

termination of all foreigners in China. Large numbers of refugees are arriving here from the north. All is quiet here and in the Yang Tse Kiang valley.

Opinion at Berlin.

Berlin, June 23.-The Chinese troubles have almost completely event the South African war from public attention. In political circles here it is known that the foreign office was quite surprised by the ments from the allied ships. No action

Official Dispatch.

London, June 25 .- The admiralty has Rear-Admiral Bruce, dated Taku, via

Chee Foo, June 24th: "The total force which left Tien Tsin with the commander-in-chief for Pekin was about 2,000, composed of detach-

of the Governor and swore to faithfully an increased tax on Chinese, was injuriou

serve him. It is learned here that the Governor tax, and he said that there was no difreceived the following dispatch from refused to issue writs for the re-election ference between the action of the Boers of his ministers. Had he dismissed them, and that which was now proposed. he would have been entitled to respect. Though it was supported, such legisla-

other members of the millionaire's bat-

## CLEVELAND CANADIAN ASSOCIATION We got down on all fours and felt and (Associated Press.)

Toronto, June 25 .- A Cleveland, Ohio, the car trucks to the stone abutment of dispatch says an organization known as the culvert and swaying by the motion FLOODS IN SQUAMISH VALLEY. Damage Estimated at Over \$15,000-Want Elocd for Vera tion was doing that which Boers and

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increasingly serious character of the Chinese uprising. While it is true Baron known that he was cut off by Tien Tsin Von Ketteler, the German minister at being invested. Pekin, sent two months ago a detailed report from Pekin containing alarming life ever since. advices from the German consuls through- 1 "It was on the receipt of information out China and predicting serious trouble that, the Chinese army had ordered

Emperor and Count Von Bulow, the minister of foreign affairs, did not at- mouth of the Pei Ho, that it was tach much importance to the first news from China, they are now thoroughly aroused. His Majesty declared Friday to relieve Tien Tsin. at Kiel that German interests in China under no circumstances must be allowed to suffer, no matter how great the sacrifice. The bulk of the German press takes the same view.

The Chinese Capital.

The history of Pekin is to be read in the walls which surround it in ruin or preservation, and if one traces them within and without the city they will show where lay the famous "Manking" of the Khitan Tartars in 986; how the famous "Golden Horde" of Kin Tartars laid out their capital of Chung Tu in 1151; what Ghengiz Khan and his Monment. gols thought a great city should be in 1215; how the immortal Kublai Khan structed Khanbalik, "the city of the Khan," a century later-Polo calls it Cambaluc; and much more interesting history down to the advent of the present Manchus in 1644. And it is the walls, in excellent preservation, that mark the division of the Pekin of today-first the so-called "Chinese," or

Outer City, more properly the Southern City; adjoining it is the Inner or "Tar-tar City," or Manchu properly Northern; inside this the "Imperial City" and inside this again, the "Forbidden City," the actual imperial residence itself. The ethnological distinctions of Chinese and Tartar are practically effaced; the only distinction for the flying visitor is that . Pei Tai Ho, the great watering place the shops are in the Chinese City, while, of Northern China, where 200 prominent most of the temples, public, buildings, and "sights" together with all the for- been abandoned. eign residences, are in the Tartar City, board plan of American cities west of Chicago.

There are two great streets which intersect at a central point, and from ali parts of these other streets, lanes and alleys run in straight lines. Every corner in Pekin seems to be a right angle: there are no. winding thoroughfares. The houses are all very low, with flat. roofs, and it is hard to see a single firstclass Chinese dwelling-house in the whole city. But it is the streets of Pekin that strike the observer first, and fade last from his recollection. Whether wide or narrow, dark alley or main artery, they are entirely unpaved-the native alluvial soil and the native sewage from every Pekinese pathway. From this state of things spring curious consequences. The roads are so uneven, the boles in them so numerous and deep, the ridges so high and steep, that no vehicle

could possibly be taken to relieve the commander-in-chief because it was only "Tien Tsin has been fighting for its

before long, not much importance was trains for attacking Tien Tsin and that paid here to this report. But though the they were ravaging Ton Ku and rainforcing Taku, as well as mining the from Vancouver. Early on Friday excluded.

Since then every effort has been made "I have commandeered a small coasting steamer for taking troops and the sick and wounded across the bay to Wei Hai Wei, where I intend making a temporary base hospital and asylum for

casioned by the floods. refugees." Safe on Tuesday. London, June 25 .- The French consulgeneral at Shanghai, telegraphing yesterday, reported that the Chinese minister of railways and telegraphs had informed him that all foreign ministers and foreigners at Pekin were safe last in the flood. Tuesday, and preparing to leave with the authority of the Chinese govern-

Casualties at Tien Tsin. New York, June 25.-The Chinese bombardment of Tien Tsin set fire to the

mission buildings first, says the Chee experienced in the memory of settlers Foo correspondent of the Journal and Advertiser who have been there for many years. It spread to the native city and destroyed everything. The attacking force,

well supplied with modern artillery, has been pressing the small allied force very Twenty Men Killed and Wounded-

hard. Already the dead, number 160. Relief is being rushed from Taku, but the column will have to fight its way through the big Chinese army.

