POOR DOCUMENT

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 18, 19,0.

of the Daily Express, wiring yesterday. He

Paris, message repeats this; but the with the army at Matery it is felt that any one of several conditions might be reserve. Other London morning curred in the belief expressed by the Chin-

Infogration Concerning China Not Given

Out so Freely as in the Past.

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of Pekin. The advantages of this points are found in the fact that ice will not interfere with the going and coming of ships with supplies. It also is said that the road from Lin Yu to Pekin is much better than between Tien Tsin and Pekin, as the ground is higher and the country more suitable for inilitary operations.

Word came early in the day to the many department that General Chaffee, reached Matow, about 20 mi'es from Pekin. This occurred Friday or Saturday, though the despatch from General Chaffee, sent through Admiral Remey, was not sufficiently definite to locate the exact time of reaching Matow. But in any event three or four days have eapsed since them and there has been time for a still further advance toward the imperial city. The feeling among officials was shown in the extreme circumspection, shown about all messages relating to China and it, was announced both at the state and war departments that any communication from Minister Conger or the United States consults.

China was without foundation. It is considered a guifcoant that while the considered significant that while the quartering of the American forces to the quartering o

concerning affairs in China would not be made public.

It was explained that this was in no way due to any desire to keep from the public information of any important character, but was based solely on the fact that the crisis involved so many jossibilities of extreme hazard to the 800 legal tioners in Pekin that the greatest caution must be observed against disclosures which would further imperil those in danger.

The actual developments of the cay consisted of the Remey despatch heretofore alluded to and one from Consul General Goodnow at Shanghai. The state department worked on it last night and to day. So far as made out the despatch appears to contain a message from Minister Conger, transmitted to the Koo by a courier. The gist of the Conger message contained in the cablegram is that the situation in Pekin is more critical and that the Chinese government is endeavoring to force the ministric to leave the imperial city under Chinese escort before the arrival of the relief column. Beyond this point the despatch is unintelligible.

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The cipher courts were busy with a despetch from Cossul Powter at the Foo. Bishop of Shanghai and the lower Yang which was so whinte ligible that it had to

Reached on Monday.

London, Aug. 16, 3.50 a. m.—"The allies are reported to have reached Pekin Monday," says the Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Express, wiring yesterday. He

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the entrance of the Russian force. This independent action is calculated to embarrass the allies seriously. Japan demands that Gen. Yung Lu shall meet the allies outside the city gates and deliver the univisters and all the native Christians."

The Chinese minister in London, Sir Chih Chen Lofeng Lu, is quoted as saying:

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Matow is about 11 miles from Tung Chow.

From Tung Chox, the key to the gate of Pekin, and on this basis Gen. Chaffee is to-day either in possession of Tung Chow or engaged with the Chine e army behind the walls. The war department is highly gratified at the report of Gen. Chaffee's steady advance, which for a week past has been scouted by some European war offices as a foolhardy piece of adventure.

Of quite as much interest as the record of the army's advance is the speculation now current about state department as to the status of diplomatic negotiations.

The American A. A. will hold a bicycle.

received, although it was stated that there were quite a number from Minister Conger, some caping from the consular officers and General Chaffee, besides those which came direct. The message transmitted through Minister Wu was entirely deciphered in the department.

In a conversation today between Segretary Root and Baron Speek 'Von Stern Broot gained considerable information concerning the route which has yet for trayersed by the allied armies. Baron Sternberg teld him that Tung Chow wis a strong place and if the Chinese army should make a stand at this noint the international forces would find it difficult to overcome the forts and walls. While it is not known what resistance may have been or will be made to the advance at Tung Chow, Secretary Root and other officials would not be supprised to learn of a serious battle at that place.

