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DEATH OF DR. HERRAN.

MAN AND WIFE CONVICTED.

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THE UNITED IRISH LEAGUE.

Ousehold Linens Russians Claim success IN FIRST DAY'S FIGHTING

The Battle Lasted From 5 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Many Important Positions Taken by the Japanese and Retaken by the Russians After Desperate Hand-to-Hand Encounters-A Fierce Engagement in Which the Japanese Advance Was Checked and They Were Compelled to Retire-News of the Conflict from Liao Yang and St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.-Lieut.-General Sakharoff, telegraphing to the General Staff at the conclusion of yesaround Liao Yang, estimated that the Russian casualties throughout the day were 3,000. "From 5 o'clock this morning until 9 this night," the general says, "the Japanese attacked our frontal position before Liao Yang, and on the left bank of the Taitse River. Both their artillery and rifle fire were intense. Their main efforts were directed against our centre positions and left flank, but NUMEROUS ATTACKS WERE RE-

PULSED along the whole line. Our troops made several counter attacks, culminating in bayonet fighting. Many positions which had been occupied by the Japanese were re-taken at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. During the artillery attack our batteries did very effective work. About 1 this morning the enemy was observed attempting to turn our right flank with a considerable force. but several battalions of reserves advanced, and, after a fierce engagement. hecked the Japanese and compelled them to retire. The battle continued until after dark, and only ended at 9 o'clock. The spirit of our troops is ex-cellent, and the men are rejoiced over the news of the heroic behavior of the garrison at Port Arthur, the repulsng of Japanese attacks upon which has been communicated to them. Our casualties to-day have been considerable, reaching about 3,000. The Japmese losses must have been heavier. SUCCESS CLAIMED BY KUSSIANS. 1 p. m.-Success crowned the Rusof Liao Yang, and the utmost con-fidence prevails here that the issue of the fight will be a complete victory for General Kuropatkin. From dawn until dark yesterday the battle raged first in the centre and left, and then on the right of the Russian line. The Japanese charged gallantly and descentre, and then, in the afternoon, movement against the

by superior forces to overlap and envelope the Japanese. Last night both armies bivouaced in their positions. RUSSIANS LOST 3,000 MEN. No attempt was made by Gen. Sakharoff in the report to estimate the Japanese losses, except to say that they were extremely heavy, and the

posite flank. The attack was deliver-

ed from the west, but General Kuro-

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ENCOURAGED HIS MEN.

During the progress of the battle General Kuropatkin encouraged his men on the fighting line by sending out the news of the repulse of the attack upon Port Arthur August 26. SOME STRIKING FEATURES. The Japanese flank movement from

upze, three miles south of Shackezia, which is 11 miles north-west of Liao Yang. One of the striking features of the battle was the splendid work of the Russian artillery, in which arm the Japanese heretofore have excelled. 46 JAP GUNS CAPTURED.

In a despatch filed late last night, by one of the Associated Press Rus-

THE CROWD ELATED AT NEWS. There is great rejoicing in St. Petsburg over the news on the bulletin The despatches posted there surrounded by eager crowds. flicials of the War Office, although they have not received advices of today's events, are in high spirits. Japanese, who have been advancing or a week, are now said to be utterly exhausted after yesterday's hard, unsuccessful fight, and no doubt exists here that if the opportunity offers General Kuropatkin will not fail to follow up the advantage he has achiev-

THE HILLS TREMBLED. 'All around Liao Yang the hills are center of a terrific sanguinary engagement, but we were prepared for it. Altogether union officials assert 12:000 Hospital trains are in readiness, and other trains are bringing in reserves, be seriously crippled, leaving as the stores and forage, together with artillery and rifle ammunition.

To-day's battle seems to be devoted by the Japanese to an artillery fight President Donnelly, is to create with the obect of searching out our meat famine, which he thinks would positions. The Japanese advance has arouse the public to such a pitch of ontinued uninte ruptedly since Augindignation that a settlement would be ust 24th. Yesterday it lead to a numiforced. "Donnelly is undertaking the ber of brilliant actions as the Rus-sians drew in upon their defences, but these actions were nothing with to-

BRAVE CORRESPONDENT. M. Ogilinsky, one of the Associated Press Russian co respondents has been most.' decorated with the order of St. Anne for bravery on the field of battle while with General Mistchenko.

