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GREATEST SEA BATTLE

Should Occur in About Ten Days
Between Russ and Jap.

Russian Warships Pass Singapore and Enter China Sea to Certain Conflict—Hull of Rojstevsky's Ship Are Too Foul for Rapid Manoeuvring—St. Petersburg Rejoices and Think Togo Caught Between Two Fires—British Naval Officers Think Rojstevsky Trapped.

Singapore, April 10.—Fifty-one ships of Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky's second Pacific squadron passed here Saturday. The most important fighting vessels of the squadron, including the battleships, Knyas Souvaroff, Alexander II, Borodino and Orel, with their complement of cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers, etc., did not arrive, and their whereabouts is totally unknown.

The vessels which passed Singapore were the following: Battleships—Sissol Veliky and Oleg; cruisers, Admiral Nakhimoff, Dignitri Donoski, Aurora, Zaurum, Jemchug, Almas, Russ, Azayr, Furor, Bismarck, Kaiserin Maria Theresa, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Kaiser Friedrich, Rion, and seven torpedo boat destroyers, all sailing under the naval flag.

Under the commercial flag were the volunteer steamers Kief, Yaroslav, Tambov, Vladimir and Orel, the Russian Navigation Co.'s steamers Meteor, Jupiter and Mercury, the East Asiatic Co.'s steamers Korea and Kaitai, the North Baltic Co.'s steamer Knyas Gortchakoff, one salvage ship, sixteen colliers, one hospital ship and three Hamburg-American liners.

Gets News of Mukden.

The fleet did not stop to receive despatches or consult with the consul. Subsequently the consul visited Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky's ship, talking to him from a launch. He did not board the vessel, but was cheered heartily on leaving. Along the side of the ship, the consul gave to the fleet the first news of the fall of Mukden. The vessels are burning soft coal.

Steaming at the rate of eight knots an hour, it took 55 minutes for the whole fleet to pass a given point. It was very evident that the ships' hulls were exceedingly foul. Long grass streamed from them, and the vessels seemed unfit for fast work.

Rejoicing in St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, April 10.—There was great rejoicing Saturday night at the Admiralty, yacht and other naval clubs over the fact that Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky had successfully navigated the gateway of the China Sea without encountering the Japanese.

Although there is some talk of a possibility of Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky now putting it at Saigon, Cochinchina, it is not believed that further advantage of French neutrality will be taken unless he is forced to do so because of the condition of some of his ships.

At the rate the Russian squadron steamed from Madagascar, which averaged eight knots an hour, the greatest naval battle since Nelson's victory at Trafalgar should occur in about ten days. The Admiralty realizes that Rojstevsky faces great odds.

Between Two Fires.

There is reason to believe that Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky's entrance into the China Sea has been followed by orders for the cruisers Gromobol, Rosia and Bogatyr, which have been ready for some time at Vladivostok to put to sea. Their appearance outside the roadstead of Vladivostok would constitute a potential threat against Admiral Togo's fleet, which will compel the retention in despatch of a number of heavy fighting ships to Japanese waters. Thus Admiral Togo seems to be virtually placed between two fires.

Rojstevsky Trapped.

Chicago, April 10.—The Tribune publishes the following London cable. British naval officers declare Rojstevsky is trapped. They do not believe that the Russian admiral can elude Togo and escape even to the friendly French harbor at Saigon without a battle. It is believed that even should Rojstevsky gain the harbor at Saigon, Togo will not hesitate to disregard the laws of neutrality, but give battle even in French territorial waters. Once in the China Sea Rojstevsky will have to fight.

Togo Patrolling China Straits.

London, April 10.—A despatch to the Express from Batavia, Java, says: "Chinese gunboats report that the Japanese warships are patrolling all the straits leading to the Chinese seas. They steam without lights at night."

"The British warships Glory, Sutley and Iphigenia, at Hong Kong, have been suddenly ordered to proceed south at full speed."

Strikes in the Shipyards.

Astrakhan, European Russia, April 10.—The workmen in the large shipyard here have struck. The shipwrights throughout the Volga region are extremely discontented, and a general strike is almost certain when navigation opens.

"RETREATED PRECIPITATELY."

Linevitch Reports to Czar that Japs Lost Heavily.

St. Petersburg, April 10.—A despatch from Gen. Linevitch to the Emperor, under Saturday's date, says:

"The battle at Telisatun, April 7, lasted twelve hours. The enemy's losses were heavy from our artillery and rifle fire. Our casualties were: Killed—Capt. Prince Massalsky and four Cossacks; wounded—two officers and thirty-four Cossacks."

