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RUSSIAN TROOPS

Owing to Representations Made by Japan.

Chinese Said To Be Prospecting for a New Capital-Poor Outlook for Early Settlement of Trouble.

of Russian marines stationed at Ma San Pho have been recalled owing to Japanese representations.

"The Chinese imperial court, through the Chinese minister at Tokio, has discussion and is not regarded with thanked Japan for assisting China to favor by more than one government resist the Manchurian convention," The others consider the sum too soothing vapor of vapo-cresolence. small, and are disinclined to reduce It goes right to the spot that's dissays the Shanghai correspondent of their claims to the figures the United the Standard, "and has asked for Ja- | States desires. panese aid and support in any future

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The Chinese imperial court, through Chinese minister at Tokio, has thanked Japan for assisting China resist the Manchurian convention, says the Shanghai correspondent of the Standard, and has asked for Japanese aid and support in any future con-

TO ROOT OUT ROBBERS. The German war office has received the following dispatch from Count Von Waldersee: "Major Von Schoen-berg, with infantry, mounted infantry, cavalry and artillery, has been sent to disperse robbers in the mountains northease of Chang Ping Chu. A com-pany of troops from Chang Ping Chu will intercept the retreat of the rob-

OUTLOOK LESS PROMISING.

Paris, April 16. — It is reported from a trustworthy source that the outlook for an early settlement of the London, April 16.—According to a look for an early settlement of the Chinese indemnity question is less promising than a week ago. The ne-

bringing out conflicting ideas and in-terests, and are likely to be very protracted. The proposition of the United States to limit the total indemnity to \$200,000,000 is the only one unde

DIVIDING THE INDEMNITY. A Washington dispatch published in NEW CAPITAL TO BE SELECTED. London, affirming that the United Shanghai, April 16. - Advices from States proposes that the indemnity be



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siders that the entire expense incurred as a result of the whole operations carried out must be taken as the basis for indemnity. It is believed that the claims of individuals will be first presented and paid. This matter will be expedited as much as possible, in order to allow an early resumption of commerce and work on other foreign enterprises. Nothing is known here of the reported intention of the emperor to return to Pekin without the dowager empress, and no faith is placed here in the reported hostility between Russia and Japan. French information of "Lucky

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A scheme for demolishing over 8,000 insanitary houses in Liverpool and rebuilding, involving an expenditure of a million and a half, has been favorably entertained by the Liverpool city

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Sian Fu to the local mandarins assert that the court is preparing to go to Hsiang Yang, in the Province of Hu Pei. The permanent officials of the six boards are described as having quietly left Pekin for Sian Fu in anti-

ATROCIOUS

Storekeeper Shot Dead by the Men Who Robbed His Place.

rest the Marauders - A Third Brother in Custody.

been known as Edward Wright. been stolen by the gang. It is claimed the conductor tipped the gang on houses along his route, information re-garding which was gleaned from ser-

The Biddles are Canadians. There are four brothers here, the fourth one being Harry G. Biddle. The latter is a resident of Knoxvilleborough, where e is well and favorably known. There is no charge against him. There is fifth brother, George, whose where-

they went to Detroit. Edward and John, who were taken from the house, No. 32 Fulton street, where Fitzgerald was killed, claimed to be traveling men. The brother terious disappearance last fall of over Harry says Ed would not have shot \$500 worth of money and jewelry bethe detective had he not become panicstricken. The man arrested at the Redford street house, charged with being a member of the same gang, to-day confessed that his real name is J. P. Dorman, and that he has brother, P. O. Dorman, living at 106 Arlington street, Cleveland, Ohio. It is thought this man also came from Can-

VICTIM ALSO A CANADIAN. were unable to gain admit in the reported hostility between Russia and Japan. French information indicates that conciliatory negotiations are proceeding between those two countries, with the prospect of a thorough understanding regarding the position of both towards Manchuria and Corea.

IDENTIFIED. Mrs. Thos. D. Kahney, wife of the Albert street grocer, who was killed during an attempt to burglarize his today, identified two of the Biddle brothers as the men who were in the house when Kahney was shot. Her 12-year-old son is also sure of the identity of the brothers. Until to day the police had no positive evidence against any of the men in connection with the Kahney murder. Ed. Biddle received four wounds in the fight which followed the killing Fitzgerald. The wives of Ed. and Dorman will undoubtedly get long terms in the penitentiary, as over \$5,000 worth of stolen goods was found in their rooms. Over a dozen persons have identified E. and John Wright

STORY OF THE CRIME. Three men, who first gave their names as Ed. Wright, J. P. Wright, and Robert Wilcox, robbed the home of Thomas D. Kahney, a grocer, on Mount Washington, early Friday. Just let the child breathe-in the to rescue his wife from the clutches of soothing vapor of Vapo-Cresolene. one of the three men who were in his

> HAD A PRESENTIMENT that a member of the family would die before morning, and refused to go to bed, walking back and forth for ours between the room in which her husband was sleeping and the adjoining apartment, which her 12-year-old son occupied. She kept a light burning

> fully dressed across the foot of her son's bed. Half an hour later she was awakened by the burglar, who was ATTEMPTING TO CHLOROFORM HER.

