point as to leave no ambiguity. In his opinion, if a person should vote in any other way than that prescribed by the law, the ballot would be rejected in the count. Such was the opinion of a number of prominent lawyers also. The law's requirements are specific, and the elector must conform to them in his expression at the polls.

This condition will result in such confusion on election day. In the Salem precincts many think that all that is necessary is to vote for or against prohibition in the county. Voters who oppose prohibition will vote against the law, it is feared, and lose sight of the district. In this way prohibition might be defeated in the county, and yet in this district carry.

It will require care on behalf of the voters, owing to the many peculiarities of the law, and they should see that they are not disfranchised on election day.

CODY BANK ROBBERS ELUDED PURSUERS

"Buffalo Bill" Will Arrive This Evening and Take Up the Man Hunt

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 3.—At dawn the posse in pursuit of the Cody bank robbers whipped the timber on Cottonwood creek in which the robbers were supposed to be secreted, but found their quarry had fled, having slipped through the cordon of guards during the night. The robbers recured fresh horses and have a good start. It is reported that Harvey Logan, the notorious Montana

bandit, is at the head of the gang, which is now making for the "Hole in the Wall" rendezvous, where they will be safe from pursuit. The rewards for the gang now aggregate \$25,000. Col. Cody, with his English guests were delayed on the railroad, and will not reach Cody until this evening. Horses and the outfit are in readiness, and will start on the man-hunt immediately on their arrival.

GREAT RELIGIOUS FEAST

Rome, Nov. 3.—Pope Pius this morning decided to make December 8th the 50th anniversary of the promulgation of the doctrine of the Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary, a great religious festival. An enormous picture of the virgin will be placed over the altar in St. Peter's and dedicated on that day.

RECOVER MINERS BODIES

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 3.—The bodies of eight of the 10 victims of yesterday's accident at the Muchinlass shaft were recovered today, so badly mutilated by the fall that only one was identified. The accident makes six widows and 14 orphans.

Drank Lye by Mistake.

Wallace, Idaho, Nov. 3.—Ed. Benjamin, one of the locators of the Tiger-Poorman group at Burks, died at a hospital here yesterday from the effects of drinking lye. While in his cabin yesterday he mistook a can of lye for one of cream, and drank of the poison. He was 75 years old, and a resident of the Coeur d'Alenes since 1883.

SPOONER DEFIES LEADERS

Milwaukee, Nov. 3.—Senator Spooner has thrown down the gauntlet to President Roosevelt and the national committee. He will speak here on Saturday night for the Stalwarts and against LaFollette, contrary to the wishes of the national committee, who requested him to "quit knocking" the half-breed faction.

INJURY WAS NOT SERIOUS

Washington, Nov. 3.—President Roosevelt has entirely recovered from the effects of the recent fall from his horse "Blenheim" in Rock Creek Park. He suffered only a slight abrasion of the skin on his forehead, and it is now entirely healed. He takes his daily ride, as usual.

All the five planetary satellites discovered since 1846 have been found by Americans. They include Hyperion, the seventh satellite of Saturn, Demos and Phobos, the little moons of Mars, and Phoebe, the ninth moon of Saturn.

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is now in progress. The spot table Damaska, Napkins, Sets, Cloths, etc., etc., are being offered at very low prices.
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64-inch damask67c
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\$1.38
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75c

MEN'S VESTS

No man's wardrobe is complete without at least one fancy vest, or "waistcoat," if you prefer the fancy name. According to the fashion reviews, their popularity is greater than ever before. You won't wonder at their popularity when you've seen the beauties we're showing. The weaves are various, the colorings exquisite. They range from the White Figue Full Dress Vests to the richly figured Browns and Mixtures. See our big display in our furnishings department. Our usual low prices prevail throughout.

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