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WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The state department this morning received a dispatch from Consul Fowler, dated Chefoo, August 15. It relates to the massacre of the missionaries and others at Pao Ting Fu, which has been referred to a number of times in the press dispatches, and has generally been conceded to have occurred on June 20. The first part of the dispatch is as follows: "The text is as follows: 'Chefoo'—(Received Aug. 15)—Secretary of State, Washington: Evening of 14th reported all Presbyterian missionaries at Pao Ting Fu killed June 20; premises burned. Same night, Catholic mission. Rain stopped work. July 1st, attacked American (board?) Pitkin (?) shot dead while trying to keep rank out. Misses Morrell, Gould taken Boxer headquarters, killed. (Barnall?) killed near (Temple?) Cooper Belgians fate uncertain. Officials had sent all home from Yamen. All natives connected with foreigners suffered like fate. Authority: Special messenger sent by Tien Tsin missionaries."

"FOWLER."

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Tien Tsin says: A Tsung Yi Yamen secretary was beheaded for sending supplies to the ministers.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Shanghai says:

Kang Yi, former assistant grand secretary of the empire, and General Tung Fuh Siang are heading an army that is advancing from Peking to the southeast, with the object of diverting the allies from pursuit of the emperor and empress dowager.

On Saturday, August 11, the imperial household left Peking. Prince Tuan led the march with his troops, taking the emperor and empress dowager and all the Manchu nobles. Their destination is believed to be Sigman Fu, in Shensi province.

With them left all the elements hostile to foreigners. Prince Cheng was left in command at Peking and he welcomed the allies in a friendly manner. These reports are from Chinese sources.

The empress dowager beheaded twelve of the imperial clansmen who refused to leave the capital and were suspected of favoring the foreigners.

The personal property which the empress dowager sent away filled six carts.

The Chinese report heavy losses in the fighting between Tien Tsin and Peking. General Li Yung Han was wounded at Pei Tsang and died the next day. General Ma was dangerously wounded at Tun Chow, where Generals Chen-Seilin and Chang Fu, commanding Wang Lu's vanguard were killed.

The Chinese are also circulating a story that the legation guards, owing to cartridges giving out, fired silver bullets during the last days.

BERLIN, Aug. 20.—Field Marshal

Count Von Walderssee, accompanied by his staff, left Berlin this morning en route for China.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: The foreign office, the admiralty and the India office are apparently quite convinced that there is no special anxiety in the public mind to hear Chinese news. At those departments of state, Saturday night, it was found that the officials had philosophically made up their minds that nothing further was to be learned about the details of the entry of the allied army into Peking and had abandoned any attempt to get or give additional information.

Fortunately the Japanese general, Yamaguchi, was more communicative than his colleagues, so that the readers of Sunday newspapers in England know something beyond the bald fact of the relief of the legations. The Tokio telegram seems to show that at Peking, as at Yang Tsun, it was again the Japanese, Americans and British-Indians who bore the brunt of the fighting. The Japanese, on blowing up the eastern gates of the Tartar city, would have found themselves much nearer the legations than the Americans and British who entered by the Tung Si Pien, and had the whole breadth of the Chinese city to cross. On the other hand it may be assumed that the best fighting men of the Boxer force were in the Manchu city, so that the Japanese may have had more strenuous resistance to encounter than their allies.

Military men here are much impressed by the accounts of the extraordinary gallantry and efficiency displayed by the Japanese troops, though it does not surprise those who had opportunities of seeing their behavior in the last war with China. A British naval officer, who was attached to the Japanese headquarters during that campaign, said that for combined steadiness and dash he thought the Japanese were equal to the best regiments of any European army. In the present brief operations they have already covered themselves with honor. At the battle of Pei Tsang the manner in which the Japanese cavalry charged straight at a Chinese battery and secured the gunners is described as magnificent. Their fault is that they are too impetuous and lose men through their reckless courage. In this war, as in their previous conflict with China, they have shown that no braver troops and more enduring soldiers can be found in the ranks of the European armies.

The British troops are now landing from transports at Shanghai, and the French are sending around a battalion from Saigon to the same place. The result is likely to be that there will be two allied armies instead of one operating on Chinese soil.

The German emperor has taken leave of Count Von Walderssee in another grandiose speech, in which, among other things, he says that the whole civilized world has spontaneously entrusted to his excellency command of its troops. This is going somewhat beyond the facts, considering the very guarded and grudging manner in which Walderssee, not as commander-in-chief, but as senior officer in virtue of his rank.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says: President McKinley is considering the advisability of proposing to the powers the organization of an international congress which shall sit in China and recommend to the several governments represented a permanent solution of pending questions.

The president recognizes the fact that the duties United States Minister Conger would be called upon to perform would be so exacting and so arduous that it would be unfair to ask him to take the additional burden of discussing a method of settlement of the matters in controversy; that Special Commissioner Rockhill will be too busily employed in obtaining information and in communication with high Chinese officials to give time to them; and that direct negotiations between the powers is likely to prove unsatisfactory and give rise to complications which might otherwise be avoided.

Talks with diplomats here indicate that their governments would be willing to join in a congress for the settlement of the Chinese question, and Baron Von Sternberg, the German charge d'affaires in Washington, has been suggested as the representative of Germany.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says: Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister to the United States. In an interview, made the following statements: "China recognizes the emperor and empress dowager as her rulers. I have no idea that an attempt will be made by the Chinese to overthrow them. An official dispatch which I received

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