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EN ROUTE TO PEKING

Small Forces Landed From the Foreign Warships.

THEY ARE SAFELY PAST TIEN-TSIN

Will Probably Be Opposed at the Gate of the Capital—Powers Are Talking of Intervention.

TIEN-TSIN, May 31.—A special train started for Peking this afternoon with the following forces:

Americans, seven officers and 66 men; British, three officers and 72 men; Italians, three officers and 39 men; French, three officers and 72 men; Russians, four officers and 71 men; Japanese, two officers and 31 men.

The foreign contingent also took with them five quick-firing guns. It is believed that the foreign troops will be opposed at the first gate of the capital outside the wall.

REPORT FROM KEMPF.

One Hundred Men From the Newark Sent to Tien-Tsin.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The following cablegram has been received at the Navy Department from the senior squadron commander, Admiral Kempf:

"Tung Ku, May 30.—One hundred men landed and sent to Tien-Tsin yesterday. Fifty of these go to Peking today. Other nations landed men."

The very smallness of the force which the Admiral is sending at Minister Kong's request would, it is felt, facilitate its admission to the Chinese capital, for it could not be regarded by the Chinese Government as a menace to Chinese integrity. The admiral's dispatch indicates that he has not been able to take the flagship Newark up the Pei Ho river beyond the Taku forts, just above the entrance.

The Chinese Minister, Wu Ting-fang, called at the State Department at an early hour today to talk with Secretary Hay. He had no information from his own government as to the critical situation in China, and was anxious for news. Resident representatives of nearly all nations represented in the Chinese situation were among Secretary Hay's callers today. As in the case of the Chinese Minister, none of them had received any information from his own government upon the situation.

Tsung-Li-Yamen Gives In.

PEKING, May 31.—At 2:30 A. M. today the foreign envoys received the reply of the Tsung-Li-Yamen to their ultimatum of yesterday calling upon the Chinese authorities to consent to the landing of a force of marines to come to Peking to guard the legations. The ultimatum fixed 8 A. M. today as the hour at or before which the reply must be forthcoming. The Tsung-Li-Yamen agreed to withdraw opposition to the coming of the guards.

Government Supports the Boxers.

LONDON, June 1.—The Peking correspondent of the Times, telegraphing Wednesday, says:

"The damage to the railroad is estimated at £30,000. The government supports rather than condemns the Boxers. Not one has been arrested yet. No foreigners have been seriously injured, though murders of native Christians are reported daily from the country."

Russians Were Alarmed.

TIEN-TSIN, May 31.—Russian troops bound for this city have passed the Taku forts and are expected here this afternoon. As the Russians were hearing the forts in the hands of the Chinese, they and the Russians retreated. It now appears that the Chinese were only firing a gun salute in honor of the Mandarin who was on board a Chinese warship.

The Powers May Intervene.

LONDON, June 1.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail says:

"The German Government takes a serious view of the situation in China. The powers are resolved on armed intervention."

AMERICANS IN DANGER.

Many Missionaries in the Disturbed District of China.

NEW YORK, May 31.—In American missionary circles it is said that the interests chiefly concerned in the disturbed districts of China are American. It is pointed out that several important American mission stations, with women, are in the hands of the Boxers. The Boxers are reported to be out there.

Among those in Peking are Miss Alice Terwill, of New York, professor in the University; Rev. Francis Gamewell, formerly of Buffalo, N. Y.; Rev. Edward K. Lowry and wife; Rev. George Lowry and wife, both families of Denver, Colo.; Rev. Hiram H. Lowry and wife; Dr. W. H. Curtis and wife; Rev. Fred Hayner and wife; Rev. William T. Hobart and wife; Rev. James H. Pyke and wife; Rev. Marcus M. T. and wife; Rev. L. L. Brown, M. D.; Miss Rachel R. Bump; M. D.; Miss Croucher, Miss Gilman, Miss Glose, M. D.; Mrs. Jewell, Miss Shockley, Miss M. Ida Stevenson, M. D.; Mrs. Anna A. Steere, Miss Taylor, Miss A. P. Lewis, Dr. Carlisle Van Rensselaer Hodge and Mrs. Hodge. Nearly 14,000 victims were given by natives to the dispensaries of this mission in one year. The mission also maintains a church at Man Chong, 11 miles from Pao-Ting-Fu.

