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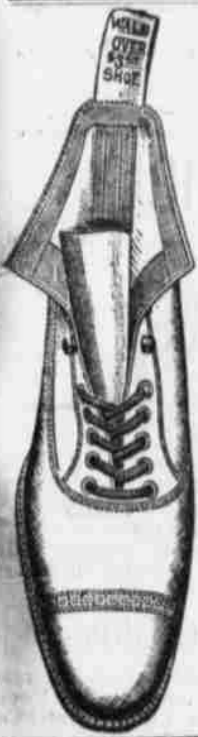
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## FOREIGNERS ALL SAFE

### Will be Escorted to Tien Tsin With Chinese Protection.

**CONGRER HEARD FROM JULY 25,  
WHEN ATTACKS ON FOREIGNERS CEASED**

A Battle Between the Allies and Chinese to Be Fought Sunday—Bad News From South China—Troops Join the Boxers.

By Associated Press to the Journal.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The state department has given out a cablegram from Tao Tai, of Shanghai, dated August 2, transmitting cablegram of the Tsung Li Yamen, dated Pekin, July 30, which is as follows:

"The foreign Ministers at Pekin are all safe and well. Recently vegetables, fruit and provisions have been repeatedly supplied to them. Relations are most friendly. At present consultations were going on for the protection of the various ministers going to Tien Tsin for temporary shelter, which will soon be concluded satisfactorily. But as fighting is going on in Tien Tsin it is inexpedient that cipher telegrams should be sent."

**CONGRER HAS BEEN HEARD FROM.**

By Associated Press to the Journal.

New York, Aug. 4.—A message from Minister Conger, in Pekin, dated July 25, has arrived at Che Foo, says a dispatch to the Herald. Conger says that they have provisions, and can hold out for six days. Food in Pekin is growing scarce. It is reported that the cessation of attacks on the foreigners was by the order of an Imperial decree. All Pekin and Sung Chow Americans, also the Walkers, Crapins, Sails, Wickoffs, Hobbart Terry and MacKay are safe in Pekin.

All mission property was destroyed. There is every indication that the Chinese government is awakening to the gravity of the situation. It is endeavoring to throw the responsibility for the outrages in Pekin and elsewhere on the mob. Two Indian regiments, one British field battery and General Gaselle, have arrived. Any further delay in advancing on Pekin will be criminal.

**BATTLE TO BE FOUGHT SUNDAY**

By Associated Press to the Journal.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—A dispatch from Shanghai today says a battle is expected Sunday with General Mas and 19,000 Chinese at Yang Tu. Russians and French contingents are guarding the communications of the Americans, British and Japanese, who form the advancing column.

**BLACK NEWS FROM CANTON**

St. Petersburg, Aug. 4.—A dispatch from Shanghai dated Aug. 1 received today, says that after Li Hung Chang left Canton the Imperial troops joined the Boxers. The Boxers are murdering missionaries in South China, but are not disturbing the treaty ports. But troops are being secretly brought to the treaty ports.

**CHINA IN A TIGHT PLACE**

By Associated Press to the Journal.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Taken in connection with what has preceded them, today's cablegrams from China place the Chinese government in the unique position of denying liability for what the Chinese troops have done at Pekin, while assuming the responsibility for what they are now doing in neighborhood of Tien Tsin.

The point sought to be made diplomatically is regarded here as of the utmost importance in the Chinese settlement. The Tsung Li Yamen's polite intimation that it is inexpedient to allow communication between our government and its minister, as fighting is going on near Tien Tsin, leaves little doubt as to who is responsible for the resistance being offered to the progress of the International forces.

This notice from the Tsung Li Yamen can be construed as an answer to Secretary Hay's demand upon Li Hung Chang, that free communication with the ministers at Pekin and their own governments, and in consequence, negotiations may be considered as indefinitely postponed.

It is believed that a strong Russian column will be lauded at Shan Kwau, the eastern end of the great wall, to converge on Pekin simultaneously with the international column, thus dividing Chinese opposing forces.

