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SHANGHAI HAS BECOME AS INTERESTING A POINT AS PEKIN.

London, Aug. 20, 4.20 a. m.-Rear Admiral Bruce's report of the con-tinuation of fighting in Pekin puts a more than was generally expected here. It appears effectually to dispose of all statements that the Dowager Empress had fled, although circumstantial accounts of parture continue to come from

Shanghai.

Despite defeat, the Chinese are apparently resolved to make a desperate struggle not only in their ancient capital, but also in other parts of the Empire. Chang Chi Tung, viceroy at Hankow, and Liu Kunyi, viceroy at Nankin, according to advices from Shanghai, have threatened

capture of Pekin as a just punishment of Officials are warning Officials are warning the people not to interfere with foreigners, but also pointing out that the sole object of the powers should be the punishment of the Boters and then the restoration of peace, confining, however, their operations to the north.

It is a punishment of the people minister. Mr. Wu, is very positive that the Emperor. Empress Dowager and the entire Chinese court, left Pekin before the arrival at the gates of the allies.

Minister Wu said to the Associated

mede in the inner city, which is surrounded by the allies and being bombarded."

He expressed his gratification at the news it contained, particularly at the small loss sustained by the American troops.

A copy of the despatch likewise was sent

It will be noted that the despatch indicates that the American troops entered the legation grounds at 5 o'clock on the evening of the fourteenth inst. By the Washington officials and by the several legation officials to whom it was shown, the date of General Chaffee's communication is recovered as an error of transmistion is regarded as an error of transmis-sion. It is believed that the word "Fif-teenth" should be "Sixteenth." All preteenth' should be "Sixteenth." All pre-vious advices, official and unofficial, have indicated that the legations were relievnesday, after a day of sharp fighting. Minister Wu, the Chinese representative and Mr. Takahira of Japan, were quite positive on this point, all their official ad-vices being that entrance to the city of Positive on this point, an early of order being that entrance to the city of Pekin was effected early in the evening of Wednesday, the fifteenth inst.

The fact that only the fourteenth in-

fantry and Riley's battery entered the patch, does not indicate that the Ninth Infantry and the marines, who were sp conspicuously gallant throughout the ad-vance upon the capital did not participate in the engagement which resulted directly in the rescue of the besieged legationers. It is pointed out as likely that General Chaffee, acting in consonance with the other commanders, divided his force, leaving the Ninth Infantry and

difficials are warning the people of Shanghai, have threatened the consuls that if the person of the Chinese should make their final stand within its shadows. Prior to the receipt of the despatch announces the death of Li Ping Heng, Cheng and Chung Lui Lin in the fighting before Perint.

The Mandarins in the southern provincing to a despatch to the Daily Express from Hong Kong, have issued an mportant proclamation recognizing the spatter of Pekin as, a, just punishment of officials are warning the people

Minister Wu said to the Associated Press to-day that he has official advices Emperor Nicholas has wired to General Linevitch, commander of the Russian troops in the province of Pe Chi Li, congratulating him heartily upon the rapid capture of Pekin, and bestowing upon him the third class order of St. George. The Russian Emperor also thanks Vice-Admiral Alexieff and the "Heroic Siber-Nicholas has wired to General to the effect that the Emperor and Empress Downger had gone from Pekin to the province of Shen Si, a considerable distance west of the captul city. He had not been advised to what city they had gone, but it seemed probable that their destination was the capital of Shen Si province. The minister believed they

Substantially, the information contained in the above despatch was received by the Associated Press yesterday direct from Tokio. It contains the explicit and reassuring statement that "the ministers and staffs were found safe." It is more direct and complete in detail than the American advices thus far re-

The Legationers Have Been Relieved and

Trouble is About to Begin. Trouble is About to Begin.

Washington, Aug. 19.—Now that the primary object for which the allied armies marched upon Pekin, viz., the rescue of the besieged legationers, has been accomplished the drift of discussion in official and diplomatic circles reverts to the next step to be taken. Necessarily many of the predictions as to what this will be are purely conjectural, as it is realized that complete and definite information regarding the condition of affairs in Pekin must be awaited before any positive action can awaited before any positive action can

be awanted before any positive action can be taken by the governments whose interests have suffered as a result of the Chinse troubles.

