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Shakespearean Lecture, Convocation Hall, 8 p.m.

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FULL FLIGHT.

The Russians Are Fleeing From Mukden.

BIG VICTORY

HAS BEEN ACHIEVED BY THE JAPANESE.

The Japanese Do Not Think That Kuropatkin and His Army Can Get Away Successfully.

Hoped His New Force Would Have Helped Him Out.

Special to the Whig.

The advice of the state department at Washington, to the effect that the Russians are in full retreat from Mukden, are the only definite news that has been received here of the Japanese victory. Beyond

the fact that the Russians are in flight, hardly anything is known of the situation. A telegram from Mukden, dated March 8th (10 a.m.), says that heavy cannonading was going on north-west of the city, causing the shells of the houses in the town to shake. An engagement was being fought near the imperial tomb.

Ten thousand Russians attacked Tanchangshan, but were repulsed with severe loss; they left many of their dead on the field. The Japanese were progressing with their operations on the heights five miles west of Mukden, and they were also pressing the railway. It is reported that there is continual skirmishing near Shinning. There is abundant speculation and little else, in reference to Gen. Kuropatkin's chances of withdrawing his army successfully. Tokio believes it will be impossible for the Russian commander to get away unless under seen circumstances arise, but there is nothing reliable to show that the Japanese will be able to convert the railway into a road.

A despatch to the Times, from St. Petersburg, says that serious news was received at Tsarko Selo, before noon on Wednesday. Gen. Kuropatkin reported that the Japanese had massed an enormous force north-west of Mukden, necessitating an immediate retreat. It is feared that the Russians will have to cut their way to Tieling which is three days' march north of Mukden. If the Japanese are able to intercept the Russian retreat, Gen. Kuropatkin will run the risk of being annihilated. His present whereabouts is unknown, even to the general staff, which continues to profess optimism, most of the reinforcements received considerable reinforcements a few days ago which, it was then hoped, would enable him to turn the tables on the Japanese. The only hope now is that these fresh troops will state of a crushing defeat of the whole Russian army, by ebbing Gen. Kuropatkin's flanks of the retreating army and enable it to move its stores and guns.

The Russian losses during the first day of the battle were estimated at nearly 35,000, including 830 officers. Great admiration is expressed by the general staff of the Japanese tactics.

There is Much Peril. Gen. Kuropatkin's heroic effort to extricate his beaten army but the general staff insists that while he has been defeated there has been no disaster. The peril of the whole army, especially of the rear guard is admitted and Mukden may have been evacuated last night.

Yesterday Gen. Biderling's army, which held the centre, fell back upon Hun river, clinging all the day desperately to Madan, at the apex south-west of the city.

Awful Slaughtering. The Japanese have cut the railway north of Mukden. More than eight thousand Russian dead lie before Gen. Oku's army alone, it is said, and it is expected that the reports of the other army will triple this number. The casualties on both sides will probably exceed 100,000. It is stated that Field Marshal Oyama has directed his army not to encamp in large bodies in the vicinity of Mukden, in order to appease the native residents and safeguard the historic cradle of Manchuria dynasty.

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NO CARDINAL FOR AMERICA

The Bishops Are Not Unanimous in Matter.

Special to the Whig.

Home, March 9. It can be announced on the highest authority that no new American cardinal will be created at the consistory next week. Several things make this absolutely certain. It is believed that had the late Archbishop Corrigan, New York, lived he would have been made a prince of the church and the same honor bestowed on Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul. This would have given the conservatives and liberals in America each a new cardinal. The death of the New York prelate put an end to this plan. The pope has interviewed every American prelate who has come to Rome since his elevation to the chair of St. Peter regarding the claims of the archbishop to a large representation in the sacred college. As a result of these interviews he is convinced, it is said, that American bishops are anything but unanimous regarding the choice of the prelate to be so honored. This renders it absolutely certain that no new American cardinal will be created for some time.