It is expected that the German force mow on its way to China will land in the vicinity of Lin Yu, which is directly east of Pekin. The advantages of this point age found in the fact that ice will not ships with supplies. It also is said that the supplies with supplies. It also is said that the preparations up to a recent date looked to the quartering of the American force. The Conger may statement from Minister Conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would the text of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would the text of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would be answered in connective to the recent date of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would the text of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would the text of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would the text of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would the text of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no questions would the text of the conger despatch be kept screet, but no form the fact that place.

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A Manglet Despatch.

THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY O What do You Drink in Hot Weather?

When you are warm, tired and thirsty, spirits make you feel worse, and iced drinks furnish only temporary relief.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

A teaspoonful of

in a glass of ordinary cool drinking water is the most refreshing and cooling drink obtainable. It not only quenches the thirst, but lowers the temperature of the blood. It is better and cheaper than any mineral water or so-called summer drink.

A pamphlet explaining the many uses of this scientific preparation will be mailed free on applica-

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS, 25c and 6oc a bottle.

steamship lines the question of undesirable immigration to the United States through Canada. So many immigrants are coming to this country through that route that the treasury threatened to story of suicide. put into execution stringent plans to stop the influx. At the conference in Canada the railroad and steamship authorities made a number of promises and suggestions. One of these plans finally adopted will permit the examination of all im-migrants destined for Canada or this others is likely to occur early in the day. This probably will assume the aspect of a cabinet conference if, ir deed, it is not felt desirable to hold a special cabinet the soldiery. They may turn and rend the legations. I do not believe the legations. I do not believe the legations. I do not believe the legations as the powers refrain from attacking Pekin and negotiate for the surrender of the ministers."

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Gen. Chaffee Telegraphs from Matow Be-diner for the surrender of the ministers." country at the port of Liverpool before

serves, with as many more policemen on regular patrol duty to restore order. Clubs were used until the policemen were almost exchausted. Revolvers were emptied into the air and in one or two instances, fired at the upper stories of the negro tenements, from which the negroes defensively fired bricks, paving stones and other missiles. That many negroes were not killed outright is marvelous.

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The French Torpedo Boat Went Down Quickly.

According to their account the Framee approached the Bronnus at a speed of 16 knots to receive an order for the cruiser Foudre. Seeing that he had gone too near the captain of the Framee told the helmsman to steer to the left, but his order was migualerated. is soon to receive the first vi it in the history of the country from a warship of the navy of Greece. The second-class cruiser Nauarchos Miaulis sailed from Piraeus, Greece (the port of Athens), on the 17th of July on the first voyage of any Greecian war vessel across the Atlantic

The Framee was not cut in twain, but was thrown on her side. Captain Mauduit De Plesax clung to the capsized vessel and refused with great energy the help of the quartermaster of the Bronnus, ho came to his assistance in a boat. He cried out: "Courage, my men. Try to save your-When her visit to this port is concluded the vessel will proceed to Boston, whence she will sail for home. The Frames sank in three minutes. The Painter Thrown Beneath the Wheels of a

Greecian war vessel across the Atlantic.
The Grecian consul general in this city,
Mr. D. N. Botassi, said he expected to see the vessel drop anchor in New York harbor the first fortnight in September.

the Turkish Government.

ing Canada.

Ambassador Lodges Strong Protest With The Montmorency Cotton Mill Will Have Nothing to Do With Them.

London, Aug. 14.—The British foreign office has received a despatch from Sir Nicholas O'Conor, the British ambassador it Constantinople, announcing that the British vice consul at Van, while travelling, was fired on by Kurds, and his dragoman was wounded. The consul pothis party away with difficulty and his baggage was lost. The ambassador has lodged a strong protest with the Turkish government.

Quebec, Aug. 15—(Special)—For some time past the Montmorency Cotton Mills Company have found that the branch of Knights of Labor estiblished there, has been interfering with their he'p, and the company decided to discharge all their union help and employ no ody who was a member of any labor organization except benevolent societies. The company gave two weeks'-notice to this effect. A great many union hands resigned from the society and went back to work under an agreement not to join any such organization.

