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not exactly a bed of roses.

cal Chinese house.

things.

TYPICAL MANCHU CITY.

BED PECULIAR TO CHINA,

capital to establish a restaurant.

nightfall the storekeepers and house

PICTURESQUE GATHERING.

of the factories of Japan.

walls of the towers above.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

At Antwerp-Mount Temple, from Mon-

At Naples-Nord America, from New

At Trieste-Carpathian, from New

At New York-Brandenburg, from Bremen; St. Paul, from Southampton; Um-bria, from Liverpool; Roma, from Marseilles.

At Plymouth-Blucher, from New York.

GEN. OKU AS HE the life of a war correspondent here

Him at Headquarters.

Scion of Royalty Is Ruled Just as posters pasted on them picturing a ferce-looking demon whose duty is to guard the "fung-shuy" of the place, to keep other demons from the portals.

Camp as Any Commoner. Camp as Any Commoner.

[Correspondence New York World.] Oku's Headquarters in the Field, Oct. 16.-His Excellency Baron Oku, who ond (now called Left) army, is a man most part on the mats of the "k'ang."

I visited him and his staff today is an elevated viscous at the first place on the afternoon of Dec. 16 to place on the

I visited him and his staff today, is an elevated piece of brick and wood. about two feet high, extending from making a formal call by his order. Three officers, Lieuts. Okada, Satake wall to wall on one side of the room, and Tanaka, have been placed in charge with apertures at either end to allow of the eighteen men who have come to the heart of Manchuria to picture the battles of Russ and Jap for the world's shop and abiding place, and the smells at either end to allow ing letter to Gen. Stoessel:

"I have the honor to assure you that the Japanese army, respecting to allow." newspaper readers, and, escorted by our of China come to me through the open keepers, we rode, forth from the compound, a motley company, across the The inns are odd. The guest who

that he regretted the hardships we had windows, mud floor and a k'ang of long and brave resistance, the deviation of guns, a silent place. avoidable.

He wore a businesslike uniform of petite. rifle green, almost devoid of decoration. The dining-rooms and living-rooms directed. His face is strong, and a glance shows are one and the same, the tables being to convey to your excellency assurpose clearly indicated. Obviously he is k'ang, where a belated sleeper may ances of my highest respect." a man who would give close attention still be sprawled. his firm mouth and chin. His eyes are mud, some copper cooking bowls and bright and clear. His face is sunburnt, pans, wooden spoons, a small hay fork rigors of service in the field, and his favored-and a few gourds to bale out

more by reason of the contrast. LIKE A KENTUCKY COLONEL. He looks more like a Kentucky

colonel than a Japanese. It needs no student of character to see that in Gen. Oku Japan has a sol-I realized that he was indeed a man whom Japan might well be proud, as the nation undoubtedly is. He has the advantage of having fought over the ground over which he now leads roads in a state of semi-repair. his forces during the war with China. Since the war the general, who is presented Japan at the coronation

durbar held at Delht. mally presented to His Imperial High-

respondent with a handshake, retired

behind the general. This is the field. Here the general rules both prince and commoner, and the prince is a captain of the staff.

The general and his chief of staff addressed us, and meanwhile the officers of the staff, standing behind, stood as men at a religious service, with heads continually bowed. They remained so till after a few minutes of conversation we mounted and rode away back to the compound within the city walls. As we rode I was thinking of the democracy of the prince and the strength of character of Gen. Oku, and then the correspondent from Paris rolled over the neck of his mule and fell in the sand of the river bank, and

I forgot all.

we rest we are again inside our prison walls. We must not go out without permission till we move to the fighting lines. Regulations have been issued for those given out in Tokio. With the regulations a war correspondent is classed as a "military campaigner," and is under the supervision of the aide-de-camp, who will overlook his affairs and inspect his correspondence. The points prohibited in correspondence, according to the regulations, are: "Anything tended to weaken martial spirit and disturb the order of the whence the correspondence is distime of writing or to take place in the future, or any statement as to suppositions regarding military movements.

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Says Enemy Bombards Hospitals -Official Story of the Capture of 203-Meter Hill.

Tokio, Dec. 18, 10 a.m. - The battle ship Sevastopol has been successfuly torpedoed ten times. Advices from Port Arthur say that she is aground, and is evidently completely disabled During all the operations against Sevastopol the Japanese have lost two torpedo boats.

