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THE FUR WILL FLY

Democratic State Convention Promises a Parrot and Monkey Time.

Indianapolis, May 4.—Every day strengthens the opinion that the fur will fly when the Democrats gather here May 12 in state convention for the purpose of selecting delegates to the national convention at St. Louis. There never was a time in the history of the party when there was greater confusion in naming the delegates or when there was a prospect of more contests. Very naturally each of the warring factions is anxious to have control of the committee on credentials which will pass on the rights of the delegates to seats. If Hearst's agents win, then it is very likely that a lot of delegates selected by Taggart and his followers in the interest of Judge Parker will be unseated, but if Taggart's followers are successful in organizing the convention there are a lot of counties that Hearst is depending on that will not cut any figure for him. J. Oscar Henderson, Hearst's manager, made a very significant remark today to the effect that the committee on credentials is not the whole show, and that if it turns the cold shoulder to the appeal of the Hearst delegates for seats, that the matter will be fought on the floor. This probably means that the convention will be one of the most spectacular in the history of the party in Indiana.

It is very likely that considerable will be done during the next few days toward shaping the Democratic state ticket for the coming campaign. The ticket will not be nominated until June 20, which is after the national convention, but the gathering of the party workers here next week is liable to develop something. Among the new names mentioned for governor is that of Timothy E. Howard of South Bend, former judge of the supreme court, who, it is said, is not averse to making the race, although he is not seeking the nomination. There is also considerable gossip here now favorable to Allan Zollars of Fort Wayne, another ex-supreme judge, who is regarded as one of the big men of the party, although he is not an active participant in the political game at this time. However, of all the names mentioned it seems that that of Hugh Dougherty of Bluffton meets with the most favor, but it is said on good authority that he will not accept the nomination this time under any circumstances.

If ex-Senator Turpie is able to go to the Democratic national convention at St. Louis he may be selected as one of the delegates-at-large—that is, provided the Hearst people do not control things, for it is pretty generally understood that Senator Turpie does not lean toward him. Senator Turpie is in feeble health and rarely leaves his house, but his mind is clear and there is a possibility that he might be able to go to St. Louis. There are thousands of Democrats in the state who would like to confer another honor on him before he ends his career. If he isn't named as a delegate-at-large it would not be surprising if he should be placed at the head of the ticket for presidential elector.

The result of the city elections yesterday is not regarded by politicians as being significant of what will take place at the fall elections. The Democrats, however, seem to have more than held their own, with the exception of Terre Haute, where the Republicans won a notable victory by defeating Mayor Stegg, who was a candidate for a fourth term. In but few places, however, were party lines closely drawn.

Hearst Leads in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., May 4.—The indications are that the Iowa Democrats in convention assembled will send a delegation to the St. Louis convention instructed for Wm. Randolph Hearst for president.

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Combatants In the Far East Engage On Both Land and Sea.

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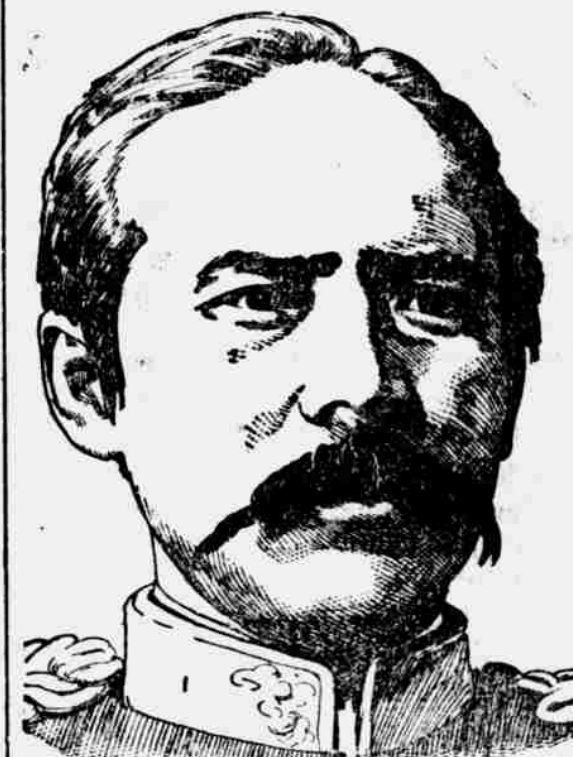
Rumor Has It That the Japanese Drove the Russians Out of One of Their Important Centers.

Admiral Togo Again Attempted to Block Port Arthur, But Was Unsuccessful.

St. Petersburg, May 4.—In a report received by the emperor from General Kuropatkin under today's date, it is stated that at least three to four thousand men were killed in the Yalu river fight.

Chee Foo, May 4.—The Japanese landed troops and attacked and captured New Chwang last evening, the Russians falling back to protect the railway."

St. Petersburg, May 4.—St. Petersburg is electrified by the sensational news of fighting on land and sea. From General Kuropatkin, conveying General Zassalitch's report, came graphic details of the battle of Turen-Cheng, as the combat on the banks of the Yalu is officially designated, which



GENERAL KUROPATKIN, [Commanding Japanese forces on the Yalu,] showed the savage character of the fighting displayed by the Russians in their effort to hold a position commanded by the Japanese and their orderly retreat to Feng Wang Cheng, where they are now entrenched, conducting en route a brilliant rear-guard engagement, in which they inflicted heavy loss on the enemy.

