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## LITERALLY RUNNING WITH BLOOD

There is No Hope for the Foreigners and All Foreign Consuls Have Cabled that Disturbances Are Spreading.

LONDON, July 6.—There is a mass of wild rumor from the far East. Though contradictory on most points, it continues unanimous as to the consummation of the tragedy at Peking.

To consistent reports of the whites are now added the additional horrors that savage soldiery butchered at the capital 5000 natives, Roman Catholic converts. This comes on a Shanghai dispatch of July 5, which only adds to the report given by respectable Chinese who have arrived from Chai-Fu, and who describe Peking as an inferno, the streets literally running with blood.

They confirm numerous stories of executions and untold tortures inflicted on isolated foreigners and European soldiers captured by the mob. The authority of Yang Lu, the Chinese Imperial Treasurer, who advocated moderation, was completely effaced by Prince Tuan Kang Yi and Tang Fuh Sian, who issued fresh edicts ordering the merciless extermination of all foreigners in the empire.

Washington, July 6.—A dispatch has been received at the state department from Consul-General Goodnow at Shanghai, dated July 5, in which he says the situation is serious and the insurrectionary movement is spreading. If the allied forces, he said, should meet with reverses the insurrection will certainly spread to central and southern China resulting in the expulsion and murder of foreigners in the interior and the ruin of trade. A strong force, he says, is necessary to check the viceroys in the north and to support the viceroys in the south.

It is understood that all consuls of the powers in China have sent identical dispatches to their respective governments.

LONDON, July 6.—In response to inquiries cabled to Shanghai in regard to the situation at Peking, the following cablegram has been received from an authoritative quarter.

Shanghai, Thursday, July 5.—Prepare to hear the worst.

LONDON, July 6.—The danger of a general revolt in China becomes more and more patent, and Europe is being confronted with rapidly increasing force with the fact that not merely the international column may be forced from Tien Tsin, but that the international troops of colonies and treaty ports will stand in grave danger of expulsion. In view of the fact that the previous assurances of the viceroy have proved untrustworthy, their promises of protection for the whites are hardly convincing.

Oregon in Chinese Waters.

NEW YORK, July 9.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Unless international complications should arise, Secretary Long will not order the battle-ship Oregon to proceed to Yaku when her repairs have been completed. Upon the arrival at Kobe, to which point he is taking the vessel for docking, Capt. Wilde, commanding, will order a board of survey to determine what repairs are necessary.

It may be that Naval Constructor Hobson, who is undergoing treatment at Yokohama, will fit well enough, go to Kobe to supervise the repairs. It is understood that the Oregon will be retained in Japanese waters and will be available for service in China should the international situation require her presence. The authorities do not propose, however, again to risk this valuable ship by sending her into the Gulf of Pechili, without need for such action.

Muir Glacier Breaking Up.

TACOMA, July 7.—The steamer Queen, from Alaska, brings further news of the presumed disintegration of the famous Muir Glacier. The sea in its vicinity was found full of floating ice, broken from the face of the glacier, but it was impossible to get near enough to find out just how badly damaged it is. It is thought the gradual working of the ice toward the sea will soon fill the mouth of the former river completely. This will create a new face on what remains of the glacier.

Speaker Henderson is Going West.

CHICAGO, July 6.—A special to the Times-Herald from Dubuque, Iowa, says Speaker D. B. Henderson, wife and daughter left last night in a private car for Yellowstone Park and the Pacific Coast, going via St. Paul.

## HILL DECLINED THE HONOR

Most Remarkable Scene Ever Witnessed on a Convention Floor—Bryan Took Part in Fracas Over a Long Distance Telephone.

KANSAS CITY, July 6.—Bryan was kept busy all last night receiving congratulations on his nomination. They came by telephone, telegraph and special messenger.

After a talk over the wire with Senator Jones at 11 o'clock this morning, Bryan decided not to go to Kansas City.

David B. Hill this morning stated that he did not want the nomination for vice-president, and would not accept it. He predicted that Adlai Stevenson would be nominated.

Grady, of New York, said: "He may decline the nomination, but decline or not, New York's vote to the end of the convention will be for David B. Hill."

