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EVENTS OF THE DAY
Epitome of the Telegraphic News of the World.

TERSE TICKS FROM THE WIRES
An Interesting Collection of Items From the Two Hemispheres From 10:30 to 11:30 a. m. in a Curious 2000.

John Clark Ridpath, the historian, is dead at New York.
Lightning killed stock and did other damage near Centralia, Wash.
A leak in drydock No. 2, Brooklyn navy-yard, has caused a great amount of damage.
The Tsung Hsi Yamun refuses to deliver messages in cipher to the ministers at Peking.
Italian troops took the oath of allegiance to their new king at Rome among much enthusiasm.
A dispatch received at Rome says the Chinese government is holding 500 Europeans as hostages.
It is officially announced that no citizen loses rights through the recent marking of the temporary Alaska boundary line.
Chinese troops bombarded Blagovestchenok, the capital of Amur, July 26 and 28. The Russians have burned several villages.

The Anti-Imperialistic League has written Senator Hear a letter condemning him for his decision to support President McKinley for re-election.
The treasury department is sending out the new 2 per cent bonds issued to take the place of the old issue. Of the latter, \$320,650,000 have been surrendered.

An undated message received at Tien Tsin from Minister Conger confirms the previous report of his safety. The minister has provisions for several weeks, but is short of ammunition.

All late reports from Peking agree that the attack on the legations has ceased. The Japanese minister writes under date of July 19 that the Chinese authorities are apparently disposed to negotiate.

In moving an address to the queen with reference to the assassination of King Humbert, Lord Salisbury declared in the British house of lords that society is threatened by the depth of human villainy that is beneath its surface.

The fact that the ministers at Peking are held as hostages perplexes the allies. It is feared that if the international forces advance the Chinese will, if defeated, retreat to Peking and put all the remaining foreigners to death.

The United States government favors an immediate advance upon Peking, but its representations are answered from Europe that the campaign cannot be begun before the last week in August. General Chaffee has full power, and the government has confidence in his ability to meet any situation that may arise.

The weakness of the monsoon causes anxiety in famine-stricken India.
Many Boers are surrendering and the Free state army will soon be a thing of the past.
Twelve persons were drowned and 3,000 made homeless by inundations caused by rains in Chile.

Bressi, the assassin of King Humbert, worked in a silk mill at Paterson, N. J., until May of this year.
United States Senator Wellington, Republican, of Maryland, announces that he will oppose the re-election of President McKinley.

Italy deeply mourns the assassination of King Humbert, but the situation is quiet, and no disturbance will attend the accession of the new king.
Every fisherman on Fraser river, with the exception of 700 men of the white fishermen's union at Stevenson, started to work and the strike is practically broken.

Russian soldiers in Manchuria have been attacked by Chinese troops and driven southward from Mukden. Boers have appeared in several towns, and are inciting the inhabitants to revolt.
After a conference with Chairman Hanna, yesterday, Governor Roosevelt said he would be a private citizen during August, and that he had made no definite arrangements for the later months of the campaign.

Caleb Powers, on trial for the murder of Governor Goebel, of Kentucky, testified that the object in bringing mountain men to the state capital was to show their interest in affairs, and not to intimidate the legislature or the election board.
The commissioner of internal revenue at Washington has issued a circular prohibiting the use of manufacturers of cigars, cigarettes or tobacco, when put in statutory packages, of labels containing "any promise of, offer of or any order or certificate for any gift, prize, premium, payment or reward."

Pol Plancou, the opera singer, sings a whole opera in admirable German without understanding a word of that language.
New York Chinese have issued a proclamation saying none of them are from the tribes involved in boxer disturbances.
A ranch of 350 acres, with 200,000 chickens and an output of 30,000,000 eggs a year will be established at Manasquan, N. J.

LATER NEWS.

