

"This ARGUS o'er the people's rights Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Maia's son Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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JAPANESE RUSSIAN WAR

MUKDEN HAS FALLEN INTO THE HANDS OF THE JAPANESE.

Field Marshal Oyama Has Captured a Great Number of Prisoners and Ammunition. Russians Fleeing to the Hills.

St. Petersburg, March 11.—4:35 a. m.—(Saturday)—The Russ, in an editorial article this morning strikes a stirring note, not minimizing the extent of the defeat in Manchuria, but bidding the people not despair. The article contains no word about peace, but its whole thought is uncompromising prosecution of the war.

Tokio, March 10.—8 p. m.—Field Marshal Oyama telegraphs as follows under to-day's date:

"We occupied Mukden at 10 o'clock this morning.

"Our surrounding movement, in which we have been engaged for some days past, has now completely succeeded.

"The fiercest fighting continues at several places in the vicinity of Mukden.

"We captured a great number of prisoners, enormous quantities of arms, ammunition, provisions and other war supplies. There is at present no time to investigate the number of these.

New Chung, March 10.—According to reliable information received here the Russians, having been driven out of Mukden and Fushan and with the railroad cut, are retreating in a demoralized condition to the hill country towards the north-east.

It will be impossible for the Russians to keep up any sort of resistance for many days as there are not means of provisioning in the rough country through which they are retreating.

Yinkow, March 10.—Mukden fell at 10 o'clock this (Friday) morning. The Russians are panic-stricken. Thousands of prisoners and enormous quantities of stores and guns have been captured.

Mukden, March 9.—Nature to-day raised her hand against the frightful slaughter west and northwest of Mukden, and the hurricane which has been raging since morning having raised a blinding dust storm upon the broad, flat, Liao river valley it was impossible at times to see at a distance of 200 paces. Unable to distinguish objectives, both armies necessarily ceased to a large extent their artillery and rifle fire and a strange boisterous quiet reigned along the western and northern fronts.

MRS. HALL'S MIRACLE.

Experiences Similar to This Have Occasioned Considerable Comment in Goldsboro.

Few women are better known in Lockport, N. Y., than Mrs. Pattie D. Hall, as she belongs to one of the best families and has a large circle of friends and acquaintances. In a recent interview Mrs. Hall said:

"The experience I have been through in the last two years seems like a miracle. I was so badly off that life seemed almost unendurable, and my deafness increased so that I could scarcely hear anything. The suffocation in my chest and the indigestion caused by my catarrh, produced very severe suffering. I had five different physicians, bought everything that anybody recommended to me, but finally gave up in despair.

"One day my milliner asked me if I had ever tried Hyomei. I began the treatment, and can thankfully testify that Hyomei does cure this terrible disease. Since using it my hearing is greatly improved, and the only time I have any catarrhal trouble is when I take cold. I then use Hyomei, and always get instant relief. My friends and acquaintances marvel at the change in my health and hearing."

Hyomei has made many cures of catarrh, and in connection with Hyomei balm, of catarrhal deafness, in Goldsboro. Similar experiences as that of Mrs. Hall's have created a large sale for Hyomei with J. H. Hill & Son.

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FLANKING RUSSIANS OUT OF MUKDEN.

The Japanese army is larger than the Russian army, and is supplied with more and better artillery. The roads are still hard because of the frost in the soil, and the Japanese are engaged in capturing Mukden by a series of flanking movements. Such operations require considerable time, and already the fighting is in its second week. The day of quick Napoleonic battles is ended, and the flanking campaign is in evidence.

It is still difficult to say how matters are going near Mukden. It is plain, however, that the Japanese are gaining ground, and that the Russians will be driven north of the provincial capital. The losses of stores on the part of the Russians must be very great, and the losses of men on both sides are dreadful. The balance of the fighting is clearly in favor of the Japanese. The doubling up of the wings of the Russian army must result in the withdrawal of the entire army north of Mukden, and there is always danger of disaster under such circumstances.

The turning and enveloping movement which Oyama is conducting will doubtless be accomplished this week, and if it is successful Kuropatkin will be compelled to retreat northward along the Siberian railroad which is his sole line of communication. Retreat to Tie Fass seems to be the only course left open to him, unless indeed he can whip the Japanese in battle, and this he seems to be unable to do.

JOHN HENNINGER REAGAN.

The Civil War Fast Passing Into History's Absolute Keeping.

