

HAPPY WOMEN.
 "Mrs. Fare, wife of C. B. Fare, a prominent resident of Glasgow, Ky., says: 'I was suffering from a complication of kidney troubles. Besides a bad back, I had a great deal of trouble with the secretions, which were exceedingly variable, sometimes excessive and at other times scanty. The color was high and passages were accompanied with a scalding sensation. Doan's Kidney Pills soon regulated the kidney secretions, making their color normal and banished the inflammation which caused the scalding sensation. I can rest well, my back is strong and sound and I feel much better in every way.'"
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 On a wager of \$1 that he could put a billiard ball in his mouth, Joseph Johnson, residing on Stiles street, Philadelphia, a negro attendant in a poolroom, attempted the feat the other night. He made himself an "accident case" at St. Joseph's hospital a few minutes later, and the physicians worked over him for an hour. The negro slipped the ball into his mouth without difficulty. Trouble came when he tried to get it out. With the aid of pliers and rods the physicians succeeded in releasing the ball.

Bridge and Tunnel Combination.
 Since a French engineer named Gamond planned a submarine tunnel, in 1867, various projects have been advanced for connecting England with the Continent. The latest is the suggestion of Bunan-Varilla, who wants to build a tunnel to within three kilometers of England, and thence a bridge, which England (which has not favored a tunnel) could destroy at any time in case of danger of a foreign invasion, thus rendering the tunnel useless.

Pencils Were Not Cheap.
 A fakir sold a lot of splendid looking lead pencils on the street at Indian Orchard the other evening at the astonishing price of eight for 10 cents. His customers grew angry the next day when they found that the lead only ran back about one-fourth of an inch from the end.

A dude preacher generally produces dead sermons. So, 45.

Don't Get Sick.
 "Don't," said the doctor, "I can do nothing here to exhibit your social distinctions. You all herd together everywhere. You all suffer and lower classes are on the same footing."
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Her Opinion.
 "I have been very much interested in these experiments with tetrahedral kites," said the man with the gold glasses.
 "Yes," answered Mrs. Currox, complacently, "but I have about concluded that the surest way to get rid of all such things is to boil the drinking water."—Washington Star.

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In seven years 260 pupils in German schools committed suicide.
 The pessimist should never go into politics; he starts out with too much truth in his pack.

The Birthright of Twins.
 A curious case as to which of two twins was born first came before Lord Pearson in the Edinburgh Court of Sessions.
 The twins were John McJarrow, an engineer of Virvan, and Charles McJarrow, a grocer, of Glasgow.
 Their father had died intestate while John was in South Africa, leaving £1,500 worth of property. Charles had taken possession of this, claiming to be the elder son.
 John, in giving his evidence, said that he was born on Aug. 24, 1867, at 1 o'clock in the morning and that his brother was born half an hour afterward. The births were registered as such.
 Charles, on the other hand, averred that the entries in the register were erroneous, and that his father recognized himself as his eldest son.
 Lord Pearson gave judgment for John, without costs.

Up-to-Date Fighting Wins for "Yankees of East."

Telephones on the Field of Battle Are One of the Innovations Which Explain How the Mikado's Little Men Outclass the Czar's Giants.

WHEN the history of this war is written the affair at Motienting may have the pre-eminent position. But it brings into strong light the methods and the efficiency of the two armies and explains the unvarying success on land of the "Yankees of the East" against one of the great military powers of Europe.
 Two days before this attack the Japanese knew through their remarkable intelligence service that it was planned. They foresaw largely how it would be executed, though probably they did not anticipate how stubbornly the Russians, fired with ambition to maintain the prestige of European troops and inspired by the name of Skobelev linked with the memories of Schlipka Pass, would storm the stronghold. It was Skobelev's fighting and Skobelev's men against the men and methods of a quarter century later.
 On the morning of the 17th several correspondents camped at the Division General's headquarters, some miles from the pass, were awakened at daylight by the sound of distant volleys. A fog covered the hills so dense that tents could not be seen a hundred yards away. The ground was muddy and trees dripped as though there had been a heavy rain.

