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YESTERDAY'S
NEWS IN BRIEF.

BARON PITOCCHI'S SUICIDE.—A Havas telegram from Naples stated that Baron Pitocchi, Consul of Guatemala, has committed suicide.

M. BRASSON'S CANDIDACY.—M. Henri Brasson left Paris yesterday morning for Marseilles, where he is now a candidate for the Chamber of Deputies.

TURIN'S ART EXHIBITION.—The King and Queen of Italy arrived at Turin yesterday morning for the inauguration of the international exhibition of modern decorative art.—Temps.

COURT CHAPLAIN'S SUDDEN DEATH.—A "Daily Telegraph" despatch from Milan says that Abbe Bertagna, a chaplain of the Court, died suddenly yesterday while saying Mass in the Royal Chapel.

SAN DOMINGO REVOLUTION.—The President of the Republic of San Domingo has been overthrown by the revolution that has just taken place. Quiet has already been restored in the capital.—Havas.

REPORT IN THASOS.—The "Nero Freie Presse" of Vienna states that the inhabitants of the Island of Thasos have revolted. The Turkish gendarmes suppressed the insurrection, killing one hundred rebels.

GERMAN DEPUTY KILLED.—A Reuter telegram from Munich says that in the Chamber of Deputies there, on Monday, the Vice-President read a telegram from Herr von Lamm, member of the Reichstag, stating that Herr Friedel, member of the Reichstag for Upper Franconia, was killed in the railway accident near Leipzig on Monday morning.

KING OSCAR IN PARIS.

His Majesty Occupying His Private Rooms at the Swedish and Norwegian Legation.

King Oscar of Sweden and Norway arrived in Paris yesterday from Dinard, after having paid a visit to Mont Saint-Michel.

During his sojourn in Paris His Majesty is residing at the private rooms he has had fitted up for himself at the Swedish Legation. The members of his suite are stopping at the Elysée Palace Hotel.

The "Figaro" gives some interesting particulars regarding the apartments occupied by the King, which he has had furnished in view of prospective visits to the French capital.

The mansion occupied by the Legation, 58 avenue Marceau, was bought about a year ago from the heirs of Comtesse Robert de Pourtales, Mme. Amboix de Lartigue, wife of the general, Baronne Gustave d'Adelsward and Comte Albert de Pourtales.

The rooms, which are situated on the first and second floors, contain some handsome furniture and works of art sent by the King from Stockholm.

His Majesty has promised to attend the performance of "Le Crépuscule des Dieux" at the Théâtre du Château d'Eau. The Swedish colony will be there in large numbers.

DAUGHTER TESTIFIES FOR
HER FATHER'S SLAYER.

Evidence of Mme. Christine Vèran Favorable to M. Orsini, Village Politician Who Used Firearms.

At the Orsini trial yesterday Mme. Christine Vèran, the daughter of M. Sigaud, the deputy-mayor, who was fatally wounded, gave evidence in favor of the man at whose hands her father died. She related that the day after the tragedy she went to see her dying father, whose remarks exonerated Orsini of any criminal intention. The accused was the victim of political vengeance and at first desired not to attend the fatal sitting, as he knew there would be violence.

While Mme. Vèran was giving evidence, says the "Matin," the prisoner hid his face in his hands and sobbed.

DARING ROBBERY AT CHATOU.

Mme. Lambert, a house-owner at Chatou, has just been the victim of an audacious robbery. The "Temps" states that two men called at her house, on the pretext that they wanted to take one of her villas. They gagged and bound her, and made off with a hundred francs in money.

ORANGE RIVER COLONY.

BLOOMFONTEIN, Tuesday.—Lord Basil Plumer, British High Commissioner and Secretary to the Administration of the Orange River Colony during Mr. Wilson's absence.

The imports into Orange River Colony during last year amounted to £1,190,932 in £1,148,498, as compared with £1,190,932 in 1901.—Reuter.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S "CRIME."

Disapproval of French Government's Intention of Decorating General Miles and Admiral Dewey.

New York, Tuesday.—Mr. Roosevelt, whose recent reprimand of General Miles for publicly endorsing Admiral Dewey's finding that Rear-Admiral Schley was in command during the battle of Santiago has subjected him to much criticism, on the ground that his personal initiative exceeded his Presidential prerogatives, has again become the target of a hostile attack, mainly from the Democratic camp.

The President's latest "crime" is alleged to be that he has intimated to the French Government that he did not think it desirable for that Government to confer the decoration of the Legion of Honor on General Miles and Admiral Dewey, as the Paris authorities intimated they wished to do in connection with the coming fêtes on the unveiling of the statue to General Rodman.

Under the laws, no officer of the United States, civil, military or naval, is permitted to accept a foreign decoration without the special authorization of Congress, but it is claimed by the people who are using the incident as a weapon of attack on the President (and who, by the way, are responsible for the version at present current), that Mr. Roosevelt exceeded his power in informing the French Government that its contemplated action was undesirable.—Daily Telegraph.

DEATHS OF THREE GREAT MEN.

Rear-Admiral Sampson, One of the Heroes of the Spanish-American War.

AT HIS HOME IN WASHINGTON.

Part He Played in the Engagement at Santiago—Compared with Rear-Admiral Schley.

[BY COMMERCIAL CABLE TO THE HERALD.]
WASHINGTON, Tuesday.—Rear-Admiral Sampson died at 5 p.m. to-day.

He had a violent hemorrhage of the brain earlier in the day, and was unconscious all the afternoon.

Suffered from Aphasia.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.—Rear-Admiral William P. Sampson had been suffering from aphasia for nearly a year and a half. It came necessary to detach him from the command of the Boston Navy Yard, and he was placed on waiting orders. He came to Washington, where he has since resided for the greater part of the time.

He had had several attacks of syncope within the last few months. The most serious occurred on Saturday, and, although every effort was made to restore him to consciousness, his physicians failed to do so.—Daily Telegraph.

In the Spanish War.

When war was declared between the United States and Spain, Captain William Thomas Sampson, commanding the American naval forces at Key West, was made acting rear-admiral in command of the Atlantic fleet. At that time all eyes were turned on him as the man of the hour, in whom all confidence was placed and on whom all hopes were directed. He owed his then distinguished position not to capulet ancestry, but rather to his ability to rightly act under the dictates of a clear judgment and the quality of performing, rather than of talking, inherited from a calm, sturdy father.

"The right man in the right place," "He knows what to do and does it," were some of the expressions of approval from officers of high rank heard on the announcement of his late appointment.

On July 3, 1898, the day of the destruction of Admiral Cervera's fleet at Santiago, Admiral Sampson, on the New York, had gone up the east coast to hold a conference with General Shafter, so that the command of the squadron devolved upon Commodore Schley, on the Brooklyn. The New York arrived on the scene only during the latter part of the fight, joining the Brooklyn and the Oregon in the chase of the Colon. When the Colon was run on the beach and the Spanish colors were hauled down, Admiral Sampson received the sword of Admiral Cervera.

Up to the time he was appointed president of the court of inquiry charged with investigating the cause of the Maine's destruction Captain Sampson was comparatively unknown except in naval circles. His career, while interesting and brilliant in one sense, had run in a quiet groove, and was not full of those stirring incidents of life on the water about which people love to read and hear. However little prominence he had secured outside of naval circles, the naval administration knew him to be a man of noble and able, and had every confidence that he would give a good account of himself if occasion should arise.

His Boyhood Home.

Up in Wayne county, N.Y., they called him "Billy" Sampson. When he went back to that place, the home of his boyhood, on occasional visits, he was not the calm, dignified, studious-looking officer who, to those not better acquainted with him, was considered cold and distant. He was still "Billy" Sampson, about whom there was no suggestion of gold lace and epaulettes, and who was wholly lacking in that reserve which was so noticeable to strangers.

Admiral Sampson was born in Palmyra, Wayne county, N.Y., February 9, 1840. He was four months younger than the day that Admiral Schley, unlike Admiral Schley, the commander-in-chief of the North Atlantic station did not come of distinguished naval lineage, nor, in fact, of a prominent family. He was the first of his line to attain distinction.

How He Was Brought Up.

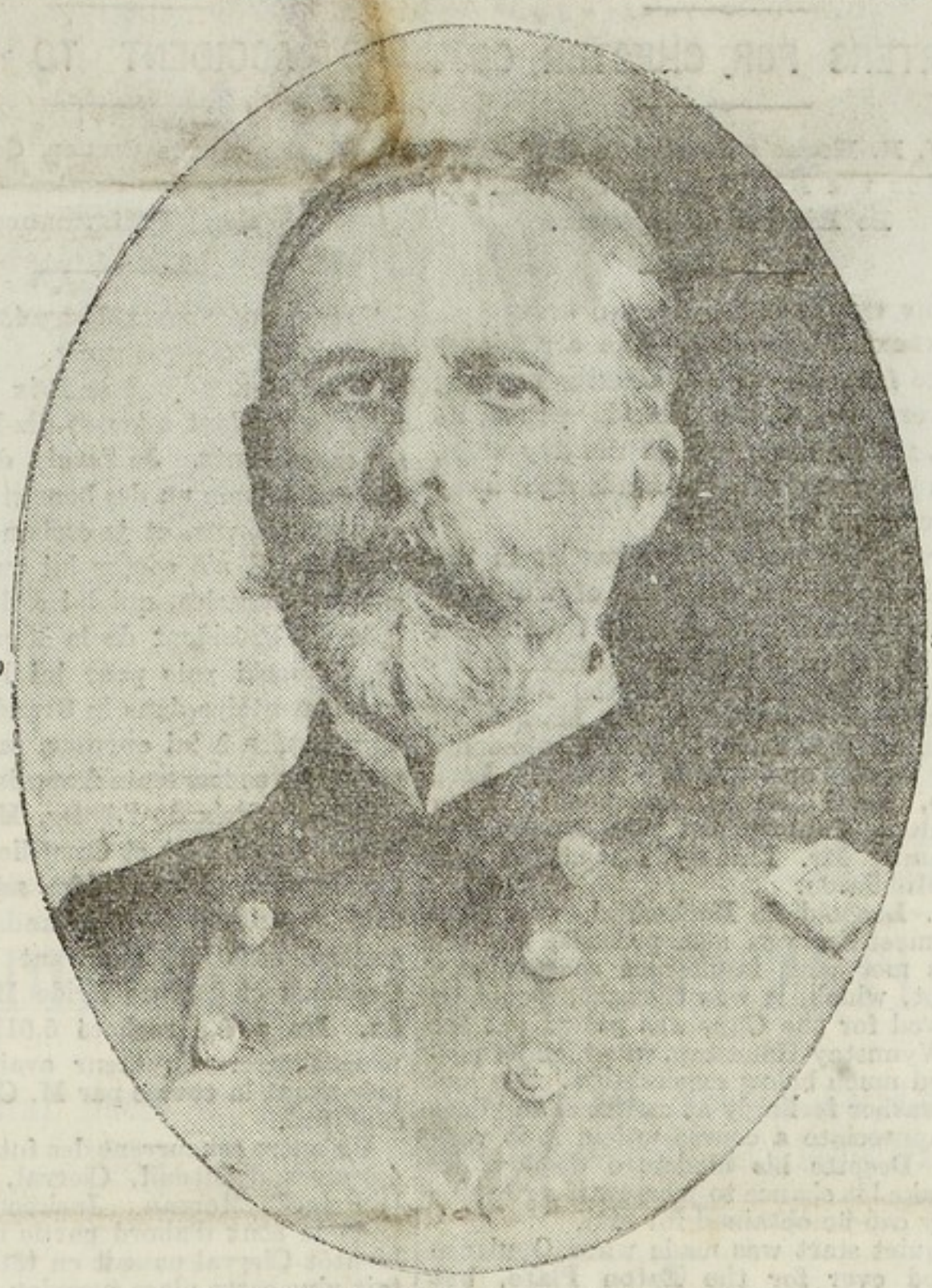
It was while he was executive officer of the ironclad Patapsco, on January 16, 1865, that Lieut. Sampson experienced the blowing up one hears constantly referred to. A blockade, was in effect, and the admiral ordered the Patapsco into Charleston Harbor to remove and destroy the submarine mines and torpedoes with which the water was filled. In bold execution of orders, the fearless young lieutenant, with his men, was blown a hundred feet from the wreck by an explosion from beneath that wrought death and sunk his ship in the same moment. He was rescued with twenty-five of his crew.

