#### THE TERMS OF SURRENDER.

Japanese are Reasonable — 20,000 Russian Troops and Marines will be Held as Prisoners of War.

Tokio, January 3.—A telegram from General Nogi, giving the text of the capitulation convention, was received this afternoon. It is as follows:

"Article 1.—All Russian soldiers, marines, volunteers, also government officials at the garrison and harbor of Port Arthur, are taken prisoners.

"Article 2.—All forts, batteries, warships, other ships and boats, arms, ammunition, horses, all materials for use, government buildings and all objeicts belonging to the Russian government shall be transferred to the Japanese army in their existing condition.

"Articlee 3.—On the preceding two conditions being assented to, as a guarantee for the fulfillment thereof, the men garrisoning the forts and the batteries on this mountain, Sungshu Mountain, Antse Mountain and the line of eminences southeast therefrom shall be removed by noon of January 3, and the same shall be transferred to the Japanese army.

"Article 4.—Should Russian military or naval men be deemed to have destroyed objects named in article 2 or to have caused alteration in any way in their condition at the existing time, the signing of this compact and the negotiations shall be annulled and the Japanese army will take free action.

"Article 5.—The Russian military and naval authorities shall prepare and transfer to the Japanese army a table showing the fortifications of Port Arthur and their respective positions, and maps showing the location of mines, underground and submarine, and all other dangerous objects; also a table showing the composition and system of the army and naval services at Port Arthur, a list of army and navy officers with the names and rank and duty of said officers; a list of army steamers, warships and other ships, with the numbers of their respective crews; a list of civilians, showing the number of men and women, their races and occupations.

"Article 6.—Arms, including those carried on the persons; ammunition, war materials, government buildings, objects owned by the government, horses, warships and other ships, including their contents, excepting private property, shall be left in their present positions and the commissioners of the Russian and Japanese army shall decide upon the method of their transference.

"Article 7.—The Japanese army, considering the gallant resistance offered by the Russian army as being honorable, will permit the officers of the Russian army and navy as well as officials belonging thereto, to carry swords and to take with them private property directly necessary for the maintenance of life. The previously mentioned officers, officials and volunteers who will sign a written parele pledging that they will not take up arms and in nowise take action contrary to the interests of the Japanese army until the close of the war will receive the consent of the Japanese army to return to their country. Each army and navy officer will be allowed one servant, and such servant will be specially released on signing the parole.

"Article 8.—Non-commissioned officers and privates of both army and navy and volunteers shall wear their uniforms and, taking portable tents and necessary private property, and commanded by their respective officers, shall assemble at such places as may be indicated by the Japanese army. The Japanese commissioners will decide the necessary details therefor.

"Article 9.—The sanitary corps and the accountants belonging to the

Russian army and navy shall be retained by the Japanese while their services are deemed necessary for the caring for the sick and wounded soldiers. During such time such corps shall be required to render service under direction of the military corps and accountants of the Japanese army.

"Article 10.—The treatment to be accorded to the residents, the transfer of books and documents relating to municipal administration and finance and also detailed files necessary for the enforcement of this compact shall be embodied in a supplementary compact. The supplementary compact shall have force as this compact.

"Article 11.—One copy each of this contact shall be prepared for the Japanese and Russian armies, and it shall have immediate effect upon signature thereof."

#### 20,000 to be Prisoners.

Headquarters of the Japanese Third Army, Jan. 2, via Fusan, Jan. 3.—At the conference of General Stoessel and General Nogi at 1 o'clock this (Monday) afternoon, the terms of surrender were agreed upon under which the Russian officers, both civil and military, will be allowed to march out, the military with arms. The officers will be granted full liberty after giving promise not to take further part in the war. The privates and non-commissioned officers to the number of 20,000 will be taken prisoners of war. The surrendered fortress will be formally handed over to the Japanese to-morrow (Tuesday). The prisoners will march out January 4th. The opposing troops are fraternizing.

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Lucinda Matthews, defendant. The defendant above-named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Wake County, the curpose of which is to secure a divorce from the said defendant from the bonds of matrimony; and the said defendant will take notice that she is required to appear at the January Term of the Superior Court of Wake County to be held on Monday, the 9th day of January, A. D., 1905, at the Court House of said county, in Raleigh, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

W. M. RUSS, Clerk Superior Court for Wake County.

This Dec. 3, 1904.
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Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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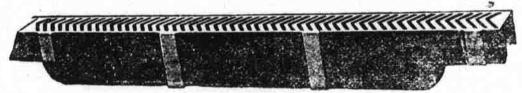
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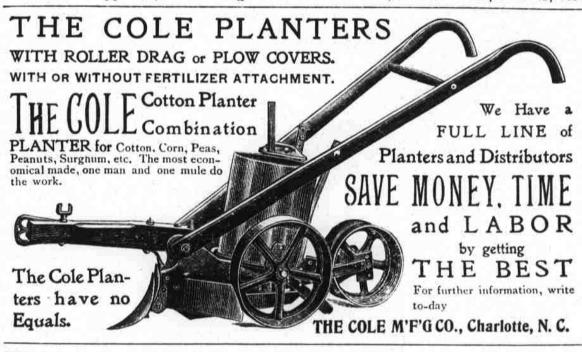
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