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RUSSIAN MISTAKE.

Turned Their Shells on the Americans at Yang Tsin

TEN PRIESTS AND 3000 CONVERTS MURDERED IN SOUTHWEST PE CHI LI

Japanese Lose Three Thousand Men at Peitsang Battle-- United States Refuses Peace Overtures Until Safety of Ministers is Assured By China

NEW YORK, Aug. 12--A Dispatch to the Evening World, dated Che Foo August 9, says:

"A terrible mistake occurred at the taking of Yang Tsin. The Russian artillery opened fire on the American troops. Before the mistake was discovered many American soldiers were killed or wounded by the Russian shells. The Fourteenth regiment took part in the action on the Chinese trenches. As the Chinese fled the regiment entered and occupied one of the Chinese positions. The Russian battery some distance off did not notice the movement. It opened fire on the position and planted shells among the American troops. The Russians were quickly notified and ceased their fire."

3000 CHRISTIANS REPORTED KILLED

BERLIN, Aug. 13.--A Catholic paper, the Germania, learns that ten out of fifty missionaries in the vicariate of southwest Pe Chi Li have been murdered, and that 3,000 converts suffered same fate.

JAP. CASUALTIES WERE HEAVIEST

LONDON, Aug. 13.--As allies were to rest three days at Yang Tsin, it is supposed that a further advance was begun August 10, but no word has come from Yang Tsin since August 8. The Japanese losses at Peitsang on Aug. 9 were 300 killed and wounded. The Chinese left 200 dead on the field.

Explanation as to why some Pekin cipher messages are dated Tsin Nan is made by the telegraphic company which has a regular courier service between Pekin and Tsin Nan, and wires are worked from the latter place.

CHAFFEE REPORTS PROGRESS OF ALLIES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.--A dispatch from General Chaffee, dated August 10, says: "Arrived at Hoi Pi Wu yesterday, this place which is spelled Ho Wo the war department maps is about half way between Tien Tsin and Pekin."

AN ADVANCE ON RUSSIAN FRONTIER

LONDON, Aug. 13.--A dispatch from Lahore, Punjab, says the Ameer of Afghanistan is mobilizing his forces infantry and artillery and it is reported that an advance on the Russian frontier is contemplated.

BOTANICAL WONDERS

The marvel of the hour is the wonderful cure of chronic diseases without the use of knife or poisonous medicines. This is what afflicted humanity needs more than all else. Not a week passes but Dr. J. F. Cook, the great botanical specialist heals some patient who has suffered for years from awful disease and the more awful effects of rank medical humbugs. Dr. Cook declines to publish further testimonials out of regard for his patients, but will gladly refer any callers to their neighbors and friends who have been healed. Consultation free. If you have any physical ailments it will do you good to call and have a little chat with the doctor. Office 301 Liberty Street, Salem Oregon.

OUR ANSWER TO CHINA'S PROPOSALS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.--The department of state today made public the reply of the United States government to Minister Wu's communication notifying the department of the appointment of Li Hung Chang, notifying the inovy plenipotentiary to negotiate with the powers. The reply is substantially as follows:

"There can be no general negotiation between China and the powers so long as the ministers of the powers and persons under their protection remain in their present position of restraint and danger. We are ready to enter into an agreement between the powers and the Chinese government for a cessation of hostile demonstrations on condition that a sufficient body of forces composing a relief expedition be permitted to enter Pekin unmolested and escort the foreign ministers and residents to Tien Tsin."

The text of this reply was telegraphed to representatives of the United States for communication to the governments of the powers co operating in the relief of the ministers.

The reply of the United States government to the peace overtures of China was given out at the state department today. The announcement of the message disclosed the firm policy which the United States has adopted. The importance of the action lies in the wording of the message. China has made overtures for peace, and thus has opened the way for a possible compromise.

The United States, in its response lays down an entirely new demand, namely, that a sufficiently large force from the allied column be allowed to enter Pekin unopposed and conduct the members of the legations and followers from the Chinese capital to Tien Tsin. This demand is put forward as exact and unalterable, and is one which China must accept unconditionally if she hopes to stay the advance of the international force.

A member of the cabinet stated today that no consideration would be given the promises of the Chinese government until the demands made by this government are actually and fully complied with.