The following dispatch was received Saturday from the Japanese army be-fore Port Arthur: "Two letters from Gen. Stoessel to Gen. Nogi, reached headquarters at &

in the evening of Dec. 15. The first

reads as follows: "'I have the honor to inform you that your artillery has bombarded our hospitals, which are plainly distin-The city is not a field of military guished by Red Cross flags. These IS IN THE FIELD operations, therefore I may tell of a insignia are visible from your artypical Manchu city. I live, with sevillery positions. I make the request enteen equally unfortunates, in a typi- from my high esteem for our prave heroes, who, after gloriously fighting Mr. Whiting, artist of the London with your force, lie wounded in the A Correspondent's View of Graphic, and I live together in a room hospitals under the Red Cross. Among about 12 feet square, one of six rooms those heroes are some Japanese stretched along the wall of a compound, wounded. I avail myself of the a square yard with houses, tiled and opportunity to convey to you assurpaper-windowed on every side, and a ances of my high respect.'

PRINCE ACTING AS SUBALTERN tile-roofed gate that opens to the street in the middle of the row of rooms, in which our Chinese neighbors live, that saying: have their outer wall on the street.

The doors of our room have great ashoff Langa, hunt master to the Em-

wish he could keep the odors out. bombardments. It is needless to say The odors are as much a part of a that we have respect for your right to Chinese city as are the city gates. The promote the success of your operacompound is full of odors and other

"Pencilled on the envelope was the following: "'Barashoff will come to the same The floor of our room is stained with

> the President of Ariga, and an interpreter, to Salichiao, to deliver a reply which was accompanied by the follow-

that the Japanese army, respecting humanity and treaties since the beginning of siege, has never purposely directed shells against buildings or tava until that vessel was disarmed river to the mandarin's yamen, where stays in one must bring his own bedthe headquarters is established.

In the compound of his headquarters. The increase of the king The increase of the i In the compound of his headquarters the king. The inns cost little to build. They are like most of the houses of the through an interpreter that he was a place much walls in a fine transfer that he was a place much walls in a fine transfer that he was a place much walls in a fine transfer that he was a place much walls in a fine transfer that he was a place to much the through an interpreter, that he was place, mud walls in a timber frame reach the place to which they are directed, and especially owing to your thur is a desolate, and excepting for that he regretted the hardships we had encountered on the way, but the exigencies of war made these things unavoidable.

Windows, mud floor and a k'ang of mud, wood and brick. The entrance is unavoidable, and one avoidable in the image of the mud, wood and brick. The entrance is the mud, wood and brick. The entrance is unable to guarantee to greater. So with the greatest regret we are unable to guarantee to greater are unable to guarantee to greater. There are the speaker the greater are unable to guarantee to greater are unable to guarantee to greater are unable to guarantee to greater. The greater are unable to guarantee to greater are unable to guarantee to greater are unable to guarantee to greater.

to detail—a Japanese characteristic.

He wears mustache and beard, though both are thin and hardly hide

The stock in trade of the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and earthenware bowls, a fireplace of the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and earthenware bowls, a fireplace of the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and earthenware bowls, a fireplace of the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and earthenware bowls, a fireplace of the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, a few chop-sticks and the smaller inns is not expensive, and the smaller inns is not expensive, and the smaller inns is not expensive. definitely repulsed last night. happy to say your majesty's heroic deep brown and rugged because of the for fishing out the meat-pork is most troops alone could have been capable of doing this. There has never been clear eyes impress a visitor all the the liquids. With these and pork and such a fierce assault. The following liang—cabbage and rice, poultry and eggs, and a few other viands easily batowsky and Cols. Irrmann and Eretiprocurable, it would not require much akoff and Lieut-Cols. Naoumenko and Gandourine. It is, thanks to them and The streets are narrow, no more than the heroic officers of naval sharpshootsixteen feet in width, and a rut is ers and the artillerymen, that Port dier who can win battles as he has worn in one place, all carts keeping to Arthur succeeded again in resisting. done, From the instant he shook hands the same rut. There is no footpath. The Japanese, according to prisoners with me in the headquarters compound The mud is the common way of all. At and Chinese, lost at least 20,000 men. We request your prayers and those of holders shovel mud into the cari-ruts before their premises. Thus the residents assist in the effort to keep bad de-camp to your majesty. I have expressed your majesty's thanks to the