Lady Seymour and Lady Pole-Carew Cross-Lady Seymour and Lady Pole-Carew Cross-, tion.

Says Her Husband Ended His Life Before Her Eyes-May Be Insane.

Winnipeg, Aug. 15-(Special)-Lady Sevat Shanghai, and Lady Pole-Carew, passed through Winnipeg last evening en route from Hong Kong to Engand. They were in the private far Kaministiquia and were accompanied by a doctor, as Lady Soymour is in very poor health.

Liberal Standard Bearer.

Saunia, Aug. 15.—(Special)—The Liberal Stand

largely for the purpose of going over all persons diseased and unstraction as already developed. Baron structured from Bersher arrived from Bership only a few days ago and has assumed charge of German interests here. Count von Hacke, recent German charge d'affaires, is going to Europe on leave until faires, is going to Europe on leave until Nevember.

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The Kentucky Trial.

Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 15.-Three of Nova Sco'ia, and who has been spending his holidays at his home here, went to Chatham last night to enter the bank's hranch at that place.

The Citizens' band and Moucton cricket town, probably next week.

The United States to be Visited by a Warspeeches have been made and a fourth is under way in the Powers trial. Victor Commonwealth's Attorney Frankin will close Saturday morning. The Youtsey case will be called and selection of jury

begun Saturday.

Most people in Georgetown believe it will be a hung jury.

Hon. J. K. Hendricks spoke today for prosecution in the closing arguments of the trial of former Secretary of State Powers for alleged complicity in the killing of Governor Goebel. He reviewed the testimony in an effort to show that the charges in the indictment had been amply proved by witnesses who were not co-

New York Central Express.

Lockport, N. Y., Aug. 15. Charles Geiger, of Rochester, was instantly killed this morning. He was on a ladder painting a signal tower of the New York Cen-tral road near West Gulf bridge. The

Concord, N. H., Aug. 15.—The city treasurer today paid out \$382.50 in bounties upon grasshoppers at \$1 a bushel under the state law.

Maritime Habitants.

Arichat, N. S., Aug. 15-(Special)-The Archaet, N. S., Aug. 19—(Special)—The Acadians of the maritime provinces met here today in their fourth convention, to commemorate the deeds of their forefath-

Plan to Avoid Trouble Over

Undesirable Immigrants.

Washington, Aug. 15.—T. V. Powderly, commissioner of immigration, has returned from Canada where he went with Assistant Secretary Taylor of the treasury department to discuss with Canadian of ficials and the managers of railroads and steamship lines the question of undesirable.

Ade and jumped from the bridge into the river because she had reproved him for dissipation. She gave her name as Maggia Kilgariff and dissipation. She gave her name as Maggia Kilgariff and said that they lived in Philadelphia. Today the woman was arraispned in police court where she told several conficulty and the managers of railroads and steamship lines the question of undesirable into the discuss with Canadian of ficials and the managers of railroads and steamshoat companies to give low rates for an expective ended at 12.30.

Dinner was served at the convent, 500 Dinner was served at the convent, 500

A physician from the Brooklyn hospital, who had noted the woman's case while she was at the station house, pronounced her a sufferer from hysteria, due evidently to shock. The potice do not credit the story of suicide.

The Great Northern Vs. the C. P. R.

Montreal, Aug. 15—(Special)—The freight department of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company are reluctant to believe that President Hill, of the Great Northern Railway will carry out his threat to precipitate one of the hottest and longest freight wars ever known in the history of railroading. The Great Northern have now under construction two gigantic construction to construction to construction two gigantic construction two gigantic construction two gigantic constructions at the station formed and an address of welcome to Sir Wilfrid was given fried.

On rising to reply, Sir Wilfrid was given for the spoke first in French a great ovation. He spoke first in French and then in English. The sentiments were closured that then in English. The sentiments were detablished during the year—Yarmouth, Canning, Bridgewater, Liverpool, Digby, Stellarton and Westville. Londonderry resigned. In Now Brunswick there established during the year—Yarmouth, Canning, Bridgewater, Liverpool, Digby, Canning, Bridgewater, Liverpool, Di

Gen. Ian Hamilton, with a force of cavalry, has been sent to relieve the garrison.