DEL MONTE, CAL., Aug. 13--This will be a notable week in sports for this section of California. Tennis experts golf enthusiasts and yachtsmen have gathered here to take part in the events arranged for these several classes of sport during the four days of the mixed tournament which opened today. The program for the golf tournament will be run during the morning of the three first days, the first event taking place this morning. The tennis games and yacht races are down on the program for afternoon entertainments.

Jack Betts, a negro, was lynched at Corinth, Miss., this morning. He is said to have assaulted a ten year old white girl. In a railroad accident twelve miles from Home, twelve persons were killed and forty wounded today. The Dakota elevator burned at Buffalo, N. Y. today, loss \$500,000. The Transport Steamer, with a Battalion of the 15th infantry, has arrived at Nagasaki.

TWO BOYS ARRESTED. Have Been Insulting Ladies On the Street-- They Get Off Easy This Time.

Late Saturday afternoon, Charley and Willie Gleason, of this city, aged 14 and 13 years, were arrested by Officer Smith on a warrant out of City Recorder Judah's court, charging them with insulting behavior toward ladies. The complaining witness was Dr. W. B. Morse, who had witnessed some of the reprehensible actions of the boys. It seems that they have been taken with a vile ambition to distinguish themselves by insulting ladies, and this is not their first offense. On Saturday two ladies walking along one of the quieter streets were almost run over by the two boys on bicycles, who even charged them the second time, and afterward followed them along the street using vile and abusive language.

The boys were released until this morning on their father's pledge to bring them into court. At 11 o'clock this forenoon Charley, the older one, was tried before the recorder, who imposed a fine of \$10 or five days in jail, and suspended sentence during good behavior. The recorder also bestowed on the young fellow a lecture which must have seared its way into his inner consciousness, if he has any, and the boys will probably behave more like gentlemen in the future.

The following decision and rulings were handed down at noon today. The base of State vs Savage in which a petition for rehearing is denied, will be remembered as The Dalles express office robbery, of which Savage was convicted. Stites vs. McGee; reversed, Bean C. J. Non-est vs Wa-win-la-yeck; affirmed, Moore, J. Ennis v. Owyhee Ditch Co. reversed, Mattis vs. Horner, modified, Wolverton, J.

Stamper vs. Raymond; reversed and remanded. Petition for rehearing in the following denied: Pierce vs. Rock Creek G. M. Co. State vs. Hims. Mackin vs. Gas Co. Sellwood vs. S. F. Co. Talimage vs. Hooper. State vs. Savage. McFadden vs. Swinerton. Boyce vs. Cupper; respondents petition to be relieved of costs denied.

Miles v. Coszewich, motion to dismiss appeal overruled.

Divorces Granted. Judge Boise held a short session of Dept. No. 2 of the Circuit court Saturday and the following docket entries were made: Maggie Leonard, plaintiff, vs. John Leonard, defendant; default; divorce granted. D. R. Campbell, plaintiff, vs. Ellen Campbell, defendant; default; divorce granted. Mary E. Paul, plaintiff, vs. Emma D. Tuthill et al., defendant, partition; B. B. Colbath, referee; referee discharged.

Diad at the Hospital. Mrs. A. M. Mauritzen, who was brought over from Oreltown to the Salem hospital on July 31st for treatment, died at that institution Saturday night at 10 o'clock. A messenger who had already been sent for Mr. Mauritzen met him coming over and he arrived in the city Sunday. The funeral will take place from the Rigdon & Clough undertaking establishment at 9 a. m. Tuesday. Rev. John Parsons will conduct the services, and burial will take place at City View cemetery.

Paid Up. O. P. Beardsley who appeared in two cases recently in the Salem Justice court, in one case being the accuser and in the other the accused, both of which cases went against him, came up today and settled with Justice O'Donald in full. He is out \$37.20.

Will Furnish Wood. The county commissioners court has awarded the contract for furnishing wood for the court house to Bentley & Co., and J. A. Lake. The former will furnish 50 cords grub oak at \$3.23; the latter 20 cords fir at \$2.64.

THEY ARE FOR BRYAN

Anti-Imperialists in Convention at Indianapolis.

OPPOSE SILVER AND IMPERIALISM

But Think Bryan is a safer Man to Vote For Than McKinley--Philippine Veterans Organizing for the Campaign

Associated Press to the Journal. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 13--A number of delegates to the two anti-imperialist conventions which are to meet here this week are arriving. The first arrival of the national party is Robert A. Widemann, of New York. The hope of the national party is to form a coalition with the anti-imperialist league.

