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48,000 THE TOTAL OF PORT ARTHUR GARRISON

Report From G neral Nogi Shows That Stoessel Had Much Larger Force Than was Supposed---Captives Include Eight Generals and Four Admirals.

TOKIO, Jan. 5.—A report from Gen. Nogi's headquarters largely increased the figures of the surrendered garrison and intimates that the force handed over to the Japanese at Port Arthur will be 32,000, exclusive of 15,000 or 16,000 sick and wounded, making a total of 48,000. The report is as follows: "The transfer to the Japanese mentioned in article 2, of the capitulation compact, took place on Jan. 4th, and the transfer of the bat

"The prisoners will be assembled at a place appointed on Jan. 5th, but the investigation relating to these prisoners is so complicated that the result cannot be anticipated at present. Reports received up to date are as follows: Eight generals, four admirals, 57 colonels and majors, 100 captains and commanders, 581 army captains and lieutenants, 200 naval lieutenants, 99 army officials, 109 surgeons, 20 chaplains, of the rank and file of the army 22,484, of the rank and file of the navy 4,500, army noncombatants 3,645, navy non-combatants 500; total 32,207.

"Besides these there are about 15,000 sick and wounded in the hospitals. The volunteers are carefully included in the list of non-combatants. "One hundred saddle horses and 1,870 draft horses were surrendered."

Chefoo, Jan. 5.—Sympathy for the sick and wounded Russians at Port Arthur is widespread, but an idea to care for some at Chefoo, Tientsin, Shanghai, Weihaiwei and Tsingtau has led to an enquiry which developed the fact that the combined facilities of the places

sufficiently carries at Tokio having to fused a proposition made by the Rus-sian minister at Pekin, Paul Lessar, to a send a ship loaded with medical sup-plies for the invalids, it has been sug-gested that this ship be diverted to Che-

RETRIBUTION. Paris, Jan. 6.—The St. Peters

burg correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald telegrapus that Vice-Admiral kojestvensky's flagship, the hattieship khitaz Souvaron, has struck a rock and foundered.

The latest from Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron was con-

IS UNSATISFACTORY

The Affairs Below Mukden Reported as Unfavorable to

Kuropatkin.

CIVIC OFFICIALS GO FREE. Tokio, Jan. 5 .- A supplementary

recement bearing upon the surrender Port Arthur by the Russian military thorities provides for the unparoled lease of all civic officials at Port Ar-ur who have not served as volunteers

REQUIEM FOR FALLEN.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 5.-There

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MILITARY SITUATION

combatants.

The local Russians are busy tonight

THE CAPTURED TOWN

The Standard's Port Arthur corre-spondent reports that the town appears to have been little damaged by the bom-bardment. Carriages and rickshaws are moving about with well-dressed people, who apparently are anything but starv-ed.

British News

Alarm at Agitation for Free Importation of Canadian

(Special Cable to the Colonist.)

London, Jan. 5.—The growing agitation by Willison in favor of Canadian store cattle in Great Britain is viewed with alarm by stock raisers, who interpret as total ruin of their industry the proposed removal of the embargee. Special stress is laid on Lord Onslow's former assertion that Ireland is supplying the deficiency caused by the act of 1896 and that the net price of stores is lower now than in the days of free imports. Mr. Field, M. P., championing the case, then opposed the free admission. The Journal, in the course of a long editorial on the subject, says: "Two-thirds of Ireland's cattle exports are the results of store breeding. Raising stores is now the chief resource of the small farmers and the principal resource of even the dairy farmer. The economic position of Irish agriculture at the present time is dependent to a large extent on the act of 1896, the repeal of which would throw the majority of Irish farmers into worse confusion even than at present. It is not too much to say that the repeal would destroy at one strike the equity of three-fourths of the second term renter recently fixed and reduce to a ridiculous impossibility the purchase agreements under the wew land purchase act.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 4.—From reliable information in the possession of the Associated Press, it appears that the military situation below Mukden is by no means as satisfactory as reported; that the number of troops at Gen. Kuropatkin's disposal is about 225,000, and that the transportation over the Siberian railway is proving inadequate. This latter fact in connection with the internal situation might have an important bearing should Japan submit peace propositions. Nothing of this nature, however, has yet made its appearance. If such proposals are contemplated through the United States, they might be awaiting the return of United States Ambassador McCormick, who will arrive here on Friday. Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Ed. Mac of Toronto, Eugene Underhild of Rochester, and Manager Geo. T. Stallings of the Buffalo baseball team, who compose the salary and players' committee of the eastern league, met in the Iroquois hotel yesterday afternoon and decided to raise the salary limit from \$2,400 to \$3,200, and to limit the number of players to a team between June 1 and Sept. 1 to 14.