London, Aug. 15.—The war office has received a despatch from Lord Roberts announcing that Col. Hore was holding out at Elands River last Friday. Lord Roberts considers that Gen. Hamilton's cavalry must now be within 40 miles of Elands River.

Speed, Legislative Union of the Maritime Provinces.

FOOT BLM

Soothes and eases bunions, corns and ingrowing toe nails and dispels all perspira-

Quebec, Aug. 15.—(Special)—A meeting called for the purpose of arranging a pub-ing reception to the invalided Canadians from South Africa who are to arrive here on the steamers Parisian and Lake On-tario, was held in the city hall this after-noon. The programme of reception will be arranged tomorrow night at the City

Belleville, Ont., Aug. 15.—C. B. Johnson, son of Mayor Johnson, of Belleville, who graduated at the Royal Military College in June and was given a commission in the Royal Engineers, has been ordered by cable to report at Chatham, Eng., on Sept. 1. He sails from Montreal on the Corinthian Saturday next.

Amherst News.

Amherst, Aug. 15.-Ex-Warden Alexander Wilson, of Pugwash, who has been spending some months in his native land, Scotland, has arrived home looking much the better of his trip. Mr. Wilson is one of the number mentioned as the late Hon. A. R. Dickey's successors as Conservative \$500,000 over last year.

andidate for this county.

H. J. Logan, M. P., went to New Glasgow on Monday to join Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party.
Councillor A. L. McDonald has, so it

is said, secured a fifty mile contract on a new railway being built near Winnipeg. C. K.Silliker is erecting a very fandsome esidence at the corner of Church and ad several good offers for this property. H. C. Jenks, of the firm of Logan, Jenks & Outhit, barristers, left last evening for an extended trip to Boston and New York. He was accompanied by

Mr. N. Curry, of Rhodes, Curry & Company, Mr. A. G. Robb, of the Robb Engineering Company, and Mr. Rolland Rob, son of Councillor D. W. Robb, who

have each very fine yachts, took a party from Tidnish on Friday evening to Char-lottetown, P. E. I. At a very large and representative meet ing of the parishioners of Christ's church, held in the Parish House hall last evening for the purpose of electing a rector to succeed the Rev. V. E. Harris, who lately resigned, Rev. J. R. deWolf Cowie was pointed to confer with him, who will leave n a few weeks to wait on Mr. Cowie and offer him the rectorship. Rev. Mr. Harris will leave about the last of September

A Big Convention of the Representative Men From the Three Provinces.

Kentville, N. S., Aug. 15-(Special)here today in their fourth convention, to commemorate the deeds of their forefathers and to welcome Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The town was brilliant with colored flags and bunting, the Union Jack, the tri-color and the ensign of Acadie waving side by side. Mottoes of welcome were strung across the streets and many residences signified by appropriate decorations the coming of the distinguished visitors.

Acadian delegates were present from all parts of the dominion and the New England states. On Sir Wilfrid's arrival he was greeted with rousing cheers and a salute was fired from two cannons.

About 2.000 people were in attendance at the opening ceremonies on the academy grounds. Among those present were Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Lady Laurier, Senator Porier, Judge Landry, Premier Murray, Senator Casgrain, L. Islois, M. P. P. for Montmagny, and Louis Lavergne, M. P. At 10.30 o'clock high mass was celebrated in the Arichat church, the celebrant being Rev. Father Dagnan, superior of St. Ann's College and provincial of the Endist Order in Canada. Sir Wilfrid, Lady Laurier and party were given seats of honor in front of the altar. About 30 priests were present. Rev. Father Dagnan's sermon was an able effective of the delegates present from St. John was an election of the altar. About 30 priests were present. Rev. Father Dagnan's sermon was an able effective for the delegates present from St. John was an election of the altar. About 30 priests were present. Rev. Father Dagnan's sermon was an able effective for the delegates present from St. John and one letter suggested that the board consider the scheme of holding and old home tourist week. The idea is to induce the raillroad and steamboat companies to give low rates for an extended presented as present from St. John and one letter suggested that the board consider the scheme of holding and old home tourist week. The idea is to induce the raillroad and steamboat to mother the present the present the present the present the present present and the present from St. John and one

