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RAY OF HOPE FROM CHINA

Legations Reported Safe on July 4th.

CHINESE REPORTS RECEIVED LOST HEAVILY

Russians and Japanese Kill one Thousand Celestials.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, July 9, 2.45 a. m.—The foreign consuls met July 8th and officially announced that the Legations at Peking were safe on July 4th.

The foregoing statement, read with Consul Warren's despatch to the Foreign Office on Saturday, makes it possible to believe that the legations will hold out for a number of days yet.

Having fought to a standstill the first outburst of fanatical fury, it is believable that something may intervene to save them.

This news, after the sinister rumours of the last ten days, is enough upon which to build up hope.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Express, telegraphing on Sunday at 5.10 p. m., throws doubt upon Consul Warren's information. He says: "Tao Tai Sheng now admits that there was an error in his communication to General Warren. The date of courier's arrival at Chinen Fu was July 3, which does not apply to his departure from Peking."

The journey from Peking to Chinen Fu occupies five days.

The courier therefore could not have left Peking later than June 28.

The date of the massacre there, as given by the Chinese reports, was June 30th and July 1st.

LONDON, July 9.—The correspondents at Shanghai, who are still the clearing house for the Chinese news, says that a combined force of Russians and Japanese have left Tien Tsin, following the railway as far as Lang Fau, and have thence swept swiftly to the west, attacking the Chinese 18 miles north of Tien Tsin and killing 1,000 of them.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Standard says: "Reports from Tien Tsin from Chinese sources say that a great battle has taken place in which the Chinese lost heavily."

The allies at Tien Tsin are short of provisions and suffer considerably from sniping.

Artillery Practice

The 4th Regt. C. A. held their big gun competition this year at Tea Hill on Saturday last. Four companies competed and did excellent work. The battery from which the guns were fired was at the summit of Tea Hill and the targets were placed about 300 yards from the beach off Squaw Point, and about 3,000 yards from the battery. Lieut.-Col. Moore, D. O. C., acted as umpire, and Lieut. Macdougall was range officer. The target represented 45 men in line kneeling and the way in which the enemy was knocked out by the different companies was a very pleasing sight. The Montague Company which made such an excellent appearance in camp, it is said, did the best shooting. The 4th Regiment never appeared in better form than this year, and we congratulate Col. Longworth and his gallant officers on the fine showing the regiment made.

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THE ASHANTI EXPEDITION.

Governor Hodgson Safe—Hard Fighting Expected.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

CAPE COAST CASTLE, July 9.—A letter from Sir Frederick Mitchell Hodgson Governor of Gold Coast Colony, dated at Akwebusa July 1, has been received here announcing his safety.

FUMSU, July 8.—The column under command of Col. Willcocks, which is marching to the relief of Governor Hodgson, has arrived here. Hard fighting is expected to-morrow.

SUPREMACY

SATURDAY, July 7.

Simon vs. Joseph. Action for false arrest. Verdict for plaintiff for \$25.00 damages.

Stewart, Q. C. for plaintiff; Haszard Q. C. for defendant.

MONDAY, July 9.

The prisoners were this morning sentenced by Chief Justice Sullivan.

William Welsh, found guilty of house-breaking and attempt to commit rape, was sentenced to imprisonment for life in Dorchester Penitentiary.

William Ellsworth, found guilty of larceny from Driscoll & Hornsby and W. H. Bait was sentenced to five years in the Penitentiary at Dorchester on each charge, and for escaping from jail he was sentenced to two years in the same institution—twelve years in all.

Joseph McAleer, for larceny, was sentenced to four years in Dorchester Penitentiary.

John McPhail vs Francis McRory. Action for wrongfully obstructing right-of-way. Judgment for plaintiff for nominal damages and costs in terms of an agreement between the parties.

Ellen Cumiskey vs. Michael Laverty. Action for slander. Defendant agrees to apologise and pay costs.

Alex McMillan vs. David Shaw. Action of trespass. Before Justice Hodgson and Jury. Now before court.

Stewart, Q. C. and Bentley for plaintiff; A. Peters, Q. C. and Ings for defendant.

WOOLLEN MILLS DESTROYED

By Fire Today—Not a Cent of Insurance.

The Woollen Mills at Spring Park were laid low by fire today. Shortly before noon fire was discovered near the engine house. It is thought to have started in the waste house near the boiler. The mills were entirely of wood, and in a very short while the structures were a roaring furnace. The firemen quickly arrived, but the buildings were beyond hope of recovery. Several streams of water were played on the flames and the burning woodwork. Now nothing is to be seen save the chimney and the charred remains of the mills. Nothing was saved. The cloth and the machinery are a total loss. About forty persons were employed in the mills. There is no insurance.

Sipido's Sentence.

BRUSSELS, July 6.—The Assizes Court yesterday returned a verdict of guilty of attempt to kill the Prince of Wales against Jean Baptiste Sipido, who fired at the Prince, April 4, as the train bearing His Royal Highness was leaving the Northern Station in this city for Copenhagen. The court considered that Sipido acted without discernment and sentenced him to a reformatory until he shall have attained his majority.

Meert, Penchot and Meire, the instigators of the attack, were acquitted, on the ground that they considered the plot a joke.

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BOERS ATTACKED BULLER'S ESCORT

Between Standerton and Heidelberg.

THEY ALSO ATTACKED PICKSBURG GARRISON.

Brabant Occupies Bernburg, a Boer Base of Supplies.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

LONDON, July 9.—The Times Lorenzo Marques correspondent says, under date July 7: A general movement of Boer settlers in Gazaland, Portuguese Territory, seems to be in contemplation. Already large herds have been driven across the border. The Portuguese welcome the movement.

Late news from South Africa reports that the Boers ineffectually attacked Gen. Buller's escort between Standerton and Heidelberg, on Saturday, as he was returning from a visit to Lord Roberts.

The Boers attacked Ficksburg garrison at midnight on Tuesday, but were driven off after 45 minutes fighting.

General Brabant, on July 6th occupied Bernburg, between Senekal and Winburg, which served as a base for the bands assailing the convoys.

Col. Mohen, of General Hutton's mounted troops, on July 6th and 7th, engaged 3,000 Boers east of Bronkerspruit and drove them back.

More Praise For Canadians

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

OTTAWA, July 9.—A despatch was read in the House of Commons on Saturday, before the House rose, from Lord Roberts, highly praising the work of the Canadian Mounted Rifles in South Africa.

Promise-keeper Praised.

WINNIPEG, Man, July 7.—When the W. C. T. U. convention at Portage la Prairie received the announcement of the passing of the third reading of the liquor bill in the Legislature, the delegates arose and sang, "Thank God, from Whom all Blessings Flow." The following telegram was then sent to the Premier:

To Hon. H. J. Macdougall, Winnipeg:

The Provincial W. C. T. U. in convention assembled, congratulate you on your courageous stand for the right, re-liquor act, and add, "God bless the Premier."

(Signed) MRS E. K. GALLAGHER, Corresponding Secretary.

Officers Killed.

LONDON, July 5.—The Pretoria prisoners are evidently experiencing an early renewal of war after their liberation.

In the latest lists of casualties there is evidence of this. The attack on the small British force at Honingspruit, on June 23, entailed the death of Major H. T. de C. Hobbs, of the 2nd West Yorks, who was taken prisoner owing to staying behind to assist a wounded man at Willow Grange, in Natal, on November 23. Second-Lieut. H. H. Smith, reported severely wounded in the same fight, belongs to the 1st Gloucesters, and was taken prisoner at Nicholson's Nek.

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