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## BELIEVES THE WORLD WILL STAND AGHAST.

Correspondent Certain  
the Ministers Have  
Been Murdered.

AWFUL OUTRAGES ARE FEARED.

ORIENTAL TORTURE BELIEVED  
TO HAVE BEEN IN-  
FLICTED.

Last Battle Near Tien-Tsin Showed  
the Chinese to be Brave  
Fighters and Well  
Armed.

LONDON, Friday, July 7.—This dis-  
patch from its special correspondent is  
published by the Daily Mail:

"Shanghai, Thursday.—I have no  
hesitation in stating that crimes, in-  
cluding, I believe, the murder of all  
the European Ministers and officials,  
have been committed in Peking, at  
which, when the facts are known, the  
whole civilized world will stand  
aghast.

"Official information, when it comes,  
may even include the awful story of  
outraged English women and tortured  
children, and public executions in the  
streets of Peking of even women and  
children—a story of frightful atrocity  
which will shock Europe. In fact, it  
may be almost taken for granted that  
the whole foreign quarter of Peking  
has been completely wiped out.

"There are whisperings and startling  
and sensational rumors which are  
floating around without apparent re-  
liable sources in the native quarters,  
but it must not be forgotten that the  
imperial telegraphs, over which alone  
news can come from Peking, are solely  
in the hands of the Chinese, and that  
the whisperings and rumors in the  
native quarters are at least likely to have  
some solid basis of fact.

"I would hesitate to send this, since  
the last reliable news from Peking that  
the Europeans have had came, as I  
called yesterday, from Sir Robert Hart  
by a carrier, dispatched on June 25,  
were it not that I find some Chinese  
officials here, who show friendliness to  
Europeans, who have had to my knowl-  
edge advice from Peking, via Pao-  
Ting-Fu, within the last twenty-four  
hours and are most anxious we should  
understand that the Government of  
China has been entirely superseded by  
the Boxers. Of my own knowledge, I  
know for a truth that most of the  
Manchu Princes, with their adherents,  
generals and troops, are members of  
the Boxer society and are busily en-  
gaged in recruiting for the cause.

"This duplicity leads those with a  
knowledge of things Chinese to the be-  
lief that the native officials here, who  
are unquestionably suppressing the

news, are endeavoring to prepare the  
way, with the least harm to them-  
selves, for the reception of the news  
of the greatest crime of the century."

In a note on the above dispatch, the  
Daily Mail says that its special corre-  
spondent at Shanghai is a gentleman  
of distinction with unequalled sources  
of information, and adds: "It is obvious  
from the message that the correspon-  
dent has the best of reasons for believ-  
ing that news of the greatest impor-  
tance is being suppressed by the native  
authorities. There is, we fear, only too  
much reason for the correspondent's  
suggestion that the greatest tragedy of  
the century has been consummated."

**JOHN RUSSELL YOUNG  
ON CHINA'S IMMENSITY.**

Attacking the Chinese Nation,  
Wrote Former Minister, Is Like  
Macerating the Waves.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The late John  
Russell Young, who accompanied  
General Grant in his trip around the  
world and who was Minister to China  
during Grant's administration, in a  
letter to the New York Herald, Sep-  
tember 16, 1894, wrote the following,  
which, in the light of recent events,  
reads like a prophecy:

"Remember that the Chinese are  
not an 'enthusiastic people.' Their  
hearts are not 'easily fired.' They are  
not prone to outbreaks of public emo-  
tion. China moves as the glacier rather  
than as the volcano or cyclone. But  
she moves. You may defeat her to-day,  
you may bombard her Taku forts; you may  
even land an army and, marching over  
the low, alluvial, fertile lands of China,  
spring upon Peking. What then? You  
have no more gained the country than  
by the capture of Boston you would  
have the United States. It is like  
macerating the waves. You may cut  
and slash and stab. The billows will  
swirl up and roll. It is war upon an  
impalpable enemy as if assailing the  
air of the clouds."

