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Massing Near Peking

Chinese Soldiers Sent to Suppress the "Boxers" Join the Rebels.

Several Hundred Troops Killed. Missionaries Are in Extreme Peril.

London, May 29.—Advice received here indicate that the situation in China has assumed a very critical phase and one calculated to tax the entire resources of the Chinese government.

The operations of the Boxers are increasing in magnitude. Their demonstrations are no longer local and they appear to be governed in their movements by some well settled designs.

They have murdered nine Methodist missionaries in one province, at the town of Paochow, and have closed in on Peking. Manifestly the Chinese army is suspected of disloyalty, this belief being strengthened by wholesale desertions of the soldiers to the Boxers.

Minister Cui has appealed to the state department for the protection of a marine guard for his legation. The department has promptly cabled him an authorization to call upon the nearest United States naval vessels for assistance.

Not an Easy One. So far, all the measures taken by the state department look to the simple protection of the United States legation at Peking, the United States consulates in the vicinity and the lives of such Americans as may be obliged to take refuge there in the event of general rioting.

GUARDS FOR LEGATIONS. Foreign Envoys Fear Massacre in the Capital. London, May 30.—The Daily Express has the following from Shanghai, dated Tuesday: "The rebellion continues to grow in intensity, and the gravest fears are entertained of its ultimate extent."

Many Persons Rescued. Peking, May 29.—The relief party has returned from Chang Tsun Tien, bringing twenty-five persons, including several women and children.

Cavalry Near Pretoria

Troops Reported to Have Advanced Seven Miles North of Johannesburg.

The Burgers Continue to Desert and President Kruger is Wavering.

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MARKET STREET, MARKET SQUARE, JOHANNESBURG.

Robert's cavalry has flowed on beyond Johannesburg. A portion is understood to be at Zoutfontein, seven miles north of Johannesburg, and within twenty miles of Pretoria.

Lord Roberts, although with a broken bridge at Vereeniging, and a wrecked railway behind him, has somehow managed to get forward sufficient supplies for his large force.

Outside of Pretoria. The rapidity of his advance is thought an extraordinary achievement, even by grading Continental critics.

The Boers, who expected to fight along the line of hills known as Klip Riversberg, abandoned the eastern end of the range, near Lord Roberts's advance line, but they stood their ground on the extreme right near Vanwycksum, where they met Gen. French's turning move-

attempts to destroy property or life meeting force with force. The Netherlands Railway Company yesterday notified the authorities at Lorenzo Marques that they must decline to accept goods for delivery at Johannesburg.

South African Policy. Lord Salisbury's Important Statement. Independence of Republics Will Be a Thing of the Past.

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RIVERS INLET NOTES. Rain has fallen almost daily for the last three weeks. Most of the canneries on the Inlet are employing large numbers of Japanese this year.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKETS. John Black and Bernard Gilbertson, both aged 12, sons of J. T. Black and Bernard Gilbertson, were drowned yesterday while bathing in the Assiniboine river.

JOHANNESBURG AND DOORNfontein. The light continued all day, and the result is as yet mere conjecture. Probably the Boers' rear guard succeeded in keeping Gen. French off and in now in the hills northwest of Johannesburg.

What Makes Beauty? Beauty is made to succeed by the blood. When the blood is impure, the cheeks grow sallow, the eyes dull, the hair loses its luster.

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Britons in San Francisco. Sons of the Empire Honor Her Majesty's Birthday in California. A Reminder That all the Patriots Are Not in British Territory.

San Francisco, May 25.—The people in British Columbia have done their duty in celebrating Her Majesty's 81st birthday, but if any of them had been in San Francisco last night they would have learned that not to them alone belonged that privilege.

Metropolitan hall, perhaps the very finest assembly room in San Francisco, was retained for the entertainment, and the committee in charge arranged the very best talent, eloquent and loyal, for the occasion.

When Victoria people, engaged in their own celebration, had a little thought for those other Canadians who are absent from the places where they would rather be, there was also a loud hurrah held in the vicinity of the Golden Gate.

And how British they were! From the opening address of the chairman, W. Greer Harrison, a Britisher, of whom columns might be written, was the chair-exercised to the full prerogative of the middle-age man in that he spoke more longer than was necessary, he succeeded in holding the attention of his audience from beginning to end.

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Workingmen's Meeting Political Questions Threshed Out in the A. O. U. W. Hall Last Evening.

Forcible Speeches Delivered and a Resolution Endorsing the Premier Passed.

The attendance at the Workingmen's meeting in the A. O. U. W. Hall last evening could be considered fair when the proceedings commenced, but as the hours sped by the hall was comfortably filled. All the speakers, except the chairman, spoke decidedly in favor of the government...