The death at a ripe age of the surviving member of the Confederate cabinet is an event that shows how rapidly we are drifting away from the years of civil strife. Judge Reagan was identified with the Confederacy from start to finish. His life was long and active. He assisted in the upbuilding of Texas, and when the Confederacy was organized he gave his best efforts to it. After it had ceased to be a factor in this world's affairs, he re-entered Congress, first in one house and then in the other, retiring at last from Congress to take hold of the Texas railroad commission, in which he did some of the best work of his energetic career.

The death of Judge Reagan goes far to render the civil war a memory and a part of undying history. In a few years all the living links will be gone, and history must then take up the subject and render the final judgment. Scarcely anyone more actively participated in the steps that led to the civil war, in the war itself, and in the changes that followed it, than the statesman who now lies buried in the soil he loved so well.

SHE WORE TROUSERS.

This Sweet Child Ran Away Because She Didn't Like a Reformatory.

Winston-Salem, N. C., March 10.—A genuine sensation was produced here to-day by two policemen finding a pretty eighteen year old girl attired in boy's clothes. She was found at the home of a colored woman.

The girl says her name is Eula Jackson Newman and that she came here Wednesday night from Roanoke, Va., in disguise, with her cousin who is a brakeman on the Norfolk and Western railroad.

Lunges at Canal Commission.

Washington, March 8.—Radical changes are to be made in the personnel of the Panama Canal Commission.

While no authoritative statement concerning the President's intentions is obtainable at the White House, it is known to be his purpose to make such changes in the membership of the canal commission as, in his judgment, will facilitate work on the great waterway. His desire, it is understood, is to reduce the commission to three members, all of whom shall be practical engineers of eminence.

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MRS. CHADWICK GUILTY.

VERDICT AGAINST HER IN SEVEN COUNTS. WENT INTO HYSTERICIS.

Penalty Is Two Years on Each Count and \$10,000 Fine. The Woman's Counsel Moved For a New Trial and Will Take an Appeal.

Cleveland, O., March 11.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick was tonight found guilty of conspiring to defraud the United States by conspiring to procure the certification of checks on a national bank, when there were no funds in the bank to her credit. She was found guilty on every count of the indictment upon which the jury was to judge her—seven in all.

The original indictment contained sixteen counts. Two of these were ruled out during the trial by Judge Taylor, and of the remaining fourteen one half charged her with securing the certification of checks without having the proper entries made upon the books of the bank. Judge Taylor in his charge directed the jury to disregard these counts and consider only the remaining seven, which related to the certification with no funds on deposit. On all of these the jury found against her.

Under the law she can be fined on each count not more than \$10,000, or imprisoned more than two years on each count, or she may be fined a maximum of \$10,000 and also imprisoned for two years on each count. The jury reached a verdict in two hours but it was not read until 8:43 tonight.

Mrs. Chadwick came into court about five minutes before the jury and fell into the seat she has occupied during the trial. The jury sat silently in their chairs waiting for the appearance of Judge Taylor and around the dim, ill lighted court room stood perhaps thirty people more—newspaper men, balliffs and attaches of the office of District Attorney Sullivan. Of Mrs. Chadwick's counsel, Judge Wing alone was present and he sat silent with a frown of apprehension upon his face. Emil Hoover, close behind his mother, was ready to rejoice with or console her, as the case might be.

The clerk read the verdict and the judge dismissed the jury. She shot a quick glance at Judge Wing, the sorrowful expression of his face told more than the words with which he responded to her look of appeal. "We have lost, Mrs. Chadwick," was all he said.

She turned half around to look at Emil Hoover behind her and reading there a confirmation of the words of Judge Wing, she flushed deeply and raised her hand in a bewildered fashion to her head. Suddenly her limbs seemed to give way beneath her and she sank feebly into her chair. Her head fell forward on her hands, and an expression of strangling came from her throat, while Emil and Judge Wing sought vainly to comfort her.

Mrs. Chadwick soon composed herself, raised her head, wiped her eye and rose to her feet with an air of bidding defiance to all the world. Attended by Deputy Marshal Clotbitz, Emil Hoover and Judge Wing, she walked steadily to the hallway to take the elevator. It was there and in the slight delay that Mrs. Chadwick's composure deserted her utterly. She violently threw off the arm of Deputy Marshal Clotbitz and that of her son, exclaiming: "Let me go! Oh, my God, let me go!"

