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Gets Weary of Skepticism Shown By the Foreigners.

SAYS LEGATIONERS ARE COMING

Some of Them on the Way to Tientsin from Peking.

Indications Continue of Chinese Preparation for Foreign War—A New Story from Shan-Tung's Governor—Celestial News.

London, July 27.—The Shanghai telegraphing yesterday: "Li Hung Chang now states that some members of the legations have already left Peking and may be expected shortly. He is becoming angry at the skepticism of the consuls. The impression is gaining ground here that the ministers of the powers to whom China has applied for mediation may still be alive. The representatives of France, Japan, Russia and the United States have visited Li Hung Chang, but the others still keep aloof. Meanwhile active preparations in the Yang-Tse region for war, are in progress, not for war against the rebels, but against foreign powers.

Boxers Disguised as Coolies.

"Junk loads of Chinese soldiers and boxers disguised as coolies are arriving here daily. The arsenal is full of arms and supplies are constantly coming in. The Hankin and Wu Chang garrisons are being constantly reinforced and the viceroys admit that they cannot much longer withstand the pressure brought to bear by Sheng and Li Hung Chang upon them to join the forces with Prince Tuan. Two English missionary ladies, Miss Whit-church and Miss Scarell, have been murdered at the viceroys of Shan Si. Massacres are also reported from Tai Yuan and Pao Ting Fu."

Seymour Arrives at Shanghai.

Shanghai, July 27.—Admiral Seymour has arrived here and has been in consultation with the British consul regarding the situation. Should the southern viceroys yield to anti-foreign influence, there will be a severe struggle. The Yang Tse King is being strongly fortified with the newest guns, manned by German-drilled artillerymen.

RELATED NEWS AT TOKIO.

Letter Received by the Chinese Governor of Shan Tung Is Quoted. Tokio, July 27.—A message received here from Shanghai Tuesday makes the following assertions: "Yuan Shi Kai, governor of Shan Tung, has received a letter from Peking, dated July 18, declaring that a legation courier was captured and held at Shieh Hai Kwan on July 22 and gained a victory, the Chinese retreating after a feeble resistance."

WASHINGTON NOT ENCOURAGED.

No Sign of Improvement in the Situation—London and Berlin News. Washington, July 27.—There were no developments yesterday to warrant the assumption that there will be a slight improvement in the Chinese situation. Indeed, the general tenor of the news was to add to the steadily growing doubt as to the good faith of the Chinese government as manifested in its acts. A letter from Admiral Kempff made the direct statement that the imperial authorities were in sympathy with the Boxers, though he added that the government was afterwards paralyzed and incapable of controlling the situation. This was the first official declaration to reach our government's ears from China, points out that the representations that the imperial government had steadfastly and from the first opposed the Boxer movement.

TRIAL OF CALEB POWERS.

Defense Will Be on the Line That the Mountaineers Were Petitioners. Georgetown, Ky., July 26.—Yesterday was another comparatively uninteresting day in the trial, very little of a sensational nature being developed. McKinzie Todd, who was Governor Taylor's private secretary, was the principal witness. While his testimony in some degree reflected on Henry Younsie, one of the defendants, it was favorable to Powers, the defendant in chief. Georgetown and Scott county are excited over a report that several hundred of Powers' mountaineers will arrive here Monday or Tuesday, and they fear that trouble may result in that event.

Double Crime at Chicago.

Chicago, July 27.—Mrs. Augusta Bergenthal, 354 West Ohio street, was shot and killed by Ludwig S. Hassmussen, who then killed himself. Hassmussen was a widower, with children, and Mrs. Bergenthal, a widow with two children. The woman's 19-year-old daughter found the bodies.

One Killed, Twenty-Five Hurt.

Benton, Ills., July 26.—A solid vestibule passenger train, south-bound, on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railway was wrecked here at 11 a. m. yesterday. Otto Keimel was killed and twenty-five other passengers were injured.

Fitz Takes Hot-Air Treatment.

New York, July 27.—Robert Fitzsimmons, the pugilist, called at Bellevue yesterday to have his injured arm treated in an apparatus which subjects the patient to a hot-air treatment of 400 degrees Fahrenheit.

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NATIVE MURDERS A SOLDIER.

Manila, July 27.—At Oroquieta, in northern Mindanao, two soldiers entered a native store for the purpose of buying food. While there one of them was killed by a boloman and his head severed from his body. The other escaped and gave the alarm. A company of the Fortieth infantry stationed at Cagayan repaired to Oroquieta and killed eighty-nine natives, thirty of them being in a single house.

