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LONDON, Aug. 25.—Gen. Wolseley in telegraphing the war office from Ismailia, on Thursday said: "The water in the fresh water canal has been falling for the last three days. I thought it necessary, although I had possession of Serepeum, to push forward and occupy a point on the canal seven miles west of Ismailia, where I have been warned the canal could be most seriously damaged."

SERIOUS ENGAGEMENT AT MAGFAR.

General Wolseley in a despatch to the war office, recounts an engagement at Magfar on Thursday, in which he held his ground the whole day against 10,000 Egyptians. His forces numbered about 2000 men. General Wolseley says: I advanced this morning before daybreak with the Household cavalry two horse artillery gun, 30 mounted infantry, 1000 men from the York and Lancaster regiments and marines. After some skirmishing I took possession of the dam which the enemy constructed across the canal between the villages of Magfar and Mahuta. During the operations two squadrons of the household cavalry charged the enemy's broken infantry very gallantly. He soon found that the enemy were being largely reinforced from Tel el Kebir. I could see the trains arriving, and I thought it inconsistent with the traditions of the queen's army to retire before any number of Egyptian troops; so I decided to hold the ground until reinforcements arrived. All day long I had the Egyptian force of 10,000 men with ten guns in my front and right flank. The precision of the enemy's artillery fire was good, but fortunately they fired common shell nearly all the day, and when they did fire sharpnel, their fuses were badly adjusted. The enemy had their cavalry regiments in his line and the horses having been recently on board ship were not in a condition to gallop much. Two horse artillery guns were served with pluck and ability. And casualties have been slight. Capt. Hallam Parr was wounded in the leg. Lord Melgund received a wound through the hand. Capt. Parr's mounted infantry distinguished itself. All the troops engaged did well. To-morrow (Friday) I shall attack the enemy's position at Holenke and hope to take possession of the dam they have constructed there this morning. In the telegram despatched at 2 o'clock this morning Gen. Wolseley adds: "I omitted to say that I had with me yesterday two gatling guns, worked by the seamen, who did their duty admirably."

ARABI CAMPING OUT.

ALEXANDRIA, Aug. 25.—The enemy is pitching a number of tents, variously estimated at from five hundred to one thousand, in front of their positions, but this is believed to be only a ruse to mask the withdrawal of troops.

ARABI ENTRENCHING AT HELIOPOLIS.

It is now known that the enemy is entrenching at Heliopolis, a few miles east of Cairo.

THE AUSTRIAN CAPTURES.

The Austrian man of war Nautilus still remains off Aboukir. The efforts to obtain the release of her boats crew, captured by the Egyptians on Monday have been fruitless. The emissaries which were sent to Abouky and Kafr El Dwar to endeavour to secure their release have not yet returned. The Austrian consul telegraphed to M. DeLesseps regarding the detention of the crew, but he replied that he could give no assistance.

THE RISING OF THE NILE.

Reliable information has been received from the interior to the effect that the Nile is rising rapidly, but is much below the level reached this time last year.

THE MILITARY CONVENTION.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 25—The Turkish delegates to the conference yesterday advanced fresh demands relative to the military convention with England, to the effect that the Turks should land at Alexandria, and that the proclamation relative to Arabi, instead of declaring him a rebel should summon him to submit to the khedive.

RUSSIA AND THE MILITARY CONVENTION.

Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador here, finding it impossible, in the face of the decided attitude of Lord Dufferin to get the stipulation of the military convention between Turkey and England examined and if necessary modified by the conference, is now endeavoring to have the document officially communicated to the conference as soon as it is signed. At the same time he wished to extract from Great Britain a formal declaration that she will seek no exclusive advantage in Egypt, and will submit the final solution of the question to the decision of Europe. Nelidoff has already obtained the support to his effort of at least one of his colleagues.

ARABI AND DE LESSEPS.

It is rumored that Arabi accuses M. DeLesseps of having deceived him with false promises, so as to be able to sell the Suez canal to the English, and that he has set a price on M. De Lessep's head.

