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IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT

London Jan 12 -King Edward at fo-

steps for her own protection.

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"With all Russia is the belief that the

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RUSSIAN CAVALRY

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CONFLICTS WITH JAPS SOUTHWEST OF LIAO YANG

Were Repulsed at All Points - Mikado's Troops Are Pursuing Force Which Attacked Newchwang.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 12.—The war office explains that the reason for Lieut.-General Stoessel giving his parole and returning to Russia instead of remaining at the head of the heroic troops who sharing their fate as a prisoner of war in Japan. is that it is incumbent on him to bring a detailed report of the defence to bring a detailed report of the defence of the fortress to the Emperor. Rear-Admiral Dochinsky, who is senior

HUNDREDS OF GUNS

the Japanese captured at Port Arthur to Vladivostock. 546 guns, 82,670 shells, 30,000 kilos of RUSSIAN WARSHIPS powder and 2,266,800 rounds of rifle am-

The Japanese war office has notified British generals are a companying the er a's action in also sending an

officer of such high rank. RUSSIAN WARSHIPS

after it opened this morning.

SUBSCRIBED IN CAPITAL WITHIN A HALF HOUR.

FIFTY THOUSAND MEN.

Tokio, Jan. 12.—The Japanese achieve ment of Port Arthur is more remarkable in the light of further investigations. The original Russian strength is now estimated to have been almost 50,000. ed combatants will eventually be brought Gen. Nogi's headquarters' staff at Port

Arfthur are at present devoting their energies to dispatching the prisoners to and clearing the way for a thorough in-

the harbor at Port Arthur by sinking stone-laden steamers in the channel are expected to arrive at Sasebo to-day. The fate of 70 companions is unknown. RUSSIAN ACTIVITY

SOUTHWEST OF LIAO YANG.

Tokio, Jan. 13.—The bodies of Russian cavalry raiders actively operating south-west of Liao Yang are evidently desirous of harassing Japanese railroad communi-

Niuchiatun, but were repulled." COSSACKS REPULSED

BY THE JAPANESE.

ly defeated a detachment of Ninth Siof the engagement is not stated. The Cossacks retreated in leaving nine men dead on the field.

The spoils taken by the Jajanese included two horses and a number of rifles and swords. RAILWAY SLIGHTLY DAMAGED BY RAIDERS.

Tokio, Jan. 13.-2 p.m.-Russian cavalry raiders have slightly damaged the railway between Anchantien, Haichang and Tashihchio.

The above dispatch evidently refers to at the head of the heroic troops who a previous cablegram to the Associated formed the garrison of Port Arthur and Press from Gen. Oku's headquarters in

naval officer, will bring the naval report. JAPANESE CAPTURE BRITISH STEAMER.

Tokio, Jan. 13.-The Japanese armored FOR THE JAPANESE. cruiser Tokiwa captured in the sea of Tokio, Jan. 12.—Gen. Nogi reports that | Japan on January 11th the British steamer Roseley, loaded with coal, consigned SAIL FROM SUEZ.

Suez, Egypt, Jan. 13.—The division of American minister Griscomb that it will the Russian second Pacific squadron, be pleased to permit General Macarthur commanded by Rear-Admiral Botrovsky, and one aide to accompany the army of sailed southward this morning, presum-Japan in Manchuria. At present two aby for Jibutil, French Somaliland.

WILL DEAL WITH CHINA. Paris, Jan. 13 .- The Associated Press AUSSIAN WARSHIPS

ARE OUT OF CANAL.

Suez. Egypt, Jan. 12.—The division of Russia claims to be absolute proof of

order, has accepted the command of Japanese officers. Third-That Chinese firms have been onstantly working in behalf of the Japanese, supplying them with provisions,

St. Petersburg, Jan. 12.—The Russian subscription to the new loan opened at 10 o'clock this morning, and was fully subscribed to within a half hour. It went at a premium of one point during the day.

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thanked the officers and men for the heroic defence and said he considered that the Japanese terms were the best it was possible to have offered. He ous armored trucks for the railroad and army of equal numbers, and they are armored wagons for the automobile checked. The new year will show the Russian flag raised again along the bord-arm of the warm water." that the Japanese terms were the best it was possible to have offered. He added that he would take all the blame for the premature surrender of the The Japanese also are buying large are of the warm water."

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The Vremya alone comments the chiral part of the warm water." It is announced at the army head-quarters that in addition to the prison-ers already reported about 13,000 wound-for the premature surrender of the

and fortifications at Port Arthur after his letter looking to the opening of negoand clearing the way for a thorough investigation of the spoils of war.

