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Tit for Tat

Report That the Chinese Have Sunk Several Japanese Steamers.

Action of the Japs Characterized as "Cold-Blooded Butchery."

1rchduke William Dragged to Death by a Horse-German Soldiers Die From Sunstreke While Drilling.

Princess Bismarck Ailing.

BERLIN, July 30. - Princess Bismarck has buffered greatly from the intense heat in Varzin, and has had several fainting this since Saturday morning. Her condition is not alarming.

A Crazy Lot.

Paris, July 31 .- The experts who are delving into the family history of Caserio. the assassin of President Carnot, have discovered that four of his relatives died in asylums for lunatics.

A Wild West Show Seized. ANTWERP, July 30 .- A Pawnee Bill Wild West Show, which has been here since the exhibition opened, was seized to-day for debt. The cowboys were watching for the bailiffs, and fled when the first

officer appeared. Most of them took the first train that would carry them over the Soldiers Sunstruck. BERLIN, July 30 .- Although tropical

suffered intensely. Fifteen soldiers have died of sonstroke at the garrison maneuvers around Bainetzen, Kauttau and Leising. In Essen lightning struck three electric cars. One person was killed. Eight per-

sons were killed by lightning yesterday in Almanfeld. Fatal Fall From a Horse.

VIENNA, July 30 .- Archduke William a second cousin of Emperor Francis Joseph, met with an accident yesterday that resulted in his death. He was riding at Weikersdorf, near Baden, when his horse shied, being frightened by a passing electric car. The Archduke was thrown out of the saddle and in falling his head struck a stone. One of his feet became entangled in a stirrup and, the horse running; he was dragged some distance before the animal was stopped.

The Archduke, who was unconscious, was carried into a nearby rescaurant and medical aid was summoned at once. The physicians found that he was suffering from concussion of the brain and gave orders for his removal to his own villa. Shortly after he had been placed in bed at the villa he recovered consciousness and hopes were entertained of his recovery. He soon relapsed, however, and shortly afterward

China vs. Japan.

PEKIN, July 30 .- The following official version of the recent engagement between the Chinese and Japanese fleet has been issued by the Government: The collision between the Chinese and Japanese ships occurred in the Prince Jerome Gulf in the inlet on which Ashan is situated. The Japanese attacked the Chinese vessels. which were escorting the second and smaller division of troops dispatched from Taku to reinforce the Chinese army at Ashan, The Japanese opened fire on the Chinese, having orders not to fire unless attacked or if the landing of the Chinese troops was opposed. The result of the action was that one Japanese ironclad was disabled by the Chinese battleship Chen Yuen.

The Kow Shing, which was sunk by the Japanese, was a chartered transport flying the British flag. No news has been received here of the loss of the Chinese warship Isao Kiang, said to have been captured by the Japanese. The Chinese and Japanese Ministers remain at their

It is reported that two German passengers on the Kow Shing jumped overboard and swam to the Japanese warship and asked to be taken on board. Though they declared themselves noncombatants their appeal was refused and they were shot by the Japanese marines. The French warship Lion saved a few Chinese who were struggling in the water after the Kow Shing sank.

The report that a large Chinese army has crossed the northern frontier of Corea and is marching down the peninsula is confirmed. It is reported that Japanese cruisers have sunk several Chinese steamers at Taku and captured a number of others.

London, July 30 .- In the House of Commons today, Sir Edward Grey, Under Foreign Secretary, said that the Government had not offered to mediate between China and Japan, except in the way of preferring friendly advice to the disputants in concert with other powers. It was hoped that these offices would lead to the maintenance of peace. The Government, he said, was not yet in receipt of information as to a declaration of war between China and Japan, nor had they any direct news that there had been an encounter between the warships of the two nations.

The absence of official news from Great Britain's representatives in Pekin and Tokio has caused much complaint in the House of Commons. The Foreign Office therefore telegraphed orders this aftera noon to the British consuls and ministers in China and Japan that they must send more comprehensive dispatches and not permit the Chinese or Japanese officials to delay forwarding them. Sir H. Macartney, Secretary of the Chinese Legation, made long call at the Foreign Office today. He still urges negetiations for peace. The Foreign Office received important dispatches late this evening from British representatives in China. No definite statement was made, however, concerning

the declaration of war. Sir Edward Gray, in the House of Commons today, said that as long as war was not declared the hope of a settlement remained. From the beginning the Government had taken the view that it was desirable to maintain peace in the general interests. Russia and the other powers had fully agreed with this view, and all had exerted themselves to persuade the Japanese and Chinese Governments not to re-

ort to arms.

It is understood that China will not Please mention this naper.

formally declare war until the vesse ... and ammunition which she has ordered abroad reach Chinese ports.

