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STARVING AND DESPERATE WARSAW MEN FIGHT TROOPS

Bloody Fighting in the Streets Continues to Swell the Numbers --- Business Paralyzed.

WOMEN BRAVE THE COSSACKS TO GET

were killed and many were injured in factories at Warsaw, Lodz, Petrokoff encounters with the troops and police and other industrial centers in Poland A Preston Lady Died on Train En Bedford, of the Windsor Council, Is in various parts of this city yesterday. have been compelled to gradually re-The First Aid Society has suspended duce their output and decrease their operations, telephonic communication is interrupted, and the conditions throughout Warsaw are such that it operations, telephonic communication working forces since the outbreak of has been impossible thus far to ascertain the number of victims. By order of the chief of police the doors of thrown out of employment for many will meet her remains, as she died on houses are kept closed, and are only months past, furnishing a horde of opened to admit people living on the hungry, dissatisfied, desperate men,

try and two regiments of dragoons ous and incendiary spirit. It is feared have arrived here.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 31, 2:45 p.m. -The latest reports from Warsaw depict the hotbed of socialism, and the movethe situation throughout Poland as ment may develop a purely political increasingly serious. Minor collisions character, though there is no indicabetween the troops and police and the tion so far of any co-operation on the populace continue to swell the number part of the intelligent class of the of dead. Trade and industry are com- Polish population which are averse to pletely at a standstill, and the pres- a revolutionary movement. ence of thousands of idle workmen

kept the factories busy. The American vice-consul at Warsaw, Witold Fouchas, telegraphs that in the troops, and the Nashazhizn many stores have been pillaged by mobs, and that the shops and factories are closed. Those who are not willing to walk out are compelled to join the strike by threats. Mr. Fouchas saw no improvement in the situation up to last night, and reported the receipts "The street railway service here has been partly resumed, with soldiers ridof bad news from Lodz and Radom.

killed or wounded at Warsaw is The rioting in Poland will largely

RISH PARTY

The New "Hungarian Policy" Causes Exciting Scenes.

NATIONALISTS GAIN AT POLLS

as Legal Laws That Are Made at Westminster.

Dublin, Jan. 31.-The borough elec-Jons throughout Ireland were held last week in exceptionally bad weather. A hurricane, accompanied by sleet, raged all day, and in consequence the poli everywhere was small. In Dublin the elections excited more interest than at any time during the last 20 years in consequence of the new nationalist party, which refuses to recognixe British authority as legal in Ireland and supports the newly-propounded "Hungarian policy," challenging the home rulers at the polls.

The net result has been a gain of two seats-one in Kilmainham and one in the Mansion House ward-for the Nationalists. In the North Dock ward Timothy Harrington, M. P., escaped defeat at the hands of a candidate of the new party by only a small majorit not been for the bad weather, which prevented the workingmen residing at a distance from the polling places com-

ing up to record their votes. In the North City ward Patrick White, M. P., was defeated by a large majority. The Unionist party has been all but annihilated as a result of the elections. It musters now only seven out of 80 members of the Dublin cor-

Sir John Nutting, a Dublin Unionist who obtained a baronetcy some time ago as a reward for a generous contribution of \$100,000 for Unionist party purposes, yesterday made an offer to provide \$20,000 to endow scholarships r Roman Catholic students of Trinity College. The Roman Catholic bishops today write rejecting the proposal. cal device. "Trinity College is no place for Roman Catholics," say the

A conference of the representatives of the county councils of Ireland was held in the Dublin City Hall last week, Sir Thomas Esmende M. P., presiding. Resolutions were adopted pledging support to Irish industries and Irish tillage farming and advocating re-

On motion of Sir Thomas Esmonde was unanimously resolved: That the Irish people ought to be free people, with a natural right to govern themselves: that no parliament competent to make laws for Ireland except an Irish Parliament sitting in Ireland, and that the claim of any othed body of men to make laws for or to govern Ireland is illegal and

unconstitutional, and a grievance intolerable to the people of this coun-The county councilors also, by large majority, condemned the proposal to hold an international exhibition in Ireland, and pledged their support to