GOING INTO ACTION.
 Several infantry battalions came up the road at a dog trot, the men's khaki tunics plastered to their backs with sweat, while they mopped their faces with towels presented by the patriotic societies of Japan bearing blue prints of the Mikado's soldiers, storming impossible blue precipices in the face of gigantic blue-bearded Russians.
 Most of the men looked as eager for their work as a football team racing onto the field.
 A hospital company marched past with the stretchers roped to the backs of horses, and some of the Red Cross men shouldered wooden crutches to help soldiers with leg wounds from the field.
 Trains of the small black Japanese stallions passed bearing ammunition boxes and trenching spades, which are also utilized for burying the dead.
 Ammunition caissons with lathering six-horse teams rumbled over the road, and two or three field batteries in reserve appeared and unbarreled on the square where the marks of Russian tents remained to await possible orders for the front.
 A company of engineers, shouldering bamboo poles and coils of copper wire began to stretch a new telephone line, which extended across the fields, as fast as the coils could be unwound.
 Probably no other army has as light and durable material for many uses as the Japanese find in their bamboo.
 Occasionally an officer wearing the gold and white sash of the staff galloped in from the direction of the firing.
 But there was no confusion, no disorder and seemingly little hurry. Every officer and man and every organization knew its business and proceeded about it without excitement or fuss. The whole machine operated with the same smoothness that it has exhibited from the day the mobilizing began in Tokio.

CONTRAST IN FIRING.
 Between the methods of shooting of the two armies there was as great a contrast as in other essentials. Russian firing is almost all by volleys, with quite mechanical regularity. Even in the use of artillery they follow a plan of discharging one gun after another rapidly and with precision.
 To-day four Russian guns saluted the Japanese for an hour as a regiment of the latter was moving into position before the Russian front. The manner of it was "one, two, three, four!" again.
 Their infantry work is on the same order—three or four sharp volleys and then a rest.
 Occasionally the Japanese use volleys, but most of the time they fire at will, giving the enemy less information of their position and gaining the advantages of individual marksmanship. They lie like a hunter in the bush, waiting for game, and when they see it they blaze away.
 No one who has seen this campaign questions Russian bravery. The great superiority of the Japanese lies in the head work of officers and men.
 The scene around the temple nearest the Pass when the correspondents arrived on the field bore witness eloquently to the courage of the patient Slav. Through four terrible hours the Thirty-fourth European Regiment held its ground under a fierce fire from the Japanese redoubts above them. The temple itself became a veritable slaughter house. All over the temple yard, over the road and the fields about it, shrapnel balls were strewn thickly, and the ground was sowed with rifle bullets. They testified convincingly of the staying powers of the Russian soldiers.
 Not since Hamatan has this army seen more men disabled on a small area. Along the line where the Russian wave broke it left a fringe of dead and wounded.

RUSSIAN IS WEIGHED DOWN.
 The Russians go into battle with heavy marching equipment, weighted down by all their effects.
 One soldier, mortally wounded, wore his heavy coat in a roll over his shoulder, and an entrenching spade, a cooking pot, a canvas bag filled with black bread, a canteen and a bandolier of cartridges were strapped to his chest. I saw a Japanese stop to cut these weights from his enemy and drag him into the shade of a bush, putting a blanket under his head and a handkerchief over his face.
 Russian impedimenta were strewn all over the field. Most noticeable were the heavy snuff-colored coats, which prove useful in Japanese hospitals, the crude wooden water flasks, the pouches of coarse bread, numerous rifles dropped in retreat, and two or three drums emblazoned with the double-headed eagle, to abandon which is almost like giving up the colors.