As to the possibility of a foreign cardinal being chosen from some European nation other than Italy, it is the opinion here that if such a selection is made it will be that of a new cardinal de curia for Germany, whose creation has recently been arranged with the German government.

GREAT VICTORY.

Washington, D.C., March 9.—The American state department is, officially, informed, from Tokio, that the Japanese have achieved a great victory before Mukden and that the Russian army is in full retreat.

The Russian losses were numerous on both sides.

Was Fired by Elders. Salt Lake City, March 9.—Former United States Senator Frank J. Cannon has been disapprovingly by the Mormon church for "uncharitable conduct and apostasy." This action of the church authorities followed a hearing in Ogden before the local high court, with whom charges had been preferred against Elder Cannon, who is editor of the Salt Lake Tribune.

The charges were based on editorial utterances of the Tribune, including "an address to the earthly ruler of the kingdom of God." Mr. Cannon admitted the authorship.

Had No Such a Mission. Special to the Whig. Montreal, March 9.—Denial is given to the Ottawa report that E. S. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, on behalf of the big financial interests of the country, had urged upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier not to resign. Mr. Clouston said that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and certainly never dreamed of such a mission to the seat of government.

IS BALTO FLEET RETURNING? Paris, March 9.—A despatch to the Temps from the island of Madagascar says that the entire Russian fleet has left the waters of Madagascar on its return to St. Petersburg.

Died From Worry. Special to the Whig. Essex, Ont., March 9.—George Hill, the aged father of J. B. Hill, the insolvent merchant, who is awaiting trial on criminal charges, died at his residence, on East street, this morning. He was seventy-one years of age and came to this city from Michigan. His death is supposed to have been caused by worry brought on by his son's recent trouble.

Result of a Conflict. Special to the Whig. March 9.—A telegram from Ekaterinograd says that five miners have been killed and fifteen wounded in a conflict between strikers and soldiers in the district of Bakhmut. Revolutionary disorders have broken out at Smolensk.

A Farmer Killed. Special to the Whig. Essex, Ont., March 9.—James Mandley, a farmer of Madstone, was killed last night by a fast express on the Michigan Central railway near Milton.

A Village Burned. Special to the Whig. St. Paul, Minn., March 9.—The village of Friday, Minn., was burned last night; property valued at \$50,000. Two men are dead in the ruins.

A Steamer's Arrival. Special to the Whig. Montreal, March 9.—The Allan line steamship Pomorianian, from Boston, arrived at Glasgow yesterday morning.

A Senator Dead. Special to the Whig. Washington, March 9.—United States Senator Bate, of Tennessee, died here this morning.

The brokers' brokers' team of the market square section are issuing a challenge to the winners of series of games between the senior Wolves and Queen's Patrons.

Three Star nursing bottles 2c. Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

SENT FOR LIFE

Kennedy Was Convicted Of Crime.

JUDGE'S WORDS

WERE THAT HE BE CONFINED AND WHIPPED.

A Case That Interested People of Brantford—The Convicted Man Took His Own Life in the Jail Cell While Watchers Were Out.

Special to the Whig.

Brantford, Ont., March 9.—Joseph Kennedy, who had been on trial for the past two days on the charge of carnally knowing little Irene Cole, aged eight years, in September, 1903, was, last night, found guilty.

The jury were out only about twenty minutes, and brought in a verdict of guilty.

Kennedy was asked if he had anything to say and replied he had not received a fair trial and that some of the witnesses had sworn falsely.

The judge then sentenced him to imprisonment for life and seventy-five lashes, the full penalty of the law.

A year ago Kennedy was tried for the murder of James Cole, and on account of prejudicial evidence was acquitted.

Kennedy was watched all night by the jailer. This morning between seven and eight o'clock his watcher went to get breakfast, and while he was gone Kennedy procured a sheet and hanged himself to the bars of his cell. The jailer was aware that a short time, but he was away when Kennedy's life was gone.

DIED IN TORONTO. He Was One of the City's Ex-Mayors.