The transport Mee Foo and Toonan. which the Chinese feared had been captured, have arrived at Che Foo. The 41 survivors of the Kow-Shing disaster who were picked up and landed ot Che Foo by the French gunboat Tion tell a story differing in a tew details from previous accounts of the Kow Shing's end.

Troops are killing bears in Finland. Florence Emery, the actress, has obtained in London a divorce from her husband on the ground of his misconduct with other women.

San Francisco custom house inspectors seized 75 cans of opium on the coasting steamer City of Puebla Sunday night. The smugglers are known to the authorities. The New York Evening Sun says all in-

dications point to the defeat of the Tariff Bill. The President favors its defeat and Speaker Crisp will bend his energies to that end

Advices received at the main offices of the Wisconsin Central Railroad say the high winds have subsided in the northern part of the State and the forest fires have gone out. Manchester, N. H., was visited by two

heavy thunder storms Sunday, which played havoc with everything. Trees, churches, houses, electric, telegraph and telephone wires were damaged.

The United States Government has determined to establish a naval coaling station for the North Atlantic and Caribbean Sea fleet at Key West. The Navy Department looks upon this as a point of great importance. At Buffalo on Monday, Barney Murray,

heat prevails throughout the Empire, the an employe of the Genesee Oil Works, quarreled with Wm. H. Bright, the prosummer military drills have be carried on according to programme. The troops have prietor, over a matter of wages, and in a fit of anger shot Mr. Bright three times. Mr. Bright was fatally hurt. Chas. Bertrand, alias Donaldson, de-

scribed as the most expert forger in the United States or Europe, was on Monday sentenced in the Clerkenwell assizes to three years and six months imprisonment for fraudulently obtaining money.

The Government of Brazil has declined to award compensation for the death of III., son of the late Archduke Charles, and three British officers who were killed by the explosion of the magazine on Gubernabor Island, in the harbor of Rio de Janeiro, in 1893. The refusal was made on the ground that the explosion was acci-

> WHAT WILL PULLMAN DO? Another Palace Car Cempany May Take

His Men, CHICAGO, July 30 .- The Record today publishes the following: If the negotiations now pending are carried to a successful termination, the striking car builders at Pullman will quit the "model town" in a body and become the employes of a powerful new corporation organized for the manufacture of palace and freight cars and

For more than a week secret communications have been passing between the agent of the corporation in Chicago and the striker- tral committee. All of the offers to the metare in writing, signed by a man of wealth and prominence in the business circles of the city. The names of a number of capitalists who are connected with the enterprise are also mentioned to give the communications greater weight.

THREE CHILDREN SMOTHERED.

They Were Locked in a Newly Painted Freight Caboose.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 30 .- Raymond (9), Leroy (7) and Freddie (4), the children of James W. Ganion, a locomotive engineer on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, who have been missing since Thursday afternoon, when they went to bathe in the Connecticut River, were found dead at 8 o'clock this morning in the closet of a freight caboose standing on a side track near the roundhouse not 300 feet from their home. They were shut in by a spring

The inquest by Medical Examiner Fuller resulted in a verdict of accidental asphyxi-The caboose was newly painted and the children went in to play, a pack of cards being found in the closet. It is supposed they closed the door and could not open it, and soon suffocated in the stifling hot air of the narrow enclosure.

Marriage of a Pugilist.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 30 .- Jack Mc. Aulifie, the light-weight pugilist, and Catharine Rowe, one of the Inman sisters, actresses, were married here today.

Farmers Rushing in Stock. CHICAGO, July 30 .- Live stock receipts today were the largest ever known-hogs 60.000, cattle 25,000, sheep 12,000, a total of 97,000 head. This extraordinary movement is attributed to the reported failure of the corn crop. Farmers who had bought stock to be fed and fattened with corn next winter, finding they would have no corn to feed the animals, are hurrying them forward.

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SEVERAL DROWNINGS.

The Steamer Pathfinder Sinks a Small Schooner.

Four Lives Probably Lost by the Accident - A Young Man Drowned at Ottawa-Drowning Disaster at Peterboro.

DETROIT. July 30.—The whaleback steamer Pathfinder ran down a small schooner, thought to be the Glad Tidings, on Detroit River yesterday. It is believed that a crew of four on the wrecked boat were drowned. Nothing was seen of the small boat after the collision, and she is believed to have sunk immediately. OTTAWA, July 30 .- Hugh McDonald, a

clerk, 23 years old, was drowned yesterday in the Ottawa while bathing.
PETERBORO, July 30.—About 11:30
o'clock on Saturday night, Richard Sheehey, an old and respected citizen, mistook his way home and fell off the trestle work in front of the Canoe Club boathouse into

the water below and was drowned. QUEBEC, July 30 .- Three lads, named Vadeboncoeur, Verrette and Guilmette, aged about 12 years, were drowned at Three Rivers, Que., while bathing in the St. Maurice River. Their bodies were recovered.