She tottered in weakness and Clotbitz together with Deputy Marshal Minder, stepped quickly to her side. "I'm not guilty," she exclaimed, and then with all the energy gone from her voice she weaned again and again.

"Oh, let me go. I'm not guilty I tell you. Let me go." Suddenly she fell against Judge Wing. He caught her by the shoulders and kept her from falling until Deputy Marshal Minder came up on the other side. Together the men lifted her bodily and bore her into the elevator, which descended one floor, and she was taken, half walking, and half carried, into the office of United States Marshal Chandler and placed upon a sofa. An attack of hysterics followed that lasted fully fifteen minutes, her sobs and cries being distinctly audible in the hall outside.

The two nurses were in prompt attendance and applied restoratives diligently. In about a half hour from the time she entered the marshal's office, Mrs. Chadwick was restored to comparative composure and was then taken to the jail. Judge Wing said the case would be taken to a higher court.

COAL RATES.

The coal operators of West Virginia are urging President Roosevelt to call a special session of Congress at once to consider the railroad problem.

The West Virginia operators have been paying \$1.35 a ton to the railroads as freight money from their mines to the sea, while the rate on Pennsylvania soft coal to the sea has all along been, and is now \$1.20 a ton. The West Virginia operators could stand the difference of fifteen cents, but now comes an advance to \$1.60 a ton. The Chesapeake and Ohio and the Norfolk and Western have ordered the advance in rates on coal. The higher rates went into effect March 10, and no shipments can be made to the sea from the Potomac basin, New River and Kanawha sections of West Virginia below \$1.60 a ton freight money.

The West Virginians are full of wrath but the President will not be apt to change his programme, which looks to a special session in October, in order to please the West Virginia operators. Why the rate was suddenly increased to \$1.60 is not known, but the West Virginians say the Pennsylvania are trying to squeeze them into the sale of their coals at low prices.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remain in Postoffice, Goldsboro, Wayne County, N. C., March 13, 1905.

MEN'S LIST.

- E—G Baldwin. C—F W Ornes. H—C B Hulet, F B Hoberg, C D Hendrick, James Harris, J R H. Weller, Arthur Hester, L. W. Hines. J—L P Jones. L—John P Lloyd, Harry R Lepch. M—S E Marks, J Y S Mitchell, J R Moore. S—Fred Sanders, J R Speight. T—W E Tompkins. V—S R Powell. W—William Virg. W—Leroy Waters.

LADIES' LIST.

- A—J B Andrews. B—Ariah Becton. C—Rebecca Dacect. D—D Edmunds. E—Mariah Foreman, Lottie Farrior. H—Nerva Herring, Mable Highsmith. L—Efer Lee. M—Hattie Matthis. P—L J Phelps. T—Mary Thompson, Annie Toler. W—Rhoda Ward, Lina Withery, Sarah Wooten, Mary Walker.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. Rules and regulations require that one cent be paid on advertised letters.

J. F. DOBSON, Postmaster.

A Delaware farmer, while combating a fire which was threatening his home, had his mustache burned off by the blaze. There is nothing very unusual about a man losing his mustache in this way, for hirsut adorning, burns quite readily when set fire to. The tragedy of the Delaware incident lies in the fact that the farmer's mustache measured eighteen inches from tip to tip, and had been his pride for thirty years. Poor man! He would hardly live long enough to grow another mustache of that length. It is a great pity that we cannot set fire to the cranks who affect long hair.



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Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of W. M. Darden, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of February, 1905, or this notice will be presented in bar of its recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment. This 15th day of February, 1905.

W. S. DARDEN, Administrator. Wilson, N. C.

GOSSIP OF THE WORLD.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM DIVERS SOURCES.

The Latest Telegraphic News of the Day Boiled Down to a Focus For Busy Readers.

The income of John D. Rockefeller is said to be five million dollars a month. Most any country doctor could live on half that sum—Lincoln Home Journal.

Andrew Carnegie is said to be studying Mrs. Chadwick closely. It would have been money in the pockets of those Ohio bankers had they done the same thing.

Richard H. Wright, agent of the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company at Norfolk, and one of the most prominent transportation men in Virginia, died yesterday of pneumonia, aged 50 years.

First Lieutenant Roscoe H. Hearn, 9th infantry, has been detailed by the War Department as professor of military science and tactics at Gordon Institute, Barnesville, Ga., to take effect September 15th next.

