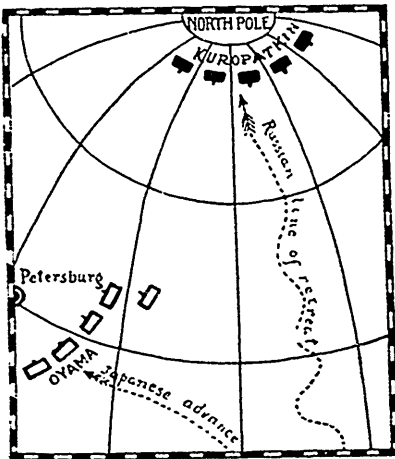


fifty years public property. It will be of incalculable benefit to the busy toilers in that human hive. Another underground city has been created. Stores and offices line some of the most crowded sections of the tunnel. One may transact a vast amount of business without coming to the surface, and may reach many of the skyscraper buildings through their sub-basements.

The same day Chicago announced that a similar subway will be created in that city. Already the many miles of tunnels deliver freight direct from all the railways to the warehouses, and soon the western city will have a system even more complete than that of New York.



SOCIALIST SARCASM.

Strategical and tactical diagram of the
"Wahre Jacob" (Stuttgart).

The Boston Herald represents our venerable kinswoman, the State of Massachusetts, as trying to make friends with the strapping young damsel Canada, whose rapid growth makes evident the advantage of commercial good will and reciprocity rather than estrangement and antagonism. The coercion policy has utterly failed. Perhaps the rising sun of a better day may see the restored trade relations, which will be so beneficial to both countries.

The birth of an heir to the Imperial and royal households of Russia and Italy brings into sharp contrast the outlook of these prospective sovereigns. For the one innocent babe



"Kuropatkin has left Mukden in safety and is moving north."—News Dispatch.

—New York American.

there is but the prospect of "double, double toil and trouble," anarchy, and revolution. and the bugaboo of Japanese conquest gathering round his cradle bed. For the young Prince of Piedmont a fairer horoscope beckons. The despotism of centuries has been overthrown, a united Italy rejoices in his birth. Instead of a temporal sovereignty of the Pope, which maintained the worst government in Europe, a free Church in a free State, a free press, and free parliament are the presage of liberty.

Though Britain takes no advantage of the tremendous blunder of the Russians in the North Sea, the hysterical fears and demented action of the Russian armada has made it the laughing-stock of the world. If in the home waters it mistakes fishing boats for hostile cruisers and recklessly rakes these peaceful craft, and also German, Danish, and



Japan continues to persuade England that the war cannot be carried on without money.
—O-kolki.