Fire at Ashland, Wis., did \$1,000,000 damage.
The United States again presents its claim to the port.
A passenger was shot dead by train robbers in Colorado.
Germany is preparing to send another large body of troops to China.
Four men were killed and one mortally injured in a Missouri feud.
War department forwarding war supplies for six months to China.
Chinese attack Tien Tsin after allies moved forward, but were repulsed.
Boers and imperial troops fought together against Admiral Seymour.
General Chaffee has started for Peking with the British and Japanese forces.
A fire at La Grande, Or., consumed property to the value of about \$25,000.
Chinese government orders that the ministers have proper escort to Tien Tsin.
Egeling against Boise, Idaho, water company may lead to municipal ownership.
Senator Teller says congress should be called to deal with the Chinese situation.
General Dewet is said to be so humiliated that he escape from the British is impossible.
The United States civil commission will take charge in the Philippines, September 1.
Naval officers are favorable to the construction of a drydock on the Columbia river.
Trove will announce in a few days whether he will stand as a candidate for the vice-presidency.
In the Philippines, a small American command, under Lieutenant Altschetter, was captured.
A bridge near Edenville, Or., collapsed, carrying down five persons, one of whom was killed outright.
A party backed by E. H. Harriman after a stubborn fight, and that the copper on White river, Yakon territory. Sheng says an imperial decree has been issued that there shall be free communication with the foreign ministers in Peking.
In a decision at Albany, Or., Judge Boise held to the doctrine that it is the buyer's loss if he accept grain from warehouseman that belongs to others.
The Russian war office has received a dispatch from General Grodekoff, dated Khabarovsk, announcing that the Agin had been taken by the Russians after a stubborn fight, and that the Chinese were being pursued.
Japan, if necessary, can send 70,000 men to China.
Kentucky Populists nominated A. H. Cardin for governor.
Smallpox at Cape Nome is well in hand and decreasing.
Iowa Republicans remembered Minister Conger in their platform.
The allied forces are marching on Peking, and are due there in eight days.
A workman was crushed almost to jelly in a Lane county, Oregon, sawmill.
New Hampshire Democrats nominated Dr. Frederick T. Potter for governor.
King Victor Emmanuel III, successor to King Humbert, has arrived at Monza.
In Germany, 3,650 officers and 20,000 men have volunteered for Chinese service.
Government will investigate the anarchist activity in the vicinity of New York.
Chinese imperial government is using diplomacy to check advance of allies on Peking.
Sir William Vernon Harcourt, liberal leader, estimates the cost of the Boer war at \$400,000,000.
Edicts of the Chinese imperial government issued as late as July 2 ordered the Boers to kill the Christians.
Ex-Governor Roger Wolcott, of Massachusetts, has accepted the appointment as United States minister to Italy.
It is strongly intimated that Oregon school land business is manipulated by officials for the benefit of a private graft.
Senator Foraker says the Democrats have as much show of winning congress as they had of carrying Oregon last June.
Navy department shares the general distrust that all was not well on the battle-ship Oregon when she went ashore.
The amount of gold pros in the United States treasury is \$131,170,764, the highest in the history of the government.
The government of Nicaragua has taken possession of the property of the Maritime Canal Company and removed the company's cars, rails and property to the interior from Creytown.
Crop reports from Yakima, Wash., and La Grande, Or., are rosy; grain is turning out poor in Yamhill county, Oregon, and farmers declare they will abandon it for stock raising.

ARE BEYOND TIEN TSIN
Allied Forces Said to Have Advanced 35 Miles.

CHRISTIANS KILLED NEAR PEKIN
Prince Ching's Peace Policy Has Little Support at Peking. His Chinese Debauched.