INFLUENTIAL REBEL CAUGHT

Agulnado's Friend, Corino, Taken by American Troops.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The following dispatch was received at the War Department today from General MacArthur, at Manila:

"Small surrenders continue to the departments in Northern Luzon. Corino, the fugitive Governor of Benguet, a rich and active friend of Agulnado, was captured yesterday near Cabayan; important."

"While scouting near San Miguel (Luzon), May 29, Captain Charles D. Roberts, Privates McIntyre and Akens were captured; Sergeant Galles, Privates McCourt and Green killed; George Kluser wounded; seven and captured Captain Roberts, of the Thirty-fifth Regiment."

Grant and Funston Take the Field. MANILA, May 31.—A number of rifles have been surrendered at Ouyas, and more are expected.

General Grant and Funston have been dispatched in pursuit of the insurgents who rushed the town of San Miguel de Mayumo, near here, Tuesday; killed five Americans, wounded seven and captured Captain Roberts, of the Thirty-fifth Infantry, and two enlisted men.

STILL IN QUARANTINE.

General Otis May Not Land Until Sunday or Monday.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The transport Meade, which arrived last night from Manila with Major-General E. S. Otis, is still in quarantine, and owing to the presence of three cases of smallpox on board, will likely remain there for over a week. Dr. Kenyon, Federal quarantine officer at the port, reports that Major-General Otis today that General Otis and the other cabin passengers would probably be allowed to land next Sunday or Monday.

The remaining passengers will be held longer. There will be no change in the plans regarding the landing of General Otis, unless orders are received from Washington. The transport Leelanaw arrived today from Manila, via Nagasaki. She went into quarantine and will be held until inspected. The vessel brings a few discharged men.

General Otis' Plans.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The War Department has received the following from General Shafter, dated San Francisco, May 30:

"General Otis arrived this evening in good health. On account of several cases of smallpox on board he will not be able to leave the transport until Sunday. He will take the first train east after landing."

Otis probably will come direct to Washington, and will go thence to Rochester to be present at a demonstration which is being arranged in his honor by citizens of that place, June 12. The General will be given extended leave of absence by the War Department, and when he has completed his tour of duty in the Philippines he will be assigned to command of the Department of the Lakes, with headquarters at Chicago."

COMMISSIONERS' PLANS.

Another Effort to Establish Civil Government on the Islands.

NEW YORK, May 31.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

"Another effort in the direction of the establishment of civil government in the Philippines will be inaugurated tomorrow, when the Board of Philippine Commissioners arrives in Manila. As soon after its arrival as possible, the commission will issue a proclamation embodying instructions for the establishment of a civil government. It is expected the municipal and provincial governments will be in operation. The commission will then separate. Judge Williams will remain in Manila, and the members being distributed among the four departments and acting independently in the capacity of Governors."

The authorities have established a system of espionage in China, designed to apprise General MacArthur and Rear-Admiral Remey of filibustering expeditions."

EXPLOSION AT AN OIL WELL

Four Farmers Killed and Seven Injured.

MARIETTA, O., May 31.—An explosion of nitro-glycerine on the Kelly farm, a few miles east of this city, resulted in four deaths and seven injuries. Fifty quarts of nitro-glycerine had been lowered in a 370-foot well. The "go devil" was dropped as usual, but failed to set the shot off. A "squib" was made with glycerine in a hole connected by a fuse. This was dropped, and in striking the can at the bottom the can shot up and exploded and sent great quantities of water, oil and the unexploded squib into the air. The unexploded squib struck the men, killing four and seriously injuring seven. The explosion occurred at 10:30 A. M. The cause of the explosion is unknown. An inquest was immediately begun.

Dynamic in a Farmhouse.

