One Party Penetrated to the Japan= | at \$1.04 to \$1.05; spring, 96c to 97c, and goose, 90c. Manitoba ese Rear.

RUSSIANS CUT RAILWAY.

A despatch from Harbin says: Detachments of Russian cavalry are actively reconnoitring the Japanese flanks and even the rear. One of them has penetrated the village of Erdahitzi, where it was brought to a stor by Japanese entrenchments. Before retreating, however, it is said to have succeeded in cutting the railway and burning the station and stores.

The detachments brought back news that a fortnight ago a mixed Japanese division of 10,000 men, with artillery, left the Japanese rear and disappeared into Mongolia, being followed a few days ago by anin the region of Bodun, which, unfortunately, is connected with the ing on Tsitsihar. base by only poor roads.

stock abandoned at Mukden is oppose the war. The peace sentiment the Japanese are energetically transporting siege guns towards Kirin. Heavy snow fell Friday, but it is

RUSSIANS GAIN GROUND.

melting and swelling the rivers.

Faturday, says:-

April 7, lasted twelve hours. The running to Kirin. Gen. Linevitch's Dairy 15. rolls, good to enemy's losses were heavy from our headquarters are at the railway staartillery and rifle fire. Our casual- tion at Souanzanku, which is a ties were: Killed, Capt. Prince Mas- strong natural position. He has salaky and four Cossacks; wounded, succeeded in concentrating his whole two officers and thirty-four Cossacks. army and has left sufficient force at

"On April 5 our outposts, after a Kirin to hold that position. fusillade, pushed back the Japanese front of the Russian army now exoutposts to Tai-Pin-Lin.

pied the village of Kou-Kou-Seki fit state to meet the Japanese. after dislodging the enemy. The Japanese retreated precipitately."

RUSSIANS WERE REPULSED.

A despatch from Tokio says: The following report has been received from Manchurian army headquarters:

"April 5, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, one battalion of the enemy's infantry and six companies of cavmiles north of Tsulushu.

ficers were included.

the corpses left behind and from the about the transporting of troops and number of carts carrying away stores. Russia is therefore evidentwounded and killed, were over 60." ly doing her utmost to accumulate

A despatch from London says:-Peace talk, which was universal a week ago, has entirely disappeared, and it is recognized by all that nothtil there has been a decisive naval the assuring of an honorable peace. action and perhaps another important battle in Manchuria.

The news that the rival fleets are almost in touch has revived keen interest in the war. It is a curious fact that outside of Russia no single opinion is expressed save that Admir-Rojestvensky's barnacle-laden ships will fall easy victims to Admiral Togo's bravery and skill. It is at least expected, however, that the battle will be a real fight to a finish, and will prove the greatest naval engagement in history.

It is announced from St. Petersburg that 150 officers, including 40 from the Black Sea fleet, have joined Admiral Rojestvensky at various rendezvous, and that the fleet also has 3,000 men beyond its complement.

RUSS AND JAPS AGAIN MEET.

movement since the fighting at Tiel- cluded the exercisec. ing. A force of cavalry, with machine and mountain guns, moved south Monday from Tawo on the Fengwa road, and the next morning began a bombardment of the Japannorth of Kaiyuan. Simultaneously a large force of infantry advanced Nine Cases Discovered-No Servicalong the main Changchun road, while two other columns delivered flank attacks. The Russians reached Tuesday. The Japanese, although nearly surrounded, finally repulsed reported in this town. The houses the enemy, losing 27 killed or where the disease is reported are

lances, were about 200. ivostock,

RUSSIAN VICTORY.

anese infantry about five miles from the Maine woods.

anese were dislodged from two posifire and Cossacks' attack.

READY FOR BATTLE.

good reason to believe that Gen. for shorts, and \$18 for bran. Linevitch intends to make a stand to hold Kirin, and with the remain- freights. ing 250,000 of his army is entrenched at Swantsanhei, halfway between 2 f.o.b., outside. Mukden and Dwangehentzse. He is astride the railway, his troops forming a crescent with the horses point- freights; American unchanged; No. ing north. The Russians are devas- 3 yellow, 55c to 55½c; mixed, 54½c guest, named Casper Jones, printer, other detachment of 5,000 men. tating the country in order to im-These troops are expected to appear pede the Japanese advance. It is reported that the Japanese are march-

Official circles in St. Petersburg are Kirin is in the same plight, and the unreservedly warlike, but a great maloss of the narrow gauge rolling jority of the Russians continue to especially felt. Chinese report that is particularly strong in Moscow and the provinces.