"We are on the threshold of an entirely new condition of affairs; a new aspect confronts as," said a well-posted official of this government toyight. confronts us," said a well-posted official of this government tonight. "The efforts of the several governments during the past few weeks have been devoted to the rescue of the legationers in Pekin. Now that that has been accomplished the course of the governments whose interests have been affected is for the present one have been affected is for the present one of the governments whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the governments whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the government whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the government whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the government whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the government whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the government whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the government whose interests have been affected in the day of the day of the several governments during the past few weeks have been devoted to the rescue of the legationers in Pekin. Now that the lay of the gates are the legation of the government whose interests have been affected is for the present one of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the government whose interests have been affected in the legation of the legat

Admiral Remey's despatch, which contains much interesting information in few words, is as follows:

"Chee Foo (no date), Bureau of Navigation, Washington:

"Taku, 18th—Telegraph line to Pekin interrupted. Information, Japanese sources, Empress Dowager detained by Prince et Expurgedo inner city, which being bombarded by allies. Chaffee reports entered legation grounds evening fourteenth. Eight wounded during day's fighting; otherwise all well.

"REMEY."

The startling feature of the despatch is that fighting within the city of Pekin was continuing, according to the advices of Admiral Remey. The inner or, as it is popularly known, the forbidden city, evidently had not been taken. It is surrounded by a massive wall of solid massion, more than twenty feet high and it is not regarded as surprising that the Chinese absently make their feat to the familes in their march to Pekin are fixed hitherto on Pekin are turning to Shanghai where an embroglio, resulting from the jealousy and suspicion of the seems altogether probable as with his well swell as with his well seems altogether probable as with his well government is not known here but such the seems altogether probable as with his well government is not known here but such the seems altogether probable as with his well government is not known here but such the seems altogether probable as with his well government is not known here but such the seems altogether probable as with his well government is not known here but such the seems altogether probable as with his well seems altogether probable as with

Landing of British Regiments at Shanghai Does Not Excite the Same Alarm as With European Nations.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The government, now fully satisfied by the advices in hand that the international troops have entered

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Shannghai, Aug. 18—In consequence of the landing of British troops the French have arranged to land 150 bluejackets at

The British Officer Should Know

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Other Nations are Doing the Same.

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The situation in the valley of the Yang Tatuation in the valley of the Yang Temperature values of the Boer's own way, if he is allowed a troops mutnied, but the the outbreak was cuelled.

Russia's campaign in Manchuria seems to be progressing satisfactorily. General Cholf, chief of staff of the Russian and Event Ching, reports on August 14, they attacked the Chinese at Medu-Chei on August 12. 'and subsequently advanced to Yak Shi and coptured an abundance of stores. The Chinese are said to be gathering in force in the neighborhood of Kobdo from which place the Russian and Tartar residents, have departed.

A Berlin deepatch dated this (Sunday) morning says the German marine battalions grived at Tien Tsin on Thursday.

French Marines to Land.

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to get along without drill, which is indispensable. We Americans better understand the stuff of which these irregulars are made. They are keener on drill and perfection of movement than any English Tommies. They also fully admit the officer's right to command. But at his right to assert a superior manhood or to slang and bully them they instantly draw the line.

A war correspondent, but one whose experience and leanings entitie his opinions of the person of the present classification has to be submitted to and approved of by the governor general in council;

Therefore, resolved that the Maritime Board of Trade, recognizing the altered circumstances to our farmers and apple growers of the present classification under which apples in barrels are classified in less quantities than carloads as fifth-class, never pass his lips.

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At the dinner which followed, after to respect, declared in the Friend (the to respect, declared in the Friend (the to respect, declared in the Boundary of whose trial, the seventieth anniversary of the seven would be the better for reforms esqualling war correspondents' newspaper at Bloem-fontein) that the science of war has been Pekin and that the legations are saved, is a reconstruction, writes Julian Ralph to revolutionized. He dwelt upon certain calmly awaiting detailed statements from its own officers on the grounds. Despectively. Many thoughtless persons in England have said again and again that in future infantry at the Foo, Consul General Good-that the British officers are stupid, but it "contain" opposing infantry, and to hold capture of Pekin, and bestowing upon had not been advised to what city they had gone, but it seemed probable that their destination was the capital of Shen Si province. The minister believed they are entirely out of danger. The statement that the Empress Dowager was defained by Prince Yungedo therefore gave that the Empress Dowager was decard from, however, and it is to them and only one has resorted to strategy in that the British officers are stupid, but it is not so. Many British officers have some in England have said again and again the thet that the British officers are stupid, but it is not so. Many British officers have so were entirely out of danger. The statement that the Empress Dowager was decard from, however, and it is to them had not been advised to what city they be used for two purposes—to that the British officers are stupid, but it is not so. Many British officers have of the capture and relief. Neither General Greekokoff, Russian commander that the Empress Dowager was decard from, however, and it is to them General Gredokoff, Russian commander of the Amur government, reports to the Russian war office that Chingan Pass was captured August 16, after a bloody battle, in which the Chinese suffered heavily, losing four or five guns. The Russian cavalry were in pursuit of the encoration of no such person.

