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GREAT BATTLE IN PROGRESS

Huge Forces Reported to Have Clashed in Death Grapple North of Kai Chou.

JAPS REPULSE REPORTED NORTH OF KAI CHOL

Tche Kiao is now in progress.

were repulsed with great loss. Ta Tche Kiao, Monday, July 11. — Delayed in Transmission. — The Ja-panese attacked Ta Tche Kiao yesterday, but the attack was not seriously pressed, the Japanese retiring event-

that Yin Kow has been occupied by the Japanese without any resistance upon the part of the Russian troops.

terday's date, the correspondent of the officers and crew say they will never Associated Press with the Russian surrender. headquarters at Liao Yang, whose telegrams heretofore have been conserva- through the city. Ships now enter the tive and reliable announces the receipt port without being searched outside, of the "joyful news of the brilliant repulse of the Japanese assault on Port Kow.

of the enemy were blown up with the expected evacuation by the Rusmines and adds that the Russian loss sians and the occupation by the was 1,800, and that Major-General Fock Japanese. pursued the Japanese to the Nan Go Japanese Closing In.

Correspondents say the reports are and cautiously General Oku's army, causing general rejoicing, and con- from the south, and General Nodzu's

"It is believed that General Oku will now retreat to the south." It is pos- ing. One hundred and thirty thousand papers, do not give any confirmation sible that the correspondent is confus- men are involved in the movement. of the sensational reports of Japaning Major-General Fock's pursuit with ther and to what extent Gen, Kurothe attack made by him July 5 on the patkin intends to make a stard at Ta Japanese right flank, when he was also Tche Kiao, in possession of which by reported to have driven back the mediate evacuation of New Chwang.

capital of Somaliland.

pursued by pioneers, who shot down twenty of the Mullah's men. The Johnson the | Somaliland campaign had been fruitless, the Mullah retaining full

to Plainville this morning. saw a dull glow as he looked back over to committing four other murders Slav Messiah. / the train, "Looks like a fire over about eight years ago in West Vir- spirit of self-exaltation, and regards yonder," he remarked to the fireman. The fireman climbed to the top of the tramp companions, who had small peacemaker of mankind, and the torch

end of the train by the blaze.

tank's lever, but no water came. "We'll have to run to Plainville," shouted the engineer. Again he pulled the throttle open and the blazing train

the firemen, who with the villagers extinguished the flames after a fight of result that in a twinkling the tiny foot war, he replied: "Leave

Chamberlain and Lansdowne Leaders of Reconstructed Liberal-Unionist Party

1,800 Delegates From All Parts Favor Fiscal Reform and Retaliatory Policy.

ain was elected president, and Lord ity, and Mr. Chamberlain, who presid-Liberal-Unionist council at a meeting ists, as not fewer than 278 separate in London today, which was attended meeting. by from 1,700 to 1,800 delegates from The part taken by Lord Lansdowne himself,

STUNG TO DEATH

Disturbed the Bee Hives.

Mishaway, Ind., July 14. - While

eating his dinner yesterday Hugh W. Grant, a rural mailcarrier, permitted

his horses to graze along a farmer's

property. They disturbed a hive of bees, and the latter turned upon the

equine invalers with a fury that made

the horses frantic. In seeking to es-

cape they everturned two more hives

team and completed his route.

LONDON HEARS OF

But Report Lacks Confirmation,

as Does Story of Big

Jap Loss.

London, July 14. - There is publish-

Arthur has fallen, but it is discredit-

The special dispatches from cor-

Tokio correspondent of the Daily Tele

the progress of the Taku Shan army up to July 11, on which date the heights south of Sekisaiyu were storm-

ed and taken after a stubborn re-

The Russians. patches say, have retired from Sen-

kiayu, where they had strongly forti-

Center of World and Torch-

Bearer of Civilization.