A STRONG POSITION.

A despatch from Paris says: The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Petit Parisien telegraphs that the A despatch from Gen. Linevitch to Russians are now exactly half way the Russian Emperor, under date of between Mukden and Kuangchangtse, "The battle at Tsin-Tsa-Tun, churian Railroad and the branch tends for only twenty-seven miles. "Our infantry the same day occu- The army is supposed to be in a

The Journal's St. Petersburg correspondent is informed that the new mobilization is actually in progress, although it is being effected secretly, and that train loads of soldiers are leaving daily for Manchuria.

RUSHING ORDERS.

The St. Petersburg correspondent al: v came and attacked Tsulushu, 20 of the London Times, referring to miles north of Changtu. They were Russia's war orders, specifies that repulsed. On the following day 24 100,000,000 cartridges and \$65,companies of the enemy's cavalry, 000,000 worth of artillery and amwith several guns, renewed the at- munition have been contracted for. tack. They were again repulsed. He adds that vast orders for rails The main force of the assailants re- for the Trans-Siberian Railway are treated foward Pamincheng. A por- being executed in Russia and abroad. tion stopped near Choroyo, three The line is being constantly improved and as far as possible is be-"Our casualties were 10. No of- ing doubled. Prince Khilkoff, Minlister of Railways, is going to Har-"The enemy's loss, judging from bin to confer with Gen. Linevitch large numbers of men in the Far LESS TALK OF PEACE NOW. | East as speedily as possible. Nevertheless, the correspondent contends that the continuation of the war until Russia is victorious is out of the question. He declares that the ing will be done in this direction un- preparations are directed rather to

TOKIO REJOICES.

profits from the tobacco monopoly \$7.50, and pure clover, \$6.50 to for the first year are 26,000,000 yen \$6.75 per ton in car lots. (about \$13,500,000). This exceeds Beans-Choice prime, \$1.40 to \$1. the Government's estimates, 7,000,- 45 per bushel, \$1.25 to \$1.271 in 000 yen

Mukden took place on Monday. The cut pork, \$16.50 to \$17.50; light business men and labor guilds ar- short cut, \$16.50 to \$17; American ranged an enormous procession, cut clear fat back, \$20; compound which quietly formed at Hibiya Park, lard, 61c to 7c; Canadian lard, 61c and marched to Uyeno Park. Pass- to 71c; kettle rendered, 81c to 91c; ing the palace each unit halted and cheered the Emperor, his Cabinet, 13c. and the commanders of the army and navy. Exercises were held in Uyeno Park, where there was a large crowd. Lieut.-Gen. Terauchi, Minister of War, responded in behalf of the A despatch from Tokio says:-The army, and Baron Yamamoto, Minisofficial despatches on Thursday give ter of the Navy, in behalf of the the first notice of a Russian offensive navy. Fireworks and sports con-

ese advanced position at Kinkiatun, SMALLPOX IN CHATHAM, N. B.

es Held in Churches.

within 400 metres of the Japanese says: Nine cases of disease diagwings. The fighting lasted all day nosed as smallpox by Dr. Fisher, of 33c. Barley-Western, in store, 45 the Provincial Board of Health, are to 53c. Rye-No. 1, 85c. wounded. The Russian casualties. es- quarantined, and a building has timating from the number of ambu- been secured for an isolation hospital. Last night an order was issued The Kokumin states that a Japan- that the schools should be closed ese squadron is now blockading Vlad- and that no services be held in the churches to-day nor any entertain- firm and higher. Sheep and lambs they interfered, and forcing priests A despatch to a news agency from ments of any sort in the public hall. The disease is of a mild type, some changed. A despatch to the Russian War refusing to believe that it is any Export cattle, choice ... \$4.75 to \$5.25 | Similar but less serious disorders escape during the earthquake at Office from Chief of Staff Karkevitch, thing more serious than chickenpox. dated Thursday, says that a Russian The prevailing opinion is that it detachment attacked a force of Jap- was introduced by lumbermen from Bulls 4.00

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, April 11.-Wheat-Ontario-No. 2 red and white is quoted at \$1.04 to \$1.05; spring, 96c to Slightly firmer for delivery at lake perts on the opening of navigation. Quotations are:-No. 1 northern, 99½c; No. 2, 96c; No. 3, 90c.