PERILOUS PREDICAMENT.

Farmer Held Prisoner by a Snake While His Team Runs Away. Chicago, July 27.—Helpless in the coils of a black snake and in danger of being crushed to death by a runaway team, was the situation from which Andrew Van de Horn, a farmer from Liverpool, Ind., was rescued by two members of the Illinois Naval militia at Indianapolis avenue and One Hundred and Second street, near the camping ground of the soldiers, Wednesday afternoon.

COLOMBIAN REBELS SURRENDER.

And Another Latin American Revolution Is Ended for Awhile. Panama, July 27.—The insurgents in the department of Panama have surrendered. New York, July 27.—Consul General Espinosa, of the republic of Colombia, said yesterday of the revolution in Panama: "I think it is over. Eight hundred government troops met 1,200 insurgents, and either killed or wounded 400 of them. Reinforcements from the government came just then, and the struggle ended in a complete victory. There was nothing else to do, and the insurgents just laid down their arms and surrendered."

Has Not Called Off the Boycott.

St. Louis, July 27.—President George Helfensperger, of the Lithographers' association, stated yesterday that an erroneous impression had been created by the publication of a story that the association had voted to call off its boycott on the Transit company. He said that in no sense had the association withdrawn the boycott. It was discovered that the constitution of the association prohibits the passage of boycotting resolutions and these resolutions were merely rescinded in order to abide by the laws of the order.

Will Not Again Be Operated.

Marion, Ind., July 27.—The old Western rolling mill, in this city, bought in by the Republic Iron and Steel company (the trust) several months ago, is being reworked with machinery, and over 300 tons of scrap and pig iron have been shipped to one of the company's mills, in Muncie. This shows that the local plant will not be operated again.

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HERE ARE NEW ORLEANS STYLES

Night and Day of Their Rule in the Crescent City and Some Characteristic Incidents.

New Orleans, July 27.—In the rioting of Wednesday night and yesterday one negro was beaten to death, six were so badly wounded that their lives are despaired of, and about a score of people, white and black, male and female, have been more or less seriously wounded—but the white cases were accidents. Disorderly acts following the disturbances of Wednesday night were committed throughout the city yesterday and resulted in the swearing in by the mayor of 500 special policemen and the ordering out of 1,500 of the state militia upon orders of Governor Heard, who responded promptly to the appeal of Mayor Capleville for assistance in suppressing the existing lawlessness and in preventing a recurrence of violence. Throughout yesterday attacks were made by irresponsible mobs of whites upon the black element, and the negroes before nightfall had been completely chased from the streets.

Hit Them Where They Lived.

The effect of the disorders was to put a practical stop to business in the wholesale districts and on the river front, and as this meant a serious crippling of the trade of the port the business element rallied in force and hundreds of the most prominent men of the city responded to the appeal of the mayor for assistance in preserving order. The police were practically helpless throughout the disturbances. The force consists of 300 men, including clerks and operators, and this is manifestly a force inadequate to the preservation of the peace in a city of 300,000 people.

Two Causes of Mob Law.

But aside from this was fierce indignation among the members of the department over the killing of Captain Day and the shooting of Robert Charles. Further, there is a strong resentment on the part of the working people against steamship agents and contractors because of the preservation of the peace in a city of 300,000 people.

WAS SET FOR THE HOODLUMS.

Some of the Tricks They Played with the Sons of Ham. Hoodlums prowled the streets throughout the day, and whenever they spied a negro assaulted them. One of the most flagrant instances of diabolism shown was that of a man who slipped into the morgue and pointing his pistol through a window made an attempt to shoot one of the female negro prisoners in the parish prison. Just after daylight the remnants of the mob gathered at the Spanish fort railway station whence a large number of negro laborers daily leave for their work at Chalmette. They saw a crowd of whites approaching and started to chase them. Louis Lapuyard got in their way and received a bullet in the leg.

At 11 a. m. a mob marched through Lafayette street, with the city hall and disconcerting the negroes in the park jumping on and beat them until they made their escape. An hour afterward a white man saw a negro named Ross at the corner of Lafayette and Iberville streets, and he fired his gun at him. The negro made his escape. One of the most sensational incidents of the day was the discovery of two negroes wounded almost to death in a box car.

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