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## TWELVE HUNDRED PRISONERS

### Surrender to General Hunter

#### RIFLES AND PONIES GIVEN UP.

#### Boers Have Evacuated Machadodorp And Are Going to Lydenburg.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Lord Roberts has telegraphed the War Office as follows:

"PRETORIA, Aug. 1.—Hunter reports

1200 more prisoners surrendered yesterday with Commandants Rouse and Fonteneau, whilst Commandants Deploy, Potgieter and Joubert surrendered to Bruce Hamilton, who collected 1200 rifles, 650 ponies and an Armstrong gun.

"Lieut. Anderson, a Danish officer in the Staats Artillery also surrendered.

"Olivier, with five guns and a number of Burghers, broke away in the Harrismith district but Hunter expects the total prisoners will amount to 4,000.

"An unfortunate accident occurred near Fredericksdorp on the Krugersdorp-Potchefstroom railway. The enemy had torn up the rails, and a supply train escorted by Shorpsires was derailed, 13 being killed and 29 injured.

#### IMPORTANT CAPTURE.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—A correspondent with General Hunter's force at Slapkrans says:

"Windburg and Senekal commandoes are now arriving,—about 600 men.

General Roux has arrived, and also the commandant of the Wepener commando. It will take days to get all in.

There is a continuous stream of waggons for seven miles up to the valley roads.

All the leaders have surrendered.

The prisoners include the foreign artilleryists.

#### BOERS RETREATING.

LORENZO MARQUEZ, Aug. 2.—The Boers have evacuated Machadodorp and it is reported are preparing to retreat to Lydenburg.

#### STARTLING DEVELOPMENTS.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Daily Telegraph, on the authority of its Cape Town correspondent, asserts that documents of the highest importance, emanating from England, have been discovered in Pretoria implicating members of the House of Commons and other prominent persons in England who have agitated in favor of the Boers. It says that startling developments may be expected shortly.

—Dr. Ferguson will lecture in Marshfield Hall, this evening at 8 o'clock, on "Rambles in the Old World."

—It is now stated that 25 per cent. of the wheat crop of Manitoba will not be cut and for the rest, the yield will not average ten bushels per acre. Not more than ten or eleven million bushels of wheat will, it is said, be produced in Manitoba this year, and not more than seven million bushels will be exported.

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## GREAT TROTTING.

Mr. W. S. McKie's Horse Wins First  
Heat in Free-for-all in 2:18 1-2.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

St. STEPHEN, N. B., Aug. 2.—In a free-for-all race, trotted last evening, W. S. McKie's chestnut stallion Provider won the first heat in 2:18, taking second money in the race and beating the crack trotters and pacers of New England and the Provinces.

## ASSASSINATION IN THE AIR

Attempt on the Life of King Alexander.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Vienna correspondent of the Chronicle, wiring yesterday, says: "A rumor has reached here from Belgrade that an attempt was made to assassinate King Alexander yesterday afternoon, while he was driving through the town. It is said he was shot at but was not injured."

## King Humbert's Assassin.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Italian vice consul general, accompanied by Captain Usher, of the West Hoboken police, yesterday called upon Mrs. Sophie Bressi, who is supposed to be the wife of King Humbert's assassin. She was in a very nervous condition and was put through a searching examination regarding her husband. She related substantially the same story she told the newspaper men, and which was printed in the morning papers. The police captain searched the house, but found no evidence to show that either the woman or her husband were connected with a plot for the assassination of King Humbert. The consul had a conference with Captain Usher, as a result of which, it is said Mr. Bressi, will be kept under surveillance until such time as the Italian government can be heard from.

ROME, Aug. 1.—A Tuscan named Guisate, who lives in the house of Remala, in Milan, and other suspects have been arrested there. The assassin speaks English, French and Spanish.

## Railways in the States.

On June 30th, 1899, the total single track mileage of the United States totaled 189,895 miles, an increase during the year of 2,898 miles, which is greater than that of any other year since 1893. The total number of locomotives was 36,703, an increase of 469 over last year. The total number of cars of all classes in the service of the railways was 1,375,916, an increase of 49,742. Of these 33,850 were passenger cars, 1,295,510 were freight cars and 46,556 were devoted to the direct service of railroads. It must be remembered, however, that cars owned by private companies and firms, used by rail ways are not included in these returns.

The number of employees was 928,924, an increase of 55,366. Of this total number the service of 54,909 was required for general administration, 287,000 for maintenance of way and structures, 181,000 for maintenance of equipment, and 418,000 for conducting transportation.

The total amount of railway capital outstanding was over \$11,000,000,000, representing a capitalization of \$50,566 per mile of line. The total amount of dividends declared during the year was \$111,900,822, which would be produced by an average rate of 4.97 per cent on the stock on which some dividend was declared.

The gross earnings were \$1,313,610,118 an increase of over \$65,000,000 for the year. The operating expenses were \$856,968,999, an increase of \$39,000,000. The amount of dividends declared during the year was \$111,000,000, leaving a surplus of \$53,000, the corresponding surplus of the preceding year being \$44,000,000.

## ESTEMED EXCHANGES.

Montreal Star: "I consider a yearly expenditure of \$40,000,000 or \$38,000,000 altogether too large for the present resources of Canada. I say it is a shame and a disgrace to the Government that have been entrusted with our affairs that they come down to us and ask for an expenditure of \$38,000,000 a year for federal purposes." Thus spoke Sir Richard Cartwright in Parliament in 1896. Since that we have it on the authority of Sir Wilfrid Laurier that Sir Richard is a man who yields against his own better judgment to preserve harmony in the party, and now the expenditure considerably exceeds a million dollars a week. "Give us harmony," as the eel said when he swallowed the frog singing out of tune.

## MORE NEWS FROM PEKIN

### Chinese Gov- ernment.

#### CHINESE TROOPS FIRE ON FOREIGNERS.

#### Prompt Action Only Will Avert Terrible Massacre.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, Aug. 2.—At last the story of Pekin has been told.

Dr. Morrison, in today's Times, holds up the Chinese government before the world as guilty—and to a degree of infamy and duplicity that exceeds the surmise of its worst detractors.

In the same despatch he gives a more hopeful view of the prospects of the besieged than has been expected by any of the others who have been heard from.

Simultaneously there comes from the Belgian charge de affairs at Shanghai an official statement that the allies are expected to reach Pekin in about a week, they being eighteen miles from Tien Tsin yesterday.

Another letter has been received at Tien Tsin from the British minister, Sir Claude Macdonald, dated July 24. "We are surrounded by imperial troops," he writes, "who are firing on us continually, the enemy is enterprising, but cowardly."

"We have provisions for about a fortnight and are eating our ponies. The Chinese government if there be one, has done nothing whatever to help us. If the Chinese do suppress the attack we can hold out for (say) ten days. No time should be lost if a terrible massacre is to be averted."

#### MORE HELP.

SIMLA, Aug. 2.—Another brigade has been ordered to China tomorrow.

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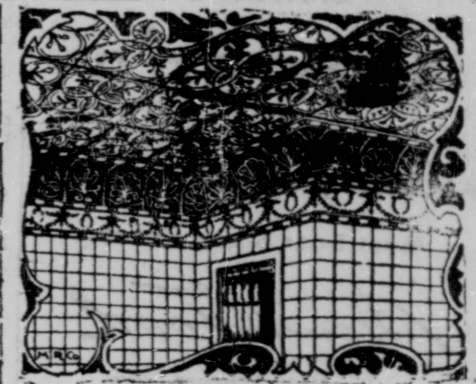
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