WENT UP IN SMOKE.

Disastrous Fires in Listowel, Mouni Fores, Markham and Elsewhere.

LISTOWEL, July 30 .- About 5 o'clock this afternoon fire broke out in A. Moyer's grain elevator, which was totally destroyed, together with a large amount of wheat and oats. Building insured in Gore Mutual for \$1,100; contents in Alliance and some other companies not known at present for \$9,000. Fire caused by young lads with matches and cigars. Insurance will probably cover

Mount Forest, Ont., July 30 .- This afternoon the large frame barn owned by Mr. Daniel Murphy, of this town, and its contents were entirely destroyed by fire. The building contained over 100 tons of hay, 25 head of fat cattle, six hogs, one driving horse, a steam thresher and a lot of farm implements, all of which were burned. The estimated loss is over \$7,000. The building was insured in the Western for \$1,800 and \$600 on the contents; no insurance on the stock.

MARKDALE, Ont., July 30 .- For the second time in a week Armstrong Bros.'
voneer, cheese box and basket factory eaught fire Saturday night. All the machinery, buildings and 10,000 feet of oak timber went up in flames. The loss to Armstrong Bros. will be about \$10,000, with only \$2,500 insurance. Thirty men are out of employment.

OMAHA, Feb., July 30 .- Fire at Clarks, Neb., today destroyed the business part of

he town. Loss. \$30,000. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 30 .- Twenty acres of lumber piles, containing about 25,000,000 feet of lumber, belonging to the Shevlin-Carpenter Lumber Company, within a quarter of a mile of the center of the city, were burned this afternoon. Loss ully \$300,000. The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railroad roundhouse was also burned, together with 21 treight cars and the valuable Pintsch gas

Dallas, Tex., July 30 .- Mayo College, at Cooper, Delta county, was destroyed by fire this morning. Loss, \$100,000.

WISCONSIN'S FOREST FIRES

Result in the Loss of Forty Lives. WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., July 30.-Rev. J. H. Nason, who went to Phillips in charge of the supply train sent from here, returned today. He said that the reports of twenty lives having been lost were far short of the truth.

The total loss of life will be at least 40. Eleven bodies had been recovered up to noon today.

KILLING HEAT.

Nine People Succumb in Three Eastern

Cities. PHILADELPHIA, July 30 .- The thermome er yesterday registered 96 degrees and the humidity was 87 degrees, or 2 degrees higher than yesterday. Three deaths and eleven prostrations are the result.

NEW YORK, July 30 .- Total cases of

sunstroke yesterday were: Michael Newell, 32 years old; Thomas Spencer, 39; John Toomey, 50. An unknown man was prostrated in Brooklyn and died before the ambulance

could be summoned. Mary Shensted, ? months old, died at her home from the effects of the heat.

Henry D. Holzwartz, 67 years of age, died at his residence from the effects of heat prostration.

AFTER THE STRIKE.

Railways Resume and Business Brisk-Pork Butchers Kick.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 30 .- Freight traffic on the roads has completely recovered from the effects of the strike. Last week shipments were as heavy as the weekly average before the strike began, amounting to 47,256 tons against 29,146 tons for the previous week, and 49,881 tons for the corresponding week last year. The Chicago steel mills, which were

closed during the strike, started up today with 2,500 men. About 100 strikers returned to work in the Nickle Plate car shops at Ninty-third

street and Jefferson avenue this morning. The Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railway strikers are clamoring to resume their old positions, and they will be taken back as far as possible. Work is being resumed in all railroad shops, and by the end of the week the last evidence of the strike will have disappeared.

DISAPPEARED.

OMAHA, Neb., July 30 .- All the butchers in Swift's, Hammond's, Cudahy's and Omaha's packing establishmonts struck for an increase in wages today. About 300 men are affected. No cattle were killed

DANVILLE, N. Y., July 30 .- Fourteen coal mines in Laurel county resumed work this mornin after a strike lasting several be far advanced in consumption. months, a c. promise having been effected. De B 'ry's Bill Dropped.

WASHINGTE, July 30 .- The Lockwood which was designed Immigration ect the labor of the primarily to om Canadian competi-Canadian bort tion, and which , uld have prevented the

employment of alien sailors on lake vessels, has been killed in committee. This is the bill drafted by Immigrant Inspector De Barry, of Buffalo, and was the most unneighborly of alllike legislation yet attempted?

Late Canadian News.

Speaker Emerson and Mr. McGrath, M.P.P., of Newfoundland, Unseated-Release of the Seized American Schooner Louise.