Warsaw, Jan. 31. - Several persons, affect the economic situation. The among whom the news from St. Peters. Two additional regimants of infan- burg produced an outburst of a riotthat a large proportion of these thousands may be utilized by the revolutionary organizations in Poland, which is the hothed of socialism and the move

The Nashazhizn, a Liberal newswho are starving and desperate, adds paper of St. Petersburg, which has rea factor of the greatest danger which ceived a second warning from Govit not present to the same extent in ernor-General Trepoff, in a moderate St. Petersburg, where the Govern- tone, raises the legal point in connecment orders for war purposes have tion with the firing of Jan. 20, that the means to preserve order before calling claims that this was not done before the military began firing.

Business Paralyzed

London, Jan. 31. - The Daily Mail's Warsaw correspondent telegraphs: ing before and behind cars. Street fighting continues, and the mob is growing in dangerous fashion. There have been frequent collisions between St. Petersburg, Jan. 31.-It is con- the people and soldiers. Revolutionists rvatively estimated that the number attacked the troops with revolvers and knives. The principal disturbances toleading business thoroughfare. At 11 Continued on page 3.

tion promoters have announced the "postponement" of their project. A good deal of amusement has been caused by the publication in a London trade journal of a circular issued by Scott & Co., wine merchants of Dublin, inviting persons to take shares Lurgan, the Hon. Gerald Cadogan, a Mr. O'Callaghan and one or two other persons known in Dublin society. gan would use his social influence and at daylight when his brother was up the notion. als "intimate friendship" with Victor Corkran, Esq., secretary to the lord ieutenant to sell the wine in the viceregal lodge and in society circles; the County Councils Refuse to Recognize Hon, Gerald Cadogan would do similarly, while Mr. O'Callaghan, who possessed great influence with the Catholic hierarchy," would be able to

get the wine into quarters which the circular declares would be otherwise inaccessible to them.

The publication of the circular has come as a thunderclap on the persons concerned, who are all now denying responsibility for it. As, however, Lord Durgan is a somewhat notorious "Guineapig," and the Hon. Gerald Cadogan, son of the late lord lieutenant, was sued in the Dublin courts for the price of an overcoat he had ordered from an Irish tailor "to encour age Irish industry," but afterward refused to pay for, the public merely shakes its head and laughs.

EDMONTON GETS SHOPS

Bonus Voted Grand Trunk Pacific by Blg Majority.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.-At Edmonton today the bylaw granting the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company a bonus of \$100,000 for the establishment after the hearing, and expressed satisity. His opponents claim that they bonus of \$100,000 for the establishment after the nearing, and captured ity. His opponents claim that they would have beaten him by 2 to 1 had of shops and a union depot there was faction with the proceedings so far would have beaten him by 2 to 1 had of shops and a union depot there was faction with the proceedings so far as they had gone. But as a business carried almost unanimously, the vote

standing 800 to 13. BIG AS A MAN'S FIST

An Insurance Value of £500,000 Placed on the New Diamond.

New York, Jan. 31.-A London dispatch to the Times says: A value of £500,000 for insurance purposes has been placed on the Premier Company's big diamond, recently found in the Transvaal. The stone is insured through from the mine to London against fire and marine risks. The size of the diamond is stated to be that of the average man's fist.

FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

Jilted Because of Poor Eyesight, but

Court Was With Her. Montreal, Jan. 20.—A novel reason for breach of promise to marry was set up this morning by a young Frenchman named Demase Lemogi, whose sweetheart applied to the courts for \$1,000 damages for being filted just before the expected wedding.

This nigher than it has been for nine years.

Great Britain's largest customer took 40 per cent more than in 1903. Prices rose steadily during the year. The works now are in full swing, and 1905 shows signs of being another good year.

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Lemogi admitted the breach, but claimed that he discovered just previous to the wedding that his flancee was shortsighted, and considered this sufficient for his declining to wed. Judge Archibald thought differently, especially as the lady wore spectacles, and gave her \$300 damages.

