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CHINA BUILDING POWERFUL ARMY—GIANT REFORMS EFFECTED IN FEW YEARS.

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China, thoroughly impressed by the signal success obtained by her eastern neighbor, Japan, over Russia's weakening, and gradually awakening to the fact that it is imperative for her to emulate this example, has, as the result of her efforts, in a couple of years' time accomplished a remarkable piece of military reform.

Side by side with the ultra-modern forces which have been called into being—and which are called Lou-Kioux—some of the older formations are still retained—i.e., the Manchu army of the Eight Banners and the Chinese army of the Green Standard. The executive at its head—the war ministry—is placed under the control of a president, assisted by two vice-presidents. It comprises ten divisions or departments, and each province contains a corresponding military district under the authority of the ruling viceroy or governor, aided by the military mandarins.

The new force will consist of thirty-seven divisions, subdivided into 441 battalions of infantry, 111 squadrons of cavalry, 380 batteries of artillery, thirty-seven batteries of engineers and thirty-seven battalions of army train. Out of this paper force, however, scarcely half the numbers exist at the present moment, but in all probability its completion will be effected in 1912. By that time the army will number 14,000 officers and 350,000 men; and in 1920 it will reach a grand total of 1,200,000 men.

The recruiting system adopted for this army is based, for each province, on the territorial principle. A preparatory military college exists for the officers in each province. In addition to these there are four colleges—in Peking, Nankin, Pu-Tehang and Sincin-Fu. After completing their studies in these establishments, the pupils are transferred to the Imperial College for Officers in Peking.

The total number of officer-pupils at the present moment is 7,000. The instructors are nearly all of them Chinese; there are only twenty Japanese and five Germans among them. The men are armed with the Mauser rifle, the artillery (mountain and field) with Schneider guns and Krupp machine guns. The officer-pupils, in their training, have shown their aptitude in assimilating the principles of modern tactics and strategy.

They know how to appreciate the advantages of European science and its innovations—the telephone, telegraph, balloon for signalling and even wireless telegraphy. The Chinese army, as constituted at the present day, has revealed itself as a force which is by no means a negligible quantity.

The field hospital could shelter about 100 men, and comprised seven conical tents for the sick, each tent to hold fourteen patients; a small square tent for the officers and two conical tents for the medical service staff, which consisted of three doctors or surgeons.

and forty attendants. The army rain wagons were of various descriptions, but they were all lightly constructed and able to go anywhere.

Each branch is provided with a balloon for signalling purposes, which is filled by means of hydrogen, and which is generated on the spot and stored in a lined bag or reservoir, carried on a special kind of trolley. The organization of both the veterinary service and the commissariat was excellent.

The subalterns are not mounted, and carry a knapsack on their backs. They are armed with sword and revolver. Map and field glasses are carried in leather cases, and the field flask is made of aluminum. The uniform is of light blue cloth, with yellow leather boots. Field and general officers are mounted on native horses, and their uniforms are similar to that of the subalterns, their only distinctive mark being the buttons in front of their caps and on the sleeves. The rank and file are clothed in a short black tunic and trousers of the same color, with caps to match, khaki puttees and brown shoes and sandals strapped on knapsack, the latter made of linen dyed a rusty color.

Their rifles of Mauser pattern—are manufactured in the arsenal at Han-king. On the outside of the knapsack the cooking tin is fixed in addition to great coat and blanket; the inside contains the rations. This knapsack seems as heavy and cumbersome as the pattern in use in the French army. A small bag, fitted with appliances for personal use, an aluminum flask, a roll with bayonet frog and two cartridge pouches, complete the outfit of the Chinese warrior. A machine gun section comprises four machine guns of various patterns, three officers, forty men and eight horses. The gun is packed on one side of the horse and contains a large variety of tools, contained in a leather case, are strapped on. The men are only armed with a sword-bayonet.

The cavalry are mounted on hardy and vigorous horses, but the saddles and bridles, although of European pattern, are of poor quality. The men are armed with a Mauser carbine and a small sword, which they invariably carry in their hand. They are provided with cooking tins—like the infantry—made of aluminum, and yellow leather boots without spurs. They rather neglect their mounts. An engineer company comprises three sections of thirty men each; each man carries a measuring tool, while other tools, as also the explosives, are packed in cases and strapped on to the horses. During the manoeuvres very substantial bridges, averaging rather more than 108 yards, were constructed by the bridging detachment, over some of which the army passed without causing the slightest damage. One of the bridges was built by means of metal girders and covered with canvas, the bridge deck being made of pine-wood planks and supported, while at both ends, straw was laid to facilitate the approach to the structure.

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THE SPORT REVIEW.

Interesting News From the Various Sporting Fields.

Wrestler won the New England League pennant, but they had to beat Harvard in Saturday's game, the last of the season, to take the flag.

Hefson, the South African, who finished second to Hayes in the Olympic Marathon, has turned professional to meet Coffey, the Australian, at one mile for \$400.

The Connecticut Baseball League closed its 1908 season with Saturday's games, and with Hartford, the pennant-winner, leading Holyoke by a broad margin.

Detroit hit Falkenberg hard, Saturday, and profited by its own base-running and by loose fielding but Cleveland, won 7 to 1. In the seventh inning, tripled with the bases full and then stole home.

Pittsburg's pinch hitter, Hyatt, has crowded Hans Wagner down to second place among the National League hitters. Hans did very effective work with the willow in the week, boosting his figures from 328 to 340. He is still one point shy of Hyatt, however.

Oct. 9—Montreal at Argos.
Oct. 16—Ottawa at Montreal.
Oct. 16—Argos at Hamilton.
Oct. 23—Argos at Ottawa.
Oct. 23—Montreal at Hamilton.
Oct. 30—Ottawa at Argos.
Nov. 6—Hamilton at Montreal.
Nov. 6—Argos at Montreal.
Nov. 6—Ottawa at Hamilton.
Nov. 13—Hamilton at Argos.

M. L. U. League.

Team	Won	Last	To Play
Shamrocks	8	2	2
Montreal	8	1	0
Argos	8	1	0
Hamilton	6	5	1
Corwall	5	7	0
Nationals	3	9	0
Ottawa	2	10	0

Games next Saturday: Shamrocks at Montreal.

Officers Chosen.

At the annual election of officers of the Cape Vincent, N.Y. yacht club, the following were chosen: Commodore, S. A. Maxwell, vice-commodore, C. T. Sackett; rear-commodore, G. C. Sherman; fleet captain, L. L. Peo; secretary, J. C. Parker; treasurer, Alfred L. Dezengramel; directors, F. W. Sackett, C. K. Green, B. S. Miller.

A School Boy's Essay.

There have been seven Edwards, and the last shall be best. One of the Edwards introduced printing into England, and was murdered in his sleep by his Uncle Richard, who now lies mouldering in the Tower of London, which I have seen. This lot was beaten by the Henrys, of which there were eight. One had six wives, and died in the hope of a glorious resurrection. He santed eight, but was cut off like a flower of the field before he could get the other two. Of the ladies, who have reigned over us one was named Mary. She was a great plague. She started the fires of Smithfield, which set the best part of London in a blaze. Then there was Queen Anne. She is dead now. Another was Victoria, a good queen, who broke all records.

John Salmon, a Yankee in Ceylon, has got rich by detecting pearls in oysters by X-ray.

Games Arranged.

October 2nd is the date fixed upon by the Interprovincial Union executive for the opening of the rugby season. Following is the schedule:
Oct. 2—Montreal at Ottawa.
Oct. 9—Hamilton at Ottawa.

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