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CHINESE GENERAL WITH 11,000 TROOPS HAS BEGUN REBELLION IN MONGOLIA.

Rumors to This Effect Have Now Been Well Authenticated-- Chinese Court is Seriously Alarmed--Tung Fu Sian at the Head of the Outbreak.

Pekin, April 8.—Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have received information on the subject which leads them to believe that the court is seriously alarmed.

General Tung Fu Sian, according to last accounts was about 100 miles from the court with 11,000 regular troops all supposed to be devoted to him.

Unofficial Chinamen of intelligence regard the rising as most unfortunate at the present time to the interests of China and as possibly meaning the end of foreign troops to protect even the court itself.

The ministers of the powers do not think that any present interference is likely. If the dynasty should be thrown it would, to a certain extent, delay the peace negotiations, but they consider that a regime not bound by traditions like those of the present court would probably be much easier to deal with eventually.

Pekin, April 8.—The rumors which have been current during the past few days of the outbreak of a rebellion headed by General Tung Fu Sian (formerly commander of the northern army) in the province of Mongolia and Shen Si, have been absolutely authenticated.

General Tung Fu Sian has been looked upon as the most formidable of the Chinese generals. He is an ex-Mohammedan and Central Turk. In 1890 he commanded the Chinese troops at Akai, in Kashgaria, and in 1895 he was entrusted with the task of crushing the Tung Yan rebellion in the province of Kiang Tsai.

Pekin, April 8.—According to expert opinion China would be able to pay from \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000 sterling without crippling her financial resources, while the amount which the powers at present demand aggregate from \$200,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000.

HAS HIS TREASURE. Mr. Agnew Locks Up Gainsborough Picture.

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY. Pinkertons Recovered the Painting and Mr. Agnew Does Not Know Its History of the Past 25 Years--He Does Know That It is the Long Lost Treasure.

Liverpool, April 8.—Mr. C. Morland Agnew upon his arrival here on the steamer Etruria this morning, admitted that he had the Gainsborough portrait of the Duchess of Devonshire.

London, April 8.—Some time after the arrival of Mr. C. Morland Agnew at Liverpool, a despatch was received by him here, asking him to meet his father at Euston railway station with two clerks from the office, and a detective.

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Richmond, Ky., April 8.—The order of delivery writ secured by Mrs. Mary B. Clay, which caused the trouble between General Cassius M. Clay and two deputy sheriffs at Whitehall, has been withdrawn.

Ottawa, April 8.—(Special)—A 10-story modern steel building, to be used in part for a hotel, is to replace William Howe's burnt block, near the Somerset Bridge on Riva street. W. H. Davis, of Theodore street, bought the property for \$30,000 and today set men to work to remove the refuse.

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WINS A FORTUNE. Changing R to SI Makes C. J. Dumor Heir to \$30,000.

ABANDONED BY FATHER. Had Been Adopted by Uncle, But Got Into Way of Spelling Name Wrongly--Court Allows Change--Was President of N. Y. Typographical Union.

New York, April 8.—By a decree of Judge Harrison S. Moore, just filed, a young man who since boyhood has been known as Charles James Dumor is authorized to change his name to Charles James Dumas.

By the mere change of a final "r" to a final "s," Mr. Dumor, as he should be called on and after May 1, makes himself the heir to a snug little windfall of \$30,000 or \$40,000 which will come to him on the death of his foster father, James S. Dumas.

London, April 8.—The population of India through famine and cholera is assuming alarming proportions. The latest advices from Simla say the census returns for the central provinces show a decrease of over 1,000,000 since 1891, when an increase of 1,500,000 might have been expected.

Washington, April 8.—The so-called Spanish claims commission, appointed by the president under the act of congress approved March 2, 1891, to carry into effect the stipulations of article seven of the treaty between the United States and Spain at the conclusion of the late war, met at the department of justice building today.

Madrid, April 8.—Large and excited anti-clerical meetings at Malaga, Coruna and elsewhere have passed resolutions demanding that the government expel the religious orders in Spain.

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AN INNOVATION. Suggested that Ladies Remove Hats in Church.

CROSSLEY AND HUNTER. In Their Issue of the Chatham Banner-News, Advocate This--Ladies Would Favor It--Practical Application of Golden Rule--Minister Might Aid the Plan.

Toronto, April 8.—Among the editorials contributed to the Crossley and Hunter issue of the Chatham Banner-News is the following, contributed by Mr. Hunter:

"It would greatly contribute to the interest, pleasure and profit of church services, if the ladies were to remove their hats during the delivery of the sermon. This is a common custom in many churches in the United States, and we are informed, that ladies remove their hats in theatres in our own country.

Against Summer Holidays and Organist and Choir Refuse Duty. New York, April 8.—Because the pastor, the Rev. G. G. Danison, unbeknowned to his congregation for taking vacations in the summer and neglecting his religious duties there is trouble in the Swedish Lutheran church, Jersey City.

Yonkers, N. Y., April 8.—Just as he had finished giving a defendant, and before he could swear to it, John B. Hopkins, of Bronxville, fell back in his bed Saturday night dead.

Montreal, April 8.—(Special)—The harbor commissioners today received another proposition to build elevators on the harbor front.

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RUSSELL THEATRE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Ottawa, April 8.—2:20 a. m.—(Special)—The Russell Theatre, generally admitted to be the most beautiful building of the kind in Canada, has been burning for half an hour, and is certain to be a total loss.

Fortunately everything is thoroughly soaked with the rain that has prevailed here for the past week and the danger of the fire spreading is not so great as it otherwise might be.

TESTIFIED FOR WIFE, THEN DROPPED DEAD.

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CANADIANS FIGHT DUEL WITH KNIVES.

St. Catharines, Ont., April 8.—(Special)—Frank Whitten and John Auburn, two young men well known around the town, fought a duel with knives in the rear of the Grand Opera House yesterday.

Whitten is married while Auburn is single.

OBJECTION BY PASTOR.

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