Dropped Dead.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 31. — James Scott, secretary of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, dropped dead of apoplexy at his home at 39 Lansthe national exposition project. Since downe avenue, Westmount, this mornthe meeting the international exhibi- ing. He was 40 years of age.

The Princess Victoria Placed Under the Knife

King Edward's Daughter Is performed by Sir Frederick Treves, sur-Suffering From an Attack of Appendicitis.

"The circumstances of the operation were favorable. The princess bore it very well, and is progressing very satisfactorily."

The princess, who has been ill for som daughter of King Edward, underwent an time, came on London on Jan. 27 to operation for appendicitis at Buckingham prepare for the operation. She was born Palace this morning. The operation was in 1868.

A SAD HOME-COMING

Route to Visit Brother.

the train homewards near Raton, New Mexico.

Mr. Hirst's family here were unable to otify him of his sister's demise, as they did not know his Chicago address. Deceased was on her way to her old

IN NOVA SCOTIA

home in Toronto, where she was known

Railway Traffic Tied Up by Last Seven Months' Revenue Drifts Thirty to Forty Feet High.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 31. - Another law requires the police to exhaust all heavy northeast snowstorm, which is in progress all over Nova Scotia, has is more snow on the ground now than

ALDERMAN UNSEATED

A bulletin subsequently issued says

geon-in-ordinary to the King.

Obliged to Step Out.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 31. - Judge Horne has unseated Ald. Bedford in by Joshua Martin, who received the next highest number of, votes. Judge Horne found that Bedford mailed nis notices of declaration the night following the day of election instead of filing it with the city clerk before 9 o'clock. Costs were assessed upon Bed-ford. Martin was last night sworn in

BIG INCREASE IN **CUSTOMS RECEIPTS**

Was \$24,208,967, an Advance of \$580,462.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Jan. 31. - Customs receipts again tied up the railway traffic.
Trains are again being canceled. There

January were \$3,004,849, an increase of \$39,106 over January, 1904. For seven at any one time during the past twenty years. In the vicinity of Halifax there months the revenue from customs was is four feet on the level. On the railway the snow is said to be batted up \$24,208,967, an increase of \$580,462 over

Farmer Takes His Life; Over an Affair of Love

hour this morning Wm. Quinn, a Dereham farmer, aged about 34, committed suicide by shooting himself in the right Deceased, with a brother and t out of the room making preparations to go to the barn to do the morning's viewing the body, decided that an in-

Ingersoll, Ont., Jan. 30.-At an early the revolver against his ear and fired. The lifeless body was found by Deceased, with a brother and thre temple with a revolver. Death was sisters, resided with his widowed moth instantaneous. The act was committed er, about a mile and a half west of at the home of his brother, Charles Salford. He attended church at Sal-quinn, and a love affair is given as ford last night. After returning home the cause. Circumstances for some he secured his revolver and a box of time previous to the firing of the fatal shot go to show how determined Wil- of his brother, a short distance to the and Dublin Wine Company," the directors of whom were Adam Scott, Lord Lurgan the Hen Company and Company and Company and the Hen Company and the H William did not remove his hat or ting suicide. It was not an uncommon his overcoat, and he repeatedly threatened to kill himself. He turned a deaf his own life, and knowing this, the ear to the entreaties of his brother, brother thought he would soon give Coroner Neff was called, and after

work, he quickly placed the muzzle of quest was unnecessary. CZAR TO RECEIVE THAT CONSPIRACY THE WORKINGMEN CHARGE FAILS

ing Case Vindicated by the Courts.

Pickering, Jan. 31.—The argument in the charge of conspiracy brought against Messrs. William Stanley, Lorne Squires, William Vanstone and Wilfred C. Law, the evidence in which was heard last Tuesday, took place here yesterday before Magistrate Parker, and resulted in the charge being dismissed. In the charge of perjury against Messrs, Law, Stanley and Squires, in which the same evidence was depended upon, the case was not pressed, and the defendants having been formally

arraigned were discharged.

