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### RUSSIAN CRUISER SUNK

Admiral Kamimura Routed the Vladivostok Squadron.

Sortie From Port Arthur - Running Naval Fight-Japanese Take a Russ Boat From Neutral Port-G. A. R. Encampment - Judge Parker Notified-Scarcity of Teachers.

Vice Admiral Kamimura encountered the Russian Vladivostok squadron at dawn Sunday north of Tsu island in the stroit of Corea and attackd the enemy at once.

The battle lasted for five hours and resulted in a complete Japanese victory. The Russian cruiser Rurik was sunk and the cruicers Rossia and Gromobol fled to the northward after having sustained serious damage.

Vice Admiral Kamimura cables the navy department that the injuries inflicted upon his vessels were slight. The Japanese squadron began the rescue of the drowning Russians and picked up 600 of the crew of the Ru-

The strength of the fleet under Vice Admiral Kamimura is not known, but it is presumed that he had the Adsuma, Idsumo, Iwate, Takashiho and

other light cruisers. Japanese gups dominate the dock yards at Port Arthur and in view of this fact it would seem to be impossible again to make seaworthy or fightable the Russian battleships which have returned to Port Arthur It is probable that the Russian battleship Czarevitch will be disarmed at Tsingchou.

The best possible naval force that Russia can now concentrate at Vladlvostok is four cruisers.

Jap Cutting Out Exploit.

A boarding party from Japanese mantled Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rieshitelni in Chefoo harbor Friday morning at 3:30 o'clock. The Japanese discharged their small arms and one and mortally injuring four of our during the firing a Russian was wounded in one of his legs.

Daybreak showed a third Japanese destroyer towing the Rieshitelni out others were wounded." of the harbor and all disappeared.

The Japanese consul claims that the Japanese ships were ignorant of the dismantling of the Rieshitelni. A press representative, however, informed the Japanese naval officers of Russian squadron proceeded south the like week in 1993. ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Tionesta, Pa. the fact when he visited the two Jap-ward after the sortie from Port Ar-thur on Aug. 16 and were attacked the fact when he visited the two Japmorning.

contelled the barbor entered under cover tion. Sharp fighting continued from tensively decorated in honor of the Cown and Countrys

of darkness Thursday night, snowing | 1 p. m. until sunset. no lights, and anchored a quarter of a nille from the Russian torpedo boat moved to a permanent anchorage. The Japanese off cers said they would de-

part at daylight. It is understood that the Chinese ad. miral discovered the presence of the Japanese turnedo boat destroyers and presented the same demands to them that he had earlier given to the Russinn destroyer Rieshiteini, namely either to leave port or disarm.

Jap Account of Chefoo Incident, The navy department has issued the following statement covering the Che-

foo incident: "According to reports received to date the Asashiwo and Kasumi, belenging to the first destroyer flotilla. Captain Fufimoto commanding, were dispatched in search of the enemy's shins scattered during the engagement on the night of Aug. 10. They found a vessel resembling one of the enemy's destroyers and gave chase, but lost her in the narkness.

"Continuing the search they discovered that she had entered the port of Chefoo.

"The Japanese ships waited outside the port but the Russian failed to leave.

"Captain Fujimoto anticipating its escape during the night if possible to attack merchant vessels, entered Chefoo with the two destroyers and found the Russian destroyer Ryeshitelni remaining undisarmed.

"Lieut-nant Terashima was then sent to the Russian vessel with a message to the effect that the Japanese commander expected him to leave by dawn or surrender.

"The Russian commander refused to comply with either demand, and while the conference was still going on he was heard instructing his men to blow up the ship. "At the same time he caught hold

of Lieutenant Terashima and threw him overboard. "Our interpreter was next thrown everboard by some Russian sailors

torpedo destroyers boarded the dis- and others among the sailors showed gigns of resistance. While this was progressing forward magazine exploded, killing

> men. We then captured the destroyer and retired. "Lieutenant Terashima and

Running Naval Battle.

the following cablegram from the fore'gn office at Tokio: "Admiral Togo reports that the by the combined Japanese fleet 25

"The enemy apparently suffered occasion

heavy damage and later his fire destroyer Ricchitelni, which had been slackened greatly while his battle formation was completely deranged. The Askold, the Novik, the Czarevitch, the Pallada and some destroyers fled southward and the rest probably fled to Port Arthur, after an attack by our destroyers and torpedo boat flotilla at night. Our fleet suffered no serious damage and the total casualties were about 170 "

Admiral Withoft Reported Killed.

