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New-York Daily Tribune.

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1900.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

FOREIGN.—The Chinese Minister in Berlin received a dispatch from Li Hung Chang, dated July 7, saying no confirmation of the alleged slaughter of foreigners in Peking had arrived.

DOMESTIC.—A Cabinet council in Washington, in which Secretaries Hay, Root and Long and Attorney-General Griggs took part, was followed by renewed activity in sending reinforcements to China.

CITY.—There was a moderate improvement in the market for stocks. The Erie was elected chairman of the Executive Committee of the Republican County Committee.

THE WEATHER.—Forecast for to-day: Fair, with moderate temperature. The temperature yesterday: Highest, 82 degrees; lowest, 70; average, 74 1/2.

Visitors at the Paris Exposition will find The Tribune on sale with M. Louis Vuitton, 1 Rue Scribe, opposite the Grand Hotel, as well as at various kiosques and hotels and on the Exposition grounds.

The Daily and Sunday Tribune to any address in the United States, by mail, \$1.00 a month.

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PARAMOUNT ISSUES.

William Jennings Bryan is the Presidential candidate of three parties. He was first nominated by the Populists in convention assembled at Sioux Falls. Then he was nominated last week by the Democrats at Kansas City, and almost simultaneously the Silver Republicans met also in Kansas City and placed his name at the head of their ticket.

It is that common element which brought about the Populist-Democratic-Silver Republican fusion. It is the purpose to achieve the overthrow of the gold standard which stimulates these diverse efforts arising in different quarters and all working for the elevation of Mr. Bryan, and if Mr. Bryan succeeds his success will mean, first and foremost, the triumph of the policy on which the parties supporting him are a unit.

Everybody knows that nothing but free silver would have taken the Silver Republicans from allegiance to the party with which on other things they were in general agreement.

Mr. Bryan has no consistent record on the expansion question. He favored the treaty annexing the Philippines, and, according to the constitutional theory which he now advocates, making the Filipinos citizens of the United States, entitled to the personal guarantees of our Constitution and in due time to participation in the government of this continent.

on which he stands declares that the Filipinos must not be citizens, and he is striving for the Presidency pledged to help them to form a government quite unwarranted by the Constitution which he says they are under, and which, if that is true, he helped to put them under.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN.

Since the adjournment of the Kansas City Convention the interesting discovery has been made that the expected income tax plank is missing from the platform. The creed of 1896 is reaffirmed, as everybody knows, but there is no separate and specific mention of the issue on the Spanish islands he kept himself carefully in position to jump either way concerning their disposition, and now in his Democratic platform jumps both ways, protesting in one breath that they are in the Union and also that they that they are in the Union.

Real serious thinkers over a "paramount issue" do not blunder in that way in trying to find out what their all important policy is. Evidently the real thought of candidate and party was on something else, and that something else was silver, the real topic of interest for them all.

PRINCE CHING'S COUNTERSTROKE.

News from China continues to be uncertain and contradictory. It is to be dealt with according to the laws of probabilities, and then accepted provisionally, not confidently. Other things being equal, we may give tentative credit to the most favorable news, and believe that which we would prefer to be true.

TWENTIETH CENTURY NEEDED.

Chinese results at the worst are only a lesson which civilization has been for centuries refusing to learn. It is really startling how frequently and with what impressiveness this same lesson has been forced upon the nations within the last few years. The assembled envoys of all Christendom stand in deadly peril at Peking. Why? Because the greed of Christian States stopped Japan when on the point of taking responsibility for order in China.

This new factor in the problem, if the news of it be confirmed, will undoubtedly facilitate a satisfactory solution. It will not, however, obviate the necessity of action by the Powers. It will not do to trust to Prince Ching the task of rescuing or avenging the occupants of the legations. That is something for the Powers themselves to take inexorably in hand.

