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DROWNED AT KINGSVILLE. Kingsville, Ont., Aug. 31.-Arthur McKinnon, the 12-year-old son of Thos. McKinnon, of this place, was drowned yesterday in the harbor by diving off a boat and getting entangled in the sea-weeds at the bottom of the lake. The body was recovered, but attempts made to resuscitate were of no avail.

BOYS' BRIGADE IN CANADA. Toronto, Aug. 31.-Hon. George W. Ross, brigade president, and T. W. Nisbet, brigade secretary, have issued the call for the fifth annual meeting of the Brigade Council in Canada, to be held Monday and Tuesday next.

According to a German scientist the earth weighs 11,913,000,000,000,000 pounds.

Russo-American Propositions

Regarded With Suspicion by the Press of Old London.

Disposition to Distrust Li Hung Chang-Comments of the Leading Newspapers-Text of Russia's Official Note to the Other Powers.

London, Friday, Aug. 31-3:20 a.m.-The Russo-American "surprise," as it is called, is the chief feature of the morning papers. While Russia's part in the proposal is regarded with con-siderable suspicion, it is generally re-cognized that the flight of the em-press dowager and the emperor ren-ders the situation extremely difficult, and, therefore, that it might be wise to adopt the Russo-American pro-gramme as the best solution of the problem. At the same time, a very strong feeling is displayed in favor of a more vigorous line of policy.

VARIOUS VIEWS. The Daily Graphic says: "The Unit-ed States are almost morbidly anxious to wash their hands of the Chinese embarrassment. This has long been apparent. But it is rather surprising to hear that their anxiety is shared by Russia. With the possible excep-tion of Germany, there is probably not another power that would seriously object to the evacuation of Pekin."

The Daily Mail observes: "Probably Russia, with the assistance of the United States and France, hopes to dictate to other powers a far eastern policy, insuring the accomplishment of Russian designs, which would be greatly facilitated by the acceptance of Li Hung Chang as plenipotentiary. The powers should refuse to accept any intermediary or to evacuate Pekin, which would be interpreted as a sign of weakness."

The Daily Express and the Daily Chronicle protest against placing any reliance on the professions of Li Hung Chang or of the Chinese authorities. The Standard says: "It is not easy to overrate the importance of the de-cision of the United States. The de-sire of both Washington and St. Petersburg to withdraw from Pekin is very intelligible. Public opinion in America is adverse to foreign com-plications, while Russia has discovered that conditions are not propitious for the achievement of her aims. She lacks the necessary large army, and wants the Trans-Siberian Railway completed before she can stretch her arms over Northern Asia. The powers must, how-ever, retain the hold on the capital. Withdrawal, although consistent with the dignity of the Washington govern-ment, would be quite impracticable for the others. It would be counted as a triumph by the anti-foreign party in China."

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THE PROPOSAL TO WITHDRAW FROM PEKIN. The state department has dispatched its instructions to the United States diplomatic representatives abroad in conformity with the decision reached yesterday by the cabinet upon the Russian proposal to withdraw the troops in Pekin in order to allow the empress dowager and Emperor Kwang Su to return to the capital to institute negotiations for a settlement with the powers. All of these steps are matters of common agreement, so it was not possible for two of the nations concerned (Russia and the United States) to make agreements between themselves, at this stage, at least, as it is necessary to advise each of the governments represented in China of the various propositions as they are broached.

THE CONDITIONS. The instructions sent to the United States representatives recall to their minds the conditions which the American Rennkamp's flying column is pushing rapidly towards Tai Tai Har.

The telegraph is working from Agui to Morgan. The Russian losses during the advance were three officers and 22 men killed, and 5 officers and 79 men wounded.

AT PAO TING FU. A dispatch from Tien Tsin reports that the allies have occupied Pao Ting Fu.

Suggestions MADE BY RUSSIA. London, Aug. 30.-The officials of the foreign office informed a repre-sentative of the Associated Press this afternoon that Russia has made cer-tain suggestions relative to China, but they were unwilling to consent to their publication at present.

Washington, Aug. 30.-The course of the United States in the pending Chinese negotiations was made more clear today by an important note, embodying a communication from Russia and advising the powers of the action taken by the government. The Russian note declared the interdiction of Li Hung Chang's communication with the Chinese government was "in-explorable," and asked that the powers direct their commanders to vacate the order. The United States concurs with the position of Russia, and informs the powers that instructions have been sent to the American representative in China in the spirit of the Russian note.

THE RUSSIAN NOTE. Telegram sent to the representatives of the United States in Berlin, Vienna, Paris, London, Rome, Tokio and St. Petersburg: "Department of State, Washington, Aug. 24, 1900.-The following note was received by us from the charge of the Russian Government at this capital, Aug. 17:

"I have just received a communication from the imperial government in-forming me of the resolution of the admirals of the allied fleets interdict-ing the plenipotentiary of the Chinese Government, Li Hung Chang, from all communication in the event of his arrival at Taku. This resolution being inexplic-able in view of the fact that all pow-ers have recognized the utility of ad-mitting his (Li Hung Chang's) ser-vices in the eventual negotiations for peace, and especially because it would be impossible for him to fulfill his mis-sion in the character of plenipotentiary. If this were done, it would be desired that the interested governments should give orders to countermand the above mentioned decision."

WHAT REMY SAYS. "Inquiry of Admiral Remy, com-manding our fleet at Taku, was first answered that no such resolution had been adopted. He now cables that the admirals have agreed to write the chief of the legations at Pekin in-structions, in case Li Hung Chang should arrive at Taku, and meantime not to allow him to communicate with the Chinese shore authorities. Remy dissents from the latest proposition."

AGREE WITH RUSSIA. "We take the same view expressed in the Russian note. In the interests of peace, and the effective presentation of the just demands of all the powers against China, it seems important that the Chinese plenipotentiary should be able to communicate both with his own government and its military com-mandant, whose action will be neces-sary to the suspension of hostilities as required in my telegram to you of the 22nd. The Chinese minister here is