A repert from Tsingchou states that the Russian warships still there are the battleship Czarevitch, the protected cruisers Pallada and Novik and three torpedo boat destroyers. The Czarevitch, which is badly Aamaged, is being repaired with German assistance, it is alleged A report has also been received

oft was killed in the naval battle of Round Island las, Wednesday

Falling Off In Export Trade. Bradstreet's summary of the state of trade says:

Fall trade expands but slowly, conservatism, based apparently upon crop disappointments or uncertainties and labor troubles, ruling most lines of distribution.

Government figures of crop conditions just issued are, in the main favorable, though vitiated by early date winter wheat crop outturn are confirmed, but are counterbalanced by improvement in other crops, pointing to a general yield of food products well above the average.

Jobbing trade the country over, while perhaps up to expectations, is

not equal to last year's. Industrial conditions are not altogether promising in view of the continoance of the meat strike, which, by the way, is interfering with the leather and shoe trade; the Fall River difficulty, and calling out a large number of building hands at the metropolis.

The price movement this week shows exceptional strength, continuing the upward movement noted during July. Higher prices of farm products are regarded as a possible offset to smaller yields, but it is to be noted that export trade in food staples in July fell to the lowest point in many

All in all, the situation may be char acterized as still irregular, though the The Japanese legation has received general tone of business outlook is one of confidence. Business failures for the week and

ing Aug 11 number 167, anginst 160 in

G. A. R. Encampment at Boston. The national encampment of the G

In connection with the meeting of the Grand Army there were held the annual gathering of the National Woman's Relief corps, the National Daughters of Veterans, the National Sons of Veterans, the National Ladies' Aid society, auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans, the National Ladies of the G. A. R., the National Army Nurses' association, the Ivational Association of Naval Veteranc and the National

Association of Ex-Prisoners of War. The feature of the week will be the The feature of the week was the parade on Tuesday, when over 20,000

veterans were in line. Other features of the encampment will be the lauching of the United States training ship Cumberland on Wednesday at Charlestown, the carnival illumination of the Charles river on Wednesday, an automobile here to the effect that Admiral Withpilgrimage to Lexington and Concord on Thursday and an electrical parade cidents in national history on Thurs day evening.

Judge Parker Notified. The formal notification to Judge Parker of his nomination for the presidency took place Wednesday afternoon at Rosemount. The committee appointed by the St. Louis convention came up from New York on the steam yacht Sagamore. Hon. Champ Clark of Missouri, permanent chairman of of replies. Predicted reductions in the the Democratic national convention made the speech of notification, which was replied to by Judge Parker, who, in accepting the nomination touched tren some of the issues of the campaign, and promised a fuller exposition of his views later.

Brothers In Congress Fight.

Ex-Governor Elihu Jackson was nomnated by the Democrats in the Fifth district of Maryland for congressman. His brother, William H. Jackson, is the Republican incumbent and was renominated. The brothers are millionaires. With two Jacksons on the ticket the Democrats Zelieve the negro illiterates will be unable to pick their candidate and the Democrats look for a big majority.

New York Republican Convention. The Republican state convention

the statement to a delegation which met in his room to discuss preliminary arrangements for celebrating the

His Intended.

Husband-Does Jack know Miss Pep-

## G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT

Survivors of Three Wars In a Great Parade.

Election of Officers by Union Ex-Prisoners-Banquet at Fancuil Hall to a Score of Ex-Confederate Officers. Parade Reviewed by Mayor Collins and Governor Bates.