London, August 6.—According to a special dispatch from Shanghai, dated August 3, the advancing column of the allies was reported there yesterday to have reached a point 35 miles beyond Tien Tsin. Nothing from any other point corroborates this statement. In fact, the Standard goes so far as to say that it leaves the real advance, apart from preliminary measures, has not yet begun. Tien Tsin dispatches dated July 30 tell of an action which is termed a "reconnaissance between Japanese and Chinese two miles beyond the Hsi Ku arsenal, in which the Japanese withdrew after suffering 30 casualties.
The Tien Tsin correspondent of the Standard, under date of July 27, declared that the Americans and Germans have been ordered to move forward without waiting for the British.
A Chee Foo special reports the safety Americans in Peking and the receipt of a letter from Dr. Cheltenham, dated Peking, July 29, saying that on the previous day Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister, had agreed to a truce, providing the Chinese came no closer, and continued: "We hope this means relief, but having again defeated the Chinese, we are fearful of treachery. All are exhausted from constant watching, fighting and digging trenches. The greatest credit is due to Mr. Squires, secretary of the United States legation, whose military experience and energy are invaluable."
The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily News says that the consuls there regret the independent action taken by the American Association and the Chinese Association, on the ground that it is injudicious. He says: "The settlements being international, petty jealousies must disappear. The China Association is of little local influence." Presumably he refers to the American-Asiatic Association.

The Hong Kong correspondent of the Daily Express announces the arrival there from San Francisco of Hoer Lee, for some time resident agent in the United States of the society for the redemption of the Chinese empire, with £6,000, which will presumably be utilized in connection with the movement against the emperor dowager, a movement quietest since 1895 until within the last few weeks.
Nearly all the correspondents confirm the reports of a wholesale massacre of Christians outside Peking, a correspondent of the Daily News giving the number of killed as between 10,000 and 15,000, all defenseless converts. Imperial troops—so it is stated—did the dastardly work.
According to the Shanghai correspondent of the Times, one of the members of the Tien Tsin Yamun mentioned by United States Consul Goodnow as having been beheaded for pro-foreign tendencies was Captain Hsu Ching, formerly minister to Russia. The correspondent says the emperor dowager ordered his execution on the advice of Li Hing Hong.

Li Hing Chang has been informed from Peking that Prince Ching's only prominent supporters in his peace policy are General Yung Lu and Wang Wen Shao, president of the board of revenue, whose influence is small.

DEFIED BRITISH NATION.
Dr. Tanner, of Cork, Creates a Scene in Parliament.
London, August 6.—Once more Dr. Charles Tanner, Nationalist member of parliament for the middle division of Cork, has been suspended, and, although in this instance the suspension was only for one night, it was accomplished by scenes that would have done credit to the most disorderly legislatures in the world. After opposing a vote in sympathy at today's session, Dr. Tanner was appointed a teller. Subsequent to the division the chairman announced that Dr. Tanner had grossly insulted him on account of the appointment, and that, in consequence, he would suspend him for the remainder of the sitting.
Gesticulating wildly, Dr. Tanner defied the chairman, the house and the whole English nation. Amid a deafening roar he declared that the chairman was "merely one of the premier's minions." He then exclaimed: "I defy the whole lot of you. I throw that in your teeth. As an Irishman, I leave the house with greater pleasure than I ever entered it."
Then, while staid members rose in their seats and tried to drown these utterances, Dr. Tanner still yelled defiance and went out.

Kroger Promotes Indemnity.
Pretoria, August 6.—President Kruger and Commandant-General Botha have issued a proclamation, promising to pay all damage done to farms by the British provided the burghers remain with the commandos.
Glanders Among Cavalry Horses.
San Francisco, August 6.—Glanders has broken out among the horses at the Presidio stables, belonging to the various cavalry regiments and awaiting shipment to China on the horse transports Astec and Strathegic. The presence of glanders was discovered this morning, and eight infected animals were shot. The commanding officer has received orders to spare no effort or expense in stamping out the disease before it can become epidemic.

OF NO CONSEQUENCE.

The Nicaragua Refuse Will Not Stop the Canal.
Washington, August 5.—From inside sources it was learned that the action of the Nicaragua government in taking possession of the property of the Maritime Canal Company will have not the slightest effect upon the construction of the canal by the United States government. It is fully understood that when the canal is actually authorized by the United States that the Nicaragua government will have to make terms with the United States, notwithstanding any concessions it may have granted to other parties. There is a possibility that provision will be made for concessions that have been granted. In order to avoid any possible difficulties. It is not believed here that the Cragin-Eyre Company has any purpose in this concession other than to secure money from the United States when the canal is built. Authorities on the canal have never believed that the concessions obtained by this syndicate were of any value.