Flour-90 per cent. patents, \$4.40 to \$4.50, buyers' sacks, east and Kiltchjiou (Kilju), and that the Jap- west; 15c to 20c higher for choice. Manitoba, \$5.50 to \$5.70 for first tions and dispersed by the Russian patents, \$5.10 to \$5.40 for second patents, and \$5 to \$5.30 for bak-

Millfeed-\$15.50 for bran in bulk, The St. Petersburg correspondent \$17 to \$17.50 for shorts for car of the London Times says there is lots east and west; Manitoba, \$20

Barley-46c to 47c for No. 2, 44c much further south than has been to 45c for No. 3 extra, and 43c for supposed. He has sent 50,000 troops No. 3 malting, outside, Toronto

Rye-Nominal, 71c to 72c for No.

Corn-47c to 48c for yellow and 46c to 47c for mixed f.o.b. Chatham to 55c on track Toronto. Oats-40c to 41c for No. 2 west,

42c east. Rolled Oats-\$4.35 for cars of bags and \$4.60 for barrels on track here; 25c more for broken lots here maurice was seriously injured, his and 40c outside.

Peas-68c to 69c for No. 2 west and east, and 70c for milling. Buckwheat-59c to 60c east and

COUNTRY PRODUCE. Butter-The market continues to hold an easy tone. Creamery, prints 25c to 26c ing from burns. The fire is under defective that a disaster was bound which is the junction of the Man- Dairy, tubs, medium 17c to 18c but the hotel was not. do inferior 15c to 15c

choice 22c to 23c do large rolls 20c to 22c do medium 18c to 19c Cheese-111c for large and 111c for twins in job lots here.

Eggs-Sales are being made at 14c to 141c, and there is talk of even lower figures.

Potatoes-Ontario, 60c to 65c on track and 70c to 75c out of store; eastern, 65c to 70c on track and 80c to 85c out of store. Baled Hay-Car lots on track here

are \$8 per ton for No. 1 timothy and \$7 for mixed and clover. Baled Straw-Is quoted unchanged at \$6 per ton for car lots on track

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, Aptil 11 .- Grain-Moderate export demand for wheat. oats the inquiry from local and country buyers was limited again today. Consequently, the market was quiet, but prices are still maintained at 48c for No. 2 white and 45c for No. 3 ditto per bushel ex-store, and Peterboro' No. 3 inspected were offered at 421c per bushel ex-store.

ent, \$5.60; strong bakers', \$5.30; winter wheat patents, \$5.70 to \$5.-80; straight roller, \$5.30 to \$5.40,

and in bags, \$2.50 to \$2.60. Feed-Manitoba bran, in bags, \$18 to \$19; short, \$20 to \$21 per ton; Ontario winter wheat bran, in bulk \$18.50 to \$19; shorts, \$20 to \$21 mouille, \$24 to \$28 per ton, as to quality.

Meal—The demand for rolled oats is slow and the market is quiet, with prices steady at \$2.20 to \$2.22\frac{1}{2} per bag. Cornmeal remains unchanged at \$1.35 to \$1.45 per bag.

Hay-No. 1, \$9 to \$9.50; No. 2, A despatch from Tokio says:-The \$8 to \$8.50; clover, mixed, \$7 to

car lots.

The celebration of the victory at | Provisions-Heavy Canadian short according to quality of hams, 12c to

> Bacon-13c; fresh killed abattoir hogs sold at \$9 to \$9.25; mixed, \$6,-50; select at \$6.50 off cars.

Cheese-Ontario fall white and colored at 12c to 124c. Eggs—New laid, at 15½c to 16c.

Butter-Finest creamery, 26c to 28c; roll butter, 23c to 25c. Ashes-Firsts, \$5.35 to \$5.50; sec-

onds, \$4.90; first pearl, \$7.50 100 pounds.

BUFFALO MARKET.