EVIDENCE OF A TURCO-RUSSIAN ALLIANCE.

The Porte has finally concluded to refuse to declare Arabi a rebel in any of the ways demanded by the English government. Said Pasha and Assym Pasha, the Turkish delegates to the conference of the powers, to-day were instructed by the sultan to seek an interview with Lord Dufferin, which they did. At this interview the pashas, on behalf of the porte, submitted a new draft for a military convention between England and Turkey in regard to the occupation of Egypt. In this the porte demands that the Turkish troops be allowed to land at Alexandria independently of England, and to be subject entirely to the orders of Turkish officers, unimpeded by English restrictions. The next condition is that Arabi shall be only summoned to submit to the khedive, as the sultan's viceroy in Egypt, and that no further action shall be taken against Arabi until he has officially replied to the summons. Following close upon the visit to Dufferin of Assym Pasha and Said Pasha came the Russian member. He stated that he had been instructed by his government to signify to England through the British minister at Constantinople that Russia was desirous of signing a military convention with regard to the occupation of Egypt, providing that England would declare formally that she was willing to renounce all claims to self-advantage from her present action in Egypt at the close of hostilities, and that at the end of the war the British government submit all questions relating to the final solution of the Egyptian question to the decision of all the European governments through their ambassadors, in a conference to be assembled at Constantinople. Lord Dufferin was considerably taken back at the positive way in which the Turkish and Russian suggestions were made and at the apparently concerted time at which they were submitted to him, and it is understood that he notified the home officer that Russia and Turkey had reached a mutual understanding detrimental to the present interests of England in Egypt.

ENGLAND MAKES CONCESSIONS.

Lord Dufferin to-day informed Said Pasha and Assym Pasha that his government, yielding to the objections of the sultan, were prepared to waive the demand that any movement of the Turkish troops must be first approved of by the British. Lord Dufferin therefore proposed that the English and Turkish commanders should first deliberate together. If the English general should not approve of the proposed operations the Turkish commander would still be at liberty to carry them out. Said Pasha urged that the landing of Turkish troops at Alexandria was indispensable for the future combined action of the two armies. He suggested that Turkey would make Alexandria, which the English would evacuate, their base of operations, while the British base would be Ismailia. As far as regards military affairs, this is the only point of difference between Lord Dufferin and the porte.

ARABI'S TROOPS SUFFERING.

ISMAILI, Aug. 25.—Arabi's soldiers are doubtless suffering great hardships, as those captured by the British look worn and feeble.

ASSISTANCE FOR ARABI.

PORT SAID, Aug 25.—It is stated that some of the principal Arab merchants of Port Said and Damietta have contributed money towards the cause of the rebels. Five hundred horses have been sent them from Damietta. Wild stories are still being circulated among the natives of Arabi's great successes.

NOTES.

The British have occupied Maxime.

Owing to the fall in the canal the Ismailia company has suspended dredging.

Deserters from Arabi's forces state that Hanfi Pasha has been poisoned for disputing with Arabi.

The English made a reconnaisance on the 24th instant towards Fort Ghemileh, which they found to be still garrisoned by Arabs.

The khedive has received information that Arabi has withdrawn 5000 of his best troops from Kafr El Dwar, it is supposed, to Tel El Kebir.

Orders not to allow the disembarkation in Egypt of Turkish troops without the previous signature of the military convention and the issue of a proclamation against Arabi are again cancelled.

Damietta has been captured. The sanitary agent of the English government, a postoffice official and two priests were found there. They have been loaded with chains for the last six weeks and subjected to the most terrible cruelties.

OBITUARY.

Louis Rubio, the Italian painter, is dead.

The Gray Sentence.

DUBLIN, Aug. 25—The Lord Lieutenant has declined to interfere with Judge Lawson's course in the case of Gray.

Novel Case of Wife Beating.

BROOKLYN, Aug 25—In a quarrel last night Michael Hogan beat his wife so severely with a large family bible that she had to be taken to the hospital.