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KLONDIKE OUTFITS. Not complete without a supply of GAIL BORDEN EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK. BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK CO.

The chairman pointed out that this was distinctly a workingman's meeting, and if the interrogator had read the newspapers he would not have needed to ask that question. Messrs. James Tagg and A. G. Hay were next called upon, but they did not respond.

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Letter From Blanchard

Late Adjutant of the Fifth Regiment Writes to Col. Worsnop.

He Tells of the Tiresome March From Pardeberg to Bloemfontein

Capt. Blanchard, late adjutant of the 5th Regiment C. A., and now commanding A Company, first Canadian contingent, has written Col. Worsnop as follows: Bloemfontein, April 17th. My Dear Colonel: Your letter of the 21st I have just received, and I have been very busy. I was also anxious to receive the copies of the books sent from Vancouver before writing, so that I could acknowledge them...

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Eye Strain. Why suffer head-aches and general misery from eye-strain, when you can be absolutely and immediately cured by the use of glasses? I have given special study to this form of eye defect, and many have been cured by the use of my special glasses. BLYTH THE OPTICIAN, 65 FORT STREET (NEAR DOUGLAS). NEW WELLINGTON COAL. Washed Nuts, \$4.25. Sack and Lump, \$3.50. Delivered.

25 Cents off the Dollar. Stoddart's Jewelry Store. One Door from Broad Street. Victoria Building Society. The 7th drawing for an appropriation in connection with the above society will be held at St. William's Hall, Broad Street, on Wednesday, 30th May, 1900, at 8 p. m. See that your shares are in good standing. By order, A. ST.G. PLANT, Secretary.

NOT RESPONSIBLE. Dr. Sp. Rheddan Castle. E. & N. RAILWAY COMMENCING SUNDAY, JUNE 3. Goldstream and Return - 50c. CHILDREN UNDER 12 25 CENTS. Shawigan Lake and Return 75c. CHILDREN UNDER 12 40 CENTS. Duncans and Return - \$1.00. CHILDREN UNDER 12 50 CENTS. Trains leave Victoria at 9.00 a. m. and 2.00 p. m. The above rates are good to intermediate points. The B. C. Electric Railway Company have arranged a street car service to connect with the above trains. GEO. L. COURTNEY, Traffic Manager.

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Calendar for MAY 1900 showing dates from 1 to 31.

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co. advertisement with logo and contact information.

The Daily Times. Published every day (except Sunday) by W. TEMPLEMAN, Manager. Includes subscription rates and office address.

THE GOVERNOR'S COURSE. The Premier and his friends claim that the course of the Government is the only one available, and call upon those who do not agree with them to name one who would be more likely to be the choice of the electorate.

The delicacy of his position under the party system of government was to leave the matter entirely in the hands of the people's representatives. It has been repeatedly stated that it is laid down as an axiom by all authorities on constitutional government that a governor in taking upon himself the responsibility of dismissing his ministers and calling in new advisers must have practically no doubt that his choice will also prove that of the people when they are asked for their opinion.

TAXING WHEAT. The suggestion thrown out by Mr. T. B. Hall through the columns of the Colonist that it would be a good thing for the Empire if Great Britain were to impose a tax on all wheat arriving in her ports save that from the colonies is new one. It has been repeatedly urged on Imperial statesmen, and their reply to the proposal has never varied.

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY. Mr. Dooley, "Of all the days in the year, the birthday of the Queen is the one which I like best. It is a day when we can all get together and celebrate it in our own way."

The Canadians in South Africa have had opportunities of finding out what extraordinary notions are entertained abroad as to the nature of the country from which they hail. A member of the Royal Canadian Legion writes to his friends in London, Ont.:

NOT AN INDEPENDENT. The Editor: In your issue of Monday I saw a notice in an Invertebrate, otherwise an Independent, newspaper, regarding your journal. And, if so, how have you failed to see my address, Victoria I announce myself as an opponent of the Martin Government? Be so good as to give this con-

AROUSED AT LAST. To the terrible ravages of consumption in Ontario, the Government is petitioned to establish hospitals for consumptives. As a preventative to consumption there is no treatment to be compared to Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, which promptly and effectually cures every cough and cold.

USE Jubilee Brand Condensed Milk WILSON BROS., Agents, Victoria and Vancouver. The colors in Brainerd & Armstrong wash embroidery silk are "standard." That is, Violet is true tone; Geranium Lake is exactly that shade and all the other 374 are true to name or number.

THE SLATER BICYCLE SHOE. A shoe which differs from the general run of bicycle shoes inasmuch as it looks as well when walking as when cycling. This is in fact a combination bicycle-street shoe, all the necessary peculiarities for the cyclist with appearance to satisfy the most particular when off the wheel.