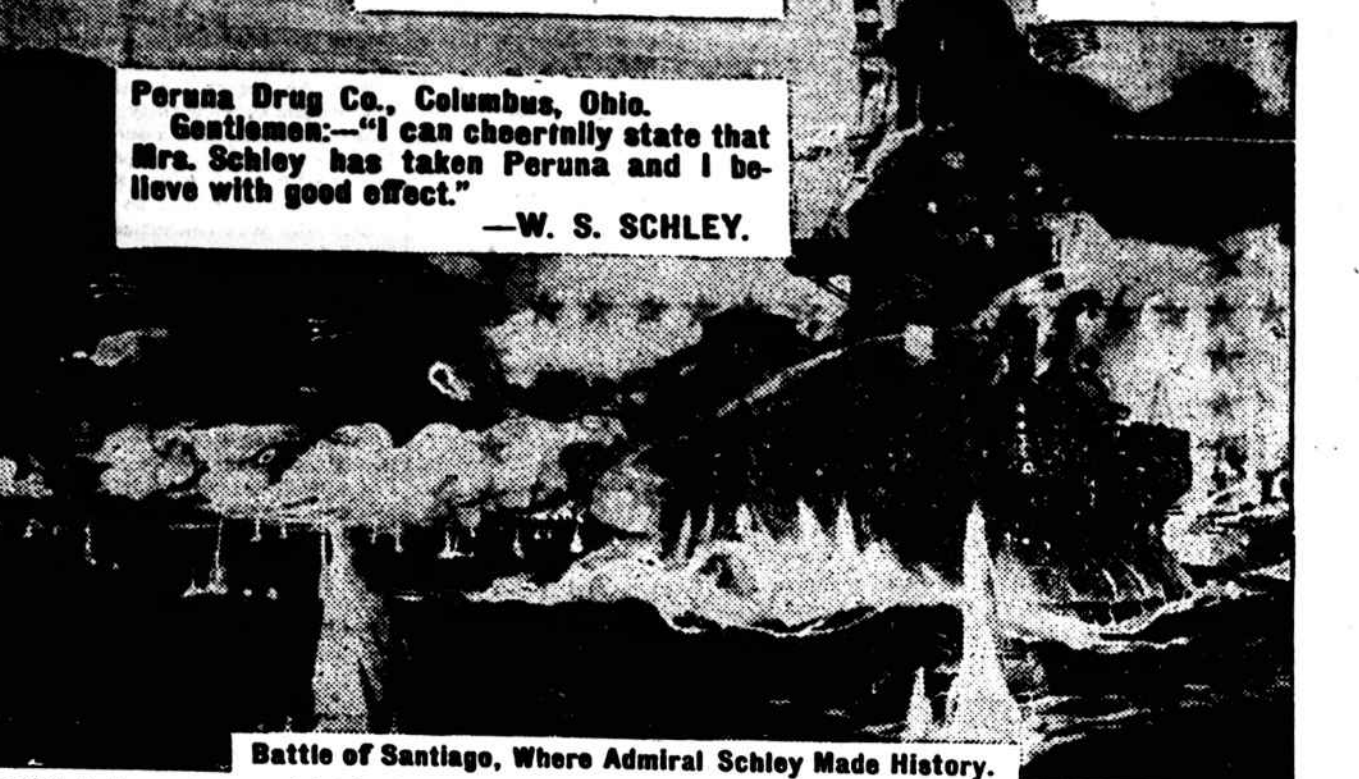
GENERALS TAKE IT EASY.
 General Nichi observed the end of the engagement from the summit of a hill close by the temple. He had dressed at his usual hour, taken a leisurely breakfast, keeping in touch with his command by a cobweb of telegraphs and telephones, and only when he learned that the Russians had begun to retreat and the business of the day was practically decided did he start on an unburied ride to the scene.
 His Brigade General, Okasawa, managed affairs on the spot, and the superior gave his subordinate a free hand.
 General Kuroki, whose headquarters were two hours' ride away, passed the morning with his chief of staff, General Fujii, and Prince Kuni, sitting on the bank of a tiny mountain brook placidly fishing for minnows.—Moffen Pass (Manchuria) correspondence of the New York World.

