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The Russian Cruiser Bogatyi Grounds in a Fog Near Entrance to Vladivostock. DAY'S STORY.

Russian cruiser Bogatyr grounded Japanese cruiser Yoshino sunk off Port Arthur in collision.

Port Arthur in collision.

Japanese battleship Hatsuse blown up by a Russian mine.

Japanese battleships Shikishima and Asama sunk by nilnes off Port Arthur (rumored).

Japanese battleship Fuji injured by a mine (rumored). If this is true then the destruction of the Asama

is false.
Two thousand Russians reported slain in battle at Hsinyencheng Mon-

TWO THOUSAND KILLED.

London, May 20.—The Standard's correspondent at Tientsin cables that while the Japanese fleet was covering the landing of troops near Kaichau on Monday a sharp engagement occurred at Hsinyencheng. Two thousand Russians were killed or wounded. The Russians retreated and the Japanese occupied both Kaiping and Kaichau.

The Chinese governor at Chenchow has received news, the correspondent adds, that the Russians have destroyed the railway between Taschiao and Newchang.

RUSS CRUISER INJURED.

Paris, May 20.—The correspondent at St. Petersburg of The Echo de Paris

tically sister ships.

The week now closing has proved a disastrous one for the Japanese
From Admiral Togo's official report it appears that last Sunday three
serious losses were sustained. While clearing Kerr Bay of Russian
mines, the cruiser Miyako struck an undiscovered mine and sank in
22 minutes, the greater part of the crew being saved. A similar cause
was responsible for the destruction of the battleship Hatsuse, the fastest and one of the newest and most powerful vessels in the admiral's
fleet, while a collision in a dense fog was responsible for the sinking of
the cruiser Yoshino, in both cases with considerable loss of life.

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REPORTED JAP LOSSES.

From Russian refugees who arrived at Chefoo from Dalny yesterday, comes a story of the sinking of the Japanese battleship Shikishima, thru fouling a Russian mine, and the disabling of the cruiser Asama from thru fouling a Russian mine, and the disabling of the cruiser Asama from a similar cause. The story is very circumstantial, but may be only a variation of the losses sustained on the previous day, and there will be keen anxiety pending a further report from the Japanese admiral. Serious in any case as is the reduction in Japan's naval line, it does not involve as yet the loss of maritime supremacy. But it may decide the Russian authorities to send over their Baltic fleet in the hope of gaining back the command of the sea. That fleet alone will now be a fair match for the Japanese main squadron, which Admiral Togo will scarcely be able to withdraw from home waters, so long as Port Arthur stands, and its fleet remains a possible menace.

I ittle information has leaked out regarding the land operations, and the reported retiral of the Japanese from various of their more ad-

the reported retiral of the Japanese from various of their more advanced posts has evidently puzzled the Russian commanders. Probably their plans are not yet sufficiently developed, and it is to their advantage to detain the Russian armies as far south as possible before seeking to draw the net close around the prey. The course of the campaign warrants the opinion that the Japanese are carrying out with extraordinary ability and success a well-considered strategical plan, in which they present a marked contrast to the Russian uncertainty and aimlessness.

shima sank in two minutes after contact with the submarine mine, and that there was no time to save the crew. The accident hoppened, it is said, within sight of Port CO., 12 Richmond East.

Condon, May 20.—Special despatches from Shanghai to the London morning papers report that the Shiki policy at any cost.

Have you taken out a policy in the Imperial Life? If not, consider that every day brings you nearer the time when you cannot obtain an Imperial shima was sunk, while the Policy at any cost.

LAWYERS IN CORPORATIONS WILL HARM THE JUDICIARY

EIGHT PAGES-FRIDAY MORNING MAY 20 1904-EIGHT PAGES

ism That is Robbing Legal Profession of Its Best Men.