Mr. Vanstone was seen by a reporter as they had gone. But as a business man with a very large interest in the country, spending \$150,000 annually, he felt that he could not continue to lie under the imputation which might be thought by some still to rest upon him, as the matter stands at present. view of the further evidence which said was certainly available, he was disposed to take further steps to fully lear himself. Meantime he is taking legal advice as to whether his position

requires further vindication. BRITISH TIN INDUSTRY

Brokers Say Exports for 1904 Show a Record Increase.

bution to the fiscal controversy is given by a firm of well-known tinplate brokers in their report on the industry for last year. British exports, these brokers state, show a record increase over 1903, and, although the total quantity was not itself a record, it is higher than it has been in a sense be said to date from the adop-tion of the McKinley tariff in America in 1896. The Welsh tinplate manufacturers

at the time feared the tariff would kill their trade, but instead it proved a blessing in disguise.

The makers realized that if their trade was to survive they must take the coats off, they must cheapen the cost coats off, they must cheapen the cost of manufacture and develop new markets. To do that raw materials at the lowest possible price were necessary, and fortunately the fiscal system of Great Britain gave to the makers opportunities in this respect superior to those of any other country. Thus eight years of hard work has brought its reward and the British tinplate trade is in a sounder position than it ever has been before.

Four Defendants in the Picker- Nicholas Will Listen to Delegation After the Strikes Have Subsided.

New York, Jan. 31. - A St. Petersburg dispatch to the Times says: It is understood that the Czar will receive a deputation of workingmen as soon as galls, of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chithe strikes have subsided and the men cago and St. Louis Railway, and Prereturn to work, but as the movement appears to be spreading in epidemic tral, resigned. W. H. Newman, presienters into calculations. There seems to be no doubt that so cialistic agencies made great use of L., and Mr. Ledyard elected chairman the sacrifice of life in St. Petersburg in influencing the provinces.

Reaume's Majority.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 31. — Returning Officer Askin has declared Dr. J. O. Reaume, Conservative, elected by the majority of 836, to the Provincial House for North Essex, over his opponent, Ernest Girardot. Dr. Reaume's majority in this city was 487.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow-Fair and Decidedly Cold London, Tuesday, Jan. 21. Sun rises. 7:35 a.m. Moon rises. 4:22 a.m. Sun sets. . 5:27 p.m. Moon sets. . 2:15 p.m. Toronto, Jan. 30-8 p.m.
The weather remains fair and cold in all portions of the Dominion, with still no present indication of any pronounced

Minimum and maximum temperature Dawson, 28 below-34 below; Victoria 34-40; Calgary, 29 below-10; Qu'Appelle 16 below-4; Winnipeg, 16 below-2; Port Arthur, 12 below-8; Toronto, 3-18; Ottawa, 8 below-16; Montreal, 2 below-15 Quebec, 8 below-10; St. John, 8-20; Halifax, 10-32.

fax, 10-32.

FORECASTS.

Tuesday, Jan. 31-8 a.m.

Today-A few scattered snow flurries, but generally fair; not much change in temperature.

Wednesday-Fair and decidedly cold. TEMPERATURES. Stations. Cloudy

Winnipeg Parry Sound.... Toronto Montreal Father Point ... The sign - indicates below zero. WEATHER NOTES. Light snowfalls have occurred in the Maritime Provinces, but the weather in Canada generally has been fine and continued decidedly cold. The outlook is everywhere still decidedly cold.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Monday were: Highest, 15.5° above; lowest, 2° below.

WITH LEADERS

Have Nothing to Say.

New Minister of Mines Likely To Be Chosen by the People of New Ontario.

Toronto, Jan. 31. - Premier Ross was in the Parliament buildings this norning, but he had nothing to say to inet will be held this afternoon. Mr. J. P. Whitney received a number of proached by newspaper men. It is believed that his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be formally informed tonight of the resignation of the Government, and that tomorrow Mr. Whitney will be commanded to form a new

It is generally understood in Conserhas fully made up his mind to the position of his cabinet, except as to the man from New Ontario, and in this case the members from that section of the country themselves will be allowed to nominate a man for minister of mines. It is said that the large majority of members of the cabinet will consist of men who have been members of the House for a number of years.