Eyre-Cragin Concession Proclaimed.
Managua, Nicaragua, via Galveston, August 5.—The Nicaragua congress convened last evening, and was personally addressed by President Zelaya, who declared that the condition of the country, especially from the point of finances, showed distinct improvement. He announced the termination of the concession to the Maritime Canal Company, and formally proclaimed the existence of the Eyre-Cragin canal concession. He also emphasized the government's programme for extending the national railroad. His speech was received throughout with enthusiasm.

Thrown From a Horse and Killed.
New York, August 3.—Miss Clara Blake, daughter of S. Parkman Blake, a retired banker of Boston, was killed at New Rochelle, N. Y., this afternoon. She went there to purchase a horse for cross-country riding, and picked out a magnificent bay. She mounted the animal and took several turns around a field and then started to try him over the hurdles. She ran him to a hurdle, and the horse rose to it, but as she went over his hind hoofs struck the top rail, and Miss Blake was thrown. She struck on the back of her head at the base of the brain, and she was dead when picked up.

Hospital Corps.
Lexington, Ky., August 5.—Sergeant George Whittemeyer, of the local recruiting station, received telegraphic orders from the surgeon-general to enlist men for the hospital corps, consisting of stewards, wagoners and mechanics. The order is considered significant of the hurried movements in the near future, as the orders allow any one to serve who has a common school education, whereas heretofore men for hospital service were required to have had some experience.

St. Edisto Arnold's Son Held.
San Francisco, August 5.—Julian B. Arnold, son of Sir Edwin Arnold, who is in custody of a United States marshal awaiting the result of extradition proceedings, was not surprised to learn that his partner, Thomas Bolton Sims, had been held for trial in London. He said that the fact that only \$10,000 bail was asked showed that the action was not serious. He said that his father was not at outs with him, and that the affairs of the firm were being settled. If he is not extradited, he proposes to stay here.

Lost in Wonderland.
Helena, Mont., August 5.—J. R. Piper, cashier of the First National bank at St. Mary's, who was one of a party going through Yellowstone park, is lost in Wonderland. He strayed away on Monday from the rest of the party at the Fountain Geyser hotel, and at last accounts no trace of him had been found. A detachment of troops is assisting in the search for the missing man. His friends fear that his mind became unbalanced.

Ashantee Campaign.
Bookwal, Ashantee, August 5.—Major H. R. Beddome, with 100 men and two guns, started July 24 to locate the enemy's war camp. The camp was found, the warriors numbering 2,000 to 4,000 men, three days' marching east of Monpoo. Several hours' fighting resulted in the defeat of the Ashantees against a stubborn resistance. Major Beddome's losses were heavy. He and Lieutenant Phillips and Swaly were severely wounded. Thirty men were also wounded. More troops will be necessary before the campaign can possibly finish.

German Transports Sail.
Bremerhaven, August 5.—The German transports Rhein and Adria sailed for China today, with the staff of the expeditionary corps under General von Loebel. Emperor William and the empress visited both vessels on the eve of their departure, and bade the officers adieu. They were enthusiastically received.

A large number of young men of Martinique have petitioned President Loubet of France, for arms and passage to enable them to proceed to South Africa to fight for the Boers.
The coast region of Georgia is to have a sugar refinery, the first one in the state. It is to be located in Blakely.
Will Be Buried in Rome.
Rome, August 4.—The ministers have unanimously decided that the body of King Humbert shall rest in Rome. Fifteen thousand troops will pay the last honors.
A fruit grower at Central Point, Or., clears his orchard of wind fall apples by driving a bunch of hogs through it. All apples which have dropped will be eaten by the hogs, also the worms in the apples—which were the direct cause of the apples dropping.

DEWET SURROUNDED

Cannot Escape Through the British Cordon.
BOERS SHORT OF AMMUNITION
Also a Scarcity of Food Among Burghers—Many Refugees Have Been Sent Into Exile.

