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CHINESE MINISTER

Speaks Wisely on The Eastern Question.

WANTS THE OPEN DOOR

Policy Maintained—An Awful Shipwreck—Gambling City Clerk in Montreal.

A STATESMANLIKE ORIENTAL.

New York, May 9.—(Special.)—Sir Thomas Jackson and Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese Minister, speaking at dinner here deprecated the dismemberment of China but urged the Open Door policy, with England and America standing shoulder to shoulder to keep the trade open and free.

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A FEARFUL SHIPWRECK.

MELBOURNE, May 9.—(Special.)—The British ship Sierra Nevada has been wrecked outside the harbor here and twenty two of the crew are drowned.

CLERKS AND LOTTERY TICKETS.

MONTREAL, May.—(Special.)—The official investigation into the financial standing of the City Hall clerks shows the salaries of four hundred have been made over to money and lottery brokers.

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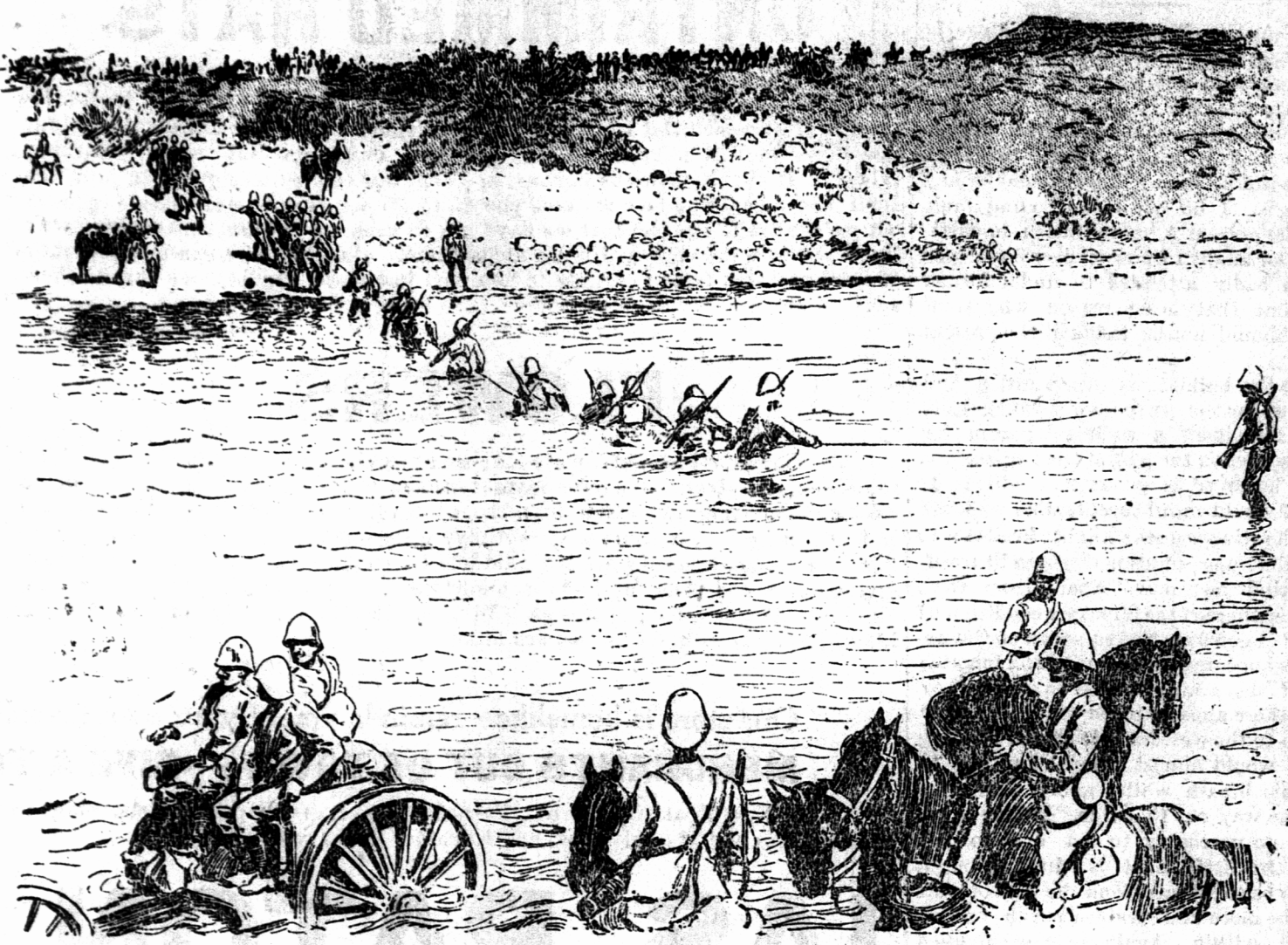
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FORDING THE MODDER IN THE FREE STATE; THE ROYAL CANADIAN INFANTRY CROSSING BY THE AID OF A LIFE LINE.

