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Japan Tea 12c, Baking Powder 12c, Japan Tea 15c

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A Tremendous Strike—Old Prices Go Out—New

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Received to-day—a new lot white duck for dresses.

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Everywhere you look in our establishment popular quick selling prices look at you.

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The celebrated kid-fitting D. & A. Corsets continue to increase in popularity every month.

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In a blouse that came from Lewis & Patterson's New lines just received from the factory. Cool, easy-fitting and comfortable—there's style in 'em.

Why our stock is like a wholesale one, and bought from the best makers in Great Britain. When we knife prices you generally profit by it—don't you now?

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Monday Morning, 9 a.m., July 9, 1894.

This will be the greatest sale of first-class goods of all kinds the people of Brockville and country have ever had a chance of getting at the prices. There will be no reserve, and people who have money will see the immense reduction in prices, as all goods have always been marked in plain figures at the store. This sale is made to reduce the stock and make room.

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JAPAN'S ROYAL DEPARTMENT

Twenty Thousand Chinese Troops Marching Upon Seoul.

FORMAL DECLARATION OF WAR

Japan Apologizes to Great Britain for the Loss of the Kow Shing—Eight Russian Warships Sail for the East—Ambassadors Called Home.

London, Aug. 6.—The Exchange Telegraph Company declares that between China and Japan has been formally declared.

The admiralty has ordered Vice-Admiral Fremantle, who commands the British squadron off the east coast, to approach Chinese and Japanese ports, and while observing strict neutrality, to watch the progress of operations.

Private despatches say that Japan has closed her legation and recalled her minister and all her consuls from China.

Tokyo, Aug. 6.—The Japanese government has instructed its minister in London to apologize to Great Britain for firing upon and sinking the Japanese vessel, while she was flying the British flag, and to inform Great Britain that the commander of the Japanese fleet did not know the Kow Shing was a British vessel until after the fight.

Captain Galloway, of the Kow Shing, and many other persons who were on board the transport, were rescued by the boats of the Japanese navy.

Shanghai, Aug. 6.—At 11 o'clock in the morning of July 27, the day after the attack on the Chinese transports which resulted in the sinking of the Kow Shing, the Japanese warships Takachiho and Hiyu made an attack upon the Chinese fleet.

After a long and desperate fight the Japanese vessels were beaten off, but they were heavily damaged, and the Chinese fleet, though badly damaged, succeeded in reaching port in safety in company with two gunboats, which also took part in the engagement, and immediately went into dry dock for repairs after her two days' fighting.

At Yashan, the Chinese are strongly entrenched there and that repeated attempts have been made by the Japanese to dislodge them.

A portion of the Chinese soldiers engaged in these battles were the best troops of the Japanese army.

The Chinese losses were small.

The Chinese minister will leave Tokyo today. The Japanese flag was hauled down from the consulate yesterday.

The light has been removed from the mouth of the Yellow River, which is being reported to be about to sail from Vladivostok. Fifteen hundred Japanese were killed at Yashan.

London, Aug. 6.—The Times' despatch from Shanghai says that reports have been received from foreign officials at Seoul, the capital of Korea, that the Chinese, under General Yoo, on Sunday last defeated the Japanese forces near Yoo.

It is added that the Japanese withdrew to Seoul. Twenty thousand Manchurian troops have been ordered to Seoul.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Times says: "The inquiry into the Kow Shing affair was conducted by the commissioners of customs in Tien Tsin in the presence of the foreign consuls."

Forty-five survivors stated that on the morning of the 25th the Japanese ordered the Kow Shing to anchor off the island of Shupooan.

The transport remained there until noon, being twice boarded. Without having given any protestation she was fired upon and sunk.

The Japanese fired with gatlings at the swimmers long after the Kow Shing had foundered.

The Daily Chronicle's Tokyo correspondent says that the Japanese fleet in company with the Kow Shing, and a great naval sight is expected.

The Emperor has directed Li Hung Chang of the Yellow Jacket in consequence of supposed remissness in prosecuting war.

London, Aug. 6.—The action of the Emperor in directing the Yellow Jacket to prosecute the war is a great blow to the Japanese.

The Emperor has been influenced in his action by members of his cabinet, who are in favor of a more European policy. It is expected that Sir Robert Hart, the British representative, will support Li Hung Chang.

The soldiers beheld at Tien Tsin for the first time the Japanese flag, and their uniforms and their eagles on their hats terrified the army.

An edict has gone forth that the army will receive double pay and a large bonus has been offered to officers competent to navigate the Chinese naval vessels and transports.

London, Aug. 6.—Sir Halliday Macartney, councillor of the Chinese legation and the new Chinese minister called at Oshani House yesterday and the minister presented credentials. While at Osborne the minister announced the resignation of Li Hung Chang.

The Central News says that the Japanese legation is supposed to be preparing another statement of the Kow Shing affair. At the cabinet meeting yesterday the war in the east was the chief subject of discussion.

After the meeting the Earl of Kimberley sent messages to many British agents in the east.

The Daily Chronicle's Tokyo correspondent says it is reported that a fresh collision has taken place in Korea. After their defeat at Yashan the Japanese assembled their whole available strength, attacked the Chinese and achieved a decisive victory.

The A. R. V. Abandones the Strike. The railway union will not officially declare the railroad strike off, and neither will it advise the companies of the strike.

The members of the organization of each road will be allowed to return separately if they so desire, but they will not be allowed to receive neither orders nor advice from the union as a whole. This was the sense of the convention which assembled in this city to discuss the situation.

Large Sawmill Destroyed. PETERBOROUGH, Aug. 6.—Fire destroyed large sawmill owned by W. B. Kelly, Bridgeport, six miles from Peterborough. Loss, \$8,000; insurance, \$8,000.

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NEWS TOPICS OF A WEEK

The Important Events in a Few Words For Busy Readers.

The ocean was in a fever. Barrels had a \$17,000 blaze Thursday. Gladstone will not visit the United States.

Harvesting is in full blast in Manitoba this week.

Crawford county, Indiana, has a plague of black spiders.

Mamers, S. D., was almost wiped out by fire Thursday.

Another revolution is expected to break out shortly in Brazil.

The strike commission will meet in Chicago on August 10 for business.

A co-operative colony is to be established on an island near Vancouver, B. C.

Chauncey Bradley died Friday in Rome, aged 84.

M. Molders, the leader of the Belgian Socialist Labor party, has become a hopeless case.

Cesario, the murderer of President Carnot of France, was sentenced to death at Lyons.

A. M. McKay of Montreal, N. B., has been appointed General Secretary of the Hamilton Y. M. C. A.

A French spy has been arrested near Genoa with plans of the Italian Alps for his possession.

The destroyer, Newfoundland, Jacob Selgove and his son were drowned by their boat upsetting.

Heavy rains have extinguished the Wisconsin forest fires and cleared the atmosphere of smoke and dust.

A large portion of the town of Mink, capital of the Russian Government of that name, has been destroyed by fire.

At Cornwall Thursday a young Hebrew pedlar named David was killed by a horse.

All the packing houses in South Omaha, Neb., were forced to close Thursday by a strike of cattle and hog butchers.

Ten persons were drowned near Barnmouth, Wales, Thursday morning by the upsetting of two boats by a squall.

Dr. Cornelius Tiers, the Panama lobbyist, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$3,000.

During a row at a mining camp near Pitkin, Kan., six men were killed and seven men and eight women were wounded.

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