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Can Be Learned Regarding the Chinese Situation.

The Latest Story Is That the Pekin Consuls Are Held as Hostages-Situation Grows Darker-Reports of Wholesale Massacres at Different Points-Official Treachery Illustrated.

consul at Tien Tsin sent a runner on general situation is steadily July 15 to Pekin. On the 9th the runner left Pekin, bringing a cipher telegram to the Japanese Government, says a Che Foo special to the Herald. dated July 27. It reads: "We are defending ourselves against the Chinese very well, but now the attack has stopped. We will keep up to the last of the month, although it will be no easy

"The Japanese casualties are: Killed -Kozima, diplomatic attache; captain and one student, and also a few mar-Wounded-Five or six slightly ines. wounded, very many."

The Che Foo consul says that nothing was written about the other min-

LI QUESTIONED.

London, July 30.—Shanghai dispatches to the Daily Telegraph say that Li Hung Chang was questioned yesterday. He declared that the emperor, empress dowager and foreign ministers are all safe. But he is unable to explain why, if the ministers are safe, he cannot produce such proofs as would satisfy the powers. He strongly favors holding the ministers as hostages so as to secure favorable terms for the emperess dowager and the rebel government. He does not see that holding the envoys as hostages would be a less crime than killing them. It is obvious now that the object of Li Hung Chang's visit to Shanghai is to sow discord among the allies through the

A municipal meeting has been convened for Tuesday for the purpose of reorganizing the defense of Shanghai. The number of possible assailants is considerably greater than was originally supposed, and a great many officials who are apparently loyal do not deserve to be trusted.

NO PROOF OF THE ENVOYS' SAFETY.

London, Monday, July 30-4:15 a.m.-The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says he is still firmly convinced that the ministers are safe but, with the exception of an alleged message from the Japanese legation in Pekin, dated July 19, brought by a runner, saying that the legation was still defending itself, nothing has as yet been published giving anything in the nature of proof. On the other hand the daily increasing reports of the massacre of missionaries and foreigners leave only the most slender



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24th July, 1900.

In the case of firms there must be attached the actual signatures of the full name, the the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the same, and, further, an accepted bank check for the sum of \$15,000 must accompany the tender for each section; these accepted checks must be indorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the parties tendering decline entering into contract for work at the rates and terms stated in the offer submitted. The accepted checks thus sent in will be returned to cepted checks thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not

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New York, July 30. - The Japanese thread on which to hang a hope. The

BECOMING DARKER, and a crisis is said to be fast approaching. It is rumored in Shanghai that 10,000 Chinese troops have been secretly moved into the vicinity, and that the commander of the Kiang Yu forts has been ordered to fire if any addition is made to the number of foreign ships ascending the river. Rioting has already occurred at Kiu Kang, the mobs threatening death to

With the arrival of the second Japanese division, the allied forces at Taku and Tien Tsin will number 70,000. The river floods near Tien Tsin are diminishing. It is reported that Russians from Harbin have arrived at a point 150 miles north of Pekin, after severe fighting.

MORE MISSIONARIES MURDERED. A special dispatch from Shanghai, dated yesterday, says that the English mission station north of Ning Po has been destroyed and twelve missionaries have been murdered.

"THE TRIADS."

The Canton correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, in a dispatch dated Saturday, says: "The Triads" have become numerous and threatening in Hai Nan. The taotal and the local mandarins are terror-stricken and decline to protect foreigners. All the missionaries except three have left with their wives and families. The natives of the Nodoa district of the island were so frightened that they all joined the ranks of the Triads. Serious disturbances are expected between Aug. 1 and Aug. 15, during the massacre the Christans. His soldiers festival to be held to appease the killed 2,000 native Christians and one consuls, but as yet he has not met shades of the dead. The Boxers are French priest. charging large sums to the Chinese passports from Pekin to Tien Lao Yun Fu, the Black Flag chief, has refused to march out of Pekin unless Viceroy Tak Su will furnish him with 20,000 soldiers.

ON TO PEKIN. The Shanghai correspondent of the Times yesterday says: "I learn that Li Ping Hong and Lu Chuan Lin, governor of Kiang Su, both rabidly

anti-foreign, are advancing toward Pekin with large bodies of troops. Their advent must seriously affect the situation here. Today the con-sular body decided that the situation demands the presence of a military force in Shanghai, and the consuls

have notified their governments accordingly."

A THREAT. The Chinese legation in Berlin has received a message from Sheng, director-general of railways and telegraphs, saying that he had received a dispatch from Pekin, announcing that Gen. Tung. Fung Suh threatens vance upon Pekin. Evidently the legation is embarrassed by the receipt of this dispatch, as the Chinese min-

German Government. HELD AS HOSTAGES.

