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**SIGNIFICANT.**

Some days ago it was quietly given out, ostensibly by Russia, that the present war between Russia and Japan is a war of the Christian civilization against the Mongolian civilization. Two or three days ago we read in the war news that several hundred Japs who had surrendered were ruthlessly massacred in cold blood in defiance of the protests and the pleadings of the Red Cross. We do not remember to have seen any similar case in the practice of the Japs. If it be true that these are the evidences that this is a war of the Christian religion against the Mongolian religion, and admitting for the moment that there can possibly be anything in war Christlike, then we must ask who are showing the more Christlike spirit? The devotees of the Greek church or the followers of Buddhism and Shin-tism?

It may be that there are nations calling themselves civilized that have not noticed any progress going on in the world outside of themselves. Nearly a half century ago Japan started out on a broad rapid road of governmental progress. The reading public know the rapid strides made in two score years. Recently the Emperor issued a decree announcing entire political and religious toleration in the empire, while Russia on the other hand has anything but toleration either religiously or politically. We think it will hardly be denied that of all

the factors that go to produce true advancement in civilization and all that the world holds best and most Christlike, religion and government are the greatest.

**HARRY MILLS.**

The funeral services for the late Harry Mills were held at St. Mary's church Monday, at 9:30 a. m. The church was filled to overflowing with sorrowing friends who paid their last tribute to the deceased with a host of floral tributes of every design. Burial was at Lake Forest. Father Morrisey spoke of Mr. Mills as a true Christian who always put his religion before business and always attended Church. He was extremely free to give to all charities. Business in town was suspended from 9:30 to 11:45 out of respect for the departed, who was a merchant here for many years. He leaves a wife and infant daughter.

**OUR RECORD.**

The News Letter office has been moved from its old location on Central avenue to a larger building all by itself on Laurel avenue. It is an ideal site and an ideal building for a printing office. It has three large rooms, one for office and sanctum, one for composing room and one for press room, the latter with a solid concrete floor. All the rooms are well lighted and heated with steam, the presses being run with steam power. It has one good sized brick walled cell in which to put delinquent subscribers and irate contributors!—Waukegan Gazette.

**"MY MERCEDES."**

The publishers of the beautiful song, "I Wait Alone For You," by the late W. Wesley Wells, has sent us a copy of his last song, "My Mercedes," which has just been published and which he composed a few weeks before his death. It is simply beautiful, easy to play, melodious, and a perfect adaptation of exquisite words to a beautiful melody. The publishers, J. W. Jenkins' Sons Music Co. of Kansas City, Mo., are making a special price of 25 cents per copy.

**Want Column.**

Insertions in this column.  
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" " " " four " " .75  
All ads in this column must be paid in advance where advertiser has no regular account with this office.

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