

The silk manufacturers of Paterson, N. J., are about to begin actions for damages against the strikers. They had written contracts in which they bound themselves to finish all the warps on which they had begun work before engaging in the strike. When the recent strike occurred a large number of the strikers left work without finishing their warps.

A London dispatch says, the open revolt in the streets of Constantinople is due to the knowledge on the part of the Turks that they have been betrayed. The Turks are especially angry against the English, whom they say deluded them into the war, and then deserted them. The prediction is made here that the war will be over before a month's time, temporarily, at least, until Germany is ready to claim her share by agreement between the three powers.

CHICAGO, 10.—The Times has this concise illustrative statement of the Mexican question, in a Washington special: General Ord's instructions, carefully read, disclose only that he can in no instance invade the soil of Mexico, but he can enter that territory only in pursuit of a band of Mexican thieves who have invaded our country, and then only is he directed to pursue the invaders where ever they may go, in order to punish them. Diaz says to our government, "You have invaded our territory." Then we have the unanswerable reply, "But you invaded us first. Keep your thieves at home and you will not be troubled with invasion." As one of the generals interested in the preparation of this order, said this evening, "If you knock a man down upon the street, he has cause for action against you, but if he should come to your house and steal your goods, you should pursue him and knock him down in the effort to secure your property; then he would not have a very good cause against you." This is the Mexican situation.

Cable specials, via New York, state that it is positively ascertained that the Russians, after a fierce battle, occupied Tiernova. Both armies fought with the greatest bravery. Another struggle, at the same point, is probable. The same dispatches say the most startling news comes from Constantinople. A correspondent at Vienna telegraphs that it is announced in official circles that Constantinople is under a reign of terror. Great crowds of desperate and lawless soldiery fill the public places. Bands of Circassians and Zebeks range at will about the city, robbing and murdering with impunity. The streets are given up to these outlaws after night fall, and all the public resorts and respectable cafes are closed at sundown. An open rebellion, resulting in the massacre of every foreigner and Christian, is liable to occur at any moment. The Italian Vice Consul has been forcibly robbed of a horse and severely injured by the Circassians. Two attempts have been made to force an entrance to the English Club.

CHICAGO, 10.—The Tribune's London special says, the necessities for supply have temporarily checked the Russian advance. The system of requisition by which alone the vast modern armies have been enabled to operate quickly, cannot be practiced in Bulgaria. The Russians bring all they want from their base of supplies, for this reason their first important move will be to seize Rustchuk. This accomplished, the army will have direct rail communication to Bucharest. So far only slight skirmishes have occurred. An officer at the headquarters of the staff says the Czar fully expects England will declare war within a month, and is prepared to meet the most serious issues involved.

SAN FRANCISCO, 10.—Dispatches from Lewiston, via Portland give details of encounters with the Indians on the 3rd, 4th and 5th insts. near Cottonwood.

Tuesday, Colonel Whipple sent out Foster and Baird, scouting for Indians in the direction of General Howard's camp on Salmon River. They had not gone far when they met three or four Indians, who ran them back towards camp. Baird was unhorsed but escaped. Foster reached the camp, and Whipple ordered the command to be in readiness to move. Meantime Lieutenant Rains, with Foster and eleven men were sent in advance to reconnoitre. Rains and his men rode over the first rise, this side of Cottonwood, and down into

a side ravine, where the road crosses before the ascent of Craig's Mountain, and were attacked before Whipple could get to them, after he heard the firing. Rains and his whole party were killed, including Foster. Whipple's command came forward and formed in line of battle on the east side of the ravine, and the Indians on the west, all in open ground, about 1,000 yards apart, and only the ravine between them. Here they remained, menacing each other, for about two hours, until darkness came on, when Whipple retired to his camp and the Indians passed Craig's Crossing. No more was done that night.

Next morning, Whipple, with his men, started this way to meet Col. Perry, who was expected with a supply train from Lapwai, and kept out his skirmish lines along the route. They met Col. Perry with his train near the board house, and escorted him to our camp on Cottonwood Creek.

Baird and two men arrived from Mount Idaho soon after, and about 5 p.m., the rifle pits, were manned, and two Gatling guns placed in position. The Indians made several attempts to storm the rifle pits, but were kept at a distance. About 9 p.m. the firing ceased for the night.

On the morning of the 5th, two couriers arrived from Howard, chased into camp by Indians. Soon after the Indians moved their camp, with about 1,600 head of stock, across the prairies in the direction of Cottonwood. No move was made to intercept them. Soon after Captain Randall and sixteen volunteers, from Mount Idaho appeared. About 150 Indians intercepted them at the junction of Elk City and the trail with the stage road. At this crisis, being seen from Perry's position on the hill at the rifle pits, the Colonel was urged to go with his troops to their rescue, to which he replied, it was no use. They were gone and he would not order a rescue. The volunteers say that Captain Randall seeing his position ordered them to charge and break the line of the Indians, dash over toward the creek bottom, dismount, and return the fire, and hold their position, partly under cover of a small hill, until the force at Cottonwood could reach them. The command was no sooner given than Captain Randall and his sixteen men made a charge, broke through the Indian line, reached the position named, dismounted, and returned the fire. In the charge Capt. Randall was mortally wounded, Benjamin Evans killed, and three others wounded. They fought there for nearly an hour and kept the Indians at bay.

In about half an hour after, when it was known that the Indians had the volunteers in a tight place, Col. Perry gave orders for fifty men to go to their relief. It was quickly obeyed, and they were relieved in about one hour after the charge. No pursuit of the Indians was ordered, but a retreat was made to camp, and no pursuit had been made up to the time of Morrill's leaving on the night of the 6th.

The volunteers say they know they killed several Indians and wounded many others, as they saw the Indians packing off their dead and wounded.

The same night McConville, with a volunteer force, arrived at Cottonwood from Howard's command.

On the 6th, a detachment of seventy-five men, under McConville, was sent as an escort to a wagon carrying the killed and wounded to Mount Idaho.

Morrill says that Randall, after he was mortally wounded, and had got into his position, sat upon the ground and fired many shots at the Indians, the last one not more than five minutes before he fell back dead. Not one of these seventeen faltered in the least or showed the white feather, though hard pressed by 100 Indians, nor did one of them seek to run for Cottonwood after they had broken the Indian line, but strictly obeyed orders to hold their ground.

When Baird and Morrill left, the Indians were in full possession of Camas Prairie, except Mount Idaho, Grangeville and the camp at Cottonwood.

Yesterday several fires were seen in different directions, and some about three miles from the creek, and appearances were that the houses, barns and hay stacks were burning.

From Lapwai it is reported that the Indians crossed Clearwater,

yesterday, at 11 a. m., near Kamia, with their stock.

The settlers are being plundered and robbed on Cow Creek, on the Colville and Walla Walla road.

From forty to sixty volunteers have gone from Walla Walla to the scene of the difficulty. These hostilities are supposed to be Yokimas.

One Colonel Boulden, is about to commence suit against the United States to obtain possession of Mare Island, now used by Government as a navy yard. Plaintiff alleges that the title of the United States to the island, which was originally a Mexican grant, is unsound, and that he holds the only valid title. The Third District Court has granted an order to perpetuate the testimony of witnesses, who are numerous and are scattered over the State. The following will appear as counsel for plaintiff: Judge Jeremiah S. Black, and General Albert Pike, of Washington, and Messrs. Mizner M. Noon and Alvarado, of San Francisco.

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FANNY E. LEE,

Salt Lake City.

ORRIN S. LEE,

Peoa, Summit Co.

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Nephi, Juab Co., July 10, 1877. dsw

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