An informal dinner at McConkey's preceded the address given last evening by Newman W. Hoyles, K.C., principal of the Law School, to the County of York Law Association on "The Bar and Its Modern Developments." Hamilton Cassels, K.C., as chairman, in calling on the speaker, referred to the presence of the Hon. Mr. Morine of New-

Dr. Hoyles said that the future was learned from the past; there was a time when no bar existed. In ancient learned from the past; there was a time when no bar existed. In ancient Figypt lawyers were not permitted, as it was considered that they darkened the understanding of the laws. In the home of art and letters, Athens itself, any friend interested in the case might speak, but no lawyers were permitted. From Rome they had derived the words client and advocate, but advocate then was not a pleader on behalf of another, but a friend who went to assist him and sympathize with him in the trials. The pleader was distinguished when popular by the crowds which accompanied him thru the streets to the court, something inconceivable to-day.

In England the advocate became known as the defender of public liberties, but even in the times of Henry Eighth such a lord chancellor as Sir Thomas More could frame his ideal commonwealth without any lawyers in it. Not long ago in an Australian debating club a resolution had been carried to the effect that lawyers were a pest infesting the country and ought to be extirpated. The development that was taking place was a transition from the time when the bar was prominent before the public.

Business Rather Than Profession.

The tendency now was to make the law less of a profession and more of

Paris, May 20.—The correspondent at St. Petersburg of The Echo de Paris says:

"The Russian cruiser Bogatyr grounded during a fog on the rocks near the entrance to Vladivostock, Her position is critical. Her crew was saved.

Makes Suggestion to Lay Aside Small Surplus Annually for Times

JAPS ADMIT DISASTER.

Toklo, May 19.—(9.30 a.m.)—Vice-Admired Down miral Togo has reported as follows:

"A report from Profession.

MANY HAVE LEFT GANADA

The tendency now was to make the law less of a profession and more of a business. There had been a time when money was not in question, and such a thing as a contract between law-yer and client was unheard of, but at present it was a case of the American trade dollar every time. Dr. Hoyles did not think they had yet reached the States, but when your neighbor's house is on fire it was necessary to be careful.

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(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)
London, May 19.—The English press notice the fact that the late Herbert London, May 19.—The English press notice the fact that the late Herbert Chamberlain took no active part in politics, but that his wife, who is a



A STORM BREWING.

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City council, 3 p.m.
U. C. C. games, 3 p.m.
British Empire League annual meeting. Association Hall, 8 p.m.
Highlanders' parade, 8 p.m.
Grand, "Old Lavender," 8 p.m.
Majestic, "To Die at Dawn," 2 and 8 p.m.

ing papers report that the Shikis policy at any cost.

Shima was sunk, while the Fuji and the Asama had to be towed away, badly damaged.

Sesumably, the Russians wrongly identified the vessels, the Shikishi ma and the Hatsuse being practically sister ships.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

Kemptville, May 19.—The little daughter of Alexander Hyndman of Mountain Township, near Kemptville, was drowned in their well a few days ago.

The recent crop of recommendations are fire hose and other protection has allowed in their well a few days ago.

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Judge's Charge Was Against Them-Face a Second Charge

Funeral from his father's residence, know what you have to Beech-avenue, Balmy Beach, Saturday, at 2.30, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances please eccept WEBBER-At Unionville, on Thursday, May 19, John Webber, a native of Devonspire, England, in the 78th year of his

a.m., to Hagerman's Corners, fon interment. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

Substantial Prosperity Indicated by Building and Confidence of Business Men.

Winnipeg, May 19 .- (Staff Correspondence.)-The development of Manitoba try extending far beyond the provincial boundaries. Admitting that the that this gateway to the great west experienced the "boom" that carried it beyond the surrounding country in point of commercial and industrial importance. The era of activity spread from the city over the adjacent subdivisions and witnessed a mushroom country as it was former to the city over the adjacent subdivisions and witnessed a mushroom. growth, as it were, from a population of 19,574 in 1885 to 39,384 in 1898. In that period the population was doubled. The homesteaders were not pouring into the west in those days, and there