The leaders of the movement against Hill said they would adjourn the convention before they will allow his nomination to be made, in order to allow Mr. Bryan's wishes to be known to the delegates.

The convention was called to order at 10:45, and nominations for vice-president were called for at once.

Arkansas yielded to Illinois, who nominated Adlai E. Stevenson.

About this time cries for Hill and it was made known that New York intended to present his name.

At 12 o'clock, Grady, of New York, took the platform to name Hill. Hill quickly followed, the convention meanwhile becoming tempestuous and chaotic with happiness over the prospects of Hill's nomination.

Intermingled with Grady's words in nominating Hill, were frequent bursts of "I won't accept" from David Bennett and "Yes you will" from the convention. Pandemonium reigned.

About this time messages were flying thick and fast between Kansas City and Lincoln and it soon became known that Bryan was protesting against the prospective Hill stampede. He wanted some other man.

Hill appealed to Chairman Jones for help and was finally allowed to make a speech positively declining the honor.

Charles A. Towne, J. Ham Lewis and others were nominated and Mr. Lewis withdrew.

At 2:44, Adlai E. Stevenson was nominated on the first ballot with 558½ votes.

Then came a rush to get in the band wagon, and New York was foremost in the scramble.

At 3:21 the convention adjourned sine die.

Miners Wash Where They Please.

PENDLETON, Or., July 8.—Jack Brown, of this place, writes from Nome City that wages are from \$1 to \$1.50 an hour, and that prospecting is now going on all along the beach. Beach diggings, he says, are open to all, and miners may set their rockers wherever they please. He has, with others, prospected for quartz; but the moss is so thick that no outcroppings of rock are to be found. Miners are building boats and are going along the beach to find new placer diggings. None had been found, according to Mr. Brown's letter.

Funeral of Victims of Tacoma Wreck.

TACOMA, July 6.—The first funeral of the victims of the street car wreck took place today, and others will follow in rapid succession, fully a score taking place in the suburbs of Edison, Spanaway, and Parkland, where most of the victims lived. Steps are being taken to relieve the needs of families of the killed, and over \$2000 has already been subscribed.

A six-year-old child died today, making forty victims of the street car accident. Five women and the men are still unconscious, and will probably die.

Mail from Biggs to Shaniko.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Railway postal service has been established on the line of the Columbia Southern Railway, between Biggs and Shaniko Or., a distance of seventy miles, to be known as the Biggs and Shaniko Railway post-office.

New York Sweltering.

NEW YORK, July 7.—In New York city at noon today the thermometer registered 90 degrees, the highest July record. Today's humidity was 80 at 11 o'clock, and 78 at noon, the same as yesterday.

A shower today cooled the air considerably, but it was only a temporary relief. A dozen heat prostrations were reported.

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## A SMALL RAY OF HOPE

Foreigners in Peking May Yet Be Saved—All Was Well Tuesday—Two Legations Were Then Holding Out.

LONDON, July 5.—The foreign office has issued the text of a telegram from Acting Consul-General Warren, at Shanghai, confirming from thoroughly trustworthy sources the news received by courier from Peking, July 3, by way of Shanghai, to the London office of the inspectorate of Chinese maritime customs, saying that two legations were, the day the courier left, holding out against the troops and Boxers, and that the troops had lost 2000 men, and the Boxers many leaders.

Mr. Warren adds that the messenger says the troops were much disheartened by their losses, and that the Boxers claim their mystic powers have been broken by the foreigners, and that they dare not approach the legations. It is further asserted that the foreigners at Peking ought to be able to hold out for a long time, as they have sufficient food and ammunition.

Jardine, Mathes & Co., of Shanghai, have telegraphed their London house as follows: "Shanghai, July 7.—The British legation was standing July 2. There are reassuring reports regarding the lives of the Europeans."

News from other points was distinctly disquieting. A report from Che Foo, dated July 7, says the Catholic bishop, two priests and two nuns have been murdered.

A report from Monkden, dated July 5, says the Danish mission at Hin Yun was surrounded by Boxers. According to the report, it would be possible to hold out only two days.

The situation at Tien Tsin, July 3, is said to have been most serious. Japanese and Russian forces are reported to have been hurrying there from Taku, but according to some accounts, mutual distrust exists between the allies.