garrison. The shops are all low, open at the On Dec, 5 Gen, Stoessel reports: "At up the parapet of one of the forts and then went on to pay a tribute to the 57 years of age, has been abroad; he front, and the wares of the merchant 7 o'clock yesterday morning the Japare spread on the counter and shelves at the back Offen the residence of the at the back Offen the residence of the same as a assault of Viskokaja the back Offen the residence of the same as a sault of Viskokaja the same night they laid administration. Mr. Ross' treatment of the same night they laid administration. Mr. Ross' treatment of the same night they laid administration. Mr. Ross' treatment of the same night they laid administration. Mr. Ross' treatment of the same night they laid administration. Mr. Ross' treatment of the same night they laid administration. Mr. Ross' treatment of the same night they laid administration. Mr. Ross' treatment of the same night they laid administration. It was an interesting affair, this introduction at headquarters. One after
another the correspondents were fortoologically presented to His Imperial HighThe speaker of the speaker knew that in the speaker knew that in the speaker knew that in the coming elections all the Liberals of One
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train were going to be more united unfierce fight raged all day. We repelled
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attacked a battery on our left flank
train were going to be more united unto his shop. There is a veritable fair outside the three assaults. Towards evening the in considerable strength, and at first der Premier Ross than ever. There was ness Prince Nashimoto, a Prince of the high, towered, south gate, where the Japanese succeeded in obtaining pos- obtained possession of a close similarity between the policy of general's staff. The Japanese revere their royalty, and the royalty is worthy of the reverence.

Sapanese succeeded in obtaining possible the works, but our formation of the crest of the hill and immediately got two machine guns into onets into use and the Japanese retired.

Sapanese succeeded in obtaining possible the works, but our formation of the works, but our five works, but ou

lection of wares, mostly the products valor." There cotton towels from Tokio, mir- Dec. 10, and says: "Since the capture of our mother, the Czarina, gave us den Lockhart. The meeting then disof the Blood, but this is not Tokio.

Tokio at the court no subject rors and soaps—the soaps are adorned of Viskokaia Hill our ships in the harburder. The meeting then dispersed after the usual cheers had been given in the same four officers as given in the given in a hearty manner. of the Blood, but this is not Tokio. made in Japan—pencils and paper, tin Japanese shells. Gen. Tserpinsky suc- preceding dispatch, together with sevmugs, and all manner of goods, such as cumbed to his wounds. The spirits of eral others, who specially distinguished TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

soldiers buy were on sale, the Chinese the troops are excellent." doing a thriving trade with the Japan- Gen. Stoessel's latest dispatches biscuit bakers, butchers — these were mostly Mohammedans—and peripatetic stubborn defense beyond Dec. 10. thus blacksmiths all vied for the trade of leaving a gap of at least five days bethe soldier, who now forms a greater tween the official word of the military part of the city's population than the commander and the unofficial story of Commander Mizzeneoff, which was It is a picturesque gathering, an ar- given out at Che Foo. It is not preray of color, this mass of booths shel-tended that the dispatches are pubtered beneath rude made roofs of lished in full. They contain much that matting and giant umbrellas without is of strategic interest and matter soldiery and the businesslike guard, close to the public. The dispatches reforms from time to time. whose sentries present arms to me as have been in the hands of Emperor The Coming Campaign. I pass through the gate, the whole Nicholas three days, but their con-

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of Gen. Stoessel's defense of Port Arthur, while the authorities assert that the main line of forts has not yet been broken. It is declared the garrison probably will be able to hold out a considerable time yet. A matter of much speculation is why the orders to take out and sink the squadron in deep water was not carried out. The only explanation is that the crews and guns were drafted ashore and that at the last moment it was impossible to move the ships under the heavy Japanese

Headquarters of the Japanese Second Army, via Fusan, Dec. 18.— -Noon.—There is a probability that there will be a shortage of fuel and food among the Chinese this winter. Firewood is quoted at \$40 per ton, and R food is selling at three times its normal value, with the end of the supply in sight. The Japanese are paying Chinese laborers treble their ordinary wages and also are paying market prices for all the fuel and supplies they purchase. The cold weather continues The military situation is unchanged