Buffalo, April 11.—Flour—Quiet. Wheat-Spring dull; No. 1 northern, \$1.17%; Winter weak; No. 3 red, \$1.-12. Corn-Unsettled; No. 2 yellow, A despatch from Chatham, N.B., 54c; No. 3 corn, 52c. Oats-Strong-No. 2 white, 35c; No. 3 mixed,

CATTLE MARKET.

do good to medium 4.50 do others 4.25 Butchers' good to ch., 4.60

fair to good do 4.10 mixed lots, medium. 3.25 do common 2.50 do cows 2.50 Bulls 2.00 Feeders, short-keep 4.65 do common to fair ... 3.75 Stockers, good 2.50 do fair 2.75 do rough and com.... 1.50 Bulls 1.75 Milch cows, each30.00 Export ewes, per cwt. 4.75 do bucks, per cwt.... 3.75 Mixed sheep 4.00 Lambs, per cwt... 7.00 barnyard do 5.50

spring do., each 3.50

Calves, per 1b. 31

Hogs, selects, per cwt. 6.25

do lights 6.00

do fats 6.00

ONE KILLED: MANY INJURED

Fatal Result of a Fire in Hotel at Humboldt, N. W. T.

A despatch from Humboldt, N. W. T., says: The hotel under construction by the Humboldt Hotel Co., and a restaurant owned by J. Cummings were totally destroyed by fire on Saturday morning. One of Winnipeg, lost his life while endeavoring to save some of his effects He went into the hotel to get some of his clothes, and never came out of the burning building. W. Fitzbody being badly burned in his forts to save others in the restaur- were also the supporting columns. ant. He jumped from an upstairs The first fall caused all these pillars window, and all the bones in both to bend and the end of the iron work hands were broken in the fall. His to stretch, resulting in a general and head, shoulders and arms are dread uniform collapse. fully seared. Four others have serious injuries and burns, and several say that they were compelled to more besides are more or less suffer- build too rapidly with materials so do solids 23c to 24c | control. The restaurant was insured | to happen.

BRITAIN'S TRADE.

Increases in Imports and Exports During Last Month.

March statement of the Board of Trade shows increases of \$1,455,000 flags forced all the theatres to closein imports and \$19,095,000 in ex- Saturday night. ports. The principal increase in imports was in wool, \$5,994,650, but this was partly offset by the decrease in cotton, \$2,874,970, and other minor items. The principal Saved Her Children But Lost Her increases in exports were in fabrics, cotton, \$7,669,565, and wool, \$3,-302,655, and machinery, \$2,500,000.

Amount. Cattle 5,750 £114,788 Wheat, cwt.208,800 Wheat flour, cwt..127,700 Peas, cwt. ... 12,280 Bacon, cwt. ... 38,541 Hams, cwt. ... 5,034 Butter, cwt. ... 602 Cheese, cwt. ... 68,841

LEAPED TO DEATH.

Horses

Flour-Manitoba spring wheat pat- New Hamburg Man Commits Suicide at Quebec.

and was instantly killed. Almost every bone in the suicide's body was broken, he having chosen the highest point, where the bottom is covered with rocks. The fall is 150 feet. There were no eye-witnesses. The lifeless body was discovered about 8.30 o'clock.

Dr. Gilmour was about 35 years of age, and his home was at New Hantburg, Ont. He came here about two months ago to work with Dr. Lantier, dentist, and had been in the latter's parlors until three days ago, when he gave up work, informing Dr. Lantier that he would take a rest. He had been ailing since his arrival here, and Dr. Rosseau was treating him for nervous prostration.

COST OF THE FMBARGO.

Loses a Million a Year.

A London despatch says: At the meeting of the York Butchers' Association the Chairman said it had been estimated by men of sound judgment that this country has lost over five millions of money in seven years by the exclusion of Canadian live cattle and unless some reasonable cause should be shown why these store cattle should be excluded he maintained that Canada had a right to send their stock here.

LOOTING IN THE CAUCASUS.

Peasants Burn Public Buildings and Destroy Estates.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says:-Official advices report continued disorders in the Caucasus. With-Toronto, April 11 .- The demand for in the past week peasants have lootall kinds of cattle was again exceed- ed and burned public offices in the was fair, it was not large enough to vate estates, cutting down trees, supply all wants and prices were and threatening to kill the police if of solidarity with their cause.

4.80 nate Assistant Police Commissioner sleeping.

RESERVOIR BURST.

4.50 3.90

3.00

4.00

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Terrible Result of an Accident Near Madrid.