Does not everybody know that we are only opening again in these days a very ancient dumping ground for national unfairness? Have men no remembrance of Indian warfare in which Christian arms of precision have been placed in the hands of savage tribes and of skillfully made Christian scalp knives provided for lifting the scalps of Christian soldiers?

What is the use of indignation until civilization becomes sufficiently civilized not to sell to barbarians the munitions of war? It is a proper year for the Christian world to consider whether its twentieth and other coming centuries shall be in fact Christian and civilized or not.

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hitherto put forth in these columns that it was a fatal mistake on the part of the Powers—in which the United States, happily, thanks to Rear-Admiral Kempff's good judgment, did not join—to attack the Taku forts before they had landed or collected ready for landing a sufficient force to follow it up effectively.

The whole is greater than a part. The issue of honest money, affecting the whole Nation, is of greater importance than any question of administration of any bit of property belonging to the United States.

Mr. Elliot Danforth, who is seldom too bashful to name himself as authority for any tale that he wants to have believed, says that all the differences between Hill and Croker "have been smoothed over" and that the Democracy of New-York "will present a solid front to the enemy."

The vacation schools were opened yesterday. New-York University has opened its great summer school for its sixth year, with a curriculum expanded in a most practical fashion even beyond its former generous limits; and Columbia University this year follows suit with an essay in the same direction.

"Not on your life," said Controller Coler yesterday when told that he was more talked of than ever in connection with the Democratic nomination for Governor. The Controller appears to know when he is reasonably well off.

Our esteemed Democratic contemporary, "The New-Haven Register," says that "the old, weatherbeaten, waterlogged issue of free silver 'dominated,' and that 'to insist that imperialism is the paramount issue to play the American people for cabbage heads' Colonel Osborn is evidently in no more danger now than heretofore of being caught in that game."

The prospective withdrawal of the few United States troops still in Cuba gives a farcical air to the Bryanese declamations against our crushing that island under the iron heel of a military despotism, or whatever the exact phrasing of the Kansas City fubdub may be.

At last, then, New-York is to have a filtering plant for its water system. It will be a venturesome experiment, of course. But seeing that Squedunk and Wayback Fourcorners have for years been working it successfully, it is deemed not altogether too rash for New-York to signalize the end of this century or the beginning of the next by making it.

PERSONAL.

Governor Nash of Ohio will probably make a visit to the Paris Exposition early in the fall.

Captain Brinkley, the leading authority on all things Japanese, has sustained a heavy loss through fire. The whole of his library, his work of art and manuscripts of more than twenty years' collection have been entirely destroyed.

James Dunsmuir, of Victoria, B. C., the new Premier of British Columbia, threatens to be known as "The Silver Premier." He has been a member of the Provincial Legislature for two years, and in that time his voice has never been heard in debate on the floor of the House.

"The London Tablet" announces that the sentence of major excommunication has been passed against Joseph R. who, though the validity of his own orders is doubtful, gained notoriety in England by professing to ordain "Father Ignatius" to the priesthood.

James Page, master of the Dwight Grammar School for Boys, in Boston, will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his election as master of that institution on September 17.

Isaac Walker Macleay, West Point, '64, has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the University of Chicago, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William B. Brayton, whose term of office would have expired in June, 1902.

At the recent marriage of Miss Clara Butt and Kennerly Rumford, at Bristol Cathedral, Sir Arthur Sullivan conducted an anthem which he had composed specially for the event.

The senior bachelor of arts of Dartmouth College is now Arthur Livermore, Manchester, England, of the class of '29. Mark Wentworth Fletcher, of the class of '25, who long held that distinction of the class during the year. The senior doctor of medicine is George Cogswell, of Bradford, Mass., of the class of '30.

Major Ximeno Villero, a representative of Brazil, in his capacity, investigating the manufacture of smokeless powder, has been appointed Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Brazil in London, to succeed the late Dr. Souza Correa.

THE TALK OF THE DAY.