PUBLIC TO SEE DUELS

Building Planned In Paris to Accommodate Belligerent Foes.

Paris, Jan. 31.—Paris is to have a novel place of entertainment in the form of a duelodrome, a building intended for the fighting of duels in public. The new edifice is to be erected in the Champ de Mars and the arena proper in which the duels are to take place will be surrounded by boxes for spectators.

It is the intention of the company to rent the seats to the general public in It is the intention of the company to rent the seats to the general public in return for a fee, but whenever duelists wish to fight in private they will have the privilege of chartering the whole house and sending invitations only to their personal friends.

The place will be provided with an infirmary, an operating-room, baths and all

NEW RUSS BATTLESHIPS

British, German and American Contractors Secure Orders.

London, Tuesday, Jan. 31. - A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from St. Petersburg says it is rumored that the American and German firms for the construction of four warships on consian materials and by Russian workmen. Only the machinists and the designs are to be foreign. It is rumored that Russia has ordered the construction of a_battleship on the Clyde and another one at Barrow.

NEW HEADS OF VANDERBILT LINES

A Shift in Officials of Michigan to the left, the debates should not want Central, New York Central and the Big Four.

New York, Jan. 31. — At meetings of boards of directors of Vanderbilt lines, held in this city today, President Inelected president of the Michigan Central, and also of the C., C., C. and St. of the board of the Michigan Central,

At the meeting of the C., C., C. and St. L., known as the Big Four, E. V. W. Rossiter was elected vice-president in charge of finances; W. C. Brown, rice-president in charge of transporta tion; John Carstensen, vice-president in charge of accounting, and G. J. Grammer, vice-president in charge of

At the Michigan Central meeting, W C. Brown was also elected vice-presilent in charge of transportation; John Carstensen, vice-president in charge of

DEAD IN WOODS

Patient Who Escaped From Homewood Sanitarium Found Frozen.

Guelph. Ont., Jan. 30. Geo. Gulliver, a patient who wandered away from the Homewood Sanatorium on Tuesday last, was found dead in the woods adjoining the institution yesterday afternoon. He was on his knees and frozen stiff. Evidently he had become exhausted while en route back to the Deceased had been a privileged patient around the institution for 20 years.

Canadian Horse Show.

Toronto, Jan. 30 .- Colonel Otter and the commanding officers of the Toronto garrison have granted the use of the armories for the purpose of the Canadian horse show, as has been their usual custom. It was requested by the horse show committee that the garrishould hold a military tourna-

"MUM'S," THE WORD TORONTO GREEDY FOR PORTFOLIOS

Premier and Mr. Whitney Wants Several Places in Min- Japs Find 1,200 of Enemy istry, but Will Get One.

FORMAL RESIGNATION TONIGHT? THE HOUSE MAY MEET IN APRIL WOUNDED SUFFER FROM COLD

More Rumors as to the Whitney Oyama Attacked Monday florning, Cabinet, Which Will Be Chosen in a Day or Two.

Toronto, Jan. 31. - Shortly after arriving at the Queen's yesterday, Mr. Whitney met about twenty of his followers and was in consultation with them for about three hours. Naturally the conference dealt with the formacallers at the Queen's Hotel this morn- tion of the new cabinet, and all sorts of rumors were floating around the hotel relative to the men likely to be called upon to join Mr. Whitney's first Administration, Toronto Conservatives had been planning for one of their members being Speaker, another Attorney-General, a third chairman of one of the principal committees, and a fourth Minister of Agriculture. It is, nowever, almost certain that Toronto will have to be content with the apvative circles that the Premier-elect pointment of Mr. J. J. Foy, K. C., as has fully made up his mind to the ponas the refusal of the Provincial Treasurership, and Mr. W. J. Hanna, of the Provincial Secretaryship, while the New Ontario men will be invited to consult as to whom they pre-fer as Minister of Mines, Mr. J. W. St. John wants the commissionership