The Reliance Electric Manufacturing Company of Waterford has assigned. A terrible wind storm swept over Arrow

Lake, B. C., Sunday. The steamer Illiciliwaet was broken in two. Major Forbes, of Montreal, a promingat member of the Dominion Commercial Travelers' Association, is dead, aged 52

years. Sir John and Lady Thompson and Miss Thompson arrived at Gravenhurst Monday evening. They were tendered a hearty ovation.

At Montreal on Sunday the little 2-yearold daughter of Capt. Naud, of the fire department, drank some lye and died after great suffering.

The attendance at the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition last week was 32,000, equal to about 20 per cent of the entire population of the Province. Geo. Patch, a well known young ticket

agent, who was employed at the Windsor Hotel ticket stand in Montreal, has cleared out, leaving considerable liabilities behind Mr. William Barclay Newsome, a Cana-

dian living in Buffalo, has been arrested under the alien contract labor law for importing a typewriter from Toronto for his Busalo office. James C. Hunter, of McGregor, employed

in Palmer's Lumber Company, was struck on the head by a broken belt on Saturday afternoon, and so badly injured that he died that night. Thomas Rielly, a G. T. R. brakeman who resided on Edward street, East Toronto,

was killed by a fall from the top of a freight train at Little York on Monday. He leaves a wife and three children. Jas. Mullins, aged 40 years, was killed Monday night while attempting to get on a Grand Trunk train at Wellington street,

Montreal. He slipped and fell and the train went over his body. An Amherstburg dispatch says the seized American fishing tug Louise has been released by orders of the customs authorities at Ottawa. The department are sending an inspector to Pelee Island to

investigate the matter. Isaac Buchannan, a well-to-do farmer, and a married man, who resides on the Dufoir road in Sandwich West, is locked up at the Sandwich jail, having been refused bail. He is charged with criminally assaulting Maggie Patterson, a girl under 16 years of age.

A St. Johns, Nfld., telegram says: Speaker Emerson, ex-chairman of the board of works, and McGrath were both unseated and disqualified today by Chief Justice Carter, on alleged grounds of corruption and bribery. This makes fifteen Whitewavites unseated.

Adolphus Martin, the wealthy Maid. stone farmer who was accused of cutting the eyes out of some of his pigs because they insisted in getting into his crops, was on Monday fined \$20 and costs, a total of \$46, or two months in jail. The fine was paid, and Martin's lawyer gave notice of appeal.

RIFLES FOR CHINA

Via the C. P. R., the Soo Road and

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 31 .- Information is obtained from a railroad official here that a large consignment of rifles ordered by the Chinese Government left Montreal last night via the C. P. R. and Soo roads for Vancouver. The consignment consists of four carloads, and the Chinese agents who placed this order have gone to Connecticut to order more. The number of rifles ordered for the Chinese army so far in this country is 25,000.

Father Chiniquy's Birthday. MONTREAL, July 30 .- Rey. Dr. Chiniquy today celebrated his 85th birthday, and was presented with an address and a purse

Doty, Bros. & Co. Assign. TORONTO, July 30 .- Doty. Bros. & Co., engine and boiler makers, 15 York street, have assigned to Edward Still, with liabili-

tiEs of \$20,000, and assets \$5,000 less. The Tide Turned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 .- The receipts of the Government for July are likely to exceed the expenditures for the first time in twelve months. The aggregate receipts to be announced on Wednesday will in round figures stand at \$38,000,000 and the expenditures at about \$30,000,000, with interest payments of \$7,500,000 to be added, leaving a few hundred thousand dollars on the right side of the ledger. Not the slightest uneasiness is expressed as to the gold reserve, as the treasury has \$70,. 000,000 currency-less \$7,500,000 interest paid-to meet current gemands, and can obtain gold in the west in exchange for legal tenders laid down in New York.

To Cultivate Beauty. Of all the diseases with which the human family is afflicted, none resists more measures for treatment than skin diseases of a chronic nature. Pimples and sallowness are among the most aggravating troubles of otherwise pretty women. "These difficulties," says Dr. E. C. Radley, "may be entirely overcome by the continued use of Eseljay's Liver Lozenges by taking one or two regularly after every meal." They are sold at 25 cents a box or 5 boxes for a

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What About Christopher Columbus? Simply this: If he were to land in London now he would make a greater discovery than in 1492. Teas that sold years ago for 75 cents and \$1 now offered at Empire Tea store for 35, 40 and 50 cents, superb premiums free included. They who give the greatest values never lack buyers. Double value in sugar here. Prompt delivery. Great store, great value. Business is growing all the time at EMPIRE'S famous profit-sharing tea and coffee store, three doors from Kingamill's.

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