CHILTON, Wis., May 31.—Six persons were killed by an explosion of dynamite today in the home of William Broehm, one mile north of Forest Junction. The dead were William Broehm, Mrs. William Broehm, their three children, and Mr. Stebbins, a brother-in-law. The house was completely demolished. Mr. Broehm was a wealthy farmer and well known in the country. The cause of the explosion is unknown. An inquest was immediately begun.

Killed by Lightning.

ST. CLAIR, Mich., May 31.—Captain Arlie Morrison, Frank Campbell and William Medlar were killed by lightning today. The three men were at work in the cabin of a new boat. The lightning struck the mast splintering it and passing down into the cabin.

Department Store Fire.

BOSTON, May 31.—Fire in the five-story department store of the Pitts-Kimball Company, adjoining the Park Theater, on Washington street, did more than \$200,000 damage tonight.

ENTERED THE CITY

Roberts and His Army Occupy Johannesburg.

KRUGER'S FLIGHT FROM PRETORIA

Boer Forces Said to Be Headed for the Lydenburg Mountains—No News Out of Pretoria.

LONDON, June 1, 3:35 A. M.—The following dispatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the War Office:

"Johannesburg, May 31, 2 P. M.—Her Majesty's forces are now in possession of Johannesburg, and the British flag floats over the government buildings."

Related messages from Pretoria confirm the reports of the departure of President Kruger with his Cabinet and staff officials Tuesday night, and the selection, at a meeting of citizens, of a committee to ad-

minister the city provisionally. Since these telegrams left Wednesday nothing apparently has reached Lord Roberts by telegraph from Pretoria. Possibly the wires have been cut, or the Boer censor at some intermediate point may intercept telegrams.

Although the War Office has not received a word about it, no one harbors the idea that the Boer army is not already in the hands of the British or about to be. The possession of Johannesburg, at all events, as Lord Roberts has telegraphed, is a fact. State's Attorney Smith did not depart with President Kruger, but remained in Pretoria. The present seat of the Boer Government, according to a dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated yesterday, is near Hamilton Monday and Tuesday, but it will probably be shifted further east.

The Boers lately confronting Lord Roberts appear to have gone toward the Lydenburg region. The defenders of Leing's Nek, which is not already in the hands of the British, will probably trek straight northward toward Lydenburg. When this concentration takes place there will be possibly 20,000 men, who may hold out for a time, but the Boer forces are everywhere. The press dispatches from the headquarters of Lord Roberts give no estimate as to the number of Boers who were fighting General French and General Buller on Hamilton Monday and Tuesday, but they all agree that the Boers retired, and that the British casualties were slight.

The Daily Mail says it has received cable dispatches this afternoon from Pretoria, which confirm the reports of Lord Roberts' dispatch of yesterday announcing the imminent fall of the capital of the Transvaal.

The War Office here knows nothing about the reported capture of President Kruger.

Bennett Burleigh, writing to the Daily Telegraph from Elandsfontein, Tuesday, says:

"Much rolling stock and seven engines have been captured by Lord Roberts' column. The principal losses in the fighting have been sustained by the mounted infantry. The Boers were retreating to Pretoria."

"Prevost Battersby, in a dispatch to the Morning Post, from Germiston, dated May 30, says:

"The enemy fought a rear-guard action, retiring from the south to the north of Elandsfontein, where they were met by artillery in the morning, and withdrawing their riflemen through the town in the afternoon. We captured nine engines and over 100 wagons. Two trains are leaving tonight for the Vaal. We succeeded in cutting the line in three directions, and implementing all the rolling stock in Johannesburg. It was a splendid piece of work. The enemy were annihilated at the rate of our advance."

Another correspondent, telegraphing from Germiston the same day, says:

"I learn that the Boers are massing six miles from Germiston, with a front of 13 miles. Other rumors in the camp of Lord Roberts are that President Kruger is ill at Lydenburg, and that the ammunition of the Boers is running short."

Boers Plotted With Basutos.

