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Horrors of War On the Variag Bradstreet's Weekly Review

Awful Carnage Was Wrought on
Decks of Russian
Cruiser.
Effects of Japanese Shell Fire
Of Most Ghastly De-
scription.

(From Sunday's Daily.)
C. J. Johnson's account of the fight of the Russian first-class cruiser, *Variag*, at Chemulpo, when she faced an entire Japanese squadron, took an awful harrowing and returned to the harbor sinking, makes about the ghastliest and at the same time breathlessly interesting reading the light took place. Finding that he could not send out a line of the story as it actually happened, Johnson slipped out of Chemulpo, leaving most of his baggage, and took a steamer to the Chinese port and from that place called a detailed description, which is pretty much as follows:

No sooner had the conference of naval commanders in the cabin of the British cruiser *Talbot* ended, than the British officers returned aboard the *Variag* and *Korietz*. Immediately the crews began throwing out of the ship everything of value, including papers, books, and in fact all inflammable material. The sea around the Russian warships was lit up with all sorts of furniture and effects. Meanwhile steam was being put up for emergency speed, and the black smoke poured out of the *Variag's* four tall funnels in immense black clouds.

At a signal both vessels weighed anchor, and the *Variag*, leading at grand speed—she was doing more than twenty-five knots when she started—headed for the Japanese squadron. The latter manned their tops and cheered their cheer most gallantly, the gallant Russians saluted her to certain destruction. The *Variag's* crew replied with cheers, as also did the little *Korietz*. No sooner was the *Variag* clear of the harbor mouth than a perfect hail of shot and shell assailed her. The peculiar grinding smash of the heavy three-inch projectiles striking the armor, mingled with the vicious whistling of the Chinese gun rattling everywhere around the Russian cruiser, could be heard. The roar of the Russian guns blended into one dull, deafening growl. All around and in every place the *Variag's* shells burst ceaselessly. One of her funnels and her fore military masts were shattered early in the fight. She circled around at tremendous speed, firing steadily and doing damage to several of the Japanese ships. Many new stores are being stocked for the coming season, and other establishments are being opened. The outlook for the spring is bright. The volume of domestic and imported goods are firm.

Wholesale trade at Hamilton has been fairly active, the shipment of goods has been hampered by blockades. The buying for the spring is much better than for the winter, and the prospects for the coming year are bright. Values are firm.

Conditions at London are satisfactory, and while the spring trade has been a little slow in a good many places, it has been at other places, prospects are bright. The volume of domestic and imported goods are firm.

It was with aching as with smoking. No young man ever smokes too much according to his own idea, and no young man who becomes an enthusiast in the habit of smoking, in his own opinion, overdoes his strength in smoking. The nervous movements, pale faces and arrested physical development of many young men and boys who smoke, are the result of physical breakdown and death due to over smoking. The habit is not a matter of mere amusement, it is a matter of life and death. The conductors of newspapers are full of it. When they are, and through much error, they are full of it. The habit is not a matter of mere amusement, it is a matter of life and death. The conductors of newspapers are full of it. When they are, and through much error, they are full of it.

NEWS OF THE ARMY AND NAVY

Recent Changes in the Services
Affecting Officers Well
Known Here.

From Our Own Correspondent.
London Feb. 22.—Captain Peter Y. Redfern, R. S. S., lately serving with the 58th Infantry, now at Bequith, has left the army, in which he spent exactly three years.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY IS
PLEASANT TO TAKE.
The most famous of granulated lozenges is used in the manufacture of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and the roots of the plant are used in the manufacture of the lozenges. The lozenges are used in the manufacture of the lozenges.

A LOVABLE OLD WOMAN.
You sometimes see a woman whose old age is as exquisite as was the perfect bloom of her youth. You wonder how it is that she has been so long and happy. She knew how to forget disagreeable things. She kept her nerves well in hand, and she mastered the art of saying pleasant things.

A TOUR THROUGH
WESTERN CANADA
Interesting Lecture at the James
Bay Methodist Church Last
Night.

There was a good attendance at the lecture, "A Tour Through Western Canada," delivered in the James Bay Methodist Church last night. The lecturer, Mr. J. H. Hildyard, K. C. B., who has been in the West for several years, gave a most interesting and comprehensive account of the country. He spoke of the great natural resources of the West, and of the progress of civilization in that section of the continent.

TO FORM MUNICIPALITY.
On Wednesday evening at Cedar Hill, the people of the village of Cedar Hill, in the county of Victoria, met for the purpose of forming a municipality. The meeting was held at the residence of Mr. J. H. Hildyard, K. C. B., and was attended by a large number of the residents of the village.

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Extraordinary City Built by the
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Fallen Back to the
Yalu River.

Brand New, but More Up-to-
Date Than Most Modern
Cities.

With all its drawbacks was an educator which in many ways has no peer. It directs the attention of the civilized world to the field of operations. The popular eye is made familiar through maps in the daily papers and periodicals with the distant territory and the surrounding country. These are the greatest of the Dalny, which are likely to endure. The present are the greatest of the Dalny, which are likely to endure.

The Russian plan has been from the first to make Port Arthur a purely military and naval centre. With that plan in view, the Russians several years ago began the construction of the City of Dalny, 30 miles north and 10 miles east of Port Arthur. The plan contemplates that all commercial ships shall be carried out of Port Arthur and sent to Dalny, and that the former fortress shall be turned into a city, where the industries are now located only on an extensive property being held on merely temporary bases.

Dalny—rather the site of the present city—was located on an open roadstead, where the bay of all nations might ride. In order to make there a safe harbor, an immense breakwater, costing millions, was built, and a large artificial island was raised into the sea for a great distance and enclosing a splendid anchorage. At Dalny, all the administrative buildings were erected and even that rare thing in the Far East, a university, is being established. Eventually, as planned, Dalny is to be the final terminus of the great Siberian railroad, by means of which Russia has tied together her widely extending empire.

Russian View of Situation

(Continued From Page One.)
Russia do not underestimate the power of their adversaries. They are fully aware of the military and naval strength of the Japanese. They are fully aware of the military and naval strength of the Japanese. They are fully aware of the military and naval strength of the Japanese.

The Chinese Eastern Railway, which terminates at Dalny, is completed north to Harbin, and the final adjustment of the line is now being made. The line is now being made. The line is now being made.

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DR. BARNARD'S WORK.
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By an edict of the minister of agriculture in Hungary the exportation of shute or eggs is prohibited.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE LONDON
TIMES AND VICTORIA COLONIST.
Tokyo, March 6.—Reports received from the Japanese outposts at Ping Yang in Korea, via Seoul, state that the Japanese have now all retired to the Yalu river. There is a general opinion, therefore, that the view of the Japanese of the Russian that any engagement between the opposing forces is unlikely before the late spring.

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