Paris, March 13.—The Russian government will issue five per cent. treasury bonds to the amount of \$120,000,000. The loan will be offered probably in April, and will be issued at 98 per cent., redeemable in 1913.

The bureau of supplies and accounts, Navy Department, Washington, will open bids on April 23, for 150,000 pounds of tobacco to be delivered in May or June. Hereafter bids for the annual supply of tobacco will be received in the fall.

Fremont, Ohio, March 13.—The vault of the Genoa Banking Company, at Genoa, Ottawa county, was blown up last night by robbers. It is reported the thieves secured \$2,000 in cash and papers valued at \$50,000. The robbery occurred near daybreak.

Santos-Dumont is dreaming now about a sure enough "castle in the air," which will be nothing more than a tiny cottage built of pine wood, piano wire and aluminum covered with many thicknesses of varnished balloon silk, which he will suspend beneath an airship.

Wilmington, N. C., March 13.—W. J. Shaw, a soldier, at Fort Cassell, cut his throat with a pocket knife, Sunday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock, immediately after sentence had been formally read to him, which was that he should serve a term of eighteen months imprisonment for desertion.

Suffolk, Va., March 13.—Maggie Miedhal, 15 years old, eloped to-day from her home in Gatesville, N. C., and was married to Ray C. Binges, aged 16. The father, being too late to stop the marriage, interrupted the couple after the honeymoon had begun and took away the young bride in spite of tearful protests.

A Chicago professor has created all kinds of trouble for married men by urging women to insist that their husbands quit going out at night and remain at home to amuse the children. He suggests that papa could make shadow pictures, deck himself up to represent an Indian chieftain, caper about as a horse and do innumerable tricks to entertain his offspring, all of which makes it appear that there is a hard row of stumps waiting for papa.

Roanoke, Va., March 13.—Last night near Ironville, a small town ten miles east of Roanoke, a dog belonging to Charles McDonald, who lives at Ironville, returned home carrying in his mouth a human head. The head was badly decomposed and there is an ugly hole behind the left ear. Just where the dog got the head is not yet known, but a party is scouring the country searching for the balance of the remains. The case is shrouded in mystery.

Colonel Watterson asserts that the livestock is deserted. Not long ago he told us that Paris had grown almost commonplace, certainly much tamer than it was in the halcyon days of its youth. It would appear that Europe of today is not quite so fascinating to the distinguished Kentuckian as it was when he took his first trip abroad. Even the greatest of the world's show places lose a part of their charm when seen more than once and it also must be remembered that the world before forty looks much different after that age is passed.

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ON ACCOUNT OF PREVIOUS ENGAGEMENTS.

President Talks of North Carolina. He Spoke of Ex-Governor Charles Brantley Aycock As "A Fine Fellow," and of the Great Future of North Carolina.

Washington, D. C., March 13.—The North Carolina Teachers Assembly hoped to have President Roosevelt attend the annual gathering in June and deliver an address, but it will be impossible for the chief executive to be present.

Senator Simmons went to the White House this morning to ascertain whether the president could consider such an invitation, so that a committee of North Carolina's leading educators could come to Washington and formally extend it. Mr. Roosevelt informed the North Carolina senator that it was a source of much regret that he could not accept this invitation, but he explained that his engagements, made far in advance, would not permit its consideration.

"I want to go to North Carolina very much," said the president to Senator Simmons with more or less enthusiasm. "I know all about your state. It has got possibilities and there is a great future for it."

In the course of his conversation the senior senator spoke of the recent educational developments in the state, and he called attention to the fact that more than 1,000 school houses have been built during the four years of ex-Governor Aycock's administration of the state. The president said he was aware of the fact that North Carolina had made decided educational advancement during the past few years and then referred in complimentary terms to ex-Governor Aycock, whom he regards as "a fine fellow." The president spoke of his pleasant acquaintance with the governor at Charleston.

A small disturbance resulted at Wellesley college because some fair freshmen insisted on wearing their bloomers to the class room after a "warming up" in the gymnasium. Of course they had their flannel skirts on over "the things," but it is reliably stated that the bloomers were somewhere about. Think of the excitement, the long-winded discussions, the sighs, the tears and the laughs that have been started by bloomers! Bloomer jokes are, thank heaven!—dead, but bloomer flurries are still reported. Perhaps no article of dress ever devised for feminine wear has precipitated more talk than bloomers.

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