Jewish Persecution in Poland.

WARSAW, Aug. 25—Renewed outrages against the Jews are reported from the interior of Poland, the assailants being encouraged in their attacks by the apathy of the officials.

Epidemic in Sweden.

MALMO, Sweden, Aug. 25—A terrible epidemic of the nature of red thrush is prevailing here. During the past week out of 617 cases 45 proved fatal. This shows an increase of 50 per cent in the number of deaths over the preceding week.

The Extreme Penalty.

NEWCASTLE, Del., Aug. 25—James Redden (colored) was hanged this morning for outraging a girl aged thirteen. The execution was witnessed only by a few persons, including a woman who manifested a strong desire to see a man hanged.

Coup's Circus Sold.

DETROIT, Aug. 25—W. C. Coup, a well-known circus manager, after a most unfortunate season, has been obliged to let his circus go to the hammer in this city for attachments amounting to $20,000, though he claims it cost him $300,000.

Sunday Steamers at Niagara.

NIAGARA, Aug 25—Captain Fortier of the City of Toronto was fined $40 and costs to-day for running the steamer City of Toronto on Sunday with a party of excursionists from Niagara to Toronto, the magistrates holding that the excursionists were not bona fide travellers.

Shooting an Intruder.

BRIGHTON, Aug. 25.—Last night Miss Wright who was alone in the house, saw a man named Henry Ryan, who was under the influence of liquor, in the garden. She ordered him away. He refused to go and she fired a revolver at him. The ball took effect, inflicting a wound which will probably prove mortal.

The Chinese Immigration Law.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—In the case of Ah Sing, the Chinese sailor detained on his vessel owing to the non-possession of a certificate permitting him to land, Judge Field held the law did not apply to Chinese who shipped before its passage. Ah Sing then landed, as did all those who were shipped at the same time.

Resisting the Law.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 25—A gentleman named Moulton, the purchaser of the Canonchet estate, was repulsed from the property yesterday by Ex-Gov Sprague. To-day trustee Chaffee, with his lawyer, went to put Moulton in possession and found the place occupied by men hired and armed by Sprague. Sprague's son said the entrance would be resisted by rifles, gatling guns and mitrelliueses. Chaffee decided to withdraw and give the state a chance to enforce the law.

Lynch Law in Florida.

MADISON, Fla., Aug. 25—The train containing the colored prisoners, Savage and James, was met this morning by a hundred persons, a dozen of whom rushed into the train and riddled the prisoners with bullets. The prisoners were convicted of the murder of Frank Patterson in 1881 in a room where the testimony was being taken of the contested election case of Bestee v. Finlay. The prisoners had been granted a new trial.

Lachine Canal Traffic Stopped.

VALLEYFIELD, Aug. 25—About 2 a m the propelle Lake Ontario had just passed throughout the seventh lock of the Lachine canal, when the steamer Prince Arthur of the American line ran into the lower gate of the lock before the upper ones were closed, thereby letting the whole volume of water in the six-mile level pass through unchecked. Three of the gates are broken and a large force of men are busy repairing the damage. Navigation will be stopped for three days.

Fire.

GANANOQUE, Aug. 25—To-day at noon a fire broke out in the office of the custom house, occupied also as a dwelling of the officer, Mr. John Ormiston. The building is nearly a total loss. It was insured in the Ætna for $1500. The probable loss in furniture will be about $700, which is covered by insurance in the Royal.

HALIFAX, Aug. 25—A fire this morning destroyed the box factory at Bedford, causing a loss of $40,000. The insurance covers half that amount. The flames spread with such rapidity that the employees had barely time to escape.

ASSOCIATION OF SCIENCE.

Third Day's Proceedings—Interesting Papers—Decision on International Time.

