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THE COREAN KING A PRISONER

inese Steamers Prevented From Landing-Others, Manned by Coolies, On Their Way

LONDON, July 27.—The Central News has this despatch from Shanghai: "War has been declared between Japan and China. The Japanese have selzed the King of Corea and hold him prisoner. Eleven Chinese steamers are on their way to Corea. Most of the troops aboard them are Coolies armed with bows and arrows. Some Chinese steamers which have arrived at Corea have been prevented by the Japanese from landing troops. It is reported that the Japanese artillery sunk soveral of them.

LONDON, July 26.—The Japanese and Chinese officials have received many despatches from their home government. While declining to say much of the tenor of these despatches, the officials state that the prospect of an agreement between China and Japan remains satisfactory.

LONDON, July 28.—A telegram received at the office of the Peninsula and Oriental Steamship Company says positively that war has been declared between China and Japan and that hostilities have commenced.

Several morning dailes print this de-

menced.
Several morning dailies print this despatch from Tien-Tsin:
"War has not been declared officially either in Tokio or Pekin. It is believed in government circles that it will not be deeither in Tokio or Pekin. It is believed in government circles that it will not be declared for several days. If the exchange of notes now proceeding result amicably the collisions that have already taken place will be mutually disallowed; otherwise they will be regarded as caus belil. The transport, which was sunk by the Japanese, was the Kow-Shung, owned by Mathison & Co. It is reported that all were lost. The Mathiesons have taken over a number of Chinese coasting vessels; hereafter they will sail their steamers under the British flag.

"Telegraphing between Japan and Corea has been stopped; therefore no direct reports can be obtained in Yokohama, where nothing is known of a declayation of war. The Japanese authorities stopped on Sunday the Nagasaki mail steamer bound for Shanghai."

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New York, July 28.—A San Francisco special says: Lucius H. Foote, who was United States hinister to Corea from 1983 to 1886, gives the following statement in regard to the Corean troubles: Japan has undoubtedly invaded Corea for the purpose of weakening the influence of China in that kingdom, and with the expectation of strengthening her own political and commercial importance there. For centuries China has dominated neighboring states, more by her finesse than by her prowess. She has long claimed and still continues to claim, notwith shadding the treaties made with western powers, suzerainty over Corea. This claim Japan has constantly ignored, until it has come to be an exceedingly sensitive question between the two nations. Corea occupies to the orient much the same relation that Turkey does to Europe. Aware of her own weakness and impressed with the supremacy of China, she has looked to that ampire for moral. the same relation that lurkey duces be Europe. Aware of her own weakness and impressed with the supremacy of China, she has looked to that empire for moral and physical support. The influence of China has therefore been paramount and has perhaps been exercised adversely to Japan. War between Japan and Corea would necessarily involve China. If Japan was victorious it would virtually destroy China's influence on the peninsula and give to Japan that value which she desires.

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Montreal Merchant Instantly Killed.

Montreal, July 28.—James Richardson, a well-known business man, and member of the former wholesale leather firm of Hna, Richardson & Co., was killed outright by the Sorel train on the Montreal & Borel railway at Léngueuil. Mr. Richardson, who was very hard of hearing, was walking along the track when the train caught up to him, and before it could be stopped he was struck. The unfortunate gentleman had his neck and one of his arms broken and was no doubt instantly killed. gentleman had his neck and one of his arms broken and was no doubt instantly killed. Mr. Richardson had retired from business some years since and resided in Longueuil. He was 61 years of age, and had been a resident of this city for thirty years. He came from Quebec and leaves a wife and a daughter and four sons.

All Waterproofs, (guaranteed).
All Blouse Waists. All Trimmings,
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G.T.R. Pienic at Sarnia.

SARNIA, Out., July 30.—The employes of the Grand Trunk Railway along the air line held their excrision and pienic here on Saturday. Twenty-two carloads of people composed the crowd at Bayriew park and athletic grounds, hands of music, beating, dancing, bathing to amuse the 1,500 people present. In the afternoon they took a ride out on the lake, and altowather the day was most enjoyable.

Important Events in a Few Wor. For Busy Readers.

For Busy Benders.

Serious street car riois occurred Wednesday in Youngstown, Ohio,
The French Senate Friday passed the anti-Anarchist bill 205 to 38.

The news that war has been declared between China and Japan is confirmed.

James Eston & Co., Toronto, have assigned, with liabilities of \$132,000.

Major Draper, formerly chief of police in Toronto, died Wednesday morning.

Elgin Snider was drowned while bathing in the Grand river near Brantford.

The heat is excessive in Europe, and many deaths from sunstroke are reported.

The Thingvalla Line Wednesday reduced its steerage passage rates from New York to \$12.

Extensive experiments with an under-

nay voted Thursday in favor of repeal of the Scott set.

Ten thousand people attended the Winnipeg Exhibition Thursday. It was Citizons Day.

The 200th anniversary of the establishment of the Bank of England was celebrated Friday.

The conviction and sentence of John V. McKane have been sustained by the New York Court of Appeal.