Washington, D. C., July 7.—Although the democrats seem to take a very hopeful view of the outcome of the campaign, in anticipation of the expected fusion of the anti-republican forces, there are no signs of discouragement at republican headquarters today, although it is admitted that the fight is to be a hard one and will require steady, conscientious and unceasing efforts on the part of the republicans.

Republican leaders say they look for a close fight, but bank their reliance on the superiority of expansion as the leading issue of the campaign, which will carry them to victory. The republican literary bureau is very active now in sending out campaign material and documents that will assist in the cause, and many republican papers of the country are being supplied with political matter.

At the headquarters of the democratic congressional committee today all was bright and expectant. It was prophesied on every hand that Bryan and Stevenson would sweep the country in November, but this free expression of confidence among the democrats has not shaken in the slightest degree the confidence of the republicans in McKinley and Roosevelt. They firmly assert that fusion or no fusion, their ticket will unquestionably win.

Washington's Oldest Citizen.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 7.—The census enumeration of Thurston County has brought to light the fact that probably the oldest man in the state is a resident of the county in the person of Samuel French, whose age is 108 years. Mr. French was born in April, 1792. There seems to be but little doubt of the authenticity of this date. For the past forty years he has given 1792 as the year of his birth, and during this period of time has changed but little in appearance.

Oregon to Remain in Dock.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The Navy Department was informed today that the Oregon has arrived at Che Foo. She will start for Kobe, Japan, to dock, July 10 or 12. The cablegram is from

Captain Rodgers, of the Nashville, who made a flying trip from his station at Che Foo out to the scene of the grounding of the Oregon, 35 miles northwest of the port. His dispatch reads as follows:

"Che Foo, July 9.—Oregon starts for Kobe dock, Japan, about 10th or 12th, stopping en route, if weather is bad. All well on board Oregon. "RODGERS"

The dispatch conveys indirectly the information that wire communication with Che Foo is open again.

A rough estimate made at the Navy Department consigns the Oregon to the dry dock about three months. The courtesy exhibited by the Japanese Government in allowing the Oregon to use the dock, which is owned by the government, is much appreciated by the Navy Department officials here.

Catarrah Cannot Be Cured—

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrah Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrah. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. 12

Heat Kills Children.

NEW YORK, July 9.—To the continuation of the hot weather is attributed the high death rate among children. For the first six days of July the deaths reported of children of five years old or under averaged fifty-three in Manhattan and the Bronx, and forty-one in Brooklyn. Saturday's report showed fifty-one deaths of children under five years in Manhattan and the Bronx, and fifty-eight in Brooklyn. Sunday's list includes forty-five such deaths in Manhattan and the Bronx.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton Druggists. 6

Standard Oil Fire.

NEW YORK, July 6.—The fire at the Standard Oil Company's works was practically under control at 6 o'clock tonight, and will probably burn itself out by tomorrow morning. The official estimate of the damage is \$2,400,000. The company insures its own property, a fund being set aside for that purpose.

The Best Remedy for Stomach and Bowel Troubles.

"I have been in the drug business for twenty years and have sold most of all the proprietary medicines of any note. Among the entire list I have never found anything to equal Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for all stomach and bowel troubles," says O. W. Wakefield, of Columbus, Ga. "This remedy cured two severe cases of cholera morbus in my family and I have recommended and sold hundreds of bottles of it to my customers to their entire satisfaction. It affords a quick and sure cure in a pleasant form." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Nine Deaths in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 7.—The extreme humidity caused the largest list of deaths from heat in any one day during the past week. Nine deaths and three prostrations were the record. The record for the week ending tonight is 27 deaths and 98 prostrations.

A Good Cough Medicine.

Many thousands have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. If afflicted with any throat or lung trouble, give it a trial for it is certain to prove beneficial. Coughs that have resisted all other treatment for years, have yielded to this remedy and perfect health been restored. Cases that seemed hopeless, that the climate of famous health resorts failed to benefit, have been permanently cured by its use. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Best Run of Fish Is On.