Admiral Sampson's record, briefly told, from the time he was made a lieutenant-commander in 1867, is as follows: In August, 1874, he was made commander, then being on the Asiatic station in command of the Swatara (1870 to 1882); was assistant superintendent of the Naval Observatory at Washington from 1882 to 1883, and superintendent of the Naval Academy from 1886 to 1890, becoming a captain in 1889. From January, 1892, to 1897 he was chief of the Bureau of Ordnance, and from June, 1897, to the spring of 1898 was in command of the battleship Iowa.

His Promotion.

When he attained the rank of acting rear-admiral, Captain Sampson passed over the heads of ten officers, previously his seniors, all commanders. He was retired in February last.

His home life was made delightful by a devoted wife who is young, attractive-looking and an interested worker in the Women's Army and Navy League. Mrs. Sampson has lived for some time at Glen Ridge, N.J., with her two little boys, Ralph and Harold. Mrs. Smith, wife of Lieutenant Roy Smith; Mrs. Jackson, wife of Ensign R. H. Jackson; Mrs. Claverius, wife of Ensign Wat Tyler Claverius; and Miss Olive Sampson are daughters of the distinguished sailor by a former marriage.



THE LATE ADMIRAL SAMPSON.

ARCHBISHOP CORRIGAN.

Passes Away in New York After a Comparatively Brief Illness from Pneumonia.

A REMARKABLE LIFE'S WORK.

[BY COMMERCIAL CABLE TO THE HERALD.]

NEW YORK, Tuesday.—Archbishop Corrigan died shortly before midnight. While ill of pneumonia, as called by you recently, there had been no alarming symptoms for the past few days and his death was a surprise.

A Notable Career.

Archbishop Michael Augustine Corrigan was a native of New Jersey, having been born in Newark on August 13, 1829. His parents, Thomas and Mary English Corrigan, were born in Leinster, Ireland, and went to America when very young.

He was educated at St. Mary's College, Wilmington, Delaware; and at Mount St. Mary's, Emmetsburg, Maryland, graduating at the latter institution in 1850. He was ordained to the priesthood at Rome in 1863, and in the following year received the degree of D.D.

After filling for a few years the chair of Dogmatic Theology and Sacred Scripture at Seton Hall College, Orange, N.J., he became its president in 1868. In 1873 he was appointed by Pius IX. to the See of Newark, and in 1880 was made coadjutor to Cardinal McCloskey, Archbishop of New York, under title of Archbishop of Potra; and on the death of the Cardinal in 1885, he became Metropolitan of the diocese of New York.

Remarkable work had been done by Archbishop Corrigan since he took up his residence in New York city. Among other things, he established many parishes, and also the New York Deaf and Dumb Asylum. As the representative of Cardinal McCloskey, he went to Rome some years ago, while preparations were being made for the Baltimore Council.

In his native State Archbishop Corrigan created several Catholic schools, the Catholic Protective Society for Boys at Danville, the Home of the Good Shepherd in Newark, the Hospital of the Little Sisters of the Poor, and the Convent of the Dominican Nuns of the Perpetual Adoration.

Three Desks Draped at Once.

Remarkable Period of Mourning in the American House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday.—Mr. Cummings, member of the House of Representatives, died on Friday last. Mr. Okey, another member, died on Sunday, and Mr. Salmon, a third member, died to-day. There have never before been three desks in the House draped at the same time, and it is a curious coincidence that Mr. Cummings had been appointed on the committee which was to attend the funeral of General Rosecrans at Arlington; while Mr. Okey was afterwards appointed on a committee to represent the House at the interment of Mr. Cummings.

Finally, Mr. Salmon was designated to attend the funeral of Mr. Okey.—Reuter.

PROFESSOR TRAUTMANN'S DEATH

BERLIN, Monday.—Professor Lorenz Ferdinand Trautmann, the well-known artist, died here last evening. He was born at Wittenberg in 1833, and in 1859 became a surgeon in the army.

Professor Trautmann numbered among his patients many persons of distinction, and on more than one occasion had attended the present German Emperor.—Times.

BRET HARTE.

Suddenly Breathes His Last in England, After Having Been Ailing a Few Months.

SKETCH OF THE POET'S LIFE.

[BY THE HERALD'S SPECIAL WIRE.]

LONDON, Wednesday.—Bret Harte is dead.

He had been suffering for about five months from throat affection, but it was never considered serious. He was stopping with some friends at Red House, Camberley, when the end came somewhat suddenly.

It was in December last when Bret Harte was first taken ill with an ailment which the doctors described as a swelling of the tonsils. Owing to this, he was unable to accept any engagements in London, but no one thought the illness was likely to prove fatal. A week ago he went to visit friends at Camberley, when the affection of the throat became more troublesome.

After lunch on Monday he was compelled to retire to bed, and at six o'clock he died from hemorrhage in the throat.

An Eventful Career.

Bret Harte struggled up to a literary career through devious and difficult paths. He was an Albany boy, and when the gold fever swept over the East he, as a lad of fifteen, turned Argonaut with many other American youths. When he reached the land of the Golden Fleece he, like so many others, dipped into almost everything which would afford him a livelihood.

Bret Harte's first essay in literature was taken when he was setting type on a San Francisco weekly. The editor discovered that he had a genius in his composing room, and Harte was invited downstairs. A little later he joined a band of enthusiasts in starting a weekly Californian, but it was not until he got a quiet berth in the Government Mint that he found time to write those famous novelettes which began with "The Luck of Roaring Camp."

"The Outcasts of Poker Flat" and others followed in quick succession. The stories were an instantaneous success, and Harte leapt at a bound into fame.

He drifted eastward, and became the literary lion of the hour. Later he was made United States Consul at Glasgow, and ever since made his home in London.

In California.

Relating to his early experiences in California, Mr. Harte once said to a reporter: "I left New York for California when I was scarcely more than a boy, with no better equipment, I fear, than an imagination which had been expanded by reading Froissart's 'Chronicles of the Middle Ages,' Don Quixote, the story of the Argonauts, and other books from the shelves of my father, who was a tutor of Greek. I went by way of Panama, and was at work for a few months in San Francisco, in the spring of 1853, but for no satisfaction with my surroundings until I reached the gold country, my particular choice being Sonora, in Calaveras County.

Bret Harte was always fond of satirical verse, and the instinct of parody always possessed him. The 'Heathen Chinee' was for a time the best known of his writings. It was written for the 'Overland Monthly,' of which he was editor, with a satirical political purpose, but with no other thought than of having simply a local effect.

ALARMING NEWS ABOUT
QUEEN WILHELMINA.

Reported at Het Loo That Her Majesty's Condition Still Remains Critical.

STRICT SECRECY MAINTAINED.

No Nourishment Taken by August Patient Since Saturday—The Official Bulletins.

Het Loo, Tuesday.—It is said that the Queen's condition remains very critical. Dr. Roessingh does not leave the Queen except to take needful rest; he is then replaced by Dr. Pot.

Another consultation of physicians took place at eleven o'clock this evening. Secrecy is observed. The telegrams which leave the chateau and other measures indicate that the situation is more serious than the official bulletins indicate. The Queen is weak; it is said that she has taken no nourishment since Saturday.

Professor Rosenstein is expected.—Havas.

Sudden Complications Feared.

Het Loo, Tuesday.—Although Queen Wilhelmina is not yet out of danger, there seems to be ground for more hope. The doctors, the Queen-mother and the Prince Consort remain continuously at her bedside, fearing sudden complications.

Sympathetic autograph letters have been received from King Edward and Queen Alexandra, expressing their hopes for the Queen's recovery. The palace has been inundated with messages from illustrious personages.—Daily Mail.

Peritonitis Apprehended.

BRUSSELS, Tuesday Evening.—According to a telegram received by the Netherlands Legation here, Queen Wilhelmina's condition remains unchanged. Her physicians still fear an attack of peritonitis and blood-poisoning.—Daily Telegraph.

Yesterday's Bulletins.

Het Loo, Tuesday.—The following bulletin was issued this morning: "There was some rise of temperature yesterday evening. The Queen passed a quiet night, and slept most of the time. The temperature this morning being normal, the Queen's condition at the present moment is fairly satisfactory, although the patient still requires great care and attention." (Signed) Dr. Roessingh.

Dr. Por.

The following bulletin was issued this afternoon: "The patient's temperature has remained normal until 2 o'clock this afternoon. Other symptoms do not call for any special remarks." (Signed) Dr. Roessingh.

Dr. Por.

—Reuter.

LANDSTHING STILL OBSTINATE.

COPENHAGEN, Tuesday.—The reply of the United States Government respecting the interpretation of certain clauses of the treaty for the sale of the Danish West Indies is considered to be perfectly satisfactory.

The majority of the Danish Upper House, last night, yesterday, on the attitude of opposition to the ratification of the treaty in the form accepted by the Lower House and Government.—Morning Post.

NINE PILGRIMS KILLED

IN RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

Train from Belgium Derails on the Northern Line—Eleven Passengers Wounded.

A Belgian pilgrims' train for Lourdes derailed at 4 p.m. yesterday, on the Northern Railway, between Mouscronville and Wazemoulin, some ninety-eight kilometers from Paris.

It is feared that the accident caused great loss of life. A despatch from Compiègne to the "Matin" states that at 6.30 p.m. nine bodies and eleven wounded pilgrims had been extricated. Their identity has not yet been established.

SHOT BY MISADVENTURE.

Mlle. Madeleine Lobatteux, living in the rue Douai, was passing along that street yesterday, when she was struck by a pistol bullet, and somewhat injured. The ball was fired by a girl named Berthe Aubert, who attempted to commit suicide in the street, but missed her aim.—Temps.

STABBING IN RUE MONTMARTRE.