London, Thursday, July 14.-A re-

SLAV MESSIAH

THINKS HIMSELF

and this augmented the attacking

pathy with the proposals for preferential arrangements between the colonies were adopted with practical unanim-

all parts of the kingdom. A resolution and Lord Selbourne in the ne was passed in favor of a complete re- ization, which the Evening Standard formed British fiscal system, approv- calls, "the annex tariff reform league," ing the Premier's demand for increas- evidences much interest. The Standard ed powers to deal with hostile tariffs considers that the "two principal memand "dumping," and expressing sym- bers of Mr. Balfour's cabinet have become vice-presidents on an active electioneering association, of which Mr. London, July 14. - Joseph Chamber- and the motherland. The resolutions Chamberlain is chief." It raises a grave constitutional question, and it is said ansdowne and Lord Selbourne, vice- ed, pointed out that it must fairly rep- the question in the House of Common presidents of the newly-reconstructed resent the views of the Liberal-Union- and invite Mr. Balfour to explain how the two members of his cabinet come associations were represented at the meeting. to be supporting a policy so different from that enunciated by the Premier

ELUTED THE CRUISER

French Bait Smugglers Get Safely

St. Johns, Nfld., July 14. - French fishing vessels, from the Grand Banks, have been unable to obtain bait at St. Pierre, and they are alleged to be here, at the beginning of last month. smuggling bait from Newfoundland waters in defiance of the bait act. One being chased into the St. Pierre road-stead. Seven local fishermen have been fined \$200 each for supplying bait to the French vessels. The Colonial and receive visitors until Saturday. A

BRITISH START

Last Stage of Tibetan War Has Commenced—Younghusband Issues a Warning.

Gyangtse, July 14.—The advance capital of Tibet, has commenced. Col. Younghusband has issued a lengthy proclamation announcing that it is the ntention of the British Government to

of the mission "will meet with condign punishment and only result in making the terms demanded more exacting and the measures to enforce them more severe."

through the temple with her father's revolver, death occurring instantly. The young lady was about twenty-five years of age, and up to a short time ago was a nurse in the Roosevelt Hospital, New York. It is said that her discharge from this institution, owing to continued ill-health, caused her to

London, July 14.—The will of the late Whitaker Wright, who committed suicide on Jan. 20 last in the law courts snortly after having been sentenced to seven years' penal servitude on con-

C.ught With the Goods.

French National Holiday

champs this morning. Exceptional Cases.

tion in "exceptional cases." WEATHER BULLETIN.

Tomorrow-Fair and Warm. London, Thursday, July 14. 4:48 a.m. Moon rises. . 6:34 a.m. 7:58 p.m. Moon sets. . . 8:56 p.m. Sun rises. 4:48 a.m.

that to me. Japan will never fight. My The have occurred today in Manitoba and Eastern Assiniboia, and also over

Toronto, July 13, 8 p.m. -

vinces. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine. Over the greater portion of the Northwest Territories and Manitoba the temperatures have been somewhat lower, but in other districts there has not been much change. Minimum and maximum tempera tures: Victoria, 50-58; Kamloops, 50-74; Calgary, 46-66; Qu'Appelle, 60-68; Winnipeg, 54-76; Saugeen, 44-74; Toronto, 47-73; Ottawa, 50-72; Montreal, Thursday, July 14-8 a.m. FORECASTS.

Moderate westerly and southerly winds; fine and warm. Friday - Mostly fair and warm, but local thunderstorms before night. TEMPERATURES.

Winnipeg Parry Sound.

P. They favored the construction of that he would not only promise to take the whole scheme. The ministers who the whole scheme. The ministers who received the delegation were Sir William Mulock and serious consideration.

One charge was that he lored ner the arrangements there was made and cool in the Territories.

Germany for the purpose of negotiation some pointed criticisms were linter some pointed criticisms of some pointed criticisms of the that when the had killed, deconk a cat which he had killed, d

the season to the season to

Into St. Pierre Harbor.

Government will enforce the laws.

ARBITRATION FOR BUTCHERS' STRIKE

and It Looks Bright for

Chicago, July 14. - The first step towards peace between the seven big packing companies and their 50,000 striking employes was taken today when President Michael Donnelly, of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters' and Butchers' Union of North America, held of June 16, dynamited the express car, packing houses in which the strike was called. There are indications that the conference will open the way for the engaged in the manufacture of the

Both sides are in favor of a peace able settlement upon an equable bas's, 500 grammes—about one pound)—meas-Paris, July 14. — The French nation- and it is believed that an arrangement uring 17 centimeters square, 12 cential holiday is being celebrated in the will be made for the men to return to meters (a little less than half an inch) usual manner. Business is suspended, work, pending an adjustment of difthe Bourse is closed and the boulevards ference by arbitration.