MONTREAL, Aug. 25—The American association for the advancement of science settled down to its work to-day and a large amount of business was got through. The secretary announced that 282 new members had joined the association since the opening meeting. Several interesting papers were read. The discussion on Mr. Elliott's paper on "International Standard Time" was very animated. Mr. Sandford Fleming, C.E., agreed with Mr. Elliott's views in the main, but thought that no single association could determine a system of time. Dr. Brydone Jack of the University of New Brunswick, thought there should be one prime meridian established 180 degrees from Greenwich and that the day should consist of twenty-four hours. Mr. Kingsford of Ottawa delivered a very energetic address, declaring the Greenwich standard quite sufficient for all purposes. Mr. J. R. Elmonds said that the Greenwich Meridian, viz, twelve hours from Greenwich, was actually better than that through Behring's strait, since first it was better to change the date at a point one half hour east or west of the zero meridian rather than to ask an area using the same hour and minute to change the date in the middle and second, since the meridian 11½ hours west of Greenwich passed nearly through Behring's Strait. Prof. Young thought that minutes and seconds of all watches and clocks should be the same all through the country and the world, hours to differ; each place to have a local time, differing by whole hours from the Greenwich time. Prof. Pell excited great interest among the members of the association when describing his instrument for determining the location of bullets in the human body. Before the departments adjourned, it was announced that an excursion would take place to Ottawa to-morrow for the members of the association.

New York Rowdies.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25—Half a dozen young ruffians to-day entered Peter Stern's saloon and demanded drinks. Stern refused them, when Frank Nixon, ex-convict, leader of the gang, shot Stern dangerously and then jumped on a horse car. He cowed the driver with a pistol and seized the reins and drove the horses at a gallop several blocks, meantime covering passengers with his weapon. Nixon finally jumped from the car, ran down to the ferry and caught the boat just starting for Brooklyn.

The Magnetic Rod.

ERIE, Pa., Aug. 25—Captain D. Chapin, the mine locator of New Jersey, has struck a long-sought treasure by the aid of his magnetic rod. For some months he has been cruising outside Erie harbor, in hope of locating the wreck of the schooner Vermilion, which, with 350 tons of copper, sank in a storm nearly fifty years ago. This morning the magnetic indicator was violently disturbed, and attested the immediate presence of metal. Soundings were made, and the wreck discovered in fifty feet of water, and an ingot weighing fifty pounds brought to the surface. A huge diving-bell is to be placed over the spot, and men are engaged to get up the long concealed treasure, which is worth over $150,000.

Bradstreet's Weekly Report.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25—Telegraphic advices to Bradstreet's journal to-day from leading trade centres report continued improvement in the crop situation. Northwest and west there is no change to record as to damage to cotton crop from rains. General trade continues to expand in volume and points to a heavy fall trade. The industrial situation has visibly improved. The great coal strikes in Maryland and Pennsylvania and the labor troubles at Cohoes, N.Y., have been formally broken. The situation among iron strikers at Pittsburg is more in favor of the employers than ever. The failures reported throughout the United States during the week were 102, or 16 less than last week, and 3 more than in the corresponding week last year. Canada has 18.

Free Thinkers' National Convention.

WATKINS GLEN, N.Y. Aug. 24—The Free Thinkers' National Convention convened here yesterday. Some 500 delegates were present, representing most of the Northern States and some of the Southern States and Canada. Many more delegates arrived to-day. The subject of establishing a free thought college was discussed to-day, and a committee of which Col. Ingersoll will be chairman, will be appointed to see what can be done toward establishing such a university. Among the speakers in attendance are George C. Miln, of Chicago, George Chainey, of Boston, the Hon. T. B. Wakeman, of New York, Charles Bright of Australia, Mrs H. L. Lake, of San Francisco, and the Hon. A. B. Bradford, of Pennsylvania. Col. Ingersoll is expected to arrive here on Saturday, and to deliver an address on Sunday.

FROM OVER THE SEA.

Mr. M. A. Sullivan, home rule member of parliament for Meath, will visit the United States in September.

The chief of a band of savages lately imported to France for the Garden of Acclimation in Paris was, on land