M. Moreno, a Spanish lyric artist, was stabbed in the back in the rue Montmartre at about one o'clock yesterday morning by one of two butchers' men living in the street. Both were arrested. They alleged that he had given them provocation.—Figaro.

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Snow in Great Britain.

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MCKINLEY NATIONAL
MEMORIAL MEETING.

Concluding Meeting of the Paris Committee of the National Association.

LOCAL FUND TOTALS 59,000FR.

Thanks Tendered to All Who Contributed to the Success of Opéra-Comique Matinée.

A meeting was held at the United States Embassy yesterday, at which General Horace Porter presided, and at which were concluded the labors of the Paris committee of the McKinley National Memorial Association, composed as follows:

General Horace Porter, honorary president; Mr. John K. Gowdy, honorary chairman; Mr. John Munroe, treasurer; Mr. Leicester Holme, secretary; Messrs. John H. Harjes, William Seligman, Rev. Dr. John B. Morgan, Rev. Dr. Edward G. Thurber, General Edward F. Winslow, W. H. Ingersoll, Percy Peixotto, Francis C. Kimball, Henry Cochard, Frank S. Lahn and Edmund Kelly.

Mr. Leicester Holme read a report, as honorary secretary, showing that the sum of 59,000fr. has been collected by the Paris committee, and submitted the names of five hundred persons who had contributed to secure this result.

Thanks Voted.

On the motion of General Edward F. Winslow, the unanimous thanks of the committee, as well as those interested in its labors were tendered to General Horace Porter, the Ambassador of the United States, for the assistance which he had given to the committee and for the agreeable manner in which he presided over its deliberations, and also to Mr. John K. Gowdy, the Consul-General and honorary chairman.

A resolution was passed tendering the sincere thanks of the committee to M. Albert Carré, director of the Opéra-Comique, for kindly giving his services in connection with the Opéra-Comique performance on April 15; M. Venzani, the stage manager; M. Georges Ricou, secretary of the Opéra-Comique; Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, Mme. Réjane, Mlle. Cessbron, Mlle. Gilda Darthy, Mlle. Bouchet, Mlle. Eyreans, Mme. Chasles, Mme. Charles Rothier, Miss Ellen Beach Yaw, Mlle. Jouela, Mlle. Dugue, M. Coquelin aîné, M. Coquelin cadet, M. Jean Coquelin, M. Lucien Fugère, M. Marcel, M. Bourbon, M. Huberdeau, M. Vieux, M. Carbone, M. Rothier, the performers; and to M. Massenet, M. Henri Cain, M. Morand, M. Silvestre and M. Gauthier Villars for graciously relinquishing their royalties.

American Artists.

Thanks were also tendered to Mr. Paul Conkling, the sculptor, and to Mr. Herbert W. Faulkner and to the other American artists from the Latin Quarter, who took entire charge of the seating of the large audience at the Opéra-Comique on April 15, viz: Messrs. H. M. Butler, George C. Aid, Charles Bittinger, Layton Parker, Edward Dufner, C. B. Bigelow, Henry Moore, H. M. Mott Smith, Albert Dakin Gihon, Alpheus Cole, R. P. Willis, E. B. Harlow, John Curd, R. P. Ward, Emory Simons, V. A. Van Duzer, P. C. Dougherty.

Similar thanks were voted to M. Monrier, director of the Assistance Publique, who announced to the committee in a letter that the 'Assistance Publique' relinquished the greater portion of the percentage to which it was entitled from the matinee receipts.

Mr. Frank Gardner.

It was also stated at the meeting that M. Jan Van Beers, who made the original sketch for the programme of the matinee at the Opéra-Comique, had placed at the disposal of the committee the original design. It was resolved that the same be presented, with the thanks of the committee, to Mr. Frank Gardner, who, in addition to his generous contribution to the fund, had delayed the total expenses in connection with the matinee, enabling the committee to receive, as an addition to its fund, the sum of 5,000fr. Thanks were also tendered to Mr. Leicester Holme for his untiring efforts in managing and bringing to a successful result the performance at the Opéra-Comique, as well as for his services as honorary secretary of the Paris committee of the McKinley National Memorial Association.

The names of the contributors to the fund will be published in the HERALD on Sunday next.

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THE HERALD'S WEATHER SERVICE.

IN PARIS.

The weather was fine in Paris yesterday, and the few drops of rain which fell occasionally merit classification as showers.

The temperature, however, was far below that registered on the same day last year, and kept indoors many Parisians who had planned excursions on the banks of the Seine or a automobile trip through country districts where the fruit trees are in bloom.

The wind was generally moderate, but at times attained a speed which brought a high color to the palest cheeks.

At three o'clock this morning the sky was overcast and the barometer was stationary.

The Meteorological Observatory, Tour Saint-Jacques, reports:

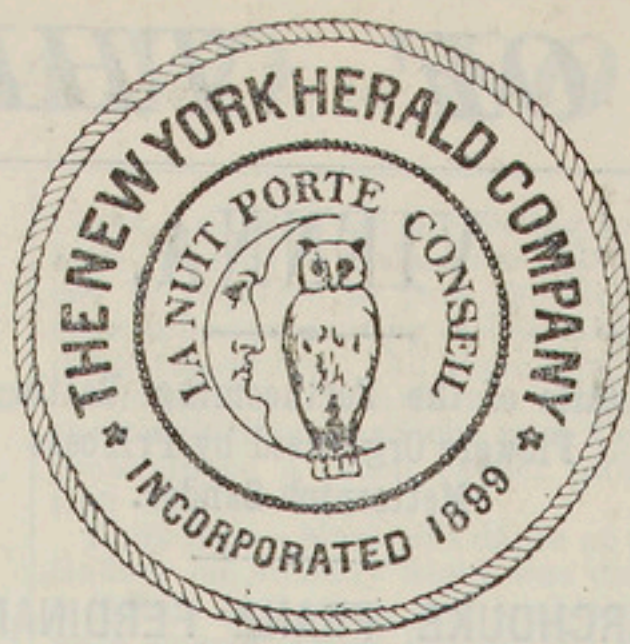
May 6 May 7
Min. Max. Min. Max.
Temp. (Cent.). 8 7 4 2
VELOCITY OF WIND PER HOUR.
In miles 11 5 5
In kilometres 18 8 8
Direction of the wind NW —

Cold, cloudy, rainy weather is predicted for to-day.

May 7, 1901.
The weather one year ago to-day was showery and windy. The minimum temperature was 6 deg., and the maximum 14 deg. Cent.

IN THE UNITED STATES.
BY COMMERCIAL CABLE TO THE HERALD.
New York, Tuesday.—The weather in New York to-day was fine. The temperature fluctuated between 12 deg. Cent. (54 deg. Fahr.) and 21 deg. Cent. (70 deg. Fahr.). The wind was variable and light. The barometer is falling to-night.

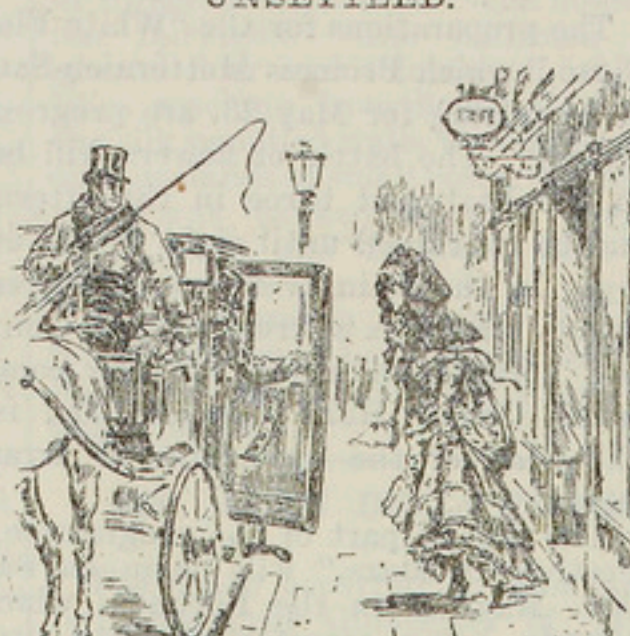
There have been frosts in North Dakota, South Dakota and Nebraska. Rain has



FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY.

Cross Channel Steamers Will Have Good Passages.

UNSETTLED.



The HERALD predicts cool weather and slight showers.

fallen in Texas and in the region extending north-eastwards to the Lake region.

An incoming steamer from the English Channel encountered breezes that varied from gentle to strong.

The HERALD's Bermuda correspondent, telegraphing this afternoon, reports: Fair weather; wind, north-westerly, a gentle breeze.

The HERALD's St. John's (N.F.) correspondent reports: Temperature, 2 deg. Cent. (36 deg. Fahr.); sky, cloudy; wind, easterly, fresh.

The HERALD's Cape Race correspondent reports: Temperature, 2 deg. Cent. (36 deg. Fahr.); sky, cloudy; wind, southerly, gentle.

In the British Isles.
(BY THE HERALD'S SPECIAL WIRE.)
LONDON, Wednesday.—The weather over the United Kingdom yesterday was in a cloudy, showery state generally. Showers of hail, rain and sleet fell in nearly all places and a thunderstorm occurred at Shildon, North or north-west winds prevailed generally, and, although light or moderate in force in most places, they blew strongly in the north of Ireland.

The barometric pressure remained highest in a large anticyclone, the eastern edge of which extends from the Atlantic over the west of Ireland. Over Ireland and England the mercury was falling slowly, but in Scotland a gradual rise was in progress.

The temperature remained very low for the time of year, the readings being below 10 deg. Cent. everywhere.

The weather in London yesterday morning was bitterly cold, reminding one more of October or February than the month of May. As a matter of fact a frost was experienced in the suburbs and in Hyde Park the mercury fell during the night to only one degree above freezing point.

Small cyclonic disturbances are apparently being developed over various parts of the United Kingdom, and continued cold, showery weather is probable in most districts. Thunder may possibly occur at some of the eastern and central stations.

In London the observations at 6 p.m. were: Barometer, 767 mm.; temperature, 5 deg. Cent.; wind, north-north-west and light; sky, cloudy.

The official forecast for London and the Channel for to-day is: North-west to north-east winds, varying, light or moderate; cold and changeable; some showers; thunder locally.

The Channel Service.
(SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.)
DOVER, Tuesday.—There left for the Continent, via Calais, to-day: The Bishop of Hull, Lord Kintore and a large party of English pilgrims on a visit to the Pope at Rome.

The arrivals from the Continent included: Lady Ann Lyon, Lord and Lady Brassey, Lord Cottesloe, the Earl of Craven and Lady Hylton.

The passenger traffic returns are: From Ostend, 165; from Calais, 840; to Ostend, 99; to Calais, 285.

At Folkestone.
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AIX-LES-BAINS.—Hotel Grand Monarque; weather unsettled.
ARCACHON.—Hotel Continental, noon, maximum, 17 deg. Cent.; minimum, 10 deg. Cent.
BRISTOL.—Weather sunny, soft southerly breeze, slight swell. Noon temperature, 21 deg. Cent.