Viceroy Alexieff's command of Port Arthur has been signaled by the repulse of another desperate attempt by the Japanese to close the entrance to the harbor. Adding to this quota



MAP OF COUNTRY THROUGH WHICH JAPANESE ARE ADVANCING.

of the war news the official report of the appearance of a number of Japanese ships off Kalping and Siniuchen on the west coast of the Liao Tung peninsula below New Chwang, forbidding the disembarkation of Japanese troops with the intention of cutting off Port Arthur, this war may now be said to have begun in deadly earnest.

JAPANESE REPULSE

Effort to Block Harbor at Port Arthur Successfully Resisted.

Port Arthur, May 4.—The Japanese squadron appeared off Port Arthur after daybreak and engaged the forts and warships. Thirty Japanese prisoners have been captured.

At 1 o'clock in the morning five Japanese torpedo boats were sighted and the Russian land batteries and the gunboat Ciliak and the coast-defense vessels Gremishichi and Otvashni opened fire and compelled them to retire. Immediately afterward other Japanese ships were sighted on the horizon. They were headed by a fire-ship, which was sunk near the entrance of the harbor at 1:20 p. m. After an interval of twenty-five minutes two more fireships came on and were sent to the bottom.

At 2:25 four more fireships appeared. Three of these blew up on hidden mines. Two of these sank immediately and the other two fireships were sunk by the batteries and warships.

The protected cruiser Askold participated in the firing. Fifteen minutes later three more fireships arrived

One of them blew up on a mine, the second vessel was wrecked on the shore and the third was sunk by the Russian shells.

The fireships were ten in number and of about 3,000 tons each. It is reported that two Japanese torpedo boats were sunk, the remainder withdrawing in a damaged condition. Eight fireships were sunk and very few of their crews were saved. Most of them were killed. Many dead bodies were seen floating about outside the harbor. These were collected by the Russians, who brought ashore and buried them. This new attempt of the Japanese was on a much grander scale than any heretofore made, but the moonlight aided in the discomfiture of the discovered enemy. The Japanese attacked brilliantly, without seeming to notice the murderous fire directed on them. The Russians captured two officers and thirty men.

It is reported that twelve ships had been prepared by the Japanese, but for some unknown reason two of them never attempted to approach the entrance.

It is stated that the crews of the fireships included a number of Japanese cadets, who showed extraordinary bravery, especially when the ships were sinking. Several of the crew sat on the topmasts firing revolvers, and then plunged into the sea. It is believed that none of the cadets was saved.

The attempt to close the mouth of the harbor failed.

NOT CONFIRMED

Rumor of the Fall of New Chwang Taken With Reserve.

London, May 4.—The Chee Foo report of the capture of New Chwang is not confirmed from any quarter, and it is hardly likely it is true, as the news could scarcely have reached Chee Foo. The official dispatch from Lieutenant General Sakharoff, however, seems to



GENERAL SAKHAROFF, CHIEF OF THE RUSSIAN STAFF.

indicate that the Japanese are directing their attention to this point. The Russian official dispatch, although belated, displays the customary candor in fully confirming the disastrous nature of the rout sustained on the Yalu. To the Russian official frankness in this respect is attributed the universal belief of the Russian people that initial reverses are of no consequence and that eventual triumph is inevitable.

A special dispatch from St. Petersburg asserts that Lieutenant General Zassalitch fell into an ambush due to the Japanese interrupting a telegram from General Kuropatkin. According to one St. Petersburg correspondent General Kuropatkin is recalling all the troops from the neighborhood of Gensan. He is, the correspondent says, opposed to fighting many minor actions and intends to withdraw all outlying Russian forces.

A Shanghai correspondent says that before evacuating Antung the Russians expelled the population by force. He adds that the Pekin government has refused General Ma's request to be permitted to expel the Russian troops from the west of the Liao river. It is understood that all non-combatants have left and all official documents and valuables have been removed from Dalny, and that all the guns from the disabled warships at Port Arthur have been taken ashore to the forts.

An Obstinate General.

St. Petersburg, May 4.—General Kuropatkin, in telegraphing to the emperor, blames Lieutenant General Zassalitch's obstinacy in refusing to retreat in time, despite the orders he received.

Disastrous Cloudburst.

Austin, Tex., May 4.—This section and all central Texas was visited by a terrific cloudburst yesterday. The principal streets of the city were wrecked by the flood and great damage was done to crops in the fields.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Fire in the Union stockyards, at Indianapolis, caused a loss of \$125,000.

The total attendance on the opening day of the war de fair was 187,723.

During the anti-Jewish riots in Lemberg, Austria, Saturday last, five persons were killed and many were injured.

The fishing schooner Ella G. is believed to have foundered in the recent storms off Cape Flattery. She carried a crew of five men.

James C. Cook, known as the oldest practical printer in the United States, if not in the world, is dead at Milford, Mass., in his seventy-eight year.

Edgar Fawcett, the American author, is dead at London. Mr. Fawcett was born in New York in May, 1847, and was a graduate of Columbia college, N. Y.

The Japanese made another attempt to block Port Arthur and the Russian commander reports he sank eight fire-ships and two torpedo-boats sent in by Togo.

The silence of the authorities at St. Petersburg, regarding the later details of the fighting on the Yalu river is interpreted ominously. Russian losses are placed by some as high as 8,000.

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