**CHINESE SNELL THE  
ALLIED FORCES**

Lively Work for Tien-Tsin Gar-  
rison—The Fire of Celestial  
Guns Effective.

LONDON, July 10.—The allies at  
Tientsin are having an exceedingly un-  
pleasant time. The last engagement of  
which news has come through occurred  
on July 6. The Chinese artillery opened  
at dawn. Their fire was more accurate  
and their ammunition better, the shells  
exploding with precision and setting  
fire to several buildings. Her Majesty's  
steamship Terrible's guns again quieted  
the Chinese, who, shifting their ar-  
tillery, reopened the attack in the af-  
ternoon, but a thunderstorm breaking,  
the Chinese suddenly quit. The allies  
immediately attacked and drove the  
Chinese from their works, but lost  
thirty killed or wounded in so doing.  
The noncombatants are leaving Tien-  
tsin, and the opinion of a minority  
favors the military leaving also.

Other dispatches record severe fight-  
ing, notably on July 2 and 3, when the  
Chinese developed great strength and

did considerable damage with artillery.  
At the bridge near the French settle-  
ment there was hard fighting at close  
quarters, the Russians with a gatling  
finally compelling the Chinese to re-  
tire, though they suffered heavily. The  
operations, however, were in no way  
decisive, later messages showing the  
Chinese were still full of fight. About  
500 men have been wounded in the  
fighting at Tientsin.

**FRIGHTFUL HORRORS  
ARE YET TO BE TOLD.**

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Mr. W. W.  
Rockhill, director of the Bureau of  
American Republics, who served in  
China as secretary of legation when  
the late John Russell Young was there  
as Minister, and who is a recognized  
authority in Chinese matters, spoke  
feelingly to-night of the indignities  
which foreigners in Peking are re-  
ported to have suffered after capture.

"This is something new in the history  
of China," he said. "Foreigners have  
never before been publicly execu-  
ted, and we can only by analogy im-  
agine what has happened to foreign  
women and children in Peking. We  
know that in the civil wars of China  
the greatest barbarity was practiced,  
and it has been the knowledge of what  
might be expected which has given rise  
to the conquered party putting to death  
its women and children before surren-  
dering.

"No doubt the dispatch tells but a  
small portion of the horrors of the  
spectacle in Peking. It was only a  
matter of time, any way, and what fol-  
lowed was the common practice of bar-  
baric and half civilized nations. Had  
they been merely imprisoned their  
condition would have been pitiable  
enough. Anyone who has read of the  
capture of and the tortures imposed on  
Lord Loch and Sir Harry Parkes, in  
1890, and who knows the Chinese pris-  
ons, have not been improved in the last  
forty years, can appreciate in part the  
sufferings which foreign residents in  
Peking must have endured in the last  
month.

"There is little use in trying to por-  
tray what indignities were heaped  
upon the victims before death released  
them. Without question they were hor-  
rible beyond the imagination of civil-  
ized man. Their captors add to the  
cruelty of the American Indian the  
demoniac ingenuity of a race that is  
almost civilized, a race which appropri-  
ates the arts of white men without  
appreciating them. The tale which  
comes from Peking when entrance is  
gained by foreign troops will be one  
unequaled in shudder forcing qualities  
since the days of the Sepoy rebellion."

### Holding Back Missionaries.

NEW YORK, June 28.—At the close  
of the meeting of the Board of Foreign  
Missions of the Presbyterian Church,  
the ten young missionaries who have  
been appointed to North China were  
called into a private room, where they  
met Rev. William Richards, chairman  
of the China committee of the board,  
who informed them that the board  
had decided that they should not go at  
present, but advised them to hold  
themselves in readiness after Septem-  
ber 1. If the disturbances are still on  
at that date the missionaries will be  
sent to some safe Chinese port, there  
to begin the study of the language un-  
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