

Peston Brown Brend.

Mix together a cup each of graham flour, wheat flour and cornmeal and a teaspoonful of salt. Warm a cup of milk to blood heat, dissolve in it a scant teaspoonful of baking soda and stir in a teacupful of New Orleans mo-Insses. Make a hole in the middle of only retain a small garrison as soon as the ment and flour, pour in a half pint the prisioners are witdrawn and order of boling water, then add the warm restored. The fleet is busily engaged milk and molasses. Beat all very in clearing mines, but owing to their hard and turn into a greased mold with a tightly fitting top. Steam in an outer vessel of boiling water for three hours. Take out of the water, turn out the bread and set in the oven for five minutes before serving.

Ontmeal Breakfast Cakes. Wet a pint of oatmeal with sufficient water to saturate it well and pour into a shallow pan, making It haif an inch thick or less. Bake twenty minutes in a quick over. Break it like spongs cake and eat warm. It can be made either crisp or moist. Corn-n:eal cooked in the same manner and eaten at once, is equally as good. One would not believe without trying, how palttable and satisfying such simple dishs can be made. Without butter, sugar or eggs and slightly salted, the true dayor of the grain is developed.

Devil's Food Cake.

Mix a half-cup of grated chocolate with a half-cup of milk and a half-cup of brown sugar. Ball all together unill as thick as cream, then set aside to tet cool. Cream a half-cup of butter with a cup of brown sugar, add two beaten eggs, two-thirds of a cup of milk and vanilla flavoring. Mix thoroughly, whip in the boiled mixture add a pint of flour that has been twice wifted, with a heaping teaspoonful of baking powder, and bake in layer tins in a good oven.

Poor Man's Pudding. About six stale biscuits (or three biscults and three corn muthins) grated fine, add a handful of stoned raisins, some washed currants, a good handful of brown sugar, and one cupful of four. Chop fine with the flour onequarter of a pound of beef suet and one tenspoonful of good baking powder. Mix all together with sufficient milk to make a paste; steam in greased and sugared dish about two hours. Add a little nutmeg or mace.

Medlar Jelly.

Take the mediars when quite ripe, wash them, and put into a preserving pan with just sufficient water to cover. Let them simmer very slowly till they become pulp. Pass through a jelly bag, but do not press the pulp through. To every pint of liquor add one pound of loaf sugar, bring to the boil, and boil for twenty minutes, or until quite clear, and it will jelly.

Medeira Cake.

Two eggs, a teaspoonful of baking powder, two and one-half ounces of castor sugar, two and one-half ounces of butter, four ounces of flour, a little grated lemon rind. Cream butter and sugar together, add grated lemon rind, beat the eggs thoroughly, add by degrees sifted flour; also baking powder. Bake in a moderate over forty minutes.

Snow Eggs and Stewed Fruit. This is a delicious dish for hot weather. Divide the whites from the yolks of three eggs, and whisk the former to a very stiff froth with s teaspoonful of castor sugar. Put sather more than a pint of milk sweetened to taste, in a stewpan, and when it boils drop in the white of egg in dessertspoonfuls.

Squash Custard.

Boll one summer squash until ten der, thirty to forty minutes; drain 1 very dry and press it through a strain er; add to it two eggs weil beaten, one fourth cupful sugar and four table specufuls of milk; flavor with lemor rind or vanilla; line a pie dish with a good plain paste, pour in the cus tard and bake thirty minutes.

Table Mustard.

One teaspoonful of English mustard, two teaspoonfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of sugar, one-quarter teaspoonful of salt. Mix thoroughly; add enough beiling water to a thick mixture, then enough vinegar to thin it to the right consistency for table use.

Beef Sonp.

Eight pounds beef-boll five hours, ave onions, five carrots, three potatoes, one quart of tomatoes, two turcips, one teaspoonful thyme, cinnamon and cloves, one teaspoonful of celery seed, salt and pepper. Boll vegetables one-half hour.

Baked Hash.

Take any kind of cold meat and chop fine with a little cold ham or salt pork; mix in one or two eggs and a little butter, and season with salt and pepper; with this, mix bread or rusk grumos, moisten a very little and bake ike a pudding.

# B G NAVAL STATION LEFT TO HIS FATE SIRIKES ON ROCK

IAPANENE WILL UTILIZE PORT GENERAL STOESSEL LEARNS HOW ARTHUR FORTIFICATIONS,

Nogi Reports Transfer o Russian Prisoners of War Is Now Complete-Total Exceeds 24,000.

