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Boxers and Chinese Troops Both Lose Heavily.

JAPAN'S ACTIVITY.

Protests Against Landing of More Russian Troops.

MOBILIZES FLEET.

American Admiral Calls for Re-enforcements - Czar's Plan.

LEADING TOPICS

TO-DAY'S REPUBLIC.

Shanghai, June 6.—The soldiers dispatched to attack the boxers have taken an engagement quite close to Pekin. Many were killed on both sides.

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Pekin, June 6.—The situation is growing steadily worse. Events move with such rapidity, and affairs, owing to the excitement of the natives, are so critical, that the foreign ministers held frequent meetings.

RUSSIANS MOBILIZED.

Leningrad, June 6.—The situation in Shanghai, dated June 6, says that the members of the majority of the legations at Pekin, including the members of the British legation, are sending telegrams to Tokyo.

GERMAN INTEREST IN CHINA.

Berlin, June 6.—In the Reichstag to-day during the debate on the navy bill the secretary of the Navy, Admiral Tirpitz, alluded to the great development of German interests in China as being likely to necessitate a further large increase in the navy.

SITUATION IS GRAVE.

Berlin, June 6.—German officials circles continue to regard the Chinese situation as grave. This is shown by the additional number of marines landed from the Hils and from the fact that the large protected cruiser Hertha, bearing the commander of the Asiatic Squadron, Rear Admiral Bendoricich, has been ordered to proceed to Taku.

LONDON ALARMED.

London, Thursday, June 7.—(Copyright, 1900, by the New York Herald Company.) There was much anxiety shown yesterday morning among leading financiers in the city, owing to developments in China, and unmistakable signs that the war between Japan and Russia is more than a possibility.

INTERVENTION NECESSARY.

London, June 7.—Affairs in China are gradually working up a crisis of the first magnitude. The morning papers think that the British squadron is recognized as inferior in strength to the Japanese.

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