The British storeship Humber arrived at. Chee Foo, bringing 30 refugees from Ton Shan, including Messrs, Kinder and Parson and Mrs. Parson.

foreigners had their summer homes, has

The governor of Shan Tung province, and that the wall of the latter is much in which Chee Foo is situated, after conthe larger and more massive structure. ferring with his subordinate mandarins The ground plan of Pekin is supposed to decided not to join the rebels, and issued represent a human body, but it is better a proclamation decreeing that all Eurocribed as being laid out on the chess- peans and Americans should be protect-

Admiral Kempff held a conference on Sunday at the American consulate with Consul Fowler and the captains of the Nashville and the Yorktown, The local governor of Chee Foo was present and promised there should be no uprising here against the foreigners, and gave other assurances which seemed all right

on the surface. The Taotai expressed confidence in the goodwill of the American government toward China, and said the feeling was rocated

Capt. Edward Bayley, of the British armored cruiser at Taku, signalled the American captains yesterday: "Thank God the Russians were here, otherwise would all have been murdered." we.

U. S. Cavalry for China. with springs can navigate half a mile, received at the Presidio directing that Worst Flood for Years

## (Special to the Times.)

AMBUSHED BY PHILIPINOS.

Troubles in Samoa.

Manila, June 23 .- A detachment of 40

yan de Misamis, Island of Mindanao,

scouting June 13th. During the morning of June 14th the

flanks, and fell back on Cagayan.

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9 officers and 2 men wounded.

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Vancouver, B.C., June 25,-Steamer

nission, said that he (Davin) was Defiance, which arrived on Saturday responsible for the report. night from Howe Sound, brought news A. W. Puttee was not at all satisfied of serious floods in the Squamish val- with the bill. The Chinese were drivley. The Squamish empties into the aping white labor out of British Columbia. In the name of all that was good per end of Howe Sound, about 30 miles in Canadian life, the Chinese should be

morning the dike along the river front Col. Prior admitted that until promptly determined to seize Taku. broke through in several places. On change of government he had not talked Saturday, when the Defiance left Van- of the subject in parliament, but he alcouver, there was six feet of water ways had done so in the province of above the dikes and over the lower British Columbia. (Laughter. He had farms. The damage was difficult to not spoken on the subject in the House until 1894. He did not know who askestimate, figures being given from \$15,ed for the commission. 000 to \$35,000, as being the loss oc-

W. C. Edwards was opposed to the

G. R. Maxwell, in reply, wanted to Many of the hop fields were badly know who brought the Chinese first into British Columbia. He said that it was damaged, a number of cattle were the Conservatives. The Conservatives drowned-the exact number being hard to ascertain-and outbuildings of some also promised to return them when the C.P.R. was built, but did not do so. The of the ranches were carried away. Sevprincipal employers of Chinese were eral of the smaller houses also suffered Conservatives.

In reply to Mr. Edwards, Mr. Maxwell The scene is described as one of great said that the member for Russell would devastation. The whole mouth of the not have his fine herds tainted through river was choked with logs and stumps contact with bad ones, and if so, how and roots of trees. Everyone is living in much more necessary was it to keep the second story of his house, and mov-Chinese away. The Creator forbade the ing from place to place in boats. The children of Israel to mix with the taintflood is the worst that the district has

> When the House resumed at 3 o'clock Hon. G. E. Foster referred in feeling terms to the death of Col. Tyrwhitt. Sir Wilfrid Laurier spoke of Tyrwhitt as a patriotic Canadian and a gallant soldier, of good sense and never offence. The Chinese bill was then again taken

men of the Fortieth Regiment, Captain Dr. Christie, Argenteuil, opposed the Thomas Miller commanding, left Cagabills on the grounds that it was unchristian to tax any class of the community. J. Charlton would not sanction the government going any further than they proposed doing at present. There was encountered a strongly ambushed and ch to be said in favor of the views entrenched force of the enemy. The of Dr. Christie, but the opinions of the British Columbia people were of still American attempts to charge were frustrated by the Filipino pitfalls and traps. quence.

T.S. Sproule favored the exclusion of The advance line, consequently, was un-Chi der a heavy fire in front and on its

A. Morrison, in reply to Dr. Christie and others, said that there were strong . The American loss was 9 men killed, sanitary objections to the Chinese There was also unfair competition for Reports have reached Manila of Chinese labor, and that applied even more to Japanese than Chinese labor, troubles on the Island of Samar, whence reinforcements-a battalion of the 29th Regiment and a battery of artillery-The market was glutted with Japanese Japs were working for \$1 per day as ship carpenters. One railway discharg ed their white labor and employed Jap

anese. He wanted to propose an amendment on the lines of the Natal Act. In his opinion there could be no treaty obligations violated by this act. Ha therefore proposed an amendment pro-viding that immigrants should not be permitted to land who could not read and write in one of the European languages, also any pauper or one likely to e a public charge, any idiot or insane person, or any one suffering from loathesome disease.