BURGHERS FLYING

In Panic Before Lord Roberts' Army.

FREE STATE CAPITAL

Removed to Helbron—Boers Give Up Arms—Salisbury vs. Home Rule.

THIS YEAR'S MILITARY CAMPS.

OTTAWA, May 9.—(Special.)—The Military Camp will be held at Sussex, N. B. June 23 and at Aldershot, N. S. Sept. 11th.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S OWN.

LONDON, May 9.—(Special.)—The Duke of Connaught has been appointed Honorary Colonel of the Sixth Battalion which will be called the Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles.

MOVED THEIR CAPITAL.

The Free State Government have moved their headquarters from Kroonstadt to Helbron, 25 miles north-westward and near the Transvaal border.

FOUR MISSING CANADIANS.

MONTREAL, May 9.—(Special.)—W. Richmond Smith, cabling to the Star says Privates G. Ballen of Windsor, C. D. Odelst, Toronto, A. H. Moorehouse of New Brunswick and J. P. Blant are missing.

The latter name does not appear on the roster of either Contingent.

SALISBURY OPPOSES HOME RULE.

LONDON, May 9.—(Special.)—Lord Salisbury in his Primrose League speech, referring to the Irish problem declared there was no hope of the Conservatives ever giving Ireland home rule.

We have learned something from the war, he said particularly how a disloyal Government can accumulate armaments, and we know what risk would be run if we gave a disloyal Government in Ireland the power of accumulating forces against us.

BOERS FLYING IN PANIC.

Reports from South Africa today show that Roberts' army is steadily moving forward and the Boers are retiring in a panicky condition and not likely to make any fight south of the Vaal River.

BURGHERS GIVING UP ARMS.

Many Free Staters are handing in their arms at Smalldeal, because of their bitter fight with the Transvaal Boers.

SHE WAS NOT DEAD.

But Everything was Made Ready for Her Funeral.

A rather peculiar incident occurred in the western part of Prince County since the beginning of May. The wife of a certain man whom I shall call Mr. Noxon was seriously ill and not expected to recover; her daughter who was away in the United States, on learning of her mother's condition soon arrived on the scene. A medical man having been consulted, advised to send the suffering woman to the Charlottetown Hospital. She accordingly went, accompanied by her daughter, and on the case being diagnosed by the medical men of that institution, they informed the patient

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS OF HOUSE.

Another Prolonged Session With Closed Doors—Mr. Wise Again Takes a Seat and Refuses to Withdraw When Requested by the Speaker—Some Sharp Passages at Arms Between the Speaker and Opposition Leaders—Mr. Pineau Introduced and Takes His Seat on Government Benches.

TUESDAY, MAY 9.

The Speaker took the chair at 4.20. After prayers Mr. Shaw rose to a question of privilege.

The Speaker—You are out of order. Mr. Shaw, however continued speaking.

Hon. Mr. Farquharson rose to a point of order and reviewed the "disgraceful proceedings" of Tuesday. He said if it is to be continued to-day the sooner we go home the better.

The Speaker then read the rules of the House and said that they would be rigidly enforced.

Mr. Shaw, who had remained standing through the Speaker's ruling and Mr. Farquharson's point of order, continued speaking.

Mr. Speaker—Mr. Shaw, I have ruled you out of order, and you must resume your seat.

Mr. Shaw—Then I appeal from the chair to the House.

Mr. Speaker—Mr. Shaw, it is out of order.

Mr. Campbell arose in support of Mr. Shaw's contention, but was ruled out of order.

Mr. McLean—Will you permit me to raise a point of order?

Mr. Speaker—I will not.

Mr. Campbell arose, amid cries of "sit down" from the Government benches, and attempted to speak but the Sergeant at Arms had commenced to clear the House and it was impossible to get a hearing.

The crowd was slow in vacating the room, owing to the fact that an immense throng of people were in the halls, seeking an entrance. It took fifteen minutes for the closing of the doors. After the crowd was ejected the Clerk commenced to read the journals and objection was raised to some of the items. During the discussion the legality of allowing Mr. Wise to sit on the floor of the House came up.

The Speaker then submitted Mr. Wise's resignation, and asked him to withdraw, which Mr. Wise declined to do.

The Speaker then ordered the Sergeant at Arms to remove Mr. Wise and the Opposition cried "shame! shame!"