Confused reports reach Tokio of the condition of the city. It was said to-day that General Nogl will not return to Tokio at present.

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Tokio, Jan. 13.-Noon.-A report re- ber, "neither of which was heeded." It fight, and did everything in their power ceived yesterday at the imperial military has an entirely different ring, setting to check the progress of the enemy, headquarters from the Japanese army forthe breaches of Chinese neutrality. headquarters in Korea, says that the Should General Ma or any Chinese uphold the honor of the Russian people. Japanese garrison at Hamheung recent-troops now move Russia will feel herself Russia, with pride and admiration, foldefeated a detachment of Ninth Sicompelled to cross the Liao river into the
neutral zone. As for the powers, Russia believes the situation has become
serious owing to the stimulus given antiforeign agitation in China by the fall of
The snoils taken by the Jajanese in-

> to prevent the extension of the zone of stilities and to compel China to adopt drastic measures against the present agi-tation in the interior of that empire.

RUSSIAN CASUALTIES

Wednesday, retreated in a disorderly condition to North Takaoan, south of Newchwang, leaving 62 killed and six wounded behind. Many abandoned their arms and accourrements in their first successful the strength of the stren flight.

It is believed Russian casualties exceed 200. The Japanese routed the Russians near Newchwang on Friday.

JAPS LOST ONE DEAD AND FIFTEEN WOUNDED. enemy. (Signed) Nicholas.

Tokio, Jan. 14.-The Japanese casualties in the recent fighting at Newchwang and other places, involved in the Russian raid, are estimated at one killed and fifteen wounded, all non-commissioned officers or privates. The Russion total losses are estimated at over 300. The Japanese report that the supplies munitions stored at Newchwang and Niuchiatun were not damaged.

Prince Fushimi and his suite are ex-

Sucz, Egypt, Jan. 12.—The division of the Russian second Pacific squadron, commanded by Rear-Admiral Botrovsky, arrived here to-day from Port Said.

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According to the future abuse of action in regard to the future abuse of neutrality.

Tokio, Jan. 13.—It is announced that General Stoessel, in bidding farewell to the Russian twoops at Port Arthur, thanked the officers and men for the heroic defence and said he considered that the Japanese terms were the best that the Japanese terms were the best in the Japanese terms were the best in the Japanese are building numerated and any of equal numbers, and they are strained and at the Lapanese are building numerated to the future abuse of the press is summed up in the first sporadic, but he had hoped they would soon be systematic and as much as much first sporadic, but he had hoped they would soon be systematic and as much as much for the Edward Kidd, M.P., Carleton county, and the thouse of Commons itself. He would be ashamed to give the audience the impression that all difficulties had been removed. He are conjuncted in the first sporadic, but he had hoped they would soon be systematic and as much for the front. They have done well, but not well enough. They have done well, but not well enough the first sporadic, but he had hoped they would soon be systematic and as much as method now pursued so successfully by the American Amateur Union. Slight said that he offered, when he heard that the offered and figure skating.

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which are being moved to the front.

Much drilling is proceeding at all parts of the Japanese lines. Many new Japanese troops have been moved into position and received their happing of forms against the Novoe Yremya says it is a finite enor smound be made towards a association, with miform rule forward movement. For his own part ing every phase of the sport.

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ARRIVES AT NAGASAKT

Nagasaki, Jan. 14.—The Japanese Will Be Opened by the King on Febru-transport Kamakuru, which left Port ary 14th—Dissolution Rumors. Dalny on January 11th, with General Stoessel and others on board, arrived REPULSED WITH LOSS

OF EIGHTY MEN.

Tokio, Jan. 13.—A report from the Japanese army headquarters on the Liaotung peninsula, received to-day, says: "A body of Russiaus, evidently from Gen. Mistchenke's cavalry brigade, with the second infantry regiment, rail-road guards and guns recently surrounded the Japanese post at Niuchatun, north real officers. The Russian general was left by a guard of fiffy police and seveled the Japanese post at Niuchatun, north real officers. The Russian general was left by a guard of fiffy police and seveled the Japanese post at Niuchatun, north real officers. The Russian general was left by a guard of fiffy police and seveled the Japanese post at Niuchatun, north real officers. The Russian general was left by a guard of fiffy police and seveled the Japanese post at Niuchatun, north real officers. The Russian general was left by the Stogeward, at to-day's meeting of the privy council, signstering to day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the privy council, signstering to day's meeting of the privy council, signstering to day's meeting of the privy council, signstering to day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided them selves, not loosely connected with the mother council, signstering the provided them selves the first strength should find themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided them provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meeting of the privy council, signstering the provided themselves, not day's meet

PREMIER BALFOUR'S SPEECH AT GLASGOW

foreign agitation in China by the fall of Port Arthur.