**Injured 10 Lane County.**  
W. D. McGee, who is employed by C. A. Whale as an organ and piano agent was injured in Lane county, Thursday, by going through a bridge. Workmen were repairing a bridge near Drain and a temporary bridge was constructed for use until the main bridge could be repaired and McGee drove over the temporary bridge which collapsed.  
McGee and his outfit were thrown overboard and himself and horse badly bruised but not seriously injured. The organ and wagon was somewhat demoralized. C. A. Whale went to Drain yesterday and brought his agent to this city and he was taken to his home in Yew Park where at the last account he was resting easy.

**The School Loan.**  
The subscriptions for the 4 per cent. school loan have been increased \$2925 since last report. The books close at 3 p. m. and the loan will be awarded at a directors' meeting this evening.

**L. D. SMITH KILLED.**

Particulars of the Accident—Arrangements for the Funeral On Sunday.  
The Gervais neighborhood is saddened over the untimely death of L. D. Smith, a well-known farmer, who met with an accident on Friday that proved fatal. He was a man of prominence and was a candidate for the legislature in 1894 on the Democratic ticket.

Particulars of the Accident.  
He was engaged in getting out some railroad wood and was assisted by O. E. Smead and Frank Marshall. They had fallen a tree and were moving the Pelton horse power used to run the saw. Smith was driving the lever hitched to the block end of the power. Smead was holding the tongue, when the power struck a bank, throwing the tongue up, carrying Smead several feet into the air.

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whereupon he let loose and hollered who! The tongue flew over, striking Smith squarely on the back of the head, throwing him to the ground with great force, as nearly filling his face full of burrs and trash, and breaking the frontal bone.

The power weighs 4,000 pounds and its entire weight was thrown into the blow. He was never conscious again. Dr. Shorey, of Woodburn, attended him and said from the first that he could not live. It was about 8 o'clock when the accident occurred and he died at 11. Smith of course had his back to the machine. The machine had done this before but did not injure anyone and it would seem he was not cautious.

He was not obliged to get out cord wood, but was doing it to help a poor neighbor for whom he had gone on bonds for a wood contract with R. E. Eby and Mr. Mitchell. Mitchell had exchanged work with Luke and he was reciprocating.

It is an untimely death and the country loses a young man who was one of God's noblemen, honest, upright, loving and considerate. His gray hairs would have been glorious. His family, friends and the neighborhood are prostrated over his death.

Deceased was well and favorably known at Salem. He was a brother of Mrs. Chas. Calvert of this city and a partner of Mark Skiff in a hop yard near Seward. He was an uncle of the Townsend boys of Salem.

He also leaves a wife, a brother and sister, viz: Albert M. Smith, of Biggs, Oregon, and Mrs. Clara Shields, of Spokane. Albert Smith arrived last night from Biggs. Mrs. Shields is on the way.

His father and mother are both dead, having passed away in recent years. Luke Daniel Smith was born on the home farm, upon which he was accidentally killed on August 9, 1887 and is therefore 42 years old or nearly 43. He resided on the home farm all his life.

The funeral will take place from his late home on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Interment in the Jones cemetery. Rev. T. Bronillette will officiate.

**MILT HOLMAN EMIGRATES**

Said to have Left His Family and a \$4000 Mourner.

Milt Holman, who is well known throughout the Willamette Valley as a cattle buyer has suddenly disappeared leaving Ed. L. Cornelius of Eugene in the hole for about \$4000.

Holman had a contract for buying cattle for Mr. Cornelius, and went to Eastern Oregon accompanied by his brother-in-law Mr. Richmond, and brought a band of cattle to the Valley using Cornelius' money. They were not as represented to Mr. Cornelius and that gentleman refused to receive them, so Holman kept the stock himself and gave Mr. Cornelius his note for the amount paid for the cattle which amounted to about \$4000. Holman had purchased an old thing in the way of stock that he could buy and Cornelius preferred Holman's note in view of the stock and Holman was to sell the stock and pay off his note to Cornelius.