LONDON, June 1.—The Times has the following from Maseru, Basutoland, dated May 30:

"Correspondence has been found in the home of Commissioner Crowther showing that the Boers invited the Basutos to rise and drive the British into the sea."

Rundell's Fight at Senekal.

CAPE TOWN, May 31.—General Rundell has defeated a Boer commando at Senekal. His casualties were 46 killed and many wounded.

CAPTAIN M'GOWAN GUILTY.

Findings of the Court-Martial, Which Recommends Clemency.

TAYLOR INDICTED.

Accused of Being an Accessory to the Murder of Goebel.

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 31.—The issuance of a bench warrant today for the arrest of W. S. Taylor, ex-Governor of Kentucky, was the first official notice that an indictment had been returned naming Taylor as an accessory to the murder of William Goebel. The indictment was filed and entered on the record April 19. It accuses William S. Taylor of being accessory before the fact to the willful murder of William Goebel, committed as follows:

"The said William S. Taylor, in the County of Franklin, on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1900, unlawfully, willfully and feloniously, with malice aforethought and with intent to bring about the death and procure the murder of William S. Goebel, did conspire with Caleb Powers, F. W. Golden, John L. Powers, John Davis, Henry Youtsey, Charles Finley, W. H. Culton, John Howard, Berry Howard, Harlan Whittaker, Richard Combs and others to bring about the death of said Goebel, and did counsel, advise, encourage, aid and abet the same."

The bench warrant commands the Sheriff or other arresting officer to arrest William S. Taylor and deliver him to the jailer of Franklin County. On the back of the indictment, which was returned by the grand jury, are the names of the grand jurors who acted as witnesses for the commonwealth.

The bench warrant was placed in the hands of Deputy Sheriff John Butler, who is acting in the absence of the Sheriff. When asked what he would do with the warrant, he said: "What can I do with it? I would serve it if I could, and would if Governor Mount and the Indiana Governor would help, but from all reports I guess he will not do it."

What Will Mount Do?

INDIANAPOLIS, May 31.—Governor Mount was asked tonight if he would honor a requisition for Taylor. He said: "I have no preconceived opinion. If regulation papers are presented for Mr. Taylor, I shall decide as to granting them when they are presented, and my decision will be based upon my conscientious sense of right and justice."

BOERS IN BOSTON.

Envoys Find Plenty of Sympathizers in the Hub.

BOSTON, May 31.—Amid a storm of applause, a long set of resolutions expressing sympathy with the South African Republics and calling upon the United States Government to represent to Great Britain that this country is opposed to the action of England in the war in South Africa was unanimously adopted at the close of the reception to the Boer envoys, Messrs. Fischer, Wolmarans and Wessels, in Faneuil Hall tonight. The hall was crowded and when the Boer envoys entered the hall they were greeted with enthusiasm. The casual remark of the Boer envoys, that the Boers were in the Transvaal to transport him from place to place. Mr. Wessels expressed much the same opinion as Mr. Fischer, but he said that he looked upon the late news from South Africa with some suspicion.

PHILIPPINE ENLISTMENTS.

If it should turn out, as predicted by a great many Democrats, and by anti-imperialists everywhere, that no more enlistments can be secured for service in the Philippines, it will probably necessitate a larger standing army. Of course, men could refuse to enter the volunteer service, especially as the express under the present law is for the service purpose of paying down the Philippine insurrection. That might interfere with raising new regiments for the Philippine service. But no question of the kind could arise regarding the enlistments in the regular Army, as the Philippine service is a regular service and cannot make terms with the United States Government as to where they are to serve. It would seldom be a question whether the regular army could be filled out to their fighting quota or not. It is generally easy to find men to serve in the regular Army, and, although at times the quota was not filled when the Army consisted of 25,000 men, yet there was no difficulty experienced in increasing it to the \$3,000 limit, when the increase was in the regular Army.

Eight-Year-Old Hero.

Dragged His Brother and Sister From a Burning House.