In diplomatic circles considerable importance is attached to the note, and in the general opinion it is designed to induce Secretary Hay to initiate steps to bring joint pressure to bear, in order to prevent the extension of the zone of the zone of the convergence of the portion of the Russians who have fallen in the defence of Port Arthur. Far from home you have laid your bodies upon alien soil, a sacrifice to the dictates of your own honor and the

"Peace and honor is your portion. Al-ways will you be so held in our hearts London, Jan. 13 .- Premier Balfour was entertained at dinner at Glasgow "Honor to the living. May God re- last night and devoted much of his af-

small, but that it was too great and powerful, and at the same time undertime is coming when God will give developed. One of the greatest probstrength to our glorious army and navy lems before the country was that of de-to arise and break the forces of the velopment and the country was only just beginning to realize the importance of further development of all countries un-der the British flag. He briefly alluded SAILORS UNRIVALLED, to the Dogger Bank affair. He said Great Britain was leading in the move-Tokio, Jan. 14.-Lieut.-Gen. Nadien, ment looking to the world's peace, and who is one of the Russian officers who in the case of the Dogger Bank incident gave their parole at Port Arthur and had skirted the precipice of war and a who has arrived here, is sixty-five years small want of tact would have been a old. He said to an interviewer: discredit to civilization. In conclusion, "When I entered Port Arthur I was Mr. Balfour urged that it was the duty a major-general. Since then I have of all Britons to build up the machinery been promoted to the rank of lieutenant- by which the stronger union with the

JAPANESE TROOPS.

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dom and civilization. Concluding, Mr. Balfour said if these here by the Butte & Boston M

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Vancouver Mayoralty Contest.

Vancouver, Jan. 12.-Fred. Buscombe formerly of Hamilton, Out., was elected mayor to-day, defeating Mayor Mc-Guigan by a majority of 1,024. He had a majority in every ward. The aldermen elected were: Ward 1, Bethune and EXPERT COWIE HAS Halse; Ward 2, Cook and Stewart; Ward 3, Heaps and Wilson; Ward 4, Kemp and McDonald; Ward 5, Baxter and Morton; Ward 6, Johnson and Williams. License commissioners, W. Hunt and H. O. Clark. School trustees, Duke, Ferguson and McLennan. The water works and school by-laws both passed

At Nanaimo.

Nanaimo, Jan. 12.-A. E. Planta was to-day elected mayor over J. H. Cocking by a majority of 83 in a total vote of

Houston Elected.

elected mayor of Nelson to-day by fif-teen majority, ten in the West Ward and RUSSIAN CASUALITIES

MAY REACH 200.

Tokio, Jan. 14.—Additional reports from the Japanese headquarters says that Russian cavalry, which was defeated in the neighborhood of Yinkow on Wednesday, retreated in a disorderly with the moccurs 7,000 miles from one home, but Puezia is corrected. In the the standard of the moccurs 7,000 miles from one home, but Puezia is corrected. In the thousand of the moccurs 7,000 miles from one home, but Puezia is corrected. In the theusand ment, which involved a cost as much effected mayor of Nelson to-day by fifter dinner speech to the recent army and navy reform. He made no mention of dockyards. The two great problems with which the army had to deal, Mr. Balfour said, were the defence of Afghanistan and rearmach which involved a cost as much the recent army and one of Nelson to-day by fifter dinner speech to the recent army and navy reform. He made no mention of dockyards. The two great problems with which the army had to deal, Mr. Balfour said, were the defence of Afghanistan and rearmach are as follows: Alidermen are as follows: Alidermen are as follows: Alidermen occurs 7,000 miles from one home, which involved a cost as much the recent army and navy reform. He made no mention of dockyards. The two great problems with which the army had to deal, Mr. Balfour said, were the defence of Afghanistan and rearmach are also might and evoted much of the recent army and the proposition of dockyards. The two great problems with which the army had to deal, Mr. Balfour said, were the defence of Afghanistan and rearmach are a specific to the recent army and navy reform. He made no mention of dockyards. The two dockyards. The two great problems with which the army mention of dockyards. The two pour and aldermen are as follows: Alidermen the abolition of dockyards. The two and aldermen are as follows: Alder-great problems with which the army meh—West Ward: Harry Bird, 187; J. smaller and contain a had to deal, Mr. Balfour said, were the E. Anable, 214; D. M. McDonald, 210; the Atlantic herring. is strong and daring. This fight against them occurs 7,000 miles from our home, but Russia is powerful. In the thousand years of its existence have been still heavier trials, worse and more threatening dangers, but Russia ever arose from each with renewed force and strength. Do not let your souls be troubled by the lack of success and heavy losses, Russia's strength experience. The fight against them occurs 7,000 miles from our home, but Russia is powerful. In the thousand years of its existence have been still heavier trials, worse and more threatening dangers, but Russia ever arose from each with renewed force and strength. Do not let your souls be troubled by the lack of success and heavy losses, Russia's strength experience of Afghanistan and rearmance as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance for kip—device trials, worse and more threatening dangers, but Russia ever arose from each with renewed force and strength. Do not let your souls be troubled by the lack of success and heavy losses, Russia's strength experience of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the involved a cost as much defence of Afghanistan and rearmance to the following the following to the Afghanistan and rearmance to the following the foll

