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# THE CHINESE CRISIS.

## CHINESE TOWN CAPTURED.

A telegram from Taku of Sunday's date, says Chin-Hai has been captured by the allied forces, but the Boxers escaped. The whole of the town of Dulin has been burned. The Fort of Peitang was captured by a combined force of Russian, German, and French troops. Li Hung Chang has arrived at Tientsin and is to proceed to Peking in five days.

## ANTI-CHRISTIAN DISTURBANCES.

Serious anti-Christian disturbances are reported from the Canton-Delta, and a French gunboat has proceeded thither.

## FURTHER MASSACRES.

The Minister for Foreign Affairs at Paris has received from the French Minister at Peking a telegram, dated September 10th, via Taku, September 28th, in which the Minister states that he received telegrams from France very irregularly, and also with great delay. The message also announces the massacres of two Italian Bishops in Northern Shansi, of an Italian missionary, of a French Franciscan Father Bolate, of seven European Sisters, and several Protestant Ministers. It is stated that the governors of the province had their heads cut off in his presence in his judgment hall.

## The Powers and China.

### OUTLOOK PACIFIC.

The Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent telegraphing yesterday regarding the German circular to the Powers in favour of the punishment of the Boxer leaders prior to the institution of negotiations, says Great Britain is understood to be entirely in favour of the main principle, but to be considering the means of carrying this into effect.

The domineering fact of the situation at the present moment is the excellent understanding between Germany and Great Britain, an understanding which, based on the commercial aspect of the China question, is entirely creditable to both countries. The opinion is general that Lord Salisbury's diplomacy has been, and is of the utmost value, in the promotion of harmonious action among the allies, and while the end may not be yet as regards China, the international outlook is most pacific.

## MORE MISSIONARIES KILLED.

The following cable from the Shanghai Office of the Inland Mission has been received in London—"Eleven missionaries killed at Sihcheo, Taining Yah Yang, in Shansi. They are probably Mr and Mrs Peat and two children; Misses F E and M R Nathan, Miss Edith Dobson, Miss E M Heysman, Miss Hurn, Mr A Woodroffe, and Mr D Barrat, all of China Inland Mission."

## 1,000 BOXERS KILLED.

A Shanghai despatch says that Li Hung Chang's troops have killed more than one thousand Boxers at Hang Chau.

## LONDON BETTING.

Tuesday, 3 p.m.

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6 to 1	... Zagiga, o
12 to 1	... Baldur
14 to 1	... Cutaway
14 to 1	... Berrill
20 to 1	... Jolly Tar
20 to 1	... Sciutillant
25 to 1	... Sardonic
33 to 1	... Clarenhaven
33 to 1	... Sea Fog
33 to 1	... Poitiers
40 to 1	... Wavele, t o
40 to 1	... Pride, t

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.	
15 to 2	... Raft
12 to 1	... Zagiga
14 to 1	... Merry Methodist
20 to 1	... Berrill
20 to 1	... Good Luck
20 to 1	... La Roche
20 to 1	... Little Eva
20 to 1	... Goo-ander
20 to 1	... Elopement
33 to 1	... Disguise
33 to 1	... Goblet
40 to 1	... Bridge, t
50 to 1	... Stynia, t

Announcements of Births, Marriages and Deaths not exceeding 5 lines (which must in all cases be duly substantiated), are charged 2s 6d each. For every additional line 6d.

## BIRTHS.

Calvert—September 21, at 25 Charleville road, Rathgar, Dublin, Mrs S R Calvert of a son (prematurely).  
Lambert—September 24, at Powerstown House, Goresbridge, County Kilkenny, the wife of B T Lambert of a son (stillborn).  
Ross—September 22, at 3 Waterloo road, Dublin, the wife of Percy Shell Bell Ross, Commissioner of the Sanderbunds, India, of a son.

## MARRIAGE.

Doyle and Jack—On the 19th instant, at Lucan Presbyterian Church, by the Rev George McCaughey, B A, assisted by the Rev Samuel Prenter, M A, Frederick Doyle, 5 Hollybank road, Drumcondra, to Katherine Barclay, second daughter of Henry Jack, Esq, Lucan, County Dublin.

## DEATHS.

Burke—On September 25th, 1900, at the residence of his cousin, James J. Hayes, Builder, Pery Square, Limerick, James T. Burke, of Chester, Pennsylvania.  
Toomey—On the 10th instant, at his residence, 308 West 93rd Street, New York, Michael Toomey, aged 67 years, formerly of 37 George street, Limerick.  
Traynor—September 22, 1900, at his residence, Vale Cottage, Dargle Road, Bray, after a long illness, Thomas, fourth son of the late Patrick Traynor, Abbeyview, Bray.

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## FAIRS OF MU.

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Monday, 1—Limeric Bansha, Cork; Clona Kerry: Castle-gregory Waterford City.  
Tuesday, 2—Limeric Thurlis, Cork; Enn In places marked thi day previous.

Ennis monthly fair of every month.