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growing toe nails and dispels all perspiration odors of the feet and armpits. Price 25 cents a box at all druggists, or by mail. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont.

Special Session in Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 15.-Governor Beckham this afternoon issued a proclamation convening the general assembly in extra session Aug. 28. The only subject to be considered is the modification or amendment of the Goebel election law.

On His Wife's Grave.

Norwich, Ont., Aug. 16.—Ulrich Ruppen-recht shot himself through the head at his wife's grave this afternoon. Mrs. Ruppen-recht died very suddenly recently from pois-oning and this is, supposed to have induced the melancholy which seized the unfortunate man.

Increase in Estimates.

Victoria, Aug. 15-(Special)-The estimates brought down by the British Columbia government amount to \$2,500,000, an increase of

WANTED.

AGENTS-OUR NEW BOOK ON THE WAR in South Africa, containing its complete and authentic history will be issued as soon and authentic history will be issued as about as the war ends in one large, handsome volume, at the low price of \$1.75 in cloth, and \$2.75 in full morocco gilt. In point of authorship this book is excellent and, by honest comparison will be found the most complete and valuable war book on the market. It is the only book giving prominence to our maritime province volunteers ence to our maritime province volunteers who went to the war, and contains special who went to the war, and contains we want Mr. and Mrs. M. Heins, of New York, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cooksen, Church street.

The Robb Enginering Company have presented one of the hot water boilers to the new science building in connection with the University of New Brunswick.

Mr. N. Curry, of Rhodes, Curry & Company & Company are to the war, and contains special portraits of many of them. We want Agents everywhere to sell this superb work. Special terms guaranteed to those who act now. Large sample prospectus book and full particulars mailed for 25 cents in postage stamps. Address R. A. H. Morrow, 50 Garden street, St. John, N. B.

A NEW IDEA. H w to obtain a Beauth ful Silver Set; Par lor Clock, Fancy Rocker, Silk Um brella or Kodak, free, Goods guaranteed to be worth \$5.00 to \$6.00 each. Send 2c, stamp for particulars. The Great Idea Co, Clearfield, Pa WANTED-Men I can put you in the way of securing a good position if ready to begin work at once or shortly. No charge for my services. C. A. Newton, Ridgeville, Ont.

AGENTS to sell 14-k, gold watches of and the state of the self 14-k, gold wateries of bankrupt stock. Enormous profits. Write at once for particulars or send money order for \$3.95 for sample, guaranteed for 20 years (retailing at \$13.00) with the privilege of returning. New England Watch Co., 307.9-11 Grand Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

SALESMAN WANTED-To sell Fruit and it is understood will sail immediately for England.
Rev. D. A. Steel, D. D., will administer the rite of baptism to three candidates at Trueman's Mill Pond, Point du Chene, on Sunday afternoon next.

SALESMAN WANTED—10 sent Fruit Trees and Ornamental Shrubs, Roses, etc., the finest range of goods in Canada. Steady employment and good pay. Will sell direct to purchaser where we have no agent; stock guaranteed; delivery in healthy condition. Write, PELHAM NURSERY CO., Toronto.

WANTED—Parties to do knitting for us at home; we furnish yarn and machine; good easy work; we pay \$10 per hundred for bicycle hose, and other work according 19. We also want a man in each town to look after our work. Send stamps for particulars. Standard Hose Company, 79 Adelaide St., E. Toronto.