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PROBABLY AT PEKIN

Allies Are Reported to Have Reached the Capital.

THE NEWS LACKS CONFIRMATION

Shanghai Sends the Report, Which Is That the Column Arrived at the City Monday.

LONDON, Aug. 15, 8:59 A. M.—The allies are reported to have reached Peking Monday, says the Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Express, wiring yesterday.

Near Ping was occupied without firing a shot, according to the Daily Express from Peking, which states that the allies are reported to have reached Peking Monday.

The powers must not press too hard on Peking. If you defeat the Chinese soldiers it will not be possible to control the soldiers. They may turn and rend the Legations.

SITUATION IS BRIGHTER

British Government Expresses the Expectation That It Will Be Relieved Soon.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—William St. John Broderick, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, speaking this evening at a Primrose League tea, said the government was not without hope that the situation in Peking would shortly be relieved.

SAFE CONDUCT OF MINISTERS

High Official Will Meet Commanders at Tung Chow to Arrange Terms.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—The statement was made tonight on reliable authority that the Peking Government would designate some high official to meet the commanders of the allied armies at Tung Chow and agree with them on general measures for the safe conduct of the members of the foreign legations in the capital.

Seven Carloads of Ammunition

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—A special to the Tribune from Norfolk, Va., says what is regarded as one of the most important orders received at the Norfolk navy yard since the close of the Spanish War was one directing the sending, at once, to Ogden, Utah, of seven carloads of shells, powder and projectiles.

Started for China

FORT SNELLING, Minn., Aug. 15.—The depot battalion of the Eighth Infantry, United States Army, started for China via San Francisco today, under command of Major W. L. Fisher. There were 600 men in line.

SULTAN GROWS BOLD

Takes Advantage of Chinese War to Massacre Christians.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—A special to the Journal and Advertiser from London says: The Sultan is taking advantage of the fact that the attention of the great powers is occupied by the troubles in China to allow his Mohammedan leges to indulge in one of their periodical onslaughts on Christians in the early part of the year.

The Boers Have Had Enough

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 15.—Commandant Prinsloo, who surrendered to General Hunter July 30, has arrived here. He says he is heartily tired of the war, and welcomes the prospect of peace.

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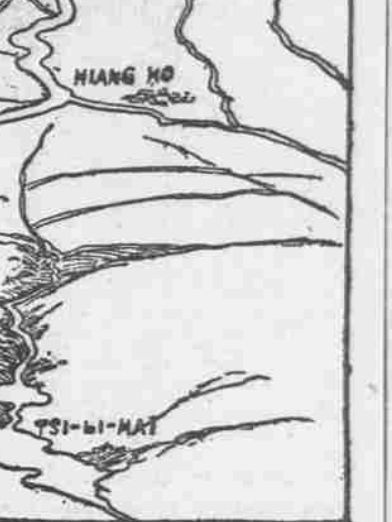
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CAPTURED LETTERS

Funston Found Treasonable Documents.

A BROOKLYN DOCTOR'S ADVICE

Urged Filipinos to Catch Some United States Official and Try Him for Piracy.

Teachers for Philippines

Berkeley, Cal., Aug. 15.—The University of California announces the honor of having its graduates among the first school teachers appointed to perform the task of Americanizing the Philippines.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

Grand Lodge in Session in Salt Lake City.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—Maurice Brennan, who is under arrest charged with being a dynamiter, was identified today as one of the men who were in the blowing up of the street-cars in the southern section of the city several weeks ago.

CHINA

An unconfirmed report from Shanghai says the allies reached Peking Monday.

CHINA

The State Department is receiving messages direct from Minister Cooer.

CHINA

The Anti-Imperialist Convention opened in Indianapolis.

CHINA

Bourke Cockran gives his reasons for supporting Bryan.

CHINA

Bryan spoke to the United Irish Societies in Chicago.

CHINA

The Tribune states sent through the Washington Republican Convention.

CHINA

The War Department publishes Filipino correspondence captured by Funston.

CHINA

The body of Huntington has been taken to New York, where the funeral will occur Friday.

CHINA

Seven persons were killed in a train wreck near Grand Rapids.

CHINA

Three women were burned to death in Chicago this morning.

CHINA

Oregon Supreme Court decides that District Attorney's fee must be deposited with Clerk when divorce suits are filed.

CHINA

Fort Sherman, Idaho, is unsuitable for an Indian school.

CHINA

Preparations to extend the railroad down the Yukon from White Horse to Selkirk are in progress.

CHINA

Secretary Gage, of the Treasury Department, says that as long as the United States maintains the gold standard and keeps the public credit good it can retain for its own use all the gold it needs.

CHINA

Eastern mills are buying only so much wood as will supply present needs.

CHINA

Foreign and domestic wheat markets have a downward tendency, and the local situation continues dull.

CHINA

The city tax on dogs has been doubled by the Council.

CHINA

Three ordinances were passed to protect the street fair from the summer circus.

CHINA

The Maximas held their carnival within 300 feet of Jefferson's summit.

CHINA

Senator Mason, of Illinois, promises hearty support to McKinley and Roosevelt.

CHINA

Larry Sullivan was arrested for extortion on complaint of British Consul Laidlaw.

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