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JAPANESE FORTIFYING AMOY --BRITISH CRUISER GOES THERE

The Chinese Royal Family Have Been Located About Two Hundred and Fifty Miles South of Peking-- --Still Fleeing

Paris, Aug. 28 -- Admiral Courrejolle, the French Commander, has cabled the navy department, that a council of admirals has notified the foreign legations at Peking, that it has been decided to hold Li Hung Chang on board ship until the opening of negotiations between the powers and China.

CHAFFEE DOES THE RIGHT THING

Washington, Aug. 28.--The War Department has received the following from General Chaffee, commanding the American forces: Have offered assistance to Baroness Von Ketteler. Will furnish transportation and escort her to Tien Tsin in a few days. The Baroness Von Ketteler is the widow of the murdered German Minister to China and is an American.

JAPANESE IN FORCE AT AMOY

HONGKONG, Aug. 28.--General Goto commands the Japanese forces occupying Amoy. Large bodies of troops have been landed, Nordenfeldt's guns mounted, commanding the city. Many Chinese are leaving. The British cruiser Isis sailed from here today under sealed orders. It is thought probable that she is going to Amoy. Canton is quiet.

CHINESE ROYALISTS STILL FLEEING

LONDON, Aug. 23.--A dispatch from Shanghai says the Chinese officials there have informed the foreign consuls that the Emperor, the dowager Empress and Prince Tuan have arrived in the neighborhood of Tai Yuan Fu. Tai Yuan is 210 miles southwest of Peking.

ALLIES TAKE THE DISTRICT WEST

LONDON, Aug. 28, 3:50 A. M.--The allies, resuming aggressive operations, have taken the district west of Peking. This statement based on Chinese authority, is cabled from Shanghai. From the same place comes the further statement that Li Hung Chang has wired the Empress Dowager at Sian Fu requesting the arrest of Prince Tuan and the disarmament of the Boxers in order to give him an opening for negotiations with the powers.

The illuminations projected at Shanghai in celebration of the relief of Peking have been abandoned, lest they should cause a native outbreak.

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The marvel of the hour is the wonderful cure of chronic diseases without he 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.

FIVE AMERICAN LADIES ARRIVE

Tien Tsin, Aug. 26.--Fifty Americans, including Misses Condit, Smith, Woodward and Payne, have arrived here from Peking, which city they left five days ago.

LITTLE TELEGRAMS.

Emperor William's recent sermon will be distributed among the German sailors and soldiers in China. Bressi, the assassin of King Humbert, attempted to commit suicide. The district west of Peking was taken by the allied forces. General Lung Wu is declared to be the real author of the anti-foreign outbreak. The Hankow uprising was started by followers of Kang Ya Wei, the reformer. Senator Carter will accompany Roosevelt on his Western trip. Towne opened the Minnesota campaign in a speech in Duluth. Fitzsimmons announces his retirement from the ring.

THE NAVAL VETERANS' PARADE WAS THE FEATURE OF THE SECOND DAY OF THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Bryan will not attend the encampment. Camille d'Arville, the opera singer, was married to E. W. Crellin, an Oakland millionaire. Rev. Dr. R. H. Pullman, of C leago died at Camp Royal, Thousand Isles. Work on the Dallas portage road closed for want of funds. Company being organized to complete the same.

OREGON PERSONALS.

William Percival, of Independence, drove in 800 sheep from Eastern Oregon and sold all before reaching Corvallis. E. C. Thurston, of Lakeview threatened as high as 2300 bushels of grain Friday. Hop picking began on the Henry Hill place Monday near Independence at 40 cents per box. Charley Johnson was quite seriously hurt from blasting in the Baker City water works reservoir.

Dr. W. F. Pruden of Springwater, Clackamas county fell from his hay loft and broke three ribs. Reames Bros., Gold Hill, were so unfortunate as to lose \$337 of postage money and \$400 of their own by burglars Sunday. William Ledgerwood, a pioneer of Douglas County, died at Myrtle Creek Friday, after a long illness. Mrs. Aeneath Atkins, aged 76 years, was found dead in her bed Saturday morning, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oliver Stump, in Dallas.

By reason of increased business the postoffice at Tillamook has been advanced from fourth to third class, and the salary of the postmaster fixed at \$1000. W. B. Donaca, a veteran merchant of Lebanon, has retired from business. Harry Morgan, of Pendleton, has quit railroad and begun to study dentistry. Brunson Armitage, of Myrtle Creek accidentally shot himself in the breast with a 32 calibre rifle while hunting, Friday. His condition is serious. Reese Hawkins, of Lakeview, has been granted a patent for a holder for flatirons.

ONE FOR BILLY BRYAN.

"Grandpa" Woodson Talks Spiritually About Conditions in the World Here. Abner Woodson, who has resided for many years in the Walds Hills, near Salem, but who, during pioneer times, became familiar with almost every section of the state, is visiting friends in Portland. Although 78 years old, "Grandpa" Woodson is hale and hearty, and steps almost as lightly as when many years ago he climbed over the hills in search of venison steak or in pursuit of the painted redskin who had stolen his cow or attempted to kill his sheep. "We are all happy and prosperous up our way," said Mr. Woodson to a Telegram reporter. "We have plenty of potatoes and fruit, an abundance of hops and oats, and our peas and buckwheat can't be beaten. Our cows are justly proud of the quality of butter we sell, and our hens cackle their delight over the profit we make on their eggs. We have not a care to worry us, and never entertain a thought of the blue."