BERLIN.—Hotel Bristol, noon, 11 deg. Cent. Fine.
BLANCO.—Hotel d'Angleterre, noon, 15 deg. Cent. Very fine; sea calm.

CANES.—Hotel Prince de Galles, Riviera Palace, noon (on the terrace), 18 deg. Cent. Hotel Provence (in the garden), 18 deg. Cent.
CARLSBAD.—Savoy West End Hotel, Villa Chapatra, noon, 7 deg. Cent. Unsettled.

CASTELLAMARE DI STABIA.—Grand Hotel Quisisana (in the garden), noon, 19 deg. Cent.
COMO.—Pinnus Grand Hotel au Lac (on the terrace), noon, 19 deg. Cent. Fine.

COPENHAGEN.—Hotel d'Angleterre, noon, 9 deg. Cent.
DRESDEN.—Sendig's Hotel de l'Europe, 8 deg. Cent. Fair.

FLORENCE.—Hotel de la Ville, noon, 18 deg. Cent. Fair.
FRANKFURT.—Frankfurter Hof (on the terrace), noon, 8 deg. Cent. Unsettled.

GENOVA.—Hotel Beaurivage (on the terrace), noon, 20 deg. Cent. Hotel National (in the garden), 15 deg. Cent. Variable.
GENOA.—Hotel de Genes, 15 deg. Cent. Fine; wind west.

GRASSE.—Grand Hotel, noon, 15 deg. Cent. Fine.
HAMBURG.—Victoria Hotel (in the garden), 15 deg. Cent. Ritter's Park Hotel and Villa, noon, 14 deg. Cent. Dull and windy.

INTERLAKEN.—Victoria Hotel, noon, 8 deg. Cent. Unsettled.
KISSINGEN.—Hotel de Russie, noon, 14 deg. Cent. Fine.

LUCERNE.—Hotel National, noon, 8 deg. Cent. Hotel Schweizerhof, maximum, 6 deg. Cent. Rain.
MARSEILLES.—Hotel du Louvre et de la Paix, maximum, 18 deg. Cent.; minimum, 8 deg. Cent.

MENAGGIO (Lake of Como).—Victoria Hotel, noon, 17 deg. Cent.
MERAN.—Grand Hotel Meranerhof, noon, 11 deg. Cent. Fine.

MILAN.—Hotel Cavour, noon, 19 deg. Cent. Fine.
MONTE CARLO.—Grand Hotel, noon, 18 deg. Cent.

MUNICH.—Hotel Continental, noon, 10 deg. Cent. Rain.
NAPLES.—Bertolini's Palace Hotel, noon (on restaurant terrace), 20 deg. Cent. Grand Eden Hotel (on the terrace), noon, 20 deg. Cent. Parker's Hotel, noon, 20 deg. Cent. Dull.

NICE.—Hotel Annetto, noon, 18 deg. Cent. Minimum during the night, 9 deg. Cent.
PAU.—Hotel Gassion (on the terrace), noon, 16 deg. Cent.

ROME.—Grand Hotel (in the garden), noon, 15 deg. Cent. Fine.
SAN REMO.—Hotel Savoy, 18 deg. Cent. SEMMERING.—Grand Hotel Erzherzog Johann, 6 deg. Cent. Dull.

SORRENTO.—Hotel Tramontano, noon, 22 deg. Cent. Very fine.
STOCKHOLM.—Grand Hotel, noon, 5 deg. Cent. Wind east; dry.

VENICE.—Hotel Britannia, noon, 14 deg. Cent. Hotel Royal Danieli, 16 deg. Cent. Fine.
VIENNA.—Hotel Bristol, 16 deg. Cent. Fine.

WIEN.—Hotel Kaiserhof, noon, 9 deg. Cent. Hotel Nassau (Nassauerhof), noon (restaurant terrace), 10 deg. Cent. Rain.
ZURICH.—National Hotel, noon, 8 deg. Cent.

From Centigrade to Fahrenheit.
To the Editor of the HERALD:—
I am anxious to find out the way to figure the temperature from Centigrade to Fahrenheit and vice-versa. In other words, I want to know, whenever I see the temperature designated on Centigrade thermometer, how to find out what it would be on Fahrenheit's thermometer.

"OLD PHILADELPHIA LADY."
Paris, December 24, 1899.

Sh! He's Just On To It!
PARIS, 5-5-1902.

THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK HERALD,
PARIS:—
DEAR SIR,—I read in your estimable paper to-day an inquiry of a "Philadelphia Lady" how to find out the temperature in Fahrenheit if she sees it designated in Centigrade or Reaumur.

Will you allow me to suggest to her to buy 3 small portable thermometers, one of Fahrenheit, one of Centigrade and one of Reaumur, she can carry them about her and in this way be never embarrassed about the temperature.

If she likes, I can give her through your columns the address of a reliable thermometer manufacturer.

Believe me, dear sir, yours respectfully,
JOHN HOPE McVOR.

Deaths of Three Great Men.
The despatches this morning record the deaths of three men who were held prominently in the public mind as leaders in their respective fields of activity—war, the Church and literature.

Rear-Admiral William Thomas Sampson will be remembered by the generations, present and future, for the prominence he attained soon after he was made commander-in-chief of the American fleet in the preparations for the late war with Spain, and particularly because of the patriotic disputes arising out of the nature of the "actual command" during the famous naval battle at Santiago.

In the death of Archbishop Corrigan the Catholic Church loses one of its greatest exponents and a possible successor to the Pope of Rome (if the traditional Italian succession were not to be always reckoned upon) has passed away.

Bret Harte, author of "The Luck of Roaring Camp" and the "Heathen Chinee," is also numbered with the dead. The name alone of the "Wild West" poet calls to memory the most romantic days of California and the struggles of the "Forty-niners" in their search for gold.

His Majesty's Navy.
(BY THE HERALD'S SPECIAL WIRE.)
LONDON, Wednesday.—The "Globe" says that the destroyer Syren sustained slight damage yesterday through colliding with the Hawk, the admiral-superintendent of reserves' yacht. The Syren was steaming up Portsmouth harbor on her return from her steam trials. In avoiding a steam launch she was carried by the tide against the bows of the

Hawk, whose bowsprit damaged her funnel and smashed a dingy. The Hawk also received slight damage.

The Sutej, first-class armored cruiser, was commissioned from the A division of the Medway Fleet Reserve at Chatham Dockyard yesterday by Captain P. W. Bush, for service with the Channel squadron.

The cruiser Psyche has sailed from Kingston (Jamaica) for Bocas del Toro. The battleship Bulwark left Plymouth yesterday for the Mediterranean to act as the flagship of Admiral Sir Compton E. Denville, the new commander-in-chief.

The following appointments were announced at the Admiralty yesterday:—
Captains: W. Fisher, to the Royal Sovereign, on the Anson turning over; W. L. Grant, to the Monarch.

Lieutenants: F. Mitchell, to the Mars; T. Crease, to the Formidable; G. Tuke, to the Anson as first lieutenant; L. G. Preston, to the Hearty as first lieutenant; H. Colenso, to the Juno; F. H. Hallows, to the Duke of Wellington; A. Bruce, to the Orion, for the Cynthia, in command; A. Davison, to the London as first lieutenant for navigating; A. V. Campbell, to the Duke of Wellington, and for the London on commissioning; F. H. Hallows, V. Tison, F. Wrottesley and C. A. Scott, all to the London; H. B. Mullenex, lent to the Resolution as flag-lieutenant to Rear-Admiral Atkinson Willes.

Staff-Engineers: Wiggins to the Duke of Wellington, for the Devastation; Paymaster J. A. Keys to the Resolution, as secretary to Rear-Admiral Atkinson Willes.

PRINCE HENRY'S VISIT.
German Imperial Fleet in Bantary Bay.—The Prince Receives the Duke of Connaught To-day.

(BY THE HERALD'S SPECIAL WIRE.)
LONDON, Wednesday.—Prince Henry of Prussia, with his magnificent fleet, arrived at Bantary Bay yesterday. The ships of the British Channel fleet welcomed the visitors with a salute.

At noon to-day the Duke of Connaught will go to Bantary to welcome Prince Henry, and will dine and sleep on board his flagship.

On Thursday morning the two princes will land at Bantary, and travel by special train to Cork, where a visit will be paid to the exhibition.—Daily Telegraph.

The United States Navy.
Orders to Navy Officers.

WASHINGTON, Saturday.—The following orders have been issued by the Navy Department:—
Lieutenant-Commander R. M. Doyle, detached from the Wisconsin and ordered home to await orders.

Lieutenant F. Lyon, detached from the Monongahela and ordered to the Solace, and on arrival of that vessel on the Asiatic station to report to the commander-in-chief.

Lieutenant J. M. Stewart (retired), ordered to Galveston to assume charge of the branch hydrographic office.

Chaplain R. R. Hoos, detached from the Kearsarge and ordered to duty at the Navy Yard, Washington, D.C.

Engineer E. P. Goodrich's resignation accepted.

Surgeon J. W. Gatewood, commissioned. Passed Assistant Surgeon M. S. Guest, from Cavite station to the New Orleans.

Passed Assistant Surgeon H. D. Wilson, to the marine brigade, Cavite.

Assistant Surgeon R. C. Holcomb, to proceed home, via the Manila.

Lieutenant W. Truxton, from the naval hospital, Mare Island, Cal., home, and granted three months' sick leave.

Assistant Surgeon F. M. Munson, appointed assistant surgeon.

Captain C. T. Hunter is detached from the command of the Buffalo May 10, and ordered home to wait orders.

Commander A. Ross is detached from duty as inspector in charge of the Fifth Lighthouse district, Baltimore, and ordered to command the Albatross.

Assistant Paymaster W. C. Greer will report to the Secretary of the Navy for special duty.

Assistant Surgeon F. M. Munson, to duty in the Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va.

ONLY SAILORS THIS TIME.
The Chicago's "Jack Tars" Reported to Have Become Disorderly in a Trieste Café.

ROME, Tuesday.—Reports have been received here from Trieste to the effect that the American sailors of the warship Chicago, apparently forgetting the incident at Venice, have behaved in a disorderly way in a café at Trieste. Glasses and bottles were thrown about, and the police arrested four of the sailors.—Daily Chronicle.

The French Navy.
While leaving the arsenal at Cherbourg yesterday the torpedo-boat No. 164 ran against the pier and seriously damaged her bows. She will have to be disarmed.

Press.
Vice-Admiral Albert Roustan left Paris last night, returning to Brest.

REPORTING YACHTS TO THE "HERALD."

AN ARRANGEMENT HAS BEEN CONCLUDED BY WHICH LLOYD'S UNDERTAKES TO FORWARD TO THE HERALD ALL YACHT MOVEMENTS SIGNALLED TO ANY OF LLOYD'S STATIONS, THUS ENABLING YACHTSMEN, WITHOUT ANY FURTHER TROUBLE, TO GET THE LATEST INFORMATION AS TO THE POSITION OF THEIR YACHTS.

THEY WILL BE KEPT UP TO THE DATE OF THE NEXT MORNING.