"The Gaulois" recalls that it was the fate of Prince de Joinville who brought the ashes of Napoleon I from St. Helena, and adds that when in September, 180, the Belle Poule was off Cherbourg Harbor de Lagatnerie, then Commissary-General of Marine, asked the Prince to allow the Baroness de Lagatnerie, who was a skilful artist, to make a sketch of the chapel ardente. The Prince granted the favor, and the Baroness went between decks and painted a striking picture of the chapel. This picture, a precious and without doubt unique souvenir, is still in the possession of the Baron de Lagatnerie.

A bar association has been formed by the American lawyers in Manila.

A Business Chance Overlooked.—"The ignorance of some people is something terrible," said the barkeeper. "He was a R.V. wanted to know over the telephone whether K. C. was in Missouri or Kansas."

"You tell him Kansas?" asked the boss. "Course not." "You may be all right on geography, but you are no good in business. If you had said Kansas he'd have ordered, anyway, a gallon to take with him."—(Indianapolis Journal.)

Copake, N. Y., comes to the front with a decided opinion in the way of social diversion. The citizens organized a "Tombs" band and are going out to the country, straightened up all the toppling monuments and headstones. They then returned to town and wound up the evening with a dance.

Parties.—Among the natives there were two parties. Of these the progressives favored killing the missionaries. "For unless we embroil ourselves in war with the great Caucasian or Christian nations," they argued, "how shall we ever become civilized?" "We don't want to be civilized," said the conservatives. "Let the missionaries alone."

A Kansas man has struck a new way of getting a living. He has a flock of six hundred turkeys, which, in consideration of board for himself, he moves from one farm to another, where they clean up the grasshoppers with which the farms of that section are infested.

Baffling.—One of the baffling mysteries of nature is the pie that melts in the mouth but feels soldier than a brick in the stomach.—(Detroit Journal.)

The expedition to Lake Tanganyika under the direction of J. E. S. M. has been successful in the collection of plants, which have been carried on through the great Rift Valley from the south of Lake Nyassa to the Albert Nyanza. It was found that the old marine flora of Lake Tanganyika did not extend to any of the lakes northward, though there was geological evidence pointing to some former extension of the lake westward along the Congo Valley.

"Mamma," said little Ethel. "Mrs. Gayley's husband had a headache, is he?" "No, dear." "Then what's he going to be married again for?" "You're not to be married, you can't understand such things." "Oh, I know," exclaimed the little girl; "it's just the cutting of the hair. You can't take the first time, did it?"—(Philadelphia Press.)

In a Philadelphia drug store there is a conspicuous sign which reads: "Do not talk to the clerk when he is putting up prescriptions." This has

been rendered necessary by the inequality of the foreign residents of the neighborhood. The other day a crowd surged into the store, talking excitedly with many gestures. The clerk, fearing that some mistake had been made in medicines, and that his life was in danger, escaped by the rear door and returned with a policeman. The Italians were still in possession, and appeared to be laboring under intense excitement. An interpreter finally discovered that a mischievous boy had told the foreigners that a lump of large crystal sulphur in the window was a lump of gold bearing quartz from Cape Nome, and that any one by paying 10 cents could guess at the weight of the crystal, and he who guessed right would win it. It took the greater part of an hour to convince the excited Italians of their error.

"Pavement Sore.—'What's the matter with you?' asked the unicorn. "I'm simply tired out," replied Pegasus. "I should think it would be very tiring to your wings, these long flights of yours."

Colorado has sold sixty acres of timber near Devil's Head, Mont., where it is estimated there are thirty thousand gray squirrels, which have lived and multiplied there for years, protected by public sentiment. The squirrels will be spared by the wood cutters.

THEY CONFESSED.

They were talking to each other of the season's greatest catch. Said one: "I really do not see how Fan made such a match." Then, each, forgetting all except her disappointment, said: "I never could bring him up to the proposing state."—(Detroit Free Press.)