TWO JAP SPIES ARRESTED. St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.-Grand Duke Boris, who arrived in St. Petersbuig yesterday evening, returns to the day of the battle front in three weeks. Two Japanese residents of this city have been arrested as spies. It is said that some of the letters seized on board North German Lloyd steamer P Prinz Heinrich, in July last, by the volunteer steamer Smolensk were from

JAPS LOSE 40 CANNONS ? Liao Yang, Tuesday, Aug. 30, 8 p. m -(Delayed.)-The town has been filled with joy owing to a report that the Russians took forty-six cannon to-day. The Japanese assault on the Russian

and repulsed it, but actually was able centre was desperate in the extreme. The Japanese losses were very great The attack was sustained mainly by the Eighth Siberian Regiment. fighting at Wafangow cannot be comwith that of to-day. Shells shricked over the town from early morning. People occupying positions on house tops had a magnificent spectacle. Fine rain has begun to fall.

Chin' there is a feeling of quite ex-ultat h over indications that China may be tempted to serve as an ally of Japan. In that even there would be reason for Russia to defer sweep-ing into Manchuria by way of retali-ation, and she would herself be well within her rights in doing so. Rusis only beginning to call upon reserve, Mr. Nixon observed, and tremendous agricultural and mineral reserves, besides the enormous store of gold in her vaults, and her great population make the present moment only the beginning of the conflict for the supremacy of Asia. The birth of the heir to the throng will have a far seaching seffect; Mr. Nixon

Lord Dundonald is Not After a Seat in Parliament

London, Aug. 31.-Lord Dundonald, in a letter to the Times, denies the re-port that he has accepted a nominaian correspondents he says that a tion in the Conservative interest to eport was current at Liao Yang that contest a seat in the next Canadian

PROSPECTIVE MEAT FAMINE

A General Strike of Butchers' Workmen Has Been Ordered,

Chicago, Aug. 31 .- A famine in meats is declared by the strikers to be the probable result of their new move in the strike against the packers. Orders have been issued for a general strike of all butchers' workmen throughout the country. They are expected to go out to-morrow. The order will affect n all about 2,000 men in Chicago, including the independents. The order, A despatch to the St. Petersburg of the independents. The order, Official Messenger from Liao Yang, under date of August 30th, says: East St. Louis. Omaha, St. Louis, Kan-East St. Louis, Omaha, St. Louis, Kan rembling to-day from the artillery wauked Syracdse, sund Bruniareds of fire, which has not ceased for a mo-ment. Line Yang has become the small plants throughout the country, which employ from ten to twenty men. Altogether union officials assert 12,000

only means of supply the output of the big packers by their non-union men. The object of the packers, said forced. "Donnelly is undertaking the impossible," said a representative of one of the packers, There is little chance of a meat famine. The independent packers, who by their collu-sion with the unions, have profited much during the strike, will suffer

The 600 stock handlers in the stock yards, 125 special policemen and nearly 400 pen cleaners, drivers of foureen wagons and laborers employed by the Union stock yards companies quit work to-day.

SHOT TO KILL

Attempted Assassination of a Lady Whose Father Was Recently Robbed by Highway Men.

(By Special C. P. R. Wire.) Danbury, Conn., Aug. 31 .- Mrs. F. F. Spencer, wife of a Greenwich clergyman, and daughter of Dr. Henry Hartwell, an aged New Milford physician, who was robbed of \$5,000 by derers of lard, etc., highwaymen two weeks ago, was the victim of a murderous assault near her home to-day. The family received letters Monday and yesterday warning them that they would be killed if further offorts were made to canture by ther efforts were made to capture Dr. Hartwell's assailants. To-day a mask-said Thomas Frederick Harris, by whom led man fired three shots at Mrs. the same will be settled.

Spencer as she was driving from New Dated at London this thirty-first day Spencer as she was driving from New of August, 1904. Milford to her home. One of the shots set her dress on fire. She returned the shots and her assailant fied. The New Milford authorities have sent for

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full list see posters. The property as above will also be offered for sale at the same time. Terms:—For stock, \$10 and under, cash; four months' credit on ap-proved joint notes; 6 per cent. per annum discount. As the proprietors are retiring from business, everything will be sold. For further particulars apply on premises or to A. M. HUNT, Auctioneer, 21 Edward street. 'Phone 1559.