IN THE NEW INTERNATIONAL CODE, PAGE 236 IN THE GENERAL VOCABULARY, UNDER THE HEADING "NEW YORK," IT WILL BE FOUND THAT BY HOISTING THE TWO FLAGS "U K" YOU SIGNAL: "SEND NEWS OF ME TO NEW YORK HERALD."

IN PARIS "P" INSTEAD OF "U K" THE SAME NEWS IS SENT TO THE "NEW YORK HERALD" IN LONDON. IF THE HOISTS "U K," IT IS ADDRESSED TO THE "NEW YORK HERALD" IN NEW YORK.

YACHT MOVEMENTS.
PRAWLE POINT, Tuesday.—Passed, the Oithona, steam yacht, of London, bound east.—Lloyd's.

MEXTON, Tuesday.—The French yacht Wily has left for Cannes, with M. Piver, the owner, on board.

VENICE, Tuesday.—The American steam yacht Nahma, with Mrs. Golet and party on board, arrived this morning from Arbe.

(From John Spagnol and Son, yacht agents.)
MALTA, Tuesday.—The yacht Lady Torrida has left for the Pireus.

DOVER-HELIGOLAND RACE.
(SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.)
DOVER, Tuesday.—It was announced at the meeting of the Dover Corporation to-day that the forthcoming local and international yachting season would be the most important ever known at Dover, a further prize, valued at £600, having been offered by the German Emperor for the new race between Heligoland and Dover.

NEW VISTA FOR YACHTSMEN.
Tiny Motor Can Be Transferred from Yacht to Dinghy—Marvellous Steering Abilities.

The new motor opens up a vista for the lazy yachtsman which had never been dreamed of. It is "The Universal Propeller." The engine can be removed from the yacht, or stowed away, put into a dinghy to fetch visitors from the shore, or applied to a skiff for a rapid voyage up a river. It is 14 horse-power.

No structural alterations are required in the yacht, the engine merely being lashed to a couple of battens athwart the yacht, these battens having the advantage of absorbing vibration. The steering of the boat is done by the screw. It is by means that it is possible to make the boat go through the most wonderful evolutions which are unobtainable by the mere rudder.

The propeller, attached to the propeller-box at the bottom of the vertical arm, can describe a circle without interrupting the rotary movement of the screw or changing the speed of the motor. To reverse, therefore, it is only necessary, by means of the steering wheel, to make half a revolution of the propeller-box. If the propeller-box be placed, by a slight touch to the steering wheel, at right angles to the direction in which the boat is travelling, the boat will turn in its own length, even if going at full speed.

It is this circling movement of the propeller-box that is essentially, apart from its general adaptability, the most interesting point of the system introduced by this invention. For, apart from the steering capabilities of the motor, a boat, when going full speed ahead, can be stopped in less than its own length by a simple turn of the steering wheel. With this motor in use the yacht's rudder can either be lashed or entirely unshipped.—"A Yachtsman" in the "New Liberal Review."

THE MARSEILLES REGATTA.
In spite of the bad weather at Marseilles on Monday, the Duca degli Abruzzi insisted on the first race being sailed in the contest for the "Coupe de France"; and upon M. Drouault refusing to take out his yacht, the Suzette, the Italian yacht, steered by the duke himself, went over the course alone in five hours seven minutes.

The judges, however, says the "Petit Parisien's" correspondent, hesitated about declaring the race regularly run and postponed their decision.

SINKING OF A YACHT.
A despatch to the "Temps" says that, as a result of a sudden gust of wind, the racing yacht Georgette, which took refuge in the port of Propiano, went to the bottom. The crew was saved. It is thought that the yacht can be refloated.

THE "FIGARO'S" SELECTIONS.
There will be racing at Saint-Cloud at the close of this afternoon. The "Figaro's" selections are:—
Prix des Sablonnières: Cabecilla, Bénédicte.
Prix de Plaisir: Eléphantine, Soukzanne, stable.
Prix de la Malmaison: Nettie, La Dragonne.
Prix des Charnilles: Cabecilla, Côte Rôtie.
Prix de Vanhallan: Cléopâtre II., Fayence.
Prix d'Herbeville: Jolly Girl, Passaro.

"MISTLETOE'S" SELECTIONS.
Prix des Sablonnières: Nirvana, Cabecilla.
Prix de Plaisir: Silhouette III, Ecurie Vanderbit.
Prix de la Malmaison: La Dragonne, Clainpaine.
Prix des Charnilles: Cabecilla, Merveille II.
Prix de Vanhallan: Montella, Thermodon.
Prix d'Herbeville: Saint-Armel, Passaro.

Racing news will be found on page 2.

PARIS SOCIETY.
La comtesse Pierre de Kergorlay, née Caulaincourt-Vienne, qui vient de mourir, son hôtel de la rue Nitot, avait deux sœurs, la comtesse d'Espouilles-Vienne et la baronne de Sarret.

Ses obsèques seront célébrées ce matin, à dix heures, en l'église Saint-Pierre de Chaillot.

Grand dîner, hier au soir, chez la baronne Alphonse de Rothschild, dans son hôtel de la rue Saint-Florentin.

La baronne de Montagnac a donné sa première soirée dansante lundi, dans son hôtel de l'avenue Kléber. Elle en faisait les honneurs, assistée de ses deux charmantes filles, Mme. Baugnies et Mlle. de Montagnac.

Une seconde soirée aura lieu dans le courant de mai.

Un cotillon de jeunes filles est annoncé, pour le 27 mai, chez la comtesse de Sers, dans son hôtel de la rue Galvée.

La comtesse d'Essex, qui est chez Mme. Beach Grant, sa mère, et qui a été dernièrement assez souffrante, est en bonne voie de guérison.

Les nouvelles de la princesse de Wagram sont également beaucoup meilleures.

La princesse de Tarente a quitté Sisteron pour se rendre dans la propriété de son père, le comte Pilet-Will, à Château-Margaux.

S. A. la princesse Yonievsky a quitté Nice pour se réinstaller boulevard Maillot, à Neuilly-sur-Seine, dans un hôtel où elle lève depuis plusieurs années au comte de Fleuriot.

S. Exc. le prince Orousoff part, ces jours-ci, pour Saint-Petersbourg, afin de procéder en Russie le Président de la République.

La comtesse Jean de Castellane, de retour dans son hôtel de l'avenue Bosquet,

PARIS SOCIETY.

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 4.)

Miramon-Pargues et le comte de Bon-
ville, M. Edouard de Roussay, pré-
sident, M. Charles de Crocqueville et le
comte de Bire, M. Ernest de Bau-
ville, présenté par le comte de Croc-
queville, M. de Lamoignon et le comte de
Lamoignon, M. de Lamoignon.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

PARIS.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckler Lethbridge have
left Paris for Curzon street, London.

M. Motono, the new Minister of Japan
in France, was received by the President
of the Republic yesterday afternoon, when
he presented his credentials.—Temps.

The monthly breakfast organized by the
friends of the late Prince Henri d'Orléans
took place, as usual, yesterday at Du-
rois's Restaurant. Among those present
were: Colonel de La Panouse, M. Jean
Bertrand, M. Raoul Mourichon and Vi-
comte d'Origny.

The "Figaro" announces the deaths of:
Comte de Janssens, at the Château de
Commanville, aged seventy-five; M. Al-
bert Fournier-Didot, aged forty-one; Vi-
comte Louis de Montichard, aged forty-
nine.

Un mot peu connu, parmi tant de
connus, d'un Marseillais.
On parle d'imiter les cris d'auxinaux.
—Moi, dit glorieusement le fils de
Phocée-Flaissières, quand j'imité le cri du
coq, le coq se lève! —"Le Masque de Fer,"
in the "Figaro."

Among those who attended the "five-
o'clock" at the Ritz Hotel yesterday
were: Lady Essex, Mrs. Ralph Sneyd, the
Hon. Mrs. Ramsay, Miss May, Miss Gar-
rington, Mlle. de Contades, Duc de
Mont, Lady Carnarvon and Mrs. Harri-
man.

At the Hotels.

Mr. J. Arthur Joseph, of New York,
is at the Hotel Belvedere.

Sir Basil and Lady Hall have arrived
at the Hotel Belvedere from London.

Recent arrivals at the Hotel Vendôme
include Prince and Princess Chavcha-
vsky.

Mr. Goldschmidt has left the Ritz Ho-
tel for London; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Mil-
ler for a tour in the Italian Lake district.

At the Hotel Beaujon are: Mr. H. J.
Egerton, Boston; Mrs. E. Lees, New
York; Mlle. S. Spencer, Pittsburgh; Mrs.
K. Hogarth, Pittsburgh.

Among the latest arrivals at The
Avenue, Private Pension, rue de la
Pompe, are: Miss Bellhouse, from Vien-
na; Mrs. Bayly, from London.

Lord Kintore and Lord Dunsandale have
arrived at the Ritz Hotel from London;
Mr. Marshall Hall has arrived at the
same hotel on his way to Salsomaggiore.

Among yesterday's arrivals at the Hotel
Saint-Petersburg were: Captain and
Mrs. Cumming, Glasgow; Mlle. de Worre,
from Cannes; Mr. E. M. Seale and fam-
ily, Capetown.

Have arrived at the St. James and
other hotels: Miss A. L. Farnham, Mrs.
Miss Lena Fanshawe, London; Mr. C.
H. West, London; Mr. Morgan and the
Miss Morgan, Folkestone.

Have arrived at the Hotel du Louvre:
Mr. H. A. Wahl, New York; Baronne G.
von Zuylen and Contesse A. de Changy,
Brussels; Mr. F. H. Fountain, London,
and Mrs. G. H. H. Boylton, Chelten-
ham.

Latest arrivals at the Elysée Palace
include: The Earl of Essex, Mar-
quess de Guadalupe, Mrs. John Hays
Hammond, of New York; Mr. and Mrs.
Max Adler, of New York; Mr. H. D.
Warren and Mr. Trumbull Warren, of
Toronto.

Latest arrivals at the Hotel Chatham
are: Mr. T. B. Bressan and family, Man-
chester; Mr. C. B. Pittman, London; Mr.
and Mrs. A. W. Arrington, Boston; Mr.
and Mrs. J. I. Wills, from Florence; Mr.
Paul Potter, of New York, from London;
Mr. E. Waterman-Wright, of Philadel-
phia, coming from Lucerne.

Among the latest arrivals at the Hotel
Albion are: Sir A. and Lady Marshall,
Sir James and Lady Reckitt, Miss Reckitt,
Mr. R. H. Kitson and Mrs. Beatrice
Kitson, Miss J. B. Kitson, London; Mr.
A. Lancaster Jones, Mexican Minister in
London, and family; Baronne d'Asbeck, of
Brussels; Mrs. J. F. Fargo and family,
Mr. B. L. Beckwith, all of New York.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Colthart
have left the Hotel Bedford for Folke-
stone. Among these latest arrivals at this
hotel are: Baronne Forstner de Damb-
roy, from Holland; Countess Freder-
ique and Countess Valda Gleichen,
from Rome; Mrs. and Miss G. Tewel-
low, Mrs. E. Clerk, Mr. James Throver and
Captain J. Forbes, London; Mr. and
Mrs. A. Bickford, Mrs. V. An Kleeck and
Mrs. L. Whitmo, Boston.