G. E. Casey opposed the amenda A Mr. Morrison and F. Oliver supported

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N. F. Davin, in reading an extract from objects are to bring fellow countrymen tothe report of the late Sir Adolphe Chap- gether in social intercourse, render assistleau, who was chairman of the Chinese ' ance and encouragement to new arrivals from the land of the maple, etc.

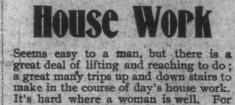
BATHING FATALITY.

(Associated Press) Rossland, June 25 .- John James, a lad of 14 years, was drowned in a pond in the down toward the middle of our car l west end of the town to-day at 12:30. The saw the head and shoulders of a woman lad was subject to fits, and was seized and soon heard her cry: 'Saye us, we are with one after he had been bathing and fell from a log into the water. Other boys bathing with him were younger than be and frightened, and made no attempt to

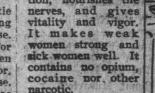
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save him. After being in the water for half an hour the body was recovered. He was a son of Thomas James, a miner.

Lyddite is simply picric acid brought into a dense state by fusion. The shells are coated inside with a special varnish, and the melted picric acid is cast into them. A strong detonator of a mixture of two in its position by the earth, would loosen parts of ammonium picrate to three parts and crash in on us. We took hold of the of saltpetre, manufactured in much the roots and several times as we neared the same way as ordinary granulated gnn- top of the bank they pulled out and sent powder, is used.



a woman suffering with some form of "female trouble" it is daily torment. There are thousands of such women struggling along, day by day, in increasing by day, in increasing misery. There are other thousands who have found a com-plete cure of their disease in the use of Dr. Pierre's Edisease in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It stops debilitating drains, cures integu-larity, heals inflam-mation and ulceration, nourishes the



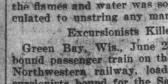
narcotic. "For a number of formale trouble," writes Miss Agnes McGowne, of 121 Bank St, Wash-ington, D. C. "I tried warlous remedics, but none seemed to do me any permanent good, The doctors said it was the worst case of inter-nal trouble they ever had. I decided to write io yous for help. I received a very encouraging reply, and commenced treatment at once. I had not used your 'Favorite Prescription' a week before I began to feel better, and, as I continued, my health gradually improved. It is improving every day."

ng every day." Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical

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"Peering into the breach in the track we could see a confused mass of broken cars, already beginning to burn. What impressed me was the fact that not a single call for help was heard. Those in the forward cars must have met their death instantly. The wreckage was on fire when we reached the top of our car, and lit up the scene brightly. Looking alive.' But we could do nothing for her then, as there was no rope to be had, and we were afraid the car would swing from its position.

"Then came the struggle to get to the track above. We were many feet from the level of the road hed Great chunks of earth, loosened by the rain, came falling down on us and we were nearly buried two or three times. We feared. too. that the stone abutment, weakened us tumbling back on the car. Once Mr. Flynn, who was one of our little party. got within grasping distance of the top. Suddenly, to our horror, he lost his hold and down he came. He did not stop at the car this time, however, but went on into the river and was carried away by the terrific rush of water. I was delighted at daylight, however. to see him walking up to our party in McDonough. "Flagman Quinlan worked like a hero. He got to the top and ran as fast as he could to a farm house near by and came with a rope. It was too short, however, and he had to make the trip again to another house. Finally he got plenty of rope and then pulled the two ladies from the forward end of the coach and all were soon on top of ground." When asked how wide the washout was, Mr. Rohr said: "I can't tell you accurately. To me it seemed the width of the Mississippi river. and the roar of



ound passenger train on the Chicago & Northwestern railway, loaded with excursionists bound for the Saengerfest in this city, collided at 10:15 this morning with a freight train at Depere, five miles south of here. Six persons were killed, one is missing and thirty-four were in-

## BIRMINGHAM RETIRED.

(Associated Press.) Toronto, June 25 .- The executive of the Conservative Union of Ontario on Saturday afternoon appointed Messrs. John Thompson, son of the late Sir John Thompson, and John Greer. both of Toronto, joint secretaries in the place of Robert Birmingham, who was retired. Mr. Birmingham refuses to, speak regarding deposing him, the action of the Union in pending the advice of his friends.

It seems that in Paris an ingenious use has utilized the captive baloon for the purposes of a drying ground. Bamboo frames are attached to the car, to which the linen is secured, and the bal-loon makes sundry ascents during the day to the height of about a hundred feet.