London, August 7.—A special dispatch from Pretoria dated Saturday says:
"General Christian Dewet is completely surrounded near Reitzburg, and it is impossible for his forces to escape through the strong British cordon. The Boers say they will make a stand at Machabador. They are short of ammunition and food. General Hamilton, by the rapidity of his movements, prevents reinforcements reaching Commandant-General Botha."
"It appears that after the train carrying United States Consul Stowe and flying the Stars and Stripes was derailed at Honing Spruit south of Kroonstad, concealed Boers fired, killing 40."
"Many residents of Pretoria have been sent into exile for having behaved cruelly to British subjects before or during the war. The terms of exile vary, in one instance reaching 25 years."

Boers Make Another Capture.
London, August 7.—The Laurence Marquis correspondent of the Daily Express, writing Saturday, says:
"Transvaal reports declare that General Baden-Powell was wounded during a recent engagement at Rustenburg. Where the Boers, according to their account, took some prisoners and captured 224 wagons."

TRAINROBBERERS KILL.
One Passenger Resisted Their Demand for Money.
Kansas City, August 7.—A Journal special from Salina, Kan., says:
"The Union Pacific east-bound passenger train No. 4, which left Denver last night, was held up by two men several miles west of Hinge, Colo., 98 miles this side of Denver. The passengers in the Pullman sleepers were robbed of their money and valuables. An old man named Fay, a resident of California, who had been visiting Denver and was on his way to St. Louis, refused to surrender his valuable and fired a shot at one of the robbers, but missed him. Thereupon the robbers returned the fire, one shot entering Fay's mouth and coming out the back of his head, killing him almost instantly. The robbers stopped the train, jumped off and escaped.
The robbers got on to one of the sleepers near Limon, and after the train had started the men made a noise at the door. The conductor, thinking they were tramps, opened the door to put them off. The robbers, who were masked, pointed a pistol at his head and ordered him to lead the way through the coaches. All of the passengers were asleep, and the conductor was ordered to wake them one at a time. The frightened passengers were told to keep quiet or they would be killed, and at the same time were asked to hand over their money and valuables. The robbers obtained about \$100 in cash and a number of gold watches and pieces of jewelry. The robbery took place a few minutes before 1 o'clock this morning."

Paris Cab Drivers Strike.
Paris, August 7.—Four thousand cab drivers have gone on a strike, demanding a lower rate for renting vehicles. There have been no disturbances, but the Republican guards protect the cabs. A fire at the headquarters of the Camille Cab Company at St. Germain morning destroyed all the cabs and 15 horses. Ten persons who were assisting the firemen to put out the flames were injured.

Wrong Man Killed.
New Orleans, August 6.—Last Friday, when the mob riots were at their height, a negro, supposed to be Burke Jackson, was taken away from the police and shot to death. It now develops that he was not Jackson. Jackson was later captured at Iola, Miss., and today was returned to this city and lodged in jail.

Missionaries From China.
San Francisco, August 7.—The transport Logan arrived at midnight, 29 days from Manila, via Nagasaki and Yokohama. She is understood to have on board a number of refugee missionaries from China, but no one will be landed until after the vessel is inspected by the quarantine officer.

Confederate General Dead.
New Orleans, August 7.—General York, a Confederate soldier, died at his home in Natchez, Miss., today, aged 86.

Hot Day at Detroit.
Detroit, August 7.—This has been the hottest day of the summer in Detroit, the thermometer registering 96 degrees.

Chicago, August 7.—Heat today caused two deaths and several prostrations. It was 94 in the shade.

Four Injured in Collision.
Columbus, O., August 7.—An electric car struck a large wagon filled with a fishing party, on High street, tonight and six persons were injured. The more seriously hurt are: Julian Rose, Boston, Mass., variety actor, leg fractured; Fred Geffeler, spine injured and elbow split; C. E. Fuller, two ribs broken; Carl Eilbert, bad wound in back of head.

Our foreign trade continues to show great increase.