

EYES OF GERMANS OPENED

GETTING A GLIMPSE OF RUSSIA'S PREDICAMENT IN CHINA

ACTUAL WAR IS IN PROGRESS

Chinese Oppose the Russians With an Army of 120,000 Men and Have Control of Long Stretch of the Amur River.

Copyrighted by the Associated Press. BERLIN, July 21.—The Chinese situation takes on a radically different shape from news which has reached here from Russia. What Europe hitherto knew about the trouble in Manchuria was that the Russian government chose to let pass. Now a number of reports, some of them official, but a majority private, have reached here from St. Petersburg, which tally in the main and paint the situation in Chinese Manchuria and along the 1,500 kilometers of borderland on the Siberian side of which the Amur river forms a frontier, as much more dangerous for Russia than has hitherto been supposed.

ALL IS DARK IN CHINA

POWERS ARE UNDETERMINED AS TO PREVALENCE OF ANARCHY OR WAR

CHINESE FIGHT FOR COUNTRY

Wave of Patriotism That May Cause Civilized Powers Much Trouble—Terrorist Weather in Paris—Trend to Go to Rome.

Copyrighted by the Associated Press. PARIS, July 21.—Is it anarchy or war? If this question were answered to the entire satisfaction of the powers, there might be some light on the future situation in China, but with the absolute lack of trustworthy information all are acting in the dark. No one is willing to hazard a guess as to what the outcome is to be. The powers recognize, in the extension of the present anti-foreign movement, the birth of a spirit of patriotism which they never met with before in their dealings with the Chinese people. In the Sino-Japanese war Central and Southern China held aloof.

WAR AUTOMOBILE DAMAGED

CHICAGO, July 21.—The war automobile is now at Highland, Ill., waiting for a

COLLISION AT SEA

LONDON, July 21.—The British ship Clifton, Capt. Jones, from Port Hadlock, Wash., was in collision at Antofagasta, Chile, with the British bark Lord Kinraid, Capt. Mutch, last from Newcastle, N. S. W. Both vessels were badly damaged.

Common Sense. Standard Housefurnishing Co. Bankrupt Stock Bargain Sale. You can't save dollars without sense. Good sense will prompt you to inspect the merits of our... THIS IS THE LAST WEEK Saturday next will mark the close of the most stupendous Furniture bargain Sale ever held in St. Paul. CASH OR CREDIT. HERE ARE SOME INDICATORS. Labogalized Birch Armchairs—Richly carved, hand-painted, upholstered in silk damask; regular price, \$10; wholesale price, \$5.85. Quick Action Price \$5.85. Towel Rollers—Solid hardwood throughout; well finished; regular price, 15 cents; wholesale price, 10 cents. Quick Action Price 6c. Solid Oak Frame Pictures—22x27, highly polished, photographic reproduction of original copyright studies from life; regular price \$3.75; wholesale price, \$2.10. Quick Action Price \$1.92. Leader Washboards—One side only tinned; regular price, 25c; wholesale price, 20c. Quick Action Price 14c. Sideboard—Golden oak finish, solid oak, French plate, one drawer lined for silverware, two small drawers, one large drawer, two large compartments; regular price, \$17.75; wholesale price, \$12.50. Quick Action Price \$9.75. 6-Hook Solid Oak Clothes and Hat Racks—Well finished, regular price, \$1.00; wholesale price, 60 cents. Quick Action Price 52c.

OFFICERS OF THE NINTH REGIMENT WHO WERE IN THE FIGHT AT TIEN TSIN.



FRANK DE W. RAMSEY, Captain. A. U. LOEB, Second Lieutenant. JAMES P. DROUILLARD, First Lieutenant. CHARLES A. COOLIDGE, Lieutenant Colonel. MORRIS C. FOOTE, Major. EDWIN R. GIBSON, First Lieutenant. WILLIS P. COLEMAN, Second Lieutenant.

STRUCTURED FORTS AND REDOUTS, absolutely command the navigation of the Amur river for a distance of twenty miles, thus preventing Russian troop transports on the only route open, at least until those fortifications shall have been taken by the Russians.

THE RUSSIAN CENSORSHIP is again most severe regarding telegrams, news reached here today from St. Petersburg that the Russian government has decided to withdraw the Chinese assumed the offensive, and drove off the Russians from railway construction, and are undertaking hostile operations against Harbin, Blagovestchensk and other towns, shelling the last named place. What makes the Chinese hostilities extremely dangerous, however, is the fact that the Chinese, by a series of recently con-

Germany would do everything in her power to assist the United States, but the impossibility at the present time to carry out such a plan.

THE ALLEGED DISPATCH from Minister Conger, and all the other reassuring Chinese advice received here, are received by German officials with extreme skepticism, and Ambassador White has so called the Washington authorities.

MAN TO MAN.