Che Foo. Dec. 17 .- Midnight .- Commander Mizzeneoff, who was executive officer of the Russian battleship Polreach the places at which they are are 16.000 men in the line of forts and went on to deal jocularly with the evi their periods of rest are frequent. The record of Mr. Gamey. "We all wanted "I avail myself of the opportunity generals, except Gen. Stoessel, live to know where the \$900 came from, but in the forts. Every building in the Gamey tore out the bank slip, which

whole town is more or less injured. might have given a ciue to this. Gen. Stoessel has put the entire Gamey had told certain reporters that population on the regular rations suf- he had spent all summer gathering the ticient to last three months. The am- money on Manitoulin Island. munttion is sufficient to last much when he went into the witness box, he longer. I believe the Japanese will first of all swore that he had got the never take the fortress under present | money all in a bunch from Mr. conditions"

Port Arthur. The attacks began on the night of the 25th against our left was true, "I would not waste a minute tiank, near Pigeon Bay. The first was on this man," declared the speaker, "if he were not feasted and honored by the repulsed with great loss to the Japanese: the same night the enemy attacked a detachment on Panlung Mountain, but were repulsed, as also was their attack on Visokaia (203-Meter Hill). On the 26th the Japanese began to bombard and attack fiercely the forts on edly changed hands. Nevertheless, on West Toronto, who spoke in solemn the night of the 26th we threw back tones of the choleric hog. Apparently the Japanese at the point of the bay- Mr. Gamey was, in this election, to be onet. The enemy succeeded in blowing the "beast of burden." Mr. MacKay began building parallels there. At ap- magnificent work of the reverence.

The prince, when the acknowledgment of his royalty had been made and he had formally welcomed each corbent he whole from the whole f Gen. Stoessel's last dispatch is dated help which God sent us on the birthday the motion of Mayor White and War-

Continued from page 1.

the city gate, and with the lounging which it is obviously impossible to dis-credit, and was available for further CAPTIVE CORRESPONDENTS.

Within the gates of the city where we rest we are again inside our prison walls. We must not go out without permission till we move to the fighting of the city where the permission till we move to the fighting of the city where the permission till we move to the fighting of the city where the gate, the whole scene is a striking one.

I pass through the gate, the whole strong campaign, Mr. Nicholas three days, but their conlate Professor Newhon, of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date Professor Newhon, of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date Professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date Professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were originally strangers to our solar system, and those that now revolve about our sun like the planets have been "cap the city where the part of the professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date Professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date of the professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date of the professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date of the professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date of the professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The date of the professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The late Professor Newhon of Yale, all come tents were to our solar tents were known to few besides his majesty and his personal aides. The late Professor Newhon of Yale, all come to the professor Newhon to few besides his majesty and his personal ai monster signs of scrolls of gilded metal for the pawnbrokers being the first the gaudiest.

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Even the artistic paintings of the temples are covered with ages of dirt, the courts are in disrepair and the bins affect.

The monster signs of scrolls of gilded metal desperate character from Nov. 20 to desperate character from Nov. the courts are in disrepair and the buildings crumbling. It is the general disrepair and the dirt and coatings of Japanese do not occupy the top of the fifth that have come with each such a such as a sponsible for what is done by men in the Carrara marble. Sponsible for what is done by men in other ridings. You must look at the disrepair and the dirt and coatings of Japanese do not occupy the top of the record of a man in his own riding and indeed the party of the property of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the record of a man in his own riding and the direction of the riding and the r filth that have come with each succeeding generation that strike a visitor before all else.

The mark of age is on the city. Its from very heavy guns from behind the advantage to a man to have all his army, mention of the name of the place walls are crumbling, its moss-grown crest of the hill but that this fire is work done in his own riding. But a patched, reference to military movements that are taking place at the The Japanese are credited with which no blame can be attached to using 11-inch and 16-inch mortars and them. The Attorney-General was Howitzers. The effect of these must blamed for the Minnie M. business, bebe most deadly when turned upon the cause he did not prosecute the perpemention of the military strength of the army or places and dates of military movements." And there are other regulations. In fact

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Liberals? The speaker spoke of various campaigns which had been waged on low issues, like that of Mr. St. John in

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