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# THESE ARE THE HORRIBLE STORIES OF MASSACRE ARE COMING FROM CHINA NOW

## They Are Anxious to Procure the Evacuation of the Capital, and Won't Permit the Foreign Ministers There to Tell Their Story.

### Did Li Hung Chang Promise Russia Three Manchu Provinces If Russia Could Procure Favorable Terms of Peace From the Powers and Secure the Evacuation of Pekin?—Foreigners in Treaty Ports Protest Against the Allies Leaving.

London, Sept. 5.—(4.15 a.m.)—To-day's despatches from Shanghai and Tientsin refer to the hopeless confusion of the management of the Chinese telegraph system, which may possibly account in part for getting no news from Pekin. Another reason for the delay, doubtless, is the anxiety of the Chinese authorities to procure the evacuation of the capital. No effort is being spared by them to bring this about. Their idea is that, should the foreign Ministers in Pekin be allowed to communicate with their governments, the full extent of the complexity of the Chinese Government in the anti-foreign outburst would be revealed, and would lead the allies to decide to remain until retribution had been exacted. A telegram has been conveyed by courier to Tientsin to Pekin and probably all other despatches have been stopped.

**Li Would Surrender England.**  
According to Shanghai advices Li Hung Chang wired the Chinese Minister in London, Sir Chih Chen Lotung, as follows: "Our St. Petersburg Minister has persuaded Russia to leave Pekin. You are useless if you cannot persuade England."  
**Offers a Sop to Russia.**  
It is asserted that Li has promised Russia three Manchu provinces if the evacuation of the capital can be secured. The withdrawal of the allies from Pekin and favorable peace terms from the powers. Both the Empress Dowager and Li Hung Chang are said to be lavishing money to obtain these objects.

**What Made the Empress Angry.**  
The Empress Dowager's anti-foreign feelings are said to be the cause of the despatch from Shanghai, was due to the presentation to her by Prince Tuan of an ultimatum, which is now known to have been forged in which the powers demand her abdication in favor of her son Kwang, the removal of the seat of government from Pekin, the placing of Chinese finances under foreign control, and other sweeping concessions.

**Six Months Rations.**  
"Six months' rations for the British fleet," says the Daily Standard correspondent of the Standard, wired Aug. 27, "are being forwarded to Pekin."  
**Press Messages Detained.**  
Newspaper correspondents are being handicapped by the bad arrangement of the telegraph. Messages have been detained and tampered with and nothing has been safe unless sent to Shanghai.

**Where is This Mail Being Forwarded?**  
A good deal of curiosity is felt here regarding the fate of the mail bag containing official and press despatches, despatching the entry into Pekin, which is now an admirer to Chefoo in a Russian gunboat, and is reported not to have been received there.

**Russians Are Taking a High Hand.**  
The proceedings of the Russians in and around Pekin are watched with some anxiety. The situation threatens to develop into a serious one, if the Russians intend to take Shanghai Kwang. They have assumed complete possession of the Hai Ku Hai arsenal at Tientsin. The Japanese papers are keenly watching the wire between this point and Peking, and committing various other petty annoyances of pounds' worth of goods and ammunition.

**Did Russians Cut the Wires?**  
The Chinese papers are charged with cutting the wires between this point and Peking, and committing various other petty annoyances of pounds' worth of goods and ammunition.

**Is Gen. Delaney Dead?**  
Boer Commander Reported to Have Been Fatally Wounded at Eland's River.

**Conductor Badly Injured.**  
By falling from a Queen and Dandass street car last night about 10.30 o'clock, the conductor of the car, Mr. J. J. Simons, who lives at 226 St. Charles-street, was seriously injured. The fall occurred at the intersection of Queen and Dandass streets, where the car was being driven by P. C. Crowder and Dr. J. J. Simons was called. Mr. Simons is suffering from a fracture of the spine, and is being treated at the St. Michael's Hospital. He is expected to be able to get up in a few days.

**American Women Missionaries Led About the Country Naked, Outraged and Killed by a Revolving Method—No Evacuation of Pekin!**  
Shanghai, Sept. 4.—Despatches announcing that the American women missionaries were to be evacuated from Pekin, and that they were to be taken to the coast, were met with indignation. The missionaries were outraged and killed by a revolving method. No evacuation of Pekin!