The Shanghai correspondent of the disband and return to their homes. Daily Express, telegraphing yester-day, says: A new imperial edict, promulgated this evening, urgently orders all viceroys and provincial governors to endeavor to negotiate peace ernors to endeavor to negotiate peace with the powers, whose ministers are held as hostages, pending the result of the overtures for the abandonment of hostilities against China. The vice-roys are also commanded to many determines that this may deter the war department from permitting any of the women nurses who are being sent to the of hostilities against China. The vice-roys are also commanded to guard far east from landing in China for their territories vigilantly against at- duty there. tack, and to prevent by all means in their power the advance of the foreign troops, especially along the Yang Tse Kiang. The decree says that the officials will answer with their lives for any failure to execute these or-

are still fully 2,000 Europeans, con-nected with missionary work, in isolated sections. When the governor of Shan Tung communicated consuls the imperial decree of July 24 he omitted important passages addressed to Li Hung Chang. "It is admittedly inadvisable to kill all the ministers, but it is equally unwise to send them to Tien Tsin. It will be much wiser to keep the survivors of Pekin as hostages. You are com-manded to hasten to Pekin; you are incurring imperial displeasure by delay. You have been appointed of Chi Li, because with your military of Chi Li, because with your military lead experience you will successfully lead the imperial armies against the foreigners in Chi Li, which Yu Lu, the present viceroy, is unable to do, owing to his ignorance of military affairs."
Li Hung Chang replied to this edict, asking to be allowed to retire on account of old age.

WHOLESALE MASSACRES.

"Sheng now admits that he has had telegrams since July 19, announcing that every foreigner in Pao Ting Fu was murdered, including 40 British, French and American missionaries, and announcing also that two French Jesuits and a thousand converts have been massacred at Kwang Ping Fu, on the borders of Shan Tung and Chi Li. A majority of the consuls favor strong measures against Sheng's du-

"Local officials assert that the Italian priests, murdered in Hu Nan, were wrapped in cotton, which had been soaked in kerosene, and were slowly roasted to death. It is believed that all foreigners in Chi Li have by this time

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been massacred, and the wave of massacre is spreading toward Ning Po and Hong Chow, from which point thirty English and American missionaries are endeavoring to escape in boats down the river to Kiang Su. Officials here anticipate a general uprising along the

Yang Tse Kiang about Aug. 1. ASTONISHING INTRIGUE. An astounding intrigue has been revealed to the consuls here in the shape of a skillful attempt to get the maritime customs placed in the hands of an American missionary named Ferguson, who although he was an active ally of Sheng's in the latter's endeavors to hoodwink the world with regard to events in Pekin,

supported by the American officials in his claim to the appointment of inspector-general. A Tokio dispatch, dated July 28, says: It is reported from Shanghai that the Boxers attacked the missionaries and native Christians at Pao Ting Fu on July 8. A foreign physician and 2,000 converts were massacred. The Chinese general, Li Ho Keh, is now marching on Pekin. He has ordered his troops to exterminate all Christians. Already one French priest and from 2,000 to 8,000 natives

Treachery.

TWO THOUSAND NATIVE CHRIS-

have been slaughtered.

TIANS KILLED. London, July 30 .- An excellent Chinese scource reports a shocking instance of official treachery. The then governor of Shan Tung, Li Ping Ling, left a month ago for Pekin, being then imperial commissioner of the Yang Tse war junks. He was considered loyal, yet a couple of months ago, on the way to Pekin, he entered Kin Chow and ordered the soldiers of his command to

HELD AS HOST GES.

London, July 30 .- The latest news from the far east seems consistent with the theory that the Chinese government has the foreign ministers alive, but means to treat them as hostages, while the stories of massacre relate to other members of the foreign colony in Pekin. Chinese officialdom, it is alleged, openly speaks of the ministers as hostages, whose fate depends upon the decision of the powers in re-lation to the threatened advance on Reports are multiplying that a number of foreigners were alive at a late date. Thus Rome reports that the propaganda has been assured of the safety of Bishop Favin, while a telegram from Nankin informs his family that Prince Caetani, of the Italian legation, is alive. There is no confirmation of the various favorable statements, however, forthcoming from

really independent sources.

BITS OF CHINA. The Russian general staff has receivto kill all the members of the lega-tions if the international forces ad-ver, of the burning by the Chinese of ver, of the burning by the Chinese of

Li Hung Chang is understood to be German Government.

The preparing a proclamation for distribution as he travels toward Chi Li, assuring the Boxers of pardon if they

> One of the phases of the trouble in China which heretofore has been over-looked, but which may prove to be of great importance, is the fact that

Mrs. Elizabeth Halbert Henderson died at Ailsa Craig last week in her 76th year, after a long illness. Mrs. Henderson was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and was three years old when she left her native land. Her husband ders.

"Commands are also given that not died some years ago. She leaves one brother, William R. Halbert, Geneses county, N. Y., and four sisters, Mrs. county, N. Y., and four sisters, Mrs. Hover, Parkhill, and Mrs. Wyllie, Mrs. Menzies and Mrs. Forbes, of Allsa

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