That this manner of settlement would President Loubet and the Bey of be acceptable by both sides appears ence of the Czar at St. Petersburg. Tunis reviewed 20,000 troops at Long- possible. J. Ogden Armour, for the emworkers, have united in declaring they favor arbitration. The head of the mire than \$250,000. St. Petersburg, July 14. - An official union, in council with President Samstatement regarding the imperial de- uel Gompers, of the American Federa-

> point on which labor men will lay great stress will be that a wage scale for each class of workers in the packing plants be agreed on. This brings up one of the original differences. The tract made should not include the un-

Paris, July 14. - Deputy Cesbron (Republican) has challenged M. Geraulth-

Richard (Socialist deputy from Guadalupe), to fight a duel. The letter callthe turbulent scene Tuesday.

the most violent epithets were used, such as "dog of a Jew," and "blackguard." Francis de Pressense, Socialist deputy, and Louis Lucien Klotz, Radical deputy, have appointed seconds to arrange a duel.

The you all the to the

PASSES AWAY IN SWITZERLAND Former Leader of Boers Succumbs to Attack of Pneumonia and Constitutional Weakness.

PERMISSION TO BURY IN TRANSVAAL WILL BE ASKED

EX-PRESIDENT PAUL KRUGER

Kruger, former President of the Transvaal Republic, died here at 3 o'clock this morning from pneumonia and supervening heart-weakness. Mr. Kruger lost consciousness Monday. His daughter and son-in-law were with him at the time of his death. He had been out only once since his arrival Mr. Kruger was staying at Villa du Boichet and had been gradually failing

day, he became unconscious Monday and remained so until his death. Besides the Eloffs, Mr. Kruger was attended by his own physician, Dr. Deymann and by his secretary, Mr. Redel. On several occasions Mr. Kruger had ly render justice to the Boer cause. expressed a desire to be buried beside his wife in his own country.

balmed, and will be placed in a vault He emigrated across the Vaal in 1839. pending funeral arrangements. Appli- In 1863 he was made commandant-genthe Government for authority to transport in 1872 a member of the Executive

for the ex-president. When he recent- during the Boer war.

SHOT HIS BROTHER

Seven-Year-Old Lad Takes Revenge With a Revolver. Laporte, Ind., July 14. - Advices

Jesko, aged 14 years, had been accidentally shot. Today it developed that the Jesko boy and his brother, "Ellick," here at 20 cents a pound, and should aged 7 years, had become involved in the strike continue, it is expected that a quarrel. When they separated the the price will be immediately 7-year-old boy went home, got a loaded revolver, returned to the scene, and with the statement "I am going to sufficient to meet the demand have not shoot you," sent a bullet into his be brother's body, inflicting a dangerous dealers anticipate a sensational rise in

The father, who is nearly crazed, asvolver was loaded.

100,000 BREASTPLATES

Russia Orders Them For Early Delivery to Far East Troops,

New York, July 14. - According to the Herald's Milan correspondent, the Russian Government has ordered 1000,-000 breastplates from a local company sian forces in the far east. The cuirass in question is a breastplate weighing The inventor gave a demonstration of the breastplates last winter in the pres-The present order is to be delivered ployers, and Michael Donnelly, for the to the Russian consul here by Aug. 19

and the total price aggregates a little The manufacturing firm, which employs some 250 workmen, keeps secret

TO STAR ELLEN TERRY

Novelist Barrie Now Writing a Play for Her. London, July 14.—The Telegraph says that Charles Frohman has engaged to packers have maintained that any con- produce a play that Mr. Barrie, the novelist, is writing, in which Miss Ellen Terry will play the principal

character.