The Globe, today, is the best selling newspaper in St. Paul. If you want proof of this, ask your newsdealer, the newsboy or the agents on the trains. The latter will tell you there is more demand for the Globe than any St. Paul paper and that but one in the Twin Cities is more frequently called for. You who read the paper know why. Make a point of telling the secret to the man who doesn't know it.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

Poem by Frank Stanton a feature of the Reunion.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 21.—A poem by Frank L. Stanton recited at the Blue and Gray reunion Wednesday night, excited marvelous enthusiasm. It was as follows: THE BLUE AND THE GRAY. (By Frank L. Stanton.) A feast in the trenches that once knew the red And the wrath of the war—where the And the thunder of battle roared round us today. As brothers they meet there—the Blue and the Gray. Where rifles once rattled, Their hands clasp in brotherly blessing today. A feast in the trenches where no more the sod Gleams red in the sight of the heavens of God. And the eyes of the angels that wept in pain, Under the daisies, and under the rain. The battle is o'er— To meet now as foes while the strong hills remain. "For God it is glorious—victorious to see The Blue and the Gray where Love's banners bravely free. To know that they stand with a faith that holds fast. After the strife reared at last. Wave, bright flags, above them. We greet them—we love them. In the peace of the present, on the field of the past. One day from those trenches grim foe faced his foe; But it's so long ago now—it's so long ago. It is as if battle had never known, As the winds ripple round us the red, and the blue. War was well if it led Over the heads of the dead To a glorious reunion of hearts that had been true."

LOVE IN THE OLDEN DAYS

ENTERTAINING NEW STORY TO BEGIN TOMORROW.

Under the title of "The Maid of Maiden Lane" Amelia E. Barr has written a very entertaining story of life and love in old New York. The scene of the story is laid in the period following the founding of the Republic, and historical characters and questions of the time figure in the tale; the love interest, however, being dominant. Two young officers of Washington's army are rivals for the hand of a beautiful colonial maiden, and parental opposition intensified interest in the love situation. The opening chapters will be given in tomorrow's Globe.

HUNG CHANG FROM CANTON northward is, in our minds, a very grave feature of the situation. Much will depend upon the direction in which his influence is exercised. His reticence, and the absence of a precise indication of his position cannot be regarded as reassuring.

THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT still entertains hopes of the safety of the legations in Peking in view of today's advice to the Associated Press. It also declines to believe that any discord will break out among the powers, especially between Russia and Japan. Russia has her hands full with affairs in Manchuria, where it is pointed out she has been taken as much by surprise as have been the other powers. The invasion of Russian territory by the Chinese astounded the Russian government, which little suspected that the Chinese were in such strength, or so well armed, in the territory contiguous to Russia.

THAT NO POLITICAL break will occur in the accord of the powers is the general opinion in diplomatic spheres.

THE TORRID WEATHER in the United States has had its duplicate here. During last week the thermometer registered between 80 and 85 degrees, reaching the maximum on Friday, 102 in the shade, making it the hottest day ever recorded in Paris. The extreme heat continues today without any indications of a break. The streets during the week were deserted at midday, and remained so throughout the afternoon by a constant business men. Many cases of sunstroke were treated daily. The efforts to keep cool assume amusing forms. Every man or woman carried a little Japanese fan, known here under the name of "the little white fan." Ladies wore big sun bonnets, and men were attired in the most airy clothing. The boulevard cafes were crowded up to late at night, their frequenters imbibing iced drinks.

THE WEATHER had a very unfavorable influence on the attendance at the exposition. Parisians kept away entirely, and only the provincials, here for a short stay, braved the sun's rays and continuously did the exposition. The big drop in the number of visitors brought about an instantaneous slump in the price of tickets, which sold at 75 centimes when the show opened. They gradually dropped to 45 centimes, at which price they had been staggering for the past few weeks. Yesterday, however, the haunts had thinned out, and the price of tickets fell to 25 centimes, and some sold tickets at 20 centimes, equal to four cents in American money.

THIS SLUMP is a serious thing of the Paris parks, which, on the opening of the exposition, took over a large proportion of the 5,000,000 tickets issued at 50 centimes, half their issue price. The exhibition reaches the half-way point on Thursday next, and thus far only 15,000,000 tickets have been disposed of. There, therefore, remain 50,000,000 tickets. Allowing for the natural increase in consumption during the holiday months, it is still apparent that the banks will have at least 15,000,000 tickets left on their hands. This explains the morning's report of a commission which usually will probably be obtainable at two cents each.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND.