Widemann says that Bryan is regarded by the anti-imperialists as the less dangerous of the two old party candidates.

"But many of us" said Widemann, "who are Republicans, cannot stomach Bryan."

We are confronted with a peculiar condition. If McKinley is elected, he will declare his imperialist policy has been indorsed, if Bryan is elected, he will declare that silver has been endorsed. Either would be contrary to our views.

Widemann says there is little doubt that there is a drift toward Bryan.

PHILIPPINE HEROES ARE ALL ORGANIZING

Associated Press to the Journal. DENVER, Colo., Aug. 13.--Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, The Dakotas, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Oregon and other western states are represented at the reunion of veterans of the Philippine campaign, which opened here today.

Two years ago today these soldiers were in the Orient carrying the old flag and facing a storm of lead before Manila. The reunion has been called for the purpose of keeping the comrades shoulder to shoulder and effecting an organization whereby their deeds will be preserved in history.

TIMBER FIRES RAGING IN COLORADO

Associated Press to the Journal. GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 13.--For a hundred miles in each direction forest fires can be seen. If the dry weather continues the destruction of government and private timber will be beyond all possibility of estimate.

Minor Accidents.

A son of Joe Cooley, of North Salem, was kicked by a horse, Sunday, making a cut in his chin, which was sewed up by Dr. Byrd and the boy will soon be all right.

John, the 10 year old son of Daniel Humphrey, of Fruitland, fell off a horse one day last week and sustained a fracture of the right arm. He is getting along all right.

The Rhoads was injured at the new Old Fellows building this afternoon by a brick falling on his head from above. He was knocked senseless, but Dr. Morse was called and he was soon brought to. He has an ugly scalp wound, but it is not considered dangerously hurt.

DR. RANSOME INJURED.

The Turner Man Accidentally Shot While Out Hunting at Crescent Lake.

Word reached this city that Dr. Ransome, of Turner, who has been camping out at Crescent Lake with friends, was accidentally wounded by his son while they were out hunting last week. The bullet struck Dr. Ransome in the left shoulder, passing through the muscles and shoulder blade and coming out under the arm. The injured man was cared for in camp for a couple of days, but as he grew worse, he was brought to Eugene Sunday, where he will stay until able to be brought home to Turner. There seems to have been an unlucky camp, as the unfortunate Montrose Berry who died of blood poisoning, was a member of the party when he was attacked.

Died at Portland.

Word reached this city Sunday forenoon of the death in Albina, of Alfred Nebert, a son of Conrad Nebert, who formerly resided in Turner. The young man was about 21 years of age, and the cause of his death was consumption, from which he had been suffering for several years. He went to California a couple of years ago for his health and seemed to recover, but returning to Oregon he fell a victim to the disease.

The family never lived in this city but were quite well known here.

The young man was a nephew of Mrs. John Wolf and Mrs. S. Beck of this city. Mrs. E. Schott of Sublimity and Mrs. Glass of Ameyville. Besides his widowed mother he leaves three brothers and one sister. The father met his death at the hands of burglars in Canby about two years ago. Mrs. Wolf went to Portland yesterday to be present at the funeral, which was to take place today or tomorrow.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.

Stranger From the Other Side of the World Seriously Hurt.

An East Indian named Mohamet Ali, evidently a tramp was fatally injured Sunday in the vicinity of Brooks and died at the Salem hospital about 2 o'clock this afternoon. One account says he was struck by a south bound train on the trestle this side of Brooks, but what train was not known. The northbound overland found the man lying by the side of the track near Brooks, and the nature of his injuries indicate that he had been struck by a train.

The injured man was taken on the northbound overland to Gervais, and when the Albany local came up he was sent to Salem, where he was met by the S. P. physician, Dr. W. H. Byrd and taken to the Salem hospital.

Letters in his pocket showed that his name was Mohamet Ali and he was a native of India. He had a letter from the board of charities at Seattle recommending him as a good man, and another from the board of charities at Portland saying he was no good. He was badly bruised up and his case was pronounced hopeless when he reached here, and he died without regaining consciousness.

Races At Glens Falls.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 13--The race meet of the Northern New York Trotting Horse Breeders' Association is being largely attended here to-day. There are \$15,000 in purses offered by the association. Some of the best horses in the country are here.

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