FRANCE.

Have left the Hotel des Réservoirs,
Versailles: Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr.
and Mrs. Starkie, Lord Magheramorne
and family, Mme. Guillaume Beer, Mme.
Leconte de Lisle, all for Paris; Mr. Jud-
son Dold and Mr. G. Ayton for London.

At the Hotel des Réservoirs, Versailles,
are: Mme. C. Renault, Mme. Charter,
Comtesse de Roquefeuil, M. H. de La-
garde, Lieutenant de Lamoignon, Baron
Taylor, Comtesse de Fitz-James, Comte
and Comtesse Mercati, Mr. and Mrs.
Thomas Huger Pratt, Miss Ogle and Mlle.
de Orestis.

ENGLAND.

The Herald's Dover correspondent tele-
graphs that the Marchioness of Ely is
stopping at the Hotel Metropole, Folke-
stone.

Among the arrivals at the Savoy Hotel,
London, yesterday were: Mr. and Mrs.
A. J. Morgan, Miss Gushy, Mr. Adolf
Kaufmann, Mr. C. Harold Lyford, New
York; Mr. Joseph Simpson, Brussels;
Mme. M. Dulac, Paris, and Mr. and Mrs.
J. Moll, of Stockholm.

OTHER COUNTRIES.

The Grand Duke Paul of Russia left the
Frankfurter-Hof, Frankfurt-on-Main, on
Saturday, and has gone to Eisenach.

Mr. Eli Marks, of San Francisco, has
arrived at Frankfurt-on-Main, and is
stopping with his sister, Mrs. Livingston.

The Grand Duchess Alice of Tuscany
has arrived in Frankfurt for the waters
and has taken apartments at Kopp's
Hotel, Königswill.

Senator and Mrs. James Smith, of
Newark, N.J., have arrived at the Grand

Hotel Meranierhof, Meran. Count Hans
Bressler and Countess Bressler have left
Meran for Venice.

Among the latest arrivals at the Hotel
Schweizerhof, Lucerne, are: Major J. K.
Lytle, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R.
Turnbull and family, New York; Mrs. W.
Clarence Martin and Miss G. M. Martin,
New York; Colonel and Mrs. Lyon, Hors-
ham, England; Mr. E. William Inger-
soil, Mr. J. Joseph Harris.

Recent arrivals at the Hotel Bristol,
Vienna, include: Mr. Charles J. Rathgen,
New York; Mr. Charles O'Connell, New
York; Mr. James Parrish, New York.
People seen dining at the restaurant of
the hotel recently include: Mr. W. Pierce,
Count Potostak, Countess Spanocki, Bar-
on Leitenberger, Mr. W. Tobin, Mr. F.
Becker, Counts F. and H. Larisch, Count
K. Esterhazy, Baron Schilling, Count
Baden, Baron Steiger, Baron Siebold,
Baron Condouhove, Prince Paul Metter-
nich, Count A. Sternberg.

At the Grand Hotel Kaiserhof, Bad-
Nauheim, are: The Earl of Mount-Ed-
cumbe, Viscount Valletot, Mr. and Mrs.
Thomas Lindall Winthrop, Ryde, Isle of
Wight; Dr. William E. Hopkins and Mrs.
Hopkins, San Francisco; Mrs. G. H. Red-
mond, Miss Redmond, New York; Mr.
Frank P. Mitchell, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mrs.
Louis A. Kinney, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr.
and Mrs. George P. Braun, Chicago, Ill.;
Dr. C. F. Ely, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs.
Richard Clayton, Wyman Hall; Mr. and
Mrs. Edmund B. Gibson and Miss Gibson,
London.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

Opinions of the Leading Papers in
Both Continents on the Topics
of the Day.

LONDON.—The "Morning Post" says:
"Siam alone could not hope to offer effec-
tive resistance to any demand that France
might make on her. It becomes therefore
a question of serious import for the British
Government, whether or not it is to
interest to protect Siam against the
threatened attack of her powerful neighbor."

The "Daily Telegraph" says: "Among
the most encouraging indications of the
position in South Africa has been an as-
surance from many sides as to the sangui-
ne conviction of the surrendered burghers
themselves that the peace move-
ment will be brought to a happy issue.
But at this moment no service can be
rendered to the cause of peace, compar-
able in value with a demonstration of un-
relaxing energy in improving the means
of war."

The "Daily Mail" says: "Ever since the
singular idea of a twopenny tax on
cheques was propounded, Sir Michael
Hicks Beach seems to have been anxious
to get rid of the bantling which has
covered the great financier with un-
merited ridicule."

The "Daily News" says: "Thousands of
people in every part of the world will hear
with sadness of the death of Bret Har-
te. So long as the short story remains a
recognized form of literary art, the name
of the writer who was the first to find out
its possibilities will stand high."

PRESS OF THE UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK.—The chief of
naval equipment recommends the estab-
lishment of a naval station at Havana.
Considered solely from the strategic line
of sight, this suggestion is eminently
sound, as the port possesses nearly all the
essentials of a primary base and is to us
of the first importance, because it controls
the western entrance to the Caribbean sea.

"Viewed politically, the question takes
another aspect. The President elect of
Cuba has specifically declared the unwill-
ingness of his people to have an alien
depot located at the capital of the island.
We may, of course, under the Platt
amendment, insist upon our right to
choose the station best adapted to the
defense of Cuba. But then, sentiment is
potent, and the feelings of the Cubans are
so natural and easily understood on this
matter that difficulties threaten. At the
best the decision is in the lap of the future.

There can be no uncertainty, however,
about the necessity of owning coaling sta-
tions in West Indian waters and on the
Pacific side of the isthmian canal. During
the civil war we operated, through a loose
interpretation of international law, eight
depôts about the Caribbean. Since then
we have marched and the law has become
most strict, and we must own our coal
pile. We need at least four stations in
Cuba, one each at St. Thomas, Puerto
Rico, the Cherqui Lagoon, on the Atlan-
tic, and on the Gulf of Dulce and the
Gallapagos Islands, on the Pacific.

"The foreign sea Powers are struggling
valiantly with this question of coal sup-
ply. In his latest address Admiral Lord
Beaufort insisted upon a government
ownership of mines in order to overcome
the dangers inherent in strikes and in
combinations to raise the price. We need
hardly go so far as this, but we must cer-
tainly have adequate supply depôts in
home and neighboring waters and on our
possessions."

PETITIONS.
Boston "Herald": "The 3,000,000 sig-
natures attached to the petition to con-
gress asking a reduction in the tax on
quarrying furnish another eloquent testi-
monial to the ease with which numerous
signed petitions can be gotten up for any-
body or anything under heaven."

Philadelphia Editorials.
"Record": "There still remain nearly
three months during which war taxes will
be collected—an entirely unnecessary ex-
action from any public or private view-
point of sound economy."

"Times": "Both the so-called Boer
governments have been leading a nomadic
life. It looks now as if they were using
all of their influence with the fighting
Boers to induce compliance with reason-
able terms from the British, if such can be
had."

"Inquirer": "The organization of meat
packers is believed by the public to be
not only a trust, but one that comes under
the head of a criminal trust."

VALUABLE CONNOISSEURSHIP.

Many striking instances of the rise in
the value of old silver occurred in the
Dunn-Gardner sale. It appears, for in-
stance, that the early nineteenth century
cocoanut cup, with silver-gilt mounts,
bought by Messrs. Hodgkins for £600, was
picked up in the late sixties, with one or
two small objects, for £20. Mr. Wer-
theimer paid the purchaser £100 for it,
and the sum at which it passed into the
Dunn-Gardner collection was £500.

It is said, again, that true connoisse-
urship enabled Mr. Gardner to buy for £100
the St. Nicholas spoon, which realized
£600. Probably for the whole collection,
which made £39,000 odd, he paid not more
than £3,000 or £3,000.—Daily News.

SALES AT THE
HOTEL DROUOT.

No Special Features in the Rooms, and
the Prices for Tapestries and
Furniture Rule Small.

EXHIBITIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Collections of Furniture and Works of
Art in Four Rooms, but Nothing
of Great Value.

Le public des amateurs était si clair-
semé hier entre quatre et cinq heures qu'à
grand peine j'y ai pu retrouver quelques
figures connues: MM. le marquis de Mey-
ronnet, comte de Baye, Léon Jagoux.

Les ventes, du reste, n'offraient que peu
d'intérêt.

A la salle 2 j'ai vu vendre par M. Bloche,
assistant M. Carver, quelques tapisseries
qui j'avais signalées hier. Voici les prix
qu'elles ont atteints:—

No.	Description	Prix.
1.	Tapisserie époque Louis XIV, représentant "La Haie à l'Ange", composition inspi- rée de Wouvermans, largeur 3m, 10cm, sur 3m, 10cm de haut.	2,850
2 et 3.	Deux tapisseries de la fin du 16e siècle, représentant "La mort d'Amour", la "Chasse à Courre", l'une mesurant 3m et l'autre 4m, sur 3m de haut.	5,500
4.	Grande tapisserie du 16e siècle, scène alle- gorique large de 4m, 20cm, sur 3m, 60cm, de haut.	915
5.	Tapisserie de Bruxelles du temps de Louis XIV, représentant "L'Amour conduisant une Mort".	650
6 et 7.	Deux tapisseries de Bruxelles du 17e siècle, représentant des scènes de la vie de Cyprien.	410

Meubles et Tapisseries.

A la salle 1, la vente faite par M. Lair-
doreuil et MM. Mannheim a produit
35,000fr. pour les diverses ventes.

Voici les prix de quelques-uns des
objets qui y ont été vendus:—

No.	Description	Prix.
109.	Six fauteuils en bois doré, couverts de tapisserie du temps de Louis XIV, à fond bleu.	4,200
253.	Quatre panaches en tapisserie damas du 16e siècle, verdure, avec animaux et ha- bitants.	2,310
244.	Tapisserie en tapisserie damas du 16e siècle, verdure, avec animaux et ha- bitants.	1,120
250.	Tapisserie, "La Danse Villageoise", d'après Teniers.	1,120
245.	Tapisserie flamande du 16e siècle, "Su- zanne et les Vieillardes".	825
246.	Tapisserie flamande du 16e siècle, "Su- zanne et les Vieillardes".	745
243.	Fragement de tapisserie flamande.	620
235.	Commode Louis XVI en bois de pla- che, garnie de bronze doré.	600
159.	Pendule en marqueterie de cuivre sur cuivre vert, garnie de bronzes dorés, époque Louis XV.	730
164.	Deux consoles Louis XIV en bois doré.	470

La vente des tableaux anciens et mo-
dernes à la salle 7 faite par MM. Cheval-
lier et Feral a produit 10,000fr.

La séance aujourd'hui ne sera guère plus
intéressante, il y aura cependant quatre
expositions de meubles et objets d'art.

Ventes Prochaines.