ASTORIA, July 9.—The run of fish for the past two days has been the best of the season, and at the present time it gives promise of continuing. The fish, in quality and size, are not what have been known in past years as July fish, but resemble in every way the June run of former years. The gillnetters, for the first time, are beginning to make good catches, and the traps in Baker's Bay,

## IMPERIAL TROOPS DEFEND THEM

Sheng, Director of Chinese Imperial Telegraphs, Has So Reported to Minister Wu at Washington, Adding That Foreign Ministers Are All Safe.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The following telegram was received last night by Minister Wu from Heng, Director-General of the Imperial Telegraphs at Shanghai, dated yesterday:

July 3.—Two Legations in Peking still preserved. All Ministers safe. Rebellious troops and rioters make attacks but suffer many losses. Imperial troops are protecting, but meet with much difficulty in doing so. It is feared that food and ammunition are exhausted.

LONDON, July 9.—Admiral Bruce has sent a telegram to the Admiralty Department from Taku, under date of July 7, to the effect that there are grounds for hoping that Prince Ching, with his army is at Peking protecting the Legations against Prince Tuan, his army and the Boxers.

BRUSSELS, July 9.—A dispatch from Shanghai received here says a Chinese newspaper asserts that Prince Ching's troops have arrived at Peking to revictual the Europeans and defend them against the rebels.

YOKOHAMA, July 9.—The government has decided to immediately dispatch 23,000 men and 5000 horses to China. The newspapers, in endorsing this action, point out that should the foreigners at Peking perish, Japan could not be absolved from blame.

BERLIN, July 9.—The German Consul at Che Foo cables under today's date that the American mission at Tung Lu and the Catholic mission at Ching Chu Fu have been looted. He adds that the Boxers continue their endeavors to incite the population of Che Foo to revolt. Li Ping Hong, the former Governor of Shantung, with 8000 men, has gone northward from Nankin, as the Governor of that place requested him to withdraw.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Though fearful of giving false encouragement, the State Department officials are bound to admit today that there is reason for hope now respecting the welfare of the legations at Peking. Minister Wu's cablegram from Sheng, taken in connection with the report of Admiral Bruce from Tien Tsin, has done much to encourage this hopeful feeling.

Mr. Wu brought his cablegram to the State Department this morning, and pointed out to Secretary Hay what he regarded as some significant and gratifying features of his dispatch. Such, for instance, was Sheng's description of the Chinese who are attacking the Legations as "rebellious troops and rioters," and the positive statement that the Chinese Government is opposing them.

Decided on Fusion.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 9.—Plans for the democratic national campaign of 1900 were outlined and practically agreed upon today at a protected conference between the leaders of the party. The plan includes the appointment of a campaign committee, as agreed upon between the representatives of the Democratic Silver Republican, and Populist parties at Kansas City. This committee will include members of all three parties, and perhaps also democrats not members of the national committee, but who are prominent in the councils of the party. This committee will, it is said, have charge in a measure of the practical working of the campaign, and will work for fusion on state and congressional tickets where ever possible. The press and executive committee, it is expected, will, with one or two exceptions, be the same as last year. The personnel of all the committees was left in the hands of Chairman Jones. The question of national headquarters was also left in his hands. It was stated that Chicago would probably be selected.

Was the result of his spleen's health.

Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at Blakeley & Houghton's drugstore. 6

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and in the lower river, have done better up to the present date than ever before. The seines, both up and down the river, have been making big hauls for several days. Miller's sands got nine tons on Saturday, and the other grounds did fully as well, in proportion to their size.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneuonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. 6

Californians Wallowed by Spokane.

Spokane, Wash., July 8.—Spokane Athletic Club, before 3000 people, made 17 hits off the California star, Kelly, Hawley was invincible. The score: All California, 3; Spokane Athletic Club, 17.

After many intricate experiments, scientists have discovered methods for obtaining all the natural digestants. These have been combined in the proportion found in the human body and united with substances that build up the digestive organs, making a compound called Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and allows all dyspeptics to eat plenty of nourishing food while the stomach troubles are being radically cured by the medicinal agents it contains. It is pleasant to take and will give quick relief.

Victims of Hoboken Fire.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Three bodies were recovered today from the wreck of the steamer Saale. This makes 149 corpses thus far recovered of victims of the fire which destroyed the North German Lloyd pier at Hoboken and burned the steamers Saale, Bremen, and Main on June 30.

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