A Madrid despatch says:-A large 4.50 reservoir in course of construction 3.40 near this city collapsed on Saturday, 2.90 and many lives were lost. It is be-2.50 lieved that the casualties will num-2.50 ber 400.

65.00 The ambulance stations are over-5.50 flowing. Gendarmes, troops and fire-4.35 men and a large staff of surgeons are 5.25 engaged in the work of rescue.

The disaster created intense excite-6.50 ment among the working classes. 6.50 Processions of women carrying black 6 flags marched through the district 0.00 where the accident happened. A 0.00 crowd went to the shipping district 0.00 and compelled the storekeepers to close their establishments as a sign of mourning.

One of the injured men says the accident was so sudden that he could not explain the cause. The workmen expected some disaster to happen, as a fortnight ago three of the arches of the reservoir collapsed and four others were badly cracked.

It appears that underneath the foundations of the reservoir which gave way with such disastrous results on Saturday were water pipes used to supply the palace and old Madrid. It is stated that this was the cause of the subsidence and not the surface of the ground, which, when tests were made, sank only eleven millimetres. The vault was built of cement with iron girders, as

Workmen who have been questioned

Many heartrending incidents and painful scenes are reported. Ten of those who were rescued alive have gone mad.

A huge crowd stood around the scene throughout the night watching the attempts at rescue in the light A despatch from London says: The of huge electric lamps, and crowds of workmen and women carrying black

MOTHER'S TRAGIC END.

Own Life.

A Brockville despatch says:-A young woman named Mrs. D. R. Mc-Following are the Brir.sh imports Quigge was fatally burned on Saturof Canadian produce during March:- day night at her home here. At Value. 9.30 o'clock she prepared to retire, and was at the front door step 78,668 surrounded by her three small child-65,224 ren, aged nine, seven and one years. 4,000 The last she carried in her arms. 83,850 Mrs. McQuigge placed the lamp on 11,643 the floor while she turned to lock the 2,890 door, and as she did so the baby 177,070 dropped a bottle, smashing the 1,490 lamp. The coal oil immediately ignited. The unfortunate woman attempted to stamp out the flame with her feet, and the fire spread to her clothing. The woman heroically thrust the two older children outside, and carrying the baby at arm's A despatch from Quebec says: Dr. length threw it on the lawn. By F, Gilmour, surgeon dentist, of New this time she was a mass of flames Hamburg, Ont., jumped from Duffer- from head to foot. Crying in desin Terrace to the rocks below at an Pair her plight was discovered by a early hour on Saturday morning, man named Blain, who removed his overcoat and wrapped it about her. Neighbors brought quilts, and in this way the fire was put out, but it was too late to save her life. She was terribly burned from head to foot. She was removed to the hospital and died in great agony at 3 o'clock on Sunday morning. She was 32 years of age, and is survived by her husband, who had gone to work on a railway construction near Guelph two weeks ago. The house was slightly damaged, the fire brigade being quickly on the scene.

ATTEMPT ON CZAR'S LIFE.

Disguised Stranger Gains Admittance to Palace

A despatch to the London Chronicle from St. Petersburg says that a man wearing the uniform of a Cossack was arrested within a few days in Butchers' Chairman Says Britain the palace at Tsarskoe-Selo. He was noticed acting suspiciously while the guard was being changed. The commanding officer examined him, and found that his sword was not of the kind used by the Cossacks, but was an infantry officer's weapon. The man was therupon arrested. A packet was afterwards found containing two bombs. A searching enquiry resulted in the arrest of 12 secret police agents, who are suspected of being the man's accomplices.

According to a version of the affair given by the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times, a stranger disguised as a colonel of Cossacks entered the palace at Tsarskoe-Selo on Monday on the occasion of the Czar's weekly reception of officers of the palace guard. His actions excited suspicion, and he was arrested and searched. Bombs were found in his pockets.

ESCAPE OF LADY CURZON.

ingly brisk, and, although the run Gore district, sacked schools and pri- Her Thrilling Experience in Earthquake at Simla.

A despatch from London says:are about steady and hogs are un- to go with them and take an oath Calcutta says Lady Curzon, wife of the Viceroy of India, had a narrow 4.75 are reported in the Tiflis district. At Simla. A massive chimney fell 4.40 Kishineff Wednesday night an unsuc- through the roof and ceiling into the 4.25 cessful attempt was made to assassi- room above that in which she was