THE STORY IS NOT CONFIRMED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.--No confirmation comes from any quarter of the report from Russian sources that the Chinese recaptured Peking and the war department officials discredit the story. No Siege Battery Will be Needed. The following has been received from Chaffee: "Taku (No date).--Siege battery will not be needed."

RECOVERED HIS WHEEL.

O. R. Underpraph has recovered his wheel which was taken Saturday evening from a bicycle rack where he had been accustomed to leave it. Trace of the missing wheel was discovered near Oregon City, Sunday, at an early hour, and the guilty party evidently fearing detection returned the missing bicycle at an early hour this morning. A threshing-machine farm hand is suspected of the theft.

Rev. and Mrs. C. G. LeMasters and baby, of Turner, with Miss Essie Robertson, of Independence, were visiting with Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Evans, Monday.

THE PARTIES MAY SPLIT

Over Fusion in the Evergreen State GOVERNOR ROGERS NOT ENDORSED

Washington Populists May Put Up a Full Ticket --Democrats and Silver Republicans May Do the Same

SEATTLE, Wn., Aug. 25.--The assembling of three anti-Republican state conventions this morning saw the passing of Governor Rogers' chances of re-nomination. It seems certain that Voorhees, of Spokane, will get the nomination. All three conventions have appointed conference committees. The Populists will insist that the name of the People's party shall go at the head of the state ticket when fusion occurs. The Democrats may consent to run under Populist colors, though many expressions of adverse opinion are heard. In case the Democrats refuse there will undoubtedly be a split, the Populists putting up a full state ticket and the Democrats and Silver men fusing and doing likewise.

SAN FRANCISCO'S GOOD GROWTH

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.--The population of San Francisco, according to the official count of the 12th census, is 342,782, and increase of 14.64 per cent.

POPULATION OF THE AMERICAN ATHENS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.--The population of Boston, as announced by the Census Bureau, is 560,892, an increase of 25.07 per cent.

BALTIMORE'S POPULATION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.--Population of Baltimore is 508,957, increase of 17.15 percent.

In Celebration Of First Settler.

EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., Aug. 28.--A celebration in honor of the one hundredth anniversary of the arrival of the first settler in Madison county, Illinois, is being held here today. The city is crowded with visitors from all over the State. Among the features will be a reproduction of a typical Indian village, and a grand feature parade, in which the first settler, James Gilliam, will be shown at work erecting his cabin in the wilderness.

The National Fraternal Congress.

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 28.--The fourteenth annual session of the National Fraternal Congress convened here to-day. The initial meeting was called to order this morning at the Hotel Vendome. Some 1,300 delegates are present.

Whipped the Boers as Usual.

LORENZO MARQUEZ, Aug. 28.--Heavy fighting is reported at Machadodorp. The Boers are said to have been defeated with great loss, leaving their guns and ammunition in the hands of the British.

Hospital Matron Resigns.

Governor Geer today received the resignation of Miss Myra E. Murphy a resident of Liberty and a sister of Lieut. Chas. Murphy, of Salem, as matron of the hospital at the Oregon Soldiers' Home at Roseburg.

Commandant Wm. J. Shipley has nominated Miss Emma Everett, of Portland, a young lady aged 34 and a graduate of the Woman's Hospital of Pennsylvania. The governor has confirmed the appointment to take effect Sept. 1st.

THEIR LAST PARADE

Marching Veterans of the Grand Army. ESTIMATED 35,000 WERE PRESENT

While They Were Escorted By Uncounted Multitudes in the Great City By the Lakes

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.--Along the streets filled with cheering multitudes, 35,000 of the life guard of the nation, the Grand Army of the Republic, marched today. It was their greatest parade since the day in 1865 when with ranks fresh from the triumphs of war, they marched down Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington. It was probably the last of the great parades upon which the members of the Grand Army will march on earth. The average age of the veterans is close upon the average span of human life.

LOOKS SUSPICIOUS.

Two Men Caught Fooling With an Adandoned Woodsway Last Night. Dick Kurts and one Cutler, who have been running a woodsway in the city, were discovered by Night Officer Smith about 1:45 o'clock this morning monkeying around the old woodsway which has been sitting in Commercial street just south of the big bridge over south Mill creek.

When the officer approached, Cutler melted away into the night, but Kurts stood his ground and was placed under arrest.

On the way to the city hall, just as they passed the New York Racket Store corner, Kurts threw some small article into the street, and this has not been found. When he was searched at the city hall, nothing of an incriminating nature was found on him.

The case looks very suspicious, but positive evidence of any criminal act seems to be lacking.

The woodsway has been sitting in the street for a year or two, exposed to the elements and to any deprecations which any one cares to commit. It is understood to be in charge of R. K. Ryan, who is at present at Newport.

BARN AND HORSES BURNED IN IDAHO

BLACKFOOT, Idaho, Aug. 28.--Fire this morning destroyed the livery stable of Dolph Johnson, and about half a block of buildings. Twenty-four horses in the stables perished in the flames.

DIED.

HORN--At the farm home 1 mile northwest of the asylum, Tuesday, Aug. 28, Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Horn, aged 6 months, of brain fever. The family has been in Marion county less than year. The funeral will take place from the residence at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, Rev. Muelhaupt officiating, and the burial will be in the Lee Mission cemetery.

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