Mr. Frohman will sail for New York on the Kron Prinz Wilheim. He has engaged more than 400 English actors and actresses for the coming season He will present an unusual number of English stars in plays in the United to friends, or to other places-only thos

Clarens, Switzerland, July 14. - Paul | ly left Mentone his health was gradually failing through old age, constitu-Kruger's once rugged constitution was gradually going to pieces. Visitors deattend to affairs, read the newspapers scribed him as being a pathetic figure

IStephen J. Paul Kruger was born at The ex-president's body was em- Colesburg, Cape Colony, Oct. 10, 1825.

the remains to the Transvaal. In the Council, In 1883 he visited England as meantime, they will be temporarily in- a delegate from the Transvaal, and The death of the former president of throughout Europe. He was president the Transvaal, Paul Kruger, at Clar- of the Transvaal Republic from 1882 to ens, aroused widespread regret here, 1900, being re-elected three times dur-Boer cause, and personal admiration Transvaal to seek refuge in Holland,

LONDON IS ALARMED

Fears It Will Be Compelled to Pay Higher for Meat.

reached this city yesterday that Matt to the apprehension that the British consumer will soon have to pay more for Australia, but supplies from these source

CHANTING AS THEY GO

Doukobors Pass Through Swan River

in Search of Messiah. Winnipeg, Man., July 14.-A report from Swan River, Man., says that a procession f 35 Doukhobors chanted through the heir fellow-countrymen on the way, but nen of the Doukhobors. The rest of the party are women and children. The smaller children are drawn in carts. The Doukhobors generally are much displeased with these crusaders, and will have

St. Petersburg Press Talks of a Treaty With Great Britain.

MAY BE RUSSIAN NEXT

othing to do with them

German arbitration treaty signed on

Tuesday may be followed soon by and Great Britain. The Novoe Vremya, alone, of the St. Petersburg newspapers, receives the news of the Angloerman treaty with bad temper, asking what all these arbitration treaties amount to when the sound of firing is heard all over the world. Increase In Immigration. Toronto, Ont., July 14.-Statistics of the

t the Union station. The figures for he first six months of this year are 8,403, s against 6,678 for the same period last KIND EDWARD LEAVES RACE TRACK

TO PAY VISIT TO A POORHOUSE

His Many Democratic

London, July 14. - King Edward yesterday added one more to the many

voiced his surprise at this feminine Elysium, saying: "What, never quarrel? Are you quite sure? In the poorhouse hospital his Majesty noticed a mandolin on a bed where a stable boy lay dying of cancer. In answer to the King's ques-tion if he could play it, the boy said of the circuit court, granted a divorce poorer subjects since he came to the ward, and summoning all his remainto Mattie J. Spaulding from Dr. J. throne. Slipping away from the crowding strength, the boy sat up in bed.

one charge was that he forced her the arrangements there was made and boy is not chronicled, but this morn-

Che Foo, July 14. — 8 p.m. — Private dvices just received from New burg over the reported great defeat of ed battle between Kai Chou and Ta the Japanese before Port Arthur is bethe source of the reports. While eagerly expressing hope for direct official

Another Repulse. London, July 14.—The Yin Kow cor- confirmation of the news, the papers Was the Mail Carrier's Team That respondent of the Daily Chronicle ascounsel its acceptance with reserve. serts that a battle occurred north of Kai Chou, July 12, when the Japanese Japanese Entrenching.

ually toward Kai Chou.

Yin Kow Occupied. Tokio, July 4:30 p.m.-It is reported

St. Petersburg, July 14. - Under yes-

Arthur with a loss of 30,000." The correspondent says whole masses are coming here in the hope of gath-

MULLAH MENACES BERBERA!

Has an Army Close to the Capital Two Negro Murderers Expiate Their of Somaliland.

Aden. July 14.-The Mullah is reported to be 50 miles from Berbera, the A dispatch to the London Daily Mail from its Aden correspondent, dated had attacked the Somali, killing 50, of the lever, were dropped to their levying on the natives friendly to the death. French, and looting about 1,000 sheep

control of his particular region. A BURNING TRAIN

Engineer Raced at Full Speed to toward Ousley, and as he did he was cial of high rank. He indicts the Czar Save Freight C: rs. blazing freight train behind him Engineer Thomas Nelson speeded his they were told by the minister that bureaucracy. He declares that since locomotive seven miles from Plantville While passing Plantville the engineer to further confirm it Johnson confessed Synod, he imgines himself to be the

tender. "The train's afire!" he shouted sums of money Johnson wanted. at the top of his lungs. For a quarter of an hour the train's crew had been trying to get word to the engineer to stop, but they were shut off in the rear "We'll run to the water tank at

speeded over five miles in about as While the train crew was disconnecting the blazing cars, Nelson blew an alarm with his whistle that aroused cutting hay. While she stood in front of