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ARRESTED AT DETROIT. es to death by carbolic acid, took own life in a similar manner while is brother-in-law, where his wife ling to his wife, he first tried to he has been falsifying entries. ints of the house he invited them beginning with his wife, to come

MUST REMOVE THE HULK. ew York, Aug. 31.—Dr. Thomas ran, who represented Columbia at shington for several years, up to time of the Panama incident, died lay at Liberty, N. Y. He had been for some time, and went to Lib-Grande Pointe, with a me in the hope that a sojourn there aid in the restoration of his been sentenced to imprisonment ne penitentiary for life after conion of mistreating Mable Mayfield, years old. His wife, Viola, also

diately.

LEAPED TO DEATH. ed to be Florence P. Edwards, of Walkerville, jumped from the steamer Tashmoo as the boat was nearing young girl and sentenced to 14 imprisonment. His wife was night. She had been in the company of a young man during the voyage ately jumped into the lake. The body

spapers and periodicals, arrived terday on the Kaiser Wilhelm A POLITICIAN'S SUICIDE. his first visit to America vinter of 1900-01, when he famous "Tabloid" edition Hawley, a prominent politician, com-

a morning paper issued on the first mitted suicide last night by taking orning of the 20th century. He has strychnine. The deed is attributed morning of the 20th century. He has strychnnine. since been made a Baronet, says the to remorse for World. Sir Alfred wears his new hon-ors most modestly, and is as democratic as on his former visit, when he was 'hail fellow, well met' with all defense. the American newspaper men who had the good fortune to meet him. From the steamer, Sir Alfred went directly to the office of W. E. Carson, his New floor to the ground.

Alfred Harmsworth York representative. "I have come over primarily for the purpose of investigating the American paper supply," said Sir Alfred when interviewed, "but what I want most just at this moment is a rest from business cares. I am going to Maine with Mr Carson. I shall remain in the United States about five weeks, and hope to N AND WIFE CONVICTED find time to visit the St. Louis ex-position." Sir Alfred and Mr. Carson eft last evening for the Maine woods where they will spend a week in camp. GOT WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS. New York, Aug. 31.-Justice Amend in the Supreme court to-day granted a writ of habeas corpus for Nan Pat-terson, who is under indictment on a charge of murdering Caesar Young last June. The writ, which is returnanged, Mrs. W. W. Newcombe, of able, orders the warden of the Tombs to produce Mrs. Patterson in the Suhburg, threw herself in front of preme court, when her counsel will ask for her discharge, on the grounds railroad in the Back Bay district that there is not evidence that she committed the crime charged against her. If this is denied application will be made that she be admitted to bail in sum to be fixed by Justice Amend.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 31.-When Melthe Provincial Department of Agriculture at Winnipeg stepped up to his own life in a similar manner white private mail box at the Detroit post-a drunken frenzy to-day after his office last night he was surprised to d wife, who had left him, failed eturn. Sachs appeared at the home Bartlett has been embezzling money received from the sale of marriage licenses, and that during all that time shortage is alleged to amount to several thousand dollars. Bartlett is 32 in his shouts had aroused and ight to the windows all of the vous when questioned at police head-quarters by Lieut. Sadler, and at first said that he would teturn to Winni-said that he might decide to fight it. Battlett's wife is still in Winni-efforts be crowned with success in the die to satisfy him, so he drank t die to satisfy him, so he drank ottle of carbolic acid, and half peg. Bartlett came here a few days ago to disit friends in Detroit. When searched \$32 was found on him.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 31.-Lieut.-Colonel Davis, United States Engineer, has visited the scene of the Minne-sota wreck in the St. Clair river, just of the Canadian Department of Marine, and after making soundings and sweeping over the old hulk, decided that the Reid Wrecking Company, of Sarnia, would have to do additional work in order to give a clear depth of twenty feet. Several boats have struck the wreck, and action will be to have it removed imme

Detroit, Aug. 31 .- A woman, supposdown and left him in an after cabin. She appears to have gone to the upper deck, and mounting a chair, deliberwas not recovered, and the young man disappeared from the boat so soon as it reached port.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 31.-Jas. B.

to remorse for having shot and killed his brother April 18, 1902. At that time Hawley was exonerated by the coroner's jury on the grounds of self-

ons were seriously injured to-day by the fall of an elevator in the Park building, Fifth avenue. The cable broke and the car fell from the third

Russian losses were only approximated at 3,000. No Russian general of-REPORT CONFIRMED. DIVIDED INTO TWO PERIODS.