She screamed, and her husband ran to her rescue. hand, and, drawing a revolver, fired at her husband.

The bullet entered Kahney's side, in the region of his heart. He died while trying to return to his room for

How the police suddenly discovered the names of the burglars and their whereabouts is not known, but Fitzgerald and Gray, of Pittzburg's "front office" force; Patrolman West and County Detective Robert Robinson received warrants for the three men, and went direct to 72 Fulton street, where the fugitives were hiding. Fitzgerald, one of the pluckiest offiers of the department, led the way,

A FATAL SHOT. Ed. Wright (Ed. Biddle) recognized the detective and fired. As in the case of Kahney his aim was true, the bullet striking Fitzgerald's heart.
Gray and West opened fire and Wright was hit four times. When he fell the policemen closed in, and arrested J. P. Wright (John Biddle) and Wilcox. Ed. Wright was taken to Mercy Hospital. Ed. Wright's wife

THE WOMEN ARRESTED. subsequently searched, and the alleged wives of the men arrested. Immense quantities of plunder were re-covered, the result of numerous robberies in this district. Documents were also found showing that neither of the men were married, the ware

who passed as their wives being Jessie Bodine, a music teacher, of Milwau-kee, and Jennie Siebus, of the same city. None of the party are over 25 years of age.

FOUR CLASPS

titled to Wear.

Ottawa, April 16 .- According to the regulations made by the war office governing the issue of the South African medal, the Canadian infantry will receive four clasps: "Cape Col-Detective, Who Was a Canadian, and "Johannesburg," "Dreifontein," "D" Battery Also Killed While Attempting to Ar- men will receive three clasps, "Cape Colony," "Orange Free State," and "Belfast," The Mounted Infantry and Royal Canadian Dragoons will receive clasps for "Johannesburg," "Diamond Hill," "Cape Colony," and "Orange Pittsburg, Pa., April 16.-Detectives Free State." The Royal Canadian made another arrest yesterday in con- Dragoons will also receive the "Bel-

STILL JAMMED

Ice Continues to Rush Into ana Blockade ct. Clair River.

Detroit. April 16.-Still is navigation blocked through the length of the St. Clair River. A port that is clear of ice one day may be jammed full of it the next, for the reason that every day a part of the jam above loosens and drifts a greater or less distance down stream before it runs against a check. A number of steamers with cargoes of grain for Port Huron and Sarnia will get away from Chicago the early part of the week, but there will be no general sailing of the Buffalo boats for

IN AN OLD BUSTLE

a week yet, unless conditions improve wonderfully in the ice jam.

abouts is unknown. All were born and | Where a Detroit Lady Found \$500 Worth of Money and Jewelry.

> Saginaw, Mich., April 16.-The myslonging to Mrs. Martin V. B. Meredith has been cleared up.

> The property was laid away at the time of the death of Mr. Meredith, and it could not be found until a day or two ago, when some boys playing in the yard at the residence, where Merediths lived at the time of his death, found an old bustle, and, kicking t about the yard as a football, the jewelry and \$80 in money was discovered. It has been identified. Mrs. Meredith is in Detroit.

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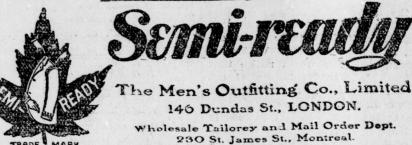
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Attributed to Two St. Thomas That the Canadian Infantry Will Be En-Brothers.

nection with the gang of burglars who fast" clasp. killed Grocer Thos. D. Kahney and Detective P. E. Fitzgerald last Friday, Wm. Biddle, a conductor, employed by the Consolidated Traction Company, was taken just as he was handing in his resignation, preparatory to leaving town. His arrest was caused by the CONFESSION OF THE MURDERER of Detective Fitzgerald. This man has said that his name is Edward Biddle, and gave the addresses of two brothers. The officer who arrested the street car conductor took from the latter's room a satchel full of stuff said to have

vants and others traveling on the cars. BELONG TO ST. THOMAS, ONT.

lived at St. Thomas, from which place

The funeral of Detective Fitzgerald was held yesterday. Several thousand tance to St. Rosalie's Roman Catholic Church, where requiem high mass was sung over the body. Fitzgerald was also a native of Canada. He came from Ottawa, and had been connected with the police department here for twenty-

and Dorman as having robbed their places. Most of the stolen goods found by the police have also been identi-

home. Mrs. Kahney

At 2 o'clock she fell asleep, lying

The man freed one

ARREST OF THE BURGLARS. and it was he who opened the door of the room in which the men were waiting to make their final stand.

was arrested later. The houses of the two Wrights were