TOKIO.-The Japanese intend to establish a paval station at Port Ar thur. Vice Admiral Y. Shabayama

will probably be placed in charge. The military administration will great number navigation will be un- via Tien Tsin -Captain Tsunoda, safe for a long time. Only govern- the Japanese staff officer who was ment craft will be allowed to enter sent to Port Arthur to Inform Genthe barbor. It is probable that eral Steessel of the contents of the Dalny will soon be opened up to message of the emperor of Japan, neutrals. Japanese companies are saying that the garrison should be preparing to establish weekly services | treated with the greatest considerto that port. It is proposed shortly ation, says: to float a fourth domestic war loan under the same conditions as the third was negotiated.

In a report received there last night Rear Admiral Kataoka reviews the attempts of the Russians to destroy the battleship Sevastopol and the coast defense vessel Otvashot. the sicking of their vessels for the purpose of blocking the entrance to the harbor and the dash for freedom of the torpedo boat destrovers Skory, Stratni, Viastni and Serdity which reached Che Foo and the Smyrll and Bolki, which reached Che Foo, and the Smyrli and Boliki, which reached Isingtau. The report says the Japanese protected cruiser Akitsushima and a flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers followed the four birst named Russ an vessels toward Che Foo and that the protected crusiser Chiyida and a number of torpedo boat descroyers followed the Smyrli and Bolki to Tsingtau. In both ports, the report says, Russian vessels were coa peled to disarm. The report in conc'usion says:

"I beg to report that our brilliant strategical movement in this direction was successfully completed."

The transfer of prisoners was completed yesterday afternoon. The total number of officers transferred was 878; men 23,491.

General Nogi's report, received at 11 o'clock Saturday night, appoinces that the transfer of Port Arthur prisoners was completed Saturday aftercoon. Three judges and three he replied: clerks were also transferred.

HEADQUARTEKS OF JAPAN-ESE ARMY AT PORT ARTHUR.

Via Fusan .- Lieutenant Generals Fock and Smyronoff have decided to go to Japan as prisoners of war. General Smyrnoff was in command of the forts at Port Arthur and General Fock commanded the fourth division of the army there. General Fock says he will drill his men in

Fifty per cent of the Russian officers will go to Japan and share with their men the fate of prisoners of

There are five Rusisan admirals at Port Arthur one of whom will go to Japan. Among the admirals is a prince Twelve foreign paval attaches have visited Port Arthur and inspected the remains of the Russian

LONDON. - Reports previously received here were to the effect that both Lieutenant Generals Fock and Smyrnoff had been killed at Port Arthur. Or January 2 a St. Peters. burg dispatch denied that Fock ban been killed but admitted that he had been wounded. A dispatch received from Mukden January 7. said that while the death of Fock had not been published it had, for six weeks, tnen accepted there as a fact. The report of General Smyrnoff's death had never been confirmed.

The only prince admiral known to have been at Port Arthur was Rear Admiral Prince Outktomsky. A St. Petersburg dispatch on Saturday said that information had been received from Che Foo that Rear Admirai Prince Oukttomsky, disguised, had arrived at the Foo on board a launch.

TOKIO.-Lieutenant Generals Fock, Smyrnoff and Gortalwksy and Rear Admiral Wilmann will be brought to Japan as prisoners of war

Lieutenant General Stoessel wil leave Daloy January 12 on a Japan ese transport for Nagasaki. He will be accompanied by the other paroled officers. The Russians probably will remain in Japan a few days and then proceed on a French steamer to Europe, going by way of the Suez

General Nogl reports that the offierre naroled to date naroline ill and into age with his family.

HE WAS ABANDONED.

NEAR THOUGHT RELIEF

SURPRISED TO HEAR OF KURO-

PATRIN'S DEFEAT.

Told at One Time Northern Army Was But Iwenty Miles Away-Thinks He is Entitled to Have a Kest-

HEADQUARTERS THIRD JAP. ANESE ARMY, at Port Arthur,

"General Stoessel's first inquiry was about the whereabouts of General Kuropatkin. I said I did not know exactly, but understood he was somewhere about Mukden.

