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# **GAVE BOTH OF HIS SONS**

General Nogi's Sacrifice to the Port Arthur Moloch.

ships and Warehouses Still Suffering From the Japanese Bombardment-The Bayan Ablaze, the Pallada and Transport Amur Sunk-Removal of the Dead and Wounded - Thirty-Six Jap Officers

London, Dec. 10.—A despatch to the Japanese Legation from Tokio, dated yesterday, says: The naval staff at Port Arthur reports that on Thursday evening the Pallada (protected cruiser) was set on fire and heeled to port, with her stern sunk. Eleven shots hit the Giliak (gunboat). The Bayan (armored cruiser) took fire at 11.30 and is still ablaze at 4.15 p.m. The Amur (transport) was hit fourteen times and sank. Many shots greatly damaged the warehouses and other buildings near Peiyu Mountain and the arsenal. London, Dec. 10 .- A despatch to iyu Mountain and the arsenal. Removal of Dead and Wounded.

Headquarters of the Third Japan-Headquarters of the Third Japanese Army, Dec. 7, via Fusan, Dec. 10.—On the morning of Dec. 2 the Russians granted permission to the Japanese to gather their dead and wounded from the eastern fort ridge fight of Nov. 26. Yesterday the same concession was asked for by the Russians concerning 203-Metre Hill. The request was granted, but the privilege was withdrawn to-day.

Gen. Nogi's Last Soh Killed. Gen. Nogi's Last Son Killed.

In the fighting of Nov. 36th the second son of Gen. Nogi was killed on 203-Metre Hill. Gen. Nogi's eldest son was killed in the battle of Nanshan and he is now childless.

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Televant Dec. 10—On the night of Nov. 26 the Japanese established infantry trenches inside the parapets of the two Rihlung and the north Kekwan forts, but on the following day they were compelled to retire beyond the moats. Since then there yound the moats. Since then there yound the moats. Since then there along the incline of the eastern ridge of forts, the main strength of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troops having yeen concentrated to effect the capture of the Japanese troop Headquarters of the Third Japan

Thirty-Six Jap Officers Milled.

Tokio, Dec. 10.-Imperial Army Headquarters has published a list of thirty-six officers killed and fifty-eight wounded. No mention is made of where those consulties commend of where these casualties occurred, but it was presumably at Port Ar-

Russians Retreat. London, Dec. 10 .- According to The London, Dec. 10,—according to The Morning Post's Shanghai despatches, the Port Arthur forces, with the ex-ception of those manning the forts, have already retreated to Liaotie

Black Sea Fleet Dismantled. London, Dec. 10.—The Associated I ondon, Dec. 10.—The Associated Press learns in official quarters that an investigation induced by the renewed suggestions of sending out the Russian Black Sea fleet showed that most of the ships of that squadron are dismantled and laid up.

RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Issues Statement Regarding the Maximu

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—The Railway sued the following statement

Commission yesterday afternoon issued the following statement regarding railway rates:

"The Railway Commission has not approved or authorized any increase in the passenger tolls of any of the railways. What it has done is to authorize the continuance by the railways of their present maximum tolls and their publication in The Canadian Gazette, as required by the new Railway Act. These maximum tolls were ordered by the board to be published by Dec. 31, instant, failing which publication the railways, under the act, could not legally collect any tolls whatever. The maximum tolls are referred to in the act as the standard passenger tariffs, and these were approved by the Governor-in-Council when they were first promulgated. The working tariff referred to in the act as the special passenger tariff has not been changed. This tariff represents the reduced rates, brought about by competition, or other causes, which are actually charged by railways. The act does not require the publication of these rates in The Canadian Gazette, but they cannot be advanced without notice to the Commission, which has the power to disallow any such advance. Should investigation show that the maximum or any tolls approved by the board are excessive, the board has the power to rescind, change or vary its approval at any time or on application."

General Reform Association. Toronto, Dec. 10.—The Provincial Executive appointed for the purpose called a meeting composed of the presidents of each riding Liberal As-

presidents of each riding Liberal Association, and the meeting took place in St. George's Hall yesterday. There was a good attendance. The officers elected were: H. M. Mowat, president, W. S. Buell, Brockville, and W. S. Calvert, M.P., Strathroy, vice-president; P. C. Larkin, Toronto, treasurer. The selection of a secretary was left to the executive, as was also the drafting of a constitution.

January 24 Or 31. Hamilton, Dec. 10.—An Ottawa despatch to The Times of this city says: The general elections in Ontario will likely take place on Jan. 21 or 31. This has been definitely settled. There will be no lighting of bypolections.

### ARE YOU SICK?

If so, where? Headache? Headache !