MEDIA, Pa., May 31.—Two children were dragged from a burning house on the truck farm of T. Steerickeloe last night by their 8-year-old brother. His mother, carrying the baby and a lamp, fell on the sidewalk, the lamp setting fire to the house. The boy, realizing that the house was doomed, dragged out a brother and sister, who were in the house, and then returned for his mother, whose arms clasped the baby, but her weight was too great for his little arms, and as the flames were closing on him, he died heartbroken to a place of safety.

Railroad Transfer Postponed.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 31.—The meeting of the stockholders of the St. Paul & Duluth Railway, called today to complete the transfer of the road to the Northern Pacific, adjourned until June 14, although a majority of the stockholders were present. No reason for the adjournment was given, and none of those present will talk. President R. Somers Hayes was not at the meeting.

Killed His Niece.

CLEVELAND, May 31.—Carl Raub, formerly connected with a local German newspaper, early today shot and killed his niece, Miss Bertha Yucker, assistant kindergarten school teacher, and then killed himself. Raub was 50 years of age and his niece 21. The motive for the deed has not developed. Raub was dependent over business affairs.

STATE WELL SERVED

Good Records of Oregon's Two Congressmen.

IMPORTANT LEGISLATION SECURED

Senator Simon Trying to Have a Transport Load Philippine Supplies at Portland.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Reports from Oregon show that the usual campaign methods of the opposition against the members of the House are being indulged in, and that the members have been accused of not passing any legislation. This is absolutely untrue, as both members have been instrumental in securing a number of important items in the appropriation and other general bills. The methods in the House are such that all kinds of expedients are resorted to to secure legislation, and the record does not always show that any law is the result of a bill passed by the individual effort of one man. Oregon is as well served as any other state by its members.

Portland Supplies for Manila. Senator Simon today saw the War Department officials regarding the shipment of goods purchased in Portland for the Philippines, and urged that they be sent upon vessels leaving Portland for Manila. The department informed him that all shipments of goods for the Philippine Government transport, and not upon any of the freighters running between this country and the Philippines. The Senator then urged that transport be sent to Portland to take the goods, and that there. The department said they would give the matter attention, and if possible would order a transport to Portland.

Rural Delivery in Multnomah. At the request of Representative Moody, the First Assistant Postmaster-General instructed the special agent of the daily rural delivery now in Oregon to examine a route in Multnomah County, which is now supplied by the following offices: Russellville, Rockwood, Gresham, Powell's Valley, Hurburt and Terry. Also a route in Umatilla County, covering the territory supplied by Freewater and Milton, with the view of establishing the free rural delivery service in both sections.

Tongue and the Shipping Bill. Representative Tongue, who has been criticized for his position on the ship subsidy bill, with a great deal of justice, that no member of the House, save the members of the committee on merchant marine, have had an opportunity either to favor or oppose the shipping bill. It has never been called up in the House, nor has any effort been made to get it up.

New York's Candidates.

The Democrats are making an effort to judge Parker, a man of high character in New York to run on the Bryan ticket. They do not think that Parker will add much strength to the ticket, nor do they have any hope that he will carry New York for Bryan. As a matter of fact, everybody understands that the Vice-President does not add much strength to the ticket. The Democrats know that the nomination of Sulzer would mean defeat for Bryan or any other Democrat who was nominated. Sulzer himself would be a deadweight that he could not possibly carry a ticket through anywhere. It is well understood that the nomination of Sulzer was announced for the purpose of heading off Sulzer and giving the outside country to understand that New York was not for Sulzer, and was not encouraging his Vice-Presidential candidacy. It would not be strange, however, to see Croker take the New York delegation and give it to Sulzer. When it is recalled that Croker made the nomination of Sulzer for Sulzer for Speaker of the House, which would have made him the leader of the minority, it would not be strange if he would carry the joke further and endeavor to make Sulzer the running mate of Bryan. Croker pretends to be a very warm friend of Bryan, but, of course, he does not want him elected, and he may hold Sulzer on his back in order to aid in his defeat. Meanwhile members of the House, who know what Sulzer is, are booming McClellan and Parker as the New York candidates for Vice-President.

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