**Horrible Brutality.**  
Two of these women were captured while attempting to leave the stations where they were being taken to the coast. They were brutally treated and killed. The missionaries were outraged and killed by a revolving method. No evacuation of Pekin!

**Demands Destruction of Pekin.**  
The Chinese papers printed in Shanghai contain long circumstantial accounts of the Chinese officials at Pekin, Tientsin, and other points. The Chinese officials are demanding the destruction of Pekin. The missionaries were outraged and killed by a revolving method. No evacuation of Pekin!

# A ROUSING WELCOME TO SIR CHARLES TUPPER

People of Charlottetown Went Wild With Enthusiasm When the Aged Leader Arrived on Monday Night.

## Grand Display of Fireworks, Band of Music and an Immense Crowd—Sir Charles Made a Telling Speech in Response to the Address of Welcome.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Sept. 4.—Alexander Martin, M.P., was re-nominated as the Conservative candidate to-day in East Queens at a large and enthusiastic convention. Sir Charles Tupper spoke most appreciatively of Mr. Martin's services to the House, and Mr. Foster discussed political issues briefly. Both spoke to an overflowing meeting in the rink to-night.

**AN INSPIRING GREETING.**  
He mentioned the fact that every man of the 20 who opposed him in Nova Scotia had been elected to the House of Commons. He mentioned the fact that every man of the 20 who opposed him in Nova Scotia had been elected to the House of Commons.

**DISASTROUS TO MISSIONS.**  
Would Be the Evacuation of Pekin and the Recognition of Li.

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**AMERICANS ARE SUSPICIOUS.**  
Do the Chinese Cut the Dates of Despatches From and to Pekin?

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**DEADLOCK OVER A COADJUTOR.**  
Diocese of Ontario Again Fail to Choose Between Prof. Hoper and Prof. Worrell.

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# THIS IS FARMERS' DAY AT CANADA'S WEDNESDAY

Yesterday Was the Day of Honor for the German Societies in Canada, and Members Were on the Grounds in Force.

## Hon. Sidney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, a Guest of the Directors—Toronto May Get a Dominion Grant for the Coming Exhibition—Notes From the Grounds.

Germania Day at the Industrial Exposition was blessed with delightful weather, and under the auspices of all the local German societies, the citizens from Germany were in Canada and the border States, the day drew large crowds to the Fair all day long.

**THE BIGGEST LUNCHEON YET.**  
The biggest and most enthusiastic luncheon of the Fair was held yesterday afternoon in honor of the German societies.

**AMONG THOSE PRESENT.**  
Among those present were: T. E. Henson, Hon. W. M. Brown, Hon. J. G. Macdonald, Hon. W. L. Mackenzie Bowden, Hon. J. G. Macdonald, Hon. W. L. Mackenzie Bowden, Hon. J. G. Macdonald, Hon. W. L. Mackenzie Bowden.

**WATERSPOUT IN THE LAKE.**  
Interesting Phenomenon Witnessed at Ontario Point on Monday Afternoon.

**THE TORONTO CONTRACTOR WILL BUILD THE HILLSBORO BRIDGE IN P. E. ISLAND.**  
The Toronto Contractor Will Build the Hillsboro Bridge in P. E. Island.

**WELL ON TO A MILLION DOLLARS.**  
Will Be Paid by the Dominion Government for the Important Structure.

**CANADIAN TRACKMEN.**  
Are Holding a Convention in Montreal, but the Proceedings are Not Public.

**BOERS FIRING LONG TOMS.**  
Gen. Buller Reconnoitered the Mountains Overlooking Lydenburg.

**THE TEMPLE CAPE.**  
For the next three weeks, during the Exhibition, all strangers coming to the Exhibition will find a most interesting and enjoyable trip to the Temple Cape.

**WILSON THOMPSON KILLED.**  
Section Man on the Grand Trunk at Napassee Struck by No. 6 Express.

**MR. THOMPSON'S NEW GOVERNOR.**  
Will Not Assume Office Until Oct. 1, According to the Latest Report From Ottawa.

**SAW-OFF IN ELECTION PROTESTS.**  
Liquor Law Dispute Will Be Carried to the Privy Council in Case of Adverse Verdict.

**LOOK OUT FOR RAIN!**  
That's the cry just now—be prepared. Carry an umbrella if you are going out. The weather is very unsettled.

**COOK'S TURKISH BATHS HAVE REOPENED.**  
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