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birth occurred today, Emperor William proposed the following toast:

"Health to our noble ally and the true friend of our land, whom we all honor from the bottom of our hearts."

Resolutions Rushed Through the Maritime Board.

resolution passed the meeting unanimous-ly with the exception of the one recom-wish to form boards of trade and have the stylly, losing four or five guns. The Russian eavalry were in pursuit of the enemy.

The principal Russian papers, notably his Novoe Versingail, commenting upon the victory at Pekin, declare that Russian should so how further in participating in same that they did not under the victory at Pekin, declare that Russian should so how further in participating in same that they did not under the victory at Pekin, declare that Russian should so how further in participating in same that they did not under the force is trying to outflank the other. The resolution passed the meeting unanimous playing a game that they did not under the force is trying to outflank the other. The resolution passed the meeting unanimous playing a game that they did not under the force is trying to outflank the other. The resolution passed the meeting unanimous playing a game that they did not under the detail that they did not under the decrease of the force is trying to outflank the other. The resolution passed the meeting unanimous playing a game that they did not under the decrease of the force is trying to outflank the other. The resolution passed the meeting unanimous playing a game that they did not under the decrease of the future, the content of the force is trying to outflank the other. The The Tactics of the Future, the content of the future between the meeting unanimous playing a game that they did not under the decrease of the future blaying a game and the other. The The Tactics of the Future, the content in the detail they with the east the density of the stand—a protession that they did not under the decrease of the future, the content is the decrease of the future between the meeting of trade and to other the decrease of the future, the content is the decrease of the future, the content is the decrease of the future and the decrease of the future, the content is the decrease of the future, the content is the decrease of the future and the decrease of the future. The The Tactios of the trade and the other. The The Tactios o

appearance of nearly and purson in this war was an abnormal incident unlikely to occur often, the attendance of the delegates had fallen off from over 40 to 15. Unpre-

ments, this expert suggested that each division should contain a couple of mounted infantry regiments of 600 men each, enlisted as such and trained as such, and

In view of the large number of visitors

"My dear Von Waldersee, I congratulate you that I am today again able to greet you as the head of the united troops of the civilized world. It is of great signifi-

third-class and in carloads as fifth-class, while flour, the staple product of the western provinces, is classified as fourth and eighth classes, ask the government to have apples classed the same as flour.

Incorporation of Boards of Trades.

Whereas, the act of incorporation of boards of trade, section 2, chapter 130, of the Revised Statutes of Canada does not permit of farmers becoming charter members of these boards and require a population of 2.500, and whereas there is likely to be formed throughout these maritime provinces boards of trade for the onvention at Kentville, N. S., every engaged in agriculture, and whereas many

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Freight Rates on Fruit.

Washington, Aug 18.-Washington today and tonight entertained the army of fourteen hundred Cuban school teachers who have been visiting this country to observe American educational methods. They were received at the white house this afternoon, inspected the congressistal library later in the day and were entertained this evening at Glencho, a suburban resort. After leaving the white house the resort of the congression of the co the party gathered on the lawns and sang patriotic songs. Gen. Cisneros, expresident of Cuba. an idol of patriotic Cubans, was discovered in the crowd and a big demonstration ensued. Women, frantic with joy, threw their arms around the old soldier's neck and men tossed their hats in the air. Then the crowd embarked on the electric cars for Glenecho. At the auditorium there, amid decorations representing the Cuban and American colors, there was a patriotic con-

FOR BELLEISLE.

Steamer Springfield.

Having been rebuilt and put in thorough order for the season's work, will leave North End, every Tuesday, Thursday at 12 o'clock, and Saturday at 2 p. m., local time, until further actice, for the Belleisle, Scenery unsurpassed. Calling at all the intermediate points on the river and Belleisle, returning on alternate days at 1 p. m. This is a very fine route for the wheel, as the roads are good, and any person having to be in St. John for business Monday morning can wheel to Norton or Hampton and arriv St. John by early train. Fare and fre low as usual.

P. S.—This favorite steamer can be tered for excursion parties Monday, V.