of crown lands, but it is now said to be unlikely that he will get anything at all. The chances of Mr. I. B Lucas. of Center Grey, for the position are more favorable J. H. Carnegie, of East Victoria, is spoken of as the favorite for the department of agriculture, with Mr. G. N. Kidd, of Carleton, as alternate. Dr. Willoughby, as one of the old fighters whose services the new Premier is anxious to recognize, is mentioned for the works department, although Col. J. S. Hendrie is a possibility. It is understood that while Mr. erence for a permanent position, such 300 Jap Prisoners.

ey. Mr. Whitney himself will probably The impression among Conservatives is that Mr. Whitney will be sent for immediately on the acceptance of the resignation of the Government The place will be provided with all in the place will be and these will be promptly called to the city and sworn in. As soon as possible thereafter the members of the eabinet will seek re-election, and should there be no opposition, about ten days or a fortnight will be all the time

necessary to have the cabinet once more members of the Legislature, After these bye-elections the cabinet will settle down to prepare for the meeting ministry of marine is negotiating with of the Legislature, which, it is said, will not likely take place before the iatter end of March, or even early in A Jap Repulse. Mr. I. B. Lucas, M. P. P. for Center

Grey, who is freely spoken of as a probability for Mr. Whitney's cabinet, arrived in the city yesterday morning. "Have you received any communicacabinet appointment?" was asked. "I have not," replied the member for had occupied. Center Grey. "I do not think that any move will be made in that direction The Wounded Suffer. until the Lieutenant-Governor calls upon Mr. Whitney to form his cabinet. The little band will not lack dignity, he volunteered. "With such men as Hon, George W. Ross, Hon, A. G. Mac-Kay, Hon. G. P. Graham and Hon. Richard Harcourt in the front benches

for effect and excellence." JAPAN'S GOOD FAITH

Mikado Claims to Have Kept in Reply wounded are suffering the greatest to the Russians Protest.

Washington, Jan. 30. - The Japanese Government has presented a note to the United States Government regardappears to be spreading in epidemic trai, resigned. W. I. Schural, was ing the communication recently addressed by Russia to the powers on the thrown within the Russian lines, de subject of the neutrality of China, claring that all Russia is aflame with repelling the accusations of Russia Senator Depew, the former chairman that eall in question the good faith and calling on them to surrender or of the Michigan Central, having re- and loyalty of Japan to her engage- desert. The soldiers eagerly read and

CHILD EMIGRATION

Receiving Farms in Canada Indorsed chees and not play into the hands of the Japanese. at Meeting in London.

London, Jan. 31.-The lord mayor presided at the Mansion House meeting when Mrs. Close's scheme of child emigration was discussed. It was estimated that quite 4,000 children would be sent out under it. Hon, Duff Miller, agent-general of New Brunswick, stated his Government was entirely in sympathy with the scheme, and was prepared to give 200 acres of wild land to each farm which would contain 20 children.

It is proposed a Canadian man and wife be engaged for domestic work at the farm at a salary of £70 per year and to be under a woman superintendent from England at the same salary, with an assistant at £50 per year.

MOUNTAIN MURDER MYSTERY

Bessie Bouton's Slayer.

Colorado Syrings, Col., Jan. 31.—Chief of Police Reynolds, of this city, who has been on the trail of Milton Franklin, suspected of having murdered Bessie Bouton, has returned. He announces that he is convinced of two things, first that the body found on Cutler is now working under the new organi-Mountain is that of Mrs. Bessie Boutation, of Syracuse, N. Y., and second that Milton Franklin Andrews, of newspaper correspondents more vigor-Mountain is that of Mrs. Bessie Boument in conjunction with the horse show, but the commanding officers have decided to defer the military tournament this year. The probable tournament this year. The probable will have a warrant issued at once for Hartford, Conn., is the Milton Franktournament this year. The probable will have a warrant issued at once for dates for the Canadian horse show will be had been a warrant issued at once for will surely be forced to precipitate a be in Easter week, and it will be held Franklin's arrest. He says that Frankfor four days, Wednesday, Thursday, In is in hiding in New York City, and battle. The present state of affairs friday and Saturday, April 26, 27, 28 and 23.

will surely be forced to precipitate a battle. The present state of affairs is apparently due to the clear, cold man who calls herself his sister.