"Con" Deary, a life convict, who killed a Montreal policeman in 1875, died in Kingston penitentiary Friday.

A lodge of the Patrons of Industry was organized in Toronto last Wednesday night by Grand President Mallory.

About 500 persons left Peterboro on Wednesday on a pilgrimage to the shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre.

Cholers is spreading with alarming rapidity in Austriau Galicia. Traffic across the Russian frontier has been prohibited.

A. E. Ferte was Thursday sentenced to a year's imprisonment for embezzling from the City of Winnipeg's sinking fund.

At Doylestown, Pa., Thursday Wallace Burt, a half breed Indian, was hanged for the murder of an old couple named Rightley.

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Mexico has asked Chili to join in a monetary conference to consider the estab-lishment of a ratio between gold and silyer.

James Richardson of the wholesale leather firm of Hua, Richardson & Co., was run over and killed by a train at Longueuil,

John Dineen, an elderly man, was run down by a trolley in Toronto, Thursday, receiving injuries which caused his death Reports from Illinois. Iowa, Michigan. Wisconsin, Nebraska and Kansas show that the heat on Thursday was the great-

While repairing a fence at Castleford, Renfrew county, R. Ferguson, a wealthy farmer, was struck by lightning and in-stantly killed. Fierce forest fires are reported in Slocan County, B. C. The towns of New Denver, Three Forks and W. tson were almost com-

Philadelphia Conference died on Wednes-day.

The British bark Wm. Le Chaure has been wrecked off Cape St. James on Pro. vost Island, 600 miles from Singapore, The entire crew of thirteen men were drowned. The Sultan of Morocco has arrested

The Sultan of Morocco has arrested Muley Omar, his brother, in order to break up a conspiracy at Fez to overthrow him. Muley Omar is said to have been at the head of the plotters.

In the United States Senate Friday

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Over Two Hundred Horses Perish in a Washington Conflagration.

FIREMEN CRUSHED TO DEATH

Several Others Severely In-jured—Damage Placed at \$250,000.

washington, July 26.—The warehouse and stables of the George W. Knox Express Company, occupying over a quarter of a block at Second and B streets northwest, were destroyed by fire yesterday. Three firemen lost their lives. Over 200 heavy draught horses, nearly all of the company's express wagons and the contents of the large storage building were burned. The Adams Express Company's stable, adjoining the Knox building to the north, was also almost entirely consumed. About 150 horses were there, but all were taken out by the hardest kind of work on the part of the citizens and policemen. Eight two-storey houses on the alley north of the Knox building and two small frame houses back of the Adams stables were destroyed. Six or eight other houses were more or less damaged. The total loss will exceed a quarter of a million dollars, about half covered by insurance.

The fire was discovered at 2,20 a.m. A number of men who were sleeping in the Knox building were awakened by smoke. They found the entire rear of the second floor of the building in flames, and had hardly time to escape with their lives. Five minutes later a general alarm was turned in and in five minutes more the entire fire department of the city was on-hand. The horses of the Knox Company could not be reached. There were 200 of them, and they were on the second storey of the binding to the fire eccurred. The firemen had carried their hose into the burning warehouse through one of the large rear doors. This door was held up by weighted ropes and the men had just entered this door when the ropes burned through and the heavy wooden door fell penning them in. The work of cutting through the door was immediately begun and was all but finished when the floors above fell with a crash. The immense weight burst out the door and crushed three of the firemen to death. Three others were with difficulty dragged out of the debris alive.

BIG FIRE IN MONTREAL. MONTREAL, July 26.—One of the fiercest nd most destructive of fires for the area

attacked broke out on the premises of Messrs. G. H. Labbe & Co., St. James

stantly, killed.

Fierce forest fires are reported in Slocan County, B. C. The towns of New Denver, Three Forks and W. t-ton were almost completely destroyed.

While playing on a raft at Brockville Friday afternoon Leo Shimick, aged seven years, was drowned. His body has not yet been discovered.

The 80th anniversary of the battle of Lundy's Lane was celebrated on the battle-ground on Wednesday by the Lundy's Lane Historical Society.

George Curtis, agrd 11, died of lockjaw in Hamilton on Wednesday. Nine days ago the lad stepped on a rusty nail, which caused a wound in his foot.

Twenty-one head of cattle on the Experimental Farm at Brandon, Mann., have been slaughtered, owing to the existence of tuberculosis among the herd.

Mr. J. Murray Smith, Manager of the Montreal branch of the Bank of Toronto, died suddenly at his summer residence, Beaurepaire, on Wednesday morning.

Rev. Dr. J. B. McCullough, editor of The Philadelphia Methodist, and one of the beat known Methodist clergymen in the best known Methodist clergymen in Philadelphia Conference died on Wedness.

that several firemen were underneath the ruins. This proved, happily, not to be true, but two priests were sent from the Archbishop's Palace to be in readiness to administer the last rites.

When the smoke and dust cleared away the firemen were found clinging to the roof and it was said that only one had been

roof and it was said that only one had been injured. The premises were totally destroyed.