FORGING U. S. CERTIFICATES. Interesting Disclosures Made During Trial of Contraband Chinamen.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The arcest of a prominent Chinese lawyer of New York will probably follow proceedings before United States Commissioner Loucks tonight, during which it was found that papers held by Joe Dick, laundryman, on trial for being in the country illegally, were forged and that the United States seal was stolen from a Buffalo commissioner. Dick produced papers showing that he had been tried before other commissioners on the same papers showing that he had been tried before other commissioners on the same charge and had been discharged, but United States Commissioner Owens was present and identified the papers and seal as being forgeries and at once the property of a Buffalo commissioner. He dropped the case against the Chinamen here and his bail was increased from \$500 to \$2,000 and the authorities notified to arrest the lawyer, who has been prominent in the affairs of Chinamen who have been charged with being in the United States illegally, has possession of stoien seals and sells the certificates to the Chinese.

United States Commissioner Loucks discharged Yam Ting, who said that when he came to this country he was a prosperous merchant, and after losing his money was obliged to become a labore.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Lam Chee, a proper shower in the new house. Mr. Calvert, the Liberal, who wants to grab some of the best seats for his colony by demiving Nosthern Edward Letwere Liberal Chicago Chiraman today was

CARGO SHIFTED.

The Collier Edith Has Trouble With Her Freight.

The steam collier Edith, which is to take the place of the collier Wyefield, chartered to carry contraband to Vladic vostock, in the coal-carrying trade between Vancouver Island mines and San Francisco, has been in trouble many times in her first voyage. First she collided with the Canadian-Australian liner Aorangi at Union, causing damage which will cost \$1,000 to repair. Then she sifted her cargo when off Discovery Islaud bound outward. The Edith then The latest from Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron was contained in a despaten dated Tamitave, island of Madagascar, Jan. 2, in which it was stated that the vice-admiral's division of the Russian squadron, consisting of five battlesnips, three cruisers, two transports and a hospital ship, had anchored on that day in the roadstead of Sainte Marie, an island on the east coast.

The Kniaz Souveroff was built at St. Petersburg in 1902 and was of 15,516 tons displacement. Her length was 3677½ feet, her beam 76 feet, her draught 26 feet and indicated horse power, 16,000. Her armament was of Russian Krupp pattern, and consisted of four 12 inch, twenty 3 pounders and six 1 pounder guns. She had six torpedo tubes. Her complement of men was 740.

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Moscow, Jan. 5.—M. Shoherbatoff, the reactionary president of the imperial agricultural society, has resigned because of the opposition to his course.

RAILROAD AUTHORITY DEAD.

Boston, Jan. 5.—Henry V. Poor, eknown for many years as a railroad au thority, and an expert on financial affairs, is dead at his home in Brooklyn. Improved the system execution of the ice and broke an ankle three weeks ago and the shock to his system exentually affected his heart. He was born in Andover, Maine, in 1813. For many years he lived in New York city, where he published a railroad book and many others on financial subjects. He was one of the founders of the New York Geological Society.

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NORTHERN SECURITIES SUIT.

Harriman Interests Will Appeal Recent to Northern Pacific of the New York Geological Society.

WERKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, Decision of U. S. Court.

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fall of Port Arthur will materially affect the situation. One of the several officials who discussed the question with the correspondent of the Associated Press today stated the sentiment of the officials, when he said: "We are confronting a situation which continues to be purely military. The present problem is created by General Kuropatkin's army and the Russian second Pacific squadron. We are devoting all attention to them. We auticipate that the Russians will renew more determinedly than ever their effort to drive Field Marshal Oyama back and that they will strive to gain supremacy at sea. We are preparing to defeat both these objects. The situation makes peace futile."

THE GALE AT SEA.

Heavy Seas Splits Schooner From Stem to Stern But Crew Escapes.

Sensation

Contradictory Statemen by Witness in Dunsi Hopper Trial.

Re-Hearing Was Open Dramatic Fashion at' on Tuesday.

Testimony of a Man Swears He Validated Document.

The San Francisco Exami issue of January 4, has the James Lowe, former loca of the R. Dunsmuir & Sons pany, who was a witness to ing of the will of the late Dunsmuir, and who is one principal factors in the w proceedings by which James hopes to establish his right to the vast estate bequeath hopes to establish his right to the vast estate bequeath by his brother, admitted yes fore Courtenay W. Bennett, consul, that he had not told truth in giving his testimo hearing held before the cou toria. It is expected to hav effect on the reviewing auth fore whom the case will be British Columbia.

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