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TELEGRAPHIC.

(SPECIAL TO THE REGISTER.)
Dates to August 1.

ANTWERP, Aug. 12—10 A. M.—Advices from the seat of war state that a great battle was momentarily expected.

BERLIN, Aug. 12—Midnight.—The French wounded are being forwarded to Shannon to-day. 2,265 French officers and soldiers, taken in Saturday's battle, have arrived here.

The garrison of Strassburg consists of only one regiment of foot and a small force of the National Guard. The supplies are in proportion to the garrison.

It is thought its capture will be easy. The London Telegraph is authorized to contradict the former report that the Prince Imperial was in London.

McMahon marched out of Sauterrie, Sunday night, on one side of the town, while the Prussians were entering it on the other.

Prussian accounts say nothing could equal the destruction of life at the battle of Worth.

It is believed that Napoleon was on the field with McMahon. The French headquarters are wholly ignorant of the details of the battle, but are impressed with the belief that it was decisive and important in its results.

There is reported to have said the Empire was ended and a Republic inevitable.

A letter from Nancy denounces the Emperor's bad generalship. McMahon, while gallantly struggling, was beaten for lack of support, although multitudes were eager to have him pass the Rhine.

The Prussians to day are at Alsace; to-morrow will be in possession of Lorraine. The people are desperate, believe themselves betrayed, and are clamoring for leaders.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The Bank of France suspended specie payment to-day.

PARIS, Aug. 12.—The Prussians do not occupy Nancy.

Fears of a famine are dissipated; large wheat crops are expected.

BRUNN, Aug. 12.—The Bavarian army is encamped near Saarlouis. The Queen of Prussia announces that she will take personal charge of the wounded of both nations; their treatment shall be identical. The greatest kindness is shown to the French prisoners.

Gen. Phil. Sheridan has gone to the front.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Napoleon's presence on the battlefield of Worth is confirmed.

Seraps of news about the recent battles are allowed to be published in Paris.

The Prussians are penetrating France in three grand divisions, by way of Forbach, Wissembourg and Mulhausen.

The French commissariat is said to be inadequate; the army furious for organization; no food distributed for four days, the soldiers living on potatoes taken from neighboring fields.

The Corps Legislatif surrounded by troops. The indignation against the Emperor and the old administration increases daily.

Gen. McMahon admits a loss of 15,000 men out of 18,000 engaged. Prussian's loss unknown.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Correspondence from Chalons says the disorder in the French army is very great. A scarcity of arms exists.

PARIS, Aug. 12.—The city is quiet, but the people are very indignant at the lack of news from the front.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 13.—It is reported on good authority that Eugenie has made preparations to go to England via Belgium in case of necessity.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Sharp fighting in front of Metz yesterday. Reinforcements for the French, of both men and stores, constantly and rapidly arriving.

The Prussian advance appears to have received a decided check at this point, and a great battle cannot long be delayed.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Paris has been transformed into a camp of war. The armament of fortifications has been completed; five thousand additional artillery arrived on the 12th.

PARIS, Aug. 13 (Midnight).—It is rumored that a great battle is now going on at Metz—all news suppressed, and it may be impossible to get particulars before to-morrow.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The Herald says that the French Embassy has received a cable report from Paris that there was fighting to-day before Metz. An attack was made by the French. No reports of the fight received in this city from correspondents.

PLALSBOURG [Phalsbourg on the map], the key of Vosges, twenty-five miles from Strassburg, was surrendered to the Prussians.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The evacuation of Metz considered certain.

French detachments on the railroad near Ponta Mouson were attacked by the Prussians; the French retreated, leaving their baggage trains.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Nancy has been occupied by the Prussians, and communication between there and Paris interrupted. A portion of the railroad

between Frouard and Paris has been destroyed by the Prussian cavalry.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Napoleon's retreat from Metz confirmed.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—After the French army had retired from Nancy, the Prussians occupied the city, and the Mayor was ordered to pay 50,000 francs. The railroad and telegraph lines, and the fine bridge of seven arches, were destroyed by the French.

Prince Frederick Charles' headquarters are at Hevey, within twenty miles of Metz.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Specials from Carlruhe say that Strassburg was bombarded with hot shell on Friday and Saturday, and the city given 48 hours to surrender.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Strassburg can only be captured by famine, and it has provisions for many months.

BRUNN, Aug. 14.—King William's headquarters yesterday were half way between Metz and Saarbracken.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The Emperor has left Metz for Chalons. A great battle expected between Chalons and Nancy. Metz is still in the possession of the French, but their position has been turned. The rivers Elbe, Erce, Judher and Moselle are blockaded by the French fleet.

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Eugenie has issued another proclamation of an assuring character. The Corps Legislatif spectators were ordered to disperse, and the sitting goes on with closed doors.

375,000 additional men go into service immediately.

Admiral Farragut died on Sunday.

PARIS, Aug. 15.—Thirty thousand of McMahon's troops, which were supposed cut off, have arrived safely at Strassburg.

Twenty French citizens were shot at Werth by the Prussians, in retaliation for alleged cruelties to Prussian wounded.

The Emperor on leaving Metz, issued a complimentary address, charging the citizens never to give up that bulwark of France.

A despatch from Napoleon says our army commenced crossing to the left bank of the Moselle this morning. Our advance guard had no knowledge of the presence of the enemy. When half our army had crossed, the enemy attacked in great force, but were repulsed after four hours' fighting, with great loss to them.

BRUNN, Aug. 15.—The Queen received a despatch from the front saying: "Victorious combat occurred near Metz. I hasten to the scene of conflict," and signed, William.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The French Government has ordered all private telegraphing suspended throughout France.

Formidable revolutionary movements have recently occurred in Italy and Spain. Proclamations of republics is hourly expected.

The Emperor and the Prince Imperial have left Metz for Verdun.

PARIS, Aug. 15.—A plot in which about one hundred persons, armed with poniards and revolvers, were interested, has been discovered, and many arrests have been made. It causes the most intense excitement.

The Prussians have appeared before Toule.

No details of the battle before Metz on yesterday have been received. The people are clamorous for news. Favorable indications of French victory create immense enthusiasm.

The French journals have given up all hope of armed assistance from Italy.

The Herald's cable gives accounts of disturbances of a serious character at Lyons and Marseilles, in which three persons were killed.

The Germans hold Ponta Mouson. The cable says that while the French were retreating to the west of the Moselle, they were attacked by the Prussians under Gen. —. The French were thrown into confusion, but soon formed and made a gall