

LOVE FINDS A WAY.

By JEANNETTE H. WALWORTH.
(There! Don't say another word, please, Clarence. Did ever I expect to hear poor papa, who adores me and only asks to keep me by his side forever and forever, accused of manuevering to get rid of me like any daughter burdened society mamma? It is a shame, a perfect shame!)

She was drawing the comb through her long thick hair with savage energy as she arraigned the offenders one by one.
"Father treating me as if I were a criminal brought before him for trial; Clarence saying all manner of things that had no justice nor kindness in them, then going off home in a huff; Tom Broxton writing silly letters that it breaks my heart to answer."

CHINA HAS DECLARED WAR.

Imperial Forts at Taku Opened Fire on the Foreign Fleet.
International Fleet Captures the Forts After a Combined Attack—Chinese Fire Was Unexpected—The Casualties Were Killed, British, 1; German, 3; Russian, 16; and French, 1; Fifty-Two Wounded—Forts Are Now Occupied.

view of the large bodies of Chinese troops assembling at the forts, and of the facts that the torpedoes had been laid in the river, and that all communications were interrupted, the naval commanders held a council and decided to send an ultimatum calling for the disbandment of the troops, and announcing that, if this demand were not complied with before 2 a. m., of the following day the united squadron would destroy the forts.

The Forts Opened Fire.
Shortly after midnight the forts opened fire. The British, French, German, Russian and Japanese warships replied. Two of the forts were blown up, and the rest were carried by assault.

TAKU FORTS TAKEN.

Berlin, June 18.—(1.30 p.m.)—The German Consul at the Chee Foo cables that an engagement is proceeding at Taku between the Chinese forts and the foreign warships.
London, June 19.—A despatch from the Chee Foo, under yesterday's date, says: "The forces of the combined fleets occupied the Taku north forts yesterday after exploding a magazine. The British gunboat Algerine was damaged and two of her officers and four men were wounded. Japan and Russia are reported to be landing a large force of troops. All is quiet."

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Washington, June 19.—The Navy Department has been informed by Admiral Kempff that the Taku forts yesterday fired on the foreign ships, and after a brief engagement, surrendered.

Communication Re-Established.
New York, June 19.—The cable companies yesterday morning issued the following notice: "Telegraphic communication with Taku and Tien Tsin has been re-established, via the Siberian and Helemo route."

CAPTURE OF TAKU FORTS.
First News Received by Lord Salisbury From American Sources.

London, June 19.—The despatch from Admiral Kempff, dated Washington, containing the American Admiral's report of the engagement at Taku, was the first news Lord Salisbury received of the capture of the Taku forts. The British Government had been aware that an engagement was proceeding, but it had been ignorant of the result, and the greatest satisfaction was evinced.

There was a Bombardment.
Berlin, June 19.—The German Consul at the Chee Foo telegraphs that a Japanese torpedo boat from Taku has brought the following:
The Chinese laid torpedoes in the Taku River, and collected troops from Shan Hai Kwan. The foreign commanders assembled on the Russian flagship and addressed an ultimatum to the commanders of the Taku forts, summoning them to withdraw their troops before 2 o'clock, June 17. At 1 a. m. June 17, the guns of the forts opened fire, to which the Russian, British, French and Japanese war ships replied. The bombardment lasted seven hours. Two British ships in the river between the forts are reported to have been sunk. The telegraph line and railroad between Tien Tsin and Taku were destroyed. Communication by water is also threatened.

THE NEWS CORROBORATED.
Forts at the Mouth of the Pei Ho River Have Surrendered.

Washington, June 19.—The actual news of the Chinese situation was received by the Navy Department in two cables, the contents of which are made known as follows.

The department has received a cablegram from Admiral Remy at Cavite, dated June 18, that informs the department that Commander Tausig, in command of the Taku forts at the mouth of the Pei Ho River fired on the foreign gun vessels, and surrendered to the allied forces on the morning of the 17th. The department has instructed Admiral Kempff to concert with the other powers in taking all the measures necessary to protect all American interests.

A despatch from Tausig, dated Chee Foo, June 17, says that the Taku forts fired on foreign vessels at 12.45 in the morning, and reports that the British Admiral is at Tien Tsin.

Yamagata Remains in Office.
London, June 19.—The Admiralty Office has received the following official despatch from the Chee Foo, under yesterday's date: "The Japanese man-of-war Teyahasi has just arrived from Taku. She reports that the Commander-in-Chief and troops are back at Tien Tsin."

Japan Sends 2,000 Troops.
London, June 19.—The Yokohama correspondent of The Times says: "Japan is sending 2,000 troops to China. At the audience granted to the Japanese representative at Seoul, the Korean Emperor expressed regret for the torture and execution of the two refugees, which, occurred without the Imperial knowledge. His Majesty promised that the judicial officials involved should be punished."

Russia Demands Indemnity.
London, June 19.—A despatch from Shanghai says Russia has demanded 50,000,000 taels indemnity for the damage done to the Chinese railroads which the Russians are interested.

Mr. Broderick Explains in the House.
London, June 19.—In the House of Commons, Mr. Broderick yesterday for the Government amplified the admiral's news from the Chee Foo. He said the Japanese warships reported that the Chinese forts opened fire on the gunboats at the mouth of the river on Sunday, 12.30 a. m., that the ships then engaged the forts, and that the engagement was proceeding when the damage done to the Chinese forts on that day. Detachments from all the foreign warships were landed Saturday to protect Taku. There was one Chinese warship at Taku which remained passive.

Mr. Broderick added that British, Russian, Japanese and French reinforcements were due to arrive about Thursday. Mr. Broderick said he had heard that the telegraph line from Taku to Tien Tsin had been restored.

Only at Senders' Risk.
New York, June 19.—The Anglo-American Telegraph Company has sent out a notice saying: "Telegrams for Tien Tsin and places beyond in China are only accepted at sender's risk."

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FOR SALE—100 acres of choice land, in the Township of Yarmouth, being the north half of lot 21, in the tenth concession. The barn buildings are in good condition. The house is a brick, in good repair. The farm is situated 11 miles from Kingsmill Station, and one mile from Mayfield Cheese and Butter Factory. Will be sold, light, and on easy terms. Apply to C. O. LEARN, Real Estate Broker, Brown House Block, Aylmer, Ont.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—50 acres of choice land, and good fair farm buildings, one mile south from Orwell, being part of lot 74, in the 5th concession of Malahide. This farm can be had on very easy terms. A small payment down will be accepted, and the balance in time to suit the purchaser. An interest at five per cent will exchange for a smaller property. For further particulars, apply to C. O. LEARN, Real Estate Broker, Brown House Block, Aylmer, Ont.

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