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RUSSIAN GENERAL FLINCHES

He Cannot Face Japan With Army and Navy at His Command

Weakness of the Czar's Government Exposed in a Letter to a Relative for Which He is Reprimanded

St. Petersburg, May 4.—Rojevsky has written a letter to a relative here, in which he complains that it will be impossible for him to fight with the material at his command. The lack of discipline is appalling. He concludes: "These are the men and the ships with which I am expected to face a powerful Japanese fleet. It is a hopeless enterprise; nothing short of a miracle can save us from annihilation." It is said the government very strongly resents the publication of the letter. The ministers have reprimanded Rojevsky for his indiscretion.

Singapore, May 4.—The British steamer Selangor arrived today, and reports that it passed a division of the Russian warships off Jugrah, between the island of Penang and Singapore, at 9 o'clock this morning.

Amoy, China, May 4.—A typhoon, which swept over the coast of South China this week, is said to have damaged the second Pacific squadron considerably. All the lighter vessels are reported scattered.

Singapore, May 4.—A fleet that is evidently Nebogatoff's has effected a safe passage into the China Sea, and probably is on the way to join Rojevsky. A report says that two transports of the fleet put into Sadong, on the north coast of Sumatra, apparently damaged as the result of a collision.

The division of ships sighted off Jugrah consisted of four battleships, two cruisers, four colliers and a hospital ship. It is expected that the vessels will pass Singapore about midnight. With good weather they will be able to join Rojevsky in four days.

Hong Kong, May 4.—A Chinese official report says definitely that the greater portion of the Russian Baltic fleet arrived at Laong Sol bay, on the south coast of the Island of Hainan, May 1st.

Warsaw, May 4.—Rioting occurred in several parts of the city this morning, and further trouble is imminent. The Social Democrats appear determined to enforce their manifesto proclaiming a general strike.

Northwest News.
The \$2000 farm house of W. J. Smith, seven miles north of Aberdeen, was burned.
Senator Fulton is said to oppose the removal of the Oregon City land office to Portland.

TEAMSTERS STRIKE SPREADS

Strike Breakers Continue to Divide

New Teamsters Firms Join Hands With Those Who Are Out

Chicago, May 4.—Aside from a riot call from Archer avenue, where white men are besieged by colored strike-breakers, no disorder is reported in the teamsters' strike early this morning. It is expected that the employers will renew the attempt to get the local authorities to ask the governor for troops. The governor has announced that he will send troops only on application of the proper authorities. The employers announced this morning that they would attempt to send out 1100 wagons today. The strike spread today to the Walsh-Boyle Co. and the Corbin-May Co., 32 teamsters refusing to deliver goods to the boycotted houses. Thirty strike-breakers arrived from Cincinnati for Montgomery, Ward & Co., but four deserted when they learned that the strike was on.

Innocent Man Killed.
Charles Riebling was attacked and probably fatally injured by strike-breakers at the Hub barns, at 19th and Dearborn streets, this morning. The trouble began by the shooting of John Dansberry, a negro, in the leg. Riebling had nothing to do with the riot, which the police quelled.

Held for Manslaughter.
John Teresa, driver of the bus that ran over and killed Police Sergeant Cummings, while the latter was on strike duty, was held to the grand jury this morning in the sum of \$5000 bail, on a charge of manslaughter.

Open Rebellion Exists.
A committee of 12 prominent bus-

PLEADS FOR OLD IRELAND

Earl of Dunraven For Government

Noted Liberal Lord Denounces Present System of Governing Ireland

London, May 4.—The Earl of Dunraven has written a remarkable pamphlet entitled "The Crisis in Ireland; an Account of the Present Conditions, With Suggestions for Reform," in which he exhaustively reviews the existing situation. The earl says: "Ireland is at a crisis in her history. Year by year the country has been sinking deeper and deeper in misfortune and has now reached a point at which it must be decided whether the dominant tendencies shall continue to the inevitable melancholy end, or whether a supreme effort shall be made to lift the country out of the bankruptcy in man-power, intelligence and material property which so immediately threatens it."

Lord Dunraven says the land act made a good beginning, but that it is not sufficient to save the country. "As a matter of fact," he adds, "in watching the interine political strife in England the world has overlooked the causes of the distressful condition, and has seen merely the quarrels of political parties."

Asks for Self-Government.
He discusses at length the existing situation, and states that the British government, if it desires to maintain the union, must provide money for the education of the people, and give the country a measure of self-government which will afford the people an opportunity to appreciate their own good qualities. He appeals to the Moderates in Ireland to lay aside their differences

