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UNABLE TO STOP ADVANCE OF JAPANESE

RUSSIANS FORCED BACK ON KAICHAU

The Loss of Gunboat Kaimon--Twenty-Two of the Crew Are Missing. Taitcheikao, July 6.—The Japanese swarmed over the mountain crests early this morning and advanced on Kaichau, compelling Gen. Chirikoff, with the centre of the Russian vanguard, to fall back...

FURTHER DETAILS OF RECENT FIGHTING

St. Petersburg, July 7.—The war office denies that a battle in progress as reported by the Liao Yang correspondent in the London Daily Telegraph. The officials of the war office repeat the substance of the explanation contained in these dispatches to-day, saying that the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph probably referred to the reconnaissance in force made by Lieut. Gen. Count Kozlov...

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THE ADVANCE OF GEN. KUROKI'S FORCES

St. Petersburg, July 8.—L. 20 p. m.—A special dispatch from Newchwang, yesterday, says Gen. Kuroki is advancing all along the line, and adds that Japanese officers are organizing Chinese detachments throughout the Liao valley for an attack on Mukden.

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the enemy was taking the offensive simultaneously along the whole front, extending from the seashore as far as the valley of the Chichau river. On the morning of July 7th a vast camp of the enemy was discovered in the neighborhood of Siaohekta. July 7th the enemy occupied the heights near Baotshin. No news have fallen recently."

SUCCESS OF JAPANESE FLANKING OPERATIONS

St. Petersburg, July 8.—L. 25 p. m.—With the return of three days fine weather, during the morning of the 8th of war, the military authorities here are once more inclined to believe in the probability of a general engagement. The Japanese column appear again pushing forward at all points, but the strategic plans of the Japanese, as well as the location of their main force and the place where their chief blow will be struck, whether at Kaichau, Haicheng, Liao Yang or even at Mukden, are still puzzling the Russian authorities. In a general way the Japanese seem to be withdrawing their pressure southwest of Kaichau and Liao Yang, but to be maintaining it northeast as if contemplating a combined attack on Taitcheikao and Taitchenwan. The success of the Japanese flanking operations is disconcerting the Russians. One by one the passes in the mountains which the Russians had fortified in advance with iron palisades have been attacked by the Japanese, who have always managed by trails not marked on the maps to circumvent the Russians.

HEARD SOUNDS OF HEAVY FIRING AT SEA

Cherof, July 9.—(Noon).—Junks which passed through the Gulf of Peichih on Thursday, July 7th, report having heard heavy firing at sea all that afternoon.

SUBMARINES WILL BE SENT TO FAR EAST

Paris, July 8.—Chabing from St. Petersburg, a well known correspondent states that, having been authorized to visit the naval station at Kronstadt, he had the opportunity to see there the submarine torpedo boat, Protektor, which is being fitted out for service in the Far East.

SEVEN HUNDRED JAPS KILLED AND WOUNDED

Liao Yang, July 7.—In the recent night attack at Hoisan, the Japanese lost 200 killed and 500 wounded. Gen. Kuroki, talking to a Russian officer who had been taken prisoner, said the Japanese intend to take possession of all southern Manchuria, establishing themselves at Port Arthur and Yankow, driving back Newchwang, which it is proposed to fortify, garrison with large bodies of troops and supply with long range artillery. If the Russians recapture these three places, Gen. Kuroki declares it would be at the cost of an enormous amount of money and 800,000 fresh troops from Europe.

ARE WITHIN REACH OF NEWCHWANG

St. Petersburg, July 9.—2.10 p. m.—The capture of Kaichau (Kaiping) by the Japanese, announced from Tokio to-day, is not officially confirmed at the war office, but there is no disposition to question the probable correctness of the report, as the latest advices received here made it plain that the Japanese were advancing in force along the railroad against the Russian position.

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KAIPING OCCUPIED BY THE JAPANESE

Tokio, July 9.—After severe fighting Gen. Oku occupied Kaiping yesterday (Friday).

RUSSIAN DESTROYER SENT TO PORT

Tientsin, July 6.—The Russian destroyer, Lieut. Burakoff, which successfully ran the Japanese blockade and reached Newchwang June 24th, with advice for St. Petersburg from the beleaguered fortress, has returned safely to Port Arthur.

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Ottawa, July 9.—As a result of the visit of Hon. J. P. Fulton and Fishery Commissioner Babcock, of British Columbia, to Ottawa, the relative claims of the province and of the Dominion with respect to fishery matters have been very clearly defined. It is understood that the Dominion was asked to repay to the province the total collected in fishery licenses in British Columbia, from Confederation to 1900, minus expenditure for hatcheries and the policing of salmon waters. In 1900, 1902 and 1903 a modus vivendi with regard to these licenses was reached by which the province undertook the protection of fisheries which might be regarded as provincial waters. In 1904, 1905 and 1906 a modus vivendi with regard to these licenses was reached by which the province undertook the protection of fisheries which might be regarded as provincial waters. In 1907, 1908 and 1909 a modus vivendi with regard to these licenses was reached by which the province undertook the protection of fisheries which might be regarded as provincial waters.

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of Georgia and south of the 49th parallel, be prohibited this fall from August 25th to September 15th inclusive; that the weekly closed period in the Fraser, above the railway bridge, be from 6 a.m. Sunday to 6 p.m. Monday; and that 60 mesh nets only be allowed in the Fraser. All these suggestions are advanced with a view to securing a greater number of eggs at Shwawap and Seton hatcheries. They also suggested that the exportation of salmon be prohibited, and that as salmon fishing above the 49th parallel in British Columbia is not affected by traps in United States waters, that the use of trap nets, purse or drag seines be prohibited north of the 49th parallel.

REFORMED JUDAISM

Its Inroads on the Ancient Faith Discussed by Rabbis.

New York, July 8.—In a secret session of its convention here the Association of Orthodox Rabbis of America and Canada has discussed at length the inroads upon the ancient faith made by Reformed Judaism. Zionism was also thoroughly discussed. The movement in support of the movement in its orthodox phases. Arrangements were made for services in memory of Dr. Theodore Herzl, founder of the movement. These will be held about July 17th throughout America.

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