A few days ago after the deal between Cornelius and Holman had been adjusted Holman sold his stock at some figure unknown with the money left for parts unknown, leaving a note to his brother-in-law to the effect that he was "going away for good." About the time that Holman disappeared a girl living near Rickard is said to have disappeared from her home and many people in Polk county believe that they left together.

Holman at one time lived in this city where he was employed for a number of years as a lineman for the electric light company during the period that Thos. Holman owned the plant and from here moved his family to Dallas where he has made his home.

**Small Fire.**  
A small blaze in the roof of Chief of Police Gibson's residence on Church street, caused the fire department to be called out shortly after twelve o'clock, but it was extinguished with a Babcock before any material damage had been done. A small hole was burned in the roof over the kitchen. The house is just across the race from the Kurtz house which burned a few days ago.

**Execution Sale.**  
Sheriff F. W. Durbin this morning sold on execution out of the circuit court the property involved in the suit of J. H. Mascher vs. Olivia A. Veatch, a piece of land in T. S. R 1 W. The property was bid in by plaintiff for \$200.

**One License.**  
A marriage license has been issued to Dolly Graves and Thos. E. Johnston, J. P. Graves, witness.

## AN AMERICAN FORGE TAKEN

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**MOST SERIOUS BLOW STRUCK AND A CLEAN SWEEP MADE BY THE FILIPINOS**

Boers Play a Poetic Caper in Destroying a Train Carrying a New American Consul--Seem in a Hurry to Make a Convert.

**SAD DISASTER TO AMERICANS**

By Associated Press to the Journal.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The first serious check which American troops have met with in the Philippines during the past two months is reported in a dispatch received this morning from General MacArthur.

It is assumed that the little American command which suffered so severely was completely trapped and was obliged to surrender or be exterminated. The message is as follows:

"First Lieutenant Alstaeter, of the corps of engineers, United States Army, with an escort of 15 men, was attacked August 1 on the road between San Miguel de Mayum (Lazon) and San Inado (Lazon) by an armed band of insurgents, reported to be 350 strong. The entire party was killed, wounded or captured.

Killed troop H., Fourth Cavalry, Richard Diebler, Wounded Charles M. Newman, Walter Brewer, Company A, battalion of engineers, U. S. A., Edward Long.

Captured—Lieut. Alstaeter, Company A, battalion engineers, Henry T. Crenshaw, Troop H, Fourth Cavalry, Arthur Bates, Chas. J. Fuchsinger, Edward J. Cromer, Geo. Knaub, Wm. J. Gerendy, John Goughlin, Robert F. Taylor, Joseph T. Mealey.

The wounded were sent to San Isidor, with a note from Lucena Maraino, announcing that the prisoners would be well treated.

(Signed) MACARTHUR.

**SOUTH AFRICAN LATEST NEWS**

LONDON, Aug. 4.—Lord Roberts telegraphs to the war office that General Hunter reports 4,348 men have surrendered to him altogether. General Hunter also secured 3046 horses and three guns.

Lord Roberts adds that General Ian Hamilton in continuing his movement toward Rustenberg, engaged Boers in the Magaliesberg range Thursday. Lieutenant Colonel Rhodes and Major G. A. Williams were among the 41 British wounded. The Boers left two dead and several wounded.

**AMERICAN CONSUL'S TRAIN BURNED**

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**MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY**

**Such is the Deplorable Condition of the Deceased of a Once Noted American Citizen.**

By Associated Press to the Journal.

New York, Aug. 4.—Concerning the present social status of William Waldorf Astor in England, a London correspondent of the World cables that he will go to the continent for a year at least. His magazine property, the Pall Mall Gazette, is in the market, at a figure much less than the outlay already made upon it.

If Astor quits England for good, as many say he must, he will practically be a man without a country.

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