TO THE ELECTORS. Victoria City Electoral District. Gentlemen: We beg respectfully to inform you that we are candidates for election in the forthcoming contest for the Local Legislature, and solicit your support.

Advertisement for Fishing. Fishing will open on Monday, April 5th. Stage leaves Dunsmuir's Hotel, Wednesday and Friday. Special tickets will be issued by the E. & N. Railway good for 15 days, \$5 return.

Advertisement for A BAZAAR FLORAL FETE. Will be held at the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton Saturday, June 2, 1900. For the benefit of the funds for a new Rectory. Tickets will be given for the best decorated wheel and conveyance.

Advertisement for THE EVIL EYE OF NIC... OF NOD. The entire production in its entirety. No omission or substitution. The same as given at the principal theatres throughout the country.

Advertisement for THE SATER BICYCLE SHOE. Made in black and seal brown "Kidduck," the coolest and most wear resisting leather tanned. Unlined for coolness, proof against perspiration rotting, bicycle heel.

Advertisement for VICTORIA THEATRE. Friday, June 1. The Belting Spectacular Sensation of this Country! With 50 People and Three Railroad Cars of Scenery.

Advertisement for VICTORIA THEATRE. Thursday, May 31. A monster mass meeting of the friends of the Opposition Ticket—Messrs. Turner, Helmcken, McPhillips and Hall—will be held in the

WANTED-A general servant. Apply to Mrs. Kingham, 1 Phoenix Place. WANTED-A young girl to assist in general housework. Apply at 47 Hayward avenue. WANTED-A housemaid. Apply Mrs. Prentice, Braemar, Rockland avenue.

Provincial News.

NELSON. The first synd of the new disease of Kootenay meets to-day in this city for organization...

NEW WESTMINSTER. The funeral of the late Napoleon Yachon took place on Sunday afternoon from St. Mary's hospital...

The fire brigade was called to the Pacific Coast Lumber Company's mill on Lulu Island, whence considerable smoke was issuing on Sunday afternoon...

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FACE BLEMISHES BANISHED by using GARFIELD TEA AT ALL DRUGGISTS, 25 CENTS.

moments before, with the aid of a steward, I could unwind the living rope—Fortnightly Review.

FLYING MACHINES. "Will be as Common as Steamships Next Century." It is my firm belief that very early in the new century the world will witness the realization of its dreams of a practical air ship...

Discharging Projectiles. When bombs can be dropped from the sky, and the exact movements of opposing armies are known to one another, a very great stride will have been made towards universal peace...

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VIN MARIANI PROLONGS LIFE. That men wish to attain long life goes without saying. What man is there that has not wished for long life? Jules Verne, the famous writer makes the following powerful statement: "Vin Mariani, the wonderful Tonic Wine has the effect of prolonging life..."

NORTH AMERICAN LIFE.

The following figures as published in the preliminary Canadian Government Insurance Report for the year 1899 shows that the new business written during that year by the North American Life far exceeds the amount written by any other company either Canadian, American or British...

Table with 2 columns: Company Name and Amount. Includes entries like NEW YORK LIFE \$4,834,505.00, SUN LIFE OF CANADA 3,996,859.00, etc.

The North American Life is a progressive, reliable and popular home company, and you would do well to consult the undersigned for plans and figures. LEE & FRASER, T. A. CROSS, S. G. FAULKNER, CITY AGENTS, Special City Agent, Prov. Manager

HOW TO KEEP WARM. How to keep warm is no pressing a subject with many at this moment, that it tempts me (says the writer of the Research Notes in the Pall Mall Gazette) to give the advice of the well-known scientific writer, M. Gabriel Prevost...

Win. Ross, farmer, aged 55, living seven miles southwest of Shovel Lake, was found shot dead close to his home yesterday. He was shot in the right ear with a shotgun and his death wound is supposed to have been self-inflicted. He was a widower and leaves six daughters...

OR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c CATARRH CURE. 25c. 50 cent cure on the diseased parts by the Improved Flow. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Brought free. All druggists or Dr. A. W. Chase, Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

TRANSPORTATION. CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO. (LIMITED) WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

Time Table No. 70.—Taking Effect March 20th, 1900. Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Mondays at 8 a. m. Sunday at 12 p. m. Vancouver to Victoria—Daily at 1:15 p. m. or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE. Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner, Lulu and Islands—Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m. Leave New Westminster for Victoria and Way Ports—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a. m.

NORTHERN ROUTE. Steamships of this company will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate points, via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th each month. BARCLAY'S SOUND ROUTE. Steamer leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports, on the 1st, 7th, 14th and 20th of each month, extending latter trips to Quatsino and Cape Scott a. m.

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