RUSSIAN INDECISION.
 Behind the firing line and sheltered by a clump of magnificent trees—which must have concealed them from the Japanese advance—a regiment was stopping in solid formation on a cross road.
 With the regiment was a battery which had fine opportunity for effective action, but was huddled together in a field where a single well-placed Japanese shell might have worked great execution in its midst. Further down the road more troops were returning to their many wagons of baggage, and with their wagons of baggage the whole attitude of the force betokened indecision and lack of plan.
 The Japanese utilized all the cover as they advanced, while the Russian tactics of preserving close company formations sacrificed much of the natural advantages of the ground.
 That stiffness and precision of the German school, which some foreign officers noting in the home maneuvers had thought might handicap the Japanese in the field, was abandoned.

EVERY COMPANY FOR ITSELF.
 When a battalion went into action the companies worked most independently. Sections of companies found positions separately where the country and the cover favored them, without attempting to preserve long straight lines, while the units displayed great initiative and dash.
 The rolling ground permitted them to advance by rushes effectly. After firing a few rounds they would dash ahead to another block and dropping into the grass empty their magazines again. Their uniforms of khaki, from cap covers to leggings, made them as inconspicuous as possible.
 So far has the spectacular deferred to effectiveness in uniforming that even the regimental numbers on shoulder-straps are abandoned that the enemy may find no distinguishing mark about prisoners or dead to give a clue to the identity of the organization which opposed them.
 The occasional glint of an officer's sword scabbard when the sun struck it was the only guide for marksmen a few hundred yards distant. The officers yet retain their awards in the field, because at close quarters they wield them with the old fury and skill of the Samurai fighting before their clans.

Kansas has just discovered that her great flood last year had some good in it, after all. This year no rats, gophers or rabbits have appeared to damage the crops in the districts which were under water.

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A CAT'S WALKING FEAT.
 It Tramped Eighty-five Miles to Regain its Home.
 What is probably another record has been created, this time by a cat, which had walked from London to Overslade, near Rugby, a distance of eighty-five miles.
 "Jummy," as the "tramp" is called, belongs to Mrs. Mark Robinson of 9 Behzegrave, Hampstead, and is just an ordinary medium-sized black cat. Although seven years old, "Jummy" had never before displayed any marked nomadic tendency, its previous ramblings having always been confined to the neighborhood of its home.
 About the beginning of June, Mr. Robinson brought the cat to Hampstead from Overslade, and it was at once apparent that "Jummy," like the Rev. Mr. Spalding, didn't like London. The climax came when some furniture was moved into the house. This was too much, and "Jummy" took his departure.
 Nothing more was heard of it until about a fortnight ago, when news came from Overslade that "Jummy" had returned its coat a trifle rough, its limbs a trifle thinner, but "Jummy" nevertheless.
 As the cat was brought to London in a closed basket, its achievement in walking back is really remarkable.
 "Jummy" has a rival in the walking craze, for a cat belonging to a friend of Mr. Robinson walked from Rugby to Leamington, and was seen wandering about the empty house there, which its owner had left. It has since returned to Rugby, having taken three months for the double journey.
 Rodents Froze to Death.
 B. W. Adams of Plainfield, N. H., was throwing out hay from the bay recently, when he came across a nest that contained seventy-four rats and mice, which had evidently been frozen to death.
 BY PROXY.
 What the Baby Needed.
 I suffered from nervousness and headache until one day about a year ago it suddenly occurred to me what a great coffee drinker I was, and I thought maybe this might have something to do with my trouble, so I shifted to tea for awhile, but was not better, if anything, worse.
 "At that time I had a baby four months old that we had to feed on the bottle, until an old lady friend told me to try Postum Food Coffee. Three months ago I commenced using Postum, leaving off the tea and coffee, and not only have my headaches and nervous troubles entirely disappeared, but since then I have been giving plenty of nurse for my baby and have a large, healthy child now.
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