"On April 5 outposts, after a fusillade, pushed back the Japanese outposts to Telisatun."

"Our infantry the same day occupied the village of Koutousski after dislodging the enemy. The Japanese retreated precipitately."

Enemy's Losses Over 60.

Tokio, April 10.—The following report has been received from the Manchurian army headquarters:

"April 5, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, one battalion of the enemy's infantry and six companies of cavalry came and

attacked Taulushu, 20 miles north of Changhai."

"They were repulsed. On the following day 25 companies of the enemy's cavalry with several guns renewed the attack. They were again repulsed."

"The main force of the assailants retreated toward Fancheng. A portion stopped near Chorofo, three miles north of Taulushu."

25,000 Prisoners To Be Returned.

St. Petersburg, April 10.—It was reported here last night that the Government had been informed that Japan intends to release 25,000 prisoners of war who are incapacitated for further fighting and that some of them would be sent home by way of Shanghai.

Clade Crawls and Dues Is Off.

St. Petersburg, April 10.—The proposed duel between Capt. Clade, formerly Rojstevsky's chief tactician, and Capt. Zilotti (aide of Admiral Avelan, head of the Russian Admiralty department) has failed to take place. Capt. Clade, having satisfied himself by investigation that he had wrongly accused Capt. Zilotti of responsibility for the publication of a letter from Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky, severely reprimanding him, Capt. Clade has offered the simplest apology, completing the retraction by publishing his letter of apology in all the papers printing the first strictures.

Russia's Minister Ill.

St. Petersburg, April 10.—A telegram received here from Peking says the illness of M. Paul Lessor (the Russian Minister to China) is critical. He has been unconscious since Thursday evening.

Clergy Speak Out.

St. Petersburg, April 10.—The revolt against the hierarchy and the further administration is attracting immense attention. The clergy are now speaking their sentiments quite as openly on religion as are the Liberals in the political field.

SHOCKS STILL CONTINUE.

500 Only Survive in India Town of 5,000 Inhabitants.

Calcutta, April 10.—Telegraphic communication with Dharmasala has been restored.

The latest accounts show that the earthquake was even more disastrous than at first believed. The population of nearly 5,000 in the town of Kangra, it is believed that only 500 are left alive. Many of these have fled. Many people are still imprisoned in ruins.

Dharmasala, Kangra, Palampur, Dhanu and all the neighboring villages were completely wrecked. Scarcely a building remains standing.

Not much damage was done at Haripur, Deragopur, Nadam or Hamirpur, but Sujapur (sixty-six miles from Armitas and having a population of about 6,000 souls) is reported to be in ruins.

The shocks still continue. There is no news from Kulu Valley, but, according to native rumors, a great amount of damage has been done.

Vice-Regal Lodge Unsafe.

Simla, India, April 10.—The Vice-Regal lodge here has been declared to be unsafe, as a result of the earthquakes. Lady Curzon, wife of the Viceroy, with her children and the Vice-Regal staff, have moved into a house situated within the lodge grounds. Lady Curzon's bedroom was considerably damaged.

PROMINENT PERSONS DIE.

London, April 10.—Fred Augustus Thesiger, second Baron Chesterfield, retired general of the army, who saw active service in the Crimea and subsequently was killed suddenly yesterday at the age of 77.

Lord St. Heliers, better known as Sir Francis Henry Jeune, who was president of the probate, divorce and admiralty division of the high court of justice from 1881 till January 30 last, when he resigned and was elevated to the peerage, died yesterday.

Cheyenne, Wyo., April 10.—Jesse Knight, chief justice of the supreme court of Wyoming, died yesterday.

J. H. Stoddard's Serious Illness.

Galt, April 10.—The doctor in attendance on J. H. Stoddard, the veteran actor, said last night that there was no change in the condition of the patient, that he was able to take a little food and was cheerful. From other sources it is learned that he is in a very critical state. The actor has been entertaining Mr. Stoddard in his 85th year. He has stated that in case of recovery he will never attempt to act again. Mr. Stoddard was taken ill here while he was playing "The Bonnie Briar Bush" on Friday night. A physician said he was suffering from nervous prostration. Mr. Stoddard is a most lovable, sterling character. He ranks as a dean of the American stage.

Vatican's Rupture With France.

Rome, April 10.—The Vatican yesterday printed a despatch from Rome, giving an interview with Cardinal Merry del Val, papal secretary of state, in which the cardinal declares that the Vatican was not responsible for the rupture of relations between France and the Vatican. He says that he considered the abolition of the concordat an incalculable misfortune to France and to Rome, and that Pope Pius strongly desired a reconciliation. The Chamber of Deputies last night, by an imposing majority, voted that it was necessary and urgent to carry on the debate for the separation of church and State without interruption.