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Foul tongue!

Loss & appetite!

Lack of energy!

Pain in stomach!

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Loss & appetite?
Lack of energy?
Pain in stomach?
Bowels?
General weakness?
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Albert Hodges, of St. Louis, is visiting his father this week.

E. Mounteer, of Chatham, is the guest of his cousin, Basil Burgess.

Miss Maggie Stewart has returned home from Delhi.

The ice on the river is perfectly safe now, and the younger generation are enjoying themselves.

Caleb Benedict had his eyes hurt at the sugar factory and will be laid

Caleb Benedict had his eyes hart at the sugar factory and will be laid up for a while. Another employe had his right foot crushed. The curling club intend to organize

### TILBURY

### DRESDEN

Dec. 10.-Miss Grace Laird is con-

Among the delegates to the Liberal convention in BI nheim last Thursday were Dr. J. 1. Wiley, R. P. Wright, W. R. Tape and B. Gillespie, Dr. Wiley's name was placed before the meeting, but he declined to stand, withdrawing in favor of Mr. Howat, who received the nomination and will contest the riding in the coming Provincial election.

Rev. A. Eustace Haydon will speak in the Baptist church to morrow (Sunday) evening, on the subject, "The Manly Man."

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Patton & Perry, in the Irish comedy Jerry from Kerry, and a number of high class vaudeville specialties, were greeted with a bumper house at the Grand last night. The splendid audience came expecting a round of Irish situations and laughable specialties, and were not disappointed. Especially worthy of mention were the good work of the Jerry from Kerry orchestra, particularie in the opening overture; the character sketch, Joe the Newsboy, by Mr. G. H. Perry and Miss L. Perry; the tumbling act by J. C. Campbell, and W. H. Fletcher, the slack wire performance by Major Cailloutte, and the concluding single act comedy, "An Editor's Troubles."

J. E. McGioghlon has announced his invention of trying once more for a seat in the county parliament. Dresden has had no representative at the county council since the present law was put into force and it is high time a local man should be elected. Let every voter put the interests of our town before all other considerations and give Mr. McGloghion a united support.

### BLENHEIM

Dec. 9.—Blenheim will have both a skating rink and hockey team this winter, Messrs. John Bond, F. Byram and W. Lloyd having rented the rink from W. Dean. It is hoped to have good ice and we trust that the rink will be liberally patronized by all lovers of skating.

Invitations are out for a farewell banquet to be tendered to the Rev. W. H. Jamieson, D. D., and family, by the citizens of Blenheim on Tuesday, Dec. 20.

Mrs. John Graham and son Leannord, of Charing Cross, have moved into her home on Sheldrick street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucia, Rondeau, left last Monday for Leaving, Aita, where in future they will reside with their daughter, Mrs. McNorland.

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Mrs. L. Brock, of Chicago, is visiting relatives in town.

A large meeting of the merchants of the town was held last evening to arrange steps with regards to the postal and freight delivery. The new time table took effect on Dec. 5th protal of the meal is not distributed until next morning. It is not be hoped that there can be arrangements made for the quicker handling of freight.

The Liberal convention for East Kent was held here yesterday for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the reding of East Kent. The mantle fell on Mr. John Howat, of Thamesville.

Mrs. E. H. Morse, of Wallaceburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Denholm.

Dec. 10.—Walter Sterling, who has

farmer has gon on a three months' visit in Wyoming Territory, where wist in Wyoming Territory, where Mrs. Clark has been for six menths, on account of her health.

Peter Fleming, of Zone, one of the local oil kings, is at present renewing friendships in this vicinity.

Mr. Fave made a large shipment of live and dressed fowl from here the other day. During the last month Mr., Fave has done a thriving business in the fowl trade.

A large delegation from St. James congregation will attend the Presby-tery meeting in Chatham on Dec. 13, to press their claim for day service.

It is reported that Albert Parsons, of Mull, hes purchased the David A. Hutchinson property on the townline, just beyond the village limits, paying a goodly sum for this valuable property of 105 acres; Mr. Parsons to take possession in the spring of 1905.

The Conservatives of polling subperty of 10b acres; Mr. Parsons to take possession in the spring of 1905. The Conservatives of polling sub-division No. 2, Howard, have again organized for the expected early campaign which will follow the dis-solution of the rotten Ross Adminis-tration

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At the home of Mrs. Joseph Patterson on Wednesday even ing last her daughter Effie was united in marninged to Mr. E. J. Wilson, of for ed. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Geo. Gilmore in the presence of a number of guests. The bride was attired in a crepe de chen dress and was given away by her mother. After the wedding supper, the bride and groom left for their home at Ridgetown.

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