Pittsburg, July 14. - Two negroes Frank Ousley and John Johnson, were hanged together today in the county jail yard. Both men marched to the scaffold together, and with one pull

New Chwang, July 13.-Noon.-De-

layed).-It is reported that the Japan-

trenched and are receiving reinforce-

ments. Heavy firing has been heard

day and night, proving that the Rus-

sians are making a stubborn resist-

Russian officers who come into New

There are only a few soldiers here.

The gunboats Sivoutch is still in the

River Liao and it is believed that she

will resist should the Japanese at-

tempt to take New Chwang. Her

Last night two Japanese scouts,

dressed as Chinese, rode on horseback

but a strict censorship is still main-

tained at the telegraph station at Yin

Bandits and low class continentals

ering plunder in the interim between

St. Petersburg, July 13. - Steadily

army, from the east, are closing in upon Ta Tche Kiao, where General

Kuropatkin is reported to be entrench-

the Japanese would compel the im-

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A DOUBLE HANGING

Chwang frequently from Tai Tche force, so that the carrier's horses were

Kaio say that place is well fortified. stung to death. Grant secured a new

ese troops at Kai Chou have

Just as the trap was sprung a mem-

and 50 cattle. They then retired, ber of the jury and two spectators Johnson and Ousley were hanged for correspondent of the same paper at the murder of James Donnelly, a gro-Berbera maintained that the whole of cer, on the night of last New Year's eve, in the presence of his daughter groes entered the store together, and markable article in the Quarterly Re- viction of fraud, was proved today. and aged father-in-law. The two ne-Johnson asked Miss Donnelly for a view, entitled "The Czar," attracts The estate is valued at £148,200 net loaf of bread, while Ousley walked to- much attention owing to the status of There is no personal property. ward the money drawer. Miss Don-nely called to her father, who started that it was written by a Russian offi-

shot by Johnson, the bullet passing as being personally responsible for the through his head. While both the men were being bap- sia, controverting the idea that Nichotized last Sunday by the Rev. Dr. Lee, las is a puppet in the hands of the they deserved their fate. Both admit- his majesty was hypnotized by Pobleted the justice of the statement, and donostzeff, procurator of the Holy

Fighting Extradition.

Toronto, July 14.-Application was made were shut off in the rear today before Judge Anglin to upset the order of extradition made by Judge Snider, of Hamilton, ordering that Harris shouted Nelson as he cohn be handed over to the Illinois police thwarting the course of judge Snider, of Hamilton, ordering that Harris plunged his tax-burdened people into pulled the throttle wide open. The cars to answer the charge of stealing an experse burning fiercely when the tank was reached. The fireman pulled the sufficient, and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient, and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient, and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient and that no crime was dissections of the fireman pulled the sufficient and the charge of stealing an expectation of the price of the pri sufficient, and that no crime was dis-closed under the Illinois law.

Little Girl Loses Life.

Chatham, July 14.-An accident occured yesterday morning on a farm in Dover Township, within two miles of this city. Other ministers implored him to evacuby which Pearl Harborn, aged 5, lost a foot. The little girl went to the field with a drink for her father, who was

BIG DELEGATION ASKS THE GOV'T TO TAKE UP GEORGIAN BAY CANAL

Work -- Would Cost \$80,000,-000 -Premier's Reply.

whole work for a 20-foot canal would

Want It Constructed as a Gov't Hon.H. R. Emmerson. The cost of the improvement of the French River por- bassy here, returned to London today 58-68; Quebec, 58-68; St. John, 56-66; tion of the project had been estimated fered with Interior Minister Plehve and Ottawa, Ont., July 14.—There was a Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in reply to the Russia floating another loan-none very large delegation from all along delegation, said that for his part, while whatever. My Government is not in the Ottawa Valley, which waited on he did not personally believe in Gov- military purposes a single franc of the the Government today in the railway ernment ownership of railways, at the committee of the House of Commons same time he did not believe in com- through that loan lies today in French in support of the construction of the pany ownership of waterways. When to meet interest payments on previous Georgian Bay Canal. Among the prin- the canal was built, as it must be loans. Since the commencement of the cipal speakers in favor of the construc- built, he believed that the Government the value of \$55,000,000, but this is more tion of the canal as a Government should do it. He was in favor of the than covered by the gold reserve. In work were Hon. John Haggarty, comencement of work by the Govern-ments, etc., the amount of gold in the work were Hon. John Haggarty, comencement of work by the dotter.