Change for French Grammar.

Paris, April 10.—That little list of seven nouns found in every French grammar adding "x" to form the plural—bison, chou, caillou, pou, joujou, hibou, mandarin—will be abolished in future editions, the French Academy having decided that these words shall form their plural in the ordinary way, by the addition of an "s."

Will Soon Disappear.

Paris, April 10.—Frederick G. Lascelles, British Ambassador, has informed the Echo de Paris that in his opinion the ill-feeling between France and Germany over Morocco will soon disappear.

BREACH OF PROMISE.

Married Man Sues Married Woman at St. Thomas for \$2,000 Damages—Verdict for the Defendant.

St. Thomas, April 10.—A novel breach of promise case, made all the more novel from the fact that it was brought by a man against a woman and that both plaintiff and defendant are now married, was commenced at the spring Assize Court Thursday before Chief Justice Falconbridge. It was the case of James A. Larn, of Mapleton, against Mrs. Edward Biddle, formerly Miss Seraphine White, of Port Rowan, South Walsingham Township, for \$2,000 damages.

Jilted Man's Behavior.

His lordship said that in his experience of 18 years he had never had such a case come before him. As a rule, when a man was jilted he pocketed his disappointment and went on his way. It was a very unusual thing for a man to come into court and say that he had gotten a very inferior wife to the one he might have got. He had claimed that she was not able to work as hard as a woman of 38, his present wife being over 60. His lordship came down heavily upon the plaintiff for his action in making his betrothed's letter a laughing matter at the Brown House.

The jury retired, and in less than half an hour returned with a verdict for the defendant, and the case was dismissed with costs.

ALMOST A TRAGEDY.

Misfit Shells Save Gertie Jones From Would-Be Murderer.

Freeston, April 10.—William J. Brislain, a Walsingham man, who has been working in town, attempted Friday night to murder Gertie Jones, the 15-year-old daughter of James Jones, a pumpmaker, with whom he boarded.

Brislain, who is reported to have a wife and child in a northern town, has pestered the girl for some time past with his attentions, which were coldly scorned. Friday night he handed her a note, demanding to know if she wrote it. He received an answer in the negative and some words passed between the couple.

Suddenly Brislain drew a revolver and thrusting the weapon against the girl's breast he pulled the trigger twice, but the shells each time failed to explode, as the revolver was a centre-fire one, the cartridges being rim fire. The girl's brother disarmed him, but later in the evening he followed her towards Main street and hit her with stones and maltreated her other wise until assistance came in response to cries of "Murder" and "Help." Miss Jones' head was severely injured.

Brislain was arrested by County Constable Levan. He appeared before Magistrate Webster Saturday morning and pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and attempted shooting and was taken to Berlin for trial.

SUICIDE AT QUEBEC.

Dr. Gilmour, of New Hamburg, Ont., Leaps to His Death.

Quebec, April 10.—Dr. F. Gilmour, surgeon dentist of New Hamburg, Ont., jumped from Dufferin Terrace to the rocks, 150 feet below, Saturday morning and was dashed to instant death. Almost every bone in his body was broken, he having chosen the highest point, and where the bottom was covered with rocks, at the west end, where the landslide occurred. The act was committed at an early hour, and there were no eyewitnesses. The body was discovered about 8:30.

Had Nervous Prostration.

Dr. Gilmour was about 35 years of age and his home was at New Hamburg, Ont. He came here about two months ago to work with Dr. Lanier, dentist, and has been in the latter's parlors until three days ago, when he gave up work, informing Dr. Lanier that he would take a rest. He had been ill since his arrival here, and Dr. Lanier was treating him for nervous prostration.

Russell Sage Retires.

New York, April 10.—It can be said upon authority that Russell Sage will be seen no more in Wall street. Mr. Sage has passed quietly from the activities of business and his office at No. 5 Nassau street is in charge of his representative. He has been ailing for a year and his illness has now reached a point where it has weakened his heart. His recent stoniness would probably have been fatal had it not been for the attention and careful nursing of his wife. Mr. Sage is 89 years old.

15 Big Men Indicted.

Portland, Ore., April 10.—The Federal Grand Jury Saturday indicted 15 well-known men of Oregon and Washington, on charges of conspiracy to defraud the Government of a portion of its public lands. Those indicted include State Senator R. A. Booth, manager of the Booth-Kelly Lumber Co.; his brother, Henry J. Booth, receiver of the Roseburg Land Office; and Rev. Stephen W. Turnelle, of Roseburg.