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WASHINGTON MAN WHO HAS CHINESE NEWS IN ADVANCE

WILL NOT REVEAL ITS SOURCE

Had a Message That Minister Conger Was Safe Before Minister Wu Had Received Cipher Dispatch—Where Americans Are.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—Dr. J. C. Ellis, a practicing physician, of No. 1817 K street, this city, claims to have received information through secret sources direct from China that Minister Conger and his household are safe, and confined in a subterranean passage between the imperial palace and the English legation. They are suffering somewhat from lack of food, the doctor says, but no bodily harm has come to them. He declines to disclose the source of his information at present, but has informed the authorities that he will do so at the proper time. When his communication was first received at the White house little importance was attached to it, but upon the receipt of a cipher message from Minister Conger yesterday morning, Col. Montgomery, who is in charge of the White house, wrote a note to Dr. Ellis, asking if he had any further particulars, and for his source of information.

IRON MOLDERS' UNION.

The Iron Molders' union held a meeting at Assembly hall last night, when M. J. Harrington, of the Chicago union, and Gus Goetz, of Racine union, were admitted by the local union, and elected and installed as treasurer in place of John Whitey.

LOCAL LABOR IN BRIEF.

The following unions held meetings Monday night: Assembly hall, Leathers, Workers, Retail Grocery Clerks, Bakers, Building Trades council and Boller-makers.

La Crose Coopers' union No. 85 was organized on the 19th with a full board of officers.

The Horseshoers' union, of Minneapolis, has frequently complained that persons who are in no way competent to shoe horses are being employed, and that there is a great deal of damage being done to horses by these inexperienced men.

Delegates from the Retail Salesmen have asked the council of Minneapolis to appoint a committee to call up the stores which have so far refused to sign the early closing agreement.

Frank A. Scohy and J. C. Carver have been appointed by the Minneapolis Coopers' union to attend the national convention of coopers to be held in Boston in September.

CONCEALS SOURCE.

Dr. Ellis persisted in his refusal to divulge the channels of his information, but declared that he knew positively that Minister Conger and other Americans were absolutely safe up to 6 o'clock this morning. He said further that the Americans and other foreigners were confined in the subterranean passage under the protection of the empress dowager, who desired the American people to know that she was powerless to prevent the revolution in Peking, but that she would protect the foreigners at all hazards.

IN LABOR'S FIELD.

The Twin City Lithographers' union held a meeting in Assembly hall last evening, when applications for membership were received from Charles Marks and John Furman. A communication was received from the Labor day committee of the Trades and Labor council asking the union to participate in the Labor day parade to which they acceded, and will appoint a subcommittee at next meeting to act in conjunction with the Labor day committee. The report of the ball committee was received, showing the ball had been a great success, over \$100 having been realized. The ball committee was tendered a vote of thanks for their successful management. The union decided to attend the Building Trades council picnic in a body. The next meeting will be held in Alexander's hall Monday evening. Receipts, \$28; disbursements, \$10.

FINAL CONFERENCE.

There were many visitors with President McKinley today. Among them was J. F. Moulton, of Denver, formerly of Ohio, who wanted a position in military headquarters, and who is also interested in the natural resources of the Philippines. He came to Canton primarily to see Senator Hanna, and met him on the street. McKinley later.

AT OLD CAMP MORTON.

Indianaapolis, Ind., July 21.—The committee in charge of the notification meeting of Bryan and Stevenson today, made a change in the arrangements, and instead of at Newby Oval the meeting will be held in the open air, in Military park. A huge stand will be erected and all but the speakers and distinguished visitors will stand.

The park is within five squares of the center of the city. Many great political gatherings have been held in the park, notably before the war. It was here soldiers camped on their way to Black Hawk war in 1852, and Indiana soldiers

FAILED TO AGREE.

Democrats and Populists of Idaho Drop Negotiations.

POCAHELLO, July 21.—The Populists held an exciting session of their convention today over the rejection by the Democrats the night before of the ultimatum sent to them by the Populists. The Populists would not withdraw the ultimatum, however, another fruitless session of the conference committee was held.

NEW YORK REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

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MR. VANDERBILT SCORCHED.

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NILES, O., July 21.—A street car containing forty passengers on the Mineral Ridge & Niles railroad jumped the track at Mineral Ridge last night and turned over. Every person on board was injured. The most seriously hurt were: Howard Williams, Mineral Ridge, who died; Watkins Williams, Niles, internally injured; Will Newby, Niles, head badly injured; John Ryan, Niles, badly bruised; and Sam Shaw, Niles, hip and head injured.

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SAYS DEMOCRATS HAVE GOOD CHANCE IN ILLINOIS.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 21.—A party of distinguished Illinois Democrats, consisting of Gen. Alfred Orendorff, of Springfield; J. W. Verbits, of Shelbyville; and H. W. Clendinning, editor of the Illinois

LOWN REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

DES MOINES, Mo., July 21.—Since the burning of the auditorium, Chairman Weaver, of the state Republican committee, has been undecided about the location for the next convention. Today he declared that he was satisfied with the progress of the work on the new auditorium, and formally announced that the convention would be held in Des Moines on the first day of August, as originally intended.

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