Special to the Whig. Toronto, March 9.—Oliver A. Howland, R.C.M.P., ex-mayor of Toronto, died at 1:30 o'clock, this morning, at his residence on Isabella street, of Bright's disease. Mr. Howland had been ill since Christmas.

Mr. Howland was fifty-eight years old, his father being Sir William P. Howland, who still lives at the age of eighty-nine.

Mr. Howland was elected member of the 15th ward of Toronto in the Ontario legislature, in 1894, and in same year was chosen president of the International Dry Goods Association, which had met in Toronto, being re-elected to the same position the following year in Cleveland. He was elected mayor of Toronto in 1902.

Mr. Howland was created commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, in 1902, on the occasion of the recent Prince of Wales' visit to Canada.

VERDICT OF JURY. The Result of the Coroner's Inquest.

Special to the Whig. Belleville, Ont., March 9.—The coroner's jury, which sat at Plainsfield, yesterday, to enquire into the cause of death of Mrs. Adah Lloyd, after hearing some twenty witnesses and the result of the post-mortem examination returned the following verdict: "That the deceased, Hannah Lloyd, did not come to her death through natural causes or by or through any suicidal acts or intention of her own; but that she died as a result of the burning, aggravated by the wound on the side of her head. As to the direct cause of the fire or by what means she received the same, the jury could not say from the evidence produced."

WELLS SHOWING UP WELL. Companies Are Pleased With the Outlook.

Special to the Whig. Detroit, Mich., March 9.—The excellent wells, coming in rapidly in the (Ontario) field, are attracting general attention to that part of the dominion. The Union Gas and Oil company, of Ontario, with a capital stock of \$200,000 has been formed here to work wells in the Leamington district of Ontario. The directors are mostly Detroiters. Mr. Bottomly, one of the directors, who has been in the experimental department of the Standard Oil company, for several years is quoted, as saying that the field offers splendid possibilities. Another company formed here is the Leamington Comber Oil company, with a capital stock of \$15,000.

Terry to be Here To-Night. "I have played almost everything in my time," says Edward Terry, the celebrated English comedian, "but for myself I like what they call the domestic drama, and the play that entertains wholesomely and pleasantly. May be public taste and fancy goes in cycles. I'm old enough to have seen one sort of play flourish, disappear, and then return again. We've been playing a cycle of romantic plays in England, just when every one was saying that romance on the stage was dead. It came after a cycle of dramas that set down the sameness of life as though we didn't know it, and didn't need to be reminded of it in the theatre. Now the public in London can't quite see what it does, most prefer on the stage. It's driving, I suppose it is returning to the domestic drama."

Sheriff Dawson served summons to witnesses in the Froese-Willard loan case to attend court at Belleville on Tuesday, March 14th.

Three Star nursing bottles 2c. Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

TO PAY FOR HIS DEFEAT.

Kuropatkin to be Flung Aside by Emperor.

Special to the Whig.

St. Petersburg, March 9.—The battle of Mukden has resulted in a Russian defeat. A high military official said, last night, that the emperor had had enough of a general whose interpretation of victory was a general retreat, that Fabian tactics are well enough in their way, but that Kuropatkin had gone beyond those of Fabian and neglected to take account of favorable opportunities for counter strokes.

After this action Gen. Kuropatkin's deposition may be regarded as certain.

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WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., March 9.—(10 a.m.)—Generally fair, drizzle light snow falls during the night and on Friday.

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STEACY'S.

BOER. ROGERS—On Wednesday, March 8th, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rogers, 2292 Montreal St., a daughter.

DIED. MONCHIEFF—In Kingston, March 8th, 1905, Peter A. Monchiff, aged 81 years.

Funeral, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. W. Rogers, 2292 Montreal St., a daughter.

HILLIER—In Kingston, on March 8th, Emma Hillier, widow of the late Thomas Hillier, in her 81st year.

The funeral will be held on Saturday at 1:30 p.m. from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. J. W. Rogers, 2292 Montreal St., a daughter.

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