Mr. Wise refused to vacate his seat and the Sergeant at Arms assisted by Richard Elliott, messenger, removed him by force to the Speaker's room, where he was confined until six o'clock.

There was considerable confusion among the members while Mr. Wise was being removed, some of the members leaving their places.

After the doors were opened Mr. Pineau was introduced by Hon. Peter McNutt and Hon. Jas. Richards, and after he had taken the oath and signed the roll he took his seat on the Government side of the House, amid the cheers of the members of the Government and the hisses of the gallery.

Mr. Peters moved that a committee be appointed to draft an address to His Honor the Lieut. Governor in reply to the speech from the Throne.

Mr. Campbell arose and asked for a

precedent" for the Speaker not reading the speech. (applause.)

Mr. Peters—I had forgotten that the speech was not read.

Mr. Shaw, noticing that the Clerk was about to read the speech asked the Speaker if he was trying to evade the reading of the speech from the Throne? He claimed that the Speaker was the person to read it. He said that the course being pursued was a direct insult to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and an insult to the Queen. "Mr. Speaker," he said "if you read the speech now you are forced to do it by Her Majesty loyal Opposition. The Speaker of a House of Assembly should not be a law breaker."

Mr. Campbell—Can you show a "precedent" for not reading the speech yourself? If you cannot you are a transgressor.

The Speaker called Mr. Campbell to order and said he would make a note of his insinuations.

Mr. Campbell—Make two notes. There is a rule, but you say it is only a matter of courtesy.

The Speaker then proceeded to read the speech from the Throne. At this juncture all the members of the Opposition arose and remained standing.

Mr. J. A. McDonald—Is that [the Governor's] speech? If so remove your hat!

Members of Opposition.—Can you show any rule or precedent for not removing your hat?

After the reading of the speech, the House adjourned until 10 this morning.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's mother, April 25th, by the Rev. M. Campbell, Mr. Alex. McLennan, and Miss Katie Jane McLeod, daughter of the late Norman McLeod, both of Hartsville, Strathalbyn.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—(Special.)—Rain, then clearing; colder, probable frost, fair, fresh northerly winds.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

QUEEN HOTEL.
WEDNESDAY.—D. N. McKay, Springfield; J. W. Warren, Bradalbane; Miss H. L. Martin, Belfast; John Nichols, Annandale; H. J. Pineau, Ebbfleet, Lot 2.

REVERE HOTEL.
WEDNESDAY.—W. K. Rogers, Summerside; Geo. Hall, Toronto; W. F. Tidmarsh, Charlottetown; R. B. Choteau, Toronto; R. W. Clarke, Fredericton; William Doherty, Sussex.

REVERE HOTEL.
WEDNESDAY.—F. J. Buote, Tignish; E. N. Pike, St. John; E. Hackett, Tignish; Mrs. R. J. Croaker, Boston; Masters Croaker, do; B. Burdette and Wife, Bridgetown; Miss Burdette, do; W. M. Scott, Toronto; E. Stewart, Chicago; Walter D. Ross, Kinross; W. Cowan, Montreal.

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that an operation would be necessary. In order to strengthen her for the ordeal, she must for sometime have a specific treatment in the matter of food. Matters went on in that way for sometime when it was found that the lady was rapidly sinking, finally on the 4th inst. the husband received a despatch informing him to all appearance his wife would not live long, that probably she would die before morning, that he better bestir himself briskly if he wished to see her alive. After considering the situation as well as consulting the P. E. I. time table, Mr. Noxon decided that the chances were against his seeing her in the land of the living, let him do what he would; so he at once wired the hospital manager to send the remains by the morning express and he would be there at the station. Meanwhile he busied himself at preparing to put the corpse underground; he first engaged an undertaker to have the funeral at 2 p. m. on Sunday 6th inst; next he engaged the parson for the usual service at the house, and again at the grave. The grave-digger too was consulted and given strict orders to have a grave dug in a certain lot mentioned before Saturday night, and the request was accomplished. In a word the arrangements were entirely made without flaw or defect even to the carriages which were to form the cortege and so far all promised well. On Sunday after the usual morning service his reverence stated that he could not be present as usual to take part in the Sunday School as he had to officiate at the funeral of the late Mrs. Noxon. The congregation was dismissed and after the clergyman came out a member of the congregation approached him and said the intimation about Mrs. Noxon's funeral must be inaccurate, for there would be no funeral that day. His reverence replied somewhat stiffly that he was not accustomed to do things at random, that he was quite sure of his ground. The other again remarked that no Mrs. Noxon would be buried that day, one reason among many being that she was not dead but rapidly gaining in health. His reverence would surely not have a funeral without any corpse. So what promised to be a first class funeral must be left over for some indefinite time. From all appearances the lady is bound to recover.

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