ARRESTED FOR MAIL ROBBING

Discovery of Missing Pouch Was Made by the Keen Scent of a Dog

(Special to the Daily Capital Journal.)
Woodburn, May 4.—Yesterday afternoon a United States marshal arrived here from Portland, and arrested B. J. Kuper, of this place, on the charge of robbing the United States mails. It will be remembered that on April 12th, last, a valuable registered package, containing \$470, disappeared from the mails in some mysterious manner, and for a time no trace could be discovered as to its whereabouts, or who could be the guilty party. A secret agent was put to work on the case, but could find nothing in the way of direct evidence tending to incriminate any one. Kuper, who is employed as baggage master in the Southern Pacific depot, was suspected, as he also has charge of delivering the mail sacks to the passing trains. Every day he comes to the postoffice and gets the sack. He is accustomed to lock the sack himself when the mail is made up, and no one suspected but that he was honest, and he was not watched. About a week ago some boys were playing ball in front of the depot, and the ball rolling under the building, they went in after it. A dog followed them under, and as he nosed about suddenly began digging in the earth, finally succeeding in uncovering and hauling out the missing registered sack. It was found to be empty, however, having been cut open and the contents rifled. Suspicion was, of course, directed to Kuper, resulting in his arrest. The theory is that Kuper, when he went after the mail, noticed the registered package, and wishing to gain possession, did not lock the sack, but, after carrying it over to the baggage room, abstracted the desired article and then locked the mail up. He probably imagined the package safe

from discovery when he hid it beneath the depot, little thinking that the crime would come to light through the instrumentality of a dog.

DROWNED ALL ON BOARD

Newport, R. I., May 4.—The tug Gertrude reports the loss of the big barge Monbeam, which broke away and foundered off Point Judith last night. All on board were drowned, including the captain, engineer, steward and two children of the captain.

RAILWAY CONGRESS MEETS

Washington, May 4.—The seventh international railway congress was formally opened at 11 o'clock this morning. Representatives of the railways of every country in the world were present. Vice-President Fairbanks delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the American people. Arthur Dubois, of Belgium responded in behalf of the congress.

The first hold-up attempted at Salem by outside robbers will furnish a job for the undertaker.

PATTERSON WOMAN FAINTED

When Jury Came in Second Time With Disagreement

New York, May 4.—Nan Patterson is quite recovered this morning from her complete collapse in the court, where she lay for 12 minutes in a dead faint, while the jury was making its second and last report that it could not agree. She expressed keen disappointment at the failure of the jury to acquit her. Her counsel will move at the earliest opportunity that she be admitted to nominal bail, which will not be opposed by the district attorney, it is thought.

It is reported that the last ballot was 11 for manslaughter in the first degree and one for acquittal. The lone juror stood out until the end. He refused to be brought over. When the jurors were discharged the prostrate girl was borne from the room in the chair in which she fainted. She was restored to consciousness by a Tombs physician and put to bed, where she fell into a sound sleep, awakening much refreshed this morning. Counsel Levy said this morning that he was disappointed that the girl was not acquitted, but she would never be placed on trial again.

JAP ARMY MOVES

Gunshu Pass, May 4.—The armies of Nodzu, Oku and Kuroki are concentrating along the line from Tie Pass with the right flank extended northeast. Kamimura is northeast of Negi and west of Tie Pass. This grouping indicates a move of the right flank first when Oyama advances.

Chicago Markets.
Chicago, May 4.—Cash wheat, 92½@91½; corn, 48¼@47¼; oats, 29¼@29%.

The Florsheim Quality Shoe sold by E. L. IRVIN & CO.
IS THE SAFEST GUARANTEE UNDER WHICH TO BUY SHOES.
IT HAS STOOD TWENTY YEARS FOR HONEST FOOTWEAR. IT INSURES WEAR, FIT AND SATISFACTION.

ness men left by special train at noon for Springfield, to urge the governor to send troops to Chicago. They will declare that open rebellion exists on the streets, and that the police authorities are powerless to preserve peace or restore order. Both Mayor Dunne and Sheriff Barrett refused to request the governor to send troops.

Riot This Afternoon.
A caravan of 30 loaded coal wagons, escorted by 60 policemen, was attacked by a mob at the corner of Wabash and Hubbard Court this afternoon, and the strike-breakers were made the targets for all kinds of missiles. William Hill a colored teamster, was struck on the head by a brick, and is unconscious. He may die. Policeman William Fox is seriously injured. Several shots were fired, but none took effect.

Therapeutic Society Wins.
Philadelphia, Pa., May 4.—Leading lights of the medical world are gathered here from many parts of the country for the sixth annual meeting of the American Therapeutic Society, which began here today, with headquarters at the Bellevue-Stratford. The sessions will continue three days, during which time papers will be presented and the latest results of the curative science discussed.

and do something for the salvation of the country. He says that Ireland's best are continually drifting "toward fanatic asylums, and the remainder will remain in Ireland only by necessity."

Irish Lead in Other Lands.
Lord Dunraven assails with the utmost bitterness the present system of government in Ireland as a gross anachronism which satisfies no one. He contends that the Irish are not lazy or devoid of intelligence, and points out that they do good work and become leaders of men in every quarter of the globe. Their need at home, he says, is that teaching which the responsibility of their own affairs alone can give.

INDICT WHITE CAPPERS
Jackson, Mich., May 4.—The federal grand jury returned indictments against 300 citizens of Franklin county on a charge of whitecapping. The specific charge is intimidation of government homesteaders. Sheriff Newman is among those indicted.

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