THE RAINFALL IN INDIA.

FAIRLY GENERAL IN MANY DISTRICTS, BUT MUCH BELOW THE AVERAGE.

London, July 9.—The Secretary of State for India, Lord George Hamilton, has received the following from the Viceroy of India, Lord Curzon of Kedleston:

The rainfall has been fairly general this week in Bombay, Deccan, Berar, Khandesh, the Central Provinces, the Gangetic Plain and the Punjab, but has been much below the average for the month in Southern Rajasthan, Guzerat and Central India.

The cholera mortality continues high in Bombay. The May mortality there was appalling. The number of persons receiving relief is 6,013,000.

The Governor of Bombay telegraphs to the Foreign Office as follows: There were 10,320 deaths from cholera and 6,502 fatalities in the famine districts during the last week in June. The total deaths among the numbers on the relief lists in the British districts is 5,324. The number on the relief works is increasing rapidly in consequence of the drought. The number on gratuitous relief is increasing throughout the affected districts.

SENDS LARGE SUM TO INDIA.

"THE CHRISTIAN HERALD" RESPONDS TO APPEAL FOR ORPHANS WITH ANOTHER \$100,000.

The following cable dispatch was received yesterday afternoon at the offices of "The Christian Herald," in the Bible House.

To Louis Klopsch, New-York, India, July 9, 1900. No rain has yet fallen in the Guzerat and Rajputana Provinces, and the rainfall has been inadequate elsewhere. South and Central India has been that were entertained of a favorable harvest. The prospects now are adverse to any improvement in the situation. The famine situation has become a terrible one. There are many thousands of orphans, utterly destitute, now thrown upon our hands, who need to be cared for in their behalf, we appeal to you to cable relief quick. FREASE.

In response to this appeal from the Rev. Mr. Frease, who is treasurer of the Interdenominational Missionary Relief Committee in India, "The Christian Herald" has sent by cable a further remittance of \$100,000 from the relief fund, to be expended in the famine districts where, in the committee's judgment, it is most needed.

INDIA FAMINE CONTRIBUTIONS.

The Committee of One Hundred on India Famine Relief reports the following contributions received yesterday:

Table listing contributions from various organizations and individuals, including First National Bank, Erie, Penn., \$100.00; H. N. Dunham, \$10.00; etc.

Total to date \$125,200.88

FIGHTING AHEAD OF WILCOCKS.

THIRTY THOUSAND NATIVES AWAIT HIS FORCES AT COOMASSIE.

London, July 9.—The Colonial Office has received the following dispatch from Colonel Wilcocks, dated from Fumsu, Ashantee:

Three companies of troops joined Colonel Burroughs' regiment at Dompooi at the exact hour appointed, thus upsetting the plans of the enemy who offered no resistance. Burroughs attacked Kokofu on July 3, but failed to take the town. Lieutenant Brown-Lee, of the West Indian Regiment, and five soldiers, were killed and eleven wounded. The enemy's wounded officers slightly wounded. Proceed to Bekwai to-morrow. About thirty thousand Ashantees are awaiting our approach at Coomassie.

Later the Colonial Office issued the text of a telegram from the Governor of the Gold Coast, Sir Frederic Mitchell Hodgson, dated Akwabo, July 1, which said he crossed the Oti River with the force that left Coomassie, accompanied by Lady Hodgson and other Europeans. A Special Service officer and an assistant inspector died of wounds and hardships. The journey, he adds, was very severe.

SALISBURY AND CHOATE AT WINDSOR. London, July 9.—Lord Salisbury, the United States Ambassador, Joseph H. Choate, and Mrs. Choate and a few others dined this evening with the Queen at Windsor Castle. Her Majesty will come to London on July 10 to attend the garden party at Buckingham Palace.

FIRE AT LIVERPOOL DOCKS.