Boston, Aug. 16 .- A reunion of comexchange of happy recollections and and unionist marked the opening in this city of the national encampment of the G. A. R. At noon a picturesque commemorative of representative in States warships and others, marked faith. the opening of the G. A. R. convention, together with its numerous subsidiary organizations, including the Woman's Relief corps, the Ladies of the G. A. R. and the Sons and Daugh-

ters of Veterans. Last night, in historic Fancuil hall, a score of the former confederate officers gathered around the banquet Pa.; senior vice commander, John Kis-Kinsley post of Boston, as did also Lafayette post of New York, and here were enunciated firmly and convincingly the declaration that the North and South are strongly and inseparably welded into one nation, will the past strife forgotten forever.

In the striking pageant of the day marched survivors of three wars, the to issue a special medal of honor to Mexican war, the civil war, represented by the Union ex-prisoners, and the Spanish war as commemorated by the

League of Spanish War Veterans. The parade, composed of about 6,000 men, was reviewed by Mayor Collins at City hall, and Governor Bates, Senator Herry Cabot Lodge and former Secretary of the Navy John D. Long at the State House

At the Fancuil hall dinner, Governor Bates gave the welcome of the commonwealth and several confederate Corea, Sunday morning, have arrived officers declared for the spirit of unity between the North and South. Another meeting of the evening was

of New York will meet on Sept. 14 at the camp fire at Tremont temple held Saratoga. William Barnes, Jr., chair- by the Union ex-prisoners of war, man of the executive committee, made with prominent speakers, while the reception of national officers of the Woman's Relief corps at the Hotel Vendome to Commander-in-Chief Lihn 50th anniversary of the Republican C. Black and others of the G. A. R. was a notable function.

At the camp fire of the Ex-Prisoners | Louis E. Shuster, humane officer, for Colonel J. D. Waiker of Pittsburg, Pa. having plucked the feathers from a national commander of the associa- live chicken. Before Alders Two large Japanese torpedo boat diles southeast of Port Arthur. They A. R. with its affiliated bodies opened for he has asked her to marry him.—

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Town and Countries.

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ed some of his experiences during an eight months confinement in a confederate prison pen, and declared that the men who died miserably in military prisons were as heroic and did as glorious work for their country

as did these who charged the enemy in

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battle. General Samuel Chamberlain of Barre Plains, a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, and J. C. Ferguson of Keokuk, Ia., national chaplain of the ex-prisoners association, spoke interestingly.

Governor John L. Bates, who followed, said: "As I saw you marching through our streets today bearing the rades of the states of the Union, an | banners inscribed with the names of those prisons in which you suffered so I fraternal mingling of confederate miserably; when I saw you, the remaining few of the many thousands. I said, 'there is the true lesson in

patriotism. "Tonight I welcome you to Massaparade of the Union ex-prisoners of chusetts as men who have fought a war, blue jackets from the United good fight and men who have kept the

Colonel Dana King of New Hampshire was the last speaker. His remarks were of a reminiscent nature. The camp fire closed with the singing of "America."

Late in the afternon the association held a business meeting and elected these officers: Commander-inchief, Colonel J. B. Walker, Pittsburg, sain, Cincinnati: junior vice commander, John L. Parker, Lynn, Mass.; chaplain, Rev. J. C. Ferguson, Keokuk,

Much time was taken up with a discussion whether the ex-prisoners yould rather have a medal of honor or a pension from the United States. motion asking the United States rebel prisons was lost, and it was almost unanimously voted to petition the next congress to pass a bill providing that every prisoner of war be paid \$2 for each day he was in prison.

Survivore of the Rurik.

Nagasaki, Aug. 16. - Six hundred urvivors of the crews of the Rusrian cruiser Ruril which was sunk by Admiral Kamimura off Unsan,

rt Sasebo. The Japanese hospital ship Saikio also has arrived at Sasebo with 75 Japanese wounded, including Imperial Prince Hiroyasu Kwacko, who was slightly wounded in the naval engagement off Roun! island.

Fined For Plucking Live Chicken. New Castle, Pa., Aug. 16. - Mrs. Mary Conti was arrested by Rev.

## =MID-SUMMER SMASH-UP.=

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