"General Stoessel remarked that he had last heard from General Kuropatkin October 6, saying he ary 2, in which it as stated that the w uid come to relieve Port Arthur soon. General Stoessel added that he had sent out Chinese spies who ing of five battleships, three cruisreturned and reported that General ers, two transports and a hospital Kuropatkin, with a relieving army, was at Kinchou, twenty miles north of Port Arthur, General Stoessel was plainly incredulous at my statement that General Kuropatkin had been defeated and driven back towards Mukden, so I produced maps, showed him the position of the two armies near the Shakhe river and gave Stoessel details of Kuropatkin's defeat with the loss of 50,000 to 60,-000 men, at which the Russian general expressed amazement and quickly remarked that he had been misted.

"veneral Stoessel then asked where the Baltic fleet was, and told him that some of the ships had not passed the Cape of Good Hope.

"With a hopeless expression General Stoessel said:

"Now that Port Arthur has fallen there is no use for the fleet coming any further."

"I then asked General Stoessel what had caused the most damage to the garrison during the siege, and

"Your eleven-inch howitzers. After they arrived our defensive works became useless.'

"General Stoessel then pointed out that he and Admiral Alexief had been through the boxer trouble, and had seen the work of the Japanese army. General Stoessel also said he had been associated with the Japanese generals. Yamaguchi and Fukushima, at that time, and expressed the opinion that the Russian and Japanese forces had borne the lions' share of the work. Since then he had a high idea of the organization and fighting qualities of

the Japanese armies. "The real cause of the war was, in General Stoessel's opinion, the ignorance of the Russian people of the fighting qualities of the Japanese. The first attack on Port Arthur in February by the Japanese fleet was a tremendous surprise The forts he explained, were only partly gar-

risoned by two thousand troops. "At this point General Stoessel said he had always opposed the scheme of Governor Sakharoff of Port Daloy in spending money in building up Port Dalny, instead of unishing the defense of Port Arthur, Sapharoff, who was an engineer officer died of dysentery during the

"Continuing General Stoessel praise i the ingenuity, pluck and patience of the Japanese infantry, especially in making siege parallels and treuches to the forts.

"Referring to the artillery General Stoessel said that at first be did not think the artillery practice good, but be was so in compelled to recognize how good it was. General Kondratenko and a colonel of engineers (Irman). General Stoe-sel pointed out, were killed in North Keewan fort by a Japanese shell just prior to the explosion on December 18. General Stoess if felt their less greatly, as Kondratenko was a clever en-

"General Stoessel further said be nad served his emperor in three wars, and has been thrice wounded. first in the Russo-Turkish war, secondly in the boxer trouble, and the third time at Port Arthur. Now he felt be had earned the right to return to Russia and live ic his

ROJESTVENSKY'S FLAGSHIP SAID TO HAVE FOUNDERED.

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PRINCE TO BE ISSUED REGARDLESS OF DISASTER.

Long Trip of Baltle Ships Taken for Nothing-Crar Returns and Extraordinary Council Scon to Be Heid.

PARIS .- The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Paris edition of the New York Herald telegraphs that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's flagsnip, the battleship Kniaz Souvaroff, has struck a rock and foundered.

The last heard from Vice Admiral Rojestvensk's squadron was contained in a dispatch dated Tamatave, island of Madagascar, Jaouvice admiran's division of the Russian second Pac'fic squadron, consistship had anchored on that day in the roadstead of Saint Marie, an islaud on the east coast.

The Kniaz Souvaroff was built at St. Petersburg in 1902 and was of 13.516 tons 1-2 feet, her beam 76 feet, ber draught 26 feet and indicated borse power 16,000. Her armament was of the Russian Krupp pattern consisted of four 12-inch twelve 6luch, twenty-3-inch, twenty-3-pounders and six-1 pounder guns. She had six torpedo tubes. Her complement of men was 740.

LONDON .- There is no confirmation here of the report from St. Petersburg of a disaster to the Russian battiship Kniaz Souvaroff, According to the dispatch to the Daily Mail from Mahe on of the Seychelle isof Zanzibar on January 5, both divisions of the Russian Baltic squadron were proceeding in the direction of Digo Suarez, Merchantmen who passed Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's division reports that the squadron keeps good station and appears to maneuver well.

Special dispatches from Tokio say that the Port Arthur garrison was marshalled at 9 o'clock Thursday Arthur correspondent reports that Fred besides being abusive to be damaged by the bombardment. Carriages and rickshaws, he says, are moving about with well-dressed people, who apparently are anything but starved. The ruined forts resemble hills shaken by a mighty convulsion, and in many cases every trace of the works has disappeared.