Victim of Deadly Disease.

Bellevue, April 10.—Deep regret is expressed that the wife of John Bell, K. C. solicitor for the Grand Trunk Railway, is lying at the point of death. Saturday night a consultation of physicians held the result being that the malady was diagnosed as cerebro spinal meningitis, the deadly complaint which is ravaging New York and some points in Eastern Canada. The stricken lady is almost 60 years of age.

Died in Card Game.

Ottawa, April 10.—Peter Z. Schau, a Dane, died in Ottawa, East, at 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning, under dramatic circumstances. He was playing cards with a number of comrades and said: "Let's have another game, boys." No sooner had the words passed his lips than he collapsed over and died a few moments later. An inquest will be held to investigate the cause of death.

12 Years for Manslaughter.

Oswego, April 10.—Anthony Taldoboni was sentenced to Auburn prison for a term of 12 years and six months Saturday on a charge of manslaughter, having caused the death of Frank E. Roberts.

The King's Birthday.

Copenhagen, April 10.—King Christian Saturday celebrated his 57th birthday, in excellent health and spirits.

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THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Closed Higher and Chicago Lower on Saturday—Live Stock—The Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, April 9.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 3/4d to 3/4d higher than Friday, and corn futures 1/4d to 1/4d higher.

At Chicago July wheat closed 1/4c lower than Friday; July corn, 1/4c lower, and July oats unchanged.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Wheat, white, bush \$1.06 to \$1.08
Wheat, red, bush 1.06 1.08
Wheat, spring, bush 1.06 1.08
Wheat, durum, bush 0.96 0.98
Barley, bush 0.48 0.50
Oats, bush 0.46 0.48
Beans, bush 0.90 1.00
Rye, bush 0.75 0.77
Peas, bush 0.70 0.72
Buckwheat, bush 0.64 0.66

Hay and Straw.

Hay, per ton \$7.00 to \$11.00
Straw, per ton 8.00 11.00
Straw, loose, per ton 8.00 11.00

Fruits and Vegetables.

Apples, per bush \$1.00 to \$3.00
Potatoes, per bag 0.40 0.50
Cabbage, per doz 0.40 0.75
Beets, per bag 0.60 0.70
Cauliflower, per doz 0.50 0.70
Red carrots, per bag 0.60 0.70
Celery, per doz 0.75 1.00
Parsnips, per bag 0.75 1.00
Onions, per bag 2.00 2.50

Poultry.

Spring chickens, per lb. 80 to 10 to 15
Chickens, last year's, lb. 12 14
Turkeys, per lb. 12 14
Duck, per lb. 12 14
Butter, lb. rolls 0.25 to 0.30
Eggs, new-laid, doz. 0.15 0.18

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, April 8.—Close—Wheat, spot quiet; No. 1 California, 48 1/2d; future steady; May, 48 7/8d; July, 48 7/8d; Sept., 48 7/8d. Corn, spot quiet; American mixed, new, 34 1/2d; do. old, 34 1/2d; future quiet; May, 48 1/2d; July, 48 1/2d; Sept., 48 1/2d. Canadian, firm, 54 1/2d. Flour, St. Louis fancy winter wheat, 96 1/2d; fine in London (Pacific coast), firm, 96 1/2d to 98 1/2d. Best, strong extra, India, 72 1/2d. Pot, cast, prime mass western, 48 1/2d. Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 pounds, steady, 30 1/2d. Bacon, firm; Cumberland cut, 20 1/2d to 24 1/2d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 pounds, 58 1/2d; long clear middles, heavy, 34 to 40 pounds, 58 1/2d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 pounds, 58 1/2d; clear bellies, 11 to 15 pounds, 58 1/2d; shoulders, 14 to 18 pounds, steady, 58 1/2d. Lard, prime western, in tierces, steady, 58 1/2d; salting, medium, in tins, firm, 58 1/2d. Butter, nominal. Cheese, strong; American finest white, 50s 6d; American finest colored, 48s 6d; Tillamook, prime city, steady, 28s; Australian in London, 25s. Pure, bestine split, firm, 44s 8d. Roast, common, firm, 7s 6d. Petroleum refined, quiet, 6d. Lined oil, steady, 17s 6d.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, April 8.—Butter, strong; receipts, 4507; street prices, extra creamery, 28 1/2c to 29c; state dairy, common to extra, 27c to 27 1/2c; renovated, common to extra, 18c to 23c.

Cheese—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 2111.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 15,478; western storage packed, firsts, 18c; southern, 17 1/2c to 17 3/4c.

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White Walking Dies.

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