General Kuropatkin's forces occupied

St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—Further despatches from Liao Yang confirm the report of the capture of forty-six Ja-man. DIVIDED INTO TWO PERIODS. bloodhounds to aid in tracking the New York, Aug. 31.-At the confer-IN THEIR NEW KIT

The Japanese Army in the field has recently been freshly outfitted. Here is a company of the Mikado's fighting men in their new uniforms, fresh from the Quartermaster's.

reports of the various committees the secretary's report. O'Callaghan read a resolution adopted at a meeting of Slavonic American near future. Secretary O'Callaghan also read a letter of regret from President Roosevelt. Letters of regret also were received from Judge Parker, the Democratic Presidential nominee, Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Ryan.

McCAULEY'S CASE. Thomas N. McCauley, who is involved in the affairs of the alleged bankrupt International Mercantile Agency, and who is under arrest here on a charge of larceny in Toronto, was again journed to-day. The hearing is now assigned for next Friday, by which ime it is expected the necessary in the case will have been received from Hamilton, Ont., where C. S. Wilcox, the complainant, lives. McCauley has been paroled in the custody of his

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS. Buffalo, Aug. 31.—The executive committee of the International Sun-day School Association began a three days' session here to-day. Chairman Harsthore, of Boston, delivered his annual address, which was discussed by the members present. Following came the reports of Secretary Lawrence, of Toledo, and Treasurer Bailey, pf Philadelphia, and the report of primary and junior secretary, Miss Bridge Parnes, of Newark, N. J. The work of the association covers the United States and Canada and Mexico, there being in all 67 states, provinces and

ence of the United Irish League to- positions forming a semi-circle about panese guns, which were brought up day there was no official programme Liao Yang, the flanks resting on the to the railroad station where Genera for the proceedings, but such of the Taitse River east and west of the morning sessions was taken up by the city. The battle divided itself into reports of the various committees two periods. After a preliminary bom-which were appointed yesterday and bardment of the Russian lines on the right and centre the Japanese infantry advanced to the attack, charging the Kussian centre. Although repeatedly checked they came on with bull-dog tenacity, hurling themselves against the Russian positions with the bayonets. There were many bloody handto-hand encounters. By noon the Jap-anese actually succeeded in occupying the Russian trenches. Then General Kuropatkin sent forward some reserves, delivered a series of counter attacks re-captured the lost positon, and drove back the Japanese all along the line. The attack on the centre having failed, the second half of the fight began at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when the Japanese tried to turn the Russian right flank. Here also they failed, but only after a desperate struggle, which was continued until 9 o'clock. Reserves despatched in time by General Kuropatkin at last succeeded not only in checking the Japanese, but enveloping and driving

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A VISITOR TO RUSSIA Views of Mr. Lewis Nixon, Who Has

Returned From St. Petersburg.

New York, Aug. 31 .- The Herald this morning says: Lewis Nixon, the former president and technical head of the United States Shipbuilding Company, returned yesterday from a visit to St. Petersburg. While there he had been invited by the Czar's advisors to confer in regard to replac-

ing the naval vessels lost during the present war by supplementing the imperial navy with the latest and most powerful types of warships. "How is the war regarded in Russia?" Mr. Nixon was asked. "What impressed me most was the dignified, but calm and patient confidence." Mr. Nixon does not feel at liberty to discuss at present the probable purposes of the Czar's war minister, either in regard to upbuilding the Russian navy, or as to the outcome of the present con-flict with Japan, but he does intimate that the capture of Port Arthur would by no means indicate the end of the struggle. With the nations of the

SIXTEEN DROWNED

The Ship's Boat Capsized and Only One Boy Saved

Aden, Arabia, Aug. 31 .- A boat containing the captain and sixteen mem-bers of the crew who had left the British steamer Barron Innerdale, which was ashore at the Kuria Maria Islands, capsized, and all the occupants were drowned, except one boy

COTTON PICKERS IN DEMAND. Wacaco, Texas, Aug. 31.-There is the greatest demand for cotton pickers in the cotton region of Texas known in twenty years, and in many cities and towns draymen, delivery boys, cooks and even hotel helpers have ben induced by the big prices paid for picking to go to the fields.

Mrs. Chas. Smith, of Jimes, Ohio, writes:-I have used every remedy for sick headache I could hear of for the past fifteen years, but Carter's Little Liver Pills did me more good than all

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