## Officers In Clash.

CLEVELAND .- As the result of county authorities, that has been on since Mrs. L. Chadwick arrived number of heirs will attempt to ioner's care while she is in the strument. rounty jail, the federal authorities definitely stated they would assume such control under authority vested in them under a decision of the su- He fortunately landed in a snowdrift preme court of the United States in | and besteds a severe shaking up was a similar case in another state, which they think can be applied in was able to get into the way car. this instance. This dispute has arisen because of the privilege assumed by Former Sheriff Barry in permitting her husband and other persons to call on Mrs. Chadwick contrary to an order of the federal judge that written permission for such interviews should be first obtained from that court, Sheriff Barry retired from office last Saturday midnight. He was succeeded by George G. Mulhero.

As a county official Sheriff Mulbern obtained from the county solicitor an opinion to the effect that inasmuch as the jail was a county lustitution a United States orisoner was no more then a county prisoner while confined therein, and was under the authority of the sheriff.

An opinion was handed to tue sheriff by District Astorney John J that the federal authorities controlher without their parmission.

## NEBRASKA NOTES \*\*\*\*\*\*

The officers of Battery A of Wymore went to Lincoln to attend the school and take examinations.

Steel work on the Burlington raffroan cut-off west of Wymore was begun this week.

Mrs. Marie Schmidt of Beatrice was granted a divorce from ber husband on the grounds of non-support and cruelty.

Amil R. Schlefelbeln of Ashland was injured by the explosion of his gun while out hunting. The muscle of his right arm was torn out.

Revivals are being held at Huma boldt and will be continued through the month of January. All of the Protestant churches have united in the work.

A branch of the Salvation Army has taken up quarters at Wymore and are doing good work. A number of conversions have been made.

R. C. James of Humboldt, the newly elected county attorney this week moved to Falis City to take up his residence and the duties of his

The Beatrice Maennerchor, a German singing society of this city entertained a large number of their friends at a musical and dance red cently.

The high school of Wymore has pirls' and also a boys' basket ball team. Each are getting in good trim with daily practice games in a few weeks.

Miss Edith Brinkworth of Beatrice entertained thirty of her college friends at a New Years party. The affair was among the pleasant social events of the season.

Dr. H. Agee one of the oidest practitioners of Nebraksa is very ill at his home in Valley. He is 60 years of age and it is feared his atlment pneumonia, will result seri-

In the private office of Chief of Police Routzahn at Lincoln occurred the marriage of Miss Meta Fick of Lincoin and Arthur R. Turner of Hastlands, about one thousand miles east ings. The couple will live in the latter town.

> The surveyor's report is being discussed by the county board of supervisors of Oconee regarding the proposed new drainage ditch in this county. The ditch if constructed will be twelve miles in length and

Mrs. Charles Scott of Lincoln commorning at Yahutsui in accordance plained the other day that her huswith the terms of the suplementary band attempted to chop down the agreement. The Standard's Port burn and leveled a gun at his son, the town appears to have been little He was sentenced to twenty-five days in jail.

The History and Art club of Seward held its annual banquet at the home of Mrs. S. C. Langworthy. The last year has been a successful period for the club and the members felt highly jubilant on Saturday night for the efforts put forth and the good work accomplished.

One of the principal cases in the district court at Schuyler this week a crash between the federal and is the bearing regarding the will of the late Charles A. Sherman. A to this city from New York as to prove that Mr. Sherman was of unwho had jurisdiction over the pris- sound mind when he signed the in-

> Conductor Mooney, of Aurora fell from the top of a car while his train was unloading a shipment of cattle. so little injured that he with help

> The Baptist congregation of Humholdt has called to the local pasterate Rev. C. P. Wall of St. Louis and the call has been accepted, the minister baving already entered upon his work. The church has been without a regular pastor for several months.

> The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. William Madge two of Gage county's ploneer residents held a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stoll at Beatrie New Year's day. A sumptuous dinner was the feature of the occasion and all thoroughly enjoyed the day with the venerable couple. About thirty were present

The 2-year-old son of Sheriff O. J. Carring of Coumbus died very sud-Sullivan later in the day to the effect denly from croup. The little one bad been ill for two or three days, led Mrs. Chadwick's care, and that but at no time was considered to be no p rson should be allowed to sen dangerous. The remains will be taken to Platte Center for burish