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Dead on Field.

but Was Repulsed-Kuropatkin's Position Much Weakened.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 31.-The Associated Press telegrams from Manimportance since General Grippenberg's orders to abandon the advance. The Japanese yesterday made a demonstration in the eastern district, but apparently it was not serious. probably not occasion further heavy fighting at present unless the Japancounter offensive movement, which is not likely in view of dispatches from Mukden saying the cold is more intense, thus rendering the movements of large bodies on either side well nigh impossible. One result of the bitter cold has been to greatly increase the

mortality among the wounded. Military critics do not express ap proval of General Kuropatkin's offensive move, the Novoe Vremya declaring it was a failure, and the Russ saying it was neither a reconnaissance in force nor a demonstration, hence it could only have been undertaken to capture a strategical point and this object was not justified by events.

1,200 Dead on Field.

London, Jan. 31, 2:13 p.m.-A dispatch to the Japanese legation from Tokio, dated today says Field Marshal Oyama reports that the Russians have left 1,200 dead on the field since Jan. 25.

Captured Contraband Ship.

Tokio, Jan. 31.—The Japanese yester-day captured off Hokkaido Island, Northern Japan, the British steamer Wyefield, loaded with contraband for Vladivostock.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 31. — A telegram

The Japanese losses were very heavy

Over three hundred were made pris-

from Schiatun, dated Jan. 29, states that the Russian losses from Jan. 25 to Jan. 28 were 10,000, but that the percentage of dead was small.

heved that the loss of Heikoutai weak ens the Russian position and probably will compel a material change in the Russian front in that vicinity, Heikoutai will be strongly defended by the Japanese, who are now occupying the Russian works. As the ground is

frozen it is practically impossible to

mukden, Jan, 30.—(Delayed in transmission).-This morning the Japanese advanced on the Russian left, drove in the cavalry screen and bombarded the cutlying hills. The Russians moved up ion from Mr. Whitney with respect to reinforcements, repulsed the Japanese

Mukden, Jan. 30.—(Delayed in transmission). - Constant streams wounded men are arriving here from the right flank, including Lieut.-Gen. Mistchenko, who is in excellent spirits, and is receiving visitors. According to the official army organ, the wounded number 3,500. The cold is intense and the condition of the wounded causes the greatest anxiety, because of the exposure of their wounds to the frost induces gangrene, Preventive pre-cautions have been taken, but the

The Japanese are taking good care to see that the Russian rank and file are not left uninformed regarding the disturbances in Russia. carrying on a regular campaign to spread sedition and discouragement riot and revolt, arguing that the soldiers are shedding their blood in vain, discuss these communications, especially accounts of the events at St. Petersburg, Jan. 22. The sincere hope is ex-pressed on all sides that the Russian nation will forego international differ-

Russia Admits Defeat.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 30, 6:50 p.m. The Russian advance movement against the Japanese left has failed, and General Grippenberg has notified the Emperor that he has discontinued the offensive. General Mischenko and General Kondratsvitch, while not seriously injured, have been obliged to relinquish their commands. office gives no estimate of the Russian losses, but they are believed to be

Looks Like Disaster. Paris, Jan. 20.-A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Echo de Paris says that in all Russian quarters at the Russian capital the evacuation of the fortified village of Sandepas by Kuropatkin's right wing last Thursday is

Every Jap to the Front.

Mukden, Jan. 29, via Tien Tsin, Jan - Official reports published in the army newspaper show that the entire east was undisturbed by small scouting affrays during the fighting at Holentai and Fiechiachuangtzu (Heikoutai and Chenchiehpao). The army ously. The creation of increased forti-