Liverpool, July 9.—An alarming fire broke out today at the sheds of Elder Dempster & Co., at the Liverpool docks. Large quantities of palm oil caught fire and blazed fiercely. The flames spread to the company's steamers Benueva, Bonny and Orion, which, however, were towed to places of safety and the flames on board of them were extinguished.

The season at the watering places advances slowly. It may perhaps be called the season of them all, but, with the exception of the Haversham, Meyer-Willing wedding and the various entertainments in honor of Mrs. George J. Gould, there seems to be little going on. There is a lack of young people here. The only notable exception is the absence of the dancing and the younger set. The only notable exception is the absence of the luncheon given by Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont for Mrs. George J. Gould and the farewell luncheon for Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer. The wedding of Charlotte Whiting and Mr. Havemeyer, which was held at Swanhurst, the villa of the bride's aunt, Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, will be one of the notable affairs of the Newport season.

The serving of the wedding breakfast on the lawn in a tent is a novelty and one that is most reasonable. At the wedding to-morrow the tent will be completely banked on all sides with green foliage and large clusters of flowers, and thirty-eight round tables will be decorated with large bouquets of flowers. The dinner will be served in fact, will be extremely lavish and sumptuous. The ceremony will take place in the large hall of the Roman Catholic Church, of which the bridegroom's family are devout members. The couple will go abroad on their wedding tour.

Mrs. C. Albert Stevens has taken a cottage at Newport for the summer. She is yet at Boston, and will not go to Newport until July 15. She has taken a cottage at Newport. Her sister, Mrs. Sidney Harris, is at present the guest of Mrs. Robert Osborn at Bellport, Long Island.

Mrs. Adolf Ledenberg sailed on Saturday on the St. Paul from Cherbourg. She will go to Newport, where she will pass the summer. Mrs. Barney, the Misses Barney and Albert Clifton Barney, who are on the same ship, will be at Bar Harbor this summer.

Mrs. Peter Cooper Hewitt is at Saratoga. She and her father, Frank Work, have rooms at Saratoga for the summer. Mrs. Hewitt will remain at Saratoga for the summer. The summer will be spent at Newport and then join her sister, Mrs. Peter Roche, who is at Newport for the summer.

Oliver H. Payne sails this morning on his yacht, the Aphrodite, with his nephew, Payne Whitney, for England. A stop will be made at the Azores and afterward at London. The summer will be spent cruising along the coast of Scotland. Colonel Payne takes a month in the summer. The trip will last three months.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould, who are to be at home to-day from their Newport visit, will not return to the Catskills, but according to present plans will go to Saratoga. Mrs. Gould will go to Saratoga with her sister, Mrs. George J. Gould, who will participate in several of the polo contests at Rockaway, which are going on this week.

Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge will leave her country seat in Connecticut this week and pay a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burr Barnes at Southampton. Mrs. Dodge will go to Southampton with Mrs. Priscilla Barnes this summer at Southampton. The wedding will take place at the little Church of St. Andrew's-on-the-Dunes.

The daily yacht races at Newport began again yesterday, and there was a game of polo at the Cedarhurst Club, which brought together the remnants of the polo season. The polo season will be all the week there. At the yacht harbor, at Twenty-sixth-st., there were a number of craft. Excursionists from New York, New Jersey, and the Electric, and J. Pierpont Morgan arrived from the Highlands on the Corsair.

A wedding of interest in London on July 2, which has just been announced, was that of J. Mitchell Clark, the son of the Right Rev. Dr. Thomas M. Clark, Bishop of Rhode Island to Mrs. Sarah W. Clark, daughter of the late General John H. Wood. J. Mitchell Clark is about fifty-five years old, and is a graduate of Brown University of the class of 1868. He has been a member of the Metropolitan, the Tuxedo and other clubs. Mrs. Bodine and her mother have lived at Newport, but have been abroad recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes will leave Lenox this week for their camp in the Adirondacks. Mr. and Mrs. John Forster Hoyt, who were with them at Shadow Brook, have returned to their summer place at Rowayton, near South Norwalk, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies have been in Paris, where they were staying a fortnight ago at the Elvée Palace Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Baylies will be abroad nearly all the summer. Mrs. Baylies is a graduate of Brown University. Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin and the Misses Iselin will go to the Engadine for the summer.

