

The force bivouacked in the fort that night, and the re-embarkation, which was most satisfactorily conducted under Captain Hand, of Her Majesty's ship *Sampson*, and Commander Lacy, of Her Majesty's ship *Adventure*, with Lieutenant-Colonel Hon. H. Clifford, was effected by 10 A.M. the following morning, bringing away two large brass guns.

I owe my thanks to all concerned in this gallant little affair, officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of both services, and take this opportunity of recording the names of all prominently employed, Lieutenant-Colonel Stephenson, C.B., Assistant Adjutant-General, Lieutenant-Colonel Hon. H. Clifford, V. C., Assistant Quartermaster-General, and Lieutenant Longley, Royal Engineers, acting temporarily as my Aide-de-Camp.

Colonel Hope Graham, C.B., 59th Regiment, who volunteered to accompany me as second in command; Captain Slight, Her Majesty's ship *Sanspareil*, commanding Naval Brigade; Lieutenant-Colonel Wynne, commanding Royal Engineers; Captain Porter, commanding Royal Artillery; Brevet-Major Foote, commanding Royal Marines; Brevet-Major Romer, commanding 59th Regiment; Captain Riack, commanding 12th Madras Native Infantry; and Lieutenant Honour-

able W. Le poer Trench, Royal Engineers, commanding detachment of Sappers; also Ensign Danvers, 70th Bengal Native Infantry, attached to the Military Train, and whose loss I have with true regret to record, he having been killed by the accidental discharge of a musket of one of the Gun Lascars when about to re-embark. He was a most promising young officer, and is much regretted by the force. I must also record my sense of the courtesy with which Commodore the Honourable Keith Stewart co-operated with me on every occasion; and my thanks are due to Captain Hand, Her Majesty's ship *Sampson*; Commander Saumerez, Her Majesty's ship *Cormorant*, and to all the officers commanding gun-boats employed.

A list of casualties and ordnance captured is also appended.

I have, &c.,

C. T. VAN STRAUBENZEE,
Major-General,
Commanding Her Majesty's Forces
in China.

*The Right Honourable the Secretary
of State for War, &c., &c., &c.,
Pall-Mall.*

GENERAL RETURN of Casualties from Wounds in the Expeditionary Force employed at the Storming of Namtow, August 11, 1858.

Corps.	Specification of Wounds.		
	Trifling.	Severe.	Fatal.
59th Regiment	1	2	1
Gun Lascars	1	...
Royal Marines	1	3	1
12th Madras Native Infantry	1
Total	3	6	2

RETURN of Casualties among the Officers of the Expeditionary Force employed at the storming of Namtow, August 11, 1858.

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Nature of Injury.	Admitted.	Died.	Remarks.
Royal Engineers	Capt. W. F. Lambert	Gunshot wound of left thigh	Aug. 11	Aug. 12	The femoral artery divided about $\frac{1}{2}$ inch below poupart ligament; thigh bone extensively fractured part below trochanter.
70th B. N. I. ...	Lieut. R. Danvers	Gunshot wound in chest	Aug. 12	Aug. 12	The ball entered at angle of the seventh rib of left side, and passed out in the right hypochondrium.

(Signed) R. DANE, M.D., Staff-Surgeon 1st Class. P.M.O.

St. GEORGE FOLEY, Colonel, Military Secretary.