At Rossland. ilton was elected mayor by a majority

Kamloops Election.

vens won out for the mayoralty to-day in a three-cornered fight against John of salt was not used; hence it would latest returns for aldermen indicate the election of five out of six of the business tralia, the Strait Settlements, etc., as men's ticket, viz.: A. E. McLean, Robert well as in the Western States,
Mackay, J. M. Harper, D. C. McLeren (f. Dry salted Position begins in the Western States, and P. A. Barnhart, with a possibility of Ald. J. F. Smith being re-elected.

AMATEUR SKATERS.

ficulties before us than ever beset the the former the governing body of the Cleipner Athletic Club, both of Chicago,

erable."

Referring to the subject of the colonial conferences he said they were at first sporadic, but he had hoped they would soon be systematic and as much method now pursued so successfully by

FIGHT FOR PROPERTY.

Ore Purchasing Co.

of what the British Empire might be, plaints against the Montana Ore Purwhat it might do for the cause of free- chasing Company and associated interests have been filed in the Federal court great growing communities, when they company for claims aggregating \$1,740, reach the full plentitude of their 000. The companants claim a four-fifth

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

F. Buscomb Defeated Dr. McGuigan in PACIFIC COAST

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SUBMITTED REPORT

Use Within Limited Time - Some Recommendations.

Ottawa. Jan. 12 .- J. Cowie, the Scotch fishing expert, who a few months Nelson, Jan. 12.-John Houston was ago visited the Pacific Coast to inquire

> his report. The substance is as follows: (a Pacific herring, in the main, are smaller and contain far more oil than

condition as the Atlantic herring when pickled, and could not therefore compete-Rossland, Jan. 12.-Charles R. Ham- with the Atlantic herring when properly cured.

(e) Some pickled Pacific herring, put Kamloops, Jan. 12.—Charles S. Ste-pattern, sold well; but the best quality up in barrels similar to the best Scottish Robinson and Duncan Brown. The seem that a market could be secured for

(f) Dry salted Pacific herring would also be in great demand in these places.

(g) After the Atlantic experiment is completed next fall, it is recommended that half the staff of Scottish herring curing experts be sent to the Pacific Coast to put up some herring in the best Scottish methods and to give instructions to persons desiring to learn these methods.

R. L. BORDEN WILL RETAIN LEADERSHIP

Edward Kidd, Member for Carleton County, Offers to Resign in His Favor.

Oftawa. Jan. 13.—The adjourned caucus of Conservative members and senators met at 10 o'clock to-day and

not prophesy with too much confidence waged for more than a year between the whether it would be successful. But he had no doubt of the energy with which the effort should be made towards a association, with uniform rules governwithin a year. With this he agreed. The suggestion was made to him in Montreal on his way to Ottawa. He referred to the importance of carrying on the work of organization and his having the support of his followers.

Speeches were made by Hon. G. E.

Foster and others. DOMINION FINANCES.

Statement for the Six Months Ending

Ottawa, Jan. 13.-The financial stateent of the Dominion for six months ending December shows the revenue was \$37,130,593, an increase of \$194,138 over the same six months last year. The expenditure was \$21,875,214, an increase f over one million dollars.

STORY DENIED.

No Further Report of Massacre on Up-per Reaches of the Congo River.

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