

FOREIGN INTERFERENCE.

Great Britain Proposes to Interfere if Japan Attacks City of Peking.

Russia Would Rather See the War Continue—Chinese Fleet Disappears.

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THE COREAN EMBROGLIO.

The Whole Japanese Nation is Impaled With One Spike, to Humiliate China.

Chinese Advice Say That 20,000 Troops Will be Raised in Each Province.

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VICTORIA, B. C., FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1894.

ANOTHER BIG STRIKE ON.

Eleven Thousand New Bedford Operatives Leave the Factories This Morning.

Manufacturers Have Several Very Wealthy Unions to Fight This Time.

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 20.—This morning the operators inaugurated a general strike of nearly eleven thousand men. The machinery of but five of the twenty-seven mills in the city is in motion, and it is thought these mills will soon be shut down with the others.

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AN AMBITIOUS CANADIAN.

Capt. Falconberg Offers to Organize a Body of Frontiersmen to Fight for Japan.

With a Thousand Such Men He Says He Could Enter the City of Peking.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 20.—Captain Dick Falconberg, a frontiersman, who is in the Canadian service in the Kiel rebellion and who wears a decoration for his gallantry there, has sent an offer to Japan's representative at San Francisco to raise a regiment of American frontiersmen, provided they are enlisted in the Japanese army and he is given the rank of colonel.

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REBELLION IN PERU.

Rebels Again Appear at Caneta—a Woman's Bravery.

New York, Aug. 17.—The Herald's Lima, Peru, cable says: Additional reports of the recent fight near Oroya, speak highly of the bravery of an American woman, the wife of a doctor, who remained in a hotel which was exposed to a shower of bullets, in order to render aid to the wounded of both sides.

Seattle, Aug. 16.—The Southern Pacific has issued invitations to all interested parties asking them to be represented at a meeting to be held in Chicago on August 27 for the purpose of reviving the transcontinental association. It is understood that the Canadian Pacific, Northern Pacific and Great Northern are agreed to the resurrection of the association, but it is doubtful whether the Southern Pacific will be in it, although it has agreed to send a representative to the meeting.

Blinded His Partners.

New York, Aug. 17.—The Herald's Kingston, Jamaica, special says: The associate president of Hayti at his country residence the other day, was blinded by his gunners and made good his escape.

A Boon to Horsemen.—One bottle of English Sparin Liniment completely relieved a curb from my horse. I take pleasure in recommending the remedy, as it acts with mysterious promptness in the removal of horses of hard, soft or calloused limbs, hocks, knees, sprains, swellings, and sprains. George Bobb, Farmer, Markham, Ont. Sold by Geo. Morrison.

California Democrats Meet in San Francisco—A New Paper.

San Francisco, Aug. 20.—Twenty-four hours before the assembling of the Democratic convention of the state, finds the situation as regards the governorship one of uncertainty. The contest for the nomination has narrowed down to but three candidates, ex-Congressman James H. Budd of Stockton, ex-State Senator D. D. Murphy of San Jose, and D. A. Ostron of Yuba City, Los Angeles county.

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CRIME IN FRANCE.

The Worst Offenders Are Under the Age of Twenty.

The connection between crime and youth is now one of the problems that are being most seriously discussed in France, says a writer in the St. James' Gazette. One would naturally suppose that the most atrocious and the most callous criminals would be those who had reached mature age in a career of crime.

But such is not the case. The most daring, the most sanguinary and the most hardened criminals with whom in France justice has had to deal of late years have been, with few exceptions mere youths. The great majority have been under twenty years of age.

One of the land marks of Hamilton, a building originally built for a hotel, but which has been used for some time by James O'Donnell, foreman of the Burlington Glass Works, near which it stands, was destroyed by fire. The loss will run into the thousands. The building was owned by Captain Zealand.

Sir Hilbert Tupper, referring to a letter of the Allans in the London Times, re the fast Atlantic steamers, talks as bitterly as ever against the jealousy of the Allans to the scheme, and speaks of the feasibility of the St. Lawrence route and Huddart, too, rushes to the attack of the Allans. The result of the quarrel is thought at Ottawa to mean that a fleet of the scheme and most people would be glad if such would be the case.

Secretary Carlisle is calm. His friends say he would not if he could take such a course. One President Cleveland wrote a letter that hit the secretary pretty hard, and if this hits the President things are even. In April the secretary came out for the Gorman bill, or rather he said the Gorman bill was a very good bill. It was said he did not consult anybody about expressing that opinion, either. Two months later the President wrote that famous letter saying practically that the bill was no good. It is not believed that these two quarrels will amount to any break-up of the family.

Secretary Carlisle has no intention of resigning. Cleveland is angry, but his friends say he does not regard the matter as of great importance, and he will not try to put his resignation before the President. Cleveland holds over but when the heat goes down he simmers greatly and soon forgets.

Buzzard's Bay has a low temperature and invigorating atmosphere. When he comes back next week the trouble will be over the cabinet will meet and President and secretary will shake hands and say "How." There is no doubt that when the President went away yesterday he was angry clear through at everybody, Washington, at Crisp and the house for supporting the Gorman bill, his in and out and under and over tricks, at conservatives, and at Carlisle for his letter. In old-fashioned English he had a acute disgust. Dr. O'Reilly calls