La liquidation de la succession du prince
et de la princesse Marie va donner lieu à
une vente d'objets d'art et d'ameublement,
qui aura lieu à la salle Petit, et dans la-
quelle se trouvent quelques pièces intéres-
santes, entre autres une pendule, du
temps de Louis XVI à cadran tournant,
contenant dans une sphère verte portée par
les trois griffes, en bronze ciselé et doré,
sur base de marbre bleu turquin.

Une série très intéressante de coffres en
bois sculptés des quinze et seizième siècles
se trouve aussi dans cette collection, ainsi
que des crosses abbatiales provenant d'une
ancienne abbaye de Chaalis, dont l'une est
en cuivre gravé du treizième siècle.

Deux gouaches, très intéressantes par
Van Blarenberg et figurant également
l'une représente un intérieur de ville avec
dominante circulaire, scène animée de nom-
breux personnages, de cavaliers et de car-
rosses; l'autre représente des lavasses et
des pêcheurs près du pont Garin. Ces
deux œuvres sont d'un grand intérêt, et
sont d'actualité, car elles représentent
chacune près de cinquante-neuf
centimètres de large sur trente-huit de
haut.

Plusieurs bustes en marbre de Napoléon
Ier, des tableaux anciens et modernes,
et d'anciennes porcelaines de Chine com-
plètent l'ensemble de cette collection, que
M. Chevalier mettra trois jours à dis-
poser.

ARTIST "CHAUFFEURS."

Paintings and Sculpture by Members
of the Automobile Club in the
Salle des Fêtes.

The Automobile Club de France has just
organized an exhibition of paintings and
sculpture in the Salle de Fêtes. It might
have been supposed that it would contain
some works relating to automobiles. But
such is not the case. The sixty works
more or less on view teach nothing in mat-
ters of art.

In the theatre, which is lighted only by
electricity, the pictures which attract the
most attention are: A study of the nude
by M. Carot-Duran, a figure of a houri,
warm in coloring, entitled "Fleur de
Brûlé" by M. Gabriel Ferrier, and "La
Sœur et la Blonde," a study of nude
women, by M. de Schryver, a work of
great talent, which was much talked of
last year when the Salon was opened.

M. Gaudry's busting scenes are treated
with his usual skill: the same may be
said of M. Jules Dupré's "Gras pâtis-
series," so verdant, with a group of well-
studied cattle. One figure, of a cow lying
down, is extremely well treated.

M. Dauphin has some extremely lumi-
nous effects in his marine exhibits, which
should attract attention; as, also, should
M. Kreyder's white and pink peonies.

I should also mention M. Léon Co-
werre's portraits, a canvas by M. Adrien
Donnet, representing two figures of peas-
ants in a field, an evening effect, a little
too suggestive of Millet's "Angelus," which
M. Demont entitles "Fiancées avec Lune."

In the way of sculpture there are: a
pretty terra-cotta bust, and a marble bust
by M. M. Marquetie; and a plaster group,
"Au travail," by M. L. Lasseuse. The
exhibitors are: MM. Bourguennier, Debat-
Pensan, Delacour, Foreau, Friant, Jo-
bert, Langée, Lecomte de Noy, Maillard,
Renard, Sinibaldi, Umbrecht and Zwiller.

SUNDAY REST FOR FLORISTS.

The syndicate of Parisian retail florists
has decided that on and after May 15 the
shops will be closed during the afternoon
of Sundays and fêtes days, always except-
ing those days, such as All Saints, Christ-
mas and New Year, when the large de-
mand for flowers renders this closing im-
possible.

During the slack season, from the Grand
Prix to the Grand Prix d'Automne, the
shops will be closed all day.

JEWELS AT
CHRISTIE'S.

Second Day's Sale of the Late Mr.
Boore's Collection Marked by
High Prices.

PROCEEDS EXCEED £20,000.

Silver Plate of the Stuart Period Also
Keenly Competed for by the
Dealers.

[BY THE HERALD'S SPECIAL WIRE.]

LONDON, Wednesday.—The second day
of the sale of jewelry and silver plate be-
longing to the late Mr. William Boore, of
54 Strand, attracted another large crowd
to Christie's yesterday, when some high
prices were paid. Two days brought
£20,262 13s. 2d., and the sale will be con-
tinued to-day. The following were the
principal lots disposed of:—

JEWELRY.	Prix.
A brilliant bracelet with two fine table or portrait diamonds, in oval brooches of large brilliants (J. M. Jones)	710 0
A brilliant collar necklace, composed of 53 fine graduated brilliants, with oval open brilliant snap (Boo)	660 0
A brilliant bracelet of five rows of 542 small brilliant cut hand to form a necklace, also forming three bracelets (Willowson)	640 0
A brilliant circular cluster pendant, with a large white button pearl in the centre and a single brilliant loop (S. H. Harris)	440 0
A brilliant large cluster pendant, with a round pearl in the centre, of fine orient, and a single brilliant loop (Willowson)	330 0
A pearl collar composed of five rows of 542 round white pearls, weight 564 gr., with 5 small brilliant bars (Gots)	270 0
A brilliant half-hoop bracelet, with 9 large brilliants (Fleiman)	230 0
A bracelet with a large fine oblong sapphire, weight 6½, 132 carats, and two drop- shaped brilliants, weight 3½, 4 carats (S. J. Phillips)	160 0
A half-hoop triple row brilliant bracelet, with large oval and brilliant cluster centre (Kennedy)	125 0

YOUNG BANDITS ARRESTED.

Two youths of nineteen years of age,
known as "Le Tigre" and "Nesene," were
arrested yesterday in a gipsy van at
Aubervilliers for nocturnal attacks on
cattle passers-by at Courbevoie. The
police suspect that they were concerned in
the murder of Mme. Clausse, who was
strangled in a small street.—Figaro.

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LETTERS TO THE HERALD.

The London Market is Stirred by Mrs. "Cash Down's" Yearning for a Tiara.

THE TITLE "BARGAIN COUNTRESS."

Countess Has a Misfit Coronet that Her American Sister Can Have Cheap.

[Owing to constant pressure on space the HERALD is compelled to inform correspondents that all letters intended for publication in this "open column" must not exceed 250 words in length. Communications which do not comply with this essential condition cannot be considered, unless, of course, they deal with subjects of supreme general interest and importance.]

London Fears Mrs. "Cash Down" Is of the "Genus Americanus Outrageous."

HOTEL CECIL, Strand, W.C. May 5th, 1902.

EDITOR N.Y. HERALD, PARIS:—

With sadness inexpressible I read the letter of "Cash Down" in your issue of May 3rd.

I shrewdly suspect that the gentleman, like an Argentine prize bull, wears a ring in his nose.

I am something of an anthropologist, and supposed that the "Genus Americanus Outrageous" to which "Cash Down's" wife belongs, had, with the Dodo, become extinct.

Yours, etc. T. G. S.

London, May 5th, 1902.

How Will a Countess's Halo Fit Mrs. "Cash Down?"

5 Mai, 1902.

TO THE NEW YORK HERALD:—

In reply to the party, "Any Old Title for Sale," Saturday, 3 May, pg. 6, asking title of Count, he will receive information on a serious subject by addressing

"Follette," New York Herald Office, Paris. Yours truly, "FOLLETTE."

A Disappointed Countess Will Sell Out to Mrs. "Cash Down."

Mr. Editor:—

Dear Sir,—Being a lone female I don't quite know how to come in touch with Mrs. "Cash Down," but I should greatly like to have an opportunity of meeting him. In return for certain considerations I was made a Countess some time ago, but finding that it has not helped me socially as much as I had expected, I am now in treaty for a title of Duchess, from which I expect more satisfactory results.

The expense will be very heavy, and so I would be pleased to see with my former title to help pay for the latter.

CORNELIA DE MONTREY.

Looking for the Chic Mme. Tilton.

Paris, 5th May, 1902.

DEAR SIR:—

Having crossed the Ocean a few years ago with Madame Tilton, a very chic and popular American lady, and wishing to renew my acquaintance with her, I ask you please for her address. I thank you in advance and remain, yours truly,

Mrs. M. LEANDER.

Correct His English? Not at All—No Letters are Tattered With.

JACQUES CAPONI, a chic gallant Correspondent of the "Tribuna" of Rome et de la "Perseverance" de Milan.

PARIS, 5 May.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

I think that the "Englishman sympathizer" who sent you from Vienna a pathetic narration of the incident of Venice, must be an Austrian who cannot console himself after 35 years—that Venice is become—naturally—Italian. If New York Herald, whom impartiality I admire as every old subscriber, had consulted the Venetian paper par exemple "L'Adriatico," he would have found the truth in all the particulars, and principally the stonograpical trial which, I have no doubt on the sad incident. As for the "gall" where the American officers suffered so much according to the Englishman, I am quite sure that the "gall" described in his "Mie Prizoni," it is enough to say that for a friendship feeling for United States, they were kept not in the ordinary prison but at the prefecture of police. Perhaps the only thing of which they were depressed is "brandy,"—the very cause of this disagreeable story in a town renowned for its hospitality for strangers; this Venice of which I honored myself to be a citizen.

Your truly "confère" J. CAPONI.

Correspondent of the "Tribuna" de Rome.

Veuillez je vous prie rendre mon anglais plus correct, parce que il y a tant d'années qu'on me l'a appris, que je ne sais plus m'en bien servir.

J. C.

"Author" Gets His Answer Quickly.

64 Faubourg Poissonnière.

Paris, May 6th, 1902.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK HERALD, PARIS:—

Dear Sir,—In reply to the letter signed "Author," in this day's HERALD, I beg to say that having noticed that the prices charged for English typewriting in Paris came rather high, especially for people who have a good deal of work to be done, I opened an office at the above address, charging only half the rates demanded by the "big firms on the Boulevards," and have since been industriously announcing the fact three times weekly in the HERALD's miscellaneous column.

If "Author," or any other of your readers who require first-class typing done at half the usual rates, will kindly drop me a post-card, I will send for the work to the address indicated, and deliver it promptly upon completion. Yours truly,

F. W. MERCER.

Or, "Author" Can Try This.

Courbevoie.

PARIS, 5-5-1902.

THE EDITOR NEW YORK HERALD, PARIS:—

"Sir,—In reply to the letter from 'Author' in your Saturday's issue, a good English copying office is Eliam's, 13 rue Lafayette; the prices charged for French, and I have found the work entrusted to that firm extremely well done.

I hope this information may be of service to some of your readers.

vice to some of your readers, and am, Sir, faithfully yours,

M. A.

They All Want to Help "Author" Out.

PARIS, 10 rue de Buci, 5th May, 1902.

THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK HERALD, 49 avenue de l'Opéra, E.V.:—

DEAR SIR,—Replying to "Author's" letter in the issue of the New York Herald of to-day's date, I would inform him that he, or his friends, can have any typewriting, either in English or in French, neatly, promptly and economically executed at the above address. Faithfully yours,

ARTHUR W. CARSWELL.

"Pacific Coast" Wants a Pointer.

HOTEL REGINA, 2 place Rivoli, Paris.

PARIS, 5th May.