The premises on St. James street were the property of J. B. Murphy, of Kingston, and were valued at \$50,000. The four-storey building facing Inspector atreet was the property of Labbe & Co. and valued at about \$70,000. The whole stock was valued at \$70,000. Labbe & Co. were insured for \$40,000.

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More Election Protests Filed.

Toronto, July 30.—Three more protests have been filed against Magwood. Conservative member for North Perth; Blezard. Liberal member for East Peterborough, and German, Liberal member for East Peterborough, and German, Liberal member for Welland. Thus fir ten protests have been registered, six against Reformers, three against Conservatives, and one against the P.F.A. member-elect for West Lambtop.

Smuggled Liquor Seized at Halifax.

HALIPAX, July 30.—A. delever seizure of smuggled liquor was made on Saturday by James Godwin, customs officer. The schooner Katie M., sixteen tons, came into Connor's wharf, when the officers acaded her and got fourteen quarter casks of run. He also seized the achooner and teoch her to Queen's wharf. The liquor came to St. Pierre from the West Indies, thence to Chezzeticook, thence to Halifax.

A Widow Attempts Suicide.

BELLEVILLE, July 30.—A. well-to-do widow named Mrs. Thompson attempted to commit suicide at her residence on a 23-calibrate for a 33-calibrate residence on a 23-calibrate revolver, but if did not take effect. She was removed to the jail, where she will be examined as to her sanity.

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OTTAWA, July 24,—The speech from the proper at the prorogation of Parliament esterday was delivered by the Governor-teneral with unusual brevity, and was as

follows:
Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate—Gentlemen of the House of Commons:
In bringing to a conclusion this laborious session of Parliament, I have to thank you for the assiduity and zeal with which you have attended to the various matters which have been brought before you. I congratulate you upon the notable fact that the invitation which my Government extended to the Governments of the other colonies to send representatives to Canada to confer on matters affecting their mutual interests was so promptly accepted; and that her, Majesty's Government also subnoced the dignity and usefulness of the conference by sending a representative to assist at its deliberations. It is confidently hoped that the results of the conference conference by sending a representance of assist at its deliberations. It is confidently hoped that the results of the conference will be found beneficial to the colonies and to the empire generally. The ratification of the treaty of commerce with France will lead, I hope, to a large increase in our exports and an extension of friendly relations with that company. I trust that the ardnous work which has engaged, you have administ the duties of oustoms will accomplish the desired result of adapting the tariff to the present conditions of the various classes of our population.

The statutes of the session will show that the laws affecting many public interests have been revised and greatly improved by your efforts, and I observe that you have likewise made generous provision for public improvements which are designed to increase the facilities for travel and transportation throughout the country;

Gentlemen of the House of Commons: I thank you for the liberal provision which you have made for the services of the current, year.

Hon, Gentlemen of the Senate—Gentlemen

of the House of Commons of the House of Commons:

In relieving you from your present
duties, I pray that your labors may be fruitful and of benefit to the country, and that
on returning to your homes you will find
that a generous harvest is about to reward
the toil of our farmers, and that the blessings of Providence have been likewise be
towed abundantly on all the other interesta
of the people whom you represent. of the people whom you represent.

" DEBS FOR CONGRESS." The Strike Leader Addresses a Labor

CHICAGO, July 27.—The directors of the of delegates of the local unions to be held at Uhlich Hall in this city on August 2 to at Unifeh Hall in this city on August 2 to determine whether the strike shall be continued or abandoned. Each delegate will be instructed by his union before attending the convention how his colleagues feel on the question and he will have full subority to act for them. This will relieve the directors of direct responsibility and inetdentally accomplish the purpose of Debe. Howard, Kellher and Rogers without laying them liable to another case of contempt of court.

After the board adjourned the directors steaded a meeting of local strikers at Unlich hall, 2,000 men being present. The cheers which went up on Debs entrance could be heard several blocks away. Debs told his fellow railway men that if the rulings of Judge Woods were correct in the United States Circuit Court then the laborer was no longer a free man and had no right to defend and protect himself, but was a common slave to capital, and had no right to do other than as his employer ordered. He said he did not believe the ruling of the judge was sound, but that if it was, the only thing left to do was to muster their forces and carry to the polls a man who would bring about an amendment to the constitution which would give them their liberty,

sides after the speech. GALT AND PRESTON RAILWAY.

The Two Towns Now Connected by a fect System of Electric Railway. feet System of Electric Railway.
GALT, Onk, July 27.—An important step in the development of Galt and Preston was inaugurated yesterday by the official opening of the Galt and Preston electric street railway. Special cars having on board the officers of the company.
C. P. R. officials, members of the municipal councils of Galt, North Dumfries and Preston, shareholders, and representatives of the press left the terminus of the road at the Grand Trunk station, Galt, and conveyed the guests on a tour of inspection of the road, the power house and electric equipment, thence to the Delmonte hotel, Preston, where a luncheon was partaken of with a list of toasts prepared for the ocasion,