Michael Wright and Mr. Mackie, M. ment in the French River, and said state bank is increasing.

It is not true that M. Witte (president of work by the dotter) that within one year throughout Ontario and Quebec. Show-gan to ill-treat her.

One charge was the complete of work by the dotter of work by the dotter. P. They favored the construction of that he would not only promise to take dent of the council of ministers) is in since yesterday, while it has been fine

HAS PLENTY OF MONEY Czar's Financial Agent Says Recent Loan Is Yet Untouched.

financial attache of the Russian emfrom St. Petersburg, where he con-Halifax, 60-78. the Minister of Finance. He said: loan concluded in France some time ago. Not only all the money obtained banks, but the remainder will be used war paper notes have been issued to Montreal

yandes on one of.

There is absolutely no question of

PT. ARTHUR'S FALL THE LATE PAUL KRUGER. Ex-President of the Transvaal Re public. ed this morning a rumor that Port DISCHARGED, SHE ed and lacks confirmation of any sort. respondents at the seat of war, published in this morning's London news-The next few days will determine whe-lese losses at Port Arthur. The Miss Kathleen Hamilton, graph sends official dispatches giving

Belleville, Shoots Herself While Despondent. Belleville, Ont., July 14.-A sad case of suicide occurred in this city flast night, when Miss Kathleen Hamilton daughter of W. H. Hamilton, manager of the Merchants' Bank, shot herself

Czar Regards Himself as the become despondent. Whitaker Wright's Will.

> Spokane, Wash., July 12. - George Wilson, believed to be one of the men who held up a Northern Pacific train near Bearmouth, Mo., and on the night conference with representatives of the is under arrest here. On his person were found seventeen small diamonds, believed to have been part of a consignment of 800 diamonds stolen in the

ginia and Georgia, the victims being himself as the center of the world, the bearer of civilization to the yellow and other barbarous races. He meddles continuously and directly in every are filled with noisy throngs, state affair, domestic and foreign, thwarting the course of justice and impoverishing his subjects. He boasts demning political prisoners by adminismoods, insists upon having his own way, and dismisses any minister opposing him. It was because M. Witte reminded him of his promise to evacu-

He is filled with

reign shall be an era of peace." writer avows himself to be a monarchist, opposed to Nihilism, Socialism Eastern Quebec and the Maritime Prond all revolutionary tendencies.

ate Manchuria to preserve the peace of

the world, but he replied: "I shall

keep peace and my own counsel, too."

London, July 14.-M. Routhowski, the

Masters and Men Come Together

Settlement.

settlement of the strike.

cree abolishing the system of con-demning political prisoners by adminis-terms at once if he could secure what he deemed fair consideration. It is understood that in the conference today the union leader will insist that all strikers be reinstated. Another

FRENCH DUELS GALORE

Deputies Hurl Epithets and the Usual Combats Will Follow.

ed M. Cesbron a "jackanapes," during As the result of a violent dispute in As the result of a violent dispute in the the corridors of the Chamber of Depu- His Majesty Adds Another to answered most positively in the the corridors of the Chamber of Deputies last night, in the course of which

Made Her Cook Cat.

Spaulding, of Kenosha. Mrs. Spaulding ed Newmarket race track, where he and played "God Save the King." The weather is fine and warm was married in 1893, and she alleges had been watching his own horses Majesty stood by the bedside until throughout Ontario and Quebec. Show- that within one year after that he be- run, the King drove to a neighboring the familiar air was finished.

informally democratic incidents that them. Racine, Wls., July 14.-Judge Belden, have marked his relations with his