EDITOR OF PARIS EDITION NEW YORK HERALD:—

Sir,—A few days ago I noticed in your paper the announcement of an exhibition of the Photo-Club of Paris on the Rue Mathurin. Will you kindly inform your readers who are especially interested in the subject of photography, at what number the exhibition is being held and whether it is private or open to the public, either on payment of a fee or otherwise.

I am quite sure that there are a number of visitors in Paris who would be glad to see the collection and compare it with the advanced exhibitions in England and America. Very truly yours,

"PACIFIC COAST."

A Couple of Days After the Fair, Unfortunately.

LIEGE, Belgium, May 4.

PARIS HERALD:—

Will you please publish the result of the meeting of the directors of the General Electric Company which takes place May 5th at Schenectady, N.Y., and oblige a reader of the HERALD who is interested?

Yours, S. LE GERS.

Clemency on the Coronation Day.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK HERALD:—

LONDON, 2 May, 1902.

Sir, The Coronation.

Can you inform your Readers what is the custom in America as to whether foreign Countries when the Election of a President or a Coronation takes place, with regard to Prisoners?

The Election of a President, being a frequent event, perhaps hardly calls for such Remissions and Reductions of Sentences as would our Coronation. I believe that in Italy—very great clemency is shown. Public feeling in England is now acute as to what may be done for all those suffering "in duressville"—even for "old offenders" as well as "first offenders" and prisoners now held "on remand." Yours faithfully,

"FREEDOM."

Where Shall Summer Days be Passed?

PARIS, May 5, 1902.

EDITOR NEW YORK HERALD:—

DEAR SIR,—A number of Americans are discussing plans for the summer, and are anxious to get some information, through the columns of your interesting paper, in regard to the Brittany and Normandy coasts. We are looking for a quiet, inexpensive place where the water is warm and there is a good sand beach.

We have thought of Granville and would like to know of some small place near there, that is right on the sea. Yours truly

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

"Free advertisement?" The "Yankee Girl" who asks: "Can't you see that in publishing the Ritz dinners we are giving these so-called society women? free advertisement?" must have misplaced the interrogation point, unless it is a misprint (gouty fingers, perhaps).

Mr. Ritz's secretary must have been more amused than annoyed when he read it. Give her a chance to change the point of that sentence, to let us see that any American can see through an eight-page newspaper.

"ANOTHER YANKEE GIRL." WIEN.

Coin Collectors are Still Hard at It.

SATONAY (Ain), 3-5-1902.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

Sir,—Perhaps your correspondent, "A Collector of as Many Modern Coins as He Can Get" can help me too with a collection of a twenty franc piece I have lately come across.

On one side it has the inscription "Napoléon Empereur" and on the other "Republique Française, 1806, A."

By the way, "Hachette" in a comparative table of the republican and imperial calendars gives the year XII, of former as corresponding with 1803 of the latter; year I, having been 1792, not 1793 as "Modern Coin Collector" states. Yours truly,

HERBERT A. MARSHALL.

Here's Another Anxious Inquiry for "A. L."

30 avenue d'Eylau, Paris, 5 May, 1902.

EDITOR OF THE NEW YORK HERALD, PARIS:—

DEAR SIR,—As an old subscriber of the HERALD, I take the liberty of suggesting that you should include in your N.Y. quotations, "American Locomotive Co."

Yours truly, "RESIDENT."

THE Y.M.C.A. IN THE FAR EAST.

It is this evening at 8.30 that Mr. Robert D. Pringle gives his address, "Young Men in the Far East," in the premises of the Anglo-American Young Men's Christian Association, 160 rue Montmartre. Mr. Pringle for many years held the post of secretary to the Bombay Association, and is passing through Paris on his way to take up work in Colombo and Singapore. The remarks of one who has had the opportunity to study the problems of the Far East, as has Mr. Pringle, should be interesting. The members and their gentlemen friends are particularly requested to attend. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

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SUGAR CONVENTION RATIFIED.

BRUSSELS, Monday.—The Chamber of Representatives to-day unanimously ratified the text of the recent Sugar Convention. The House also voted the supplementary estimates, as well as the Budgets of the Departments of Railways, Justice, and Public Instruction.—Reuter.

FINANCIAL---COMMERCIAL.

Moderately Active Session in New York, Closing Strong with Several Important Gains.

GENERAL ELECTRICS HIGHER.

Business in London Rather Quiet, but Markets Close Firmer in Many Instances.

[Readers are informed that upon the receipt of a request for the quotation of any security not contained in the following list, and accompanied by a Post Office order, mandat-poste, or other equivalent, for 7fr. 50c., their request will be called to New York, and the quotation desired will be published in the European Edition of the following day.]

New York, Tuesday.—The stock market to-day has been moderately active. The total transactions are computed at about 877,000 shares, of which 150,000 were Readings and 120,000 Great Westerns.

The tone of the session was quiet but strong throughout. It opened with scarcely a trace of yesterday's uneasiness, and no further embarrassments were reported or intimated.

The principal factor influencing the higher prices was the increased confidence in the anthracite coal strike would be averted. This reflected in the advance of coals, which put Readings from 63 1/2 to 67 1/2.

Erics were marked up to 38 1/2, Ontario to 34, while Lackawanna rose 7 points, Delaware 3 1/2 and Jersey Central 4 1/2.

These movements favorably affected the general market. The continued rise in Monroes and Lehigh Valley was a prominent feature. An advance occurred in the afternoon of 4 1/2 points in Chicago Great Western Common, and, except for a moderate reaction in coals, the session ended very strong at gains averaging 1 1/2 to 2 points, and reaching up to 5 points in Lackawanna and 11 points in General Electric.

In the money market, which was active and strong, rates ruled at or near 10 per cent. for a considerable time, receding to 6 per cent., however, in the afternoon, and closing with business doing at that rate. Silver closed at 51 1/2, 52 1/2 asked, and copper closed at 12 to 12 1/2.

The final bids were:—

United States Four per Cent.	To-day.	Prev.
United States Four per Cent.	111 1/2	111 1/2
United States Five per Cent.	112 1/2	112 1/2
United States Six per Cent.	113 1/2	113 1/2
United States Seven per Cent.	114 1/2	114 1/2
United States Eight per Cent.	115 1/2	115 1/2
United States Nine per Cent.	116 1/2	116 1/2
United States Ten per Cent.	117 1/2	117 1/2
United States Eleven per Cent.	118 1/2	118 1/2
United States Twelve per Cent.	119 1/2	119 1/2
United States Thirteen per Cent.	120 1/2	120 1/2
United States Fourteen per Cent.	121 1/2	121 1/2
United States Fifteen per Cent.	122 1/2	122 1/2
United States Sixteen per Cent.	123 1/2	123 1/2
United States Seventeen per Cent.	124 1/2	124 1/2
United States Eighteen per Cent.	125 1/2	125 1/2
United States Nineteen per Cent.	126 1/2	126 1/2
United States Twenty per Cent.	127 1/2	127 1/2
United States Twenty-one per Cent.	128 1/2	128 1/2
United States Twenty-two per Cent.	129 1/2	129 1/2
United States Twenty-three per Cent.	130 1/2	130 1/2
United States Twenty-four per Cent.	131 1/2	131 1/2
United States Twenty-five per Cent.	132 1/2	132 1/2
United States Twenty-six per Cent.	133 1/2	133 1/2
United States Twenty-seven per Cent.	134 1/2	134 1/2
United States Twenty-eight per Cent.	135 1/2	135 1/2
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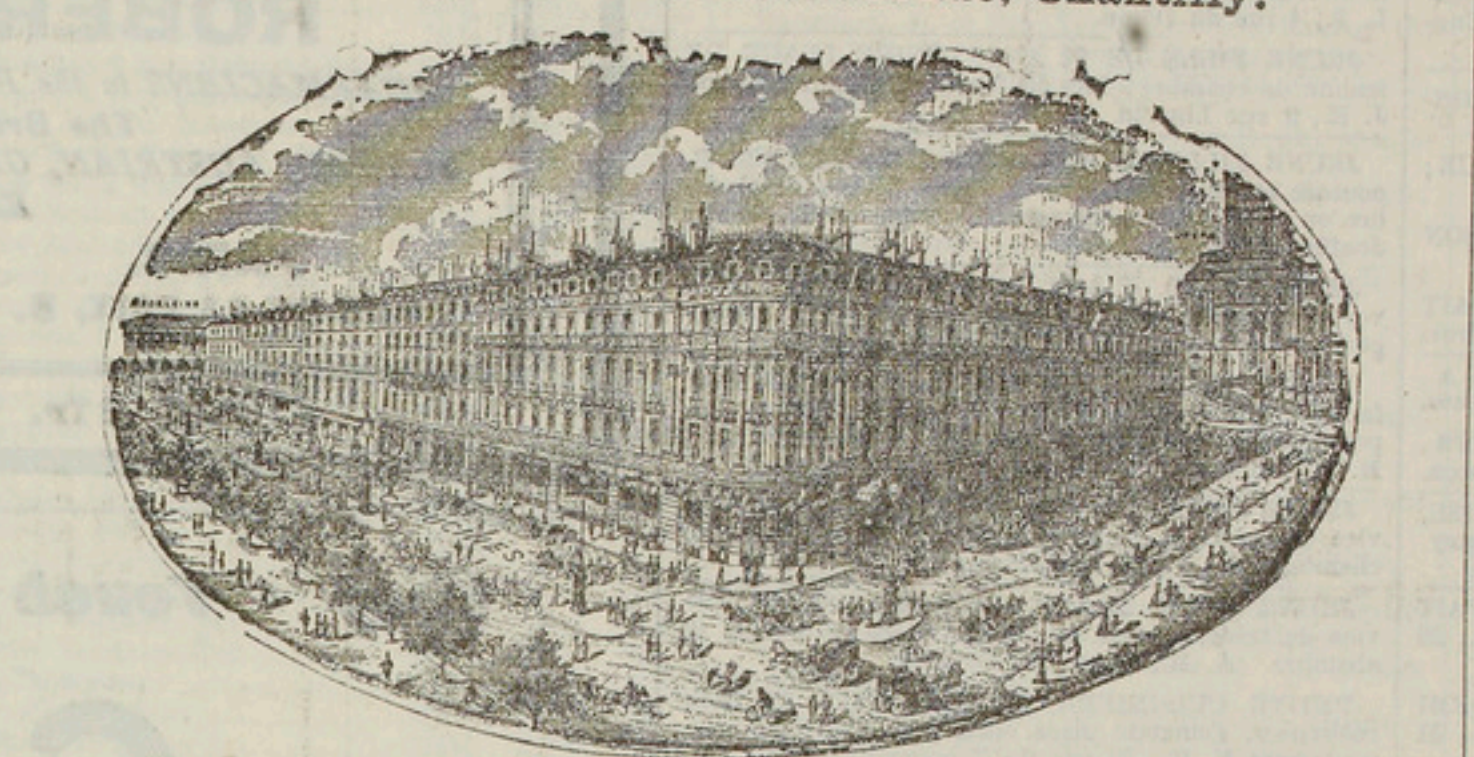
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