Miss Elizabeth Davis, the daughter of Judge and Mrs. John Davis, of Washington, and Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., have arranged to have their wedding on September 2.

FIGHTING WITH BOER BANDS.

LORD ROBERTS REPORTS ON THE OPERATIONS OF HIS ARMY.

London, July 9.—The following dispatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the War Office:

Pretoria, July 8.—As the enemy for some days had been threatening our line of railway by trying to get around our right flank, I directed the 1st Mounted Infantry to reinforce Mahon, and with orders to drive the Boers to the east of Bronker Spruit. These orders were effectually carried out. Yesterday and today I sent Major Mahon, who was attacked by some 3,000 men, with six guns and two Maxim guns, including Captain Nelles, of the Canadian Mounted rifles, to the east of Bronker Spruit. He was successful in his operations. On the night of July 4 for Fouriesburg, between Bethlehem and Ficksburg, accompanied by Christian De Wet and other Free State commandos, he was reported to have destroyed the railway.

Hanbury-Tracy, commanding at Rustenburg, reports that a party of Boers under Limmer attempted on him yesterday to surrender the town. He held Rustenburg for Her Majesty's Government, and intended to continue to occupy it. The enemy then opened fire with artillery and tried to take the heights commanding the town. He repulsed them with his good arrangements made by Hanbury-Tracy and his officers. Eventually they were driven off, with the assistance of Holdsworth and his Hussars, who made a rapid march of forty-eight miles from the neighborhood of Zeerust, with the Bushmen under Colonel Aire, on hearing Rustenburg was likely to be threatened. The enemy were forced heavily, and five men were killed, and one officer and three men wounded.

Lord Roberts also telegraphs to the War Office from Pretoria as follows:

The officer commanding at Heilbron reports that State Secretary Bignault, State Attorney Dickson and Members of the Council Van der Merwe and Kuppervergen came in yesterday and surrendered. Hutton was attacked yesterday in a position he was holding by a large number of Boers. He cut them off without much difficulty, the 5th and 6th Cavalry regiments, and the 1st Mounted Infantry. Only one casualty was Lieutenant Young, of the 1st Canadian Mounted Troop—slight scalp wound. The enemy left several wounded on the ground and sent a flag of truce with a request that they might be received in our field hospital.

I regret to say that Captain Currie and Lieutenant Kirk, of the Imperial Light Horse, who were reported wounded in my telegram of yesterday, were both killed. One squadron of distinguished corps pressed a very heavy force of the enemy in a gallant attempt to capture the mountainous heights of the Tugela. The result was a heavy loss sustained. In addition to the officers and men, a farrier sergeant and three troopers were killed and seven troopers wounded.

KRUEGER'S ALLIES DISCONTENTED.

Cape Town, July 9.—At a meeting of Afrikaner women here to-day, called to protest against the annexation of the republics to the British Empire and the punishment of the rebels, Mrs. Olive Schreiner's denunciation of the British policy. She said she was ashamed of her English descent, and added:

If the republics are annexed, if the Afrikaners are to be treated as a conquered people, every trench of Boer blood is a grave of England's honor. Every bullet making a wound also finds a billet in the heart of the Empire. It is reported here that President Kruger's reputation for large amounts of gold at Mafeking has created the utmost discontent among the mercenary officers and men. They expect substantial rewards for championing the Boer interests, but have received nothing. It is believed that visiting foreigners who have subaquently advocated intervention are believed to have received substantial sums. Proofs, it is further asserted, have been discovered in Pretoria which promise startling developments.